

References to Homoeopathy (and variants) in Salvado's Diaries

December 1865

23rd

I wrote to Falcinelli sending him a photo of mine (seated.) I wrote to Dom Andrés Álvarez asking him to send me the little boxes and books on homoeopathy from Naples.

January 1866

13th

I received the homoeopathic medicines and books from Naples and Sicily.

April 1867

6th

I took the chasubles etc. and the little box of homoeopathic medicines to Cavaliere Mr Marietti for him to put in the box with the books for New Norcia. I gave him the addresses in London and Australia to write them the box.

July 1880

9th

As he was worsening, the Holy Viaticum was administered to Canon Martelli at nine in the morning. They began to treat him homoeopathically this afternoon, as there was nothing else left to do for him allopathically.

November 1889

25th

Yesterday I sent homoeopathic medicines by the mail for Fr Coll in Marah.

December 1889

3rd

I received a letter from Marah in which Fr Bertrán tells me that the homoeopathic medicines that I sent him for Fr Coll were his salvation; he is well enough to be able to celebrate Holy Mass.¹ Thanks be to God.

¹ In an anacoluthon, Salvado wrote: *se halla tan bueno y a [ha] de celebrar la Ste. [sic] Misa.*

January 1889

27th

I continue the same, not able to sleep and hearing singing sometimes and other times whistling, and at night seeing persons, but without pain and with the mind alert as always. I took a dose of homoeopathic arnica² and repeated it afterwards, four pills each time, and this afternoon I found there was an improvement.

² Arnica is indispensable in any homœopathic kit as a first-aid remedy in case of injury and trauma. See, BOERICKE, W. & BOERICKE, O. E., 'Arnica Montana', in *Pocket Manual of Homœopathic Materia Medica: Comprising the Characteristic and Guiding Symptoms of all Remedies, Clinical and Pathogenic*. (9th edn rev. and enl., Philadelphia Pa.: Boericke & Runyon, 1927) [Online edition] <http://www.homeoint.org/books/boericmm/a/arn.htm>, accessed 11 Apr. 2017.