

CURCUMA LONGA

(A Short Proving)

PROVING CONDUCTED RRI, Kottayam
AT
PERIOD OF PROVING 1973-74
POTENCY USED 6x
PROVERS Males 8
Females 3

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Pathogenesis

Mind

seems dull
laughing on least account
worries
 about future
 afternoon, in
impatient
restless
anxiety
 with sinking in the pit of
 stomach
depression, of
 evening, in
anxious and worried look
desire to be left alone
indifferent to friends
irritable
aversion to work,
 or study
concentration difficult
 afternoon, in
fear at night
 before sleep
hears voices of animals
 at night
confused
feels that something will happen that
 will affect his future
thinks that his relative and friends are
 against him
thinks about death of somebody
inclined to smoke and chew betel
 leaves
forgetful, becoming
wants to be sympathised

Vertigo

walking, while
rising, from
sitting amel.
lying amel.

Head

bursting, as if
 whole head
 right side
 afternoon, in
 night, at
 sleep amel.
 left side
heaviness of
hot, as if
 morning, in
pain, right side
 afternoon, in
 evening, in
 night amel.
sun agg.
intermittent
 frontal region, in
 evening, in
 sleep amel.
 night, at
 cold bath amel.
with obstruction of nose and
 sneezing
cough agg.
11 a.m. agg.
rest amel.
above the right eye-brow
 movements agg.
 sound agg.
 light agg.
 lying left side amel.
 evening amel.
right side with pricking in
 right eye
temporal region, in
 throbbing of
 evening, in
 pressure amel.
 sleep amel.

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| | left side afternoon agg. sleep amel. | | |
| Eyes | burning, in with lachrymation morning, in afternoon amel. washing amel. afternoon, in reading amel. redness of right eye with pain itching at the angles, of lachrymation of after bath closing eyes amel. rest amel. sticking of eye-lids morning, in | Stomach | thirst cold water, for little at a time whole day evening, in morning, in large quantities, in frequently afternoon, in night, has to get up at from sleep whole day appetite, increased hungry immediately after eating appetite, less, diminished heart burns |
| Nose | irritation, in sneezing frequent obstruction with headache and sneezing watery discharge, from running, of | Abdomen | pain cutting gripping epigastrium, in morning, in evening, in hot drinks amel. followed by loose stools pressure amel. warm drinks amel. followed by loose stools pressure amel. hypochondrium, in left side, gripping evening, in at night stool amel. fullness, heaviness after dinner sleep amel. passing flatus amel. rumbling, of with distension morning, in empty, stomach agg. passing flatus amel. sensation of coldness, in distension of, after eating |
| Face | flushed itching of cheek, right side shaving, after night agg. cold application amel. chin, itching of | | |
| Mouth | dryness of tongue coated white | | |
| Teeth and Gums | caries painful toothache holding cold water in mouth, when gums painful swelling of | Rectum | constipation no desire to defaecate scanty, hard stool |
| Throat | pain, left side evening, in hot drinks amel. scraping feeling, in something sticking, as if pain dull, in | Stool | unsatisfactory hard, scanty watery yellowish clay coloured offensive black coloured |

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| | with dull pain in abdomen with undigested food particles with cutting pain in abdomen morning agg. evening agg. frequent | | palpitation with sensation of weight over sternum afternoon, in |
| Urethra | burning in micturition | Respiration | noisy |
| Urine | frequent night, at large quantities profuse day time, during normal colour high coloured | Back | pain lumbar region, in morning agg. evening agg. night agg. rest amel. movement agg. working agg. hot application sacral region, aching pain in the hip joints evening agg. changing posture agg. morning agg. shifting wandering stiffness cervical turning head agg. supra scapular region, right side breathing deep agg. pressure agg. rest amel. hot application amel. |
| Male Genitalia | sex desire, diminished sexual excitement, increased, involuntary erection during day afternoon sleep, after erection incomplete disappears suddenly desire to masturbate | | |
| Female Genitalia | pain, menses during | | |
| Larynx | tickling sensation dry cough night, at dinner, after dry night, at evening before dinner with irritation of throat with chest pain at mid-night | Extremities | trembling hands writing, while exertion, after swelling right inguinal region, of painful, throbbing pain pain elbow joint knee joint rest amel. left shoulder region, in movement agg. limbs feel tired |
| Expectoration | scanty yellow morning, in difficult to raise taste like pus | | |
| Chest | pain, stitching right side night, at breathing agg. lying left side amel. dull aching in the region of apex of heart afternoon agg. pressure agg. lying on right side amel. | Sleep and Dreams | sleepy morning, in afternoon, in drowsy dreams, of child being murdered stabbing and bloodshed quarrels frightful |

Chill sensation, of
at night

Fever feverishness,
evening, in
with headache
evening, in
with bodyache, and running of
nose
frontal headache, with
burning of body, sensation as if

Skin itching
without eruptions
all over the body
bath, agg.
night, at
cold application amel.
covered parts, in, contact of
clothes agg.
hands
scratching amel.
rash
scratching amel.
macular rash

Generalities

all over the body
dorsum of hands
buttocks
thighs
sun agg.
burning sensation, with

bodyache
rest amel.
bath, hot water amel.

fatigue, tired
morning, in
day time
rest amel.
afternoon amel.
sitting amel.

body hot, sensation as if,
in the morning
bath amel.
after siesta
cold bath amel.

weakness
burning
bath amel.

"The characteristic of novelty is in truth a capital crime in the orthodox school, which holds to its old doctrines and bends without reason under the yoke of methods consecrated only by time."

Samuel Hahnemann
