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WINTER ARRANGEMENT

[redacted] OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

DECEMBER 14TH, 1868.

FIVE TRAINS DOWN TO PHILADELPHIA, passing Reading, at 7.30, 10.35 and 11.15 A. M., and 4.25 and 6.35 P. M.

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The 8.15 A. M., and 3.30 P. M. up trains from Philadelphia, and 10.35 A. M., and 4.20 P. M. down trains, stop only at principal stations below Reading.

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[redacted] On and after Thursday, Nov. 26th, 1868, Passenger Trains will run on this road as follows:

Leave Reading at	7.00 A. M.
" " "	6.15 P. M.
Arrive at Lancaster at	9.15 A. M.
" " Columbia at	9.25 A. M.
" " Lancaster at	8.25 P. M.
" " Columbia at	8.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Lancaster & Columbia at	8.00 A. M.
" Columbia at	3.20 P. M.
" Lancaster at	3.25 P. M.
Arrive at Reading at	10.20 A. M.
" at Reading at	5.40 P. M.

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ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS,

Commencing Monday, December 21st, 1868.

[redacted] No. 5, Mail Train, leaves Reading 10.30, A. M., arrives Allentown 12.05; at New York 3.50, P. M.

No. 7 Fast Mail, leaves Reading at 4.20 P. M., arrives at Allentown 5.55; at New York 10.05, P. M.

Nos. 5 and 7, run daily, except Sunday, stopping at all Way Stations between Reading and New York.

EXPRESS TRAINS:

Leave Reading at	5.44 A. M.
" "	7.31 A. M.
" "	2.28 A. M.
" "	1.00 A. M.
Arrive at New York at	11.00 A. M.
" " "	12.15 A. M.
" " "	7.00 P. M.
" " "	6.15 A. M.

These trains run through from Pittsburgh to New-York, without change of cars, stopping only at Lyons, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton Junction, Clinton, White House, Somerville, Bound Brook, Plainfield and Elizabeth.

The 5.44 A. M. train runs daily except Sundays and Mondays.

The 2.28 P. M. trains run daily except Sundays.

The 7.31 A. M. and 1.00 A. M. trains run daily.

West bound trains, leave New York, at the foot of Liberty street, as follows:

Leave New York.		*Arrive at Reading.*
12.00 M.	Mail No. 6,	6.00 P. M.
9.00 A. M.	Express Train,	11.50 P. M.
5.10 P. M.	Express Train,	10.19 P. M.
8.00 P. M.	Express Train,	1.00 A. M.

Mail Train leaving Allentown at 7.20, A. M., stops at all Way Stations, arriving at Reading at 9.10, A. M., running daily except Sundays.

The 12 M. Train from New York, stops at all Stations between New York and Reading, leaving Allentown at 4.20, P. M., arriving at Reading at 6.00, P. M., running daily except Sundays.

The 9.00 P. M. train from New York, runs daily stopping at Elizabeth, Plainfield, Sommerville, Junction, Easton, and Bethlehem, arriving at Allentown at 11.45, P. M., passing Lyons at 12.20, A. M., arriving at Reading at 1.00 A. M.

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YOUNG MEN

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MENTALLY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded—Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depressions of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion to Society, Self-Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

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YOUNG MEN

Who have injured themselves by a certain practice indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the consequence of deviating from the path of nature and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons must, before contemplating

MARRIAGE,

reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

DISEASE OF IMPRUDENCE.

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds that he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame, or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin-bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings, by sending him to "that Undiscovered Country from whence no traveller returns."

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Men's calf Balmorals,	2 00
Men's kip Balmorals,	1 80
Boys' calf Balmorals,	1 60
Boys' kip Balmorals,	1 35
Youths' kip Balmorals,	1 00
Women's lasting high Polish,	2 75
Women's Congress gaiters,	75 to 2 50
Women's lasting Balmorals,	1 90
Women's Morocco Balmorals,	2 00
Women's Morocco shoes,	1 65
Women's kid slippers,	65
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feb 27-6tw] JAMES GEIGER, Adm'or.

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jan 18-3m

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"Men scorn to kiss among themselves,
And scarce would kiss a brother;
But women want to kiss so bad,
They smack and kiss each other."

A LADY REPLIES.

"Men do not kiss among themselves,
It's well that they refrain,
The bitter dose would vex them so
They ne'er would kiss again."

THE WALTZER.

What! the girl I adore, by another embraced!
What! the balm of her lips shall another man taste!
What! touched in the whirl by another man's knee!
What! pant and recline on another than me!
Sir! she's yours! From the grape you have pressed the soft blue—
From the rose you have shaken the tremulous dew!
What you've touched you may take! Pretty Waltzer, adieu!

Working the Soil.

You cannot well work the soil too much; it is almost always worked too little. We have for a few years, experimented in this particular. The effect where the soil is a fair one, is almost miraculous. People do not experiment, and therefore do not know; scarcely ever is the thing thoroughly tried. Who works the soil once a week, or but once in two weeks, to say nothing of daily stirring? Very few indeed can answer in the affirmative.

Now, there is such a thing as soil being so poor as that stirring, however much it is done, will not benefit it, or but a little. This is the case with soil composed nearly all of sand. But where there is a good proportion of clay, with other constituents to make, as we have said, a fair or medium soil, great benefit will be derived by turning it upside down often. A rich soil will also be favorably affected—but especially a soil having clay pretty largely, as clay is a conductor. And the advantage which results from stirring the soil is based upon this; it is by throwing the ground to the air, which imparts its fertility to it—the ground, particularly the clay, attracting it. The more it is stirred, the more porous it will become; and the more new and unaired ground will be brought in contact to receive the benefit. Hence an almost constant stirring is an almost constant feeding. Besides, the texture of the soil is improved. Water, heavy and long continued rains, are of no consequence. They pass through it at once, leaving also the ammonia and the carbon and other gases of the atmosphere, which the soil abstracts from the water. A rain therefore is not hurtful as it generally is when long continued. The ground does not become soured and packed, to crack when the sun strikes it, which is so common, and such a detriment. The cracking is a sure sign that the soil is not in a proper condition. A properly worked soil is springy, lively and mellow—just the soil to hold moisture through a drouth, which is such an infliction in our hot summers. But it lies there defying the rain, and the frost. It is its own protector. And it will keep; you cannot readily spoil it. It will bear sooner plowing after a rain, and sooner putting in. And when it comes to the working, it will almost work itself. Compare it with other hard soil in this respect.

But its fertility is after all its greatest point. That is its greatest improvement. Tilling the soil, therefore, is an expressive word. It means work; it means less land; it means security against mishap, such as drouth, rain, &c.; it means improvement without manure proper—not that it excludes manure; it but the better prepares the soil to receive it and appropriate it. It means a garden. Were each man's farm like his garden, there would be the greatest improvement the world ever knew; less so in the richer soils of the West.

Even our gardens can be greatly improved in this respect; not so much on the surface as in the depths. The soil wants to be worked up from beneath. That is, the soil in most cases wants to be fed by the air and changed.

Summer fallows are an improvement on this principle, and this alone. Twice plowing is better than once, and three times better than twice; and if thoroughly cultivated between each plowing, all the better.

And it is this working of the soil that kills weeds; it cleans the ground, and prepares it better than anything else for sowing.

There is no heaving of such a soil by the frost. The frost but improves it; it cannot hurt it.

And the deeper the soil is worked, stirred, in this way, gradually, the better. This gives you the under benefit which is otherwise lost.

Less land, and thoroughly worked, is the doctrine of the day. And it has been the doctrine from time immemorial. But it is only good when applied to land thus thoroughly worked, manured, and taken care of. Then less land becomes a necessity.—*Rural World.*

Sixty fortunes have been made by enterprising Northerners during the past two years from the culture of oranges in Florida. Two brothers from New England, without funds, who rented a grove on shares, have realized $7,000 during the past season above all expenses.