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from a direct determination, it follows that the first phase must have represented a pure hemitoxin which reached exactly to 100 (see illustration). Accordingly each  $\frac{1}{200}$  I. E. (=1 combining unit) successively added to the L dose takes away  $\frac{1}{2}$  L. D. from the fatal doses

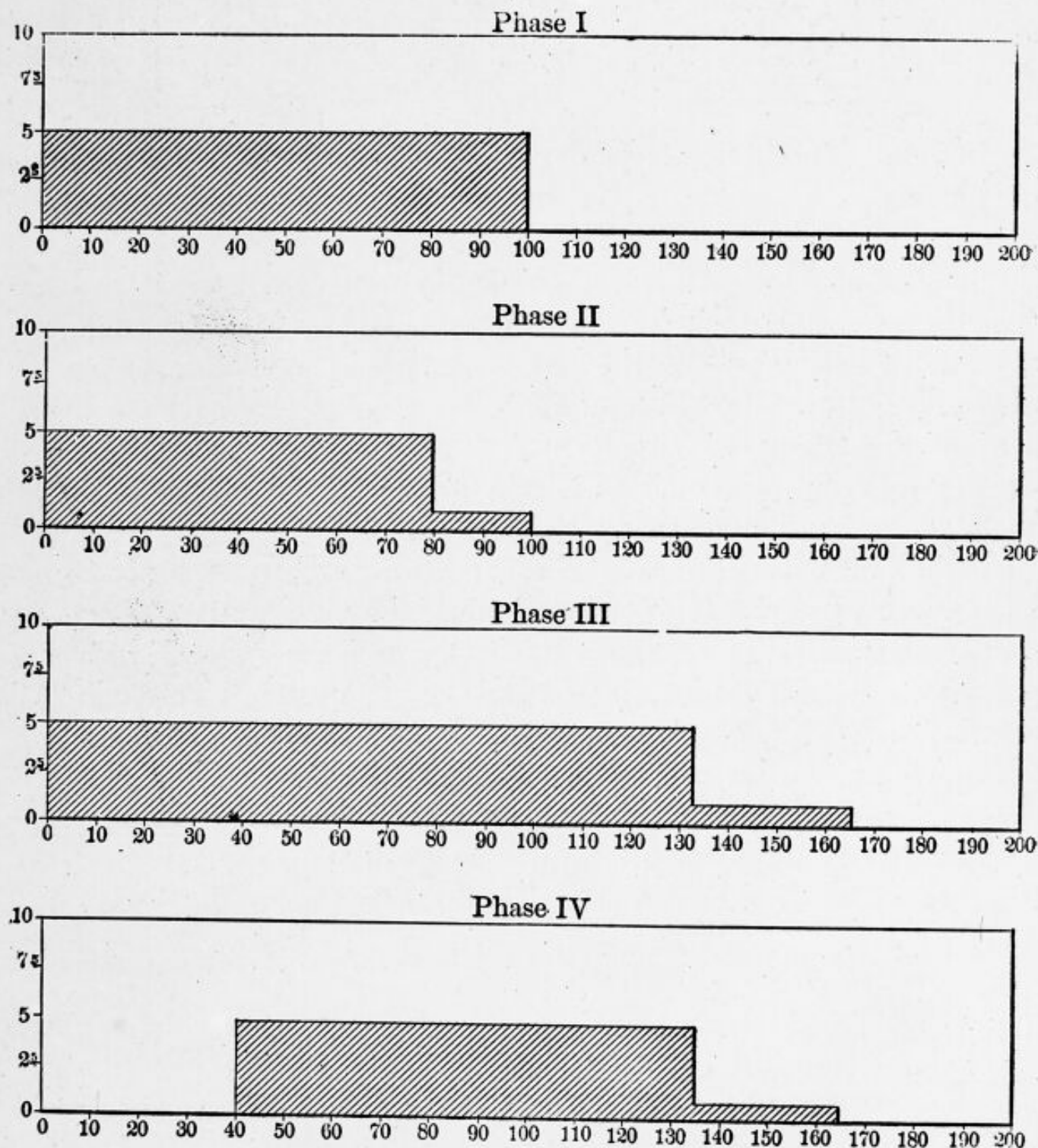


FIG. 1.

contained in  $L_0$ , and this all occurs within the first hundred antitoxin doses added. Amounts of antitoxin beyond this have no further influence on the toxin (death, necrosis), but affect only the