

A CASE OF FISTULA IN ANO WITH RHEUMATISM

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Complaints a small boil near rectum with throbbing pain. This boil burst open with yellowish whitish pus discharge. after stool.

Burning pains at involved site by hot water application. Piles protruding per rectum with bleeding of fresh red nature. Pain after and during stool. Knee aching pain by hot Bath & by exertion. Headache after least contradiction.

Personal history-Wt 70 Kg, Height 5'-5". Excessive and offensive perspiration, more on head. Craving for sweets and salty things. Increased sexual desire. H/o pre-marital relationship.

Mental Symptoms- Irritable with anger. Quiet; doesn't like to fight. Tension +.

Dreams-Prophetic dreams + . Amorous (Sex).

Likes winter season. Likes fresh open air. Desires no covering. Requires fan. Cold water bathing. Hot patient.

Past history of Typhoid fever in 1962 for one month.

Considering generals and modalities Calc fl and Tuberculinum Bov was selected.

19/01/91- Perianal hard nodular swelling with yellowish discharge. Rx. Calc fl 30 HS. daily followed by Tuberculinum 1M one dose.

29/01/91- No change. Calc flour 30 tds.

11/02/91- Discharge less. Swelling less. Itching +. Rx Calc flour 200 OD.

19/03/91- Discharge and swelling less. Rx. Calc flour 200 BD.

30/03/91- Discharge +, foul smelling. Piles +. Rx. Tuberculinum 1M one dose and Calc fl 1M.

01/05/91- Discharge and swelling less. Rx. Calc flour 10M OD.

10/05/91- Considerable relief in swelling and discharge and piles. Itching is also less. Rx. Placebo

20/05/91- Only slight perianal itching. Rx. Tuberculinum bov 10M single dose.

27/07/91- Chilliness with slight fever. Throat infection. Rx. Hepar sulf 30 4 hourly and R1 10drops sos.

21/10/91- Discharge +. Rx. Calc fl 10M.

30/10/91- Much relief. Rx. Calc fl 50 M one dose.

20/11/91- No complaints. Discharge and itching not present. Swelling much reduced. Rx. Placebo.

19/12/91- Bleeding per rectum with anal burning. ? Anal fissure. Rx. Acid nit 30 SOS

28/12/91- Much better. Rx. Calc fl CM/4doses in a day.

- 29/01/92- Relief continued. Rx.Calc fl CM/7 doses in two days.
- 14/02/92- Discharge, swelling and itching relived. Rx. No medicine.
- 18/03/92- Coryza,headache & thirst.Rx. Ars alb 30/6doses with Kalimur 6x.
- 11/04/92- Slight discharge with perianal itching. Rx.Tuberculinum 50 M/one dose.
- 01/06/92- Since last prescription patient had no relapse of complaints.

EDITOR'S COMMENTS- My next remedy in this case would be to TRY out one rare remedy which has so far no fistula in ano pathology in its make up.That is Cannabis indica-which in this case comes out prominently in the three rubrics given of this case

ice amorous-ice sex passion increased.

Plus dreams prophetic.

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Also Phosphorous can be thought in this case with the rubrics of increased passion,amorous dreams,desire for salt and sweets,headache from contradiction and burning anal area etc

A CASE OF LACHRYMAL FISTULA.

Master X,a 5 months old male child was brought to me for treatment.C/o yellowish greenish sticky and profuse discharge from rt eye. Diagnosed as lachrymal duct fistula by local eye surgeon. Chubby plethoric constitution. Head sweats profusly.Craves sweets. Large big head. Active child. Desires bath with lukewarm water. No coverings while sleeping. Requires fan always. Hot baby.On above ground these are remedies like Calc fl, Silicea & Pulsatilla coming in the picture. I selected Calc.fl as the remedy to begin with.

- 30/04/92- Rx.Calc fl 30/OD & Euphrasia eye lotion.
- 05/05/92- Discharge + ,Irritability + . Rx.Calc fl 30/BD.
- 13/05/92- Discharge less. Rx. Tuberculinum bov 1M/1 dose.

02/06/92- No discharge as before.Itching less. Rx.Calc fl 200/4 doses.

15/06/92- Sudden fever with coryza. Rx. Aconite- 30 followed by Kalimur-6x.

30/06/92- Since last prescription no return of discharge .Rx.Calc fl 1M/one dose only.

EDITOR'S COMMENTS-This case is at present considerably ameliorated. If one takes the rubrics of Obesity & heat & Lachrymal fistula; one gets Pulsatilla prominently coming out;then comes Sulphur & Calc carb-Pulsatilla doesn't have desire for sweet things-this symptom in a 5 month baby is rather unusual. Pulsatilla also has sweat on head but less than Calc carb. As for greenish discharges Pulsatilla has the highest marks. If this fistula recurs again one can try Pulsatilla for further benefit.

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