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ENGLISH MEDICAL BOOKS
16th - 18th CENTURY



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MEDICAL.

- 956 BARROUGH (Philip). THE METHOD OF PHYSICK, containg the Causes, Signes, and Cures of inward Diseases in Mans body, from the head to the foote. Whereunto is added, the forme and rule of making remedies and medicines, which our Physitions commonly use at this day, with the proportion, quantity, and names of each medicine. Small 4to, *original vellum*.
London, Imprinted by Richard Field, dwelling in great Woodstreete, 1624. £5 5s
- 957 BEDDOES (Thomas). OBSERVATIONS ON THE NATURE AND CURE OF CALCULUS, SEA SCURVY, CONSUMPTION, CATARRH, AND FEVER: Together with conjectures upon several other subjects of Physiology and Pathology.
 FIRST EDITION.
 8vo, *fine copy in the original boards, uncut.*
London, Printed for J. Murray, 1793. £2 2s
- 958 BELLERS (John). AN ESSAY TOWARDS THE IMPROVEMENT OF PHYSICK. In Twelve Proposals. By which the Lives of many Thousands of the Rich, as well as of the Poor, may be saved yearly. With an Essay for Imploying the Able Poor. Small 4to, *calf*.
London, Printed by the Assigns of J. Sowle, 1714. £1 15s
- 959 BLACKMORE (Sir Richard). A TREATISE OF THE SPLEEN AND VAPOURS: or, Hypochondriacal and Hysterical Affections. With Three Discourses on the Nature and Cure of the Cholick, Melancholy, and Palsies.
 FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *original calf*.
London, Printed for J. Pemberton, 1725. £1 10s
- 960 BROWNE (Sir William). A VINDICATION OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS: in reply to the Speech of the Solicitor General, on opening the petition and appeal of Doctor Isaac Schomberg, alias Schamberg, to the Right Honorable The Lord High Chancellor, The Lords Chief Justices, The Lord Chief Baron; as Visitors of the Colledge. Intended to have been Addressed To their Lordships, in Lincolns-inn-hall: After the Counsel should have Concluded Their Arguments against the Jurisdiction.
With Coat-of-Arms on title-page, engraved vignette on first and last pages, fine engraved initial letter. Second Edition. 4to, *half calf*.
London, W. Owen, Temple-Bar, 1753. £4 10s
- 961 CAVALLO (Tiberius). AN ESSAY ON THE THEORY AND PRACTICE OF MEDICAL ELECTRICITY. *With folding engraved plate.*
 FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *half morocco*.
London, Printed for the Author, 1780. £1 15s
 Cavallo was the inventor of several philosophical instruments and pieces of apparatus for electrical and chemical experiments. Much ingenuity was shown in their construction, all his instruments for the measurement of the quantity and force of electricity being remarkable for their extreme delicacy and correctness.

MEDICAL—*continued*.

- 962 COOKE (James). SUPPLEMENTUM CHIRURGIAE, or, The Supplement to the Marrow of Chyrurgerie. Wherein is contained Fevers, Simple and Compound, Pestilential, and not, Rickets, Small Pox and Measles, with their Definitions, Causes, Signes, Prognosticks, and Cures, both general and particular.

Small 8vo, *half calf*.

London, Printed for John Sherley, 1655.

£2 2s

Title rather rubbed and repaired.

- 963 CULPEPER (Nicholas). CULPEPER'S LAST LEGACY: left and bequeathed to his dearest Wife, for the publike good, being the Choicest and most profitable of those Secrets which while he lived were lockt up in his Breast; containing sundry admirable Experiences in severall Sciences, more especially in Chyrurgery and Physick; with two particular Treatises, the one of Feavers, the other of Pestilence.

Engraved portrait.

Small 8vo, *original calf*. London, 1657.

£3 3s

- 964 DENTAL. HUNTER (John). THE NATURAL HISTORY OF THE HUMAN TEETH: explaining their structure, use, formation, growth, and diseases.

With 16 finely executed engraved plates.

The Second Edition. 4to, *original calf*.

London, Printed for J. Johnson, 1778.

£6 10s

- 965 ——— RUSPINI (The Chevalier). A TREATISE ON THE TEETH: wherein an accurate idea of their structure is given, the cause of their decay pointed out, and their various diseases enumerated. To which is added, the most effectual method of treating the disorders of the Teeth and Gums.

Small 8vo, *half calf*. London, 1797.

£2 2s

- 966 THE DESCRIPTION OF A MOSTE DREADFULL AND MERVELOUS MONSTER BORNE IN MANCHESTER within the County of Lancaster upon Tusdaye being the fourteenth of August last past. 1579.

Printed on one side of a folio leaf, with the title as given above, followed by a large cut of the "Monster," and beneath a full description.

PRINTED IN BLACK LETTER.

Imprinted at London for Toby Coke (1579).

£42

A very remarkable and unrecorded Elizabeth medical broadside.

- 967 DOBSON (Matthew). A MEDICAL COMMENTARY ON FIXED AIR. Third Edition. With an Appendix on the efficacy of the solution of fixed Alkaline Salts saturated with fixible air, in the stone and gravel. By William Falconer.

8vo, *original calf*.

London, Printed for T. Cadell, 1787.

18s

MEDICAL—*continued*.

- 968 AN EDICT IN THE ROMAN LAW: In the 25. Book of the Digests, Title 4. Section 10. As concerning the visiting of a Big-Bellied Woman, and the looking after what may be Born by Her.

4 pp., small 4to, *unbound*. (London, c. 1680.)

£1 5s

Without title-page proper, the title being at the head of the first leaf. With the Latin and English versions in parallel columns.

WITH EXTENSIVE CONTEMPORARY MANUSCRIPT ADDITIONS.

- 969 GABELHOVER (Oswald). THE BOOCK OF PHYSCKE. Wherein throughe commaundement of the most Illustrious & renounned Duke & Lorde, Lorde Lodewijcke, Duke of Wirtenberghe, & of Teck, Earle of Mompelgart, &c. Most of them selected, and approved remedies, for all corporall diseases, and sicknesses, which out of manye highe, and common Persons written Physick-boockes, are compacted, and united together. Through his renounned Graces most famous Physition Mr. Doctour Oswaldus Gabelhouer. Faithfullye translated out of High-duche by the right worshipfull Mr. Doctour Charles Battus, ordinarye Physitione to the Citye of Dorte. And now neulye translated out of Low-duche into English by A.M.

With engraved title, containing a view of Dordrecht.

FIRST EDITION.

Thick small folio, *original oak boards, rebounded, old style.*

Imprinted at Dorte by Isaack Caen, 1599.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION PLATE, No. XXIII.)

£75

The only English Translation and very rare. The above copy is of exceptional medical interest as it is interleaved with nearly 250 pages completely filled with contemporary manuscript additions consisting of about 10 pp. Cookery and Perfume receipts and hundreds of Prescriptions and Remedies, of considerable interest and importance, for the varied ailments and deceases, besides further additions in the text itself. A manuscript Index of the Additions, is also included, containing well over 200 entries. Besides those of medical and cookery interest there are other entries of interest to the Angler and farrier:—

"To take fishe."

"For the Yellowes in a horse."

"For the broke wynd of a horse," etc.

Even attempts at poetry are included, for at the end of the printed Contents we find:—

"Who lives in health, and doth dispice
The meate to keepe and gaine ye same,
Lett him be sicke, force not his cryes,
His follie makes him too too blame;
Else pinch his purse, and teach him say,
All Phisickes vaine, awaye awaye.
Shall he thats flush and featheared,
Say moolting tyme will never bee,
The dolefull mew doth not be dreed,
Who soores as high as thou canst see;
Mans state is fraile, Physitians love,
Health gott they keepe and greefes remove."

The title-page of the above copy of Gabelhover's work is a little worn, it lacks the Errata leaf at end, and the final leaves are slightly wormed. The copy may, however, be considered a good one, and of considerably added interest containing as it does these extensive manuscript additions.

MEDICAL—continued.

OF SHAKESPEARIAN INTEREST.

- 970 HALL (John). SELECT OBSERVATIONS ON ENGLISH BODIES: or, Cures both Empericall and Historicall, performed upon very eminent Persons in desperate Diseases. First, written in Latine by Mr. John Hall Physician, living at Stratford upon Avon in Warwick-shire, where he was very famous, as also in the Counties adjacent, as appeares by these Observations drawn out of severall hundreds of his, as choyssest. Now put into English for common benefit by James Cooke Practitioner in Physick and Chirurgery.

FIRST EDITION.

12mo, bound by Riviere in full dark blue morocco gilt, g.e.

London, Printed for John Sherley, 1657.

£25

John Hall was Shakespeare's son-in-law and executor. The above work describes the ailments and cures prescribed, of many notable people in Stratford-on-Avon at that time, including those of Susanna, Dr. Hall's wife and Shakespeare's elder daughter; the case of Elizabeth Hall, Shakespeare's grand-daughter (who married, firstly, Thomas Nash, and secondly, Sir John Barnard); and other members of the poet's family, also Michael Drayton the poet.

- 971 ——— SELECT OBSERVATIONS ON ENGLISH BODIES OF EMINENT PERSONS IN DESPERATE DISEASES. First written in Latin by Mr. John Hall, Physician: After Englished by James Cook, Author of the Marrow of Chirurgery. To which is now added, an hundred like Counsels and Advices, for several Honourable Persons: with all the Several Medicines and Methods by which the several Cures were effected.

With engraved portrait of James Cook by R. White.

Small 8vo, contemporary calf (joints repaired).

London, Printed by J. D. for Benjamin Swift, 1679.

£18 18s

The second edition, containing "Directions for drinking of the Bath-Water, and Ars Cosmetica, or Beautifying Art: By H. Stubbs," not included in the first.

- 972 ——— SELECT OBSERVATIONS ON ENGLISH BODIES OF EMINENT PERSONS IN DESPERATE DISEASES.

With engraved portrait of James Cook by R. White.

Small 8vo, calf.

London, Printed for William Marshall, 1683.

£12 12s

- 973 HARVEY (Gideon). CASUS MEDICO-CHIRURGICUS: or a most Memorable Case of a Noble-man Deceased. Wherein is shewed, His Lordship's Wound, the various Diseases survening, how his Physicians and Surgeons treated him, how treated by the Author after my Lord was given over by all his Physicians, with all their Opinions and Remedies. Moreover, The Art of Curing the most dangerous of Wounds, by the first intention, with the Description of the Remedies.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, original calf.

London, Printed for M. Rooks, 1678.

£6 6s

In 1678 Harvey was called, in consultation with other physicians, to attend a nobleman (Charles, Lord Mohun, father of the more notorious duellist), who had received a wound in a duel, of which he ultimately died. Harvey, pleading that he was commanded by the King to write an account of the case in the above work, made it the occasion of virulent personal attacks, under feigned name, on the other physicians concerned.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 974 HARVEY (William). ANATOMICAL EXERCITATIONS, concerning the Generation of Living Creatures. To which are added Particular Discourses, of Births, and of Conceptions, &c.

With fine impression of the rare portrait of Harvey by William Faithorne.

FIRST EDITION IN ENGLISH. Small 8vo, calf.

London, Printed by James Young, for Octavian Pulleyn, 1653.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE NO. XXIV.)

£52 10s

A good copy with untouched margins, and "Errata" leaf at end. Containing at the beginning a six page poem, "To the Incomparable Dr. Harvey, on his Books Of the Motion of the Heart and Blood, and of the Generation of Animals."

Though second in importance to his "De Motu Cordis," Harvey's "De Generatione" is remarkable as expounding the doctrine of "epigenesis"—the theory that the development of the embryo takes place by the successive addition of parts, not by the unfolding of a complete miniature present from the first—a theory which is now substantially held.

- 975 ——— EXERCITATIONES DE GENERATIONE ANIMALIUM, quibus accedunt quaedam. De partu: de Membranis ac humoribus uteri: et de Conceptione.

With engraved title.

12mo, original calf (rebacked).

Amsterlodami, Apud Joannem Jansonium, 1651.

£7 10s

- 976 HIGHMORE (Nathaniel). CORPORIS HUMANI DISQUISITIO ANATOMICA. In qua sanguinis circulationem prosequutus est.

With engraved title-page and numerous anatomical plates.

FIRST EDITION. Folio, fine copy in the original vellum binding.

Hagae Comitum, ex officina Samuelis Broun, 1651.

£12 12s

The First Edition of the first work written by Nathaniel Highmore, physician and anatomist, dedicated to his life-long friend William Harvey. In it he describes the "Antrum of Highmore," for which his name is famous.

Like most of the books on anatomy of its period, it gives an account of pathological appearances and of comparative anatomy, as well as of the normal structure of the human body. Though perfectly sound in his views as regards the circulation of the blood, the physiological remarks of Highmore are sometimes rather quaint and mediaeval. Thus he believed in an "alexipharmaca dispositio vitalium," which enabled an Oxford student of his acquaintance to devour spiders with impunity. His plates are based on those of Vesalius.

- 977 HOLLYBUSH (John). A MOST EXCELLENT AND PERFECTE HOMISH APOTHECARYE or Homely physick booke for all the grefes and diseases of the bodye. Translated out the Almaine speche into English by Jhon Hollybush.

Printers device on title.

FIRST EDITION IN ENGLISH. BLACK LETTER. Folio, half morocco.

Imprinted at Collen by Arnold Birckman, In the yeare of our Lord M.D.LXI.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£24

A translation of Hieronymus Brunschwig's "Thesaurus Pauperum."

A most excellent and perfectte
homish apothecarye or homely physick booke/
for all the grefes and diseases
of the bodye.

Translated out the Almaine speche into
English by Ihon Hollybush.



Imprinted at Colen by Arnold
Birckman / In the yeare
of our Lord M. D. LXJ.

See item No. 977.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 978 IL BRATTUCCIO: or, The History of Q. Mary's Big-belly. From Mr. Fox's Acts and Monuments and Dr. Heylin's Hist. Ref.
8 pp., small 4to, *unbound*. (London, c. 1680.) £1 10s
Without title-page proper, the title being at the head of the first leaf.
- 979 INOCULATION. MASSEY (Edmund). A SERMON AGAINST THE DANGEROUS AND SINFUL PRACTICE OF INOCULATION. Preach'd at St. Andrew's Holborn, on Saturday, July the 8th, 1722.
FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *half morocco*.
London, Printed for William Meadows, 1722. £1 10s
- 980 ——— THE TRYAL OF MR. DANIEL SUTTON, for the High Crime of preserving the lives of His Majesty's liege Subjects, by means of Inoculation.
The Second Edition. 8vo, *fine copy in calf*.
London, Printed for S. Bladon, 1767. £1 10s
A mock trial written in support of Inoculation, bringing many important facts to light.
- 981 JENNER (Henry). AN ADDRESS TO THE PUBLIC ON THE ADVANTAGES OF VACCINE INOCULATION: with the Objections to it Refuted.
FIRST EDITION. 4to, *original wrappers*.
Bristol, Printed and Sold by W. Bulgin (1799). £15 15s
Dr. Henry Jenner was the nephew of Dr. Edward Jenner, the discoverer of vaccination.
Slight stains in top margin, otherwise fine copy.
- 982 LANGHAM (William). THE GARDEN OF HEALTH, conteyning the sundry rare and hidden vertues and properties of all kindes of Simples and Plants, together with the maner how they are to be used and applyed in medicine for the health of mans body, against divers diseases and infirmities most common amongst men.
FIRST EDITION. BLACK LETTER. Thick small 4to, *old calf*.
Imprinted at London, 1579. £27 10s
- 983 ——— THE GARDEN OF HEALTH, Contayning the sundry rare and hidden vertues and properties of all kindes of Simples and Plants, together with the maner how they are to be used and applyed in medicine for the health of mans body.
The Second Edition corrected and amended.
BLACK LETTER. Thick small 4to, *fine copy in original calf*.
London, Printed by Thomas Harper, 1633. £12 12s
- 984 LINO (James). A TREATISE ON THE SCURVY. In Three Parts. Containing an Inquiry into the Nature, Causes, and Cure, of that Disease.
The Second Edition corrected, with Additions and Improvements.
8vo, *original calf*.
London, Printed for A. Millar, 1757. £1 1s

MEDICAL—continued.

- 985 LOVELL (William). THE DUKES DESK NEWLY BROKEN UP. Wherein is discovered divers Rare Receipts of Physick and Surgery, good for Men, Women and Children. Together with severall Medicines to Prevent, and Cure the most Pestilent Diseases in any Cattel.
16 pp., 12mo, *half calf, some edges uncut.*
London, Printed for the Author, 1660. £3 10s
- 986 LOW (D.). CHIROPODOLOGIA, or, a Scientific Enquiry into the Causes of Corns, Warts, Onions, and other painful or offensive Cutaneous Excrescences: With a Detail of the most successful Methods of removing all Deformities of the Nails, etc.
Small 8vo, *original calf.*
London, Printed by J. Rozea, N.D. (c. 1760). £1 10s
- 987 MANUSCRIPT TREATISE OF SURGERY, MEDICAL PRESCRIPTIONS, ETC. Extending to nearly 200 closely written pages.
Folio, *old vellum.* Circa 1700. £5 5s
A note on the fly-leaf states:—
“N.B.: This Book is a collated copy of a course of Surgery presented to Arch Bishop Sheldon, the original of which is now preserved among the Archives at Lambeth.”
- 988 MAXIMINUS (Jacobus). RARE MEDICAL BROADSIDE, listing the miraculous properties of certain stones, headed: “Whereas the Professor hereof, Jacobus Maximinus, borne in Italy, and lately come out of Germanie, hath attained unto the demonstration of the making of Foure most strange and rare Artificiall Stones, and a sweete Ball, and the true vertues thereof; and the Names and Colours of every stone. The first is the *Moraccolocius* Stone is white: The famous *Amothist* is the redde Stone: The famous *Safaris* is the purple Stone: The *Safonya*, which is the Straw coloured Stone, &c.”
Printed on one side of a small folio sheet. Royal Arms at head. Narrow ornamental border. BLACK LETTER.
October the 24, 1622. £15 15s
A very scarce and curious medical broadside, listing the miraculous properties of certain stones in the cure of various ailments.
The *Moraccolocius* stone, for example, is the “approved helpe for the Tooth-ach, and all rotten and stinking Teeth!”
The *Safonya* stone “is very good for the cornes in your feete and eares,” and when powdered and mixed with “oyle of Bayes” it will “kill the itch, and make no Lice shall trouble any one if the body be annointed therewith.” “These stones have beene prooved, and have holpen many one in this Citie of London.”
The directions for the use of the *Amothist* stone are as follows:—“Dissolve this stone into foure spoonefuls of water, and snuffe up part of a spoonefull at the nostrils, and hold somewhat betwixt the teeth, and let the rhewme voyd out, and it helps the paines of the head, and the hearing, and the Megrim, and sore eyes, and brings away the rhewme out of all parts of the head.”
The careful physician, to guard himself against possible failure, qualifies each remedy with the words “with Gods helpe.”
Ornamental border a little imperfect at the foot.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 989 MEAD (Richard). A MECHANICAL ACCOUNT OF POISONS, in Several Essays. The Third Edition, with large Additions. 8vo, *original calf*.
London, Printed for J. Brindley, 1745. 18s

- 990 ——— A SHORT DISCOURSE CONCERNING PESTILENTIAL CONTAGION, and the Methods to be used to Prevent it.
Large Paper, 8vo, *full contemporary morocco, gilt back and sides, g.e.*
London, Sam. Buckley, 1722. £2 15s

The best edition, greatly enlarging previous editions.

The book is lucid and interesting; everyone could understand it, and it was effective in allaying the public alarm. The practical conclusion at which the author arrives is in accordance with the views held by all sanitary authorities at the present day, and is, that the isolation in proper places of the sick, is more effectual in checking the progress of an epidemic than a general quarantine, or than measures of fumigation."

- 991 MUFFETT (Thomas). HEALTHS IMPROVEMENT: or, Rules Comprizing and Discovering the Nature, Method, and Manner of Preparing all sorts of Food used in this Nation. Corrected and Enlarged by Christopher Bennet.

FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *original calf*.

London, Printed by Tho. Newcomb for Samuel Thomson, 1655. £9 9s

With the "Imprimatur" leaf before the title.

This is a gossip collection of maxims respecting diet, which Moffett intended to supplement by a similar work on "drinks." It was probably compiled about 1595, but not published until after his death.

- 992 [MULLEN (Allen)]. AN ANATOMICAL ACCOUNT OF THE ELEPHANT ACCIDENTALLY BURNT IN DUBLIN, on Fryday, June 17. in the Year 1681. Sent in a Letter to Sir Will. Petty, Fellow of the Royal Society. Together with a Relation of new Anatomical Observations in the Eyes of Animals: Communicated in another Letter to the Honourable R. Boyle, Esq.; Fellow of the same Society. By A. M. Med. of Trinity Colledge near Dublin.

With two folding anatomical plates.

FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *fine copy in original calf (rebacked)*.

London, Printed for Sam. Smith, 1682. £4 4s

With the original blank leaf between the two parts and two leaves of "book advertisements" at end.

Elephants were practically unknown in Ireland at this time and a file of musketeers were needed to keep the crowd from appropriating portions of the carcass, before the skeleton could be assembled.

WITH MANUSCRIPT ADDITIONS.

- 993 PHARMACOPOEIA COLLEGII REGALIS MEDICORUM LONDINENSIS.

With engraved frontispiece of the Royal Medical College.

4to, *original boards, uncut*.

Londini, Apud T. Longman, T. Shewell, et J. Nourse, 1746. £5 5s

Interleaved and with many manuscript additions of Medical Receipts in the hand of Dr. Johnson of Cambridge written circa 1795.

MEDICAL—continued.

994 PATER (Erra). A PROGNOSTICATION FOR EVER, made by Erra Pater, a Jew, borne in Jury, Doctor in Astronomie and Phisicke: Very profitable to keepe the body in health: And also Ptholomeus saith the same.

Woodcut portrait on title and curious cut of a man ploughing with oxen on reverse.

BLACK LETTER. 32 pp., 12mo, bound by Riviere in full brown morocco.

Printed by Thomas Este (c. 1604).

£28

This extremely scarce little piece is a mixture of medical knowledge and astrological interpretations.

"In the month of January, let thee not blood in the first day, for it is perillous, nor the second day, nor the fifth day, nor the X. day, nor the XV. day, nor the XIX. day, nor the XX. day, nor the XXV. day, but as often as thou wilt drinck good white wine fasting, and also take good heede of the dayes that be above written, for they be perillous for to bleede on, except the signe be right good for blood letting."

"If it Thunder on the Sunday, there will be a great death of Clarks and Judges and also perverse people by signification.

"If on the Munday it chance to Thunder, mahy women shall dye then, and the corne will suffer Eclipse, by Signification." Etc., etc.

A Prognostication

for euer, made by Erra Pater, a
Iew, borne in Jury, Doctor in
Astronomie and Phisicke:
Very profitable to keepe
the body in health:
And also Ptho-
lomeus
saith the same.



Printed by Thomas Este.

MEDICAL—continued.

- 995 PHARMACOPOEIA LONDINENSIS. A PROCLAMATION issued by James I. commanding all Apothecaries of this Realme, to follow the dispensatory lately compiled by the Colledge of Physitions of London.

BLACK LETTER. Printed on two large folio sheets.

Given at Our Pallace of White-hall the sixe and twentieth day of Aprill, in the sixteenth yeers of Our Reigne.

Imprinted at London by Bonham Norton, and John Bill, 1618.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£32 10s

"Whereas by Our especiall Commandement, there hath bene of late compiled in the Latine tongue by the Colledge of the Phisitions of London, a Booke entituled 'Pharmacopoea Londinensis,' prescribing and directing Apothecaries the generall formes, as well of dispensing and compounding of all sorts of Medicines, and Physicall Receipts, as distilling of Oyles and Waters. . . . Wee therefore desirous in all things to provide for the common good of Our Subiects . . . doe hereby straitly require, charge and command all and singular Apothecaries within this our Realme of England, or the Dominions thereof, that they and every of them, immediately after the said 'Pharmacopoea Londinensis,' shall bee Printed and published, doe not compound or make any medicine or medicinable receipt . . . that are or shall bee in the said 'Pharmacopoea Londinensis' mentioned and named after the wayes or meanes prescribed or directed." Etc.

- 996 PHARMACOPOEIA LONDINENSIS. A PROCLAMATION issued by James I. "for setling the Company of Apothecaries of London, and for reforming abuses in that Art."

BLACK LETTER. Printed on two large folio sheets.

Given at Salisburie the fourth day of August, in the eighteenth yeere of Our Reigne.

Imprinted at London by Bonham Norton, and John Bill, 1620.

£25

"Whereas, out of Our Royall care for the health and preservation of Our Subiects, Wee thought fit, upon great advise, to separate the Apothecaries of London, from the Company of Grocers, and sundry others, whereof they had formerly bene Members, for that it was convenient, that that company should have a speciall relation and dependencie upon the Colledge of Phisitians . . . and whereas by Our Proclamation, dated the sixe and twentieth day of Aprill, in the sixteenth yeere of Our Reigne . . . Wee declared Our Royall pleasure touching a booke compiled by the Colledge of Physitians of Lohdon (now the second time reviewed, corrected, and imprinted), entituled 'Pharmacopoeia Londinensis.' " Etc.

- 997 PLAGUE. BROWNE (Joseph). A PRACTICAL TREATISE OF THE PLAGUE, and All Pestilential Infections that have happen'd in this Island for the last Century. Laying down the Rules and Methods then used by the most learned Physicians of those Times. With a Prefatory Epistle address'd to Dr. Mead, on Account of his short Discourse concerning Pestilential Contagion.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *fine copy in half morocco.*

London, Printed for J. Wilcox, 1720.

£2 10s

Browne wrote and lectured against Harvey's theory of the circulation of the blood.

- 998 ——— M. (S.). A TREATISE OF THE PLAGUE. By a Physician in York.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *half morocco.*

London, Printed for S. Osborn, 1721.

£2 10s



¶ By the King.

✠ A Proclamation commanding all Apothecaries of this Realme, to follow the dispensatory lately compiled by the Colledge of Physitions of *London*.



Hereas by Our especiall Commandement, there hath bene of late compiled in the Latine tongue by the Colledge of the Physitions of *London*, a Booke entituled *Pharmacopoea Londinensis*, prescribing and directing Apothecaries the generall formes, aswell of dispensing and compounding of all sorts of Medicines, and Physicall Receipts, as distilling of Oyles and waters, and such like extractions, together with the true weights and Measures, whereby to make them which heretofore haue bene variously and differently composed, and made according as mens severall fancies haue led them, to the great danger of Our Subjects in their liues and health; And Whereas for the better reformation of the abuses heretofore practised in compounding of Medicines, wee thought fit to incorporate the Apothecaries of *London* into one body, forbidding all others within *London*, or seven miles thereof, to put to sale any Physicall compositions, except they were or should bee members of the said Company; And Whereas through the great care and industrie of the said Colledge, the said *Pharmacopoea Londinensis* is now perfected and ready for the Presse, and is a worke greatly tending to the publique good of Our Subjects; And wee minding that all falshood, differences, varieties and incertainties in making or compounding of Medicines and distilling of Oyles or waters hereafter, be utterly taken away and abolished, and that in the tyme to come the manner and forme pre-

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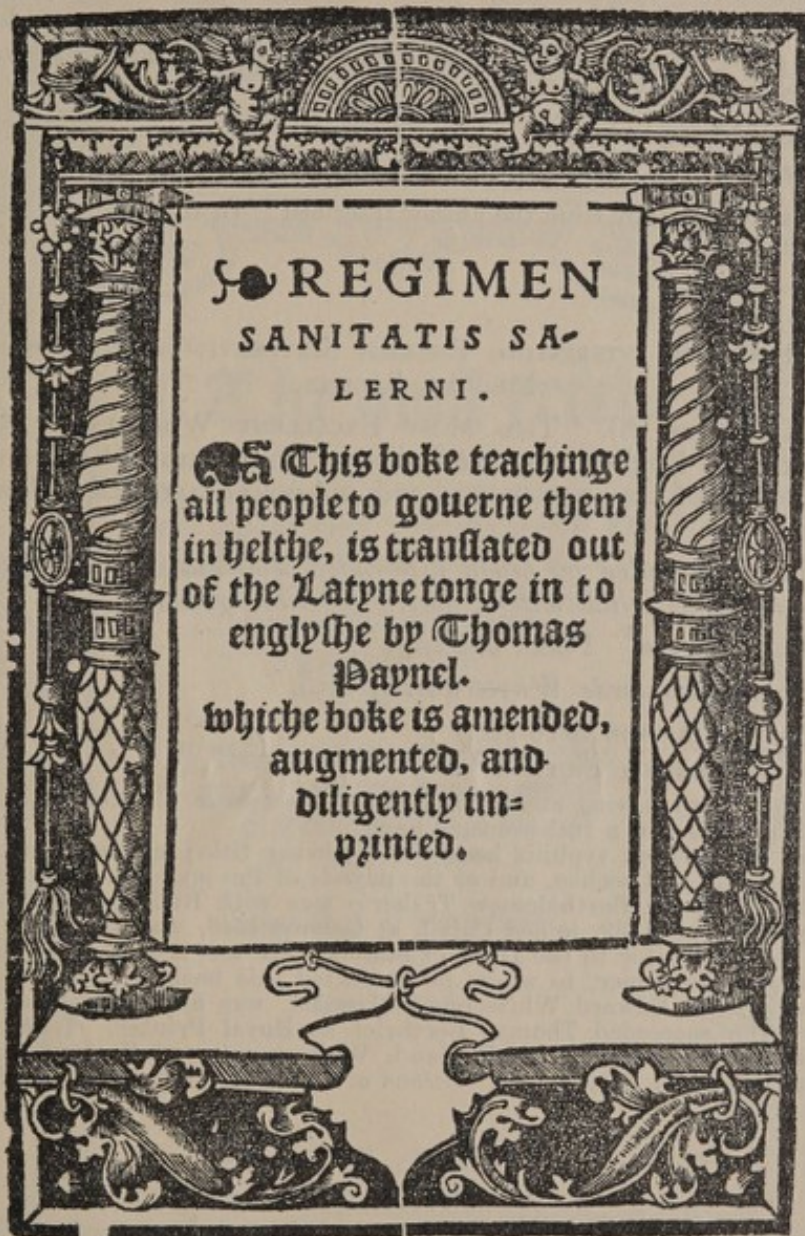
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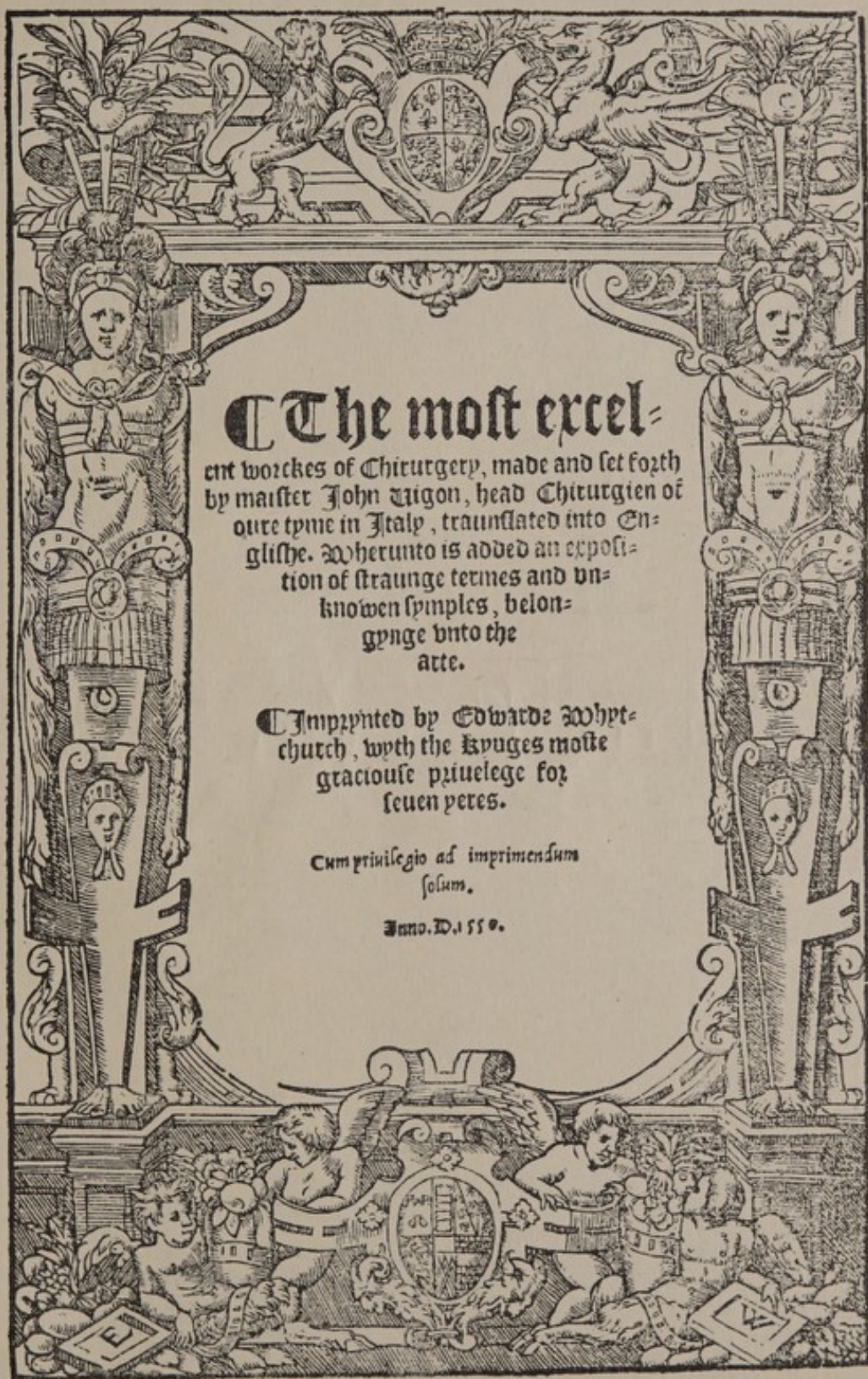
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