

Eclipses in 1847.

There will be two Solar and two Lunar Eclipses in 1847, viz.:—1. A partial Eclipse of the Moon, March 31st. Opposition in right ascension, 35 minutes past four. afternoon. Invisible throughout Canada. 2. A total Eclipse of the Sun, April 15th. Conjunction in right ascension, 42 minutes after midnight. Invisible in America; total to parts of Australia and the Indian Ocean. 3. A partial Eclipse of the Moon, September 24th. Opposition in right ascension, 49 minutes past 9, forenoon. Invisible throughout Canada. 4. An annual Eclipse of the Sun, October 9th. Conjunction in right ascension, 33 minutes past 3, forenoon. Invisible throughout America. Central and annular to the Southern parts of Ireland and England, parts of France, Spain, Austria, Turkey, Italy, Syria, Persia, Hindoostan, and Birmah.

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“The Way which some call Heresy ;

Or, Reasons for Separation from the Established Church.” By Andrew Jukes, formerly of Trinity College, and late Assistant Curate of Saint John’s, Hull. London: Whittaker & Co, and Jackson & Walford. Hull: Joseph Leng, Saville-street. 1844.

The above is the title of a work lately published by an educated clergyman of the Church of England, which should be read by every individual interested in the spread of religious truth, and *especially by every conscientious Churchman*. An essay so candid and intelligent upon the Prayer Book and Articles, viewed in the light of the New Testament, is rarely to be found, and stamps the writer as one of the nobles of the earth. Alive to his solemn obligations to God and to his fellow-men, the author has, both by this essay and the temporal sacrifices he has made, given a faithful testimony to the truth, “in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation.” Few will read it, and fewer still will believe its Scriptural statements. We commend its perusal, however, to the pious and sincere among our Episcopalian brethren; it will amply reward the sincere and anxious inquirer after truth.

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Interesting Discovery.

A new planet has lately been discovered in the remote region of our Solar System, next to Uranus or Herschel. From certain phenomena lately observed in that globe, a French astronomer reasoned that another planetary body must be moving in the space between it and Saturn. This bold development has been confirmed by the appearance of this new and wonderful stranger of the heavens. It was seen by M. Galle, at Berlin, (Europe,) on the night of the 23rd September, 1846; and at London on the 30th. It is to be named *Le Verrier’s planet*, from the name of the French astronomer who foretold its appearance. Has this heavenly body been revolving round the sun since the creation of our world, and yet been unknown? or is it a new production of Almighty power? “The heavens declare the glory of God.”

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