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(From Committee appointed by Toronto Humane Society.)

Resolved,—That the story, "Lion, the Mastiff," which has been read by the Committee appointed by this Board, be most highly recommended to this Society, it being an exceedingly useful and valuable book, and a good companion to "Black Beauty."

(Signed) W. R. BROCK.

I have looked through the MS. of "Lion" with great interest. The story is one that appeals forcibly to all lovers of animals, and would do much to foster a spirit of kindness and humanity towards them among our young people. The lesson taught in the deeply interesting chapter on the "dying horse" cannot be too strongly impressed on both old and young.

(Signed) JAMES BAIN, JR.,
Chief Librarian Public Library.

TO HON. G. W. ROSS, LL.D.,
Minister of Education, Toronto.

DEAR SIR,—I have much pleasure in stating that I have heard the first five chapters of "Lion" read by the author, and I think it is fully equal in plan and execution to "Black Beauty." I would like to see it in the hands of Public School pupils as a supplementary reading book.

Yours truly,
(Signed) JAMES L. HUGHES,
Public School Inspector.

I had the pleasure of hearing the author read the first five chapters of "Lion," her story of the experiences of a dog, and I was delighted with it. She has a fine foundation for a most interesting story. I would certainly prefer it to "Black Beauty" for children in school to read.

(Signed) JAMES L. HUGHES