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HIERONYMI FR A CASTORII
SYPHILIS.
SIVE MORBVS GALLICVS
AD P. BEMBV M.

*Vi casus rerum uary , quæ semi-
na morbum*

*q I nsuetum , nec longa ulli per se-
cula uifum*

*A ttulerint : noſtra qui tempeſta-
te per omnem*

E uropam , partim'q; Asia , Libyeq; per urbes

S æuyt : in Latium uero per tristia bella

G allorum irruptit : nomenq; à gente recepit .

N ec non et quæ cura : et opis quid comperit usus ,

M agnaq; in angustis hominum follertia rebus :

E t monstrata Deum auxilia , et data munera cœli ,

H inc canere , et longe secretas querere causas

A era per liquidum , et uasti fer fudera olympi

I ncipiam . dulci quando nouitatis amore