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## BRITISH PARLIAMENT FOR FISCAL FIGHT

England Expects That Premier Balfour Will Voluntarily Dissolve in the Autumn.

### GOOD WEATHER FAVORS THE OLD-TIME PAGEANT

The lengthiest paragraph, devoted

THROUGH THE ICE

Ended in Two Deaths.

hausted. Donald Morrison, coming up

and seeing his brother's plight, jumped

into the water, got him on his back,

and swam with him to the shore. All

of his efforts to save his brother.

CZAR'S SOLDIERS

LOOT AND KILL

Attack Officials and

Flee to Woods.

reported the ringleaders were shot the

next morning in the prison yard after

In the government of Podolia Volina

300 reservists fled to the woods, where

Gets Windsor Track.

summary trial.

resistance they will shoot.

Turkish Empire."

London, Feb. 14.-More than usual | The scene in the neighborhod of interest attaches to today's opening of Buckingham Palace was particularly animated. Large crowds selected this Parliament, as the belief is practically point, whence to view the pageant, and univeral that sit will be the last ses- when the sovereigns issued from the sion of the present Parliament. Even gates of the palace they were greeted should the Government escape defeat, with a great burst of enthusiasm, which it is thought that Premier Balfour will quickly spread the whole length of the voluntarily dissolve Parliament in the fine new processional road, leading from autumn and take the opinion of the the site of the Victoria Memorial to country on the fiscal and other ques- the Horse Guards' parade, and accomtions now agitating the electorate. panied the monarch and his consort

Good weather favored today's throughout the route. pageant, which followed the procedure At the royal entrance beneath the of former occasions. Big crowds were Victoria Tower, House of Lords, the about from an early hour watching the King was received by the high officers Kobe to the Express reports that the assembling of the troops, which lined of state, and passed in procession to the brief route from Buckingham the robing room. Thence, accompanied the harbor works at Osaka on Sunday Palace to the House of Lords.

The usual interest was shown in the the House of Lords, preceded by the time-honored search of the vaults be- crown and other regalia, carried by neath the Houses of Parliament by the their hereditary bearers, and by the yeomen of the guard with their lan- heralds, announcing the approach of terns and balberds. Between this the sovereigns. ceremony and the appearance of the The sovereign himself read the reyal procession a constant stream of speech from the throne to the assemcarriages containing peers and bled lords and commoners in the upper peeresses in their robes of state, and chamber. officials in brilliant uniforms enlivened. The only reference to the war, which the somewhat tedious wait.

The royal processions were the same was to announce that "My Government as last year, that of the Prince and has been careful to observe in the Princess of Wales from Marlborough strictest manner the obligations in-House consisting of three carriages, cumbent upon a neutral power." with an escort of household cavalry, preceded by a few minutes the cortege to the Balkans, says the situation conof King Edward and Alexandra from tinues to give cause for anxiety. The Buckingham Palace. Five state carri- measures adopted at the instance of ages, each with six horses bearing state the Austro-Russian Governments have officials, preceded the royal coach with been instrumental in bringing about the sovereigns, drawn by the eight some amelioration in the state of the cream-colored Hungarian horses, which disturbed districts, but "These meashave figured in all the state proces- ures have still to be supplemented by sions of recent years. Household cav- radical reforms, especially of the finanalry acted as a bodyguard, while, in cial system before any permanent impursuance of their privilege, a detach- provements can be effected in the adment of Yeomen of the Guard marched ministration of these provinces of the alongside the state coach.

#### LOUBET TO RESIGN

#### French President to Step Out Before Gallant Attempt at Rescue Which tlis Term Expires.

New York, Feb. 14.-A Paris dispatch to the Herald says: President Loubet tempt at rescue ended in a double vill resign office before the expiration drowning fatality at Long Lake, Welof his seven-year term, which ends on lington, yesterday afternoon, David Feb. 18, 1906. His reason for this step aggart and Sidney Morrison, aged 13 triennial renewal of the and 19, respectively, being the victims Senate and the general election for of the first ice tragedy of the season. members of the Chamber of Deputies Haggart and Sidney Morrison, aged 13 will take place next year and Parlia-ment will not meet until the close of the ice, which broke about a hundred

Consequently to avoid the election of a president by new members he will resign in time for his successor to be resign in time for his successor to be son, who was skating on the lake, elected by the present chambers, re-rushed to his assistance with a ladpalace at Versailles, according to the Haggart for three hours, but finally

#### Frozen to Death.

Belleville, Feb. 14. - A man named Barnum, whose parents reside in Thur- attempts to resuscitate Sidney Morrilow, and a companion left Madoc son proved futile, three hours' exposon Saturday night in a sleigh for ure proving too much for him. Hag-Crookston, Both were said to be in- gart's body was recovered an hour toxicated. On the way Barnum fell later. The victims were sons of two out of the sleigh and next morning he prominent merchants of Wellington, was found where he tell, frozen to who were witnesses of the fatality. death. Deceased had a flask of whisky Donald Morrison is very ill as a result

## LINER SILVIA SAFE AT ST. JOHNS

#### Had Terrific Battle With Ice and Bodies of Reservists Stop Trains, Blizzard and Almost Foundered.

St. Johns, Nfld., Feb. 13. - The long overdue steamer Silvia, from New seaward, among great ice floes on the

omentarily expecting that the ship

After the storm had abated the engines were repaired, and on Sunday the steamer reached Trepassey, where she remained until this morning, and then started for this port, having been unable to report here safely, owing to the telegraph line from Trepassey having been broken down in the blizzard.

#### OLD BOYS TO MEET

#### Secretary May Be Appointed by the snow. Parties of Cossacks have been Executive Tonight.

A meeting of the executive committee of the London Old Boys Association has been called for 8 o'clock tonight at the city hall. The most important matter to be decided is the arpointment of a secretary to succeed Mr. C. B. Edwards, who was unable to accept the office.

Mr. J. S. Bell has positively declined to act again, owing to the vast amount of time he would have to devote to

## Bill For New Railroad Passes the Committee

Hanover Through Grey County to Dundalk.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

#### NEW RAILWAY COMPANY

Mr. Calvert Seeks Incorporation For Hon. 5 N. Parent Says He Has No the Canada and Middlesex.

Ottawa, Feb. 13.-In the House to day Mr. Calvert introduced a measure to incorporate the Canada and Middlesex Railway Company.

#### 94 PERSONS DROWNED

Small Jap Steamer Collides With Harbor Works at Osaka.

London, Feb. 14. -- A dispatch from small steamer Natorigawa collided with by the Queen, his majesty repaired to and sank, and that 94 persons were

Line Proposed From Point Near Mr. McKenzie (Bruce), for a railway from a point near Hanover, in the county of Grey, thence through Durham, to connect with the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, between Flesherton and Dundalk, was adopted at th Ottawa, Feb. 14.-A bill in charge of railway committee meeting today.

### NOT TO RESIGN

Intention of Stepping Out.

Quebec, Feb. 14.-Hon. S. N. Parent stated this morning that there is no

G. T. P. BONDS

London Paper Says There Will Be \$15,000,000 at Four Per Cent.

London, Feb. 14. - The Daily Mail states that an issue of about fifteen millions dollars at four per cent bonds, is imminent in connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific, scheme.

### RUSSIA'S GREAT STRIKE ENDS; THE MASTERS AND MEN TO MEET

his majesty said "unhappily continues,"

representatives on the mixed commission of masters and workmen.

Current rumors of trouble on the holiday tomorrow, on which occasion it has been reported that the revolutionaries had planned an armed uprising. seem to be totally without foundation. The Associated Press has been inernor-general that there is not the slightest apprehension as to a renewal of the disorders. On the contrary it is

#### visible vestige of the great St. Peters- prove satisfactory to the workmen, as the mail reached Charlottetown, havburg strike disappeared today, when the latter will be heard regarding the ing been held up for several days at the employes of the Putiloff iron works formulation of new laws and the adjustment of existing differences. The In all the works ballots are being dis- | political side of the agitation is considtributed for the election on Sunday of ered no longer a serious factor at pres-Rumors that General Trepoff will be

appointed minister of the interior are not confirmed in the best-informed circles, where it is believed the post of governor-general will be continued for several months at least. The Holy Synod had directed all

formed at the headquarters of the gov- priests to communicate the terms of the imperial ukase regarding the mixed commission to their parishioners. Zemstvo adjourned today after adopt-

## DEVLIN, LIBERAL, CARRIES WRIGHT

# Be Elected by a Small

from Wright today indicate the elec- Sofia, the correspondent of the Times tion of Mr. Devlin (Liberal) by a ma- says: "The rapid progress of Turkish jority of under 100. The figures from military preparations attracts atten-Eardley Township this morning show tion here. War material is being conenly 36 for McDougall, instead of 127, stantly dispatched from Constantinder, plunged into the water and neld up as reported last night. had to let him go, both being ex-

Wright county owing to blocked roads. Monastir. Large supplies of uniforms grees above zero, and a high wind pre-At noon, Devlin (Liberal) was leading by 100 majority, with eight polls to come, which will likely increase his majority. The vote in the country was small owing to the storm and cold.

#### C. P. R. DIVIDENDS

### Three On the Common Stock.

Montreal, Feb. 13.-At a meeting of the board of the Canadian Pacific Railway today a dividend of 2 per cent on preference stock and 3 per cent on common stock was de-clared for the half-year ended December last. After payment of working expenses, fixed charges and dividends now declared, there is a surplus for the where the assembly of nobles sit, after was one hour behind time.

#### TO HELP THE SETTLER

## to Provide Financial Aid.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Feb. 14.-The with the autocracy." Berlin, Feb. 14.—Fresh disturbances lar attention to what is styled a new Soo Board of Trade is giving particuof a serious nature have broken out national policy for building up On-York and Halifax, arrived here this among the reservists of the Russian tario. The principal feature is that it afternoon after a terrific experience in a blizzard, which struck her on Wed-Kieff, the great pilgrim city, styled the in the strongest manner possible the nesday, driving her eighty miles to Jerusalem of Russia, the reservists be- importance of it upon both the Ontario gan looting in the outskirts of the city and Dominion Governments. The Gov-Grand Banks.

The engines broke down for 24 hours in the height of the storm, during which all the passengers and crew labored incessantly at the pumps, labored incessantly at the pumps, members in the vicinity of the storm of the windows of a train. When orders ent improvements of greater value were given for the train to start they than the advances made. It will be gathered in front of the locomotive, re-fusing to move. Some lay down on the culy to settlers who locate on lands rails, saying they preferred this death to Japanese bullets in Manchuria. set apart by the Government for such purpose, and approved of by the Gov-At Kursk a party of reservists at- enment valuator as suitable for agritacked three mobilization officials, kill- cultural purposes. ing one anl badly wounded two. It is

## MACDONALD'S GENEROSITY

#### Montreal Millionaire Glyes Another

\$7,500 to Guelph College. they are wandering about in the deep Ottawa, Feb. 13. - Sir Wm. Macdonsent to capture them and in case of ald, of Montreal, with splendid and unostentatious liberality, has placed to the credit of Dr. Mills, rallway comnissioner, Ottawa, ex-president of the Windsor, Feb. 14.—President Hendrie, O. A. C., an additional sum of \$7,500 for of the Highland Park Club, and also the completion of the building and of the Fort Erie, has closed up a lease furnishing of the Macdonald Institute of time he would have to devote to the work, and the executive is almost at a loss to know what to do. Mr. B. C. McCann, has been suggested for the vacancy, as has also Dr. Fred L. Wood.

# GETTING READY FOR MASSACRE

#### Vancouver, Feb. 13. - A brave at- Returns Indicate That He Will Turkey is Rushing War Material Into the Province of Adrianople. Majority.

Ottawa, Feb. 14.—Returns received London, Feb. 14.—Telegraphing from ople to Salonica, Adrianople. Fifty Returns are coming in slowly from quick-fire guns recently arrived at have been ordered for the reserves."

#### Succession Duties.

duties branch of the Provincial treas- | New York City. ury received from estates in the Province during the month of January the delayed by the cold, and engineers be-Two Per Cent On Preference and record sum of \$123,267. The whole ing compelled to slow down to prevent amount received during 1904 was accident to frost-filled carwheels, \$458.693, the largest sum since the succession duties act was adopted.

"Down With Autocracy." London, Feb. 14. - The Standard's Moscow correspondent reports that at

ing the whole gathering drowned the orchestra by singing the "Marseillaise." Then students made revolutionary harangues, which were en-Soo Board of Trade Wants Government thusiastically applauded. Proclamations were distributed broadcast, amid cries of "Stop the war" and "Down

### THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow-Fair and Very Cold Sun rises...7:18 a.m. Moon rises...12:44 p.m. Sun sets...5:46 p.m. Moon sets...2:44 a.m. Toronto, Feb. 13-8 p.m. Heavy gales, with snow and rain, have prevailed today in the Maritime Provinces, and snow has also fallen in Quebec and leadly in the Territories. Extremely

cold weather has set in over Ontario and is spreading eastward.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Dawson, 2 below-6; New Westminster.
20-40; Calgary, 12-34; Swift Current, 12
below-24; Winnipeg, 22 below-8; Port
Arthur, 24 below-6; Parry Sound, 4 below-18; Toronto, 6-8; Ottawa, 4-12; Montreal, 2-16; Quebec, 19-22; St. John, 18-38;
Halifax, 12-40. FORECASTS.

### Tuesday, Feb. 14-8 p.m. Today—High southwesterly winds and very cold; snow flurries tonight. Wednesday—Northwesterly winds, and

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		Min.	Weather
Calgary		10.	Clear
Winnipeg		-22	Clear
Parry Sound		-10	Cloud
Toronto		-8	Fair
Ottawa		-10	Fair
Montreal		-6 .	Clear
Quebec	6	-8	Clear
Father Point	t 8	-4	Fair
The sign -			zero.
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LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Monday were: Highest, 22° above; lowest, 6.5°

## STILL IN GRIP OF JACK FROST

Cold Wave Hits Montreal, Toronto and the East.

#### PETROLEA TIED UP BY STORM

Trains Stalled, Starving Passengers Fed by Farm:rs-Relief for

Nova Scotla.

Petrolea, Feb. 14.-Weather here is very cold, 25 below zero. All trains are badly behind. Business is at a standstill. Several oil rigs have had to shut down entirely on account of the cold.

Toronto, Feb. 14. - The temperature at the observatory this morning reg-

Halifax, Feb. 14. - A Charlottetown special says the severity of one of the worst winters in the memory of the oldest inhabitant relaxed yesterday morning when a thaw set in after a succession of storms with temperature below zero that paralyzed trade, blocked roads, delayed mails, postponed meetings, and emphasized the commercial intercourse with mainland. It is now three weeks since the winter St. Petersburg, Feb. 14. - The last prevails that the measures taken will steamers crossed and one week since

Cape Travers. Cape Travers branch railway has snow-shovelers as possible, have been tighting the drifts, to find the line cleared one day and blocked as bad as bitten, and their faces stung by driftoperations have been suspended till the storm abated.

the storm abated.

The opening of the Legislature, postJan. 29, total 343, of whom 221 were poned from last week till tomorrow, is wounded. lagain postponed, also a mass meeting to discuss the question of winter communication and a steam ferry between the capes.

Four men have walked from Cape Travers to the city, 38 miles, over a unbroken wilderness of deep snow. Forty passengers are at Cape Travers waiting for the trains to start.

tacked Lapatai and Hanshantai on Monday, Feb. 13, but were repulsed.

"The Russians continue to construct waiting for the trains to start. In Nova Scotia conditions on the railways are scarcely improved.

Montreal, Feb. 14. - Frost has taken ne place of the snow in delaying the trains today, the temperature being so low that the locomotives find difficulty in getting up steam. This condition affects trains coming into Montreal. both from the east and west. Heavy snowdrifts also have played a part in causing delays.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 14. - This city experienced the coldest weather of the season last night, the mercury at with a gradually rising temperature.

New York, Feb. 14. - After a drop in the temperature of 30 degrees since yesterday noon, New York was shivering today in a cold snap from the

vailing. Reports from points up state say last night was the coldest of the season. Nineteen degrees below zero was Toronto, Feb. 13. - The succession registered in sections of the state near

> Through trains from the west on the axles and rails, while the locomotives were unable to make steam fast enough to haul the trains at their usual speed. The Twentieth Century Limited from Chicago, due at 9:30 a.m., was four hours late; the Chicago Ex-

Lockport, N. Y., Feb. 14. — High winds prevailed last night, during which the temperature fell to 12 degrees below zero in this city, and to 17 below in the country districts, causing the snow to drift, badly blocking country roads and causing an almost entire trolley roads reaching Lockport. The heater train, which left Buffalo last gers have been cared for by farmers. The New York Central train from Rochester, due here this morning,

### Very Cold Tomorrow.

Keep up your storm collar and be thankful the coal bins are filled. Very cold tomorrow with a northwesterly wind to emphasize the fact, is the prediction of the observatory man at Toronto. From end to end of the Province the temperature is well below zero. Quebec, too, is feeling the nip, and high winds prevail there. In the far west and the Territories the weather has moderated to some extent,

but there is no indication of an

improvement east of Manitoba.

istered 7 below with a stiff gale blow Said To Be Seeking a Way to End War-Notes From the Front.

Paris, Feb. 13. - A dispatch to Petit Parisian from St. Petersburg says the Czar is said to have consulted a competent person upon the best way to conclude a preliminary armistice with the line and entered the United States. the Japanese and then to come to a sense of isolation and interrupted definite understanding upon conditions that would not be too humiliating or onerous for Russia to accept.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 13.-A dispatch from Gen. Kuropatkin made public today, says: "Early in the morning of been blocked one week and the main | Feb. 12 300 Japanese cavalry attacked line sixty days. All available engines | a bridge near Fengtzkong and damand snowplows, together with as many | aged 30 yards of the railroad. Train service was resumed after some delay. The Japanese bombarded Putiloff | The Land of Promise. ever the next. Men, exhausted, frost- (Lone Tree) Hill, and Sekheyan with slege guns Feb. 11. One officer was ing snow, have refused to work, and killed and several were wounded. According to correct returns, the Japan-

> Tokio, Feb. 14.-Manchurian headquarers, reporting today, says: tacked Waitao Mountain on Sunday, Feb. 12, but were repulsed. Small forces of

St. Petersburg, Feb. 14.—The accumula- peans some to escape starvation. coal for manufacturing purposes, threat-ening a tieup of the iron industry. Vast accumulations of coal exist in the Donetz

A friend of mine in Winnipeg want-

Tokio, Feb. 14.-10 a.m.-In discussing a report that colliers had refused to accompany the second Russian Pacific squadron on its way north, a member of the Japanese naval staff said today "Our commanders will fire and sink any colliers found in company with the Russian warships regardless of their nationality."

Tokio, Feb. 14.-Reports from Liao Yang place the total Russian force between the Shakhe River and Harbin at 450,000, of which 280,000 are on the fighting line. The condition of the prisoners and of the bodies of the dead indicate that the Russians are short of shoes and winter clothing. Some of the officers are wearing Chinese shoes. It is believed that exposure to the cold is greatly increasing sickness among the Russians.

Later estimates of the Russian losses at Heikoutai place the number at 25,-

### Religious Education Council.

Boston, Feb. 14. - While the first general session of the religious education convention will not be held until evening, several of the departments of is a year older, he and his father can the convention were scheduled to begin their work today. Chief among those and will sell for \$3,000 or \$4,000; or, was the council of religious education, better still, will yield them \$2,000 a stoppage of traffic on the steam and the president of which is Prof. Frank year and a living beside, Knight Saunders, dean of the Yale divinity school. The president's annual people departing by the hundred for night on the New York Central road, vinity school. The president's annual people departing by the hundred for is stalled at Beach Ridge. The passen- report was to be followed by the presentation of various papers, among and so prevent the ultimate depopulathem two with reference to the possible stalled beyond Albion. A Niagara Falls co-operation in religious education betrain is snowbound at Sanborne. Detween Roman Catholics and Protestrailed snowplows on the trolley lines ants. The general alliance of workers from Olcott and also from Buffalo with boys planned to meet during the have tied up those lines.

## Plucky Chicago Bellboy Saves Guests From Fire

#### Brevoort House Partially De- ing guests and employes of the hotel. stroyed-Firemen Beneath Falling Ceiling.

departure. Three firemen were injured, one severely, before the flames, which burned for nearly an hour, burst

almost overcome by smoke in arous- city.

When the firemen reached the scene the flames had eaten their way others are to build a line from Spothers through the third floor and had made kane, Wash., to the international considerable progress upward through the walls. The smoke, which was 5 years. The road is to be called the Chicago, Feb. 14.-Fire partly de- dense, hampered the firemen in their Spokane International. stroyed the Brevoort House early to- work, while the guests were scamperday, causing a loss of \$100,000 to the ing by every avenue of escape to reach building and hotel furnishings, and a place of safety, and the hotel emforcing 150 guests to make a hurried ployes were busy in arousing them by Rexford, Mont., making close connectelephones in the rooms.

While fighting the flames in the hotel barroom three firemen were injured. Vancouver 29 hours." through the roof of the building, after one seriously by the collapse of the thrust from the G. N. agent: "The C. it was thought they had been extin- ceiling. The fire was mostly confined P. R. time to Vancouver, is 50 hours. guished. None of the guests were to the rear of the building, which was gutted from the basement to the roof. the more popular pastime of farring The fire, which started from crossed The hotel, which is eight stories high, his Canadian competitors and so help electric light wires, about 2:30 o'clock, is owned by the Hannah & Hogg Com- to develop the country that holds the was discovered by a bellboy, who was pany, and is one of the oldest in the Whateven his childhood.

### LAND OF PROMISE IS NORTHWEST

Cy Warman Writes of Influx of Americans.

#### HOW UNCLE SAM HITS HIS OWN

Aggressive Immigration Policy of the Dominion Government-What Jim Hill Has Done for West

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 14. - While the parliaments of the world are voting money for the ministry of war, in order that they may buy or build more machine guns, and so help to swell the song of slaughter, the Dominion Parliament is pouring it into the immigration de-

partment. While Uncle Sam's sleuths are taxing Canadians, who have no passport, \$2, or turning them back at the border, the Dominion Minister of the Interior is offering 160 acres of good land to any Yankee, who will cross over and till the soll.

A Winnipeg reporter examined 17 young men the other day, all good citzens and entitled to vote, and only three out of the lot could have crossed General elections are sometimes five years apart, and while you may be a "citizen," unless your name is on voters' list, you have no proof that will

sitisfy Uncle Sam. A young man named Hughes who had been out with an engineering parover into Dakota. He wanted also, to return, so took a round-trip ticket, but late political disturbance, he did not vote, and so he was not permitted to visit Dakota until he had paid the penalty-\$2 in good and lawful money.

The present Parliament is likely to provide for a five-year census for the Canadian West

Nothing draws like a crowd. To show once in five years how the West is filling up, it is argued, will tend to encourage others to come. The rush to California, and later to the Klondyke, it has been suggested, drew thousands who would never have dreamed of taking the long journey. only that "everybody" was going. Th population of the Canadi more than doubled in the past five years, and will doubtless double a few

times within the next five years. intrenchments in the neighborhood of To be sure, the people of the republic St. Petersburg, Feb. 14.—Inquiries made that the English and other Europeans at the ministry of the interior show that have. Most of the Americans who cross no confirmation has been received there over to Canada take money with them, of the report from Berlin that further They buy land or invest in some busi-They buy land or invest in some business enterprise, but thousands of Euro-

southeastern Russia, on account of the lobs are filled, my own experience tells Despite the reports that all the good inability of shippers to procure cars, which have been withdrawn for the transportation of troops and munitions, is now further complicated by lack of

> After many days he found a "scrub lady." She scrubbed the floor well, worked briskly and finished in an hour. To show his appreciation my friend

> The scrub lady looked at the money, then at the man, and said: "Three dollars, please," and he gave

her the money.

An acquaintance of mine, whose wife ranted a woman to clean house found that the cheanest thing in the market would cost \$5 a day.

Do you marvel that the starvingreally worthy starving—of London lcok longingly toward the west? The following is a true story of an English family that had been six months in Canada. This family lives in Ottawa.

Father, aged 52, shoveling snow at 175 a day. Mother, 58, \$1 a week and board. Daughter, 28, cook, \$17 50 a month. Daughter, 25, nurse, \$12 a month Daughter, 22, parlor maid, \$12 a

Lad, 17, living with a farmer through winter, \$7 and board. All told this family, was hard pressed England, is earning \$100 a month above their board. In summer they take up a half section of land, which will be clear to them in three

It is only natural that eminent Irishmen should look with alarm upon the tion of the land of the Shamrock; and vet he is a friend indeed who helps the inhabitants of that unhappy isle to a better home beyond the sea. While thousands, if not millions of Irish, the Irish have fought shy of Canada

#### Uncle Jim Hill.

There appears to have existed for years between Mr. J. J. Hill and Sir William Van Horne, an understand-ing, if not an actual agreement, that each was to keep clear of the other's territory. At all events they did keep clear, but things have changed. Sir William is no longer in the sad-

dle, though still chairman of the board. Now, almost simultaneously these ineresting items appear From Spokane: Mr. D. C. Corlin and boundary, connect with the Canadian

The other item is from Fernie, B. C., and tells us that the Great Northern once between that thriving camp and

tion with trans-continental trains.
We are further informed that "the Evidently your Uncle Jim will jar Canada no more, but devote himself to

Whatever his critics may say about

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