

III. GUAGING PROMOTED, *Being an Appendix to Stereomatical Propositions, formerly published by Rob. Anderson. Printed for Joh. Coniers 1669. in Octavo.*

IN this small Tract the Author reduceth his former Doctrine of *Gauging* to farther Practice, and illustrateth the same by Examples.

And first he supposeth the *Axis* of a *Pyramid, Cone, Sphere, Parabolical, and Hyperbolical Conoid*, and of a Figure of different *Bases*, which he calls a *Frustrum* of a *Prisme*, which if round, may resemble a Drinking Cup like an Horn, having its top squeezed into an *Elliprick* form, and the bottom remaining either a Circle, or be likewise compress'd; the said *Axis* to be divided into equal Segments, and Plains passing through those Segments erect to the *Axis*; to divide the above-mention'd Solids into divers Portions or Rings: and upon these Foundations, *viz.* That in the *Parabolical Conoid* the *second* differences of the Solid Contents of the whole Figures so divided are equal; but in the rest of these Solids their *third* Differences are equal: he hath suted his Examples to the *Axis* cut by the said Plains at 3 Inches distance from each other, shewing first the nature of the differences in hand, and then some easie wayes to attain a first, second, and third difference; and how out of them to compute the severall Capacities sought by Additions of Differences plac'd in severall Columns. Lastly, He gives directions for the more easie Calculation of the *second* Segments of the *Sphere* and *Spheroid*.

But we must not omit to take notice, that this Author, speaking pag. 23. of such *Elliptick Solids*, whose *Bases* are unlike, asserts, That every such *Elliptick Solid* is equal to the *Frustrum* or *Truncus* of an *Hyperbolick Conoid*, the *Circular Bases* whereof are equal to the *Elliptick Bases* of the Solid propos'd; and the Height of the one *Frustrum* equal to the Height of the other: the Invention and Demonstration whereof argues good Knowledge in Geometry.

ERRAT. in N^o. 46.

P. 928. l. 1. r. punctum D in B, ib. l. 28. r. fortissime omnium aget.

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