IRISH HOME RULE AGAIN TAKEN UP

Government Bill Grants Council Control of Eight Departments.

BIRRELL MOVES CLOSURE

In Debate Government's Proposed Bill Is Opposed by Balfour and Redmond—Convehtion Called in Dublin May 21-22.

CHRONOLOGY OF HOME RULE.

1171—Conquest by English.

Between 1485 and 1509 Poyning's act gives English government control of Irish legislation.

1782—Poyning's act repealed.

1798—Rebellion against English rule.

1801—Union of Irish with British Parliament.

1803—Emmett's rebellion.

1833-44—O'Connell's agitation for repeal of the union.

1848—Young Ireland rebellion.

1867—Fenian insurrection.

1874—Home Rule party organized.

1878—Land League organized.

1885—Gladstone's home rule bill.

1886—Gladstone defeated on home rule issue, which split British Liberal party.

1906—Liberal party regains control of Parliament, pledged to moderate home rule.

1907—Birrell's Irish Council bill introduced.

LONDON, May 7.—The government today presented its long-awaited Irish bill to the House of Commons and the country. This bill is designed to meet the demands for Irish home rule. It was presented by the Chief Secretary for Ireland, Mr. Birrell, to a crowded house. The measure confers little self-government upon Ireland, merely giving to the council control of the eight departments now managed by government boards. The council is to be appointed by the crown and, while the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland is given power to nullify its measures, the crown retains control of five of the eight departments, including the constabulary. The control of this branch always has been a thorn in the flesh of the Irish people.

This half-way measure is wholly pleasing to no political party. The Unionists regard it as a step toward home rule. They object to giving Ireland the management of many departments of local affairs, while the Irish members of Commons retain the right to legislate in similar affairs for England and Scotland. They criticise also the plan of government as complicated and cumbersome. The Radicals are disappointed that the measure falls so short of actual home rule.

Irish Leaders Await Developments.

The Irish leaders, however, are maintaining a diplomatic attitude until they have time to study the provisions of the bill and learn the sentiment of the people. A Nationalist convention will be held in Dublin to decide upon the stand of the Irish party. The Laborites will support the measure, because they are all home rulers.

To prevent the first reading of the bill from being deferred until tomorrow, while Walter Hume Long was still speaking, Mr. Birrell moved the closure. Then amid great uproar and protests and shouts of "gag," the closure was carried by 417 votes to 121, and the bill passed its first reading by 416 votes to 121. The house then adjourned.

Bourke Cockran Listens.

After the bill had been presented and explained by Mr. Birrell, it was ridiculed by A. K. Balfour on behalf of the opposition. John E. Redmond then delivered a brilliant speech, giving a dignified and forceful exposition of Ireland's claims for complete home rule. W. Bourke Cockran, of New York, was an interested spectator during the proceedings. Most of Mr. Birrell's speech was a dry explanation of details of the plan, although in the beginning he eloquently contrasted his position with that of Mr. Gladstone in presenting home rule, calling his task a more humble one and commensurate with his position and powers.

Mr. Birrell hailed Dublin Castle a failure, saying:

"There it stands, remote, without friend and melancholy, while the current of Irish life sweeps past. No Governor had entered," he continued, "the gloomy portals of Dublin Castle without a sinking of the heart almost equivalent to abandoning hope."

Parnell had said that one way to govern Ireland was to send a man there to hold the balance of all parties and administer the country in a spirit of courage and independence, but the government had no such man in its eye. "I would rather write the biography of a British autocrat," Mr. Birrell said, "than live under his rule. Such men do not make good history." Continuing, Mr. Birrell said:

Nobody believes that the present administration of Ireland is sound in principle or economical. Under the proposed new scheme the Irish members will continue to sit at Westminster in undiminished numbers, but hope hereafter to find a more profitable chance for their inquisitiveness in managing local affairs at home. It is the intention of the bill to establish a representative administrative council, consisting of 82 elective and 24 nominative members, the latter to be nominated the first year by the King and thereafter by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Composition of Council.

Members will be elected on the local government board. The under secretary to the Lord Lieutenant will be ex-officio member of the Council, which will have complete control of the powers vested in the departments, to be handed over to its care. The President of the Council will be appointed by the Council. If the existing officers are elected by the councils, they must be given full powers.

Exercise of the powers vested in the departments will be controlled by reasons of the Council, and the supremacy of the Imperial Parliament will be safeguarded by the power given to the Lord Lieutenant to reserve his consent to any results of the Council and eight departments which would be made subject to the new Council.

The departments coming under the control of the proposed Irish Council will be the Local Government Board, Department of Agriculture, Congested Districts Board, Commissioners of Public Works; National Education and Intermediate Education, Inspectors of the Reformatory and Industrial Schools and the Registrar-General. The Supreme Court judicature, Royal Irish Constabulary, Dublin Metropolitan police, the Land Commission and the Prisons Board would remain under the control of the imperial authorities.

The constituencies would be the same as those of the present Parliamentary areas. I do not think 107 members were too many. The Council would be elected for three years and authorized to establish as many committees as it pleased, but it must establish finance, public works, education and local government board committees, the chairman of which would be appointed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Provide Separate Fund.

For financial purposes a certain annual sum, to be fixed by Parliament every five years, is to be paid into a separate Irish fund. The present cost of the eight departments is estimated at a little over £2,000,000 yearly. The government proposes hand over in addition the sum of £650,000 yearly, of which £300,000 must be devoted to public works and the general development of the country, including other statutory payments. An Irish fund, therefore, to the amount of a little over £4,000,000 annually would be created. The Council will have the power to appoint or remove the officers of the eight departments, but the rights of the existing officers will be preserved.

Under the bill any British subject will be able to hold the office of Lord Lieutenant without preference for any religious belief. A clause is also included providing that no preference whatever shall be shown to any religious denomination in appointments.

"The government," concluded Mr. Birrell, "has been told that the bill paved the way for home rule. If the bill is passed and the new council is a success, then I dare say it might pave the way. If, on the other hand, it is a failure, it might present considerable obstruction, but surely the Unionists will not refuse Ireland an opportunity for training her people to acquire any right they ought to possess because if the measure proves successful one of the difficulties in the way of home rule will have been removed."

Balfour Says Unfair Bill.

Mr. Balfour, opposition leader, characterized the bill as grossly unfair, as the Irish members of Parliament were still able to interfere in English and Scotch affairs while the House of Commons would be unable to say a word in the analogous business about to be transferred to the new Council. The measure would not legitimately relieve the aspirations of the Irish and would only cause confusion in the administration and entail real grievances in Scotland and England.

More preposterous suggestions regarding the local government had never been made, he declared. They would cause collisions with the authorities and inevitably involve a breakdown of the whole scheme. The proposals would satisfy neither the English nor the Scotch and still less the Irish.

John Redmond, Irish leader, said until he and his colleagues had time to consider the bill, no one could expect him to give final judgment. Mr. Gladstone proposed to solve the problem by the full and frank concession of self-government and autonomy to the Irish people, but what the present government offered was not home rule nor a substitute for it. The Irish still demanded home rule.

Redmond Asks for More Money.

After expressing doubt regarding certain minor features, Mr. Redmond discussed the financial features. He said he believed the fund of £650,000 was most inadequate. The whole amount would be mortgaged at once, leaving nothing for the development of Ireland. Therefore it would be impossible, successfully to work the scheme. The police department was the only one in which a real saving could be effected, and that was withheld from them.

Mr. Redmond confessed that although he viewed the question from a position opposite to that of Mr. Balfour, he felt the force of some of the latter's arguments. However, if the measure showed itself even moderately successful, his party would gladly accept it.

To Hold Great Convention.

The Nationalists have called a great convention to be held in Dublin May 21 and 22 to consider the government's bill. All the Irish city corporations and the borough and city rural councils have been invited to send delegates, irrespective of politics. The branches of the United Irish League in Ireland and England also will be represented, and all the clergymen of Ireland, irrespective of denomination, will be ex-officio delegates. It is expected more than 2000 persons will attend.

Far Removed From Home Rule

PHILADELPHIA, May 7.—Michael J. Ryan, National president of the National Irish League of America, when shown the cabled summary of the Irish bill said:

"The terms are disappointing and seem to be far removed from home rule, but the whole measure will be passed upon at the National convention of the Irish people summoned to meet in Dublin on May 21. It is unfortunate that England could not measure up at least to the heights reached by Gladstone."

Downfall of Dublin Castle.

BOSTON, May 7.—John O'Callahan, National secretary of the United Irish League of America, said today:

"The only thing apparent from the provisions of this new Irish bill is that it means the downfall of 'Dublin Castle,' an anti-Irish institution. With Castle government destroyed, complete home rule is assured. John Redmond and the Irish party can be safely trusted to make the measure broader before it leaves the House of Commons."

FALLS SICK ON SPECIAL

J. P. Jones Stricken on Way to the Shriners' Convention.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 7.—Noble J. P. Jones, traveling passenger agent for the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co., also connected with the Union and Southern Pacific Railways at Portland, and last but not least a member of Al Kader Temple of the Mystic Shriners, was hastened to the Pacific Hospital on his arrival in this city Sunday. He will remain there throughout a week. Mr. Jones, who came from the North in a private car, was stricken with gastritis shortly before his arrival here.

AT THE HOTELS.

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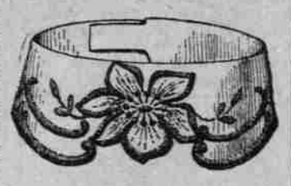

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Waists worth $5 each for **$2.50**
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Waists worth $12 each for **$6.00**
Waists worth $20 each for **$10**
Waists worth $25 each for **$12.50**
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