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FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1911

AS TO REFORMING THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

One way of reforming the House of Lords would be to double its size approximately and change its political majority by appointing some 500 new Peers of Liberal convictions. This emergent method is not looked upon with any general favor, and is not likely to be resorted to. And it might not effect the desired object. One of the Dukes was reported recently to have said, "Let 'em come. Three-fourths of them will be Tories within twelve months."

And it is true that it has been the habit of new Peers, who were not Conservatives when they were appointed, to experience a change of heart after they were appointed. The late Hon. A. G. Blair when he resolved to abolish the Legislative Council in New Brunswick and was met by a hostile majority in that House, determined to fill vacancies only from such persons as would pledge themselves to vote for abolition. When the numbers had become almost equal one of his pledged men changed his mind and voted against abolition, thus prolonging the life of the Council. This raised a storm and in the end the Upper House ceased to exist. No later appointee cared to break his pledge.

The Lords themselves have at least two plans for the reform of their House, of which Lord Lansdowne stands sponsor for one and Lord Rosebery for another. The Asquith Government has also a plan not yet made public, besides the emergency plan of appointing a large body of new Peers as first above mentioned. Party politics is the leading factor in promoting most of these schemes of so-called reform. Lord Rosebery condemned both the Lansdowne and the Liberal plan and appeals for a reform on national and not on party grounds. And he has little faith in an appeal to the people on the question. "The general election, after all, is nothing but a confused clamor of voices," he said. And he thus warned the Government:

"You," he cried to the Government leader, "cannot achieve a settlement on these lines. You can achieve a party triumph. You can take revenge upon this House for wrongs—real in many cases and in some cases fancied—and having done that you will have attained by party what can be undone by party. Will not the Unionists make it their first task to uproot that which you have rashly planted in the rocks by the wayside?"

Lord Rosebery pointed a finger toward Lord Morley, saying: "He bears an honored name, a famous name. Does he wish it to go down to posterity allied with a one-sided fanatical partisan settlement? I appeal to the head of the Government, who has to settle with history and posterity, the great claims which his intellect gives him to be a conspicuous power in the history of this country.

"How will they stand when their names are at last produced before that dread tribune from whose verdict there can be no appeal, if they conspire to lay hands on this immemorial constitution, rashly and recklessly, without having done anything to build but only to destroy?"

The difficulties are indeed very great. The Lords cannot reform their own House because no plan they can agree upon would be likely to pass the House of Commons. Equally the Lords are almost sure to reject any plan sent up from the House of Commons. So that if the leaders of parties cannot agree upon a plan of reform on national grounds, and they probably cannot, the only resort must be either by an appeal to the people for a mandate on the question, or the appointment of enough new Peers to carry the Veto Bill. That once passed, the popular Chamber would have a reasonable security that its measures would become law if twice affirmed in successive sessions.

As to an appeal to the people on the question of such a great constitutional change, the competence of the masses to decide it wisely may be doubted. An appeal to the people made upon one single question is never considered by them in that way. Many other matters would enter in and confuse the issue. Too many elections are, as Lord Rosebery says, "a confused clamor of voices." Not always, but only sometimes, do the people pronounce in the same way at two successive elections. And their decision is almost always that of a party majority. At this distance we must all feel with Lord Rosebery that the decision of the future status of the Lords should not be made on party grounds, but on national grounds. A merely party decision can hardly be expected to be final and permanent, but how is any other settlement to be reached?

RECIPROCITY IN CONGRESS.

The President has by special message placed the reciprocity agreement before Congress and urged its adoption. Here we are all interested to know what Congress will do with it. Generally the press and people of the Republic appear to favor the measure, but there is danger that the Democratic desire for a larger measure of tariff reduction, along with political complications may cause delay. The New York Herald says:

"Before attempting any revision of the wool or other schedules or undertaking any other legislation the House should pass this reciprocity bill. It is thoroughly in line with democratic policy for reduction of the cost of living; it has been thoroughly "threshed out" and, backed by the demand of the people and the support of the democratic Representatives, passed the late House. General tariff legislation is liable to give rise to intricate debates and to meet with delay, opposition and possible defeat in the Senate or at the hands of the President.

"If the House will pass the Canadian reciprocity bill to start with—a measure that has a good chance in the Senate and which the President is eager to sign—it will make sure of a most material accomplishment to its credit, even if no other legislation should reach the statute book as a result of the special session. The beneficent effects of the reciprocity agreement in promoting trade between two neighboring and friendly countries and in reducing the cost of many necessaries to the American people will probably be set forth anew in the message from the President, which will probably reach Congress on Wednesday. In Canada the Parliament is waiting to see what will be done at Washington.

"If the House wishes to make sure of at least one achievement and to strengthen itself in favor with the country it will pass the reciprocity bill promptly and without amendment."

ASK ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY TO START ARBITRATION CAMPAIGN

LONDON, April 4—The Archbishop of Canterbury will be asked to start a great religious movement in favor of Anglo-American arbitration. This is the outcome of a meeting held at the Mansion House of which a deputation from the free church council presented resolution urging the lord mayor to initiate a national movement.

The lord mayor said that he had received a large number of communications from various bodies, including those representing the leading municipalities, in which approval was expressed, but he added that it was essential that the religious side of the movement should embrace all churches.

The Rev. F. Meyer, former president of the National Federation of Free Churches, said it was obvious, in order to insure success, that the lead should be taken by the archbishop and the Anglican Church. It was then decided to present the request of the Archbishop of Canterbury in the lord mayor's name.

BORDEN TO TOUR WESTERN CANADA THIS SUMMER

TORONTO, April 4—The months of July and August have been chosen for the tour of Western Canada by R. L. Borden, the Conservative leader. This will, of course, be dependent on the federal house closing by the end of June. It is the leader's intention to cover the whole of the west, including Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. Arrangements for dates are now being considered.

LUNENBURG BABY POISONED

HALIFAX, April 4—The twenty-months-old baby of Obed and Mrs. Ernst, of Blickhouse, Lunenburg, yesterday ate half a box of patent medicine pills, and then took fits and died before medical aid could be summoned. Mr. and Mrs. Ernst some time ago lost another child through an accident with boiling water.

EIGHT HOUR DAY FOR MASONS, ETC.

GUELPH, April 6—Bricklayers and masons here have inaugurated an eight hour day. Formerly they received 43 cents per hour for nine hours' work. They are now paid 48½ cents an hour for eight hours.

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PROVIDENCE GETS INCREASED TRAFFIC

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 4—This city is jubilant on its prospective good luck in getting a very large port benefit from the construction of Canada's new $250,000,000 Transcontinental railway, by diverting to it traffic which otherwise should go to Halifax and St. John.

By its action today in applying to the state legislature for modification in the charter of the Southern New England Railway company, the Grand Trunk showed its hand and disclosed the proposed location of its tide water terminal in Rhode Island.

Today's developments by the Grand Trunk situation coupled much with the almost simultaneous action of the state harbor improvements commission, in proceeding to condemn, under right of eminent domain, lands on the west side of the Providence river, for the purpose of constructing state docks and building a bonded warehouse, fill the hearts of the people of Providence with enthusiasm and gratitude to the Government of Canada for the benefit this city will derive from the gigantic expenditure of Canada in building this new road and to the Grand Trunk in deciding to bring its Canadian traffic to Rhode Island.

The Grand Trunk's tide water terminal on the Providence river, construction of the new state docks, expenditure of $500,000, the work of the United States government in dredging the river so as to admit of the entrance of ocean-going steamers and the purchase and proposed development of trade, and with 2,300 feet harbor frontage by the city of Providence in the neighborhood of Field's Point, which is virtually the key to Providence harbor, tell their own tale.

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Presbyterian Church, West Point	9.26
Presbyterian Church, O'Leary	12.29
Presbyterian Church, Bloomfield	21.75
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THE MEXICAN MATTER IS EXPLAINED.

EL PASO, Texas, April 6—An explanation bearing all the marks of authenticity, clearing up the American-Mexican-Japanese situation, was given here by one of the most prominent Mexican-Americans in the country. According to this information, given by one who is in position to know but who insisted upon suppression of his name, President Diaz was seeking a way to refuse a coaling station on Magdalen Island to the Japanese, even before the renewal of American Government's contract came up for discussion, and feared an invasion by the Japanese.

MORALS COMMISSION TO DEAL WITH MORALS.

CHICAGO, April 6—The Chicago "Vice Commission," the first salaried municipal commission of its kind, made many radical recommendations in their report to the Common Council and gave an exhaustive review of the status of the social evil in Chicago.

The recommendations were directly against the European principle of segregation. They were for the constant and persistent repression of social evil, with absolute annihilation, as the ultimate ideal by means of the appointment of a Morals Commission and the establishment of a Morals Court.

FOOTBALL IN GREAT BRITAIN —ASSOCIATION CUP.

As the readers are probably aware this is the great event in the British Association Football World. The leading teams are drawn against each other in a "knock out" competition, 64 teams entered for the competition, and up to last Saturday the number of teams still in were brought down to four, viz., Newcastle United, Blackburn Rovers, Bradford City and Chelsea.

It is an interesting fact that every one of these four teams is composed of men trained on Oxo.

CONSERVATIVES PREPARING.

HALIFAX, April 6—The Liberal Conservative Convention for Halifax today nominated Alderman Smith, Alderman F. P. Bligh, and J. C. O'Mullin as candidates for the Local Legislature. The elections are expected before June.

STOCK NOTES

Peter MacDonald, Ruskin, lost a valuable foal this winter.

Robert McNeill, New Dominion, is the proud owner of a handsome brown colt sired by the trotting stallion, Aquiri, Dam by Bow Gallant son of Bow Bells 2.19, grand dam by Black Pilot 2.30¼, the Ex-champion trotting stallion of the Maritime Provinces. This colt was foaled on April 30th.

A. T. Bruce of Valleyfield is the owner of a bay colt, sired by Aquiri out of his Almont Wilkes mare, which is two weeks old and is said to be a corker.

Owen Sullivan, Vernon River, had the misfortune to lose an Acquiri foal out of his Executioneer mare recently. This makes the second Acquiri foal Mr. Sullivan lost out of this mare.

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Letters to Housewives
No. 2

Why is it you don't like dish-washing?

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But the dirty, greasy pots and pans—ugh!

If you only had something in the house that would *clean them for you*—

That would be a great boon, wouldn't it?

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You'd welcome anything that would make it *easier* to get the floors *really clean.*

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Something that, added to the water, made the dirt literally "melt away."

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Letters to Housewives
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