Hardskin potion

Potion, common

Hardskin is a potion designed for farmers and other commoner manual workers. Drinking this potion means that the next bludgeoning, piercing or slashing injury you receive from a non-magical source cannot reduce you below 3hp. The potion's effects last for eight hours or until it protects you from an injury. Farmers and similar purchase this potion in bulk at harvest time for each worker to take every day; an accident with a scythe or similar to a commoner with 4hp might ordinarily kill or sever a limb but when under the effects of hardskin is reduced to a minor injury. It is of less use to adventurers facing sword attacks and the like. Hardskin potion is a dull transparent brown colour.

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