

which himself and friends sail up and down the lake at will, enjoying the cool and invigorating breeze, and the beautiful lake and mountain scenery.

BALANCE ROCK AND SKINNER'S CAVE.

Two of the principal objects of interest in the lake are Balance Rock and Skinner's Cave. They are situated on islands about twelve miles north of the southern end of the lake. Our artist has given a good representation of Balance Rock, which is on Long Island, and will be noticed at the southern end as the steamer goes north. It is a great granite boulder poised upon a single point, and must have been brought down from the north in the great flow of ice that is supposed to have taken place in remote ages, and here lodged.

Skinner's Cave is at the north end of Skinner's Island. There is a legend connected with this cave, that is handsomely told in verse, and can be found in Burt's Connecticut Valley