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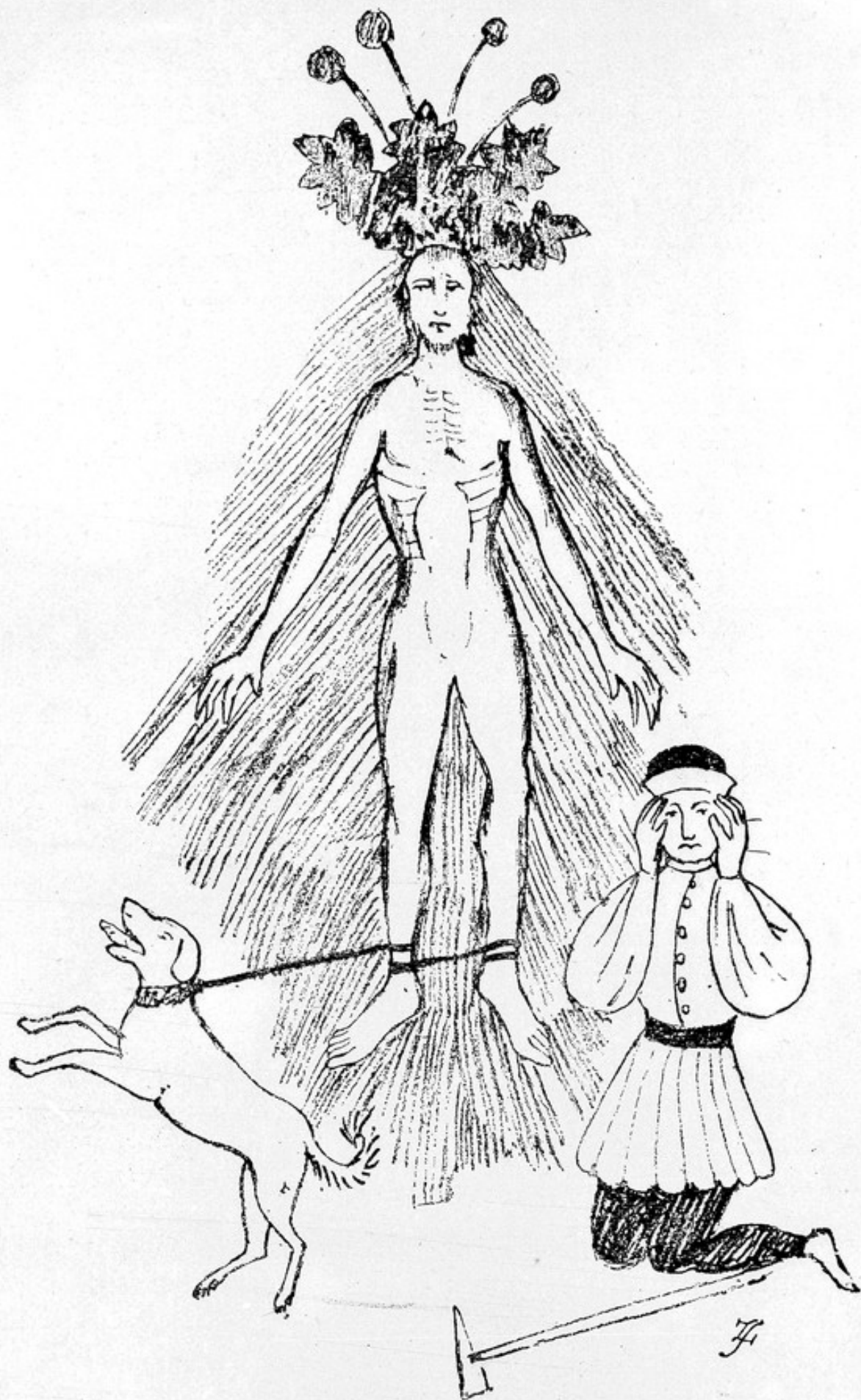
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GATHERING MANDRAGORA

From an MS. of the XIII century

"To gather ye mandragora, go forthe at dead of nyght and take a dogge or other animal and tye hym wyth a corde unto ye plante. Loose ye earth round about ye roote, then leave hym, for in hys struggles to free hymself he wyll teare up ye roote, which by its dreadfull cryes wyll kyll ye animal."