

Miasmatic Block in Acute Condition

Date	Location	Sensation & pathology	A.E. < >	Accompaniments
27/9/01	Nose → throat ↓ Ear Pain	Since yesterday coryza + Today- both ear pain+ → - throat pain → chilly++ Temp- 98 F, Pulse- 100/min O/E- Lt Tonsil swollen++ with pus pockets. 2 cervical lymph nodes palpable	< Lt side++ < Fan, draft++ < Lt side < swallowing	Strict time relation Headache+ Vomiting+ Thirst for water, large and often Tongue- white+ - moist+

With above presentation, *Hepar-sul*, *Merc-sol*, *Lachesis* emerged high, but thermal modality pointed towards *Hepar-sul*. Action= *Hepar-sul* 200 TDS x 2 days

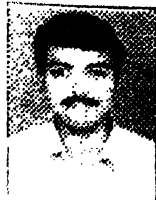
29/9/01	Lt to Rt tonsil	Fever+, nasal discharge + Ear & throat pain-same No chilliness now Wants fan but it < ear pain O/E- Lt Tonsil swollen+++ - Rt tonsil swollen+		Thirst-same Tongue-thick+++ Creamish coating
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It was clear *Hepar* had not acted at all. And in spite of careful case taking, we had not been clearly able to define the thermal state. Action= *Merc-sol* 30 qds x 2 days

1/10/01 morning		Dysphagia, Fever evening to night Coryza increased Throat pain increased O/E-Tonsils-same 4-5 Lt cervical nodes	< Liquids++ < empty swallowing+++ > warm+	Vomiting-once Thirst-same Tongue-same
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Now it was around 7 days patient was suffering & it was not a good clinical situation and hence case was reviewed and following totality was emerged-

1. Tonsils involvement - Left to right < Lt side



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2. Thirst increased+++
 3. Tongue-coating creamish+++
 4. < Empty swallowing+++
 5. < Liquids++
 6. It sided cervical lymph node involvement {glands}
- Though *Merc-sol* did not act, the totality still pointed to *Merc* and hence *Merc i-r* was selected in 200th potency x tds 1 day

Other Cases

1/10/01 evening 9.30 pm	Every complaint was same. Temp-99 F, But his facial appearance was slightly improved than morning	Thirst-same Weakness++
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It was the situation where main question in mind was what is wrong with the treatment i.e. clinical picture was exactly similar to *Merc-i-r* potency and repetition was according to susceptibility and sensitivity, then why remedy is not helping patient as well as physician in his efforts. There was no clear indication {i.e. remedy had not registered according to expectation} to repeat same medicine in high potency. Again disease picture was reviewed and following points were noted

1. Tonsils has pus pockets {suppuration}
2. Involvement of multiple glands {lymph nodes/ tonsils}
3. Characteristic expression are numerous
4. Weakness++

All these indicates expressions of Tubercular miasm and so following action was taken

Action- *Tuberculinum* 1M stat → *Merc-i-r* 200 at bedtime and tds next day

2/10/01	no fever, throat pain>+++ , tonsil size Left>+++ , Rt>+++ , Ear Pain>+ ,	Weakness > + Thirst-same
6/10/01	No c/o, only 1 cervical lymph Node was palpable, Tonsils size-normal	

CONCLUSION: we can come across with miasmatic blocks even in acute conditions. In this case too there was block of tubercular miasm & only when that was tackled, did the selected remedy act with full vigor.

Making things Happen

"To be successful, you must make things happen.

These are the things you require to be successful:

1. *Effort. Nothing happens without it. It must be well directed.*
2. *Enthusiasm. Gives you the energy to persevere.*
3. *Courage. The guts to continue no matter what.*
4. *Intelligence(Knowledge). The intelligence to know the make the right choices.*
5. *Resources/Shakthi: What you need to keep going.*
6. *Capacity. Capacity to overcome obstacles.*

Even if you have all these, there are 'Hidden Variables'. You have absolutely no control over the outcome. Therefore, you need Divine Grace. Not to influence the outcome but to accept what happens with humility.

This is Religious pragmatism. Every successful person intuitively follows this."

- Adapted from a talk to MBA students by Swami Dayananda Saraswati