

THE CALL.

Came Mrs. Brown to call... Of certain people's debt...

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And there were dark lines under his eyes... "You are weary," she whispered...

THE REFORMATION OF CIRCE.

FOR the last time, then— "For the last time, then," Ransom looked sorrowfully into his friend's face...

curved into what, with longer waiting, might have developed into a smile... The episode, if it was to be ranked as such, was over...

Interviewing J. P. Morgan. An amusing story is told of the persistence of a reporter on a metropolitan day...

The Farm

A Good Pitchfork. A farmer had recently completed a pitchfork, loose in handle...

Good Point For Farm Buildings. Fifteen years ago we painted a granary built of rough hemlock and battened...

Fattening Chickens. To fatten chickens quickly and keep them in good health, feed ground oats and barley meal alternately mixed...

Hoops will make no gains in the lot when the thermometer stands much below the freezing point...

Mrs. Dixie at the Butcher's. From the delightfully important air she assumed it was easy to see that housekeeping was still a novelty...

An Extended Chair. When President Eliot of Harvard toured on the Pacific Coast some twenty years ago...

A Strange Disappearance. The German on his native heath has some peculiar notions about wit and humor...

He Was Wondering. A Scotch doctor, who was attending a lady, had instructed the butler of the house in the art of taking and recording his master's temperature...

Result Always the Same. Timothy, Varney, who lives three miles east of Le Sueur, Ind., and keeps about 200 hens...

Fashion Notes

New York City.—The fitted jacket of hip length is always in style whatever others may come and go...



FITTED JACKET.

son that its seams are so arranged as to give tapering lines to the figure, and that it is quite close to the throat...

A LATE DESIGN BY MAY MANTON.



beam. First the weight draws up the bucket. Water running into the bucket fills it, and its weight carries it down...

Chinese Coat Latest. Any woman with an eye for the picturesque is bound to fall in love with a Chinese coat done over into a gown...



A Picture Wedding. At a recent wedding the bride's wedding gown had a long train suspended from the shoulders with pearl ornaments...