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HOME RULE.

The great battle now being fought out in the English elections is for or against "Home Rule" in Ireland. Although Ireland has for centuries been suffering, groaning and rebelling against what the people deem oppression and their political disabilities in several important respects, (for example, until Catholic emancipation no Roman Catholic was allowed to hold a seat in parliament, be a Justice of the Peace, etc.) the Tory element has been so strong against any change, or Reform in Ireland, lest it yielding to the demands of the aggrieved nation should fall in pieces. The demand is now for self-government, and the ultra-Protestant cry of resistance is self-government would mean, if carried into effect, disintegration, and a breaking up of the Empire. The Roman Catholics would have the ascendancy in the local houses of parliament, and enact crushing measures against the Protestant minority.

as if England in granting the measure would not place safeguard around all denominations alike, the Queen having the veto power as she has over Canadian enactments, so that no measure in Ireland would become operative without the sanction of the British Ministry, in other words—the Queen. But how has it ever been in Lower Canada, where three-fourths of the population are Roman Catholics? Has there ever been a simple complaint by the Protestant minority that they have been unfairly treated? Never! But after all, it is the old Tory manifestation against every reform ever attempted, whether on this or the other side of the Atlantic. When the Duke of Wellington carried Catholic emancipation through parliament, the Catholics were bound to make sad havoc in England, even the Crown itself was to be turned into a Roman Channel. Is it so? When Sir Robert Peel carried his corn law measure, the farming interests of England would perish and the nation itself in time become the dumping ground of foreigners, and all the gold and bullion of the Bank of England would be swept across the Atlantic, and not enough currency left to prosecute the usual industries of the country. The Reform Bill was another of the blue devils that stirred the blood of the nation, through Tory instigation, to its very depths. The old Rotten Boroughs which enabled the nobility to dominate the House of Commons, when attacked were looked upon by those vassals as the very bulwarks of the nation. Curtail the power of the nobility as a ruling class, and the business of the nation will be left in the hands of the perverses to manage and muddle and bring about destruction. With all her reforms does not England to-day occupy a higher position among the nations of the world than she ever did before—when the Tories had everything in her own hands? The same Tory brother resides on this side of the Atlantic. When responsible government was contended for, the advocates were met by these old rascals with the cry "treason," "traitors," "republicans"—the term "annexationists" was not then whined—this is a modern Tory invention, and came in with the "old flag" story, an adjunct of the silly imperial federation fad. If responsible government were conceded, Canada would become republican soon after, and form one of the stars in the American galaxy. Well, we have had responsible government for forty years, and where are all the geese to-day—on the same side as the old advocates, reaping all the rewards and emoluments due to the system they fought against, as governors, high parliamentary officials, to which under the old system they could never have aspired to.

So with Home Rule in Ireland—it will be carried in spite of the Tories and "dissidents" rat Liberals, and Ireland will become a land of peace, plenty and contentment. Mr. Gladstone is the man of for the hour.

ST. JOHN RELIEF FUND.

Some people have a strange idea of the properties. As an example, it was urged by several of the speakers of the St. John meeting for aiding the Newfoundland sufferers that the sum of nine thousand dollars (the amount which St. Johns, Nfld., sent to her namesake when in similar distress in 1877) should be taken from the surplus fund now in the hands of the

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