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LYMAN ABBOTT'S IDEA.

There never was a period in the history

of the world when industrial questions

matters affecting the whole people—were so

persistently discussed, and there probably

never was a time when there was so much

diversity of opinion as to the condition and

prospects of the human race as at the present

time, nor so many projects brought forward

for the amelioration of the masses. That

changes will take place—radical

changes, we believe—few can doubt. The

race cannot stand still. Will its condition

become better or worse? We are optimistic

enough to believe that its evolution

will be in the line of securing greater

happiness for all, and a more equitable

distribution of the comforts which Providence

has provided, but which have not always

been fairly divided. How are the changes

to be brought about? Rev. Dr.

Lyman Abbott, in the Forum for August,

lays before us a picture of what can

be effected by industrial democracy,

which he contends is the ideal condition

of society. Political democracy is

"government of the people, for the people

and by the people." Industrial democracy

is the application of the principles

stated in this motto to the organization

of society; it is the doctrine of wealth of the

people, for the people, by the people.

All wealth, Dr. Abbott points out, comes

from the discovery of wealth hidden in the

earth, from inventions by men of genius,

from franchises created by the people for the

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Farm, writes to the ADVERTISER as follows:

A contest is now being carried on at this

institution, the results of which should

prove of much interest, and it is hoped also

of much value to the farmers of this Province.

Grade calves have been selected where

they could be obtained of the various

breeds and also of those that are said

to be good for both beef and dairy purposes,

with a view of ascertaining the cost of

keeping them both relatively and individually

until they are measurably matured. Hop-

ing that they have been obtained for the

contest of the Shorthorn, Hereford, Aber-

deen, Angus, Galloway, Devon, Holstein

and "scrub," or native. They are

also weighed singly every month, exact

records being kept in each instance.

Many important lessons should be learned

from this experiment. The comparative

gains per month will make known the

relative maturing capacity of the animals,

and also that period when the largest

returns are obtained from the feed fed. It

should also determine whether it will pay

at all to raise beef under those conditions,

and more particularly whether it will pay

to feed calves intended ultimately for the

block on a liberal ration of new milk. The

value of the experiment will also be in-

creased by the fact that one animal addi-

tionally being reared under conditions pre-

cisely similar, except that it is being fed

skim-milk instead of whole milk.

For many years it has been stoutly

affirmed by the advocates of the different

breeds in the contest that one or another

was the most profitable for beef-making.

Representatives of most of them have been

shown time and again at leading exhibi-

tions, and have won prizes. It is not, how-

ever, until we are able to compare their

relative merits as concerned, therefore,

we know about as much as we did when

they were first introduced. Hence it

cannot be unimportant to determine

which of these breeds is best adapted to

the conditions of this country. It can be

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Dyspepsia.

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more and more distressing. I used various

domestic remedies, and applied to my phy-

sician, but received no benefit. By this time

my trouble assumed the form of Dropsy. I

was unable to use any food whatever, except

boiled milk and bread; my limbs were swell-

ing to twice their natural size; all hopes of

recovery were given up, and I quite ex-

pected death within a few weeks. NORTHROP

AND LYMAN'S VEGETABLE DISCOVERY

having been recommended to me, I tried a bottle

with but little hope of relief; and now, after

using eight bottles, my Dyspepsia and Dropsy

are cured. Although now seventy-nine years

of age, I can enjoy my meals as well as ever,

and my general health is good. I am well

known in this section of Canada, having

lived here fifty-seven years; and you have

liberty to use my name in recommendation

of your VEGETABLE DISCOVERY, which has

done such wonders in my case."

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