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OF

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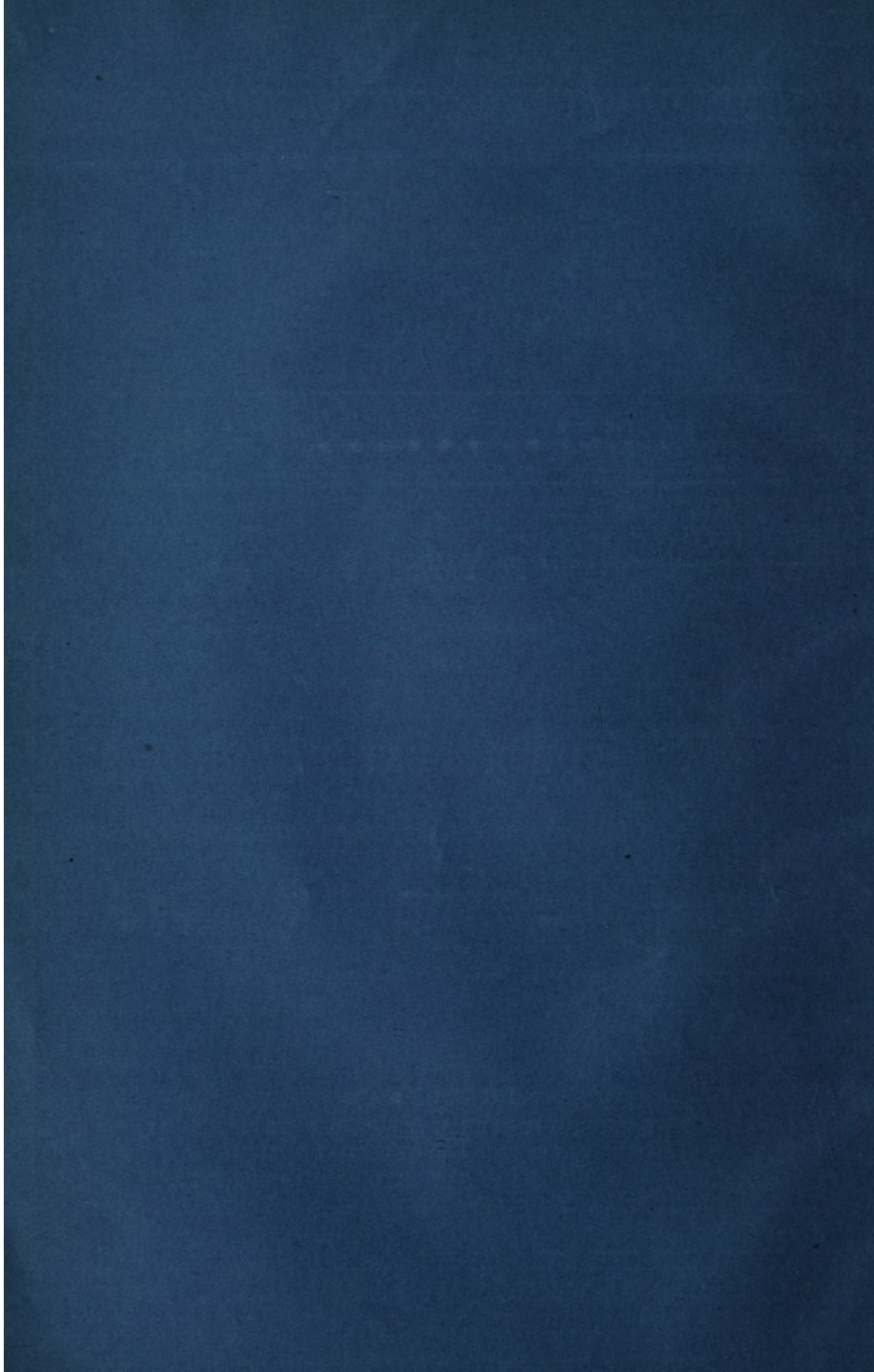
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EATON'S PATENT.

GEORGE, by the grace of God, &c., to all to whom these Presents shall come greeting.

WHEREAS our trusty and welbeloved **ROBERT EATON**, Doctor in Physick, hath by his petition humbly represented vnto vs that by means of his
5 travels beyond the seas and of his studys and labours for severall years in accomplishing himself in physick, he hath, among other improvements in his profession, found out and brought to perfec^on "**A NEW CHYMICAL PREPARA^oN AND STIPTICK MEDICINE VOID OF CORROSIVE QUALITIES, BEING BOTH CORDIAL AND BALSAMICK, WHICH VNIVERSALLY STOPS ALL EXTERNALL AND INTERNALL BLEEDING^o,
10 AND OF IT SELFE HEALS ALL FRESH WOUND^o, AND VASTLY EXCEED^o ALL OTHER STYTIKS THAT EVER WERE PREPARED IN ENGLAND;**" wherefore and in regard he is the first inventor of this medicine in our dominions, and of the vniversal service it will be to our armies, hospitalls, and the publick good, he hath humbly prayed vs to grant him our Royal Letters Patents for the sole and
15 benefit of his said Invention for the term of fourteen yeares, according to the Statute in such case made and provided, wee being willing to give encouragement to all arts and inventions that may tend to the publick vtility, are graciously pleased to gratify him in his request.

KNOW YEE, THEREFORE, that wee, of our especial grace, certain
20 knowledge, and meer mo^on, have given and granted, and by these Presents, for vs, our heirs and successors, do give and grant vnto the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, and assignes, and every of them, especial lycence, full power, sole priviledge and authority that he, the said Robert

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Eaton, his executors, administrators, and assignes, and every of them, by himselfe or themselves, or by his or their deputy or deputies, servants or agents, or such others as he, the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, or assignes shall at any time agree with, and no others, from time to time and at all times during the term of years herein expressed, 5 shall and lawfully may make, vse, exercise, vend, and enioy, within that part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed, his said new invented chymical preparation and styptick medicine, as above described, in such manner as to him, the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators and assignes, or any of 10 them, shall in their discretions seem meet; and that he, the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators and assignes, shall and lawfully may have and enioy the whole profit, benefit, comōdity, and advantage from time to time coming, growing, accruing and arising by reason of the said Invençon for and during the full term of years herein mençoned, to have, hold, exercise and 15 enioy the said lycence, powers, priviledges and advantages herein-before granted or mençoned to be granted vnto the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, and assignes, for and during and during and vnto the full end and term of fourteen yeares from the day of the date of these Present^e next and imēdiately ensuing, and fully to be compleat and ended according to the Statute 20 in such case made and provided; and to the end that the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators and assignes, and every of them, may have and enioy the full benefit and the sole vse and exercise of the said Invençon, according to our gracious intençon herein-before declared, wee do by these Presents, for vs, our heirs and successors, require and strictly comānd all 25 and every person and persons, bodies politick and corporate, and all other our subiect^e whatsoever, of what estate, quality or degree, name or condiçon soever they be, within that said part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed aforesaid, that neither they nor any of them at any time during the continuance 30 of the said term of fourteen yeares hereby granted, either directly or indirectly, do make, vse, or put in practice the said Invention so attained vnto by the said Robert Eaton as aforesaid, nor in anywise counterfeit, imitate, or resemble the same, nor shall make or cause to be made any addition thereunto or substracçon from the same, whereby to pretend himselfe or themselves the inventor or in- 35 ventors, devisor or devisor or devisors thereof, without the lycence, consent, or agreement of the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, or assignes, in writing vnder his or their hand^e and seales first had and obtained in that behalfe, vpon such paines and penalties as can or may be iustly infliced on such

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offenders for their contempt of this our royal command, and further to be answerable to the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, and assignes, according to law, for his and their damages thereby occasioned. And, moreover, wee do by these Presents, for vs, our heirs and successors,
5 will and command all and singular our justices of the peace, mayors, sheriffs, hayliffs, constables, headboroughs, and all other our officers and ministers whatsoever of vs, our heirs and successors for the time being, that they or any of them do not nor shall at any time hereafter during the said term hereby granted in any wise molest, trouble, or hinder the said Robert Eaton,
10 his executors, administrators, or assignes, or any of them, or his or their deputies, servants, or agent^c, in or about the due and lawfull vse or exercise of the aforesaid Invention, or any thing relating thereto: Provided always, and these our Letters are and shall be vpon this condition, that if at any time during the said term hereby granted, it shall be made appear to vs,
15 our heires or successors, or any six or more of our or their Privy Councill, that this our grant is contrary to law or preiudicial or inconvenient to our subiects in general, or that the said Invention is not a new invention as to the publick vse and exercise thereof, in that said part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick-vpon-
20 Tweed aforesaid, or not invented and found out by the said Robert Eaton as aforesaid, then vpon signification or declaration thereof, to be made by vs, our heires or successors, vnder our or their signet or privy seale, or by the Lord^c and others of our or their Privy Council, or any six or more of them, vnder their hand^c, these our Letters Patent^c shall forthwith cease, determine, and be
25 vtterly void to all intent^c and purposes, any thing herein-before contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding: Provided also, that these our Letters Patents, or anything herein contained, shall not extend or be construed to extend to give priviledge to the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, or assignes, or any of them, to vse or imitate any invention whatsoever which hath heretofore been found out or invented by any other of our
30 subiect^c whatsoever, and publickly vsed or exercised within that said part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed aforesaid, vnto whom like Letters Patent^c or priviledges have been already granted for the sole vse, exercise, and benefit
35 thereof, it being our will and pleasure that the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, and assignes, and all and every other person and persons to whom like Letters Patents or priviledges have been already granted as aforesaid, shall distinctly vse and practise their severall Inventions by them invented and found out according to the true intent and meaning of the same respective

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 Letters Patents are vpon this express condition, that if the said Robert Eaton,
 his executors, or administrators, or any person or persons which shall or may
 at any time or times hereafter during the continuance of this grant, have or
 claim any right, title, or interest in law or equity, of in or to the power, privi- 5
 ledge, and authority, of the sole vse and benefit of the said Invention hereby
 granted, shall make any transferr or assignement or any pretended transferr or
 assignement of the said liberty and priviledge, or any share or shares of the
 benefit or profit thereof, or shall declare any trust thereof to or for any
 number of persons exceeding the number of five, or shall open or cause to be 10
 opened any book or books for publick subscriptions, to be made by any number
 of persons exceeding the number of five, in order to raise any sume or
 sumes of money vnder pretence of carrying on the said liberty or priviledge
 hereby granted, or shall by him or themselves, or his or their agent^c or
 servants, receive any sume or sumes of money whatsoever of any number of 15
 persons exceeding in the whole the number of five, for such or the like intents
 or purposes, or shall presume to act a corporate body, or shall divide the benefit
 of these our Letters Patents, or the liberty and priviledges hereby by vs
 granted into any number of shares exceeding the number of five, or shall
 comitt or do, or procure to be comitted or done any act, matter, or thing what- 20
 soever during such time as such person or persons shall have any right or title
 either in law or equity in or to the said premisses which will be contrary
 to the true intent and meaning of a certain Act of Parliament made in the
 sixth year of our reign entituled, (An Act for the better securing certain Powers
 and Priviledges intended to be granted by His Maiestie by Two Charters for 25
 Assurance of Ships and Merchandizes at Sea, and for lending Money vpon
 Bottomry, and for restraining severall extravagant and vnwarrantable Practices
 therein mençoned). If these our Letters Patents had not been granted, or in
 case the said power, priviledge, or authority shall at any time hereafter become
 vested in or in trust for more than the number of five persons, or their repre- 30
 sentatives, at any one time (reckoning executors or administrators, as and for the
 single person whom they represent, as to such interest as they are or shall be
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con thereof, shall be in and by all things good, firme, valid, sufficient, and effectual
in the law according to the true intent and meaning thereof, and shall be taken,
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best advantage of the said Robert Eaton, his executors, administrators, and
5 assignes, as well in all our Courts of Record as elsewhere, by all and singular
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that said part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion
of Wales, and Town of Berwick-vpon-Tweed aforesaid, and amongst all and
every the subiect^l of vs, our heirs and successors whatsoever and wheresoever,
10 notwithstanding the not full and certain describing the nature or quality of the
said Invencon, or of the materials thereto conducing or belonging.

In witness, &c. Witness our self at Westminster, the Eighteenth day of
April.

By Writt of Privy Seal.

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 every the subjects of us, our heirs and successors whatsoever and whatsoever,
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 said invention or of the materials therein containing or belonging.

In witness &c. Witness our self at Westminster, the thirtieth day of

April

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