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To change Red or Blue Liquid, to Green

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#### A Ball of Ice.

Introduce a small portion of water into a thin glass ball, and keep it moistened for a considerable length of time by the application of sulphuric ether; and the water will be converted into ice.

#### Beautiful Metallic Crystals.

Over one ounce of iron filings in a tea-cup, pour a table-spoon full of sulphuric acid, diluted with four times its quantity of water; boil it for a short time, and set it aside to cool, when beautiful crystals of sulphate of iron will be formed.

#### To change a Blue Liquid to a Red.

Pour a little of the infusion of litmus, or blue cabbage, into a wine-glass, and add to it a single drop of nitric or sulphuric acid, and it will be instantly changed to a beautiful red colour.

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experiment, either before or after it has been converted to red, and add a few drops of the solution of potash of soda, and upon stirring it, a fine green colour will be produced.

To convert a Colourless Liquid to a Deep Brown.

A drop of nitrate of copper let fall into a glass of water, will not produce any change on the colour of the water, but, if a crystal, or a drop of the solution of prussiate of potash be added, the water will become a dark brown colour.

To produce a deep Blue Colour, by mixing two colourless Liquids.

Let a drop of nitrate of copper fall into a glass, then fill it up with water, it will appear to have no colour, but, upon letting a drop of liquid of ammonia (which is also without colour) fall into the glass, the liquid will become of a beautiful deep blue colour.

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