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Numerous Attempts to Realize Ideals Have Ended in Disaster.

BROOK FARM IS FAMOUS

Great Gathering of Intellectual Lights Led Simple Life—Robert Owen's Gigantic—Tom Hughes' American Rugby.

BY FREDERIC J. HASKIN.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—(Special Correspondence).—For many centuries there have been a few followers of the altruistic idea that work done by people living in a community is more beneficial to humanity than work done by the individual for his sole interest.

Brook Farm Most Famous.

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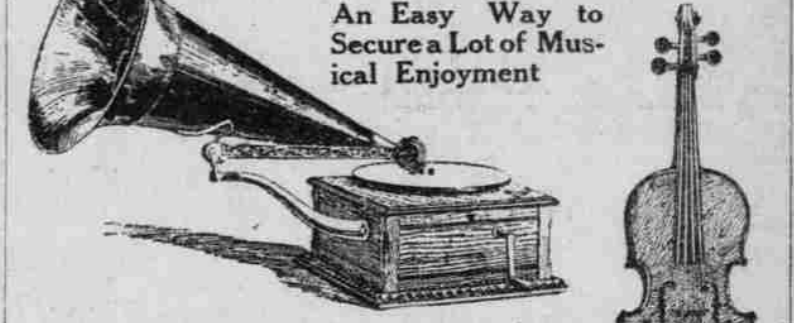
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