

from our tables, that *A* must be 35 years of age; therefore find, by the twenty-third proposition, the value of an annuity of a life for 35 to continue for a limited time of 31 years: let that value be subtracted from the value of an annuity certain, to continue 31 years; and the remainder will be the value of the reversion.

XI. *The Appearance of a fiery Meteor, as seen by Mr. Cradock, communicated to the Royal Society by Mr. Henry Baker, F. R. S.*

Read June 7. 1744. **T**HE Head and Body emitted an extremely lucid and white Flame. The Tail appeared of a transparent Blue, like the Flame of Sulphur.



This *Phænomenon* was seen on *Sunday, May 27. 1744.* at 11 Minutes after 11 o' Clock at Night: Its Direction from *S. E.* to *N. W.* or thereabouts; its Height seemingly not half a Mile.

It was seen, as here described, from the Terrace in *Somerſet-Gardens*, by me,

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