

53. What should be done when the disease comes to an end?

The house, or at least those rooms which the patient has occupied, should be disinfected, along with everything which the patient has used; articles that can be destroyed should be burnt.

54. What should children more especially keep in mind so as to protect themselves, and those around, from possible infection?

They should not expectorate either on the floor or on the pavement.

They should not spit on their slates.

They should not lick or suck their fingers.

They should not stick odds and ends in their mouths; pencils, pens, and so on, which may have been lying about.

They should not "swop" chewing gum with their school friends, or eat things which another has already bitten.

They should not use pea-shooters belonging to others.