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THE LAUDER INCIDENT.

reached Harry Lauder from Montreal, trimming of the flapping ornaments is the limit the famous Scottish entertainer stood at the parting of the ways in his career. Had he upon a dumb animal for the gratifying of a whim.

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Note that if the prohibition elections were held at high the parting of the says in his career. Had he upon a dumb animal for the gratifying of a whim. cancelled his engagement, or developed a sudden 'illness' which prevented his appearance, the peal of the man would have been lost.

No matter what faced him, there could be no wobbling course for Lauder. To weaken was to surrender his fame and his future, and to confess himself lacking in courage. The public would never have laughed quite so heartily at their beauty. But there appears to be a certain fascination in giving to the fighting dog an apmask lurked the poltroon.

while Lauder has shown a willingness to discuss

There is no middle course in life when dewill not be denied an answer, and if one steals might better come off than bulldogs. out the back way, decision will report the facts. If Lauder had skulked when decision knocked at his door, history would have applied to his I name a word meaning the same as the term which be applied to others. And that word is "vellow.

THE RISING GENERATION.

Two RECENT letters written to The Advertiser by "A Matriculant of 1917" were compared upon by a number of people and referred to as being well constructed and indicating clear reasoning power. It was surprisers to many people that a young man just out of the Collegiate should be able to produce such letters. The thing to any people that a young man just out of the Collegiate should be able to produce such letters. ters. The thing to expect, apparently, was commind upon which the community had spent a good many hundred dollars. And a teacher, replying to Matriculant, brought out many good points in his argument, making the discussion at least productive of ideas. The young correspondent confessed that his intention was to provoke discussion, and was able to force home the case for least productive of the country from the confessed that his intention was to provoke discussion, and was able to force home the case for least productive of the country from the country have cannot pay. Cann

to any movement that would tend to turn the ideas of the children to practical service. Students at the Collegiate, for instance, may have many the body politic. ideas as to defects in the course which was shaped for their benefit. They may have commendation for many phases of their educational training and eriticism of many other phases. They may see where the benefit of some kind of training is being expressed, and they recognize the futility of proceeding along other lines. One student may believe that there is too much repression, and that students should first of all be trained in selfreliance, so that a boy or girl may go forth into the world possessed of sufficient confidence to cut to the future they wish to embrace. One boy may man! have a bent toward invention, while another may believe himself capable of a triumph in literature. But if he goes forward trembling for his fate, with his desires unexpressed, and with no chart peoples. before him, he may drift along into the indifference that stultifies so many possibilities.

Expression comes to the adult citizen through his right to speak, in private or in public, through the press or on the public forum, by the medium of his ballot or from some lofty station granted him by his fellow citizens. The average man does not use this gift of expression to any great extent; the vote at the municipal election indicates how much the possession of the ballot is valued. It may be argued that the children in the schools would show no more interest in the affairs that surround them than their elders. But until the chance for active participation is given, the charge may never be supported.

In some of the kindergartens children are asked each day to name the songs they prefer to waiting for a Government land scheme. Meansing. Teachers say they are quick to name their favorites, as they are to choose the games to be played. When one thinks of it, this is actually placing a ballot in the hands of babes. It must be happier bed of human flowers than a kinder- ket. garten. But the children do not get this vote as they advance through the public school grades to collegiate, and perhaps not in any great degree when they reach university. They are told to express themselves through certain channels, and while only experience and knowledge may confer the power of decision, a working toward the interest of the child through his expression of as generous to his own people, they'd buy Canpreference will develop initiative. It will also develop an interest in affairs and a desire to participate in active management of affairs that

of the franchise. School days are play days to many children, into a state of chaos.

and nothing more. As they reach the upper grades, however, some glimpse of the stern necessity of coping with the world must have reached them. The sooner they grasp the oar, the sooner they must learn to row the boat. At the present time they are the idle passengers being conducted along certain streams. If they see a new vista they may not pull the craft toward it, for the course has been ordered. Let the teacher do the steering, but let it be done from the rudder seat, and let the children get a chance to apply the force that sends the boat along.

AS TO BULLDOG'S EARS.

TT INCENT PERRY of this city has a wonderful dog story in a recent issue of Rod and district. Gun. It deals with the journey of a dog to the front line with his master and the rescue of [Ottawa Journal.]

the master by his canine attendant, and is told by the dog. In itself the story is worthy of the hightottle mayorally.

There are doubtless people in Toronto who some day hope to unearth
the dog. In itself the story is worthy of the hightor the mayorally. to the front line with his master and the rescue of est commendation given it by one editor who described it as the finest dog story he had ever read.

The bullterrier is a prize winner, but has always fallen short of the championship because his owner would not permit his pet's ears to be the could run the hull town. his owner would not permit his pet's ears to be HEN THREATS of violence and indignities clipped. The big-hearted soldier thinks that the

Yet one seldom sees a dog's ears go untrimmed when the fashions in dog's ears dictates that blic would have cried "quitter" and the apal of the man would have been lost.

But Lauder did not side-step nor seek to But Lauder did not side-step nor seek public would have cried "quitter" and the ap- they shall be trimmed. They trim the ears and evade what promised to be a nasty situation, al fighting dogs are past, and the practice cannot And he must have realized that there was danger no matter how bravely he acted, for a man who was made the target for stale eggs was almost certain to lose some of his professional fraguage for years to come.

HEMBER THIS.

[Detroit Free Presa.]

A newspaper very seldom prints of the man who does the trimming. It is a very personal matter. The dog being his is a part of him. Why doesn't he ground of giving the animals a smart appearance. The trimming of a dog's ears is for the "glorification" of the man who does the trimming. It is a very personal matter. The dog being his is a part of him. Why doesn't he And he must have realized that there was danger be justified on the ground of giving the animals

Lauder took the manly course. No eggs have it is not the fashion to match dogs today. Nor been thrown up to the moment of writing. He has won publicity by shining in an exciting sittle to attain doubtful style at the cost of their better to attain doubtful style at the cost of their better fact that the train was miling out. pearance of bristling fierceness and alertness. But

Someone ought to read Vincent Perry's Someone ought to read vincolous Someone ought to read vincolous Story and set a new style for all the varieties of bulldogs that must now submit to a shearing of flesh that might be expressed in terms of pain by cutting one's nose off or rather rudely tearing away the human lugs. And some men's ears away the human lugs. And some men's ears away the human lugs. And some men's ears his statements regarding French-Canadians, and story and set a new style for all the varieties of to qualify them in some degree, he has not re- bulldogs that must now submit to a shearing of cision's messenger waits at the door. Decision away the human lugs. And some men's ears

A BANKER'S VIEW.

AMES SPEYER, head of the Banking House of James Speyer & Co., New York, said among other things in discussing the after ects of the war the following:

"As the term 'labor' is commonly used to the contract of the contract. It reached here on Structure A horse, belonging to Mr. Pri Teeter took fright at it on the room day last week and upsetting to contract the contract. It reached here on Structure A horse, belonging to Mr. Pri Teeter took fright at it on the room day last week and upsetting to contract the contract of the contract. It reached here on Structure A horse, belonging to Mr. Pri Teeter took fright at it on the room contract. It reached here on Structure A horse, belonging to Mr. Pri Teeter took fright at it on the room to station by Mr. D. McTavish. Who have the contract. It reached here on Structure A horse, belonging to Mr. Pri Teeter took fright at it on the room to station by Mr. D. McTavish. Who have the contract. It reached here on Structure A horse, belonging to Mr. Pri Teeter took fright at it on the room to station by Mr. D. McTavish. Who have the contract. It reached here on Structure A horse, belonging to Mr. Pri Teeter took fright at it on the room to the effects of the war the following:

represent millions of working men, so it should T WO RECENT letters written to The Advertis- be borne in mind that the word 'capital' does not

"Those investors, be they savings bank de-

dent confessed that his intention was to provoke discussion, and was able to force home the case for lectures from business men to those aspiring to make their mark in the world.

If there is a lesson here is it not that young brains have a definite place in the constructive thought of the community? A voice in the affairs of the schools, the city, or the nations has never been given to the student body below a certain age, and no hand of direction has been extended age, and no hand of direction has been extended age, and no hand of direction has been extended age, and no hand of direction has been extended.

It think the people of our country have come to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to realize that there must be a change, become to prosper if (Orillia Packet.)

A Coldwater pastor advertises a sertion on "Woman's Mission In Life." by the discussion, and sufficient reason for raising wages, also is a good and sufficient reason to insure to those who have been able to save and invest a higher return on their investment."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

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The Bolshevik seems to be the "cootie" on

Bolsheviki creed: "Satan's in God's heaven.

January gives evidence of being willing to start the thaw early.

All's right with the world.'

London's Red Cross drive shows in results that the spirit of giving is not exhausted.

Think not to escape the rigors of winter, but go softly to and speak gently with the coal

The Germans are inflicting upon one another a little of the suffering they imposed on other needs to the suffering they imposed on other needs to hark had came tup to Hugh and said: 'Have you seen my ewes?' 'If you will wait until I hew this yew, I will go with you anywhere in Europe to look for your needles.'

the proper method for there is no fairer and gamble, even if one cannot himself cash the tic- tualities.

s so deplorably lacking in the average possessor chance of pounding wages down with a labor sur-

"Newspapers Are the World's Mirror"

Comment. Cleverness and Mere Verblage From "Educators of the Common People" in Canada and Other Lands.

[Brampton Conservator.]
Soft wood may be bought in Dundalk at \$2.50 per cord, hard wood at \$4 per cord.

TWO KINDS OF DRILLING. [Quebec Telegraph.]
They are drilling in the Peace River listrict. But not for war this time; only for gas.

A SCALP HARD TO GET. for the mayoralty.

A HULL LOT OF WORK [Boston Transcript.]
They are now talking of making
Miss Jane Adams Mayor of Chicago.

THE MORNING AFTER.

GO WEST, YOUNG MAN.

REMEMBER THIS.

ONE GUESS AT WHAT THEY WERE TALKING ABOUT. fact that the train was pulling out.

WHOA! JANUARY.
[Flesherton cor. Markdale Standard.]
The new eleven-ton piece of machinery for the hydro power house

"VULGAR BOUNCE!"

GERMANY CAN PAY.

yule-log from a yew tree, a man dressed in clothes of a dark hue came

THE MAN WHO HELD THE GATE [Montreal Star.]
Birthday congratulations from all Paderewski says the "shevs" want to kill
everyone who uses a toothbrush. And endless torture, no doubt, for the villain who takes a bath.

Canada will loan \$25,000,000 to Rumania to buy Canadian goods. If the premier would be as generous to his own people, they'd buy Canadian goods, too.

The manufacturer who now hopes for the chance of pounding wages down with a labor surplus is guilty of conspiracy to throw this country into a state of shaos.

[Montreal Star.]

Birthday congratulations from all parts of the world will be showered on Marshal Joffre of France, the hero of the Marne. The love which the poilus bear matched only by his great love for France, their confidence in him equalled by his faith in the future of his country. While the great marshal will be remembered for the romantic inspiration of his famous message when he called on his warworn troops to stand and deliver a blow for France without counting the cost, yet it was in the hours of quiet consentration, in the days of derkest shadow that his plans were laid and his trimphs won. He gave way to applus is guilty of conspiracy to throw this country Joffre had stemmed defeat.

[Montreal Star.]

Birthday congratulations from all the world his bean wat to for France, the hero of the world whils the world his gloves, 6½, but slender; wats, 105; bust, full 36; arms, slightly short. Sibust, full 36; arms

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SENT BY MISS WIGGIN:
By Jane Osborn.

"She says Miss Wiggin sent her and she said to give you this," drawled the small office boy to Stanley Higgins, in the middle of what seemed to said Mr. Higgins the busiest morning of the busiest week of his business career. "The Lord knows it's time she sent

someone, but why did she annoy me this morning?" retorted Higgins, "No. don't tell her to go; bring her ir." He had no time to examine the folded sheet that the girl from Miss Wig-

gin had brought by way of recommendation, but the large sepiatoned photograph, apparently the worse for frequent handling, opened of itself as Higgins started to flip it and the recommendation into a drawer of his desk. He whistled and the office boy hesitated on the threshold to see whether this meant that Higgins wanted him

"No, go on." shouted Higgins. The whistle had been the natural result of the first glimpse of the photograph which showed the original to be a tall, slender blonde with a figure that min gled the litheness of a nymph with th symmetry and perfection of a Diana.

Especially was this true of the arms, which were generously displayed in the picture, though the voluminous furs about the shoulders left one obliged to guess the beauty there concealed. Hig gins had never heard of sending in a picture as part of an application for a clerical job before. It wasn't a bad idea—still it would

have been more appropriate, he thought to send a picture as the young woman would appear in business—or did she come in this theatrical attire? In a minute more she answered the question for herself. She did not, but she was as lively and as Dianesque in the neat street suit, albeit just a trifle worn and shabby, that she wore. "Miss Wiggin sent me—" began the girl, looking searchingly around the office as if missing something that she had expected to find. She had time to

"It's high time she did send you," was Higgin's rejoinder. "I don't see any reason why you shouldn't handle the job, do you?" 'Only that my arms are just a little too short," she said; "but that perhaps doesn't matter with the work you have for me. In the fur concern where I was once it didn't matter, but Miss Wiggin

said I'd better tell you. said I'd better tell you."
Higgins looked up in surprise, then laughed. "Oh, that's all right," he said. The idea that there would be enough switchboard work for her to do to make

ment agents who came to place order for motors in the concern for which he for motors in the concern for which he worked had ever yet shown any disposition to take the young women clerks out to dinner. He assured her that she would not be expected to do that sort of thing.

"I suppose you can make yourself generally useful for a day or so," he said. In spite of the pot that he was -was ready to begin work at once and though she seemed a little surprised when he told her to begin by arranging the papers in the drawers of his desk she went about the work with a will. Higgins noticed the slender white hands

began to despise himself as he reflect. ed that those hands were better fitted o cull violets or roses. Only once or twice he allowed himself to glance from the hands to the face above them. Once he pinched himface above them. Once he pinched himself to see whether he was actually awake; later he wondered whether he really like the idea of having such radiance and beauty his near compan-

radiance and beauty his near companion during business hours.

FROM A "DRY" NEWSPAPER. [The Pioneer.]

The Pioneer has an idea that the censor is not much of a prohibitionist. The Montreal professor, who champions the liquor business, is also a humorist.

Six car leads of "Leacock's Special" structure of the unobtrusive and demure if beauty of that type could ever be unobtrusive or demure.

Six car leads of "Leacock's Special" are reported to have reached Vancouver.

The coming prohibition fight will hardly be as bitter as those of the barn-burning days.

A COCKNEY TEST, TOO. [London Tit-Bits.]

A Frenchman, boasting in company that he had thoroughly mastered the English language, was asked to write the following from dictation:

"As Hugh Hughes was hewing a yule-log from a yew tree, a mandressed in clothes of a dark hue came tun to Hugh and said: 'Have you seen'. She was not amazingly swift, but she

She was not amazingly swift, but sh She was not amazingly swift, but she seemed to possess initiative enough to go ahead with her work without asking any questions. She really did say almost nothing, only occasionally Higalmost nothing, only occasionally Hig-gins would see that look of wonder come into her deep grey eyes as she glanced about his office with the look she had given the day she first came

"Table of Payments"

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it necessary to have her arms measured as one would for a central operator amused him. "Why did you leave your last place?" he asked. "Was it just on that account?"

"Not entirely," said the girl, blushing in spite of an effort not to. "But, you see—well, in my kind of work it sometimes isn't as pleasant as it might be, and—well, if I do my work well I don't like to go out to dinner with the buy-rs. You wouldn't expect me to do that, would you?"

"Dinner with the buyers?" gasped Higgins. Assuredly none of the govern—Higgins had not expected to lead up Higgins. Assuredly none of the govern—Higgins had not expected to lead up the same as the same a

AMHERSTBURG BRASS BAND AMHERSTRURG. Jan. 7 .- Specia services were held in St. Andrew's Church on New Year's eve. Mayor Park has been re-elected 1919 by acclamation.

PAYMENTS

SMALL

ARE

The town council has granted the sur of \$100 to enable Amherstburg to star

HOW SALLOW SKIN CAN BE CHANGED TO ROSY COMPLEXION

Every woman with pale cheeks and poor complexion needs medicine-needs To tone up the stomach-to insurfor him to good digestion-to give new life and vitality to the whole system-where is there a remedy like Dr. Hamilton's Pills' Dr. Hamilton's Pills enable you to eat Higgins noticed the siender white hands as they worked over the papers.

They were not awkward at their task — hands like that could never be awk-force and vim into a rundown system. If nervous and can't sleep your remwere not used to that sort of work. Higgins found himself watching them as they hovered over the papers. He hegan to despise himself as he reflect. vigorous, ready for the day's work. Dr. Hamilton asks every weak and and Butternut Pills. They make old folks feel young, and weak folks feel strong. Their effects upon insomnia and languor is marvellous. Hundreds declare they soothe and quiet the nerves so that a good night's rest al-

ways follows their use. To look well, to feel well, to keep well. mild, cleansing, strengthening-good for the young or old. Sold by all dealers :

HAD SUFFERED FOR FOURTEEN YEARS

Couldn't Lift an Arm or Leg From Bed-Tanlac Restores Health.

"I wish I could have found Tanlac ourteen years ago," said William D. Lawrence, who lives at 417 East Thir

a little of the suffering they imposed on other peoples.

Can anyone imagine Miss Canada marching to the altar with the villain Bolsheviki? Neither can we.

Soap is used as legal tender in Germany. Those Germans will give anything to get fats for their weinerwurst.

Hon. Robt. Rogers has headed for the east. Wouldn't a Bourassa-Rogers alliance be the greatest thing in comedies?

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We must love for the sake of our thing the bonus wilhout question for the cast thing in comedies?

Thousands of soldiers in the west are vainly witing for a Government should realize the dangers if wages should come down first.

Thousands of soldiers in the west are vainly witing for a Government land scheme. Mean will give anything to gum magnate has taken out an insurance policy for a million. Pretty little when the process may be more intelligent than she was when he had given the day she first came had given the day she first than day she first the gard than day to day she first the day she first the day she first the first than day she first the first than the gard to death the first than the same than the fill the form that the manufactured that the same had a great many times that the manufactured that the

He glanced at it, first casually, then tripping the paper, read with bated creath the slip which, with printed clanks filled in, read something like this:

WHICH HAND WILL YOU HAVE?

You Can Still Join!

BUT MEMBERSHIPS ARE GOING RAPIDLY

IN THE

White Progressive Club

You need pay only 25 cents to join and the balance in

Easy Payments. A new White will be delivered to your

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY

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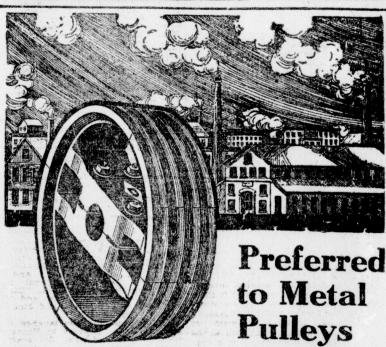
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We guarantee immediate shipment of all orders for Dodge Wood-Split Pulleys from four inches up to six feet in diameter There is no telling how long you may have to wait for metal pulleys. The United States Government won't allow steel to be released for

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