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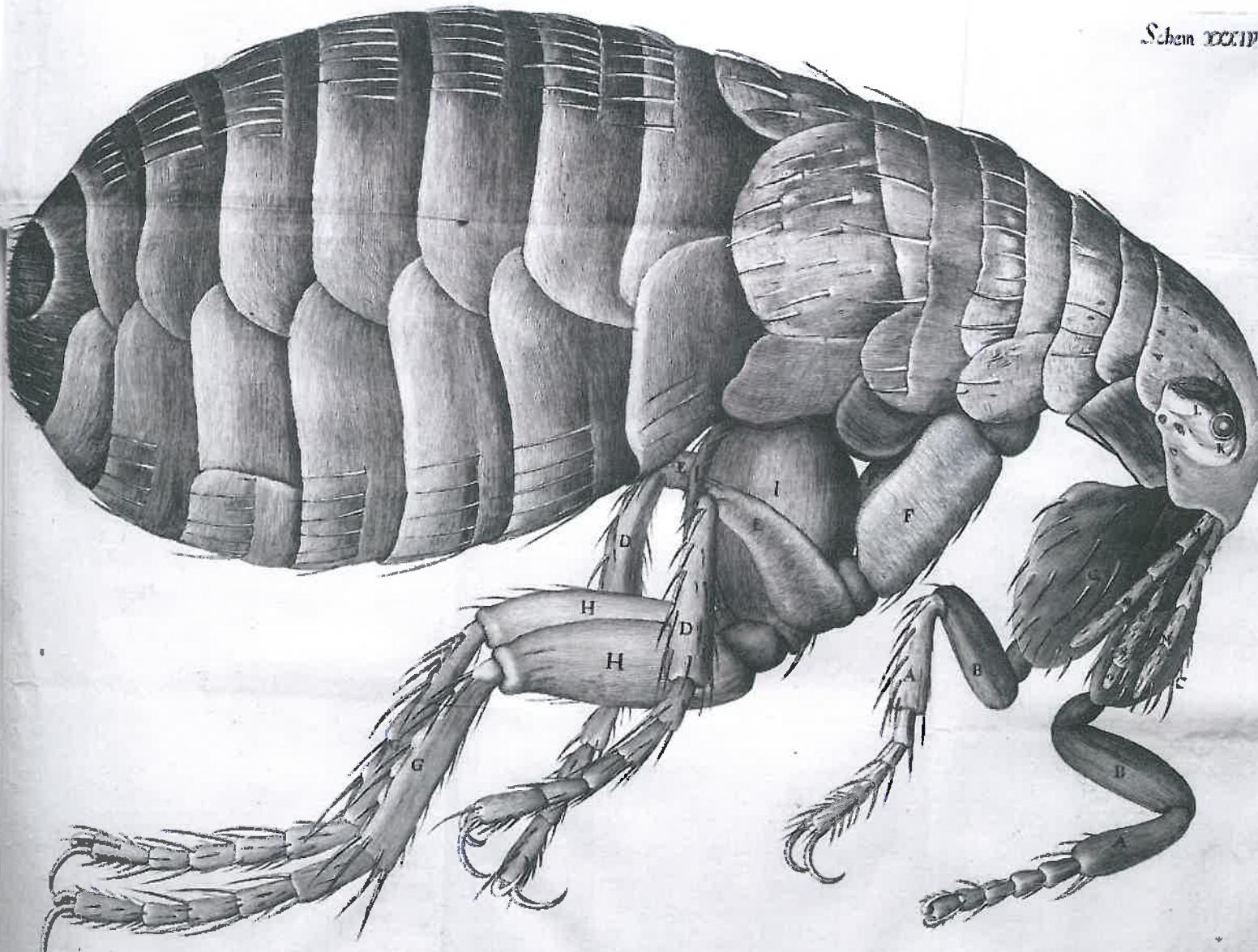
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By R. HOOKE, Fellow of the ROYAL SOCIETY

*Nec posse scire quantum continentur Linnaea,
Non tamen videtur continentur Lippia amara. Horat. Ep. lib. 2.*



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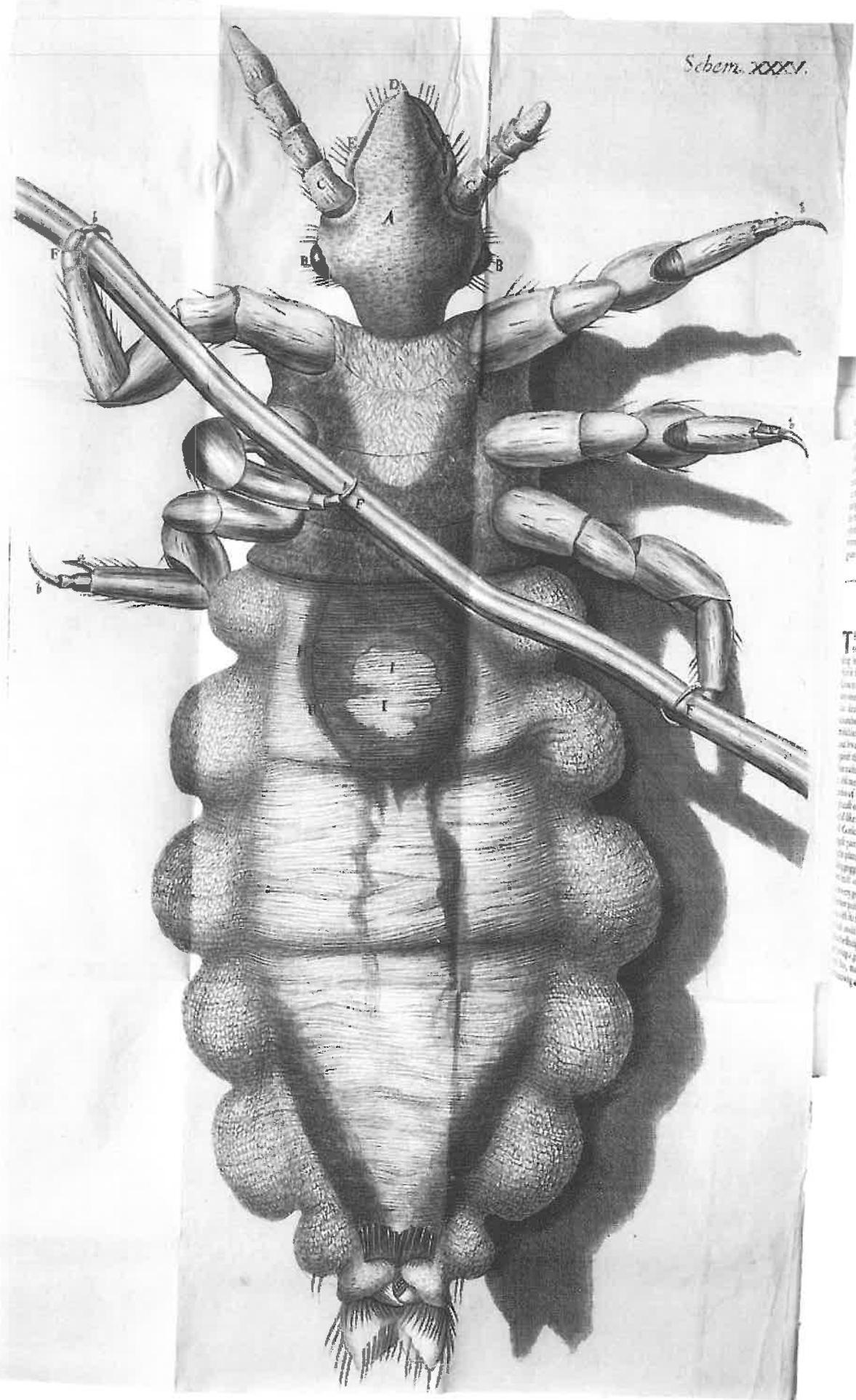
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The Creation of Heaven, that's
the other side, another article may
be had in every one's opinion, and it
is not meant to trouble the reader,
and those who have seen it, or
are used to it, will not care to see
it again; but as it is now in print, and
will serve to make the reader
more familiar with it, I have no
objection to its being copied.
There is a Committee of a few
Liberals enough in the House of
Commons, but as far as I can see,
they are not so numerous as
those who are not. The Committee
consists of Mr. Pitt, Mr. Fox, Mr.
Canning, Mr. Grey, Mr. Brougham,
Mr. C. Wood, Mr. H. B. S. and
Mr. G. J. Jackson. It is only, at
present, that the Committee has
had a few meetings, and that the
first great meeting was held on
Tuesday evening last. It is to be
seen, whether they will be able to
have another meeting, and if so,
when, and how often. The Committee
will be composed of the same
persons, and will be called the
Committee of the Friends of
the Poor, and the Friends of
the Poor will be called the
Friends of the Poor.