

BRITISH COMMONS HAS BIG PROGRAM

Parliament Prorogued Yesterday to Reassemble Monday For Busy Session.

MUCH ROUTINE LABOR

Unionists Hope to Defeat Asquith Before Home Rule Becomes Law.

LONDON, March 7.—(Can. Press).—The British parliament was prorogued today for one of the shortest recesses in its history, as it is to reassemble on Monday, March 10, for another of those busy sessions for which the Liberal Government has become famous. The King's speech from the throne was probably the briefest on record on such an occasion, merely expressing regret that the members of the two houses have only a nominal period of release from their labors. Last session was a long one, but almost every day was marked by a determined fight between the two parties in which the private members had little opportunity of doing anything but register his vote when the time came. There was always something, however, sufficiently interesting to keep the government supporters in their places.

This session will be humdrum in comparison and the government whips will have to work hard to keep the members up to the mark.

To reintroduce Home Rule. The home rule bill, the Welsh disestablishment bill and a few minor measures which the lords refused to assent to, will have to be reintroduced and repassed. This will be rather dry work, the old arguments will be repeated and there will be a weary march thru the division lobbies on every point that the Unionists can compel the government to take a vote on.

On the other side the Unionists, more anxious than ever to get the government out before the Irish and Welsh bills become law thru the operation of the parliament act, which does away with the lords' veto after the house of commons has passed a bill three times, will spare no pains to accomplish their end. They will be in wait prepared to take part in every division in the hope of catching the government and bringing about its overthrow by adverse votes.

Not many days will be given to those bills that have to be reintroduced—perhaps ten each at the outside to the home rule and Welsh bills, and less to the others. However, to fill up the time, the government intends to introduce a simple bill to do away with the old law thru the country, a bill to further Irish land purchase, and a measure to reform the method of dealing with the mentally defective. Then the ever-present question of woman's suffrage will have to be dealt with, and, besides, there is the usual Finance bill and the estimates for the various departments.

Unionists Seek Unity. It is hoped to get thru by the middle of August. If this is accomplished it will be the first time that the government has not had an autumn session for some years. Meantime the Unionist party, which has been sadly divided over the question of placing a customs tariff on foodstuffs, is making a determined effort to pull itself together. Most of the leaders and rank and file have fallen into line with the policy enunciated by Andrew Bonar Law in his last speech, in which "food taxes" were thrown overboard until the country has had an opportunity of passing on the question. In other words, foodstuffs will not be imposed by the Unionists when they get into power until a second election has been held, in which the tariff question is made the issue. Some of the old guard, however, still hold out for the whole policy of tariff reform, which includes a tariff on foodstuffs, so that the Unionists could be given a preference over foreign countries.

Favor Social Reform. Among the younger members of the party there is a move to throw overboard the tariff reform altogether, and follow the example of the Liberal Unionists, undertake a policy of social reform, which would include land and all other matters in which the people are directly interested. Land and education reform, too, are matters with which the government has just a possibility of dealing. In fact, there is just a possibility that the year unless the changes can be brought about by legislative measures not requiring the sanction of parliament.

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H. E. Irwin of Toronto and R. V. Levesque of Sarnia appeared as counsel for the local optionists. Arch Weir of Sarnia for the hotelkeepers and W. J. Porter for the town council. The judge refused to take any evidence as to the qualification of voters except as to residence. Three voters were objected to regarding residence. Two of these were held to be good and on the other judgment was reserved.

On Friday next Judge MacWatt will hold another sitting here to investigate a charge made by the town council that votes cast on the local option bylaw were tampered with after they had been counted on election day and before the recount took place on Jan. 31.

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