IV. An Extract of a Letter from the late Mr. Edw.

Thwyd to Dr. Tancred Robinson; giving an Account of some uncommon Plants growing about Pensans and St. Ives in Cornwall.

Pensans, Sept. 22. 1700.

SIR,

Have met with no Birds or Fish, since our coming; hither, that I suspect for undescribed: Only two or three Stellæ, and some other Exanguia marina have occur'd, which I have not seen before on our British. Goasts.

We have also met with the Capillus Veneris verus in abundance on the Sea Clists about St. Ives. 2. Dr. Sherard's Scrophularia Scorodonia folio. 3. Blattaria lutea 3 and lutea minor Park? But the Leaves of ours are not jagged: Also all the Plants mentioned by Mr Ray to grow here; excepting the Gnaphalium marinum, which should grow by this Town; and two or three more, which being at some distance, we have not looked for:

We have also found some Fueig which perhaps may be new and I am told the Fishermen sometimes takes up the Corallina marina reticulata by their Hooks; but I have not yet seen one of them.

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