

The following table will shew the medium of temperature for each month, from January 1814 to March 1817.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1814	23	27.5	30.25	42.5	49.6	57	64	64	57.75	48	39	25.75
1815	22.75	19.5	33	38	47.75	56	62	61.5	55.9	44	39.25	28.75
1816	24.5	24.5	25.75	38	46	53.75	61.75	62.25	54.5	48	41.5	28.25
1817	19.3	17.9	23.8									

It is impossible to ascertain, with any degree of precision, the portion of heat felt in any part of America, merely by measuring its distance from the equator. The maxims which are founded upon experience in the old hemisphere, will not apply to the new, where cold maintains a manifest preponderance. Various causes contribute to render the climate of America different from that of the old Continent. America advances much nearer to the pole than either Europe or Asia. Both these have larger seas to the north, which are open during part of the year, and even when covered with ice, the