

# OXONIENSIS ACADEMIA :

OR, THE  
~~ANTIQUITIES and CURIOSITIES~~  
OF THE

## Univerfity of OXFORD.

Giving an Account of all the Public Edifices, both Ancient and Modern, particularly the Colleges and Halls, with their Chapels and Libraries; their moft remarkable Curiofities and antique Cuftoms; Parifh Churches, Public Schools, Theatre, Muſæums, and Printing-Houfe. Alfo the College Gardens, and Phyfic Garden, and other Places in the Univerfity.

Together with Liſts of the Founders, Public Benefactors, Governors, and Viſitors of the ſeveral Colleges and Halls; alfo Portraits of famous Scholars and Statefmen; whoſe Pictures are plac'd in the Long-Gallery, with their Titles and Characters.

Alfo Liſts of the Chancellors, High-Stewards, Burgeſſes, Vice-Chancellors, Proctors, Profeſſors, Lecturers, Public Orators, Keepers of the Archives and Muſæums, Public Registers and Public Librarians of this Univerfity:

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### L O N D O N :

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| <p>105. Brain-stone, resembling a Man's Brain.</p> <p>106. Crystal in it's natural Shape.</p> <p>107. Petrify'd Wood.</p> <p>108. Several Pieces of Amber with Flies in 'em.</p> | <p>109. A Clutter of Nails melted by Lightning.</p> <p>110. Monoceros and Rhinoceros Horns.</p> <p>111. Elk's Horn and Legs.</p> <p>112. Antilope's Horns.</p> <p>113. Elephant's Head.</p> |
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## Artificial Rarities.

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| <p>114. The Creed, Decalogue, Benediction, and Journal Prayer, all wrote in the Compass of a Silver Two-pence.</p> <p>115. St George on Horseback, and 88 Heads, upon a Cherry-Stone.</p> <p>116. A City in Straw-work.</p> <p>117. Straw-Pendants for the Ears</p> <p>118. Flea-Chains, with 30 Links a Piece, and yet but one Inch long.</p> <p>119. A Desk made by Mr Minn, a Joiner in Oxford, all of one Piece of Wood.</p> <p>120. Shoes made of Eel-Skin.</p> <p>121. The Top of a Crozier-Staff, with the <i>Agnes Dei</i></p> | <p>122. Catoptric Paint on a Board.</p> <p>123. An Almanac, call'd by the Danes, the Rimstock, and by the Swedes, the Primstaff, the most ancient Almanac in the World. Another in the Anatomy School.</p> <p>124. A Piece of an antique Tessellated Roman Pavement, that was 35 Feet in Length, and 20 in Breadth, compos'd of little square Stones no bigger than Dice, of 6 different Colours, found in the plow'd Lands in Stunfield near Woodstock, Oxfordshire, A. D. 17<math>\frac{1}{2}</math>, the Pavement of a Tent belonging to Allectus. See my Account of it.</p> |
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