XIV. Descriptio Fœtus monstrosi sine ullo Sexus Signo; *Regali Societati* communicata per *Job Baster*, Acad. Cæsar. et Reg. Soc. *Lond.* Soc.

Read June 28. 1750.

QUamvis plurimæ sint monstrorum delineationes et descriptiones raro tamen occurrunt exempla, in quibus nullæ adsint partes genitales: cum tamen hic casus mihi obvenit, *Regiæ Societati* hujus delineationes offero: (TAB. II. *Fig.* 1 and 2.) quem circiter septimestrem sanissima mulier, tertio partu, tempore gravidationis nulla imaginatione, metu, aut terrore percussa, in lucem edidit.

Caput hujus infantis non, uti oportet, erat sphæricæ figuræ, sed valde acuminatum, brachium dextrum bene formatum; sinistri vero radius et ulna multo breviores esse videbantur.

Ne minimum partium genitalium, quibus sexum distingueres, erat vestigium, nec anus, aut ejus apertura; verum eo loco cutis, abundante pinguedine, quasi in gyros erat reducta, et circumvoluta.

Ex medio ventre, genitalium loco, provenit pes unus in unicum quasi digitum, sine ungue tamen finiens.

Repetitis precibus apertio cadaveris fuit negata, externa delineatio concessa, quam *Regiæ Societati* debita reverentia offero, una cum delineationibus fœtus et hydrocephali, quorum historiam ante aliquot annos (anno 1742) *Regiæ Societati* obtuli, et N°. 466, *p.* 277, in *Transactionibus* legi possunt.

XV.

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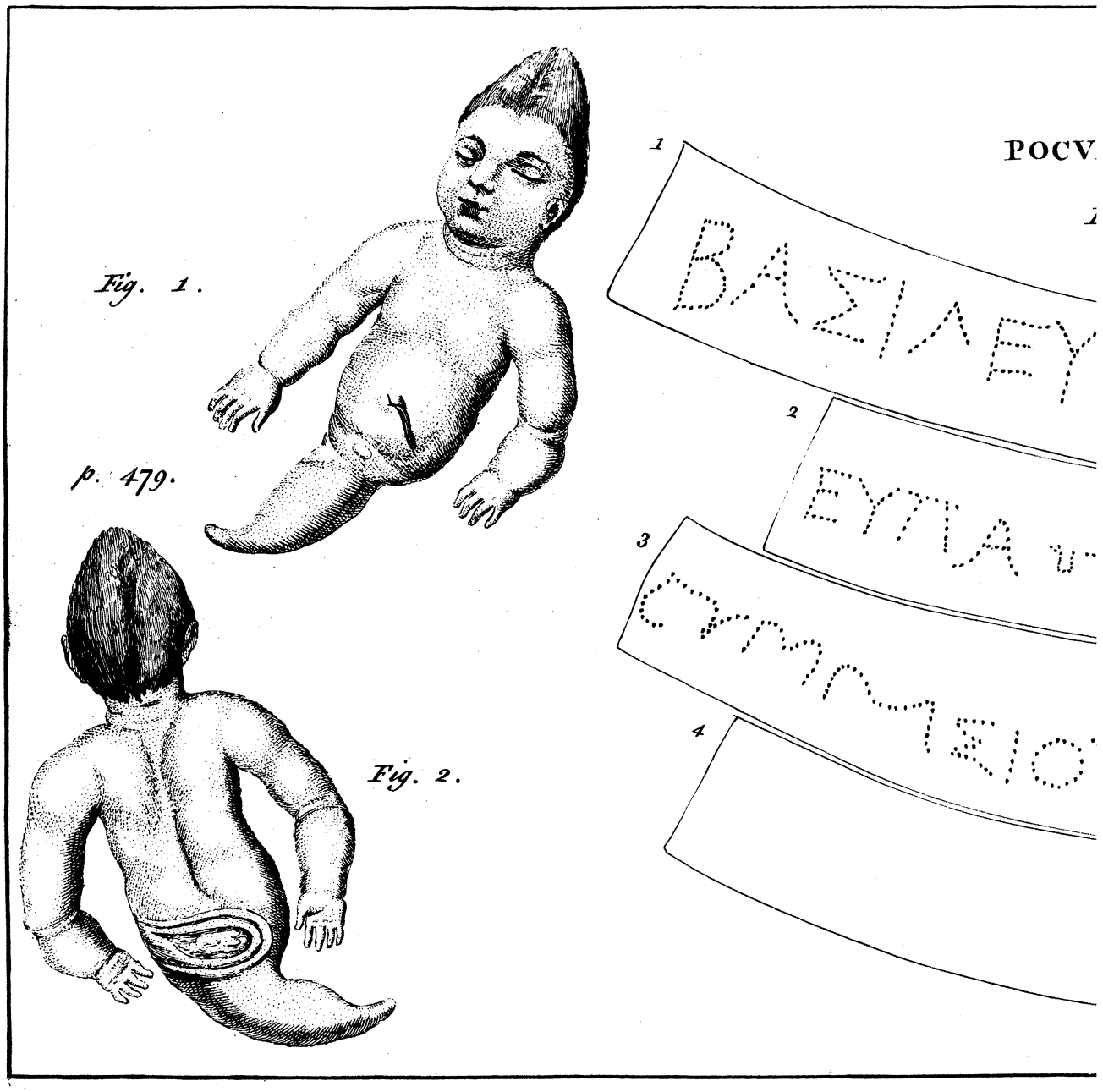

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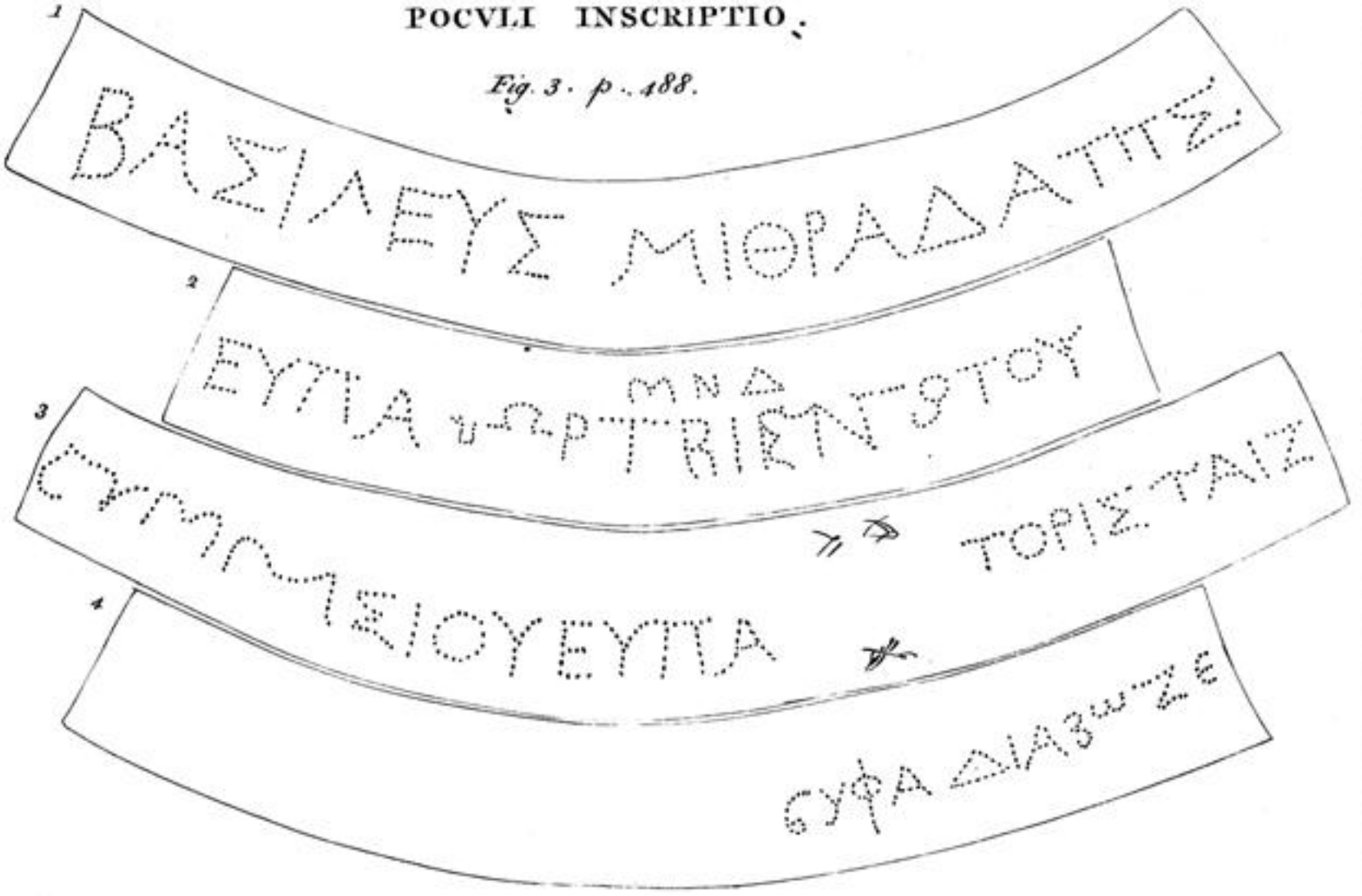
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