



PIONEER LEADER IN OUR ISLAND'S POLITICS

If Sir P. Ramanathan in the highest rungs of dominated the Legislature, the Civil Service and by his doughty activities Judicial learning, Sir Arunachalam was able to guide the affairs of the Congress very much in the lines of the Great National Organization across the waters (the Indian National Congress).

The Ceylon National Congress the only representative and responsible all-Island political body in the beginning of this Century was organized and led by Sir Arunachalam with such success that the Colonial Rulers of our Island were set thinking seriously about their affairs here.

Fully capable of leadership by reason of great scholarship, sound commonsense and experience of Administrative Prowess, we to mankind.

Apart from the impact of the abnormal situation that has arisen as a result of a hard-hitting cyclone, the entire country is experiencing a very menacing decline in the general trend of civilised life. The numerous detections of fraud, corruption, breach of trust in almost every sphere of public activity only indicate that a devastating disaster in the form of moral degradation will soon overtake the people unless immediate and effective action is taken to effect a total reform in the national sphere of duty whether pertaining to the public sector or the private part.

That eighteen thousand bogus certificates could have been issued to candidates who sat an examination that was conducted by the Government, is on the face of it incredible. Yet it has happened and that by the ingenious scheming of a master mind of methodical fraud. No one can feel proud of the detection of this brand until the entire modus operandi has been found out.

Not long ago it was detected that operators in the C.T.B. had so manipulated the ticket issuing mechanical device as to make a fortune hoodwinking the Authorities and the travelling public alike. Now, there is the daily performance in dramatic manner of the no - change - conductor. Coins of the five and ten cent denominations play hide and seek in the hide-out pockets of the cool-headed conductor of omnibuses. The drama is made more dramatic by the desperate appeal of the Administration to the passengers for passive co-operation by tendering the exact fare and nothing more. The Authorities are helpless to bring the miscreants to book just as the bit and run highway robber is allowed to be at large.

Cumulatively, these horrid happenings decidedly point to the disturbing trend in the national life of this unfortunate country. Legislation alone can not remedy the situation unless those who are bound to maintain law and order are fully competent, hundred percentum honest and well equipped for the purpose.

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Sweet Ambrosia — Thiruvachakam

The Thiruvembavai Festival reminds us all of the sacred songs that expressed the yearnings of one of the Four Great Saints - Samaya Kuravars. Manickavachagamigal, unlike the other three Teachers, Thirugnanasambandha Moorthigal, Thirunavukkarasar and Sunderamoethigal, was for a time engaged in temporal affairs as Minister of the King of Pandi, which responsibility was entrusted to him because of his wide learning. But the soul-power of this saintly Minister was such that all the great influence of Ministerial Authority could not make in material-minded, even as a Minister, Thiruvathavoorar was wholly religious and devoted to spiritual aspirations. It so happened that while on a ministerial mission, Thiruvathavoorar had the good fortune to sit under the feet of a person of spiritual eminence and listen to the soul-stirring teachings. The spiritual impact was so impressive that the Minister entirely forgot himself and his mission and emerged as a disciple of the Great Lord, realizing that his Guru was none other than Parameshwara Himself.

This rare Dharsan of the Paramasariyer by a devotee may be qualified as how God manifests Himself before a disciple who keeps on yearning for the Supreme Lord Saint Thirunavukkarasar expresses the experience of a similar realization when the infliction on him by the Jains of incarceration in a kiln made no adverse effect but created a soothing atmosphere of serene exhilaration as that of the sweet rhythm of a musical instrument or the fascinating moon in its prime or a cooling breeze or the flower-decked fountain in the form of the protective shadow of the Feet of Providence.

வீரசிற் ரமினன் பாலிந்படு நெய்போல்
மறைய மறைங்க மாமண்ச் சேஷயான்
உறவு கோநட இரைவு கயிற்றிலை
முதகாங்கிக் கடைய முன்றால்தே

that was how Saint Appar describes the sudden appearance of the Supreme Lord in front of a determined devotee.

Saint Manickavachagar did the Churning so very fervently that the Heavenly Butter - Paramasivam presented Itself to the Churner. The Highly intelligent Parameeswara stands concealed in the Soul and reveals Itself to the uncompromising devotee who uses love and knowledge so very efficiently in the process of this venture of seeking the Truth

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That is not all. It is being dinned into the ears of a dazzled public that losses of several hundred thousands of rupees are being unearthed daily in the different departments resulting from frauds, negligence and incompetence of officers.

To add to the long list of these abominable acts of deceit, deception and dishonesty, there are regularly planned highway robberies and murders committed by armed gangsters.

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