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### WHOOPIING COUGH

In the spring is when whooping cough does its worst. There are each year in North Carolina about five hundred lives lost as a direct result of whooping cough and about 12,000 cases. Whooping cough is a long drawn out disease which if it does not kill violently does weaken the child to such a degree that it is very susceptible to any other contagious disease or infection. So often these children contract pneumonia and also tuberculosis. About eighty-five per cent of the deaths from whooping cough occur during the first three years of life and seventy-five per cent of the cases are in children before they enter school. If the baby can be protected during its first three years from contracting whooping cough the chances are eight to one that the disease will not kill it after this age. If the older child then, when it does get the disease is given reasonable care to prevent in so far as possible debility which predisposes to complications, then whooping cough may be robbed of nearly all of its terror.

A child that has once had whooping cough is not likely to get it again. Epidemics occur in waves four or five years apart. This is because of the accumulation of non-immune children. Most of the deaths occur in children who are in a subnormal condition because of some preceding debilitating condition. Malnutrition and intestinal diseases are the conditions most often preceding whooping cough death.

The commonly expressed idea that "all children must sooner or later have whooping cough, so let them have it and be over with it" is almost criminal. Any effort is justified to prevent a baby, and especially a weakened baby, from getting this disease.

Whooping cough is spread ONLY through contact with the FRESH secretions from nose or mouth of another person suffering with the disease. The particular bug which causes it is a bacillus belonging to the same family group as the influenza bacillus. This bug dies very quickly outside the human body. Droplets diffused by coughing or sneezing are the greatest source of danger. Whooping cough vaccine often does marvelous good. The best cure is guarding your baby. If, in spite of every care your baby does get sick, then give it every possible medical care and attention.

### CATCHING DISEASES

Diseases that are easily communicated from a sick to a well person are contagious ("catching") diseases. The most familiar of these, no doubt, are measles, mumps, whooping-cough, scarlet fever and diphtheria.

Nature is the most relentless and cruel of all tyrants. Her laws are inexorable. In all nature there is constant warfare. The weeds smother the cotton if the weeds themselves are not destroyed. In the pond, the big fish eat the little fish. The dogs catch the rabbits and the cats catch the mice. The partridges eat the insects and the robins eat the worms.

"Great fleas have little fleas  
Upon their backs to bite 'em,  
And little fleas have lesser fleas,  
And so--ad infinitum.  
And the great fleas themselves,  
In turn, have greater fleas to go on;  
While these again have greater still,  
And greater still and so on."

In the microscopic world there are bacteria that prey on each other and bacteria that prey on the human host. Human beings must fight these bacteria that prey on the human host. Human beings must fight these bacteria or be overcome by them. Human beings fight bacteria naturally by nature's laws and also human beings may use their superior human intellect to aid in combatting them.

When the virus causing smallpox gains entrance in the human body it immediately begins to grow and multiply and to eliminate the toxins which produce the symptoms called smallpox. When this happens nature at once sets to work to produce in the system a substance which will neutralize these poisons and also kill the virus. If nature is successful the patient gets well. If nature is unsuccessful, the patient dies. The fight is unto death. One or the other must be overcome.

Man's intelligence comes to the aid of nature by showing man how to aid nature to more efficiently prepare this antitoxin by means of vaccination. In some instances it is possible to prepare this antitoxin artificially outside of the human body.

All contagious or "catching" diseases are caused by some species of bacteria and they are contagious because these bacteria are communicated in some manner from the sick to the well.

In most cases when the individual has had one attack of the disease and gets well, the natural antitoxin produced in the system to counteract that infection remains permanent and such persons is not likely to have that disease again.

### CANDIDATE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

All political announcements appearing in this column will run until the Democratic primary of June 5. Rate is ten dollars full time.

### TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF WAYNESVILLE LIBRARY.

You will take notice that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Waynesville Library Association, Inc., will be held at the library building in Waynesville, N. C., at ten o'clock on Tuesday, A. M., April 6, 1926, when and where officers and directors of said association will be elected and other business transacted as may come before said body.

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