

Various new observations, and an account of some newly discovered mineral products of these Islands, and particularly of Ireland, I expect we shall be informed of, by the ingenious and excellent chemist, Mr. KIRWAN, in his new edition of Mineralogy. To him, to the late Cronstedt—Klaproth—Suckow—Monge—De la Metherie—Born—Gmelin—Werner—Blumenbach—Westrumb—Heyer—Chaptal—Furcroi—and several other eminent Authors, I acknowledge my sincerest thanks, for the instruction I have derived from their Publications.

It will be obvious from the nature of my new Plan, that I shall have occasion to transpose some species in the system; as the tremolit—mica—and several others.

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