XVIII. An Account of certain perfect minute Crystal Stones, by J. Parsons, M. D. & F. R. S.

HE Drawing here annexed, TAB. III. Fig. 10, represents a small Crystal magnified; it is one of a great Number brought by a very curious Gentleman from Gibraltar, who has caused many of them to be set in Buckles of different Kinds, for the Wear of his Lady and himself: And althothey are formed and polish'd by Nature; yet they look very bright, and produce a very good Essection the Buckles.

They were found accidentally. This Gentleman faw a Man cleaving a Rock near that Town, and observed a great Quantity of fine black Powder fall from its Crevices; and, being very curious, he examined the Powder, and found these little Stones in Clusters, consisting of no more than twelve or fourteen each; and each Cluster lying at considerable Distances from one another. They are all of the same Form, some less perfect than others, and are in general Hexagonals.

XIX. A Letter from Mr. John Ellicot, F. R. S. to the President, concerning the specific Gravity of Diamonds.

Read July 4. A S, from fome Experiments I have lately had the Opportunity of makeing, it appears highly probable, that what has formerly







