

Aquastor

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mary whalen — 02 Aug 1998, 17:37

This is Sean Whalen (prion).

I got the information from irdg.com/mep/nni/golem.txt. It is copyright 1992, Dan McClure. Additional information can be found in Gustav Meyerink's "The Golem", according to the page.

I'm looking in various books and searching the web for more information and confirmation in the appropriate places. If anyone wants to help, I'd appreciate it.

prion

mary whalen — 03 Aug 1998, 10:59 · follows mary whalen

This is Sean Whalen (prion).

I still haven't found any other information about aquastors, but I think it's possible that the name comes from quasi, meaning almost as if. This would be because of an aquastor's artificial nature in mimicking something.

prion

mary whalen — 04 Aug 1998, 08:34 · follows mary whalen

This is Sean Whalen (prion).

I've been thinking about from where the name aquastor could come, and since it's an alchemical term, it might be Arabic. The original form might be something like al quastr. Also, if it is Latin, it might be from acu- (sharp) or aequus (equal), as well as from quasi, aqua, or quaerere.

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