

## LINAND (B.).

Nouveau Traité des Eaux Minérales de Forges, où l'on fait voir dans les nouveaux principes de Physique et de Médecine, quelle est la Nature de ces Eaux. En quoy consistent leur vertus. Dans quelles maladies elles sont bonnes, et comment elles en détruisent les causes. Quelles précautions il faut prendre avant que d'en boire. Quel régime il faut observer en les prenant, et après les avoir prises, etc. Avec un plan des sources, du lieu où elles sont, de l'Enclos et du Bois des R. R. Pères Capucins, et du Bourg de Forges, dessiné sur le lieu par M. B. Linand D. en Médecine. A Paris, Chez Laurent d'Houry . . . et à Forges chez le Sieur de la Cour, 1697.

8vo. 4 leaves, 135 pp., 1 folding plate.

## LINDEN (Diederick Wessel).

An Experimental Dissertation on the Nature, Contents, and Virtues of the Hyde Saline Purging Water, commonly called the Hyde Spaw, near Cheltenham in Gloucestershire, in which is proved from facts, that these waters are of the same nature, and considerably richer in Salts than those of Cheltenham : and the various Distempers in which they are salutary, fully set forth and demonstrated, to be in every respect superior to the Cheltenham Water, with Directions for Drinking and Bathing. London, 1751.

8vo. 8 + 66 pp. + 3 unnumbered leaves.

Waring II, 793. The only book on these waters.

Lettres sur la Minéralogie et la Métallurgie Pratiques. Traduit de l'Anglois. A Paris, Chez Durand, rue S. Jacques, au Griffon et Tissot, Quai des Augustins, au coin de la rue Gist-le-Coeur, 1752.

8vo. 11 leaves, 201 pp.

The English edition appeared in 1750.

A Treatise on the Origin, Nature, and Virtues of Chalybeat Waters, and Natural Hot-Baths. With a description of the Mineral Waters in England and Germany. Likewise directions for the preparations and Use of Artificial, Hot, Mineral-Water Baths. To which is added an Appendix, on the Selter Water, with many remarks especially on its mixture with Tar Water. And also a Dissertation on Baron Schwanberg's Liquid-Shell ; with the process for preparing the same. To which are annexed, occasional remarks and queries on the Glastonbury Waters. The second edition. London, printed for Daniel Brown . . . & John Ward, 1755.

8vo. 20 pp. + 2 leaves + 341 pp., 3 leaves. Frontispiece and 1 folding plate.

Waring II, 776.

A Treatise on three Medicinal Mineral Waters at Llandrindod, in Radnorshire, South Wales, with some Remarks on Mineral. and Fossil Mixtures in their Native Veins and Beds, at least as far as respects their Influence on Water. London, Printed by J. Everingham and T. Reynolds for the Author and sold by W. Owen, at Homer's Head, Temple Bar, 1756.

8vo. Engraved frontispiece, title, 44 + 336 pp.

Waring II, 796.

Contains details of many chemical tests and experiments made on various waters which take up the greatest part of the book.

## [LINDEN (Franz Joseph Freiherr von)].

Handschriften für Freunde geheimer Wissenschaften zum Druck befkdert von M.J.F.v.L., K.K.A.R. Erster Band (ail published). Wien, bey K. Blumauer, 1794.

8vo. 8 leaves + 532 pp. + 2 leaves. With five plates (including one folding).

A very uncommon and interesting work containing reprints from rare manuscripts--or so the author says. The last part contains : " Das Büchlein der Venus zur Beschwörung böser Geister, eine gottselige Weise Aus dem Lateinischen des Johannes Dee übersetzt von Leopold F . . . " Caillet 4962 (gives six plates).

Wolffstieg 42540 says that the book is extremely rare and has evidently not seen h, as he gives no collation. There is no copy in the British Museum and whether Caillet is correct in calling for 6 plates I am not able to say.

## LIPPMANN (Edmund O. von).

Entstehung und Ausbreitung der Alchemie Mit einem Anhang : Zur älteren Geschichte der Metalle. Ein Beitrag zur Kulturgeschichte. Berlin, J. Springer, 1919-1931.

8vo. 2 vols. I 16 + 742 pp. II : 8 + 257 pp.

Zeittafeln zur Geschichte der Organischen Chemie. Ein Versuch. Berlin, J. Springer, 1921.

8vo. 10 + 67 pp.

Studien zur Geschichte der Chemie. Festgabe Edmund O. y. Lippmann zum siebenzigsten Geburtstage dargebracht aus nah und fern und im Auftrage der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Geschichte der Medizin und Naturwissenschaften herausgegeben von Julius Ruska. Berlin, J. Springer, 1927.

8vo. 6 + 242 pp. Portrait.

With papers by Ruska, Darmstaedter, Hopkins, Miel, T. L. Davis, Holmyard, Lagercrantz and others.

## LISTER (Martin).

Novae ac Curiosae Exercitationes & Descriptions Thermarum ac Fontium Medicatorum Angliae. Eorum originem, salubrem usum & potationis modum tradentes. Editio ultima auctior et emendatior. Londini, Impensis Walteri Kettlby, ad insigne Capitis Episcopalis in Coemiterio D. Pauli, 1686.

12mo. 6 leaves frontispiece) + 156 pp., 1 plate.

An early book on English Mineral Waters, the first edition of which had appeared in 1682. This edition is not recorded by Waring (II, 775).

## LLETGET (Don Tomas).

Memoria sopra los Baños Minerales de Tiermas, escrit por su Director Facultativo Don Tomas Lletget. Calificado de sobresaliente y digno de premio por Real orden del 8 de Setiembre ultimo, Oido el Consejo de Sanidad del Reino. Madrid, Imprenta Nacional, 1857.

8vo. 48 pp. Folding table.

## LOBSTEIN (Frédéric).

Essai sur la nouvelle découverte de la Poudre Coton (Pudre papier, fulmi-coton, coton azotique, pyroxilne.) Erreur populaire sur l'invention de la poudre. De ses diverses fabrications. Obstacles à ses progrès. Cause de la supériorité des poudres anglaises. La poudre coton remplacera-t-elle la poudre de guerre ? Ses avantages, ses inconvénients. Diverses manières de faire de la poudre avec le coton, le papier, la sciure de bois etc. Principes de M. Pelouse. Découverte des Docteurs allemands, Schoenbein et Boettinger ; — de M. Chodsko ; — de M. Morel ; — du professeur allemand Otto ; — de M. Martin-Louzer — Expériences que doit subir cette poudre, et qualités qu'elle doit avoir avant qu'on en fasse usage pour les armes de guerre ou de chasse. — Rapport extrait du Moniteur officiel sur ces expériences. Paris, Moquet, 1846.

8vo. 20 pp.

An interesting work on the early history of guncotton.

## LOCATELLI (Lodovico).

Theatro d'Arcani del Medico Lodovico Locatelli da Bergamo; nel quale si tratta Dell'Arte Chimica e suoi Arcani, con gli Afforismi d'Ippocrate Commentati da Paracelso, etc. L'espositione d'alcune Cifre, & Caratteri oscuri de Filosofi, con due Tavole Una de Capitoli, & l'altra delle cose piu notabili. In Milano, per Gio. Pietro Ramellati, 1644.

8vo. 29 leaves ± 456 pp. The first leaf is an engraved frontispiece, the second a frontispiece in woodcut, both different in design, and followed by a letterpress title. At the end there are several pages with chemical symbols.

First Edition and rare.

Ferguson, Books of Secrets I, 12.

Hoefler (II, 322) quotes the first edition with the erroneous date of 1648.

The author, who was born at Bergamo, was a zealous iatrochemist who invented a balsam to heal wounds. His book is of paracelsian interest (Sudhoff, No. 397).

Theatro d'Arcani, nel quale si tratta dell' Arte Chimica, & suoi Arcani. Con gli Afforismi d'Ippocrate commentati da Paracelso et l'espositione d'alcune Cifre, & Caratteri oscuri de Filosofi. In Venetia, presso Paolo Baglioni, 1667.

Sm.8vo. Pp. (16), 392, (22). With diagrams.

This is the second Italian edition.

## LOCQUES (Nicolas de).

Les Rudimens de la Philosophie Naturelle touchant le Systeme du Corps Mixte. Cours Theorique, où sont clairement expliquez les Preceptes et les Principes de la Chymie, qui ont esté jusques icy cachez des anciens Philosophes. A Paris, Chez Geoffroy Marcher, rue Saint Jacques, à la ville de Rome, 1665.

8vo. Engraved frontispiece, 4 leaves, 184 pp., 4 leaves with woodcuts, 8 leaves, 214 pp., 1 leaf, 8 leaves, 146 pp., 1 blank leaf, 39 pp., 8 leaves, 54 pp., 1 leaf, 10 leaves, 89 pp.

Ferguson II, 42.

de Guaita Catalogue no. 511 (" Traités curieux et très rares ").

Bibliotheca Esoterica 2732.

A very rare work.

Nicholas de Locques is a nebulous figure who was " médecin spagyrique " to the King. My library contains a fine folio seventeenth century manuscript of other unprinted works by him, bearing the ex libris of Bourdelet, Ecuyer Avocat en Parlement.

## LOECHES (Johannes de).

Tyrocinium Pharmaceuticum, Theorico-Practicum Galeno Chymicum. Auctum, Correctum, et Reformatum. Catholicae Majestatis Archiatro Illustrissimo nuncupatum. Johannes de Loeches in Curia Matritensi Pharmacopeo Authore. Gerundae (Gerona), ex Typ. Narcissi Oliva Typogr. Et Vici, Ex Typ. Petri Morera, Typogra. Vendense en dichas Imprentas y a sus costal afin 1755.

4to. 8 leaves ± 59 + 487 pp.

Palau IV, 252. This is a reprint of the first edition which had appeared in 1728.

## LOEN (Johann Michael von).

Das Geheimniss der Verwesung und Verbrennung aller Dinge, nach seinen Wundern im Reich der Natur und Gnade, Macro et Microcosmice, als die Schlüssel : dadurch der Weeg zur Verbesserung eröffnet, das verborgene der Creaturen entdeckt, und die Verklärung des sterblichen Leibes gründlich erkant wird. . . . Vierte und mit vielen curiosen Observationibus vermehrte Auflage. Franckfurt am Mayn, In der Fleischerischen Buchhandlung, 1771.

8vo. 109 pp. Portrait of author.

Ferguson II, 43 (but no copy in the Young Collection).

Caillet 6743.

## LÖWIG (Cari).

Chemie der Organischen Verbindungen. Zweite gänzlich umgearbeitete und vermehrte Auflage. Zürich, J. Fröbel & Co., 1845.

8vo. 2 vols. in three. I : 37 pp., fly-title, 1023 pp. II : 34 pp., fly-title, 1754 pp., errata leaf.

Bolton I, 638.

## LOMBARDUS (Johannes Franciscus).

*ΣΥΝΟΨΙΣ* eorum, quae de Balneis aliis, que miraculis Puteolanis scripta sunt. Auctore Joan. Franciscus Lombardo Neapolitano. Adjectis Balneis Aenariarum, necnon locis obscurioribus non inutilibus Scholiis . Opus ab Auctore denuo recognitum, et locupletatum. Venetiis, impensis Anelli Sanuiti, venundantur Neapoli apud Antonium Baccolum, 1566.

Sm. 4to. 4 leaves + 128 pp. + 8 leaves.

The text is largely in verse.

## LOMONOSOW (Michael).

Oratio de Utilitate Chemiae in publico conventu Imperialis Academiae Scientiarum Instituto ad Agendum Anniversarium Festum Diem Onomasticum Clementissimae ac Potentissimae Dominae Elisabethae Petri Filiae Imperatricis totius Rossiae habita a.c. 1751 VIII ides septembres. A Michaele Lomonosow Consiliario Academico. Ex Rossica autem in Latinam linguam conversa a Gregorio Kositzki. Petropoli, Typis Academiae Scientiarum, (1751).

4to. Title + 30 pp.

An extremely rare and important tract. For a good account of Lomonosow's work and this particular thesis see Menshutkin, *Journal Chem. Education*, 4, 9, pp. 1079 etc. (1927).

## LONGINUS (Caesar).

Trinum Magicum, Sive Secretorum Magicorum Opus : Continens I. De Magia Naturali, Artificiosa & Superstitiosa Disquisitiones axiomáticas. 2. Theatrum Naturae, praeter Curam Magneticam & veterum Sophorum Sigilla et Imagines Magicas, etiam Conclusiones Physicas, Elementales, Coelestes & Infernales exhibens. 3. Oracula Zoroastris, & Mystera Mysticae philosophiae Hebraeorum, Chaldaeorum, Aegyptiorum, Arabum, Persarum, Graecorum, Orphicorum, Pythagoricorum et Latinorum. Accessere Nonnulla Secreta Secretorum & Mirabilia Mundi. Editum a Caesare Longino, Philos. Francofurti, Ex Officina Typographica Antonii Hummii, 1616.

12mo. 10 leaves, 603 pp.

A rare and interesting volume, of which there is a full account in Thorndike (vol. VI, pp. 600-602). As he surmises, this 1616 edition is an exact reprint of the 1614 edition, the contents of which he describes in detail. He says that Zimara has nothing to do with this book, although the first tract is attributed to him. The book is not mentioned by Ferguson in the "Bibliotheca Chemica," but reference is made to it in "Books of Secrets" (part vi, p. 9). Both Caillet and the de Guaita catalogue only quote editions of 1629 and 1663.

## LOOS (Irésime Henri de).

Le Diadème des Sages, ou Démonstration de la Nature Inférieure; Dans lequel on trouvera une Analyse raisonnée du livre des Erreurs & de la Verité ; une Dissertation étendue sur la Médecine Universelle, avec une Allégorie sur cette matière, traduite de l'Original Anglois : la fausseté du système du Sr. Meyer sur l'Acidum Pingue, ainsi qu'un éclaircissement sur la Végétation, qui donnera des preuves suffisantes contre les erreurs qui se sont glissées a ce sujet. Par Phylantropos, Citoyen du Monde . . . A Paris, Chez Méricot l'ainé . . . ; L'Esclapart ... 1781.

12mo. 240 pp., 1 leaf. The first leaf, almost certainly a half-title, is missing.

Extremely rare.

The only copy I can trace is in the de Guaita catalogue nos. 516 and 1559. The last part is supposed to be a translation from an English work.

Loos (1725-1785) was a French Alchemist born in Sedan. His book, which, according to Caillet, is as pure-minded as the works of Jacob Böhme, is especially interesting for the critical dissertation on the famous work of the theosophist Cl. de St. Martin "Des erreurs et de la vérité". It also contains an attack on the "acidum pingue" theory of the German chemist Johann Friedrich Meyer (Kopp, *Gesch. cl. Chemie*, III, 34-42) and this gives it some importance in the history of Chemistry.

Der Schmuck der Weisen, oder gründliche Darstellung der physischen Unterwelt. Enthaltend, eine beurtheilte Zergliederung des Buches von den Irrthümern und der Wahrheit, (eine umständliche Abhandlung über die Universalmedizin, mit einem Sinnbild über diese Materie, aus der englischen Urschrift übersetzt. Der Ungrund des Meyerischen Lehrgebäudes über das acidum pingue — wie auch eine beleuchtete Erläuterung über die Vegetation.) Von Philantropos, einem Weltbürger, übersetzt von F. y. Z. Wien bey Rudolph Gräffer. 1782.

Sm. 8vo. Pp. 197, (1 blank).

First Edition in German.  
Gaillet 6786.

## LORME (M. de).

Traité de Chymie. A Paris, Chez la veuve Duchesne, Pissot, Durand & Esprit, 1773.

8vo. Half-title, title, 528 pp. Two engraved folding plates.

Unknown to all the usual authorities. The author, who is not represented in either the catalogue of the British Museum or the Bibliothèque Nationale, tells us that his book makes no claim to be anything more than a compilation from Macquer, Lemery, Lewis, Baumé, Gellert and others. It is however, a well-arranged and systematic work based on the phlogiston theory.

## LOVEL (W.).

Approved Receipts, Or, The Queens Representation, To this our English Nation. And To all the rest of the Kings most Excellent Majesties Dominions, as Wales, Scotland, and Ireland, &c. Discovering Divers Infirmities in Mans Body. And Also Plain and easie Rules, for making the Ingredients, and to cure the same. By W. Lovel, Gent. and Traveller. Printed and published for the use and benefit of the poor. London, Printed for Charles Tyus at the Three Bibles on London Bridge. 1663.

8vo. 8 leaves (As). Title surrounded by border of printer's ornaments.

Bound with : BOULES (Dr.), The Queens Royal Closet q.v. and three other works mentioned there.

## LUBBOCK (Richard).

Dissertatio Physico-Chemica, Inauguralis, De Principio Sorbili, sive communi Mutationum Chemicarum Causa, Quaestionem, an Phlogiston sit Substantia, an Qualitas ; agitans, et alteram Ignis Theoriam complectens : quam Annuente summo numine, ex auctoritate Reverendi admodum Viri D. Gulielmi Robertson, S.S.T. P. Academiae Edinburgenae Praefecti ; nec non amplissimi Senatus Academici consensu, et nobilissimae Facultatis Medicae decreto, pro Gradu Doctoris, summisque in Medicina Honoribus et Privilegiis rite et legitime consequendis ; Eruditorum examini subjicit Ricardus Lubbock, Anglo-Britannus. Soc. Reg. Med. Edin. necnon Soc. Natur. Stud. Ed. Sod. Ad diem 13 Septembr. hora locoque solitis. Edinburgi, apud Balfour et Smellie, Academiae Typographos, 1784.

8vo. 3 leaves, 137 pp.

Kopp III, 161 and 164-5.

An interesting thesis giving a convincing refutation of the phlogiston theory. It is dealt with **e** some length by J. White (*The Phlogiston Theory*, 1932, page 160).

LÜDY jun. (F.).

Alchemistische und Chemische Zeichen. No place and date (1928).

8vo. Pp. 57, (3 blank). With 30 illustrations in the text and 128 tables.

A very useful publication with interesting illustrations, edited by the "Gesellschaft für Geschichte der Pharmazie."

LICAS (Louis).

Le Roman Alchimique ou les Deux Baisers. Paris, Michel Lévy, 1857.

8vo. Half-title, title, 353 pp., leaf of index.

First Edition.

Caillet 6828. "Edition originale très rare. Correspondence de deux frères brésiliens qui s'occupaient beaucoup d'alchimie et que Lucas a mis en ordre . . ." Bibliotheca Esoterica 6167.

LÜTKENS (Johann).

Johann Lütken's Philosophische Werke. Der Nasse Weg. Manuscript on 46 pages of paper, in German. Of recent date, probably about 1900.

8vo.

Bound with : PHILOSOPHISCHES Licht und Schatten, 1738, q.v.

LULLIUS (Raimundus).

Introductorium magne artis generalis reverendissimi doctoris illuminati magistri Raymundi Lullii ad omnes scientias utilissimum. (Lyons, Gilbert de Villiers), 28th April, 1515.

and :

Arbor scientie venerabilis ac celitus illuminati patris Raymundi lullii Majoricensis : cuius farrago et fructus admirabilis a tergo huius indicabitur et in cuius commendationes est hoc extemporaneum Jodoci Badii Ascensii ad pium lectorem epigramma . . . Lyons, Gilbert de Villiers pour Guillaume Huyon et Constantin Fradin, 4th May 1515.

and :

Ars Brevis. Lyons, Etienne Baland, 15th December 1514.

4to. 3 works bound together.

I : 10 leaves (the last blank).

II : 224 leaves. With 17 large woodcuts.

III : 29 leaves (should be 30, lacks the title). With five woodcuts, one with movable volvelle. All three works are printed in Gothic characters, double columns.

All these tracts are very rare. The first is recorded by Caillet (6841). The second by Brunet (III, 1233) and Renouard, ("Badius Ascensius" III, 44). It is the first edition which has the Latin epigram by Badius on the title.

I have not been able to trace the third book in any bibliography.

De secretis naturae siue Quinta essentia libri duo. His accesserunt, Alberti Magni Summi philosophi, De mineralibus & rebus metallicis Libri quinq. Quae omnia solerti cura repurgata rerum naturae studiosis recens publicata sunt per M. Gualtherum H. Ryff, Argentinensem. Medicum. Anno Domini 1541. Mense Martio. Cum Regiae Maiestatis priuilegio ad sexennium. (Colophon :) Argentorati apud Balthassarum Beck. Anno XLI Mense Martio.

8vo. Ff. (4), 183, (4, 1 blank). With 8 woodcuts in the text.

Ferguson II, 54. (No copy in Young Collection.)

This is the first edition edited by the celebrated Strasburg physician Walter Hermann Ryff of these two tracts. A second edition appeared at Venice in 1542. The tract by Albertus Magnus belongs to the authentic writings of this author. Thorndike (II, 517-592) devotes much space to a thorough analysis of this remarkable work and points out the stress laid by Albertus on personal investigation and experiment.

De secretis naturae sive Quinta essentia libri duo. His accesserunt, Alberti Magni summi Philosophi, De mineralibus et rebus metallicis libri quinque. Quae omnia solerti cura repurgata rerum naturae studiosis recens publicata sunt per magistrum H. Ryff, Argentinensem Medicum. Venetiis, apud Petrum Schoeffer Germanum Maguntinum. Anno 1542.

8vo. 324 pp., 4 leaves. Device at end, with 8 woodcuts.

Ferguson II, 54.

The second edition printed one year after the preceding item. It is well produced by Peter Schoeffer's youngest son.

De Alchimia Opuscula quae sequuntur. Apertorium, item, Magica Naturalis. Item, De Secretis Naturae, Seu de Quinta essentia liber unus. Iam non mutilus, ut in prioribus editionibus omnibus. Adjecimus enim tertiam distinctionem de Transmutatione metallorum, quae plusquam dimidia pars est totius libri. Norimbergae, apud Iohan. Petreum. 1546.

4to. 113 leaves.

Waite, "Alchemical Philosophers," p. 291. A very rare edition.

Liber, qui Codicillus, seu vade mecum inscribitur, in quo fontes Alchimicae artis & reconditoris philosophiae traduntur, ante hac nunquam impressus. Coloniae, apud Haeredes Arnoldi Birckmanni, anno 1563.

8vo. 271 pp. Device on title.

First Edition.

Ferguson (I, 54); no copy in the Young collection.

Testamentum, duobus libris vniuersam artem Chymicam complectens, antehac nunquam excusum. Item Eivsdem Compendium Animae Transmutationis artis metallorum, absolutum iam & perfectum. Coloniae Agrippinae, Apud Ioannem Byrckmannum, 1566.

8vo. Ff. (4), 240, (8). With diagrams in the text.