



"The New Description of Heaven"

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Two celestial charts on one sheet, both depicting the constellations with connecting lines rather than the classical figures, thus making the stars of each system more apparent. Above is a double-hemisphere (unusually with the northern skies on the right); below is a tabular view, centred on the equator, also showing the paths of the planets (including 'Herschel', now Uranus).

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