

FABAS.

Précis d'Observations sur les Principes Minéraux des Eaux Thermales des Hautes Pyrenées, et spécialement de celles de Saint-Sauveur, suivi de quelques exemples de Guérisons produites par ces dernières. Par le cit. Fabas, médecin, de S.-Sauveur. A Tarbes, de l'Imprimerie de R. I. Agrigue, an VI (1798).

8vo. 6 leaves (the first blank), 128 pp.

This work is very largely chemical.

It is bound with three other works : 1. FARJON, " Essai sur les Eaux Thermales de Balaruc." 1773, q.v. 2. Sarreau, " Dissertations Chirurgicales, la première sur l'Hémorragie et le traitement qui lui convient, la seconde sur la Carie des Os." Montpellier, Picot. 1786. 3. Gardanne (M. de), " Catéchisme sur les Morts Apparentes, dites Asphyxies . . ." Paris, Valade. 1781.

FABRE (Antoine).

Traité des Eaux Minérales du Vivarez par M. Antoine Fabre, Docteur en Médecine. A Avignon, Chez I. Piot, Imprimeur du Saint Office demeurant à la place Saint Didier. 1657.

4to. 12 leaves +124 pp., 2 leaves.

FABRE.

Réflexions sur la Chaleur Animale, pour servir de Supplément à la seconde Partie des Recherches sur différens points de Physiologie, etc. Par M. Fabre, Professeur Royal au Collège de Chirurgie, ancien Commissaire pour les Extraits de l'Académie, etc. A Paris, Chez Théophile Barrois le jeune, Libraire quai des Augustins, No. 18. 1784.

8vo. 31 pp.

A very rare little work in which the author deals with the memoirs of Lavoisier and LaPlace which had been printed in 1780 and which formed the basis for ail future studies of metabolic rate.

FABRE (Pierre Jean).

Palladium Spagyricum Petri Joannis Fabri doctoris Medici Monspeliensis philochymici Castronouodarensis. Tolosae, apud Petrum Bosc. 1624.

8vo. 6 leaves, 394 pp., 9 leaves. The finely engraved title-page shows a portrait of the author at the age of 32.

First Edition of the author's first work.

This first edition is not recorded by Ferguson and there was no separate edition in the Young Collection. Schmieder (p. 385) gives the correct date for the first edition.

Myrothecium Spagyricum sive Pharmacopoea Chymica Occultis Naturae Arcanis, ex Hermeticorum Medicorum scriiniis de promptis abunde illustrata. Tolosae Tectosagum, apud Petrum Bosc, Bibliopolam. 1628.

8vo. 448 pp. +12 leaves (the last blank).

Caillet 3766.
 Ferguson (I, 260) mentions the book.
 The second part has a separate title-page : " Insignes Curationes variorum Morborum quos Medicamentis chymicis iucundissima Methodo curavit."

Traicté de la Peste selon la doctrine des Médecins Spagyriques. A Tolose, Par Raimond Colomiez, Imprimeur Ordinaire du Roy & de l'Université, près l'église du Taur. 1629.

8vo. 5 leaves, 162 pp. Device on title.

First Edition.
 One of the author's rarest works.
 Caillet 3771.
 Gmelin I, p. 508.

There are several chapters on chemical preparations which are supposed to be effective against the plague.

Myrothecium Spagyricum ; sive Pharmacopoea Chymica, Occultis Naturae Arcanis, ex Hermeticorum Medicorum scriniis depromtis abunde illustrata. Item : insignes curationes variorum morborum, qui medicamentis chymicis, iucundissima methodo curati fuere. Cum Chirurgia Spagyrica, in qua de morbis cutaneis omnibus, Spagyricè et Methodicè agitur, & curatio eorum cita, tuta & iucunda tractatur. Argentorati, Sumptibus Heredum Lazari Zetzneri. Anno 1632.

8vo. 2 leaves, 380 pp., 9 leaves. 5 leaves, 326 pp., 8 leaves (the last blank). 157 pp., 2 leaves. The first part was originally published at Toulouse in 1628. The volume also contains the second edition of " Palladium Spagyricum " (which forms the middle part), though this is not mentioned on the title-page. The *Chirurgia Spagyrica* " was first published at Toulouse in 1626 and is here in its second edition. This work was not in the Young Collection but the separate works are referred to by Ferguson (I, 260).

See Rosenthal (*Bibliotheca Magica* 283-4), where the *Palladium Spagyricum* is listed as a separate work, which is most probably correct.

Alchymista Christianus. In quo Deus rerum author omnium, & quamplurima Fidei Christianae mysteria, per analogias Chymicas & Figuras explicantur, Christianorumque Orthodoxa, doctrina, vita & probitas non oscitanter ex chymica arte demonstrantur. Auctore Petro Ioanne Fabro Doctoris Medici Philochymici Monspeliensis. Tolosae Tectosagum. Apud Petrum Bosc, Bibliopolam. 1632.

8vo. Pp. (31, 1 blank), 236, (4). With printer's mark on title. First Edition.
 Ferguson (I, 260 ; not in Young collection). Caillet 3759.

Bound with :

Hercules Piochymicus Petri bannis Fabri, Doctoris Medici, ac Philosophi Monspeliensis, Philochymici Castrinovidarensis. In quo penitissima, tum Moralis Philosophiae, tum Chymicae artis arcana, laboribus Herculis, apud Antiquos tanquam velamine obscuro obruta deteguntur, & obuia fiunt & clausa omnia Philochymicis reserantur. Tolosae Tectosagum, Apud Petrum Bosc Bibliopolam. 1634. (At the end :) Tolosae, Ex Typographia Petri d'Estey, sub signo Praeli Aurei, juxta Collegium Fuxense.

8vo. Pp. (16), 191, (1). With printer's mark on title.
 Apparently First Edition.
 Caillet 3762.
 Together 2 works in 1 volume. 8vo.

L'Abrégé des Secrets Chymiques. Ou l'on void la nature des animaux végétaux & minéraux entièrement découuerte : Avec les Vertus et Proprietez des principes qui composent & consentent leur estre ; & vn Traitté de la Médecine générale. Par M. Pierre Jean Fabre, Docteur en la Faculté de Médecine de l'Université de Montpellier. A Paris, Chez Pierre Billaine, rue S. Jacques, à la Bonne-Foy, deuant S. Yves. 1636.
 Avec Privilège du Roy.

Sm. 8vo. Pp. (15, 1 blank), 392.

Not quoted by Ferguson (I, 259-60).
 Bolton I, 981.
 Caillet 3758.

Palladium Spagyricum, Petri bannis Fabri Doctoris Medici Monspeliensis Philochymici, ex Tectosagum Prouincia nati. Editio altera ab Autore recognita & aucta. Tolosae, Apud Petrum Bosc. 1638.

8vo. Pp. (14), 276, (14). With printer's mark on title.

Caillet 3767.

Hydrographum Spagyricum, Petri bannis Fabri, Doctoris Medici Monspeliensis. In quo de mira fontium essentia, origine, &c. tractatur. Tolosae Tectosagum. Apud Petrum Bosc. 1639.

8vo. Pp. (8), 260, (12). Printer's mark on title.

First Edition.
 Caillet 3763.

Chirurgia Spagyrica Petri kannis Fabri, Doctoris Medici Monspeliensis. In qua de morbis cutaneis omnibus Spagyricè & Methodicè agitur, & curatio eorum cita, tuta, & iucunda tractatur. Tolosae, Apud Petrum Bosc, Bibliopolam. 1638.

8vo. Pp. 132, (4). Printer's mark on title.

Ferguson (I, 259-60 ; not in Young collection).
 Caillet 3760.
 Together 3 works in 1 volume. 8vo.

Panchymici seu Anatomiae Totius Universi Petri Johannis Fabri Castrinovidarensis Doctoris Medici Monspeliensis. Opus in quo de omnibus quae in coelo et sub coelo sunt Spagyricè tractatur. Et Author rerum omnium Deus perquiritur, laudatur, glorificatur ac benedicatur. Volumen primum (-Secundum). Tolosae, apud Petrum Bosc. 1646.
 8vo. 2 vols. 32 leaves +823 pp. +21 leaves (the last 2 blank). 8 leaves +672 pp. +20 leaves (the last blank).

First Edition.
 Very rare and unknown to Ferguson (see note to 1651 edition in my possession).
 Autograph of Vauquelin des Yvetaux on title.

Pan-Chymici seu Anatomiae Totius Universi. Petri Johannis Fabri Castrinovidarensis Doctoris Medici Monspeliensis. Opus in quo de omnibus quae in coelo et sub coelo sunt Spagyricè tractatur. Et Author Rerum Omnium Deus perquiritur, laudatur, glorificatur, ac benedicatur. Cum indicibus capitum, rerum & verborum locupletissimis.

Accessit Propugnaculum Alchymiae Ejusdem Authoris. Francofurti ad Moenum, sumptibus Johannis Beyeri. 1651.

4to. 14 leaves, 740 pp., 22 leaves index, 68 pp., 2 leaves. Title-page in red and black.

Ferguson (I, 259-60) mentions a German edition of the first part of this work. The "Pugnaculum" was first published at Toulouse in 1645. The first part was also published in Toulouse (see Gmelin I, p. 509), but no date is given, and I can find no other reference to this edition. It was incorporated as volume 1 in the collected edition of Fabre's works, published at Frankfurt in 1652. A copy is recorded in Rosenthal, Bibliotheca Magica (No. 285).

Both the Bibliothèque Nationale Catalogue and the Biographie Universelle quote an edition of 1646 of the "Pan-Chymici" as the earliest. There is no copy of either edition in the British Museum.

[FABRE DU BOSQUET].

Mes idées sur la nature et les causes de l'air déphlogistiqué ; D'après les effets qu'il produit sur les animaux, en prolongeant leur force & leur vie. A Londres. 1785.

8vo. Pp. (2), 110, (2).

Very curious booklet which cannot be found in any bibliography. It seems that the work was only printed in a limited edition for the friends of the author (probably in Paris).

The author tries to prove that when respiring dephlogisticated air, people can prolong their lives. P. 97 he says : " Les effets de l'air déphlogistiqué, nous portent d'une manière bien naturelle, à penser que s'il étoit possible de corporifier & de rendre sensible le fluide vivifiant qu'il contient, on auroit très-certainement trouvé la panacée universelle, dont les Philosophes hermétiques nous ont décrit la puissance, les vertus, & les merveilleux effets." The author worked with an improved eudiometer : he quotes eudiometers used by Fontana, Ingenhousz, and others.

On the fly-leaf is written in a modern hand : " par Fabre du Bosquet, gentilhomme de la grande fauconnerie de France. Tiré a petit nombre. Exemplaire provenant de la Bibliothèque de Luzarche (No. 1165)," and on the opposite page in a somewhat older handwriting : " Vente Radziwill, février 1866."

I have a second copy of this book, which strengthens my conviction that this book was only issued in a small number for distribution to the author's friends. This second copy is in exactly the same binding of red morocco, it has the same manuscript corrections in the text by the same hand, and in addition it has four pages of manuscript notes on the fly-leaves. All these notes are undoubtedly by the author.

There is no copy of this book in the British Museum Library, but I have a third copy in full cali which has been obviously ornamented with the same tools by the same binder. This third copy also possesses the identical manuscript corrections in the text by the same hand. The last two copies appear to be of an earlier issue for they do not contain the last two pages which are an unpaginated addition embodying notes which are written, in these two copies, on the end leaves in the same hand.

FÄRBER (Dr. Eduard).

Die Geschichtliche Entwicklung der Chemie. Berlin, Verlag von Julius Springer. 1921.

8vo. 11 +312 pp. 4 plates.

FAHRNER (Christoph).

Glauberus nondum vivus. Das ist : Nicht dem lebendig-todten Glauber zur Antwort sondern nur dem günstigen Leser zur Kurtzweil oder Nachdencken gegebener Appendix. Stuttgart, Getruckt bey Johann Weyrich Rosslin. 1657.

8vo. Pp. 30, 2 blank.

This is the reply to Glauber's "Glauberus Redivivus," Franckfurt 1656 (Ferguson I, 328), which was itself a reply to Fahrner's attacks on Glauber.

FALCONER (William).

An Essay on the Bath Waters in Four Parts containing a Prefatory Introduction on the Study of Mineral Waters in general. Part I. An Account of their possible Impregnations. Part II. The most approved Means to be used for the Discovery of their Contents. Part III. Experiments on the Bath Waters, with an Application of the foregoing Rules to a Discovery of their Contents. Part IV. On the Effects of the Bath Waters on the Human Body and the Propriety of their Use in Medicine, with an Application of the Experiments to Medicine and Pharmacy. London, Printed for T. Lowndes, etc. 1772.

8vo. 2 leaves, 454 pp., and errata leaf.

First Edition.

Waring II, 782.

The first two parts, occupying more than half the book, are mostly concerned with chemistry.

Observations and Experiments on the Poison of Copper. London, Printed for Joseph Johnson. 1774.

Sm. 8vo. 116 pp.

Bolton I, 434.

FALL OPPIO (Gabriello).

Secreti Diversi, et Miracolosì. Racolti dal Falopia, et approbati da altri Medici di gran fama. Novamente ristampati, & ricorretti a commun beneficio di ciascuno. Distinti in tre Libri. Nel primo de quali si contiene il modo di fare olii, cerotti, unguenti ontoni, elettuarii, pillole, et altri medicamenti. Nel secondo s'insegna a far diverse sorti di Vini, & Acque molto salutifere. Nel terzo si contiene d'importantissimi Secreti di Alchimia, & altri dilettevoli, & curiosi. Venetia, appresso li Milochi. 1650.

8vo. 16 leaves +366 pp.

The celebrated anatomist and discoverer of the Fallopian tubes appears here as an alchemist. Ferguson (I, 262) mentions only a German translation, but refers to some earlier Italian editions.

Neu eröffnete vortreffliche und rare Geheimnisse der Natur, darinnen in dreyen Büchern gehandelt wird, von allerhand Olien, Cerotten, Ungventen, Pillulen, Electuarien, Weinen, Gebrandten Wassern, zu unterschiedlichen Gebrechen und Kranckheiten, des Hauptes, Hertzens, Magens, Bauches Miltzens, der Augen, Zähne, Brust, Lunge, Leber, Galle, Nieren, Blase, und Gebähr-Mutter, dessgleichen wider den kalten Brand, Steinschmertzten, Sommerflecken, Sonnenflechten, Blut-und Fleisch-Geschwern, Fistulen, Rose, Wärtzen, Hüner-Augen, auch andere Glieder Schmertzten und Beschwern, dienlich, sambt etzlichen sehr nützlichen Geheimnissen aus der Chymia, vormahls vom Authore in Italiänischer Sprache publiciret, itzo aber männiglich zum besten ins Teutsche übersetzt und vermehret mit einem Anhang von giftigen Fiebern, Lendenstein, Colica oder Darmgrimmen Melancholey-Kranckheit reissende Glieder, Gicht, Schwind-und Wassersucht, Nasenbluten, Aderlassen, Schrepffen, Rothen Ruhr, und Güldenadenfluss, Nicht allein den Medicis, Alchymisten, Chyrurgis, Feldscherern und allen Liebhabern der Gesundheit und Künsten, so wohl in der Alchymia, als Medicina und Chyrurgia, sondern auch fleissigen Naturkündigern sorgfältigen Hauss-Vätern und verständigen Hauss-Müttern, in Städten und auff dem Lande hochnöthig

und nützlich zu gebrauchen. Franckfurt am. Mayn, verlegt in Henning Grossens Buchladen. Anno 1690.

8vo. Title across two pages. Pp. (40), 1072. Very curious woodcut frontispiece representing fabulous animals, across two pages.

Ferguson (I, 262) does not quote this edition. (The Young Collection only contained the 1641 edition of the German translation, a volume which is by far less bulky than this.) The alchemical secrets are to be found on pages 275 to 448.

FALSCHER

Falscher und wahrer Lapis Philosophorum, oder : eines vomehmen und Christlichen Philosophi unschätzbaren Unterricht von allem demjenigen, was ihm bey kostbarster Suchung des Stemm der Weisen begegnet ist, worinnen derselbe alle diejenigen Streiche, welche denen betrügerischen Laboranten nur immer möglich sind, auszuüben, aus eigener, mit vielen 1000. Ducaten Unkosten verknüpft gewesener vieljähriger Erfahrung, Historisch entdeckt, sodann die untrüglichen Mittel, diese Betrügereyen bey Zeiten zu entdecken und selbigen zu begegnen, aufrichtig zeigt ; Hierauf aber die Würcklichkeit des Stemm der Weisen und durch was vor Mittel, unter giittlichem Beystand sowohl hierzu, ais zu Verfertigung der herrlichsten Artzeneyen zu gelangen, klar lehret, dabey auch in einem ausführlichen Anhang zeigt, wie sowohl alle äusserliche ais innerliche Glieder und andere Kranckheiten mit wenigen Kosten zu heilen sind. Franckfurt und Leipzig, in Commission zu haben bey Daniel Christian Hechtel. 1752.

4to. Pp. (24), 416, (2). Title red and black. Engraved plate of horoscope.

Ferguson I,
263. Caillet
3807.

Ferguson describes the frontispiece which is missing from my copy. Caillet does not mention this frontispiece. It is not contained in the first edition of the book, which, under the title of " Der Chymischen und heutigen Welt nutzbahre Schatz-Kammer " by Sincerus Hydrophilus, appeared in 1736 and of which this is merely a re-issue with a new title-page (cf. Ferguson I, 425-26).

FAMA MYSTICA HERMETICA.

Fama Mystica Hermetica von dem grossen Universal-Stein, Oder Lapide Philosophorum der uralten Weisen, ein abgenöthigter Beweiss von desselben wahrhaftigem Daseyn : ais eine Antwort auf dasjenige Avertissement, das eine unbekante, aber sehr erlauchte Feder, in dem Monat Hornung, des Jahres 1765 durch das Frankfurter und Erlanger Wochenblatt an die erlauchten Hohen Societäten London, Paris, Berlin, &c., &c., abgegeben, und afentlich bekannt gemacht hat. &c. Frankfurt und Leipzig, bey Johann Paul Krauss. 1772.

8vo. Pp. 88.

First Edition.
Bolton I, 982.
Ferguson I,
263-64.
Kopp II, 367.

FANIANUS (Johannes Chrysippus).

De Arte Metallica Metamorphoseos Liber singularis quo omnia, quae ad Philosophici Lapidis opus pertinent, apertissime describuntur, ad Philoponum. Parisfis, Apud Gulielmum Guillard, in via Iacobaea, sub divae Barbarae signo. 1560,

Sm. 4to. 24 leaves.

First Edition.

It is dated from Paris, 14 November, 1559 in die preface. There is an edition of the same year, printed at Basel, which is quoted by Ferguson (I, 264) and Kopp (II, 392) with an incorrect title. The work treats of the question whether alchemy is a permitted science or not. It was reprinted in " De Arte Chemica," 1601 and 1602, and in the "Theatrum Chemicum."

Autograph of Vauquelin des Yvetaux on title.

FANTONI (Giovanni).

De Thermis Valderianis Dissertationes Duae. Auctore Johanne Fantono, Regii Principis Pedemontii Medico Ordinario, et in Taurensi Universitate Practicae Medicinae Professore. Genevae, apud Marcum-Michaelem Bousquet et socios. 1725.

8vo. 4+82 pp. + errata leaf.

On the mineral waters of Piedmont.

FARADAY (Michael).

Chemical Manipulation ; being Instructions to Students in Chemistry, on the Methods of performing Experiments of Demonstration or of Research, with Accuracy and Success. By Michael Faraday, F.R.S., F.G.S., M.R.I. Corresponding Member of the Royal Academy of Sciences of France, and of the Medico-Chemical Society of Paris ; Director of the Laboratory of the Royal Institution of Great Britain ; Member of the Astronomical Society of London ; Honorary Member of the Cambridge Philosophical Society, of the Philosophical Society of Bristol, of the Cambrian Society for the Encouragement of Geology, Mineralogy, and Natural History, and of the Westminster Medical Society, &c. London, Printed and published by W. Phillips, George Yard, Lombard-Street ; Sold also by W. Tait, Edinburgh ; and Hodges and M'Arthur, Dublin. 1827.

8vo. Pp. vii, (1 blank), 656. With woodcuts in the text.

First Edition.
Bolton I, 434.

Kopp, Gesch. d. Chemie, I, 410.

Presentation copy from the author to the London Institution, inscribed on title-page.

Chemical Manipulation ; being Instructions to Students in Chemistry on the Methods of Performing Experiments of Demonstration, or of Research, with accuracy and success . . . London, John Murray, Albemarle Street. 1829.

8vo. 7+656 pp. Errata slip.

Apparently a re-issue of the first edition.

The Subject Matter of A Course of Six Lectures On The Non-Metallic Elements, delivered before the members of the Royal Institution in the spring and summer of 1852, arranged, by permission, from the lecturer's notes lent for the occasion by J. Scoffem, M.B. to which is appended, Remarks on the quality and tendencies of chemical philosophy, on allotropism and ozone, together with manipulative details relating to the performance of Experiments indicated by Professor Faraday. London, Longman, Brown, etc. 1853. 8vo. 8+293 pp.+32 pp. advertisements,

Bolton I, 435,