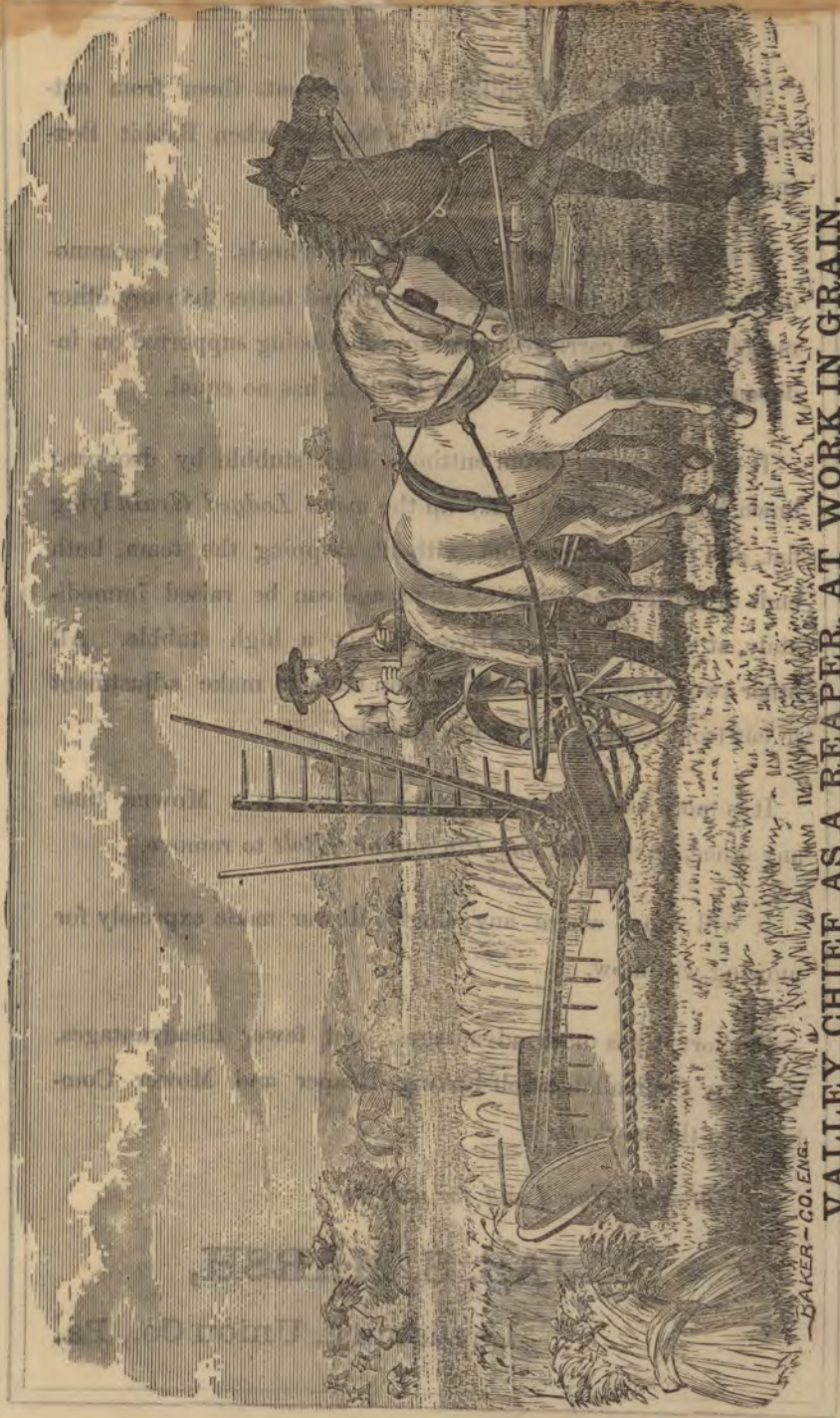




VALLEY CHIEF AS A REAPER, AT WORK IN GRAIN.

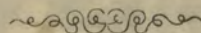
VALLEY CHIEF AS A MOWER ON THE ROAD.



Advantages of the Valley Chief

OVER OTHER

Self-Raking Reapers and Mowers.



THE CONTROLLABLE RAKE is controlled by a slight movement of the foot; or it can be worked automatically—delivering the gavel at uniform distances, without action of the driver. When working automatically, it can be controlled at the same time by the treadle without any changes—thus I have a Rake which is automatic and controllable at the same time. All other Self-Rakes I know of must be worked wholly automatic, or changes made; then they must be worked wholly controllable. When grain stands uniform I let the Rake work automatic, and without making a change or stopping team, I can control at the corner or thin spots of grain.

I use six gathers, which do much better Reeling than a less number, and is the only Self-Rake which has the gathers arranged so as to prevent the grain from lodging or hanging on the grain *Side-Board*.

It is very durable, being constructed almost entirely of iron

The bearings are all chilled, which prevents them from cutting when oiling is neglected, as is the case when Babbit Boxing is used.

It is *light draft*, having high Drive-Wheels. It accommodates itself to the inequalities of the ground better than any other machine. The carriage and grain table being supported on independant wheels. In Lodged Grain it has no equal.

It can be changed from cutting a high stubble by dropping down the Cutter-Bar to take up the *worst Lodged Grain* lying flat, and from the machine without stopping the team, both ends of Cutter-Bar dropping alike, and can be raised immediately, at the will of the driver, to cut a high stubble. All other two-wheel machines must stop team to make adjustment to cut from high to a very low stubble.

It is more easily changed from a REAPER to a MOWER than any other, having but *one Pin* and *one Bolt* to remove.

It will mow where any single Mower made expressly for mowing will mow.

In short it has more advantages, and fewer disadvantages, than any Controllable Self-Raking Reaper and Mower Combined in the market.

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