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From twenty to thirty-five miles from Denver, between Cherry Creek and Gunnison Creek, the New Orleans and Denver Kresk struck an unusual obstruction, it being nothing less than a buried forest. The trees are all petrified and fossilized, are of all sizes, and lie buried at various depths, from ten to twenty feet, which is as deep as any excavation was made by the workmen. They came upon these recks of a buried forest, lie at least half a dozen localities, and have met with not a little difficulty on their account. The trees are very perfect, and will be taken out nearly whole if suitable machinery were employed.

BURNS AND SCALDS—IMPORTANT REMEDY.

For years since (S. P., '77) the American Agriculturist recommended the use of Birchbark of Sida, that is the common dogwood tree, for most kinds of burns. Since then frequent experiments and observations, the opinions of physicians, and the best medical journals, have more than confirmed all what we then said. As burns and scalds are always liable to occur, and as the remedy, though simple, has proved extraordinarily useful it should be fixed in the minds of every one. The soda, and the carbuncle acid so readily set at liberty from it, have anaesthetic, antiseptic and disinfecting properties—all highly bene-

fitful. For slight burns cover all the injured parts with a layer of powdered soap or dry lime, but where the skin is not broken dip linen rags in a solution made by dissolving one-third of an ounce of the soda in a glass of water; lay the rags on and keep them moist with this solution. For very severe burns, followed by suppuration (formation of pus), apply the rags in the same way, keeping them moist; but frequently exchange them when dry for fresh ones, and carefully wash off, with the soda solution, any matter that has accumulated under the skin, so that it may not be absorbed into and poison the blood. Leading European medical journals give numerous instances in which, by the above treatment, extensive burns of very severe character have healed speedily, leaving little scar.

WARMTH FROM NEWSPAPERS.

Many years ago one of the severest winters when there was much hardship among the poor, a city paper suggested that old newspapers spread over the bed, would form an excellent substitute for blankets and coverlets. This brought upon the journal a great deal of harmless ridicule from other papers, but it brought comfort to many a poor family. In the matter of clothing, especially, we are apt to associate warmth with weight, and do not consider that there is no warmth in the coverlets themselves, but that they merely prevent the heat of the body from passing off. What ever is a poor conductor of heat will make a good insulator. Paper itself is a very poor conductor of heat power as the thin layers of air that we confined when two or three newspapers were laid upon one another. A few newspapers laid over the bed will keep one much warmer than some of the heavy, low-watt blankets. We not propose newspapers as a substitute for blankets and coverlets, but it is one of the rank shifts that it is well to make. In traveling one may lay aside a few newspapers, secure a coat, hat, and a cap, and a thin cloak, and it will afford a sufficient covering for a blanket or a comforter, we may allow them to increase the usefulness of their thin coverings by stitching a wavy baffle across them, that will prevent them from falling away from the window, and arranging a cover of newspapers over them, they may be protected from harm on severely cold nights. With the plants with ourselves, it is no uncommon thing to find a single plant, and it goes off, as if a single particle of it will prevent the escape of heat. —American Agriculturist.

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