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Premier Ross At His Office Re-

ceives Pressmen Cordially.

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Hon, G. W. Ress Does Not Give Any In-

dication That He Regards the North

Renfrew Vote as Seriously Signifi-

eant-The Situation as It Is-

Seven Protests Pending-

Mouse May Meet January.

Toronto, Dec. 29 .- The Premier

was in his office bright and early

vesterday. He received press repre-

sentatives cordially, but declined to

be interviewed as to the result. His

manner held little indication that he

regarded the result as seriously sig-

nificant. During the forenoon he

called on the Lieutenant-Governor,

who now has an office in the Parlia-

ment building. But that is not an

unusual occurrence, and it was stated

that the visit had nothing to do

The only other minister in the

building was Hon. F. R. Latchford,

but he instructed his Private Secre-

tary to say that he was not receiv-

Nothing Revolutionary to Be Done.

no politician gives up hope of win-

Seven Election Protests.

The relation of the parties is fur-

ther complicated by the existence of

seven election protests against mem-

bers elected in recent bye-elections.

Five protests are against Liberals, as

Hon. E. J. Davis, in North York.

C. N. Smith, in Sault Ste. Marie

Conservatives one against Hugh

supporters of the Government to

throw the responsibility for the

Mr. Dunlep's Majority 60%.

turns give E. A. Dunlop a majority

OFFICERED BY BULGARIANS.

Pembroke, Dec. 29 .- Complete re-

There are also two protests against

A. G. Mackay, in North Grey.

A. M. Little, in North Norfolk.

John Brown, in North Perth.

Conservatives claim that the Gov-

with the political situation.

Liberals, 51.

Conservatives, 47.

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JAP JINGOES MULTIPLY.

The Fighters of the Flowery Kingdom Daily Grew in Numbers.

ing callers. Pekin, Dec. 28 .- The opinion entertained by the best informed diplomats in Pekin, that war between ernment should resign on the strength Russia and Japan is probable and of the result, and Cabinet changes almost inevitable, remains unchangare also being discussed. It does not od. Nothing has been received here seem probable, however, that the into coroborate the special despatches mediate future contains developments from Tokio, which said that the of any revolutionary nature. The Japanese Government was adopting situation in the House now is: an imperative tone in pressing for a speedy reply to its last note. The

report is not believed. Official communications received here from high sources say that the all the afflicted to cal Japanese war party is growing in Guaranteed or si strength, and is bringing all its in-bershoes, Unnais fuence to bear upon the Govern-

An Ominous Sign. Nobe correspondent asserts that the accordingly not unexpected. Japanese army authorities have requested the newspapers to refrain & K K& K from publishing news concerning the warlike preparations. In an editoral, The Daily Mail says it regards this as a practical censorship and

Editorials in other morning newsapers express concern over the movement of foreign warships towards the Far East, and particulary over the statement that United States marines have been ordered to Corea, fearing some unforseen inci-

Clark, in Centre Bruce, and one dent may precipitate events. against A. Mahaffy, in Muskoka. The Morning Post's Pekin corre-The House will likely be called tospondent says that all classes of Chinamen unite in believing that in gether as soon as practicable, probthe event of war they must help the ably early in the new year, and the Special Mixe Japanese, and if this help is not members will have a chance of throwgiven there will be a patriotic in- ing what light they can on the situ-Sugar Sticks surrection against the Manchuria ation. There is a disposition among local

> England Wants Canadian Tobacco. Windsor, Dec. 29.-The Canadian North Renfrew result on the candiommercial agent stationed at Manhester, England, has written the having any special significance as anadian Department of Agriculture | far as popular confidence in the Govor samples of Canadian-grown tobacco, with prices and other information regarding freight and shipment.

--- Swept Sheep Bins. Buffalo, Dec. 29.—Seven thousand sheep were burned to death at the East Buffalo stock yards last night. The long, narrow sheds in which they were confined were swept by the flames before any of the animals could be released. The loss is estimated at \$75,000.

No One to Blame.

Pittsburg, Dec. 29.-Supt. B.

of the Pittsburg Division of

use of the wreck of the Duquesne

For Infants and Children.

Turkey Threatened By Macedonians and Vigilance Ordered. Salonica, European Turkey, Dec. he Baltimore and Ohio Railway has

likes and prejudices.

29.-The authorities are informed that 4,000 Macedonian revolutionists, under the leadership of eighty Bulgarian officers, are ready to invade Turkish territory.

An order was issued here yesterday requesting the Turkish officers to exercise extreme vigilance. It is rumored that the second army reserve will again be called out.

Something in Seven Days. Toronto, Dec. 29 .- Messrs. Clergue, Shields, Coyne, Irving and other Soo promoters, assembled at the King Edward last night, after having been away since the day before Christmas. Mr. Clergue observed with something of emphasis in his tone that within seven days there would be some important developments, or perhaps on the saventh

Denison's Recent Remarks.

FULL OF IMPERIAL PROMISE

Bread Arrow's Opinion on the Steps Already Taken to Cement the Various Colonies With the Mother Country

-British Farmers Feel Canadian Competition-No Pay, No Preference-Emigration League.

London, Dec. 29.-(C.A.P.)-Col. Denison's remarks regarding the honesty of Chamberlain's opponents have aroused the anger of The Glasgow Herald, which says that while no man shouts for the Empire louder, he is not a representative Canadian, but a home-grown jingo, and many Britons resent his impertinence. The Herald suggests that the economic commission to perambulate through Canada exhibiting an hypothetical preference should take notes pro and

R. Cremer, M. P., received a congratulatory letter from Andrew Carnegie in New York. "The concluding of a preferential tariff with Canada," he said, "would change feeling here considerably. There was no doubt that but fortunately this would not be until after an appeal to the coun-

Full of Imperial Promise.

The Broad Arrow says the greatest steps toward Imperial unity during the last few years have been the fiscal policy and the presence of Sir Frederick Borden on the Defence Committee. Canada realizes her Imperial obligation and the steps are full of magnificent Imperial promise. Lal Ghose in his Presidential address to the Indian National Congress at Madras, wanted Mr. Chamberlain to say if Canadian wheat is to be protected against Indian grain. George Gissing, the novelist, died of consumption yesterday at St. Jean de Lux, in the Pyronees. He was born at Wakefield, Eng., in 1857.

Feels Canadian Competition.

The Manchester Guardian devotes a column to a letter signed "Son of the Soil," who fails to see how the Chamberlain proposal to tax foreign corn and dairy produce and admitting colonial products free is going to help the British farmer. It makes no difference to "Son of the Soil" whether his competitor is Canadian or German; what he does feel is the increasing severity of his competition. The colonies, not us, are expecting to benefit financially. Because they loved the Motherland the colonies would have helped whatever Government had been in power. For Cheshire has been one of the great | with friends in town. hav-growing districts, but competition, principally from Canada, has reduced the price to such an extent that it is difficult now to make ends meet. The farmers as a body are strong, umbending protectionists, but they will want a lot of persuasion before they are convinced that Mr. Chamberlain's proposals will im-

prove their position. No Pay, No Preference. The Westminster Gazette says: "Colonel Denison is very eloquent in denunciation of the statement that Canada is not in favor of Mr. Cham-Deducting the Speaker, the Govern- berlain. These are fine words, but ment has a voting majority of 3. they butter no parsnips. The test of That North Renfrew would return a Canada's support is whether she is Conservative was not unexpected by able to live up to the standard. 100 the Government, although, of source, payment, no preference." Referring to Coroner Denicon's saving that the ning a riding until the ballots are Canadian Manufacturers' Association counted. And the situation in the resolution was in support of Mr. London, Dec. 28.—The Daily Mail's | House that now presents itself was Chamberlain, The Westminster Gazette says: "General support is of little use; what is wanted is evidence that Canada is willing to pay."

Emigration League. An emigration league has been founded, the object of which is to promote legislation offering free training, emigration and a colonial farm to one member of a family on reaching the age of 18, the emigrants to be provided with outfit, passage out and money placed to their disposal, their training to be completed under the direction of the colonial

retroles Motel Burned. Petrolea, Dec. 29.-The old Anderson House, which was established 85 | der. years ago during the oil excitement, was burned yesterday. Thos. Edis, the proprietor, loses mostly all, but carries insurance to cover. The Hope. building, which is also insured, is owned by Thos. Huggard of Toronto.

Collieries Resume. Scranton, Pa., Dec. 29 .- Work was dates. They decline to accept it as resumed at all the Delaware and Hudson Company's collieries yesterday. The Ontario and Western Comernment is concerned, because, they pany started up its washeries and all say, Renfrew has always been fickle of the individual operators resumed in its allegiance, and follows local

> Death List Shows 19. Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 29 .-Careful revision yesterday of the list of dead in Saturday night's wreck on the Pere Marquette Railroad shows a total of nineteen, instead of twenty-

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PITHY PERSONAL POINTERS.

Movements of Citizens and Strangers within Our Gates.

-Mr. Steve Ingle, of Toronto, was home for Christmas. -Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Henley were home for the holidays. -Mr. E. Mosgrove, of Kirkfield,

was in town Saturday. . Miss Lottie Cakes, of Toronto, spent Christmas in Lown. - Mr. Lindsay blood, of Toronto,

was in town for Christmas. - Mr. Joseph O'Connell, of Midland, was in town for Christmas. -Mr. Edgar Broad, of Bobcaygeon,

was in town Christmas day. - Mr. and Mrs. J. McAdams, of Toronto, spent Christmas in town. -Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jordan spent

Christmas with Fenelon Falls friends. - Mr. Roy St. John, spant Christ. mas day with Little Britain friends. -Miss Virgie McSweyn, of Toronto, is home for the Christmas vica-

-Mr. Will Hockin, of foronto, spent Christmas under the percutal

- Mr. Jamos Halward spent Christmas at the parental home in Can-.. Mr. Harry Soanes, of the Edison

Works, Peterboro, arrived home for Thursday. -Mr. Acthur Knowlson, of New-York, spent Christmas under the par-

--- Mr. Gilsey Trew, of the Ontario Bonk. Toronto, spent Christmas with - Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Maunder, spent

Christm s with the latter's parants -Mr. Wesley Thurston, of the R. Neil staff, Peterboro, spent Christ-

mas in town. -Mr. Geo. Bateson, of New York, is spending his Christmas holidays with his parents. -Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Short, of To-

ronto, are spending a few days with Lindsay friends. .. Mr. John Blackhurst, of Toronto, is spending a couple of days in town with his brother.

-Mr. Joseph Chalmers, of London, is at present visiting his brother. Mr. Jas. M. Chalmers. -Mr and Mrs. W. R. Ingle, Mrs. Marjoric and baby, are the guests

of Mrs. E. Maxsom. -Mr. Palmer Eyres, grain bayer at Fenelon Falls, spent Christmas with his parents in town. -Mr and Mrs. Fred Parkin, of To-

ronto, are in town, and will spend a week with friends. - Mr. J. M. Martin, of the Bell Talemany years the Bramhall district in | phone Co., Barrie., spent Christmis -Mr. E. L. Fortt, of the Outario

Bank, Kingston, and Mrs Fortt, ware in town for Christmas. - Dr. George Walters, of Forest, was in town recently attending the funera! of his brother.

- Mr. A. Niven, O. L. S., of Haliburton, was in town recently on his way home from Toronto. -Mr. Harold Varcoe, of the Bell

Telephone Co., Barrie, spent Christmas with his parents her: -Miss Cora Henderson and her cousin Miss Porter, spont Christmis with Fencion Falls friends. -Rev. Mr. Totten, a former Lind-

service, was in town Thursday, a guest of his son, Dr. Totten. bor, passed through Thursday to Fention Falls to spend Christmas. - Mr. Robt. Fitzpatrick, of the

Playfuir-Preston Co's staff. Midland, was home for Christmas. -Mr Herb. Nosworthy, of The Post still, spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. Rogers, in Toronto.

-Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Knight, of Toronto, are spending their Chris mas vacation with Inspector Knight. -Miss Edgar, of the Light, Hent & Power Co's office, spent Christmas with her mother in Boberrygeon. -Mr. Barry Walsh, of Winnipag

is spending the Christmastide with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walsh. -Mr. W. T. Robcon, of New York, is spending the Christmustide with his parants, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rob--Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Leigh, of Beeton, spent Christmas with the lat-

ter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Maun-Mr. Howard Rosevear, of The

Collegiate Institute staff, is spending the Christmas holidays in Port -Mr. Will Venich, of the Toronto Street Railway shops, spen: Christmas with his brother, Mr. Chas,

Veitch. - Mossrs. Douglas and Bruce Paton, of Toronto, arrived in town Thursday night to spend Christmas under the parental coof. -- Mr. Allan Gillies, business man-

eger of the Stratford Herald, and Mrs. Gillies, spent the holiday with Lindsay friends. -Mr. Wm. Sherman, town, was in Orillia for Christmas, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner Farwell. He turned next morning.

-Dr. J. A. Devitt, wife and child, of Bowmanvilia, were in town Christmas attending the funeral of the 'ate Wm. Walters, jr. Mr. Adam Walker, of the firm

of Brown & Walker, Crillia, formerly mas with friends in town. -Mr. Jack Kennedy, of Chicago, arrived in town Dec. 24 to spend Christmas and New Year's with his Brocebridge,

Islands.

her parents.

father, Mr. John. Konnedy. -Mr. W. H. Croft, some years ago Telephone staff, spent Christmas in supplyed in town as a dry goods Peterboro visiting her aunt, Mrs. salesman, spent Christmas here. He Thos. McFadyen. is now firstolling for a wholestle

Flave's Bros., left last Monday for Christanas with his family. Toronto, from which point he goes on -Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hill and a business trip to Nassau. Buhama son Herbert, of Peterboro, spent -Miss Sharps, who is bookkeeper Zeufeldt, William-st. north.

in the Steele Briggs Co's office, Toronto returned to the city Monday after spending Christmas with through to Toronto lately to spend -Mr. Wesley, who has been steno- Brintnell reports busings good and grapher in the Lindsay, Bobeaggeon says the article turned out by him

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turn to Lindsay in the spring. -Miss A. Annis left lately for Orillia to visit friends. -Mr. and Mrs. R. Ford, of Irondele, wer sin town lately. -Miss Finley, teacher at Peter-

bore, is home for the holidays. -Mr J. Thorndyke, of Milibrook, was a visitor to lown last week. -Mr. Fulton Vrooman, of the Toronto Medical School, is home for the Christmas vacation.

-Mr. Moore and Mr. Wiggins, of Heliburton, passed through lately to Barrie to spend the holiday. -Miss Scott, of the public school staff left Doc. 21st for her home in Newcastle to spend the holidays.

- Dr. Kate Buck, of Rechester; Mr. T. Buck and Mr. S. Buck, of Toronto University, are visiting at home. -Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hopkins, of Huntsville, passed through Monday to Haliburton to visit friends. -Mr. Gordon O'Leary and Mr. Fred Hopkins, who are attending Toronto with the Sylvester Co., spent Christ- University, are home for vacation. -Mr. J. Conoly, of Mr. J. Boxall's staff, left on Dec. 22nd to spend the Christicas holidays at his home in

-M'ss L. Archambault, of the Bell -Mr. M. H. DeCew passed through Jately from Sand Point, North Ren-

-Mr Wm. Flavelle, of Dundus & frew, to Fencion Falls to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. N.

-- Mr. W. Brintnell, proprietor of the Burn't River quarry, passed Christmas with his family. Mr. & Pontypeol railway office, left on is being used on the streets in To-Tuesd y or his home in London, Eng. Topto,

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