

INJURIES AND DISEASES OF THE HEAD AND MOUTH

or which Specific Medicines are recommended. First, remember the loss of any portion of lip, cheeks or tongue makes the horse worthless; therefore, try all before using the knife.

When Cuts take place, the parts should be washed clean with solution Daniels' Carbo-Negus. The parts drawn together and secured by bands, and efforts made to secure perfect rest, and apply Wonder Worker, Lotion to heal. Feed Renovator Powders twice daily for tonic and strength.

Lacerated Wounds are not so easily closed, but do so when possible. Dress and clean with solution of Carbo-Negus, and apply Wonder Worker Lotion freely to heal. Feed Renovator Powders twice daily for blood.

Lampas. — A swelling or projection of the palate behind the front teeth, often extending below the teeth and the horse is unable to eat, the food dropping out when the animal attempts to chew it.

Treatment. — Add a tablespoonful of saltpeter to each pailful of water given the horse to drink. If the swellings are particularly troublesome open with the point of a knife, or touch with a stick of nitrate of silver. Feed corn on the cob.

Big Head. - Is incurable.

Staggers. — In horses, caused by defective teeth, worms, debility, irregular or improper feeding, ravenous feeding, etc. In colts, from teething, removal from dam too early, cold milk, suckling when dam is overheated, etc.

Symptoms. — When not engorged, loss of appetite or a capricious one tendency to eat filth, sore mouth, much thirst, hidebound, dry or scurfy skin, bowels irregular, windy, frequently a dry, short cough and sometimes diarrhea, feces dark color with fetid odor; urine is dark in color, and leaves a red sediment, look for worms; this condition leads to giddiness and fits.

Treatment. — Give a Physic Ball, follow with a pint of linseed oil; look to the mouth and teeth, see they are in proper condition; give attention to the feed, make a change, give roots, good oats, no corn or meal, clean, bright hay, sprinkled with a little salt water; have a salt brick convenient for use, feed regularly moderate quantity; bran mashes are of great help; add to the feed for a week one Renovator Powder twice a day, then one daily; fresh air, pure drinking water, sanitary surroundings. If colicky pains, give one to three doses of my Colic Cure after feeding.

Staggers. — If from engorgement, which is shown by a pawing of the forefeet, the near one in particular, belching, quick pulse, hard breathing, saliva dribbling from the mouth, give the same treatment as before mentioned, but give two to four doses of Colic Cure first, and for purge, give one pint or more of linseed oil, and give a warm injection of soapy water.

Abscess or Tumors on the Side of the Face.—If caused by foreign objects, like thorns, nails, etc., such articles should be removed. Bring to a head with poultice; open. Wash or cleanse with Carbo-Negus, and apply Wonder Worker Lotion to heal. Feed Renovator Powders morning and night for condition and blood.

Paralysis of the Lip. — In recent cases. Incessant applications of Liniment Powder, hot; alternate with Daniels' Oster-Cocus Liniment externally. Good food; box stall; perfect rest. Renovator Powder twice daily. Sometimes Absorbent Blister will give good results.