

GIVE THE BILL FAIR PLAY.

A recent issue of the Markham Economist contained an article which has been copied into other newspapers, urging the townships of Whitchurch and Markham to be ready for "another tussle" before the Legislature at the present session re the Artesian Well Company's bill. As pointed out by The Economist a company will ask the Legislature to allow them to supply water from the artesian wells near Lemonville to the town of North Toronto, Richmond Hill and other places along the line. The Economist calls upon the municipalities to block the passage of the measure.

We submit that this is a most important matter, and one which should be discussed and dealt with on its merits. To those who have examined the wells it would seem that millions of gallons of water as clear as crystal are running to waste, which would be a luxury to those in need of pure water. The Government have a right to see that the people in the immediate neighborhoods are protected, but if it can be shown that the water can be taken to neighboring municipalities without injury to farmers or mill owners, the bill should be allowed to pass.

AN UNPOPULAR INSTITUTION.

The House of Lords in England, like our own Canadian Senate, has few genuine defenders. The most that can be said for either institution is that it is tolerated by the people. During the recent campaign in Britain the speakers in either party were free to admit that the House of Lords would be reformed, whichever side should win. We believe it is safe to say that, excluding those who are directly interested, nine out of every ten men, both in Britain and Canada would like to see the venerable old institution abolished for ever. In Britain, the Lords invariably support the Tory party, and in Canada the Senators assist their own political friends—either Grit or Tory.

When the Liberals were in Opposition in this country they had little use for the Senate, but since they assumed the reins of power their feelings seem to have softened toward the second chamber. The Conservatives on the other hand are not saying much in condemnation of the senators, no doubt being hopeful that some day they will again hold office, and control the patronage at the disposal of the party.

GIVE IRELAND A CHANCE.

Mr. Asquith, the British Premier, is receiving sympathy from some quarters on the ground that he has not a working majority outside of the Irish National party. We are not quite sure that Mr. Asquith and the Liberal party are deserving of much sympathy from that source. The Liberals appear to be in favor of a measure of Home Rule for Ireland, but they seem not to have the courage to put it through. Nearly every man admits that Ireland should have a system of self government as regards purely Irish affairs, yet in many cases the admission is qualified by a *but* or an *if*. "Ireland should control her own local affairs, *but* Home Rule might lead to Rome Rule." "Ireland would get fair play, *if* we were sure that Home Rule would not mean separation from England. These are poor excuses. The only way to solve the Irish problem is to give Irishmen a chance to govern themselves—the same chance that is given to Canadian and American people who are supposed to be self-governing."

ANONYMOUS.

A letter, over the nom de plume, "Observer," came through the mail for insertion in THE LIBERAL. The writer complains that one of our business men is not living up to the agreement to close his shop Monday and Wednesday of each week at 6 o'clock. It is to be hoped that our merchants will observe the agreement as closely as possible, although no cast-iron rule was made to accommodate no customer under any circumstances. As the writer did not give his name we decline to insert his communication. Therefore, if he will send his name to us we shall return him the 26 cent stamps, presumably enclosed to pay for the space.

If the writer feels justified in making the complaint we do not see why he does not write over his own signature.

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