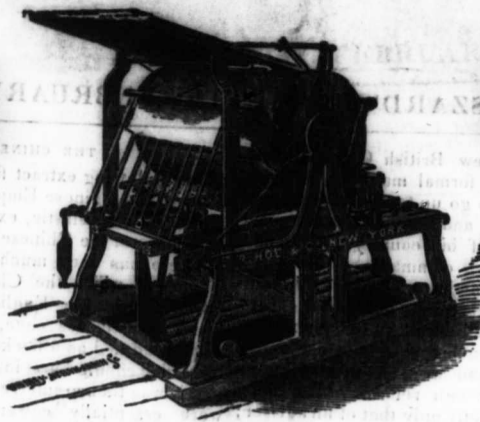


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The Almanack of this year is embellished with a number of neat and appropriate Wood Engravings, and besides the usual information, contains, at request of several friends, the day's length for every day in the year.

"A professor of universal knowledge" had put up his sign near the palace of an Oriental prince, who suddenly came upon the pretender, and put his wisdom to the test.
"So thou knowest all things," said the King: "then tell me to-morrow morning these three things only, or thou shalt lose thy head. First, how many baskets of earth there are in yonder mountain? Secondly, how much is the king worth? And, thirdly, what is the King thinking of at the time."
The professor was distressed beyond measure, and in his apartments rolled upon the carpet in agony, for he knew that he must die on the morrow. His servant learned the trouble, and offered to appear before the King and take his chance of answering the questions. The next morning the servant, clothed in his master's robes, presented himself to his majesty, who was deceived by his appearance, and the King proceeded:
"Tell me, now, how many baskets of earth are in yonder mountain?"
"That depends upon circumstances. If the baskets are as large as the mountain, one will hold it; if half as large, two; if a quarter, four; and so on."
The King had to be satisfied, and proceeded:
"Now, tell me how much the King is worth?"
"Well, your Majesty, the King of Heaven and Earth was sold for thirty pieces of silver, and I conclude you are worth one piece."
This was so witty an escape, that the King laughed, and went on:
"Now, once more, tell me what am I thinking of?"
"You are now thinking that you are talking with the Professor, whereas it is only his servant."
"Well done," said the King, you shall have your reward, and your master shall not lose his head."

"MISTER, where's your house?" asked a curious traveller of a half-horse, half-alligator squatter.
"House, eh? D'ye think I'm one of them sort, stranger! I sleep in the prairie—I eat raw buffalo, and drinks out of the Mississippi."

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GENERAL INTELLIGENCE
THE SOUND DUES.—A private letter from Altona mentions, that the Danish Government has now lost all hope of bringing anything like a conference together on the subject of the Sound dues. The Government is described in this letter as in the greatest embarrassment and disunion as to the course to be pursued towards the flag of the United States, on its first attempting to pass Kronborg, duty free, after the expiration of the present treaty. It is naturally enough feared, that the attempt, if successful, will be imitated by other nations, and the example become widely contagious. It is affirmed, that the Danish authorities have at last deliberated upon the plan of letting the Americans through unmolested, but of keeping an account against them for presentation, when the subject of the Sound dues shall have been adjusted. The Cross journal announces that the United States' government has declared to that of Copenhagen, that it is disposed to pay a sum of 40,000 dollars, and not more, in lieu of all demands for Sound dues, and further, a given sum as equivalent for maintaining lighthouses, buoys, land-marks, &c.

PITCAIRN'S ISLAND.—An interesting communication has been received from this place. The inhabitants were all well on the 14th of September, 1855, the date of the chaplain's letter to the Rev. T. B. Murray. They had heard of the death of the Czar Nicholas; but, as no newspaper was on board the vessel which conveyed the intelligence, they were still in the dark. Though they had suffered some anxiety from a poor yam harvest, they had a good stock of sweet potatoes to turn to, and the "pinch of the year" was past. They were awaiting the measures of Government for their transfer to Norfolk Island, some having relinquished house-building in expectation of this important change. It appears, by accounts from Sydney, that Sir W. Denison, Governor of New South Wales, had, in September last, under instructions from home, despatched a vessel to Pitcairn's Island, with a view of making arrangements. It was intended that, on her return to Sidney, a transport should be fitted out, for the purpose of conveying the islanders to their new and beautiful abode. All care would be taken in the manner of accomplishing the object which they themselves have sought to attain, and every respect paid to their admirable principles and exemplary ways. Mr. Nobbs stated, that the church and school were well attended. His eldest son, Reuben, had died of an attack on the lungs, the youth having returned from Valparaiso, where he had held a mercantile situation, to die among his family and be buried on his native island. Much unanimity prevailed among the people.

NEW BURNISWICK, FEBRUARY 6th.—The Hon. C. Fisher, Attorney-General, has returned from his mission to England, and we are happy to say, if the reports in circulation are to be credited, that he has been completely successful, having arranged with the delinquent firm of Messrs. Peto, Brassy Betts, and also obtained assurances of a sufficient supply of money, on Provincial security, to carry into effect the railway policy of the Government. This is extremely gratifying intelligence;

but it will be time enough to rely upon it when we hear something more definite from the gentleman himself. The Executive Council is now in session at Fredericton, and we therefore presume the facts will soon be known.

A PRECEDENT FOR RUSSIA.—A letter from Vienna, dated Jan. 2d, published in the Constitutionnel, says:

"As much as has been said about the dignity of the crown of the Czar, I will mention a case in which the two first naval powers in the world did not think it a derogation from their national dignity to reciprocally adopt, under similar circumstances, the arrangement which the allies of the 2d of December have just presented to Russia for the solution of the 3d guarantee."

The writer then alludes to the arrangements come to between Great Britain and America on the subject of the navigation of the river St. Lawrence and the upper lakes, and by which those two powers were reciprocally interdicted from having vessels of war on any of the lakes, the waters of which washed the territory of the two States; and then proceeds:

If Great Britain, notwithstanding her ancient pretension to the empire of the sea, has, in her arrangement with the United States, consented to the system of neutrality, in virtue of which their vessels of war cannot penetrate into the great lakes of North America, and renounced by the stroke of a pen the power of bringing vessels into the ocean, which she might be able to build at a much cheaper rate in Canada, it must be admitted, that she now demands from Russia nothing more than what she herself submitted to a quarter of a century ago. This is what Count Valentine Esterhazy is particularly charged to impress on the Russian Cabinet, in explaining the unalterable interpretation which the Western Powers have decided on attaching to the system of neutrality of the Black Sea."

According to the Albany Evening Journal "the number of men killed in the wars is over (?) 300,000! Seventy-three battles have been fought, and no such bloody record has been presented in any year since the days of Waterloo."

A new planet, of great brilliancy, has just been discovered by M. Chacornac, of the Paris Observatory.

We learn from trustworthy sources that the Prohibitory Law is in the most beneficial operation in St. Stephen. It is a fact, that the appearance of the village is totally changed, and few and very furtive must be the attempts to evade the law.—It is a fact, that none rejoice more in the operation of the law than some of the very persons who were addicted to drinking. We believe it is otherwise in St. Andrew's.—St. John Courier.

GEOGRAPHICAL POSITION.—The Nursery of Europe is Lapland.