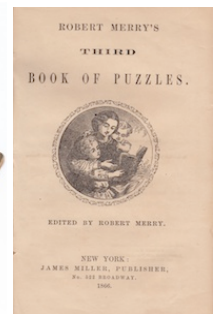
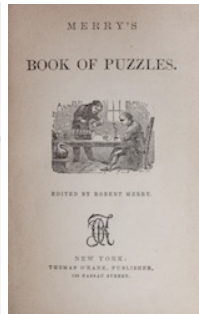


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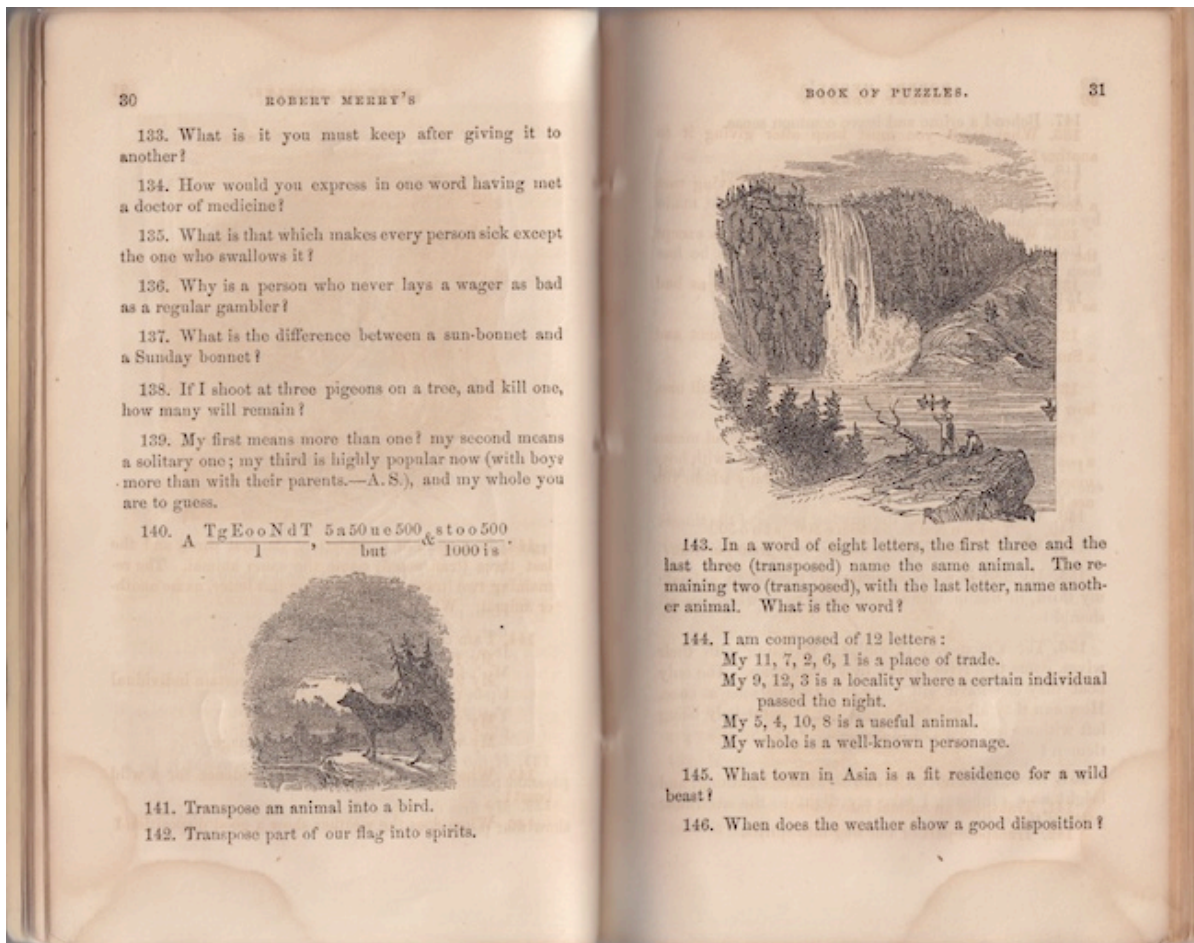


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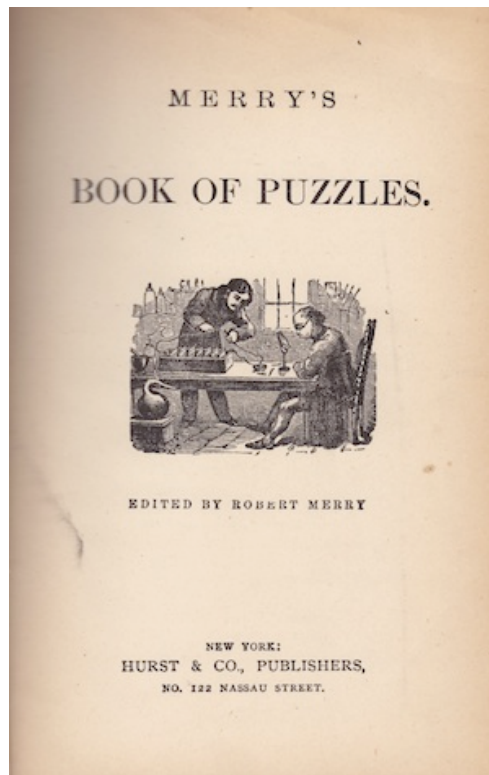
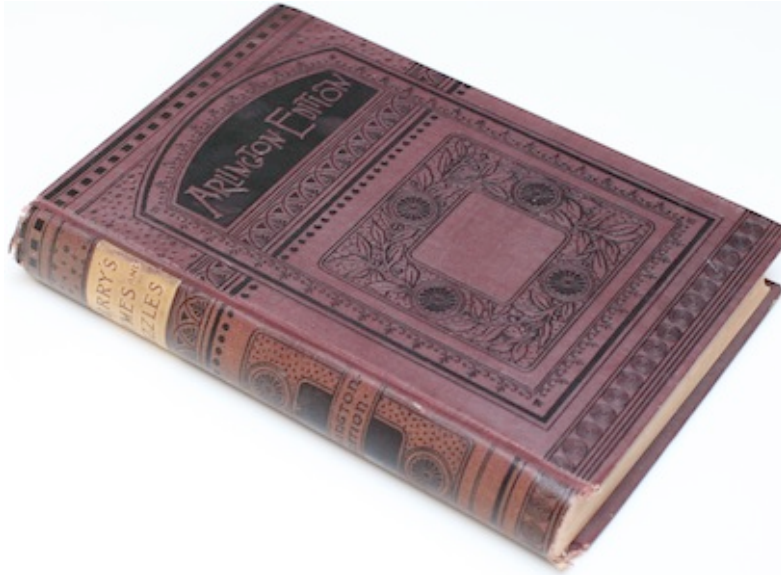


Further Reading

Merry's Rhymes and Puzzles pdf, from: <http://www.archive.org/details/merrysbookofpuzz00stea>

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Merry's Arlington Edition



Hurst and Co., Publishers, NY, circa 1880's.
(hard cover, 7.6" x 5.3" x 1", 300 pages;
hand written on a blank page inside the cover "Merry Christmas from Mamma 1887")

Same material as edition on the previous page. In this edition, the pages are numbered in the book of Rhymes. Both editions have a contents at the back of the book of Rhymes that does not match up with the Rhymes (the edition on the previous page is missing entries and this edition has extra entries).

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