WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A table for heating or cooling a workpiece, comprising:

a plate member having a mounting surface for mounting said workpiece; and

temperature control means heating or cooling said plate member;

a first paint layer being formed on said mounting surface of said plate member; and

a second paint layer formed on said first paint layer;

wherein

when said plate member is not heated or cooled by said temperature control means and accordingly has a first temperature, said first paint layer exhibits a first color, whereas when a temperature of said plate member is changed by said temperature control means and the temperature of said mounting surface accordingly becomes a second temperature different from said first temperature, a color of said first paint layer is changed to a second color different from said first color and visible through the second paint layer, and

when the temperature of said mounting surface becomes a third temperature different from said first

temperature and said second temperature, a color of said second paint layer is changed to a third color different from said first color and said second color and visibly blocks said color of said first paint layer.

2. The table according to claim 1, wherein

when the temperature of said plate member is changed by said temperature control means and a temperature of said mounting surface accordingly becomes said second temperature, letters having said second color appear on said mounting surface with said first paint layer.

~~3. The table according to claim 1, wherein~~

~~a second paint layer is formed on said first paint layer formed on said mounting surface, and~~

~~when the temperature of said mounting surface becomes a third temperature different from said first temperature and said second temperature, a color of said second paint layer is changed to a third color different from said first color and said second color.~~