

PERILS OF TRADE AND SOME HOMOEOPATHIC ANTIDOTES.

Boilermakers get deaf from the continual loud noise. Divers' hearts become distended from their holding their breath. Dressmakers' long hours result in indigestion, poverty of blood and impaired eyesight. 'Natum mur.,' night and morning, and 'Ferr. cit. chinin.,' 3x, after meals are the remedies for these conditions.

Blacksmiths often suffer paralysis from the continuous shock of the hammer and their eyes become weak from the glare of the fire. 'Arnica' and 'Mercurius' are the remedies to modify these conditions.

Painters are poisoned by the lead they use so much, and all their muscles become weak, especially those of the wrist. 'Alumina' is the chief remedy.

Tea-tasters, although they only take the tea into the mouth and do not swallow it, become so nervous that they cannot follow their employment but for a period of eight or ten years. 'China' and 'Selenium' are antidotal.

Carpenters and cabinetmakers are afflicted with varicose veins in legs, and the action of the shoulder in sawing and planing produces a diseased condition of the large artery that runs from the heart to the arm. 'Calcarea fluorica' will benefit.

Clergyman's sore throat is well known, and it is claimed to be due to the effect of talking downward from the pulpit, as barristers, who talk quite as much as preachers, are not afflicted to the same extent. 'Aurum triphyl.' and 'Kali mur.' are the chief remedies. Often a gargle of 'Arnica,' a few drops in a glass of cold water, after speaking, will be of much benefit.

Cabmen suffer from the cold, which affects their face to such a degree that the muscles become frequently paralyzed. 'Causticum' and 'Rhus.'

Brewers and brewers' drivers drink beer in such large quantities that they ruin their health and generally die young. 'Kali bich.' and 'Bryonia' are frequently indicated in such patients.

Coopers have a lump on the knee, which is really a little bag of fluid placed there by nature to protect the knee from the injurious effects of pressing it against the barrel. Housemaids are frequently afflicted with poverty of blood from drinking tea and running upstairs. Housemaid's knee is another well-known ailment. Use 'Benzoic acid cerate' locally, and internally 'Silicia' and 'Ruta' will cure.

Professional boxers, wrestlers, gymnasts, etc., are short-lived and suffer from enlargement of the heart and disease of the lungs. 'Arnica' and 'Rhus' taken occasionally will benefit.

The dust that enters the lungs of potters when they are sifting clay interferes very much with their breathing, so that "potters' asthma" is a well-known disease. Salesmen and saleswomen who stand on their feet constantly get varicose veins and pains in the feet. 'Rhus' and 'Calcarea fluor.' Both with 'Hamamelis Extract.'

The sedentary life of lawyers, artists, students and literary men give rise to gout, which is thus truly said to kill more wise men than fools. 'Nux' and 'Lycopodium' will do much to counteract the evils of sedentary life. For uric acid in the system take five drops 'Tincture of Urtica' night and morning.—Herald of Health and Homoeopathy.

'Calcarea fluorica,' 6 D., among all our remedies, offers the best prospect in cataractic affections of the eyes.

'Arsenicum iodatum' is useful in the vertigo of old men, when there is a lack in the elasticity of the arteries. There is aggravation on rising and on lying down, with a sensation of weakness and trembling.

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