

DOESN'T WANT NEW HEAD OF S.A. TAKES UP DUTIES **RECIPROCITY**

Mr. Robert Meighan Commissioner Rees Thinks it Would be a Calamity to Canada

Will Have Charge of Work in British America

(Canadian Press.)

Head of Lake of the Woods Milling Toronto Labor Men Asking For Reforms Company Expresses Himself in ---Presbyterian Church Has Had a Strong Terms. Good Year.

(Canadian Press.)

Montreal, Q., Jan. 11 .- "It would Toronto, Ont., Jan. 14.-The new be the most disastrous catastrophe commissioner of the Salvation Army that could happen to theicountry. The for Canada, Newfoundland and Bermilling industry would be destroyed. muda, David M. Rees, entered into the activities of his position yester-The only reciprocity we want is for day at the Army head marters. He each country to look after their own was appointed to his office in Canada business. The United States have very little that we want, but we have by General Bopth, after the withdrawal of Commissioner Coombs. a great deal that they want. If they The new commissioner is really rewish to buy certain articles from us entering in a larger sphere the work

and their tariff is too high, let them in which he was engaged in this lower it. If, on the other hand, we country twenty years ago, and this want to buy from them and our tarwill be a signal for renewed efforts in iff is too high, we can lower it. all branches of the Army over which "We don't want reciprocity with

the United States. The best thing he has charge and in this campaign our ministers could do would be to return from Wasnington.' Such was the statement of Mr. Ro- a post in the Army.

bert Meighan, president of the Lake Toronto, Ont., Jan. 19-A deputaof the Woods Milling Company, when tion composed of prominent labor leaders from all over the province, asked his opinion of the report that wheat had been put on the free list will tomorrow ask the provincial govfor reciprocity by the conference ernment for the following reforms, which is being held in the American which have been endorsed by the labor bodies: Abolition of side steps capital. on electric cars, equipment of electric

J. F. MacFarlane, manager of the cars with proper brakes and fenders Western Canada Flour Mills, declared and heating of car vestibules, sanithe movement would spell ruination.

A HERMIT FARMER

tary inspection of clothing made by contract in private houses, permission for municipalities to expropriate public utilities with compensation irrespective of conditions of franchise, CHARGED WITH MURDER respective of conditions of iranchase, stringent inspection of scaffoldings on buildings and licensing of barbers. Toronto, Ont., Jan. 19 .- The total receipts of the Presbyterian church in

Huntsville, Ont., Jan. 19.-John Prentice, a hermit farmer fiving in Canada for 1910 as shown in the comparative statement just prepared Chaffey township, is under arrest, charged with threatening to murder by the treasurer, Rev. Dr. Smith Mrs. Staples, a neighbor. Prentice Somerville, was \$203,702, as against has been living with his three-year- \$181,577 in 1909. The amount of unold child in a log hut, which he re- apportioned money received up to fused to leave, and is keeping a load- December 31st, \$109,070, is considerfused to leave, and is keeping a load-ed gun to scare off intruders. Police Chief Watson affected his arrest by Chief Watson affected his arrest by year ago, \$96,150, but the expenditure sending two of Prentice's neighbors in Home and Foreign Missions was

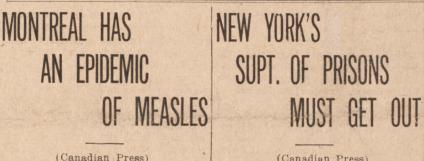




Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 19-Mrs. to which a witness ever was subject- main story with unruffled tenacity, he will be assisted by his daughter, of "Miss Klein" when she was play-Captain Ruth Rees, who will de given husband, John O. Schenk, underwent onjection was argued out. one of the severest cross-examin-

Eleanor Zoeckler, who took the name ed. The woman's veracity, her char- the defence insisted that the day was acter and her past life were touched strongly favorable to the prisoner. on in the questions propounded by The prosecutor, on the other hand, ing the role of the detective nurse to Mr. Boyce. So fierce was the attack ennounced that he would reserve the get evidence against Mrs. Laura at the outset that the prosecuting right to recall Mrs. Zoeckler and stat Farnsworth Schenk, on trial here attorney, J. B. Handlan, objected, ed that he would prove her good charged with poisoning her wealthy and the jury was excluded while the character before the trial is complet ed. It is expected that the jury will

inations, at the hands of S. O.Boyce, though the witness struck to her day or so



(Canadian Press)

right hand man at the Saratoga Con-

CLEMENCY EXTENDED

Montreal, Jan. 19.-That the epi-New York, Jan. 19.-The Tribune demic of measles in Montreal is a today announces that Governor Dix K. C., on behalf of R. O. Stockton, serious one and that steps should be has requested the resignation of has filed a bond and given notice of token immediately to prevent the fur- Cornelius Collins, state superinten- an appeal in the caseagainst J. M. ther spread of the dispase, is the de- dent of prisons, and that Collins has Robinson and H. B. Robinson, bankclaration made by a number of pro- refused to give it. According to the ers and brokers. Stockton claims by some of the civic health officials formation which prompted his re- given credit for it. When the case that the rapid spread of the disease quest. Supt. Collins is quoted as was tried before Judge Forbes, a

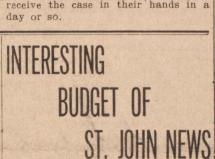
ly. They declare that careless par- gn examination of his department

ents have helped to increase the might change the governor's mind.

number of cases by not taking Collins was Theodore Roosevelt's

vention.

At the close of the examination, al- receive the case in their hands in a



(Special to The Mail.) St. John, Jan. 19.-A. A. Wilson,



Pecular Accicent at Hamilton, Ont .--- Witness Sure She Heard Defendant Victim in Hospital and His Condition is Serious.

(Canadian Press.) Hamilton, Cnt., Jan. 19.-As the Grand Opera House last night, dursitting not far from the stage, when the blade of a long sword which was as a wedge in the handle, struck Shiverick in the forehead. It was em-

sword remained in Shiverick's forenead, and it was necessary for an- fits. other man to hold Shiverick braced against the seat while a third wren- cerning her gentlemen friends?" ched the weapon from the skull,

ed and he was removed to St. Jose- man friend of hers." ph's Hospital, where he was placed on the operating table. Doctors dis- ic into water used by John O. Schcovered that the end of the sword enk?" had penetrated Shiverick's skull.

The dance went on uninterruptedly. The dancers were nervous and one of cine?" them knocked over a jar containing burning incense. That set fire to the

stage, but the curtain descended and the fire on the stage was easily quenched. Shiverick is the son of an American millionaire.

The injured man rested fairly well luring the night after the operation and the hospital authorities said he would likely pull through, unless Best and Dr. Barr blood poisoning sets in.

Brought on in the Schenk Poisoning Case

Narrate Improper Stories as to Herself and Other Men.

(Canadian Press.) Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 19-When esult of a peculiar accident at the Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenk entered the court room this morning, she ng the performance of the Imperial had recovered from the indisposition Russian Ballet, Robert Shiverick, of which caused the early adjournment the audience, is in St. Joseph Hospi-yesterday and appeared as bright as tal, in a critical condition. He was ever after a refreshing sleep. After a conference between Prosecutor Hand lan and Judge Jordan, the prosecutor said he hoped to close his case being used gy Midkail Mordkin, the this morning, in which event the deleading man in the troupe, flew out fence will ask for an early adjournof its socket and a piece of steel used ment so that it will open its side early tomorrow morning.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 19-Miss bedded about two inches in the scalp Evans, nurse in the Schenk housethat it penetrated the brain. The hold said that while she was nursing Schenk he had frequent crying

"Did Mrs. Schenk talk to you con-"Yes. One day I was in the parlor

After the weapon had been removed when she showed me a flower basket hiverick jumped from his seat and and told me she appreciated it highcan up the side aisle to the lobby. It ly. It had been given her with viowas seen that he was seriously injur- lets she said, by a special gentle-

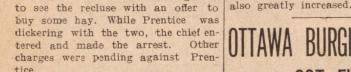
Miss Evans, did you ever put arsen-"No sir."

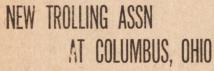
"Did you ever put lead in his medi-

"No."

"Did Mrs. Schenk narrate improper ories as to herself and other men?' "She did."

But the witness refused to tell them to the jury. Miss Evans was permitted to leave the stand, and the prosecutor announced he had completed his case, with the exception of the cross-examination of Dr.





Ottawa, Jan. 19.-Emile Noel, the crook who burglarized the stores of Ald. Gaulin and C. P. Wright, last

crackingthe safe in the latter estab-Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 19.-A new lishment and arrested after a fierce trotting association has been formed and will be known as The Great Cen- fight with the police, was sentenced to 5 years in the Kingston pentitentral Circuit. The new organization will include a majority of the Grand tiary. He pleaded not guilty.

Circuit and a number of the Great Western Circuit. The formation of WISHART TO RETURN

the new circuit is the direct result of the conflict between Columbus and Lexington in regard to the dates awarded by the Grand Circuit stew ards at their annual meeting.



Montreal, Que., Jan. 19 .- That Chinese laundries be in future governed

by the provisions of the factories act and that sweat shop methods of HEAVY RAIN STORM sending work out to women in their own homes, be abolished, unless duly are ointed factory inspectors certify periodical inspection that the houses where the work is done, are

Washington, Ore., Jan. 19.-Rain sanitary, airy and spacious, are two of the most striking demands which storm raged in the Williamette Valwill be made by the representatives ley for the last 48 hours. The damwill be made by the representatives ley for the last 40 hours. The dath of the Montreal labor organizations, when they interview Premier Gouin of Ourses tomorrow They will also. The storm cost one human life, Great Northern, pfd.,124

demand several amendments in the that of John Smith, an aged man law regarding injuries to workmen whose horse was swept off its feet by Pennsylvania, increasing the compensation in total

liability from two thousand dollars to three thousand, and that in cases of insolvency the workmen have preference.

Ex-Coun. J. H. Carr of Canterbury ployed by the Pere Marquette Railis among the visitors to the city to- road were granted increases in wages day. ranging from six to ten per cent.

week, and was caught in the act of

TO TORONTO FOR TRIAL

leave for Toronto immediately.

FIVE YEARS

(Canadian Press) Toronto, Ont., Jan. 18-Dr. Hast- To o, Jan. 19.-The sentences of She encountered tempetuous weather ngs, medical health officer, has ask- twelle of the twenty-four anarchists on the Nova Scotia coast. ed for the appointment of four wo- who were condemned to death by the men inspectors to investigate slum supreme court yesterday, were com- Association will meet in annual sesconditions with a view to the inaug- muted today to life imprisonment. uration by the city of a systematic The clemency was not extended to

SLUM CONDITIONS

DETROIT AND WOODS

proper precautions.

TO INVESTIGATE

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fractional rise.

plan for sanitary and hygenic better- Denjiro Kotoku, the alleged ringment of the houses of the poorer leader, and his wife, both of whom will be executed.

during the past few weeks was due having replied that he did not know verdict was returned for the defendlargely to the carelessness of many what information had been presented ants. doctors in not treating cases proper- to the Governor, but that he thought

For about a month a fire has been smouldering in a large pile of coal belonging to the Dominion Coal Company and stored on the North Wharf. Men are at work today tunneling into the centre of the pile and will en-

deavor to extinguish the fire. The big Dominion Coal Company steamer Rossano, Captain Patterson, arrived in port this morning, cover-TO JAPANESE ANARCHISTS ed with ice. She has been 188 hours making the trip from Sydney, which asually consumes about ififty hours.

The Charlotte County Fishermen's

sion at St. George tomorrow. Mr. J. A. Belyea, president, of this city, will attend.

It is stated that five thousand people in Charlotte County depend directly or indirectly on the fishing in-

(Special to The Mail.)

land on the northwest arm, has been

will be sold and work on the new

BRAVE COMMANDER

Halifax, Jan. 19.-Forty acres of

dustry for a living.

BRANDON, MAINE

(Canadian Press)

Brandon, Man., Jan. 19.-Fire broke the Maple Leaf Milling Company.

kept down to \$75,000.

MONCTON LADY HAS PARALETIC STROKE

(Special to the Mail)

Moncton, Jan. 19.-Mrs. Joseph Reid, lormerly of St. John, has suffered a paralytic stroke at her home here. She has a brother, Mr. E. M. Sipperell, of St. John, who has been

sent for.

COMMITTED

Welland, Ont., Jan. 19 .- Despon-

erick Hoag, a prominent farmer, shot

himself through the heart yesterday.

He arose from bed and, placing a

rifle on a table, he used a stick to

push the trigger and discharge the

SUICIDE

WELLAND FARMER

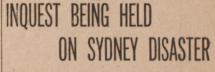
weapon.

ST. JOHN CONSTABLES

(Special to the Mail)

CHARGES AGAINST

St. John, Jan. 19-In the city court this morning Mr. H. W. Robinson out this morning in the premises of made a serious charge against the constables of the City of St. John. The firemen were able to confine the He said that they had formed a comfire in elevator No. 1, and the loss bine and acted together and accepted bribes. He asked an investigation into their own methods be held. He also stated that Constable Robert Crawford failed to make proper returns for an execution which he had served



Special to the Mail) Sydney, Jan. 19-Aa inquest into the death of eight miners who recently lost their lives here in an explosion was begun last night. It was found that some of the regulations had been violated and recommendations were made with a view of preventing a reoccurrence of the trouble.

dent over continued ill-health, Fred-U. S. COTTON CROP SHOWS FALLING OFF

> Washington, Jan. 19.-Representing the supply of cotton in the United States for the year ending August 31 last, as being 12,188,210 bales, 20 per cent less than that of the previous year, in its annugl statement SLUM CONDITIONS of cotton supply, the Census Bureau says that 52 per cent was exported. The quantity of cotton consumed during the year was 4,798,953 bales compared with 5,260,719 bales in 1909, a decrease of 441,766 bales or 6 per cent.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Bracebridge, Ont., Jan. 18 .- The burned or destroyed by water.

the torrent. RAILWAY MEN GET INCREASE

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 18-More than a thousand engineers and firemen em-

Soo-50 @ 1381.

Laurentide-25 @ 197.

New York, Jan. 19-The stock mar- | Montreal Street-25 @ 223; 100 @ was desired. He declared he would ket was fairly active today and 224. prices advanced on most of the big $142\frac{3}{4}$; 25 @ $143\frac{1}{2}$; 155 @ 144; 25 @ Penman's Com.-70 @ 61. Royal Bank-5 @ 239; 6 @ 239¹/₂. Dom. Iron-20 @ 37; 25 @ 567; 520 purchased as a new site for Dalhousie Quotations from direct private wires of J. M. Robinson & Son, Bankers, St. John, N. B., Members of Montreal Stock Exchange.

@ 561; 200 @ 56; 10 @ 557; 25 @ 561; College. The present college building 35 @ 533: 80 @ 553. Detroit-250 @ $69\frac{1}{2}$; 50 @ $69\frac{1}{8}$; 50 building will begin in the near future.

FEATURES OF MARKET DALHOUSE COLLEGE

Open Noon 1@ 697. Cement Com.-25 @ 1212.

Amalgamated, 637 635 N. S. Steel-100 @ 881; 100 @ 883. 104 Illinois Pfd.-75 @ 911; 20 @ 91; 5 Smelters, 773 78 @ $91\frac{1}{2}$; 25 @ $91\frac{1}{4}$; 10 @ $91\frac{1}{2}$. 771 Ogilvie's-25 @ 133³; 56 @ 134. 208 1251 Northern Pacific, 118 ...1271 1273 157훓 137불 Southern Pacific, 118 176

U. S. Steel, com., 771 763 MONTREAL MORNING SALES

Mackay-25 @ 93. Bank of N. S.-4 @ 275. Northern Ohio-50 @ 391. Toronto Ry-80 @ 1237; 25 @ 124; investigation indicates that Com-74 @ 1241; 75 @ 1243; 220 @ 125. 148; 50 @ 1481. R. & O.-50 @ 97; 40 @ 961. Rio-10 @ 1045; 50 @ 1041.

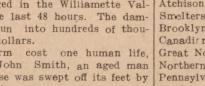
Quebec Bank-40 @ 134.

in the city yesterday.

WILL INVESTIGATE SACRIFICED HIS LIFE Berlin, Jan. 19.-The Morning Post Kiel correspondent says that the Toronto, Cnt., Jan. 19 .-- The Board mander Fischer of the submarine U-3 of Control yesterday granted the re-Montreal Power-10 @ 1481; 235 @ sacrificed mimself to save the crew. quest of the medical health officer for Observing that he and his two com- the appointment of four women inpanions were cut off by inrushing spectors, who will investigate condiwater, he closed the tower doors and tions in the congested districts of the then gave the vessel and tower a city, preparatory to the inauguration

TO BE REBUILT

slantingposition, evidently hoping to of a civic scheme for wiping out the Oddfellows' block was destroyed by Mr. Thomas Robison, M. P. P., was keep the torpedo above the water sc slums by providing better houses for fire yesterday. The contents were all that the other men could escape. the poorer classes.



ON PACIFIC COAST