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**DENIED NEW TRIAL  
BY SUPREME COURT**

HALIFAX, N.S., Jan. 8.—James E. McLachlan, deposed secretary of the United Mine Workers of America, District 26, has been denied a new trial by the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, and will be required to serve the sentence of two years in Dorchester Penitentiary passed upon him following his conviction in October last on the charge of having published a seditious libel. McLachlan was sentenced to two years each on three counts of publishing seditious libel at Glace Bay, N.S., Thorburn, N.S., and Halifax, the sentences to run concurrently. The Supreme Court set aside the Halifax conviction, upholding the other two.

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