

Antidotes for Poisons

First.—Send for a physician.

Second.—Induce vomiting by tickling throat with feather or finger; drinking hot water or strong mustard and water; swallow sweet oil or whites of eggs. Acids are antidotes for alkalies and vice versa.

For Poisoning from Arsenic, Corrosive Sublimate, Verdigris, Blue Vitriol, and Vegetables kept in Copper Kettles.—Give an emetic and the white of an egg, sweet-oil and milk.

Carbolic Acid.—There is no special antidote, except alcohol. Oil, glycerine, milk, flour and water, whites of eggs, magnesia, and flax-seed tea may be used.

Iodine.—Starch, wheat flour mixed with water, whites of eggs, milk, and mucilaginous drinks are excellent antidotes.

Lead and its Compounds.—In lead, or painters' colic, purgatives and anodynes may be given, together with large doses of iodide of potassium. Give a strong cathartic, as there is always marked constipation.

Poison Ivy or Oak.—There are several generally effective remedies for poison ivy or oak. One is to apply hot water and alcohol to the poisoned surface. Another is peroxide of hydrogen. The third is to apply a solution of sugar of lead, about 40 grains to a pound of water. Two other remedies that are more or less effective are baking soda and dry starch.

Toadstool Poisoning.—Give emetics promptly, then castor oil and stimulants. Apply heat.

Emetics are substances which cause vomiting and should be speedily administered in cases of internal poisoning. A teaspoonful of salt, warm water and mustard; an ounce of wine of ipecac—any of these will be found efficacious.

Over-taxed My Strength, Became All Run Down, Weak, Nervous, Could Not Sleep



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Mrs. Fanny Burberry

Niagara Falls, Ont.—"I over-taxed my strength which caused me to become all rundown in health, I was weak and nervous, could not sleep—was all tired out and too weak to do anything. I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it soon had me feeling fine, my nerves quieted down, I could sleep and my strength came back. As a general tonic for women there is nothing better."—Mrs. Fanny Burberry, 693 Morrison St.

All druggists. Liquid or tablet form.

Stiff Muscles

A hot bath followed by a brisk rubbing with Dr. Pierce's Ammonio-Camphorated Liniment will greatly relieve stiff muscles, but it will take time for stiffness to entirely disappear. (See page 32.)

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