

GENEALOGY DATABASE ENTRY

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professor of anatomy; wrote texts on human embryology and described the anatomy of the fetal heart; first to observe the internal aperture of the larynx, and to compare it with the apertures of musical instruments; early supporter of the then unconventional idea that the blood leaves the right ventricle of the heart through the pulmonary artery rather than passing through the septum as generally believed; wrote a textbook on tumors.

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