Reeder-"Scott said a clever thing to-day; said that luck is a good bit like lightning; for it seldom strikes twice in the same place." Heeder-"Yes, and as a rule neither of them needs to."-Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

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SOURCES OF THE PEERAGE.

Ancient Lineage? Pooh! Pooh! Look Here, Says Labouchere.

"Progress is revolution in disguise and by degrees," a well known tory has recently said, "it is destined to make the peers powerless and the poor prosperous." The description will remind many of the phrase uttered by Cromwell: "There will never be a good time in England till we have done with the lords."

What is the value of our peerage of today? Lord Beaconsfield answered the question in "Coningsby" many vears ago:

"'Ancient lienage,' said Mr. Millbank; 'I never heard of a peer with an ancient lineage. The real old families of this country are to be found among the peasantry; the gentry, too, may lay some claim to old blood. I can point you out Saxon families in this country who can trace their pedigrees beyond the conquest; I know of some Norman gentlemen whos fathers undoubtedly came over with the conqueror. But a peer with an ancient lienage is to me quite a novelty. No, no; the thirty years' war of the roses freed us from those gentlemen. I take it after the battle of Tewkesbury, a Norman baron was almost as rare a being in England as a wolf is now.'

'I have always understood,' said Coningsby, 'that our peerage was the finest in Europe." "'From themselves,' said Millbank;

and the heralds they pay to paint their carriages. But I go to facts. When Henry VII. called his first parliament there were only 29 temporal peers to be found, and even some of them took their seats illegally, for they had been attained. Of those 29 not five remain; and, as the Howards, for instance, are not Norman nobility. We owe the English peerage to three sources-the spoilation of the church, the open and flagrant sale of honors by the elder Stuarts and the boroughmongering of our own times. Those are the three main sources of the existing peerage of England, and, in my opinion, disgraceful ones."

Lord Beaconsfield might have added a fourth origin of the existing peerage, to wit, the bestowal of honors upon the mistresses of the kings and their illegitimate children. This decorous nation, therefore, delights to honor those who have inherited titles from such shameful sources .--London Truth.

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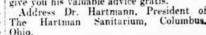
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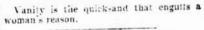
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