Place to Put Him.
The Tribune Bureau

here, people are wondering if the In-

him incarcerated until he can either

For there is no getting around the

fact that Otto is about as difficult a

man to keep in prisons, be it jail or

penitentiary, as it has been the mis-

Hence it is not surprising that peo-

enough to cause death.

House To Hold Night Sessions.

House will hold its first night meet-

ing of the present session this week.

cial reform bills that have been in-

The House will take up the various

bills that have heen introduced that

relate in one way or another to in-

The committee substitute bill pro-

troduced thus far in the session.

tricts in the State.

## ny Major Measures Come Up in the State egislature This Week

Carolina.

No Statewide Leg- OTTO WOOD MAY BE n Has Thus Far Finally Enacted .- If He Is Convicted There the Authori-Days This Week.

BLIC BILLS ON USE CALENDAR

Power Co. Says in Terre Haute, Indiana, following ge of Winston Bill his third escape from the State prison d Cost It About \$1,- diana' authorities will be able to keep 00 Annually. be tried there or returned to North

art procedure and in the

dountains national park e bridge project over . River at Wilmington. the North Carolina Bii-evolution bill, brought

jails, chain gangs and state prisons.

ote on the anti-evolution v and the bill was sure vorable report. ate tomorrow the

ittee chairman, said the would be reported out ses fro msub-committees

on finally enacted, the bens committee has the r secret ballot bill before

June to August for con- in Terra Haute trying to hold up

nt-Teachers Association to

Power Company counsel passage of the Winston bill ral assembly would curtail ic development. The meased at the latest house sesthrough taxation to raise revnue annually, would mpany from \$750,000 to annually, it was maintain-

merican was prowling Scottish graveyard. His an epitaph, "Lord, she exton, what d'ye make of

all right, sir; the sculptor mobiles. near the edge of the stone eave room for the 'e'.'

During Month of BRUARY

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viding for the creation of sven addi-

REVISED REVENUE

TRIED IN INDIANA The Bill Will Be Submited in Practically the Same ties Are Advised to Have a Safe Form in Which It Was Drawn.

Sir Walter Hotel Raleigh, Feb. 14.—Now that Otto A FEW MINOR Woodo, the Houdini of North Carolina's prison guests, has been captured CHANGES MADE

> It Will Take the Senate and House at Least a Week to Consider It.-Other Bills of Importance.

> > Tribune Bureau Sir Walter Hotel. BY J. C. BASKERVILLE.

fortune of the North Carolina prison Raleigh, Feb .- The revised and reauthorities to deal with. In fact, it written revenue bill will probably be is now generally admitted that Wood undoubatedly has a peculiar type of the joint finance committees on Wedpresented to the general assembly by criminal insanity—a sort of "espaceo- nesday, it was learned today from one maniac"—whose greatest thrill is to get in prison and then get out. For contrary to the belief of many, Wood of the committee. While a number of minor changes have been made in is not a vicious man—not a "killer" the bill, and a few sections have as he often has been depicted. He been altered, the bill will be submitted says that he has never shot a man, much in the same form it was drawn and once said that he would rather be by the advisory budget commission shot than shoot first. His specialty it was said.
has been larceny—principally automo-

When the bill is finally submitted, biles, and in making escapes from at least a week will be consumed by His record of escapes is unequalled ing it, it is estimated, since both both the senate and house in considerin North Carolina, and doubtless in houses will probably take the bill up other states as well. When he left the State prison here in the gray dawn of November 24th through a gate in the back wall of the prison enclosure the back wall of the prison enclosure, which a guard had "forgotten" to properly bar, it was his third escape ered.

from this prison. Some nine months A number of other bilis of statebefore he had crawled into a concrete culvert pipe in a freight car—and let for this week. The statewide game the switch engine do the rest. Then bill has already been reported favorthe switch engine do the rest. Then before that he had gotten away in an automobile, as it left the prison yard. And previous to coming to North Carolina to achieve fame as a slippery customer, he had escaped from the state prisons in Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and Tennes-Wednesday. It seems assured of pas-

ple here are wondering if the Indiana | The various bills relating to in authorities will be able to keep Otto creasing the number of the judicial in prison until such a time as his fate districts in the state have been made shall be determined, for despite the special order for the house Thursday. shall be determined, for despite the special shall be determined, for despite the night, and at this time the bill alfact that he has but one hand—his left made possed by the country increase. ing and nerve and an uncanny ability ing the number of judicial districts, to do the unexpected—and get by with judges and solicitors from 20 to 27 will be taken up, as well as the Mc-Because of these qualities, many Lean bill to create four permanent alendar had the Canaday wondering if he did not permit him- ment of a constitutional amendment ge the date of the primary self to be shot when he was captured providing for more judges without solicitors. This bill was defeated in the senate, and the house a drug store, rather than exchange the senate when offered as a substiial reform measure to shots with the druggist who shot him. tute for the bill adopted.

the present jury selection Reports here so far do not indicate The bill creating the seven addi-Other judicial con- whether Wood fired his gun or not, tional judicial districts will probably sures suggested by jurists And though he has participated in be approved by the house, close ob e recently were to be con- numerous holdups, he has always servers here believe, though many special house meetings maintained that he used a gun merely members feel that more solicitors are for bluff, and that he has never shot not needed, though the judges are.

this house calendar also was anyone. Even in the killing of Kap- Final committee hearing on the ore bill sponsored by the lan, the Greensboro pawn broker, for Falls-Broughton Australian ballot bill which he was serving a thirty-year has been set for Wednesday, at which sentence in State prison here Wood time the bill will receive its death apulsory school attend- did not shooto him but hit him over blow, according to many who have hildren who have not com- the head with the butt of his gun. been following this bill. Two con-And Wood still maintains that he had cessions have already been made, no intention of killing Kaplan, and have greatly weakened it. These prothat the blow he struck was not hard visions leave the absentee voting laws virtually as they are, and provide for Before holding up the drug store additional markers at the polls, to on January 25th when he was cap- give help to those who desire it. The tured after being seriously wounded- original bill would have greatly tightthe druggist's bullet went entirely ened up the absentee voting regulathrough his body, a few inches below tions, and would not have provided the heart-Wood had participated in additional markers. anothe rholdup in Terre Haute, hav- The original bill had the support

ing held up a railroad brakeman and of the various women's organizations taken his watch, some money and con- of the state, but so many changes siderable clothing. This was on Jan- have been made, or will be made, that uary 19th. The fact that he was there seems to be a possibility that driving a Ford coupe which had been they will not support the revised bill. stolen from Roanoke, Va., on Janu- The delay in considering the Austraary 11th, indicates also that he was lian ballot bill, and the numerous up to his old tricks of stealing auto- changes in it, both seem to have been brought about by the various influ-The stealing of this coupe also com- ences which have been opposing it. plicates Wood's present status, since It is understood that Colonel A. D. the government authorities are seek- Watts, who has been in Raleigh aling him now on a charge of inter- most continuously for the last two state trafficking in stolen automobiles, weeks, h as been leading the attack while the maximum penalty in In- on the bill. The old timers in the diana for holding up the drug store legislature, even those who are for \$3,600,000 of capital stock nearly is 26 years in prison. So whether the bill, now see little chance for its \$1,500,000 is represented by stock

or not he will be tried there or turned enactment. over to the federal authorities for The bill changing the date of the trial or returned to North Carolina to primary from June to August—but Girl at Head of Women Troops capserve the rest of his thirty-year sen-still on Saturday, so pity the news-tence for second degree murder, re-papers—has passed the senate and may get past the house, but will fact tallion of women formed and led by a Positive identification of Wood by a stiff fight, the bill to compel all ve- 20-year-old girl, assisted the conserthe Terre Haute police was not made hicles on the highways to carry tail vative forces which recently recapuntil February 3rd since he had been lights, including horse drawn vehicles, tured the town of Chinandega from too ill until then to have his finger entitled "An act to prevent suicide the liberal troops, thus restoring He has been participating in confer- of the advance, May ruling around since, according to the statutes prints taken. These tallied with the on the highways' goes to the house communications between Corinto and descriptive circlars and then a pic- for concurrence with the senate, and Managua. ture of him and the finger prints were probably be passed, if Mark Squires sent to the prison here, where the of Caldwell, who knifed a similar bill ed, some seriously while passing out tied, he would have to cast his ballot consumption of 604,315 for January with commencement in June. In the identification was made positive, ac- in the senate two years ago, can be ammunition to conservative soldiers in in favor of the measure. cording to George Ross Pou, superin- modified and convinced that the bill is trenches, cleaning guns and passing tendent of the prison, who said "yes, necessary. The bill to prohibit the food. Natalie Gargia, of Managua. use of smoke screens on automobiles, leader of the battalion, was shot aimed at the whiskey runners, already through the left breast and is in a passed by the house, goes to the sen- serious condition-

Raleigh, Feb. 14 .- (INS)-The ate for concurrence. Several more of the judicial conference bills, notably the jury reform The body will meet on Thursday bill, will also come in the course of

night by special order to consider judi- the week. Radio Pictures From Paris.

Paris, Feb. 12 .- One of the big wire- bill. less stations in Paris is to broadcast receiving outfit.

Many a man will pay a lawyer location of all State highways.

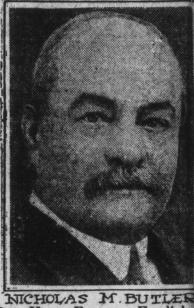
In the News Spotlight



CONCORD, N, C., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1927

REV. HARRY E. FOSDICK





NICHOLAS M. BUTLER HOSRA HONOUN
Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick, pastor of the Park Avenue Bap list Church, New York, urged confessionals where Protestants could be comforted by their ministers. Pat M. Neff, former Governor of Texas, was appointed to the Board of Railroad Mediation. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, predicted that Calvin Coolidge would not be Presidential candidate in 1928. Mme. Hosra Honoun, thirty:

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| Presidential ca two, was the first woman attorney in Turkey.

CANNONS START ACTION AGAINST MILL COMPANY

plus to Be Declared In Dividends. Albemarle, Feb. 12 .- An action inving \$1,700,000 was begun it Washington, Feb. 12,—nly county-Superior court here to Coolidge will assume the

capital. The suit is entitled J. F. Cannon age over at veto, so farm relief

and M. L. Cannon against the Wis- islation of the McNary-Haugen kind cassett Mill company and the directors. It is said that the capital stock of the corporation is \$3,600,000, while the working capital set up by the company is \$1,800,000. The surplus of the corporation over and above the capital stock and the working capital is placed at \$1,700,000 and it is this amount that the plaintiffs through court action seek to compel the directors to declare in dividends. The action is made returnable before Judge J. L. Webb at Shelby on Saturday, February 26, Judge Webb the courts in the district in which the Wiscassett mill is located ..

Among the prominent directors of the mill are C. A. Cannon, directing to argue the case before the farmers head of the Cannon Manufacturing company of Kannapolis; E. T. Cansler, of Charlotte, and A. L. Brooks, of Greensboro. J. F. Cannon, of the plaintiffs to the action, owns and controls more than 25 per cent of the entire capital stock and although for 20 years he has been connected with the mills and its tremendous success he is now excluded from any active participation in its management.

The Wisacssett mill has been one of the most successfully operated in the country. It has not only piled up tremendous working capital and surplus, but it is said that of the

tures Town. Managua, Nic., Feb. 11 .- A bat-

Smith Highway Bill Up Tuesday. Raleigh, Feb. 14.—(INS)—The Senate Tuesday will face one of the stiffest assignments of the present session when it considers, by special

The bill, a substitute offered by the creasing the number of judicial dis- be for the benefit of listeners who have bill intorduced early in the session by be a brand new Klan, nation wide, and snow in the middle west tonight comes from Guilford county. installed a "telectograph"-a picture- Senators Smith and Hargett, is designed to empower the State Highway

PRESIDENT READY TO EXERCISE VETO

day when the law firm of Brooks, at once in the fight against the type Parker, Smith and Haynes, of Greensboro, representing the plaintiffs, filed Nary-Haugen bill just passed by the emergency judges, pending the enactrectors of the Wiscassett Mill com- a veto message, for it is confidently pany to declare in dividends the sur- expected that the bill will pass the plus of the corporation over and above House next .week. The margin of the capital stock and the amount re- eight votes in the Senate, however, served by the stockholders as working indicates that the measure cannot command a two-thirds vote for pass-

> present Congress is concerned. There is real gratification in administration quarters that the President will take the lead and write a message which will for the first time cite the detailed objections of the administration to the McNary-Hougen bill. Until now not a word has come from the White House except by implication when the general subject of price-fixing has been discussed. Cabinet officers have been unable in their speeches or statements to say being the Superior court judge holding a word in direct opposition to the McNary-Haugen bill because the President himself had not spoken. Now the opportunity will be unrestricted

> > of the country. Mr. Coolidge feels that the Mc-Nary-Haugen bill will not benefit, but actually injure the farmer. The Middle West has heard only one side of the story, in the opinion of administrative officials, and now when the other side is fully presented, it is expected that there will be a division of senti- 1921. ment. At least the President's veto message will be something around which the more or less conservative elements in the Republican party can

Opponents of the McNary-Haugen bill concede that the President's veto adoption of the McNary-Haugen bill of the first hour.

K. K. Charlotte, Feb. 13 .- Because the local Ku Klux Klan got so big that 13.90; May 14.15; July 14.37; Oct. memorial service, to pay tribute to a hall couldn't be found large 14.61; Dec. 14.78. enough to hold all the members at once was given as the eason for COLD WAVE AND SNOW formation of another Klan here, according to information obtained today. But a high official in the origin- Originating in California Storm order, the so-called Smith Highway al Klan here declared that, while he had heard of the second Klan being formed he knew nothing about its

A spokesman for the second Klan | weather bureaus. Commission to designate the route and declared that the new one will be Utahans awakened today to find a ped 151,000 pounds of poultry in covery thorough in scrutinizing appli- two-inch blanket of snow on the operative shipments during 1926.

## STEPS TAKEN FOR RETURN OF OTTO

George Ross Pou Presents Friends of the Me are Ask Paper to Gov. McLean Authority to Substitute on Hand January 31st. for Extraditing the Notorious Criminal.

REWARD MAY BE DIVIDED

ors Paper Wood Will Be Returned to Prison Here After His Third Escape.

Mr. Pou was assured of the Gover-onr's signature to the papers before the Agriculture Committee, the rules 852,987 bales of lint and 161,724 of he presented them. The superinten- group requested him to call a meetdant did not plan to go to Terre Haute, ing of his committee and have it for-Indiana personally to present the mally authorize a request that substipapers to the Indiana Governor.

If the Hoosier Governor honors the papers, Wood will be returned to pris-The \$500 offered by North Carolina diana authorities to award. It appeared her likely that the amount would be split between the druggist in Terre Haute who shot Wood down last month when he attempted singletle later.

Wood's record, photograph, finger prints, description, charges against him Saturday. and alias were received from the In-

Charges against the notorious criminal since his confinment here in Decmember 1923 for murder of A. W. Kaplan, Greensboro pawn broker, include: Three escapes from state pris- handling of the bill. on here, added to his record of two Want \$1,700,000 Now Held As Sur- Now Preparing Message That Will attempt to rob; an assault with deadly Kill McNary-Haugen Bill, Says weapon under the Indiana law.

alien property custodian, was unusually interested in passage of the \$7,000,-American Metal Company, the government today sought for the second time to procure admission of telegrams sent to Miller by his private secretary. may be said to be dead so far as the

To do this, the government recalled Harrison Rouse, investigator of the general accounts office, to identify telegrams taken from government files. Two of these telegrams were sent to Miller at Pittsburgh by Fred H. Wilson, his secretary. One telegram ad-vised Miller that Wilson had learned all the Methodist Episcopal Churches unofficially that the claim had been South, there will be a mission study passed. The other advised official period starting at 7:15 and a mission passage.

that in the three years Wilson was Methodist Church, beginning tonight secretary to Miller, he sent no other and lasting through Friday night. telegrams about claims.

trial ended in a disagreement.

the American Metal Company H. C. Sprinkle, Friday evening. which had been impounded as enemyowned, to Richard Merton, agent for the mission study class will make a the Societe Suisse Pour Valeurs de study of "Yet Another Day in Me-Meteaux. The deal was effected in thodist Missions," which is just off

THE COTTON MARKET Opened Firm at an Advance, But

Prices Eased Off. New York, Feb. 14.—(P)—The cot-

ton market opened firm today at an message will crystallize sentiment and advance of 14 to 18 points in response make a clear-cut issue. It will of to higher Liverpool cables. There was course, be a dominant political issue, further covering and buying based on with the forces of former Governor the passage of the farm bill by the Lowden, of Illonois, taking up the Senate after the close of business last February 23, there will be a mecause of the McNary-Haugen bill. It week, but the advance brought in morial service for Joseph G. Brown, might even transpire that Vice-Pres- heavy realizing while there may also who died at his home in Raleigh a ident Charles G. Dawes will enter the have been some selling for a reaction. short time ago and who for 10 years debate, for he has a right to his May contracts sold up to 14.18, and had been chairman of the board. opinions, even though they may differ October to 14.63, on the initial defrom those of the Chief Executive. mand, but soon lost 10 or 12 points cessor will not be up at this meeting. ences of Senators looking toward the 14.06 and October 14.50 at the end the university, the officers of

Doubt as to Reason For Second K. the disposition to take profits on re- board. ent purchases.

Cotton futures opened firm. March members of Duke will join in the cent purchases.

STORM VISIT THE WEST

is being formed from Indianapolis. and tomorrow was issued today by

## WANT SUBSTITUTE FOR M'NARY-HAUGEN WOOD TO STATE FARM RELIEF RILL

the Bill as Approved by the Senate.

MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE CALLED

If Indiana Governor Hon- Substitution of the Senate Cotton Spindles Active in Bill and Its Passage Would Make Unnecessary Conference Report.

Raleigh, Feb. 14.—(P)—First steps Washington, Feb. 14. (P)—Friends washington, Feb. 14.—(P)—Cotton for the return of Otto Wood, North of the McNary-Haugen farm relief consumed during January totalled Carolina's one-armed outlaw, were bill appeared today bgefore the House 604,217 of lint and 54,016 or linter taken today when George Pou, state rules committee, and asked authority in December; and 582,315 of lint and prison superintendent, presented papers to substitute the bill as approved by 62,236 of linters in January, last year, to Governor, McLean for his signing the Senate for the companion meas- the census bureau announced today. extraditing the notorious criminal from ure now under consideration by the

After hearing Chairman Haugen of tution be permitted.

on here after his third escape. His last escape occurred last November. House would make unnecessary a conference report to the Senate and conference report to the Senate and 792 bales, including 41,437 bales the consequent danger of a filibuster linters. for Wood's return will be left to In- against the measure there in the closing days of the session.
While a final vote on the measure

which was passed last Friday by the senate, is not expected to be held in the house before the end of the week, handed robbery of a drug store, and its supporters confident of its pasthe officers who made his arrest a lit- sage, are pressing towards this showdown so that the bill can be placed in the hands of President Coolidge by 740 bales. Its supporters, led by Chairman

Haugen of the house agriculture committee, a co-author of the measure, however are planning to bring it tomorrow to a test vote as an index of its strength on the parliamentary

The measure, football of Congress escapes from Ohio and Tennessee jails for the past three years, although adpreviously; violation of the national mittedly in the most auspicious posiauto theft act and Virginia theft law; tion of itis legislative career, faces 24, and Garland Cildress, 21, all white, another barrier erected by its House opponents in an eleventh hour effort trial in charges preferred by Miss Ed-THE MILLER TRIAL

for its defeat. These adversaries are planning to burden the measure with amendments so that its return to the Senate for conference will be necessitated. There its Senate enemies hope to bury it so there will be no opported by Miss Education and Speaks, aged 13, who accuses the three of enticing her to go with them for a ride and assaulting her. Miss Speaks had been living with Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Martin, near Yadkinville.

She alleges that the senate of t

anticipates such a move against his to an abandoned house where she was 000 claim on impounded assets of the measure, and today is expected to at- kept for a day. It is said that when tempt to thwart it.

> STUDY CLASS OF MISSIONS BEGINS AT CENTRAL CHURCH

Missionary Addresses by Prominent Visitors to be Given at Central Methodist Church Starting Tonight.

In connection with the program of address at 8 o'clock every night this The government sought to prove week except Saturday at the Central

The mission address will be given Miller and Harry M. Daugherty, by Rev. A. D. Wilcox, paster of Trinformer attorney general, are on trial ity Methodist Church, of Charlotte; for the second time on charges of con- Dr. E. K. McLarty, of Statesville, will spiracy to defraud the United States speak Tuesday night, Charles Ireland, of their unbiased services. The first Conference Lay Leader, of Greensboro, will speak Wednesday; Rev. The charges grew out of the trans- R. G. Tuttle, of Salisbury, will adfer of nearly \$7,000,000 of the assets dress the meeting Thursday, and Rev. In connection with the addresses

the press and gives a comprehensive view of the missionary situation.

MEMORIAL FOR BROWN BY TRUSTEES OF DUKE

Missionary Address by Prominent With Mid-Year Meeting to Be Held February 23.

Durhaam, Feb. 12 .- In connection with the mid-year meeting or the trustees of Duke university here on The election of Mr. Brown's suc

board are elected annually at last year was scarcely up to bullish meantime, Dr. T. F. Marr, of Wayexpectations and probably increased nesville, is vice chairman or the

the memory of a man who has served the institution through every state of its development.

Raleigh, Feb. 14.—(A)—Bill Young, Cold Wave Are Sweeping Into the serving three to five years for larceny, has escaped from the Four Oaks prison Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 12 .- road camp, State Prison Superintend- maintain her present strength on land pictures. These transmissions will Senate Roads Committee in lieu of the plans. He said that what appears to Warning of a cold wave in Montana ent George Pou reported today. Young and at sea."

Offer Will Be Withdrawn March 1st, 1927

The bill produced the most extended argument the Senate many apolitic for telling him he is wrong, and most extended argument the Senate most extended argument of the Senate most extend

## DURING JANUARY ...S 604,584 BALES

on Hand January 31st .-During January 56,939 Were Imported.

EXPORTS WERE 1,115,792 BALES

January Numbered 32,-633,550. — Statistics by States Given.

Cotton on hand January 31st was held as follows:

linters. In public storage and at compresses

6,070,020 bales of lint and 57,876 of

linters. Imports for January totaled 56, Exports for January totalled 1,115,-

Cotton spindles active during January numbered 32,633,550. Statistics for cotton growing states included: Cotton consumed during January,

437,788 bales. Cotton on hand January 31st was held as follows: In consuming establishments, 1,272,-

Cotton spindles active during January numbered 17,482,426.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT ON 13-YEAR OLD GIRL

Three White Men of Yakdin County in Jail for Alleged Serious Offense. Jonah Speaks, 52, Leroy Pendergrass,

Passage of \$7,000,000 Claim.

New York, Feb. 14.—(P)—Bent on coving that Thos. W. Miller, former the present session ends. the present session ends.

Representative Haugen evidently of taking her home, they carried her

> rescued the girl was in a pitiful condi-The three will be given a preliminary hearing before a magistrate this

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The Belk buyers have been in New York for two weeks buying new spring merchandise, and the Parks-Belk Co here is receiving these goods daily. Quality is always the first consider-

ation at the store of the J. C. Penney Men's suits from \$9.95 to \$22.50 at Efird's. Other attractive prices too. Protect, your clothes with a cedar

has exactly what you want. JAMES W. PHARR DIES \* SUDDENLY IN CHARLOTTE

chest. The Bell-Harris Furniture Co.

Found Dead in His Bed This Morning by His Son, Fred Pharr.

Charlotte, Feb. 14 .- (A) - James W. Pharr, 63 years old, one of the best known citizens of this city, died suddenly sometime last night. He was found dead in bed when his son, Fred Pharr, went to call him this morn-

Mr. Pharr was born in Statesville in 1863. of the board of trustees of the Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va., and of the board of trustees of David-

son College. His wife died last September. Funeral services will be held to-

JAPAN MUST MAINTAIN HER NAVAL STRENGTH

Both Her Land and Sea Forces Are Necessary to Her Protection. Tokio, Feb. 14 .- (A)-Premier Wakatsuki told the upper house of the

diet today that Japan's "present military and naval forces are necessary to maintain and protect Japan's existing position and rights." "Unless there is a marked change in Japan's international position in

similar circumstances, Japan must

the world's general condition in other

WEATHER FORECAST.

Partly cloudy tonight, colder in ex-