P.29 SHORT FORAY INTO THE TRADITIONAL ROMANIAN REMEDIES

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Romanian traditional remedies were used, before the scientific knowledge appeared, for prevention and / or successful treating of various diseases.

The red potatoes, cabbage, lavender, nettle, cowslip, mouse tail, wormwood (absinth), lemon balm, anise, lime (tree), onion, parsley, mint, carnation, dill were and still are being used in popular Romanian therapy.

The wormwood, the coriander, the dandelion are also being reffered into the bible as "bitter herbs" (*The Exit 12.8*), as "Good arised remedies from earth and the wise man shall not be discusted by them" but the pharmacist will prepare them (*The wisdom of Jesus Sirah 38.4*, *38.8*).

Our purpose, in this poster, is to present a short rewiew of the main properties of some of the Romanian traditional remedies.