

Transcript of extract from Robert Hooke's diary

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7 [February] a very cold hard black frost. the sun broke through y^e fogg. W. E. [mercury]. 125. Th. 0³/₄.

7 at Guild hall. with Sir Th[omas] Player. measured woolchurch market. tooke 1 quire of large paper & six sheets of outside imperiall with 3 paperbooks upon chamber account. bought of him Caltroupe Reports for 1 sh[illing]. D[ined] H[ome] neatsfeet [Ox Tongue]. at Ludgate view 10 sh[illing]. D[octo]r Tillotsons Hatton flew off. Slept ill much noyse in head & pain in right arme. at Physitians Colledge Garways [Garraway's Coffee house on Exchange/Change Alley] Story Clysby &c

8 [February]. The weather breake a misling thaw all day. W. W. [mercury]. 125. Th. 2: the same at night.

8. with M^r Haux at [St.] Pauls churchyard. at D[octo]r Wrens. told me the Designe of burying vaults under Paules & of y^e Addition of Library Body & portico at y^e west. D[ined] H[ome]. Leibnitz & Haux here all afternoon – bret here.