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The standing of parties in the House of Commons when the present House was elected and when it was dissolved, was about as follows:

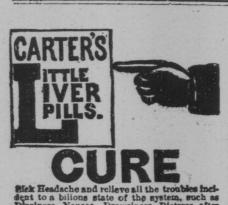
	Jan. 1906	Dec. 190
Liberals	400	366
Unionists	158	165
Socialist-Labor	29	56
Irish	83	83
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to the Government's proposed taxes on the liquor traffic, and also to its Educational policy, are supporting the Liberals because of the Home Rule Street, S. W., Mr. Challenor was the



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The Government have formally well as that of the Irish Party, Though no compact is known to exist bet een 25c the Liberals and Luberites, it is significant that the former have not only refused to contest any of the 29 seats won by the Laborites in 1906, but have abandoned to the latter some half dozen constituencies formerly Liberal, while the Labor Party has withdrawn its candidates from some dozen constituences in which a three cornered fight would probably result in a Unionist triumph. In some seventy ridings, however, the Laborites are will end about January 28th, all the running candidates in opposition to the Government, while Unionist can-

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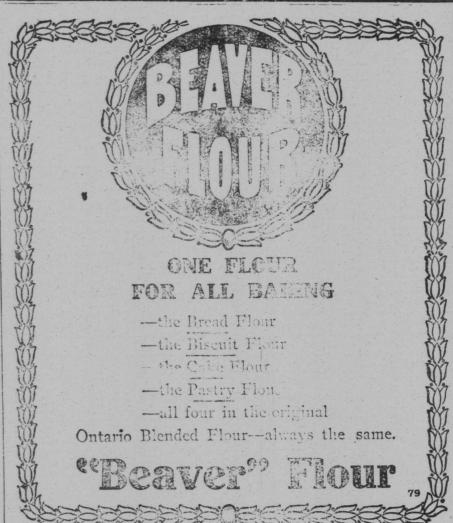
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dertaken by people in the British Isles, ings for British tenants as has been often supposed to be the chief reason done for Irish tenants; only tarif aid for the existence of that land. That to agricultural and urban industry; such a trip can be made with little out of the ordinary fatigue of travelling is and no provincial parliament for Ireland, but only extension of county self-government.

The Irish party, while it is opposed to the self-government of the Irish party, while it is opposed to the self-government of the Irish party, while it is opposed to the self-government of the Irish party, while it is opposed to the self-government of the Irish party while it is opposed to the Irish party in the Irish party while it is opposed to the Irish party in the Irish party while it is opposed to the Irish party in the Irish party in Irish party The Irish party, while it is opposed turned from the north-western limit plank.

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