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## INFANTS' NORMAL STOOLS AS AFFECTED BY DIET.

Miss Frances A. Myles, R.N., writes in The American Journal of Nursing: "The first defæcation of an infant is known as meconium, and is made up of the secretions of the intestinal walls and cells of the same, also of amniotic fluid which has been swallowed; this lasts from four to seven days, and may persist somewhat longer. Then follows the normal breast stool.

Breast-milk Stools.—These have the consistency of pea-soup, are of a golden yellow colour, with a sweetish aromatic odour, not unpleasant, and have always an acid reaction. A little later these stools become more salve-like. It is unusual

to see an absolutely normal breast-milk stool. "Cow's-milk Stools.—These are fewer in number, there may be one or two a day, or one every other day, they are firmer, and apt to be constipated, of a lighter yellow colour. The reaction is alkaline. Odour may be sweet, foul, or cheesy. "Skim-milk Stools.—These are more brownish

than the modified-milk stools, and of an alkaline reaction. Odour is cheesy or foul. They are usually of a peculiar salve-like consistency.

"Whey Stools.—These are essentially the same as skim-milk stools; they are a little browner. "Starch Stools.—These are distinctly brown,

tend to be acid, and have an aromatic odour. Frequently fine brownish specks are found in the stool. This is the cellulose or chaff of the material from which it is made, as the husk from the oat.

"Malt-sugar Preparations (such as malted milk, &c.) cause stools to be distinctly brown, acid, and sticky. They are usually slightly laxative, but may be constipating.

Buttermilk Stools are shiny, salve-like, greyish brown, have usually a cheesy odour, but not marked.

"Animal Food, such as beef juice, mutton broth, &c., causes the stools to be brown, and to have a distinctly fæcal odour. They are alkaline.

"Starvation Stools are the same as meconium, and consist of bile, intestinal secretion, &c. They are sticky, brownish green, stale odour, frequently small in amount.

'Cholera Infantum Stools are usually odourless. They contain mucus, are sometimes aromatic, and may smell like wet hay.

Blood gives a dirty, sickly smell. "Grey Stools are due to absence of bile.

"White Stools are made up of a large amount of fat. It is in the form of soap, looks soapy and shiny."

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