

NOVA-SCOTIA (4) ALMANACK.

nothing is made wholly for itself, nor yet wholly for another,' but all are ruled by the principles of mutual dependence and harmonious union:

All served, all serving: nothing stands alone;
The chain holds on, and where it ends, unknown.

But further; from the discoveries which have lately been made, or rather, from a theory lately advanced, we are led to suppose that the other planets are formed of nearly such materials as compose this: on this hypothesis, the following questions naturally suggest themselves. Are those spheres inhabited? If so, by whom; a class of intelligencies as far superior to us in their powers and capacities as their blessed abode is removed from this on which our lot is cast, or moral, accountable beings like us, and, like us, as fleeting as the meteor that vanishes ere it can well appear? Are they possessed of the same exalted religious privileges which we enjoy, and has a like grand and lofty scheme for their redemption been designed to result in their final salvation?

We ask these questions, and what is the reply? Mortal tongue cannot unfold the secrets of those worlds, but the answer comes home to the heart with a deep and solemn import. The ways of God are unsearchable and past finding out; yet, benevolent as He is incomprehensible, He has revealed enough of Himself to enable us to understand and do His will; be it ours then to improve the means put into our hands for the attainment of our everlasting good, rather than waste our time in idle speculation, or fruitless attempts to discover what, in all probability, will never come within the limits of our knowledge.

ASTRONOMICAL SYMBOLS.

☉ The Sun	♄ Saturn	SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC.
☾ First Quarter	♅ Georgian	
☽ Full	♆ Conjunction	♈ Aries
☾ Last Quarter	☐ Quadrature	♉ Taurus
☾ New	♁ Opposition	♊ Gemini
☿ Mercury	♆ Sextile	♋ Cancer
♀ Venus	♊ Trine	♌ Leo
♁ Earth	♊ Ascending Node	♍ Virgo
♂ Mars	♊ Descending Node	♎ Libra
♁ Vesta	N North	♏ Scorpio
♁ Pallas	S South	♐ Sagittarius
♁ Juno	° Degrees	♑ Capricornus
♁ Ceres	' Minutes	♒ Aquarius
♁ Jupiter	" Seconds	♓ Pisces

ORIENTAL AND OCCIDENTAL STARS.

VENUS will be between the Earth and the Sun during the greater part of the year.

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September 21st, 1831

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