

**Guillaume F. Rouelle**  
(Paris, apothecary 1725)

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**Jean Baptiste M. Bucquet**  
(Paris, MD 1770)

**Pierre J. Macquer**  
(Paris, MD 1742)

**Antoine F. de Fourcroy**  
(Paris, MD 1780)

**Claude L. Berthollet**  
(Paris, 1778)  
production of chlorine  
for bleaching textiles  
**(1789)** "Eau du Javelle"

**Louis N. Vauquelin**  
(Paris, MA 1790)

**Michel E. Chevreul**  
(Paris, no degree)  
discovery that triglycerides  
are esters of fatty acids;  
soap production **(1831)**

**Pierre F. Tingry**  
(Paris, c.1770, no degree)

**Augustin LeRoyer**  
(Geneva, no degree)

**Jean-Baptiste A. Dumas**  
(Geneva, c.1823, no degree)

**Adolphe Wurtz**  
(Strasbourg, MD 1843)  
discovery of urethanes by  
reaction of alcohols with  
isocyanates **(1851)**  
production of phenol from  
benzene **(1867)**

**Theophile Pelouze**  
(Ecole Polytechnique, 1832)

**Christian F. Schoenbein**  
(Paris, no degree)  
invention of gun cotton **(1846)**

**Ascanio Sobrero**  
(Giessen, MD 1832)  
discovery of nitro-  
glycerin **(1847)**