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Fig. 1

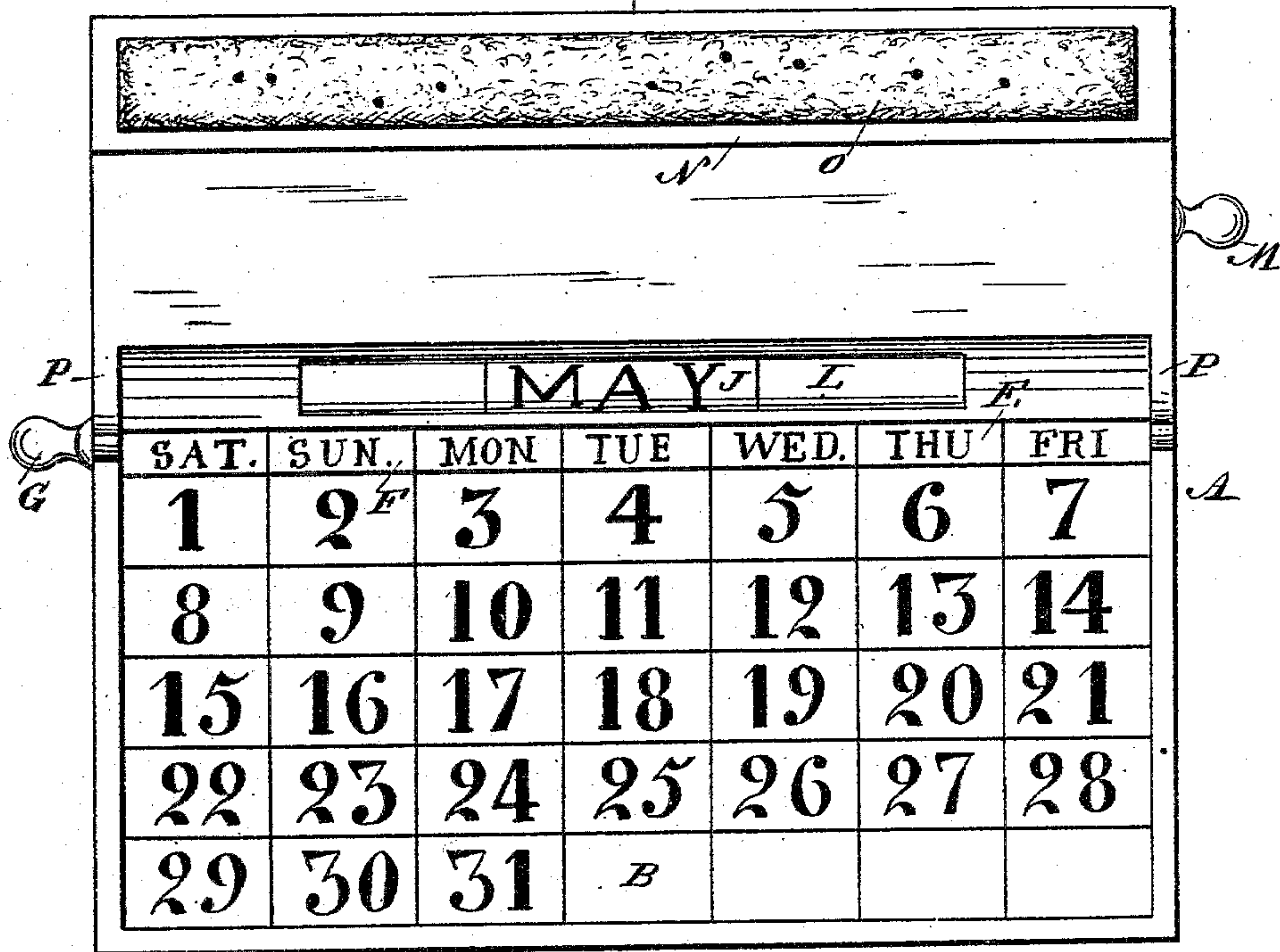
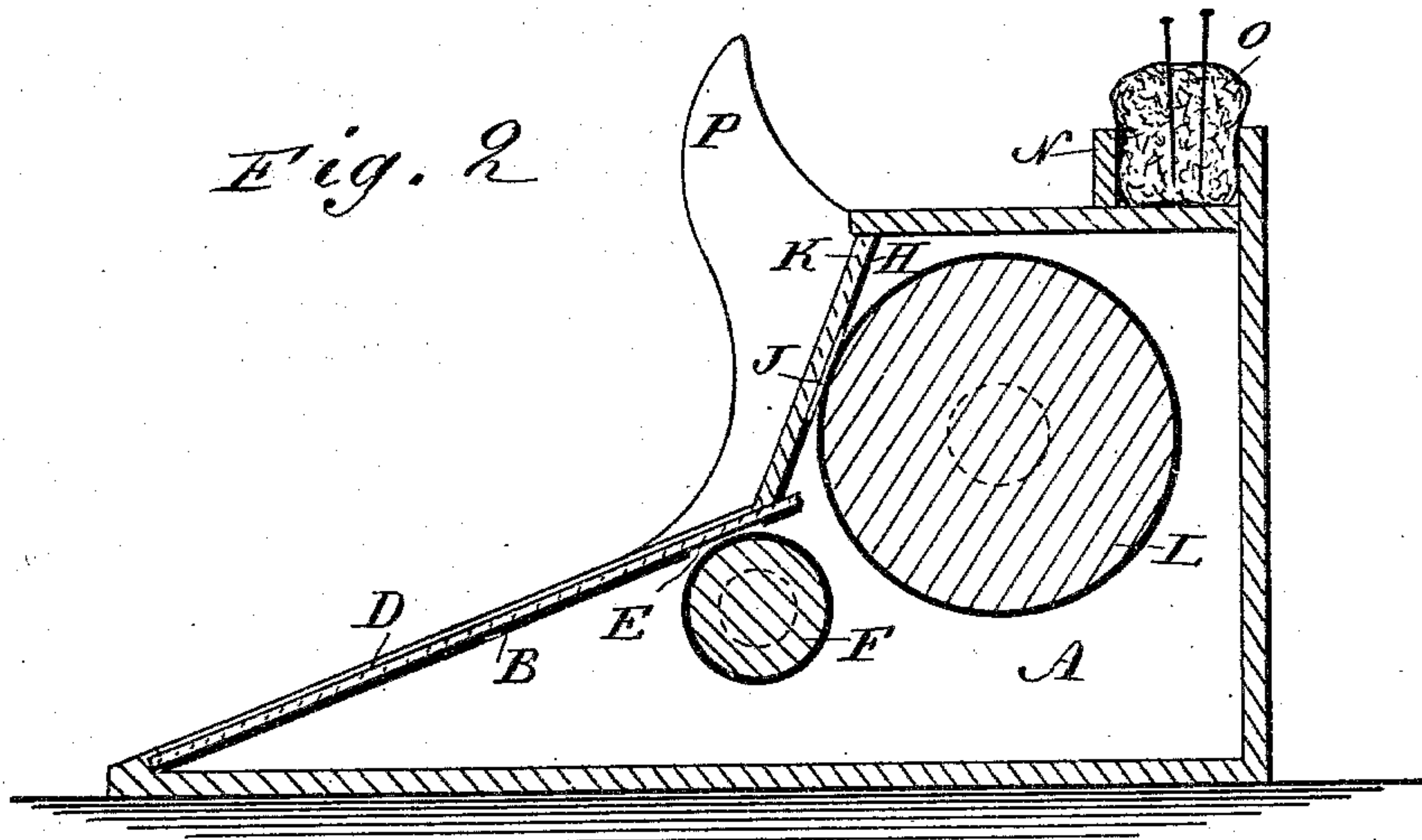


Fig. 2



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COMBINED PAPER-WEIGHT, CALENDAR, AND PEN-RACK.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOSIAS R. KING, of St. Paul, in the county of Ramsey and State of Minnesota, have invented a new and Improved
5 Combined Paper-Weight, Calendar, Pen-Rack, &c., of which the following is a full, clear, and exact description.

This invention pertains to improvements in a combined paper-weight, calendar, pin-cushion, pen-rack, &c.; and it consists of the hereinafter described and claimed combination and arrangement of parts.

Reference is to be had to the accompanying drawings, forming part of this specification,
15 in which similar letters of reference indicate corresponding parts in both the figures.

Figure 1 is a plan view of my improved combined paper-weight, calendar, pen-rack, &c. Fig. 2 is a cross-sectional elevation of the same
20 on the line *x x*, Fig. 1.

A box or casing, A, is provided with a front board, B, which is inclined upward, and from the front toward the rear end of the box, on which board B a calendar sheet or table is
25 produced, which is divided into seven columns, containing the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 at the heads, the numbers 8, 9, 10, &c., in the second row, and so on. A glass pane, D, covers the sheet on board B. At its upper
30 end, and directly above the table, the sheet or board is provided with a longitudinal slot, E, through which a roller, F, can be seen, which is journaled in the box directly below the slot, which roller is provided at one end with a
35 handle-knob, G, for turning it. On the surface of the roller F the first syllables or initials of the seven days of the week are produced in seven longitudinal rows, the initials or syllables being shifted one space for each
40 following longitudinal row, so that by turning the roller F the initial letter or syllable of any desired day can be brought above the numeral 1, the other initial syllables corre-

sponding. At the upper end of the inclined sheet or board B a vertical or inclined front
45 board, H, extends to the top of the box, which board H is provided with a longitudinal slot, J, and is covered by a pane, K, of glass. Behind the slot J a large roller, L, is journaled in the box A, which roller is provided at one
50 end with a handle-knob, M. On the face of the roller the names of the month are produced in twelve successive longitudinal rows, so that by turning the roller L the name of any month can be brought behind the slot J. A
55 longitudinal box, N, is formed on the top of the box A along the rear edge of the same, and in the said box N a cushion, O, is fastened for receiving pins, needles, &c. Two upwardly-projecting arms, P, are secured to the front of
60 the box at the ends, and between the said arms and the pin-cushion box N pens, pencils, &c., can be placed. The box serves as a paper-weight. The calendar is perpetual, as the roller F can easily be adjusted, so that the
65 initials of the first week of the month will show in the slot E.

Having thus described my invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

The combination, with the box A, having an almanac-table, B, and a front board, H, provided with the slots E J, respectively, of the roller F, journaled in the box and behind the slot E, the said roller having produced
75 thereon the initial letters or syllables of the days of the week, and of the roller L, journaled in the box and behind the slot J, the said roller having the names of the months produced on its surface, substantially as herein
80 shown and described, and for the purpose set forth.

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