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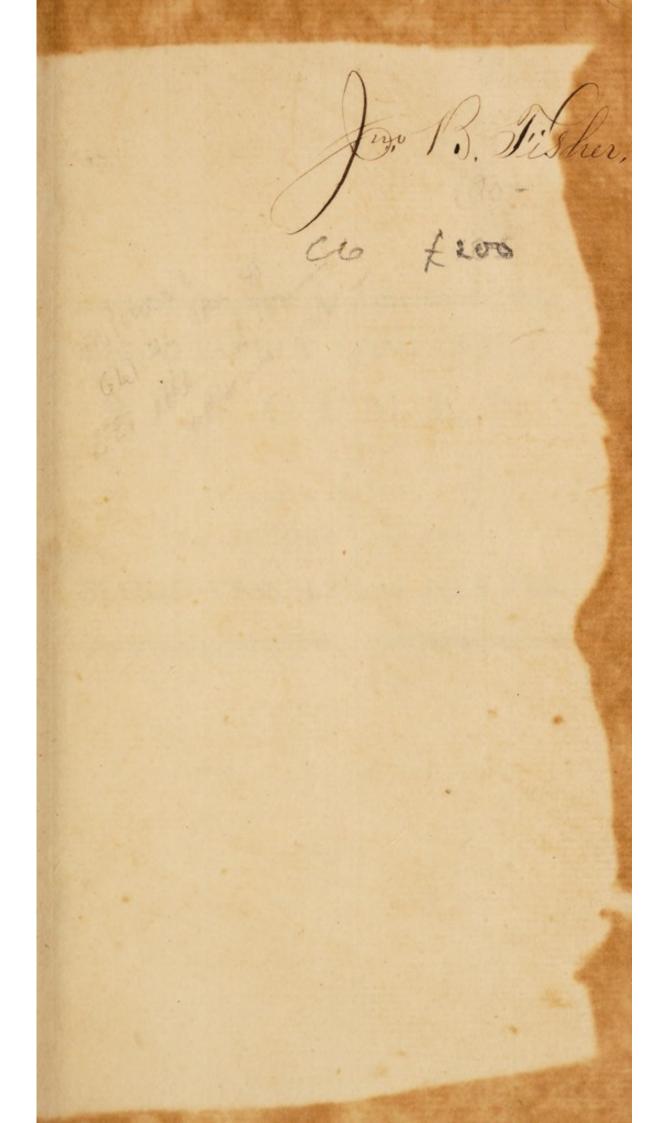
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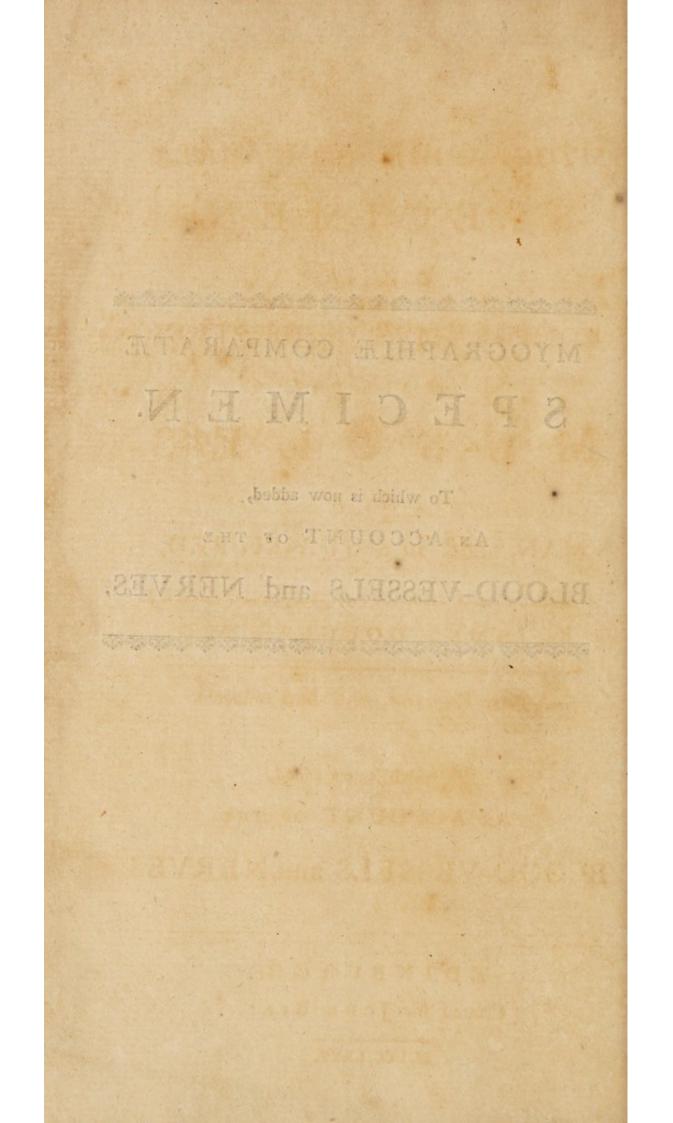
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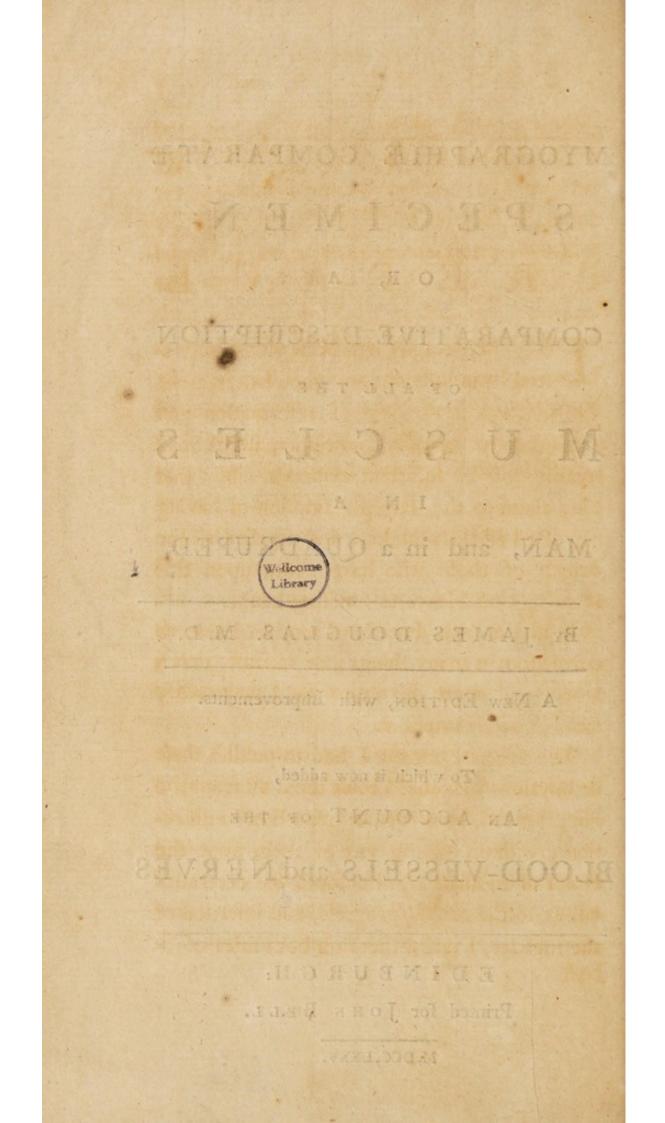
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PREFACE.

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THO' Myography has been often cultivated by industrious and good hands, yet it still affords a fertile field of reformation and improvement: of this, it is prefumed, this finall treatife will be fufficient evidence. Not that I lay claim to the vain prefumption of having corrected all the mistakes, and supplied all the defects of those who have wrote upon this subject; that I leave to finishing hands.

I queftion not, but that I may be liable to correction in many things; or at leaft, that a better and more dexterous hand may rectify fome of my defcriptions.

The encouragement I had to publish these descriptions was, that I took them all from the life; I mean, from ocular inspection in diffection; without taking any of them upon the credit of another. For before I was determined, as to the origin, progress, and infertion of the muscles, I raifed them on both fides of a-

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bove twelve fubjects, both fætufes and adults; fill committing to paper what I obferved. I read often, and carefully perufed all the authors that have wrote upon the mufcles, from the immortal Galen down to this time; and after comparing all the defcriptions one with another, I fingled out fuch as I found conformable to the life, that being the ftandard I always go by; and according as that directed me, I have here rectified what I humbly conceived to be their miftakes, (but without mentioning them as theirs) and fupplied their defects as far as my obfervation went.

If any one has a mind to cenfure these defcriptions as false, I only beg leave to acquaint him beforehand, that I will always appeal to the ocular inspection of subjects; and if that gives it against me, I shall willingly retract and acknowledge my error. Whatever is offered against them, that is not accompanied with that, I shall pay but little regard to it. And to justify, in some measure, the conformity of these descriptions to exact observation and matter of fact, I shall keep by me the half of one of my subjects, artfully prepared, which will afford me means of demonstration when a fresh subject is not at hand.

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And here I cannot but take notice, that in the many bodies I have viewed, I have not met with that frequency of lusus nature that is fo commonly talked of, efpecially by those who are loath to take the pains to make a strict and narrow inquiry in the diffection of these useful machines of motion. It is true indeed, that nature does fometimes fport and vary in the composition of a muscle. Thus I have obferved two Palmarifes in one hand; I have found three heads to the Biceps Cubiti, the uncommon head arifing from the middle of the Os Humeri; I have feen one of the Interoffei come from the upper part of the Carpus externally, &c. The other inftances I could adduce, I refer to another occafion.

As for the comparative part of this treatife, or the interlacing the deferiptions of the human mufcles with those of the canine, that I prefume needs no apology. The many useful discoveries drawn from the disfection of quadrupeds, the knowledge of the true structure of divers parts of the body, of the course of the blood and chyle, and of the use and proper action of the parts, that are chiefly owing to this fort of disfection : these, I fay, give a very warrantable

warrantable plea for infifting upon it, though it may be cenfured by the vulgar.

As for what relates particularly to the mufcles of a dog, or that quadruped which I have chofe for my fubject, I was induced to make the parallel between those of a man, and those of that animal, by two reasons.

1. One is the opportunity of fhewing the contrivance and use of the muscles subservient to the peculiar motions of a dog, and such as its different way of living did necessarily require.

For where nature has acted uniformly, I am filent; and that indeed is frequently met with, there being an exact fimilitude between the make and ftructure of many of the muscles of a man, and that of the corresponding muscles in a dog: but where any difference appears in respect of origin or infertion, it is there (and there only) that my comparative remarks take place.

2. The other reafon is taken from the benefit and conveniency of the young fludents of anatomy, who may readily procure fo common a fubject; and if they once acquire a dexterity of raifing the mufcles in it, may promife themfelves an equal ability in raifing those of the human

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human body, after the diffection of one, or two at most.

Galen, the great head of the anatomical fchool, both practifed himfelf, and recommended to his fcholars, the frequent diffection of monkeys and apes, as highly conducive to a more perfect knowledge of the admirable structure of the organs of the human body. I do not affirm, as fome would have it, that he never diffected any thing elfe: For not to mention the many other reafons that might be offered to the contrary, the very defcriptions he gives of feveral mufcles fuit only to the human body, and differ from all the quadrupeds; but becaufe that ever renowned author has left us on record an account of the muscles in an ape, as well as in a man, I defire the reader to remark, that the defcriptions of the muscles in his Administrationes Anatomica, and in his book, De Diffectione Musculorum, are chiefly taken from apes: But the account we have of them in his admirable book, De Ufu Partium, are all taken from men.

It is pity the great Vefalius did not confider this.

The method I have here obferved, is the fame with that made use of at Surgeons-hall in

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in this city, the most noted and most illustrious fchool of anatomy now in Europe. As fo weighty an authority was more than fufficient to determine my choice, fo I cannot but fay, that it feems to be the best accommodated to the capacity of young students, and to be concerted in the most easy and distinct way.

I have purpofely omitted the anatomical administration, or the manner of raifing the muscles, upon the confideration, that it would have enlarged the bulk of this treatife, which is defigned for a manual, fit to be carried about to public diffections, and would have increased its price, without doing the young fludent any additional fervice; it being impossible to make any perfon an operator in this way by oral precepts; manual operation, and the feeing one diffect, are the only effectual means for the compassion that end.

This comparative furvey I defign to continue through all the fix parts, into which the human body is anatomically divided; the fpecimen now offered upon the muscles being what I had first drawn up, and withal a not improper forerunner to the remaining parts.

It remains now to acquaint the reader, that all the mufcles difcovered or defcribed by the immortal

immortal Galen, ftand here without any name or mark affixed : Those discovered fince have the names of their respective discoverers joined to them : and those which I humbly conceive to have lain hitherto undifcovered, and have been brought to light by my affiduous application to this part of anatomy, without any affiftance from other men or books, have three stars fet after their names. Tho' I have joined the difcoverer's name to the title or denomination of the muscle, yet I take the liberty to give my own descriptions, without mentioning in what particular point it is that I depart from them. Indeed, where I find the defcriptions agreeable to the life, or to what obfervation I have been able to make, I have kept to them, and particularly in a great many given by the juftly celebrated Mr Cowper, whofe very words I have often ufed, it being impofible to find others with more justice to the fubject. And to the fame most accurate and indefatigable improver of anatomy am I obliged for the uses of most of the muscles, both human and canine. From the labour and industry of this worthy perfon, who is equally famous for his wonderful dexterity in diffecting, and great skill in defigning, we are now

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now daily expecting a complete account and hiftory of the human mufcles, enriched with abundance of improvements and new difcoveries and illustrated with original figures, being all done after the life, by his own hand.

I have fubjoined to this treatife an Etymological table of the mufcles, the frequent reading, and attentive confideration of which will render eafy and familiar the harfh and not eafily-remembred names of many of these instruments of motion.

I have induftriuofly avoided the common fault of multiplying mufcles without neceffity. For example: I have defcribed the Extenfors of the cubit as one mufcle; the Gaftrocnemius and Solæus I make but one mufcle, arifing by four heads; the oblique and transfer mufcles of the Abbomen, in my opinion, make only three mufcles, and not fo many pairs. Indeed I make four mufcles of the Triceps Femoris, becaufe it has fo many diftinct beginnings and endings, as may be feen in the history of the mufcles itself, to which I hasten.

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B^{EFORE} I defcend to the defcription of each mufcle in particular, I think it requifite, for the benefit of young beginners, to give a fhort account of their ftructure and compofition in general; and, by way of introduction to that, to premife what is meant by a fibre and a membrane; the whole being only an abridgment of what is found in authors, who treat of that fubject at large.

A fibre is called in Greek *ic*, in Latin *fibra*, which properly fignifies those villi or ftrings that hang about the roots of plants; but in an anatomical fense, it may be described, A fubstance, in figure like a fine thread, of a tensible and irritable nature; by the various texture and combination of which, all the folid parts of the human body are framed.

Of these fibres there are divers kinds; for fome are membranous, some carnous, some cartilaginous, some offeous, and some ner-

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vous; but thefe three last mentioned belong to another place, whither I refer them. The carnous fibres are vascular and hollow, being full of little cells; they are called *Fibræ motrices*, in as much as they are the chief organs of muscular motion. But of these, and the other membranous and tendinous fibres, more hereafter.

The difference of these fibres may be likewise taken from their fituation or course; with reference to which they are called *straight*, as running lengthwise, or in right lines; *circular*, as running round fome part, those, for instance, of the Sphincter muscles; *transverse*, which interfect the straight ones at different angles; or *oblique*, which cut both the straight and transverse at unequal angles.

A membrane is a broad, thin, white, dilatable fubftance, interwoven with feveral forts of fibres, like a web.

It is called in Greek $\delta \mu n \nu$, $\chi \iota \tau \omega \nu$, and $\mu \epsilon \nu i \gamma \xi$; all which appellations, in the works of Hippocrates and Galen, denote one and the fame thing, being by them indifferently ufed : but later writers have appropriated them to particular membranes; thus *Hymen* is only given to that circular fold of the inner coat of the Vagina

Vagina Uteri, placed near its outer orifice; Meninx is only attributed to the membranes that involve the brain; xirw' ftill denotes a membrane or coat. Now in English, a membrane, taken in a large fenfe, comprehends all the tegumenta or coverings that inveft the folid, or contain the fluid parts; and these too have their particular names, according to the different parts they envelope. Thus the membrane that covers the cranium, or fcull, is called Pericranium; that which lines the infide of the Thorax, *Pleura*; that which invefts the Abdomen, Peritonaum; - the membrane which firmly adheres to the furface of all the bones, Periosteum. Befides, that the membranes of fome particular parts have alfo particular names, as we may fee in their hiftory. The membranes which form the coat of membranous bodies, fuch as the ftomach, guts, &c. or the membranes of the veffels, containing the humours, are properly ftyled coats and veffels.

All the membranous fibres have a fort of elafticity or fpring, whereby, upon occafion, they can very eafily extend, and contract themfelves again, as may be observed in the Peritonæum, Stomach, and Uterus. The nervous filaments

filaments interlaced between them, and pouring in the animal fpirits, make them extremely fenfible, whence the ancients were led into miftake in affirming, that the membranes were the true organs of feeling.

Every membrane, tho' it appears never fo thin, yet it is manifeftly double, and between the duplicature the veffels run. And in the tiffure of their inner membrane there are placed abundance of finall glands, which feparate an humour for moiftning them, and thereby hinder preternatural adhefions to the parts they touch, which always happens to any of the vifcera affected with a Scirrhus, or hard tumour, which, in fuch a cafe, adheres firmly to all the neighbouring parts.

The use of the membranes is to wrap up, and cover the parts, to strengthen them, to defend feveral of them from being hurt by the subjacent bones, to suffain the vessels that are ramified upon them, to keep the parts united; and it is worth our observation, that the admirable sympathy, or consistent of the parts one with another, depends, in a great measure, upon their fibrous connections.

All that foft part of the body the vulgar call *flefb*, is by anatomists distinguished into various

various parts or parcels, which they name fo many mufcles.

A mufcle is nothing but a fafciculus, or bundle of flefhy and tendinous fibres, inclofed in a proper membrane, by means of which all the motions in an animal body are performed.

It is called $\mu \tilde{v}_{\epsilon}$ by the Greeks, (which word properly fignifies *mus*, a moufe), and that perhaps from the likenefs fome of them have to that animal when ftript of its fkin; but others, with more reafon, derive it from $\mu v \epsilon i v$, contrabere, which is the proper action of a mufcle.

The whole body of the muscle is commonly diffinguished into three parts, viz. the head or beginning, the body or belly, and the tail or ending; or into the middle, and the two extremities.

The head is that part of the muscle which arises from the most stable part, unto which the contraction is made; for it is a constant rule, that every muscle is moved towards its beginning, which thence may be called the centre of its motion.

The origin of a muscle is, for the most part, tendineo-carnous; fometimes it is entirely tendinous, and fometimes it is observed to be only fleshy.

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The tail, or end of a muscle, is that part of it which is implanted or inferted into the member which is to be moved. This extremity is commonly called its tendon, or *Tendo* in Latin; yet Fallopius gives it often the name of *Chorda*; the Greeks call it $a'\pi ore b'p \omega \sigma v_s$; but at prefent, by this word is only meant a thin, tendinous expansion, or membrane-like dilatation, fent off from the tendon of a muscle, as that of the Biceps Cubiti, Semitendinofus Tibiæ, \mathfrak{G}^*c .

The fubftance of a tendon is the very fame with that of the reft of the mufcle; only its fibres being clofely compacted together, for the conveniency perhaps of having a greater number of them inferted into a narrow place, they feel harder, and appear of a whiter colour; fo that the flefhy fibres of a mufele are only its tendon divided and loofe; and the tendon is nothing but those very fibres closely united, as Spigelius has most elegantly expreffed it.

It is very probable, that every fingle mufcle either begins or ends tendinous, (with this difference, that fome few of them end in the Periofteum, tho' the greatest part do penetrate that membrane, and are immediately inferted into

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into the bone), the ftronger and more confpicuous being extended beyond the flefhy part; the flender, and not fo difcernible, lie either hid under the flefh, or they are interlaced between its fibres.

It is neceffary to know, that the head and tail of a mufcle are terms convertible; for according to the different fituation of the body, those extremities do fo alter, that the part which was before immoveable and fixed, becomes moveable.

The belly of a mufcle is the middle part of it, which confifts of flefhy fibres, red, lax, and fpongeous, as may be diffinctly observed in a piece of parboiled flefh. Now each fibre is made up of a vaft number of little fibrillæ, which are fo many very flender hollow pipes, bound about by fmall transverse parallel threads, which divide thefe hollow fibrils into a great many veficulæ, or cells, that have no communication one with another, but only afford a place of entertainment for the blood. and fpirits in the action of the muscle. This red colour of the flefhy fibres is only owing to the blood they receive ; for upon injecting warm water plentifully into the arteries, the rednefs

rednefs abates, and the fibres put on the fame colour with these distractile tubes.

The proper conftituent parts of a muscle are those already described.

The common are arteries, veins, nerves, lymphæducts, and fat. The arteries import the blood, and the veins convey it back again to the heart; the nerves bring animal fpirits upon any imprefion communicated to them from the mind; the lymphæducts, perhaps, carry back the remains of the nourifhing juice, to be refunded into the venal mafs; the fat that is lodged upon and between the fibres, ferves to lubricate and render them more fit for action.

A mufcle is either fingle or compound. In the first all the fleshy fibres run parallel to one another, or in the fame direction; in the latter they run in feveral planes croffing one another, or in different courfes.

All muscles, which ferve for the fame motion, are called *Congeneres*, because they affist one another in their action; and those which are the instruments of opposite motions, are named *Antagonista*; as for example: Every Flexor, or bending muscle, has a Tensor, or extending muscle; and it is a constant observation,

vation, that when one of the mufcles is fhortened, the other is extended; for the fhortening of the mufcle which acts, must needs produce an extension of its antagonist, or of that which acteth not.

The use or action of the muscles is to perform all the different motions of the parts, and that is done by contracting themfelves; for when the Fibrillæ Motrices are fhortned, the moveable part must of necessity be drawn towards the fixed; or the part from which the mufcle does fpring, and that into which it is inferted, must needs be brought nearer each other. But after what particular manner this is transacted, I shall not at prefent inquire, but refer my inquisitive reader, who delights in fuch fpeculations, to the authors who handle that fubject, where their various conjectures may be feen at large; which, in truth, I am little fond of transcribing. The account of muscular motion, given by the great Bernouillius, late phyfician at Bafil, feems to be the most natural, and the most agreeable to the rules of mechanism, of any that has been hitherto advanced; and to repair the lofs that we lie under, of not meeting readily with that incomparable treatife, the world will fpeedily fee a correct edition of it, C with

with large improvements, from Dr Mead, whofe diffinguishing capacity in the way of phyfic and learning, is accompanied with a candour and goodness that affects all who know him.

The differences of the mufcles being moltly taken from the very fame things whence their names are derived, to avoid all needlefs repetions, I fhall refer to the Etymological Table, and proceed.

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An ALPHABETICAL TABLE of the Parts, with the Names and number of Muscles belonging to each.

Mufculi Abdominis, V. Bliquus Ascendens. - Descendens. Pyramidalis. Rectus. Transversalis. Musculi Ani, III. Levator Major, feu Internus. Levator Minor, Seu Externus Sphincter. Mufculi Auriculæ. Communes. Proprii. Mufculi Auris Internæ, IV. Externus Auris. Internus Auris. Musculus Stapedis. Obliguus.

Mufculi Capitis, XII. Caput Concutiens. Complexus. Obliguus Inferior. ----- Superior. Rectus Internus major. ---- minor. -----Lateralis. -Major. ----Minor. Splenius. Sterno-Mastoidæus. Trachelo-mastoidæus. Mufculi Carpi, IV. Extensor Carpi Radialis. ---- Ulnaris. Flexor Corpi Radialis. -Ulnaris. Muſculi Coccygis, I. Coccygæus. Mufculi Colli, VI. Inter-

An Alphabetical Table of the Parts,

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Digiti, vid. Ord. Alphabet. Mufculi Dorfi, III. Longiffimus. Semispinalis. Transversales. Mufculi Femoris, XVI. Abductores. Gemini. Glutæus major. -medius. ____minor. ____internus. Obturator externus. ____internus. Pectinalis. Psoas magnus. Quadratus. Mufculi Cutis, Frontis et Occipitis, II. Musculus Frontalis verus, Seu Corrugator Coiteri. Occipito-frontalis. Musculi Genæ, II. Buccinator. Quadratus. Mufculi Humeri, IX. Coraco-

with the Names, &c. of Mufcles.

Coraco-brachialis. Deltoides. Infraspinatus. Latiffimus Dorfi. Pectoralis. Subscapularis. Supraspinatus. Teres major. -minor. Mufculi Offis Hyodis, VI. Coraco-hyoidæus. Genio-hyoidæus. Mylo-hyoidæus. Sterno-hyoidæus. Stylo-chondro-hyoidæus. Stylo-hyoidæus. Mufculi Indicis. III. Abductor Indicis. Extensor secundi Internodii Indicis proprius. Extensor tertii Internodii Indicis. Musculi Labiorum, VIII. Deprefor Labii inferioris proprius. Depressor Labii Superioris proprius. Depreffor Labiorum communis. Elevator Labii inferioris proprius.

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Elevator. Obliquus inferior. ----- Superior. Mufculi Palmæ Manus, II. Palmaris brevis. ----longus. Musculi Palpeb. II. Aperiens Palpebrarum rectus. Orbicularis palpebrarum. Mufculi Penis, II. Accelerator Urinae. Erector Penis. Musculi Pharyngis, XII. Pharyngaeus, whofe various orders of fibres are named as follows: Cephalo-pharyngæus. Chondro-pharyngæus. Crico-pharyngæus. Gloffo-pharyngæus. Hyo-pharyngæus. Mylo-pharyngæus. Pterigo-pharyngæus. Salpingo-pharyngaeus. Stylo-pharyngæus. Synde mo-pharngæus. Thyreo-pharyngæus. Mufculi Pollicis Manus, IX. Abductor.

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vulgo Gastrocnaemius	Re
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ctensor Tarsi minor, vulgo Plantaris. ronaeus primus. --- Secundus. bialis anticus. - pasticus. usculi Testium, II. emaster. artos. Aufculi Thoracis, XIII. rvicalis ascendens. starum depressores. -levatores. aphragma. tercostales. cro-lumbalis. alenus. ratus inferior posticus. ratus Major anticus. rratus minor anticus. - Superior posticus. belavius. iangularis. lufculi Tibiæ, XI. eps. uraeus. icilis. mbranosus. plitæus. etus. torius.

Semi-

with the Names, &c. of Muscles.

Semimembranofus. Seminervofus. Vaftus externus. —_internus. Mufculus Tubæ Euftachianæ. Mufculus Tubae novus, vel Palato-falpingaeus. Mufculi Veficæ, II. Detrufor Urinae. Sphincter Veficae. Mufculi Uvulæ, IV. Gloffo-staphilinus. Palato-staphilinus. Salpingo-staphilinus. Thyreo-staphilinus. 27

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An EXPLICATION of the ABBRE-VIATED NAMES of the AUTHORS quoted in this Treatife, with the Title of their works to which these quotations refer, and the Names of the MUSCLES each of them have discovered.

AQUAPENDENT. Hieronimus Fabritius ab Aquapendente, in his Treatife de Auditu, Patavii, 1600, defcribes the musculus externus Auris.

COITER. Volcherus Coiter, in his Externarumet internarum principalium humani Corporis Partium Tabulae, atque anatomicae exercitationes obfervationefque variae, Norimbergae, 1573, defcribes the Corrugator.

Cowp. William Cowper, in his Myotomia reformata, or, A new administration of all the Muscles of human Bodies, London, 1694, defcribes the Elevator Labii inferioris proprius, Depreffor Labii Superioris proprius, Pterigo-pharyngaeus, Rectus internus minor, Interspinales, Spinalis Lumborum, Extensor Pollicis Pedis brevis,

Flexor

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Flexor primi Internodii minimi Digiti. His Difcovery of the Coftarum Depressores he was so kind as to comcomunicate unto me. DIEMERBR. Isbrandus de Diemerbroeck, in his Anatome Corporis bumani, Ultrajecti, 1672, describes the Cervicalis descendens. DUVERN. Josephus Du Verny, in his Tractatus de Organo Auditus, continens Structuram, Usum, et Morbos omnium Auris Partium, Norimbergæ, 1684, defcribes the Musculus Auris externus,

EUSTACH. Bartholomæus Eustachius, in his Treatise de Auditus Organis, printed with his Opuscula anatomica, Venetiis, 1563, defcribes the Masculis Auris internus.

FALLOP. Gabriel Fallopius, in his Obfervationes anatomicæ, Venetiis, 1562, deferibes the Pyramidalis abdominis.
Aperiens Palpebrarum rectus,
Mylo-hyoidæus,
Rectus lateralis,
Pterigoidæus externus
Capitis par tertium,
Erector Clitoridis.

GALEN. Claudius Galenus defcribes all the Muscles mentioned in this Specimen, that have neither a Name nor a Mark affixed to them, in his incomparable Treatifes, de Dissectione Musculorum ad Tyrones, de anatomicis Administrationibus, et

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et de Usu partium Corporis humani.

- JA. SYLV. Jacobus Sylvius, in his Opera Medica Coloniæ Alobrogum, 1630, defcribes the Massa carnea, seu Musculosæ Carnis Portio. J. BAPT. CANAN. Johan-
- nes Baptista Cananus, in his Musculorum humani Corporis picturata Dissectio, Ferrariæ, 1572, describes the Palmaris brevis.
- JUL. CASS. PLAC. Julius Casserius Placentinus, in his de Vocis Auditusque Organis Historia anatomica, Ferrariæ, 1600, describes the Externus Auris; and in his Tabulae Anatomicæ, published by Daniel Bucretius, he describes the Transversalis Pedis. RIOL. Johannes Riolanus, in his Anthopogra-

phia, Parifiis, 1649, defcribes the Levator Ani externus, Pfoas parvus, Anconæus, Hypothenar, Thenar.

SPIG. Adrianus Spigelius, in his Fabrica Corporis humani ex Recensione Joh. Antonin. Vander Linden, Amstelodami 1645, describes the Lingualis.
STEN. Nicolaus Steno, in his de Musculis et Glandulis Observationum Specimen, Hafniæ, 1667, describes the

Costarum levatores, Musculi ad Sacro lumbum accessorii.

VALSALV. Antonius Maria Valfalva, in his late Treatife de Aure humana, Bononiæ 1704, defcribes the Crico pharyngæus, Gloffe-

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abbreviated names of the Authors.

Gloffo-pharyngæus, Hyo-pharyngaeus, Thyreo-pharyngaeus, Gloffo-staphilinus, Salpingo-staphilinus, Musculus Tubae novus. VESAL. Andreas Vesalius, in his Humani Corporis Fabrica, Basileae, 1543, describes the Par nonum Pedis.

The following Muscles, which have this Mark *** affixed to their Names, were discovered by the Author in his late Application to Myotomy.

Musculus meatus Auditorii, Stylo-chondro-hyoidaeus, Chondro-pharyngaeus, Mylo-pharyngaeus, Salpingo-pharyngaeus, Syndesmo-pharyngaeus, Palato-staphilinus, Thyreo-staphilinus, Intertransversales Colli, -vertebrales Colli, -transversales Lumborum, Coccygaeus, Duo Musculi Vaginae Uteri.

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ETYMOLOGICAL TABLE OF THE MUSCLES.

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The MUSCLES take their Names,

From their ACTION, or USE.

A BDUCTOR, from abducere, to move or draw from.

Accelerator, from accelerare, to haften or difpatch.

Adductor, from adducere, to move or bring towards.

Annuens, from annuere, to nod the head forwards, as when we give our affent to any thing.

Attollens, from attollere, to lift or raife up. Caput concutiens, from concutere, to fhake. Constrictor, from constringere, to straiten or bind fast.

Cremaster,

I.

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Cremaster, or Suspensorius, from *pepaw, suspendo.

Depressor, from deprimere, to pull or draw down.

Detrusor Urinæ, from detrudere, to thrust or squeeze out of.

Diaphragma, from diapparle intersepio, becaufe it divides the cavity of the Thorax from that of the Abdomen.

Dilatator, from dilatare, to enlarge or widen. Distortor Oris, from distorquere, to pull or fet awry.

Extensor, from extendere, to extend or stretch out.

Flexor, from flectere, to bow or bend.

Indicator, from indicare, to fhew or point, becaufe that finger is used in the demonstration of any thing.

Levator, from levare, to lift or pull up.

Masseter, from passaspai, manduco, comedo, to eat.

Pronator, from pronus, which denotes the pofture of lying with the face downwards; but the word is here taken for turning the palm only downwards.

Renuens, from renuere, to nod the head back, when we deny or refuse any thing.

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Retrahens

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Retrahens, from retrahere, to draw back. Sartorius, from the use tailors make of it, to fit crofs-legged.

Sphincter, from $\sigma \phi i \gamma \int \omega$, constringo, to flut. Supinator, from *supinus*, which denotes that pofture of lying upon the back, with the belly upwards; but in this cafe it is taken for turning the palm only upwards. *Tenfor*, vide *Extenfor*.

From their Beginning, or Origin.

Graphoides, or Styliformis, from $\gamma \rho \alpha \varphi i \varsigma$, ftylus, because of its supposed origination from the process of the temple-bone, so called. The Musculus digrastricus was thus named by the ancients.

Pectinæus vel Pectinalis, from pecten, i. e. Os Pubis.

Pterigoidaus, or Alliformis, from πλέρυξ, υγος, ala, a wing, and είδος, forma.

Sacer, from the Os Sacrum.

Sacro-lumbalis, from the laft-named bone, and from the transverse processes of the loins. Semifibulæus, from one half the Fibula.

Tranf-

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Transversalis, from the transverse processes of the back and neck.

Zygomaticus, from the bone called ζύγωμα, which is derived from ζύγὸς, vel ζεύγὸς, jugum, a yoke; Os jugale, the yoke-bone.

III.

From their Colour.

Lividus, i. e. Pectinaeus, from its black and bluish colour.

IV.

From their Composition and variety of Parts.

Biceps, from its having bina capita, two heads or beginnings.

Bicornis, from its having two origins, like fo many horns.

Complexus, from its being made up of many tendinous and flefhy fibres, intricately mixed one with another.

Complicatus is another name for the fame mufcle, having the fame etymology.

Digrastricus, or Biventer, from die & yashe, because it has two flesty bellies, with a tendon interveening.

Gemellus

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Gemellus, from its having a double origin.
Gemini, from their being two diftinct muscles, united only by a membrane.
Quadriceps, from its arising by four heads.

Triceps, from its arifing by three heads.

V.

From the courfe and direction of their Fibres.

Obliquus, Orbicularis. Rectus. Transversalis.

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VI.

From their Figure or Shape.

Cucullaris, from the refemblance the lower part of this pair of muscles has to that part of a monk's hood that lies between his shoulders. Deltoides, or Deltiformis, from δέλτα the fourth Greek letter, and εδδε, forma.

Fascialis, i. e. Sartorius, from its croffing fome of the muscles of the thigh and leg, like a fwath-band or Fascia.

Fascia lata, from its inclosing most of the muscles that lie on the Os Femoris.

Lumbri-

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Lumbricalis, from the likeness of their shape to the common earth-worm.

- Marfupialis, becaufe the Gemini, by fome reckoned a part of this mufcle, do form a Marfupium, or flefhy purfe, by their membranous connection, through which its tendons pafs.
- Pyramidalis, becaufe it arifes by a broad bafis, and terminates by a narrow point like a pyramid, or pyramidal figure, which is broad beneath, and fharp or narrow above. Pyriformis, from the faint refemblance it bears to a pear.
- Quadratus, from its square or quadrilateral figure.
- Rhomboides, from jóµbòç a diamond figure, and eidòç, forma, i. e. a diamond-like figure, whofe oppofite fides and oppofite angles are equal.

Rotundus, from its being round and fpherical. Scalenus, from the figure of a triangle, whofe three fides are all unequal, called in Greek σκαληνός.

Serratus, from its being divided at its termination into feveral diftinct flefhy portions, which are not unfitly compared to the teeth of a faw, called *ferra* in Latin.

Solæus, or Soleus, from folea, a fole-fish.

Splenius,

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Splenius, from Splenium, a ferula, or rouled fplint, which furgeons are wont to apply to the fides of a broken bone.

Teres, from its being long and round.

Trapezius, from $\tau p \alpha \pi \epsilon \zeta \alpha$, which denotes in Geometry a kind of quadrilateral figure; but properly it fignifies *menfa*, a table. Hence fome call this the table-mufcle.

Triangularis, from Triangulum, which is a figure with three corners.

VII.

From their infertion, or termination. Ciliaris, from Cilia, or the foft cartilaginous edges of the eye-lids, into which the tarfi, or hairs, are fixed.

Mastoidæus, or Mastoides, i. e. Mammiformis, from µa'sos, uber, mamma, & Eldos, forma.

Semifpinalis, from half of the fpinal proceffes of the back.

Spinalis, from feveral of the fpines of the neck.

VIII.

From their origin and infertion.

Basio-glossus, from βάσις, the fore-bone of the Os Hyoides, and γλώσσα, lingua, the tongue. Cerato-

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Cerato-gloss, from κέρας, αλός, cornu, et γλώσσα. Coraco-Brachialis, from the Processus, called κορακοειδής from κόραξ, κός, corvus, et είδός forma, and brachium.

Coraco-byoidæus, from the last-named process, and the Os Hyoides.

Crico-arytænoidæus, from «pinòs, annulus, and aporaura, guttur, f. gutturnium, an ewer or cruet.

Crico-thyreoidæus, as above, and from Bupeouedis, i. e. scutiformis.

Genio-gloffus, from γένειον. mentum, the chin. Genio-hyoidæus, as above, and from Os Hyoides. Gloffo-ftaphilinus, from γλώσσα, lingua, and saφυλή, uva, uvula, gargareon.

Hyo-thyreoidæus, from the Os Hyoides, and Supeoeding, scutiformis.

Mylo-hyoidæus, from µύλοι, dentes molares. Occipito-frontalis, from the Occiput, and skin of the Os Frontis.

Palto-staphilinus, from the Os Palati, and saquan, uvula.

Salpingo-ftaphilinus, from σάλπιγξ, ιγγος, tuba. Sterno-hyoidæus, from the Os Sterni or Pectoris. Sterno-thyreoidæus, as above.

Stylo-chondro-hyoidæus, from súnos, Stylus, i. e. Proceffus styliformis, from zóvőpös, Cartilago, &c.

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Stylo-gloffus, from sύλος, et γλώσσα. Stylo-hyoidæus, as above. Thyreo-arytenoidæus, from Βυριεός, fcutum. Thyreo-staphilinus, as above.

It is worth observing that the first word denotes always the origin, and the last the infertion of the muscle.

Trachelo-mastoidæus, from τράιχηλος, collum, cervix; its chief origin being from the Vertebra's of that part.

IX.

From the parts they belong to.

Coccygæus, from nónnut, cucullus, i. e. Os Coc-

cygis, a bone fo called from its fhape.

OE fophagæus, from οἰσοφάγὸς, Oe fophagæus, gulla, the gullet.

Pharyngæus, from φάρυγξ, guttur, fauces. Cephalo pharyngæus, from κεφαλή, caput. Chondro-pharyngæus, from χόνδρος, cartilago. Crico-pharyngæus, from κρίκος, annulus. Gloffo-pharyngæus, from γλώσσα, lingua. Hyo-cerato-pharyngæus, as above. Mylo-pharyngæus, from μύλοι, dentes molares. Pterigo-pharyngæus, from πτέρυξ, ala. Salpingo-pharyngæus, from σάλπιγξ. Stylo-pharyngæus, as above.

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Syndesmo-pharyngæus, from ourdeoude, vinculum, ligamentum.

Thyreo-pharyngæus, from Jupeds, scutum. Rinæus, from jiv, juvos, nasus. Stapidæus, from Stapes.

X.

From the parts they conftitute or compose.

Buccinator, becaufe it makes up the greatest part of the cheek, called bucca.

Gastrocnemius, from yasponvnuía, sura, the calf of the leg, which comes from yasne, venter, et nunun, tibia.

Glutæus, from yASTOS, nates.

N. B The Pharyngæus, with all its various orders of fibres, might have been deferibed under this head as well as in the former.

Suralis, from fura, the calf of the leg. Oirap, feu Thenar; thus the Greeks call the rifing and prominent flefhy part in the palm of the hand, which word feems to come from Stiver, percutere, vertebrare.

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XI.

From their passing through some parts.

Perforans, because its tendon passes through a

flit or fiffure in that of the Perforatus.

Trochlearis, from paffing its tendon through a cartilage called Trochlea, a pulley.

XII.

From their quantity or magnitude, with refpect to one another.

Brevis.

Gracilis, from its being the thinnest and slenderest muscle of the Tibia.

Latiffimus, from its being the broadeft and largeft muscle that lies on the back or neck. Longiffimus, from its being the longest of those of the back.

Longus. Magnus. Major. Maximus. Medius. Minimus. Minor. Parvus. Thefe need no explication.

Platyfma-

Platysma-myoides, i. e. Expansio vel dilatatio muscularis, from πλάτυσμα, latum linteum, vel aliquid simile; or from πλατυσμός, dilatatio, and μῦς, musculus, & είδος, forma.

Vastus, because it and its fellow are the two biggest and thickest muscles belonging to the Leg, or Tibia.

XIII.

From their fituation or polition.

Angonæus, vel Anconæus, from alsa, cubitus; but in a strict sense, is taken for the process of the cubit, called the elbow.

Anticus, that which lies in the fore-part. Antithenar, from its fituation, which is oppofite to the Thenar; or from its ufe, which is contrary to it.

Brachiæus, from Braxiw, brachium. Cruræus, from Crus, i. e. femur.

Cubitalis, { from Cubitus, i. e. ulna. Cubitæus,

Externus.

Fibulæus, from Fibula.

Hypothenar, becaufe it is fituate below the Thenar.

Iliacus, from the Os Ilium.

Immerfus,

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Immerfus, from its being funk as it were under the reft of the muscles of the Scapula. Infraspinatus, below the Spina Scapula. Intercostales, from their being placed inter costas, or between the ribs. Internus.

Interoffeus, between the metacarpal and metatarfal bones of the hand and foot.

Interfpinales, between the fpines of the neck. Intertransversales, between the transverse proceffes of the neck or loins.

Intervertebrales, from their being placed upon and between the bodies of fome of the Verteoræ of the neck.

Palmaris, from the fpreading of its tendon upon the palm of the hand.

Plantaris, from the fuppofed fpreading of its tendon upon the fole of the foot under the fkin.

Pectoralis, from the Os Pectoris.

Peronæus, from the Perone, meporn, in Greek,

the fmallest bone in the leg.

Poplitæus, from Poples, the ham.

Posticus, that is fituate behind, or on the back fide.

Pfoas, from 46a, lumbus, the loins.

Radialis,

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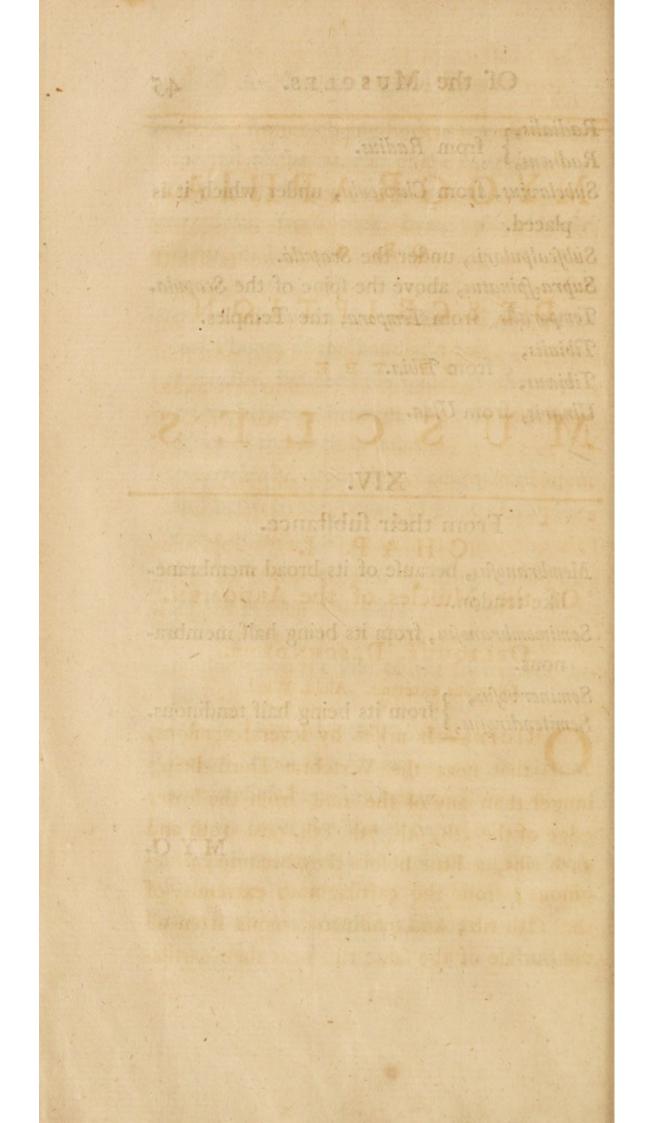
Radialis, Radiaus, from Radius. Subclavius, from Clavicula, under which it is placed. Subfcalpularis, under the Scapula. Supra-fpinatus, above the fpine of the Scapula. Temporalis, from Tempora, the Temples. Tibialis, Tibiaus, from Tibia. Ulnaris, from Ulna.

XIV.

From their fubstance.

Membranofus, becaufe of its broad membranelike tendon.
Semimembranofus, from its being half membranous.
Seminervofus, Seminervofus, Semitendinofus, from its being half tendinous.

MYO.



MYOGRAPHIA: or, a DESCRIPTION of the MUSCLES.

CHAP. I.

Of the Muscles of the ABDOMEN.

OBLIQUUS DESCENDENS. Obliquus externus. Albin. Winfl.

O^{RIGIN.}—It arifes by feveral tendons, that next the Vertebræ Dorfi being longer than any of the reft, from the lower edge of the 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th ribs, a little before they become cartilaginous; from the cartilaginous extremity of the 12th rib; and tendineo-carnous from all the outfide of the fame ribs near their cartilages.

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ges. Its four uppermoft acute beginnings are intermixed with the terminating Digituli of the Serratus Anticus major upon the body of the rib, and all the reft adhere to the Latiffimus Dorfi, at its origin from the ribs.

INSERTION.— It is inferted flefhy into the outer lip of more than one half of the Os Ilium, tendinous into the fore-part of the fame bone, and into the Peritonæum, and by two tendons into the Os Pubis; and, befides, into all the Linea alba, and lower part of the Os Pectoris, by a broad membranous tendon.

Use.—Its use is to compress all the Viscera contained in the Abdomen, to pull the ribs down in expiration, and to turn the trunk of the body to one fide.

N. B. Before you can raife this mufcle, you must free part of the Latisfimus Dorsi from its adhesion to the Os Ilium, and then you will have a view of the Obliquus internus, the Triangularis Lumborum, the tendon of the Transversalis Abdominis, and the Sacrolumbalis.

In a dog it arifes from the ten inferior ribs, and membranes from the top of the fpines of the four upper Vertebræ of the loins.

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OBLIQUUS ASCENDENS.

Obliquus internus. Albin. Winfl.

ORIGIN .- It arifes tendinous from the pofterior part of the fpine of the Os Ilium, flefhy from the reft of the circular edge of that bone, tendinous again from the Peritonæum, and from the middle and fore-part of the Os Pubis.

INSERTION .- It is inferted flefhy into the lower edge of the last rib, and extremities of the two next above it, and tendinous into the cartilages of all the reft below the Sternum, and into the whole length of the Linea alba.

USE. Its use is much the fame with the former, the action of both being much ftrengthened by the decuffation and different courfe of their carnous fibres.

N. B. Obliquus afcendens runs in flefhy between the three last ribs, where their cartilaginous endings do not adhere to one another.

In a dog it arifes alfo from the fpinal proceffes of the loins, by a thin tendinous membrane, like the former.

N. B. If you'll take the trouble to feparate the two tendons of these oblique muscles, you will observe that that of the Internus is almost quite loft in the tendon of the Externus, before it reaches what they call the Linea alba: But

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But before you can effect this, you must cut thro' a tendinous membrane that comes from the tendon of the Transversalis at the semilunary line, and joins in with that of the Ascendens.

PYRAMIDALIS FALLOP.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the middle of the fore-part of the Os Pubis.

INSERTION.—It is inferted by a long tendon at the union of the Musculi transversalis, between the Recti, a little below the navel.

USE.— Its use is to promote the discharge of urine, by pulling the lower belly downwards, and compressing the bladder, according to its first discoverer.

In a dog it is wanting, and often likewife in men.

RECTUS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes from the upper and interior part of the Os Pubis by a thick and fhort tendon, and from the fame bone, near the origin of the Corpus Penis cavernofum, by a long and fmall one. It foon becomes flefhy.

INSERTION.—It is inferted tendineo-carnous into the cartilaginous extremities of the feventh,

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venth, fixth, and fifth ribs, near the Os Pectoris.

It is much broader at its infertion than in any other part, where it receives fome flefhy fibres from the lowermost origination of the pectoral muscle.

USE.—Its ufe is to compress the fore-part of the lower belly, and according to the different positions of the body, to bring the breast nearer the Pubis, and so bend the trunk forwards, or \hat{e} contra, as in raising our bodies from a decumbent posture.

In a dog it is inferted flefhy into the lower part of the Sternum, and tendinous into all the reft of that bone.

N. B. The tendons of the oblique mufcles cannot be eafily feparated from the interfections of the Rectus, the lowermost of which lies parallel with the navel, but all the rest are above it.

TRANSVERSALIS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by a broad and thin tendon from the transverse processes of the Vertebræ Lumborum, fleshy from the inner edge of the spine of the Ilium, and from the carti-

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cartilaginous endings of all the ribs below the Sternum.

Its flefhy fibres above the fore-part of the Os Ilium run difgregated, and firmly adhere to the mufcle above them.

INSERTION.—It is inferted tendinous and flefhy into the Cartilago enfiformis, tendinous into all the Linea alba and Peritonæum, being firmly annexed to a little protuberance in the Os Pubis, on the outfide of the Mufculus Abdominis Rectus.

USE.— Its use is to compress the fides of the Abdomen, and to affift in expiration.

N. B. 1. By the Peritonæum, in my defcription of the Abdominal mufcles, I underfland what authors call Ligamentum Pubis; it being nothing but the firm union of the tendons of the oblique and transverse mufcles with the Peritonæum, between the anterior part of the spine of the Ilium and the Os Pubis, whereby a protrusion, or falling down of the intestines, &c. in that place, which has nothing else to secure it, is effectually prevented.

2. These three last named muscles ought not to be reckoned as so many pairs, but only as so many single digastric muscles, with a broad middle tendon, and two fleshy bellies. This

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This was the prevailing opinion in Columbus's time. Vid. Reald. Columb. de re anat. lib. v. cap. xxii. De Mufculis.

3. The Linea alba is nothing but part of the tendons of thefe oblique and transverse muscles appearing in the interstice of the Recti, between the cartilago Ziphoides and the Os Pubis, and adhering firmly to one another in this place; which strict union occasions the whiteness to be more confpicuous here than in any other part. So that it was only in compliance with custom, that I faid their tendons were inferted into this white line.

4. They are all three perforated a little above the Os Pectinis to one fide, the two oblique in their tendinous, and the transverse in its fleshy part, for the paffage of the Proceffus Peritonai, receiving the Vas deferens and the fpermatic vein and artery, inclosed in a large membrane diffinct from the elongation of the Perito-But befides thefe, I always obferve a næum. nerve and an artery pafs that way from the Abdomen to the Scrotum, Inguen, and upper part of the Femur; from whence fome venal twigs are remitted thro' the fame holes into that cavity. The Cremaster muscle does only pierce the two oblique muscles. The furprifing

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fing and most useful contrivance of the perforations or rings of these muscles shall be inquired into on another occasion.

CHAP. II.

Of the Muscles of the TESTES.

E ACH Tefficle has one proper muscle, and one common to both, called

DARTOS,

WHICH is a thin muscular membrane, including both the Testes.

Its use is to contract and wrinkle the Scrotum by the action of its fleshy fibres.

Some Anatomists have left out the Dartos from among the number of the muscles, as it is only the cellular membranes of the Scrotum collapsed.

The muscle proper to each Tefficle is the

CREMASTER,

ORIGIN.— It arifes from the lowest and fore-part of the spine of the Ilium, and from the conjuction of the Os Pubis, with this bone by two distinct beginnings.

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INSERTION.— It is inferted into the Tunica vaginalis, upon which it is fpread in feveral diftinct portions.

Use.— Its use is to draw up and sufpend the Testis.

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THE Penis has two pair of mufcles; the first is very distinct, the last is infeparably united in its origin and progress. The Transversalis Penis, mentioned by Aquapendens, is only part of the Musculus accelerator Urinæ, arising from the knob of the Ischium; for it is not inferted into the Cavum ovale, or bulb of the Urethra, but joins in with this muscle, of which it makes a second beginning.

Some defcribe and delineate for the Tranfverfalis Penis the Levator Ani externus Riol.

ERECTOR PENIS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous and flefhy from between the tubercle of the Ifchium, and the beginning of the Corpus cavernofum, and embracing the whole Crus,

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Is inferted into the external thick membrane of the two cavernous bodies of the Penis, near the union.

Use.— Its ufe is to pull the Penis towards the Os Pubis, whereby its great vein is compreffed, and the refluent blood denied its paffage under those bones, by which means that member is erected. Vid. the appendix to Mr Cowper's excellent treatife of Myotom. Reformat.

ACCELERATOR URINÆ.

ORIGIN.—It arifes fleshy from the Sphincter Ani, and superior part of the Urethra, and tendinous from the Ischium.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into the Corpus cavernofum, from near their beginning to a little below their union.

USE.— Its use is to compress most adequately the bulbous or largest part of the Urethra, and drive the blood towards the glans for its differition.

Twinflow observes that the musculi erectores might be more properly named Ischiocavernosi, and the acceleratores Bulbo-cavernosi.

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A dog has yet another muscle besides these two, which may be called Transversalis; it is a true digastric muscle, having two fleshy bellies arising from a little round protuberance in the inferior part of the Os Pubis, on each fide, uniting in a middle tendon, between the Os Pubis and the Penis. From the particular structure of this muscle, with a cartilaginous body placed transversely under the Offa Pubis, and the great vein of the Penis, running between the muscle and it, I could easily account for the Erectio Penis in this animal, who copulates backwards. But that being foreign to the fubject in hand, I will referve it for a fitter occasion.

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Of the Muscles of the Skin of the Os Occipitis and Os Fron-TIS.

THE skin of the head is moved by one pair of muscles, and one single digastric muscle.

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MUSCULUS FRONTALIS VERUS, feu CORRU-GATOR Coiteri.

> Corrugator Supercilii. Albin. Muículus fuperciliaris. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes flefhy from the process of the Os Frontis, next the inner or great angle of the orbit, above the joining of the Os Nafi and superior process of the Os maxillare with this bone, from thence it runs obliquely outwards and upwards.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into the flefhypart of the fubfequent muscle, fome of its fibrillæ paffing through into the skin a little higher than the middle region of the eye-brows.

USE.— Its use is to fmooth the skin of the forehead, by pulling it down after the action of the Occipito-frontalis; and when it acts more forcibly, it ferves to wrinkle the skin of the front, between the Supercilia, as it happens when we frown or knit the brows.

This is wanting in a dog.

OCCIPITO-FRONTALIS. Epicranius. Albin.

ORIGIN.—It arifes fleshy from the transverse line of the Occiput, opposite to part of the superior

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fuperior termination of the Maftoidæus, and part of the beginning of the Trapezius next it, and then tendinous from the reft of that line backwards, arifing after the fame manner on the other fide; from thence it goes ftraight up, and foon becoming all tendinous, it covers the two parietal bones, and the Offa fquammofa, above the temporal mufcles, its outer edge being faftened to the Os jugale on each fide. This broad tendon near the coronal future grows flefhy, and defcends with ftraight fibres as low as the Mufculi Orbiculares.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into the fkin at the cye-brows, having fent down between them a narrow flefhy flip or elongation, which is continued over the Offa Nafi as far as its cartilaginous part, where its fibres run off on each fide, and terminate in the fkin above the Mufculus Nafi proprius.

USE.—When this digaftric mufcle, which covers all the upper part of the fcull like a cap, acts, it pulls the fkin of the head backwards, and at the fame time it draws up and wrinkles that of the forehead, being antagonized by the Corrugator.

This mufcle in a dog is only part of the Membrana carnofa, that covers all the fcull between the fkin and the mufcles.

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Columbus was of opinion that the Mufculus occipitalis, which he first described, and named Musculus supercilium trahens, joined the Frontalis by its broad tendon, and so drew the skin of the fore-head and hind-head backwards. Vid. cap. vii. De musculis.

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THE Palpebræ have two pair of muscles; one is proper to the upper lid, the other is common to both.

APERIENS PALPEBRARUM RECTUS, FALLOP.

Levator Palpebræ fuperioris. Albin. Apertor Oculi. Spigel. Pyramidalis. Molinett.

ORIGIN.—It arifes from the upper part of the hole of the fphenoidal bone, through which the optic nerve paffes, between the Attollens and the Obliquus major.

INSERTION.—It is inferted by a broad tendon into the cartilaginous border of the upper eye-lid.

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Use.—Its use is to open the eye, by drawing the eye-lid up.

ORBICULARIS PALPEBRARUM.

Sphincter. Molinett.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the edge of the Os maxillare, that makes the lower part of the orbit, at the inner angle of the eye. Its fibres are fpread upon the under lid, and a great part of the Os Mali, and furrounding the outer and little Canthus, they are continued over the upper part of the orbit, at the great angle, firmly adhering to part of the Os Frontis, and fuperior procefs of the Os maxillare.

Use.— Its use is to shut the eye, by bringing down the upper lid, and pulling up the lower.

N. B. The Ciliaris Riolani is only part of this muscle next the Cilia or Tarsi.

I have often taken notice of a little flefhy flip, which parted from the Orbicularis Palpebrarum, and run down with the Zygomaticus.

In a dog it arifes tendinous from the upper part of the Os jugale, at the external Canthus of the eye; it divides and furrounds each eyelid with its flefhy fibrillæ, which acting, muft neceffarily

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neceffarily pull up both eye-lids, bring them nearer one another, and fhut them.

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ACH eye has fix mufcles.

OBLIQUUS SUPERIOR.

Trochlearis. Caffer. Obliquus major. Molinett.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous from the edge of the hole that transmits the optic nerve between the Elevator and Adductor, from thence it runs straight along the Os Planum to the upper part of the orbit, at the great Canthus where the Trochlea is affixed to the Os Frontis, through which it passes, and turning backwards,

Is inferted tendinous into the Tunica Sclerotis behind the infertion of the Attollens.

USE.— Its use is to draw the globe of the eye forwards, and to turn its pupil downwards.

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OBLIQUUS INFERIOR.

Obliquus minor. Molinett.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinons from the Os maxillare, where it makes the edge of the orbit near its juncture with the Os Mali, and, running obliquely outwards,

Is inferted into the Sclerotis, between the infertion of the Abductor and the optic nerve.

USE.— Its use is to draw the bulb of the eye forwards, and turn its pupil upwards. The uses I have affigned to these two muscles were first advanced by the ingenious and most accurate anatomist, Mr Cowper.

ELEVATOR.

Attollens, Superbus, rectus fuperior.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the edge of the Foramen lacerum near the Abductor.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into the fuperior and fore part of the Tunica Sclerotis by a thin tendon.

Use--Its use is to lift up the globe of the eye.

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DEPRESSOR.

Deprimens, Humilis, rectus inferior.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the lower edge of the hole that gives paffage to the optic nerve.

INSERTION.—It is inferted by a thin tendon into the Sclerotis, oppofite to the infertion of the former.

Use.— Its use is to pull the globe of the eye down.

ADDUCTOR.

Bibitorius, rectus interior.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the edge of the hole in the fphænoidal bone, that transmits the optic nerve, between the Obliquus major and the Humilis.

INSERTION.—It is inferted by a thin tendon into the Tunica Sclerotica, where it refpects the great Canthus.

Use.—Its use is to bring the eye toward the nose.

ABDUCTOR.

Indignatorius, Iracundus, rectus exterior.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the Foramen lacerum, without the orbit.

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INSERTION.— It is inferted by a thin tendon into the Sclerotis, where it refpects the little Canthus.

USE.— Its use is to move the eye outwards, from the great to the little angle.

Befide thefe fix, a dog has two more, of which one belongs to the globe itfelf, the other to the Trochlea of the eye; the firft is called Muſculus ſeptimus oculi ſuſpenſorius; it ariſes from the margin of the hole through which the optic nerve paſſeth into the eye, and is inſerted, being divided into four or five fleſhy portions, into the lower part of the Sclerotica, below the termination of the other muſcles. Its uſe is to ſuſtain and keep up the bulb of the eye, that it may not fall too low, and thereby put a ſtreſs on the nerve, in this and other animals that go much with their heads down, or feed upon the ground.

The other I call Mufculus Trochleæ proprius, which is a very finall mufcle, arifing flefhy near the origin of the Obliquus major, and, foon turning into a flender tendon, is inferted into the Trochlea, to whofe motions it is fubfervient. A defcription of this cartilaginous ring will be given at the end of my Comparative Ofteology.

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Of the Muscles of the Nose.

THE cartilaginous part of the nofe has one pair of proper muscles, and three pair common to it with other parts.

RINEUS, vel NASALIS,

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the extremity of the Os Nafi, and adjacent part of the Os maxillare.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into all the cartilages of the Ala.

Use.— Its use is to open and dilate the noftril, by pulling that part outwards.

The first of the common is an elongation of the Occipito-frontalis already described, and serves to draw the skin of the nose upwards and backwards.

Winflow calls this Mufculus Pyramidalis. The fecond is part of the Elevator Labii fuperioris proprius, arifing from the upper part of the Os maxillare, where it joins the Os frontis at the inner Canthus.

This by Albinus is called Levator Labii fuperioris alæque Nafi, and by Winflow magna pars inciforii lateralis.

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The third is common to it with the upper lip, being part of the Depressor Labii superioris proprius.

For the motion of a dog's flat nofe, which is continued to the very extremity of the Maxilla fuperior, there are no proper mufcles.

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Of the Muscles of the LIPS.

THE muscles of the lips are either common or proper. The common are inferted into the angles of the mouth, where the two lips join, being equally useful to both; they are three pair in number, and one odd one.

ZYGOMATICUS.

the lower edge of the Maxilla interior, be-

Zygomaticus major. Albin. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes fleshy from the Os Mali, near its conjunction with the long process of the Os squammofum.

INSERTION. — It is inferted near the angle of the lips.

USE.— Its ufe is, with its partner, to draw both lips upwards.

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ELEVATOR LABIORUM COMMUNIS.

Levator anguli oris. Albin. Caninus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes thin and flefhy from the hollow of the Os Maxillare, under the hole called Orbiter externus.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into the angle of the mouth and under lip.

Use.— Its use is to bring the two lips upwards.

DEPRESSOR LABIORUM COMMUNIS.

Depreffor anguli oris. Albin. Triangularis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad and flefhy from the lower edge of the Maxilla inferior, between that part of the Latiflimus Colli, which climbs over the Maxilla to the angle of the lips, and the Depreffor Labii inferioris proprius.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the angle of the lips.

USE.— Its use is to pull down the corners of the mouth.

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SPHINCTER LABIORUM.

Orbicularis oris. Albin. Conftrictor oris. Cowp. Semi-orbicularis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— The flefhy fibres of this muscle furround the lips like a ring.

Use.— Its use being to conftringe and draw both lips together.

The *proper* belong either to the upper or lower lip and are four pair in number, two mufcles on each fide to each lip.

ELEVATOR LABII INFERIORIS PRO-

PRIUS, Cowper.

Levator Menti. Albin. Inciforius inferioris. Winfl.

ORIGIN.--- It arifes from the lower jaw, near the gums of the Dentes incifivi.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the fkin of the chin, which it draws upwards, together with the lower lip.

ELEVATOR LABII SUPERIORIS PROPRIUS.

Inciforius lateralis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad and flefhy from all that portion of the Os maxillare that makes the

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the lower part of the orbit, immediately above the hole that transmits the nerves and arteries to the cheeks, and admits their returning veins, being joined on each fide by a narrow fleshy flip, the shortest coming from the Os Mali, near the origin of the Zygomaticus; the longest proceeding from all the upper process of the first-named bone, where it joins the Os frontis at the great Canthus of the eye, and descends by the edge of the Ductus lachrymalis.

Thefe flefhy flips are defcribed by many authors as diftinct mufcles, the fhorteft being the Zygomaticus minor of Albinus and Winflow, and the longeft the Elevator Labii fuperioris alæque Nafi of Albinus.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the upper lip, fending fome fibrillæ to be fpread on the Ala narium.

USE.— Its use is to draw that lip outwards, and, when both act in concert, to pull it upwards.

DEPRESSOR LABII INFERIORIS PRO-PRIUS

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Quadratus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes fleshy from the inferior and anterior part of the lower jaw, called the chin. INSER-

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INSERTION.- It is inferted into the under lip near its Sphincter.

USE.— Its use is to pull the lower lip down, and a little outwards.

DEPRESSOR LABII SUPERIORIS PRO-PRIUS, Cowper.

Depreffor alæ Nafi. Albin. Inciforius medius. Winfl.

ORIGIN. — It arifes thin and flefhy from the Os maxillare, immediately above the gums of the Dentes incifivi. Its origin is continued as far back as the foremost Dens molaris, from whence it runs up under part of the Levator Labii fuperioris proprius, to its termination.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the fuperior part of the upper lip and root of the Ala Nafi.

USE.— Its use is to draw downwards the parts in which it terminates.

The lips of a dog are moved by five pair of muscles, and a sphincter.

The Zygomaticus has a great many of its fibres fpread upon the Buccinator, whereby it is able to draw the lips more forcibly upwards and fidewife.

Elevator

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Elevator Labii fuperioris arifes flefhy from the lower or little angle of the orbit, growing broader as it defcends to its large infertion into the upper lip, which it pulls upwards when this animal fnarls, &c.

Depreffor Labii inferioris comes from about the middle of the Roftrum, or lower jaw.

If you cut the gums above the Dentes incifivi of both lips, you'll have a fair profpect of the Elevator Labii inferioris, and the Depreffor Labii fuperioris, running as in man.

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THE check, called Gena and Bucca, has no proper mufcles of its own, being provided with two common to it, and fome other parts; the first is common to it, with the lips; the fecond is common to it, the lower jaw, the lips, and most part of the skin of the face.

BUCCINATOR.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by two diffinct beginnings on each fide, one tendinous and flefhy from the lower jaw, between its laft Dens molaris, and the root of the forepart of its Proceffus

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Proceffus coronæ; the other is flefhy from the upper jaw, between its laft Dens molaris and the Proceffus pterigoides, from whofe extremity alfo it arifes tendinous, being continued between thefe two originations to the Pterigopharyngæus on one fide, and the Mylo-pharyngæus on the other; from thence proceeding with ftraight fibres, and adhering to the membrane that covers the infide of the mouth, but without touching the gums of either jaw. INSERTION.— It is inferted into the angle of the lips.

USE.— Its use is not only to move the cheeks with the lips, but also to contract the cavity of the mouth, by bringing them inwards, and so thrust the meat between the teeth for its better comminution.

QUADRATUS GENÆ, VEL LATISSIMUS COLLI.

Cutaneus. Winfl. Tetragonus, Platyfma myoides.

ORIGIN.—It arifes broad, thin, and membranous, interlaced with abundance of carnous fibres, which in their afcent do all unite, and make one continued flefhy fubftance, from the K Sternum,

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Sternum, between the first and fecond rib, from the Acromion, and between these two, from the proper or investing membranes of the Pectoral and Deltoidal muscles.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into that fpace of the external Labrum, or lip of the lower jaw, that is between its commiffure and the backmost origin of the Depression Labiorum communis, into the Buccinator, near the angle of the mouth, by a stip that runs up between the Depression Labiorum communis and the Masseter, and membranous into the stin of the face. As these two muscles approach the chin, they are observed to decussate one another; that is, part of the muscle on the right fide runs over the other, and is fixed to the lower jaw on the left fide, and part of the muscle of the left fide runs under the other, and is inferted into the lower jaw on the right fide.

USE.— Its use is to draw the cheeks and ikin of the face downwards, and to affift the Digastric in opening the mouth.

In a dog it is only part of the Membrana carnofa, expanded over the neck and the Mufculus buccinator.

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Of the Muscles of the external EAR.

THE mufcles of the auricle are common or proper; the common proceed either from the middle tendon of the Occipito-frontalis, or from the Quadratus genæ, and move this part according to their refpective infertions, whence they are divided into fo many mufcles, and named by authors from their ufe, as Attolens, feu Mufculus auriculæ anterior, deprimens, &c.

The proper mufcles of the auricle, or outer part of the ear, are fuch as arife from the Os petrofum and Parietale, and are inferted into the Concha under the common. Their number is uncertain.

The mufcles fubfervient to the motion of a dog's external ear are fo very numerous, as well as fmall, that I think it needlefs to infift on a particular account of each of them, a defeription of two of the most remarkable being fufficient.

Retrahens ad collum, arifes from the union of the Musculi cucullares, above the second or third spinal process of the neck, and ends in

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in the lateral and upper part of the Concha.

Erigens, arifes from the bony-ridge of the Os Occipitis, and terminates by three fleshy portions into the outward ear; its use being to erect or prick the ears.

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Of the Muscles of the internal EAR, and auditory PASSAGE.

THE parts of the internal ear provided with mufcles are the two little bones, called Malleus and Stapes; the hammer has three, and the ftirrup one.

EXTERNUS AURIS, Aquapendent. vel Jul. Caffer. Placent.

Laxator Tympani. Albin. Externus, vel fuperior Mallei. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes fleshy from a roughness in the upper fide of the Meatus auditorius about its middle.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a long and flender tendon into the upper process of the Malleus, that adheres to the Membrana Tympani.

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Use.— Its use is to draw the hammar with the Membrana Tympani outwards.

In a dog it comes from the Os petrofum, opposite to the long process of the Malleus.

INTERNUS AURIS, Euftach.

Tenfor Tympani. Albin. Internus Mallei. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the beginning of the cartilaginous and extremity of the bony part of the Tuba Euftachiana, and running in a long channel, excavated in the Proceffus petrofus, it grows tendinous as it enters the cavity of the barrel, and paffing over a little rifing made by the extremity of this pipe, near the Feneftra ovalis,

Is inferted into the posterior part of the handle of the Malleus, a little from its head.

USE.— Its ufs is to pull the hammer inwards, nearer the Os petrofum.

N. B. The bone that fome obferve to be in the tendon of this muscle, is nothing elfe, in my opinion, but the extremity of the long channel in which it runs, broke off from the Os petrofum, and left adhering to the tendon.

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Obliquus Auris, vel Externus, Duvern.

Externus Mallei. Albin. Anterior Mallei. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy as the former, whence marching backwards through a channel in the upper and external part of the Tuba Euftachii, without entering the cavity of the barrel,

It is inferted into the flender process of the Malleus, that lies upon the edge of that oblique finuofity that is most remarkable in the bony circle of a Fœtus.

Use.— Its ufe is to draw the hammar forward, nearer that part of the temple-bone from which, in part, it takes its origin. Of this procefs Cæcilius Folius has given the beft defeription; in length it exceeds that of the Manubrium Malleoli, and in fhape it very much refembles a fmall fifh-bone.

In a dog it may be called Mufculus glandiformis, or ovalis, becaufe it appears like a glandulous lump of an oval, or roundifh figure, which lies in a particular cavity dug for it in the Os petrofum, near the Foramen ovale, from the bottom of which it fprings, and is inferted by a very flender tendon.

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STAPIDÆUS, vel MUSCULUS STAPE-DIS, DUVERI. Stapedius. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the bottom of a channel excavated in the Os petrofum, about the middle of the true Fallopian Aqueduct laterally.

INSERTION. — It is inferted tendinous into the fide of the head of the Stapes.

USE.— Its use is to draw the Stapes upwards.

MUSCULUS MEATUS AUDITORII. ***

ORIGIN.-It arifes from one of the difcontinued cortilages of this paffage,

And is inferted into another, which it ferves to approximate and draw nearer one another. It is only obfervable in a large and flefhy fubject.

In a dog there are feveral little mufcles, which come from one of the protuberating cartilages of the Concha, and end in another of them, which, by pulling them nearer, or drawing them farther from one another, may dilate or ftraiten the Porus acoufticus, or auditory tube, for the fitter reception of founds, as occafion may require.

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CHAP. XII.

Of the Muscles of the Os HYOIDES.

THE bone of the tongue, called Os hyoides has five pair of mufcles, and one odd one, which are all common to it with the tongue and the larynx.

MYLO-HYOIDÆUS, Fallop.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy and a little tendinous from all the infide of the lower jaw, between the backmost Dens molaris and the commissive of the two bones.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the lower edge of the bafis of the Os hyoides.

USE.— Its use is to pull this bone upwards, forwards, and to either fide, according as its fibres run.

GENIO-HYOIDÆUS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous from a rough protuberance at the infide of the chin, or from the fore-part of the lower jaw internally.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into both the edges of the bafis of the Os hyoides, remitting a flefhy flip to the beginning of each of its proceffes.

USE.

Use.— Its use is to draw this bone upwards and forewards.

STYLO-HYOIDEUS.

Stylo-cerato-hyoideus. Spigel.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a round tendon from near the middle of the Processius styliformis.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the bafis of the Os hyoides near its Cornu, to which alfo it often adheres flefhy.

N. B. The carnous belly of this muscle is fometimes divided on both fides for the paffage of the middle tendon of the digastric, fometimes but on one fide only, and fometimes it is unperforated on both fides.

Use.— Its use is to pull the bone of the tongue to one fide, and a little upwards when both act in concert.

STYLO-CHONDRO HYOIDÆUS,*** vel

STYLO-HYOIDEUS ALTER.

Stylo-hyoides novus. Santorin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy and tendinous from the Styloide Procefs, near the origin of the Stylo-pharyngæus, and, running under the Cerato-gloffus,

Is inferted into the cartilaginous appendix of the Os hyoides.

Use.— Its use is to affift the former in pulling this bone upwards and laterally.

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CORACO-HYOIDÆUS.

Omo-hyoidæus. Winfl. Cofto-hyoides. Santorin.

ORIGIN.—It arifes broad, thin, and flefhy from the fuperior Cofta fcapulæ, near its Sinus or *Cavitas femilunaris*, as alfo from fome part of the ligament that runs from the edge of this cavity to the root of the Proceffus coracoides, thence afcending obliquely, it becomes tendinous between the Maftoidæus and Vena jugularis interna, but, foon growing flefhy again.

Is inferted by a thin tendon into the bafis of the Os hyoides, between the termination of the Sterno-hyoides and its Cornu.

USE.— Its use is to pull this bone obliquely downwards.

N. B. R. Columbus first took notice of the true origin of the Coraco-hyoidæus.

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STERNO-HYOIDEUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy and thin from the cartilaginous part of the first rib, the upper and inner part of the Os Pectoris, and from the adjoining inferior part of the Clavicula.

INSERTION.— It is inferted between the middle of the bafis of the Os hyoides and the Coraco-hyoides.

Use.— Its use is to pull that bone directly downwards.

A dog has neither the Stylo-chondro, nor the Coraco-hyoidæus; but instead of these it has two more, which are not to be found in the human body, viz.

Chondro-cerato-hyoidæus, which is a fmall flefhy mufcle that comes from all the cartilaginous appendix of the bone Hyois, and ends into all the fhorteft Procefs, or Cornu, that joins the Cartilago Thyreoidæa of the Larynx; its ufe being to draw them nearer one another. And

Inio-cerato-hyoidæus. This is a very fhort flefhy mufcle, which arifes from the forepart of that procefs of the Occiput, which gives origin to the digaftric of the lower jaw, and is inferted near the extremity of the longeft pro-

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process of the Os hyoides, which it pulls backwards.

The Stylo-hyoidæus arifes from the horn of the Os hyoides, near its adhesion to the Occiput, and, running across the digastric muscle, is inferted into the basis of that bone. It is a long and slender fleshy muscle.

The Sterno-hyoidæus arifes flefhy in common with the Sterno-thyreoidæus, part of the first rib next the Sternum; it parts from the aforefaid muscle about two inches or more above their united origin.

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Of the Muscles of the TONGUE.

THE tongue has four pair of mufcles, which may be called proper, becaufe they are all inferted into its own fubftance.

GENIO-GLOSSUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from a rough protuberance in the infide of the fore-part of the lower jaw about the middle of the chin. Its fibres run in three different directions; the middlemost terminates about the middle of the

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the tongue, the anterior is carried forwards towards its tip, and the posterior or last order runs obliquely backwards towards the root of the tongue, and by a narrow flip ascends on each fide to the horns of the Os Hyoides.

Use.— Its use is to move the tongue according to the different direction of its fibres, *i. e.* to pull it forwards, and thrust it out of the mouth, to draw it into the mouth, or to bring the tip of the tongue downwards and backwards.

CERATO-GLOSSUS.

Hyo-gloffus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.- It arifes flefhy from three different places; its first origin is broad and carnous from the Cornu of the bone Hyois; this is properly the Cerato-gloffus; its fecond head comes from part of the basis of this bone, and is named Basio-gloffus: the third beginning is derived from the cartilaginous appendage of the Hyoides, which some call Chondro-gloffus; these three unite, and their fibres running in the same direction,

They are inferted broad and thin near the root of the tongue laterally.

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Use.— Its use is to draw the tongue obliquely to one fide; but if both act at once, the tongue is pulled directly backwards into the mouth.

N. B. In fome fubjects I have observed, that a great part of the Cerato-gloffus did arife from the basis of the bone, and in some others I have found few or none of its fibres to spring from thence.

STYLO-GLOSSUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the Proceffus ftyliformis of the templebone, and often alfo from a flefhy ligament that is extended from that procefs to the angle of the lower jaw.

INSERTION. It is inferted into the fide of the tongue from its root to near its middle.

USE.—Its use is to draw the tongue laterally, but when both act, to pull it upwards and inwards.

In a dog it arifes from the extremity of the long process of the Os hyoides.

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LINGUALIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes pretty large and flefhy from the bafis of the tongue laterally, and runs

runs straight forwards between the Cerato and Genio-gloss, to its tip, where it is hard to determine whether it ends there, or if it returns circularly, after the same manner, on the other side, to the root of the tongue again.

Use.— Its use is to contract or narrow the fubstance of the tongue, and at the fame time to bring it backwards and downwards.

N. B. The Lingualis was first described by R. Columbus, being thus named only by Spigelius.

CHAP. XIV.

Of the Muscles of the LARYNX.

THE upper part or head of the Afpera arteria, called Larynx, is made up of five cartilages, three of which are provided with mufcles.

The Cartilago Thyreoidæa, or Scutiformis, has three muscles on each fide.

HYO-THYREOIDEUS.

Thyro-hyoidxus, vel, Hyo-thyroidxus. Winfl.

ORIGIN .- It arifes fleshy from part of the basis

basis, and almost all the Cornu of the Os hyoides.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the outfide of a rough line that runs between the angles of the Cartilago Scutiformis.

Use.— Its use is to pull the Larynx upwards.

STERNO-THYREOIDÆUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from all the edge of the first bone of the Sternum internally between the cartilages of the first and second rib, from both which it receives two small beginnings.

INSERTION. — It is inferted tendinous and fleshy into the furface of the above-mentioned rough line of the buckler-like cartilage. It very often remits a slip to the Cornu or Process of the Os hyoides.

Use.— Its use is to draw the Larynx downwards.

In a dog the beginning of this muscle is confounded with that of the Sterno-hyoidæus.

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CRICO-THYREOIDEUS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes flefhy from the fore-part of the Cartilago Cricoides.

INSERTION. --- It is inferted into the lunated and lower part of the Thyreoides.

USE.— Its use is to dilate the cavity of the Larynx, by drawing the Scutiformis outwards, and to one fide.

Each of the Arytænoidal cartilages has three proper mufcles, and two common to them both : The common are the two following.

ARYTENOIDEUS MAJOR.

Arytænoideus transversalis. Albin. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from one of these cartilages near its juncture or articulation with the Cricoides, and running transversely of an equal breadth, with straight fibres,

Is inferted into all the fame fide of the other cartilage.

USE.— Its use is to shut the Rimula, or chink called Glottis, by bringing these two cartilages nearer one another.

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ARYTENOIDEUS MINOR ***

Arytænoideus obliquus. Albin. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It is a very fmall muscle which runs upon the furface of the former, arising from that part of one of the Cartilagines Arytænoidææ next the Cricoides on one fide, and terminating into that part of the other arytænoidal cartilage that is farthest from the Cricoides on the other fide.

Use.— Its use is to affift the former in its action, which is much strengthened by this manifest decussation of fibres.

CRICO-ARYTÆNOIDÆUS POSTICUS.

ORIGIN.--- It arifes fleshy from the back part of the ring-like cartilage.

INSERTION.- It is inferted into the Guttalis near the following.

USE.- Its use is to open the Rimula.

CRICO-ARYTÆNOIDÆUS LATERALIS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes fleshy from the Cartilago cricoides laterally.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the Arytænoides or Guttalis, under the implantation of the

the fuperior order of fibres belonging to the following muscle.

USE .- Its use is to open the Glottis.

THYREO-ARYTENOIDEUS.

ORIGIN .- It arifes from the whole length of the internal concave, and middle part of the Cartilago fcutiformis, from whence its fibres proceed in three different orders ;- the uppermost terminates into the Guttalis, near the infertion of the Crico-arytænoides lateralis; the middlemost, which may be called Thyreoglottis, runs up under this, and is fpread upon the membrane that comes between the Glottis and arytænoidal cartilage; the lowermoft is inferted into the anterior angle of this cartilage .- The fuperior and inferior order of fibres draw the cartilage, to which they are fixed, nearer the Scutiformis, and thereby do most adequately fhut the Rimula or Glottis; the middlemost direction of fibres may help to pull the Epiglottis down when both act, or laterally when one only is contracted.

The fifth cartilage of the Larynx, called Epiglottis, is furnished with a pair of muscles in a dog, which I call Hyo-glottis; it arises fleshy

flefhy from the cartilaginous appendix of the Os Hyoides internally, and partly alfo from its bafis hard by the origin of the Bafio-gloffus; from thence each marches obliquely nearer one another to their united tendinous infertion, in the middle of the upper part of the Epiglottis, not for from its tip, which it ferves to raife and lift up again after it has been depreffed in fwallowing.

CHAP. XV.

Of the Mufcles of the PHARYNX.

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THO' I take the upper part of the Oefophagus, or Pharynx, to be only made up of a pair of mufcles, one on each fide, which I call Pharyngæus, whofe flefhy fibres, running in different directions from diftinct and various originals, do meet and unite upon the back of the glandulous membrane of the fauces ; yet, in imitation of the accurate Valfalva, I fhall deferibe each different order by itfelf, and name it from the place whence it arifes.

1. CEPHALO-PHARYNGÆUS. This order of fibres arifes from a little rifing, or tubercle, in that procefs of the Os occipitis which joins the

the Sphenoidal bone, not far from its great hole.

2. CHONDRO-PHARYNGÆUS.*** This order arifes from the cartilaginous appendage of the Os hyoides.

3. CRICO-PHARYNGÆUS, Valfal. Arifes from the Cartilago cricoides, or Annularis.

4. GLOSSO-PHARYNGÆUS, Valfal. Arifes from the root or upper part of the tongue laterally.

5. HYO-PHARYNGÆUS, Valfal. Arifes from the Cornu or process of the Os Hyoides, wherefore I name it Hyo-cerato-pharyngæus.

6. MYLO - PHARYNGÆUS * * * MYLO-GLOSSUS, Winfl. Arifes from the lower jaw, near the laft Dens molaris.

7. PTERIGO-PHARYNGÆUS, Cowp. Arifes tendinous and flefhy from the Pterigoidal procefs of the Os fphænoidale.

8. SALPINGO-PHARYNGÆUS. *** Arifes from the extremity of the bony part of the Tuba Euftachii, commonly called the Aqueduct.

9. SYNDESMO-PHARYNGÆUS. *** Arifes from the ligament that ties the Cornu of the

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Os Hyoides to the process of the Cartilago fcutiformis.

10. STYLO-PHARYNGÆUS. Arifes flefhy from near the root of the Proceffus styliformis.

11. THYREO-PHARYNGÆUS, Valfal. This last order of fibres arises from that rough line that is extended between the two angles of the Thyreoidal cartilage, as also from some of its upper fide.

ORIGIN.--- Now, from these various beginnings does this muscle of the pharynx arife, and is inferted into the membrane of the Fauces, where it meets with its fellow of the other fide. As for its use, the fibres that spring from the Larynx, Os Hyoides, and Tongue, ferve to contract the cavity of the gullet, and forward the aliment, &c. into the store, Those which arise from the other parts above described, do all ferve to enlarge and dilate the cavity of the gullet, in as much as they pull it out on all fides for the reception of the food, &c.

Young anatomists are greatly perplexed by the different accounts which authors have given of the muscles of the Pharynx; fome reckoning them but two or three in number, whilft

whilft others have multiplied them to 13 or 14 on each fide. Albinus's division of them feems to be the most natural of any. According to him, there are fix pair of muscles belonging to the Pharynx, viz. Stylo-pharyngæus, three Constrictors, Salpingo-pharyngæus, and Palato-pharyngæus.

The STYLO-PHARYNGÆUS, Alb. Is the fame mufcle which Douglas has defcribed under that name.

The CONSTRUCTOR INFERIOR, Alb. Is composed by the Crico-pharyngæus and the Thyro-pharyngæus of Douglas.

The CONSTRICTOR MEDIUS, Alb. Comprehends the Hyo-pharyngæus, the Chondropharyngæus, and the Cephalo-pharygæus of Douglas.

The CONSTRICTOR SUPERIOR, Alb. Is chiefly made up of these paquets of fibres which Douglas has described by the names of Glosso pharyngæus, Mylo-pharyngæus, and Pterigo-pharyngæus.

The PALATO-PHARYNGÆUS, Alb. Is the Thyreo-ftaphilinus of Douglas, deferibed in the following chapter.

The SALPINGO-PHARVNGÆUS, Alb. Is a very flender paquet of fibres, which arifes from the

the anterior extremity of the cartilaginous part of the Euftachian Tube, and running down upon the back part of the Pharynx, joins in with the inferior extremity of the Palato-pharyngæus. Vide Euftach. tab. 42. fig. 4. and 6. where all thefe fix mufcles are delineated.

In a dog the Stylo-pharyngæus arifes from near the extremity of the long Cornu of the Os Hyoides; and the Salpingo-pharyngæus runs for fome fpace at a diftance from the Membrana Faucium, different from what it does in man.

CHAP. XVI.

Of the Muscles of the UVULA.

THE Gargareon, or Uvula, has four pair of muscles.

GLOSSO-STAPHILINUS, Valf.

Gloffo-palatinus. Santorin. Confrictor Ifthmi Faucium. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the fide of the tongue.

INSER FION. — It is inferted near the middle of the Uvula laterally.

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USE .- Its use is to pull it to one fide, and when both act to bring it nearer the tongue.

PALATO-STAPHILINUS ***

Staphylinus, vel Epiftaphylinus. Winfl.

ORIGIN .- It arifes flefhy from the middle of the Os Palati, near its juncture with its fellow of the other fide, and running ftraight forward,

Is inferted near the extremity of this duplicated glandulous membrane, called the Gargareon.

Use.- Its use is to pull it forwards and downwards, which office was always faid to be performed by the Pterigo-staphilinus internus, till Valfava appeared, who corrected that miftake, and afcribed the mufcle fo called to the tube of the ear, as shall be shown hereafter.

N. B. The Palato-staphilinus feems to have been partly known by M. Dionis, a French furgeon : For, in his Anatomy of human bodies improved, he affirms the Uvula to be formed by the union of two little round mufcles, that fpring from the Septum Nafi. If I had known fo much when I first defcribed these mufcles, his name, and not my mark, had N been

been affixed unto them ; and I had only given their true defcription, which he has erred in. This fame author does likewife very accurately defcribe the two arches that reach from the fides of the Uvula to the tongue, which are afterwards reckoned two new mufcles by Valfalva, under the name of Gloffo-ftaphilini.

SALPINGO-STAPHILINUS, Valf. PTERIGO - STAPHILINUS EXTER-NUS, Vulgo,

Levator palati mollis. Albin. Petro-falpingo-ftaphilinus, vel Salpingo-ftaphylinus internus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the bony part of the tube of the ear.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the bafis of the Uvula, where it joins fibres with its partner muscle on the other fide.

Use.—Its use is to draw the Uvula upwards and backwards..

The circular fibres of the Thyreo-staphilini cover the last described muscles.

N. B. SALPINGO-STAPHILINUS is a pretty thick and round mufcle, its true origination being pointed at by Veflingius in his Syntagm. Anatom.

Anatom. cap. xi. pag. (mihi) 175. long before Valfalva chriftened it by this name.

THYREO-STAPHILINUS ***

Palato-pharyngæus. Albin. Winfl. Thyro-pharyngo-ftaphylinus.

ORIGIN .- It arifes fleshy from the edge of the upper part of the Cartilago-Thyreoides, between the Thyreo-pharingæus and the Membrana faucium; from thence it afcends ftraight upwards, being much dilated as it approaches the Uvula, upon the upper fide of which it is fpread very broad. And here it is not eafy to determine, even when the membrane that covers it is removed, whether it unites with its partner, or if its fibres furround the Gargareon, and then defcend to the upper part of the Cartilago fcutiformis on the other fide.

In deglutition, when this pair of muscles act, the Foramina Narium are in a great meafure fhut, to hinder the paffing of any thing through the nofe that is taken in at the mouth.

In a dog, between the tonfils are placed two fpongy bodies, like teats, at a little diftance from one another, formed of a production or folding

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folding of the glandulous membrane that lines the mouth, and in all refpects feem analogous to that part in man; each of them is provided with two mufcles; one to pull them down, which arifes and is inferted like the Gloffoftaphilinus in man; the other draws them upwards from the paffage into the nofe. It arifes, proceeds, and is inferted, like my Palato-ftaphilinus, being a very long and flender mufcle.

C H A P. XVII.

Of the Muscles of the TUBA EUSTA-CHIANA.

THE canal of communication between the mouth and barrel of the ear, acquæductus Fallopii vulgo, is by that accurate anatomift Antonius Valfalva, called Tuba, from its figure, and Euftachiana, from its first discoverer Bartholomæus Eustachius; for to dilate and keep it open, he describes a new muscle, for he first found out that the muscle called Pterigo-staphilinus internus and Sphænopterigo-palatinus does not belong to the Uvula, but unto this passage.

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Musculus Tubæ novus, Valfal. vel Palato-salpingæus ***

Circumflexus Palati. Albin, Sphæno-falpingo-ftaphylinus. Winfl.

In my late inquiries into the mufcular ftructure of the Fauces, I have always obferved that this mufcle

Arifes broad and tendinous from the edge of all the lunated part of the Os Palati, feveral of its fibres being fpread upon the membrane that covers the Foramen Narium; then, growing into a fmall thin tendon, it is reflected about the hook-like procefs of the inner ala of the Proceffus pterigoides; but foon turning into a narrow and thin flefhy belly, it runs clofs along the infide of the mufculus pterigoidæus internus.

INSERTION.— It is inferted carnous into all the membranous, flefhy, and cartilaginous part of the tube:

USE.—Its use is to dilate and keep open this channel, as Valfalva first most ingeniously took notice.

Long before the excellent treatife of this author fell into my hands, I demonstrated a muscle fomething analogous to this in a dog, which

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which I name with refpect to its origin, progrefs, and termination.

TYMPANO-PETROSO-SALPINGO-PTE-RIGO-PALATINUS,

Arifes from the Os petrofum within the cavity of the Tympanum, or barrel, oppofite to the mufculus ovalis, and going out by the fide of the Ductus a palato ad aurem, to the membranous and flefhy part of which it firmly adheres, becomes carnous, and continues fo, till it arrives at the fharp wing-like procefs of the Os fphænoidale, where it grows tendinous; and, being reflected over the fame, its fibres are again dilated and expanded over the membrane that covers the flits, or Foramina Narium, where it feems to join with its fellow on the other fide.

The use of this muscle is to compress the palatine glands that ly above it in great clusters and heaps, by pulling up the membrane, which is a very useful contrivance to forward the fecretion of their falival juices, that are of fo great use in time of mastication, for fostening the hard bones, and such like substances as this animal usually feeds upon, and farther for

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for promoting their diffolution in the ftomach; befides, it may also be fubfervient to the dilatation of the Eustachian tube.

N. B. In my humble opinion, with all fubmiffion to the better judgment of others, the Mufculus Tubæ novus may well be divided into two diftinct muscles, as upon occasion, I think, I can very eafily demonstrate. The first I bring broad and tendinous from the Os Palati, and fix its termination into the tube of the ear, which it ferves to dilate. The other, which is much fmaller, feems to derive its origin from the Apex of the bony part of the forefaid tube : In its afcent it clofely adheres to the first, but, at the hook-like process of the bone, its fmall tendon departs from it, and growing broad and thin, is foon fpread upon the Membrana Faucium, above the Foramina Narium, at the fides of the Uvula ; its ufe being, when it acts with its partner, to antagonize the Thyreo-staphilinus.

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CHAP. XVIII.

Of the Muscles of the HEAD, appearing or fituate in the fore and lateral parts of the NECK.

THE head has twelve mufcles on each fide; five offer themfelves to be defcribed in this position of the body; the rest appearing when the fubject lies prone.

MASTOIDÆUS.

Sterno-cleido-mastoidæus. Winst. Sterno-mastoidæus una cum cleido-mastoidæo. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous, and fometimes a little flefhy, from the upper part of the Os Pectoris, and carnous from near one half of the Clavicula next it.

INSERTION.— It is inferted, by a thick and ftrong tendon, into the point or forepart of the Proceffus maftoidæus, and by a broad and thin tendinous expansion, running obliquely upwards and backwards into the reft of that procefs and the adjacent part of the Os petrofum externally, hard by the Lambdoidal Suture. When this acts, the head is turned to the oppofite

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posite fide, and when both act together, they bend the head forwards.

In a dog it arifes by an acute tendineo-carnous beginning from the upper part of the Os Pectoris, and growing into a thick and flefhy belly, continues united with its fellow half-way up the Trachea; then receding from one another, each marches obliquely to its double termination, one by a round tendon into the edge of a cavity made behind the bony part of the Meatus Auditorius, the other by a broad, thin, and membranous tendon into the lateral part of the Os Occipitis.

RECTUS INTERNUS MAJOR.

Rectus anticus longus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes from the anterior points of the transverse processes of the third, fourth, fifth, and fixth Vertebra of the neck, by so many double tendons, which soon become fleshy.

.INSERTION. — It is inferted into the anterior process of the Os Occipitis, near its conjunction with the Os sphænoides.

USE.— Its use is to bend the head forwards. In a dog it arifes tendineo-carnous from the fore and internal part of all the transverse

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proceffes of the neck, except that of the first, on the infide of which it is reflected in its afcent to the head, where it terminates in a little dimple made in the occipital bone.

RECTUS INTERNUS MINOR. Cowp.

Rectus anticus brevis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the forepart of the body of the first Vertebra Colli.

INSERTION.— It is inferted near the root of the Condyloide process of the Occiput under the former.

USE .- Its use is to nod the head forwards.

RECTUS LATERALIS. Fallop.

Transversalis anticus primus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the transverse process of the first Vertebra Colli.

INSERTION.— It is inferted partly into the Os Occipitis, and partly into the Os Temporis, near the Proceffus mammillaris.

USE.— Its use is to nod or bend the head a little to one fide.

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MUSCULUS CAPUT CON-CUTIENS.

Transversalis anticus secundus. Winfl. Sextus transversus. Prior. Col. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the oblique process of the second and third Vertebra Colli, and, ascending obliquely backwards,

Is inferted near the root of the transverse process of the first Vertebra.

USE.—Its ufe is to fhake the head; for the firft Vertebra being thereby pulled to one fide, the head muft of neceffity obey that motion, by virtue of its articulation with the fame.

In a dog it is yet much more confpicuous, arifing by two flefhy heads from the fore-part of the oblique procefs of the fecond Vertebra Colli, and by one from the third, which uniting afcend obliquely, and terminate into the transferfe process of the first, between the Levator Scapulæ major and the Obliquus inferior.

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CHAP. XIX.

Of the Muscles of the NECK, that lie on its fore-part.

THE neck or Collum has fix mufcles on each fide, which I diffinguish into common and proper. The proper are such whose use is confined to the Vertebræ of the neck only, as the Interspinales, the Intertransfersales and the Intervertebrales; the common are equally subservient to the motions of the neck and head. Of all these there is only one pair that appear in this posture of the body.

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ORIGIN.—It arifes tendineo-carnous from the bodies of the four or five fuperior Vertebræ of the Thorax laterally.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the forepart of the four lowermost Vertebræ of the neck, by fo many fmall tendons covered over with flesh; into the third Vertebra by a small tendon; into the fecond by a very long and broad one; and into the first by one that is rounder, but not fo large, being fleshy on both fides: it is also fastened to fome of the transverse

verfe proceffes of the neck, near their roots, by fmall tendons.

USE.— Its use is to bend the neck to one • fide, but if both act, to bring it directly forwards.

In a dog it appears as if it were divided into as many diffinct mufcles, by tendinous lines, as there are Vertebræ in the neck.

N. B. The Scaleni belong to the Thorax.

CHAP. XX.

Of the Muscles of the lower JAW.

THE Maxilla inferior has five pair of proper mufcles, and one pair common to it with the cheeks, &c. viz. The Quadratus Genæ, called, by Galen, Platufma myoides, already deferibed.

TEMPORALIS.

Cratophites. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the anterior and lower part of the parietal bone laterally, from all the Pars fquammofa of the temple-bone from a little rifing in the lateral part of the Os Frontis, and from the external part of its procefs,

procefs, from part of the Os Mali internally adjoining to it, and from the upper of the lateral procefs of the fphænoidal bone: From thefe diftant origins its flefhy fibres tend towards the Os jugale, under which they pafs.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the upper part of the Proceffus coronæ, in the duplicature of which tendon this Proceffus is inclofed as in a fheath, being continued down all its fore-part to near the laft Dens molaris, and tendinous and flefhy into the pofterior part of this procefs, as far back as its neck.

Use.— Its use is to pull the lower jaw upwards.

N. B. The Crotaphite, or temporal mufcle, is covered with a particular tendinous membrane, that fprings from the bones, which give origin to the upper and femicircular part of this mufcle, and, paffing over the fame, contracts like it, and is inferted into all the Os jugale, and the adjoining part of the Os Frontis. Its ufe is to fortify this mufcle in its action by bracing it down at that time. When this membrane is removed, we meet with a few thin flefhy fibres, which terminate in the broad middle tendon of the mufcle, juft as it paffes under the yoke-bone. The under fide

of this tendon, which appears as if it were composed of feveral small ones closely conjoined, is lined as it were by a great many more fless fibres, to prevent its being injured by the hardness or roughness of the subjacent bones. It runs down the two edges of a Sulcus in the fore-part of the Processius coronæ tendinous and fless.

I have feveral obfervations relating to the ftructure of this mufcle, which I defign to communicate, with many more, on a proper occasion.

In a dog it is a very thick and ftrong mufcle, to the bulk of which the bignefs of its head is much owing. It arifes flefhy from the knob of the Occiput, the ridge or eminence between the two parietal bones, and fome part of the Os Frontis, adhering to the cartilaginous ligament that fences the upper part of the orbit, the bone being here difcontinued.

MASSETER.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by three tendinous and flefhy heads, which run in different directions. The firft comes from the Os maxillare, where it joins the Os Mali, and from all the edge of the laft-named bone, which makes the ball of the cheek. The fecond

Springs

Springs from the process of that bone, and the anterior part of the Apophysis of the Os squammosum; the fibres of these two beginnings intersect one another. The third head

Arifes from all the inner edge of the Os jugale, being eafily feparated from its other beginnings. The first two heads are

Inferted into the inferior and external part of the lower jaw, from the angle to near its middle. The laft head runs down straight, and is inferted tendineo-carnous into all the outfide of the Proceffus coronæ, and the neck of the lower jaw.

USE.— Its use is to pull the jaw upwards, and, by reason of the above-mentioned decusfation, to move it backwards and forwards, for the better chewing and grinding of the meat.

In a dog it arifes from most part of the Os jugale, and by a strong tendon from a protuberance in the Maxilla superior, a little above the last Dens molaris save one. Is inferted into a strong process on the angle of the lower jaw below the condyle.

DIGAS-

DIGASTRICUS. Biventer Maxillæ. Albin.

ORIGIN. — It arifes tendineo-carnous from the fides of a confiderable Sulcus excavated near the root of the Maftoidal procefs internally; its middle tendon fometimes paffes through the Stylo-hyoidæus, but always through a ligament that comes from the Os hyoides, to which bone it is alfo faftened by tendinous fibres.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous and fleshy into the edge of the lower jaw, near its commissive, above the Mylo-hyoidæus.

USE.— Its use is to pull the lower jaw downwards, being affisted by the Latisfimus Colli when both act; but when one only is contracted, the Maxilla is moved outwardly to one fide.

In a dog it has but one belly, which is very thick and large, arifing flefhy, interfperfed with tendinous fibres from an acute bony procefs between the Proceffus mammillaris and the condyle of the Occiput; and terminates about the middle of the Maxilla by a large infertion.

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PTERIGOIDÆUS INTERNUS.

Pterygoidæus major. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by tendinous and flefhy fibres from the inner and upper part of the largeft wing of the pterigoidal procefs, poffeffing all that fpace or cavity between the two wings; befides, it has a fecond origin from that part of the Os Palati that is engaged between thefe two Alæ.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the inferior part of the lower jaw, near its angle, internally.

USE.— Its use is to draw the jaw to one fide; but if both act in concert, they must affift the temporal muscle in drawing it up.

PTERIGOIDÆUS EXTERNUS, Fall,

Pterygoidæus minor. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by two diffinct beginnings, one tendineo-carnous from the edge of the external or broadeft wing of the Proceffus pterigoides, and from part of the Os maxillare adjoining to it. The other is flefhy, from two or three afperities in the lateral procefs of the Os fphænoidale, near the flit that tranfmits the blood-veffels, &c. to the eye; as alfo from part of the Os fquammofum, near the cavity that receives the condyle of the jaw.

INSER.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into a cavity in the neck of the Proceffus Condyloides internally, fome of its fibres running up upon the membrane that faftens the moving cartilage to the faid bone.

N. B. This moveable cartilage receives in like manner fome flefhy fibres from the temporal and maffeter mufcles.

USE.— Its use is to pull the lower jaw forwards, and thrust the teeth out beyond those of the upper jaw.

Becaufe in a dog thefe two pterigoidal mufcles do both arife from the fame fide of the Proceffus aliformis, I chufe to call the first Major, and the fecond or last described Minor, with respect to their different bigness.

CHAP. XXI.

Of the Muscles of the THORAX that appear on its fore-part, the body lying supine.

R Efpiration confifts in the alternate dilatation and contraction of the cavity of the thorax or cheft, which two neceffary motions are chiefly performed by thirteen pair of mufcles;

cles; of which fome dilate and widen the thorax, by pulling the ribs upwards and outwards in infpiration, for the reception of the air into the lungs; others contract and narrow its capacity, by pulling them downwards, for the expulsion of the air from the lungs; and again, fome affift in both these actions, as the Diaphragm does.

SCALENUS.

ORIGIN.— This may be divided into four diffinct mufcles. The first, or that next the gullet, arifes tendinous from the fourth, fifth, and fixth transverse processes of the neck, and

Is inferted tendineo-carnous into the upper fide of the first rib, near its cartilage.

The fecond arifes from the fecond, third, foruth, fifth, and fixth transverse processes of the neck, by fo many tendons, and

Terminates into the first rib, fome part of it being expanded over the fourth Scalenus.

The third arifes from the fifth and fixth tranfverfe proceffes of the neck, and

Is inferted into the upper edge of the fecond rib.

The fourth comes from the fixth and feventh transverse processes of the neck, and

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Is inferted into the first rib, near its articulation with the vertebra.

The fourth Scalenus of our author is deferibed as one of the Levatores Coftarum by Albinus and Winflow.

Use.—They all affift in the elevation of the ribs, and widening of the cheft.

These muscles in a dog differ from the human in their number and infertions; for there is but three of them, and the infertion of the first or innermost is into the first rib; that of the second or middlemost, which is broad, fleshy, and thin, is into the fifth or fixth rib, counting from above downwards.

N. B. What Galen, Vefalius, and others, reckoned as the upper part or infertion of the Rectus abdominis in apes, monkeys, dogs, &c. I have difcovered to be a very diffinct mufcle which arifes flefhy from the first rib, and, turning tendinous, is inferted into the Os Pectoris, under the tendon of the Rectus, the fibres of which are observed to interfect one another. I call it Musculus in fummo thorace fitus.

SUBCLAVIUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the Clavicula, just by its connection with the upper

per part of the Proceffus coracoides fcapulæ, as alfo from the root of that procefs, clofely adhering to the ligament that runs between it and the clavicula. It foon becomes flefhy, and adheres to all the inferior part of that bone, near the extremity of which it runs off obliquely, and growing tendinous,

Is inferted into the fuperior part of the first rib, near the ligament that connects the clavicle to the fame.

Use.—Its use is to pull the first rib upwards.

This is wanting in a dog.

INTERCOSTALES.

ORIGIN.— They arife from the lower edge of each fuperior rib, and

Terminate in the upper edge of each inferior rib; that is, the Externi run obliquely from the back part foreward, and the Interni from the fore part backwards, their fibres interfecting one another, not unlike the two ftrokes of the letter X.

Use.—They both ferve to dilate the capacity of the Thorax.

The internal intercostals are wanting between the spine and the angle of the ribs, and the

the external are wanting near the Sternum, for which a reafon is affigned by the learned Dr Monro in vol. I. art. xx. of Effays and Obfervations Phyfical and Literary.

TRIANGULARIS.

Sterno-coftalis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy and a little tendinous from all the length of the Cartilago enfiformis laterally, and from the edge of the lower part of the Os Pectoris, from whence its fibres afcend obliquely upwards and outwards.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the cartilaginous endings of the fifth, fourth, and third true ribs, near their conjunction with the bones.

USE.— Its use is to contract the cavity of the Thorax, by depressing the cartilaginous part of these ribs.

In a dog this pair of mufcles is much larger than in man; and it is not improbable, that in this animal the difcharge of part of the fuperfluous ferum of the blood (carried off in in man by the excretory ducts of the miliary cutaneous glands, which a dog is deftitute of) by halitus, or by a more plentiful fecretion in their

their falival glands, may be much promoted by the joint acting of thefe mufcles; for we may obferve, after a great fatigue, or any accelerated motion of the blood, while this creature lies or runs with its tongue lolling out, and breathes prodigious fast, there is a great deal of faliva feparated.

- DI APHRAGMA.

Is made up of two mufcles. The Superior Arifes by two flefhy beginnings from the extremity of the Cartilago enfiformis laterally, from part of the cartilages of the feventh rib, and from the lower edge of the cartilaginous endings of all the inferior ribs, and the bony part of the laft. The fibres from the Cartilago enfiformis are carried ftraight down, whereas all those from the ribs run obliquely inwards. The inferior mufcle

Arifes on each fide of the Vertebræ Lumborum by the following diftinct beginnings.

1. Is fleshy from the fide of the first Vertebra of the loins.

2. Is tendinous from the fore part of the fecond, third, and fometimes fourth Vertebræ. This tendon is almost infeparable from fome part of its fellow on the other fide.

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3. Is tendineo-carnous from the fide of the fecond Vertebra, and often from the third alfo, efpecially on one fide.

4. Its fourth origin is by a thin tendon from the root of the transverse process of the second Vertebra Lumborum; between this and the last rib the Triangularis runs up to its termination.

Both thefe muscles join in a middle tendon. The Midriff is perforated in its tendinous part by the afcending Vena Cava, and in the flefhy part of the fuperior muscle, by the descending Gula, and Par Vagum. Between its two tendinous productions, as they call them, the great artery defcends, and the Ductus Thoracicus afcends from the Receptaculum Chyli. Between these tendons on each fide, and the body of the first Vertebra Lumborum laterally, there is a fiffure through which the Intercoftal Nerves defcend, and the Vena azygos, proceeding from the Cava below the Emulgent, afcends on the right fide. Between its adhesion to the fide of this Vertebra and its transverse process, it makes as it were an arch with a tendinous border, under which the upper part of the Pfoas comes from the laft Vertebra

tebra Dorfi, and the tendon of the Quadratus Lumborum paffes that way to its termination there.

USE.— In infpiration its fuperior furface is relaxed, and becomes more plain, whereby the cavity of the Thorax is enlarged to give more liberty to the lungs to receive the air, and the Vifcera of the Abdomen are compreffed for the diffribution of the chyle, &c. In expiration its furface is convex towards the Thorax, whereby its cavity is leffened, and the air expelled out of the lungs.

In a dog the inferior muscle of the Diaphragm arises by four tendons, two short and two long.

COSTARUM DEPRESSORES PROPRII, Cowperi.

Supra Coftalis. Winfl. Intercoftalium internarum partes. Albin.

ORIGIN.— They arife tendinous from the upper part of the rib near its juncture with the transverse process of the Vertebra; but, soon spreading into a broad and thin stelly belly, they march obliquely upwards under the Pleura over one rib, and terminate into that next above it; in number they are ten, being expanded all over the inside of the ribs, from the back to near their middle.

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USE.— Their ufe is to deprefs the ribs. Mr Cowper difcovered thefe mufcles fome time ago, and having favoured me with his obfervation, I have named them, as above, from their ufe.

C HA P. XXII.

Of the Muscles of the BLADDER of URINE.

THE VESICA URINARIA has two Muscles.

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Is only a few fmall orbicular flefhy fibres placed under the external coat of the bladder, round its neck.

DETRUSOR URINÆ.

This mufcle is only the fecond coat of the bladder, composed of mufcular fibres, which run in different directions, upon the contraction of which the neck of the bladder opens, and the urine is forcibly fqueezed out.

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CHAP. XXIII.

Of the Mufcles of the ANUS? onit

THE extremity of the Intestinum rectum, called Anus and Podex, is provided with five mufcles, two pair called Levatores, and a fingle one, which is its Sphincter.

LEVATOR MAGNUS, Seu INTERNUS.

Levator ani. Albin. Winfl. ORIGIN .- It arifes from the Os Pubis between its juncture and the hole common to it with the lichion, from the tendon that covers the Marfupialis, and from the acute procefs of the last named bone ; between which and the lower part of the Os Coccygis it adheres to the Musculus Coccygæus, being both covered with one membrane. From this large beginning its fibres contract as it defcends over the Marfupialis, having its furface, which respects the cavity of the Abdomen, all covered with a tendinous membrane, and uniting with its fellow on the back of the Inteftinum rectum which they cover on all fides, except where the Proftates and bulb of the Urethra adhere to it.

INSERTION.

The Museles of the ANUS. 125

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the Sphincter, its upper part being firmly annexed to the Os Coccygis.

USE.— Its use is to draw the Anus upwards after the evacuation of the excrements, and in some measure to shut it also; at other times it keeps this gut from falling too low, which always happens in a relaxation of its fibres in a palfy.

In a dog, before it terminates, it appears divided into three or four portions, one of which on each fide leaves the Rectum, and is inferted into the Cauda, which it depresses after the animal has thrust out its excrements.

LEVATOR PARVUS, seu externus, Riol.

Transversus Perinæi. Albin. Transversalis Urethræ. Winsl. Transversus Penis.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous and fleshy from the protuberance or knob of the Ischium, from whence it runs transversely to its termination into the Spincter Ani, near the bulb of the Urethra.

Use.— Its use is to affift the former. This is wanting in a dog.

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INSERTION.— The Anus has two Sphincters; the first may be called Externus or Cutaneus, which furrounds the Podex about the breadth of one inch, being placed immediately between the skin and the fat. The fecond is named Internus and Vaginalis, whose fleshy fibres encompass the lower end of the Intestinum rectum, to the breadth of about an inch, being forwards connected to the Accelerator Urinæ, and backwards to the Levator major.

USE.— Its use is to hinder the involuntary excretion of the Fæces, by shutting up or closing the passage of the Rectum.

In a dog its circular fibres do not embrace the extremity of the Rectum, fo high as in man; and the reafon of it is plain, becaufe the preffure and weight of the Fæces Alvinæ is not fo great on this part in a dog, the pofition of its body being prone, or horizontal, as it must be in man, whose posture is crect.

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CHAP. XXIV.

Of the Muscles of the SCAPULA.

THE shoulder-blade is moved by three pair of proper muscles, and two pair common to it with the Thorax, viz. the Serratus major Anticus, and Serratus minor Anticus.

TRAPEZIUS, seu CUCULLARIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a thick and fhort tendon from the lower part of a protuberance in the occipital bone backwards, and from the rough line that is extended from thence towards the Proceffus mammillaris, by a thin membranous tendon which covers fome part of the Complexus and Splenius; befides, it arifes tendinous from the fpine of the laft Vertebra of the neck, and from all the fpines of the back, except the two lowermoft.

INSERTION. — It is inferted flefhy into the broad and posterior part of the Clavicula, tendineo-carnous into one half of the Acromion, and into almost all the spine of the Scapula.

USE.— According to the three directions of its fibres, it moves the Scapula varioufly; for its

its ftraight ones draw it directly backward, its obliquely defeending pull it obliquely upward, and its obliquely afcending bring it obliquely downwards and backwards.

N. B. Galen divides the Trapezius into two mufcles, viz. the fuperior and the inferior. The firft he calls Trapezia; and to the fecond later anatomifts have given the name of Cuculla, from whence they are both commonly denominated Cucullares. The inferior part of this mufcle grows a little tendinous before it is inferted into the back part of the Spina Scapulæ; its upper part, from the Os Occipitis to the fpinal procefs of the laft Vertebra Colli, is infeparably united to its fellow of the other fide.

In a dog its fuperior origin comes from all the Ligamentum Colli that is below the rife of the Levator humeri proprius; that part of it which refembles the Cuculla, fprings from about the middle of the Vertebræ of the back; that feries of fibres which pulls the Scapula directly backwards, unites with the upper triangular part of this mufcle by a thin tendon.

The Clavicle being wanting in a dog, it has no infertion there.

ELEVA-

ELEVATOR, seu Musculus PATIENTIÆ.

Angularis, vulgo levator scapulæ proprius. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the first, fecond, third, and fometimes fourth transverse processes of the Vertebræ Colli, by fo many distinct flips, which foon afterwards do all unite.

INSERTION.— It is inferted flefhy into that part of the Bafis Scapulæ that is between its fpine and fuperior angle.

Use.—Its use is to pull the Scapula upwards, and a little forwards.

The elevation of this part in a dog, is performed by two muscles, viz.

Levator major, vel anterior, arifes flefhy from the broad transverse process of the first Vertebra Colli. Is inferted in the upper part of the Spina Scapulæ, near its extremity, which makes the Acromion in man.

Levator Scapulæ minor, vel posterior, arifes tendinous from the Occiput, near its ridge, and defcending close by the long portion of the Rhomboides, is inferted by a fmall tendon into the basis of that bone, near its upper angle.

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RHOMBOIDES.

This mufcle I find always divided into two diffinct flefhy portions, joined by an intervening membrane. The uppermoft, which is the leaft, arifes tendinous from the laft fpinal procefs of the neck, and fome part of the Ligamentum Colli next above it; the inferior part of this mufcle, arifes tendinous from the fpines of the four or five fuperior Vertebræ Dorfi. The upper part terminates into the bafis of the Scapula, partly above, but chiefly below its Spine; and the inferior part is inferted into almoft all the remaining part of the bafis.

These two portions are by Albinus called Rhomboideus minor et major.

USE.— Its use is to draw the Scapula obliquely upwards, and directly backwards.

In a dog it arifes flefhy from all the Ligamentum Colli, which, growing broader as it defcends, unites with that portion coming from the fpines of the back, near the upper angle of the Scapula.

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CHAP. XXV.

Of the Muscles of the THORAX, that appear in diffection, the body lying prone.

IN the defcription of the Mufculi Thoracis, which appear on its fore-part, I forgot to premife their division into proper and common. The use of the first is confined only to the cheft, but the latter are subfervient to other parts, as well as it. Thus the Serrati Antici contribute to the motions of the Scapulæ, the Sacro-lumbi to the extension of the back, and the Scaleni move the neck towards the shoulder or first rib.

SERRATUS MAJOR ANTICUS.

Serratus magnus. Albin. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the whole bafis of the Scapula internally, between the infertion of the Rhomboides, and the origin of the Subfcapularis, being folded as it were about the two angles of the Scapula.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the eight fuperior ribs by an equal number of flefhy Digituli.

USE.

Use.— Its use is to dilate the Thorax, by pulling up the ribs, and, according to some, to move the Scapula, into which (they alledge) it is inferted, forwards and downwards.

In a dog it arifes flefhy from the five inferior transverse processes of the Vertebræ Colli by fo many different heads, and tendineo-carnous from the feven fuperior ribs. The first, or uppermost order of its fibres, run obliquely downwards to their infertion into part of the Bafis Scapulæ internally. The fecond order that comes from the ribs afcend obliquely, and are implanted not only into the Bafis Scapulæ, but also broad and fleshy into part of its concave fide. Its use in this animal is peculiar to the Scapula, which it moves according to the various direction of its fibres; and befides, * it keeps the fhoulder-blade from flarting out, or rifing up too high, when this animal stands or runs.

SERRATUS MINOR ANTICUS.

Serratus Anticus. Albin. Pectoralis minor. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes tendinous from the Proceffus coracoides Scapulæ, but foon grows flefhy and broad.

INSER-

INSERTION.—It is inferted tendineo-carnous into the lower edge of the bony part of the third, fourth, and fifth ribs.

USE.— Its use is either to affift the former, or to draw the Scapula forwards.

This is wanting in a dog.

SERRATUS SUPERIOR POSTICUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a broad and thin tendon, from the lower part of the Ligamentum Colli, or rather from the tendinous union of the Splenii, from the acute process of the last Vertebra of the neck, and from two or three of the uppermost of the back.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the fecond, third, and fourth ribs by as many particular flefhy flips.

USE.— Its use is to expand the Thorax in the elevation of the ribs.

SERRATUS INFERIOR POSTICUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a broad thin tendon from the fpinal proceffes of the two inferior Vertebræ of the back, and from as many or more of the fuperior of the loins.

INSERTION.— It is inferted flefhy into the lower edge of the three or four inferior ribs, tho?

tho' feldom into the laft, but at a greater diftance from the Obliquus Abdominis externus, than will admit of any indentation between those two muscles.

Use.— Its use is to depress fo many of the ribs, or at least to accelerate their motion down-wards.

In a dog the Serratus fuperior poficus arifes by a thin tendon from the lower part of the ligamentum Colli, its laft acute procefs, and from the eight fuperior proceffes of the back. Its infertion is into the nine uppermoft ribs, excepting the firft, by fo many diftinct flefhy Digituli. Its tendon joins in with that of the Serratus inferior pofficus, and fo makes as it were a ftrong tendinous bandage, which, keeping the fubjacent mufcles very clofe together, does vaftly ftrenghten them in their actions.

SACRO-LUMBALIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes outwardly tendinous, and inwardly flefhy, in common with the Longiffimus Dorfi, from the fingle uppermoft fpines of the Os facrum, from the pofterior part of the fpine of the Ilium, from the inferior fpines of the Vertebræ Lumborum, and by fmall tendons from near the roots of their tranfverfe proceffes.

INSER-

INSERTION.— It is inferted by as many long and thin tendons as there are ribs, each of which terminates into the third rib, where it begins to be curved, above its parting from the body of the mufcle, only its uppermoft and laft tendon ends in the transverse process of the feventh Vertebra Colli.

USE. - Its use is to pull the ribs down.

N. B. From the upper part of the fix or feven lower ribs, arife fo many fmall bundles of thin tendinous and flefhy fibres, which, after a very flort progrefs, terminate in the inner fide of this muscle. Steno calls them Musculi ad Sacro-lumbum Accefforii.

CERVICALIS DESCENDENS, Diemer.

Transversalis gracilis, five Collateralis Colli. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the third, fourth, fifth, and fixth transverse processes of the Vertebræ Colli, and

Is inferted into the third, fourth, fifth, fixth and feventh ribs, between the Sacro-lumbalis and the Longiffimus Dorfi.

USE.— Its use is to draw the ribs upwards in the act of inspiration.

COSTA-

COSTARUM LEVATORES, Stenon. Supra Costales. Winfl.

Which I name Levatores Proprii, to diffinguifh them from the other mufcles that perform the fame office. They

Arife tendinous and flefhy from the tranfverfe proceffes of the Vertebræ of the back, whence, being carried obliquely forwards, they foon terminate in the upper fide of all the ribs, except the firft.

USE.—Their ufe is to lift up the ribs, and dilate the cheft; which they do most effectually, because the processes of the Vertebræ ferve as a fulcimen to their motion.

CHAP. XXVI.

Of the Muscles of the HEAD, that appear in the prone position of the body.

SPLENIUS.

Sive mastoidæus posterior. Winsl.

ORIGIN.— T arifes by a great many long and thin tendons from the five fuperior fpinal proceffes of the Vertebræ of the back, tendinous and flefhy from the laft of the neck, and entirely tendinous from the Ligamentum

mentum Colli; or rather the tendons of the two Splenii unite here infeparably; only about the fecond Vertebra of the neck they recede from one another, fo that part of the fubjacent mufcle may be feen.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by one tendon into the transverse process of the second Vertebra Colli; and by two, for the most part, into that of the first; and tendineo-carnous into the under and forepart of the Processus mammillaris, from whence it is carried backwards on the Occiput.

USE.— Its use is to bring the head backwards laterally; but when both act, to pull the head directly backwards.

Albinus divides this muscle into two, viz. Splenius capitis et Splenius Colli.

In a dog it terminates in the transverse procefs of the first Vertebra Colli, and into the posterior and lateral part of the occipital bone. Backwards it is intimately conjoined with its fellow of the other fide, from the sharp process of the last Vertebra Colli to the Occiput, from which commissive, or joining, there runs down a thin transparent membrane to all the Ligamentum Colli.

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TRACHELO-MASTOIDÆUS, seu CAPI-TIS PAR TERTIUM. Fallop.

Complexus minor, five Mastoidæus lateralis. Winst.

ORIGIN.— It arifes from the transverse procefs of the first and second Vertebræ Dorsi, and from the three or four lowermost of the neck, by so many thin tendons, which uniting form a pretty thick fleshy belly, that runs up under the Splenius, and

Is inferted into the middle of the backfide of the Proceffus mastoidæus by a thin tendon.

USE .- Its use is to affift the Complexus.

N. B. This muscle often receives a roundish fleshy slip from the Longissimus Dorsi.

In a dog it is infeparably united with the tendon of the Splenius, at its termination in the Occiput.

COMPLEXUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the fix or feven fuperior transverse proceffes of the Vertebræ of the back, and from all those of the neck, except that of the first, by so many distinct beginnings; in its ascent it adheres to the spinal process of the last Vertebra Colli, and to the ligament that runs from thence to the second Vertebra, where

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it leaves its fellow of the other fide, and runs off obliquely forewards to its termination.

INSERTION.— It is inferted flefhy into the Os Occipitis, between the upper part of the Obliquus fuperior, and the edge of the protuberance, obfervable in the middle of that bone.

Use.— If one muscle acts, the head is thereby pulled a little to one fide; but if both act in concert, the head is extended, or drawn directly backwards.

The Complexus feems to derive fome part of its origin from the oblique proceffes of the Vertebræ of the neck. A part of it is fometimes found diftinct from the reft, and is called by Albinus Biventer Cervicis.

In a dog it arifes from the four fuperior transverse processes of the back by so many thin and small tendons, as also from the five lower ones of the neck by so many different heads, not unlike the Digituli of the great ferrated muscle, which uniting form a large fleshy belly, that terminates tendinous in the lateral part of the Occiput near its ridge.

RECTUS

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RECTUS MAJOR.

Rectus Capitis, posticus major. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from one of the double fpines of the fecond Vertebra of the neck, and grows broader in its afcent, which is not ftraight, but obliquely outwards, being as it were divided into two thin portions, the innermoft of which

Is inferted into the Occiput, near the Rectus lateralis; the other which is the broadeft, ends in the fame bone under part of the Obliquus major, tendinous and flefhy.

Use.— Its use is to extend, or pull the head backwards.

This in a dog is double; the firft, or Rectus major, comes from the lower part of this fpinal procefs; the fecond, which I call Rectus medius, proceeds from the upper part of the fame fpine.

RECTUS MINOR.

Rectus Capitis, posticus minor. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes narrow from a little protuberance in the middle of the back part of the first Vertebra Colli, close by its fellow, and

Is inferted pretty broad (its inner edge being only

only covered by the Rectus major) into the fides of a dimple in the Os Occipitis, near its great Foramen.

USE.— Its use is to affift the Rectus major in nodding or bowing the head a little backwards.

OBLIQUUS SUPERIOR.

Obliquus minor. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes from the transverse process of the first Vertebra of the neck.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous and flefhy into the Os petrofum and occipitale, between the back part of the Proceffus mammillaris and the Musculus complexus.

USE.— It ferves for the oblique or femicircular motion of the head.

This in a dog is alfo double; one mufcle arifes flefhy from the extremity of the tranfverfe procefs of the first Vertebra Colli, the other fprings from all the upper edge of the fame procefs, and both feem to unite about their infertion into the Occiput.

OBLIQUUS INFERIOR.

Obliquus major. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the fpinal procefs of the fecond Vertebra Colli, and from fome

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fome part of the body of the fame next the fpine, and

Is inferted into the transverse process of the first.

Use .-- Its use is to affift the former.

In a dog it arifes from the edge of the long fpine of the fecond Vertebra Colli.

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Of the Muscles of the NECK, that lie on its back part.

SPINALIS.

ORIGIN.— Tarifes by a great many tendinous and flefhy fibres from the five fuperior transverse processes of the Vertebræ of the back; ascending obliquely under the Complexus

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the fifth, fourth, third, and fecond fpinal proceffes of the neck, by four fmall tendons.

Use.— Its use is to extend the neck, by drawing it directly backwards.

In a dog it much better deferves this name, because it accompanies all the spines of the neck, arising from the top of the first spinal process

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process of the back, and running straight to that of the fecond spondyle of the neck, being firmly fastened to the sof all the interveening acute process.

T R A N S V E R S A L I S. Pars multifidi Spinæ. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy, partly from the oblique proceffes of the four inferior Vertebræ of the neck, and partly from the fpace between them and the transferfe ones, being only a continuation of the fame feries of mulcular fibres, that compose the mulcles of the back, of the fame name.

INSERTION.— It is inferted near the root of the fuperior fpines of the neck; yet the uppermoft termination is not only into the fpine of the fecond Vertebra, but alfo into the body of the fame fpondyle laterally.

USE.— Its use is to move the neck directly backwards, if both act; and obliquely backwards, if one only acts.

In a dog the infertion of this mufcle is into the bodies of the Vertebræ of the neck.

INTERSPINALES, Cowp.

ORIGIN.—They arife flefhy from the fuperior part of each double fpinal process of the neck, except

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except the uppermoft, which comes from the body of the first Vertebra, and are

Inferted into the inferior part of all the faid fpines.

Use.— Their use is to bring these acute processes near each other.

INTERTRANSVERSALES, Cowp.

The diftance between the transverse proceffes of the Vertebræ of the neck, most of which are bifid or forked, is filled up with a fleshy substance, arising from the inferior, and ascending to its infertion at the superior process.

USE.— Their use is to approximate these transverse Apophyses.

INTERVERTEBRALES ***.

Partes multifidi Spinæ. Albin.

ORIGIN.— They arife from the body of one Vertebræ laterally, and are

Inferted after an oblique progrefs, into the back part of the other Vertebra immediately above it.

USE.— Their use is to draw the bodies of the Vertebræ nearer one another, and a little to one fide.

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N. B. The number of thefe little finall mufcles is very uncertain, becaufe they vary in most fubjects; the last pair, being the slenderest of all, are chiefly conspicuous upon the back part of the first and second, and second and third Vertebræ.

In a dog they are all larger than in man.

CHAP. XXVIII.

Of the Muscles of the BACK.

'HO' the mufcles that lie upon the Vertebræ of the back and loins do appear, even in the opinion of the great Fallopius, to be only a confused mass, or indigested heap of tendinous and flefhy fibres, extremely intricate, and fo varioufly interwoven one with another, that it feems very difficult, if poffible, to feparate them; yet, in my anatomical exercifes, I always demonstrate them, having in all fubjects found them regular and uniform, fairly and diffinctly divided into eighteen mufcles, nine on each fide; one of which belongs to the Thorax, viz. the Sacro-lumbalis, already defcribed ; three to the back, and five to the loins. Galen and M. Duverney think it indifferent, either to reckon thefe muscles, which they call Spinales and Vertebrales, as T one

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one pair only, or to multiply their number according to that of the Vertebræ; but, in my judgment, the last would breed a great deal of confusion, and the first shews but little of an artist.

LONGISSIMUS.

ORIGIN.— The origin of this muscle is in common with that of the Sacro-lumbalis.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into all the tranfverfe proceffes of the back by a double tendon into each; from its outfide there go off feveral Fafciculi of flefhy fibres, interfperfed with a few tendinous filaments, which are foon inferted into the lower edge of most of the ribs, not far from their Tubercle.

Use.— Its use is to extend the Vertebræ of the back, and so keep the trunk of the body erect.

N. B. From the fuperior part of this mufcle, there runs up a round flefhy portion, which becoming tendinous, unites with the carnous part of the Par tertium Fallopii, which I have called Trachelo-masticidæus.

SEMISPINALIS.

Vertebralis externus, five transverso-spinalis Dorsi. Winsl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes from the transverse processes of the fix or seven lowermost Vertebræ

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tebræ of the back by fo many diftinct tendons, which foon grow flefhy, and then becoming tendinous again, are

Inferted tendinous into all the fuperior fpinal proceffes of the back, and into the lowermost fpine of the neck.

USE .- Its use is to affift the following.

TRANSVERSALES DORSI INTERIORES.

Pars multifidi Spinæ. Albin.

ORIGIN.— They arife tendinous and flefhy from the upper part of the transverse process of the back; then growing all fleshy, they run over the next Vertebra, and are

Inferted near the root of all its fpinal Apophyfes.

Use.— If they all act on one fide, they extend the back obliquely, or move it laterally; but if they work together, they extend the Vertebræ Dorfales by pulling them backwards.

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Of the Muscles of the LOINS.

THE Vertebræ of the loins are moved by five pair of muscles.

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SPINALIS. Cowp.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the fuperior fingle fpines of the Os farum, in common with the Sacro-lumbalis and longiffimus Dorfi, and

Is inferted tendinous into all the fpinal proceffes of the Vertebræ Lumborum.

Use.— Its use is to extend the aforefaid Vertebræ.

TRANSVERSALIS LUMBORUM, VULGO SACER.

Transverso Spinalis Lumborum. Winsl. Pars Multifidi Spinæ. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the oblique processes of the Vertebræ of the loins, and

It is inferted near the root of their fpinal ones.

Use.— Its use is to move the Vertebræ Lumborum after the fame manner that the Transversales do those of the back.

QUADRATUS.

Sive Lumbaris externus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad and tendineocarnous from the posterior part of the spine of the llium.

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INSERTION. It is inferted into the tranfverse processes of all the Vertebræ Lumborum except the last, into the last rib, and by a small tendon that creeps up under the Diaphragm into the last Vertebra of the back laterally.

N. B. From the fourth, third, and fometimes the fecond transverse processes, there arise fo many small muscles which unite with this Quadratus on its infide, that respects the cavity of the Abdomen.

USE.— Its use is to move the loins to one fide, and when both act together to bend the Vertebræ straight forwards.

In a dog it arifes from the fpine of the Ilium internally, and afcending, adheres to all the transferfe processes of the loins; then, entering the cavity of the Thorax, it ends tendinous and fleshy in its tenth or ninth Vertebra, counting from above downwards.

PSOAS PARVUS. Riol.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the upper Vertebra of the loins laterally.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a long flat thin tendon into that part of the Os Pubis, where it joins the Ilium.

USE.— Its ufe is to affift the Recti Abdominis in drawing the Os Pubis upwards, as in raifing

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raifing ourfelves from a decumbent pofture, as Mr Cowper writes. It may alfo ferve to bend the loins forwards; but then its beginning must be drawn from the Os Pubis, and its termination be fixed in their Vertebræ.

This in a human body is often miffed, but never in a dog, arifing from the bodies of the four lowermost Vertebræ Dorsi, and as many of the upper spondyles of the loins, by so many small tendons laterally, and fleshy from the middle of all the same Vertebræ laterally. It soon turns into a broad and thin tendon, expanded over the great Psoas.

INTERTRANSVERSALES.

These lie between the transverse processes of the loins, arising all from the edge of one, and terminating into that of the other.

Use.— Their use is to bring the Apophyfes nearer each other.

It was in a dog that I first discovered these fmall muscles, and I have never fince missed them in the human body.

CHAP. XXX.

Of the Muscles of the HUMERUS, or ARM.

HE Os Humeri, or shoulder bone, is moved by nine muscles.

PECTO-

PECTORALIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from near half the anterior part of the Clavicula, and from the cartilaginous endings of the fifth and fixth ribs, where it always detaches a fafciculus or two of flefhy fibres, which run down upon the membrane that covers the Mufculus Abdominis externus, and is defcribed very accurately by R. Columbus; befides, it derives another origin from almost all the length of the Sternum by a great many fhort and fmall tendons, which plainly decuffate those on the other fide.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by two ftrong and broad tendons, which crofs one another, at the upper and inner part of the Os Humeri, between the Deltoides and Biceps.

Use.- Its use is to move the arm upwards.

N. B. Its fuperior tendon gives rife to the involucrum, or tendinous ligament that binds in one of the heads of the Biceps.

In a dog the fibres of this mufcle run in three different directions, and may be eafily divided into three mufcles.

The largest arises by an acute fleshy beginning from the Cartilago ensiformis, and from almost all the Sternum, and is inferted by a schort

fhort and ftrong tendon into a pretuberance in the head of the Os Humeri, and by a membranous tendon into the fame bone lower down.

The fecond mufcle lies on the outfide of this, arifing from near the extremity of the Cartilago enfiformis, and, afcending, is partly inferted with the former, and partly runs down upon the mufcles lying on the infide of the Humerus.

The third, which from its polition deferves the name of Transversalis, arises from the upper part of the breast, and crossing over the first, terminates below it, by a strong and broad tendon, all along the fore-part of the Os Humeri externally.

DELTOIDES.

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ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from all the pofterior and external part of the clavicle that the pectoralis does not poffers, tendinous and flefhy from the lower margin of the fore-part of the Spina Scapulæ, and entirely tendinous from the pofterior part of the fame.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous and flefhy at a rough pretuberance in the forepart of the arm about its middle, the fibres of its

its apex or point being intermixed with fome part of the Brachiæus internus.

USE.— Its use is to pull the arm directly upwards, and that either somewhat forwards or backwards, according to the different direction of its fibres.

In a dog it arifes tendineo-membranous from almost all the spine of the Scapula; that part of it which springs from the Acromion feems to be distinct from its other origin, but yet cannot be divided without violence; its action is all upwards and outwards, because it has no beginning from the clavicle, which is wanting, to direct it inwards.

SUPRASPINATUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from all the Basis Scapulæ that is above its spine, as also from its spine and upper Costa.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into that part of the protuberance on the head of the Os Humeri that is next the canal of the Biceps.

Use.—Its use is to lift or move the arm upwards.

INFRASPINATUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from all that part of the Basis Scapulæ that is between its spine

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and its lower angle, from the fpine as far as its Cervix, and from the edge of all that Foffa that runs above its inferior Cofta.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a thick and fhort tendon into the upper part of a rough and flattifh protuberance on the head of the Os Humeri.

USE.— Its use is to pull the arm directly backwards.

N. B. 1. On the infide of this muscle one may observe two or three large tendons run along its fleshy substance.

2. This and the former are both covered with a tendinous membrane, which not only ftrengthens their action, but also keeps them from fwelling too much outwardly in acting.

In a dog, through its middle, lengthwife, there runs a tendon from which the flefhy fibrillæ run off on each fide, like the flamina of a feather.

TERES MINOR.

ORIGIN.—It arifes fleshy from all the round edge of the inferior Costa Scapulæ, being, in all subjects that ever I diffected, distinguished from the Infraspinatus by a very considerable membrane.

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INSERTION. — It is inferted tendinous a little below the termination of the last-named muscle, and fleshy a little lower upon the neck of the Os Humeri.

Use.— Its use is to affift the bigger round muscle, in bringing the arm backwards.

In a dog it arifes by a thin tendon, which clofely adheres to the Infrafpinatus from the middle of the lower edge of the Scapula, and turning into a round flefhy belly, it paffes obliquely over the head of the Longus to its tendinous infertion.

TERES MAJOR.

ORIGIN.—It arifes flefhy from the inferior angle of the Scapula, and from all that portion of its lower rib, or Cofta, that is rough and thicker than the reft, its flefhy fibres being continued over part of the Infrafpinatus, to which they firmly adhere.

INSERTION.—It is inferted by a fhort, broad, and thin tendon, at a roughnefs a little below the head of the Os Humeri internally; and though it is very clofely joined to the tendon of the Latiflimus Dorfi, yet they part before their infertions into that bone.

Use.—Its use is to move the arm backwards and downwards.

LATIS-

LATISSIMUS DORSI.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a thin tendon from the pofterior part of the fpine of the Ilium, from the fuperior fpines of the Os Sacrum, from all those of the Vertebræ Lumborum, and from feven or eight of the lowermost ones of the back, below the Rhomboides; besides, it has another origin tendinous and fleshy from the extremity of the bony part of the four or five lowermost ribs, near their cartilages, by fo many distinct flips. I never found it adhere to the inferior angle of the Scapula by any carnous fibres, it being only connected by membranes to the Teres major and Rhomboides.

INSERTION.—It is inferted by a ftrong and thin tendon upon the edge of the channel of the Biceps, near the termination of the pectoral mufcle.

USE.— Its use is to pull the arm backwards and downwards.

N. B. In fome mufcular diffections fince this fpecimen was made public, I observed a fmall bundle of fleshy fibres to arise from the outfide of the Basis Scapulæ near its inferior angle, and adhering to the upper part of this muscle in its progress along the Costa inferior of

of the fhoulder-blade, to be loft into the fame, just where it begins to grow tendinous. That this is fo in all bodies, I am apt to believe, though before this I had never remarked it.

In a dog, when this mufcle arrives at the Teres major, it parts with a thin flefhy production, which, running down upon the Longus Cubiti, terminates tendinous into the Ancon. A little before its infertion it receives the Membrana carnofa, which flefhy pannicle or membrane is a thin carnous expansion which covers the mufcles that lie on the upper part of the Os Femoris, the Ilium and Sacrum, the Abdomen, Dorfum, and most part of the Thorax; as it comes near the Axilla, it narrows and grows thicker, and then joins in with this mufcle, where it terminates. By the contraction of its fibres the fkin is wrinkled, and the hairs on the back made to ftand erect when this animal is angry or afraid.

CORACO-BRACHIALIS.

ORIGIN .- It arifes partly tendinous, and partly flefhy, from the under fide of the Proceffus Coracoides Scapulæ near its tip, adhering, in its defcent, to one of the heads of the Biceps. ovo sodio i al stor Inser-

INSERTION. It is inferted tendineo-carnous about the middle of the internal part of the Os Humeri, fending down a thin tendinous expansion to the inner condyle of that bone.

Use. Its use is to lift or move the arm upwards. Through this muscle passeth a large branch from the fourth pair of nerves of the neck, which constitutes the first Brachial pair.

In a dog it is a fmall thin mufcle, arifing from a protuberance in the upper part of the fuperior Cofta Scapulæ by a very flender tendon, which, paffing over the head of the Humerus, grows flefhy, and is fo inferted into the infide of that bone, about an inch or more below its neck.

SUBSCAPULARIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from all the bafis of the Scapula, from all its fuperior Cofta, and about one half of its inferior; befides, it has two tendinous beginnings arifing from two little protuberances, feated in the hollow part of this bone near its bafis, at two or three inches diftance one from another, which tendons are continued through the flefhy part of the mufcle to its ending, being fubdivided into many more as it paffes over the juncture.

INSER-

INSERTION .- It is inferted tendinous into the upper edge of the protuberance, on the head of the Os Humeri laterally.

Use.--- Its use is to bring the arm close to the tilds tendon of the Maftoidades.

The tendon of this, with that of the Infra and Supra fpinatus, adheres firmly to the membrane that involves the articulation of the Humerus with the Scapula ; but they may be all eafily divided one from another, without cutting their tendinous fibres. and anonigation In a dog it only fills up three parts of the concave or hollow part of the Scapula, the Serratus Anticus major poffeffing the reft.

Befides the nine pair of muscles above defcribed, a dog has two more. The first I name. Levator Humeri proprius. It arifes membranous and flefhy from all the fpace between the tendinous ending of the Mastoidæus, and the ridge of the Occiput, and from the upper part of the Ligamentum Colli; this large beginning contracts and. grows narrower, as it runs obliquely down the neck, clofely adhering to fome part of the Levator Scapulæ major, and paffing over the articulation of the Humerus, goes straight down to its infertion in the fore-part of the fame bone, near the flexure strenuty of the Lis Humen to the of

of the Cubit, between the Biceps and Brachiæus internus. The fecond I call

Muſculus and Levatorem acceſſorius. It arifes from the Os Occipitis, near the infertion of the thick tendon of the Maſtoidæus, and becoming a thick fleſhy muſcle, runs down to its infertion into the Levator proprius, being there of an equal breadth with it. Juſt above the head of the Os Humeri, near the termination of this muſcle, there is placed a fmall falcated cartilaginous bone, tied to the Scapula and top of the Sternum by two fmall ligaments, which feems to be an imperfect Clavicle.

In cats this mufcle is inferted into the whole length of their Clavicula, which it ferves to lift up. But in this animal the ufe of this acceffory mufcle feems calculated for the affiftance of the Levator, which ferves to raife the Os Humeri upwards, and at the fame time to turn it a little outwards, whereby the fore-feet are kept from interfering or cutting one another in running or leaping.

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Of the Muscles of the CUBIT. THE Cubit, or fore-arm, reaching from the extremity of the Os Humeri to the wrift,

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wrift, and composed of two bones, viz. the Ulna and Radius, has five muscles. In a dog it contrits but of que bread, a sting

BICEPS INTERNUS.

Biceps Brachik Albin. Biceps, five Coraco-radialis. Winfl.

ORIGIN .- Its first and uttermost head arifes tendinous from the Cervix fcapulæ, near the upper and narrow edge of its cavity, called Acetabulum, which in its descent is inclosed in a channel in the head of the Os Humeri, by a membranous ligament that proceeds from the pectoral muscle. The fecond, or innermoft, arifes tendinous and flefhy from the Proceffus Coracoides Scapulæ. A little below the middle of the fore-part of the arm these heads unite.

INSERTION .- It is inferted by a ftrong and thick tendon into all the Tubercle on the upper end of the Radius internally.

Use .- Its use is to bend the cubit.

N. B. About the flexure of the cubit, or bending of the elbow, where it begins to grow tendinous, it fends off an Aponeurofis, first taken notice of by that celebrated anatomift, Mr Cowper, vid. Myotom. Reformat. p. 147. which covers all the mufcles on the infide of X the

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the cubit. Its fibres decuffate those of another tendinous membrane that lies under it.

In a dog it confifts but of one head, arifing from the Cervix fcapulæ; and on that account I call it Flectens Cubitum anterior, becaufe it lies above the following mufcle.

BRACHIALIS INTERNUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the middle of the Os Humeri, at each fide of the termination of the Deltoides mufcle, filling up all the fpace between the two edges of this bone.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a very ftrong tendon into the upper and fore part of the Ulna.

Use .- Its use is to affist the former.

In a dog it arifes broad and fleshy from the back part of the Humerus, just under its neck; from thence it runs obliquely to the fore-part of that bone, and then proceeds as in man.

BICEPS EXTERNUS.

ORIGIN.— The first head, called Longus, arifes broad and tendinous from the Costa Scapulæ inferior, and a little fleshy from its neck. The fecond head, called Brevis, arifes by an acute, tendinous, and fleshy beginning from the Os Humeri, about an inch below its head.

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head. Upon the back fide of the Humerus, thefe two, with the following muscle, join their fibres, and are

Inferted into the upper and external procefs of the Ulna, called Ancon.

Use .- Its use is to extend the cubit.

The two heads of this, and the following muscle, are described by Albinus under the name of Triceps Brachii.

BRACHIALIS EXTERNUS.

Anconæus internus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by an acute flefhy beginning from the Os Humeri, a little higher than the infertion of the Teres major. About the middle of the arm it paffes under the Longus, with which it mixes fibres, to the external ridge of that bone, being continued down the fame to the condyle of that fide, where fome of its fibres join infeparably with the Anconæus; the reft ending in the Ancon, with those of the Longus and Brevis.

N. B. The Brachiæus externus, and the Biceps externus, or Gemellus, make but one fingle mufcle with three heads, to which I give the name of Triceps Cubiti, or Extenfor Cubiti magnus triplici principio natus.

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ANCONÆUS, Vel CUBITALIS, Riol.

Anconæus Minor. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a round and fhort tendon from the back part of the external condyle of the Os Humeri; this foon grows fleshy, and is fo entangled with part of the Brachiæus externus, that there can be no feparating them without violence.

INSERTION.— It is inferted flefhy and thin into the lateral part of the Ulna, a few inches below the Olecranon.

Use.— Its use is to affift in extending the Cubitus.

In a dog the extension of the cubit, or Ulna, is performed by the joint action of five very distinct muscles.

Extensor primus, or Longus, arifes as in man, and becomes a very thick and fleshy belly, but gradually contracting, grows tendinous, and is fo inferted into the upper and external part of that process of the Ulna, called Ancon in human bodies.

Extensor fecundus, or Brevis, arifes from the fuperior and back part of the Humerus, just under its fmooth head, and defeending under the Longus, turns into a fmall tendon, which,

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which, paffing through a Sulcus in the extremity of the Ulna, ends a little below the Longus.

Extensor tertius, which is fomething analogous to the head of that Triceps Cubiti, called Brachiæus externus, is a pretty thick fleshy muscle, arising from the upper and posterior part of the Humerus, at a protuberance near the ending of the Teres minor; it ends in the outfide of the Ancon.

Extenfor quartus, vel Anconæus, fills up a cavity or hollow between the heads of the Ulna and Radius, arifing and terminating as in man.

Extensor quintus, arifes by a thin tendon from the infide of that protuberance, into which the fupraspinatus of the Scapula is inferted, and passing under the tendon of the Teres major, becomes fleshy, and ends tendinous on the infide of the Ancon.

CHAP. XXXII.

Of the Muscles of the PALM of the HAND.

THE muscles of the Palma, or Vola Manûs, are two.

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PALMARIS LONGUS. Ulnaris gracilis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the internal protuberance of the Os Humeri; it foon becomes flefhy, and within a few inches becomes tendinous again. About the Ligamentum Carpi annulare it expands itfelf into a broad difgregated tendon, (giving fome filaments to the Ligamentum annulare, to the Abductor Pollicis, and to the Flexor of the first internode), between which and the skin there lies a great deal of fat. Near the lower end of the metacarpal bones, it is decussated by a great many tendinous straight fibres, which run upon it from one fide to the other.

INSERTION.— Its infertion is by two fmall tendons into the fides of the cartilage that lies upon the articulation of each finger, with the Offa Metacarpi.

USE.—Its use is to contract the palm of the hand, and so affift it to grasp any thing closely.

N. B. This muscle does fometimes fpring from the Ligamentum annulare.

TIT mulcles of the Paima, or Vola Manus,

It is wanting in a dog.

OWI ST PALMA-

PALMARIS BREVIS, Joan. Bapt. Cannan. vel Caro QUADRATA.

Palmaris outaneus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a membrane-like tendon from the fuperior and external part of the Os Metacarpi minimi Digiti ; whence afcending obliquely, and adhering to the fourth bone of the Carpus that lies upon the third, it grows flefhy in two or three places, being feparated by interveening membranes ; and, paffing under the Palmaris longus,

Is inferted tendinous into the Ligamentum annulare, and into that bone of the Carpus that articulates with the thumb. The upper part of this tendon adheres to the Abductor Pollicis, and its lower part to the Flexor fecundi Internodii ejufdem.

Use.— Its use is to make the palm of the hand hollow, by drawing the ball of the thumb towards the Os Metacarpi, that fustains the little finger, and fo forms what they call Diogenes's cup.

This is wanting in a dog.

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CHAP. XXXIII.

Of the Muscles of the WRIST.

THE Carpus, or wrift, composed of eight fmall bones, fituate between the extremities of the Ulna and Radius, and the upper part of the metacarpal bones, is furnished with four muscles, and yet all of them, as Vessingius remarks, terminate in the bones of the Metacarpus.

FLEXOR CARPI RADIALIS.

Radialis internus. Albin. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the internal protuberance of the Os Humeri, and from the rough edge of all the anterior procefs of the Ulna, where it firmly adheres to the Pronator Radii teres.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a flat tendon into the fore and upper part of the Os Metacarpi, that joins with the fore finger, having run through a Sinus, or cavity, in the bone of the wrift that articulates with the thumb, being there bound in by a membrane which parts it from the tendons of the other mufcles, which with it pafs under the Ligamentum annulare.

USE.

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Use.— Its use is to bend the Wrift, together with the hand, and when it acts in conjunction with the Radialis extensor, the wrist is moved laterally towards the Radius.

FLEXOR CARPI ULNARIS.

Ulnaris internus. Albin. Radialis internus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the fame Tubercle of the arm-bone. It has likewife a narrow flefhy beginning from the fide of the Ancon, between which and its tendinous origin a large branch of the brachial nerve, called Ramus Ulnaris, paffes to the Cubit. In its defcent, according to the length of the Ulna, It is covered by a tendinous expansion in common with the other muscles that lie on the outfide of the Cubit; and by this only it feems to adhere to the external edge of that bone.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a flort and ftrong tendon into the fourth bone of the firft rank of the Carpus, placed upon the third; at fome diftance from its termination, there goes a ligament from this little bone to the Os Metacarpi minimi Digiti, which fome reckon to be a continuation only of the tendon of this mufcle.

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Use.— Its use is to affift the former in bending the Carpus.

In a dog it makes two diftinct mufcles; the largeft arifes tendinous from the inner Tubercle of the Humerus, near the edge of the Sinus, that receives the Ulna; is inferted into the bone of the Carpus that ftands out of rank. The leffer has a thin flefhy origin continued from the Ancon, about an inch down the infide of the Ulna; and terminates into the fame bone with the bigger, at fome diftance from it.

EXTENSOR CARPI RADIALIS,

Makes two very diffinct mufcles; the firft which I call Longus, or fuperior, arifes broad, thin, and flefhy, from the lower part of the external ridge of the Os Humeri, between the Supinator Radii longus and the Condyle. The other, which I name Brevis, or Inferior, fprings tendineo-carnous from the fame protuberance of the Os Humeri: They both lie on the outfide of the Radius, the laft continuing flefhy lower down than the firft. The Longus

Is inferted into the upper part of the bone of the Metacarpus, that fuftains the forefinger; the Brevis into that which flays the middle finger; both being tendinous.

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USE.—Its use is to extend the wrift, and bring the hand backwards.

The former of thefe is called Radialis externus longior, and Radialis externus primus; and the latter Radialis externus brevior, and Radialis externus fecundus, by Albinus, and Winflow.

In a dog it may properly enough be called Bicornis; becaufe it cannot, without great violence, be parted at its origin.

EXTENSOR CARPI ULNARIS.

Ulnaris externus. Albin. Radialis externus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the external protuberance of the Os Humeri between the Anconæus and Extenfor Digitorum communis, and flefhy from the upper part of the Cubit laterally, defcending according to the length of this bone, its round tendon being inclofed in a channel dug in its extremity, from which to its termination, it paffes through a ligament like a fheath.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the fuperior part of the metacarpal bone, that fupports the little finger.

USE. Its use is to affift the muscle last defcribed.

N. B.

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N. B. It is covered with a tendinous expantion, continued down from fome of the tendons of the extensors of the cubit, which Aponeurofis is finely expanded over all the muscles that lie on the outfide of the fore-arm, as that of the Biceps is on those of its infide.

When this and the Flexor Ulnaris act at once, the wrift, with the hand, is moved fidewife towards the Ulna.

In a dog it beflows a tendon on the bone of the Carpus, that ftands upon another; on which account this pulls the Carpus a little outwards in extension, which is of very great advantage to this animal in running.

CHAP. XXXIV.

Of the Muscles of the Four FINGERS.

THE muscles of the four fingers I divide into common and proper; the common are fuch as belong to all the four fingers, being thirteen in number, viz. one extensor, two Flexors, four Lumbricales, and fix Interoffei.

> PERFORATUS. Sublimis. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendineo-carnous from the inner protuberance of the Os Humeri, tendinous

tendinous from the anterior process of the Ulna, near the edge of its lunated cavity, and tendineo-membranous from about the middle of the fore part of the Radius; being so continued from near the beginning of the Flexor pollicis magnus, three or four inches down that bone: Its fleshy belly divides into four tendons, before it passes under the ligament of the wrist, and these are

Inferted into the fuperior part of the fecond bone of each finger, that which goes to the little one being by far the fmalleft. In the palm of the hand they are united to one another, and to thofe of the mufcle next in order by foft flimy membranes; about the middle of the first joint they are divided for the free passage of the tendons of the Perforans, and, where they unite again, one may observe a very fair decussion of fome of the tendinous filaments of one fide running across to the other; then fubdividing, as Mr Cowper has well remarked, they march for fome fpace upon the edges of the bones before they are loft upon their upper part, as I have in all fubjects observed.

Use.— Its use is to bend the second joint of the fingers.

In a dog the tendons of this mufcle are not flit for the paffing of those of the Perforans, but they form a round case as long as the first joint, which covers those on all fides in their passing only a little hole of an oval figure on its outfide. They end without any fubdivision.

PERFORANS.

Profundus. Albin.

ORIGIN.—It arifes flefhly from all the upper part of the Ulna laterally, being continued down its external ridge, or fpine, to its middle, from the inner edge and fore-part of that bone, and from one half of the ligament that joins it to the Radius; the thick, fuperior, flefhy part of this mufcle is firmly kept in by the Fafcia tendinofa that covers the mufcles lying on the outfide of the fore-arm, as has been already remarked: Splitting into four tendons, a little before it paffes the transferfe ligament of the Carpus, they run through the fiffures, or flits, made in the former tendons, being continued farther on to their infertion into the third bone of all the four fingers.

USE.— Its use is to bend the last joint of the fingers.

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In a dog it arifes by three diffinct flefhy originations; the outermost proceeds from the upper and middle part of the Radius, the innermost arifes from the upper part of the Ulna, being farther continued down most of its edge : both these heads are very small; but the middlemost makes a very large big-bellied muscle, seemingly divided into two or three, which springs from the internal protuberance of the Os Humeri. Those three unite and form a thick and broad tendon, which soon splits into five small ones; four terminating as in man, and the fifth ending in the thumb.

LUMBRICALES.

ORIGIN.—Thefe four mufcles arife thin and flefhy from the outfide of the tendons of the Flexor profundus, a little below the Ligamentum transverfale; to which, in their defcent, they adhere for fome space, but parting from thence they grow round and pretty large. They terminate by long and flender tendons, which run over the transverse cartilaginous ligament, placed upon the articulation of the first bone of the fingers, with those of the Metacarpus, into the broad tendons of the Interossie, about the middle of the first Internode, next the thumb laterally.

USE.

USE.—They are faid to affift in bending the first joint of the fingers.

EXTENSOR DIGITORUM COMMUNIS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by an acute tendon from the outward extuberance of the Os Humeri, between the Extenfors of the Carpus, clofely adhering to the Supinator Radii brevis. Before it paffes under the Ligamentum Carpi, it fplits into four flat tendons, each of which may be divided into a great many fmaller. It is chiefly about the extremity of the metacarpal bones that they remit tendinous filaments to each other. Thefe tendons are

Inferted into the upper part of the fecond bone of each of the four fingers, being tacked to the first joint in their way thither.

USE. — Its use is to extend the first and fecond joint of the fingers.

In a dog it runs to the laft bone of each toe, between the two ligaments that go from the fecond internode to the third. The ufe of thefe ligaments is to draw the laft joint backwards and upwards, and keep it fufpended, that the extending tendon may not always be upon the ftretch, as fhall be more fully explained in another place.

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INTEROSSEI.

Are well divided into external and internal. The external fill up all the fpace that the bones of the Metacarpus leave towards the back of the hand: The internal, which, properly fpeaking, deferve not the appellation of Interoffei, arife from the fore-part of the metacarpal bones that refpect the palm of the hand, being only confpicuous in the Vola, and not in the Dorfum Manus; whereas the external are apparent in both.

The first interoffeous mulcle arifes tendinous and fleshy from all the fore-part of the Os Metacarpi Indicis, between its head and condyle; as also from the upper part of the Os Metacarpi medii Digiti. This, which is the first of the internal, belongs to the fide of the fore-finger, next the middle one.

N. B. This is the Posterior Indicis of Albinus.

The fecond, which is the first of the external, arifes from most of the outside of the Os Metacarpi medii Digiti, and a little tendinous from its fore-part, just under its head, being confpicuous both towards the back and palm of the hand. This runs along the fide of the middle finger next the Index.

N. B. This is the Prior medii of Albinus.

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The third, which is the fecond of the external, and runs along the other fide of the middle finger, fills up all the fpace between its metacarpal bone and that which fupports the ring finger ; from both which it fprings, as alfo from fome of the fore part of this bone laterally, being likewife very confpicuous in the palm of the hand.

N. B. This is the Posterior medii of Albinus.

The fourth, which is the fecond of the internal, belongs to the fide of the ring finger, next the middle one, arifing from all the fore part of its metacarpal bone below its head.

N. B. This is the Prior Annularis of Albinus.

The fifth, which is the third of the external, runs along the other fide of this finger, and fills up all the fpace between the metacarpal bone of this and that of the little finger, on the back of the hand, arifing from both those bones.

N. B. This is the Pofterior Annularis of Albinus.

The fixth, or third of the internal, runs along the fide of the little finger, next to the ring finger, and arifes tendinous and flefhy from the anterior edge of all its metacarpal bone.

N. B. This is the Interoffeus Auricularis of Albinus.

All these muscles of both kinds pass under the transverse cartilaginous ligament, already described, and then each of their fleshy bellies forms two tendons; one is soon

Inferted into the upper part of the first internode laterally; the other is dilated very broad, fo as to cover most of the first joint adhering to the tendon of the Extensor; then narrowing a little as it approaches the upper part of the fecond internode, where the lastnamed muscle ends, it runs obliquely along that bone to its termination at the superior part of the last joint of the finger, having first joined with its fellow of the other fide.

USE.— When the long tendons act, they extend the laft internode, and fo fupply what was wanting in the Extenfor magnus; and when the fhort ones are in action, the fingers are moved laterally, *i.e.* they are either brought nearer, or drawn further from the thumb.

In a dog, fomething analogous to thefe, I obferve fix mufcles; four of which are large, placed not between, but in the hollow of the metacarpal bones, and run ftraight down: the other two are very fmall, and run oblique. The large arife tendinous and flefhy from the fuperior part of the metacarpal bones, adhering

to the fame in their defcent : at the Os fefamoidæum of the first joint, each divides into two tendons, and, running obliquely along the fides of the finger, or paw, they unite infeparably with the tendon of the Extensor, near the lower part of the first bone of each foretoe.

The first of the two little ones belongs to the fore-toe, or Index; it arifes from the upper part of the Os Metacarpi medii Digiti, and, descending obliquely, grows tendinous about the first joint, and terminates near the middle of this bone laterally internally.

The fenond arifes from the Os Metacarpi of the third fore-toe, or finger, and, after an oblique progrefs, ends in the infide of the first bone of the little fore-toe. Their use is to bring those two toes nearer the middle ones.

The proper muscles of the fingers are such as belong either to the fore or little finger.

CHAP. XXXV.

Of the Muscles of the FORE-FINGER.

THE fore-finger, or Index, has three Muscles.

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EXTENSOR SECUNDI INTERNODII INDICIS PROPRIUS, VUIGO INDICATOR.

Extenfor indicis proprius. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by an acute flefhy beginning from the middle of the Ulna, immediately below the Extenfores Pollicis; turning tendinous, it paffes under the fame annular ligament with the Extenfor communis.

INSERTION.— It is inferted at the upper part of the fecond joint, on the infide of the Extenfor Magnus.

Use.— Its use is to extend the fore-finger a little obliquely.

In a dog it is inferted into the last joint.

EXTENSOR TERTII INTERNODII INDICIS.

Interoffeus prior indicis. Albin.

ORIGIN.--- It arifes flefhy from all the outfide of the Os Metacarpi, that fuftains the Index.

INSERTION. — It is inferted by two tendons like the Interoffei, *i. e.* by a fhort one into the upper part of its first bone laterally; and by a broad and long one into the upper part of its last bone, being united with the Mufculus Interoffeus primus.

USE .---

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Use.— The flort tendon draws the Index from the reft, and fo may retain the appellation of Abductor; the long tendon affifts this Interoffeus in extending the third or laft joint of the fore-finger.

This mufcle is wanting in a dog.

ABDUCTOR.

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Abductor Pollicis. Cowp. Semi-interoffeus indicis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad and fleshy from the superior part and outside of the first bone of the thumb.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a flort tendon into the upper part of the first bone of the fore-finger, laterally, next the thumb.

Use.—Its ufe is to bring the Index towards the thumb, by drawing it from the middle finger; whence, in refpect of THIS, it may be ftyled Adductor, and, in refpect of THAT, Abductor.

This is wanting in a dog.

CHAP. XXXVI.

Of the Muscles of the LITTLEFINGER.

HE Digitus Auricularis has three proper mufcles, and one common to it with the

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the Extenfor Communis, reckoned by fome a proper mufcle, and named

EXTENSOR MINIMI DIGITI.

It is faid to arife from the external protuberance of the Humerus, and from the upper part of the Ulna; but, in my opinion, it ought not to be reckoned a mufcle diftinct from the Extenfor Communis, becaufe it cannot be feparated from it without cutting. Truth it is, it paffes its tendon under a Ligamentum annulare, diftinct from the other three tendons, but that is far from being fufficient to conftitute a particular mufcle.

N. B. It is commonly inferted by two tendons; befides which the little finger has often another tendon from the Extensor Communis.

All that prominent, foft, flefhy mafs, that lies on the Os Metacarpi minimi Digiti in the palm of the hand, is called in Greek Hypothenar, in as much as it is placed below that part called Thenar. This I find always eafily divifible into three mufcles, *viz*.

sass trong - It is inferted by a pretty long

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EXTENSOR TERTII INTERNODII MINIMI DIGITI.

Abductor minimi Digiti. Albin. Hypothenar Parvus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes flefhy, mixed with fome tendinous fibres, from the bone of the Carpus, that ftands upon the third of the firft rank, as alfo from the ligament that ties that bone to the Os Metacarpi of the little finger.

INSERTION.—It is inferted after the manner of the Interoffei, *i. e.* by a flort tendon into the upper part of the first bone of this finger laterally, and by a long tendon into the upper part of the last bone, having joined the Interoffeus of the other fide.

USE.— Its use is to help to extend this last joint, and to draw the finger from the rest when the short one only acts.

ABDUCTOR MINIMI DIGITI, Hypothenar. Riol.

Flexor parvus minimi digiti. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the thin protuberating part of the eighth bone of the wrift.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a pretty long and round tendon, on the infide of the fhort tendon

tendon of the above defcribed muscle, near the upper part of the first bone of this finger.

Use.—It ferves not only to abduce the little finger from the reft, but alfo to bend it a little.

FLEXOR PRIMI INTERNODII MINIMI DIGITI.

Abductor offis metacarpi Minimi Digiti. Albin. Metacarpius. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the inferior part of the thin edge of the eighth bone of the wrift, and from all the inner, fide of the Os Metacarpi, that fuftains this finger: at the condyle, or round part of this bone, it divides into two tendons, which are inferted on each fide of the upper part of the first bone of the finger.

USE.— Its use is to affift in bending the first internode of the little finger.

Thefe three are wanting in a dog.

CHHP. XXXVII.

Of the Muscles of the THUMB.

THE thumb, or Pollex Manûs, which is equal in ftrength to all the reft of the A a fingers

fingers, oppofite to which it is placed like another hand, is moved by nine mufcles.

FLEXOR TERTII INTERNODII.

Ust .--- It ferves not only to abduce th

Flexor longus Pollicis Manus. Albin. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by an acute flefhy beginning from the upper part of the Radius, a little below the termination of the Biceps, which origin is continued down for fome fpace on the fore-part of this bone, in a double order of fhort flefhy fibres, ending in the tendon that runs in their middle.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into the third or laft bone of the thumb, having paffed its tendon under feveral annular ligaments that come from one fide of its fecond bone to the other fide.

Use.- Its use is to bend this last joint.

FLEXOR SECUNDI INTERNODII.

Flexor brevis Pollicis Manus. Albin.

ORIGIN.— This may be divided into two diftinct mufcles, between which the tendon of the former mufcle runs. The outermost arifes from the bone of the Carpus, with which the thumb is joined. The innermost arifes from part of the fame bone, and also from the upper part

part of the Os Metacarpi Indicis, and medii Digiti, in common with the Adductor. They are both

Inferted into the two Offa Sefamoidæa of the fecond joint of the thumb.

Use.— Their use is to bend this joint or internode.

FLEXOR PRIMI INTERNODII.

cis ; and the third, which in fome fubjects is

Opponens Pollicis. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhly from the Ligamentum transversale, and the bone of the Carpus that articulates with the thumb, lying under the Abductor.

INSERTION.— It is inferted flefhly into all the infide of the first bone of the thumb.

Use .- Its use is to bend this joint.

EXTENSOR PRIMI INTERNODII.

Abductor longus Pollicis. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the upper and external part of the Ulna, immediately below the termination of the Anconaus, from the back part of the Radius, below its Supinator Brevis, and from the membranous ligament that ties thefe two bones together.

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INSERTION.— It is inferted always by two, and very often by three diffinct tendons; the first is a large and round tendon, which feems to be a bundle of a great many small ones, terminating into the upper part of the first bone of the thumb; the fecond tendon is lost in the fleshy beginning of the Abductor Pollicis; and the third, which in some subjects is wanting, is implanted into that bone of the Carpus that articulates with the thumb.

Use.— Its use is to extend the first bone of the Pollex.

EXTENSOR SECUNDI INTERNODII. Extenfor minor Pollicis. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the back part of the Radius, about the middle of the flefhy belly of the former, unto which, in its defcent, it firmly adheres; it has a fecond origin from fome part of the membranous ligament.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the upper part of the fecond bone of the thumb.

Use.— Its use is to extend the fecond internode.

Winflow defcribes this and the preceding mufcle as one, under the name of Extenfor Pollicis Primus.

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EXTENSOR TERTII INTERNODII.

Extenfor Pollicis fecundus. Winfl. Extenfor Pollicis major. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by an acute tendinous and flefhy beginning from the Ulna, a little below the origin of the first Extensor, as likewife from the ligament that connects the two bones. Its tendon runs in a proper channel at the extremity of the Radius.

INSERTION. -- It is inferted into the third and laft bones of the Pollex.

Use.— Its ufe is to extend the laft joint, in bringing it backwards.

Abductor, Thenar. Riol.

Abductor brevis Pollicis Manus. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a broad tendinous and flefhy beginning from the transverse ligament of the Carpus, and from one of its bones that articulates with the thumb.

INSERTION. - It is inferted tendinous into the fecond joint of the Pollex Digitorum Manûs.

USE.—Its use is to draw the thumb from the fingers.

ADDUC-

Adductor ad Indicem, Anti-THENAR. Riol.

ORIGIN.- It arifes from the outlide of the upper part of the Os Metacarpi Indicis.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the first joint of the thumb, fending off a thin tendon, which runs along with the Extensor pollicis longus.

Use.— Its use is to draw the thumb nearer the fore-finger.

ADDUCTOR AD MINIMUM DIGITUM.

Adductor Pollicis Manus. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes a little tendinous, but chiefly flefhy from the whole length of the metacarpal bone, that fuftains the middle finger, from thence its fibres, contracting equally on both fides, do run up to the thumb.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into its fecond joint, a little below one of its feed-like bones.

Use.— Its use is to bring the thumb towards the ring and little finger.

The thumb of a dog, or that range of bones fet off at fome diftance from the other fingers, or claws, is only provided with one Extenfor, and one Flexor.

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EXTENSOR.— The origin, progrefs, and termination of this mufcle, is very little different from the Extenfor tertii Internodii Pollicis in man, being a thin, flat mufcle, partly tendinous, and partly flefhy, which fills up the cavity or hollownefs between the Ulna and Radius.

FLEXOR.— Is an exceeding fmall mufcle, which arifeth flefhy from one of the bones of the Carpus, and ends fo into the fecond Internode of what is analogous to a thumb in this animal.

CHAP. XXXVIII.

Of the Muscles of the RADIUS.

THE Radius, or fecond bone of the cubit, is bended and extended by the mufcles of that part already defcribed in common with the Ulna; but befides, it has four mufcles fubfervient to its own motions of pronation and fupination.

PRONATOR TERES.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the Os Humeri, a little above its internal protuberance, tendinous and flefhy from that procefs, and entirely

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entirely tendinous from the anterior Apophyfes of the Ulna.

INSERTION.— It is inferted thin and tendineo-carnous into the middle of the external part of the Radius.

USE.— Its use is to turn the Radius, together with the Carpus and whole hand inwards, and the palm downwards; which motion is called pronation.

PRONATOR QUADRATUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad, membranous, and flefhy from the lower and inner part of the Ulna, and paffing transversely,

Is inferted, of the fame breadth, into the external and lower part of the Radius.

USE.— Its use is to affift the former in the prone position of the hand.

In a dog it lies upon the membrane that joins the two bones of the cubit together, to both which it adheres, and near the lower end of the Ulna it fends off a tendon obliquely to the extremity of the Radius, where it terminates.

SUPINATOR LONGUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes acute and flefhy from the external ridge of the Os Humeri, two or three

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three fingers breadth above the beginning of the Bicornis.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the external and inferior part of the Radius, near the Carpus.

USE.— Its use is to turn the Radius, &c. outwards, and the palm of the hand upwards, which motion is called Supination.

This is wanting in a dog.

SUPINATOR BREVIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the external protuberance of the Os Humeri, and tendineo-carnous from the external and upper part of the Ulna, adhering ftrictly to the membrane that involves the articulation of thefe two bones.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the infide of the Radius above, but chiefly below the infertion of the Biceps.

USE.— Its use is to affift the former, in pulling the Radius backwards in the fupine position of the hand.

CHAP. XXXIX.

Of the Muscles of the THIGH.

HE Os Femoris, or Thigh-bone, has fixteen mufcles.

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PSOAS MAGNUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the body of the lowermost Vertebra Thoracis laterally, from the fides of all the Vertebræ of the loins by fo many carnous distinct slips, and a little tendinous from all their transverse process.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the leffer Trochanter of the Os Femoris, and flefhy into the bone a little below that procefs.

Use.— Its use is to bend the thigh, by bringing it forwards.

ILIACUS INTERNUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from all the inner lip of the femicircular part of the Ilium, from the edge of that bone between its anterior fpine and the Acetabulum, and from most of its Costa or hollow part. It joins in with the former, where it begins to become tendinous, in common with which it is inferted.

USE.— Its use is to bend the thigh, and bring it directly forwards in progression.

PECTINALIS.

Pectineus. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad and flefhy from the fpine, or fuperior and inner part of the Os Pubis.

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INSERTION.—It is inferted into the Os Femoris, a little below the leffer Trochanter, by a flat and fhort tendon.

Use.— Its use is to bend the Thigh-bone, by drawing it upwards.

In a dog it arifes by a round and flefhy beginning from the Os Pubis, and foon turns into a broad and thin tendon, which terminates at the inner condyle of the Femur.

GLUTÆUS MAXIMUS.

ORIGIN .- It arifes flefhy from the upper part of the Os Coccygis, membranous and flefhy from all the double fpines of the Os Sacrum, and one or two of its lowermost fingle ones, from all the external edge of that bone, below the posterior fpine of the Os Ilium, from two ligaments that run from the Ifchion to the Os Sacrum; i.e. one from its fharp procefs, the other from its Tubercle, (over which part of this muscle hangs in a large fold,) and entirely flefhy from more than one half of the circular edge of the Ilium, from the reft of which forwards it fprings by a thin and broad tendon, through which one may discover part of the fubjacent muscle, infeparably joined to that of the Membranofus.

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INSERTION.— It is inferted by a large and thick tendon into the Femur, at a very confiderable roughness at one fide of the upper part of the Linea Femoris aspera, a little below the great Trochanter.

UsE.— Its use is to extend the thigh, by pulling it directly backwards.

GLUTÆUS MEDIUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from all the outer lip, or edge of the fpine of the Ilium, except its posterior part, where it fprings from the Costa of that bone.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the breadth of the great Trochanter by a broad tendon, which runs after an oblique manner.

Use .- Its use is to affift the former.

GLUTÆUS MINIMUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from the lower part of the outer or backfide of the Os Ilium, forwards from the edge of its anterior fpine, and backwards from the edge of its great finus.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a large tendon along the fore and upper part of the great Trochanter, and by a fmall one into the neck of the Os Femoris. I mean fome part of the tendinous fibres of the Glutæus minimus are fpread

fpread upon the membrane that involves that part of the bone.

USE.— Its use is to affift the two former in extending the thigh.

In a dog I call the firft Glutæus Externus; it arifes membranous from almoft all the external part of the fpine of the Ilium, which joining with another flefhy beginning from the Sacrum, and from the ligament that is extended between that bone and the Ifchium, it becomes altogether carnous about the middle of the mufcle that lies under it, and terminates tendinous a little below the great Trochanter externally.

The fecond, or medius, is by far the largeft, and arifes flefhy from all the fpine of the Ilium, filling up the hollow part of that bone, being inferted tendinous into the upper and external part of the great Trochanter.

The third, or Internus, arifes fiefhy from the middle of the Os Ilium externally, adhering in its defcent to both its fides; the fuperior and inner part of the great Trochanter being the place of its partly tendinous, and partly flefhy infertion.

PYRIFORMIS, feu ILIACUS INTERNUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes thick, broad, and flefhy from the inferior part of the Os Sacrum next the

the Ilium; from which bone alfo it derives fome part of its origin; growing gradually narrower it becomes tendinous, and

Is inferted into the upper part of the dent or cavity, at the root of the great Trochanter.

USE.—Its use is to move the Os Femoris upwards, and turn it fomewhat outwards.

MARSUPIALIS, seu Obturator

INTERNUS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes flefhy from the Os Ilium, Ifchium, and Pubis, round the internal circumference of the great hole common to the two laft-named bones. Its infide is tendinous, being divided into feveral finall ones, which unite before its termination.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the dent or cavity, at the root of the great Trochanter.

USE.— Its use is to affift the former, in moving the Os Femoris obliquely, and femicircularly outwards.

GEMINI,

Are two very diffinct mufcles, united by a carnous membrane, both above and below, forming as it were a Marfupium, or purfe, for the reception of the tendon of the last defcribed

fcribed mufcle. The fuperior arifes from the acute procefs of the Ifchium, and the inferior from the outer part of the knob, or blunt protuberance of that bone, as alfo from the ligament that runs from thence to the Os Sacrum. They are both

Inferted flefhy into the cavity of the great Trochanter.

Between thefe two fmall mufcles the tendon of the Marfupialis runs to its infertion; and they ferve not only to turn the Os Femoris outwards, but to preferve that tendon from being hurt by the hardnefs of the finuofity of the Ifchium which it paffes through, as alfo to hinder it from flipping out of that cavity, while the mufcle is in action.

QUADRATUS FEMORIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad, tendinous and flefhy, from the outfide of the protuberance of the Os Ifchium, and paffing transverfely,

Is inferted into the outfide of the great Trochanter, reaching as low down as the little one

Use.— Its use is to bring the thigh-bone outwards.

In a dog it arifes from the Tubercle of the Ifchium, and fore-part of the fame bone near the great Foramen.

TRICEPS.

Under this appellation are comprehended four very diffinct mufcles, which, from their ule, I name as follows:

ADDUCTOR FEMORIS PRIMUS.

Adductor longus Femoris. Albin. Triceps primus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by a ftrong roundifh tendon, from the upper part of the Os Pubis, next the Pectinæus, above the Gracilis; which turning into a compact flefhy belly, it begins to be

Inferted tendinous about the middle of the Linea afpera, being continued down upon the fame five or fix inches, fending out a tendon which joins in with that of the fourth head,

ADDUCTOR FEMORIS SECUNDUS.

Adductor brevis Femoris. Albin. Triceps fecundus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes from the Os Pubis, immediately under the Gracilis, by a broad tendinous, but chiefly flefhy beginning, and

Is inferted into the Linea afpera, from a little below the leffer Trochanter, to the first infertion of the last described muscle.

ADDUCTOR FEMORIS TERTIUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes lower down than the former, from the outer edge of the Os Pubis and Ifchium; and running obliquely towards the Trochanter minor,

Is inferted near the Glutæus maximus.

ADDUCTOR FEMORIS QUARTUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes from the protuberance of the Ifchium, and the adjoining interior part of that bone, by a tendinous and flefhy origination.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a round and long tendon into the upper and rough part of the inner and lower appendix of the Os Femoris, being affixed to that bone a little above the condyle, as alfo to fome part of the Linea afpera.

Use.— The use of all these four muscles is to adduce or move the thigh-bone inwards, according to their different directions.

The third and fourth adductor of our author, are deferibed as one mufcle by Albi-

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nus and Winflow, under the names of adductor magnus Femoris and Triceps Tertius.

OBTURATOR EXTERNUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from all the lower part of the Os Pubis and Ifchium, round the outer circumference of their great Foramen, adhering firmly to its membrane.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a ftrong tendon into a cavity at the root of the great Trochanter.

Use.— Its use is to turn the thigh-bone obliquely outwards.

In a dog there is yet obfervable a fmall flefhy mufcle arifing from the Os Ilium, near the edge of its cavity, called Acetabulum; and running obliquely over the articulation of the Femur, is inferted into that bone between the Vaftus internus and Cruræus. I name it mufculus parvus in articulatione Femoris fitus.

CHAP. XL.

Of the Muscles of the Os Coccygis.

HE bone joined to the extremity of the Os facrum, called Coccyx, has one mufcle on each fide, which I call

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COCCYGÆUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendineo-carnous from the acute process of the Os Ischium, between the ligament that reaches from thence to the Os Sacrum, and one of the heads of the Gemini : From this narrow beginning it gradually dilates itself into a thin fleshy belly, intersperfed with some tendinous fibres.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the whole length of the Os Coccygis laterally, as alfo into the inferior part of the Os Sacrum in fome fubjects.

Use.— Its ufe is to draw that bone inwards or forwards, after the excretion of the hardened Fæces, *& c*.

N. B. The two ligaments that antagonife this pair of mufcles, fhall be exactly defcribed in my Human and Comparative Offeology, which I defign to publifh in a fhort time. In my inquiry after a mufcle mentioned by the famous Riolan, under the name of Levator Ani quintus, which he fays Coccygi et Offis facri extremo affigitur, I happily difcovered this mufcle.

The tail of a dog, which is only an elongation of this bone, is furnished with abundance of

of muscles subservient to its many motions: But, with their particular descriptions, I think it needless either to trouble myself or the reader.

CHAP. XLI.

Of the Muscles of the LEG.

THE leg, made up of two bones, called Tibia and Fibula, has eleven mufcles; of which, those that arise from the Os Innominatum, and are inferted into either of these two bones, are reckoned common both to the thigh and leg, whereas those which spring from the Os Femoris, and end in the Tibia, are accounted proper to the leg only.

MEMBRANOSUS.

Tenfor Vaginæ Femoris. Albin. Musculus Fasciæ latæ, seu Musculus Membranosus. Winst.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a narrow, tendinous, and flefhy beginning, from the fore-part of the fpine of the Ilium externally; a little below the great Trochanter its flefhy belly grows wholly tendinous, and covers the two Vafti and

and Rectus, being firmly affixed to all the Linea afpera in its defent.

INSERTION.— Its proper termination is into the fuperior appendix of the Tibia laterally, between its Tubercle and the head of the Fibula, fending down an expansion to envelope the Tibialis Anticus. From the infide of the thigh it is continued down upon the leg, without any remarkable adhesion to the head of the Tibia in its way thither.

Use.— Its ufe is to extend the leg, and turn it a little outwards; and, by virtue of its large Aponeurofis, it mightily ftrengthens the action of the mufcles, over which it is fpread, by keeping them tight in their places, $\mathfrak{C}c$.

In a dog it is divided into two very diffinct mufcles : the fuperior fprings from the fpine, and half the Cofta of the Os Ilium, forming a thick flefhy belly as it defcends ftraight upon the Rectus ; and, about three or four inches below its origin, it dilates into a membranous tendon, by which it is inferted into the Patella and head of the Tibia. Which Fafcia, or tendinous expansion, is extended and fpread over that of the Biceps ; and, together with it, covers all the mufcles of the fame fide down to

to the foot. Now, the contrary difpolition, or decullation of the fibres of these two Fasciae, do very much strengthen the action, and augment the force of the muscles that lie under them.

The inferior arifes from the lower part of the fuperior Cofta of the Ilium, thin and flefhy; a little below that it becomes membranous, and is expanded over the two Vafti and Rectus, firmly adhering to the infide of the thighbone; its tendinous expansion joins in with that of the Glutæus Medius below the great Trochanter.

SARTORIUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the forepart of the fpine of the Os Ilium internally, but foon becomes flefhy; and, defcending, runs down for fome fpace upon the Rectus, and then, going obliquely inwards, it paffes over the Vaftus internus, and about the middle of the Os Femoris, over part of the Triceps, between the tendon of which and the Mufculus Gracilis, it defcends farther.

INSERTION.—It is inferted tendinous into the fore-part of the Tibia internally, near its fpine,

fpine, at a little diftance from the lower part of its appendix.

USE.— Its use is to move the leg obliquely, or bring one leg and thigh cross the other.

In a dog it arifes flefhy from the Cofta near the fpine internally, and ends near the upper part of the infide of the ridge that is in the middle of the Tibia.

RECTUS.

Rectus, five gracilis anterior. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from a tubercle in the lower part of the anterior fpine of the Ilium, and tendinous from the Cofta Ilii, a little above the Acetabulum.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the upper part of the Os Patellæ.

Use.- Its use is to extend the leg.

In a dog it arifes tendinous and flefhy from the lower part of the Cofta Offis Ilii, and forming a large round flefhy body, defcends as in men.

VASTUS EXTERNUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes broad, tendinous, and flefhy from the great Trochanter and upper part of the Linea afpera.

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INSERTION.—It is inferted into the head of the Patella laterally.

B. N. Its origination is continued from near the infertion of the Glutæus minimus obliquely outwards over the great Trochanter to the Linea afpera; or rather, this mufcle has a fecond origination from all that rough line, by flefhy fibres, which run obliquely forewards to a middle tendon, where they terminate.

Use .- Its use is to extend the leg.

VASTUS INTERNUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from between the fore-part of the Os Femoris and the little Trochanter, and from almost all the infide of the Linea afpera, with fibres running obliquely forwards and downwards.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the infide of the Patella, continuing flefhy lower down than the laft; and from its inferting tendon, there runs off an Aponeurofis to the mufcles below the head of the Tibia.

Use.—Its use is to extend the leg in bringing it upwards.

N. B. From the lower point of the Patella there goes a ftrong, thick ligament, which is affixed to a Tubercle on the fore and upper part

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part the of Tibia; by virtue of which, the extension of the leg is as easily performed as if the tendons of the extending muscles were inferted there.

In a dog the Vaftus internus arifes from the neck of the Femur internally.

CRUREUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from between the two Trochanters of the Femur. It firmly adheres to the most of the fore-part of the Os Femoris, and

Is inferted tendinous into the Patella, under the Rectus.

Use.— Its use is to affift in the extension of the leg or Tibia.

A dog has a fifth Extensor; which, because it must be demonstrated first, I call Extensor Tibiæ primus Cani proprius. It arises from the spine and half the Costa of the Ilium : In its descent it adheres to the Sartorius by a membrane, and terminates into the Patella.

GRACILIS.

Rectus, five gracilis internus. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a thin and broad tendon from the Os Pubis, near its commif-D d fure;

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fure; it foon grows flefhy, and defcending by the infide of the thigh,

Is inferted tendinous into the infide of the Tibia near the Sartorius.

Use.— Its use is to bend the thigh and leg inwards.

In a dog it arifes by a fmall tendon from the tuberofity of the Ifchium, which afcends obliquely to the lower and fore-part of the Os Pubis, where, going a little crofs in a ftraight line, it meets with that of its fellow on the other fide, whereby the two mufcles become united. Near its termination it fends off a tendon that runs down upon the Tibia, and alfo a broad membranous expansion, which, uniting with that of the Biceps and Membranofus, is continued all over the leg and foot.

SEMINERVOSUS. Semi-tendinofus. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy, in common with the longest head of the Biceps, from the back part of the protuberance of the Ischium.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a flat tendon at the infide of the ridge of the Tibia, about an inch below the termination of the ligament that comes from the Patella. From its tendon, about the head of the Tibia, there goes off a tendi-

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tendinous expansion continued down over the muscles on the infide of the leg.

USE.— Its use is to bend the leg backwards, and bring it a little inwards.

SEMIMEMBRANOSUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the upper part of the tuberofity of the Ifchium. In its defcent it runs under the head of the Biceps, between which and the former mufcle it runs down the back fide of the thigh.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the fuperior and back part of the head of the Tibia, where fome part of its tendon is mixed with a ligament that comes from the Tibia, and ends in both condyles; or perhaps the ligament fprings from the latter, and ends in the former.

Use.— Its use is to bend the leg, by bringing it directly backwards.

BICEPS.

ORIGIN.—This mufcle has two beginnings; its fuperior head arifes tendinous and flefhy in common with the Seminervofus, from the tuberofity of the Ifchium; the inferior arifes from the Linea afpera, a little below the termination

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mination of the Glutæus major, by a flefhy acute beginning, which foon grows broader as it defcends to join in with the other.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the upper part of the head of the Fibula, part of its tendon reaching to the head of the Tibia next to it.

N. B. Near its infertion it parts with a tendinous expansion, which covers the muscles lying on the outfide of the leg.

USE .- Its use is to bend the leg.

In a dog the thickeft and largeft beginning of this muscle arises partly from the knob of the Ifchium, and partly from a ligament that goes from the Os Sacrum to the aforefaid protuberance. In its defcent it fpreads itfelf into a broad and flefhy belly, which covers part of the Gastrocnæmius. The other head, which is very fmall, round, and flefhy, arifes by a long and fmall tendon from the fame ligament. Thefe two join and unite about the ham; a little lower they grow tendinous, and are fo inferted into the upper and fore part of the ridge of the Os Tibiæ. This muscle fends off a very broad and tendinous expansion, which covers all the muscles on the outfide of the leg, firmly adhering to the middle of the fore-part of

of the Os Tibiæ in its defcent to the foot : the posterior part of this Fascia is formed into a distinct tendon, which, joining in with the Chorda magna, ends in the Os Calcis.

POPLITÆUS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by a round tendon from the edge of a cavity in the lower part of the external condyle of the Femur backwards; then, running under the ligament that involves the joint, and ftrictly adhering to part of the Cartilago lunata, it becomes flefhy as it perforates the ligament, and joins in with another flefhy beginning proceeding from the fame membrane.

INSERTION.—It is inferted into the fuperior part of the Tibia internally.

Use.— Its use is to move the leg obliquely outward, and affift in bending the fame.

CHAP. XLII.

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THE foot, or Tarfus, is moved by fix muscles.

EXTEN-

Extensor Tarsi Suralis, vel Extensor Magnus.

Is made up of four heads or beginnings; the two uttermost form the muscle, commonly called Gastrocnæmius externus and Gemellus.

ORIGIN.— One of them arifes from the back part of the internal condyle of the Femur, and from the bone itfelf, a little above it, by two thick and fhort tendons. The other head arifes tendinous from a little knob on the outer condyle, just above the beginning of the Poplitæus, but foon turns flefhy. A little below the joint their carnous bellies unite in a middle tendon : And below the middle of the Tibia it ceafes to be flefhy.

ORIGIN.— The two innermoft are known by the name of Gaftrocnæmius internus and Solæus. One head comes from the upper and back part of the appendix of the Fibula, continuing to derive fome of its flefhy Fibrillæ from the pofterior edge of that bone, for fome fpace below the meeting of the tendons. The other head fprings from the back part of the Tibia, about the middle of the flefhy part of the Poplitæus, and from thence it is continued down the edge of the bone as low as the other. The

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The tendons of thefe four heads join, and make one great tendon, called Chorda magna, and Tendo Achillis.

INSERTION. — It is inferted into the fuperior and hindermost part of the Os Calcis, which projecting beyond the Os Tibiæ, occafions a confiderable distance between the tendon and that bone. The middle and upper part of these two inferior heads, between the bones whence they spring, is adorned with a tendinous edge, in form of an arch, under which all the great vessels, $\bigstar c$. of the leg pass. USE. — Its use is to extend the foot, in bringing it backwards and downwards.

This great Extensor in a dog has but two beginnings, and those tendinous and fleshy from the two Offa fefamoidæa, that adhere to the two Condyles of the Femur, and fleshy from the lower part of the fame bone.

Extensor Tarsi minor, vulgò Plantaris.

Tibialis gracilis. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes narrow, thin, and flefhy from the upper and back part of the external protuberance of the Os Femoris, adhering to the membrane that involves the joint in its defcent.

fcent. It foon becomes a long, flender, thin tendon, which emerging from between the flefhy bellies of the Extenfor magnus, marches by the infide of its great tendon, and

Is inferted at the extremity of the Os Calcis, below the Chorda magna, and fometimes alfo it ends into the fame bone by two tendons laterally.

Use.— Its use is to affift the former in the extension of the foot.

In a dog the flefhy belly of this mufcle arifes in common with the Flexor Digitorum communis, to which it adheres infeparably a good way down; its tendon is very diffinct, and ends in the Os Calcis.

N. B. The Tendinous Aponeurofis, expanded over the mufcles in the bottom or fole of the foot, immediately under the fat, arifes by two narrow beginnings from the inferior and pofterior part of the Os Calcis, hard by the origin of the Mufculus fublimis. The largeft adhers firmly to the flefhy part of that mufcle, its membranous edge being fpread upon the adjacent Abductor Pollicis, and is tacked down between thefe two mufcles to the bones. It fplits into four tendons, each of them being foon after fubdivided into two, between which the Flexores Digitorum pafs. Is inferted into both

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both fides of that cartilaginous body that covers the first joint of the toes. The other beginning of this Expansio tendinofa comes from the fame bone, but more externally, and going forwards covers one half of the Abductor minimi Digiti, being joined to the former by a thin tendon. Is inferted partly into the upper part of the Os Metatarfi minimi Digiti, and partly by a long tendon into the extremity of the Os Metatarfi, near its articulation with the third toe. Its use is to preferve the subjacent parts from being compressed in standing, walking, &c. as alfo to affift the flection of the first joint of the toes, by pulling that cartilaginous body downwards. it ferves to extend.

TIBIALIS ANTICUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the middle of the upper appendage of the Tibia externally laterally; it runs down upon the outfide of the Tibia, receiving a flefhy difgregated origination from that bone, near the membrane that connects it to the Fibula, as alfo from the membrane itfelf. It paffes under an annular ligament about the lower part of the Tibia.

INSERTION.— It is inferted by a very large tendon into the infide of the Os cuneiforme E e majus,

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majus, next the metatarfal bone of the great toe, and by a fmall one into the upper part of the laft named bone laterally.

Use.— Its use is to bend the foot, by drawing it upwards.

In a dog it arifes fleihy from the upper and fore part of the Tibia, filling up all that cavity that is between the Extenfor Digitorum Pedis communis, and a thin bony protuberance or ridge, obfervable about the upper part of this bone, to which, in its defcent, it firmly adheres. A little below its imbanding ligament it parts with a fmall tendon, that runs upon all the joints of the Pollex Pedis, or great toe, which it ferves to extend.

TIBIALIS POSTICUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a narrow flefhy beginning from the fore part of the Os Tibiæ, juft under its appendix next the Fibula; thence paffing through a perforation in the upper part of the ligament that connects the two bones, it continues its origin from the back part of the laft named bone internally, and from near one half of the upper part of the Tibia, alfo from the membranous ligament between them. INSERTION.— It is inferted, having paffed

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nous into the upper part of the Os naviculare internally laterally, being farther continued to the fide of the Os cuneiforme medium; befides, it gives fome tendinous fibres to the Os Calcis, and to the Flexor Pollicis brevis.

Use— Its use is to bring the foot inwards. In a dog this is but a very fmall muscle, arifing fleshy from the back part of the Fibula and Tibia, between the Flexor Digitorum profundus, and the Subpoplitæus; it runs into a long flender tendon about the middle of the last named bone; and then it unites with that of the fore mentioned Flexor, a little before it divides in its passage to the toes.

PERONÆUS PRIMUS, seu posticus.

Peronæus longus, Albin, Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendineo-carnous from the fore-part of the head of the Perone, and foon grows into a pretty round flefhy belly, made up of the ftraight and compacted fibres; it has alfo another beginning, by a great many thin and flefhy fibres, from the upper and external part of the Fibula, where it begins to rife into a round edge, as alfo from the hollownefs between that and its anterior ridge. It paffes its long tendon through the channel at the

part

the outer ancle, together with the following ; then, being reflected into the finuofity of the Calcaneum, it runs along the cavity, made in the Os cuboides, under the mufcles in the fole of the foot.

INSERTION.— It is inferted in the outfide of the fuperior part of the Os Metatarfi that fupports the great toe, and by fome tendinous fibres into one of the Offa cuneiformia next it.

N. B. The cartilaginous bone in the tendon of this mufcle, firft (I think) taken notice of by Vefalius, I have obferved to be hollowed or finuated, for the better reception of a little protuberance in the edge of the Os cuboides, upon which it plays, as on a pully.

Use.— Its use is to move the foot outwards, and also to bend it a little.

In a dog it arifes flefhy, and a little tendinous from the outfide of the Perone, juft where it begins to adhere clofely to the Tibia, from fome part of which it alfo continues a carnous origin ; ends in the Os Metatarfi that fuftains the fore-toe.

PERONÆUS SECUNDUS, feu ANTICUS. Peronæus brevis. Albin. Peronæus medius. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by an acute flefhy beginning from above the middle of the external part

part of the Fibula; it has another carnous origination from the outer fide of the anterior fpine of this bone, as alfo from its round edge externally backwards. Its tendon paffes through the fiffure of the external ancle, being there included under the fame ligament with that of the preceeding mufcle, and a little farther it runs under a particular one of its own.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the upper and fore part of the Os Metatarfi, that fupports the little toe, by feveral tendinous filaments, one or two of which are carried ftraight down inand jo in with the tendon that extends that toe.

Use.— Its use is to pull the foot and toes outwards.

In a dog it arifes from a protuberance in the head of the Tibia laterally, next the Perone, from the upper part of which it arifes alfo, and then proceeds as in man.

CHAP. XLIII.

Of the Muscles common to the four less.

THE muscles of the toes are either common to all the four leffer toes, or they are

are proper and peculiar to the great and little toe, or common to both thefe.

The common to all the four leffer are fifteen in number, to wit, two Flexors, two Extenfors, four Lumbricales, and feven Interoffei.

EXTENSOR LONGUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a narrow, tendinous and flefhy beginnig from the fuperior and external part of the head of the Tibia, next the Fibula, and by a flefhy origin from the upper part of the laft named bone; dividing into four tendons, and paffing under the Ligamentum annulare.

INSERTION.— It is inferted, together with the following, into the upper part of the fecond bone of each fmall toe, fending off on both fides a fmall tendon to the laft bone of the toes, which unites with its fellow a little before its termination.

Our author in his appendix, fays, "I am
now inclined to believe thefe fmall tendons
proceed from the interoffei."

Use.— Its use is to extend all the joints of the four little toes.

N. B. VESALIUS'S ninth muscle of the foot feems to be very distinct from this Extensor, arifing

arifing from about the middle of the fpine of the Fibula, to which the membrane that ties it to the Tibia is connected, by a great many flefhy fibres, which run obliquely downward to their tendon, not unlike the ftamina of a feather. It terminates, being often divided in two or three tendons, in the upper part of the Os Metatarfi of the little toe.

This is the peronæus tertius of Albinus, and peronæus minimus of Winflow.

This muscle is not to be found in a dog.

In a dog the Extenfor Longus fprings by a round tendon from the fore part of the external Apophyfis of the Femur, near the channel of the Patella, and defcending through a Sinus in the head of the Tibia, it grows flefhy, and then marching down the fame bone, and paffing under the ligament that binds it near its extremity, it fplits into four tendons, which are inferted into the upper part of the laft bone of every toe, near the fetting on of the claws, firmly adhering to the Offa fefamoidæa of the joints, as it paffes over them.

N. B. Here, as well as in the fore foot are obfervable two fpringy ligaments that keep the last bone of every toe in an erect or fuspended posture, for the conveniency of walking, and for

for faving of this muscle from being always in action. But more of this in my Comparative Ofteology.

EXTENSOR BREVIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy and a little tendinous from the fore part of the Os Calcis externally, near its conjunction with the Cuboides, and, dilating itfelf into a flefhy belly, eafily divifible into four portions, paffes over the upper part of the foot under the tendons of the former.

INSERTION. — It is inferted by four tendons into the fecond bone of the toes.

Use.— They ferve to extend the toes.

In a dog it feems to be two diffinct mufcles, of which one arifes tendinous, the other flefhy, from the upper and fore part of the Os Calcis, where it joins the Aftragalus externally. The innermoft, foon growing flefhy, makes but one tendon, which runs to that toe next the great one; and, about the middle of the firft joint, it lofes itfelf in the tendon of the Longus. The uttermoft gives tendons to the reft of the toes.

PER-

PERFORATUS, seu FLEXOR SUBLIMIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a narrow flefhy beginning from the lower protuberating part of the Os Calcis, between the Abductors of the great and little toe; but, defcending, foon dilates into a thick flefhy belly.

INSERTION.—It is inferted by four tendons, which fplit, unite, decuffate, fubdivide, and run clofe, by the edges of the bones, like those of the fingers, into the fecond Phalanx of the four leffer or outermost toes.

Use.- Its use is to bend the fecond joint. In a dog it arifeth flefhy from the back part of the external protuberance or condyle of the Os Femoris, and a little tendinous from the Os fefamoidæum, that has a loofe connection with the fame. Its flefhy belly lies under the Gastrocnæmius, or Extensor suralis, from whofe external head it can fcarcely be feparated; but, as foon as it grows tendinous, it climbs along the tendon of that mufcle down to the Os Calcis, which it paffes over, and then fplits into four thin tendons, which form a fort of cafe, with a little hole on its outfide, for the transmission of the tendons of the following. About the middle of the first Internode the half Ff

half of this Involucrum is difcontinued, and the tendon is inferted broad, without any divifion, into the beginning of the fecond joint.

N. B. In the middle of this tendon, as it runs over the end of the Calcaneum, nature has wifely placed a little hard cartilaginous body, which not only prevents that part of the tendon from being injured by the fharp extremity of the bone, but alfo ftrengthens the action of the muscle itself; and fo, like a rouler or Patella, renders its motion more easy and glib in running,

PERFORANS, seu FLEXOR PROFUNDUS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by an acute tendon, which foon becomes flefhy, from the back part of the Tibia, about two or three inches from its head, above the termination of the Poplitæus; which beginning is continued down the inner edge of this bone by fhort flefhy fibres, ending in its large tendon. Its other origination is by a thin and difgregated tendon from the edge of the Fibula, interfperfed with abundance of carnous Fibrillæ : betwixt this double order of fibres, the Tibialis pofticus lies inclofed. Having paffed under two imbanding ligaments, it marches through the finuofity of the Os

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Os Calcis, and about the middle of the fole of the foot divides into four tendons, which paffing through the flits of the Perforatus, are

Inferted into the upper part of the last bone of all the less.

N. B. It parts with a fmall tendon just before its division, which, running forwards, communicates with that of the Flexor Pollicis longus.

Use.- Its use is to bend the toes.

N. B. The Maffa carnea, or Musculofæ Carnis Portio, Ja. Silv. in the fole of the foot, may well be reckoned a third head or beginning of this muscle; for it arises by a thin fleshy origin, from most part of the finuosity of the Calcaneum, which is continued forward for some space on the same bone: befides, it has a thin tendinous beginning from the fore-part of the lower protuberance of this Os Calcis, and, foon becoming all carnous, it joins in, floping, with the tendon of this Flexor, just at its division into four tendons. This Moles carnea is wanting in a dog.

In a dog this mufcle arifes flefhy from all the upper half of the Fibula, that ftands off at a diftance from the Tibia, filling up moft of the

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the fpace between them. It fplits into five tendons; one runs to the great toe, which in this animal is lefs than any of the four; the reft pafs through fo many cafes, made by the tendons of the Sublimis, to their infertions at the third bone of each toe.

N. B. I keep by me the mufcles of a Fœtus prepared, in which I obferved a fmall flefhy mufcle to arife from the Os perone, near its extremity between the Flexor Pollicis longus, and the Peronæus brevis: This, in the finuofity of the Calcaneum, grows tendinous, and adhering ftrictly to the Maffa carnea in its progrefs forwards, joins in with the tendon of the Perforance that belongs to the toe next the great one.

LUMBRICALES.

ORIGIN.— They all arife from the tendons of the Perforans, at fome diftance from the union of the Maffa carnea, with the fingle tendon of that mufcle; are

Inferted by four fmall tendons into the infide of the first joint of the leffer toes, next the great toe.

Use.— Their use is to affist in bending the toes.

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INTEROSSEI.

The feven interoffeous mufcles have the fame fituation with those in the hand; but differ in their origin, infertion, and use.

ORIGIN.— The first, or Abductor Indicis Pedis Cowp. arifes from all the outfide and fore-part of the metatarfal bone of the toe next the great one.

The fecond, or Adductor ejufd. fills up all the diftance between this and the Os Metatarfi of the middle toe, from the fides of both which it arifes.

The third, or Adductor medii Digiti ejufd. belongs to the fide of the fecond leffer toe next the firft, and is only confpicuous internally, arifing from all the fore-part of this metatarfal bone, and by a few fibres from the upper part of the firft alfo.

The fourth, or Abductor medii Digiti ejufd. which runs along the first joint of this toe, on the other fide, arifes externally from the metatarfal bone of this, and of that which supports the third toe, filling up all the space between them.

The fifth, or Abductor tertii Digiti ejufd. arifes from the upper part of the metatarfal bone,

bone, that stays the third toe, and also from the tendon of the Musculus Peronæus longus.

The fixth, which belongs to the other fide of this third leffer toe, arifes from the fides of this metatarfal bone, and from that which fupports the little toe, filling up all the fpace between thefe on the back fide of the foot. It has alfo a tendinous adhefion to the long Peronæan mufcle.

The feventh or Adductor minimi Digiti ejuídem, arifes from the upper part of the Os Metataríi minimi Digiti, being alfo affixed to the aforefaid tendon.

INSERTION.— They are all inferted, partly into the Offa fefamoidæa, placed on the articulation of the first bone of the toes with the Offa Metatarsi, and partly on the side of the fame bone.

USE.— Their use is to move the four leffer toes laterally; for when the Interni act, the toes are drawn inwards towards the great toe, and, when the Externi act, they are pulled nearer the little one, or are all drawn outwards from the great one.

N. B. All the muscles that I faid arise from the tendon of the Musculus peronæus, arise rather from the membrane that covers this tendon,

tendon, and inclofes it in the Sulcus of the Os cuboides. I have likewife obferved upon a ftricter inquiry, that the Interoffei digitorum pedis do really all terminate as they do in the fingers.

The four ftraight and two oblique muscles, fituate in the hollow of a dog's hind foot, run altogether conform to those already described in his fore foot,

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Of the Muscles of the GREAT TOE.

THE Pollex Digitorum Pedis, or great toe, has fix muscles.

EXTENSOR LONGUS.

Extenfor proprius Pollicis Pedis. Albin.

ORIGIN.— It arifes, by an acute, tendinous, and flefhy beginning, from near the upper part of the Fibula, and from the membrane that connects it to the Tibia.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous into the upper part of the laft bone of the great toe.

Use.—Its use is to extend that joint by pulling it upwards.

EXTEN-

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EXTENSOR BREVIS. Cowp.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous and flefhy from the fore part of the Os Calcis, near its articulation with the Aftragalus.

INSERTION.— It is inferted tendinous near the upper part of the fecond bone of the great toe.

USE.— Its use is to extend this internode.

Twinflow and Albinus do not feparate this muscle from the extensor brevis communis digitorum.

The Pollex Pedis in a dog, being armed with a claw much more hooked than any of the other four toes, is joined to one of the bones of the Tarfus near the upper part of the Os Metatarfi, that anfwers the fore-toe; whence the hind foot of this animal does more refemble the hand of a man than his fore foot does.

This part is extended by two mufcles, one proper, which arifes flefhy from the Fibula and membrane that connects it to the Tibia: Its fmall belly foon turns into a fine tendon, which, adhering to that of the Tibialis anticus, runs on to the laft joint of this toe, where it ends.

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The other is a tendon caft off from the Tibialis anticus, already deferibed.

FLEXOR LONGUS.

ORIGIN.—It arifes by a fharp, tendinous, and flefhy beginning from the upper and back part of the Fibula, being continued down the fame bone almost to its extremity, passing its tendon under a ligament at the inner ancle.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the laft bone of the great toe, giving a tendon to the Os Calcis in its way.

Use .- Its use is to bend this joint.

FLEXOR BREVIS.

ORIGIN.— It arifes tendinous from the Os Cuboides and Os Cuneiforme that jets out in the bottom of the foot, it being infeparably united both with the Adductor and Abductor Pollicis.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the external Os fefamoidæum of the great toe adhering to the Adductor.

Use .- Its use is to bend this fecond joint.

In a dog this range of bones is bended by a flip caft off from the Flexor profundus.

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ADDUCTOR.

ORIGIN.— It arifes by a long, thin, difgregated tendon, from the Os Calcis, under the tendinous part of the Maffa carnea, from the Os Cuboides, from the Os Cuneiforme medium, near the infertion of the Peronæus primus, and from the upper part of the Os Metatarfi of the fecond toe : It is foon dilated into a pretty large belly.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the external Os fefamoidæum of the great toe.

USE.— Its use is to bring this toe nearer the reft.

ABDUCTOR.

ORIGIN.— It arifes fleshy from the infide of the lower protuberance of the Os Calcis laterally, and tendinous from a little tubercle in the fame bone, near the Os cymbiforme. It only adheres to the other bones on the infide of the foot, filling up the hollowness in the Os Metatarfi pollicis.

INSERTION. — It is inferted into the internal Os fefamoidæum of the first bone of the great toe, its tendons being farther continued upon the fame bone laterally.

USE.

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Use.— Its use is to pull the great toe from the rest.

N. B. It has very often a tendinous origin from the edge of the Os cymbiforme, receiving near this bone fome tendinous filaments from the Tibialis anticus.

In a dog these two last-described muscles are never found.

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Of the Muscles of the little TOE. THE little toe has two muscles.

ABDUCTOR.

Parathenar major et Metatarfius. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy and tendinous from the femicircular edge of a cavity on the outfide of the inferior protuberance of the Os Calcis; it has another tendinous beginning from the Os Cuboides, and a third from the upper part of the Os Metatarfi minimi Digiti.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the upper part of the first bone of the little toe externally laterally.

USE.— Its use is to draw the little toe outwards from that next to it.

FLEXOR

FLEXOR PRIMI INTERNODII MINIMI DIGITI. Cowper.

Flexor brevis minimi digiti. Albin. Parathenar minor. Winfl.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy from all the outfide of the metatarfal bone that fuftains this toe, below its protuberating part; befides, it has another beginning from the tendon of the Peronæus primus, as it runs in the Sulcus or furrow of the Cuboides.

INSERTION. It is inferted into the cartilage that is placed upon the articulation of the first joint of this toe.

USE.— Its use is to bend this joint. In a dog these two are wanting.

CHAP. XLVI.

Of the Muscles common to the great and little TOE.

TRANSVERSALIS PEDIS, Jul. Caff. Placent. Transversalis digitorum. Winsl.

ORIGIN.- IT arifes tendinous from the external Os fefamoidæum of the great

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great toe, firmly adhering to the tendinous part of the Adductor Pollicis; foon growing flefhy, it paffes over the extremity of two of the metacarpal bones, between them and the Flexores Digitorum; and then growing broader,

Is inferted partly into a tendon that proceeds from the Expansio tendinosa in the sole of the soot, and partly into that cartilaginous ligament that covers the articulation of the first joint of the third lesser toe with its Os Metatars, some of its sheary sole being continued upon the same part of the little toe.

USE.— Its use is to bring the third and fourth leffer toes nearer the other two and the great one.

In a dog there is no fuch mufcle.

Of the PREPUTIUM and URETHRA in a Dog.

TO complete the Canine Myology, there remain yet to be defcribed the mufcles of the Præputium and Urethra.

The Præputium, which in a man has no muscles, is provided with one pair, and a fingle one in a dog. The first I call

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Præputium Adducens, which proceeds from the Membrana carnofa, near the Cartilago enfiformis; as it defcends on each fide the Linea alba, it grows thicker and narrower, and is inferted into the Præputium laterally. When this acts, I believe, it ferves to bring the Præputium over the glans after copulation, (though Blafius affirms, that it draws the Penis forwards tempore coitûs), being therein much affifted by the contraction of two ligaments which come from about the middle of the Linea alba, and end in the Præputium. The fecond is

Præputium Abducens, or Retrahens, which is a fingle fmall muſcle ariſing from the Sphincter Ani, and firmly adhering to the Accelerator Urinæ, from which it receives two fleſhy flips, as before noted, runs up along the Urethra, and terminates in the lower part of the Præputium, where its dilated fibres are expanded all over it. Its uſe is to draw back the Præputium, and fo help to denude or uncover the glans, in order to coition. It may likeways ferve, in ſome meaſure, to dilate and keep open the Urethra at that time, leſt the ſeed ſhould meet with any impediment or let in this very long paſſage.

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That part of the Urethra between the Proftates and the union of the two Corpora cavernofa, being two or three inches in length, according to the bignefs of the animal, is furrounded by a thin flefhy mufcle, contrived and placed there on purpofe to comprefs the many glands that open within this paffage, and fo oblige them to difcharge their contents, which ferve as a Vehiculum to forward the defcending Semen tempore coitûs; to which alfo the contraction of its flefhy fibres, in narrowing this canal, contributes in a great meafure, as Mr Cowper has well obferved, in boars, and in bulls.

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Is inferted flefhy into the Crus, or beginning of the Clitoris.

This muscle, with its partner, ferve for the erection of this part, by detaining the blood in its cavernous fubstance.

Albinus gives to this muscle the name of Erector Clitoridis.

The fecond muscle belonging to the Clitoris, is, by De Graaf, very improperly called Sphincter

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Sphincter Vaginæ, fince it does not furround that part with circular fibres, though it has the fame effect as if it did.

ORIGIN.— It arifes flefhy, partly from the Sphincter Ani, and partly from a white hardifh fubftance placed under the fkin in the Perinæum, between the lower part of the Pudendum and the Anus; from thence it climbs up the fide of the Vagina, near its outer orifice, covering all the Corpus Vaginæ vafculo-fpongiofum, which is nothing but a production of the Clitoris, and

Is inferted into the body or union of the Crura Clitoridis laterally.

USE.— Its ufe is the fame with the preceding mufcle; and befides, by compreffing the Corpus fpongiofum, or Plexus retiformis, it ferves to ftraiten the orifice of the Vagina, by hindering the blood in its return from thence.

This muscle is by Albinus called Conftrictor Cunni.

The Vagina Uteri is furnished with two pair of mu fcles, not mentioned by any author as far as I know.

ORIGIN.— The first arises from the inner edge of the Os Pubis, midway between the If-H h chion

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chion and the beginning of the Crus Clitoridis; it afcends a little obliquely, and

Is inferted into the Vagina.

Use.— Its use is to dilate the sheath, and open the extremity of the Meatus urinarius; its termination being very nigh the orifice of that passage.

ORIGIN.— The fecond arifes tendinous and flefhy from the Os Pubis internally, in common with the Levator Ani.

INSERTION.— It is inferted into the upper part of the Vagina, at the fide of the Meatus urinarius, or Collum Veficæ.

USE.— This acting pulls up the Vagina, and fo conftringes the neck of the bladder after the evacuation of urine.

N. B. Thefe mufcles can never be well raifed, unlefs the Os Pubis be taken off from the Ilium and Ifchion, with the Inteftinum rectum, the Vagina and Vefica urinaria left adhering to it.

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A LIST of the MUSCLES found in a Human Body, that are not met with in a Dog.

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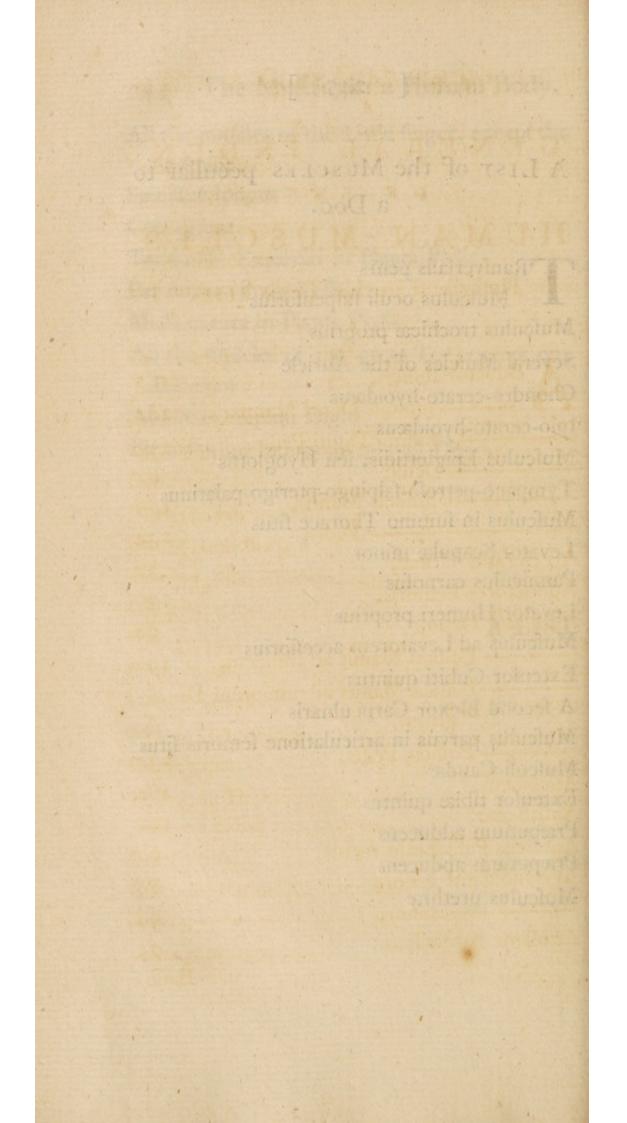
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A LIST of the MUSCLES peculiar to a Dog.

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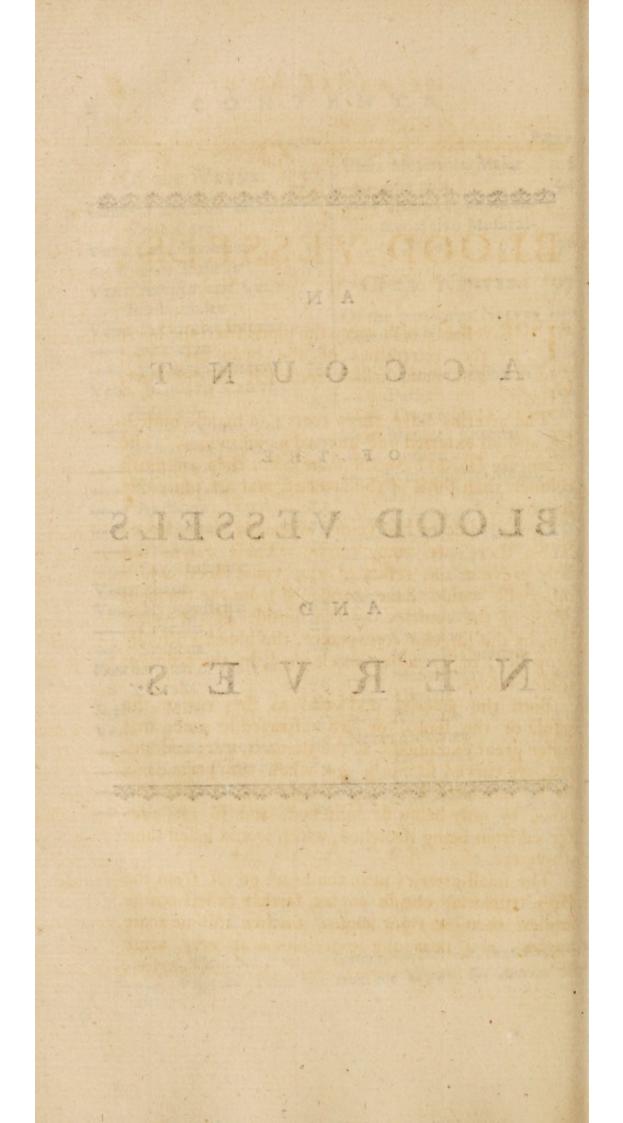
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BLOOD VESSELS.

THE veffels which carry the blood from the heart to the extremities of the body are called Arteries, and those which return it to the heart, Veins.

The arteries have three coats; a middle mufcular, and an external and internal membranous. The veins are faid to have the fame; but they are much thinner than those of the arteries, and are not eafily feparated.

In the infide of the veins, efpecially in the lower limbs, there are many valves. Thefe valves not only prevent the reflux of the venal blood which otherwife would have happened from the frequent action of the mufcles on the outfides of the veins, but, by this fingular contrivance, the blood is actually propelled, or its motion accelerated, by the action of thefe mufcles.

Both the arteries and veins as they run on the infide of the limbs, or are difperfed in parts that fuffer great extensions, as the stomach, guts and uterus, are curved fo much, that when the parts come to be distended they may comply with those distensions, by only being straightened, and fo are preferved from being stretched, which would lessen their diameters.

The fmall arteries near the heart go off from the large trunks at obtule angles, farther at lefs obtule angles, then at right angles, farther still at acute angles, and near the extremities at very acute angles; 4

angles; by which means the blood in these veffels has the advantage of a more direct course the farther it moves from the heart.

The fmall arteries always divide in fuch a manner that the leffer branches may he leaft in the direction of the blood flowing into them, which makes the blood flow moft freely into that branch that hath fartheft to carry it; and the fmaller branches arife more or lefs obliquely from the fides of other arteries, according to the proportion they bear to the arteries from which they arife; becaufe an artery comparatively large arifing obliquely from the fide of another, would make an orifice in that it arifes from too large, and weaken it. Both thefe ends are at once anfwered, by making the arteries that give off the branches bend more or lefs toward the branches they give off, according to the comparative magnitude of the branches given off.

The extreme branches both of the arteries and veins have very numerous communications, like thole in the stamina of the leaves of plants, by which communications the blood that is obstructed in any veffels may pass off by other vessels that are not obstructed. It is by means of these communications that the blood circulates in a limb, part of which has been amputated, and into any vessels that have been seen rated from the trunks that supplied them, which otherwise must have mortified for want of nouriss ment, and with them all the branches that arise from slikewise it is owing that the fluids contained in a large inflammation suppurate into one cavity.

Of the ARTERIES.

The heart throws the blood into two great arteries; one of which is named Aorta, the other, Arteria Pulmonalis.

The Aorta diffributes the blood to all the parts of the body, for the nourifhment of the parts, and for the fecretion of different fluids.

The Arteria Pulmonalis carries the blood through all the capillary veffels of the lungs.

Both these great or general arteries are fubdivided into feveral branches, and these again into a great number of lesser ramifications.

Of the PULMONARY ARTERY.

The Pulmonary Artery goes out from the right ventricle of the heart; and its trunk having run almost directly upward as high as the curvature of the Aorta is divided into two lateral branches, one going to the right hand, called the right Pulmonary artery; the other to the left, termed the left Pulmonary artery. The right artery passes under the curvature of the Aorta, and is confequently longer than the left. They both run to the lungs, and are disperfed through their whole fubstance by ramifications nearly like those of the Bronchia, and lying in the fame directions.

Of the AORTA in general.

The bafis of the heart being very much inclined to the right fide, and turned a little backward, the Aorta goes out from it in a direct courfe, nearly over against the fourth vertebra of the back. Its courfe is direct with respect to the heart; but with respect to all the rest of the body, it as obliquely from the left to the right hand, and from before, backward.

Soon after this it bends obliquely from the right hand to the left, and from before, backwards, reaching as high as the fecond vertebra of the back; from whence it runs down again in the fame direction, forming an oblique arch. The middle of this arch is is almost opposite to the right fide or edge of the fuperior portion of the sternum, between the cartilaginous extremities or sternal articulations of the first two ribs.

From thence the Aorta defcends in a direct courfe along the anterior part of the vertebræ, all the way to the Os Sacrum, lying a little toward the left hand, and there it terminates in two fubordinate or collateral trunks, called Arteriæ Iliacæ.

General division of the AORTA.

The Aorta is by anatomifts, generally divided into the Aorta afcendens and Aorta defcendens, tho' both are but one and the fame trunk. It is termed Afcendens, from where it leaves the heart to the extremity of the great curvature or arch. The remaining part of this trunk from the arch to the Os Sacrum, or Bifurcation already mentioned, is named Defcendens.

The Aorta defcendens is further divided into the fuperior and inferior portions; the first taking in all that lies above the diaphragm; the other, all that lies between the diaphragm and the bifurcation.

The Aorta afcendens is chiefly diffributed to part of the Thorax, and to the head and upper extremities. The fuperior portion of the Aorta defcendens furnifhes the reft of the Thorax; the inferior portion furnifhes the abdomen and lower extremities.

The great trunk of the Aorta through its whole length, fends off immediately feveral branches which are afterwards differently ramified; and thefe arterial branches may be looked upon as fo many trunks with refpect to the other ramifications; which again may be confidered as finall trunks with regard to the ramifications that they fend off.

The branches which go out immediately from the Trunk of the Aorta, may be termed original or capital braches; and of thefe, fome are large, and others very fmall.

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The large capital branches of the Aorta are thefe; two Arteriæ Subclaviæ: two Carotides, one Cæliaca, one Mefenterica fuperior, two Renales, formerly termed Emulgentes, one Mefenterica inferior, and two Iliacæ.

The fmall capital branches are chiefly the Arteriæ Coronariæ cordis, Bronchiales, Oefophagææ, Intercoftales, Diaphragmaticæ inferiores, Spermaticæ, Lumbares and facræ.

These capital branches or arteries are for the most part disposed in pairs, there being none in odd numbers but the Cæliaca, the two Mesentericæ, some of the Oesophagææ, the Bronchiales, and sometimes the Sacræ.

The ramifications of each capital branch are in uneven numbers with refpect to their particular trunks; but with refpect to the ramifications of the like capital trunks on the other fide, they are difpofed in pairs. Among the branches there are in odd numbers none but the Arteria Sacra when it is fingle, and the Oefophagææ, the ramifications of which are fometimes found in pairs.

Before we enter upon the detail of each of thefe particular arteries, many of which have proper names; it will be convenient to give a flort view of the difpofition and diffribution of the principal arterial branches, as a general plan to which all the particularities of each diffribution may afterwards be referred: for it is found by experience, that the common method of defcribing the courfe of all the ramifications of thefe vefiels, without having first given a general idea of the principal branches, is very troublefome to beginners.

General Diffribution of the Branches of the AORTA.

The Aorta gives rife to two fmall Arteries, called Coronariæ Cordis, which go to the heart and its auricles; one of which is fituated anteriourly, the other pofteriourly, and fometimes they are three in number.

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From the upper part of the arch or curvature, the Aorta fends out commonly three, fometimes four large capital branches, their origins being very near each other. When there are four, the two middle branches are termed Arteriæ Carotides; the other two, Subclaviæ; and both are diftinguished into right and left.

When there are but three branches, which is ofteneft the cafe, the first is a short trunk, common to the right Subclavian, and carotid, the second is the left Subclavian, and the third the left Carotid. Sometimes, though very rarely, these four arteries unite in two trunks.

The origin of the left Subclavian terminates the Aorta afcendens; but fometimes there are four branches, the first three of which are those already mentioned, and the fourth a distinct trunk of the left vertebral artery.

It must be observed, that these large Branches which arise from the curvature of the Aorta, are fituated obliquely; the first, or that which is most on the right hand, lying more forward than the rest, and the last, which is most on the less hand, more backward. The first and second or middle branches, are generally in the middle of the arch, and the third lower down. Sometimes the first alone is in the middle; all which varieties depend on the obliquity of the arch.

The Carotid Arteries run up directly to the head, each of them being first divided into two, one external, the other internal. The external Artery goes chiefly to the outer parts of the head and dura mater or first covering of the brain. The internal enters the Cranium, through the bony canal of the Os Petrofum; and is distributed through the brain by a great number of ramifications.

The Subclavian Arteries feparate laterally and almost transversely, each toward that fide on which it lies, behind and under the Claviculæ, from whence they have their name. The left feems to be shorter and runs more obliquely than the right.

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The Subclavian on each fide terminates at the upper edge of the first Rib, between the lower infertions of the first Scalenus Muscle; and there, as it goes out of the Thorax, takes the name of Arteria Axillaris.

During this courfe of the Subclavian Artery, taking in the common trunk of the right Subclavian, feveral Arteries arife from it, *viz*. the Mammaria Interna, Mediastina, Pericardia, Diaphragmatica minor five superior, Thymica and Trachealis.

The Thymica and Trachealis on each fide are in fome fubjects only branches of one fmall trunk, which fprings from the common trunk of the right Subclavian and Carotid.

They are generally fmall arteries which run fometimes feparate, and fometimes partly feparate and partly joined.

The Subclavian fends off likewife the Mammaria Interna, Vertebrales, Cervicales, and fometimes feveral of the upper Intercoftales.

The Axillary Artery which is only a continuation of the Subclavian, from where it goes out of the Thorax, to the Axilla, detaches chiefly the Mammaria externa or Thoracica fuperior, Thoracica inferior, Scapulares externæ, Scapularis interna, Humeralis or Mufcularis, &c. Afterwards it is continued by different ramifications and under different names, over the whole arm, all the way to the ends of the fingers.

The fuperior portion of the Aorta defcendens gives off the Arteriæ bronchiales, which arife fometimes by a finall common trunk, fometimes feparate, and fometimes do not come immediately from the Aorta. It next fends off the Oefophagææ, which may be looked upon as Mediaftinæ pofteriores ; and then the Intercoftales from its pofterior part, which in fome fubjects come all from this portion of the Aorta, in others only the loweft eight or nine.

The fmall anterior arteries here mentioned are generally at their origins, fingle and in uneven numbers, but they divide foon after, toward the right and left.

The inferior portion of the defcending Aorta, as it paffes through the diaphragm, gives off the Diaphragmaticæ inferiores or phrenicæ, which however do not always come immediately from the Aorta. Afterwards it fends off feveral branches anteriorly, pofteriorly and laterally.

The anterior branches are the Cæliaca which fupplies the ftomach, liver, fpleen, pancreas, &c. the Mefenterica fuperior which goes chiefly to the mefentery, to the fmall inteftines, and that part of the great inteftines, which lies on the right fide of the abdomen; the Mefenterica inferior, which goes to the great inteftines on the left fide, and produces the Hemorrhoidalis interna; and laftly, the right and left Arteriæ fpermaticæ.

The posterior branches are the Arteriæ lumbares, of which there are feveral pairs, and the Sacræ which do not always come from the trunk of the Aorta.

The lateral branches are the Capfulares and Adipofæ, the origin of which often varies; the Renales formerly termed Emulgentes, and the Iliacæ which terminate the Aorta by the bifurcation already mentioned.

The Iliac artery on each fide, is commonly divided into the external or anterior, and internal or posterior.

The internal Iliaca is likewife named Arteria Hypogaftrica; and its ramifications are diffributed to the vifcera contained in the Pelvis, and to the neighbouring parts, both internal and external.

The Iliaca Externa, which is the true continuation of the Iliac Trunk, and alone deferves that name, goes on to the Inguen, and then out of the Abdomen, under the Ligamentum Fallopii; having firft detached the Epigaftrica which goes to the Mufculi Abdominis Recti. Having quitted the Abdomen, it commences Arteria Cruralis, which runs down upon the thigh, and is diffributed by many branches and ramifications to all the lower extremity.

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We fhall now go on to examine particularly all the capital or original branches of the Aorta, from their origin, to the entry of them and of their ramifications into all the parts of the body, and all the different vifcera and organs.

Arteriæ Cardiacæ five Coronariæ Cordis.

The cardiac or coronary arteries of the heart, arife from the Aorta immediately on its leaving the heart. They are two in number, and according to the natural fituation of the heart, one is rather fuperior than anterior, the other rather inferior than pofterior.

They go out near the two fides of the pulmonary artery, which having first furrounded, they afterward run upon the basis of the heart in form of a kind of crown or garland, from whence they are called Coronariæ; and then pursue the superficial traces of the union of the two ventricles, from the basis of the heart to the apex.

They fend communicating branches to each other, which are afterward loft in the fubftance of the heart.

We fometimes meet with a third coronary artery which arifes from the Aorta more backward, and is fpent on the posterior or lower fide of the heart.

The Arteriæ Carotides in general.

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The Carotid arteries are commonly demonstrated after the Subclavian; but it is better to defcribe them first, that we may afterwards be able to purfue the arteries of the Thorax arising partly from the Subclaviæ and partly from the Aorta defcendens, without interruption.

These arteries are two in number, one called the right Carotid, the other the left. They arise near each other, from the curvature or arch of the Aorta; the left immediately; the right most commonly from from the trunk of the Subclavia on the fame fide, as has been already obferved.

They run upon each fide of the Trachea Arteria, between it and the internal jugular vein, as high as the Larynx, without any ramification. During this courfe, therefore, they may be named Carotid trunks, or general, common and original Carotids. Each of thefe trunks is afterwards ramified in the following manner.

The trunk having reached as high as the Larynx, is divided into two large branches or particular Carotids, one named External, the other Internal, becaufe the first goes chiefly to the external parts of the head, the fecond enters the Cranium and is distributed to the brain.

The external Carotid is anterior, the internal, pofterior; and the external is even fituated more inward and nearer the Larynx than the other; but the common names may ftill be retained, as being taken not from their fituation, but from their diftribution.

ARTERIA CAROTIS EXTERNA.

The external Carotid is the fmalleft, and yet appears by its direction to be a continuation of the common trunk. It runs infenfiby outward, between the external angle of the lower jaw, and the parotid gland, which it fupplies as it paffes. Afterwards it afcends on the forefide of the ear, and ends in the temples.

In this courfe it fends off feveral branches which may well enough be divided into anterior or internal, and pofterior or external; and the principal branches of each kind are thefe.

The first anterior or internal branch goes out from the very origin of the Carotid on the infide; and having prefently afterward taken a little turn, and fent off branches to the jugular glands near it, to the fat and skin; it runs transversely, and is diftributed tributed to the Glandulæ Thyroidææ, and to the mufcles and other parts of the Larynx; for which reafon it may be named Laryngæa or Gutturalis fuperior. It likewife fends fome branches to the Pharynx and mufcles of the Os Hyoides.

The fecond anterior branch paffes over the nearest cornu of the Os Hyoides, to the muscles of that bone and of the tongue; and to the Glandulæ fublinguales; afterwards passing before the cornu of the Os Hyoides, it loses itself in the tongue, from whence it has been called Arteria fublingualis; and is the fame artery which others have named Ranina.

The third branch or Arteria Maxillaris inferior goes to the maxillary gland, to the ftyloide and maftoide mufcles, to the parotid and fublingual glands, to the mufcles of the Pharynx, and to the fmall Flexors of the head.

The fourth branch, which we name Arteria Maxillaris externa, paffes anteriorly on the maffeter mufcle, and middle of the lower jaw near the chin, from whence it has a denomination in fome languages, which cannot be expressed in English. Afterwards it runs under the Mufculus Triangularis Labiorum, which it fupplies as well as the Buccinator and the Quadratus Menti.

It fends off a particular branch, very much contorted, which divides at the angular commiffure of the lips, and running in the fame manner along the fuperior and inferior portions of the Mufculus orbicularis, it communicates on both fides with its fellow, and thereby forms a kind of Arteria Coronaria Labiorum.

Afterwards it afcends towards the Nares, and is diffributed to the mufcles, cartilages and other parts of the nofe, fending down fome twigs, which communicate with the coronary artery of the lips. Laftly, it reaches the great angle of the eye, and is ramified and loft on the Mufculus Orbicularis Palpebrarum, Superciliaris and Frontalis. Through all this courfe, it is named Arteria Angularis.

The fifth branch arifes over-against the Condyle of the lower jaw, and as it is very confiderable, it may be called Maxillaris Interna. It passes behind the Condyle, and having given off a twig among the Musculi Pterygoidæi; it is divided into three principal branches.

The first branch goes through the inferior Orbitary or fpheno-maxillary fiffure, to the orbit, after having fupplied the Musculi Peristaphylini, and the glandulous membrane of the posterior Nares, through the Foramen Spheno-Palatinum. We name this branch Spheno-Maxillaris.

It is diffributed inferiorly and laterally to the parts contained in the orbit, and detaches a finall fubaltern branch through the extremity of the fuperior orbitary or fphenoidal fiffure, which enters the Cranium, and is fpent upon the Dura Mater, communicating there with the other artery of the Dura Mater, which enters by the Foramen Spinale of the fphenoidal bone.

It fends off likewife another fubaltern branch, which paffes through the pofterior opening of the orbitary canal, and having furnished the maxillary finus and the teeth, goes out by the inferior orbitary hole, and on the cheek communicates with the angular artery.

The fecond of the three branches runs through the canal of the lower jaw, and being diffributed to the Alveoli and teeth, goes out at the hole near the chin, and lofes itfelf in the neighbouring mufcles, communicating with the Rami of the Arteria Maxillaris externa.

The third branch of the Maxillaris interna runs up between the internal and external Carotids, paffes through the Foramen Spinale of the fphenodial bone, and is diffributed to the Dura Mater by feveral ramifications which run forward, upward and backward ; the uppermoft communicating with those on the other fide, above the longitudinal finus of the Dura Mater.

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This artery is of the Dnra Mater which may be termed Spheno-fpinalis, to diffinguish it from those that go to the fame part by another course, arises fometimes from the trunk of the external Carotid, behind the origin of the Laryngæa or Gutturalis superior, and sometimes from the first ramus of the Maxillaris interna, just before it enters the Spheno-maxillary fiffure.

The fixth anterior or internal branch which is very finall, is fpent on the Mufculus Maffeter.

The first external or posterior branch is named Arteria Occipitalis. It passes obliquely before the internal jugular vein, and having twigs to the Mufculus Stylo-Hyoidæus, Stylo-Gloss and Digastricus, it runs between the styloide and masses apophyses, along the masses the styloide groove, and goes to the muscles and integuments which cover the Os Occipitis, turning feveral times in an undulating manner as it afcends backward.

It communicates by a defcending branch with the vertebral and cervical arteries, as has been already faid ; near the top of the head, it communicates likewife with the posterior branches of the temporal artery, and it fends a branch to the Foramen Mastoidæum.

The fecond external branch fpreads itfelf on the outward ear, by a great many fmall twigs on each fide, feveral of which run inward, and furnish the cartilages, Meatus Auditorius, skin of the Tympanum and internal ear.

The trunk of the external Carotid afcends afterward above the Zygoma, paffing between the angle of the lower jaw and Parotid Gland, and forms the temporal artery, which divides into an anterior, middle and posterior branch.

The anterior branch of the temporal artery goes to the Mufculus Frontalis, communicates with the Arteria Angularis, and fometimes gives off a very finall artery, which pierces the internal apophysis of the Os Malæ all the way to the orbit. The middle branch branch goes partly to the Mufculus Frontalis, partly to the Occipitalis. The pofterior branch goes to the Occiput, and communicates with the Arteria Occipitalis. All these branches likewise furnish the integuments.

ARTERIA CAROTIS INTERNA.

The internal carotid artery leaving the general trunk, is at first a little incurvated, appearing as if either it were the only branch of that trunk, or a branch of the trunk of the external Carotid. Sometimes the curvature is turned a little outward, and then more or lefs inward, passing behind the neighbouring external Carotid.

It is fituated a little more backward than the Carotis Externa, and generally runs up without any ramification, as high as the lower orifice of the great canal of the Apophyfis Petrofa of the Os Temporis. It enters this orifice directly from below upward, and afterward makes an angle according to the direction of the canal, the reft of which it paffes horizontally being covered by a production of the Dura Mater.

At the end of this canal it is again incurvated from below upward, and enters the Cranium through a notch of the fphenoidal bone. Then it bends from behind, forward, and makes a third angle on the fide of the Sella Sphenoidalis; and again a fourth, under the clinoide apophyfis of that Sella.

As it leaves the bony canal to enter the Cranium, it fends off a branch through the fphenoidal fifure to the orbit and eye; and foon afterward, another, through the Foramen Opticum, by which it communicates with the external Carotid.

Afterwards the internal Carotid runs under the bafis of the brain to the fide of the Infundibulum, where it is at a fmall diftance from the internal Carotid of the other fide, and there it commonly divides into two principal branches, one anterior, and one pofterior.

The anterior branch runs forward under the brain, first feparating from that on the other fide, then coming nearer again, it unites with it by an anaftomofis or communication in the interstice between the olfactory nerves. Afterwards having fent off fome fmall arteries, which accompany these nerves, it leaves its fellow, and divides into two or three branches.

The first of these branches goes to the anterior lobe of the brain; the second, which is fometimes double, is inverted on the Corpus Callosum, to which it gives fome ramifications, as also to the Falx of the Dura mater, and middle lobe of the brain. The third, which in some subjects is a diffinct branch, in others only a division of the second, goes to the posterior lobe of the brain. This might be look'd upon as a third principal branch lying between the other two.

The pofterior branch communicates first of all with the vertebral artery of the fame fide, and then divides into feveral rami which run between the fuperficial circumvolutions of the brain ; and are ramified in many different directions on and between these circumvolutions, all the way to the bottom of the Sulci.

All thefe ramifications are covered by the Pia Mater, in the duplicature of which they are diffributed, and form capillary reticular textures in great numbers; and afterwards they are loft in the inner fubftance of the brain. The anterior and middle branches produce the fame kind of ramifications, and the anterior in particular, fends a twig to the Corpus Callofum.

ARTERIA SUBCLAVIA.

The fubclavian Arteries are named from their fituation near the Claviculæ, in the transverse direction of which they run. They are two in number, one right, the other left; and they arise from the arch of C the the Aorta, on each fide of the left Carotid, which commonly lies in the middle between them; but when both Carotids go out feparately, they both lie between the Subclaviæ. Thefe arteries terminate, or rather change their name, above the middle of the two first ribs, between the anterior infertions of the Mufculi Scaleni.

The right Subclavian is larger at the beginning than the left, when it produces the right Carotid ; its origin is likewife more interior and higher, becaufe of the obliquity of the arch of the Aorta; for which reafon alfo the left is fhorter than the right, and runs more obliquely. Both of them are diffributed much in the fame manner ; and therefore the defcription of one may likewife be applied to the other.

The right Subclavian, the longeft of the two, gives off, first of all, finall arteries to the Mediastinum, Thymus, Pericardium, Aspera Arteria, &c. which are named Mediastinæ, Thymicæ, Pericardiæ, and Tracheales. These finall arteries fometimes go out from the Subclavian itself, either separately or by simall common trunks; fometimes they are branches of the Mammaria interna, especially the Mediastina.

Afterward this right Subclavian, at about a finger's breadth from its origin, often produces the common Carotid of the fame fide ; and at a fmall finger's breadth from the Carotid, it gives off commonly three confiderable branches, *viz*. the Mammaria interna, Cervicalis, and Vertebralis, and fometimes an intercoftal artery which goes to the first ribs, called Intercoftalis fuperior.

ARTERIA THYMICA.

The Arteria Thymica communicates with the Mammaria interna, and fometimes arifes from the anterior middle part of the common trunk of the Subclavian and Carotid. The Thymus receives likewife fome rami from the Mammaria interna, and

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and Intercostales fuperior. The fame observation may be applied to the Mediastina and Pericardia.

ARTERIA PERICARDIA.

The Pericardia arifes much in the fame manner with the Thymica, and runs down upon the Pericardium all the way to the Diaphragm, to which it fends fome fmall ramifications.

ARTERIA MEDIASTINA.

The Mediastina arifes fometimes immediately after the Thymica, and is distributed principally to the Mediastinum.

ARTERIA TRACHEALIS,

The Trachealis, which may likewife be named Gutturalis inferior, runs up from the Subclavia, in a winding courfe, along the Afpera Arteria, to the Glandulæ Thyrodææ, and Larynx, detaching fmall arteries to both fides, one of which runs to the upper part of the Scapula.

ARTERIA MAMMARIA INTERNA.

The internal Mammary Artery comes from the anterior and lower fide of the Subclavia, near the middle of the Clavicula, and runs down for about one finger's breadth, behind the cartilages of the true ribs, an inch diftant from the Sternum.

In its paffage it fends rami to the Thymus, Mediaftinum, Pericardium, Pleura, and intercoftal mufcles. It likewife detaches other branches, through thefe mufcles, and between the cartilages of the ribs, to the Pectoralis major, and other neighbouring mufcular portions, to the Mammæ, Membrana Adipofa and fkin.

Several of these rami communicate by anastomoses, with the Mammaria externa, and other arteries ries of the Thorax, efpecially in the fubftance of the Pectoralis Major, and likewife with the Intercoftales. Afterwards it goes out of the Thorax on one fide of the Appendix Enfiformis, and is loft in the Mufculus Abdominis Rectus, a little below its upper part; communicating at this place, by feveral fmall ramifications with the Arteria Epigaftrica; and in its courfe, it gives branches to the Peritonæum, and to the anterior parts of the oblique and transverse mufcles of the Abdomen.

ARTERIA CERVICALIS.

The Cervical Artery arifes from the upper fide of the Subclavian, and is prefently afterward divided into two, which come out fometimes feparately, fometimes by a fmall common trunk. The largest of these two arteries is anterior, the other posterior.

The Anterior Cervicalis, running behind the Carotid of the fame fide, is diffributed to the Mufculus Coraco-Hyoidæus, Maftoidæus, Cutaneus, Sterno-Hyoidæus, and Sterno-Thyroidæus, to the jugular glands, the Afpera Arteria, the mufcles of the Pharynx, Bronchia, Oefophagus and to the anterior mufcles which move the neck and head. This artery has been obferved to fend out the Intercostalis fuperior.

The posterior Cervicalis arises fometime a little after the Vertebralis, and fometimes from that artery. It passes under the transverse apophysis of the last Vertebra of the Neck; and fometimes through a particular hole in that apophysis; and from thence runs up backward in a winding course, on the vertebral muscles of the neck, and then returns in the fame manner.

It communicates with a defcending branch of the occipital artery, and with another of the vertebral artery above the fecond Vertebra. It is diffributed to the Mufculi Scaleni, Angularis Scapulæ, and Trapezius, and to the jugular glans and integuments. The

ARTERIA VERTEBRALIS.

The Vertebral artery goes out from the posterior and upper fide of the Subclavian, almost opposite to the Mammaria Interna and Cervicalis. It runs up through all the holes in the transverse apophyses of the Vertebræ of the neck, and in its passage fends off little twigs through the lateral notches of these Vertebræ, to the Medulla Spinalis and its coverings. It also gives arteries to the vertebral muscles, and to other muscles near them.

As it paffes through the transverse hole of the fecond Vertebra, it is generally incurvated, to accommodate itself to the particular obliquity of this Foramen. And between this hole and that in the first Vertebra, it takes another larger turn in a contrary direction to the former. Having passed the transverse hole of the first Vertebra, it is confiderably incurvated a third time, from before backwards, as it goes through the superior and posterior notch in this Vertebra.

At this third curvature, it fends off a fmall branch which is ramified on the outer and posterior parts of the Occiput, and communicates with the cervical and occipital arteries. Having afterwards reached the great Foramen of the Os Occipitis, it enters the Cranium and pierces the Dura Mater; and on these accounts it may be named Arteria Occipitalis posterior, to diffinguish it from the other which is lateral.

As foon as it enters the Cranium, it fends feveral fmall ramifications to the back part of the Medulla Oblongata, and to the Corpora Olivaria and Pyramidalia, which are likewife fpread on the back fides of the fourth ventricle of the brain, and form the Plexus Choroides of the Cerebellum.

Afterwards it advances on the Apophyfis Bafilaris of the Os Occipitis, inclining by finall degrees toward the vertebral artery of the other fide, all the way to the extremity of that apophyfis, where they both join in one common trunk, which may be named Arteria Bafilaris.

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ARTERIA BASILARIS.

The Arteria Bafilaris runs forward under the great transverse protuberance of the Medulla oblongata, to which it gives ramifications, as well as to the neighbouring parts of the Medulla. Sometimes this artery divides again near the extremity of the Apophysis Bafilaris into two lateral branches, which communicate with the posterior branches of the two internal Carotides, and are lost in the posterior lobe of the brain.

ARTERIAE SPINALES.

The Spinal Arteries are two in number, one anterior and one posterior; both produced by both Vertebrales, each of which, as soon as it enters the Cranium, fends out a small branch, by the union of which, the posterior Spinalis is formed. Afterwards the Vertebrales advancing on the Apophysis Basilaris or production of the Occipital bone, detach backward two other small branches, which likewise meet, and by their union form the Spinalis anterior. These spinal arteries run down on the fore and back fides of the Medulla Spinalis, and by small tranverse ramifications, communicate with those which the intercostal and lumbar arteries fend to the fame part.

ARTERIA AUDITORIA INTERNA.

The Internal Auditory Artery goes off from each fide of the Arteria Bafilaris, to the organ of hearing, accompanying the auditory nerve, having first furnished feveral finall twigs to the Membrana Arachnoides.

ARTERIA MENINGAEA posterior.

The posterior Meningæa arises from the same trunk with the Auditoria Interna, and goes to the back part of the Dura Mater, on the occipital and temporal

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temporal bones, and likewife fupplies the neighbouring lobes of the brain.

ARTERIA INTERCOSTALIS fuperior.

When the fuperior Intercostal Artery does not go out from the trunk of the Aorta defcendens, it commonly arifes from the lower fide of the Subclavian, and runs down on the infide of the two, three or four uppermost true ribs, near their heads, and fends off under each rib, a branch which runs along the lower edge, and fupplies the intercostal muscles and neighbouring parts of the Pleura.

These branches or particular intercostal arteries communicate with each other at different distances by finall Rami, which run upward and downward from one to the other, on the intercostal muscles.

They likewife give branches to the Mufculi Sterno-Hyoidæi, Subclavius, Vertebrales, and bodies of the Vertebræ; and alfo to the Pectoralis major and minor, piercing the intercoftal mufcles; and laftly, they fend branches through the notches of the first four Vertebræ to the Medulla Spinalis and its coverings.

Sometimes the fuperior common intercoftal artery comes from the Cervicalis, and not immediately from the Subclavia. Sometimes it arifes from the Aorta defcendens, either by fmall feparate arteries or by a common trunk, which divides as it runs obliquely up upon the ribs. Laftly, it fometimes arifes from the neareft Bronchialis, or from feveral Bronchiales together.

Ductus Arteriofus in Ligamentum verfus.

The Ductus Arteriofus, which is found only in the foctus and in very young children, arifes from the Aorta defcendens, immediately below the left Subclavian artery. In adults, this duct is fhrunk up and clofed, and appears only like a fhort ligament adhering by one end to the Aorta, and by the other to the the Pulmonary artery, fo that in reality it deferves no other name than that of Ligamentum Arteriofum.

ARTERIA BRONCHIALIS.

The Bronchial arteries go fometimes from the forefide of the fuperior defcending Aorta, fometimes from the first Intercostal, and fometimes from the Arteria Oefophagæa. Sometimes they arife feparately from each fide, to go to each lung, and fometimes by a finall common trunk, which afterwards feparates towards the right and left hand, at the Bifurcation of the Afpera Arteria, and accompany the ramifications of the Bronchia.

The Bronchial artery on the left fide often comes from the Aorta, while the other arifes from the fuperior Intercoftal on the fame fide, which variety is owing to the fituation of the Aorta. Sometimes there is another Bronchial artery which goes out from the Aorta posteriorly, near the fuperior Intercostal, above the Bronchialis anterior.

The anaftomofes or communications between the Bronchial artery and the neighbouring veffels, effecially thofe with the Pulmonary vein, the Vena azygos, &c. are very numerous, and deferve particular attention.

The Bronchialis gives a finall branch to the neighbouring auricle of the heart, which communicates with the Arteria Coronaria.

ARTERIAE OESOPHAGAEAE.

The Oefophagææ are generally two or three in number, fometimes but one. They arife anteriorly from the Aorta defcendens, and are diffributed to the Oefophagus, &c. Sometimes the uppermoft Oefophagæa produces a Bronchial artery.

ARTERIAE INTERCOSTALES INFERIORES.

The inferior Intercostals are commonly feven oreight on each fide, and fometimes ten, when the fuperior

perior Intercostals arife likewife from the Aorta deicendens; in which cafe thefe run obliquely upward, as has been already faid.

They arife along the backfide of the defcending Aorta in pairs, all the way to the diaphragm, and run transversely toward each fide, on the bodies of the Vertebræ. Those on the right fide pass behind the Vena Azygos; and afterwards they all run to the Intercoftal mufcles, along the lower edge of the ribs, all the way to the Sternum or near it.

They fend branches to the Pleura, to the Vertebral mufcles, to those mufcles which lie on the outfides of the ribs, and to the upper portions of the mufcles of the Abdomen; and they communicate with the Arteriæ Epigastricæ and Lumbares.

Sometimes, inftead of going out from the Aorta in pairs, they arife by finall common trunks, which afterwards divide, and fend an artery to each neighbouring rib.

Before they take their courfe along the ribes, each of them detaches one branch between the transverse apophyfes on both fides, to the Vertebral mufcles, and another which enters the great canal of the Spina Dorfi. Each of thefe latter branches divides at leaft into two finall arteries, one of which runs tranfverfely on the anterior fide of the canal, the other on the posterior fide. Both of them communicate with the like arteries from the other fide of the Spine, in fuch a manner, as to form a kind of arterial rings, which likewife communicate with each other by other fmall ramifications. The fame is to be observed in the Arteriæ Lumbares.

Afterwards each Intercoftal artery having reached the middle of the rib or a little more, divides into two principal branches, one internal, the other external. Soon after this division, the arteries that run upon the falfe ribs, feparate a little from them, being gradually bent downward one after another, and are fpread upon the Abdominal mufcles. They are likewife diffributed to other neighbouring mufcles, and particularly to those of the diaphragm, almost in the

the fame manner with the Arteriæ Phrenicæ. They alfo communicate with the Lumbares, and fometimes with branches of the Hypogaftricæ.

ARTERIAE AXILLARES.

The Subclavian artery having left the Thorax immediately above the first rib, in the Interstice left between the portions of the Scalenus, there receives the name of Axillaris, because it passes under the Axilla.

In this courfe it gives off from its infide, a finall branch to the infide of the first rib; and afterwards, four or five principal branches, *viz*. The Thoracica fuperior or Mammaria externa, Thoracica inferior, Mufcularis or Scapularis externa, Scapularis interna, and Humeralis.

ARTERIA THORACICA Superior.

The fuperior Thoracica or external mammary artery, runs down in a winding courfe on the lateral parts of the Thorax, and croffes the ribs. It gives branches to the two pectoral mufcles, to the Mamma, Mufculus Subclavius, Serratus Major, Latiffimus Dorfi, and to the upper portions of the Coraco-Brachialis and Biceps.

These branches are fometimes feparate for fome fpace; and one of them in particular runs down between the Deltoides and Pectoralis Major, together with the Vena Cephalica to which it adheres very closely, the extremity of it piercing the coat of that vein, as if there were an anafomosis between them. Another fometimes runs between the Musculus Braochiæus and Anconæus internus, which communicates with a branch of the radial artery.

ANTERIA THORRAICA Inferior.

The inferior Thoracic Artery runs along the inferior Costa of the Scapula, to the Musculus Subscapularis,

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laris, Teres major and minor, Infra Spinatus Latifimus Dorfi, Seratus major, and the neighbouring intercoftal mufcles, communicating with the Arteriæ Scapulares.

ARTERIAE SCAPULARES.

The external Scapulary Artery paffes through the notch in the fuperior Cofta of the Scapula, to the Mufculus Supra-fpinatus and Infra-fpinatus, Teres major and minor, and to the Articulation of the Scapula with the Os Humeri.

The internal Scapularis arifes from the axillary artery near the Axilla, and runs backward, to be diffributed to the Subfcapularis, giving branches to the Seratus Major, to the axillary glands, and to the Teres major, upon which it is ramified in different manners. It likewife fends rami to the Infrafpinatus and upper portion of the Anconæi.

ARTERIA HUMERALIS.

The Humeral Artery arifes from the lower and forefide of the Axillaris, and runs backward between the head of the Os Humeri and Teres major, furrounding the articulation, till it reaches the posterior part of the Deltoides to which it is distributed.

During this courfe, it gives feveral branches to the fuperior portions of the Anconæi, to the capfular ligament of the joint of the fhoulder, and to the Os Humeri itfelf, through feveral holes immediately below the great tuberofity of the head of that bone. It likewife communicates with the fcapulary artery.

Opposite to the origin of this humeral artery, the Axillaris fends off another finall branch, which runs in a contrary direction between the head of the Os Humeri and the common upper part of the Biceps and Coraco-Brachialis; and having given branches to the Vagina and channel of the Biceps, and to the Periofteum, afterwards joins the principal Humeralis. ARTE-

ARTERIA BRACHIALIS.

The axillary artery having given off thefe branches, paffes immediately behind the tendon of the Pectoralis major, where it changes its former name for that of Arteria Brachialis. It runs down on the infide of the arm over the Mufculus Coraco-Brachialis, and Anconæus internus, and along the inner edge of the Biceps behind the Vena Bafilica, giving fmall branches on both fides to the neighbouring mufcles, to the Periofteum, and to the bone.

Between the Axilla and middle of the arm it is covered only by the fkin and fat; but afterwards it is hid under the Biceps, and runs obliquely forward as it defcends, being at fome diftance from the internal condyle; but it does not reach the middle of the fold of the arm.

Between the Axilla and this place, it fends off many branches to the Infra-fpinatus, Teres major and minor, Subfcapularis, Latiflimus Dorfi, Serratus major, and other neighbouring mufcles, to the common integuments and even to the nerves. Below the fold of the arm, it divides into two principal branches, one called Arteria Cubitalis, the other Radialis.

From its upper and inner part it fends off a particular branch, which runs obliquely downward and backward over the Anconæi, and then turns forward again near the external condyle, where it communicates with a branch of the Arteria Radialis.

Immediately below the infertion of the Teres major, it gives off another branch, which runs from within outwards, and from behind forward, round the Os Humeri; and defcends obliquely forward between the Mufculus Brachiæus, and Anconæus externus, to both which it is diffributed in its paffage. Having afterwards reached the external condyle, it unites with the branch laft mentioned, and likewife communicates with a branch of the arteries of the fore-arm, fo that there is here a triple anaftomofis.

About the breadth of a finger below this fecond branch, the brachial artery fends off a third, which runs runs down toward the internal condyle, and communicates with other branches of the arteries of the fore-arm, as we shall fee hereafter.

About the middle of the arm, or a little lower, much about the place where the brachial artery begins to be covered by the Biceps; it fends off a branch, which is diffributed to the Periofteum, and penetrates the bone between the Mufculus Brachiæus and Anconæus internus.

About an inch lower, it gives off another branch, which having furnished ramifications to the Anconæus internus, runs over the inner condyle, and likewife communicates with branches of the arteries of the fore-arm.

Having got below the middle of the arm, the brachial artery detaches another branch which runs behind the inner condyle in company with a confiderable nerve ; and having paffed over the mufcles inferted in this condyle, it communicates with that branch of the cubital artery, which encompaffes the fold of the arm.

A little lower, it fometimes fends out another branch which paffes on the forefide of the inner condyle, and then communicates with a branch which runs up from the cubital artery. Thefe three communicating branches are termed Collateral Arteries.

The common trunk of the Brachial Artery having reached the fold of the arm, runs together with a vein and a nerve immediately under the Aponeurofis of the Biceps, and paffes under the Vena Mediana, detaching branches on each fide to the neighbouring mufcles.

About a large finger's breadth beyond the fold of the arm, this artery divides into two principal branches, one inner or posterior, named Cubitalis; the other outer or anterior, named Radialis, as has been already faid.

From this bifurcation, the brachial artery fends branches on each fide, to the Supinator Longus, Pronator Teres, fat and fkin. It fometimes tho' very rarely happens, that this artery is divided from its origin origin into two large branches, which run down on the arm, and afterwards on the fore-arm, where they have the names of Cubitalis and Radialis.

ANTERIA CUBITALIS.

The Cubital Artery finks in between the Ulna, and the upper parts of the Pronator Teres, Perforatus, Ulnaris Gracilis, and Radialis internus; then leaving the bone, it runs down between the Perforatus and Ulnaris internus, all the way to the Carpus and great transfverse ligament. In this course it winds and turns feveral ways, and fends out several branches.

The first is a finall artery which runs inward to the inner condyle, and then turns upward like a kind of recurrent, to communicate by feveral branches with the collateral arteries of the arm already mentioned, and particularly with the third. A little lower down, another finall branch goes off, which having run upward a litle way, and almost furrounded the articulation, communicates with the fecond collateral artery of the arm, between the Olecranum and inner condyle.

Afterwards the Cubital Artery having in its courfe between the heads of the Ulna and Radius, reached the interoffeous ligament, fends off two principal branches, one internal, the other external, which we call the Interoffeous Arteries of the fore-arm.

The external artery pierces the ligament about three fingers breadth below the articulation; and prefently afterward gives off a branch, which runs up like a recurrent toward the external condyle of the Os Humeri under the Ulnaris externus, and Anconæus minimus, to which it is diffributed, as alfo to the Supinator brevis; and it communicates with the collateral arteries of the arm on the fame fide.

Afterward this external interoffeous artery runs down on the outfide of the ligament, and is diffributed on the Ulnaris externus, Extenfor Digitorum communis, and to the Extenfores Pollicis, Indicis and Minimi Digiti; communicating with fome branches of the internal interoffeous artery.

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Having reached the lower extremity of the Ulna, it unites with a branch of the internal interoffeus artery, which at this place runs from within outward; and is diffributed together with it on the convex fide of the Carpus and back of the hand; communicating with the Arteria Radialis and with a branch of the Cubitalis, which will be mentioned hereafter.

By these communications, this artery forms a fort of irregular arch, from whence branches are detached to the external interoffeous muscles, and to the external lateral parts of the fingers.

The internal interoffeous artery runs down very clofe to the ligament, till it reaches below the Pronator Teres, between which and the Pronator Quadratus, it perforates the ligament, and goes to the convex fide of the Carpus and back of the hand, where it communicates with the external interoffeous artery, with the Radialis and internal branches of the Cubitalis.

From the origin of the two Interoffex, the cubital artery runs down between the Perforatus, Perforans, and Ulnaris Internus, along the Ulna, fending branches to the neighbouring parts. Below the internal Interoffea, it fometimes fends off a branch which runs down between the Flexor Pollicis, Radialis Internus and Perforatus, to which it is diftributed all the way to the Carpus, where it runs under the internal annular ligament, and communicates on the hand with branches of the Arteria Radialis.

Afterward the cubital Artery paffes over the internal transverse ligament of the Carpus, by the fide of the Os Pisiforme, and having furnished the skin, Palmaris brevis and Metacarpius, it suder the Aponeurosis Palmaris, giving off one branch to the hypothenar Minimi Digiti, and another which runs towards the thumb between the tendons of the flexors of the singers, and the bases of the metacarpal bones.

It likewife fends off a branch, which running between the third and fourth bones of the Metacarpus, reaches to the back of the hand, where it communi-

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cates with the interoffeous external artery. Afterwards having fupplied the interoffeous mufcles, it communicates with the Radialis; and they both form an arterial arch in the hollow of the hand in the following manner:

The Cubitalis having got about two fingers breadth beyond the internal annular ligament of the Carpus, forms an arch, the convex fide of which is turned to the fingers, and commonly fends off three or four branches. The first goes to the inner and back part of the little finger; and is fometimes a continuation or production of that branch which goes to the Hypothenar.

The other three branches run in the Interffices of the four Metacarpal bones, near the heads of which, each of them is divided into two branches, which pafs along the two internal lateral parts of each finger, from the forefide of the little finger to the pofterior fide of the Index inclusively; and at the ends of the fingers, thefe digital arteries communicate and unite with each other.

Sometimes the arch of the cubital Artery terminates be a particular branch in the middle finger, and in that cafe it communicates with the radial artery which makes up what the other wants.

This arch fends likewife from its concave fide, toward the fecond Phalanx of the thumb, a branch for the lateral internal part thereof, and then ends near the head of the first metacarpal bone, by a communication with the Radialis, having first given a branch to the forefide of the Index, and another to the fide of the thumb next the former. These communicate at the ends of the fingers with the neighbouring branches, as in the other fingers.

This arch fends likewife fmall twigs to the interoffeous mufcles, to the Lumbricales, Palmaris, and to other neighbouring parts; and laftly, to the integuments.

ARTERIA RADIALIS.

The Radial Artery begins by detaching a finall branch which runs upward like a recurrent, toward the the fold of the arm, and turns backward round the external Condyle, communicating with the neighbouring branches, from the trunk of the brachial artery, efpecially with the first collateral branch on that fide.

It runs down along the infide of the Radius, between the Supinator longus, Pronator teres and the Integuments, giving branches to thefe mufcles, and likewife to the Perforatus, Perforans and Supinator brevis. From thence it runs in a winding courfe toward the extremity of the Radius, fupplying the Flexors of the thumb and Pronator quadratus.

Having reached the extremity of the Radius, it runs nearer the fkin, efpecially toward the anterior edge of the bone, being the artery which we there feel when we examine the pulfe.

At the end of the Radius, it gives off a branch to the Thenar; and after having communicated with the arch of the Cubital Artery in the palm of the hand, and fent off fome cutaneous branches at that place, it detaches one, along the whole internal lateral part of the thumb.

Afterwards it runs between the first Phalanx and tendons of the thumb, to the Interstice between the basis of this first Phalanx and of the first metacarpal bone, where it turns toward the hollow of the hand.

At this turning, it fends off a branch to the external lateral part of the thumb, which having reached the end thereof, communicates by a fmall arch with the branch which goes to the internal lateral part.

It likewife fends branches outward, which run more or lefs transverfely between the first two bones of the Metacarpus and the two tendons of the Radialis externus; and it communicates with an opposite branch of the Cubitalis, together with which it furnishes the external interoffeous muscles and integuments of the back of the hand and convex side of the Carpus.

Laftly, the Radial Artery terminates, in its paffage over the femi-interoffeous muscle of the Index, near E the the bafis of the first metacarpal bone, and as it runs under the tendons of the flexor muscles of the fingers, where it is joined to the arch of the Cubitalis.

It fends off another branch which runs along the fore part of the first bone of the Metacarpus, to the convex fide of the Index, where it is lost in the integuments.

It gives likewife a branch to the internal lateral part of the Index, which at the end of that finger, joins an opposite branch which comes from the arch of the Cubitalis. It also fends off a finall branch crofs the internal interoffeous muscles, where it forms a kind of finall irregular arch, which communicates with the great arch by feveral finall arterial rami.

When the arch of the Cubitalis ends at the middle finger, the Radialis runs along the inner or concave part of the first metacarpal bone, at the head of which it terminates by two branches.

One of thefe braches runs along the inner and anterior lateral part of the Index ; the other paffes between the Flexor Tendons of this finger and the metacarpal bone, and having communicated with the cubital branch of the middle finger, it advances on the pofterior lateral part of the Index all the way to the end of that finger, where it unites again with the first branch.

ARTERIA DIAPHRAGMATICA.

The left Diaphragmatic Artery goes out commonly from the Aorta defcendens, as it paffes between the Crura of the finall mufcle of the Diaphragm. The right Diaphragmatic comes fometimes from the neareft Lumbar artery, but most commonly from the Cæliaca. Sometimes both these arteries arises by a finall common trunk immediately from the Aorta. They likewife have the name of Arteriæ Phrenicæ.

They appear almost always in feveral ramifications on the concave or lower fide of the Diaphragm, and feldom on the upper or convex fide. They give fmall

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finall branches to the Glandulæ Renales or Capfulæ Atrabilariæ, which fometimes communicate with the other arteries that go to the fame part.

They fend likewife finall branches to the fat which lies upon the kidneys, called the Membrana Adipofa, from whence they have the name of Arteriæ Adipofæ; and they fometimes come immediately from the trunk of the Aorta on one fide of the Mefenterica fuperior.

Befides thefe capital Diaphragmatic arteries, there are others of a fubordinate clafs, which come from the Intercoftales, Mammariæ internæ, Mediaftinæ Pericardiæ and Cæliaca, as is obferved in the defcription of each of thefe arteries.

ARTERIA CAELIACA.

The Cæliac Artery arifes anteriorly and a little to the left hand, from the Aorta defcendens, immediately after its paffage through the fmall muscle of the Diaphragm, nearly opposite to the cartilage between the laft Vertebra of the back and first of the loins. The trunk of this artery is very fort; and near its origin, it fends off from the right fide two fmall Diaphragmaticæ, tho' fometimes there is only one which goes to the right hand, and is afterwards distributed both ways; communicating with the other arteries of the fame name which come from the Intercoftales and Mammariæ. The left branch fends rami to the fuperior orifice of the ftomach and to the Glandula Renalis on the fame fide; the right furnishes the Pylorus, and the renal gland on the right fide.

Immediately after this, the Cæliaca gives off a confiderable branch, named Arteria Ventriculi Coronaria, and Gaftrica, or Gaftrica fuperior; and then it prefently divides into two large branches, one toward the right hand named Arteria Hepatica; the other to the left, called Splenica, which is larger than the former.

Sometimes this artery is divided into thefe three branches at the fame place, very near its origin; the trunk

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trunk going out from the Aorta almost in a streight line, and the branches from the trunk almost at right angles, like radii from an axis, whence this trunk has been called Axis Arteriæ Cælicæ.

ARTERIA VENTRICULI CORONARIA.

The Coronary Artery of the flomach goes first to the left fide of that organ, a little beyond the fuperior orifice; round which orifice it throws branches, and alfo to every part of the flomach near it; and these branches communicate with those which run along the bottom of the flomach to the Pylorus.

Afterwards it runs on the right fide of the fuperior orifice, along the fmall curvature of the ftomach, almost to the Pylorus, where it communicates with the Arteria Pylorica; and turning towards the fmall lobe of the liver, it gives off fome branches to it.

Then it advances, under the Ductus Venofus, to the left lobe of the liver, in which it lofes itfelf near the beginning of the just-mentioned duct, having first given off fome finall branches to the neighbouring parts of the Diaphragm and Omentum.

ARTERIA HEPATICA.

As foon as the Hepatic Artery leaves the Cæliaca, it runs to the upper and inner parts of the Pylorus, in company with the Vena Portæ, fending off two branches, a finall one called Arteria Pylorica, and a large one named Gaftrica Dextra, or Gaftrica Major.

The Pylorica is ramified on the Pylorus, from whence it has its name; and having diffributed branches to the neighbouring parts of the ftomach, which communicate with those of the right Gastrica, it terminates on the Pylorus, by an Anastomosis with the Coronary artery of the stomach.

The right Gaftric Artery having paffed behind and beyond the Pylorus, fends out a confiderable branch named Arteria Duodenalis, or Inteftinalis, which fometimes fometimes comes from the trunk of the Hepatica, as we shall fee hereafter. Afterwards this Gastric Artery runs along the right fide of the great curvature of the stomach, to the neighbouring parts of which, on both fides, it distributes branches.

Thefe branches communicate with those of the Arteria Pylorica, and of the Coronaria Ventriculi, and with the right Gastro-Epiploicæ, which furnish the nearest parts of the Omentum, and communicate with the Mesenterica superior. After this, the right Gastric Artery ends in the left, which is a branch of the Splenica.

The Duodenal or Inteftinal Artery runs along the Duodenum on the fide next the Pancreas; to both which it furnishes branches, and also to the neighbouring part of the stomach. Sometimes this artery goes out from the Mesenterica superior, and sometimes it is double.

The Hepatic Artery having fent out the Pylorica and right Gaftrica, advances behind the Ductus Hepaticus, toward the Veficula Fellis, to which it gives two principal branches called Arteriæ Cyfticæ; and another named Bilaria, which is loft in the great lobe of the liver.

Afterwards, this artery enters the fiffure of the liver, and joins the Vena Portæ, with which it runs within a membranous Vagina called Capfula Gliffoni, and accompanies it through the whole fubftance of the liver by numerous ramifications, which may be termed Arteriæ Hepaticæ Propriæ.

Before it enters the liver, it gives finall branches to the external membrane of this Vifcus, and to the Capfula Gliffoni. The Gaftric and proper Hepatic Arterie come fometimes from the Mefenterica fuperior, when the ordinary ramifications are wanting.

ARTERIA SPLENICA.

Immediately after the origin of the Splenic artery from the Cæliaca, it runs toward the left hand, under the ftomach and Pancreas, to the fpleen. It adheres heres clofely to the posterior part of the lower fide of the Pancreas, to which it gives feveral branches named Arteriæ Pancreaticæ.

Near the extremity of the Pancreas, under the left portion of the ftomach, the Splenic Artery gives off a principal branch called Gastrica Sinistra or Minor, which runs from left to right along the left portionof the great curvature of the stomach, giving branches to both fides of this portion, which communicate with those of the Coronaria Ventriculi.

This Gaftric Artery fends likewife another branch at leaft, to the extremity of the Pancreas, which communicates with the other pancreatic arteries. It alfo fupplies the Omentum with branches, termed Gaftro-Epiploicæ Siniftræ; and then it communicates with the right Gaftrica, and from this union, the Gaftro-Epiploicæ Mediæ are produced.

From this detail we learn that the Arteria Coronaria Ventriculi Pylorica, Inteftinalis, both Gaftricæ, Gaftro-Epiploicæ, and confequently the Hepatica, Splenica and Mefenterica, communicate all together.

Afterwards the Splenic Artery advances towards the fpleen, in a courfe more or lefs contorted; but before it arrives at that Vifcus, it gives two or three branches to the large extremity of the ftomach, commonly called Vafa Brevia; and one to the Omentum, named Epiploica.

At the fpleen, this artery divides into four or five branches, which enter that Vifcus, after having given fome fmall twigs to the neighbouring parts of the ftomach and Omentum.

ARTERIA MESENTERICA SUPERIOR.

The fuperior Mefenteric Artery arifes anteriorly from the lower portion of the defcending Aorta, a very little way below the Cæliaca, going out a little towards the right hand, but bending immediately afterwards to the left.

Near its origin, it gives off a finall branch, which dividing into two, goes to the lower fide of the head of of the Pancreas, and neighbouring part of the Duodenum, communicating with the Inteftinalis by finall arches, and Areolæ or mashes.

Afterwards it paffes over the Duodenum, between this inteffine and the Meferaic Vein, between the two Laminæ of the Mefentery; and then bending in an oblique direction from left to right, and from above downward, by very fmall degrees, it advances toward the extremity of the Ilium. By this incurvation, it forms a kind of long arch, from the convex fide of which a great many branches go out.

These branches are fixteen or eighteen in number, or thereabouts, and almost all of them are beflowed on the finall intestines, from the lower third part of the Duodenum to the Cæcum and Colon. The first branches are very short, and from thence they increase gradually in length all the way to the middle of the arch; the rest diminishing again by finall degrees.

As they approach the inteftines, all these branches communicate first by reciprocal arches; then by Areolæ and mashes of all kinds of figures, from which is detached an infinite number of finall ramifications, which furround the intestinal canal, like an annular piece of net-work.

These arches and masses increase in number proportionably to the length of the branches; and their fize diminishes gradually as they approach the Inteftines.

The first branches from the convex fide of the Mefenteric arch, which are very short, supply the Pancreas and Mesocolon, and communicate with the Duodenal Artery. The last branches go to the Appendicula Vermisormis, and fend a portion of an arch to the beginning of the Colon.

The confiderable branches from the concave fide of the Mefenteric arch, are feldom above two or three in number; but before they arife, a finall ramus goes out to the Duodenum, and gives fome very finall arteries to the Pancreas.

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The first confiderable branch from the concave fide of the arch goes into the Mefocolon towards the right portion of the Colon, being first divided into two rami; the first of which runs along the whole fuperior part of the Colon, where it forms the famous communication with the Mefenterica inferior; and might be named Arteria Colica Superior. The other ramus of this branch runs down on the right portion of the Colon.

The fecond principal branch having run for fome fpace through the Mefentery, divides into three rami; the first of which goes to the lower part of the right portion of the Colon, where it communicates with the fecond ramus of the first branch; the fecond goes to the beginning of the Colon, where it communicates with the first, and to the Intestinum Cæcum.

The third ramus of this fecond branch, having communicated with the fecond, gives fmall twigs to the Cæcum, Apendicula Vermiformis, and extremity of the Ilium. Afterwards it communicates with the extremity of the arch, or curve trunk of the fuperior Mefenteric.

All these communications are by arches and mass, as in those branches that come from the convex fide of the arch; and it is to be observed in general, that all the branches of the Mesenterica superior are disposed according to the folds of the Mesentery and circumvolutions of the intestines; giving off branches, through their whole course, to the Laminæ of the Mesentery, its cellular substance, and to the Mesenteric glands.

ARTERIA MESENTERICA INFERIOR.

The lower Mefenteric Artery goes out anteriorly from the Aorta Defcendens inferior, about a finger's breadth or more above the bifurcation, and below the fpermatic arteries; and having run about the length of an inch, or fomething more; it is divided into three or four branches, which gradually feparate from each other.

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The first or superior branch, about an inch from its origin, divides into two rami; the first of which runs along the left portion of the Colon, and forms the communication of the two Mesenteric Arteries already mentioned. It may be named Arteria Colica Sinistra. The second ramus having communicated with the first, runs down upon the same portion of the Colon.

The middle branch having run the fame length with the first, divides into two rami; one of which passes upward on the extremity of the Colon, communicating by arches with the second ramus of the superior branch; the other runs down on the extremity of the fame intestine.

When there is another middle branch, it goes to the first part of the double curvature of the Colon, by a like distribution and communication from above downward.

The lower branch goes to the fecond portion of the Colon, or to both, when the fecond middle branch is wanting, and fends up a ramus, which communicates with the foregoing.

It fends another confiderable branch downward, called Arteria Hæmorrhoidalis interna, which runs down behind the Inteftinum Rectum, to which it is diftributed by feveral ramifications, and it communicates with the Arteriæ Hypogaftricæ.

ARTERIAE RENALES.

The Renal Arteries, called commonly Emulgents, are ordinarily two in number, and go out laterally from the inferior defcending Aorta, immediately under the Mefenterica fuperior, one to the right hand, the other to the left. The right is fituated more backward, and is longer than the left, becaufe of the Vena Cava, which lies on the right fide between the Aorta and the Kidney.

They run commonly without division, and almost horizontally to the kidneys, into the depressions of F which which they enter by feveral branches, which form arches in the inner fubftance of thefe Vifcera.

From thefe arches, numerous fmall rami go out toward the circumference or outer furface of the kidneys. Sometimes there is more than one artery on each fide; fometimes this augmentation is only on one fide, and thefe fupernumerary arteries come fometimes immediately from the Aorta, and enter at the upper or lower part of the kidneys.

Ordinarily, the right Renal Artery paffes behind the Vena Cava and Renal Vein on the other fide; and the left Artery, first behind and then before the vein. Sometimes they fend branches to the Glandulæ Renales, Membrana Adiposa of the kidneys, and even to the Diaphragm.

ARTERIAE CAPSULARES.

The Arteries of the Renal Glands, which may be termed Arteriæ Capfulares, arife fometimes from the Aorta above the Arteria Renalis, and give out the Arteriæ Adipofæ, which go to the fat of the kidneys. Sometimes they come from the trunk of the Cæliaca. The right Capfular Artery comes most commonly from the Arteria Renalis of the fame fide, near its origin; the left, from the Aorta above the Renalis.

ARTERIAE SPERMATICAE.

The Spermatic Arteries are commonly two in number, fometimes more. They are very fmall, and go out anteriorly from the Aorta defcendens inferior, near each other, about a finger's breadth below the Arteriæ Renales, more or lefs, between the two Mefentericæ or between the Renales and Mefentericæ inferiores. Sometimes one is higher, or placed more laterally than the other.

They fend off to the common membrane of the kidneys, finall branches named Arteriæ Adipofae; and afterwards they run down upon the Pfoas muscles, on the forefide of the Ureters, between the two Laminæ of the Peritonæum.

They give feveral confiderable branches to the Peritonæum, chiefly to thofe parts of it which are next the Mefentery, and they communicate both with the Mefentericæ and Adipofae. They likewife fend fmall arteries to the Ureters.

Afterwards, they pass in men through the tendinous openings of the Abdominal Muscles in the Vagina of the Peritonaeum, and are distributed to the Testicles and Epididymes, where they communicate with a branch of the Iliaca externa.

In women they do not go out of the Abdomen, but are diffributed to the Ovaria and Uterus, and communicate with branches of the Hypogastrica, at the jagged extremities of the Tubæ Falloppianæ.

ARTERIAE LUMBARES.

The Lumbar Arteries go out posteriorly from the inferior defcending Aorta, in five or fix pairs, or more, much in the fame manner with the Intercostals.

They may be divided into fuperior and inferior. The fuperior fend fmall branches to the neighbouring parts of the diaphragm and intercostal muscles, and fupply the place of femi-intercostal arteries. Sometimes those pairs go out by a fmall common trunk, and not feparately.

They are diffributed on each fide to the Pfoas mufcles, to the Quadrati Lumborum, and to the oblique and transverse mufcles of the Abdomen; and by perforating the oblique mufcles, they become external Hypogastric arteries. They go likewise to the Vertebral mufcles, and to the bodies of the Vertebræ, and enter the Spinal Canal through the lateral notches, to go to the membranes, &c. forming rings much in the same manner with the Intercostals; and they likewise give small twigs to the Nerves.

ARTERIAE SACRAE.

The Arteriae Sacrae go out commonly from the back part of the inferior defcending Aorta, at the bifurcation. Sometimes they arife higher, from the Lumbares, and fometimes lower, from the Iliacae. They are two, three, or four in number, and fometimes but one. They are ramified on the Os Sacrum, and on the neighbouring parts of the Peritonaeum, Inteftinum rectum, fat, &c. and enter the canal of that bone through the anterior holes, being there diftributed toward each fide. They likewife fend fmall arteries to the large Fafciculi of nerves, which go out through the holes of the Os Sacrum, and they penetrate the inner fubftance of that bone.

ARTERIAE ILIACAE.

The inferior defcending Aorta ends at the laft Vertebra of the loins, and fometimes higher, in two large lateral branches, one on the right hand, the other on the left, called Arteriae Illiacae; each of which is a common trunk to two other arteries of the fame name. This bifurcation lies on the anterior and left afide of that of the Vena Cava.

The primitive Iliac Arteries divaricate gradually as they defcend, advancing obliquely toward the anterior and lower part of the Offa Ilium, without any confiderable ramification for about the breadth of three fingers, except a few very finall arteries that go to the Os Sacrum, fome of which enter by the upper holes, and are diffributed like the Arteriae Sacrae, while others emerge again through the pofterior holes, and go to the neighbouring mufcles, &c. They likewife give finall arteries to the Peritonaeum, to the coats of the veins, and to the fat and Ureters, behind which the Iliac trunks pafs.

The right Iliac trunk paffes first, on the forefide of the origin of the left Iliac vein, and runs down on the forefide of the right vein, almost to the place where where it goes out of the Abdomen, its courfe being there directed more inwardly. The left trunk goes down likewife before the left vein, but lies a little toward the infide as it leaves the Abdomen.

About three fingers breadth from their origin, each Iliac trunk is divided into two fecondary arteries, one external, the other internal. The external artery has no particular name; the internal is termed Hypogaftrica, which often appears to be no more than a branch of the other, in adults; but in young children, and efpecially in the fœtus, the Hypogaftric artery looks like the trunk, and the other like a branch.

The external Iliaca on each fide runs down on the Iliac mufcle to the Ligamentum Falloppii, under which it goes out of the Abdomen. In this courfe, it gives off only a few finall arteries, to the Peritonæum and other parts near it; but as it paffes out of the Abdomen under the ligament, it detaches two confiderable branches, one internal, the other external.

The internal branch is named Arteria Epigastrica, and goes out anteriorly from the external Iliaca. From thence it runs obliquely upward on the tendon of the transverse muscle toward the posterior part of the Rectus, which it reaches about two or three fingers breadth above the Os Pubis.

Afterwards the Epigaftric artery runs up along the pofterior or inner fide of this mufcle, fending ramifications to the tendons of the neighbouring mufcles, &c. and then lofes itfelf by a true Anaftomofis of feveral ramifications, with the Mammaria interna. It likewife communicates with the inferior Intercostals which are foread on the Abdomen.

It fometimes gives out two particular branches, one of which accompany'd by a nerve, goes through the Foramen Ovale of the Pelvis to the Triceps mufcles, &c. the other runs down to the tefficles along with the fpermatic artery, and there communicates with it. The external branch of the outer Iliaca goes off laterally from the outfide of that artery under the Ligamentum Falloppii, and from thence to the internal Labium of the Os Ilium, where it divides into two, and is ramified on the oblique and transferfe muscles of the Abdomen, communicating with the Arteria Lumbaris.

Befides thefe two branches, the external Iliaca gives off a finall ramus internally, under the Ligament, which runs to the Vagina of the fpermatic rope; and fometimes another finall twig goes from the outfide, to the Os Ilium.

The internal Iliaca or Hypogaftrica, having run a little more than a finger's breadth inward and backward, bends by fmall degrees obliquely forward, and toward the outfide ; and afterwards contracting in its dimensions, it ends in the Umbilical artery, which ought to be looked upon as a true continuation of the trunk of the Hypogastrica.

This Arteria Umbilicalis afcends on the fide of the bladder, and having detached fmall rami to that Vifcus and to the neighbouring parts of the Peritonæum, &c. it contracts, and in adults is quite clofed up, above the middle of the bladder. It likewife gives branches to the Uterus and to the neighbouring parts in both fexes. Afterwards it afcends in form of a Ligament to the Umbilicus, where it joins the Umbilical artery on the other fide ; its name being taken from its ufe in the Fœtus.

From the convex fide of the curvature of the Hypogaftric artery, four or five principal branches commonly go out very near each other. Sometimes they all arife feparately, fometimes by fmall common trunks, and what is the first branch in fome fubjects, is only a ramus of another principal branch in others; fo much does the number, difposition, origin, and diftribution of these branches vary in different fubjects. For this reason we shall diffinguish them by the following proper names; Iliaca minor, Glutæa, Sciatica,

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tica, Pudica communis five Pudica Hypogastrica and Obturatrix.

The Iliaca minor, the most posterior of these branches, and which is often no more than a ramus of the Glutza, passes between the last two Lumbar Nerves, and divides into two rami, one of which enters the canal of the Os Sacrum through the lowest large anterior holes; the other passes behind the Musculus Ploas to which it gives twigs, and behind the Crural nerve, being afterwards distributed to the Iliac muscle, and to the middle part of the infide of the Os Ilium, penetrating into the fubstance of the bone, fometimes by one hole, fometimes by more.

The Arteria Glutæa is commonly very confiderable, and fometimes the largeft of all the Hypogaftric branches. Near its beginning it fometimes fends out the Iliaca minor, and fometimes the fmall ramus that goes from that artery to the Os Sacrum and other parts fixed to that bone. Afterwards this artery goes out of the Pelvis in company with the Sciatic nerve, thro' the upper part of the great finus of the Os Innominatum, below the Mulculus Pyriformis, and is diffributed in a radiated manner to the Glutæus Maximus and Medius.

In its paffage, it gives fome branches to the Os Sacrum, Os Coccygis, Mufculis Pyriformis, the mufcles of the Anus, and to the neighbouring parts of the Inteftinum Rectum, forming a particular Hemorrhoidalis interna. It likewife fends twigs to the bladder and parts near it; and detaches a pretty long branch which runs down with the Sciatic nerve.

The Arteria Sciatica gives first of all, some branches to the Musculus Pyriformis, the Quadrigemini, the Os Sacrum, &c. and even to the inner side of the Os Ischium. It likewise detaches a branch which runs under the Musculus Quadratus, to the articulation of the Os Femoris.

It paffes obliquely over the Sciatic nerve, and as they both go through the great pofterior finus of the Os Ilium, it detaches finall arteries which are diffributed buted to the inner fubftance of that nerve. Afterwards it runs up in a radiated manner on the outfide of the Os Ilium, and is diffributed to the inner fubftance of that bone, and to the Mufculi Glutzei, efpecially to the Medius and Minimus.

The Pudica Communis, called commonly Pudica Interna, arifes fometimes by a trunk common to it and to the Glutzea, and gives out two principal branches; the first of which passes through the great finus of the Os Ilium in company with the Glutzea and Sciatica, and then divides into two rami.

The first ramus goes behind the Spine of the Ifchium, between the two Ligaments which lie between that bone and the Os Sacrum; and runs on the infide of the Tuberculum Ifchii, all the way to the origin of the Corpus Cavernofum Penis. There it divides into feveral arteries, one of which goes to the Sphincter Ani, under the name of Hemorrhoidalis externa.

The reft are diffributed to the neighbouring integuments, to the bulb of the Urethra, to the Corpus Cavernofum Penis; but the laft of thefe arteries, or rather the extremity of this first ramus, runs from behind forward, over the neck of the Os Femoris, and communicates with a branch of the Arteria Cruralis.

The fecond principal ramus called commonly Arteria Pudica externa, runs between the bladder and Inteftinum Rectum, and is diffributed in men to the Veficulæ Seminales, neck of the bladder, proftate gland, and neighbouring parts of the Rectum.

Afterwards it runs under the Os Pubis on the fide of a confiderable vein, which lies directly under the Symphyfis; and it runs along the Penis between this vein and a nerve, being diffributed in its paffage to the Corpus Cavernofum, and communicating with the Pudica minor, which comes from the Cruralis.

This fecond branch of the Pudica major goes off fometimes feparately from the Hypogastrica, especially in women, being distributed to the lateral parts of the the Uterus, where it communicates with the fpermatic artery, near the jagged extremity of the Tuba Falloppiana; and to the neighbouring parts of the Vagina, &c.

The Arteria Obturatrix perforates the Obturator mufcles from whence it has its name, and goes out of the Pelvis at the upper part of the ligament of the Foramen Ovale, having first fent a small branch over the Symphysis of the Os Ilium and Os Pubis, to the Inguinal Glands and Integuments.

As is paffes by the mufcles, it divides and is diffributed to the Pectineus and Triceps. It likewife fends out another branch, which communicates with that branch of the Sciatica that goes to the articulation of the Os Femoris; and gives fmall arteries to the holes in the neck of that bone.

Afterwards the Hypogastric artery ends in the Umbilicalis, as has been already faid.

ARTERIAE CRURALES.

The Iliac Artery goes out of the Abdomen between the Ligamentum Falloppii, and tendon of the Pfoas at the union of the Os Ilium and Os Pubis, and there it takes the name of Arteria Cruralis.

It fends off first of all, three fmall branches; one of which called the Pudica Externa, goes over the Crural vein to the skin and ligament of the Penis and to the Inguinal glands, communicating with the Pudica Interna. The second goes to the Musculus Pectineus; and the third to the upper part of the Sartorius. All these branches furnish likewise the neighbouring anterior integuments.

Afterwards the Crural Artery runs down on the head of the Os Femoris, and by taking a particular turn, gets on the infide of the Crural vein, about three fingers breadth from where it goes out of the Abdomen. From its origin to this place, it is covered only by the fkin and fat, and lies on the Pectineus and Triceps Primus. In changing its fituation, it fends out three confiderable branches, one external, one middle, and one internal. They all go out more or lefs pofteriorly, fometimes by a fhort common trunk, fometimes by two, $\mathfrak{C}c$.

The external branch runs ou the upper fide of the thigh to the Crureus, Vaftus Externus, Rectus Anterior, Muículus Faíciæ Latae and Glutaeus Medius; fending up a ramus to the apex of the great Trochanter, which communicates with the first principal ramus of the Pudica Major, and Sciatica, as has been already faid.

The middle branch runs down on the infide of the thigh between the Triceps mufcles, to which it gives feveral rami, one whereof perforates the fecond mufcle, and is diffributed to the Glutaeus Maximus, Semi-Nervofus, Semi-Membranofus, Biceps, and to the neighbouring integuments.

The internal branch runs backward on the Quadrigemini towards the great Trochanter; and having detached a ramus which goes into the joint of the Os Femoris, it runs downward, and gives rami to all the mufcles that lie on the backfide of that bone, one of which enters the bone itfelf on one fide of the Linea Afpera.

Having fent off all thefe three branches, the Arteria Cruralis runs down between the Sartorius, Vafus internus and Triceps, giving branches to all the parts near it. It is covered by the Sartorius all the way to the lower part of the thigh, where it is inflected backward over the Triceps Tertius a little above the internal Condyle of the Os Femoris. Afterwards continuing its courfe through the hollow of the ham, it is called Arteria Poplitea, being accompany'd by the Vein of the fame name.

The Poplitea while in the ham, is covered only by the integument, fending off branches toward each fide, which run up upon the condyles, and communicate with the lower ramifications of the Arteria Cruralis.

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It fends rami to the joint of the knee, one of which at leaft paffes between the crucial ligaments. As it runs down it fends branches to the Gaftrocnemii and Popliteus; and having reached the backfide of the head of the Tibia, it gives off two branches, one to each fide.

The first or internal branch furrounds the forepart of the head of the Tibia, passing between the bone and internal lateral ligament; and besides several other ramifications, fends up a small branch which communicates with the Arteries that lie round the Condyles of the Os Femoris.

The fecond or external branch runs over the head of the Fibula, and between the head of the Tibia and external lateral ligament of the knee, furrounding the Articulation all the way to the ligaments of the Patella, and communicating with the branches which lie round the Condyles of the Os Femoris, together with a branch of the first or internal ramus.

Immediately after the origin of thefe two rami, and before the Poplitea ends, it fends a finall artery down on the backfide of the interoffeous ligament, very near the Tibia, into which it enters by a particular hole a little above the middle portion of the bone.

As the Poplitea ends, it divides into two principal branches, one of which runs between the heads of the Tibia and Fibula, paffing from behind forwards on the interoffeous ligament, where it takes the name of Arteria Tibialis Anterior. The fecond branch divides into two others, one internal and largeft, called Arteria Tibialis posterior, the other posterior and finalles, named Arteria Peronæa posterior.

The Tibialis Anterior having paffed between the heads of the Tibia and Fibula, fends fmall branches upward and laterally. The fuperior branches communicate with those rami of the Popliteus which lie round the articulation; and the lateral branches go to the neighbouring parts. Afterwards this Tibial Artery runs down on the forefide of the interoffeous ligament, ment, toward the outfide of the Tibia, between the Musculus Tibialis Anticus and Extensor Pollicis.

Having run laterally on the Tibia for about two thirds of the length of that bone, it paffes on the forefide under the common annular ligament, and Extenfor Pollicis, to the articulation of the foot; giving off feveral rami both to the right and left hand, which communicate laterally with the Tibialis posterior and Peronæa posterior, fo that these two bones are in a manner furrounded by arteries.

At the joint of the foot, it fends out branches which run between the Aftralagus and Os Calcis, being diffributed to the articulation and to the bones of the Tarfus. The communications are here very numerous on all fides.

Having passed the fold of the foot, it fends off toward both fides, other rami, which communicate with the posterior Tibialis and Peronæa; all these branches making a kind of circles round the Tarfus.

Afterwards the anterior Tibial Artery advances on the convex fide of the foot, as far as the interffice between the first and fecond metatarfal bones; between the heads of which, it fends a large branch, which perforates the superior interoffeous muscles, and joining the Tibialis posterior, forms an arch on the fide of the foot.

It likewife fends two or three confiderable branches over the other metatarfal bones, which go to the reft of the interoffeous mufcles, integuments, &c. and communicate with each other.

Laftly, this artery terminates by two principal branches, one of which goes to the Thenar, and infide of the great toe; the other is fpent upon the outfide of the great toe, and the infide of the fecond toe.

The Tibialis posterior, called likewife Suralis, runs down between the Solei, Tibialis Posticus, Flexor Digitorum communis, and Flexor Pollicis; giving branches to these muscles, to the Tibia, and to the marrow of that bone, through a particular canal in its posterior and upper part.

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Afterwards it runs behind the inner ankle, communicating with the Tibialis anterior, and furrounded by the neighbouring veins; and paffes to the fole of the foot between the concave fide of the Os Calcis and Thenar mufcle, where it divides into two branches, one large or external, the other finall or internal.

The great branch, or Arteria Plantaris externa, paffes on the concave fide of the Os Calcis obliquely under the fole of the foot, to the bafis of the fifth metatarfal bone, and from thence runs in a kind of arch toward the great toe, communicating there with the Tibialis anterior, which perforates the interoffeous mufcles in the manner already faid.

The convex fide of this arch fupplies both fides of the laft three toes, and the outfide of the fecond toe, forming finall communicating arches at the end, and fometimes at the middle of each toe, as in the hand. I he concave fide of the arch furnishes the neighbouring parts.

The finall branch, or Arteria Plantaris interna, having reached beyond the middle of the fole of the foot, is divided into two; one of which goes to the great toe, communicating with the ramus of the Tibialis Anterior; the other is diffributed to the first Phalanges of the other toes, communicating with the ramifications from the arch already mentioned.

The Arteria Peronæa runs down on the backfide of the Fibula, between the Soleus and Flexor Pollicis, to which and to the neighbouring parts, it gives rami in its paffage.

Having reached to the lower third part of the Fibula, it fends off a confiderable branch, which runs in between the Tibia and that bone, paffing between their extremities from behind forward, below the interoffeous ligament, and is diffributed to the integuments of the Tarfus.

Laftly, the Peronæa continuing its courfe downward, on the back fide of the Fibula, as far as the Os Calcis, forms an arch with the Tibialis posterior, between the Astralagus and the Tendo Achillis.

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From thence it runs outward, and a little above the outer ankle communicates with the Tibialis anterior by an arch, which fends feveral fmall ramifications to the neighbouring parts.

In this defcription of the Arteries, nothing is faid of the Cutaneous Anaftomofes, which are exceedingly beautiful in the Fœtus; nor of the frequent and confiderable communications of fmall Arteries upon the Periofteum, which forms a delicate kind of net-work, or Rete Mirabile.

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Of the VEINS.

THE blood diffributed to all parts of the body by two great Arteries, the Aorta and Arteria Pulmonaris, returns by three large Veins, called by anatomifts Vena Cava, Vena Portæ, and Vena Pulmonaris.

The Vena Cava carries back to the right Auricle of the heart, the blood conveyed by the Aorta to all the parts of the body, except what goes by the Arteriae Coronariae Cordis. It receives all this blood from the arterial ramifications in part directly, and in part indirectly.

The Vena Portae receives the blood carried to the floating Vifcera of the Abdomen by the Arteria Celiaca, and the two Mefentericae, and conveys it to the Vena Hepatica, and from thence to the Vena Cava.

The Vena Pulmonaris conveys to the Pulmonary Sinus, or left Auricle of the heart, the blood carried to the Lungs by the Arteria Pulmonaris.

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To thefe three veins two others might be added, viz. those which belong particularly to the heart and to its Auricles, and the Sinufes of the Dura Mater.

In defcribing the general courfe of the veins, we may either begin by their extremities in all the parts of the body, and end by the trunks carried all the way to the heart, according to the courfe of the blood; or we may begin by the great trunks, and end by the ramifications and capillary extremities, according to their feveral divisions and fubdivisions.

This laft method is most convenient, and makes it a very easy matter to purfue the first, whenever we think it proper to do it; we shall therefore follow it in this description.

General Division of the VENA CAVA.

We commonly talk of the Vena Cava in general, as if it were but one vein at its origin, or had but one common trunk; whereas it goes out from the right Auircle of the heart by two large feparate trunks, in a direction almost perpendicularly opposite to each other, one running upward called Vena Cava superior, the other downward called Vena Cava inferior.

It may however be faid, that there two veins have a fort of continuity, or a fmall portion of a common trunk, fixed to the edges of the right Auricle ; as if three quarters of the circumference of a large ftraight tube were cut off, and the edges of a fmall bladder applied to the edges of the opening thus made in the tube.

The right Auricle may alfo be look'd upon as a mufcular trunk common to thefe two large veins, and may be called the Sinus of the Vena Cava; but in this refpect, the name of Sinus Pulmonaris agrees ftill better to the left Auricle.

The Vena Cava fuperior is diffributed chiefly to the Thorax, head, and upper extremities, and but very little to the parts below the Diaphragm.

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The Vena Cava inferior is distributed chiefly to the Abdomen and lower extremities, and but very little to the parts above the Diaphragm.

The ancients called the fuperior Vena Cava, Afcendens, and the inferior, Defcendens, having regard only to the great Tubes, and to their division into trunks and branches. Several moderns have retained these names, but in a contrary fignification, to accommodate them to the motion of the blood, which defcends by the Cava fuperior, and afcends by the Cava inferior.

But to fhun the mistakes that may happen in reports made of wounds or other difeases, and of what is observed in opening dead bodies, and in other cases of these kinds, it is best to retain the distinction of Vena Cava superior and inferior.

The trunk of each of thefe two veins fends off, much in the fame manner with the arteries, a certain number of principal or capital branches, which are afterward ramified in different manners. Each trunk terminates afterwards by a bifurcation or a division into two fubordinate trunks, each of which gives off other principal branches, ending in a great number of finall trunks, rami and ramifications.

They have likewife this common to them with the arteries, that the greatest part of the capital branches are in pairs, as well as the fubordinate trunks. The ramifications of each subordinate trunk taken by itself, are in uneven numbers, but they make even numbers with those of the other like trunk. The Vena Azygos and some other small veins, of which hereafter, are exceptions from this rule.

Before we go on to the particular defcription of each of these veins, many of which have proper names, it will be neceffary to give a general idea of their distribution, and an enumeration of their principal ramifications in the fame manner as was done in the description of the arteries, and for the fame reason.

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Of the VEINS.

VENA CAVA Superior.

The fuperior Vena Cava runs up from the right auricle of the heart, almost in a direct course, for about two fingers breadth, lying within the Pericardium, in the right fide of the trunk of the Aorta, but a little more anteriorly.

As it goes out of the Pericardium, it is inclined a little to the left hand, and then runs up about an inch, that is, as high at the Cartilage of the first true rib, and a little higher than the curvature of the Aorta. At this place it terminates by a bifurcation or division into two large branches or fubordinate trunks, one of which runs toward the left hand, the other toward the right.

Thefe two branches are named Subclaviæ, as lying behind, and in fome meafure, under the Claviculæ, both in the fame manner. They are of unequal lengths, becaufe the trunk of the Vena Cava does not lie in the middle of the Thorax, but toward the right fide, where the left Subclavian arifes as well as the right, and is confequently longeft.

The trunk of the fuperior Cava from where it leaves the Pericardium to the bifurcation, fends out anteriorly feveral finall branches, which fometimes arife feparately and fometimes by fmall common trunks. Thefe branches are the Vena Mediastina, Pericardia, Diaphragmatica fuperior, Thymica, Mammaria interna, and Trachealis, the laft of which go out fometimes behind the bifurcation.

All thefe fmall branches from the trunk of the Cava fuperior are termed Dextræ; and their fellows on the other fide called Sinistræ do not arife from the trunk, becaufe of its lateral fituation, but from the left Subclavia.

Pofteriorly, a little above the Pericardium, the trunk of the Superior Cava fends out a capital branch, called Vena Azygos, or Vena fine Pari, which runs down on the right fide of the bodies of the Vertebræ Dorfi, almost to the Diaphragm; giving off the greateft H

greatest part of the Venæ Intercostales and Lumbares superiores.

The two Subclaviæ run laterally or toward each fide, and terminate as they go out of the Thorax, between the first rib and Clavicula, immediately before the anterior infertion of the Musculus scalenus.

The right Subclavian, which is the florteft of the two, commonly fends out four capital branches; the Jugularis externa, Jugularis interna, Vertebralis and Axillaris, which laft is rather a continuation than a branch of the Subclavia.

The left Subclavian being longer than the right, for the reafon already given, gives off first of all the fmall veins on the left fide, answering those on the right fide that come from the trunk of the superior Cava, viz. the Mediastina, Pericardia, Diaphragmatica superior, Thymica, Mammaria interna, and Trachealis.

Next to thefe fmall veins, called Siniftræ, it detaches another finall branch, called Intercostalis fuperior Sinistra, and then four large branches like those from the right Subclavian, viz. the Jugularis externa, Jugularis interna, Vertebralis and Axillaris, which are all termed Sinistræ.

The external jugular veins, are diffributed chiefly to the outer parts of the throat, neck and head; and fend a fmall vein to the arm, named Cephalica, which affifts in forming a large one of the fame name.

The internal jugular veins go to the internal parts of the neck and head, communicating with the Sinufes of the Dura Mater, and in feveral places, with the external jugular veins.

The vertebral veins pass through the holes in the transverse Apophyses of the Vertebræ of the neck, fending branches to the neck and Occiput. They form the Sinus Venales of these Vertebræ, and communicate with the Sinuses of the Dura Mater.

The Axillary Veins are continuations of the Subclaviæ, from where thefe leave the Thorax to the Axillae. They produce the Mammariae internæ, Thoracicæ, racicæ, Scapulares or Humerales, and a branch to each arm, which, together with that from the external Jugularis, forms the Vena Cephalica.

Afterwards the Axillary Vein terminates in the principal vein of the arm, called Bafilica; which, together with the Cephalica, is diffributed by numerous ramifications to all the parts of the arm, fore-arm and hand.

VENA CAVA Inferior.

The portion of the inferior Vena Cava, contained in the Pericardium is very fmall, being fcarcely the twelfth part of an inch on the fore part, and not above a quarter of an inch on the back part. From thence it immediately perforates the Diaphragm, to which it gives the Venæ Diaphragmaticæ inferiores or Phrenicæ.

It paffes next behind the liver through the great Sinus of that Vifcus to which it furnishes feveral branches, termed Venæ Hepaticæ.

In this courfe it inclines a little toward the Spina Dorfi and Aorta inferior, the trunk and ramifications of which it afterwards accompanies in the Abdomen, all the way to the Os Sacrum; the Arteria Cæliaca and the two Menfentericæ only excepted.

Thus the inferior Cava fends out on each fide, in the fame manner with the Aorta, the Venæ Adipofæ, Renales, Spermaticæ, Lumbares, and Sacræ. Having reached to the Os Sacrum it lofes the name of Cava, and terminating by a bifurcation, like that of the defcending Aorta, it forms the two Venæ Iliacæ.

Thefe Iliac Veins having given off the Hypogaftricæ with all their ramifications, to the Vifcera of the Pelvis and to fome other external and internal neighbouring parts, go out of the Abdomen, under the Ligamentum Falloppii, and there take the name of Venæ Crurales.

Each Crural Vein fends off numerous ramifications to all the lower extremity; befides the Vena Saphe-

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na which goes out near the origin of the Cruralis, and running along this whole extremity, detaches many ramifications, all the way to the foot, as we shall fee more particularly hereafter.

VENA AZYGOS and VENAE INTERCOSTALES.

The Vena Azygos or fine Pari is very confiderable, and arifes posteriorly from the Superior Cava a little above the Pericardium.

It is immediately afterwards bent backward over the origin of the right lung; forming an arch which furrounds the great pulmonary veffels on that fide, as the arch of the Aorta does those of the left fide, with this difference only, that the Curvature of the Azygos is almost directly backward, whereas that of the Aorta is oblique.

From thence it runs down on the right fide of the Vertebræ Dorfi on one fide of the Aorta, and before the Intercoftal Arteries; and getting behind the Diaphragm, it terminates by a very fenfible Anaftomofis, fometimes with the Vena Renalis, fometimes with a neighbouring lumbar vein, fometimes immediately with the trunk of the Cava inferior, and fometimes otherwife.

Sometimes this vein is extremely large, refembling the trunk of the inferior Cava, from the Diaphragm to the origin of the Renales; the true Cava being through all this fpace very narrow, or of the fize of an ordinary Azygos.

The Vena Azygos fends out first of all, two or three fmall veins from the top of the arch, one of which goes to the Aspera Arteria; the others partly to the Aspera Arteria, and partly to the Bronchia, by the name of Venæ Bronchiales, accompanying the ramifications of the Bronchial Artery.

Afterwards the Azygos detaches from the extremity of the arch, a finall trunk common to two or three finall veins, called Intercostales fuperiores Dextrae, which bring back the blood from the first three Series of of the intercoftal muscels, and from the neighbouring part of the Pleura.

These intercostal veins send branches through the intercostal muscles to the Serratus superior Posticus, Serratus major, &c. and afterwards they run along the interstices between the ribs, communicating with the Venae Mammariae.

They likewife fend fmall branches backward to the vertebral mufcles, and canal of the Spine, where they communicate with the Venal Circles or Sinufes which bring back the blood from the Medulla Spinalis.

As the Azygos runs down, it fends off the inferior intercoftal veins on the right fide, one going to each feries of intercoftal mufcles. Thefe veins run along the lower edges of the ribs, and perforate the mufcles by branches, which go to the pofterior and external part of the Thorax.

They communicate with the Venae Thoracicae, and most commonly with the Mammaria interna; and lastly, more or lefs with each other, by perpendicular branches, near the posterior extremities of the ribs.

The Azygos fends off likewife the left intercoftal veins, but feldom the whole number; for the fuperior veins come often from the left Subclavian, as we shall fee in the hiftory of that vein. The inferior intercoftal veins, to the number of fix or feven, fometimes more, fometimes fewer, come often from the trunk of Azygos; and running between the Aorta and Vertebrae, to the fubftance of which they give fmall capillary twigs, they fend off almost the fame ramifications with the veins on the right fide, and likewife fome to the Oefophagus.

Sometimes thefe intercostal veins come from a fmall common trunk which goes out from that of the Azygos, and passing between the Aorta and Vertebræ is bent downward along the left fide of the Vertebræ, in which courfe, it detaches the Intercostals laterally. This fmall trunk is in fome fubjects bifurcated upward and and downward, as it fends off the Intercoftals; and in others there are two fmall common trunks.

Laftly, there is fometimes an intire Azygos on the left fide, which proceeding from the arch of the ordinary Azygos, is afterwards diffributed in the fame manner as the other on the right fide; but this difpofition likewife varies very much.

The Azygos having reached below the laft rib, fends off a large branch, which bending outward, perforates the mufcles of the Abdomen, is ramified between their different planes, and communicates with the like ramifications of the laft, or laft two intercoftal veins.

Sometimes it fends off the Vena Diaphragmatica inferior, and likewife gives downward to the first, or first two transverse Apophyses of the Vertebræ Lumbares, a branch which forms the first Venæ Lumbares Dextræ.

These communications between the last intercostal, and first lumbar veins are very irregular, being fometimes by a feries of opposite angles, fometimes by Areolæ, fometimes by a reticular texture, $\mathcal{C}c$. Sometimes the extremity of the Vena Azygos communicates either mediately or immediately with the Vena Adiposa, and even with the Vena Spermatica.

VENAÉ PECTORALES Internæ.

The Pectorales internæ, are finall veins difpofed in pairs toward the right and left hand, behind the Sternum and parts near it, including the Diaphragmaticæ fuperiores, or Pericardio-Diaphragmaticæ, Mediaftinæ, Mammariæ internæ, Thymicæ, Pericardiæ, and Gutturales or Tracheales.

All thefe finall veins are divided into right and left; and thefe are both diffributed much in the fame manner; but they differ in their origins, becaufe of the inequality in the bifurcation of the Cava fuperior.

The right Vena Mediastina goes out anteriorly from the trunk of the superior Cava, a little above the the origin of the Azygos; the left comes from the Subclavia.

The right fuperior Diaphragmatica or Pericardio-Diaphragmatica comes anteriorly from the root of the bifurcation near the Mediaftina; and is diffributed by feveral branches to the upper, fore, and back parts of the Pericardium, communicating with those of the left Diaphragmatica, and accompanying the nerve of the fame name. The left fuperior Diaphragmatica comes from the left Subclavian a little below the origin of the Mammaria.

The right internal Mammaria arifes anteriorly from the Vena Cava, a little below the angle of the bifurcation. It runs along the neareft internal or pofterior edge of the Sternum, and on the cartilaginous extremities of the right ribs, together with the artery of the fame name. Having reached near the Diaphragm, it fends it a branch which runs toward the tendinous plane, and communicates with the common diaphragmatic veins.

Afterwards this mammary vein gives fmall branches to the Mediaftinum, and others between the ribs to the Integuments; of which those that pass between and under the cartilages of the last true ribs, run down on the inner or posterior fide of the Musculi Recti Abdominis, being ramified among their fleshy fibres, and communicating really with the Epigastric veins by feveral fmall twigs.

The left internal Mammaria arifes anteriorly from the left Subclavian, opposite to the cartilage or anterior extremity of the first true rib.

The right Vena Thymica, when it arifes feparately, goes out from the bifurcation; and when it is wanting, the Thymus from whence it takes its name, is furnished by the Gutturalis or fome other neighbouring vein. This vein often reaches no lower than the inferior part of the Thymus; and the left vein of the fame name comes from the left Subclavian, almost opposite to the Sternum.

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The right Pericardia feems to go out rather from the origin of the right Subclavian, than from the trunk of the fuperior Cava; but in this there are many varieties. It goes to the upper fide of the Pericardium, and other neighbouring parts. The left Pericardia comes fometimes from the left Subclavian, before the Mammaria, and fometimes from the Mammaria or Diaphragmatica fuperior on the fame fide.

The right Gutturalis or Trachealis goes out from the upper part of the bifurcation, above the Mammaria of the fame fide, fometimes more backward, and fometimes from the Subclavia. It is diffributed to the Glandulae Thyroidææ, Trachea Arteria, Mufculi Sterno-Hyoidaei, Thymus and Glandulae Bronchiales. It communicates by lateral branches more or lefs contorted, with the internal jugular vein, and fometimes by another branch, with a finall vein, which the internal jugular fends to the Glandula Thyroides. The left Gutturalis comes from the upper or posterior part of the left Subclavian near its origin.

The fmalleft internal pectoral veins do not always arife feparately, but have fometimes a fmall common trunk, efpecially on the right fide; and of all thefe fmall veins, the Mammaria interna is the moft confiderable.

VENAE SUBCLAVIAE.

The right Subclavian Vein, as has been already faid, is very fhort, and its courfe very oblique, fo that it appears to rife higher than the left vein. It fends off firft of all, four large branches already mentioned, viz. the Vertebralis, which is the firft and most posterior; the Jugularis interna, Jugularis externa and Axillaris.

The left Subclavian feems to afcend but very little, after the bifurcation, becaufe it runs further and more transverfely than the right; and in this courfe

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it covers the origin of three large arteries, which come from the curvature of the Aorta. It fends off four large branches befides the fmall pectoral veins, and receives the Ductus Thoracicus.

It likewife gives off, before its principal division, a fmall trunk for the left fuperior Intercoftals, which are fometimes fix in number, and communicate with the inferior Intercoftals, and with a branch of the Vena Azygos. This fmall common intercoftal trunk furnishes likewife the left Bronchialis.

Each Subclavian Vein near the middle of the Clavicula, fends off a branch called Cephalica, which defcends near the furface of the body, between the Deltoides and Pectoralis major, and reaches the arm in the manner which fhall be related hereafter.

VENAE JUGULARES Externæ.

Each external jugular Vein arifes from the Subclavian on the fame fide, fometimes from the Axillaris, and fometimes from the union of thefe two veins. The right and left do not always arife in the fame manner; for fometimes the right comes from the Subclavian, and the left from the internal Jugular on the fame fide. They run up between the Mufculus Cutaneus and Sterno-Maftoidæus, being covered by the former, and croffing over the latter.

Sometimes they are double from their very origins; and when they are fingle, each of them divides afterwards into two, one anterior, and the other posterior or rather fuperior. The anterior vein goes to the throat and face, running up toward the angle of the lower jaw, and the posterior goes to the temples and Occiput.

VENA JUGULARIS Externa Anterior.

The anterior external jugular Vein is often a branch of the Jugularis interna, and fometimes arifes from the communications of the two Jugulares in fuch

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a manner as that it cannot be faid to belong more to the one than to the other. Sometimes, but very rarely, it comes from the Vena Axillaris.

It runs up toward the lateral part of the lower jaw, between the angle and the chin, like a Vena Maxillaris, and fends feveral branches forwards, backwards and inwards.

Pofteriorly it gives, (1) a large branch on the fide of the upper part of the Larynx, which communicates with the Jugularis interna; and likewife with a large flort branch of the Jugularis externa pofterior, of which below. (2) A fmall branch which has the fame communication, but which is not always to be found. (3) Another fmall branch a little below the lower jaw, which communicates with the Jugularis externa pofterior.

Anteriorly it fends feveral branches to the mufcles of the Larynx, Sterno-Hyoidæi, Thyro-Hyoidæi and to the Integuments; and below the Larynx it fends communicating branches to the Jugularis externa anterior of the other fide.

A little higher, opposite to the Cartilago Thyroides, it gives off a transverse branch, which runs on the anterior and lower part of the Musculi Sterno-Mastoidæi, and communicates with the Jugularis of the other fide, tho' not always by a vein of the same kind.

The fuperior and inferior transverse branches communicate on each fide by branches more or less perpendicular, and fend a small branch to the Musculus Quadratus of the chin, to the Musculus Cutaneus and Integuments.

It fends another large branch anteriorly toward the Symphyfis of the lower jaw, which after having fupplied the maxillary Glands, is diffributed to the digaftric mufcle, to the chin and under lip.

Interiorly at the fame place it fends out a large branch, which furnishes the Glandulæ Sublinguales, runs down toward the Cornua of the Os Hyoides, to communicate with fome branches of the Jugularis interna, interna, and fends feveral rami to the tongue, called Venæ Raninæ. It gives off likewife a fmall branch, which running upon the Mufculus Labiorum Triangularis, to the commissure of the lips, is diffributed to the neighbouring parts.

The fame branch which gives out the Venæ Raninæ, detaches another to the lateral parts of the Septum Palati, which is diffributed to the Amygdalæ, and to the Uvula, and fends rami forward to the membrane, which lines the arch of the palate. Another branch goes out from it to the Pterygoidæus internus, Periftaphylini and Cephalo-Pharyngæi.

Afterwards the trunk of the anterior external jugular vein runs up on the Mufculus Triangularis, where it receives the name of Vena Triangularis, in a winding courfe from the angle of the lower jaw to the great or internal angle of the Orbit, fending branches on each fide to the mufcles and integuments.

Thefe branches communicate with each other, efpecially one which paffes under the Zygoma, behind the Os Malæ, to the inferior Orbitary or Spheno-maxillary fiffure, and another fmall branch, which runs along the inferior portion of the Orbitary Mufcle, to the fmall or external angle of the eye, where it communicates with the rami Temporales and Frontales.

It is here to be obferved that under the angle of the lower jaw, there is a great variety of communications between the external and internal jugular veins, and alfo a great variety in the diffribution of thefe veins.

Almost all the ramifications, which at this place go from the external jugular vein, to be distributed on the upper part of the throat and on the face in fome fubjects, arife in other fubjects from the internal Jugular; and fometimes, one part of them comes from the external Jugular, the rest from the internal.

The trunk of the Vena Angularis having reached the bones of the nofe, fends out a branch through the lateral cartilages of the nofe, which is distributed to to the Nares; and another which runs down in a winding courfe to the upper lip.

At the great or inner angle of the eye, the fame trunk fends off feveral other branches; the first of which goes to the root of the nose, and communicating with its fellow from the other fide, gives feveral fmall veins to the holes of the Offa Nasi.

The fecond branch runs up on the fore-head, by the name of Vena Frontalis, antiently Præparata; and is distributed to each fide, communicating with its fellow, when any fuch vein is found.

The third branch enters the Orbit in a winding courfe, one on each fide of the cartilaginous pully, and communicates with the Sinufes of the Dura Mater, by the orbitary Sinus of the eye.

The fourth branch goes along the Mufculus Superciliaris and the upper part of the Orbicularis, to the fmall or external angle of the eye, to communicate with the Vena Temporalis and with that vein which runs along the lower part of the orbicular mufcle, with which it forms a kind of circle.

VENA JUGULARIS externa posterior, five superior.

The pofterior or fuperior external jugular Vein runs up toward the parotid gland, and lower anterior part of the eye, giving out feveral confiderable branches toward each fide.

At its origin it fends out posteriorly, a principal branch with its ramifications, to the muscles which cover the Scapula, and joint of the Humerus, commonly called Vena Muscularis, and which might be named Super-Humeralis.

A little higher, it gives off the Vena Cervicalis which goes to the vertebral mufcles of the neck. This vein communicates with the Humeralis by the feveral Areolæ, or venal mafhes, and they are both ramified in different manners.

Thefe ramifications and communications are in part covered by the Mufculus Trapezius, and communicate cate likewife with fome branches of the Vena Occipitalis, and with a branch of the fuperior intercoftal vein, which perforates the first intercoftal mufcle.

Near the cervical vein, but a little more outward, it gives off fometimes the fmall Vena Cephalica, which runs down between the Pectoralis major, and Deltoides, as was already faid, and unites with the Vena Cephalica of the arm, which fhall be defcribed hereafter.

Backward it detaches the Vena Occipitalis, which is diffributed on the Occiput, and fometimes comes from the Vena Vertebralis or Axillaris, &c. It likewife fends out a finall vein, which enters the Cranium by the pofterior Maftoide hole, and terminates in one of the lateral Sinufes of the Dura Mater. This branch comes fometimes from another vein.

Having reached as far as the Parotid Gland, it forms communications with the anterior external Jugular, under the angle of the lower jaw; and then paffes through the Parotid Gland, between that angle and the Condyle, giving off a large branch which communicates with another branch common to the internal and anterior external Jugulars.

Sometimes there are feveral branches, which having run a very little way unite together and reprefent the flort large branch, forming Areolæ or Maffes through which the nerves pafs.

Afterwards it paffes before the ear, taking the name of Vena Temporalis, which is distributed to the temples and lateral parts of the head, towards the Occiput and fore-head. Sometimes the temporal Vein has two origins, whereof one is from the Jugularis interna.

The temporal Vein of one fide communicates above, with its fellow on the other fide ; before, with the Vena Frontalis, and behind, with the Vena Occipitalis. Oppofite to the ear, it gives out a large branch, one ramus of which runs under the lower edge of the Zygoma, and then returning, communicates with another ramus from the fame Jugularis, a little little below the Condyle of the lower jaw, forming a kind of island irregularly round.

Behind this Condyle, it gives branches to the Temporal Mufcle, to the neighbouring parts of the upper jaw, and to the infide of the lower jaw, almost in the fame manner as is done by the arteries.

Only one of thefe branches runs from without inward, between the Condyloide and Coronoide Apophyfes, to be diffributed to the Mufculus Temporalis and Pterygoidæi; fending off a ramus to the Maffeter, in its paffage.

VENA JUGULARIS Interna.

The internal jugular Vein, is the largest of all those that go to the head; tho' not so large as it seems to be, when injected.

It runs up behind the Sterno-Maftoidæus and Omo-Hyoidæus which it croffes; along the fides of the Vertebræ of the neck, by the edge of the Longus Colli, to the Foffula of the Foramen Lacerum of the Bafis Cranii.

The first branches which it fends off are finall and go to the Thyroide Glands. About two fingers breadth higher up, it detaches a middle-fized branch which runs laterally toward the Larynx, and may be named Vena Gutturalis.

This Guttural Vein divides chiefly into three branches; the loweft of which goes to the Thyroide Gland and neighbouring mufcles; the middle branch to the Larynx, Mufculi Thyroidæi, &c. and the third runs upward to the great communication between the two Jugulares already mentioned. In this, however, there is fome variety, and I have feen the left Guttural Vein go out from the Axillaris.

About the fame diftance upward, almost opposite to the Os Hyoides, the internal Jugular gives another branch, which fends rami to the muscles belonging to that bone, and others which communicate with the foregoing branch. This other branch runs upward ward toward the parotid gland and angle of the lower jaw, where it fends communicating branches forward and backward to the two external Jugulares.

It is at this place likewife that the internal Jugular fometimes produces the Vena Maxillaris interna and all its ramifications, as has been already faid in the defcription of the Jugularis anterior externa.

The internal Jugular fends another branch backward, which is diffributed to the Occiput, where it communicates with a branch of the Vertebralis ; and through the pofterior Maftoide hole, with the lateral Sinus of the Dura Mater. This communication is fometimes by an anaftomofis with a branch of the external jugular, or of the Cervicalis which goes thither.

Afterwards it reaches the Foramen Lacerum of the Bafis Cranii, bending a little, and fending off finall twigs to the Pharynx and neighbouring mufcles.

VENA VERTEBRALIS.

The Vertebral Vein arifes posteriorly from the Subclavia or Axillaris, fometimes by two stems, fometimes by one, which foon afterwards divides into two.

The first and principal stem gives out a branch called Vena Cervicalis, which is distributed to the neighbouring muscles, and afterwards runs up through the holes of the transverse apophyses of the Vertebræ Colli. This cervical branch comes fometimes from the Axillaris.

The other ftem of the Vertebral Vein runs up on the fide of the Vertebræ and having reached the fourth, are fometimes higher, it runs in between the transfer apophyses of that Vertebra and of the fifth, to join the first or principal stem.

Thus the Vertebral Vein accompanies the artery of the fame name, fometimes in one trunk, fometimes in feveral ftems, through all the holes of the tranfverfe apophyfes of the Vertebræ Colli, all the way

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to the great Foramen Occipitale, communicating with the occipital veins and fmall occipital finufes of the Dura Mater.

In its paffage it gives off one branch which enters by the pofterior Condyloide hole of the Os Occipitis, and communicates with the lateral finus of the Dura Mater; but it is not always to be met with.

As thefe veins run through the holes in the tranfverfe apophyfes, they fend branches forward to the anterior mufcles of the neck, and to the fmall interior mufcles of the head.

Other branches go likewife outward and backward to the mufculi transversales and vertebrales Colli; and inward to the great canal of the spinal marrow, where they form sinuses, which communicate with those on the other side.

Thefe vertebral finufes are prety numerous, and placed one above another all the way to the Occiput; the lower communicate with the upper; and at the great Foramen of the Os Occipitis, there is a communication between them and the occipital finufes of the Dura Mater.

VENA AXILLARIS.

The Subclavian Vein having fent off the branches already defcribed, goes out of the Thorax, and paffes before the anterior portion of the Mufculus Scalenus, and between the firft rib and the clavicle, to the Axilla. Through this courfe it takes the name of Vena Axillaris, and gives off feveral branches, the chief of which are the Venæ Mufculares, Thoracicæ and Vena Cephalica, which is fometimes double.

The first veins which it fends off are the Musculares distributed to the middle portion of the Musculus Trapezius, to the Angularis, Infra-Spinatus and Subscapularis; and as fome of these branches go to the shoulder exteriorly, others interiorly; the Venæ Scapulares are distinguished into external and internal.

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A little before the Axillaris reaches the Axilla, it fends out the Venæ Thoracicæ, one of which is fuperior, called alfo, Mammaria Externa, and the other Inferior. It likewife fends rami to the Mufculus Subfcapularis, Teres Major, Teres Minor, Supra-Spinatus, Latiflimus Dorfi, Serratus Major, Pectoralis Minor, Pectoralis Major, and to the glands of the Axilla; and fometimes gives a communicating branch to the Vena Bafilica.

The Axillaris having reached the fide of the head of Os Humeri, produces a very confiderable branch named Vena Cephalica, and afterwards runs along the arm by the name of Vena Bafilica; which however appears fometimes to be rather a branch, than a continuation of the trunk of the Axillaris; in which cafe the Cephalica and Bafilica might be looked upon as two principal branches of the Axillary vein.

VENA CEPHALICA.

The Cephalic vein which is a branch of the Axillaris, at a fmall diffance from its origin, joins the fmall Cephalica which runs down from the Subclavia, or Jugularis externa ; having till then run near the fur face of the body between the Deltoides and Pectoralis Major, and fometimes thefe two veins communicate before their union.

The great Cephalica runs down between the tendons of the last mentioned muscles, and along the outer edge of the external portion of the Biceps; communicating feveral times with the Vena Basilica, and fending small rami on each fide, to the neighbouring muscles, fat and skin. Some branches go out from its upper part, which, lower down, unite again with the trunk.

A little below the external Condyle of the Os Humeri, it detaches a branch backward, which runs up between the Mufculus Brachialis and the upper portion of the Supinator Longus, and afterwards bends K back back between the Os Humeri and Anconaeus Externus, where it communicates with fome branches of the Bafilica.

Having reached very near the fold of the arm, it is divided into two principal branches, one long, the other fhort. The long branch is named Radialis externa, and the fhort one may be called Mediana, Cephalica, to deftinguish it from another Mediana, which is a fhort branch of the Bafilica; and therefore ought to be called Vena Mediana Bafilica.

The external Radial Vein runs along the Radius between the mufcles and integuments, giving off branches toward both fides, which communicate with other branches of the fame vein, and with fome from the Bafilica, forming Areolae much in the fame manner as the Saphena does in the lower extremity.

The Mediana Cephalica runs down obliquely toward the middle of the fold of the arm, under the integuments, and over the tendon of the Biceps where it joins a flort branch of the fame kind from the Bafilica, which I have already named Mediana Bafilica. Thefe two Medianae unite in an angle, the apex of which is turned downward.

From this angular union, or Anaftomofis, a confiderable branch goes out, which runs down on the fore-arm, uniting on one fide with the Vena Cephalica, and communicating on the other with the Bafilica, by feveral irregular Areolae. The name of Mediana is given to this large branch, as well as to the two fhort ones, by the union of which it is formed; but that they may not be confounded, this large branch may be termed Mediana Major or Media, the names already given to the other two being retained.

From this union of the two lateral Medianae, and fometimes from the origin of the Mediana Media, which is the true Mediana of *Riolan*, a branch goes out which runs down on the infide of the fore-arm, opposite to the interoffeous ligament, and is called Vena Cubiti Profunda. It goes to the neighbouring muscles, and communicates with the other veins of the fore-arm. The Mediana Cephalica fometimes fends down down a long branch, called Radialis interna, which lies almost parallel to the Radialis externa already mentioned.

Afterwards the Cephalica having reached the extremity of the Radius, is diffributed by numerous Areolae, almost in the fame course with the Radial Artery.

A particular branch goes out from it, which runs more or lefs fuperficially between the thumb and Metacarpus, by the name of Cephalica Pollicis. The Areolae furnish the interoffeous mufcles and integuments, and communicate with a fmall ramus from the Bafilica, called by the ancients Salvatella.

VENA BASILICA.

The ancients termed the Bafilic Vein of the right arm, the vein of the Liver, or Vena Hepatica Brachii; and that of the left arm, the vein of the Spleen, or Vena Splenica Brachii. It has fometimes a double origin, by a branch of communication with the trunk of the Axillaris,

It fends off first of all, under the head of the Os Humeri, a pretty large branch, which passes almost transversely round the neck of that bone, from within, backward, and from behind, outward, running up on the Scapula, where it is ramified on the Deltoides, and communicates with the Venæ Scapulares externæ. This branch may be named Vena Sub-humeralis or Articularis, as the Artery which lies in the fame place; they both having much the fame course.

This Articular Vein fends down two principal branches, one of which runs along the infide of the bone, to which, and to the Periofteum, it gives finall veins. The other turns forward, toward the middle of the arm between the bone and the Biceps, and communicates with the Cephalica.

Below the neck of the Os Humeri, near the hollow of the Axilla, and behind the tendon of the Pectoralis .

toralis Major, the Bafilica fends out a confiderable branch, which runs down on the fide of the Brachial Artery, and furnishes the neighbouring muscles on both fides. This vein is named Profunda Brachii, or Profunda superior.

Immediately afterwards, the Bafilica detaches two or three fmall veins, which run down very clofely joined to the Brachial Artery, furrounding it at different diffances by fmall twigs, which communicate with each other. Thefe veins might be named Venae Satellites Arteriae Brachialis.

Thefe fmall veins which often arife from the Profunda fuperior, communicate with the Bafilica and Cephalica; and having reached the fold of the arm, they divide like the artery, and the fame divisions are continued along the whole fore-arm, through all which fpace they accompany and furround the arterial branches, in the manner already faid.

Afterwards the Bafilica continues its courfe along the infide of the Os Humeri, between the muscles and integuments, forming many communications with the Vena Profunda, Satellites and Cephalica, and fupplying the muscles and integuments.

Having reached the inner condyle, and having fent off obliquely in the fold of the arm, the Mediana Bafilica, it runs along the Ulna, between the integuments and mufcles, a little towards the outfide, by the name of Cubitalis externa, ftill communicating with the Profunda, Satellites and Cephalica.

Having detached the Mediana Bafilica, it fends out another branch, which runs down along the infide of fore-arm near the Ulna, and communicates with the Mediana major, &c. This branch may be named Cubitalis interna.

The Bafilica having at length reached the extremity of the Ulna, fends feveral branches to the convex fide of the Carpus; one of which named Salvatella, goes to that fide of the little finger next the ring finger, having first communicated with the Cephalica, by means of the Venal Areloae confpicuous on the

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the back of the hand. In the other fingers this vein follows nearly the fame courfe with the artery.

In general, the external or fuperficial veins of the fore-arm are larger than the internal; but they are accompanied only by fmaller arteries; whereas the deep veins accompany large arteries.

VENA CAVA Inferior.

The inferior Vena Cava having run down about a quarter of an inch from the right Auricle of the heart, within the Pericardium, as has been already faid, pierces that membrane, and the tendinous portion of the Diaphragm, which adhere very clofely to each other.

At this place it gives off the Venae Diaphragmaticae or Phrenicae, which are diffributed to the Diaphragm, and appear chiefly on its lower fide, one towards the right hand, and one toward the left. The right vein is more backward and lower than the left. The left is diffributed partly to the Pericardium, and partly to the Diaphragm; and fometimes they fend rami to the Capfulae Renales, much in the fame manner as the Arteriae Phrenicae.

The inferior Cava having perforated the Diaphragm, paffes through the pofterior part of the great fiflure of the liver, penetrating a little into the fubftance of that vifcus, between the great lobe and the Lobulus Spigelii, being however covered but very little on the back fide by the fubftance of the liver, till it reaches the Lobulus.

In its paffage, it fends off commonly three large branches, called Venae Hepaticae, which are ramified in the liver. Sometimes there are only two, and fometimes four.

Befides thefe large branches, it fends out fome other fmall ones, either before or immediately after it goes out of the liver; which, according to fome Anatomifts, anfwer to the branches of the Hepatic Artery, tery, as the large branches do to those of the Vena Portae.

In the Fœtus, as the Vena Cava paffes by the liver, it gives off the Ductus Venofus, which communicates with the Sinus of the Vena Portae, and in Adults is changed to a flat ligament.

After its paffage through the liver, the Vena Cava turns from before backward, and from right to left, toward the Spina Dorfi, placing itfelf on the right fide of the Aorta, which it accompanies from thence downward.

Having got as low as the Arteriae Renales, it gives off the veins of the fame name, termed formerly Venae Emulgentes, and which are the largest of all the veins that go from the Cava inferior, from the liver to the bifurcation.

The right Renal vein is the florteft, and runs down a little obliquely becaufe of the fituation of the Kidney. The left vein, which is the longeft, croffes on the forefide of the trunk of the Aorta, immediately above the fuperior Mefenteric artery; and both veins accompany the Renal Arteries.

They fend up the Venæ Capfularis, which go to the Glaudulae Renales, and downward, the Venae Adipofae, which go to the fatty covering of the Kidneys; and ordinarily the left Renal vein furnifhes the left Spermatic vein. Afterward they run to the finus or cavity of the kidneys, in the fubftance of which they are diffributed by numerous ramifications.

A little below the Renal voins, the trunk of the Cava fends out anteriorly toward the right fide, the right Vena Spermatica. The left fpermatic vein comes commonly, though not always, from the left Renalis, as has been already obferved. Both veins accompany the fpermatic arteries, to the parts to be mentioned hereafter.

In their paffage, they fend feveral finall branches on each fide, to the Peritonaeum and Mefentery, where they feem to be joined by Anaftomofes with the Venae Mefaraicae, and confequently with the Vena Portae.

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They fometimes fend a confiderable branch over the Iliac Muscle, which afterwards dividing into two, one ramus runs up to the Membrana Adiposa of the kidneys, the other runs down on the last-mentioned muscle.

About the fame height with the fpermatic vein, the inferior Cava fends off pofteriorly in fome fubjects, a branch which runs upward, and communicates with the Vena Azygos. Sometimes this branch goes out from one or other of the Renales, and appears to be a true continuation of the extremity of the Azygos.

The Cava fends likewife off pofteriorly the Venae Lumbares, which commonly arife in pairs in the fame manner as the arteries of the fame name go out from the Aorta. Thefe may be divided into fuperior and inferior veins.

Their origins vary in diferent manners. Sometimes the Cava gives off a branch to each fide below the first Vertebra of the loins, which, like a common trunk, furnishes the lumbar veins. This branch communicates with the Azygos.

Sometimes a confiderable branch goes out from the lower extremity of the Cava, near the bifurcation, chiefly on the right fide; which afterwards running up between the bodies and transverse apophyses of the Vertebrae, detaches the Venae Lumbares, and communicates with the Azygos.

Sometimes a like branch comes from the beginning of the left Vena Iliaca, and running up on that fide in the fame manner, produces the Lumbares. This branch likewife communicates with the Azygos, and with the fuperior or defcending Ramus Lumbaris.

The Venae Lumbares on one fide communicate by transverse branches with those of the other fide, and likewise with each other by branches more or less longitudinal. The first and second often go from the Azygos, and thereby they communicate with the intercostal veins.

The Lumbar veins fend fmall capillaries, in their paffage, to the fubftances of the bodies of the Vertebrae brae; and they are diffributed to the muscles of the Abdomen, Quadratus Lumborum, Psoas, Iliacus, &c. They fend branches backward to the neighbouring vertebral muscles, and to the canal of the Spine, and communicate with the venal finuses in the fame manner as the intercostals.

The inferior Cava having reached as low as the laft Vertebra of the loins, and near the bifurcation of the Aorta, runs in behind the right Iliac Artery, and there is divided into two fubaltern trunks, called the right and left Iliac Veins

The extremity of the trunk of the Vena Cava paffes in fome fubjects behind the origin of the right Iliac Artery; in others, it is the left Iliac Vein which paffes there, and confequently croffes the right Iliac Artery. Afterward the left Iliac Vein accompanies the infide of the left Artery, till it goes out of the Abdomen. Therefore the Iliac Veins lie on the infides of the arteries at this place.

From this bifurcation of the Vena Cava, and often from the origin of the left Iliaca, the Vena Sacra goes out, and accompanies the artery of the fame name in its diffribution to the Os Sacrum, to the nerves which lie there, and to the membranes which cover both fides of the bone.

VENAE ILIACAE.

Each original Iliac Vein is divided on the fide of the Os Sacrum, much after the fame manner as the arteries, into two large trunks, or fecondary Iliac Veins This fecond bifurcation is about a finger's breadth below that of the Iliac Arteries.

One of these trunks is named Vena Iliaca Externa, or Anterior; the other Interna, or Posterior. The external vein is likewise named simply Iliaca, and the internal, Hypogastrica. The external vein seems to be the true continuation of the trunk, and the Hypogastrica only a branch. We here speak of adult bodies, because in the foctus there is a considerable variation. These These veins follow nearly the course and distribution of the Iliac Arteries, except that the Hypogastric vein does not send off the Vena Umbilicalis. The external Iliac Veins lie more or less on the infide of the Arteries, in the manner already faid ; but the Hypogastric Veins, in the bottom of the Pelvis, lie almost behind the Arteries on the fame fide.

From the common trunk of the Iliac Veins, and fometimes from the origin of the Iliaca Externa, a particular branch goes out, which is diffributed to the Mufculus Pfoas, Iliacus, and Quadratus Lumborum; and afterwards fends a ramus on the fore-fide of the laft transfer apophysis of the loins, to communicate with the laft lumbar vein.

The external Iliac, a little before it leaves the Abdomen, near the Ligamentum Falloppii, lying on the Pfoas and Iliac Mufcles, gives off almost the fame branches with the artery of the fame name, and follows the fame courfe. The chief branches are thefe.

A little before it goes out of the Abdomen, it fends off from the outfide, a fmall branch, which runs up along the Crifta of the Os Ilium, and gives branches on each fide, to the lateral and pofterior lower portions of the Mufculi Abdominis, to the Mufculus Iliacus, &c.

From the infide, before it leaves the Abdomen, it fends off the Vena Epigastrica: which having furnished fome fmall rami to the neighbouring conglobated glands, runs up along the infide of the Musculi Recti, on which it is ramified both ways; as also on the broad muscles of the Abdomen, by other finall branches, which penetrate from within outwards.

Afterwards, the Vena Epigastrica runs upward, and joins the ramifications of the Mammaria, by an equal number, accompanying the Epigastric Artery. From the infide of the Epigastric vein, a branch is sometimes detached to the Musculus Obturator internus, where it joins another ramus named Vena Obturatrix.

Before the Iliac vein gets from under the Ligamentum Falloppii, it fends feveral finall rami to the L neighbouring neighbouring Lymphatic Glands; and immediately afterwards, lofing the name of Iliaca, it takes that of Cruralis.

VENA HYPOGASTRICA.

The Hypogaftric or internal Iliac vein, runs behind the artery of the fame name, making the fame kind of arch, from which the following branches go out.

From the posterior or convex part of the arch, it gives a branch to the fuperior lateral part of the Os Sacrum, which is distributed to the Musculus Sacer or Transfverso-Spinalis Lumborum, and other muscles thereabouts, and to the cavity of the bone, which it enters through the first great hole.

A little lower, on the fame fide, it fends out another, which is diffributed much in the fame manner with the former, and enters the fecond hole.

From the external lateral part of the fame arch, a little anteriorly, it fends out a large branch, which runs behind the great Sciatic finus, and is diffributed to the Mufculi Glutzi, Pyriformis and Gemelli.

Lower down, the fame lateral part of the Hypogastric vein gives out another large branch; which having run a little way, detaches several rami, and afterward reaching the Foramen Ovale of the Os Innominatum, perforates the Obturator muscles, communicates with the Vena Cruralis, and is distributed to the Musculus Pectineus, Triceps, and neighbouring parts. This vein is termed Obturatrix, from its passing through the muscles of that name.

Among the branches fent off by the Vena Obturatrix, before it perforates the mufcles, one is fituated exteriorly, which runs toward the Sciatic finus, to the Mufculus Iliacus, the fuperior part of the Obturator internus, and to the Os Ilium, near its Symphyfis with the Os Ifchium.

Interiorly, the fame Obturator vein fends off another branch, which is diffributed to the Ureters, bladder, bladder, and internal parts of generation in both fexes. It communicates with the Spermatic veins, and is more confiderable in women than in men.

Laftly, the Hypogastric Vein runs backward, and goes out of the Pelvis, above the ligament which lies between the inferior lateral part of the Os Sacrum and Spine of the Ifchium; and as it goes out, it is ramified chiefly upward and downward.

It fends a large branch upward to the lower part of the Os Sacrum, and two or more downward; which running behind the fame ligament, are diffributed to the buttocks, Anus, neighbouring portion of the Mufculus Pectineus, and to the external parts of generation, nearly in the fame manner with the artery which accompanies them.

The veins that go to the Anus, are termed Hæmorrhoidales Externæ, and they that go to the parts of generation, Pudicæ Internæ. The external Hæmorrhoidales communicate with the internal veins of the fame name, which come from the fmall Vena Mefaraica, one of the branches of the Vena Portæ, as we fhall fee hereafter.

VENA CRURALIS.

The Crural Vein goes out under the Ligamentum Falloppii, on the infide of the Crural Artery, and immediately gives fmall branches to the Inguinal Glands, the Mufculus Pectineus, and parts of generation. Thefe laft are termed Pudicæ Externæ, and evidently communicate with the internal veins of the fame name.

About an inch below where it leaves the Abdomen, the Crural vein produces a large branch, which runs down anteriorly between the Integuments and the Sartorius, following the direction of that mufcle almost all the way to the infide of the thigh.

This branch having afterwards got beyond the condyles of the Os Femoris, runs down between the integuments and inner angle of the Tibia, to the fore part part of the inner ankle, and is diffributed to the foot. All this large branch is named Vena Saphena, or Saphena major.

After the origin of the Saphena, as the trunk of the Crural vein runs down, it finks in between the mufcles, and is diffributed to all the inner or deep parts of the lower extremity, accompanying the Crural artery to the very extremity of the foot, being all along more confiderable than the artery, both for capacity and ramifications, a thing very common in the veins.

As the Saphena is a vein of very large extent, we fhall here defcribe it all together, and afterwards return to the Vena Cruralis.

VENA SAPHENA.

The Vena Saphena, in its paffage from the Inguen to the foot, is covered only by the fkin and fat. Immediately after its rife, it gives fmall veins to the inferior Inguinal Glands; and then it gives out others more anteriorly, which running under the integuments, communicate with each other by numerous Areolæ, or mafhes. Sometimes thefe communications come all from the rami of one branch.

The Saphena having run down on the thigh, as low as the middle of the Sartorius, fends off to the fame fide feveral branches, which communicate with each other, and with the fuperior branches already mentioned; and as they run down, they communicate again with the trunk of the Saphena.

These two forts of communications furnish a third collateral kind, from which likewise particular branches are detached, which communicate with each other at different distances all the way to the knee.

Between thefe upper and lower branches, the Saphena fends backward a particular branch; which, after being diffributed to the integuments which cover the Gracilis Internus and Triceps, turns backward; and a little below the ham, runs in among the mufcles

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muscles fituated there, and communicates with another branch, which may be termed Saphena minor.

Afterwards the trunk of the great Saphena runs down on the infide of the Tibia, lying always near the fkin; and at the upper part of that bone, it fends branches forward, outward and backward.

The anterior branches go to the integuments on the upper part of that leg; the pofterior, to those which cover the Gastrocnemii, and communicate with the little Saphena; and the external branches are likewise distributed to the fat and integuments, and having reached as low as the middle of the Tibia, it fends a communicating branch to the trunk of the great Saphena.

From this communication, a branch goes out anteriorly, which runs along the integuments of the Tibia, all the way to the outer ankle, having in its paffage communicated again with the great Saphena.

As the Saphena runs down on the infide of the Tibia, it fends out a branch near the middle of that bone, which runs up behind the tendons of the Sartorius, Gracilis Internus, and Semi-Nervofus, then between the Tibia and upper end of the Soleus, and is joined by an anaftomofis with the Crural Vein.

It likewife detaches to the fore part of the Tibia fome branches irregularly transverse; which having been distributed to the Periosteum and bone, communicate with other branches already mentioned.

At the lower part of the Tibia, the Saphena produces a confiderable branch, which runs obliquely forward over the joint of the Tarfus toward the outer ankle, fending off feveral rami which communicate with each other, and with the trunk of the Saphena.

Laftly, the extremity of this trunk paffes on the forefide of the inner ankle, and runs irregularly under the skin, along the interstice between the first two Metatarfal bones toward the great toe, where this vein terminates.

Having got below the inner ankle, it fends a branch outward and forward, which runs under, and in in fome meafure accompanies the anterior Tibial Artery. Interiorly it fends another branch, almost from the fame place, which passes under the foot, communicating with the external Tibial Vein by irregular arches, from which veins are fent to the toes.

Laftly, before the Saphena terminates at the great toe, it detaches a kind of transverse arch over the Metatarfus, which communicates by several branches with that arch which lies on the joint of the Tarfus, and fends others to the toes. This arch gives off likewise another branch, which runs up behind the outer ankle, and communicates with the Vena Tibialis Externa.

Continuation of the VENA CRURALIS.

The Crural Vein having fent off the Saphena, and the finall branches for the Pectineus, &c. as has been faid, runs down on the thigh behind the Crural Artery. Opposite to the little Trochanter, it produces two large short branches, or one which afterwards divides into two, whereof one is anterior, the other posterior.

The anterior branch runs more or lefs transverfely forward, to be distributed to the Vastus Internus, lower part of the Pectineus, and of the fecond Triceps, and to the other two muscles of the fame name, running in between them as it goes from one to the other.

The posterior branch runs more or less transversely backward, and furnishes the Glutæi, Vastus Externus, and beginning of the Biceps.

A little below thefe two branches, about the upper extremity of the Vaftus internus, the Crural Vein produces a branch which runs down on the fide of the trunk, covering the Crural Artery, almost as low as the ham, where it is again united to the trunk by an anaftomofis, and fometimes it is continued feparate a little way down on the leg.

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It has the name of Vena Sciatica from the Sciatic nerve which it accompanies.

On the outfide of this anaftomofis, the Crural Vein gives off a branch which runs backward between the Biceps and neighbouring mufcles, and fo downward on the backfide of the leg a little exteriorly, and very near the fkin, all the way to the outer ankle. This vein is termed Saphena minor or externa.

SAPHENA Minor.

The little Saphena having got near the integuments in its courfe downward, gives out a branch which runs backward, and communicates with the great Saphena about the middle of the backfide of the thigh, as has been already obferved.

Immediately above and below the ham, this vein fends out other branches, which likewife communicate with the Saphena Major, and having run down about one third part of the backfide of the Tibia, it fends off another branch which is afterwards re-united to the trunk.

About the beginning of the Tendo Achillis, the little Saphena runs outward in the integuments, toward the outer ankles, where it terminates in cutaneous ramifications fent to every fide.

VENA POPLITEA.

The Crural Vein having detached the little Saphena, runs down between the Biceps and the other flexors of the leg, clofely accompanied by the Crural Artery, between which and the inner Condyle of the Os Femoris, it is fituated.

A little above the ham, it takes the name of Vena Poplitea, and as it runs down betwixt the two Condyles, it gives branches to the Flexor mufcles above mentioned, to the lower and posterior parts of both Vasti, and to the fat which lies above the interstice of the two condyles. It likewife gives off feveral other branches, one of which runs up laterally between the outer Condyle and the Biceps, and then turning forward, is ramified in the fame manner with the artery. Another branch goes backward, fending ramifications to the beginning of the Gaftrocnemii, after which it runs down on the backfide of thefe mufcles, to the Tendo Achillis.

Near the internal Condyle, the Poplitea fends fome lateral branches to extremities of the neighbouring mufcles, efpecially those of the Semi-Nervofus, Semi-Membranofus, &c. Lastly, it fends a branch toward the external Condyle, which having run for a finall space on the Peronæus Longus, goes back again into the trunk.

The Vena Poplitea runs down immediately behind the mufcle of the fame name, at the lower part of which it fends off feveral ramifications to each fide, which divide and unite again in different ways and degrees; and afterwards it lofes its name, being divided into three confiderable branches, called Tibialis anterior, Tibialis pofterior, and Peronæa; of which the Tibialis pofterior is most frequently a continuation of the trunk, and the other two like branches.

VENA TIBIALIS Anterior.

The Anterior Tibial Vein having diffributed fome finall branches from its very beginning to the mufcles behind the heads of the two bones of the leg, perforates the interoffeous ligament from behind, forward, and runs between the fuperior portions of the Mufculus Tibialis Anticus, and Extenfor Digitorum communis.

As foon as it pierces the interoffeous ligament, it diffributes fmall fuperficial branches to the head of the Tibia and Fibula, which run to the joint of the knee, and communicate with the lateral branches of the Vena Poplitea, already mentioned.

Afterwards it divides into two or three branches, which run down together on the forefide of the interoffeous ous ligament in company with the anterior Tibial Artery, which they furround at different diffances, by fmall communicating circles.

Thefe branches having reached the lower extremity of the leg, unite in one, which afterwards divides into feveral, the ramifications of which are diffributed to the foot.

A particular branch goes out from the re-united portion, which at the lower part of the leg, perforates the interroffeous ligament from before backward, and communicates with the Vena Tibialis pofterior.

VENA TIBIALIS Pofterior.

The Posterior Tibial Vein gives off from its beginning, a branch toward the infide, which is distributed to the Gastrocnemii and Soleus. This vein is named Suralis.

Afterward the posterior Tibialis runs down between the Soleus and Tibialis Posticus, giving branches to each of them. It is divided in the fame manner as the Tibialis anterior, into two or three branches, which as they run, furround the corresponding artery, by fmall communicating circles formed at different distances.

It continues this courfe in company with the artery as low as the outer ankle, furnithing the Mufculus Tibialis Pofticus, and the long Flexors of the toes. At the lower part of the leg, it communicates with a transfer branch of the Saphena, and with the anterior Tibial Vein, in the manner already faid.

Laftly, it paffes on the infide of the Os Calcis, under the fole of the foot, where it forms the Venæ Plantares, by dividing into feveral transverse arches, which communicate with each other, and with the Saphena, and fend ramifications to the toes, nearly in the fame manner as the Arteria Plantaris.

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Of the VEINS.

VENA PERONAEA.

The Vena Peronæa is likewife double, and fometimes triple. It runs down on the infide of the Fibula, almost in the fame direction with the Arteria Peronæa, which it likewife furrounds at different diftances, by communicating branches; after the manner of the Tibialis posterior.

It runs down as low as the outer ankle, communicating feveral times with the Tibialis posterior, and fending ramifications to the neighbouring portions of the Musculi Peronæi, and long Flexors of the toes.

The laft of thefe communications makes the Venæ Plantares, in fome fubjects, to appear rather to come from this vein, than from the Tibialis pofterior, from which they commonly arife, as we have already obferved.

VENA PORTAE.

The Vena Portæ is a large vein, the trunk which is fituated chiefly between the eminences on the lower or concave fide of the liver, called Portæ by Anatomifts; and from thence this vein has got the general name of Vena Portæ, or Vena Portarum.

It may be confidered as made up of two large veins, joined almost endwife by their trunks, from each of which, the branches and ramifications go out in contrary or opposite directions. One of these trunks adheres to the liver, and is ramified in that vifcus, its branches accompanying the whole distribution of the hepatic artery.

The other trunk is without the liver, and fends its branches to the Vifcera fupplied by the reft of the Arteria Cæliaca, and by the two Mefentericæ, that is, to the ftomach, inteftines, pancreas, fpleen, mefentery and omentum.

The first portion of this vein, may be termed Vena Portæ Hepatica, superior or minor, the trunk of which is commonly known by the name of Sinus Venæ Venaæ Portarum. The other portion may be called Vena Portæ ventralis, inferior or major.

The particular trunk of the Vena Portæ Hepatica is fituated transversely between the broad anterior eminence of the great lobe of the liver, and the root of the Lobulus, in a particular sciffure, and forms what is called the Sinus of the Vena Portæ. From this Sinus five principal branches go out, which are afterwards divided into millions of ramifications through the whole substance of the liver.

The Vena Portæ lays down the common office of a vein, and becomes a kind of artery as it enters, and is again ramified in the liver.

The large trunk of the Vena Portæ inferior or Ventralis, is fituated under the lower or concave fide of the liver, and joined by an anaftomofis to the Sinus of the Vena Portæ Hepatica, between the middle and right extremity of that Sinus, and confequently at a good diftance from the left extremity. From thence it runs down a little obliquely from right to left, behind or under the trunk of the Arteria Hepatica, bending behind the beginning of the Duodenum, and under the head of the Pancreas; its length being about five fingers breadth.

Having reached to the head of the Pancreas, this trunk lofes the general name of Vena Portæ, and terminates in three large principal branches, which are diffributed by numerous ramifications, to the Vifcera already named. The first branch is termed Vena Mefaraica, or Mefaraica Major; the fecond, Splenica; and the third, Hæmorrhoidalis interna, or Mefaraica minor.

The Vena Mefaraica major appears to be a continuation of the trunk of the Vena Portæ inferior. The Splenica is a capital branch of that trunk; and the Hæmorrhoidalis interna has fometimes a common origin with the Splenica, and fometimes is no more than a branch of that vein. In fome fubjects the Mefaraica major and Splenica appear to arife by an equal bifurcation of the trunk of the inferior Vena Portæ, Portæ, and in others, the Hæmorrhoidalis arifes from the very angle of that bifurcation.

The inferior Vena Portæ, before the formation of thefe three branches, fends off from the trunk feveral fmall rami, which are commonly the Venæ Cyfticæ, Hepatica minor, Pylorica, Duodenalis, and fometimes the Gaftrica Recta, and Coronaria Ventriculi. All thefe fmall veins fometimes arife feparately; and in other fubjects, fome of them go out by fmall common trunks. It fometimes happens that feveral of them do not come immediately from the trunk of the Vena Portæ, but from one of its great branches.

The Cyflic Veins run along the Veficula Fellis from its neck to the bottom; and as they are often no more than two in number, they are called Cyflicæ Gemellæ, a name given likewife to the arteries which accompany them. They go out from the right fide of the great trunk near its beginning fometimes feparately, fometimes by a finall and very flort common trunk.

The fmall Hepatic Vein is commonly a branch of one of the Cyfticæ, or of their common trunk.

The Vena Pylorica arifes from the great trunk almost opposite to the origin of the Cysticae; and fometimes is only a branch of the right Gastrica. It passes over the Pylorus to the short arch of the stomach, where it is join'd by anastomosis with the Coronaria Ventriculi.

The Duodenal Vein, commonly called Vena Inteffinalis, goes out from the great trunk near the Cyfticae, and fometimes from the finall common trunk of thefe veins. It is diffributed chiefly to the Inteftinum Duodenum, and fends likewife fome rami to the Pancreas. There is another vein called alfo Duodenalis, which is a branch of the Gaftrica of the fame fide.

The Vena Gastrica, or Gastro-Epiploica Dextra, and the Coronaria Ventriculi, come more feldom from the trunk of the Vena Portæ, than from its great branches, branches, with which we therefore chufe to defcribe them.

VENA MESARAICA Major.

The inferior Vena Portae, having given off the Splenica, changes its name to that of Mefaraica, or Meffaraica major, which often appears to be rather a continuation of the trunk, than one of the great branches, as has been already obferved.

It bends toward the fuperior Mefenteric Artery, fending off two veins, and afterwards running up over that artery, it accompanies it in those portions of the Mefentery and Mescolon which belong to the small intestines, the Caecum, and right portion of the Colon. As it runs down, it forms an oblique arch almost like that of the artery, which is likewise ramified on both the convex and concave fides, but not fo regularly.

The first particular branch from this trunk is called by *Riolan* Vena Colica. It goes out from the anterior part of the trunk, before it joins the artery, and runs directly to the middle of the Colon, where it divides to the right and left, and forms arches. On the left hand it communicates with the fuperior or afcending branch of the Haemorrhoidalis; and on the right, with the fecond branch of the Mefaraica.

This fecond branch is a little under the first, or Colica anterior, and fomething more toward the right hand. It may be named Gastro-Colica, and is foon divided into two branches, one superior, the other inferior.

The fuperior branch of the Vena Gaftro-Colica, fends finall veins to the head of the Pancreas, and forms the Vena Gaftrica, or Gaftro-Epiploica Dextra, which goes from the Pylorus to the great curvature of the ftomach, and communicates with the Gaftrica Siniftra. In its paffage it fupplies the ftomach and omentum, and communicates with the Pylorica, Coronaria Ventriculi, $\mathcal{O}c$. as has been already faid ; and fometimes it forms the Pylorica.

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The inferior branch of the Vena Gastro-Colica, which may be called Colia Dextra, goes to the right portion of the Colon; and from thence to the upper part of that intestine, where it is divided archwife, and communicates with the right branch of the Colica anterior, and with a branch of the Vena Cæcalis, as we shall fee hereafter.

The trunk of the great Mefaraic Vein fends out fometimes, opposite to the Gastrica, a particular branch to the Omentum, called Epiploica Dextra. But almost immediately before it alcends over the Mefenteric Artery, it produces two large branches very near each other, which pass behind and under the artery, being distributed to the Jejunum and part of the Ilium by numerous ramifications, which form arches and Areolae like those of the artery.

Afterwards the trunk of the Mefaraica paffes over the fuperior Mefenteric Artery, to which it adheres very clofely, and from the convex fide of its arch fends out feveral branches almost in the fame manner with the artery; but with this difference, that oftentimes the branches do not arife immediately from the vein in fo great numbers; and each of them fends out many more ramifications.

From the concave fide of the Mefaraic Vein, a little below the origin of the fecond branch from the convex fide, arifes a branch called by *Riolan* Vena Caecalis, which runs to the beginning of the Colon, croffing one of the branches of the fuperior Mefenteric Artery.

This Caecal Vein divides by two arches, the uppermoft of which communicates with the lower branch of the Vena Gaftro-Colica ; the other, after having fent ramifications to the Inteftinum Caecum, and Apendicula Vermiformis, communicates below, with the extremity of the great Mefaraic Vein.

VENA SPLENICA.

The Splenic Vein is one of the three great branches of the Vena Portae, and may be faid in fome meafure

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to be a fubordinate trunk of that vein. It runs tranfverfely from the right to the left, first under the Duodenum, and then along the lower fide of the Pancreas, near the posterior edge.

In this courfe it gives off feveral veins, viz. the Vena Coronaria Ventriculi, Pancreaticæ, Gaftrica, or Gaftro-Epiploica Siniftra, and Epiploica Siniftra. It likewife often gives origin to the Hæmorrhoidalis Interna, the third capital branch of the Vena Portæ.

It terminates afterwards by a winding courfe, being divided into feveral branches that go to the Spleen ; one of which produces the fmall Veins called by the Ancients Vafa Brevia.

The Coronaria Ventriculi, fo called becaufe it furrounds more or lefs the upper orifice of the ftomach, runs along the finall arch of that vifcus toward the Pylorus, where it joins and becomes continuous with the Vena Pylorica. In its paffage, it gives feveral rami to the fides of the ftomach, which there form numerous Areolae, and communicate with the veins of the great arch.

It arifes pretty often from the beginning of the Splenica, and fometimes from the left fide of the extremity of the great trunk of the Vena Portae, behind the Hepatic Artery; and in that cafe, it is the moft confiderable of all the fmall veins that go out from the great trunk.

The Venæ Pancreaticae are feveral fmall branches fent by the Splenica to the Pancreas, along its lower fide. There are other fmall Pancreatic veins which do not arife from the Splenica, as has been faid in the defcription of the Gastro-Colica, one of the branches of the great Mefaraic trunk.

The left Gastric or Gastro-Epiploic vein, goes out from the Splenica at the left extremity of the Pancreas; from whence it runs to the great extremity of the stormach, and along the great arch, till it meets the Gastrica Dextra, which is continuous with the Sinifira.

In its paffage, it gives feveral branches to both fides of the ftomach, which are diffributed by numerous ramifications mifications, form many Areolae, and communicate with the branches of the Coronaria Ventriculi.

At a finall diftance from its origin, this Gaftric Vein fends out a branch, which is diffributed to the Omentum; and on this account it has been called Gaftro-Epiploica. This branch feems to communicate with the Haemorrhoidalis interna.

The Vena-Epiploica Sinistra arifes at the finall extremity of the Pancreas, and is ramified on the Omentum all the way to the Colon, where it communicates with the Haemorrhoidalis interna. When this vein is wanting, the branch of the left Gastrica alreadly mentioned, supplies its place. It fometimes comes from the most anterior branch, which the Splenica fends to the Spleen.

Laftly, the Vena Splenica reaches the fiffure of the Spleen, which it enters through its whole length by feveral branches, almost in the fame manner as the Splenic Artery. It is from the most posterior of these branches that the veins are fent off to the great extremity of the stomach, formerly known by the name of Vasa Brevia, which communicate with the Coronaria Ventriculi and Gastrica Sinistra.

VENA HÆMORRHOIDALIS INTERNA, five ME-SARAICA MINOR.

The internal Haemorrhoidal Vein is one of the three great branches of the Vena Portae, coming ordinarily from the beginning of the Vena Splenica, and fometimes from the extremity or angle of the befurcation of the great trunk of the Vena Portae.

At a finall diftance from its beginning, it gives to the Duodenum a fecond Vena Duodenalis, which is fometimes more confiderable than the first, or that which comes from the great trunk of the Vena Portae.

Afterwards it is divided into two branches, one fuperior or afcending, the other inferior or defcending. The first runs to the upper part of the arch of the Colon, Colon, where, after many ramifications, it communicates with a branch of the great Mefaraica, with the ramifications of the Gaftro-Epiploica Siniftra, and with those of the neighbouring Epiploica.

The inferior branch runs down on the left portion of the Colon, on the lower incurvations of that Inteftine, and on the Rectum all the way to the Anus. In this courfe, it fupplies the Mefocolon, and forms arches, which fend out numerous finall ramifications which furround thefe inteftines. It feems likewife to communicate by fome capillary twigs with the left fpermatick vein.

• This vein has been named Haemorrhoidalis from the tumours often found at its extremity next the Anus, which are called Haemorrhoides. The word *Interna* is added to diftinguish this vein from the Haemorrhoidalis externa, which comes from the Vena Hypogaftrica, and with which this vein communicates by capillary ramifications. The name of Mefaraica minor agrees to it very well, because of its fituation, with respect to the inferior Mesenteric Artery, which is also less than the superior.

Of the NERVES.

ALL the Nerves of the human body come originally from the Cerebrum or Cerebellum, by means of the Medulla Oblongata, or Medulla Spinalis. They go out in bundles regularly difpofed in pairs, like fo many diffinct trunks, which are afterwards divided and fubdivided into numberlefs branches and filaments.

The Nerves of the Medulla Oblongata go out, for the most part, through the basis of the Cranium, N at at holes fituated according to their difpolition. Those of the Medulla Spinalis pass through the lateral Foramina of all the Vertebræ, and through the great anterior Foramina of the Os Sacrum.

Ten pair of thefe Fasciculi or nervous trunks are commonly reckoned to the Medulla Oblongata, nine of which go out separately through particular holes of the basis Cranii; and the tenth, which arises from the extremity of that Medulla, passes through the great Occipital Foramen.

The trunks from the fpinal marrow are 24 pair, and may in general be termed Nervi Vertebrales or Intervertebrales. Seven of them are called Cervical Nerves; twelve, Dorfal or Coftal, being true Intercoftal Nerves; and five, Lumbar; to which muft be added five or fix pair which pafs through the Os Sacrum.

The Medullary fubftance of which the nervous fibrils are composed, is very tender, and would not be able to refift fuch forces as the nerves are exposed to even within the bones were not the Pia Mater and Tunica Arachnoides continued upon them; the former giving them firmness and ftrength, and the latter furnishing a cellular coat to connect the threads of the Nerves, to let them lie foft and moift, and to fupport the veffels which accompany them.

But thefe coats alone would not make the Nerves ftrong enough to bear the ftretching and preffure they are exposed to in their courfe to the different parts of the body; and therefore, where the Nerves go out at the holes in the Cranium and Spine, the Dura Mater is generally wrapt closely round them, to collect their difgregated fibres into tight firm cords; and that the tension which they may happen to be exposed to may not injure them before they have got this additional coat, it is firmly fixed to the fides of the holes in the bones through which they pafs.

To these coats an infinite number of vessels both arteries and veins are distributed; fo that after a nice injection the whole cord is tinged with the colour of the the injected liquor ; but when the fibrils are examined, even with the beft microfcope, they appear only like fo many fimall diftinct threads running parallel, without any cavity obfervable in them.

Nerves are generally lodged in a cellular or fatty fubftance, and have their courfe in the interflices of mufcles where they are guarded from preflure ; but in feveral parts they are fo placed, as if it were intended that they fhould there fuffer the vibrating force of arteries, or the preflure of the contracting fibres of mufcles. In their courfe to the places for which they are deftined they generally run as ftraight as the part over which they are to pafs, and their own fafety from external injuries, will permit, fending off their branches at very accute angles, and confequently running more parallel than the blood veffels. Their diffribution is feldom different in the oppofite fides of the fame fubject, nor indeed in any two fubjects is there confiderable variety found.

Frequently nerves which come out diffinct or feparate, afterwards conjoin into one fafciculus, under the fame common covering. In fome parts where there are fuch conjunctions, the bulk of the nerves feems much increased, and these knotty oval bodies, called by Fallopius Corpora Olivariæ, and now generally named Ganglions, are formed. The coats of these knots are stronger, thicker, and more muscular than the whole nerves which enter into them would seem to constitute, while the nervous fibrils pass through without any great alteration or change.

How finall one of the nervous fibrils is we know not; but when we confider that every, even the moft minute part of the body is fenfible, and that this muft depend on the nerves, which all conjoined would not make a cord of an inch diameter, we muft be convinced that their filaments are extremely fmall.

The nerves fent to the organs of the fenfes, lofe there their firm coats, and terminate in a pulpy fubftance. The Optic Nerves are expanded into the foft tender webs of the Retinæ. The Auditory Nerve has fcarce the confiftence confiftence of Mucus in the Veftibulum, Cochlea, and femicircular canals of each ear. The papillae of the nofe, tongue, and fkin, are alfo very tender. The nerves of mufcles can likewife be traced till they feem to lofe their coats by becoming very foft : From all which, there is reafon to conclude, that the mufcular nerves are alfo pulpy at their terminations, though we are not able to profecute them fo far as to difcover this by diffection.

Experiments have left no room to doubt of the nerves being the fole organs of fenfation. Their mode of operation however is not fo eafily afcertained. To account for this various hypothefes have been propofed. Some have imagined that the nerves were elaftic cords, refembling fiddle-ftrings, and that they conveyed fenfations to the brain by a kind of vibratory motion. Others have fuppofed them to be tubular and to contain a fluid called Animal Spirits, by the motions of which fenfation was produced. A third hypothefes fuppofes the nerves to be only a fet of conductors, and that they are pervaded by an elaftic fluid called *Æther*, by the ofcillations of which all our fenfations, &c. are occafioned.

It is not our bufinefs here to examine the merit of thefe different hypothefes. We will venture however to affirm, after all that has been faid and wrote upon the fubject, that we are ftill as much in the dark as ever with regard to the manner in which our fenfations are produced, and that we are likely to remain fo.

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NERVI OLFACTORII.

Of the Ten Pair of nerves which come from the encephalon, the first is the Olfactory, which long had the name of the Mamillary Procefles of the brain, becaufe in the brutes, cows and sheep, which were most commonly diffected by the antients, the anterior ventricles ventricles of the brain are extended forwards upon these nerves, and adhere so firmly to them, that they feem to make the upper side of the nerves. Each of them being large, where it begins to be stretched out, and gradually becoming smaller as it approaches the cribriform bone, was imagined to refemble a nipple. Those who missions the ventricles for part of the nerves, observing the cavity in them full of liquor, concluded, that these olfactory nerves ferved to convey the superfluous moissure of the brain to the holes of the ethmoid bone through which it passed into the nofe.

In man, the ventricles of whofe brain are not thus extended forwards, thefe nerves are fmall, long, and without any cavity, having their origin from the Corpora Striata, near the part where the internal carotid arteries are about to fend off their branches to the different parts of the brain; and in their courfe under the anterior lobes of the brain, which have each a deprefilion made for lodging them, the human Olfactory nerves become larger, till they are extended to the cribriform bone; where they fplit into a great number of fmall filaments, to pafs through the little holes in that bone; and being joined by a branch of the fifth pair of nerves, are fpread on the membrane of the nofe.

The tender ftructure and fudden expansion of these nerves on fuch a large furface, render it impossible to trace them far; which has made fome authors deny them to be nerves: But when we break the circumference of the Cribriform Lamella, and then gently raise it, we may see the distribution of the nerves fome way on the membrane of the nose.

The contrivance of defending these long fost nerves from being too much prefled by the anterior lobes of the brain under which they lie, is fingular; because they have not only the prominent orbitar processes of the frontal bone to support the brain on each fide, with the veins going into the longitudinal sinus, and other attachments bearing it up, but there

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is a groove formed in each lobe of the brain itfelf for them to lodge in.

Their fplitting into fo many finall branches before they enter the bones of the fcull, is likewife peculiar to them; for generally the nerves come from the brain in difgregated filaments, and unite into cords, as they are going out at the holes of the bones. This contrivance is the beft for anfwering the purpofe they are defigned for, of being the organ of finelling; for had they been expanded upon the membrane of the nofe into a medullary web, fuch as the optic nerve forms, it would have been too fenfible to bear the imprefions of fuch objects as are applied to the nofe; and a diftribution in the more common way, of a cord fending off branches, would not have been equal enough for fuch an organ of fenfation.

NERVI OPTICI.

The 2d Pair of nerves, the Optic, rifing from the Thalami nervorum Opticorum, make a large curve outwards, and then run obliquely inwards and forwards, till they unite at the fore-part of the Sella Turcica ; then foon divide, and each runs obliquely forwards and outwards to go out at its proper hole in the fphenoid bone, accompanied with the ocular artery, to be extended to the globe of the eye, within which each is expanded into a very fine cup-like web, that lines all the infide of the eye as far forwards as the ciliary circle, and is univerfally known by the name of Retina.

Though the fubftance of this pair of nerves feems to be blended at the place where they are joined; yet obfervations of people whofe optic nerves were not joined, and of others who were blind of one eye from a fault in the optic nerve, or in thofe who had one of their eyes taken out, make it appear, that there is no fuch intimate union of fubftance; the optic nerve of the affected fide only being wafted, while the other was was large and plump. In many fifthes indeed, the doctrine of decuffation is favoured; for their optic nerves plainly crofs each other, without any union at the part where they are joined in men and most quadrupeds.

Thefe people whofe optic nerves were not joined, having neither feen objects double, nor turned their eyes different ways, is alfo a plain proof, that the conjunction of the optic nerves will not ferve to account for either the uniform motions of our eyes, or our feeing objects fingle with two eyes, though it may be one caufe of the remarkable fympathy of the one eye with the other in many difeafes.

The Retina of a recent eye, without any preparation, appears a very fine web, with fome blood-veffels coming from its center to be diffributed on it; but, after a good injection of the arteries that run in the fubftance of this nerve, as is common to other nerves, it is with difficulty that we can obferve its nervous medullary fubftance.

The fituation of thefe veffels in the central part of the optic nerve; the want of medullary fibres here, and the firmnefs of this nerve before it is expanded at its entry into the ball of the eye, may be the reafon why we do not fee fuch bodies, or parts of bodies, whofe picture falls on this central part of the Retina.

If thefe veffels lofe their tone, and remain preternaturally diftended, no objects affect our Retina, though the eye externally appears found ; this may be one caufe of an Amaurofis or Gutta Serena. From a partial diftention of thefe veffels, or paralyfis of a part of the Retina, the central part, or the circumference, or any other part of objects, may be loft to one or both eyes.

NERVI MOTORES Oculorum.

The Third Pair rife from the anterior part of the Proceffus Annularis, and piercing the Dura Mater

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a little before, and to a fide of the ends of the pofterior clinoid procefs of the Sphenoid bone, run along the Receptacula, or cavernous Sinufes, at the fide of the Ephippium, to get out at the Foramina Lacera; after which each of them divides into branches, of which one, after forming a little ganglion, is diffributed to the globe of the eye; the others are fent to the Mufculus Rectus of the Palpebra, and to the Attollens, Adductor, Deprimens, and Obliquus Minor mufcles of the eye-ball. Thefe mufcles being principal inftruments in the motions of the eye-lid and eye-ball, this nerve has therefore got the name of the Motor Oculi.

NERVI PATHETICI.

The Fourth Pair, which are the fmalleft nerves of any, derive their origin from the back-part of the bafe of the Teftes; and then making a long courfe on the fide of the annular protuberance, enter the Dura Mater a little farther back, and more externally than the third pair, to run alfo along the Receptacula, to pafs out at the Foramina Lacera, and to be entirely fpent on the Mufculi Trochleares, or fuperior oblique mufcles of the eyes. Thefe mufcles being employed in performing the rotatory motions, and the advancement of the eye-balls forward, by which feveral of our paffions are expressed, the nervesthat ferve them have got the name of Pathetici.

NERVI TRIGEMINI.

The Fifth Pair are large nerves, rifing from the annular proceffes where the medullary proceffes of the Cerebellum join in the formation of that Tuber, to enter the Dura Mater near the point of the petrous procefs of the temporal bones; and then finking clofe by the Receptacula at the fides of the Sella Turcica, each becomes in appearance thicker, and goes out of the fcull in three great branches.

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The firft branch of the fifth is the OPHTHAL-MIC, which runs through the Foramen Lacerum to the orbit, having in its paffage thither a connection with the fixth pair. It is afterwards diffributed to the ball of the eye with the third; to the nofe, along with the Olfactory, which the branch of the fifth that paffes through the Foramen Orbitarium Internum joins, as was already mentioned in the defcription of the firft pair. This Ophthalmic branch likewife fupplies the parts at the internal Canthus of the orbit, the Glandula Lacrymalis, fat, membranes, mufcles, and teguments of the eye-lids; its longeft fartheft extended branch paffing through the Foramen Superciliare of the Os Frontis, to be diffributed to the fore-head.

The fecond branch of the fifth pair of nerves may be called MAXILLARIS SUPERIOR, from its ferving principally the parts of the upper jaw. It goes out at the round hole of the fphenoid bone, and fends immediately one branch into the channel on the top of the Antrum Maxillare; the membrane of which and the upper teeth are fupplied by it in its paffage. As this branch is about to go out at the Foramen Orbitarium Externum, it fends a nerve through the fubftance of the Os Maxillare to come out at Steno's duct, to be diffributed to the fore-part of the palate ; and what remains of it efcaping at the External Orbitar hole, divides into a great many branches, that fupply the cheek, upper lip, and noftril.

The next confiderable branch of the Superior Maxillary nerve, after giving branches which are reflected through the fixth hole of the fphenoid bone, to join the intercoftal where it is pailing through the fcull with the Carotid Artery, and the Portio Dura of the feventh pair, as it paffes through the Os Petrofum, is fent into the nofe by the hole common to the palate and fphenoidal bone ; and the remaining part of this nerve runs in the Palato-Maxillaris canal, giving off branches to the temples and pterygoid mufcles, and comes at laft into the palate to be loft.

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The third or MAXILLARIS INFERIOR branch of the fifth pair going out at the oval hole of the fphenoid bone, ferves the mufcles of the lower jaw, and the mufcles fituated between the Os Hyoides and Jaw: All the Salivary Glands, the Amygdalæ, and the external ear, have branches from it: It has a large branch loft in the tongue, and fends another through the canal in the fubitance of the lower jaw to ferve all the teeth there, and to come out at the hole in the forepart of the jaw, to be loft in the chin and under lip.

NERVI MOTORES EXTERNI.

The Sixth Pair, which is the finalleft except the fourth, rifes from the fore-part of the Corpora Pyramidalia; and each entering the Dura Mater fome way behind the pofterior clinoid procefs of the fphenoid bone, has a long courfe below that membrane, and within the Receptaculum at the fide of the Sella Turcica, where it is immerfed in the blood of the receptacle; it goes afterwards out at the Foramen Lacerum into the orbit, to ferve the Abductor mufcle of the eye.

In the paffage of this nerve below the Dura Mater, it lies very contiguous to the internal Carotid Artery, and to the Ophthalmic branch of the fifth pair of nerves. At the place where the fixth pair is contiguous to the Carotid, a nerve either goes from each of them in an uncommon way, to wit, with the angle beyond where it rifes obtufe, to defcend with the artery, and to form the beginning of the intercoftal nerve, according to the common defcription; or, according to other authors, this nerve comes up from the great Ganglion of the intercoftal, to be joined to the fixth here.

The arguments for this latter opinion are, That, according to the common doctrine, this beginning of the intercostal nerve, as it is called, would rife in a manner not fo ordinary in nerves. In the next place, it is obferved, that the fixth pair is larger nearer to the the orbit, than it is before it comes to the place where this nerve is faid to go off; and therefore it is probable, that it receives an addition there, rather than gives off a branch. Laftly, It has been found, that upon cutting the Intercostal nerves of living animals, the eyes plainly were affected; they lost their bright water; the gum, or gore, as we call it, was feparated in great quantity; the pupil was more contracted; the cartilaginous membrane, at the internal Canthus, came more over the eye; and the eye-ball itfelf was diminished.

To this it is answered, in defence of the more common octrine. 1/7, That other branches of nerves go o. 'in a reflected way, as well as this does, fuppofing it to be the beginning of the intercoftal ; and "that the reflection would rather be greater, if it is thought to come up from the intercostal to the fixth. 2dly. It is denied that this nerve is for ordinary thicker at its fore than its back-part; and if it was supposed to be thickest nearer to the orbit, the conclusion made above could not be drawn from this appearance, becaufe other nerves enlarge fometimes where there is no addition made to them, as in the inftance already mentioned of the trunk of the fifth pair while below the Dura Mater. 3 dly, The experiments on living animals fhew indeed, that the eyes are affected upon cutting the intercostal nerve, but not in the way which might have been expected, if the intercostal had furnished such a share of the nerve that goes to the Abductor mufcle of the eye; for it might have been thought, that this mufcle would have been fo much weakened immediately upon cutting the Intercostal, that its antagonist the Adductor would have greatly prevailed over it, and have turned the eye ftrongly in towards the nofe; which is not faid to be a confequence of this experiment. So that the arguments are still equivocal; and more obfervations and experiments muft be made, before it can be determined with certainty, whether the fixth pair gives or receives a branch here. In the

the mean time, we shall continue to speak about the origin of the Intercostal with the generality of Anatomists.

At this place where the Intercostal begins, the fifth pair is contiguous and adherent to the fixth; and it is generally faid, that the Ophthalmic branch of the fifth gives a branch or two to the beginning of the Intercostal, or receives fuch from it. Others deny any fuch communication between them; and those who affirm the communication confess, that in fome fubjects they could not fee it.

NERVI AUDITORII.

The Seventh Pair come out from the lateral part of the Annular procefs, behind where the Medullary proceffes of the Cerebellum are joined to that Tuber; and each being accompanied with a larger artery than moft other nerves, enters the Internal Meatus Auditorius, where the two large bundles of fibres, of which it appeared to confift within the fcull, foon feparate from each other; one of them entering by feveral finall holes into the Veftible, Cochlea, and femicircular canals, is ftretched on this inner Camera of the ear in a very foft pulpy fubftance; and being never feen in the form of a firm cord, fuch as the other parcel of this and moft other nerves become, is called PORTIOMOLLIS of the auditory nerve.

The other part of this feventh pair paffes through Galen's Foramen Cæcum, or Fallopius's Aquæduct, in its crooked paffage by the fide of the Tympanum; in which paffage, a nerve fent from the Lingual branch of the inferior Maxillary nerve, along the outfide of the Tuba Euftachiana, and crofs the cavity of the Tympanum, where it has the name of Chorda Tympani, is commonly faid to be joined to it. The very acute angle which this nerve makes with the fifth, or the fudden violent reflection it would fuffer on the fuppofition of its coming from the the fifth to the feventh, appears unufual; whereas, if we fuppofe that it comes from the feventh to the fifth, its courfe would be more in the ordinary way, and the Chorda Tympani would be efteemed a branch of the feventh pair going to join the the fifth, the fize of which is increafed by this acquifition.

This finaller bundle of the feventh gives branches to the mufcles of the Malleus, and to the Dura Mater, while it paffes through the bony crooked canal, and at laft comes out in a firm chord named PORTIO DURA, at the end of this canal, between the Styloid and Maftoid proceffes of the temporal bone, giving immediately filaments to the little Oblique mufcles of the head and to thofe that rife from the Styloid procefs. It then pierces through the Parotid gland, and divides into a great many branches, which are difperfed in the mufcles and teguments that cover all the fide of the upper part of the neck, the whole face and Cranium, as far back as the temples, including a confiderable part of the external ear.

NERVI SYMPATHETICI MEDII, feu PAR VAGUM.

The Eight Pair of nerves rife from the lateral bafes of the Corpora Olivaria in difgregated fibres : and as they are entering the anterior internal part of the holes common to the Os Occipitis and Temporum, each is joined by a nerve which afcends within the Dura Mater from the tenth of the head, the first, fecond and inferior cervical nerves : This, every body knows, has the name of the NERVUS AC-CESSORIUS. When the two get out of the fcull the Accellorius leparates from the eighth, and, defcending obliquely outwards, paffes through the Sterno-mastoideus muscle, to which it gives branches, and afterwards terminates in the Trapezius and Rhomboid mufcles of the Scapula. In this courfe it is generally more or lefs joined by the fecond cervical nerve.

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The large Eighth Pair, foon after its exit, gives nerves to the tongue, Larynx, Pharynx, and Ganglion of the Intercoftal nerve, and being disjoined from the ninth and intercoftal, to which it adheres clofely fome way, runs ftreight down the neck behind the Internal Jugular Vein, and at the external fide of the Carotid Artery. As it is about to enter the Thorax, a large nerve goes off from the eighth of each fide : This branch of the right-fide turns round from the fore to the back part of the Subclavian Artery, while the branch of the left-fide turns round the great curve of the Aorta, and both of them mounting up again at the fide of the Oefophagus, to which they give branches, are loft at laft in the Larynx. Thefe are called the RECURRENT Nerves, which we are defired to fhun in the operation of Bronchotomy, though their deep fituation protects them fufficiently.

The mufcles of the Larynx being in a good measure fupplied with nerves from the recurrents, it is to be expected, that the cutting of them will greatly weaken the voice, though it will not be entirely loft, fo long as the fuperior branches of the eighth pair are entire.

The eighth pair, above and at or near the place where the recurrent nerves go off from it, or frequently the recurrents themfelves, fend off finall nerves to the Pericardium, and to join with the branches of the intercoftal that are diffributed to the heart; but their fize and fituation are uncertain.

After thefe branches are fent off, the Par Vagum on each fide defcends behind the great branch of the Trachea, and gives numerous filaments to the lungs, and fome to the heart in going to the Oefophagus. The one of the left fide running on the fore-part of the Oefophagus, communicates by feveral branches with the right one in its defcent to be diffributed to the ftomach : The right one gets behind the Oefophagus, where it fplits and rejoins feveral times before it arrives at the ftomach, to which it fends nerves;

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nerves; and then being joined by one or more branches from the left trunk, they run towards the Cæliac Artery, there to join into the great Semilunar Ganglion formed by the two intercostals.

NERVI HYPOGLOSSI.

The Ninth Pair of nerves comes from the inferior part of the Corpora Pyramidalia, to go out of the fcull at their proper holes of the Occipital Bone. After their egrefs they adhere for fome way firmly to the eighth and intercoftal; and then fending a branch, that in many fubjects is joined with branches of the first and fecond cervical nerves, to be distributed to the Thyroid Gland and mufcles on the forepart of the Trachea Arteria, the ninth is loft in the mufcles and fubftance of the tongue. Some have thought this nerve, and others have effeemed the third branch of the fifth pair of nerves, to be the proper guftatory nerve. No obfervation or experiments prove either opinion, or affure us, that both nerves do not ferve for tafting and for the motion of the tongue.

NERVI SUB-OCCIPITALES.

The Tenth Pair rifes in feparate threads from the fides of the fpinal marrow, to go out between the Os Occipitis and firft vertebra of the neck. After each of them has given branches to the great ganglion of the intercoftal, 8th, 9th, and 1ft cervical nerves, it is diffributed to the ftreight, oblique, and fome of the extensor mutcles of the head. Whether the name of the tenth of the head, or of the first vertebral, ought to be given to this pair of nerves, is of no fuch confequence as to deferve a debate, tho' it has fome of the marks of the fpinal nerves, to wit, its being formed of filaments proceeding from both the fore and back part of the Medulla, and a little ganglion being formed where these filaments meet.

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In the defcription of the fixth pair we followed the ufual way of fpeaking among anatomifts, and called that the beginning of the intercostal nerve which comes out of the fcull; and therfore shall here fubjoin a curfory defcription of this nerve, notwithftanding its much larger part is composed of nerves coming out from the spinal marrow. There is no greater incongruity in point of method to fay, that the nerve we are defcribing receives additions from others that have not been defcribed, than it is to repeat in the defcription of a great many nerves, that each of them gives branches to form a nerve which we are ignorant of; which is all the difference between defcribing the intercostal before or after the spinal nerves.

The branch reflected from the fixth pair, joined poffibly by fome filaments of the ophthalmic branch of the fifth, runs along with the internal carotid artery through the crooked canal formed for it in the Temporal bone, where the little nerve is very foft and pappy, and in feveral fubjects divides and unites again, and is joined by one or more branches from the fifth, particularly of its fuperior maxillary branch, before it comes out of the fcull.

As foon as the nerve efcapes out of this bony canal, it is connected a little way with the eighth and ninth; then feparating from thefe, after feeming to receive additional nerves from them, it forms a large ganglion, into which branches from the tenth of the head, and from the first and fecond cervical, enter. From this ganglion the nerves come out again finall to run down the neck along with the carotid Artery, communicating by branches with the cervical Nerves, and giving nerves to the muscles that bend the head and neck.

As the Intercoftal is about to enter the Thorax, it forms another ganglion, from which nerves are fent to the Trachea and to the heart ; thefe defigned for the heart joining with the branches of the eighth, eighth, and most of them passing between the two great arteries and the auricles, to the fubftance of that muscle. The intercostal after this confisting of two branches, one going behind, and the other running over the fore-part of the Subclavian Artery, forms a new ganglion where the two branches unite below that artery, and then defcending along the fides of the Vertebræ of the Thorax, receives branches from each of the dorfal nerves; which branches appearing to come out between the ribs, have given the name of Intercostal to the whole nerve.

Where the addition is made to it from the fifth dorfal nerve, a branch goes off obliquely forwards; which being joined by fuch branches from the fixth. feventh, eighth, and ninth dorfal, an anterior trunk is formed, and palles between the fibres of the Appendix Mulculofa of the Diaphragm, to form, along with the other intercostal and the branches of the eighth pair, a large Semilunar Ganglion, fituated between the Cæliac and fuperior Mefenteric Arteries ; the roots of which are as it were involved in a fort of nervous net-work of this ganglion, from which a great number of very fmall nervous threads run out to be extended on the furface of all the branches of those two arteries, fo as to be eafily feen when any of the arteries are ftretched, but not to be raifed from them by diffection; and thus the Liver, Gall-bladder, Duodenum, Pancreas, Spleen, Jejunum, Ilium, and a large fhare of the Colon, have their nerves fent from this great Solar Ganglion or Plexus.

Several fibres of this Ganglion, running down upon the Aorta, meet with other nerves fent from the posterior trunk of the intercostal, which continues its courfe along the fides of the Vertebræ, they supply the Glandulæ Renales, Kidneys, and Testes in men, or Ovaria in women; and then they form a network upon the inferior Mesenteric Artery where the nerves of the two fides meet, and accompany the branches of this artery to the part of the Colon that P

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lies in the left fide of the belly, and to the Rectum, as far down as to the lower part of the Pelvis.

The Intercoftal continuing down by the fide of the Vertebræ of the loins, is joined by nerves coming from between thefe Vertebræ, and fends nerves to the organs of generation and others in the Pelvis, being even joined with those that are fent to the inferior extremities.

NERVI VERTEBRALES.

The Spinal Nerves rife generally by a number of difgregated fibres from both the fore and back part of the Medulla Spinalis, and foon after form a little knot or ganglion, where they acquire ftrong coats, and are extended into firm cords. They are diftinguished by numbers, according to the Vertebræ from between which they come out ; the fuperior of the two bones forming the hole through which they pafs, being the one from which the number is applied to each nerve.

The FIRST CERVICAL Pair of Nerves comes out between the first and fecond Vertebræ of the neck; and having given branches to join with the tenth pair of the head, the fecond Cervical and Intercostal, and to ferve the muscles that bend the neck, it fends its largest branches backwards to the extension muscles of the head and neck; fome of which piercing through these muscles, run up on the Occiput to be lost in the teguments here; and many fibres of it advance fo far forward as to be connected with the fibrils of the first branch of the fifth pair of the head, and of the Portio Dura of the Auditory Nerve.

The SECOND CERVICAL is foon joined by fome branches to the ninth of the head and intercoftal, and to the first and third of the neck; then has a large branch that comes out at the exterior edge of the Sterno-mastoideus Muscle, where it joins with the Accessories of the eighth pair; and is afterwards

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wards diffributed to the Platyfma Myoides, teguments of the fide of the neck and head, Parotid Gland, and external ear, being connected to the Portio Dura of the Auditory nerve, and to the firft Cervical. The remainder of this fecond Cervical is fpent on the Levator Scapulæ and the extensors of the neck and head. Generally a large branch is here fent off to join the Accefforius of the eighth pair, near the fuperior angle of the Scapula.

In opening the external Jugular Vein, no operator can promife not to touch fome of the cutaneous branches of this nerve with the lancet ; which occafions a fharp pricking pain in the mean time, and a numbnefs of the fkin near the orifice for fome time after.

. The THIRD PAIR of the neck paffes out between the third and fourth Cervical Vertebræ; having immediately a communication with the fecond, and fending down a branch, which being joined by a branch from the fourth Cervical, forms the PHRENIC Nerve. This defcending enters the Thorax between the Subclavian Vein and Artery; and then being received into a groove formed for it in the Pericardium, it has its courfe along this Capfula of the heart, till it is loft in the middle part of the Diaphragm. The right Phrenic has a streight course; but the left one is obliged to make a confiderable turn outwards to go over the prominent part of the Pericardium, where the point of the heart is lodged. The middle of the Diaphragm fcarce could have been fupplied by any other nerve which could have had fuch a ftreight courfe as the Phrenic has.

The other branches of the third Cervical Nerve are diffributed to the mufcles and teguments at the lower part of the neck and top of the thoulder. No wonder then that an inflammation of the liver or fpleen, an abfcefs in the lungs adhering to the Diaphragm, or any other caufe capable of irritating the Diaphragm, fhould be attended with a fharp pain on the top of the fhoulder, as well as wounds, ulcers, &c. of of this mufcle itfelf.---If the irritation of this mufcle is very violent, it may occafion that convulfive contraction of the Diaphragm which is called an Hiccough ; and therefore an Hiccough in an inflammation of the liver has been juftly declared to be an ill fymptom.

An irritation of the Thoracic nerves which produces fneezing, may fometimes free the Phrenic nerves from any fpafm they occafion; fo that fneezing fometimes takes away the Hiccough; and a derivation of the fluid of the nerves any other way may do the fame thing: Or, the Hiccough may alfo be fometimes cured, by drawing up into the nofe the fmoak of burning paper or other acrid fumes, fwallowing pungent or aromatic medicines, and by a furprize, or any other ftrong application of the mind in thinking, or in diffinguifhing objects: Or, when all thefe have failed, it has been put away by the brifk Stimulus of a bliftering plaifter applied to the back.

The FOURTH CERVICAL Nerve, after fending off that branch which joins with the third to form the Phrenic, and beftowing twigs on the mufcles and glands of the neck, runs to the arm-pit, where it meets with the FIFTH, SIXTH, and SEVENTH Cervicals, and FIRST DORSAL, that efcape in the interflices of the Mufculi Scaleni, to come at the arm-pit, where they join, feparate, and rejoin, in a way fcarce to be rightly expressed in words; and, after giving feveral confiderable nerves to the mufcles and teguments which cover the Thorax, they divide into feveral branches, to be diffributed to all the parts of the fuperior extremity. Seven of thefe branches we shall defcribe under particular names.

NERVUS SCAPULARIS.

The Scapularis runs ftreight to the Cavitas Semilunata of the upper Cofta of the Scapula, which is a hole in the recent fubject by a ligament being extended from one angle of the bone to the other, giving nerves

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nerves in its way to the mufcles of the Scapula. When it has paffed this hole, it fupplies the Supra Spinatus mufcle; and then defcending at the anterior root of the Spine of the Scapula, it is loft in the other mufcles that lie on the Dorfum of that bone.

NERVUS ARTICULARIS.

The Articularis finks downwards at the Axilla, to get below the neck of the head of the Os Humeri, and to mount again at the back-part of it; fo that it almost furrounds the articulation, and is distributed to the muscles that draw the arm back, and to those that raife it up.

NERVUS CUTANEUS.

The Cutaneus runs down the fore-part of the arm near the fkin, to which it gives off branches; and then divides on the infide of the fore-arm into feveral nerves, which fupply the teguments there, and on the palm of the hand.---In opening the Bafilic Vein of the arm, at the ordinary place, the fame fymptoms are fometimes produced as in opening the external Jugular Vein, and from a like caufe, to wit, from hurting a branch of this Cutaneous Nerve with the lancet.

NERVUS MUSCULO-CUTANEUS.

The Mufculo-Cutaneus, or Perforans Cafferi, paffes through the Coraco Brachialis Mufcle; and, after fupplying the Biceps Flexor Cubiti and Brachiœus Internus, paffes behind the tendon of the Biceps, and over the Cephalic Vein, to be beftowed on the teguments on the outfide of the fore-arm and back of the hand.---This nerve is fometimes hurt in opening the Cephalic Vein, and caufes pain and numbnefs for a fhort time.

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NERVUS MUSCULARIS.

The Mufcularis has a fpiral courfe from the Axilla, under the Os Humeri, and backward to the external part of that bone, fupplying by the way the Extenfor Mufcles of the fore-arm, to which it runs between the two Brachiœi Mufcles, and within the Supinator Radii Longus.---At the upper-part of the fore-arm, it fends off a branch, which accompanies the Supinator Longus till it comes near the wrift, where it paffes obliquely over the Radius, to be loft in the back of the hand and fingers.---The principal part of this nerve pierces through the Supinator Radii Brevis, to ferve the mufcles that extend the hand and fingers, whofe actions are not injured when the Supinator acts.

NERVUS ULNARIS.

The Ulnaris is extended along the infide of the arm, to give nerves to the mufcles that extend the fore-arm and to the teguments of the elbow : Towards the lower part of the arm, it flants a little backward to come at the groove hehind the internal Condyle of the Os Humeri, through which it runs to the Ulna : In its courfe along this bone, it ferves the neighbouring mufcles and teguments; and as it comes near the wrift, it detaches a branch obliquely over the Ulna to the back of the hand, to be loft in the The larger part of convex part of feveral fingers the nerve goes streight forward to the internal fide of the Os Pififorme of the wrift; where it fends off a branch which finks under the large tendons in the palm, to go crofs to the other fide of the wrift, ferving the Musculi Lumbricales and Interoffei, and at laft terminating in the fhort mufcles of the thumb and fore-finger. What remains of the Ulnar nerve after fupplying the fhort mufcles of the little-finger, divides into three branches : whereof two are extended

ed along the fides of the fheath of the tendons of the flexors of the little finger, to furnish the concave fide of that finger; and the third branch is difpofed in the fame way upon the fide of the ringfinger next to the little-finger.

NERVUS RADIALIS.

The Radialis accompanies the humeral artery to the bending of the elbow, ferving the flexors of the cubit in its way; then paffing through the Pronator Radii Teres muscle, it gives nerves to the mufcles on the fore-part of the fore-arm, and continues its courfe near to' the Radius, bestowing branches on the circumjacent mufcles. Near the wrift, it fometimes gives off a nerve which is diffributed to the back of the hand, and the convex part of the thumb and feveral of the fingers, inftead of the branch of the muscular. The larger part of this nerve, paffing behind the annular ligament of the wrift, gives nerves to the fhort mufcles of the thumb; and afterwards fends a branch along each fide of the fheath of the tendons of the flexors of the thumb, fore-finger, mid-finger, and one branch to the fide of the ring-finger, next to the middle one, to be loft on the concave fide of those fingers.

Though the Radial nerve paffes through the Pronator mufcle, and the Mufcular nerve feems to be ftill more unfavourably placed within the Supinator Brevis; yet the action of thefe mufcles don't feem to have any effect in hindering the influence of thefe nerves; for the fingers or hand can be bended while pronation is performing vigoroufly, and they can be extended while fupination is exercifed.

The manner of the going off of thefe nerves of the fingers, both from the Ulnar and Radial, is, that a fingle branch is fent from the trunk to the fide of the thumb and little-finger fartheft from the other fingers; and all the reft are fupplied by a trunk of a nerve, which fplits into two fome way before it comes

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as far as the end of the Metacarpus, to run along the fides of different fingers that are neareft to each other.

It might have been obferved, that, in defcribing the pofterior branches of the Ulnar and Mufcular Nerve, we did not mention the particular fingers, to the convex part of which they are diffributed. Our reafon for this omiffion is, the uncertainty of their diffribution; for though fometimes thefe pofterior branches go to the fame fingers, to the concave part of which the anterior branches of the Ulnar and Radial are fent, yet frequently they are diffributed otherwife.

The TWELVE DORSAL nerves of each fide, as foon as they efcape from between the Vertebræ, fend a branch forward to join the intercoftal, by which a communication is made among them all; and they foon likewife give branches backwards to the mufcles that raife the trunk of the body, their principal trunk being extended outwards to come at the furrow in the lower edge of each rib, in which they run toward the anterior part of the Thorax, between the internal and external intercoftal mufcles, giving of branches in their courfe to the mufcles and teguments of the Thorax.

The FIRST Dorfal, as was already obferved, is particular in this, that it contributes to form the brachial nerves; and that the two branches of the intercostal, which come down to the Thorax, form a confiderable ganglion with it.

The SIX lower Dorfal nerves give branches to the Diaphragm and abdominal mufcles.

The TWELFTH joins with the first Lumbar, and bestows nerves on the Musculus Quadratus Lumborum and Iliacus Internus.

As the intercoftal is larger in the Thorax than any where elfe, and feems to diminifh gradually as it afcends and defcends, there is caufe to fufpect that this is the trunk from which the fuperior and inferior pairs are fent as branches.

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The FIVE LUMBAR nerves on each fide communicate with the intercoftal and with each other, and give branches backwards to the loins.

The FIRST communicates with the laft Dorfal, fends branches to the abdominal mufcles, to the Pfoas and Iliacus, and to the teguments and mufcles on the fore-part of the thigh ; while its principal branch joins with the other nerves to form the Crural nerve.

The SECOND LUMBAR nerve paffes through the Pfoas Mufcle, and is diffributed nearly in the fame way as the former : As is alfo the THIRD.

Branches of the fecond, third, and fourth, make up one trunk, which runs along the fore-part of the Pelvis; and paffing in the notch at the fore-part of the great hole common to the Os Pubis and Ifchium, is fpent on the adductor mufcles, and on the teguments on the infide of the thigh. This nerve is called the OBTURATOR or POSTERIOR CRU. RAL NERVE.

By united branches from the first, fecond, third, and fourth lumbar nerves, a nerve is formed that runs along the Pfoas Mufcle, to efcape with the external Iliac veffels out of the Abdomen, below the tendinous arcade of the external oblique mufcle. This nerve, which is named the ANTERIOR CRU-RAL, is distributed principally to the mufcles and teguments on the fore-part of the thigh. A branch, however, of this nerve runs down the infide of the leg to the upper part of the foot, keeping near to the Vena Saphæna; in opening of which with a lancet at the ancle, the nerve is fometimes hurt, and occafions sharp pain at the time of the operation, and numbnefs afterwards.

The remainder of the Fourth Lumbar and the fifth join in composing the largest nerve of the body; which is foon to be described.

Whoever attends to the courfe of these lumbar nerves, and of the spermatic vessels and nerves upon Q the the Pfoas mufcle, with the oblique paffage of the Ureter over that mufcle, will not be furprifed, that when a ftone is paffing in this canal, or even when it is inflamed, the trunk of the body cannot be raifed erect, without great pain; or that the fkin of the thigh becomes lefs fenfible, and the thigh is drawn forward, and that the tefticle often fwells and is drawn convulfively towards the ring of the abdominal mufcles.

The Sixth Pair of the falfe VERTEBRÆ confift each of fmall posterior branches fent to the hips, and of large anterior branches.

NERVUS SCIATICUS.

The first, fecond, and third, after coming through the three upper holes in the fore-part of the Os Sacrum, join together with the fourth and fifth of the loins, to form the largest nerve of the body, which is well known by the name of Sciatic or Ifchiatic Nerve: This, after fending large nerves to the different parts of the Pelvis, and to the external parts of generation and the Podex, as alfo to the mufcles of the hips, paffes behind the great tuber of the Os Ifchium, and then over the quadrigemini muscles to run down near to the bone of the thigh at its back-part, giving off nerves to the neighbouring mufcles and teguments. Some way above the ham, where it has the name of the Poplitæus Nerve, it fends off a large branch that paffes over the Fibula, and finking in among the mufcles on the anterior external part of the leg, runs down to the foot, to be loft in the upper part of the larger toes, fupplying the neighbouring muscles and teguments every where in its paffage.

The larger branch of the Sciatic, after giving branches to the mufcles and teguments about the ham and knee, and fending a large cutaneous nerve down the calf of the leg, to be loft at laft on the outfide of the foot and upper part of the leffer toes, finks

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finks below the Gemellus mufcle, and diffributes nerves to the mufcles on the back of the leg; among which it continues its courfe, till paffing behind the internal Malleolus, and in the internal hollow of the Os Calcis, it divides into the two Plantar nerves : The internal of which is diffributed to the toes in the fame manner that the radial nerve of the hand ferves the concave fide of the thumb and fingers; and the external Plantar is divided and diffributed to the fole of the foot and toes, nearly as the Ulnar nerve is in the palm of the hand, and in the concave part of the fingers.

Several branches of these nerves, that serve the inferior extremities, pierce through muscles.

The FOURTH, which, with the two following, is much fmaller than the three fuperior, foon is loft in the Vefica Urinaria and Inteftinum Rectum.

The FIFTH comes forward between the extremity of the Os Sacrum and Coccygis, to be diffributed principally to the Levatores Ani.

The SIXTH, which fome think to be only a production of the Dura Mater, advances forward below the broad fhoulders of the first bone of the Os Coccygis, and is lost in the Sphincter Ani and teguments covering it.

The branches of the four laft Cervical nerves, and of the first Dorfal, which are bestowed on the fuperior extremities, and the two Crurals, with the Sciatic, which are distributed to the inferior extremities, are much larger proportionally to the parts they ferve, than the nerves of the trunk of the body, and especially of the Viscera, are; and for a very good reason, that in the most common necessary actions of life, a sufficient quantity of the nervous influence may be supplied to the muscles there, which are obliged to perform more frequent and violent contractions than any other parts do.

The fize of the nerves of the inferior extremities feems larger proportionally than in the fuperior extremities; tremities; the inferior extremities having the weight of the whole body to fullain, and that frequently at a great difadvantage.

What the effect is of the nerves here being injured, we fee daily, when people happen, by fitting wrong, to comprefs the Sciatic nerve, they are incapable for fome time after to fupport themfelves on the affected extremity : And this is ftill more remarkable in the Sciatic or hip-gout, in which the member is not only weakened, but gradually fhrivels and waftes.

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