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# BLAGRAVE'S Introduction

# ASTROLOGY.

# In Three PARTS.

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Containing the Use of an Ephemeris, and how to erect a Figure of Heaven to any time proposed also the signification of the Houses, Planets, Signs and Aspects, the Explanation of all useful Terms of Art; with Plain and Familiar instructions for the Resolution of all manner of Questions, and Exemplified in every particular thereof, by Figures set, and judged.

The SECOND

Treateth of Elections; shewing their Life and Application; as they are constituted on the Twelve Celestial Houses, whereby you are inabled to chuse such times as are proper and conducible to the persection of any Matter or Business what soever.

The THIRD

Comprehendeth an Absolute Method for Rectifying and Judgaing Nativities, the Signification and Portents of Directions, with New and Experienced Rules touching Revolutions and Transits, &c.

By Joseph Blagrave, of Reading, Gent. Student in Astrology and Physick.

And God faid, let there be lights in the firmament of the Heaven, to divide the day from the night: let them be for figns, and for feafons, and for days and years. Gen. 1.19.

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# The Epistle Dedicatory.

this my Presentation, give me leave to proclaim to the World my deep Refentments of late Favors bestowed upon me, those good Incouragements in my way of Livelyhood; which, under God, I must and ever shall owe to your Goodness. And feeing, Noble Sir, I know you expect Thanks rather than Complements, let no man accuse me of Vanity, if I profess a great satisfaction to my self in this (that I hope ) Heaven hath given me a heart to be thankful, and to take due notice of fuch great Instruments of Good towards me. Sir, my humble Prayers shall not be wanting therefore for the continuance of your days in Peace and Prosperity, to the Comfort of your Self, Friends, and all that are obliged to you, whom I know to be not a few, among whom I also am glad to reckon my self, Noble Sir, 22 JY 63

Your most Humble,
And ever Obliged Servant
Obadiah Blagrave.

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# READER.

Bout six Years last past, Mr.

Jos. Blagrave of Reading,
in the County of Berks, Printed his Book, called, The Astrological
Practice of Physick: And he also then
signified, that he had other Books of Astrology to be Printed. Now, Courteous
Reader, this Introduction to Astrology,

The Epistle to the Reader.

is the Genuine Off-spring of Mr. Jos. Blagrave, who was a man of great Experience, Industry and Sagacity: he was a Practitioner in this Noble Art near forty years. I do not doubt but you will find new Matter in this Art which hath not been communicated to the World in Print before. Farewel.

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The Characters of the Seven Planets.

4 Jupiter. Aturn. 4 Jupiter. 8 Mars. 0 8 Venus. 8 Mercury. D Luna. Dragons Head. & Dragons Tail.

The Characters of the Twelve Signs, with the parts of the Body by them signified; and how they are opposite unto each other.

- Y Arier, Head and Face.
  O Tawns. Neck and Throat.
  If Gemini, Arms and Shoulders.
  Cancer, Breft, Stomach & Ris.
- N. Leo, Heart and Back.
- Likra, Reins and Loins.

  Ilt Scorpia, Secrets and Bladder,

  Sagittary, Thighs.

  VP Capricorn, The Keees.
- Aquary, the Legs.

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These twelve Signs constitute the four Elements or Complexions, and are divided into four Triplicities as followeth.

Υ Ω 7 Constitute the Fiery Triplicity, and are

by nature hot and dry.

II A Constitute the Airy Triplicity, and are by nature hot and moist.

8 m v Doth constitute the Earthy Triplicity,

and are by nature cold and dry.

55 m × Constitute the Watry Triplicity, which

is by nature cold and moist.

The Signs have also divers other divisions and affections, which I have elsewhere expressed together with their particular use and application.

# The Five Aspects of the Planets with their Characters.

d Conjunction. That is when any two Planets are in one and the same degree in any Sign. It's also called a Platick Conjunction, when they are within the moiety of each others Orbs; what that is I have shewed elsewhere.

\* Sextile. That is, when any two Planets are fixty Degrees from each other; and containeth a fixth

part of the Zodiack, or two Signs.

Degrees of each other, and containeth a

fourth part of the Zodiack, or three Signs.

A Trine. That is, when two Planets are one hundred and twenty degrees from each other; and containeth a third part of the Zodiack, or four Signs.

Opposition. That is, when any two Planets are

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180 Degrees from each other; and containeth half

the Zodiack, or fix Signs.

Note that there are thirty Degrees in every Sign, and in every degree fixty minutes. Two Signs making a Sextile Aspect, three Signs a Square, four Signs a Trine, fix Signs make an Opposition, which contains half the Zodiack. The whole being 360 degrees, which is twelve times 30. There are other Aspects sometimes used: But in regard they work but little or no effect, I thought best to omit them.

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Of the Use of the Ephemeris, Intituled the Dayly Motions of the Planets and Dragons Head. Also the Lunar Aspects.

The first Column on the left hand shews the days of the month; the fecond shews the days of the week; the third Column shews the dayly motion of Saturn; and the Sign next beneath his Character sheweth what Sign he is in; and the number 6 next beneath sheweth how far he is entred into that Sign, for every day; the first number is degrees, the second minutes, and fo forward for every Planet accordingly: Example, the first day b is 13 deg. 18 min. entred into the Sign :; the second day he is 13 deg. 25 min. the third day he is 13 deg. 32 min in. a, and so downwards; the next Column hath 4 over-head, and the Sign # beneath; and under that the numbers 1 deg. 35 min. in the fame line which answereth unto the first day of the month, which sheweth that 4 is entred into the Sign I fo far the first day; the second day he is but 1 deg. 32 min. the third day but 1 deg. 30 min. and so downwards. This Planets numbers lessen every day, by reason & is retrograde, and moveth backwards, as all the rest of the Planets will fometimes (except the Sun and Moon.) In the next Column is of over-head, and the Sign He beneath, and under that in a right line over against the first day is 19 deg. 15 min. which sheweth that of is the first day entred 9 deg. 15 min. into the Sign X; and the fecond day 10 deg. 1 min. the third day 10 deg. 47 min. and fo down wards. By the fame rule you may do the rest of the Planets, according as they are for down in order

Of the Lunar Aspects, together with the Planets Mutual Aspects.

The first Column on the left hand sheweth the days of the month. The other fix Columns shew what Aspect each Planet beareth unto the Moon with the day and hour. Example, the first day in a right Line under the Character of the Sun you shall find  $\triangle$  6, which sneweth that the Sun is in Trine to the Moon at fix a clock the first day and in a right line over against the second day under the Planet h is  $\triangle$  23, which sheweth that Saturn is in Trine to the Moon the fecond day, the twenty third hour Afternoon which is by account, at eleven a clock the next morning, for all Astrologers begin the day at Noon. Likewise in a right Line on the fecond day under the Planet 4 is 60, which sheweth, that Jupiter is in Conjunction with the Moon just at Noon. And in the same Lineupon the second day under the Planet & is D 18, which sheweth that Mars is in square to the Moon, the eighteenth hour after Noon, which by account is fix a clock the next morning. Likewise in the same Line you shall find under the Character of the Planet 2, 8 22, which sheweth that Venus is in Opposition of the Moon the twenty fecond hour afternoon, that by account is ten a clock the next morning, and so of the rest. The word Occident. under h, sheweth that Saturn is Westward of the Sun, and fetteth after him. And the word Orient: under 9 sheweth that she is Eastward of the Sun, and riseth before him: and so of the rest. in the last Column under the Title, The Planets Mutual Aspects, over against the third day of the

of every House, as by the Figure appeareth, viz For the Cusp of the first House, the Sign = 10, being opposite unto the Ascendant, is a 19: the fixth House \$ 8, being opposite unto v 8, be longing unto the Cusp of the twelfth House. fo of the rest, as by the Figure appeareth.

How to insert the Planets in the Figure before mentioned, being fet for the ninth day of January, 1669.

According unto the day and month aforesaid, in that Page, intituled, The dayly motions of the Planets and Dragons Head, we shall find upon the ninth day that h is in 14 deg. 14 min. in the Sign which is accordingly fet in the Ascendant. And in the next Column in the same line we shall find 14 to be 1 deg. 19 min in the Sign II, which is set in the third House of the Figure. & in 15 deg. 21 min. X a Sign intercepted in the Ascendant. • newly entred into the Sign =, placed in the twelfth House : and & is set in 20 deg. 15 min. of the Sign 7 near the Cusp of the eleventh House; and Vin to deg of w in the twelfth House. The Moon in the Ephemeris for the ninth day is fet down 25 deg. 15 min. of Leo, but in regard the Figure was set for 15 min. past eight a clock, we must deduct 2 deg. 15 min. for the almost four hours motion which the Moon wanted of time from noon;

noon, and so insert for the place of the Moon 23 degrees of the Sign Leo in the seventh House. The this House is usually called the Ascendant; the Dragons Head is near 16 degrees in Taurus; and Second House,  $\[ \gamma \]$  is the third House,  $\[ \gamma \]$  then the Dragons Tail is always set opposite. the tenth House,  $\[ \gamma \]$  is the eleventh House,  $\[ \gamma \]$  then the Dragons Tail is always set opposite. The part of Fortune charactered thus  $\[ \Theta \]$ , is plathet welfth House,  $\[ \gamma \]$  8. These six Houses being ced in three degrees of the Sign  $\[ Virgo \]$  in the seventh framed, the other six Houses are opposite according unto their Signs and Numbers as they are situate in the Zodiack. And so the seventh House and Sign the Moon. And how it is to be taken, shall next be being opposite unto the Ascendant is  $\[ \Omega \]$  and  $\[ N \]$  and how it is to be taken, shall next be shewed.

> The Part of Fortune is taken by the distance of the Sun from the Moon, and projecting from the Ascendant; Example in the Figure following; First, I fet down the place of the Moon, which accounted from Aries is four Signs, twenty three degrees, from which I substract the place of the Sun, viz. in 10 Signs, 00 degrees (adding twelve Signs to the place of the Moon, that substraction may be made ) and the Remainder is fix Signs twenty three degrees, to which I add the Ascendant, reckoned as before, viz. ten Signs, ten degrees, and the Sum is feventeen Signs, three degrees, from which deducting the Circle, or twelve Signs, and the remainder is the place of the Part of Fortime, viz. in five Signs, three Degrees, as in the Figure following may be seen.

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The Use of the foregoing Table.

In Nativities or Decumbitures of Sick People, if the Ascendant, Sixth House, or their Lords, or the Moon be afflicted in any of the Signs before-mentioned, look in what Sign the Significator is in: in that Limb or Member of the Body fignified thereby shall the grief or infirmity be accordingly: as in trance, if Saturn be Significator of the fick person, Being in the Signs & and in Cancer, then the grief will be in the reins or belly, or both: in a Nativity it sheweth some mark or defect in those parts; and the more, if it happens to all the Signs = 7 % or be in Signs of Azimen, or deficient degrees. Note that every Planet in his own House governeth the In the Sign I Head, so well as that Member which the Sign doth In the Sign we provided represent, and so forward in the next Sign he go verneth Neck and Throat.

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The Use of the Foregoing Table.

In Nativities and Horary Questions, if the be strong, and well dignified, and that the Second House, or it's Lord hath any good aspect thereunto; then we judge the Native or Querent will be rich and gain wealth by his own industry. But if well aspected by the Lords of other Houses, then the Native or Querent may expect Wealth from those who are fignified thereby. As if from the Lordof the third, then by a Kinsman. If from the fourth then his Father. The seventh his Wife. ninth by Merchandising. If from the tenth, by fome Office, &c. Also in a question of Thest, if the Significator of the Thief doth dispose of the Que The first House is usually called the Ascendant, rents  $\oplus$  it not only confirmeth the Judgment, but I and doth represent the person of the Native doth help much to the discovery of the place, and tion where the Figure is erected.

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The First House.

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tive or Querent: and when any evil Planets are therein, either at birth, or at the time of any question, it usually theweth a blemish therein, or otherwise in that member appropriate to the Sign, and if few degrees ascend, then the Mark, Mole or Scar will be on the upper part, and so downward Concerning according vnto the number of degrees ascending. This House is Masculine. And of Colours it signifieth white. And in Nativities or Horary Questions when the chief Significator is in this House, it sheweth the complexion of the Native or Querent to be whitely, and that they delight to go in white or grey Cloaths.

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The Confignificators of this House are the Sign Aries, and the Planet Saturn; Aries, as being the first Sign; and Saturn, as being the highest Planet.

Mercury doth joy in this House, because it represents the Head: and he ruleth over the operative or actional part of the Brain: if Mercury be well dignified in this House at the birth, it produceth excellent Orators.

### The Second House.

This House concerneth the Estate of the Native, or Querent; in suits of Law it shews a mans friends or assistants; and in Duels, the mans second.

In Eclipses great Conjunctions, or yearly Revolutions, it sheweth the wealth and poverty of the people, their Supports, Suppplies, or Ammunition.

This House is feminine, and represents the Neck.

Of Colours, the Green.

The Configuificators of this House are the Sign Taurus, and the Planet Jupiter; if either Jupiter, or Part of Fortune be well digmfied in this House at the Birth, or casts their friendly Aspect thereunto, it argueth an Estate competent. But if the Infortunes be therein, or cast their evil Aspect thereunto, then judge the contrary.

# The Third House.

This House hath relation unto Brethren, Sisters, Kindred, Neighbours, and small Journeys, and oft removing. Also it signifieth Letters, Epistles, Rumors, or Messengers. This House is masculine, and represents the Arms and Shoulders. Of Colours,

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lours, it governeth a mix'd red and yellow, or a

kind of Sorrel Colour.

The Confignificators of this House are the

Sign Gemini. and the Planet Mars.

The Moon doth joy in this House, in regard it hath relation unto small Journeys.

# The Fourth Honse.

This House hath relation unto Fathers: also Houses, Lands, Tenements, and Inheritances, their Nature and Property; also Treasures hidden, with, or without knowledge. The termination or end of any question: also it denoteth a Town, City or Castle, the Lord thereof, the Governour, Mayor, or principal Officer therein.

This House is feminine, and represents the

Breast, Stomach, and Lungs.

Of Colours, the Red.

The Confignificators of this House, are the Sign

Cancer, and Planet Sol.

The Sun rejoyceth in this House. And if the Sun be well placed in this House, it sheweth the Father to be well qualified, and of good condition.

# The Fifth House.

This House hath relation unto Children, Embasfadors, Women with Child, Messengers, or Agents for Republicks: Also Play-houses, Banquets, Taverns, Ale-houses, and places of Merriment; it also signifies the Ammunition of any Town, City, or Castie besieged.

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# The Ninth House.

This House hath relation unto Voyages, and long Journies, also unto the Natives Religion: it also signifieth Bishops, Preachers, or Ministers: it also hath relation unto Dreams or Visions; also Benefices or Advowsons. Also the Kindred of the Wife or Husband.

It ruleth the Hips, Thighs and Fundament.

Of Colours, the Green and White.

The Confignificators are of Signs, Sagittary, of Planets, Jupiter. If the Lord of the Ascendant, or any of the Fortunes be in this House well dignified, it sheweth the Native or Querent to be Religious, and prosperous in merchandiling, or any Sea Voyages, or long Journeys. If the Infortunes be therein, judge the contrary. The Sun and Jupiter both rejoyceth in this House. The House is masculine.

# The Tenth House.

This House hath relation unto Kings, Nobles, Officers, or Commanders in chief, especially in Armies; it also concerns the chiefest man in power, in either City, or Town, or Common-wealth; also the Natives Trade or Profession.

In Man or Woman it ruleth the Knees and Hams. Of Colours, Red and White. This House is feminine.

The Confignificators of this House, are the Sign Capricorn, and the Planet Mars, If the Lord of the Ascendant, Sun, or any Fortune be in this House, and well dignified, it argueth the Native shall have a continuance of Honour, high Esteem, and

Wealth,

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Wealth, either by Office, or Command. But if the Infortunes be therein, judge the contrary.

Mars rejoyceth in this House.

# The Eleventh House.

This House represents the Native, or Querents Friends, whether real or false; and unto Kings, Nobles, and chiefest men in power, either in City, or Common-wealth, it demonstrates their Favourites, Allies and Counsellers, or Associates, whether they be good or bad; it hath relation unto their Wealth or Poverty.

Of members, it governeth the Legs and Ankles.

Of Colours, the Saffron, or Yellow.

The House is masculine.

The Confignificators of this House, are the Sign Aquarius, and the Planet Sol. Both the Sun and Jupiter rejoyce in this House. If the Lord of this House be fortunate, or if there be a Fortune therein strong, it promiseth good and real Friends; and to Kings and Nobles, good Counsellers and Support.

# The Twelfth House.

This House signifieth the Natives private and secret Enemies, Witches, and all forts of great Cattle: it's the House of Sorrow, self-undoing, and of prison. In man's body it ruleth the Feet.

Of Colours, the Green. This House is feminine.

The Confignificators of this House, are the Sign Pisces, and Planet Venus.

This House is the joy of Saturn, as being the

# Trade, or Profession.

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In most questionshe generally fignifieth aged people, and such who are addicted unto Husbandry; also Brickmakers, Broom-men, Carters, Carriers, Chimney-Sweepers, Colliers, Chandlers, Cowkeepers, Ditchers, Dyers of Black Cloth, Gardeners, Hostlers, Malsters, Miners under ground, Night-Farmers, Potters, Plummers, Shepherds, Sextons of Churches. In Religion he signifies Popes, Monks, Cardinals, Friars, Hermits, Nuns, &c.

### Places.

He delights in Deferts, and obscure places, Church-yards, Places of Burial, ancient Buildings, Dens and Caves under ground, stinking and nasty places.

### Minerals.

He ruleth over Lead, Coals, and dross of all Metals.

Stones.

All black, or ashey-coloured Stones.

Angel.

His Angel is Cassiel, alias Captiel.

### Years.

His greatest Years are 465, his greater 57, mean 43, least 30.

# FUPITER

### Names.

Jupiter is sometimes called Zeus, Phaëton, &c.

### Motion.

His diurnal motion is eight, ten, twelve, and fourteen minutes a day, feldom more, he goeth round the Zodiack in twelve years.

# Nature.

He is by nature temperately hot and moist, sanguine, the greater Fortune.

# Description.

One of an upright and tall stature, a large, deep Belly, Thighs and Legs strong and well proportioned, his Feet long, his Face oval, full and slessly, Complexion brown and ruddy, a lovely high Forehead, his Hair soft, and a kind of a sandy-brown, much Beard, his Speech sober, and Deportment grave and modest.

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### Manners.

When well dignified, he is magnanimous, religious, a lover of fair dealing, of an affable and chearful disposition, truly loving unto his Friend, desiring to benefit all people. But if ill dignified, then judge the contrary.

# Diseases.

Difeases he signifies, are Pleurisies, and all Insirmities in the Liver, Lungs, Ribs, Sides, Veins or Blood; the Faculty digestive, Cramps, Pain in the Back-bone, Squinsies, Windiness, and Putrefaction in the Blood, Fevers proceeding from Wind, and ill Blood.

# Trade, or Profession.

This Planet generally representeth the sober Clergy-man, or Minister: also Judges, Scholars, Lawyers, Students in an University, or College: also Clothiers, and Woollen-Drapers, and their Appendants.

# Places.

He delights in publick Conventions, Synods, Convocations, Courts of Justice, Wardrobes, and in places neat and sweet.

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### Stones.

Amatist, Beazoar, Christal, Emerald, Hiacinth, Marble, Saphire, Topaz, and all common Stones of blewish colour, or red mixt with green.

### Years.

His greatest Years are 428, his greater 79, his mean 45, least 12.

# Angel.

His Angel is Zadkiel. num ), Fi &

MARS.

### Names.

Mars is sometimes called Mavors, Gradivus, Azris, Pyrois, &c.

# Motion.

His diurnal Motion is sometimes 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, and 42 minutes a day; he moveth round the Zodiack in twelve years, and odd days.

# Nature.

By nature he is cholerick, hot and dry in the third and fourth degree.

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Description.

### SUN.

### Names.

The Sun is sometimes called Sol, Titan, Apollo, Diespiter, Phæbus, Ileos, Peon, &c.

### Motion.

His motion is fometimes 57, 59, and 61 minutes a day: he finisheth his course through the Zodiack in a year.

### Wature.

He is by nature masculine, temperately hot and dry, of the sirst and second degree.

# Description.

The Sun generally fignifies one of a strong large Corporature, and well composed Body, fat and sleshy, of a sastron ruddy complexion, large or goggle eyes, and yellow hair.

# Manners, when well dignified.

When well dignified, those under this Planet are affable, keeping promise with all punctuallity, very industrious to acquire honour, speaking with gravity, having no fordid thoughts, is liberal and humane unto all forts of people, he loveth sumptuousness and magnificence, and whatever is honourable.

# When ill dignified.

But when ill dignified, then on the contrary, proud, difdaining all people, a Spend-thrift, uncharitable, full of unworthy thoughts and actions.

# Diseases.

He ruleth over all Diseases incident to the Heart and Brain, palpitations, tremblings, swoonings, all instruities of the eyes, and diseases of the mouth; he ruleth the Nerves and Arteries, the right eye of men, and the left in women, the vital spirits.

# Quality and Profession.

Under this Planet are Emperors, Kings, Princes, Dukes, Marquesses, Earls, Barons; generally it representeth such who are of the highest degree amongst men, whether in Armies, Cities, Towns, Villages, Court or Country. Also Brasiers, Copper-smiths, Pewterers, Goldsmiths, Minters of Money, and such like.

#### Places.

He delights in Princes Courts, Pallaces, Theatres, Halls, and Dining-Rooms, and all magnificent Structures, or Buildings.

#### Minerals.

He ruleth over Gold.

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#### Stones.

The Ruby, Carbuncle, Hyacinth and Chryso-lite.

#### Years.

His greatest Year is 1460, greater 120, mean 69, least 19.

### Angel.

His Angel is Michael. Num: 1, 3, 4,210,12

### VENUS.

### Names.

Venus is fometimes called Eregina, Aphrodiu, Cytheria, Lucifer, Phosphorus, Desperago.

#### Motion

Her diurnal Motion is fometimes 64, 66, 70, 74, 78, and 82 minutes a day. She moveth through the twelve Signs of the Zodiack in a year, as doth the Sun.

#### Nature.

She is temperate, cold and moist, of the first and second degree; and a Fortune.

# Description.

She fignifieth one somewhat short, but full and well

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fet, fat and fleshy, the face round, complexion dark, but lovely, light brown hair, and smooth, a rowling eye, and full of amorous inticements, a body well shap'd and delightful.

### Manners, when well dignified.

When she is well dignified, those under this Planet, whether male, or semale, are naturally inclining unto mirth, quiet, not given unto Law, or Contention, loveth to go neat and decent in Apparel, apt to be intangled in love-matters, delighteth in Musick, and merry meetings; altho a lover of company, yet vertuous, more mistrusted in point of honesty, than desert therein.

# When ill dignified.

But when ill dignified, then on the contrary, they are much given unto lewd company, making no conscience of their ways, being of no credit, or good repute, a meer Atheist.

# Diseases.

The Diseases under Venus are the French Pox, Running of the Reins, and all Infirmities incident to the Matrix and Members of Generation; also Griefs of the Belly, Back and Navil, any Sickness arising by inordinate Lust, Priapism, Diabets, or pissing Disease, fore Throat. She ruleth the Seed, Womens Breasts, and their Milk.

# Qualities and Profession.

Under this Planet are Musicians, Choristers, Fid-E 4 58 An Introduction to Astrology.

given unto Travel, and Merchandiling, defiring to get wealth.

# When ill dignified.

But when ill dignified, then given unto vaintalk, a great boafter and lyer, much given unto wicked Arts, and ungodly in all his Actions, given unto cheating, thieving, and deceit, pretending unto knowledge, altho but an Ass.

### Diseases.

The Distempers under this Planet are those incident to the Brain, as Madness, Vertigoes, Lethargies, or Giddiness, Ptisick, stammering Memory, dry Coughs, Snushings in the Head or Nose, Dumbness, all Evils in the Fancy or Intellectual Parts, the Tongue and Nerves.

# Qualities and Profession.

Under this Planet are Astrologians, Accountants, Solicitors, Clerks, Scriveners, Merchants, Secretaries, Poets, School-masters, all literated Men, Philosophers, Embassadors, Messengers, Stationers, Gravers, Printers, Attorneys, Advocates, Sectaries, Usurers, Taylors, Carriers, Foot-men, &c.

# Places.

He delights to be in places of Literature, and Schools of Learning, and where is either Trading or Merchandizing, Markets, Fairs, and SectaAn Introduction to Astrology. 59 ry-meetings, sometimes Bowling-Allies, Ordinaries, and Tennis-Courts.

Minerals. Quick-silver.

Stones.

The Achates, Topaz, Marchasite, or Fire-stone, and all stones of divers Colours.

### Years.

His greatest Year 450, his greater 76, mean 48, his least 30.

Angel.

His Angel, Raphael. hum 2, 5

M O O N.

#### Names.

The Moon is sometimes called Lucina, Cynthia, Diana, Phabe, Proserpina.

Motion.

Her diurnal motion is sometimes 12, 13, 14, and 15 minutes a day.

### Nature.

By nature she is feminine, slegmatick, cold and moist in the third and fourth degree.

### Description.

She represents one of a fair stature, slegmatick, full, fat and sleihy, round face, the complexion whitely, lowring looks, hair light brown, and grey eyes.

# Manners, when well dignified.

Those who are under the Moon love peace, and desire to live free from care, being well disposed, and Lovers of all honest and ingenious Sciences, yet unstedfast, desiring oft to shift their Habitation, busied about many Occupations; she is somewhat fearful, and given unto vain expences, yet hath an earnest desire to thrive.

# When ill dignified.

When she is ill dignissed, she desires to wander, not caring to thrive, being a Vagabond and idle person, never content, nor yet settled.

# Diseases.

Sicknesses and Infirmities subject to the Moon are Apoplexies, Palsie, Chollick, Worms, Belly-ake, the Menstrues in Women, Dropsies, Fluxes of the Belly, all cold Rheumatick Diseases, cold Stomack, Surfeits, rotten Coughs, Convulsions, Falling Sickness, Kings Evil, Apostems, Measles, Bladder, Left Eye of a Man, and Right of a Woman.

Quality

# Quality and Profession.

The Moon generally signifies the highest degree amongst Women, whether Queens, Countesses, or Ladies, it also signifies all forts of Women; also Midwives, Nurses, Watermen, and Water-bearers, Travellers, Pilgrims, Fishermen and Fishmongers, Vintners, Brewers, Coach-men, Hackneymen, Letter-carriers, Hunts-men, Marriners, Millers, Fisher-women; and such which cry Commodities about the Streets.

#### Places.

She delights in Fountains, Baths, Havens of the Sea, all places of Water, and Harbour for Ships, Docks, and defart Places.

Mineral.

Silver.

### Stones.

The Chrystal, the Selenite, all soft white Stones.

#### Years.

Her greatest Years 380, greater 108, mean 66, least 25.

# Anzel.

Her Angel is Gabriel. Num 2, 6, 9. Golours

Colours belonging unto the Planets.

Saturn always gives black; Jupiter blew or red, mix'd with green; Mars red; Sun yellow; Venus white, or very light purple colour; Mercury a sky. colour; Moon a white mixture.

Colours belonging unto the Signs.

Aries gives white, somewhat mixed with red; Taurus white, mixed with Citrine; Gemini a white, mix'd with red; Cancer green, or russet; Leo red, or yellowish green, Virgo black speckled with blew; Libra black, or dark crimson; or tawny colour; Scorpio brown; Sagittary yellow, or green sanguine; Capricorn black or russet; or a swarthish brown; Aquarius a blewish sky-colour; Piscu green, &c.

Some Observations concerning the Twelve Signs.

Signs Northern being North from the Equinoctial, are Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo. Signs Southern, being South from the Equinoctial, are Libra, Scorpio, Sagittary, Capricorn, Aquarius, Pisces.

The Fix'd Signs are Taurus, Leo, Aquarius, Scorpio: When in a question of Sickness, the principal Significators

Significators are in fix'd Signs, we conclude, that the Difeafe is fixed, and unapt to be removed; and in a Nativity it sheweth the Native to be sted-fast, and not easily moved.

The common Signs are Gemini, Virgo, Sagittary, Pifces: In a Nativity, when the Afcendant, with its Lord are in common Signs, it sheweth the Native to be unstable, not perfectly six'd, nor yeteassly mov'd, wavering between both in his Actions, or Affairs. And in case of Sickness, when the principal Significators are herein, it sheweth the Difease to be neither fixed, nor yet easily moved, no certainty in case of recovery between that which we call acute and chronick.

The movable Signs are Aries, Cancer, Libra, Capricorn: These four movable Signs denote the Quarters of the Year: and so when the Sun enters Aries, then begins the Spring: when Cancer, Summer: when Libra, Autumn, or Harvest: when Capricorn, Winter. In Nativities, when the Ascendant and its Lord are in movable Signs, it sheweth the Native to be unstedsaft and wavering in his Actions: and in questions of Sickness, when the principal Significators are herein, it sheweth a speedy deliverance either for life or death, the grief being acute.

Signs fruitful are Cancer, Scorpio, Pifces. If these Signs ascend on the first or sifth Houses, or if the principal Significators be therein, it sheweth the Native to be fruitful, be it male or semale.

These Signs are called barren, viz. Gemini, Leo, Virgo: either of these Signs being on the Ascendant or fifth House, or the principal Significators therein, sheweth the Native to be unfruitful.

Humane Signs are Gemini, Virgo, Libra, Aqua-

are thus to be understood; two Planets are said to be in Antision to each other, when they are in signs and degrees equally distant from the first point of Cancer and Capricorn; fo Saturn in the first degree of Gemini, and Jupiter in the last degree of Cancer are equally distant, by twenty nine degrees from the first point, or punctum thereof; and therefore in Antision to each other, which Aspect is equal to a Sextil, and how it may readily be found, observe as followeth:

Antisions in Signs.

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By this you may see that a Planet in Cancer casts his Antision to Gemini; and a Planet in Leo to Tanrus; and so of the rest. So that entring with the Sign any Planet is in, and in the Sign opposite there to is the Antisson of your Planet, which having found, substract the degrees and minutes of your Planet from thirty degrees, and the Remainder is the Antision in degrees and minutes: note, that the Contrantisson is always the opposite point both in Signs, Degrees and Minutes to the Antision, and equally fignificant with a Quartil Aspect, &c.

Concerning

Concerning the several ways by which all Questions and Matters are brought to an effectual Conclusion, &c.

Tirst by application, that is, when any two Pla-I nets being Significators, apply by good Aspectto each other; and if it be from good and proper places of the Figure, you need never doubt of the fuccess and performance of the matter in queftion.

Secondly, by Translation of Light and Nature, which is thus to be understood, if two Significators behold not each other by any convenient Afpect, yet if some other Planet separate himself from one of them, and next apply by Conjunction, or good Aspect to the other, the business shall then be effected and brought to pass, and that by the means of some person solicitous therein, signified by the Planet translating the light of the two Significators aforesaid.

Thirdly, By collection of Light, which is thus, tho two Significators behold not each other, yet if they both behold some other Planet more weighty or ponderous than themselves, and that by good A. spect, the business in question shall then be accomplished, and that by the help and affistance of some person signified by the third Planet, who is said to collect the Light of the two Significators.

Fourthly, By reception and dwelling in House, that is, when the Significators are in no Aspect to each other, yet if they are in Reception by House

# TAURUS.

### Nature.

This Sign is earthy, feminine and nocturnal, cold and dry, melancholy, the Night-House of Venus.

# Description.

Tourns signifies one short, but full and well set, full face and eyes, broad fore-head, large, strong shoulders, thick Hands and Lips, streight black hair, and harsh.

# Discases.

Infirmities under this Sign are all fuch as are incident to the Throat, as Kings Evil, Quinfies, Fluxes of Rheums falling from the Head, imposthumes and Wens, &c.

#### Places.

The Places subject unto this Signare Stables, Cowhouses: also low built Houses, where Implements of Cattle are laid up: also remote pastures, and seeding Grounds, and Grounds lately grub'd up; and where Corn is sowed; and near unto little Trees; in Houses, Cellars and Low Rooms.

# Kingdoms.

Campania, Polonia, Russia, Ireland, Lorrain, Helvetia, Persia, Parthia, the North Part of Sweethland, Switzerland.

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### Cities.

Bononia, Brixia, Carolftad, Herbipolis, Liepsig, Mantua, Nants, Novograde, Parma, Panormus, Sena, Sicilie, Tigure, Lacerne, Guesna.

# GEMINI.

### Nature.

This Sign is masculine and diurnal, Aerial, hot and moist, sanguine; the Day-House of

# Description.

Those under this Sign are tall and streight of body, with long Arms, of a darkish, sanguine complexion, and hair somewhat black, of body strong and active.

# Diseases.

Under this Sign are all Diseases subject to the Arms, Hands and Shoulders, with windiness in the Veins, Corruptions of the Blood, and oftentimes a distempered fancy.

### Places.

Under this Sign are hilly mountainous Grounds, and high Places. In Houses, Wainscot Rooms, and plaistring of Walls; also Halls and Places of Play, also Barns and Store-Houses for Corn, Chests and Coffers; also Stairs in Houses.

Kinedoms.

# Kingdoms.

Armenia, Brabant, West and South-West of England, Flanders, Lombardy, Sardinia, Hircania, the Dukedom of Wittemberg, and Egypt the Lower.

#### Cities.

Bruges, Bramberg, Cefena, Corduba, Hasfort, London, Louvain, Mentz, Norrimberg, Moguntia, Carduba.

### CANCER.

### Nature.

This Sign is female and nocturnal, watry, cold and moift, flegmatick. The House of the Moon by day and night.

# Description.

Cancer fignifies one of a finall Stature, bigger from the middle upwards than downwards, the face reasonable full and round, of a whitely pale complexion, sad brown hair, and of a sickly Constitution.

# Difeases.

All imperfections of the Breast and Stomack, as Cancers. Ptilick, falt Flegms, rotten Coughs, weak digestion, cold Stomack, Consumptions, Impostumations, Dropsical Humors.

### Placesi

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#### Places.

The Places subject unto this Sign are the Sea, all great Navigable Rivers; also near Brooks, Wells, Rivers and Springs, Marshy Grounds and Ditches, with Rushes and Sedg, Sea Banks and Trenches; in Houses, Cellars, Wash-houses and Cisterns.

# Kingdoms.

Holland, Scotland, Zealand, Prusia, Burgundia, Affrica, Numidia, Bithynia, Phrygia, Granado, Carthage.

### Cities and Towns.

Constantinople, Tunis, Venice, Genoa, Luce, Millain, Vincentia, Bern, York, S. Andrews, Lubeck, Magdeberg, Wittenberg, Gorlick, Cadis, Algier, S. Lucas.

#### L E O.

#### Nature:

This Sign is fiery, hot and dry, cholerick, masculine and diurnal. The House of the Sun by day and night.

# Description.

This Sign signifies one of a large fair stature, full and sleshy, narrow Sides, broad Shoulders, a full goggle eye, yellow or dark slaxen hair, sometimes curling, of a ruddy or sanguine complexion.

Diseases.

# Diseases.

All Tremblings and Passions of the Heart, violent burning Fevers, Pains either at the Heart or Back, fore Eyes, Plague, Pestilence, and Yellow Jaundies, &c.

### Places.

under this Sign are Woods, Forests, and defert Places, where are wild Beasts; also rocky, steep, and unaccessable places; also Kings Palaces, Castles, Forts and Parks; in Houses near the Chimney, and where fire is kept.

# Kingdoms.

Bohemia, Italy, Turkey, the Alpes, Sicily, Apulia,

### Cities and Towns.

Damascus, Syracusa, Rome, Ravenna, Cremona, Ulms, Constuence, Prague, Lintz, Cremisum, Bristol, Damasco, Ravenna.

### VIRGO.

### Nature.

This Sign is by nature cold and dry, feminine and nocturnal, melancholy. The Night-House of

### Description.

# Description.

One of a mean stature, but well composed, of a brown, ruddy complexion, black hair, the voice shrill and small, well-favoured, yet not beautiful.

# Diseases.

The Diseases of this Sign are all such as reside in the Belly, as Obstructions in the Bowels and Miseraicks, Worms, Wind Chollick, Spleen, Hypochondriack Melancholy.

### Places.

It signifies Corn Fields, Granaries, Malt-houses, Ricks of Corn, a Study and Closet where are Books.

### Kingdoms:

Achaia, Greece, Creet, Corinthia, Arthesina, a part of Gallia Comata, a part of the Rhine, Siletia, the lower Africa, Croatia, the Athenian Territories, Mesopotamia, Assyria, Babylon.

### Cities and Towns.

Hierusalem, Corinth, Navaria, Cuma, Brundusium, Papis, Tholouse, Lyons, Paris, Bazil, Heidelberg, Erpherd, Readin in Berk-shire.

LIBRA.

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chards, Vineyards, and ruinous Houses, especial and hurts by four footed Beasts, &c. near water; also Kitchens, Larders, Wash-House

### Kingdoms.

Cappadocia, Idumea, Mauritania, Catholinia, the Kingdom of Fez, Getulia.

### Cities and Towns.

Algiers, Valens, Urbinum, Aquilia, Trapezunt, P. storium, Tarvistum, Forum Julium, Messana, Vienza in France, Monachium, Francford upon Odar.

# SAGITTARIUS.

### Nature.

This Sign is by nature, fiery, hot and dry, ma culine and diurnal, chollerick. The Day-Houled Jupiter.

# Description.

Sagittary fignifies one of a fair stature, and strong body, oval Visage, full and fleshy, the complexion sanguine, or ruddy, hair of a Chesnut Colour.

# Diseases.

Under this Sign are such Infirmities as are occafished through heat of Blood, the Sciatica, and all

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noisome poisonous creatures; also Gardens, o pains in the Hips and Thighs, Falls from Horses,

### Places.

It signifies a Stable, or Place where great four Barbary, Bavaria, Norway, the higher Comagena footed Beasts are kept; in Fields it represents the highest places, hills and grounds that rife high aboye others; in Houses, Garrets and upper Rooms, and places next the Fire.

### Kingdoms.

Spain, Hungary, Dalmatia, Slavonia, Moravia, Misnia, Celtica, Arabia, the happy.

### Cities and Towns.

Agrippina, Avenion, Colonia, Buda, Narbone, Toletum, Volateras, Mutinum, Slagarde.

# CAPRICORNUS.

### Nature.

It's a feminine diurnal Sign, earthy, cold and The Night-House of Saturn. dry, melancholy.

# Description.

Rather short than tall, long face, thin Beard, black hair, narrow breft, small neck, of a swarthy complexion. Diseases.

# Diseases.

Under Capricorn are all Diseases in the knees and Sprains and Diflocations.

### Places.

Fallow Grounds, and Barren Fields, where Sheep are fed; also Dunghils and Places where Soil is laid; also Ox-house, Cow-house, or place where Calves are kept; also where Tools for Husbandry, Sails and Materials for Ships are laid in houses, low Places, and dark near the ground or threshold.

# Kingdoms:

Albania, Bulgaria, Macedonia, Illyris, Thracia, part of Greece, Masovia, India, Lituania, Saxonia, cès near unto some Springs, or Conduit Heads. Hassia, Stiria, Thuringia, the Islands of Orcades.

# Cities and Towns.

Vindelicorum, H. Jin.

# AQUARIUS.

### Nature.

Aquarius is masculine and diurnal, airy, hot and mo.lt,

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# Description.

It represents one of a thick square Corpora-Melancholy, all schirrous Tumors, Fractures, ture, strong and well composed: not very tall, the Sprains and Differences Vilage long, Complexion fair and clear, the Hair landy coloured; but if Saturn at birth be in this sign, the Hair will be black, and Complexion fanguine.

# Discases.

Under this Sign are all Discases incident to the Legs and Ankles, and all melancholy winds coaguated in the Veins and Blood, also Cramps and Sprains, &c.

### Places.

Fields, hilly and uneven places, and places newlydigged up, also where any Minerals and Quarries of Stone have been digged up, Vineyards, and Pla-

# Kingdoms.

Amazonia, Sarmatia, great Tartaria, Valachia, Oxford, Juliacum, Clivia, Gaunt, Mechlin, Berger, Muscovia, Sweathland, the South part of Westphalia, Brandenberg, Vilna, Augusta, Constance, Fervence, Mosel, Pedemont, part of Bavaria, Achieves, Vindelicorum, H. Miss. dima, Media, Arabia the Defart.

# Cities and Towns.

Hamborough, Breme, Trent, Ingol, Stade, Pifanrum, Monsferate. PISCES. G

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### PISCES.

#### Nature.

Pifces is by nature cold and moist, watry, slegmatick, feminine and nocturnal. The Night-House of Jupiter.

### Description.

This Sign represents one of a short stature, not decent, but rather ill composed, a large Face, Complexion pale, the Body sleshy, or swelling, and somewhat incurvating with the Head.

### Disenses.

The Infirmities under this Sign are Lamenesses and Aches incident to the Feet, Diseases of Salt Flegm, and mix'd humors, blood putressed, Scabs, Itch and Botches, and breaking out, Smalf Pox and Measles, all cold and most Diseases, and such as come of wet or cold taken in the Feet.

### Places.

The Places subject unto this Sign are Watery, springy Grounds, Water-mills, Ponds, Rivers, Moats about Houses, and places where are good store of Fish and Fowl; also Wells and Pumps; in Houses near the Water, and places where Hermitages have been.

Kingdoms.

# Kingdoms.

Calabria, Galicia, Normandy, Portugal, Cilicia, Lydia, Pamphilia, Agypt the higher, Garomantes.

Cities and Towns.

Alexandria, Compostella, Warms, Hispalis, Rutisbone, Teverton.

What use and Application may be made concerning the Twelve Signs before mentioned.

First, when any of these Signs ascends at the time of birth, it in a greater measure describes the shape and quality of the Native, as I have elsewhere expressed.

Secondly, in case of Thests, Fugitives, and Strays amongst Cattle, if the Significator be in any of those Signs, it describes the Place.

Thirdly, In case of Travel, it designeth the place most beneficial for health and delight by the Aicendant and its Lord; and for Prosit and Commerce by the Second House his Lord, and Part of fortune and his Lord.

Fourthly, In case of Sickness, if the principal Significator be in fix'd Signs (more especially in Chronick Griefs) it sheweth years before recovery; if the principal Significator be in common Signs, it denotes Months; and if in movable Signs Weeks. But in acute Griefs fix'd Signs shew Months, common Signs Weeks, movable Signs Days. There are other Applications and Uses to be made, as I have essewhere expressed.

The Orbs, Rays, or Instructed of the Planets.

Saturu 10 deg. Jupiter 10 deg. Mars 7 deg. Sol 17 deg. Venus 8 deg. Mercury 7 deg. Luna 12 deg.

The Use is thus, if any Planet be within so many degrees of any Sign or Cusp of any House, or be within so many degrees of any Aspect, it's then called a Platick Conjunction or Aspect. But when two Planets draw near unto each other, then we account the moiety of their Orbs. Example, Saturn gives 10 deg. Venus 8 deg. which being put together makes 18 deg. whose half is 9, which sheweth, that if Saturn and Venus were within 9 deg. of any Aspect unto each other, it shall be called a

Here follow some Terms of Art, and some necessary Rules sit to be known before we give Judgment upon any question.

Platick Aspect, and so of the rest.

# Application.

That is, when two Planets are by motion drawing into some Aspect of each other; and always the Lower Planet is said to apply unto the higher, except the higher Planet be retrograde, and then he shall apply unto the lower Planet.

# Separation.

That is, when two Planets depart from each of ther by any Aspect whatsoever; and then the lower Planet shall be said to separate from the higher, except the higher Planet be Retrograde, as aforesaid.

### Prohibition.

That is, when two Planets are applying unto each other by some Aspect which might happily have put an end to some business; and then another Planet interposeth his Body or Aspect, and so hindereth the matter before it's accomplished.

### Refranation.

That is when a Planet turns retrograde before he comes unto any Aspect, being by motion applying unto some other-

### Translation.

That is when a lower Planet doth separate from higher, and then presently doth joyn unto another, either by Body or Aspect, which in a question sheweth that one Friend shall procure the help and assistance of another Friend; and the Planets in question shall personate them accordingly.

# Reception.

That is, when two Planets are in each others Dignities, be it by House, Exaltation, Triplicity, Term or Face; it sheweth concord and agreement between those people which the Planets describeth, and that any business or contest will be ended in love.

Peregrine.

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### Oriental.

That is when any Planet doth rife before the Sun.

### Occidental.

That is when any Planet doth rife after the Sun. The Moon is faid to be Oriental of the Sun from the Full unto the Change; and from the Change unto the Full she is Occidental.

### Besuged.

That is when any Planet happens to be between two malevolent Planets: in questions it sheweth them to be much straitned, or in great distress who are fignified thereby.

### Direct.

A Planet is said to be direct when he moveth forward in the Sign where he is.

### Retrograde.

That is when a Planet moveth backward in the Sign where he is.

#### Collection.

That is when two Planets are principal Significators in any question, and doth not behold each other, but doth cast their Aspects unto another Planets.

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net more weighty than themselves, and they both receive him in some of their essential Dignities: in questions, that person which the weighty Planet doth represent shall finish the business which the other two could not do of themselves.

### Querent.

That is the party which cometh with defire to be refolved in any question.

# Questied.

That is he or she or the thing fought and inquired after.

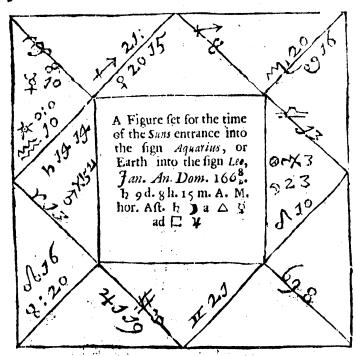
### Dragons Head.

The Dragons Head is of the nature of the Fortunes, yet convertable; for being with good Planets it increaseth their good, but with evil Planets it increaseth their Evil,  $\sigma c$ .

# Dragons Tail.

The Dragons Tail is by nature inimical and contrary to the Head in quality, for it diminishesh the good or evil of the Planet with whom it is joyned, &c.

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Brief Resolutions concerning Questions appertaining unto the first House.

Having already fet forth the Nature and Signification of this House, I shall accordingly proceed. Here we find the tenth degree of Aquarius ascending, and the Sign Pifces intercepted: had the latter part of Aquarius ascended from the 25th degree, then the Native or Querent should have been described according unto the Sign Pisces. Sign Aquarius doth signifie (as you may find in my Book of Phylick, one of a thick, squat Corporature, strong and well composed, &c. But in regard Saturn is in this Sign, the Native will be more fwarthy, fwarthy, with fad or black hair. The Marks or Moles are descr bed as followeth. First, Saturn being in the Ascendant, and in his own House, sheweth the Native or Querent to have some Mole or sad Mark in their Face, but more especially in the right Leg. Also the Sign Cancer being on the Cusp of the fixth House, sheweth a light Mole, or Mark on the breast: the Moon in the fign Leo sheweth a light Mole or Mark on the Back.

Some General Observations concerning the first House.

If the Lord of the Ascendant be strong, and more strong than the Lords of the 4, 6, 7, 8, or 12 Houses, altho afflicted by them, yet the Native or Querent shall withstand the Power of them, for when Planets affiict and are weak, especially if more weak than the Planets afflicted, it's compared unto a weak Enemy, who is not able to do the mischief But when the afflicting Planets are he would. powerful and strong, and the Lord of the Ascendant weak, then the Native or Querent mult expect damage, or mischief according unto the Nature of the Planets and Houses whereof they are Lordor Lords. And as Planets fortunate do shew which way and place is best for the Natives health and thriving; fo Planets unfortunate shew the contrary.

Some Observations concerning the Natives Affairs.

As the Sign ascending doth represent the person of the Native or Querent, so the Lord thereof shall be chiefly concerned in the Native or Querents · actings, or actions, as having to do with others; wherefore

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wherefore it will be very expedient for the Native or Querent to know his Friends from his Foes. And what Planet, or Planets are Significators of them; first I find Venus on the Cusp of the eleventh House, and Jupiter Lord of the eleventh, the one in Sexule, the other in Trine unto the Ascendant, which argueth that such men and women who are signified by Jupiter or Venus shall constantly prove friendly unto the native or querent: and on the contrary, those persons who are by Shape, Trade, or Profession under the Dominion of the Sun, Moon, or Mercury, shall be at all times inimical to the native or querent: The use to be made hereof followeth. Whenfoever the native or querent shall defire to have dealings or commerce with such persons described, as as oresaid, to be friendly, they will at all times prove real, and the native or querent may confide in them. But it will be convenient that their Significators be for the time being in some friendly Aspect, or in reception with each other. And on the contrary, such who are described to be inimical, the native or querent must take heed how he doth trust, deal with, or rely upon them. But if necessity compel, so that the Native must have dealings with them. Then let the Lord of the Ascendant and their Significator be in friendly aspect unto each other for the time being.

One general Rule concerning the Lord of the Ascendant; and likewise of the Ascendant.

So often as any of the other fix Planets doth bear any notable Aspect unto the Lord of the Afcendant, according unto the nature of the Aspect,

An Introduction to Astrology. the native or querent may expect unity or discord from fuch persons who are described to be under their Dominion; during their influences fometimes evil Aspects either unto the Ascendant, or its Lord may produce sickness: If the Planets squaring, or opposing be Lords of the 6, 8, or 12 Houses; it's likewise observable, that oft-times when the native or querent shall be in company with fuch persons, who are by their shape, trade, or profession (for the time being) described to be in Quartile, or Opposition Aspect unto the Lord of the Ascendant without reception, that wrangling and discord have ensued thereupon, and sometimes Duels, and the native shall likewise be as inclining unto wrath as his opponents. And those whose Significators are strongest in essential dignities shall prevail. Note that altho those Planets who are fquaring or opposing doth not exactly personate each person by shape; yet if their trade, office, or profession are signified thereby, it shall be as effectual as if they had agreed in bodily shape; for it's observable, that in what Planets Terms any ones Significators are in, they shall be much addicted unto the nature and inclination of that Planet, be it by Office, Trade, Profession or Quality, and likewise unto the Almuten of the Figure. Example, If they are in the Terms of Jupiter, they shall be inclined unto Learning, or otherwise to be a Clothier, or Woollen Draper. If unto the Terms of Mars, then to be a Soldier, or of fuch Trades or Professions which are under the Dominion of Mars; and so of the rest: for we must not expect that all those who are under the Dominion of Mars can be of one shape; and so of the rest. And farther upon Nativities and Horary Questions I have

Whether any thing suddenly happening doth foresher good or evilto the Native by the Figure foregoing.

Suppose the Figure before-mentioned were erected upon the like occasion, the Figure being radical, and the Ascendant with its Lord personating the native or querent: now finding that Saturn is Lord of the Sign where the Sun is, and Lord of the Ascendant, and doth dispose of the Moon, who hath no Dignities in the Ascendant. Secondly, finding that Saturn is in Sextile unto Venus, a Fortune, I do conclude that this sudden thing, rumor or report will no way mischief the native or querent, or be prejudicial unto him; also Jupiter Lord of Pisces, a Sign intercepted in the Ascendant, being in Trine to the Sun doth farther consirm the same as aforesaid.

The general way to give judgment herein is as followeth.

A Figure being crected for the time when the news or sudden thing doth happen. Then we must consider whether the Lord of the House where the Sun is, or the Lord of the House where the Moon is, or the Lord of the Ascendant hath most Dignities in the Ascendant, then if he be well aspected of the Fortunes, Sun, Jupiter, or Venus, then we may conclude, that no ill will happen unto the native, or querent, concerning this accident or news. But on the contrary, if the Planet asoresaid shall be evilly aspected of the Infortunes, then judge the contrary, according unto his position and nature that is the assisting Planet. If he be Lord of the second, it sheweth damage unto his Estate; if Lord of the

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third, fome mischief or damage by his Kindred or Neighbours; if Lord of the fourth from his Father, or about Lands or Husbandry, or his dwelling place, and so of the rest.

To know whether any one be at home, that the Native or Querent desires to speak withal by the Figure beforegoing.

The Ascendant with its Lord doth personate the native or querent, if he should desire to speak with his Brother, Sister or Neighbour, Venus, Lady of the third, being in an Angle in Sextile to Saturn Lord of the Ascendant, argueth that the Brother, Sister or Neighbour is at home. By this Rule you may go through all the other Houses considerable, ever remembring to observe whether that Planet which is Lord of the third doth accord either in bodily shape or profession, otherwise its best to observe what Planet doth correspond with either their person or profession, and so give judgment according unto the Rules before going.

One general Rule concerning the question aforesiid.

If there be any amicable Aspect between the Lord of the Ascendant, and the Planet whom you intend to visit (I mean their Significator) then you may assuredly speed during their Influences, or if the Moon, or any other inserior, or retrograde Planet do separate from their Significator, and apply unto the Lord of the Ascendant, then that party represented by the Moon, or Planet that translateth the influence of the other Planet, shall accidentally be an assistant unto the native or querent. Note that Angles sheweth the party to be at home, succedant not far off, cadent far from home.

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of the fecond and ninth, is in Trine to the Cusp of the ninth, and in Sextile to Mercury, Lord of the feventh; also Saturn, Lord of the Ascendant, doth dispose of the Sun and Mercury, both Lords of the seventh, significators of the common Enemy; also Saturn is in Sextile to Venus, a Fortune in an Angle, and in Trine to the Cusp of the fourth, all which are arguments that the native or querent shall travel unto the end of his Voyage, or long Jour

ney with fafety.

A general way to give judgment herein. If the Fortunes be in Angles, and not impedited, the Lord of the Ascendant strong, the Moon and the ninth House no way afflicted, then the querent may expect fafety in any long Journey or Voyage at Sea: or if it were concerning a Ship lanched, or tob let forth at a time prefix'd, then the guerent may conclude, that the Ship shall go safe to its harbour But if you find the Ascendant, or Lord of the As icendant, the Moon or ninth House afflicted by the Infortunes, or if the Infortunes be in Angles, judge the contrary. To know in what kinds the Ship Passingers, and those in it are like to suffer, when dangers are threatned by any Figure. must take notice, that if the Ascendant, or the Moon be afflicted, it showeth danger to the Ship; if we would know what part of the Ship is in dan ger; then we must observe under what sign each part of the Ship is governed. As first, the Breast, or upper part is under Aries, the lower part of the Breast under Taurus; the Rother or Stern under Gemini; the Bottom or Floor of the Ship under Cancer; the top above water under Leo; the Belly under Virgo: that part between wind and water under Libra; the Seamens Lodgings under Scorpio;

the Mariners under Sagittary; the Ends of the Ship under Capricorn; the Caprain of the Ship under Aquarins; the Oars under Pisces. Example, if the Moon be afflicted by the Infortunes in the Sign Aries, it sheweth damage to the upper part of the Breast; if in Taurus, the lower part of the Breast; if in Gemini, the Rother or Stern, and so of the rest. Generally if Mars afflict the principal Significators, as the Lord of the Ascendant, the Moon, ninth House, or its Lord, then it sheweth dangers by Robbers and Pyrates; if Saturn or Dragons Tail, then it sheweth dangers by Storms and Ship-Also we must consider the Houses wherein wrack. they are afflicted; if in the first House, it sheweth danger to the fore part of the Ship: if in the feventh House, the hinder part; if in the fourth, the bottom: if in the tenth the Mast or upper Tackling. Note, that if the Lord of the Ascendant be afflicted, it sheweth danger to the Men in the Ship, and then Mars threatneth wounds or hurts by war, or fire; Saturn by Shipwrack. But if the Ascendant, it's Lord, and the Moon be afflicted by the Infortunes out of the fourth, eighth, or twelfth Houses, or be Lord, or Lords of those Houses, it sheweth destruction both unto Ship and Men. There are many other Constructions to be made, but each judicious Artist must mix reason with art. the Moon or the Lord of the Ascendant be afflicted by the Infortunes out of the fixth House, or if the Infortune be Lord of the fixth House, or if the Moon or Lord of the Ascendant be in the fixth House, it sheweth danger by sickness.

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in the fecond House, it promiseth wealth.

hopeful thriving by Trade, or Profession, yet he shall be subject unto rash Actions, and given to spend and waste his Stock, or Patrimony by ill courses: and the rather, as being disposed by Saturn Lordof the fourth and fifth Houses.

A general Judgment concerning the second House.

And first concerning Signs or Tokens of Wealth

and thriving.

1. As the first House concerns the Native or Que. rents person, so the second House concerns his Estate. Now if there be any Fortune in the second House, as Jupiter, Sun, Venus, or Dragons Head, then it sheweth that the native or querent shall have, or acquire a competent Estate.

2. If any Fortune doth cast his Friendly Rays or Influences unto the Cusp of the second House, it ar-

gueth increase of wealth.

3. If the Lord of the first and second be joyned together in Angles, or good Houses, it sheweth increase of wealth by industry.

4. If the Lord of the second be in the first, or the Lord of the first in the second, it sneweth gain

by industry, if not afflicted.

5. If any Planet doth translate the Influence of the Lord of the first to the Lord of the second; or from the Lord of the second to the Lord of the first, it sheweth wealth.

6. If any benevolent Planet be in Conjunction, or cast their friendly Aspectunto the Part of Fortune,

it promiseth wealth.

7. If Part of Fortune be in Conjunction with any fix'd Star, of the nature of the Fortunes, it promileth wealth.

If Lord \( \Phi \) be in the fecond, and well dignified, or be in Trine or Sextile to the Cusp of the second House, or to the Lord thereof, it promiseth wealth. 10. If all or most of the Planets be swift in

motion, it promiseth wealth.

# Signs or Tukens shewing Poverty.

If the 2d. House (or the Sign on the Cusp thereof) or its Lord, or Part of Fortune, or his Lord be afflicted by the Infortunes, or if any Star of the nature of the Infortunes be in the second, or in Conjunction with the Lord of the second, or with Part of Fortune, or his Lord, or if the Lord of the second, or if Part of Fortune and his Lord be weak, and ill dignified, and in bad Houses, it sheweth poverty. Generally, whatever the good Planets by their friendly Aspects did shew concerning wealth; On the contrary, the evil Planets by their evil Aspects do shew poverty.

By what means the Native or Querent may obtain wealth,

# A general Rule:

If the Lord of the Ascendant be in the second House; or if the Lord of the second be in the Afcendant; or if there be a Trine or Sextile Aspect between the Lord of the Ascendant and second, it sheweth that the native or Querent shall thrive by But if any Planet or Planets his own industry. being

being Lord or Lords of any of the other ten Houfes (next unto the second) or doth bear any friend ly Aspect unto the second House, or the Lord dispositer of Part of Fortune bear any friendly A. spect unto the second House, or the Lord thereof, or if the Moon or any inferior Planet doth tranflate the influence of any the before-mentioned Lords of any of the ten Houses by any friendly Aspect unto the second House, the Lord thereof, or unto Part of Fortune, or his Lord. Then we may judge that the gain or increase of wealth will come from fuch persons who are signified by their Houses whereof they are Lords. Example, if from the third House by means of a Brother, Si ster, Kinsman, or Neighbour: if from the fourth House, his Father. If the querent be a Farmer by renting of Lands, if a Gentleman by buying and felling of Lands. if from the fifth House, by play, or being a player; or if a Courtier, by Embassages; if the native of querent be of mean rank then by keeping an Inn, Tavern, or Ale-house; if from the fixth House, by having good servants, or by dealing in small Cattle; if from the seventh House, by means of a Wife; if from the eighth Houle, by a Legacy; if from the ninth House, by some Voyage at Sea, or from his Wifes Kindred, or fome Minister; if from the tenth House, from the King, or Nobleman; or by some Office, or Profession; If from the eleventh house, by some Friend, or from some service done for the King or Nobleman; If from the twelfth House, by dealing in great Cattle, especially is the Sign be bestial; but if the Sign be humane, then by being a keeper of a prifon, or by being a Bailiff or Sergeant to arrest men, and the like.

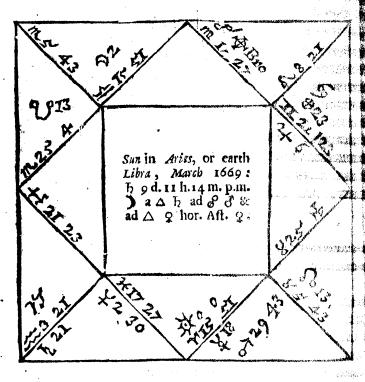
thereof, or unto Part of Fortune or his Lord, or if The time when the Native or Querent may expect to thrive.

#### A general Rule.

We must observe whether the Significators which promise wealth be in Trine or Sextile, or Coniunction Aspect, and how much they want of a true Partil Aspect: if the Significators be in fix'd Signs, allow fo many years as there are degrees wanting; if in common Signs, fo many months; if in movable Signs, fo many weeks. Also we must have regard unto the Houses where those Planets are which promise wealth, and whether they be quick or flow in motion; if in Angles, the sooner; if in fuccedent Houses, the longer; if in cadent, the longest of all. But as in this question, so in all other the Artist must mix reason with art.

A Scheme

A Scheme erected for the exact time of the Suns of trance into Aries, or Earth Libra.



Judgments concerning the third House.

This Figure is by Aftrologers called The Revolutional Figure of the World. And in regard the Sign ascending is fix'd, it may well ferve to give judgment thereby for the rest of the year enfuing. But in the first place I shall proceed according unto the method before-going.

An Introduction to Astrology. econd, then he wants money; if by the Lord of he fixth, then it sheweth sickness; if an Infortune and be Lord of the eighth, or fourth, no if afflicted by the Lord of the twelfth, then the imprisonment, or that he is bewitched, in a Country where many Witches are: Will Wof the rest.

Meering Reports, News, Letters, Messengers, or Inmatemence, whether it signific good, or evil.

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thers  $\Theta$ , is in Sextile to Saturn, Lord of the third. had the absent Brothers Part of Fortune been strong, it would have shewed the greater gain: the Quartile of Venus (being polited in the Ascendant) unto Jupiter, Lord of the absent Brothers fecond, shewith waste of his Estate by Women: the Moon applying first from the Trine of Saturn, Lord of the third, unto the Opposition of Mars, Lord of the absent Brothers third House, sheweth fome discord or discontent between him and some Neighbours where he liveth. But then the Moon applying from Mars unto the Trine of Venus, Lady of the absent Brothers ninth House, sheweth his fudden departure from the place where he is more remote North Westward. Also the Moon in his ninth doth halten and confirm the same judgment.

When the Native or Querent may expect to hear News, or enjoy the Presents of the absent Brother, &c.

Concerning the time when either News or his Presents is to be expected, I find that upon the twelfth day of April next ensuing, Mars Lord of the Ascendant, and Saturn, Lord of the third, will be in Partil Square unto each other, and near reception by Terms, which argueth about that time he may have news of his absent Brother, but not his Presents until the twenty eighth of May, at which time Saturn and Mars will be in Partil Trine unto each other: had the Lord of the third been evilly aspected of the Infortunes, then according unto the nature of the Planet, and House whereof he is Lord, judgment must be given. As for Example, if he be assisted by the Lord of the second,

fecond, then he wants money; if by the Lord of the fixth, then it sheweth sickness; if an Infortune afflict, and be Lord of the eighth, or fourth, no Fortune interposing his friendly Rays, it sheweth death; if afflicted by the Lord of the twelfth, then it sheweth imprisonment, or that he is bewitched, if it be in a Country where many Witches are; and so of the rest.

Concerning Reports, News, Letters, Messengers, or Intelligence, whether it signific good, or evil.

A Radical Figure being erected for the nearest time, when first the report, &c. is brought to the querent, then we must observe whether the Moon be in the first, third, tenth, or eleventh Houses, and doth separate by any friendly Aspect from any Planet; and then apply upon such like friendly Aspect unto the Lord of the Ascendant, third, tenth, or eleventh Houses, or unto the Lord of the Part of Fortune, or his dispositor; then we may conclude, that the report, news, &c. is for the good of the querent. But if the Moon be in those Houses which are opposite unto the Houses aforesaid, and doth separate and apply by bad Aspects, judge the contrary.

Judgment by the Figure before-going upon the like oc-

In the Figure before going I find the Moon in the eleventh, separating by Trine from Saturn, Lord of the third, and from thence applying unto the Opposition of Mars, Lord of the Ascendant: from whence we may collect, in regard that ) is Lady of the eighth House, which hath signification of

of Legacies, Wills, Joyntures of the Wife, & That there will arise some contentious or variances between the native or querent, and his Brothers Kindred or Neighbours, touching such matters or things as aforesaid. But in regard the Moon doth separate from the Opposition of Mars, and from thence apply unto the Trine of Venus, Lady of the seventh, who doth dispose of the Moon, and is in the Face of Saturn, and in Sextile to Mars, argueth, that by the mediation of the natives Wife, or Woman signified by Venus, the difference or contention may happily be reconciled.

Concerning short Journeys, how speed.

#### A general Rule.

We account that a short Journey which one

may go and come home in a day.

1. If the Lord of the Ascendant be in any of the Dignities of the Lord of the third, or be in the third, and not afflicted, or if the Lord of the third be in the Ascendant, it argueth safe travel.

2. If there be reception between the Lord of the Ascendant, and Lord of the third, or any friendly Aspect between them, or if the Moon separate, and apply by any friendly Aspect from the one to the other, it sheweth safety in travel.

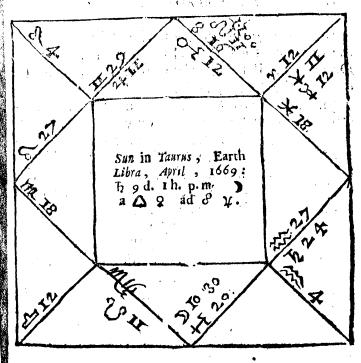
3. If there be any of the Fortunes, or Dragons

Head in the third, it argueth fafe travel.

But on the contrary, if there be any Infortume or Dragons Tail in the third, or that any of the Infortunes do cast their Quartile or Opposition Assigned unto the Lord of the third, or unto the Cusp of the third; or if the Lord of the third be com-

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bust, or joyned unto the Infortunes: or if the Lord of the Ascendant be in Quartile, or Opposition unto the Lord of the third, or if the Lord of the third be in Quartile or Opposition unto the Lord of the Ascendant, or Cusp of the Ascendant, or third House, it sheweth bad to travel. But if Planets by their Aspects be never so squaring, or opposing, yet if the Lord of the Ascendant and third Houses be strong, and doth dispose of those inimical Planets, as being in their Houses, then the native or querent may go his short journey with good success.



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#### Judgments concerning the Fourth House.

This House generally concerns the native or querents dwelling; also his Father; and Cities, Towns, Villages, or Castles; also Mannors, Lands and Tenements, Treasure trove, or any thing hid in the ground; also in yearly Revolutions it sheweth plenty, or scarcity of grain and fruits; also the end and termination of any matter or thing in question, &c.

A Father being absent, or travelled far off, how it fareth with him and his Houshold.

In answer to this question the Ascendant is for the querent, the fourth House for his Father, the Dragons Tail being within four degrees of the Cusp of the fourth, and Mars Lord thereof, being in Quartile to Saturn, Lord of the sixth, sheweth dauger of sickness, not only unto his person, but also unto his Houshold, for Saturn is Lord of his fourth, it sheweth some tymor or swelling in the Throat, also the Moon in Mars in Opposition to Jupiter, Lord of the eighth, in Gemini, an airy sign, argueth a strong Fever, with blood corrupted, and a Pleurisie, Mars being weak, together with the Moon, and the afflicting Planets, Saturn and Jupiter being strong, and the Moon in the fourth House, argueth no recovery.

Generally in this question, if the Ascendant, its Lord and the Moon be not afflicted, I mean the Ascendant of the fourth House, which signifies the Father; then we may conclude, that the Father is well; and if afflicted by the Infortunes, or Lord of

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the eighth or fourth from the Fathers Ascendant,
yet if the afflicting Planets be weaker than the Lord
of the fourth, it sheweth recovery.

Whether the Father live or die, shall the native injoy bis Fathers Estate, being his eldest Son.

By the Figure before going I find Jupiter, Lord of the fifth, being the Fathers House of Substance in Sextile to Mercury, Lord of the querents second, one argument that the native shall enjoy a competent part of his Fathers means, but not all, for Jupiter is in Sextile to Venus, Lady of the third, which argueth that the natives Brethren and Sisters shall have a considerable part.

Generally in this question, if the Lord of the fifth be in the querents second, or if the Lord of the second be in the fifth, or if the Lord of the fifth be in Trine or Sextile to the Lord of the second; or if any inferior Planet doth translate the influence of the one to the other; or if the Fathers Part of Fortune be in the second, or be disposed by the Lord of the second, or be in any friendly Aspect to the Lord of the second, then the querent shall enjoy all, or a competent portion from his Father. But on the contrary, if the principal Significators doth evilly aspect each other without reception: and if the Lord of the fifth doth cast his friendly Aspect unto other Planets, or is in reception with them, then judge the contrary; and according unto the nature of the Houses and their Lords, which the Lord of the fifth doth cast his friendly Aspect unto, judge the estate will go that way.

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Whether it be best to abide, or remove ones Habitation

Generally, if any Fortune, Dragons Head, or Part of Fortune be strong in the fourth, or if the Lord of the fourth be strong, and cast his friendly Aspect unto the querents  $\oplus$  or his Lord, or to the querents House of Substance or his Lord; or if the Lord of the Ascendant bestrong in the fourth, or the Lord of the fourth strong in the Ascendant; or if there be any strong reception or translation by any inferior retrograde Planet by any good Aspect betwixt the Lord of the Ascendant, and the fourth, then its best to abide. But if the principal Significators be evilly aspected, weak and unfortunate, or if evil Planets, or Dragons Tail be in the fourth, then its best to remove.

Concorning treasure hid, or mislaid by the querent, or by any of his Kindred or Neighbours.

If the querent hid, or missaid his own Treasure, then the second House, and the Lordthereof shall be chiefly concerned. But if it concerns his Kinsman, or Neighbour, then their fecond and its Lord mult be regarded: and so of any other Relation what foever. If the Lord of the second be in the Ascendant, or in the Sign where the Lord of the Ascen dant is, or in one of the Houses of the Lord of the Ascendant, then the thing sought after is in that part of the House which the querent most frequent eth, or where he usually layeth up his Commodia tics, or such things which he most delights in. But if the Lord of the second be in the fourth, its where the querents Father, or some of the ancient of the House lodgeth. If in the seventh, it's where his Wife or Maid servants useth; if in the tenth, in his shop, or place of trade, if it be a Gentleman, then

An Introduction to Astrology. his Hall, or Dining Room; if a Husbandman, then in the first Room after the entrance into his House; also we must heed where the Part of Fortune is, and whether the Signs be airy, fiery, earthy, or watery (where the Lord of the second, or Part of Fortune is ) airy Sings are upwards, in the Eaves or Tyles of the House; fiery, near the Chimney; watery, near a Pump, or Ciftern; earthy, in a low place; if in an earthy Sign, and in the fourth, its hid in the earth, we must likewise observe what point of the Compass the Sign is; if in Aries, then on the East part; if in Taurus, then South and by East, and so of the rest. fourth House, and its Lord must be joyned in judgment herein, and fotake plurality of Testimonies. But the second House and its Lord are of greatest concernment herein.

Concerning Treasure hid without knowledge, unto whom it doth belong, and whether there be any in the place.

In this question, if either the Sun, Moon. Jupiter, Venus, or Dragons Head be in the fourth, then we may conclude that there is Treasure more or less, according unto the strength and weakness of the fortune. If the place be very lightly for Treafure; then if the Fortunes be in Angles, and cast their Trine or Sextile Aspect unto the Cusp of the fourth, or unto his Lord, then its probable that there is treasure. But if the Infortunes be therein, or cast their Quartile or Opposition Aspect unto the Cusp or Lord thereof, judge the contrary. Saturn or Mars be strong in the fourth, then we may expect such mettals or things which they concern; if Saturn betherein, then we may expect an Urn, or some ancient Monument of some dead body; if it concerns Mines, then we may expect Stone, Coals, or Lead, &c. if Mars be strong therein, then we may expect some Engines of Iron, Brass, or Iron-mine; but if Mars be weak therein, then expect old rusty Iron, or things of no value. But if the Sun be in the fourth, and strong expect Gold; if the Moon, Silver, if Venus, costly Jewels, or rich Houshold-stuff; if Mercury, Books, Pictures, or Medals, or writings; if Jupiter be therein, and strong, bearing a Trine, or Sextile Aspect to the Sun, it argueth, that there is Gold; if unto the Moon, Silver; it unto Mercury, Jewels, or other rich, and costly things, &c.

## If the querent shall obtain the Treasure.

If that Planet who is Significator of the Treafure doth apply unto the Lord of the Ascendant; or if there be any friendly Aspect, mutual Reception, or Translation betwixt them,or Collection by a third Planet; then it's probable, that the querent shall obtain the Treasure.

When you dig let the Fortunes be angular, and if possible, let the Significator of the Treasure apply unto the Lord of the Ascendant, or second, and the Lord of the hour fortunate.

Observations concerning the erecting a Figure upon this Account.

There are two ways observable to be used, whereby to erect a Figure, that so one may give true judgment thereby. The one is to take notice of the exact time when any Fire-drake, walking sprit, or noise is seen and heard; or otherwise to

take notice of the time when the querent did go upon the place, causing him to bring some part of the earth, and likewise to make a Circle round the place with a Hazel Plant; if gathered at the hour of Sun, the better. That so we may be informed within what compass for to erect our Figure, especially when it is in Commons, or vast places; having taken the time, mark what sign ascends; and if you can make the Figure radical, or any part of that fign afcending, you may, according unto the Rules before-going, give judgment: but if the Figure be not radical, defer your judgment until some other time and opportunity is offered, causing the querent to go again upon the place, or to observe some other time, that so the Figure may be radical, without which, no true judgment can be given, as I have oft experienced.

If it be good for the querent to take the House and Land in question, and whether he shall bargain, or not.

### A general Rule.

In this question the Ascendant and its Lord are for the querent; the seventh House and his Lord for the Landlord: but if it be a Neighbour or Kinsman, then the third House must be for the Landlord: and so of the rest: the tenth House and its Lord shall signifie the prosit; the sourth House and its Lord the conclusion. If the Lord of the seventh, or the Lord of that House which is significator of the Landlord be in the Ascendant, or in Trine or sextile Aspect to the Lord of the Ascendant, or to the Ascendant, or if there be mutual reception or

balladors, Women with Child, the Wealth of the Father, Inns, Plays, Banquets, Taverns, &c.

Whether the Native, or Querent may have Children by the Figure.

Humane Signs on the Cusp of the first and fifth Houses, Saturn strong, Lord of the fifth, in Trine unto Jupiter, one argument of Children. Secondly, the Moon and Jupiter are both in Trine to the Part of Fortune. Thirdly, the Moon is in Trine unto Jupiter and the Sun. Fourthly, Saturn, Lord of the fifth, is within three degrees of the Cusp, all which are arguments of Children. There is but one testimony against it, which is the Quartile of Saturn and Venus; but in regard Venus is a Fortune, and strong in his Honse, it will not hinder conception; however, pluralities of Testimonics must prevail. Generally, Signs fruitful on the Cusps of the first and fifth Houses, a Fortune in the fifth, the Lord of the fifth strong: in Trine to Jupiter, or unto Part of Fortune; the Moon in Trine to Jupiter, Venus, or Part of Fortune; the Lord of the fifth strong in the Ascendant, or the Lord of the Ascendant strong in the fifth, or if Part of Fortune be strong in the sifth, all these are arguments of But if the Signs on the Cusps of the first and fifth Houses be barren Signs, or if the fifth House be afflicted by the malevoient Planets, or if the Lord of the fifth, or Part of Fortune be afflicted by the Infortunes, or if the principal Significators be in bad Houses, and evilly aspected, or under combustion, it argueth no Children.

Whether

Whether the Querents Wife be with Child, or not; and how to take the part of Children, a horary Question.

In this question we must be careful so to erest our Figure, that the Ascendant, together with its Lord, or Planet posited in the Ascendant, may personate the querent, the Figure being radical. seventh House shall be for the querents Wife, and the fifth House from that shall be her House of Children: the Part of Fortune in this question must be taken from Mars unto Jupiter, and projected from his Ascendant. Now if the Lord of her fifth be in her Ascendant, or the Lord of her Ascendant be in her fifth, it argueth she is with child. Secondly, if Jupiter, Venus, Sun, Luna, Mercury, Part of Fortune, or Dragons Head be in her fifth, ftrong, and not afflicted, it sheweth her to be with child; or if the Lord of her fifth behold any of the Fortunes in an Angle, or if the Lord of her fifth, Jupiter, Venus, Sun, or Moon behold her Part of Fortune, it argueth conception: but if the Infortunes be in Angles, or that the principal Significators be by them afflicted, or if her Ascendant, fifth House, their Lords, the Moon, or Part of Fortune be afflicted by the Infortunes, judge the contrary.

Generally, those Rules which sheweth Children, if crossed by the Infortunes and contrary Aspects,

argueth noChildren.

Whether

Whether a Woman be with Child, or not, her self being querent.

To resolve this question, the Figure must be radical, and the Ascendant, its Lord, or Planet posited in the Ascendant, must personate the querent. But the Ascendant, its Lord, the Moon and Part of Fortune, together with the fifth House, and its Lord will be chiefly concerned. Now if the Lord of the Ascendant be in the fifth, or the Lord of the fifth be in the Ascendant, and not impedited; or if there be any friendly Aspect, Reception or Translation betwixt them, it argueth Conception; if Part of fortune be in the fifth, or if the Lord of the fifth, or Cusp of the fifth House be in friendly Aspect unto the Part of Fortune, it argueth Conception: if the Lady of the Ascendant be in fruitful Signs aspected by the Fortunes, it argueth Conception: any of the Fortunes in Angles beholding the Cusp of the fifth House, the Lord thereof, or Part of Fortune, with any friendly Aspect, it argueth Conception; any of the Fortunes in the fifth aspecting the Moon, Part of Fortune, or Lord of the first or fifth argueth Conception. But on the contrary, if you find the Infortunes in Angles, or in the fifth House, or doth cast their Quartile or Opposition Aspect unto the Cusp of the fifth, its Lord, or Part of Fortune: or if the Lord of the fifth, or Part of Fortune be combust, it argueth no Conception. Generally, those Rules which shews Children, if crossed by the Infortunes and contrary Aspects, argueth no Children. In this question, as in many others, when the Resolve is doubtful,

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A Woman being with Child to know whether the Child be Male or Female.

First, if the Signs on the Cusps of the sirst and sisth Houses be masculine, or if their degrees be masculine, or if the Part of Fortune be in a Sign masculine, or his dispositer, if the Lords of those Signs be masculine, and in degrees masculine; if the Moon be in a Sign masculine, or in degrees masculine; if he apply unto a masculine Planet; if any Planet be in the sisth House masculine, and in degrees masculine, all which Rules before-going are arguments of a Male-child.

What I have faid before concerning a Malechild, by the same Rules one may know a Femalechild: and plurality of testimonies must stand.

How long a woman hath been conceived, she being que-

If the Moon, the Lord of the Ascendant, or Lord of the fifth, or Lord of Part of fortune, or Lord of the hour (the Figure being radical) be separating from any Planet, more especially from the Significator of the Child, which of those Planets are nearest from separation, must be taken notice of, and how he doth separate; if by Conjunction she hath been conceived one month; if by Sextile she is in the second, or sixth month of her Conception, if the separation be by Quartile, then she

Whether the Child shall live or die.

she hath been conceived four Months; if the separation be by Trine, then she is in the fifth or third Month of her Conception; if by Opposition, then she hath been conceived seven Months. Note that the sign of the sifth, the Lord thereof, or Planes posited in the sifth, shall be Significator of the Child; if two Planets be in the sifth, and the Sign of the sifth a double bodied Sign, and fruitful, and not impedited, then the querent may expect two Children. Note that if the question be put after being quick, then the Quartile shews 4, the Trine 3, the Sextile 2, and the Conjunction one before deliverance.

A woman being with thild, how speed at her lying in, and likewise after the Birth of her Child.

If the fifth House be no way afflicted, and the Lord thereof, or Significator of the Child be well aspected of the Fortunes, and strong, it argueth life. Generally, if the Lord of the fifth be strong, and more strong than any afflicting Planet (if any be) yet the Child will live. But on the contrary, if the Lord of the Fifth be in the eighth or fourth, and weak; or if the Lord of the eighth be in the lifth; or if the Lord of the fifth be evilly aspected of the Lord of the eighth or fourth, and the afflicting Planets be more strong than the Lord of the fifth; or if the Lord of the fifth be combust, or if the Child be born at the New or Full Moon, it sheweth death, or that the Child shall not live long.

If the Ascendant beno way afflicted, nor yet the Lord thereof; and either the Moon, or Lord of the Ascendant be in any good Aspect of the Fortunes, or separating and applying unto any Fortune, or if there be reception, or translation between the Lord of the Ascendant, and any Fortune, it argueth safe deliverance in travel. Generally, if the Lord of the Ascendant be strong, and more strong than any afflicting Planet, altho she endure hard labour, or sickness at her lying in. yet she shall recover.

Concerning Embassadors, or Messengers.

But if the Lord of the Ascendant, or Moon be separating, and applying unto the Infortunes by Quartile or Opposition Aspects, or unto the Lords of the eighth or fourth Houses, the Lord of the Ascendant being weak, and the afflicting Planets strong, it showeth danger of death. Generally, those Rules which sheweth safe deliverance if they

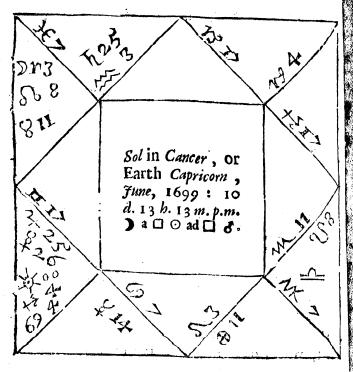
A General Rule.

The Figure being Radical, set according unto the time of landing, or first News of the Embassador or Messenger. In this question the Ascendant with its Lord shall be for the Commonalty; the fifth House and its Lord shall be for the Embassador; the tenth House and its Lord for the King; and that Planet which the Lord of the Fifth, or the Moon doth apply unto, shall shew the occasion of the Embassage; if the application be by Sextile, or Trine unto the Lord of the tenth; or if the Lord of the

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Judgments appertaining unto the sixth House.



The Sixth House generally hath relation unto the native or querents sicknesses, his servants and small Cattle. Also in a Revolutional Figure, either for the whole year, or month. It concerns the Diseases incident thereunto, the Moon being usually joyned in judgment therein, according as we find her afflicted.

As concerning the way in giving judgment upon

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the time of Decumbiture of any fick persons, or otherwise upon the sight of the Urine, or any strong fit, I have sufficiently treated in my Astrological practice of Physick; wherefore I shall in this place be very brief herein. The first thing considerable herein, is so to frame your Ascendant, that it, together with its Lord or Planet polited in the Ascendant, may exactly personate the sick; for except we have a true Ascendant, it's in vain to give judgment by a Figure of twelve Houses: for not only the Ascendant, but also the fourth, sixth, eighth and twelfth Houses will be concerned herein; wherefore if the Ascendant fail, all the rest must needs be out of order. Now my usual way of pradice herein, except I can be well assured of a right Ascendant, is in all acute Discases to take notice of the Planet which afflicteth the Moon, or if the Disease be Chronick, then what Planets afflict the Sun: and so by the Rules in my before-mentioned Book of Physick to find the Disease with its true cause: and so by a critical Figure of sixteen equal parts to find the judicial, intercedental, critical, or mortal Days.

## How to get the true Ascendant.

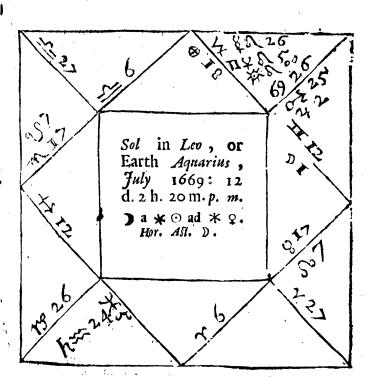
If the Patient be a stranger, you must make inquiry by the Messenger, that so you may be informed whether the Ascendant doth accord with the person of the sick. But if the Messenger fail herein, as it may sometimes by chance, then you must either by your own view, or by inquiry one way or other get knowledge herein. I confess I have oft-times, when the Figure has been radical, being set for the exact time of Decumbiture, or of a strong sit, and sometimes

Rules concerning the Native or Querents Servants: alfo small Cattle, as Sheep, Goats, Hogs, Coneys, &c.

The fixth House no way afflicted, and Mercury the Lord thereof free from the Infortunes, casting his friendly Sextile to the Cusp of the sixth, also casting his Semi-Sextile Aspect unto the Part of Fortune, argueth good Servants, and profit by dealing in small Cattle. Secondly, Venus, Lady of Libra, a sign intercepted in the sixth, being in the second, argueth good servants, and profit by dealing in small Cattle, as aforesaid. Thirdly, Venus Lady of the Ascendant, and Sign intercepted on the fixth, doth cast his Trine unto the said sign in the sixth, another argument of good fervants, and profit by dealing in small Cattle. Generally, if the sixth House be not afflicted, nor its Lord; and that there be any friendly Aspect between the Lord of the fixth, and Lord of the Ascendant, or if there be reception or translation by friendly Aspects, it sheweth good servants, and profit by dealing in small Cattle: or if the Lord of the sixth be in the Ascendant, or Lord of the Ascendant in the sixth, and not impedited; or if the Lord of the fixth be in Trine or Sextile Aspect unto the Part of Fortune, or its Lord; or if the Lord of the fixth be in the second, or doth cast his Trine or Sextile Aspect to the Cusp of the Ascendant, or second, then the native or querent may expect good and profitable fervants, and gain by dealing in small Cattle. that what soever by the Rules before-going promifeth good, if crossed by contraries, it sheweth evil.

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Judgments appertaining unto the seventh House.



Concerning Cloths lost, be it Linnen or Woollen: a Harary Question.

I have many times here in the Country resolved questions of this nature, especially being missed after washing and drying; the querent not knowing the just time of losing: the way in giving judgment

the Lords of the Ascendant, and second, in signs female; all which are Arguments of a Female Thief.

#### Whether one Thief, or more.

The Moon, who is Significator of the Thief, being in Gemini, a double bodied fign, in Sextile to, the Sun and Venus, both peregrine in a cadent House; and Mercury, who disposeth of the Part of Fortune, being in the same Sign and House; and all three being disposed by the Moon, argueth that such persons who are described by those three Planets are Companions unto the Thief. But if any thing be stoln, and the time of losing certainly known, then the Lord of the Hour, or Lord of the Sign ascending (if peregrine) or a peregrine Planet in an Angle, shall be Significator of the Thief.

Some Observations concerning the Discovery of the Thief.

t. The Sun or Moon in the Ascendant, or beholding the Ascendant, or Lord of the Ascendant, peregrine, the Lord of the second peregrine in an Angle, or Significator of the Thief in the Ascendant, tenth, or sourth House, noteth one of the House, or one frequenting the House.

2. The Lord of the second peregrine in an Angle, or the peregrine Planet in the second, noteth one

of the House.

3. The Lord of the third peregrine in an Angle, or the peregrine Planet in the third, sheweth a Neighbour.

4. The Lord of the fourth peregrine in an Angle,

An Introduction to Astrology. 141 or the Lord of the seventh in the fourth; if there be no peregrine Planet in an Angle, sheweth the Father or some ancient body dwelling in the House.

5. The Lord of the feventh, or peregrine Planet in the fifth, or Lord of the fifth peregrine in an Angle, fignifieth a Child, Son, or Daughter of the Querent, or one who keepeth or belongeth unto fome Inn, Tavern, Ale-house, or Play-house.

6. The Lord of the fixth peregrine in an Angle, or Lord of the feventh, or Significator of the Thiefinthe fixth sheweth a servant, or one who is,

or hath been employed by the querent.

ing Significator of the feventh in the feventh being Significator of the Thief, if the Planet be female, argueth the querents Wife, or Sweet-heart; but if the Planet be male, it sheweth an over-thwart Neighbour; and sometimes a Female Planet sheweth a Female Neighbour.

8. The Lord of the seventh in the eighth, or Lord of the eighth peregrine in the seventh; and a Male Planet sheweth a Butcher, or one who doth sometimes kill Cattle for the querent; if a Female Planet it sheweth some Wash-woman, or Chear-housewife that useth sometimes to be employed.

9. The Lord of the ninth peregrine in the feventh; or Lord of the feventh in the ninth, argueth a travelling vagrant person, or some poor Clerk,

or Hireling Priest.

Lord of the seventh in the tenth, or Lord of the seventh peregrine in the tenth, argueth one who is employed by the querent, sometimes it signifieth one of power in the querents house.

Lord of the leventh in the eleventh, or Lord of the eleventh peregrine in the leventh, fignificth one employed about Lands or Possessions of

or

the querent, or doth belong to the querents Mo.

The Lord of the seventh Significator of the Thief in the twelfth, or Lord of the twelfth peregrine in the seventh, argueth a poor travelling stranger, or one who liveth by deceit, and delighteth in wickedness, and doing evil.

#### Concerning Marriage.

Whether the Native or Querent shall ever marry by the Figure.

First, the Ascendant being a fruitful Sign, is one Testimony of Marriage.

Secondly, Mars the Lord thereof is in a fruitful

Sign, argueth Marriage.

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Thirdly, the Degrees ascending are the Terms of

Venus, another argument of Marriage.

Fourthly, Mars Lord of the Ascendant is in the

Terms of Venus, which argueth Marriage.

Fifthly, The Moon in the feventh, who disposeth of Mars, Lord of the Ascendant, argueth Marriage.

Sixthly, the Sun a general Significator of Men is

in Conjunction of Venus, argueth Marriage.

Seventhly, The Moon separateth from the Sextile of Sol, and applyeth unto the Sextile of Venus, which argueth Marriage.

1. The Moon in Gemini, a barren sign argueth no

Marriage.

2. The Sun in Leo, a barren sign, sheweth no:

Marriage.

3. Mars Lord of the Ascendant, combast, argueth no Marriage.
4. Venus

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4. Venus Lady of the seventh is combust, shew-

eth no Marriage.

Here are feven Testimonics of Marriage, and but sour against it; wherefore we may conclude that the native or querent shall marry.

What manner of Wife, and how many Wives the Native or Querent may expect; and when marry.

First the Moon in the seventh who is Consignificator of this House is in Sextile to Venus, Lady of the seventh, and in Gemini, a double bodied sign: and both the Moon and Venus above the earth, which argueth that the Native or Querent may have two Wives; had the Sun or Mercury been Female Planets, it would have shewed three Wives.

## When marry by the Figure.

That Planet which is Female nearest the Ascendant and Lord thereof shall be Significator of his first Wise, provided that the Native or Querent doth not neglect the time, which by account allowing five years to every House, must be before the twentieth year of age (sometimes when the Ascendant is not afflicted, and the Lord thereof is strong, we allow fix years to every House ) the Planet Venus in fign, and House where she is, shall describe her person. After which age and time prefixed, if the Native or Querent should not marry as aforefald, then the native or querent must not expect to marry until near or about the twenty fixth year of his age, by which account as aforefaid we shall come to the place of the Moon in the seventh House. But if the

rent found what manner of person she was; then either by Sign or Planet I did always shape the person; for its impossible that 7 Planets can particularly shape every Body; wherefore in such Cases we must have regard to the Signs and their Lords. As for Example, a Man or Woman may he born under the fign Scorpio, which representeth one of a thick squat Corporature, of Complexion swarthish, hair sad brown, or black; yet notwithstanding Mars the Lord thereof represents one of a middle Stature, Complexion ruddy, hair between red and fandyflaxen; yet for all this difference Mars must be regarded, as having to do with the natives actions. Now if we find that the Lord of the Ascendant be in Conjunction, Trine, or Soxtile Aspect with the Lord of the seventh, or Planet posted in the seventh; or otherwise, if neither the Sign on the Cusp of the seventh, or in the seventh, their Lords, or Planet posited in the seventh doth personate the quesited party; then if unto that Planet which by his fign, or of himself doth personate the Female Body inquired after, there doth happen such aspects as aforefaid, or if there he reception, intranflation, or collection by lany other Planet (provided that the Planets concerned do receive him in some of his

Secondly, if the Lord of the ascendant be in the House of the quested, it giveth hopes. But if the Lord of the ascendant, it giveth assurance, for it sheweth her great affection, and she seemeth to heat his disposing.

Thirdly, if the Moon or any inferior Plane doth separate from the Lord of the ascendant, and apply unto Venus the general Significator of Women, or doth separate from a Female Planet, and apply

unto the Lord of the Ascendant, or to the Sun, the general Significator of men, it argueth speeding.

Generally, in this question, if there were any friendly Aspect between the Significators of the querent and quested; or if there were reception, translation, or collection between them: or if the Planet which represents the quested were in the assection, or disposed by him, as being in either of

his Houses, the querent shall prevail.

But if there be no friendly Aspect between their Significators, nor reception, translation, or dwelling in House, then it sheweth no speeding: and on the contrary, if her Planet doth bear any friendly Aspect unto others, then it sheweth that she is already intangled, or doth bear affection unto such persons who are signified by them: and if we find her Planet separating, and applying by Quartile or Opposition Aspects, or that her Planet bear no friendly aspect unto any Male Planet; then it sheweth that she is not as yet minded to marry.

How speedily to perfect the Marriage, where there is any hopes or assurance thereof.

If by the Rules before going we find that the querent is like to obtain his defire, and that the quefited doth bear any affection to the querent, then for to expedite the business, having by the Rules beforegoing found under what Planet each party is governed, then let the querent make his address when their Significators are in Conjunction, Sexule or Trine Aspects unto each other, during their Orbs; if applying unto Partil Aspect, the better; and likewise let the querents Significator dispose of hers. But

if time and opportunity will not or cannot conveniently admit the querent to make his address at the times aforesaid, then let the Moon be separating by friendly Aspect from the one, and applying unto the other: but of this I shall say more, when I shall treat of Elections in my next Book.

Who shall be Master of the two.

That Planet which is strongest dignissed, and is the heavier Planet, or is in reception with heavy and ponderous Planets, shall be Master. Generally, that Planet which is weakest, lightest, or lowest, ill dignissed, and in a cadent House, shall be subject.

Which shall die first.

That Planet which first cometh unto combustion, and is most weak, retrograde, or in his fall, or first cometh unto Conjunction with the Lord of the eighth, shall die first; I mean that person whom the Planet represents; and it must be with the Lord of the eighth from their Ascendant, be it querent, or quesited.

Concerning Law-Suits, Duels, and Controversies.

That Planet which is strongest in Essential and Accidental Dignities and joyned unto, or aspect-

ed with the Fortunes, shall overcome. If weak, and joyned to the Infortunes, he shall be worstedIf both Planets be near equal in strength, neither shall overcome. If both Planets be weak, and joyn. ed to Infortunes, they shall both be undone, or re-

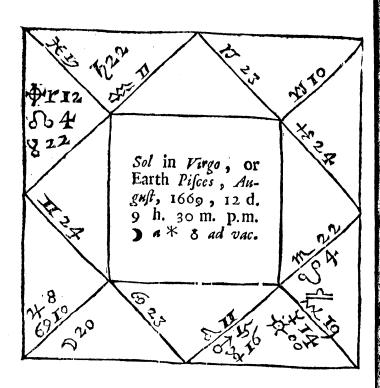
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ed to Infortunes, they shall both be undone, or receive great prejudice thereby. If both Significators be in the eighth Houses from their Ascendants, or be joyned or evilly aspected of their Lords, they shall kill each other in the Duel. If evilly a-

fpected by the Lord of the fourth, and he an Infortune without reception, it's as dangerous as the other.

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Judgments appertaining unto the Eighth House.

This House concerns the native or querents death, the dowry of his Wife, or the Estate of the Husband: also Wills and Legacies, whether one absent be dead or alive.

I have already upon questions relating unto the first and third House, set forth the manner how to give judgment herein: for in all questions the Ascendant with its Lord is for the quested that Sign and House which hath relation

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What manner of death the native or querent may expect by the Figure before-going, viz. whether natural, or violent.

First I find Venus Lady of the Ascendant in a humane, no way afflicted of the Infortunes, which sheweth a natural death.

Secondly, neither the Sun or Moon are in violent Signs, nor yet afflicted by the malevolent Planets out of violent figns, which imports a natural death.

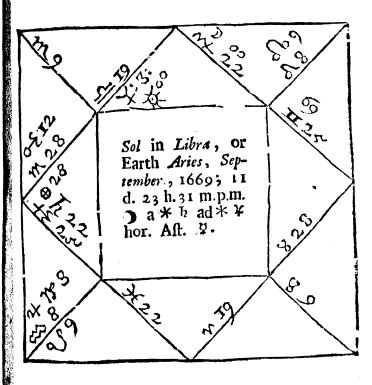
Thirdly, Jupiter a Fortune, Lord of the eighth in Quartile to Venus, Lady of the Ascendant, sheweth a natural death.

Fourthly, No Infortune in the eighth House, nor

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of Fortune, argueth a competent portion: the Moon Lady of the Fourth ( being the tenth from the seventh House) disposing of Jupiter Lord of the eighth, argueth that the portion of the Wife is in the cultody of her Mother: for by the Figure her Father feemeth to be dead, by reason Mars and Mer. cury, the one Lord of her fixth, the other Lord of her eighth, are in Opposition unto Saturn, Lord of her fourth. Generally in this question, if the Lord of the eighth be strong, and well dignified; or if there be a Fortune in the eighth, and not afflicted; if the Sign and Degrees on the Cusp of the Eighth, be the Terms of a Fortune; if the Womans Part of Fortune be strong, and well aspected of the Fortunes; if the Lord of the eighth be in Trine or Sextile to the Fortunes, or be in reception with the Fortunes; if the Fortunes be in friendly Aspect unto her Part of Fortune, it promiseth wealth; the itronger the Significators are, the more wealth; the weaker, the less wealth. As in this way we give judgment for the native or querent being a Male. So by the same Rule we may give judgment for a Female, mutatis mutandis.

Judgments



Judgments appertaining unto the Ninth House.

This House concerns the Natives Religion and Dreams, his Wifes Kindred and Neighbours: also Voyages at Sea, and long Journeys, Trading or Merchandiling into any far Countrey.

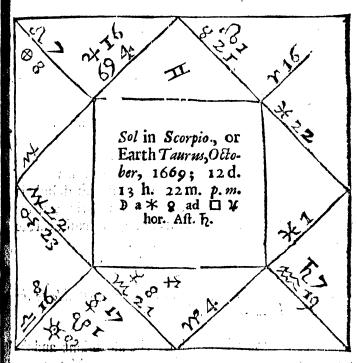
Concerning the Natives Religion.

The ninth House being no way afflicted by the Infortunes,

#### Concerning Dreams.

If the Lord of the ninth, or Planet posited in the ninth, doth behold the Lord of the ascendant with Quartile or Opposition Aspect, it sheweth mischief to the querent, according unto the nature of the Planet and Sign he is in, or House whereof he is Lord, if Mars be the afflicting Planet it threatneth mischief by rude Soldiers or Thieves; if Jupiter be the afflicting Planet then it concerns his Religion; if the Sun, damage or mischief by eminent men in power; if Mercury, by Accounts; if Venus, by Women; if the Moon, by Travellers, or vagrant persons; if the Lord of the ninth afflict the Lord of the second, or Part of Fortune, or its Lord, it concerns his Estate; if afflict the third House, or its Lord, it concerns his Brethren, Kindred or Neighbours; if the fourth, his Father, and so of the rest. But if a Fortune be in the ninth, or Ascendant, or the Lord of the ninth or ascendant be in Trine or Sextile Aspect to the Fortunes, then judge no evil will befal the querent; if the native or querents Dream doth correspond with those Rules beforegoing, then it will one way or other fall out accordingly.

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Judgments appertaining unto the Tenth House.

A Radical Figure set for the nearest time of the Sun his entrance into Scorpio, with Judgments there-upon, concerning the tenth House; wherein are thiefly concerned the native or querents honour, or preferment; also his Office, Trade or Profession: it also concerns the natives Mother, or Wifes Father. And in yearly Revolutions, it concerns the King and Nobles.

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What Profession the Native will be most addicted untoby the Figure.

First, Mercury who is Lord of the Ascendant and tenth, and Almuten of the Figure, is within five degree of the Cusp of the fourth House in Trine to Jupiter, and in the Terms of Venus, Lady of the tenth: also the Moon in the Terms of Venus, argueth the native will most delight in merchandi. fing, and to be a Scholar; he shall also delight in Musick, and to deal in Venus Commodities; if the native or querent be a Gentleman, he shall desire to live by his means in the Country.

What Trade or Profession will be most prostable to the Native by the Figure.

First, Mercury is Lord of the ascendant and second; now under this Planet are all Merchants, and Accountants, Clerks and Scholars, and fuch

Secondly, Mercury is in Trine to Jupiter, 2 Fortune, who is Confignificator of the minth and fecond Houses.

Thirdly, MarsLord of the ninth is in the second in the Sign Virgo, which is the House and Exaltation. of Mercury; also Dragons Head a Fortune is in the ninth.

Lastly, the Part of Fortune is in the same Triplicity, agreeing with the Cusp of the ninth; and the Sun Dispositer of the Part of Fortune is in Sextile to the ascendant; all which are arguments

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What Commodities will be best for the Native to trade

First, Taurus, a Female Sign is on the Cusp of the tenth, and Venus Lady thereof: the Degrees on the Cusp of the tenth House are the Terms of Jupiter, and he in the fign Cancer, the House of the Moon; also Jupiter is in Trine to Mercury, Lord of the first and second, and the Moon in Sextile to Part of Fortune, which argueth that either by itudying in Law or Divinity, or by dealing in fuch Commodities which are under the Dominion of  $\mathcal{J}u$ . piter, Venus and Luna, will be most profitable for the Native: also Mars Lord of the ninth, and Confignificator of the tenth, is in the fecond; had Mars been strong, he might have gained by dealing in Martial Commodities. What those Commodities are, and likewise under the other Planets I have set down elsewhere in this Book: and like. wife what Countries are under each Sign.

Generally, in what Planets Terms the Lord of the Ascendant is in, the Native will be much inclined unto the nature of that Planet both in his Qualities and Profession. Likewise those Planets which the Lord of the Ascendant beareth any friendly Aspect unto, or is in Conjunction with, he shall somewhat participate of the nature of those Planets. Also that Planet which is Almuten of the Figure at birth, especially having most Dignities

places aforesaid; or if the Lord of the ascendant, Part of Fortune or his Lord, or if there be receptiweak, or peregrine, and in Bad Houses, then it at. them; also if there be Collection (by a third Plagueth no thriving; or if the principal Significator unto the Lord of the ascendant, Lord of the second, or fecond, or unto Part of Fortune or his Lord, then judge no thriving.

Concerning the Natives Mother, or Wifes Father, his Lord, Master or Governor, whether the Native or querent shall receive good or ill from them by the Fi.

First Mars Consignificator of the tenth House is in Sextile to Mercury Lord of the ascendant.

Secondly Mars is in the second disposed by Mer-

cury Lord of the ascendant.

Thirdly the Sun the general Significator of Fathers, as being Confignificator of the fourth; allo the Sun ruleth over men of great power, he is near Sextile unto the Cusp of the first House.

Fourthly Mars and Mercury are in reception by

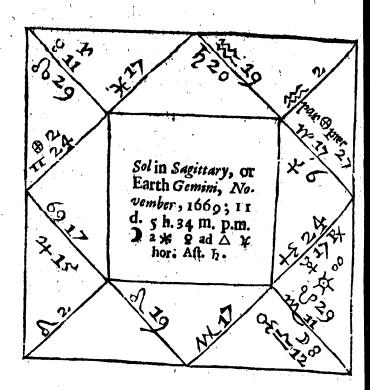
House.

Fifthly, the Moon is in Sextile unto the Part of Fortune, all which are arguments of Love, Re-

spects, and Gain from them.

Generally, if the Lord of the tenth be in the first House; or if Mars or the Sun be therein, and well aspected of the Lord of the ascendant; or if there be reception or translation betwixt them, it argueth love from them; if Mars, the Sun, or Lord of the tenth be strong in the second, or be in Trine or Sextile

Quartile or Opposition Aspects, or be in those sextile Aspect unto the Lord of the second, or unto second, tenth, or Part of Fortune be combust, son or translation betwixt them, it sheweth gain from weak or peregrine and in Pad Handle be combust, son or translation betwixt them, it sheweth gain from weak or peregrine and in Pad Handle be combust, son or translation betwixt them, it sheweth gain from the combust, so the combust of t (net) of the principal Significators, and that they of Trade or Profession be in Quartile or Opposition be in any of his Dignities; then the party signified by the collecting Planet shall bring the defire of the native or querent unto perfection. Also if Jupiter be well aspected of the principal Significators, it promiseth gain or preferment from them. But if the principal Significators be contrary unto what is aforesaid, then it sheweth damage, or vexations from them, either unto his person, or estate. they be in Quartile or Oppolition unto the Ascendant, or its Lord, then it concerns his person: if in Quartile or Opposition unto the second House, its Lord, or Part of Fortune or his Lord, or unto Jupiter, who is Confignificator of the second House; then it will concern his Estate.



Judgments appertaining unto the Eleventh House.

This House concerns the native or querent's Friends, and things hoped for, the health of his Master or Governor, if under subjection.

What Friends, or Friendship the Native or Querent may expett by the Figure.

First in regard there is no Planet in the Eleventh House, we must take notice of those Planets which are principally concerned herein, which are Jupiter, Mars and Sol, the one being Lord of the Cusp, the other of the Sign intercepted therein, the third as Consignificator thereof, the ascendant Gemini shall concern the native or querent's person; the Lord thereof his actions, as having to do with others: the sign on the Cusp of the second House, and the Moon Lady thereof, shall concern his Estate.

First Mars Lord of the eleventh is in the same Triplicity with the Sign ascending, and in Sextile to Mercury, Lord of the Ascendant, which argueth love and respects from Martial Men, as unto his person and actions; but as unto his estate, it sheweth rather damage than prosit, because Mars is in Quartile to the Cusp of the second House, and likewise unto Jupiter placed therein.

Secondly, Jupiter, Lord of the eleventh, a Fortune, being in the second House, argueth gain by such persons who are under the Dominion of Jupiter.

Thirdly, The Moon Lady of the second is in Trine to Jupiter, a Fortune in the second, which argueth friendship and gain, not only from such who are under the Dominion of Jupiter, but also from Lunar Female People.

But Mercury Lord of the Ascendant Be applying unto Combustion, argueth no good from Solar perfons, and the rather, as being in Opposition unto the

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the fign ascending; but in regard that \u03c4 is in the second, and is Lord of the eleventh, and doth d spose of the Sun and Mercury, as being in his Houk it argueth that a Jupiter-Friend shall be a means to reconcile a Solar person unto the native or querent

Whether the Querent shall enjoy the thing hoped for by the Figure.

First, Mercury, Lord of the Ascendant is in Sex.

tile to Mars Lord of the eleventh.

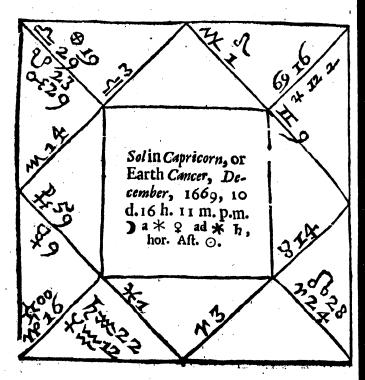
Secondly, The Moon is in Trine to Jupiter, Lord of the Cusp of the eleventh. Now finding two Testimonies of injoying, and no contradiction, we may conclude, that the native or Querent shall injoy the thing hoped for. Generally, if the Lord of the Ascendant be in the eleventh, or if the Lord of the eleventh be in the Ascendant, or if there be any friendly Aspects, Reception or Translation of Light from the one to the other by D, or any inferior or Re Planet, then the native or querent may exped to injoy the thing hoped for. But if you find no fuch Aspects, Receptions, Translations, or being in Houses as aforesaid, judge the contrary:

Concerning the Wealth of the Querent's Master, Governor or his Mother, or Wifes Father by the Figure.

In answer hereunto first the tenth House, and Saturn Lord thereof shall be Significator of the questted person; the eleventh House and its Lord shall concern their Estate together with their Part of Fortune; finding Saturn, Lord of the tenth, strong,

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169 as being in his House, and not afflicted, argueth that the quesited is in health of body . but in regard the eleventh House hath no Fortune therein, and finding both Jupiter and Mars Lordsthereof. peregrine, and out of Angles, the quesited's Part of Fortune also weak, it argueth that the querent's Master. Governor, his Mother, or Wifes Father is poor, and of small estate at the present; but in regard Saturn Lord of the quesited's Part of Fortune is strong, and applying unto the Trine of the Cusp of the Ascendant, it argueth a probability of assistance from them in the future. Generally, if the Lord of the eleventh be strong in effential or accidental Dignities; or if there is a Fortune in the eleventh, or doth cast their Trine or Sextile Aspect to the Lord of the eleventh, if their part of Fortune be strong, and well aspected of the Fortunes. or if there be reception or translation between the Lord of the eleventh, and any Fortune well dignified, or if the Sun who is Confignificator of that House, be strong in the tenth or eleventh, or is in Trine or Sextile Aspect to the Lord of the tenth or eleventh Houses, or unto their Part of Fortune, or his Lord, it argueth wealth. But if you find the principal Significators weak, and evilly aspected, and in bad Houses without reception or translation unto the Fortunes, then judge the contrary.



Observations appertaining unto the Twelfth House.

This House hath relation unto private Enemies, Imprisonment, Self-undoing, Great Cattle and Witches.

Of private Enemies, who, and what perfons they are by the Figure.

First, Venus, Lady of the twelsth, being a Female Planet

planet in Feminine Degrees; also in a masculine lign, and masculine House, argueth that those people, whether male or female, who are under the Dominion of Venus, either by shape, trade, or profession, shall always be inimical unto the native or querent, and the more, as being in Quartile to the Ascendant in a fix'd sign; also they shall deceive him under the pretence of friendship; for Venus is Lady of the eleventh so well as the twelfth; likewife men fignified by Mars, especially if employed by the native or querent shall prove deceitful, and shall privately be inimical unto him; also the native or querent shall be apt to undo himself by his own rash actions, by reason Mars Lord of the Ascendant is in his terms in the twelfth, near the Dragons Tail, it also sheweth that in youth the native will be subject unto the Small Pox, Measles, or some pestilential grief.

Generally, those Planets which are Lord or Lords. of the twelfth House, and doth behold the Ascendant or Lord thereof with Quartile or Opposition Aspect; and likewise such Planets which are unfortupate in the twelfth, shall always be inimical unto the native or querent; if the Lord of the twelfth, or Planet posited therein, be in Quartile or Oppofition unto the second house, his Lord, or Part of Fortune or his Lord; then those persons who are under the Dominion of those Planets shall be prejudicial unto his estate; if unto the tenth house, or his Lord, then unto his Office, Trade, or profession; if the Lord of the tenth be in the twelfth peregrine, or is an evil Planet, and doth behold the Lord of the ascendant. Lord of the second or Part of Fortune, or its Lord, with any evil Aspect, then judge damage or mischief from some eminent man in power; if

the Lord of the third be in the twelfth unfortunate as aforefaid, then judge damage or michief from fome Neighbour or Kinsman, you may describe their person, trade, or profession by the Planet as slicking. And so of the rest.

Whether a Prisoner shall be delivered, or continue long in Prison.

Signs of Deliverance are as followeth.

wift in motion, argueth foon deliverance.

2. If the Lord of the ascendant, or the Moon give their strength to a Planet in the third or ninth honse, it sheweth deliverance.

3. The quarters of Heaven being signs movable or feminine, and the Lord of the ascendant or Moonbeing in them, it sheweth speedy deliverance.

4. The Lord of the ascendant or Moon in movable signs, aspecting the Fortunes with any friendly aspect, argueth inlargement.

5. The Dispositer of the Lord of the ascendant, or of the Moon being in Trine or Sextile Aspect

of a fortune, argueth inlargement.

6. A fortune in the Ascendant, or the Moon separating from the Lord of the ascendant, and applying unto a Fortune, sheweth inlargement.

7. The Lord of the ascendant separating from the Lord of the fourth, or the Lord of the sourth separating from the Lord of the ascendant, and applying by any friendly aspect unto a fortune, argueth deliverance.

Lastly, If the ascendant and his Lord be fortunate, and the Moon being in her Wain Septentrional descending, and applying unto a Fortune (e-

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An Introduction to Astrology. 173 specially Venus, who is Consignificator of the twelsth House) it sheweth speedy inlargement.

Signs of no Deliverance, or of long continuance in Pri-

1. If the Angles be fix'd, and the Lords of those Angles be in fix'd Signs, it argueth long stay in prison.

2. If the Lord of the Ascendant be in the fourth

weak, it sheweth long stay.

3. If the Lord of the ascendant give power to the Lord of the twelfth, or unto a Planet peregrine in an angle, or if the Lord of the twelfth give power unto the Lord of the ascendant, it are gueth long continuance in prison.

4. If the Lord of the ascendant give power to an Infortune in an Angle who is Lord of the eighth

or fourth, it argueth death in prison.

5. If the principal Significators be flow in motion, especially in fix'd Signs, or B, it argueth long continuance.

6. If the Lord of the ascendant be combult without reception, and the Sun not being disposed by him, it argueth death in prison, especially in the fourth, eighth, or twelfth Houses.

7. The Lord of the Ascendant or Moon in fix'd Signs at the time of imprisonment, or at the time of the question, the Figure being radical, sheweth

long imprisonment.

Lastly, if the Lord of the Ascendant, or be in the eighth House peregrine, or afflicted by 5 or Mars, it argueth death, if afflicted by the Quartile or Opposition of Saturn, by hard usage; if by Mars by the Sword.

Concerning great Cattle, as Horse, Ox or Cow, &c. whether the Native or Querent shall be fortunate, or unfortunate in dealing therein by the Figure.

1. Venus, Lady of the Cusp of the twelfth, who is Consignificator thereof, is afflicted of Saturn, who rejoyceth in this House, by reason it's the House of mischief, the weth ill by dealing therein.

2. The Dragons Tail being therein importeth

no good.

3. Venus Lady thereof disposeth of Part of Fortune, and is in Quartile to the Ascendant, another argument of damage or loss by dealing therein.

Lastly, Jupiter Lord and Consignificator of the fecond House is in Quartile unto the Part of Fortune, in the twelfth; all which are arguments that it will not be profitable for the native or querent to

deal in great Cattle.

Generally, If there be a Fortune in twelfth, or if the Lord of the twelfth be a Fortune, or well dignified, and in Trine or Sextile Aspect to the Lord of the Ascendant, or Lord of the second, or unto Part of Fortune or his Lord, or if there be reception or translation betwixt them: or if the Lord of the Ascendant be in the twelfth, or Lord of the twelfth in the Ascendant strong and well a spected of the Fortunes, especially Venus the Confignificator of this House, it argueth gain and prosit with good success by dealing in great Cattle.

But if you find the twelfth House afflicted, or the Lord thereof evilly aspected of the Infortunes, of if the malevolent Planets or Dragons Tail be thereof in, or if the Lord of the twelfth, or Venus, or Sacurn be in Quartile or Opposition unto the Lord of

Concerning a Prisoner sled, the time when not justly known. It being a Horary Question resolved by the Figure.

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In this question the Ascendant and his Lord concerneth the querent; the twelsth House, and its Lord concerns the prisoner. Now finding Venus Lady of the twelsth in the sign Aquarius, a Westward Sign; also Libra a West Sign; on the Cusp of the twelsth; the sign Pisces on the Cusp of the fourth, being North and by West, and Jupicer Be Lord of the fourth in Cancer, a North Sign, adhering to the West: all which considered, sheweth that the prisoner is sted West, somewhat leaning to the North.

How far the Prisoner is gone or fled.

That which I find by experience herein, is to give judgment as followeth. First we must observe whether the sign where the Significator of the Prisoner is, be fix'd, movable or common; for signs movable allow half a mile for every sign which is betwixt the Cusp of the Ascendant, and the place where the Significator of the Prisoner is; for common signs allow a mile and half; and for fix'd signs four miles. Now by this Figure, finding Mercury the Significator of the prisoner to be in a fix'd Sign, I do conclude that the Prisoner should be thirty six miles from the place from whence he sled, Westward. leaning to the North. There being by account nine signs be-

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Here you may see that the Sun governeth the first Planetary Hour after his rising on Sunday, being Lord of that day; so likewise the Moon on Monday; Mars on Tuesday; Mercury on Wodnesday; Jupiter on Thursday; Venus on Friday, and Saturn' on Saturday. Also Venus ruleth the second Planeta ry Hour on Sunday; Mercury the third; the Moon the fourth; Saturn the fifth; Jupiter the fixth; Mars the seventh; the Sun the eighth, and so sucspheres, &c. But to know the quantity of cach Planetary Hour, and when they begin and end, the

An Introduction to Astrology. Table in the foregoing Page will inform you: the use whereof followeth.

Seek the place of the San in your Ephemeris to the day proposed, and with the Sign and Degrees he is in, enter the foregoing Table, finding the nearest thereto, either in the first or second Columns to the left hand; and against it in the third Column you will find certain hours and minutes, which informs you that the first Planetary Hour of that day beginneth at Sun-Riling, and endeth at the time signified thereby, from thence until the next number in the fourth Column is the fecond Planetary Hour, and from thence until the next number in the fifth Column is the third Planetary Hour, as the Figures in the bottom of the Table will inform

you. As for example,

Suppose on Friday the first of January. 1669, I would know what Planet rules at eleven a Clock in the Fore-noon, the place of the Sun on that day is in twenty two degrees of Capricorn, with which I enter the Table in the foregoing Page, and in the fecond left hand Column, and over Capricorn I find 24 degrees, which is nearest my number, and against it in the third Column I find eight hours, forty four minutes, which informs me, that the first Planeta-Ty Hour beginneth at Sun-Rising, and endethat forty four minutes past eight: now my day being Friday, Venus claimeth Dominion over the first hour, and ruleth as aforesaid; Mercury the next Planet in order governeth the second hour, which is from forty four minutes after eight; until twenty three after nine; the Moon from twenty three minutes aster nine, until sour minutes past ten; Saturn ruleth from four minutes after ten until forty one mi-

after ten; Jupicer from forty one minutes past ten, until twenty one minutes after eleven; by which it appéars Jupiter was Lord of the hour proposed: but to proceed, Mars ruleth from twenty one minutes after eleven until twelve; Sol ruleth from twelve until thirty nine minutes after it; Venus from thirty nine minutes past twelve until eighteen minutes after one; Mercury from thence until fifty leven minutes after one; Luna from fifty seven past one, fill thirty fix minutes after two; Saturn from thirty fix minutes past two, until sisteen minutes after three; Jupiter from thence until Sun-set, which is at fifty five minutes past three, being the twelfth Planetary hour of that day, as the number twelve at the bottom of the Table doth express; but if you would find the Planetary Hour by night, do as followeth:

Take the Opposite Sign and Degrees of the Sun, with which enter the Table as before directed, and the twelve Planetary Hours opposite thereunto will perform your desire in like order by night, as by day; also if you find by the second little Table what Planet ruled the last hour of the day, then the next Planet in order shall govern the first hour of the night following; and if you find the Planet ruling the first hour of the night in the first Column of the second Table, you may proceed in like manner as before you were taught for the day.

But the more ready way for finding the Planetary Hour at all times, it is thus: Against the Sign and Degrees of the Sun in your Table, find the hour of the day proposed, observing the number opposite thereunto in the Foot of the Table, with which number enter the second little Table, finding the same at top, and against the day of the week; in

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Lord or Ruler of the Hour desired.

I have been the larger herein to make it the more lain and perspicuous to the understanding of the joing beginner, being a matter so useful and necessary, as well in the resolution of Questions as Elections and Nativities, &c.

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The Manner and Use of Elections as they are constituted on the twelve Celestial Houses, with plain and familiar Instructions for chusing of times proper and convenient for the undertaking and performance of any business or matter whatsoever, according to the Author's many years Practice and Experience.

To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the Heaven. Eccles. 3.1.

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The Second Part.

Otwithstanding I have already fet forth the way how to give judgment upon any matter, or thing material which belongeth unto every House, yet it will be of great concernment to elect and chuse

times convenient whereby each bufiness, intentor purpose may be persected and brought unto a timely end according unto the querent's desire. But before we can proceed herein, I must give some instructions concerning the first House, as followeth. Advertiscments

Woman, but rather correspond with the Ascendant, or Planet strong in the Ascendant, or Almuten of the Figure; for altho the native or querents person may be Solar or Saturnine, yet by the Rules before going he may be marshally inclined, and under Mars, or according unto the nature of any other Planet under which he is governed: were it not so, each Trade or Profession would have men but of one shape, and so all men governed under any Planet the like; but we see dayly to the contrary; for there are of all thapes under any Planet governed, and likewise in every Trade or Profession whatsoever; wherefore except the native or querents person representing any Planet doth correspond in qualities, trade and profession, it will not serve in case of elections.

I have found by experience, that young men being put unto such Trades or Professions which they were not naturally addicted unto, or did delight in, they feldom or never serve out their times; and if they do indure their bondage, and fet up their trade, it's ten to one if they thrive, or long continue therein; for they will be apt to alter their calling according unto the nature of that Planet which hath most predominancy over them. Generally, in resolving any questions, especially in Elections, the Ascendant must be obtained either from the Nativity, or from some accident of body, or from the time when the querent doth propound his question: and then if the Figure be radical, we need not trouble our felves any farther, but only by the Rules before going to find under what Planet the querent is governed, which must be either the Lord of the Ascendant, or Planet strong in the Ascendant, or Almuten of the Figure, which by observing the querents

querents shape, temper and profession may easily be discovered. But as to the quesited there is no other way (except their Nativity might be had) but only by their Sex, Shape, Temper, Imployment, Trade or Profession, to find what Planet is agreeable thereunto; and if their bodily shape and profession doth accord, it's the better; it matters not of what relation they are to the querent; for Kindred, Brothers, Neighbours, &c. may be under several Planets governed, so that to take the Lord of the third in case of dealing with a Kinsman, Neighour, or Brother will not serve, except the Lord thereof doth accord in bodily shape and qualities, and so of the rest. As the first House is for the querent, so the other eleven Houses shall be concerned in chusing a fit time for the undertaking of any business whatfoever, that so the querents defire may be obtained. These things being premised, I shall proceed.

Elections appertaining unto the Second House.

How to chuse a fit time either by Messengers, or in person to reteive Money, or what else is due from any Debtor.

Altho I have already upon those Judgments on the twelve Houses set forth how the Messenger would or should speed in case of sending for Money or any other thing owing without any elected time; yet if the native or querent doth desire to chuse such a time that he may speed, then he must do as followeth: First, having by the Rules before-going found under what Planets both the querent and quested are governed. As having most predominancy over

their bodily shapes, trades, offices, or imployments, which they willingly follow; then if there be a Conjunction, Trine or Sextile Aspect, especially applying thereunto between their Significators, or if there be any itrong reception between them; or if the Moon, or any inferior Planet doth tranflate the influence of the Planet, which concerns the quesited unto the querent, it argueth speeding.

If the Lord of the quesited be in the house of the querent, and well aspected of the Fortunes, and not evilly aspected of the Infortunes, it argueth

speeding.

Lastly, if the Planet belonging unto the Debtor, or his Part of Fortune, or his Lord of Part of Fortune be in the querents ascendant, or second house, or is in Conjunction, Trine or Sextile Aspect unto the Lord of the Ascendant, or second house, one of the former testimonies concurring, it givethan assurance of speeding, provided that the Debtors Planet and Part of Fortune be strong in essential Dignities; for if they be weak, ir theweth willinguess without ability to perform. In such cases the Creditor must chuse such times by the Rules before-going when the Debtors Planet and Part of Fortune be strong and well dignified. Sometimes Collection may do it by a third party whose Planet is in Trine or Sextile to both Significators; and likewife may hinder it, as being in Quartile or Oppofition to them.

## Of borrowing Money.

If the querent doth defire to borrow Money of any body, it's no matter of what relation, by the Rules before-going, having found what Planets are for the querent and quesited : then if their Significators be applying unto each other, the better, if the Significator of the quefited unto the querent by Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect; or if the Moon or any inferior Planet doth translate the influence of the one to the other, or if there be firong reception betwixt them, it argueth speed-And if the Lord of the quesited be in the querents House, and so disposed by him; or if the Lord of the quesited be in the querents second, or in Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect with the Lord of the second, or with Part of Fortune or his Lord, and one or more of the former testimonies concurring, it giveth assurance of speeding; but if the Lord of the quesited or his Part of Fortune be weak and evilly aspected by the Infortunes or Fortunes, or is disposed by them, it sheweth willingness without ability to perform; perhaps his money is out of his hands, or the thing defired is in the cultody of others: in such a case the querent must chuse such times when the Planets are suitable, and the Lord of the quefited and his Part of Fortune arestrong, and not evilly aspected, or disposed by others; and then the querent may afforedly speed, provided that the querents defires be reasonable.

Elections appertaining unto the Third House.

How to chuse a sit time to set forth in any short Journey, consisting of one or two days travel.

When you fet forth for to travel, let the Lord of the Ascendant be strong and well aspected of the Fortunes, and likewise the Moon,

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Secondly, let there be Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect between the Lord of the Ascendant and third, or strong reception, let the Moon be separating and applying by friendly Aspect from the one to the other.

Thirdly, if any Fortune be strong in the third or if the Lord of the third be in the Ascendant, of Lord of the Ascendant be in the third, aspected of the Ascendant be in the third, aspected of the third, as a specific of the third of the third

any Fortune, it sheweth safe travel.

But if Infortunes be in the ascendant, or third, of the Lord of the ascendant or third be in bad aspect of the Infortunes; or if the Moon be evilly a spected, then judge it not safe to travel, especially if the Lord of the Ascendant be weak.

Generally, if the Lord of the Ascendant be strong in essential dignities, likewise Part of Fortune and its Lord, if more strong than the Infortunes, altho assisted by them, yet the native or querent shall travel safe, and overcome them, tho the should oppose him either by Robbery or otherwise; and if the inimical Planets which doth oppose be in the eighth or twelfth Houses, the querent shall kill them, or cause them to be imprisoned.

How to chuse a fit time to visit any Kinsman, Brother, or Neighbour, or to obtain any thing desired from them.

This election having relation unto the person of the quesited, the third House and its Lord will not serve herein, except their personal shape, but more especially their qualities, trades or professions doth correspond therewith. As for example, the Sign Leo should ascend on the Cusp of the third

ouse, and the Sun Lord thereof be in his own erms, or is Almuten of the Figure, and the quesited e either Mercurial, or Saturnian by shape and proflion, how could it stand with reason that a Coninction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect between the ord of the Ascendant and the Sun should work any fect, wherefore by the Rules beforegoing having ound under what Planets both the querent and the pushted are governed; then if there be Trine or extile Aspect between their Significators, or if here be strong reception or translation; or if the Lord of the quesited be in the ascendant, or dispoed by the Lord of the ascendant, it argueth friendhip and good respects; and if the Lord of the quefited be in Conjunction, Trine or Sextile Aspect unto he Lord of the second, or unto Part of Fortune or his Lord, or in strong reception with one of them, theweth gain, or the obtaining of the thing defired: and if the other testimonies of friendship concur, it giveth assurance both of love, and obtaining the thing desired.

Of Elections appertaining unto the Fourth House.

Of building Houses, or Castles.

If the native or querent doth desire to build either House or Castle, or any other building whatsoever, that so it may stand and continue a long time unto posterity; then when the Foundation is laid, let the ascendant, the Lord of the ascendant, the fourth House and its Lord, the second House, and its Lord, the Part of Fortune and its Lord be all strong in essential Dignities, and not afflicted;

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Generally if there be a Fortung in the fourth, if the Lord of the fourth be frong in his of Confignificators of the second and fourth House then the Building will be of long continuance, a profitable to the querent and his posterity.

Note if the Lord of the ascendant and fourth or if the Moon doth separate from the one, a apply unto the other by any friendly Aspects, eth a great willingness in the querent to go on wi the Building. But if the fecond House, or Lor thereof be afflicted, and Part of Fortune weak, a evilly aspected, it argueth the native or querents want money to finish the same: Building is charg well aspected as aforesaid.

Of buying Lands or Houses.

low to chuse or elect a six time whereby to purchase either Houses or Lands desired; and likewise to know whether there will be gain or loss thereby.

Having by the Rules depending on the first ouse found what Planet doth properly belong unto Buildings be strong, and well aspected of the Fourth seller; if there be Conjunction, Trine, or tunes, especially of the Sun and Tunice who was the seller; if there be Conjunction, Trine, or tunes, especially of the Sun and Jupiter, who a estile Aspect between their Significators; or if here be strong reception or translation; or if the lanet which concerns the seller be in any of the uerents Houses, then it is a good time for the queent to speed; sometimes Collection may do it, and well dignified, aspecting or receiving each other pathird party may happily reconcile any difference which might arise between the buyer and seller.

Whether there will be gain or loss by the bargain.

If there be at the same time when the principal ignificators shew speeding, a Fortune in the fourth, able; wherefore it behoves the querent to begin arif the Lord of the fourth be strong in his House; fuch a time when all the Significators are strong, which the querents second be fortunate, either by the well as the strong of t presence of a Fortune, or by their friendly Aspect, or if the Lord of the querents second be strong in the fourth; or if the Lord of the Ascendant, scfond and fourth be strong, and in friendly Aspect o Jupiter, or the Sun, who are Confignificators of he second and fourth Houses, or unto Part of Fortune, or its Lord, it sheweth great gain and profit by the purchase. But contrarily, if the Infortunes  $Q_3$ 

that all those Observations beforegoing should concur, but let the native or querent chuse such a time when the plurality of testimonies are in being, and let not the Infortunes and those Planets be strong which are not desired, and if possible, not in any Aspect of the principal Significators, and let Venus who is Consignificator of the first House be strong, and not afflicted, and in the Terms masculine or seminine desired.

Of Conception, or the best time when to conceive.

Oft-times it so falleth out that young people are married together, and yet have no Children, not-withstanding their earnest desire thereunto. The way by me practised herein is as followeth: first the bodies of both querent and quested being prepared by such herbs and diet which are agreeable hereunto, some days before the time prefixed, then let the Significators both of the querent and quested be in fruitful signs together with their parts of Children.

The Moon, and Lord or Lady of the hour concurring, the fign ascending the like; let Venus, Confignificator of the fifth House be strong in a fruitful fign, and in friendly Aspect unto the principal Significators; let the Moon separate by Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect from the principal Significators, and apply unto Venus, or part of Children, or from Venus, or part of Children unto the principal Significators; some sew days before or after the full the better, but not just at the full, for whereby the Child oft-times perisheth. This way have found by experience successful, always provided the persons were capable thereof.

Of sending Embassadors, or Messengers, upon any account whatsoever.

When the querent doth send his Embassage, or Message whereby to speed, and be well accepted; then let there be some friendly Aspect applying the better) between the Lord of the Ascen. and Lord of 5th. (more especially unto that Planet which by shape, ossice, trade or profession doth personate the quested) let there be reception, or translation, or dwelling in house betwixt them, let the significator of the Messager be also in friendly Aspect unto the significators, let the Moon separate, and apply by some friendly aspects between the significators: all which argueth speeding.

Of Elections appertaining unto the fixth House.

Concerning Elections Physical, I have sufficiently treated thereof in my Book of Physick: to which I refer you.

#### Of hiring Servants.

If the querent desire a sit time to hire a servant; or if a servant come to be hired; then if there be a Fortune in the sixth House, or if the Lord of the sixth be strong in the sixth, and well aspected of the Fortunes; or if there be any friendly Aspect betwixt the Lord of the sixth, and Lord of the Ascendant; or if there be reception, translation, or dwelling in House, especially if the Lord of the sixth be in the Ascendant, it argueth loving and or bedient

bedient servants: and if the Lord of the sixth be in the second, or in friendly aspect to the Lord of the second, or unto Part of Fortune or his Lord, then it argueth a good and profitable servant.

Generally, if the Planet which by shape, trade, or profession doth own the servant, and be in friendly aspect to the Lord of the Ascendant, the second House, or unto Part of Fortune, or his Lord, or be in the Ascendant in the Terms of a Fortune, or in any good aspect of a Fortune; then there is no doubt but that he will prove a good and prositable servant. But if the sixth House be afflicted, the Lord thereof peregrine, and evilly aspected, especially if the Significator of the servant be out of dignities in terms of the Insortunes, or evilly assected of the Insortunes, judge the contrary.

Of buying four-footed lesser Beasts, or Creatures, as Sheep, Goats, Hogs, Dogs, Foul, Fish, &c.

When you intend to buy such like Cattle, or Creatures, as is before-mentioned; then if there be a Fortune in the sixth House, or if the Lord of the sixth be strong, and well aspected of any Fortune; or if there be Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect betwixt the Lord of the sixth, and Lord of the ascendant, or Part of Fortune or his Lord, if there be reception or translation betwixt them; if the Moon doth separate from the sign, or Lord of the sign, which doth signific the Beast or Creature (as Aries is for Sheep, Capricorn for Goats, Leo for Lions, Dogs, or such like sierce Creatures, Pisces for Fish, or Water-Fowl, Cancer for Crabs, and Lobsters, &c.) and apply to the querents segond

cond House, or Lord thereof; or unto Part of Fortune or his Lord, os if the Lord of the sign, which owneth the Beast, or Creature, be in the querents second, or in Trine, Sextile, or Conjunction with the Lord of the second, or Part of Fortune, or his Lord, then the querent may expect a good and profitable bargain. But if an Infortune be in the second, the Lord of the sixth out of Dignities, and evilly aspected, or if the sign, or Lord of the sign, which signifies the Beast be evilly aspected, and out of dignities, or an evil Planet be in the sign, or if the Moon be evilly aspected in separating, and applying, and the significators in bad Houses, judge the contrary.

Generally, if the fixth House be fortunate, and the fign which fignifieth the Beast or Creature be fortunated, their Lords strong, and well aspected, if there be Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect between the Lord of the fixth, the Lord of the fign of the Beast, and second House, or the Lord thereof, or Part of Fortune or his Lord, if there be reception, or translation betwixt them, the Moon separating and applying by friendly Aspects unto and from the principal Significators, then the querent may expect gain and profit by dealing in fuch small Cattle or Creatures as aforesaid; also let the Lord of the Ascendant, and Planet personating the seller be in friendly aspect unto each other, or let there be reception, translation, or dwelling in House, especially let the Lord of the querent dispose of the quesited or seller, so shall the querent and seller well accord about the bargain.

#### Of Marriage.

If the native or querent shall defire to elect a fit time whereby to visit any Maid or Woman body, that so he may obtain her love, then having by shape, trade, or profession discovered under what Planet she is governed; if there be a Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect between their Significators, especially applying thereunto, or if there be Reception, or if the Moon, or any inferior or retrograde Planet doth translate the influence of the one to the other, it argueth speeding; if her Significator be in the ascendant fortunate, she shall be much ruled by him; also if the Lord of the seventh, the Moon, the Confignificator of the feventh, or Venus, the usual Significator of Women, be in friendly aspect unto the Lord of the ascendant, and doth dispose of two of them as being in either of his Houses, it argueth speeding; or if there be reception or translation betwixt them, it sheweth speeding; the querent must chuse such a time when most of those before-mentioned, testimonies are in force, which time and opportunity will hold during their Orbs or Influence.

Generally, if there be application, by Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect betwixt the principal Significators unto each other, especially on her part, or if there be reception or translation, or if the Lord of the Ascendant doth dispose of her Planet, as being in one of his Houses: also the Lord of the feventh, the Moon, and Venus concurring, it giveth affurance of good speed: but if the principal Significators are in Quartile or Op-

position

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I shall relate a Passage which happened between a Gentleman, a Friend of mine, and his Lady, in

point of wooing.

This Gentleman having formerly made many addresses, and with good success, taking times suitable, infomuch that he thought it impossible to fail; whereupon at a time by himself prefix'd, he was resolved to go and finish what he had before in a great measure perfected. (The truth is, I always told him that he would speed, provided that he took fuch times as I advised him ) I told him that if he went at that time he might unhappily spoil all that he had done, for both her and her Friends. would be very cross and averse; for at that time by him intended, the principal fignificators were in and and and also separate and apply by Quartile and Opposition accordingly. Gentleman said he could not believe that there could be any fuch force in the Stars and Planets, whereby to alter her affection, being so firmly ( as he thought) settled. I desired him to call at my House when he returned, and to let me know how he sped: and at his return he told me that he found my words very true; for she was so much altered both in kindness and affection, that he verily believed that some body had done some ill Office betwixt them; and was minded to have left her to her own will. But I cheared him up, and told him, that if he went at fuch a time as I would direct, he would speed; and then I advised him to finish up the Match, which he did, and they were married accordingly.

#### Of Duels, and Law-Suits.

If the querent be necessitated to fight a Duel, or to begin a Law-suit, then let the Lord of the Afcendant be strong, and well dignified, and well aspected of the Fortunes, let the Lord of the seventh be weak and debilitated. But especially let that Planet be weak and unfortunate which represents the Enemy; and let the Lord of the Ascendant be his Dispositer, and let there be a Fortune in the fcendant, or casting some friendly aspect to the Ascendant; and let there be an Infortune in theleventh, or casting his evil aspect thereunto; all which are arguments that the querent shall prevail, either in the Law-suit, or Duel. If there be a Fortune in the querents fourth, or if the Lord of the fourth be strong in the ascendant, or in Trine or Sextile to the ascendant, or to the Lord of the aicendant, it argueth a good end; and if there be a Trine or Sextile Aspect between the Lord of the fourth, and the Lord of the second, or unto Part of Fortune or his Lord, it sheweth gain by the Suit or Duel; and if the Lord of the tenth and fourth calt their friendly Aspect unto the Ascendant, or his Lord, then the querent shall gain honour by the Law-fuit, or Duel.

Generally, if the Lord of the Ascendant be strong

strong in essential and accidental Dignities, and well aspected of the Fortunes, and is more strong than the Lord of the seventh, or the Moon, Consignificator of the seventh, but chiefly more strong than the inimical Planet, which is Significator of the Enemy, and is disposed by the Lord of the Ascendant, then the querent will prevail and overcome his Enemy.

## Of Elections appertaining unto the Eighth House.

#### Concerning Wills.

If the native or querent doth desire to chuse a fit time to make his Will, so that it may stand and continue firm unto the end; then let the Lord of the Ascendant, the Moon, and Lord of the eighth, be in fix'd figns, and likewise Saturn, Confignisicator of the eighth, let them be well aspected of the Fortunes, and a Fortune in the eighth; also let the Lord of the eighth be in Trine or Sextile Aspectunto the Ascendant, or its Lord, or let there bereception or translation betwixt them out of fix'd Signs or Angles; the major part of these testimonies argueth permanency; and if the Lord of the fourth be strong, or if there be a Fortune in the fourth, beholding the Lord of the Ascendant with friendly aspect; or if there be reception or tranflation betwixt them, it argueth that the will shall stand and indure unto the end intended.

Generally, the Lord of the ascendant strong, and the Lord of the eighth, and Saturn, all in fix'd signs, with a Fortune in the eighth, well aspected; all these are arguments that the Will shall

#### Of Profit by any Journey.

If there be a Fortune in the second, especially fupiter, or if the Lord of the ninth be in the second, or is in friendly aspect with the Lord of the second, or unto Part of Fortune, or his Lord, if there be reception betwixt them; or if the Moon or any inserior Planet doth translate the insluence of the one to the other, then the querent may expect

gain and profit by the Journey.

Generally, the Lord of the Ascendant-strong, and well aspected, and a Fortune in the ninth, the Lord of the ninth, or Jupiter in the ascendant, or in friendly aspect with the Lord of the ascendant, or if there be reception or translation betwixt them, it sheweth safe travel: and friendly aspects betwixt the ninth House, the Lord of the ninth, or Jupiter, with the second House, the Lord thereof. Part of Fortune, and its Lord sheweth gain and profit by the Journey, especially if the Significators be strong, and not assisted.

Of a Voyage by Sea, to go and return safe with profit thereby.

particular man, but the whole Ship, and Passengers therein; for notwithstanding the querent by his own proper choice of time may signific safety of travel and prosit thereby, yet in the condition of going by Sca. it much different from a Journey by Land; for the ascendant of the native or querent

shall be nothing concerned herein, nor yet his Lord, and altho the ascendant of the native directed unto promittors may shew safety of body and health, yet in case of travelling by Sea, it signifies nothing, nor yet will be in any force; for according unto that undeniable Maxim in Philosophy, General Calamities overwhelm private destinies; when a Ship doth lanch forth to Sea, the ascendant and the Moon must be Significators of the Ship, the Lord of the ascendant the Passengers; the ninth House the Voyage or Place intended to go unto.

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When the Ship doth lanch forth, if there be a Fortune in the ascendant, or if the Fortunes, especially Jupiter, doth cast their friendly rays unto the Cusp of the ascendant, if the Lord of the ascendant be strong and well aspected of the Fortunes. especially Jupiter, or the Lord of the ninth, if there be a Fortune in the ninth, and that House not afflicted; if the Lord of the ascendant, and Lord of the ninth, or Jupiter, Confignificator of the ninth be in friendly aspect unto each other, or if there be reception or translation betwixt them; also the Moon in a watery fign, strong and well aspected, and not impedited, then the querent may expect lafe travelling in his Voyage by Sea; we cannot expect that all those before-going Rules should accord at one time; but if the major part doth correspond, the Significators being strong, and not evilly aspected, it sheweth shfety in travel.

## Of Gain or Profit by the Voyage.

If the Part of Fortune belonging unto the Ship be strong, and it, or the Lord thereof, the second Flouse,

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Generally, the afcendant, the Moon, and Lord of the ascendant strong, the ninth House, and the Lord thereof fortunate, each Lord, or Fortunes in those Houses, friendly beholding each other; or if there be reception or translation betwixt them, and not afflicted by the malevolents, it sheweth a prosperous Voyage, and fase travel. Friendly Aspects betwixt the Lords of the ninth and tenth Houses, or Jupiter with the Lord of the second House, the Part of Fortune or its Lord, or if there be reception or translation betwixt them, and Part of Fortune strong, it giveth a sign of great gain and profit by the Voyage.

Of Elections appertaining unto the tenth House.

How to elect a fit time whereby to obtain an Office, Plan of Trust, or Command.

In this question the ascendant and its Lord are for the querent, the tenth House and its Lord, and Mars Confignificator thereof, is for the Office, Place of Trust, or Command; if the Lord of the ascendant be in the tenth, or if the Lord of the tenth, or Mars be in the ascendant, and not afflicted, it sheweth speeding.

Secondly, if there be any friendly aspect, reception,

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of, it sheweth speeding.

Thirdly, If the Significators be in Angles in fix'd figns, well aspected, and not afflisted, it giveth

great assurance of speeding.

Fourthly, if there be collection by a third Planet, by friendly aspects, and that they receive each other in any of their dignities, then the party fignified thereby by his means, the Office shall be obtained, especially if the Fortunes attend.

Lastly, if the Lord of the fourth be in Conjundion, Trine, or Sextile Aspect with the Lord of the ascendant, when the business is in agitation, it

sheweth a good conclusion.

Generally, if the Lord of the ascendant be in the tenth, or if the Lord of the tenth, or Mars, Conlignificator of the tenth, be in the ascendant, or be in Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect unto each other, the Moon separating from the Lord of thetenth, or Mars, and applying unto the Lord of the ascendant, and not afflicted, it giveth assurance of speeding; and if the Lord of the fourth doth concurberein, it sheweth a good conclusion.

Concerning Profit or Gain by the Office.

If the Lord of the tenth, or Mars, Confignificat for of the tenth be strong in the second; or if the second House, its Lord, or Jupiter, or Part of Fortune, or its Lord be in Conjunction, Trine, or Sex, tile Aspect, or in reception with the Lord of the tenth, or if the Moon doth separate from the Lord of the tenth or Mars, and apply unto the Lord of the fecond House, then it sheweth Gain or Profit by the Office; and if the Lord of the fourth doth accord, it shall be of long continuance, and profitable unto the end.

To obtain favour from the King, Governor, or any one in greatest Power and Authority.

In this question the ascendant and its Lord are for the querent; the tenth House, it's Lord, the Sun, and that Planet which is significator of the King or Governor, is for the King, &c if the Lord of the ascendant be in the tenth strong, and well as spected of the Fortunes, or rather, if the Lord of the tenth, the Sun, or the Kings Significator be in the ascendant, and not affliced, especially in the Terms of the Lord of the ascendant, it give thas surface of savour.

Secondly, if there be any friendly Aspect betwist their Significators, and applying, it sheweth favour.

Thirdly, if there be reception, or if the Moon or any inferior Planet doth separate from the Lord of the tenth, the Sun, or Significator of the King of and apply unto the Lord of the Ascendant, is giveth great assurance of obtaining favour.

Generally, if the Lord of the tenth, the Sun, but more especially the significator of the King, Governor, &c. be in the ascendant, and in Terms of the Lord of the ascendant; or if the Moon doth separate from one of those significators asoresaid, and apply unto the Lord of the ascendant, or is there be reception or translation betwixt them, and strong, and not afflicted, it giveth great assurance of sayour.

Of obtaining Loue from the Querents Mother, or Wifes Father.

By the same Rule whereby to obtain love or favour from the King, or Governor, you may proceed in obtaining love from the querents Mother, or Wifes Father, only you must add unto the Lord of the tenth, instead of the Sun, the Planet Mars, and instead of the King's Planet, that Planet which governeth the Mother, or Wifes Father.

Of Elections appertaining unto the eleventh House.

How to chuse a sit time to visit a Friend, or to procure the love of any one desired.

The resolution of this question hath been already in a great measure made manifest. As appertaining unto the third and seventh Houses, when you intend to visit your Friend, or procure his love, let there be a Fortune in the eleventh, and let the Lord thereof, or the Sun, who is Confignificator thereof, be in the ascendant, and in the Terms of the Lord of the ascendant, let there be Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect between the Lord of the ascendant, and the Lord of the eleventh, or the Sun, or let there be reception or translation betwixt them: but principally you must have respect unto that Plance which by shape, trade, or profession doth belong unto the quesited; let there be Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspect between that Planet and the ascendant, or Lord of the ascendant, and applying, or let there be reception or translation betwixt them; 1et the Friends Planet be in the ascendant, or be disposed by the Lord of the ascendant, and be in the Terms of the Lord of the ascendant, and let not be Lord of the ascendant by good aspect; also let the fignificators be afflicted, but well aspected of the Fortunes; so shall the querent have love and friendship from his friend desired, which will hold in force until the influence of the Planets concerned is over.

Generally, if the principal fignificators be adhering unto Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile Aspects, or if there be reception or translation betwixt them, or if the Moon or any inferior Planet doth separate from the Friends Significator, and apply unto the Lord of the Ascendant, or be disposed by the Lord of the Ascendant, and in his Terms, and not asflicted, nor yet impedited, it giveth assurance of love and friendship; and if the Lord of the fourth doth accord, it theweth a continuance thereof.

Of Elections apportaining unto the Twelfth House.

Of buying Horses, Cows, Oxen, or any other great Cattel, &c.

If the querent defire to buy any fort of great Cattle, let the twelfth House be fortunate in your Election, and the Lord thereof with the Moon, strong, and no way afflicted; and if you intend to buy Oxen or Kine, let Taurus, and Venus Lady thereof, be well dignified; if Horses, then Sagittary and Jupiter: let there be some good aspect betwixt the Lord of the twelfth, the Lord of the Sign which owns the Beast, and the Lord of the Ascendant, or

least in reception with each other, and the Moon parating from the Lord of the twelfth, or Lord the Sign which owns the Beast, and apply unto e ascendant dispose of those Planets which conrns the Beast, and let all the fignificators be strong nd well affected; but if you would buy to advange, then let the Planet which is Lord of the Sign hich owns the Beast, or the Lord of the twelfth, nd the Moon be strong in the second House, or in onjunction, Sextile or Trine to the Lord of the cond, Part of Fortune, or his disposer, or unto upiter, a Confignificator of Riches, or if there be ception or translation of light between them, it iveth assurance of profit and gain by the bargain.

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toper unto the twelve Houses. There are many other matters or things which might have inserted herein appertaining to Ections, which for brevity fake I did forbear to ouble my felf, or Reader withal, being unwilling o much to inlarge my Book; but know that in any atter or thing defired which concerneth thy world-Affairs, it must have relation to some one of the velve Houses, and by the same method as thou art efore taught, if the Rules therein be but heedfully garded, you cannot fail in electing a fit and proper

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## ASTROLOGY.

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By New and Experienced Rules how to rectifie and judge a Nativity: also the natural signification and Portents of Directions; and how the time of any Accident or Alteration may be known, with plain and Familiar Examples ther eupon.

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The true way of gaining the Revolutional Figure, and how to give judgment thereupon with the Significations and Use of Transits, and how the particular Accidents of each Day may be found.

Behold there came wise men from the Hast to Ferusalem, Jaying, where is he that is born king of the Jews; for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him. Mat. 2. 1, 2.

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Directions.

The Effects of the five Hylegical Places, di rected unto their Promittors, viz. The A scendant, Mid-Heaven, Sun, Moon, and The Ascendant to the Quartile or Opposition of Saturn.

The Ascendant to the Body of Saturn.

eth lingring, and long continued sicknesses, as Confumptions; and sometimes in youth and young peor ple it sheweth the Green Sickness, and the rather, when the fix'd Stars do accord therein.

The Ascendant to the Trine or Sexule of Saturn.

EFFECT Staturnine Commodities, or having to do with and cient people. Oft-times the native upon this Direction obtaineth a Legacy or Donation from some ancient body; it sheweth profit by Husbandry, or dealing in Land; it inclineth the native to build, plant, and repair Houses, Gardens or Orchards; it inclineth the native unto gravity and sobriety: sometimes upon this direction the native doth discover and find out a good and profitable Mine; it's an excellent time to visit, or to have dealings with Saturnine, or ancient people, especially if the Lord of the Ascendant in the years revolution doth accord.

This Direction is as bad, if not worse than when directed unto the body of Saturn; it oft-times reneweth Saturnine Griefs, especially such which pro-His Direction importeth such Infirmities ceed from a cold, dry and flegmatick Cause; and unto the Body of the Native which are if Saturn be anareta, it threatneth death, also Saturnine, and proceedeth from cold, Ruptures, and Fretting in the Guts, the cold Gout, dry, and flegmatick humors, fometimes Swellings in the Hands, Joynts, Thighs, Legs and Coughs, and Quartan Agues, and a different productions in the reflection of through excess of Cold, and causeth volutional Figure accord. It's a bad time to deal askupidity and dulness unto Actions, also froward in any Saturnine Commodities, or to deal, or have the sand melancholy: also denotes by Cold, and causeth and protected in the Hands, Joynts, Thighs, Legs and Freeting in the Gues, the Cold for the Feet, especially if the signs and directions in the reflurbed brain, through excess of Cold, and causeth volutional Figure accord. It's a bad time to deal
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The Ascendant to the Terms of Saturn.

Saturn, it increaseth the natives distemper.

The Ascendant to the Body of Jupiter.

nature, inclineth the native, upon this direction not only unto healthfulness, but also to be joving Infirmities proceeding from the Liver, Wind and so judge damage, or mischief accordingly. the Veins, and putrefaction of Blood, &c. this direction importerh good from jovial persons, and is an excellent time to have dealings with, or tore ceive any courtesse from, or benefit by them, espe

The Ascendant to the Trine or Sextile of Jupiter.

This direction importeth health and tranquility of mind, favour from Nobles and eminent Law-This Direction inclineth the Native to be much year or Clergy-men, and from Gentlemen of the Saturnine, viz. melancholy, envious, malicious best rank and quality; the Native is happily imand hard to be pleased; it causeth the native to be ployed about some honourable Embassage or Mesfroward and dull in his actions; and if fix'd Stars be fage, or long journey of profit; it also importeth near the same degree, ascending, of the nature of thriving by any Office or Profession, whether in Court, Country, or City; it sheweth love and respects from any Jupiter-persons, either by shape or profession; and the more, if the Lord of the A-Gendant accord for the time being.

This Planet being a Fortune, and Friend unto The Ascendant to the Square or Opposition of Jupiter.

This direction (contrary unto the Conjunction, and merry, affable and pleasant; also it inclined Trine and Sextile) produceth comity and disthe native to be religious, and to delight in the com cord from such persons who are under the Dominion pany of religious men: if Jupiter be Lord of the of Jupiter, whether Lawyers, Clergy-men, Gentry seventh or tenth, and in Trine or Sextile to Venus or others, who by shape, trade, or profession are or the Moon, Confignificator of the sevent funder this Planet; it's no good time to visit, trade, House, it oft-times produceth Marriage, if the for to receive any benefit from them; it oft-times native be capable thereof. But if Jupiter be Lord stirs up in the body such distempers which Jupiter of the south sight out to the fourth of the south sight touth of the fourth, fixth, eighth or twelfth Houses, causeth, especially if Lord of the sixth, fourth, oft-rimes produceth Sickness, or such Instrmition eighth, or twelfth Houses, we must have regard which Jupiter causeth; as Pleurisies, Fevers, and unto the sign and house whereof Jupiter is Lord, Instrmities proceeding from the sixth of the sixth, fourth, or twelfth Houses, we must have regard unto the sign and house whereof Jupiter is Lord, Instructives proceeding from the sixth of the sixth, fourth, or twelfth Houses, we must have regard unto the sign and house whereof Jupiter is Lord, Instructives proceeding from the sixth of the sixth, fourth, or twelfth Houses, we must have regard unto the sixth of the sixth, fourth, or twelfth Houses, we must have regard unto the sixth of the sixth of the sixth, fourth, or twelfth Houses, we must have regard unto the sixth of th

The Ascendant to the Terms of Jupiter.

This direction causeth the native to be of a jovial semper, temper, and to be chearful, delighting in good things and good acquaintance; it sheweth a contented mind.

#### The Ascendant to the Body of Mars.

This Direction stirreth up in the native choler and anger, or passion: also sometimes Controver. sies, Law-suits, and Duels; it she weth danger by Thieves and Robbers, also hurts in those places of the body (which the sign where Mars was in doth signistic) by Houses, Swords, or Iron Instruments; also it ofteness produceth such Diseases which Mars causeth, especially if the sign where Mars doth accord; as Bloody Flux, Leprosie, Scabs, severs and Swellings, sometimes the Small Pox, or Plague, if those Diseases reign at the time when the direction operates; it also sheweth damage from Marshal Men.

#### The Ascendant to the Trine or Sextile of Mars.

Upon this Direction the native will be fortunated in all Marshal Exercises, and shall be well respected of Soldiers (whether Collonels, Captains or others, also it sheweth love and respects from all Marshal Persons either by trades, prosession or shapes; also the native shall delight much in all Marshal Affairs; also in regard Mars is Consignificator of the tenth House, it imports thriving by any office, trade or prosession, especially wherein Mars hath dominion, or by dealing in Marshal Commodities.

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The Ascendant to the Quartile or Opposition of Mars

This direction causeth Diseases and Mischiefs as bad or worse than the Conjunction; and if Mars be in fiery Signs, it produceth burning Fevers, Swellings, Byles, Botches, and S. Anthonies Fire, Impostumations, and sometimes Small Pox, and Plague Sores; it threatneth many Misfortunes and sudden Casualties; also informations and accusations; it stirreth up the wrath of Men marshally imployed; also the native will be subject unto rash and unadvised Actions, it importeth no thriving in any military way, or marshal trade, or by dealing with marshal Men, or marshal Commodities: if Mars be in watery figns, it produceth a violent Loofness or Bloody Flux: in airy figns the blood will be the more inflamed and corrupted; also if Mars be in a watery fign it sheweth peril by water, until the influence is And so of the rest.

### The Ascendant to the Terms of Mars.

This Direction inclines the natives temper unto choler and rash actions, especially if *Mars* be ill dignified; otherwise is well dignified he canseth the native only to be martially inclined, and to delight in any martial Exercises.

## The Ascendant to the Body of the Sun.

This direction causeth a general distemper in the body, especially it stirs up such Griefs or Instruction which hath its original from the hear and brain

brain, as Palpitations, fudden fwoonings, dead Pallies, Cramps, pains in the head, and danger of inregard the Sun hath no Terms allotted, I have disome hurt or impediment to the eyes, especially the right eye; if the Sun be in a fiery fign it caused a hot feverish distemper. This Direction imports love and respects from all Solar Persons, and the chiesest of men in power in any place, office, orimgreater assurance.

The Ascendant to the Trine or Sextile of the Sun.

This Direction oft-times produces unto them tive new and eminent Friends, and the rather, in regard the Sun is Confignificator of the elevent House; and if the Lord of the Ascendant dothas cord, the native may expect some great prese ment by office or imployment from the King Prince, or some eminent man in power; it all theweth love and respects from any solar person

The Ascendant to the Quartile or Opposition of the Sm

This Direction produceth Effects clean contrary unto those friendly aspects before mentioned as frowns and difrespects from eminent men power, or any folar persons, it produceth disre spects from the natives Father, and a bad end und any weighty Affairs, Bargains, or traffick by Sea and Land, by reason the Sun is Consignificator of the fourth House, it stirs up in the native solar disters pers both to the body and eyes.

rected the Ascendant unto the Faces of the Sun in the Signs.

From the tenth degree of Aries unto the twenjieth degree is the face of the Sun, and causeth the ployment whatsoever; the Sun sometimes significal native to be magnanimous, and to have an earnest the King; if the Lord of the Ascendant accorda desire to bear rule, and to have power and authoristic and the first and the time when the effects doth operate, it giveththe ty: also in the fign Scorpio from the tenth degree junto the twentieth degree is the face of the Sun, it causeth the native to be hold and deceitful, apt to scoff and jeer, and disdain others: and in Virgo in the first ten degrees is the face of the Sun, which inclineth the native unto good husbandry and thriving; also from the twentieth degree unto the thirtieth degree of Capricarn is the face of the Sun, and will incline the native unto covetousness, and an earnest desire to bear rule.

## The Ascendant to the Body of Venus.

This Direction causeth the native to be chearful and well contented, and to take delight in Female Company, he shall desire to banquet, feast and delight in Musick and Dancing, he shall earnestly defire to purchase new Apparel and Houshold-stuff: and if Venus be Lady of the seventh House, it imports Marriage. But if the native be married and capable, and Verus in a fruitful fign, it importeth a Child that year. But if Venus be unfortunate in the Radix, especially being Lady of the 6, 8, 12, or fourth Houses, then the native will be subject unto such infirmities which Venus causeth, as Sur-Q 4

ness, and all such infirmities which proceed from the neighbours. brain; also dry Coughs and snashing in the head, forgetfulness and defects in the Lungs.

The ascendant to the Terms of Mercury.

This direction stirs up in the native qualities in Arts and Sciences.

The ascendant to the Body of the Moon.

· If the Moon be well dignified at the birth, " sheweth good success in journeys or travel by Land or Sea, especially by water, gain in estate, and good from those who have dealing upon the waters it also importeth Marriage and gain from Lunar Per fons, and women in general. But if the Moon bell dignified in the Radix, then it importeth dan ger by waters, and bad fuccess in travelling eiths by Land or Sea, damage by Lunar Persons and such who live upon the waters, and by Women.

The ascendant to the Trine or Sextile of the Moon.

This Direction importeth health of body, and inclineth the native to be active in the Affairs of the world, and to be much imployed to undertake for Journeys; it sheweth much good will and love from Females

An Introduction to Aftrology. cury is Confignificator of the fixth House; also a Females, and such who are imployed about waters; bused by false witness, and lying informations, edit sometimes produces Marriage; and If married, specially by Mercurial persons, or young men; all then a Female Child that year; it also importeth a fo the native will be subject unto such distempers of contented mind and healthfulness, and good rebody which Mercury causeth, as Vertigoes, Mad spects from the common fort of people and his

The ascendant to the Square or Opposition of the Moon.

This direction imports danger by waters, discord with the vulgar people; also jealousies and controversics with his wife; also unkindness and disremuch after the nature of Mercury; as to be witty, the spect from the common fort of people, especially dious, and to have an earnest desire after knowledge Females, contention with women, perhaps with his Mother; it sheweth bad success in Journeys or Sea Voyages, damage and loss by office or profession; it causeth Distempers in the body by slegmatick and corrupt humors, very apt unto furfeits and sickness, occasioned by gluttony, luxury and disorder of body, sometimes it causeth Lunar Infirmities with some pain, grief, or impediment in the left eye, especially if the Moon be ill dignified in the Radix.

> The ascendant to the Faces of the Moon, throughout the Twelve Signs with their Significations, the c being no Terms allotted either unto Sun or Moon.

From the tenth degree of Taurus unto the twentieth degree is the Face of the Sun, unto which degrees when by direction the ascendant doth meet withal, the native shall have a great desire to rule; and obtain power and authority over others, being busic about depopulations, and is averse unto good Husbandry, when the ascendant by direction cometh

The ascendant unto Part of Fortune.

unto the face of the Moon, being the last ten de grees of Cancer, it causeth the native to delight hunting, and to purfue his enemies, it sheweth gain by opposing them; the ascendant directed unto the first ten degrees of Libra, inclineth the native to be twentieth degree of Sagittary, the native will be subject unto some trouble of mind, jealousies and fearfulness; if unto the last ten degrees of Aquarin, it inclineth the native unto discontent, apt to repine, and given unto strife.

The ascendant unto the Dragons Head.

The Dragon's Head is of the nature of the Fortunes, and sheweth the native to be successful in affairs, and quiet in mind, it sheweth love and respects from Jovial and Venerian Persons. times upon this direction some benefit or inheritance befals the native.

The ascendant unto the Dragon's Tail.

This direction importeth some danger of poilon or some pestilential Infirmity, some scandal unto the natives person; if it be in the House of Venus it are gueth a Rupture, or the Cholick; if in Virgo, Bellyach; in Scorpio, danger of the French Pox, or some poisonous Grief; in the second House, over-charged with Debts.

When the ascendant is directed unto Part of Fortune in the second House, then the native shall charitable, delighteth to do justice and righteon inexpectedly increase his Estate by his own induthings, if directed unto and between the tenthall ftry; and if any of the other Planets doth at that time friendly behold the Part of Fortune, then the native may expect gain from fuch persons which the Planet doth fignifie; if from the Sun by the bounty of the King, or some great man in power; if Jupiter behold the Part of Fortune, then by some eminent Lawyer or Clergyman; if from Venus, women; if Mercury, from Merchants, Clerks, or Scholars; you must also observe the dispositer of the Part of Fortune in the Radix; and so judge accordingly.

The ascendant directed unto the second House.

This Direction importeth the purchasing of new Houshold stuff and Goods.

The ascendant to the Cusp of the third House.

It inclineth the native to take many journies for pleasure, and to visit his Neighbours, Kindred and Brothers.

The ascendant to the Cusp of the fourth House.

This Direction importeth a change of Habitation, and if other testimonies concur, it sometimes importeth death. The fourth House being the end of all things. The

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Part of Fortune; and according unto the nature of ment men in power; it imports some command or those Stars, Judgment is given; and if other Disauthority in the Common-wealth. rections accord, it causeth the directions to work the more forcible. The Table of the most eminen The Mid-Heaven to the Quartile or Opposition of Saturn. fix'd Stars are inserted next unto the directions in this Book.

The Mid-Heavento the Body of Saturn.

This Direction imports great damage and bit cies, or Wifes Portion. it threatneth loss of Honour and Office, wrat from Princes and eminent men in power; it some times sheweth death, in regard Saturn is Consignificant stimonies concur; if a Landlord, his Tenants with Saturnine persons, and some crosses in his Office, be apt to conspire against him: it sheweth ill so cess by dealing in Land or Husbandry, or Satur nian People. But if Saturn be strong and well die nified, especially if Lord of the Ascendant, second or eleventh Houses, it sheweth gain by dealings Saturnine Men, or in Saturnine Commodities.

The Mid-Heaven to the Trine or Sextile of Saturn.

Orchards

The ascendant is also directed unto fix'd Stars Orchards, Gardens, and repairing of Houses, it and likewise the Medium Cali, Sun, Moon and imports increase of wealth and respects from emi-

This Direction imports damage and loss both of Honour and Imployment, Vexations from Saturnine persons, whether in Court or Country, it sheweth treacherous informations and damage, and loss by Thests and Pyracies, it sheweth The Mid Heaven directed unto Promittors breach of Leagues and Friendship amongst eminent Observe of what House Saturn is Lord. and judge mischief from thence: it also sheweth damage by Law-suits, especially by Wills, Lega-

Mid-Heaven to the Terms of Saturn.

This Direction importeth Vexations by aged and

Mid Heaven to the Body of Jupiter.

This Direction importeth preferment either unto Office or Imployment, which will be very profitable and honorable unto the native; it sheweth sayour and love from eminent Lawyers or Clergy-This Direction imports Honor and Esteem men. This Direction importeth excellent presermeans of Saturnine Persons, it imports gal city, whether by learning, trade or profession unand profit by dealing in Saturnine Commod to Kings, Princes, and eminent men in power; it ties; also gain by Husbandry, and planting sheweth renewing of Leagues, access to a King dom, sometimes it imports the calling of a general Council.

Mid-Heaven to the Trine or Sextile of Jupiter.

This Direction sheweth high esteem and low his degree, quality and capacity. from eminent Lawyers or Clergy-men, it imports eth great honor and preferment unto some Office, of place of great imployment, and gain thereby; all according unto the natives breeding and capacity, also imports the calling of a general Council.

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ment the native followeth; also loss by sentence of a argueth gain and honor in martial Assairs, or in Judge, and crosses and vexations from Jupiter-per he natives own office, trade or profession. ions, whether Lawyers, or Clergy-men, or othersi and as Jupiter is Confignificator of the ninth Houle it threatneth some trouble about Religion, also day mage or loss by merchandising, or trading intoso and judge mischief or damage from thence.

Mid-Heaven to the Terms of Jupiter.

This Direction imports love and good will from any Jupiter persons of what office or quality soever; talfo sheweth the natives thriving according unto

The Mid-Heaven to the Body of Mars.

whether in learning, trade or profession, it shewes This Direction stirs up the wrath of Kings, and great advance thereby; and unto Kings, Prince, then in highest power and authority whatsoever, or highest men in power, it showeth renewing of specially marshallist against the native; if Mars be Leagues and Friendship, access unto a Kingdom; a lord of the eighth in the Radix, it oft-times produceth untimely death by sentence of men martial, otherwise by the King's displeasure; it sheweth The Mid-Heaven to the Quartile or Opposition of Junishment or imprisonment, also great loss in etate and reputation, especially if Mars be ill dig-Hied in the Radix, and Lord of the ascendant, se-This Direction imports loss and detriment of fond, tenth or eleventh Houses, or Lord of Part casioned by Law-suits, or by any Office or Imploy of Fortune; if Mars be reasonably well dignified,

Mid-Heaven to the Trine or Sextile of Mars.

This Direction imports good will and love from reign Countries, or by travelling any far journeys partial men of the highest degree; as also from Observe of what House Jupiter is Lord, or placed in lings, Princes, and principal Governors, it shewth thriving, in any office, trade, or profession, cpecially in military Affairs, or by dealing in maral Commodities; it's an excellent time to begin of Mul Indertake any military imployment. Mid

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Mid-Heaven to the Quartile or Opposition of Mars

minion in the eighth or fourth Houses, it throughent. eneth death or imprisonment by publick accusations it sometimes sheweth troubles about coining Mid-Heaven to the Quartile or Opposition of the Sun. counterfeiting of money; if the native be a King or eminent Commander, it sheweth Mutinies, U him.

Mid-Heaven to the Terms of Mars.

This Direction inclineth the native unto

Mid-Heaven to the Body of the Sun.

This Direction importeth unto the native his esteem, and good respect from Kings, Princes, at persons of Honour: it oft-times confers on the tive an office, or place of great profit and honou

Mid-Heaven to the Trine or Sextile of the Sun.

This Direction threatens many mischiefs to be This Direction promiseth unto the native some fal the native, as loss of honor, liberty and effice or honourable imployment by gift from the state, disrespects from Kings, and men of highering, or some eminent man in power; it sheweth power: the native will be subject unto quarrel ove from any solar person of what rank and quality loss and damage by thieves and robbers, sometime bever, it argueth a rising unto great honour, and when Mars is ill dignissed in the Radix, or hath the laying of a foundation unto eminent preserving in the eighth or fourth Houses, it there is no product the state of the state

This Direction imports wrath and enmity from roars, or discontented Subjects or Soldiers und Kings and Nobles, loss of honour, office and elate; it threatens destruction many ways unto both the natives person and estate: if the Sun be ill guified in the Radix, and Lord of the eighth, ourth, or twelfth Houses, it threat'neth impriconment, and sometimes death by means of the actions, it sheweth vexations from martial morking, Prince, or principal Officers, damage by fometimes forrow unto, and from the Mother. Fire, and ill success in all his Assairs. In eminent pensnativities it sheweth dislike, and disaffection Into each other: it generally theweth damage and loss by having to do with any solar persons of what account foever.

The Mid-Heaven to the Body of Venus.

This Direction importeth Marriage, other teit sheweth great kindness and love from Solar profit This Direction importeth Marriage, other tesons, of any rank or quality, unto a King, or entitimonies concurring; also it sheweth thriving by
ment person in power: it sheweth justice and love any trade, office or profession: it promiseth love
from his inferiors, sometimes the entrance in from women and Venus-persons, also gain by dealfrom women and Venus-Commodities. Observe of what
any Venus-Commodities.

Mid Heaven to the Terms of Mercury.

It promifeth good fuccess by Learning or Arts, and probability of thriving, love and respects from Clerks, Scholars, or any Mercurial persons.

Mid-Heaven to the Body of the Moon.

If the Moon be well dignified in the Radix, it may happily produce Marriage, if the native be capable thereof, especially much love from semale or Lunary persons; and if she be strong, and have any dignity in the tenth, or is well aspected of the Lord of the tenth, then it may happily produce some office, or eminent imployment; good custom by his trade, if a Tradesman, profit by journeys or voyages. But if she be ill dignified, then judge the contrary unto what is aforesaid.

Mid-Heaven to the Trine or Sextile of the Moon.

This Direction importeth increase of Fortune, love and respect from the generality of people, especially Females; it argueth guilts from semale persons of Note: it also importeth Marriage, and a profitable Voyage beyond Sea; it sheweth gain by his Imployments in any Office or Trade, especially if the Moon be well dignified in the Radix: but if she be weak, then it somewhat lesseneth the good expressed.

Mid-Heaven to the Quartile or Opposition of the Moon.

It sheweth disrespects from the Commonalty, crosses and damage by Women, or any Lunar persons, whether male or female; also by dealing in any Lunar Commodities, be it Fish or Fowl; sometimes it threatens death to the natives Wise, Mother, or Mistress, or some breach of friendship betwixt them; it oft-times sheweth the sentence of some Judge, or eminent person against the native if the Moon be strong in the Radix, it somewhat lessenth the Evils; but if weak and ill dignified, it it augmenteth it. Observe of what House the Moon is Lord, and judge some mischief from thence.

Mid-Heaven to the Cusp of the eleventh House.

This Direction importeth new and eminent Friends, according as the Planets in the Radix are posited therein, or is Lord thereof, judge the Friendship to be according unto the nature and condition of that Planet, as if from the Sun, then from the King; if from Jupiter, then from some eminent Lawyer, Courtier, or Clergy-man: and so of the rest.

Mid-Heaven to the Cusp of the Twelfih House.

This Direction oft-times produces imprisonment, great loss and damage by secret Enemies. Observe what Planets in the Radix are posited therein, or is Lord thereof, especially if ill dgining fied,

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fied, and judge mischief from such persons; it threateneth loss by great Cattle.

Mid-Heaven to the Cusp of the Ascendant.

It imports high esteem, and great gain from a Saturning minent persons; it pointeth out Dignities and Honours according unto the rank and quality of the therein.

The Mid-Heaven is also directed unto fix'd Stars, and so by their Natures, compared with the Planets, judgment is given according unto the Rules before expressed.

The Sun directed unto Promittors.

The Sun to the Body of Saturn.

IT sheweth great Crosses, especially wrath and indignation from Kings, Princes, Nobles, or eminent men in power, and it oft-times causeth Sickness, or some Saturnine Infirmities, as Quartan Agues, and melancholy Distempers, cold Rheums, and such like.

The Sun to the Trine or Sextile of Saturn.

It produceth honour and high esteem from such who are in great power, or from an ancient Gentle man,

An Introduction to Astrology. 249, man, it inclineth the native unto gravity; it inclines thriving by Husbandry, or repairing ancient buildings, sometimes casually an inheritance befall-

eth the native; it imports love and respects from any Saturnian persons, also gain by dealing in any Saturnine Commodities or Mines, especially, if Saturn be Lord of the tenth or sourth, or posited:

The Sun to the Quartile or Opposition of Saturn.

It imports some desects in the right eye, also Saturnine Infirmities, some danger by falls, it sheweth ill success by dealing in Husbandry, or having to do with Saturnine persons, damage and loss by Cattle, travelling either by Sea or Land, especially if Saturn hath any relation unto the twelfth House; it sometimes sheweth discord between the native and his Father.

The Sun to the Terms of Saturn.

This Direction oft-times causeth the native to be somewhat Saturnine; if Saturn be well dignified in the Radix, it produceth gain by Husbandry, Cattel, or by dealing in Saturnine Commodities. But if Saturn be ill dignified, then judge damage and loss by dealing as aforesaid.

The Sun to the Conjunction of Jupiter.

It imports health, increase of wealth, honour and preferment by office, or otherwise according that the capacity of the native; if a Student in Divinity,

vinity, it sheweth Ecclesiastick Preferment; or is towards the Law inclined, it sheweth great advance thereby; it sheweth love and kindness from Kings, Princes, or Nobles; it importeth love from any Jupiter-persons. As to a King, or eminent man in power, it sheweth unity and love between him and his Subjects, or a renovation of Treaties for peace.

The Sun to the Trine or Sextile of Jupiter.

This Direction imports high preferment by office, command or trust, according unto the capacity of the native, love from all Jupiter-persons, Lawyers, or Clergy-men, with increase of wealth; it sometimes importeth a Son, or that the native may receive comfort from his Son; it also significant health of body and chearfulness.

The Sun to the Quartile or Opposition of Jupiter.

This Direction imports hatred and difrespects from Lawyers, and Clergy-men, and all sorts of Jupiter-persons; it sheweth discord between a King and his Subjects, or men in great power, and their Inseriors; it sometimes produces such Griess or Insirmities which Jupiter causeth.

The Sun to the Terms of Jupiter.

It causeth a Jovial and contented mind, increase of honor and esteem from Jupiter-persons.

The Sun to the Body of Mars.

This Direction oft-times stirs up in the native such distempers which Mars causeth, as Fevers, access of Choler, Head-ach with some defect in the eyes; it also imports dangers by Cuts and Wounds by Iron, Fires and Scalds; also damage by Soldiers, Thieves and Robbers: and if Mars be ill dignissed in the Radix, and Lord of the eighth, twelsth, or sourth, it oft-times portends a violent death; in moist signs, especially in Scorpio, it sheweth the Bloody Flux, or a pestilential Fever. But if Mars be strong in the Radix, it may produce much good, and bring honor and preserment to the native.

The San to the Trine or Sextile of Mars.

It imports great love and respects from martial Men, also preferment unto some Office, or place of Command in a martial way; it much inclines the native unto military Exercise, and to be magnanimous; it sheweth gists and rewards from Kings, or men in great power.

The Sun to the Quartile or Opposition of Mars.

This Direction threatens the native with some martial Disease or Infirmity, as Fevers pestilential, excess of Choler and Blood corrupted; it sheweth danger by Fires, Wounds and Scalds, ill success in Assairs, danger by Thieves and Robbers, ill having to do with martial Men, or to deal in martial Assairs; if Mars be Anarcta, or Lord of the eighth,

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or fourth Houses in a Climacterical Year, it imports death, or great danger thereof.

The Sun to the Terms of Mars.

It inclineth the native to be of a martial Disposition, and subject unto rash Actions, and a Feverish Distemper.

The Sun to the Body of Venus.

Mirth; Musick, Banqueting, Dancing, and all manner of Venus-Delights; it causeth the native to delight in Female Company, Wooing and Marriage, if capable; it imports content and thriving in any office, trade or profession, and gain by dealing in Venus-Commodities, especially if well dignified in the Radix: but if ill dignisied, then it stirs up the native unto ungodly Lusts, and waste of his Estate by keeping ill company.

The Sun to the Trine or Sextile of Venus.

This Direction importeth thriving, and good esteem from any Venerial person, whether male or female; it also sheweth the obtaining of some of since or eminent preferment, it sheweth good esteem in the world, sometimes it importeth marriage, of the having a Child that year. Generally it importeth Content, thriving, and good success in all his Assairs.

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The Sun to the Quartile or Opposition of Venus.

This Direction importeth scandal and bad success by dealing with Women, or any Venus persons, whether male or semale, it's a bad time to woo it sheweth both in esteem and estate; sometimes it produceth Venerial Diseases and Surfeits, occasioned by keeping ill company.

The Sun to the Terms of Venus.

It incites the native unto mirth and all Venerial Delights, as Musick, Dancing, Banqueting, merry Esports and Female Company.

The Sun to the Body of Mercury.

It imports much business and delight in reading and merchandising; it sheweth love from Clerks and Scholars, also imployments about Embassages or Messages, and is much esteemed for his Learning and Wit; it sheweth some prejudice by false Witness, Thieves, and Cheaters, damage by Law-suits and Controversies; it sometimes produceth Mercurian Instrmities; if Mercury be strong in the Radix, the evil is lessened, but if weak, increased.

The Sun to the Trine or Sextile of Mercury.

This Direction imports love and respects from Lawyers and Clergy-men; also it prenoteth preferment by Learning, especially in Law and Divinity, it imports much business about Accounts, buy-

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buying or felling of Books, or such Commodities which he dealeth in.

The Sun to the Quartile or Opposition of Mercury.

It imports both loss in estate and estimation, some crosses about Accounts or Bargains, or in his Office or Imployment; it stirs up many accusations occasioned by the natives rash and sudden ill Actions; it sheweth hatred from Clerks and Scholars and any Mercurial persons; it sometimes produceth Mercurial Instrmities: if Mercury be strong in the Radix, it consirmets the good, and lessenth the evils but if weak and unfortunate it lesseneth the good, and increaseth the evils.

The Sun to the Terms of Mercury.

It inclineth the native to be Mercurial, given to study Arts and Sciences, and to delight in reading, and to follow his Calling with chearfulness.

The Sun to the Body of the Moon.

This Direction inclineth the native to travel, fometimes it produceth Marriage: if the Moon of strong in the Radix, happily it may produce some office or place of gain; but if she be weak, expect the contrary, it causeth the native to abound with slegmatick humors, with some disturbance in the head and stomach, also some desection the eyes.

The Sun to the Trine or Sextile of the Moon.

Is produceth love and favour from eminent women in power; it sometimes produces marriage unto a rich wise, it sheweth love and respects from the common people, and increase of Friendship; if the native be a Courtier, he may happily be employed in some Embassage or Message into soreign parts for the Queen, or some eminent great Lady.

The Sun to the Quartile or Opposition of the Moon,

It imports difrespects from the Queen, or Woman in great power, and also from the common people, a bad time to woo, or to have suits unto women; it sometimes produceth discord between the native and his wife, or women; it sheweth damage by travel, or by his trade or office, it inclines the native unto bad courses, it oft-times produces sicknesses, as sore eyes, Measles and Lunar Distempers, and as the Moon in the Radix is strong or weak, so it increaseth or mitigateth the evils mentioned.

The Sun to the Dragon's Head.

It sheweth promotion by eminent men in power, and that he shall be well accepted by them. The Dragon's Head is of the nature of the Fortunes.

The Sun to the Dragon's Tail.

It sheweth direspects from men in power, and danger of poison, or some pestilential grief, loss

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It inclineth the native to travel by Sea or Land; and so according as the House is well or ill aspected the journey will prove.

The Sun to the Tenth House.

It importeth Honor, and honourable Imployments from the King, or some eminent man in But if the Cusp of the House be great power. unfortunated, judge the contrary.

The Sun to the Eleventh House.

It produceth eminent Friends, especially such who are of the King's Court.

The Sun to the Twelfih House.

It importeth thriving and profit by great Cattle

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The Moon directed unto Promittors.

The Moon to the Body of Saturn.

THis Direction oft-times produceth Saturnian Infirmities, regard much be bed nd House wherein they are joyned; it denotes alleaspersions, discords and disrespects from emitent men in power; it also causeth melancholy thoughts; it sheweth damage and loss by great Catle, secret enemies, or Witches, by reason Saturn But if Saturn be well s exalted in the twelfth. dignified in the Radix, it lesseneth the evils; if unfortunate, it increaseth.

The Moon to the Trine or Sextile of Saturn.

It sheweth unity and respects from any Saturnian the sun pe in dignified in the Radix, Bersons of what degree soever; it generally productive mischief from pretended eminent Friends geth love from ancient men and women; it inclipeth the native to build, plant and repair ancient judgment is given according unto the nature of the bonds, and make Water-courses, to keep a great Star, by the same rule, as when directed unto Plantones, and make Water-courses, to keep a great Star, by the same rule, as when directed unto platfock of Cattle, it imports thriving by dealing in any Saturnian Commodities; if Saturn be strong in the Radix, it augmenteth the good; but if weak, it lesseneth.

The Moon to the Quartile or Opposition of Saturn,

It inclineth the native to be melancholy, and un-

to Saturnian Infirmities; it sheweth ill by dealing in Husbandry, and differences and disrespects from any Saturnian persons, whether Nobles or Clowns damage and loss by ill Tenants, or by dealing in Husbandry, or any Saturnine Commodities, vexue with ancient men and women, crossed with his Wise if she be under Saturn or the Moon; it generally sheweth loss by Land or Sea, and dangers by Thieves, and falls from Horses, or hurts by sour footed Beasts, we must take notice whether Saturn be strong or weak in the Radix, if strong, it dimensions the evils, if weak, it addeth.

The Moon unto the Terms of Saturn.

It causeth the native to be sad, and silled with Saturnian thoughts, and melancholy Distempers

The Moon to the Body of Jupiter.

It imports increase of Estate and Honor, healt of Body, it promiseth good success in long Journeys or Voyages at Sea; if the ninth House be natificted in the Radix, or at the time when therefects should operate; it sheweth preferment inspiritual or temporal Courts; it sheweth love from Jovial persons: and as to Kings, or eminent mentioned great power, it sheweth unity betwixt him at those under him.

The Moon to the Trine or Sextile of Jupiter.

It imports eminent preserment with increase Estate and Honor, love from all Jupiter-person

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to Saturnian Infirmities; it sheweth ill by dealing whether Lawyers or Divines, or others under the Dominian of Jupiter; it also sheweth health and in Husbandry, and differences and disrespects from Dominian of Jupiter; it also sheweth health and contentedness with good success in long Journies, any Saturnian persons, whether Nobles or Clowns or Voyages at Sea, especially if the ninth House be damage and loss by ill Tenants, or by dealing not afflicted.

The Moon to the Quartile or Opposition of Jupiter.

It imports differences and difrespects from Lawyers and Clergy-men, some troubles and losses about
his Affairs and Dealings, oft times it produceth
troubles about Religion; it sheweth bad travelling
by Sea or Land. Not good to deal with Jupiterpersons, or in Jupiter Commodities, sometimes it
produceth such Distempers which Jupiter causeth,
especially if Jupiter be Lord of the sixth eighth,
or twelfth Houses in the Radix.

The Moon to the Terms of Jupiter.

It inclines the native unto a Jovial Temper, it argueth health and increase of Estate.

The Moon to the Body of Mars.

It imports the native to be subject unto such Distempers which Mars causeth, having regard unto the sign where the Conjunction happens; it threat'neth danger and loss by Thieves and Robbers, hurts by Weapons and Iron Instruments, or Engines, it inciteth the native to quarrel, and to commit rash actions; it sheweth hurts by venemous Creatures, or Bites of Dogs, and some danger by four sooted Beasts, and by Fire, bad dealing with S 3

The Moon to the Trine or Sextile of Mars.

It inclineth the native unto martial actions, and to be conversant and well respected of martial men; it importeth credit, honor and profit by martial Affairs, or by dealing in martial Commodities; it also sheweth thriving in any trade, office or profession which the native follows. It also produceth love and respects from eminent men in power and command, in regard Mars is Confignificator of the tenth House: and as Mars is well or ill dignifed in the Radix, so will the natives good be increased or lessened.

The Moon to the Quartile or Opposition of Mars.

This Direction oft-times produceth such D Radix, it sheweth hatred and difrespects from Solo cord. diers, and martial men, also difference with h Wife or Women; it theweth danger by Thieve and Robbers, hurts and wounds by Iron or Wes

An Introduction to Astrology. or those under them; and according as Mars is strong or weak, so is the evil increased or diminished.

The Moon to the Terms of Mars.

It causeth the native to be martially inclined. But if Mars be ill dignified, it incites the native unto choler and rash actions.

The Moonto the Body of the Sun.

This Direction, if the Sun be well dignified in the Radix, or is hileg, or Lord of the Nativity; may produce love and favor from Kings, or eminent men in power or command; it sheweth some preferment unto office or honor, it imports a wife, or desire thereuuto; also love from the Father with a desire to travel, and gain thereby, always provided the Sun is well dignified in the Radix. But if ill dignified, judge the contrary, with some defect in the eyes, and danger of some Solar Infirmities or Distempers, As to a King, Prince, or great man stempers and Infirmities which Mars causeth, having power, if the Sun be strong in their Genesis, it ving regard to the sign where the Moon was in the argneth unity; but if weak, then it sheweth dis-

The Moon to the Trine or Sextile of the Sun.

It imports love and favor from Kings, Princes, dogs, or venemous Creatures, danger by fire, and or eminent Men in power, also the injoyment of or eminent Men injoyment cords and diflikes between them and their Subjects and great gain by travelling, or by dealing in Solar Commodities, Commodities, Commodities, also love from Solar persons, whe ther poor or rich; it generally importeth gain by any office or imployment, whether in Court or Country; also the native may expect much friend thip from eminent Courtiers, or Kings Favorites: as to Kings and eminent men in power it theweth renovation of Leagues.

The Moon to the Quartile or Opposition of the Sun.

This Direction imports discord and dislike between the native and some of his eminent Friends, difrespects from all Solar persons of any rank or quality. Generally it sheweth no love or good will from the natives Superiors; it sometimes produceth some defects in the eyes, and Solar Grieß or Infirmities, having regard to the Signs where the Sun and Moon was in the Radix. Unto Kings and Nobles it sheweth dislike between them and their Inferiors.

The Moon to the Body of Venus.

The native is healthful, and delighteth in female Company, together with Feafting, Dancing, Mefick and Interludes; it imports great love from Women and all Venus-people, sometimes it produceth Marriage, and if Venus be strong in the Ra dix, the native shall gain much by women, or by dealing in Venus-Commodities. But if Venus be ill dignified in the Radia, then it oft-times produceth Venerian Infirmities, Crosses and much Expences about Women without profit.

The Moon to the Trine or Sextile of Venus.

It importeth generally love from women, and the natives Children; it oft-times produceth marriage to the natives content, it sheweth health and prosperity in all his Affairs, of what occupation soever, he shall have gain by dealing in Venus-Commodities; also it sheweth love and respects from all Venus-persons, whether male or female.

The Moon to the Quartile or Opposition of Venus.

This Direction sheweth disrespects from women, and Venus-persons, damage and loss by dealing in Venus-Commodities, a bad time to woo; it ofttimes produceth discord between the native and his wife, or some female acquaintance; it many times causeth Venerian Distempers, or Infirmites, especially if Venus be Lady of the fixth, weighth, or twelfth Houses; it stirreth up in the native an earnest desire after Women, but it turns to his great loss, damage and vexation.

The Moon to the Terms of Venus.

It inclineth the native unto Mirth, Musick, Dancing, Banqueting, and to participate much of the qualities and conditions of Venus.

The Moon to the Body of Mercury.

It inclines the native unto subtil and deceitful actions, as to ftealing, cheating, forg ry of writings, tings, Bonds and Deeds, it produceth much business about Accounts and Merchandising: and if Merchandising: and if Merchandising: be Lord of the sixth, eighth, or twelfth Houses; it oft-times produceth such Distempers and Instructives which Merchand causeth. But if Merchand well dignisited in the Radix, it sheweth good success and advance by Learning and Arts, and love and respects from any Merchand persons, Clerks and Scholars, gain by bargains, or by any Imployments, whether at Sea or Land.

The Moon to the Trine or Sextile of Mercury.

It sheweth love and respects from Clerks and Scholars, or any Mercurial persons, it imports much business, and good success in any Art, Office or Imployment, gain by Bargains, Merchandising and Travel by Sea or Land; if the native be capable, it imports imployment by being an Embassador, Messenger, or Secretary of State, it inclines the native to be active and studious and industrious in Assairs.

The Moon to the Quartile or Opposition of Mercury.

It imports ill success in Assairs, and disrespects from all Mercurial persons, some troubles about Accounts, Bargains, Law-suits, or Writings; it inclineth the native unto evil actions, as cheating, sorgery of Writings, Deeds or Bonds; sometimes it produceth such Instrmities which Mercury causeth if Mercury be ill dignissed in the Radix, the Evils in grease; it well dignissed, the Evils are Iessened.

The Moon to the Terms of Mercury.

It inclines the native unto Mercurial Actions; and according as Mercury is well or ill dignified in the Radix, so will the doings of the native correspond.

The Moon unto the Dragon's Head.

It sheweth a thriving year, healthfulness, and an increase of estate with estimation.

The Moon unto the Dragon's Tail.

It oft-times produceth martial Diseases, as Small Pox, Measles, or some poysonous Grief, sometimes it causeth Saturnine Infirmities; also it sheweth discord and disrespects with and from Martial and Saturnine persons; it sometimes produceth hurts by falls, weapons, stinging or biting of venemous Creatures.

The Moon directed unto the Twelve Houses.

The Moon to the First House.

I Thirreth up in the native such humors, qualities, or infirmities which are agreeable unto the nature of any six'd Star of Note, which is near the Cusp.

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The Moon is also directed unto fix'd Stars, for which I shall refer the Reader unto the Table following.

The Part of Fortune is also directed unto Promittors.

The Part of Fortune to the Body of Saturn,

His Direction, if Saturn be Lord of the second or tenth, and well dignified, importeth gain by dealing in any Saturnine Commodities, also by building, repairing, planting, or having to do with Saturnine persons. But if ill dignified, judge the contrary.

The Part of Fortune to the Trine or Sextile of Saturn.

It sheweth increase of Estate by aged persons, Husbandry, Building, or Repairing of old Houses, also by Mines of Coals or Lead, or by dealing in great Cattle.

The Part of Fortune to the Square or Opposition of Saturn.

It importeth damage and loss by dealing in Husbandry, building or planting, or by dealing with Saturnine men, or in Saturnine Commodities.

The Part of Fortune to the Conjunction, Trine, or Sextile of Jupiter.

It importeth good success in all the natives Affairs, and by Jovial persons.

The Part of Fortune to the Quartile or Opposition of Jupiter.

It sheweth loss and damage by, or from Jovial persons, or by office or profession.

The Part of Fortune to the Trine or Sexuile of Mars.

It sheweth gain by, or from martial men, or martial imployments, or by dealing in martial Commodities.

The Part of Fortune to the Conjunction, Quartile or Opposition of Mars.

It imports loss of estate by Fire, Thieves, Robbers, Quarrels, or Law-suits.

Part of Fortune to the Conjunction of the Sun.

It sheweth waste of estate by prodigality. But if the Sun be fortunate in the Radix, and Lord of Part of Fortune, the second or tenth House, it imports gain by, and from Solar persons, or by dealing in Solar Commodities.

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It imports increase of Estate by Jovial and Vene yial persons.

The Part of Fortune to the Dragon's Tail.

It sheweth damage by Fire, Soldiers, or by martial Employments.

The Part of Fortune is also directed unto fix'd Stars, for which you must apply unto the Table following.

The Part of Fortune is also directed unto the Twelve Houses.

The Part of Fortune to the First House.

T sheweth increase of Wealth by the Native 1 own industry.

The Part of Fortune to the Second House.

This Direction sheweth increase of movable Goods and Housholdstuff.

The Part of Fortune to the Third House.

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This Direction importeth success in short Journies, or from Kindred or Neighbours.

The Part of Fortune to the Fourth House.

It importeth profit by good Husbandry, planting or building.

The Part of Fortune to the Fifth House.

It sheweth gain by Messages or Gifts, also prosit to his Children.

The Part of Fortune to the Sixth House.

It importeth gain by dealing in small Cattle, also profit by good fervants.

The Part of Fortune to the Seventh House.

It sheweth gain from women, or familiar acquaintance.

The Part of Fortune to the Eighth House.

It imports gain by Wills, Legacies, or by obtaining his Wifes portion.

The Part of Fortune to the Ninth House.

It shows gain by long Journies, or Voyages, or The by Church Matters. The

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## The Use of the Table.

F any of the five Hilegical Places are in Conjun-Ation with any of those fix'd Stars before-mentioned, or when they are directed unto Promittors, if the Promittor be near unto Conjunction with any fix'd star, or when the Ascendant or Midtable fix'd Star, then according unto the nature of that Star, by comparing with the Planets of the face o 13 19/3 h Promittor who is in Conjunction with any notable T 4.

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How to Erect a Figure aright for the time of Birth, that so the true Ascendant may be obtained, according unto Sign and Degree.

Find that the opinion of most Astrologians, is that in what Sign and Degree the Moon was in at the time of Conception, that very fign and degree, or the Sign opposite unto it, must be the proper Afcendant at the birth; and fo by account a cording unto the usual time that the Child dot remain in the Womb, the Ascendant is framed.

The way by me used is as followeth: When any one defires to have the Nativity of a Child calcula ted, the time of birth being given, then if the fign and degrees afcending according unto the time given, compared with the Lord of the Hour, doth demonstrate the Figure to be radical, and that the Moles, Marks, Shape and Sex doth correspond, then according unto the Rules hereafter expressed one may fafely give judgment; but if otherwise then take the nearest radical Figure according unto the estimate time given; and if possible, let the

fix'd Star, then if the Star and Promittor be both same sign at the estimate given ascend, provided of one nature, it causeth the Direction or Transithat the Moles, Marks, Shape and Sex doth accord. to operate the more forcible: but if the Star and The time of birth is oft-times hastened or retarded, Promittor be of contrary natures, then it somewhat however Clocks of Watches may fail, wherefore abateth or altereth the Effect of the Direction, as should we not vary the Ascendant as aforesaid, there could be no certain judgment given: the moles and marks of the body are taken from the fign and degrees ascending on the Cusp of the Horoscope, and likewise from the Cusp of the sixth House, and the ligns where their Lords are, and likewise of the Moon. By this way I proved my own nativity, finding that it did exactly concur, and agree, having made proof thereof, by several accidents compared with Directions and yearly Revolutions.

## Another way to rectifie the Ascendant.

The best and most assured way extant, especially if the native have lived some years, is to rectifie the Ascendant by accidents, especially such which have happened to the body, comparing the time of the accident with the time allotted, by directing the Ascendant unto the Promittor, allowing for every degree a year, until the Partil Aspect by account is to happen.

## The Practice followeth.

Having either from the birth, or by accidents fitted your Ascendant, without which no true judgment can be given: then from the degrees on the Culp of the first and tenth Houses, and likewise from the places of the Sun, Moon and Part of Fortune, directed unto Promittors, judgment is given con-

An Introduction to Astrology. cerning the Accidents and Casualties of the natives concernment the degrees on the Cusps of the first whole life, with the time when each accident willin and tenth House are, as being in the Terms of any probability happen. Note that every degree of the planet which you may find in the effects of Dire-Ascendant, Mid-Heaven or tenth House doth by stions before going, these things being premised, account answer unto a year; and so by adding one I shall proceed. degree yearly unto the Cusp of the Ascendant and Mid-Heaven, we must observe what Planet doth by any Partil Aspect answer unto it, or fix'd Star, is of viz. the Ascendant, Mid Heaven, Sun, Moon, and any Note, and thereby give judgment of the events Part of Fortune directed unto Promittors, with of that year; likewise we must yearly observe (by adding one degree as aforefaid) what Planets Terms doth answer unto it; if it be the Terms of a Fortune, it promiseth good; if to an infortune, ill; according unto their natures. Note that the Ascendant is directed unto Promittors by the Table of Oblique Ascensions, the Mid-Heaven by the Table Right Ascensions, the Sun, Moon, and Part of Fortune are directed under their respective Circles or Poles of Polition, either by Oblique Ascention or Descension, according as they are posited in the a scending or descending parts of the Heavens, and have the same measure of time as aforesaid. Now that which we call a Promittor, is the Planet or fix'd Star which setteth forth the accident, unto whom any of the five Hilegical places are directed, be it by Conjunction, Sextile, Quartile, Trine or & The Trine and Sextile Aspects usually sheweth good to the native; the Square and Oppositionill: the of sheweth good, when joyned with good Planets; and ill, when joyned with the Infortunes. Those that intend to make practice herein, must frame a Speculum (as shall be shewed in order) and likewise take notice what effects every Aspect produceth, as being directed unto as Promittors, and likewise of the Transits of the Planets, and of what

concernment

First, having by the Rules beforegoing taken notice of the effects of the five hilegical places, the time when each accident will in probability hap-

pen, which must be kept as a Reserve.

Then in the next place we must yearly set a Revolutional Figure, according unto the time of the Sun's return unto his place in the Radix, or the nearest unto it, provided that the Ascendant doth exactly agree with that at the birth; for let the Sun come to his place in the Radix at midnight, and the proper Ascendant of the Native be at noon twelve hours sooner or later, yet that shall not alter one day in the falling out of the accident, in giving judgment this way by a Revolutional Figure. regard the time of each accident falleth out according unto the Planets motions, aspecting the five hilegical places, be it by transit or otherwise; which is not considerable, in regard the Effects doth usually operate, both before and after the Aspect, or time allotted by Direction from the Nativity.

The most assured way whereby to calculate any ones Nativity, as I have found by good experience, is wholly to depend upon the Revolutional Figure, both concerning the Natives Affairs, as having to do with others; and likewise concerning the Accidents or Casualties belonging unto his Body, and the time when each accident shall happen. Neither can I find any certainty in any other way in my pra-

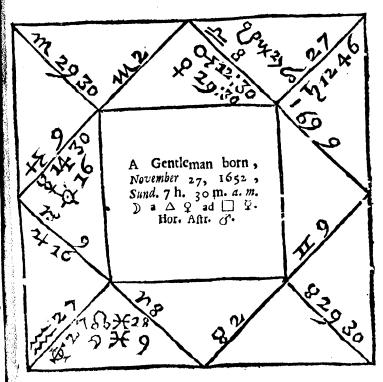
ctice: for let one be never so exact in Directions from the birth. But any rational if they are contradicted by Transits, Revolutions man must needs think, that where Directions taken Profections and contrary Influences of Planets from the birth doth co-operate with revolutional working at the time allotted, it produceth noal figures, it will cause the effects to work the strongfured effects; neither doth Revolutional Figure er, and the Artist may with the more considence set according unto the time of the Sun's return unto give judgment, and be confirmed therein. Now the his place in the Radix, work any assured effects, it way of giving judgment by a Revolutional Figure, crossed by Directions, Transits and Profections: according unto the Planets, Transits and Motional neither doth, or can profectional Figures work any Aspects, is the same in effect, as by Directions taassured effects, if crossed by Directions, Transit, ken from the Birth. Note that in every Revolutional Parties of the Parties and Revolutions, all which being considered, any mal Figure the Sun keeps his place in the Zodiack as rational man must needs think the way of my pra- at the birth, but all other Planets and the Part of Aice herein, must needs be the most assured way; Fortune varies, and are set according, as you find for notwithstanding any Directions taken from the them, and all the seven Planets are as Promittors Birth, or whatsoever is adjudged by any Revolutio funto the Ascendant and Mid-Heaven by their motional or Profectional Figures; yet you see, if crossed nal Aspects; and Saturn, Jupiter, Mars, Venus, by contrary Influences of the Planets, working at Mercury and Luna unto the place of the Sun, and the time allotted, the effects cometh to nought the Sun, Saturn, Jupiter, Mars, Venus and Mercury And in Decumbitures of fick persons you shall always find the Disease by the Moon, the Ascendant, fixth House, or their Lords afflicted, especially in acute Discases, what ever Directions from the buttle doth shew; I find by good experience that the Ke volutional Figure fet as aforefaid, in making the A feendant exactly to agree with that at the birth, is the most assured way extant, and is the way by me practifed, wherein each Planet shall be Promitton unto the five Hilegical Places by their motions and transits through the Zodiack; and at the day and time when any Planet by motion doth bear any A spect unto those hilegical places, that shall be the day and time when the accident will in all probable lity happen. By this way having obtained the proper Ascendant, I have usually set forth the accept dents of the whole year, without taking notice of

unto the place of the Moon, and all the seven Planets unto the Part of Fortune. But especial regard must be had unto the Lord of the Ascendant, or Almuten of the Figure; for as he is aspected of any Aspect, be the Aspect good or evil, it shall much concern the native; for (as I have elsewhere expressed) the Lord of the Ascendant or Almuten of the Figure shall be of principal concernment in the natives actings or actions, as having to do with others; notwithstanding the ascendant chiefly concerns the Accidents or Casualties appertaining unto the Body; for should the Native visit, or have bufiness with any Kinsman, Friend or others, when their Significators are either good or bad aspected, without doubt they will accord accordingly; and so Quartile or Opposition Aspects for the most part produceth Wrangling and Discord, whereas the Conjunction, Sextile and Trine Aspects, produced friendship, and friendly Conclusions.

Concerning the Aspells of the Planets.

There are generally but five Aspects used, as being of any force in Nativities, viz. Conjunction, Sextile, Quartile, Trine, Opposition; but particularly in case of Decumbitures, and sometimes in directions from the birth, and sometimes the Semi-Sextile, or Semi Quadrate are used: the First being the Part of Love, the other of Enmity: and upon a Critical or Judicial Day, if the Fortunes do interpose their Semi-sextile Aspect, although that time depart; and contrariwise, if the Insortunes do interpose their Semi quadrate at the same time the sick doth oft-times depart. But as concerning any other Aspects by some Astrologers mention'd, I find them of no force.

For the better Explanation of what is and forefaid, I here set down my Calculation of a Gentleman's Nativity, as followeth.



The person of the Native is described by the sign Sagittary ascending, viz. one of a fair stature, strong and well composed, face oval, but sull and stelled,

he Sprculum, or Table: shewing in what Sign and Degree each falleth, taken from the five Hilegical Places, and likewise fr

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fleshed, of a sanguine complexion, his hair a fandy The Degrees alcending being the Terms of Venus, gives light hair: the Sun in the Ascendant, in Sextile to Mars, and Semi-fextile to Ju. piter, Lord of the Ascendant, and in Conjunction with Mercury in the Ascendant, sheweth much of his qualities, wit and conditions, viz. one very witty, ingenious, affable, and of wife and fober behaviour, merry and chearful, yet fometimes inclined to cho-The Planet Jupiter is Lord of the Ascen. dant and Geniture, shall concern his actings and actions, as having to do with others,  $\phi c$ .

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The next thing considerable is to frame a Specific lum, and therein to set down the Cusps of the sirlt and tenth Houses, and likewise to place the Sun, Moon, Part of Fortune, Dragon's Head and Dragon's Tail with the other five Planets, in Signs and Degrees as they are at the time of birth in the figure expressed. Note that the Terms of the Planets are found by the Table of Essential Dignities beforegoing.

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# The Use of the foregoing Table.

When any Planet by Motion or Transit doth come unto those places, answering unto the Signs over head, according unto the nature of the Aspell The Conjunction, Trine and judgment is given. Sextile of the Fortunes unto the Cusp of any House, produceth good according unto the nature of the Planet; the Sign and House whereof he is Lord cerument, as shall be shewed in order.

## The Way of Practice followeth.

The first thing considerable is to take notice of the effects of the 5 hilegical places directed unto Promit tors, and likewise of the Planets amongst themselves together with the day and year, when each accident will according unto Rules happen, always observing to direct the Ascendant by the Table of Oblique Ascensions (according unto the Latitude of the place where the native is born) unto Promittors and likewise unto the Cusps of the second and That which is called a Promitton fourth Houses. is the Planet or fix'd star unto which any of the five in the effects of Directions beforegoing, it inclines hilegical places are directed unto. The measure of the native to be studious, apt and willing to learn time is (usually) by allowing for every degree to the native to be studious, apt and willing to learn his

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In the Figure before-going suppose I was minded o direct the Ascendant to the Body of Mercury, pho is in the Ascendant in fourteen degrees, thirty pinutes of the fign Sagittary, which by the Table f Oblique Ascensions for the Latitude of fifty one egrees, thirty two minutes, being according unto he elevation of the Pole Arctick, under which this Vative was born, produceth two hundred eighty our degrees, forty fix minutes, which must be set part by it felf; and next beneath you must fet lown the Oblique Ascension of the Ascendant, anbeing considered; and the Quartile and Opposition wering unto nine degrees in the sign Sagittary, which Aspects, especially of the Infortunes producethes two hundred seventy seven degrees, thirty six mievil, &c. But the Transits of the Planets unto the outes; then substract the one from the other, what Cusps of the Houses are of greatest efficacy and contemains is the Ark of Direction, viz. seven derees, ten minutes.

> The true Oblique Ascension ? of the place of Mercury the Oblique Ascension of the ? place of the Ascendant. The Ark of Direction.

Which being converted into time, allowing for every degres a year, and for every five minutes a nonth, cometh unto seven years, and two months: t which time the native will be subject unto such ccidents as that Direction produceth, as appeareth

his Book, being a Child, he shall also obtain the love of his Master and Fellow-Scholars. had the native been of elder years, it sheweth gain by any office, trade or profession, but more especially preferment by the natives wit and learning, it sheweth love and respects from Clerks and Scholars, gain by bargains; it inclineth the native earnestly to study both Law and Divinity, with some desire to travel especially for gain, or to better himself in Leaning; had Mercury been Lord of the fourth, sixth eighth or twelfth Houses, it might unhappily have produced some Mercurial Instrinities: what those are you may find elsewhere in my Book of Physick.

And as you direct the Ascendant unto Promittors by the Table of Oblique Ascensions, so you must direct the Mid-Heaven by the Table of Right Ascensions, the Sun, Moon, and Part of Fortune by their Circles of Politions and Oblique Ascensions of Descensions, and so likewise the Planets amongst themselves, all which Directions must be orderly fet down according unto the year, month and day which the accident by account is to happen. being kept as a referve, will be useful whereby to compare with the natives yearly revolutional Fgures; for when by the revolutional Figure any Accident or Casualty is by account to happen, be ing compared with Directions, if they accord, it will cause the effects to operate the more forcible and the Artist may with the greater confidence give judgment therein. But I find it not safe to confide only in giving judgment by the effects of the five hilogical Places directed unto Promittors; for ex cept they accord with yearly revolutional Figures they work no affired effects, especially if crossed by the contrary influences of the Planets, working

at the time allotted, as is before expressed. Now in Revolutional Figures there can be no fuch uncertaidty, by reason, in this way of giving judgment wherein each Plan. by his motion doth transit, or bear any Aspect unto the five hilegical places, or unto each other amongst themselves, that is the very day and time when the accident by account is to happen: and as at the time of Decumbitures of sick persons, Mikewile when the narive falls fick, or is any way afficted in his body, the Afcendant, fixth House, their Lords, or Moon afflicted, thall discover the grief with its cause and termination, as I have sufficiently expressed in my Book of Physick; and this without taking notice of any Direction from the birth: likewise if the native be crossed in his Affairs or dealings with others. It may easily be discovered by the Lord of the Ascendant, or Almuten of the Figure, as being in Quartile or Oppolition unto inimical Planets for the time being. have sufficiently treated already.

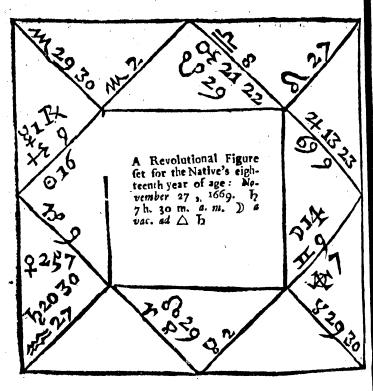
Reader according unto my usual way of Practice, how to erect and give judgment by a yearly Reversion

lutional Figure as followeth.

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A Revolutional Figure set for the Natives eighteenth year of age, shewing what Accidents are like to befal the Native in that year.



This Figure was fet for the nearest time of the Sun's return unto his place in the Radix; and is placed therein according as at the time of birth, at so the Cusps of the Houses are placed according unto the Figure at the birth; but all the Planets (exAn Introduction to Astrology. 297

cept the Sun ) are placed in Signs and Degrees, according as we find them for the time being, as also

Part of Fortune, Dragon's Head and Tail.

In this way of giving judgment by a Revolutional Figure, as I have already declared, the five hilegical places, shall be as Promittors unto the motional Aspects of the Planets; and when by an Ephemeris you find! that the Planets do bear any Aspect unto those hilegical places, that shall be the day and time when the accident shall happen; and herein judgment is given in effect according as when those five hilegical places are directed Now to the end that we reaunto Promittors. dily find in what place of the Zodiack each Aspect will happen, I have framed a Speculum or Table as followeth.

Note also that when the Planets do transit the Cusp of any House, or bear any Aspect unto the Cusp of any House herein, judgment must be given according unto the nature of the Aspect and Planet; and herein the Conjunction, Quartile or Opposition of the Infortunes unto the Cuip of any House are all evil in effect, as the o, a, or \* Aspect of the Fortunes are all good in effect, and doth produce good or evil accidents to befal the native according unto their natures and fignifications of the Houses whereof they are Lords, and sometimes the infortunes when they are in friendly aspects may be fortunate, and the Fortunes when in bad Aspects may be unfortunate. But of this I shall say more

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Th Use of the Fore-going Table.

The use of this Table is the same in effect as if we were to direct the five hilegical places unto Promittors; only by this way in giving judgment by a Revolutional Figure, the Conjunctions and effects of the Planets unto those places and Cusps of the Houses are caused by their motions, and may be taken forth of an Ephemeris for the year in question. Note that the Cusps of the twelve Houses are already inserted in the before-going Table or Speculum, framed for the native's time of birth, and will serve for the whole course of life. By these Examples the Student may do the like for any other Nativity: and so frame a Speculum yearly for the time of the Sun's return unto his place in the Radix, ot the nearest unto it, that so the Ascendant and Cusps of the other Houses may agree with that taken at the birth.

Some necessary Rules fit for each Pra-Aitioner to know; as followeth.

First of the Transits of the Planets.

7 Hat the Transits of the Planets doth signi fie, as unto the five hilegical places, you may find by the Rules before-going, in the Effects of

The Speculum.

Generally, if either Jupiter, Venus, Solor Luna do transit or bear any friendly aspect unto the Ascendant, Mid-Heaven, or to their own places in the Radix, or in the Revolutional Figure, or to the Lord of the Ascendant, or Almuten of the Figure in the Radix, or Revolutional Figure, those days shall be accounted successful to the native: but if Saturn or Mars doth transit or bear any evil Aspect

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unto those places aforesaid, then those days shall be accounted evil and unfuccessful to the native.

Concerning the Aspects of the Planets unto each other.

Herein the Lords of the Ascendant, second and tenth Houses shall be of greatest concernment, as unto the natives estate, honor and actions; and when any other Planet doth bear any Aspect unto them, then according unto the nature of the Planet and Aspect, considering the Sign and House whereof they are Lords, judgment is given. Example by the Figure, if Mars, who is Lord of the fourth and twelfth Houses, should be in Quartile or Opposition unto Jupiter, Lord of the Ascendant, it sheweth damage to the native by dealing with a martial man, also it sheweth damage according unto the nature of the fourth and twelfth Houses; what those Houses dorn signific you may find elsewhere. And if Mars be in Quartile or Opposition to Saturn, Lord of the second, it imports damage unto his estate; if unto Venus Lady of the tenth, in his honor or profession. But on the contrary, if either the Fortunes or Infortunes bear any friendly aspectunto the Lords of those houses before mentioned, it sheweth good success to the native by dealing with, or having any business to do with them who are signified by those Planets, and likewise by dealing in such Commodities which those Plances owneth.

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Mars to the place of Saturn inclineth the native to be dogged, and given to quarrel, and to neglect his buliness, it threat'neth a wound in his face, and sheweth ill success unto the native, or his Father.

Mars to the place of Jupiter, imports gain by Kindred, Neighbours, or some Clergy-man, or e-

minent Lawyer.

Mars to the place of Sol, sheweth wrath from men in great power, it inclineth the native unto choler, also vex'd by martial men.

Mars to the place of Venus, inclineth the native unto lust, and thereby apt unto Venerian Di-

**Île**afes.

Mars to the place of Mercury, the native will be in danger of trouble by reason of some unadvised

words or speeches.

Mars to the place of the Moon, inclineth the native unto company keeping, and to travel small Journies, slander'd by Women.

#### N U S.

When Venus comes unto her own place in the Radix, which happeneth once a year, all things proceed well, and the native will be delighted in Venussports, and is healthful.

Venus to the place of Saturn, it inclineth the native unto acts of Venus, but not with so much ability of performance; it somewhat inclineth the native

unto melancholy.

Venus to the place of Jupiter, it imports love from Jupiter-persons, profit by the deceased, and increase of Substance.

Venus to the place of Mars, inclineth the native unto An Introduction to 21/1100051.

unto Marriage, and to delight in Female Companys

Venus to the place of Sol, according as the Sun and play. is well or ill dignified in the Radix, judge good or ill from solar persons with preferment.

Venus to the place of Mercury, according as he is well or ill dignified in the Radix, so judge good or bad success in Learning, or by dealing with Mercu-

rial persons.

Venus to the place of the Moon, the native increafeth in new acquaintance, especially with Female and Lunar persons with gain from them.

### MERCURY.

When Mercury returns unto his own place, which is once a year, it sheweth preferment by the natives wit and industry, with respects from Mercurial perfons.

Mercury to the place of Saturn, sheweth gain by

Husbandry, and ancient people.

Mercury to the place of Jupiter, importeth gain by merchandifing, office or trade, or travel, especially if strong in the Radix.

Mercury to the place of Mars, inclineth the na-

tive unto rash actions.

Mercury to the place of Sol, it importeth honor

and profit by learning and industry.

Mercury to the place of Venus, it inclines the native unto Venus-delights; but if the native be a Scholar, unto Poetry.

Mercury to the place of the Moon, inclines the native unto travel, it produceth some Imployments

profitable by friends and acquaintance.

MOON.

#### MOON.

When the Moon cometh unto her own place in the Radix, the portends much good or ill according un-

to what the promiseth at the birth.

Moon to the place of Saturn, sheweth discord in general with Women, and some troubles about Wills or Legacies, increase of acquaintance with old women.

Moon to the place of Jupiter, importeth gain by

Journies or Voyages.

Moon to the place of Mars, it sometimes produceth martial Diseases; it stirreth up Choler and Differences with Women, it sheweth bad travel

ling.

Moon to the place of Sol, imports some troubles whereby inforced to remove from one place to another; it sheweth some defect in the eyes; in a nocturnal geniture it inclineth the native unto magnanimous and honourable actions.

Moon to the place of Venus, inclineth the native

unto Venus delights, and is healthful.

Moon to the place of Mercury, it sheweth gain by office, trade, or industry, also a desire to travel.

Above all we must take notice of the Lord of the Ascendant, or Almuten of the Figure; for when he doth transit the places of other Planets, or other Planets come unto his place, it shall be of greater concernment to the native than any other transit whatfoever, and shall work the more powerful and stronger effects, according unto what is aforesaid. Note

Note that when any of the Planets return unto their own places in the Radix, the effects doth continue no longer in force than their Orbs doth last, and so those effects of the higher Planets, by reason of their flow motion, will continue longer in force than the lower Planets.

# The Way of Practice followeth.

First having by the Figure at birth set down in order such accidents which are in probability to happen in each year, during the Natives life, being taken from the effects of the five hilegical places directed unto Promittors, and from the effects of the Terms which yearly are allotted unto, and from those places, by adding yearly one degree unto their places in the Radix, together with the Lord of the Frydary, and Lord or Almuten of the years revolution. Note, that according unto the natures of those Planets who are Lords of the Frydary, and of the year, will the native be much in-The Lord of the Frydary is thus found out, if the birth be by day, then the Sun rules the first seven years, and Venus the next, Mercury the next, according as they are situate in their Spheres. But if the birth by night, then the Moon rules the first seven years, and Saturn the next, and Jupiter the next, which Planet Jupiter doth according unto this account belong unto the native ever fince his fourteenth year of age, by reason his birth was before the Sun's Rising.

The next thing considerable is (having fram'd a Speculum according unto the Revolutional Figure) to take notice by an Ephemeris, when the Planets by their motions do transit or bear any aspect un-

own places in the Radix, and likewise when they foresaid, wherefore we must take notice, and aldo transit, or bear any aspect unto the hilegical ways remember those Effects caused by the Moch places for that year, or Cusps of the Houses, or (which continueth but a day) shall not make void pass by their own places. pass by their own places, or places of other Plathose grand Aspects caused by the higher Planets, needs or fived Stars of Needs are notice. nets, or fix'd Stars of Note in the Radix, having an especial regard unto the Lord of the Ascendant, and how he is with other Planets aspected, which will be of principal concernment, in regard of the transite or aspects of the Moon, or will be of principal concernment, in regard of the rate with the transits, or aspects of the Moon, or natives having to do with others, as I have eller higher Planets, it causeth the effects to work the where mentioned. the five usual Aspects, by reason of the Moon's quick dence give judgment, as I have already declared. motion, you may find the Accidents which dayly do concern the Native, which being compared with Directions from the birth, when any notable accident is like to befal the native; if they accord, then the Artist may with the more considence give judgment, always adhering unto the time when the Planets by their motions do transit, or make Partil Aspects unto those places before-mentioned. I shall not trouble my self, or Reader, to infert the whole Calculation of this Nativity; but only for one month whereby to instruct the Student herein, and so to acquaint him with my way of practice; for having by one months observation fet down the method used, one may by the same Rule go through with the whole year, and so during life. Note that those Aspects which are caufed by the Moon do not continue in force above twenty four hours, by reason of her quick motion; but those Aspects which are from higher Planets last sometimes a week or two, or more, by reason of the moiety of their Orbs doth continue so long before and after separation, and their Essects shall continue in force to long accordingly, notwith-**Randing** 

to any of those five hilegical places, or unto their standing the Moon may interpose for a day, as a own places in the Paris and all By this way, regarding only stronger, and the Artist may with the more considered

> A Collection of the Transits and Aspects of the Planets, by their motions unto the five hilegical places, and likewise among st themselves, beginning November 27, 1669, and ending December 30, following.

He Moon ad Opposition, place, Solin the Radix, & Opposition Ascendant, & Sol to his place in the Radix. Nov. 27.

The Moon ad Quartile M.C. & Quartile Mars.

Saturnad Sextile Sol, & Sextile Sol in the Radix. Novemb. 29.

Luna ad Trine Sol, & Trine Sol in the Radix. De-December 1.

Luna ad Quartile Ascendant, & Quartile Mercury. Mercury December 3.

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Venus ad Trine Part of Fort. Dec. 7.

Venus ad Trine M.C. Dec. 8.

Venus ad Sextile Ascendant. Dec. 9.

Soliad Sextile Mars, & Mars ad place Venus in Radix. Dec. 10.

Mercury ad Cusp Ascendant & Sextile M. C. cemb. 11.

Mercury ad Trine Luna in the Radix. Dec. 13. Solad Sextile Luna in the Radix. Dec. 15. Mercury ad place Sol in the Radix. Dec. 17.

Mars ad Trine Luna in the Radix. Dec. 18.

Sol ad Cusp second House. Dec. 19.

Opposition, Sol Jupiter. Dec. 20.

Luna ad a M. C. & Trine Saturn, Venus ad Part of Fortune Radix. Dec. 24.

Luna ad Opposition Sol, & Opposition Sol Radix. December 25.

Mercury ad Sextile Part of Fortune Radix, & Solat place Jupiter in the Radix. Dec. 26.

Trine Jupiter and Mars. Dec. 27.

Sextile Venus and Mercury. Dec. 29.

Mercury ad Sextile Luna Radix, Venus ad Conjunction Luna Radix. Dec. 30.

Concerning the Effects of Directions I have already declared, and what they fignified, together with the Planets, Transits and Aspects amongst themselves; yet for the better instructing of the Student herein, I shall for the month before-mention ed insert those Accidents, which are according unto Rules like to befal the native, and may sufficiently instruct the Reader to do the like upon any other Nativity

An Introduction to Astrology. Mercury ad Quartile Luna in the Radix. Decem. Nativity, and so to proceed for the whole year, and during life; for I defire not to trouble the Reader, or my felf, any further than what is needful for the setting forth of my way of practice herein. In regard there is no particular direction taken from the birth to operate this month more than those general Observations which concern the whole year, as followeth. I shall briefly insert them, and so proceed unto those particular judgments which will dayly concern the Natives Body and Attairs.

> The Effects of Directions which concern the whole year, beginning November 29, 1669.

1. The Ascendant in the Radix is directed unto the Terms of Mars. This Direction inclineth the Native unto choler and rash Actions, to be martially inclined, and to delight in martial Affairs.

. The Mid-Heaven by account comes unto the Terms of Mars. It sheweth damage and loss by

rash Actions and martial Exercises.

3. The Mid-Heaven by direction comes unto the Trine of the Part of Fortune, which sheweth increase of wealth by some office, trade, or deal-

4. The Moon being in the Terms of Mars, inclineth the native unto choler and rash actions, and

to be martially inclined.

5. The Sun to the Terms of Venus, incites the native unto mirth, and all Venerial Delights.

6. Jupiter Lord of the Frydary, inclines the Native's temper to be Jovial, and to delight in honest and religious mens company, and fuch persons who are under Jupiter.

An Introduction to Astrology. 314 ry, it might unhappily have produced some Mercurial Distempers.

Venus ad Trine Part of Fortune. Dec. 7.

In the Revolution imports gain from eminent Ladies, and by dealing in Venus-Commodities, or with Venus-persons.

Venus ad Trine M.C. & ad Sextile Ascendant.Dec.8,9.

This Direction imports extraordinary good to the native, as thriving by any office, trade or profession, or by dealing in any Venus-Commodities, it sheweth love and content with, and from all Venuspersons; it oft times produceth marriage, and a Child that year, if Directions from the birth do co-operate.

### Sol ad Sextile Mars. Dec. 10.

In regard that the Sun was strong in the Radix, it imports love and respect from martial men, who are in great power and command, sometimes an office or place of great trust is settled on the native, it would have produced honor and gain by martial Imployments, if not crossed by those general Directions for the year before-mentioned.

This Direction holds in force all this month.

Mercury ad Cusp Ascendant, & Sextile M.C. Decemb. 11.

This Direction inclines the Native unto study, it imports gain by bargains and thriving by the native's wit and industry, love from Scholars, Clerks, or any Mercurial persons, also gain by Messages, Emballages, Accounts, or being Factor for others.

This Direction is in force so long as the Moiety of his Orbs lasteth.

Venus ad Trine Luna in the Radix. Dec. 13.

It sheweth love generally from women, and the native's children; it oft-times produceth marriage to the native's content; it imports health and prosperity in all Affairs, of what occupation soever, and gain by dealing in Venus Commodities, and good esteem by any Venus-persons, whether male or female. This Direction holds in force so long before and after Partil Aspects, as the Moiety of Venus-Orbs doth last: and so of the rest.

Sol ad Sextile Luna in the Radix. Dec. 15.

This Direction imports love, favour and friendthip from eminent men in power, especially where the Moon hath any relation to the native; it sometimes produceth Marriage, and a rich Wife, or Husband, if the native be a Female; also love and respects from the common people, with increase of Friends. If the native be a Courtier, he shall be An Introduction to Astrology.

employed as Embassador or Commissioner for his King or Prince.

Mercury ad place Sol in the Radix. Dec. 17.

It importeth honor and profit by Learning and Industry.

Mars ad Trine Luna in the Radix. Dec. 17.

According as Mars is well or ill dignified, or at the time when the Aspect salleth, so will it add, or diminish the good intended; it inclines the native unto martial actions, and to be conversant with martial men; it sheweth love and respect from eminent martial men in power, gain by martial Exercises, or by dealing in such Commodities which are under Mars, only crossed by Directions for the whole year.

Sol ad Cusp Second House. Dec. 10.

Imports increase of estate by industry.

Sol ad Opposition Jupiter, Lord of the Ascendant. Decemb. 20.

In regard Jupiter is Lord of the Ascendant, this Direction will much concern the native, it will be in force so long as the Moiety of their Orbs doth last; it imports loss of honor and estate by means

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of a Solar Man, or by dealing in Solar Commodities, it imports discord between the Native and his Father, damage and loss by traffick at Sea or Land, perhaps some trouble about Religion; for Sol is Lord of the ninth, a bad time to visit, or to have dealing with Solar persons.

Luna ad Trine M. C. & Trine Saturn & Vonus ad Part For. Radix. Dec. 24.

It imports honor and esteem by and from aged or Saturnine persons, or by dealing in Saturnine Commodities, thriving by good Husbandry; it imports gain from eminent Ladies, or by dealing in Venus-Commodities, or with Venus-persons. The two sirst Aspects last ten days.

Luna ad Opposition Sol & Opposition Sol in the Radix. Dec. 25.

It imports disrespects from all Solar persons of what rank or quality soever; a bad time to deal, or have to do with Solar Men, or Solar Commodities that day. As to the native it sheweth an ill day of Commerce with most people.

Mercury ad Sextile Par. For. in the Radix. December 26.

It imports gain by Learning, Art, or Industry, gain by bargains, profit by Servants or Agents, by reason Mercury is Consignificator of the sixth House.

Mars ad Trine Jupiter, Lord of the Ascendant. December 27.

This Direction imports great love and respects from eminent martial men; and the native, by the means of an eminent martial manin power, shall evade that bad Direction before-going, and the rather because Mars is exalted in Capricorn, the Sign where the Sun was at the Opposition aforesaid; allo Mars is more strong and powerful than the Sun, and is Confignificator of the tenth House, and was posited in the tenth in the Radix, a rich eminent Friend may help the native, but a poor one cannot: allo Mars at the time of the Aspect is strong, bothby House, Triplicity and Face, it inclines the native unto martial Exercises, and he shall gain honor This Direction holds in force till the inthereby. fluence is over.

Mercury ad Sextile Venus. Dec. 29.

Mercury being Lord of Part of Fortune, and Venus Lady of the tenth, importeth honor and great gain either by office, trade or profession, wit and industry, or by dealing in Venus Commodities, or with Venus persons.

Venus ad Sol Radix. December 30.

This Direction inclineth the native unto mirth and to delight in Female Company; and according

as Mercury is well or ill dignified in the Radix, the native may expect good or ill by Venus-persons, or by dealing in Venus-Commodities.

Some Observations concerning Revolutional Figures.

Enerally in Revolutional Figures, wherein judgment is given by the Planets motional Aspects and Transits: the Moon by reason of her quick motion doth dayly produce sufficient matter to be taken notice of; yet except she is aspected by other Planets, suitable unto that Aspect which she beareth unto any of the hilegical places, it is in vain to give judgment thereby; but rather to adhere to those Aspects and Transits of the higher Planets, then in force, for of her self she dorh work but little, or to no effect, in regard her chief office is to bring down the influences of the higher Planets unto us; wherefore it will be most convenient to pass over all those Aspects, or Transits of the Moon, except the be aspected by one of the higher Planets accordingly, or that some notable Direction from the birth doth co-operate therewith. I have ofttimes by a Revolutional Figure, without taking notice of any Direction from the birth, directed the Planets by motion unto the five hilegical places, together with observing their Transits and Aspects unto each other, and thereby have set forth the accidents of the whole year: also sometimes by a horary question it may be done, provided that the Figure be radical, and that the Ascendant with its Lord doth personate the querent, the shape, marks and moles of the body corresponding, especially if the Figure be set for the nearest time unto the native's birth. But except the true Ascendant be obtained, it's impossible to give judgment aright, elther by Directions from the birth, or by any Revolutional Figure, or horary question, wherein the native or querent's body and affairs (as having to do with others) are concerned for the whole year. Neither is it possible without a true Ascendant toelect or chuse a fit time for the undertaking of any work, matter, or thing what soever; nor yet to discover the good or evil days of Trade or Commerce with others; nor yet to discover the times of any dangerous sickness incident to the body; neither can any Artist discover by the Moon afflicted at the time of Decumbitures, whether Witchcraft or Sorcery have been wrought upon the Patient, without the true Ascendant obtained. If the Reader, or Student in this Art will take fo much pains in any Nativity, as to compare those Directions taken from the birth with those motional Aspects and Transits which proceed from the Revolutional Figure, as I have already declared, it may cause the Artist to be the more consident in giving judgment upon the Effects: always chiefly adhering unto those motional Aspects of the Planets, unto the five hilegical places, or unto the Cuips of the Houses, or amongst themselves by Transits or o therwise; also having an especial regard unto the Lord of the Ascendant, and how he is aspected with other Planets, it being of principal concernment in regard of the native's actings, or actions,

An Introduction to Astrology. as having to do with others, as I have oft times declared, I could have been more copious herein both by inserting those Directions at large, taken from the birth; and likewise have proceeded upon the Revolutional Figure for the whole year. But considering that it would too much inlarge my Book, and likewise well knowing that what I have written will be sufficient to instruct the friendly Reader herein, I did forbear.

# Brief Judgment upon the Twelve Houses.

COmetimes when the Native or their Parents de-If fires to have a Nativity calculated, and are not willing to be at much charge, this way may give content: and I have oft-times proceeded no further, and yet the native has been well fatisfied therewith. It might be time well spent, to compare this way of giving judgment, with those Directions and Judgments taken from the Nativity and Revolutional Figures, and to observe how they accord.

## The First House.

This House concerns the native's person, the Lord thereof, and Planets therein, with their Aspects, sheweth his qualities, ingenuity and conditions. First, The Sign Sagittary ascending repre-

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fents one of a fair stature, full and fleshy, face oval, and of a fanguine complexion, hair a kind of yellowish brown, sometimes Chesnut colour; the degrees ascending at birth, being the Terms of Venus, causeth a light brown hair, the Sun and Mercury both in the Ascendant in Trine to Mars, and unto Jupiter the Lord thereof, sheweth his qualities, wit and conditions. The Sun gives affability; Mercury wit; Jupiter sobriety; Mars choler; of all which the native shall participate; and to my knowledge they do correspond with his temper; for he is of affable behaviour, and of carriage witty and ingenious, yet cholerick upon small provocation; the Ascendant no way afflicted, the Sun strong therein, in Semisextile to Jupiter, Lord thereof, argueth health and long life.

#### The Second House.

This House no way afflicted, and Jupiter Lord of the Ascendant therein, argueth gain by the native's industry; also Saturn Lord thereof in the eighth, in Trine to the Ascendant, argueth gain by the death of an ancient or Saturnine person: the time when this Gift or Legacy may be expected, is by account from the Ascendant unto Saturn the eighth House, allowing five years for every House: now Saturn being five Houses from the Ascendant, ac counting backwards, contrary unto the nomination of the Houses, argueth that about the twenty third year of age the Native may expect this Legacy for Saturn is about the middle of the eighth House In regard Saturn is Lord of the second and third Honses, it sheweth that this Gift or Legacy may happily

An Introduction to Astrology. 323 happily come from a Brother or Kinsman, or one of near relation.

### The Third House.

Both Part of Fortune and Dragon's Head in this House, and Saturn Lord of the Second and Third in Trine to the Ascendant, argueth a continuance of love with gain from the Native's Brethren and Kindred; it also confirmeth the judgment before going upon the second House.

## The Fourth House.

No Planet in the fourth, and Mars Lord thereof in Trine to the Ascendant, and in Quartile to Jupiter Lord of the Ascendant, argueth some difference with a pretended martial Friend, or with his Father, and the rather in regard Mars is Lord of the eleventh and twelfth Houses, so well as of the sourth. But the Trine of Venus to the Moon, who disposeth of Mars, sheweth that by means of a Venus-body this difference shall be ended. The Difference will arise concerning Lands or Heritage, or otherwise about great Cattle, buying, selling, or trading therein. This to happen about the sitteenth year of age, or else about the fortieth year of age; for Mars is in the tenth, and Lord of the fourth.

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#### The Fifth House.

Venus Lady thereof in Trine to the Moon, in a fruitful fign, argueth the native shall have Children, and they of comely shape, and they shall be well preferred; for Venus is strong in the tenth.

#### The Sixth House.

Venus Lady of the fixth in the tenth strong, sheweth good and profitable servants. Saturn in Quartile to the Cusp of the fixth, may unhappily produce some Saturnine Grief, and this about the twenty second year of age, Saturn being in the eighth House.

#### The Seventh House.

This House concerns Marriage, and the native's publick Enemies; the Degrees ascending being the Terms of Venus, and the Moon Consignificator of the seventh; applying unto the Sextile of Jupiter, Lord of the Ascendant, and he in the Terms of Mercury, Lord of the seventh, Mercury being also partly semale, and in the Ascendant, argueth that the native shall marry, double bodied Signs on the Cusps of the Ascendant, and seventh House, and Jupiter Lord of the Ascendant, disposing of Mercury, Lord of the seventh, and of the Moon, Consignificator of the seventh, argueth two Wives, perhaps three, if he marry early; for Venus, a Fermale Planet is in the tenth, and will in all probabilis

ty bury them all; by reason they will be all combust before Jupiter: if he marry not very young, then his first Wise will be obtained about thirty years of age; the second about fifty, as by the Account before mentioned. Also he shall overcome all his publick Enemies, by reason Jupiter doth dispose both of the Moon and Mercury.

# The Eighth House.

The Moon Lady of the Eighth, in Quartile to Mercury, Lord of the seventh, and to the Ascendant, argueth some Controversie or Law-snit, either about the Legacy formerly mentioned, or the portion of his Wife (especially if marry young) and this to happen about the twenty third year of age; also Saturn being in the eighth in Quartile to the Cusp of the fixth, and the Moon Lady of the eighth in Quartile to Mercury, argueth the native's death shall proceed from Mercurial and Saturnine Infirmities; but Saurn shall chiefly be anarcta, or killing Planet, as located in the 8th. his first mortal time is about forty eight years of age, at which time by the account aforesaid, it cometh to the place of the Moon, Lady of the Eighth, and the Ascendant, by Direction comes to the Quartile of Mars, Lord of the fourth, about that time. There is one other mortal time about the age of fixty, at what time according unto the Account aforefaid we come to the Bedy of Mercury, who is in Quartile to the Moon, Lady of the Eighth; about which time the Ascendant comes by Direction to the Opposition of Saturn, which Account and Directions, if the native evade, he may live until the seventy fifth, or

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N regard in this way of giving judgment by Revolutional Figures, we have daily and weekly fo much variety of matter to work upon; therefore we must chiefly adhere unto those Transits and motional Aspects of the higher Planets, whose effects will be of more force, and of longer continuance than those Transits and motional Aspects caused by the lower Planets; and except the checks caused by the lower Planets doth correspond with the higher, we may in a great measure pass them by, especially those caused by the Moon, whose effects cannot last above a day or two; neither can it make void those grand effects caused by the higher Planets. But if by their Transits and motional Aspects they do agree incffects with the higher Planets; and that the Effects of Directions according unto measure of timedoth accord, or near unto it. Then according unto those days and times when the Planets make any Partil Aspect unto any of the hilegical places, the effects shall most forcibly operate. But who soever doth intend to make practice herein must mix reafon with Art; for when according unto the Effects of Directions, or by Revolutional Figures we give judgment, should we not take notice of the Rank An Introduction to Aftrology.

and Quality of the Native, and likewise consider his age, the Artist may egregiously err: as instance in this Geniture, where we direct the Ascendant to the Body of Mercury: wherefore judgment must be given accordingly.

I could have been more copious herein. considering other worthy Authors have already even in our own Language, written both largely and learnedly thereupon, I did at present acquiesce

herein.

I wish a Blessing upon your Studies, and I pray God for to bless us all, that our thoughts and minds may be lifted up above the Stars,& that we may study both to know and serve Him aright who hath made both us and them, that so through the Merits of Jesus Christ, in the end we may injoy that Heavenly Benediction, which God through his Mercy hath allotted unto his Saints and Servants for evermore. Amen. Vale.

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