

SURGERY WITH HOMŒOPATHIC MEDICINES

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Patient—Mrs. Ramai, Age—40.

17.8.62—While this lady was cleaning the floor accidentally a stitching needle pinned to the garment went inside, as shown in the X-ray photograph, the palmar surface below the wrist



of the right hand. The patient told me that the half of the needle was inside when she approached me. I examined with a lens and it was very difficult for me to find it.

So, I consoled her and told her that I would take it out to-morrow. Immediately I gave Pyrogenium 200 one dose and eight doses of Arnica 30.

19.8.62.—She was better.

20.8.62.—She told me there was nothing inside and she was quite O.K. now.

16.9.62.—There was a swelling on the lateral side of the right palm and she felt that there was some obstruction preventing the movement of the finger (little) and also some pain.

Arnica 30 eight doses. Everything was normal.

28.9.62.—She was discouraged by her neighbours saying that she would die if the needle was not removed immediately.

So she went to the local hospital and took the X-ray. When the doctors saw the needle they advised an operation.

As she has got much belief in me, she brought the X-ray photograph to me, and asked me whether an operation was necessary.

I told her that I would take out the needle without operation.

Immediately I gave 1 oz. Silicea 6x Bio. Tabs. (Indian) asking her to take 4 Tabs per dose every 2 hrs.

30.9.62.—A little projection was seen near the joint of the Carpals with the metacarpal of the right little finger. It slowly increased; and on

3.10.62.—A small opening was seen and when I washed that opening a small thing stuck to the cotton. Then I took a pair of forceps and simply pulled—without any pain or difficulty the pin came out.

This was really a miracle to the ordinary people, but to homœopaths it was an asset as Dr. Kent said even the "Gun Shot Bullets" of long standing could be removed with the homœopathic medicines.

Anyhow this case created a lot of faith of the general public.

Editorial Comment: In our opinion, (1) Pyrogen. 200 was redundant; (2) Silicea 200 one or two doses given at the outset, or atleast on 16.9.61 would have cured the case much earlier.—
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