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<fol. 151r> Evfrasia is an herbe þ^t men clepeþ eufrase þis herbe haþ lytel
 leues liche to herlourer bote hij beþ not so muche & hee
 haþ <?> whyt flowyr . The vertu of þis herbe is þ^t how-so-euere
 hee be vsyd hee is god to hele fore you þis grweþ in medos & ^{hylles}
 Ebilus is an herbe þ^t clepeþ walwort . thys herbe
 haþ leues somdel like to ellerne & hee haþ a long .
 stalke & hee groweþ in feldes . Thee vertu of þis herbe is .
 þ^t hee is god to destrue ydropesye & skabbes & teteres .
 Also þis herbe draw^t out wykked s<ill><3-4 chars></ill>ours of a+man þis herbe is hoot & drye
 Edera is an herbe þ^t me clepeþ yuy þis herbe ys comune
 & by clyppeþ trees & hous in hure growynge . & hee
 haþ leuys lek <?> to a herbe þ^t me clepeþ bryane & thys herbe bareþ
 Fruyt as hit were bayes . The vertu of þis herbe is þ^t
 yf þis herbe be soode in wyne & þene put hit vp on a boch
 & hele wel þe boche Also yf þ^u haue hed-ache tak þ^e Jvys .
 of þis herbe w^t oyle of roses & medele hem to-gedyr in Wyne
 & an-oynte þyn heed þer-w^t & þ^u schalt be hoolle Also yf þ^u
 wolt kepe thyne hed fro Akyngge in þ^e ~~some~~ sorue tak þ^e
 leues of þis herbe & poune hem smale & tempere heme w^t eysel
 & oyle of roses & þenne An-oyngte þin fored þer-w^t & þ^u schalt

be sayf An heel .

EDera terrestis is An herbe þ^t me
 clepeþ eorþe yuy or heyhoue þ^{is} herbe haþ leues lik to catmynte
 bot they beþ not so muchel & hee haþ A manire red flour~ The
 vertu of þis herbe is & hee be putt in potage Among flesch hee
 wold mak þ^e flesche tendyr & nesche
 Eleborus Albus is An herbe þ^t me clepeþ longwort or peletre
 of spayne þis herbe haþ leues muche ylyk to pee-delyon bote
 þey beþ nou3t so muche y-slyt w^t-oute & hee haþ A flowr
 as were pasnepe The virtu of þis herbe is þ^t 3yf hee be yput

in-to amannng nose hee wol make hym snese // Also hee heleþ
 scabbes & þe morphe & teteres Also hee purgeþ þe coler
 & þe fleme Also hee heleþ a+man of þe emeraudes yf hee be
 leyð to þe place þer they bledyþ Also hee helyþ toþache yf
 <fol. 151v>hee be ysed w^t eysel & þenne a+man hold þer-of a good quantite in
 hys mouþ Also þis herbe purgeþ wel a+mānnus stomak & hys wome
Also þe pouder of þis herbe medled w^t A lytel gruell schal
 sle innys Also Juys of þis herbe medled w^t mylk
 wol sle Flyes þis herbe ys hoot & drye
 Elleborus niger is A herbe þ^t me clepeþ clouetonge
 or pee-delyon þis herbe ys muche lyk to longwort bote
~~hee~~ þe leues of longewort beþ not y-slyt as beþ þe
 leues of þis herbe & þis herbe haþe A flowr somdel more
 þan A peney & haþ a blak rote & horryble in sy3t The
 vertu of thys herbe is þ^t yf þe pouder of hure be medled
 w^t grwel or w^t mele hee wol sle rattis þis herbe ys hoot & ^{dry}
 Epatica is An herbe þ^t me clepeþ lyuerwort þis
 herbe ys groweþ on brymmes of waters & in welles &
 hee wol clene to stonus & wol grew in walles of stones
 þis herbe haþ noþer stalk ne Flour bot smal rund+leues & þe moro
 þ^t þe leues beþ þe better they beþ to medicynes The
 vertu of þis herbe is þ^t hee wol destruye & clanse þe hardnesse
 of A mannes lyuere // Also þe leues of þis herbe <?> þ^t
~~has wol~~ y-memedled w^t swynes grece wol hel wondes
 // Also þis herbe is good to hele þe feuere quarteyn
 ERpina is herbe þ^t me clepeþ foxgloue þis herbe haþ
 leues liche to feltwort bot they beþ nou3t so whyte
 & hee haþ Along stalk & floures somdel red lyk to gloues
 & hee grow^t muche in wod
 EBulus minor is an herbe þ^t me clepeþ ^[lasse] walwort
 þis haþ leues somdel lek to walwort bot þe leues of þis
 herbe beþ somdel redd & hee haþ A long stalk & hee wol
 gladlyche growe in brymmes of water