renew it till by the recovery of the Suns light they had recovered their torner gayety and mirth: However we cannot learn that any Star besides that of Venus was discovered by those which were spectators of it in the open air.

III. The Dimension of the Solids generated by the Conversion of Hippocrates's Lunula, and of its Parts about several Axes, with the Surfaces generated by that Conversion, by Ab. De Moivre, F. R. S.

Et BCA (Fig. 1.) be an Isoscelles Triangle right angled at C. with the Center C, and distance CB, describe the Quadrant BFA; on BA, as a Diameter, describe a Semicircle BKA; the Space comprehended between the Quadrantal arc BFA, and the Semicircumference BKA, is call'd Hippocrates's Lunula.

If upon BC you take my two Points D, E, and draw the Perpendiculars DH, EM, meeting BA in I & L, and cutting a Portion FGMH of the Lunula; the Solid generated by the conversion of this Portion about the Axis BC, is equal to a Prism where Base is ILMH, and height the Circumference of a Circle whose Diameter is BC; and the Solid generated by the Semicircle BKA, is equal to a Prism or Semicylinder, whose base is the Semicircle BKA, and height the Circumference of a Circle whose Diameter is BC.

Having bisected BA in R, and B C in P, the Surface generated by the conversion of the Arc HMabout the Axis BC, is equal to XBP × HM ABR × DE (supposing the ratio of the radius to the Circumference

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to be as r to c) and the Surface generated by the Semicircumference BKA is equal to a Rectangle whose base is the summ of that Semicircumference and Diameter BA, and height the Circumference of a Circle whose Diameter is BC. As for the Surface generated by the arc GF, 'tis well known, that it is equal to a Rectangle whose base is the Circumference of a Circle whose Radius is BC, and height DE; Therefore the Surface generated by the Conversion of the Portion MHFG is known.

If upon BA (Fig. 2.) you take any two Points I, L, and draw I N, L V perpendicular to it, cutting the Quadrant in O and T, and the Circumference in N and V, the Solid generated by the conversion of the Portion O N U Tabout the Axis B A, is equal to a Prism whose Base is I O T L, and height the Circumference of a Circle whose Diameter is B A.

Having bisected B A in R, and drawn C R meeting the Quadrant in G, the Surface generated by the Conversion of the Arc O T about B A is equal to x CGx IL—CR\*OT.

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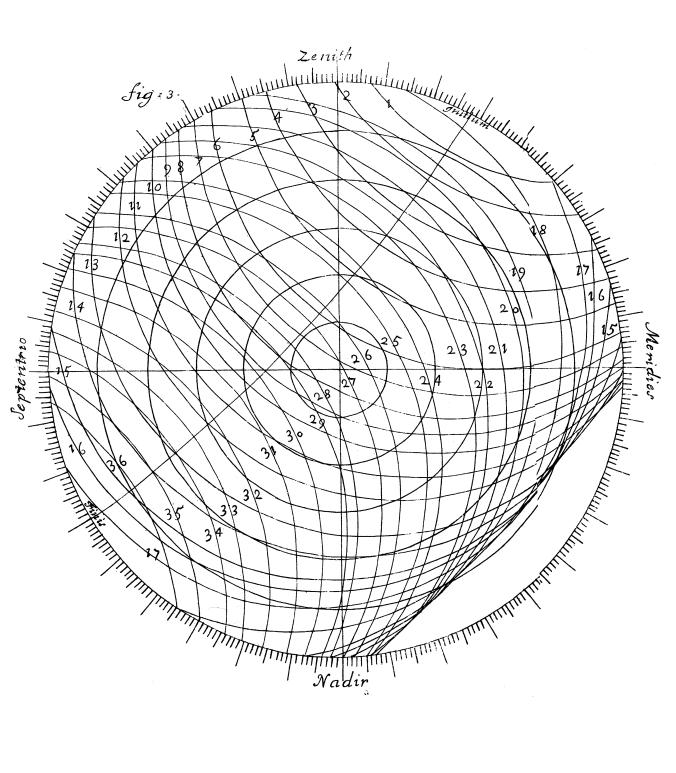
The Solid generated by the Portion ONVT about the Axis CD, is equal to  $\frac{1}{5}$   $\frac{1$ 

From the Points M, H, drop the two perpendiculars MZ, HW, upon CA prolong'd if need be; the Surface generated by the Conversion of the Arc HM about the Axis CA is equal to x PCx HM — RA x WZ, when the point Z is next to C, or x PC x H MRA x WZ when the point W is next to it.

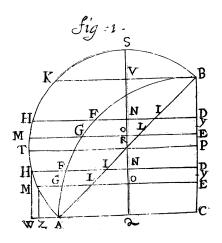
Those that will think it worth their while to beflow some little pains to find the Demonstration of

this, may folve the following Problem.

Any two Conic Sections being given, forming a Lunula by their Intersection, and a right line being given by position, about which, as an Axis, this Lunula is imagined to turn, to find the Solids generated by the Conversion of any of its parts, cut off by lines perpendicular to that axis, or parallel to it, or making any given Angle with it, as also the Surfaces made by that Conversion.



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