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Garrocks  
Bridge of Earn  
Perthshire

Sep. 21

My dear Davison,

Your letter arrived

While I was away, & was  
forwarded to me at Oban  
while I was busy (only  
having 4 days to get thro. a  
lot of work); so I have  
put off answering it till my  
return today.

I have first to thank

you very much for your  
prompt reply to my telegram.  
The rotating cup, you may  
remember, was one of your  
desires & it has answered  
capitally. When an echinus  
is ~~being~~ rolling over to right  
itself after having been placed  
on its aboral pole (using its miclers  
in succession for the purpose as described  
in the abstract of our paper last  
year), it may be brought perma-  
nently to rest in any desired  
position, or phase of the manœuvre,  
by rotating the containing vessel

in a plane perpendicular to  
the surface of attachment.

I have sent back the  
rotating apparatus, & am  
much obliged to you both  
for it & for the suggestion.

Ever yours,

George J. Romanes.

