

A work by Morgagni has done most to preserve the memory of Valsalva. This is a commentary and criticism of the "Works of A. M. Valsalva on Dissertations on Anatomy and Descriptions of the Structure, Function and Diseases of the Human Ear." He tells us of Valsalva's description of the chief ligaments of the colon, of the sinuses of the aorta, of the muscles of the eye, etc., of his work on the ear, that he had devoted over sixteen years to its study, dissecting over one thousand heads.