

Journal

Calcutta

15 Dec

1796

Calcutta - 1796
Thursday 15th Dec -

4th Morning Lecture -
Subject Mineralogy -
+ Mr. N. will lay a bet of
a lot of Rupes that the
Cardinal and Ordinal
Numbers are when ap-
plied to intervals, the
same. -

- Called on Mr. C. - Little
Trust - + 20 of months!!

- with Mr. Fairlie - prepared
says 1 Mill. of pound duty
in England, could only 4 pence

quere would it be worth while
to refine Borax in India? —

— ~~Shops~~ made here —
+ Ball at the Theatre — painting
over the front of the Stage re-
presenting ^{on one side} the Dutch Fleet in
Soldan's Bay, on the other
sailing into Table Bay, with the
English Colours over the Dutch
weather — Garlands round the
boxes &c. —

— At Mr D — part of the evening

+ gave Mr. Miller two parcels
containing Cochineal to be deli-
vered to Mr. Chas. Taylor of Man-
chester —

Friday 16th Dec 1796

— Prepared for the 10th Lecture
Subject Astronomy —

— with Mr. F. —
— Sat in the Evening

+ During supper last night,
at the Theatre a model
of a Ship of the Line stood
on the Table —

+ Pattern of Bonga's candles
Sweet articles in wax, such
as fruit anemone & Colechilly
well — I have got a fine effort
with several kinds of prints be-
low for a cup

Saturday 17th Dec^r 18th
B^d with Mr. Lambert.

Received a letter from the
Board approving of the Metro-
logical Instruments I recom-
mended.

With Mr. Lambert

Earth quakes tho they
shake the ground making the
houses vibrate, yet Dead &
Meridian marks are found not
disturbed, quare the cause.

Earth quakes seldom do much
much mischief on plains —
quare why? —

Small ships built at
Bombay are equal to those
built at Calcutta, but
Large ships at the Lake are
much stronger than ~~the~~^{those}
built at the former place
where the timber is not
sufficiently large.

It appears surprising that
considering the great Trade
of Calcutta, there should not
be Ships of four Nations in
Ballon roads in the time
of war to protect the Trade.
The three Indians which have
been captured during the present
war, have all been taken on this

side of the Cape. An armed
ship should also be stationed
in the river to examine
Neutral ships outward bound
- It is said that the Arab that
have many French men on
board. Great would it not have
been proper to have detained
the Neutral ships till the
arrival of the Fleet from Eng.
Daily expected, and the sailing
of the present fleet, to prevent
giving intelligence to the
enemy

Sunday 10 Dec 1796
Visit from Dr J. Murray
he is to wait on me on
Wed. mor. after breakfast
hear the Mineralogist lecture
given him over again

Calcutta Gazette the 21st
contains an account of the
French having been beaten
on the Rhine, and of at Moulou.
- with M. Faurie -

Monday 19th Dec 1796

— Despatches are said to have
been received over land an-
nouncing several victories
gained by the Austrians over
the French

with Mr. Faulstich

Evening — went to Ball at
the Theatre — King's birth
day — Company not nu-
merous — Painting of the
capture of the Dutch Fleet
stuck up —

— Gazette Extraordinary

Tuesday 20th Dec 96

The news arrived, ^{is to}
contained in a letter from
Morton Eden English resident
at Venice. to Sir John
Shore — M. E. has also
sent Frankfurt and Vienna
Gazettes of a late date —
+ The lower class in Bengal
are much more polite
than in Europe — The Westons
employed in clearing my
4th aff. are all new persons
work till he has made
his salary to me and

for this purpose he comes
to me in whatever room of
the house I may be, or at
whatever distance from the
place he has to work.

It is the same with all other
workmen -

with Mr. Fairlie -

The 11th Lecture - Subject
Astronomy -

After the Lecture was over
with Dr. G. in the Centinel
Garden

A letter from Mr. Key's a page
as a reason for not paying his
subscription to my first course of lectures
my having allowed my first arrangement
with respect to the intervals between the lectures

Wednesday 21st Dec 94

Dr. John and Col. Munnay
attended a lecture this morning
on Mineralogy -

Saw some authorities to Dr
Guthrie's respecting the central
question -

Answer to Mr. Key's letter

no allusion was made with
respect to the intervals between
the lectures -

with Mr. Fairlie - Great
quantity of Cotton imported
into England from the Levant
Smyrna Cyprus and other places
would it not be better to
encourage the growth of Cotton in
Bengal. - Captain's Ball -

Thursday 22 Oct 1796

No morning lecture —

With Mr. Flaxington —

Mr. Colbrooke is engaged in collecting materials for a Sanscrit and Latin Dictionary not expected to be finished till 8 or 10 years hence. Mr. Blaquier is also writing composing an English & Sanscrit Dictionary upon a more contracted plan than that of the former —

Report of Lord M^r being appointed Gov^r General of Bengal

Mr D^r in the evening broke up for the holidays —

Friday 23 Oct 1796

Visit of Mr. M^r — He proposes to come back in Nov or any other the hottest climate also to see remove marks born with children, likewise to poison all the rats in any house or on board a ship, with powder of hellebor, made from different parts of the vesel by the oil of Rhadum to the dough of hellebor, the rats instantly follow the smell to the poison — He says it is a pity that such secrets should be lost, and that for a premium he will do make them publick —

Sent to Miss S. for the dis-
agonal joint machine, she sent
a drawing of the Eye
+ Nomenclature of the simple
and compound Microscopes
with Mr. Fairlie at
Gave the 12th and last
Lecture of the course - Optics
Exhibited the Luminous Microscopes
and Transparencies.

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Saturday 24. Dec. 1796

Lecture to Mr. Harris
Subject - Newton's observa-

tions
Lectured with Mr. Cross and
took his receipt in full
of all demands till the
first of Jan^r 1797

Sent Mr. Binroughs the mode
of computing the acceleration
of the fixed stars viz -

1st for the mean diurnal motion
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W. Ferguson makes the
Dutch pound weight to the
English to be as 1.14 to 10
Dr. Nutton of Wolwich as
1.09 to 1000: They the dif-
ference is about 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent. —

with W. Fairlie.

At W. F., in the evening
so quiet in the vicinity of Cash that
a certain house in Calcutta offers
W. F. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent $\frac{1}{2}$ month rather
than pay up the principal —
A ship might probably be taken
along a crooked inclined plane —
This I think dangerous experiment
In the Edinburgh Magazine for
the method of preserving and
exercising the power of magnets is
mentioned, by covering the bar or needle
with soft iron — W. F. asked
that the compass in Nepal is promoted
the glass being covered — Telescope

Sunday 25 Oct

Nyq ^r in N. R.	1.3
Thur. Ditto —	66
on h. l.	54°

at 7 $\frac{1}{2}$

Tho' the Nyq^r is such yet there
is much moisture in the air —
on the terrace — took and mag-
nifier ^{was} in a few minutes quite
a little foggy —

12 Nyq ^r	.85
Thur. } n. 2 —	67 $\frac{1}{2}$
clear —	

Dined with Dr. Gilchrist
at Propinquity —
Explanation of the forest

Diagram -

Mr. B. - Thanks Ba
 & most wrong in many
 cases, particularly in
 that it is the Tartar wh
 gives the Scarlet color
 not the solution of tin
 a decoction of Cochine
 wanted to indicate the
 demand for Direction Ear

Monday 26 Dec 1796

H	Therm. in n. 2	1.
7 1/2	Therm. in Dillo	65
	on h. l.	55
	Cloudy - 1 wind n. E	
H	Therm. in n. 2	.05
10	Therm. in n. 2	66
	Cloudy - 1 wind N. E	
11	Therm. in n. 2	.6
	Therm. in n. 2	67°
12 1/2	Therm. in n. 2	2.2
	Therm. in n. 2	60°
	Cloudy 1/2 wind n. E	
13	Therm. in n. 2	2.5
	Therm. in n. 2	60

- With Mr. Belli-

- report of the three
flut having arrived

1 1/2 Nyg. ————— 2.5

Thur. ————— 60

- went to Macdonald's

Marguerade Ball in the

Evening - a foolish
entertainment - only

three or four Ladies

- Accounts are received

of three pilot Schooners
having been captured
by the French

- In all outline to the trade of
India -

Thursday 27th Dec 1796

one of the three pilot Schooners
taken by the French Privateer,
has been recaptured by
the Lascari - An Arab
Ship has also been captured

at 9 Nyg. } n.2 1.5

Thur. } 66

10 Nyg. } n.2 1.2

Thur. } 66

Clear - wind none -

11 Nyg. } n.2 1.2

Thur. } 66

1 Nyg. } n. 1.3

Thur. } 60

1
2 p. m. Nyd } n. 2.
Thurs }

Clear, wind North, &c

Capt. R. is ordered to be
in readiness to go in quest
of the Birmingham -

3
3 Nyd } n. 2. 2. 95
Thurs } 67
cloudy 1 1/2 wind W 91

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5 Nyd } n. 2. 1
Thurs } 67

- with Mr. Harrington -

Capt. Scotts of the
one or two the longslide
within 3" always to 3 m

1. Pit. seed used by Mr. Hayes
in the manufacture of Indigo
60 lbs in coarse Indigo -

Another Genl. alleged that
it burns the cloth. -

Capt. J. has a ship, now a builder
of 10,00 Tons -

Order for ship to sail in quest
of the Pratt countermanded -

Report - Lord Hobart comes
round to Hongat immediately
Sir R. Mearns's remains
Commander in Chief, till his
brother Sir Ralph ~~arrives~~
who is to succeed Sir R. as Com-
mander in Chief - Sir J. Mon-
aghan here this season -

The stone has since proved in
every circumstance correct (1790)

London - 20th Decr 1799

⁹
The appropriateness of the books
of conduct respecting Lord M. which have been previously
conducted the a fact report, soaked, one in wine the other
in oil, the first will draw up no-
certainly needs in the conduct of them, but wine the other only

of one party without hearing the
other, and Gov. P. did not suit

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from an account of this transaction
till July last -

The Detraction of the French
Directory respecting the reign of
Nabot those bound in English
port will in all probability give
reception with those Political friends

The Opinions as to the
old fashioned way of procuring a
Detraction of hostilities by a list of

If a mixture be made of
oil and wine into which is
dipped two pieces of List of Clotter
which have been previously
one in wine the other
in oil, the first will draw up no-
the other only
oil -

12 - 1.1
Thur - 1 n. 2 - 67°
Clear - wind N -

14 - 1.0
Thur - 1 n. 2 - 67

Clear - wind West -
14 - 2.15
Thur - 1 n. 2 - 67

with Mr. French

All the pilots taken by

French privateer on sent on

three together with the paper

on board the Hainity a General

Ship also taken. The Capt.

of the Privateer sent his com

munic to Lt. J. Stone and

asked the pilot to tell him

he was a D-D fool to allow

his vessels to be taken aw

in this manner

He sent to the Ball given by

the Cavaliers to Sir Robt Al

numerous and elegant com

pan

At the Head of the Moon was

low transparency at the

three, in the middle two -

Thursday 29th Dec 1786

11. Hyd } n.2 1.7
Ther } n.2 65°

clear - wind N^Y

11. Hyd } n.2 1.3
Ther } n.2 64°

clear - wind N^Y

Trade sweet Arbores Diam

a great variety may be made

with compositions of Copper &

other metals - some more

some less rapid in their for-
mation -
12. Hyd } n.2 1.1
Ther } n.2 67°

- with NW C -
- went to the Barro-Coy
- spinning cotton yarn, the loquitt cut stopping to a point
- what is about double the best no split held nearly
- size (scale) as my model
- the thread is drawn out from
- small rovings at an angle
- of about 30°, with the spindle
- has no notch or other con-
- trivance to hold the thread

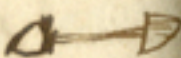
The rovings are made with the
- hand, of about $3\frac{1}{2}$ inch thickness
- and three to four inches long
- School boys learning to
- work. - One leader of the
- Police are here long and near
- to begin with - Upper boys
- Mountain leave -

The pen is made of a reed
- little thicker than a goose
- pen, the nib is made by
- being the composite and
- piece - The boys attend from
- sun rise to sun set, are al-
- lowed an hour for breakfast
- at ten and another for dinner
- Other particulars I hope to
- learn afterwards

- Oil will like the one
- I saw last year - The blacks
- or cow took flight and threw
- off one of the slaves - when my feet

- Working with -

- Engraving - sometimes to Engraving -

- Cleaning Cotton - a Bow with a string running by the side of Catgut - The string lies on the cotton, and strikes with a hard stick  connect at both ends -

- Silver wire for lace was cut Day - This I must examine more particularly -

- Grinding Corn - This more particularly after hours -

- Now simple the tools and machinery employed by the natives of this country

Many of whose processes are not to be improved by those of Europeans. The cheapness of labour among the Bengalees also greatly in favour of the native manufactures -
Dunshard a quantity of Raw for 3 Rupees -

H. 1 p.m. Nyct - - 2.0
10 1/2 p.m. Ther } n. 2 - 6 1/4

Clear - Wood Work -

- The boys write remarkably fast -

- The boy brings with him his whole apparatus, consisting of his little mat, pen, ink and ream -

Friday 30th Dec 17th

at 0 a.m.
Nyaf } 1.0
Ther } n.m. 65

Clear - wind N.E.
H. Nyaf } 1.4
Ther } n.m. 65

an express arrived last night from Ballyson containing a large French Private with two small ones were at once in a small bag near that place while they remain in the station it will be unprofitable for any vessel either to get in or out. - Disgraceful to the Bengal Govern. - They are

banking at least half way of taking up a vessel in the river to go in quest of him when the vessel is stolen, shut the stable door -

It is probable that Decm at Anthe note looks its rise from the Benfeng on the hands, the Indians from whom this species of membership is derived, frequently make use of their fingers in computation -

It is said that the Portuguese by different arrangements of gram of maize out do in computation any European both in certainty & dispatch. -

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12. *Nyct* } n. 2 .9
 Thur } n. 2 67
Clear - wind West ⁴

H *Nyct* } n. 2 1.1
2 *Thur* } n. 2 67

Clear wind - S. West: ⁴ 1.1

H *Nyct* } n. 2 1.1
3 *Thur* } n. 2 67

Clear - wind S. W ⁴ 1.1

H *Nyct* } n. 2 1.1
4 *Thur* } n. 2 67

Cloudy - 1 - wind South

H *Nyct* } n. 2 1.1
9 *Thur* } n. 2 67

wind South - breeze
Cloudy - 2 -

look M Fairlie -
A China ship arrived at
Madras - contains intelligence
of three French frigates lying
of Penang - and other three
of Junk's Ceylon - If this be
true no China ship can
escape ~~see~~ them - Two
large vessels seen coming
into the roads of Madras
unknown when the Dutch
came away -

I - I in the Evening
Bengal Debt seven lacs
£ 70,000 L
- badly managed - taking the
pilots in turns - no emulch
Oloky sometimes take out

of the vessel by a series in
turn - might not the Pilot
for support the pilots without
any wages for the company -
- The town of ^{here} is today
complained of - neglect of the
trade - About this time last
a French privateer of 20 guns
made her appearance on
the coast, took the Triton
Indiaman, at least the
Pilot schooner which took her
- In the Ballypore roads,
for a length of time. Vessel
was ordered to go in quest of the
enemy, then the orders were
countermanded, then ordered to
sail, to much time however

was spent in sitting out for
that the ^{privateer} Pilot was gone with
her prizes -

The two frigates had left
Pinarang which must conse-
quently depend on its own
defence -

The news of the privateer
now in the roads, being on
the Malabar coast, occasioned
the ships of war at Trincomalee
to sail to the west -
The privateer was in the
Bay before their arrival on
the Malabar coast - Thus
~~has~~ here our mighty power
announced her but manoeuvred
in every instance and to the
disgrace of our Councils, our

very harbour resulted by
~~an incident~~ by a firewater
 of 20 Gun, now at anchor
 off Ballypore within 1 mile
 of six Indiamen in Sagor
 Roads, each carrying from 30
 to 40 Gun -

+ An order was this day
 sent down to the fleet to
 have all their guns shot
 keep quarters watch & be
 a proof ^{that} the ships are sup-
 posed in danger -

- Sir Robert Abercrombie
 left this Even^g at the
 Theatre - numerous
 - whether a pilot schooner might
 not improve an Indiaman at
 Sagor Roads -

Saturday 31 Dec

at 8 a.m.
 Therm. } ———— 0
 Ther. } n.r. ———— 60°
 wind South ————

Cloudy 1 1/2 ————
 10. Therm. } ———— 0
 Ther. } ———— 60

drizzling rain - wind South -
 1 p.m. Therm. } ———— 0
 Ther. } n.r. ———— 70°

Cloudy 3 - wind S. W. brisk breeze
 4. Therm. } ———— 0
 Ther. } ———— 70

Inclining to rain wind South
 strong breeze

5 Nights Fair —

Mr. D. in the evening —
— Returned at 9^h —

+ What is usually called Battel
poude in England ~~shall~~ ^{should} be
written Battel. It is so called from
being manufactured at Battel,
a small town in Suffolk famous
for ~~the~~ a victory gained by 15^m
the Conqueror over Harold —

Calcutta 1797

January - 1st —

Another year is flown! —

— Resolved to keep the scientific
and Literary articles in a
separate book as formerly,
under the title of Journal &
Hints. Since my arrival
at Calcutta the above articles
have been inserted in the com-
mon Journal or Law Magazine.
The Journal will be continued
and appropriated to ~~the~~ com-
mon objects —

Monday 1^o Jan^y 1797

Rose at 5 - in the house
at 6 thick fog - Therm 40°
at sun rise a Royal Salute
was fired in honour of New
years day - B^o with Mr Fairlie
Took an inventory of wearing
apparel - arranged and laid
my first tour - Thomas Dillo -
Drum and hints in 10 vols -
Visit from Mr. Harrington - so
dine with him on Friday next
showed him the Malabar drawings
he engages to get the country names
with a proper explanation -

12 Hyd^y 3 - - - - - 0
Th^y. | - - - - - 69

Cloudy - 3 - wind South West

2 Hyd^y 2 - - - - - 0
Th^y. | - - - - - 70

Clear - wind West: very little

- set out for Mr. Fairman -
- over the river - large Company
- made of squeezing the children
- feet into so small a size -
- some China stockings import
ed into Beng^{al} - feet not half
length
- A report that a vessel from
China is arrived at Madras
which was chased for Days
by a French Frigate -

The Pearl is taken
up by Government to go in
quest of the Privater —

— Evening read Howells journey
overland from India to England
He went from Bussorah up the
Tigris, thro' Bagdat to Constanti-
nople — He prefers this route to
the other two, through the grand Desert
and by Suez — says it is possible
to accomplish this Journey in 62
Days ~~from~~ ^{from} London to

Vienne 10 Days

Constanti: 15

Bagdat 12

Bussorah } - 4
by Water }

Bombay $\frac{21}{62}$ in all —

Monday 2¹ Jan^o — 1797

Returns from M. Harrington —

-12 [#] $\frac{1}{2}$ } $\frac{1}{2}$ in n. w. — 0
Ther } $\frac{1}{2}$ — 69°

Cloudy 1- black towards S. W
Two currents ~~on~~ opposed to each
the lower sets W, upper East 15°
little wind —

— Contrary currents of an
very frequent here —

— I have ^{seen} ~~seen~~ the current
uppermost and undermost
setting west, the middle east
— both D. Dicks —

[#] Open rain —

Tuesday 3, Jan^r 1797

A good deal of rain last night - Cold to the feet about the indication of the Thermometer

9	Thy ^r	—	—	0
	Ther ^r	n.2	—	67°

Cloudy - 2½ - wind East -
Cold

The Chinese homeward bound fleet is said to be at Malacca and Penang and it is reported that an embargo is laid on them 'till some intelligence can be obtained of the French Frigates

12	Thy ^r	—	—	0
	Ther ^r	—	—	67

Cloudy - 3. beginning to rain

^{the} Madras
Received a letter by boat from
Mibault - He is on board the
Upton Castle Capt. Thomas which
with many other ships is detaining
the frigate Conway. The Swallow
packet is gone to Madras for a ship
of war to convoy them. The letter
came by the Swallow

4	Thy ^r	—	—	0
	Ther ^r	n.2	—	66½

has rained for two hours past -
with Mr. F

Mr. F is in the Evening

It was observed that there was no
impropriety in Raphael making the
body of the man drawing the net as
big as the boat - Costers - Since the

whole was a miracle!
 - Whether in any case the rules
 of perspective can be violated with
 propriety - Capt. J. S. S. of Gt.
 Curtis and his boats are brought
 too near the King's bastion -
 - The Native of this country, Kell
 Tycas, it is said, with poisoned
 arrows. The bow is fixed in the
 ground connected with a contrivance
 to discharge a poisoned arrow -
 - Green what sort of poison is
 used - and is a bait of any
 kind fixed on the bow? - The
 Tycas is said to live but a very
 short time after he is wounded
 and the wound of the stem he has
 he just given, is said always to
 be mortal - Poison sold in the Bay.

Wednesday 4 Jan^y 1797

It has rained last night -

9 - Hyg^r } _____ - 0°
 Ther^r } n. 2 } _____ 66°

clear - wind north - little -

12 Hyg^r } _____ - 0
 Ther^r } n. 2 } _____ 67½°

wind W -

went to see the black hole
 had not sufficient light -
 propose to examine it on some
 future occasion -

3 p. m. Hyg^r } _____ - 0
 Ther^r } n. 2 } _____ 60

wind N. East^y - clear -

- with Mr Franklin - Abroad
- It seems to be generally believed
that the report of the French Frigate
being off Penang is unfounded -

+ In publick works by the Nation
there is no difference between Sunday
and any other day of the week -
Horn and Ship Building, &c. all
are carried on

Thursday 5th Jan^{ry} 1797

H
O. a. m. Therm } n. 2 64¹/₂
Therm } n. 2 - 0

clear - wind North^y -

H
12. Therm } n. 2 - 0
Therm } n. 2 65⁰

12. Therm } n. 2 .3
Therm } n. 2 65

wind N. W^y - clear -

- The Captains of the Ind. Sh^{ips}
have received orders to be on
board their Ships on Monday next
The Fleet is to sail on the 15th Inst^{ant}

H
3 p. m. Therm } n. 2 1.6
Therm } n. 2 65¹/₂

wind N. W^y - clear - fine breeze

H
5 p.m. Thur 66°
 Fry } n. 2 2.7

clear - wind N.W.

+ The following curious fact is observed at Rheims in France. One of the butchers of the Church of St. Nicaire shakes in a very sensible manner at the ringing of the smallest of the four bells in the town, but is in at all affected by the ringing of the other three; and the other butchers are not put into motion by the ringing of any one of the bells. La Roche in the 7th Vol of Nat. Display attempts to account for this phenomenon

+ Meeting of the Asiatic Society
paper on ~~Asiatic~~ Supplement to Mr
Waller's form of Chronology -

Friday 6th Jan 1797

H
9 a.m. Thur } n. 2 1.3
 Fry $63\frac{1}{2}$

clear - wind N. little

B. with Mr. Lambert. -

The manufacturer ^{twenty seven} ~~ten~~ thousand
gallons of rum of month. ~~He~~
consumes ~~ten~~ ^{thousand} ~~thousand~~ ^{hundred} of fuel. -

H
12. Fry } n. 2 1.05
 Thur 64°

clear - wind N. west

H
3¹/₂ Fry } n. 2 3.8
 Thur 64°

clear - wind N. west

This morning saw several
houses to be let.

H 5 N.Y. } 4.2
The } n. } 64

Clear - wind N.W.

- with Mr. Harrington
- State of the Ryots, Jaggedars
Zemindars - Government is said
to have been in too great a hurry
in granting perpetuity in land
- From ten years it would have
been better to have given 20, 30
&c. and after a sufficient trial to
have settled according. There is
one class which pays no rent
have it in their power to oppress
the others - Jaggedars and Zemindars
hate each other -
- Mr. Hastings is said to have been

more culpable in his Grants to
Zemindars, than in any other of
his transactions in this country
Yet there is no charge on this head
was exhibited against him - little known
in England - The natives are said to
be much more happy under the
English, than they ever were under
a native government, property
more secure, Laws better - justice
more equally distributed -

The Hindoo year commences about
the 11th of April varies a little, some
say two or even three days - Their
Civil year is regulated by the Astr.
If the Astronomical year happens
to end a little after sun rising,
that day is reckoned the last of the
preceding, not the first of the new
year - years by what tables
do the Hindoos calculate the
Luni solar, eclipses &c

The Gipsies in Europe speak
a language many words of which
are Malabar, Sanskrit and
and other languages of India

H	Sp. n.	Nyq.	n. 2	5.
		Thur		64.

Saturday 7 Feb 97

H	0	Nyq.	_____	2.2
		Thur	_____	62.

Clear wind N^w - little

#1
9 $\frac{1}{2}$ The Laurel saluted the
Fort on her way down the
river - she is to enter our
mouth in the Bay in quest
of the French privateer

H	10	Nyq.	n. 2	2.5
		Thur		62 $\frac{1}{2}$

Clear wind N.W. - little

H	12	Nyq.	_____	3.4
	40	Thur	n. 2	63

Clear - wind

a Chart for N. E. - inclosing 100 lbs
his subscription for the picture

H
 3^h Flyg } n. 2 _____ 63 1/2
 Flyg } _____ 4.3

Clear - wind N.W. - little -
 H
 4^h Flyg } _____ 4.5
 Thur } n. 2 _____ 63

Clear - wind N. West
 H
 9 1/2 p.m. Flyg } _____ 3.9
 Thur } n. 2 _____ 63.

Thin low fog - wind w. very little
 some hours not perceptible -

Gov. have authorized an addendum
 only on all reports and imports of
 Calcutta to display the expense of sitting
 about vessels of force to protect the
 trade, which they are now determined
 to do - when the steel is stolen!!

~~5 p.m. Flyg } _____ 5.0~~
~~6 p.m. Flyg } _____ 6.4~~

Sunday ^{th 9 y} of Jan - 97
 at 7 1/2 Flyg } _____ 2.55
 Thur } n. 2 _____ 61 1/2

on the Terrace Thur. - 48°
 in hand - 49°

H
 9 1/4 Flyg } _____ 2.35
 Thur } n. 2 _____ 62

wind n. west - clear - almost calm
 feels very cold -

11
 12 Flyg } _____ 62 1/2
 Thur } n. 2 _____ 2.0

Clear wind N.W.
 3 1/4 Flyg } _____ 3.9
 Thur } n. 2 _____ 63

Clear - wind N West

4
 3 Nyg^m } _____ 4.35
 Thw } n.2 _____ 63

clear - wind N. Wth - little -
 - visit from Col. Cameron - reflecting
 telescope to be repaired either here
 or sent home - wishes to look at
 Jupiter's sat. and go thro' the
ceremony / calculations -

4th Nyg^m } _____ 4.7
 Thw } n.2 _____ 64

4th Nyg^m } _____ 4.6
 Thw } n.2 _____ 64
 Thw } great _____ 63
 Thw } small _____ 63

clear wind N^W
 with N. Fairly - It is said that
 there is no tide on the coast of Nor-
 way, at least not above 4 or 5 fathoms
 and also that the ports of this coun-
 try are never frozen up. That for these
 two reasons it is alledge, no navigat-

The Danes drink but one glass
 of wine after dinner, the company
 then rises and the men embrace
 one another and kiss the ladies
 hands -

shape of the stoves four sided
 seem to a stranger disagreeable -
 German is most frequently
 spoken at court (Copenhagen)
 almost every person speaks either
 English or French - The Norwegian
 dialect approaches nearer to the
 Scots than any other -

4th Nyg^m } _____ 3.8
 9 Thw } n.2 _____ 64

10 Thw } _____ 64
 Nyg^m } n.2 _____ 3.5

4th at 5 p.m. Nyg^m