

About twenty years ago, a table, purporting to be the work of the late Dr. Herschell, was variously published, professing to form prognostics of the weather, by the times of the change, full, and quarters of the moon. I have carefully consulted this table for several years, and was amazed at its general accuracy; for though long, as you have seen, engaged in the study of the weather, I never thought that any rules could be devised, liable to so few exceptions. I have made a little alteration in the arrangements, and illustrated it with further observations.

### A TABLE,

*For foretelling the Weather through all the Lunations of each Year, forever.*

This table, and the accompanying remarks, are the result of many years actual observation; the whole being constructed on a due consideration of the attraction of the sun and moon in their several positions respecting the earth; and will, by simple inspection, show the observer what kind of weather will most probably follow the entrance of the moon, into any of its *quarters*, and that so near the truth as to be seldom or never found to fail.

If the New Moon-- the First Quarter--the Full Moon--or the Last Quarter, happens be- tween midnight and 2 in the morning,	SUMMER.	WINTER.
2 and 4 morning,	Fair, Cold, with frequent showers,	Hard frost, unless the wind be S. or W. Snow and stormy.
4 and 6 "	Rain,	Rain.
6 and 8 "	Wind and Rain,	Stormy.
8 and 10 "	Changeable,	Cold rain if wind W. Snow if E.
10 and 12 "	Frequent showers,	Cold and high wind.
At 12 o'clock, M. and 2 P.M.	Very rainy, Changeable,	Snow or rain. Fair and mild.
Between 2 and 4, P.M.	Fair,	Fair.
4 and 6 "	Fair if wind N. W.	Fair and frosty if wind N. or N. E.
6 and 8 "	Rainy if S. or S.W.	Rain or snow if S. or S.W.
8 and 10 "	Ditto,	Ditto.
10 and midni't	Fair,	Fair and frosty.