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To return to the customer who is in a hurry for an estimate on any piece of work; he very often fails to describe the job and the engraver is bound to tell him that he cannot give him an estimate without seeing or knowing something more about the work. This is natural, for no man is going to set a price on an engraving job, the detail of which he has no conception of. Again the customer will invariably forget to mention what kind of copy the engraving is to be made from, whether from a photograph or from a lithograph or ordinary print.

To illustrate what a difficult position the engraver is placed in sometimes from lack of information, the following letter is given. It came on a postal card and cannot properly be called a letter.

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Now what is there here to estimate upon? The writer wants an engraving and it is to be about two inches square and to be inserted in a newspaper. Such an engraving made from a photograph and with much detail and mounted on metal might cost

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He was a solemn old farmer, fond of emphasizing his conversation with scriptural quotations and long words which he occasionally misapplied. He was telling me gravely the other day about a neighbor of his who was addicted to "getting tight."

"Taint the square thing, seein' he's got a family to look after, and I don't take much notice of that man, but I was drivin' home last Saturday night, and when I got most half way there who should I pass walkin' along the road but Bill Jackson himself, and that tight he couldn't hardly stagger. Every now and the he'd kinder fall down. I haint no liken for the feller I told you, but it was a desperate cold night, so I jest turned right around and picked him up and drove him home. I thought if it was only for his family's sake I'd jest act the Sarmation by him that once. * * *

Both Were Too Cheap.
Dealer—Here, that poem I paid you to write about my one-dollar hats is no good. You don't seem to have had the divine afflatus.
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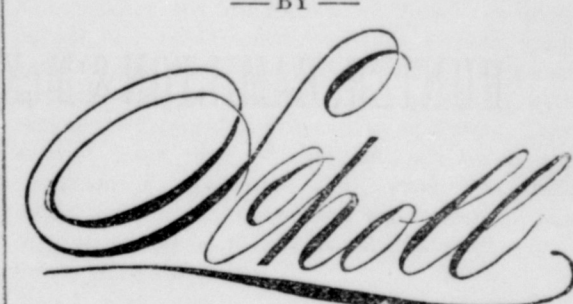
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