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[From the Atlantic Monthly for December.]
THE SKATER.

The skater lightly laughs and glides,
Unknowing that beneath the ice
Whereon he carves his fair device
A stiffened corpse in silence slides.

It glareth upward at its play;
Its cold, blue, rigid fingers steal
Beneath the tracings of his heel
It floats along and floats away.

He has not seen its horror pass;
His heart is blithe; the village hears
His distant laughter; he careers
In festive waltz athwart the glass.

We are the skaters, we who skim
The surface of Life's solemn flood,
And drive, with gladness in our blood,
A daring dance from brim to brim.

Our feet are swift, our faces burn,
Our hopes aspire like soaring birds,
The world takes courage from our words,
And sees the golden time return.

But ever near us, silent, cold,
Float those who bounded from the bank
With eager hearts, like us, and sank
Because their feet were overbold.

They sank through breathing holes of vice,
Through treacherous shams of unbelief;
They know not their despair and grief;
Their hearts and minds are turned to ice.

WHEN AND HOW TO APPLY MANURES.—If we consult nature—taking her processes as our guide—we shall see her vegetable fertilizers applied in the fall—and there can be no better evidence than this is a most favorable time for manuring the soil. Circumstances, it is true, may render it advisable to vary from this time, and it is one of the objects of the farmer's study to be able to modify natural laws and to choose in some cases, convenience as his guide. The more perfectly, however, he understands Nature, the better he can command her, but generally, the closer will be his obedience to her teachings. Nature makes no mistakes—she never practices false economy—all progress is by due obedience to her laws.

The application of manure in autumn presupposes that it has become partially decomposed during the summer, and that it will become well rotted by the following spring, when needed by plants upon the resumption or commencement of their growth. It is thus ready for their use, and this is one material advantage of applying manure in autumn. Another advantage is, that this decomposition has reduced its bulk without deteriorating its value, (if properly carried on) rendering its transportation less expensive, while at the same time, the team and the roads are in a better condition for the work. The summer season, too, has afforded time for composting the stores of the barnyard with muck and other vegetable matter, thus increasing largely the amount and value of both classes of material—an important object to the farmer.

Nature if asked the question, "How shall we apply manure?" answers "On the surface." She has no operation analogous to plowing—and while we may think we have improved upon her methods—as we undoubtedly have in this and other respects—we still may learn wisdom from her example. In applying manure to sward land in the fall, let it be spread upon the surface—the growing grass will keep it in place, will keep it moist, and will gradually work its decomposition. When we would plow in the Spring, it is in the right state and position for our use—for the use of the succeeding crop—and practice proves this to be one of the best methods of manuring sward for any crop. In applying manure on stubble land, it would be well to cover it immediately with the gang plow or cultivator, incorporating it as thoroughly as may be with the surface soil. In spring, before sowing, let the land be plowed to a proper depth for the crop applied, and the result has been in the cases in which trial has been made—a better crop than from manuring in the spring in the usual manner —*Country Gentleman.*

HOW TO HAVE GOOD CIDER.—Prof. Horsford of Harvard University, has recently published a recipe for improving and preserving cider, by means of which the progress of the vinous and acetic fermentation may be arrested at pleasure, and the cider preserved in just such a state as may be desired. A correspondent of the Boston *Journal* says:

Put the new cider into clean casks or barrels, and allow it to ferment from one to three weeks, according as the weather is cool or warm. When it has attained to a lively fermentation add to each gallon three-fourths of a pound of white sugar, and let the whole ferment again until it possesses nearly the brisk pleasant taste which it is desired should be permanent. Pour out a quart of the cider and mix with it one quarter of an ounce of sulphate of lime for every gallon the cask contains. Stir until it is intimately mixed, and pour the emulsion into the liquid. Agitate the contents of the cask thoroughly for a few moments, then let it rest, that the cider may settle. Fermentation will be arrested at once, and will not be resumed. It may be bottled in the course of a few weeks, or it may be allowed to remain in the cask and used on draft. If bottled, it will become a sparkling cider—better than what is called champagne wine.

Professor Horsford of Cambridge, was the first to use the sulphite of lime for this purpose, and to him is due the credit of first calling attention to its usefulness. It is in no respect deleterious, as the sulphate, into which the sulphite is changed by the liberation of sulphurous acid, is entirely insoluble, and remains at the bottom of the vessel.

The writer has cider prepared in this way two years since, which has remained unchanged and is now a beverage of unsurpassed excellence. The *sulphite* of lime, not the sulph*ate*, must be used.

A NEW religious sect has recently been holding a prolonged meeting at Concord, New Hampshire. They number about one hundred, and have not yet fully decided on their name, but are inclined to call themselves the "Orthodox Catholic Church." Their creed is said to be as follows: "They believe in community of goods. Civil law they do not regard, and endeavor, as far as they are able, to separate themselves from its influence. Their laws are Bible laws. Human authority is weak, and, consequently, cannot be perfect. To avoid acknowledging the law of the land, they do not intend to buy any real estate, but in the spring, they will hire farms, where all the brethren and sisters may live together in peace and harmony. They hold that, after one has once received the reviving influences of the Holy Spirit, it is impossible for him, not only to fall from grace, but even to be tempted. Absolute perfection seems to be their expectation. As an offshoot of the old Second Adventists, they believe in the speedy coming of the Saviour. The time is not yet revealed, but soon will be. They intend that, when He comes, he shall find His Church ready and waiting, apart by themselves. They respect the marriage covenant. Three apostles, who are to have charge of their affairs have been chosen."

A ROYAL CADET.—Prince Albert has joined the Euryalus for his first trip. The report tells us that the Prince (to whom Admiral Punch wishes all kinds of Trafalgars and Aboukirs) is "to enjoy no immunity from his royal rank." Highly proper; the youngster is to be treated like any other youngster; there is not to be the smallest distinction between his berth and that of the humblest cadet. However, our eyes are travelling on, we were startled to read that, as the Prince joined his ship, the yards were manned, a salute was fired, and a grand luncheon laid out for him in the state cabin. Hence we conclude that when Master Dumpling, or any other cadet, goes to sea for the first time, the yards are always manned, salutes are invariably fired, all hands are piped on deck, and the honors of the reception are generally wound up by the lad's receiving an invitation to lunch with the captain in his cabin. No wonder our English boys are all so eager to go to sea!—*Punch.*

IT is said that the cost to the Government for mail transportation by the overland route to California is at the rate of five dollars per letter—a clear loss of four dollars and ninety-five cents on each letter carried.

THE ROCK ISLAND BRIDGE—A NEW PROJECT.—The Rock Island *Commercial* gives the following outline of a project which will settle all the difficulties connected with the Rock Island Bridge question:

An engineer has been examining the slough between Moline and Rock Island. After a thorough investigation, he has given it as his opinion that it can be made navigable for steamboats, at an expense not exceeding $100,000. His plan is to construct a lock at the foot of the dam at Moline, and place a draw in the slough. With some little excavation of rock at the upper end of the slough, and the construction of a lock, no doubt is entertained but that it can be made navigable at all seasons of the year for the largest boats which float on the Mississippi. There is no current whatever in the slough, and if this could be effected the steamboat men would, have an advantage superior to the one they possessed even before the bridge was erected.

DANGEROUS HALLUCINATION.—A member of the Senior class in Princeton College, under the influence of a dangerous drug called "hasheesh," imagined that he was under sentence of death and appointed his own executioner, attempted to hang himself with his neckerchief on Tuesday night last, and would probably have accomplished his purpose, had not some persons who were searching for him, discovered the body before respiration had entirely ceased. The young man had been reading a few days previously, the famous work of Ludlow, entitled "The Hasheesh Eater," and in spite of persuasions to the contrary, determined to experiment with this dangerous drug.

A league is believed to exist in the Southern States, one of the aims of which is the augmentation of the supply of slave labor. It is asserted that this League is now operating in the State of Mississippi to secure the passage of a law by the Legislature, authorizing a system of African apprenticeship—claiming that each State has a perfect right to make such laws in this regard as it may deem proper, and that Congress has no right to interfere. Should they succeed in Mississippi, the contest of course will at once be taken to Congress.

A Wheeling newspaper says that the Rev. David Young, whose death at Zanesville, Ohio, has already had newspaper publicity, bequeathed by his will $12,000 to build a new house for the Second st., M. E. Church in Zanesville, with free seats $1,000 to the Ohio Wesleyan University; $1,000 to the Bible Society; $1,000 to the M. E. Missionary Society, and from $5,000 to $10,000 to build another M. E. Church in Zanesville.

SEVEN cents in postage are saved in sending letters overland from California to a circuit in the States embraced in three thousand miles distance from the Pacific coast. The States of Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Iowa, Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas, and nearly the whole of Ohio, with a large portion of Western Pennsylvania and Virginia, together with portions of Michigan and North Carolina fall within this circuit.

AN amusing but painful incident recently took place in Cincinnati. Two gentlemen afflicted with St. Vitus dance met, and each supposing the other to be mocking him, a fight ensued of the most desperate character. Finally a mutual acquaintance found them struggling in the gutter, and succeeded in separating them and making known their mutual mistake, when they shook hands and apologized to each other.

A $100,000 NEWSPAPER FAILURE.—We very much regret to learn that the Chicago *Press and Tribune* has failed for $100,000. Our neighbors, the proprietors, have been going it a little too steep. However, we learn they have had an extension from their creditors of *four years*, during which time they will undoubtedly get themselves out of the woods.—*St. Louis Dem.*

SHEEP KILLED.—On Sunday night of last week some dogs got into the sheep fold of Mr. William Bebout, of Washington co., Pa., and killed twenty outright and wounded twenty others so badly that they cannot long survive. They were of a superior quality, and the loss will fall heavily upon the owner.—*Steub. Herald.*

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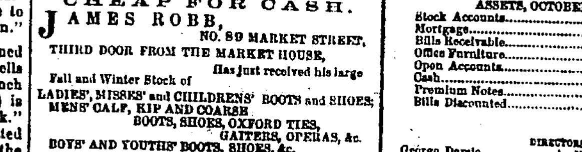
NEW NAIL PLATE FEEDER.—Sherwoods' Patent Self-Acting Nail Plate Feeder for Nail Machinery. This improvement does away with the necessity of a man or boy to attend each machine. One hand can attend four machines; and each machine will cut more nails with this feeder attached, than can be done by those fed by hand, saving three hands out of four, making the nails more perfect, as it is fed by a screw, and can be run at a greater speed. It is very simple and not liable to get out of order, and can be applied to any machine now in use at comparatively a small cost. It is warranted to work perfect or no pay. A machine with this feeder attached can be seen in operation at the Fair of the American Institute, Crystal palace, New York. Rights and Feeders for sale by the proprietor, D. W. SEELEY,
se24:3md No. 137 Nassau St., New York.



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Book Accounts, accrued interest, etc	3,336 19
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	$252,465 89

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Mortgages..........$918,128 08
Real Estate..........84,377 78
Temporary Loans..........83,966 17
Stocks..........61,889 00
Cash, &c..........64,346 81
$1,212,708 44
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Stock Due Bills, payable on demand, secured by two approved names	$133,000 00
Premium Notes	33,461 51
Bills Receivable	1,400 00
115 shares Mechanics' Bank Stock—cost	6,165 00
100 do Citizens' do do	6,175 00
50 do Bank of Pittsburgh do do	2,750 00
40 do Exchange Bank do do	2,050 00
Balance of Book Accounts	5,580 21
Office Furniture	400 00
Cash	45,769 76
	$240,759 71

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Stock Accounts	$103,500 00
Mortgage	2,100 00
Bills Receivable	1,006 40
Office Furniture	250 00
Open Accounts	12,234 06
Cash	12,430 44
Premium Notes	29,725 55
Bills Discounted	140,402 56
	$301,710 01

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CHARTERED CAPITAL..........$300,000
ASSETS NOVEMBER 26, 1858.

Stock Notes	$47,767 49
Bills Receivable	51,812 98
Bonds and Mortgages	11,918 15
Stock	2,637 95
Book Accounts	15,413 16
Office Furniture	464 50
Cash on hand and in Bank	6,563 92
Interest accrued and uncollected	289 50
Salvage uncollected	2,000 00
Premiums on Policies recently issued	1,500 00
Total	$140,407 75

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ASSETS NOVEMBER 1, 1858.

Stock Due-Bills—payable on demand and secured by two approved names	$70,800,00
Cash in Pittsburgh Trust Company	67,646,21
Premium Notes	51,983,21
Bills Receivable	10,821,54
200 Shares Exchange Bank Stock—cost	11,508,63
200 do Allegheny Bank Stock— do	10,000,00
300 do Iron City Bank Stock—am't. paid	11,250,00
99 do Mechanics' Bank Stock—cost	5,490,63
Book Accounts	9,007,55
	$254,097,65

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Assets of the Company, Nov. 2d, 1857.

Bonds, Mortgages, and Real Estate	$101,350 92
Philadelphia City, and other Loans	137,011 25
Stock in Banks, Railroad & Insurance Cos.	12,508 00
Bills Receivable	220,291 95
Cash on hand	38,892 66
Balances in hands of Agents, Premiums on Marine Policies recently issued, and other debts due the Company	92,730 57
Subscription Notes	100,000 00
	$703,785 37

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