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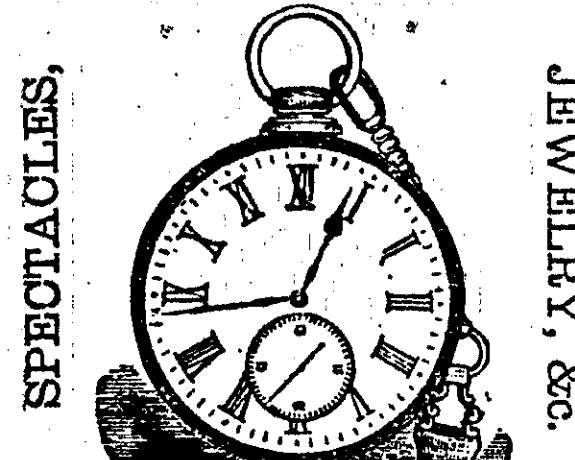
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IS THE PLACE TO GET JOB WORK DONE NEAT and CHEAP.

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Selected Poetry

WAITING. Oh, the weary, weary waiting For the morning's tardy ray; When the heart, oppressed with longing...

Miscellaneous

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY.

The Fire Department of New York City, which electricity connects, is the finest and most extensive in the world. Great big London and brilliant Paris have nothing to compare with it.

Stories of Blitz.

THE GREAT VENTRILOQUIST AND SOME OF HIS EXPERIENCES. At Exeter, England, in the early part of 1826, he was summoned before the Archbishop and Church Council...

An Inquisitive Customer.

He slipped into an ice-cream saloon very softly, and when the girl asked him what he wanted he replied: "Corn-beef, fried potatoes, pickles, and mince pie."

Woman's Curiosity.

A man was yesterday pushing an iron lawn-roller around a yard on Woodward avenue, when an old lady came along, leaned up against the fence and watched him for awhile, and then called out: "Say, Mister, what are you pushing that around for?"

Life.

The evening of every man's days is coming on apace. The day of life will soon be spent. The sun, though it may be up in mid heaven, will pass swiftly down the western sky and disappear.

Life.

They tasted, and smacked their lips, but were not certain. "Does it taste to you as if a plug of tobacco had fallen into the freezer?" he asked.

Pleasant Paragraphs.

Much of the charity that begins at home is too feeble to get out of doors. Adam missed one of the luxuries of life. He couldn't laugh in his sleeves. The Turks do not laugh at the war maps published in American newspapers. They weep.

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A young lady was asked upon her return from church, last Sunday, what the text was, to which she unhesitatingly replied, "Blessed are the dress-makers." An indiscriminate slaughter of dogs is threatened. All right, but remember that every dog killed leaves several hundred fleas to be cared for and amused.

Pleasant Paragraphs.

Somebody told Jerold that George Robins, the auctioneer was dead. "And of course," added the gentleman, "his business will go to the devil." "Oh then, he'll get it again!" replied the wit. The New England undertakers are reducing their rates, in hopes that the Generals will be greatly increased thereby. Their prices have been so steep heretofore that very few persons of ordinary means had the courage to die. They couldn't afford it.

Farm and Household.



Fancy Farmers.

No class of men have been ridiculed so much, and none have done so much good, as those who are denominated fancy farmers.

Fancy farmers have changed the wild boar into the Suffolk and Berkshire; the wild bull of Britain into the Shorthorn; the mountain sheep, with its lean body and hair fleece, into the Southdown and Merino.

Fancy farmers introduced irrigation and under-draining, grinding and cooking food for stock. They brought guano from Peru and nitrate of soda from Chili.

Fancy farmers or fancy horticulturists have given us all varieties of fruits, vegetables and flowers. A fancy farmer in Vermont a few years ago originated the Early Rose Potato.

Among the men in this country who were classed as fancy farmers at an early day, were Washington, Jefferson, Franklin and Livingston.

What we need to develop the agriculture and horticulture of the country to their fullest extent is a large number of fancy farmers, men who work for pleasure rather than private gain.

To Make Cows Give Milk. A writer, who says his cow gives all the milk that he wants, says: If you desire to get a large yield of rich milk, give your cow, three times a day, water slightly warm, slightly salted, in which bran has been stirred.

mess she will eat almost any time, and ask for more. The amount of this is an ordinary water pail full each time, morning, noon and night.

The 'Poultry World' says the same food given to increase the milk of cows, will also answer for the increase of eggs, fed to hens.

History of a Picture.

Two of the most celebrated artists the world has ever known dwelt in the same city. One delighted in delineating beauty in all its graces of tint, form, and motion.

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HEED THE Words of Advice.

RESPECTFULLY offered by Dr. J. C. Tuttt, M.D., for many years Surgeon in Chief of the Medical College of Georgia, and for thirty years Professor of the Practice of Medicine in the same institution.

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