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Right: Notes, The Economy of Vegetation.
Far right: The Economy of Vegetation, Canto I.


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CANTO I

POSSIBLE machinery.
All bodies are in the matter of heat. Particles of bodies do not touch each other.
Gradual progress of the formation of the earth, and of plants and animals. Meteors ballots.
Fixed stars approach towards each other, they were projected from chaos by explosions, and the planets projected from them.
An amount of inflammable air above the mass of the earth, and of plants and animals. Meteors.
Twilight folly and comet. Wakes fur further observation.
Immediate cause of volcanoes from heat and other vapours. They power great earthquakes.
Conduction of heat. Cold on the tops of mountains.
Thunderbolt in the evening from all bodies.
Erosun fast asleep.
Nocturnal light in the cave. Experiments of Breydon and Welkin.
Meteors originally from meteors of aliens or worlds.
Cloud of meteors from combined heat. Heat goes out from air in refrigeration. Oxygen goes home into fire when converted into nitrous acid and in any other of its conclusions.
Springs from the collision of fires are electric. From the collision of fire and frost are from the combination of the first.

Steam-engine invented by Barry. Improved by Newcomen. Performed by West and Boulton.


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