

17. The Anatomie of an Hedge-hog, in which was found a Muscle of a circular form embracing the *panniculus carnosus*, and reaching to the feet, tail and head of the animal, and thereby assisting it for a circular contraction at its pleasure.

18. Of the Womb of a Hare dissolving her own *foetus*; which our Author from *Mons. Steno* ascribes to a *menstruum* furnish'd by nature, and fit to prevent putrefaction. Whence some hope is rais'd for such women as retain dead children, if from other causes they abound not with putrid humors.

29. Of a poor Parisian Woman, which having for three years together taken no other food but *Spirit of Wine*, was thence burnt to ashes, when on a certain evening she sat down & fell asleep in a chair of straw.

20. That at *Copenhagen*, the Magnetick Needle did then vary 3 deg. 35 min. Westward; and that with the same Needle the variation at *Huenna*, being but 3 miles from *Copenhagen*, was found to be 2 deg. and 35 min. These observations were made by *Dr. Erasmus Bartholin* and *Montieur Picard*, two able and accurate observers.

21. That by reason of the suspicion, which some considerable men entertain of the Variation of the *Meridian*, they have made in a convenient place at *Copenhagen* an accurate *Meridian*, for future observation and comparison.

22. That the *Norwegians* make use with great success of *Tarr* of Fir-trees in Malignant Feavers, by drinking it in their bier: And that they employ the powder and moss of that Wood in very dangerous wounds, as also that *Pitch* is a present remedy for the Gout.

23. That an excessive fatness in a man of above 60 years of age was cured by Pills made of *Mercurius dulcis*, causing a great salivation: Where the Author notes from *Dr. Borrichius*, that, though it hath been already known, that a noysom *pituata* is discharged by the Salival glands, yet 'tis new, that the cause of two much fatness is carried off by the same way.

25. That a live Hedge hog being shut up in a great pipkin, and a flame made about it, the animal for a long while gave not any sign of pain; only it had contracted it self into the shape of a very round ball, shooting out his bristles round about, as if he would make them fight against the violence of the fire: which lasted a great while to the amazement of the by-standers, who took notice, that at length, all about him being red hot, and the flame striking upon his *panniculus carnosus*, and the bristles falling off together with it, the poor creature died with no other revenge than a slight grunting noise.

24. That the Humors of the Eyes of Gees and Hens, even the *Chry-stallin*, have been restored, together with the sight, without any art, by Nature alone, and that perhaps by the afflux of the nervous liquor of the animals.

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