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**MD (Hom.) Part I Degree Examination, April 2016**

**2012 Scheme**

**Specialty: Materia Medica**

***Paper I- Materia Medica***

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Total Marks: 100**

- Answer all questions
- Draw diagrams wherever necessary

**Essays**

**(4x20=80)**

1. Discuss the philosophical basis of homoeopathic materia medica and describe the rational approach to its study (10+10=20)
2. Define symptom and mention the different sources of symptoms. Explain in detail 'Hering's guiding symptoms of materia medica' (5+5+10=20)
3. Discuss the group characteristics of 'Ferrum' group of remedies. Discuss in detail about 'Ferrum met' (10+10=20)
4. Explain the characteristic symptoms of:
  - Calc. ars    • Benzolum    • Niccolum metallicum    • Uranium niticum
  - Strontium carb    • Antimonium arsenicum    • Chloroformium
  - Lactic acid    • Kali cyanatum    • Merc. lod. ruber(20)

**Short notes:**

**(4x5=20)**

5. Relationship of remedies
6. Sanicula and silica child
7. Phosphoric acid and Muriatic acid in typhoid
8. Mental state of 'Natum mur'

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