

Sigmund Freud

By the 1890s Sigmund Freud 1) _____ successful enough with his peculiar talking treatment to open new offices in a fashionable district of Vienna.

The address was Bergasse 19 and Freud would live and work here for 2) _____ years.

On October 23rd, 1896, Sigmund Freud's father Jacob 3) _____.

Overcome with painful and confusing feelings, Freud, 40 years old, 4) _____ to analyze himself.

What Freud 5) _____ was what no other human being had ever accomplished.

The self analysis was a monumental achievement and Freud was the first person to be able to life his own defenses, overcome his own resistance, and interpret his own unconscious.

Freud had recently discovered what he 6) _____ "the royal road to the unconscious" - dreams

And he had developed an odd but intriguing new method for exploring that road.

Free association, paying attention to anything that came to mind without any censorship.

Every night after his patients, Freud 7) _____ himself on the couch and free associated around his dreams.

Freud certainly 8) _____ plenty of neurosis to dissect.

Among other things he had a 9) _____ phobia.

He longed to visit Rome.

And once went within 50 miles of the city, then turned around and 10) _____ home.

He also had a tendency to faint in the presence of talented male 11) _____,

and he had a severe addiction to cigars.

At first for about a year, the process of self analysis made his symptoms 12) _____

because he was really looking into what he called 'the dung heap'

which 13) _____ all of the disgraceful or shameful, or anxiety producing

feelings were 14) _____ into the unconscious.