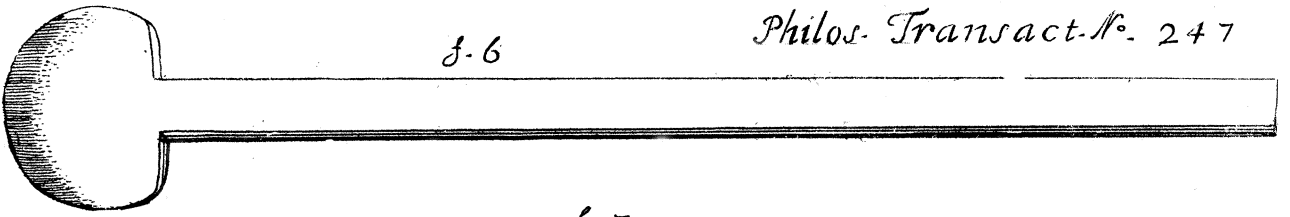
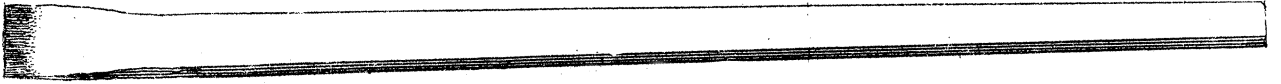


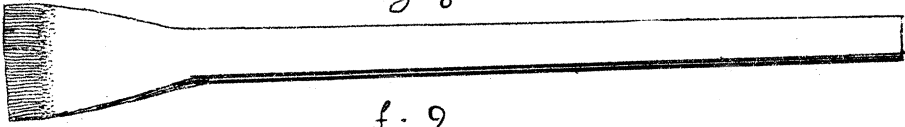
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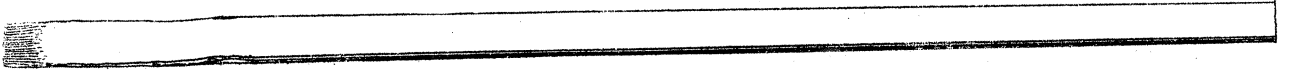
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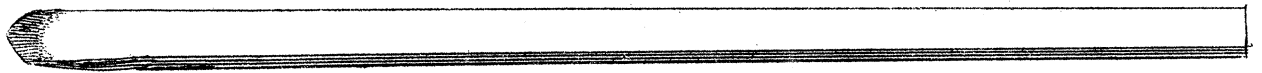
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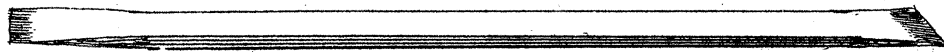
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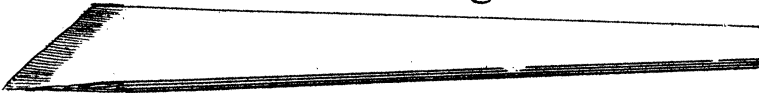
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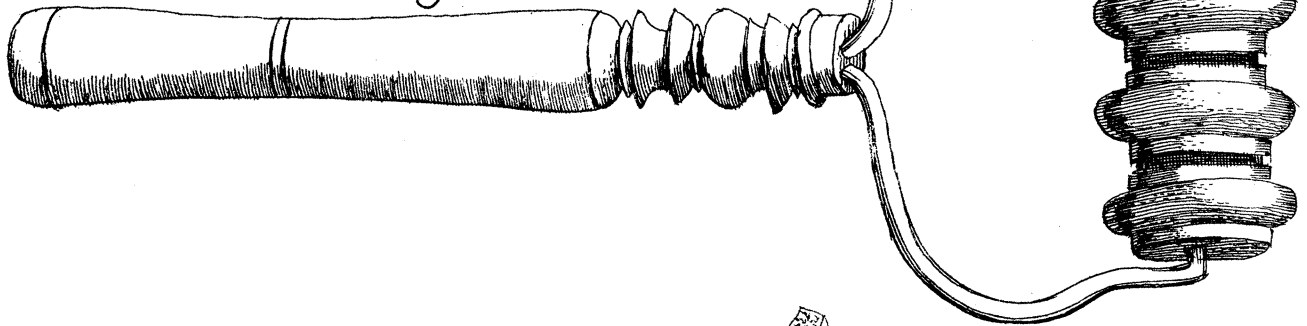


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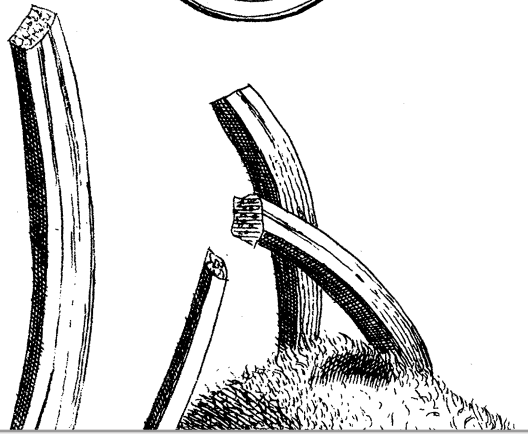
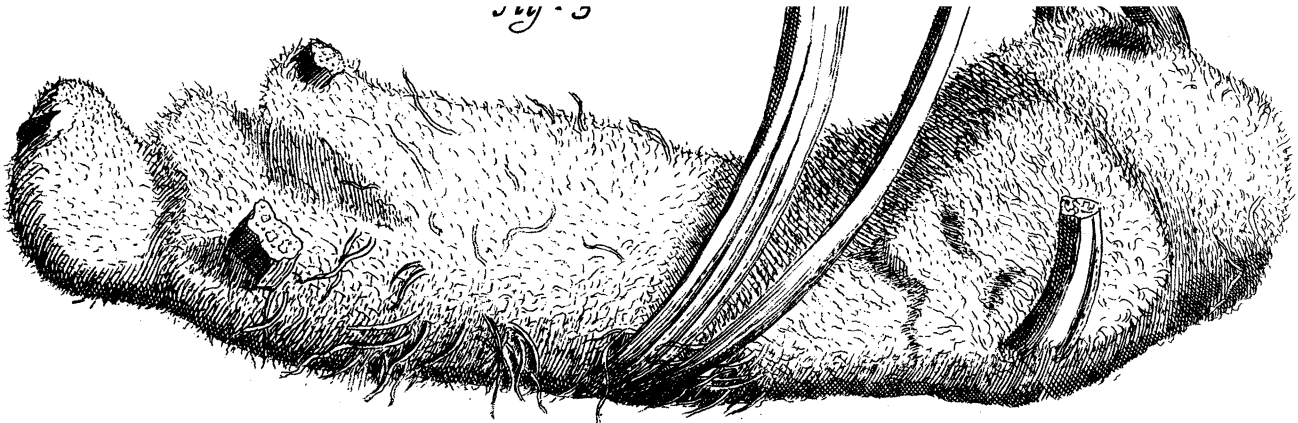


Fig. 5



VII. *A further Account of the Contents of the China Cabinet mentioned last Transaſtion, p. 390. By Hans Sloane, M. D.*

Fig. 5. represents what is commonly, but falſely, in *India*, called, *The Tartarian Lamb*. This was more than a Foot long, as big as ones Wriſt, having ſeveral Protuberances, and towards the end ſome Foot-ſtalks about Three or Four Inches long, exactly like the Foot-ſtalks of Ferns, both without and within. Moſt part of the outside of this was cover'd with a Down of a dark yellowiſh Snuff-Colour, ſhining like Silk, ſome of it a quarter of an Inch long. This Down is what is commonly uſed for ſpitting Blood, about Six Grains of it being to a Doſe, and Three Doſes pretended to cure ſuch an Hæmorrhage. In *Jamaica* are many ſcandent and Tree-Ferns, which grow on, or to the bigneſs of Trees, and have ſuch a kind of *Lanugo* on them, and ſome of our *Capillaries* have ſomething like it. It ſeem'd to be ſhap'd by Art to imitate a Lamb, the Roots or climbing part is made to reſemble the Body, and the extant Footſtalks the Legs. This Down is taken Notice of by Dr. *Merret* at the latter end (p. 386.) of Dr. *Grew's Muſ. Soc. Reg.* by the Name of *Poco Sempie*, a Golden Moſs, and is there ſaid to be a Cordial. I have been aſſured by Dr. *Brown*, who has made very good Obſervations in the *East-Indies*, that he has been told there by thoſe who have lived in *China*, that this Down or Hair is uſed by them for the Stopping of Blood in freſh Wounds, as Cobwebs are with us, and that they have it in ſo great Eſteem that few Houſes are without it. I have known it much uſed for ſpitting of Blood; it being pretended, that ſome of the ſmall Down may, by being ſwallowed, eaſily ſlip into the Wind-
pipe

pipe, and so stop the Bleeding: But on Tryals I have seen of it, though I may believe it innocent, yet I am sure 'tis not infallible.

Fig. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13. Shew Eight several Instruments made for paring the Nails, at which, in *China*, the People are very curious and dextrous. These Instruments are each of them shaped like a Chizzel.

Fig. 14. represents a kind of Instrument, called, in *China*, a Champing Instrument. Its use is to be rub'd or roul'd all over the Muscular Flesh. It is like an Horses Curricomb, and is said to be used after the same manner, and for the same Purposes that they are made use of for Horses.

VIII. An Account of a Book.

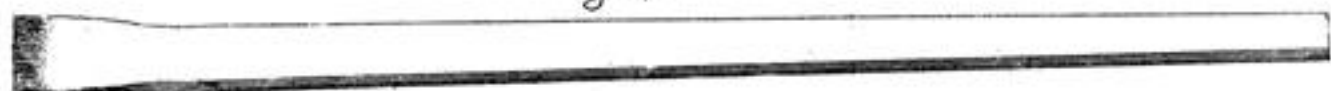
Museo de Piantæ rare della Sicilia, Malta, Corsica, Italia, Piemonte e Germania, &c. di Don Paolo Boccone, &c. with additional Remarks by Mr. John Ray, F. R. S.

THE learned and ingenious Author of this Work, Signior *Paolo Boccone*, a Gentleman of *Sicily*, Botanist to the Great Duke of *Tuscany*, and now a Monk of the *Cistercian* Order, of the Province of *Sicily*, having changed his *Prænomen* into *Sylvius*, hath rendred himself well known to the learned World, by his Writings published many Years since, *viz.* His *Icones & Descriptiones rariorum Plantarum Siciliae, Melitæ, Galliae & Italiae*, Printed at *Oxford* in the Year 1674. And his Letters

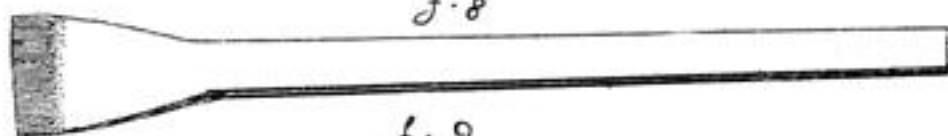
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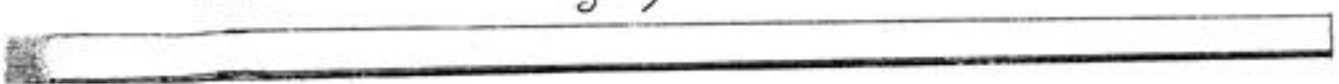
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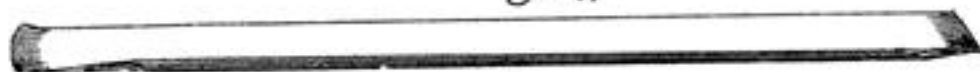
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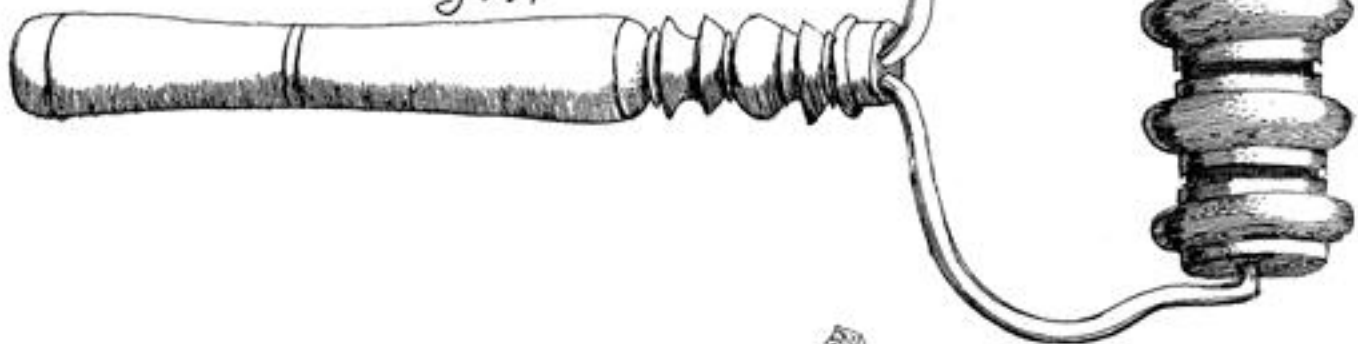


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