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THREE ASTRONOMICAL LECTURES

ON THE

Eidouranion; Or, Large Transparent Orrery.

All the most important phænomena of the Heavens, which he introduced at the New Theatre Royal, English Opera-House, last Lent, and which his late Brother exhibited at the Theatre Royal, Haymarket, and with additions that no expense or labour has been spared to accomplish, will be clearly explained.

TO COMMENCE

Saturday, 2d, Monday, 4th, and Tuesday, 5th, August, 1817, At Seven o'Clock in the Evening precisely.

Scene 1.—Exhibits he EANTH in ANNUAL and DUIRNAL MOTION:—Day, Night, Twilight, long and short Days, the Seasons, Year, &c. &c. are rendered so plain and intelligible, that a bare inspection of the Machine explains their cause to any capacity.—These Phænomena are explained on a transparent Globe, two feet Diameter; its Rotundity, and Habitation on all sides, by one of Six feet.

Scene 2.—Exhibits the EARTH and MOON.—In which, the cause of her different Phases, or change of Appearance; her Eclipses and those of the Sun; with a view of her Disk, as seen by the most powerful Telescopes are the principal Features.

Scene 3 .- The Tides.

Scene 4.—Has every PLANET and SATELLITE in ANNUAL and DIURNAL MOTION at once: a COMET descends in a Parabolic Curve from the Top of the Theatre, or Machine, having its motion accelerated and retarded according to the Laws of Planetary Motion.

Scene 5.—The PROBABLE CONSTRUCTION of the UNIVERSE, exhibiting every Star as a Sun, like the one of the Solar System.

Every motion in this complex variety seems without Cause or Support. The sublime and awful Simplicity of Nature is daringly imitated; the GEORGIUM SIDUS; the CERES, JUNO, PALLAS, and VESTA, New PLANETS; the Appearance of the FIXED STARS, double and coloured; with the other recent discoveries made by the principal Astronomers in different parts of Europe, are all interwoven in this Lecture and Exhibition; which is throughout assisted by many auxiliary Scenes.

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Amongst the Novelties are a beautiful New Zodiac, and Plurality of Worlds. The Original Russell's Crayon Moon, and a Comet that decends 400 feet to, and ascends 400 feet from the Sun. Nine new auxiliary Scenes, and the Lunar Globe.

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Doors open at SIX, begins at SEVEN, and concludes at TEN .- Places may be taken from TEN 'till FOUR.

N. B. The Moon is favorable to the Neighbourhood.

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