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### TO-DAY'S MARKETS

MONTREAL STOCKS. MONTREAL, Jan. 16. 
 Cable Coupon Bonds
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NEW YORK STOCKS. New York, Jan. 16. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, lasonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

Steel Bonds.

Yesterday's				
Close	Open.	High.	Low.	2n.m.
Anaconae 293/	301/8	301/2	30	301/2
Amal. Copper 693%	6814	691/8	6814	69
Atcheson 7636	765%	7634	751/2	75 7/8
Atcheson Pfd 9734	973/4	973/	967/	97
B. & O 101 7	1021/4	102%	10174	102
Brooklyn Tran 64	64	64 5%	631/4	633/4
Erie 3974	401/8	401/8	391/2	393/4
K.& T. Pfd 511/2	51			
L. & N	1051/	1051/4	1045/8	10434
Manhattan 137	137	137	13434	1355/8
Metropolitan St.161	1511/2	1611/2	160	1601/4
Mo. P1003/8	101	1011/8	99%	1003/8
N. Y. Central 1633/8	16314	1633/4	1613/4	1623/4
Norfolk and W 55%	55%	56	55 1/8	56
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Ont.and Western 33%	34	341/4	3334	3334
Pacific Mail 471/2	47			
Pennsylvania1481/4	1481/2	1483/4	148	1483%
Pecple's Gas 9938	991/4	1001/4	995%	9914
R. I	155	1551/8	1531/2	1551/8
Reading 811/2	813/4	81 1/8	81%	815/8
St. Paul 1621/8	1623/	1623/	161%	1615/8
Southern Rv. Pfd 93	93	931/8	93	931/8
Southern Pacific 59%		59%	583/4	59
Texas 37 1/2	38			
T. C. I 621/4	623/4	633%	621/2	6234
U. Pacific 101	1011/8	1015/8	10034	10034
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TRUSTS-				
Leather	811/2		:.	-::
Sugar121	1211/4	1223/4	1201/2	121
U.S. Steel Com . 425		431/8	421/2	425%
U. S. Steel Pfd 94	943/8	943/4	94	913/8

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto, Jan. 16.-Wheat-Dull and un-changed, at 75c to 76c for red and white changed, at 75c to 76c for red and white wheat, middle freights; goose, 67c for No. 2, middle freights; spring, 75c for No. 1 east; Manitoba steady, at 88c for No. 1 hard, 85c for No. 1 northern, and 82c for No. 2 northern, grinding in transit, via Sarnia, January shipment, and 1c \$8 via North Bay. Flour—Steady, at \$20 bid for 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights; holders ask 5c more; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, \$420 for cars of Hungarian patents, and \$390 for strong bakers in car lots, bags included, Toronto, Millfeed—Steady; cars of shorts, \$20 50 in bulk; bran, \$18 50 to \$19, middle freights. Barley—Steady, at 56c for No. 1, 53c for No. 2, 51c to 52c for No. 3 extra, and 50c



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for No. 3, middle freights. Buckwheat
—Steady, at 55½c, middle freights. Rye
—Unchanged, at 57c, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 57c for Canada mixed,
and 57½c for yellow west. Oats—No. 2
white, 41½c to 42c on a low freight to
New York and middle freights. Peas—
Steady, at 84c for No. 2, middle freights.
Butter—Creameries in good demand and
selling well, owing to poor quality of
dairies; creamery prints, 20c to 22c;
solids, 19c to 20c; pound rolls, 17c; large
rolls, 15c to 16c; tubs, 14c to 16c; medium
and low grades, 10c to 12½c. Eggs—
Choice limed are in good demand, at 20c
for No. 1 limed; fresh-gathered are
scarce, bringing 24c to 25c. Live hogs—
Receipts today, 500; prices unchanged;
choice bacon, 6%c; heavy and light fat,
6%c.

THE FUR MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—These prices are quoted by D. H. Bastedo & Co., of this city, for raw furs: Bear, \$21, \$18, \$15, \$12, \$19, \$7 50 and \$5; cubs. \$9, \$7, \$5, \$3 50 and \$2; beaver, \$3, \$7, \$6, \$5, \$3 50 and \$1 50; cats, house, 15c, 10c and 5c; fisher, \$8, \$6, \$5, \$4, \$3 50 and \$2 50; red fox, \$3, \$2 50, \$2, \$1 50, \$1, 75c and 50c; cross fox, \$7 50, \$5 and \$3 50; silver fox, \$250, \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25; lynx, \$3 50, \$2, \$1 50, \$1, 75c; 50e and \$25; lynx, \$3 50, \$2, \$1 50, \$1, 75c; 50e and \$25; marten, \$5, \$4, \$3 50, \$2 50, \$1 50 and \$1; muskrat, 12c, 10c, 7c and 5c; otter, \$15, \$12, \$10, \$9, \$7 50 and \$5; raccoon, \$1 50, \$1, 75c, 50c and 25c; wolf, \$1 50, \$1, 75c and 50c; wolverine, \$5, \$4, \$3 and \$2 50; dry deerskins, 18c and 15c per 1b; green deerskins, 12c and 10c per 1b; green, \$5 and \$4 per 1b; beaver castors, \$5 and \$4 per 1b; beaver castors, \$5 and \$4 per 1b; beaver castors, \$5 and \$4 per 1b; highest quotations are for No. 1 perfect skins. THE FUR MARKET.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Flour—Receipts, 18,721 bbls; sales, 3,100 pkgs; state and western market was more or less nominal and lower to sell, with very little demand. Rye flour—Quiet; fair to good, \$3 20 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 104,550 bu; sales, 2,325,000 bu; options experienced another severe break this morning, with vigorous liquidation, following lower cables and disquieting rumors from Chicago; later it rallied on covering and at noon was steady; March, 85½c; May, 84 11-16c to 85½c; July, 84½c to 84½c. Rye—Easy; state, 66c to 67c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 70c, f.o.b., afloat, Corn—Receipts, 6,000 bu; sales, 60,000 bu; options market opened very weak, with liquidations and lower cables a feature, after which it rallied moderately with wheat; May, 67½c to 67½c; July, 67½c to 67%c. Oats—Receipts, 31,500 bu; options active and weaker at the west. Sugar—Raw easy, 3c; fair refining, 27½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 33½c; molasses sugar, 25½c; refined quiet. Coffee—Easy; No. 7 Rio, 6½c. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

BUFFALO Jan 16—Spring wheat—No. AMERICAN MARKETS.

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BUFFALO, Jan. 16.—Spring wheat—No.
1 northern, 83%c; No. 2 northern, 81%c.
Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 94c asked.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 65%c; No. 3 yellow,
65%c; No. 2 mixed, 65c; No. 3 mixed, 64%c,
through billed. Oats—No. 2 white, 50%c;
No. 3 white, 50%c; No. 2 mixed, 48%c,
on track.

DETROIT. Mich., Jan. 16.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 90c; No. 2 red. cash and Jan., 88c; May, 87½c; July, 83½c.

TOLEDO, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Cash, 87c; May, 87½c; July, 82¼c. Corn—May, 64‰c, July, 63¾c. Oats—May, 46c; July, 40¼c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Butler, stock	CHICAGO, Jan. 16.					
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close		
Wheat-May	80	801/4	78%	801		
July	791/	80	79	80		
Corn-May		6336				
July		633%	621/2			
Oats-May		447%	437/8	445		
July		39%	391/3	395		
Pork-May		16 87	16 82	16 87		
July		18 80	16 65	16 75		
Lard-May		9 70	9 57	9 67		
July		9 82	9 65	972		
Ribs-May		8 60	8 55	8 60		
July		9 70	9 67	9 70		

ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL. The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given:

| Jan. | Jan. | Jan. | Jan. | Jan. | 11. | 15.

highest prices are given:

	WHEAL	ATTERN	1.00	_	20000000				BASS IN
	Red Winter No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	8	6	3	6	21/2	6	25
. 1	Walla	6	4	6	0		0		4
	No. 1 Cal	0	0	0		0		0	
		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	Dec	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	March	6	41/3	6	334	6	31/2	6	23
	May	6	436	6	4	6	31/2	6	31
. 1	CORN-	1				1			
8	New	1 5	634	5	634	5	034	5	63
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	Feb		43%		434		33/4	5	21
	March		35/2	5	336		3	5	3
4	May		31/2	5	336		3	5	3
				20	9	20	3	20	3
	Flour	20	6					20	
	Peas	6	11	6	101/2		10%		10
	Pork, prime mess.		6	72	6	72	6	72	6
	Lard	48	0	48	0	47	9	48	0
	Tallow	30	0	39	3	30	3	30	6
*	Bacon, light	145	0	45	0	45	0	15	0
8	Cheese, white	148	0	48	6	48	6	48	6
	AND AND RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY			1.0	28	1 40	~	140	-

Rubber ...... 141/2 ... .. ... Cheese colored .... 49 0 49 6 49 6 LIVERPOOL, Jan. 16-Closing. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 2d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 2d; No. 1 California, 6s 6d; futures steady; March, 6s 2½d; May, 6s 2½d.

Corn—Spot, American mixed, old, quiet, 5s 7½d; futures steady; Feb., 5s 3½d; March,

futures steady; Feb., 5s 3¼d; March, 5s 25d; May, 5s 25d.
Peas-Canadian steady, 6s 10d.
Flour-St. Louis fancy winter firm,

7s 9d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, f3 3s to f3 15s.

Beef—Firm; extra India mess, 79s.

Pork—Firm; prime mess western, Lard-American refined, in pails, quiet. 48s; prime western, in tierces, quiet, 48s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady,

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 40s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 quiet, 44s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 45s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 44s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 51s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, dull, 38s 6d.
Butter—Steady; finest United States, 92s; good United States, 70s.
Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 48s 6d. American finest colored 49s 6d. 48s 6d; American finest colored, 49s 6d. Tallow—Prime city strong, 30s 9d; Australian (in London) firm, 31s 3d. Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot firm,

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 29s. Rosin—Common dull, 3s 10 d. Petroleum—Refined firm, 7 d. Linseed oil—Dull, 29s 9d. London, Jan. 15.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s; centrifugal, 8s 3d; beet sugar, 1an. 6s 4%d. SUGAR.

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has been proved a success. Others have experimented to equal Strong's, but all have failed to do so. The Government Analytical Chemist says: "It is a Cream of Tartar Fowder, containing no alum or phosphate, and is not adulterated."

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#### WEATHER BULLETIN

	STEEL STREET		68 a.m.
	EMPER	ATURE.	WEATHER
STATIONS-	8 a.m.	Min.	WEATHER
Calgary	. 36	30	Fair
Winnipeg	. 12	6	Cloudy
Parry Sound	. 12	10	Cloudy
Toronto	. 26	26	Cloudy
Ottawa		16	Fair
Montreal		16	Snow
Quebec		18	Cloudy
Father Poins		10	Cloudy
FO	RECA	STS.	

Today-Fresh northwest to north winds; cloudy to partly cloudy; light local snow falls or flurries; decidedly colder tonight. Friday-Fair and decidedly cold at first, then moderating. WEATHER NOTES.

A decided cold wave has moved into the Lake Superior region from the northward, and much colder weather is indicated for Ontario and Quebec tonight and on Friday, with zero temperatures in northern localities. If, however, the prevailing high temperatures continue in the west the cold in Ontario is not likely to be lasting.

### LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Miss Alma Grigg, of Bruce street, is visiting in Chatham and Port

-Mr. J. H. Bennett, of the Chicago and North Western Railroad, was in the city today. -Mr. Robt. Dean has almost completely recovered from the effects of

the accident which befell him. -Mr. James Lewis, of Petoskey, that none of the commich., brother of the late Col. Lewis, the heart to refuse. is spending a few days in the city. -Mr. W. W. Logan, brother of Mr. James M. Logan, of this city, died The

at Lindsay yesterday at noon. funeral will be held on Friday. -The funeral of Mrs. Jemina House took place yesterday to Woodland Cemetery, and was largely attended. Rev. S. Edelstein conducted the services.

-Mrs. Margaret Martin, wife of the late Richard H. Martin, died yester-day at the residence of Mr. Louis Risk. The funeral takes place tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. -Mr. J. B. Laing, the efficient pro-

vincial municipal auditor, was in Lonn for a few hours today course of incidental official visits to adjoining places. Mr. Laing is looking well. -Through the kindness of Mr. Robt.

Hueston, the well-known liveryman, the children of the Protestant Orphans' Home enjoyed a two-hours' drive around the city this morning. The children filled two busses and enjoyed the treat very much.

CAN'T TAKE RIFLES HOME.

Col. Peters, D. O. C., inspected the rifles of the Seventh Regiment at the armory last night. The men will not be permitted to take their rifles home this winter although the officer would think it advisable owing to the frosty condition of the hall.

SWIMMING EXHIBITION.

M. Chris. Butterworth gave an interesting exhibition of swimming at the Y. M. C. A. last night. Mr. Butterworth holds the championship for long distance under water swimming and neat diving, and has distinguished himself in fancy swimming and life saving on many occasions, both in England and in this country.

RAN OFF THE TRACK.

A 117-ton Southern Pacific engine, being taken to the property of that railway, ran off the track at Hyde Park last evening, while being pulled into a siding. A broken rail was the cause of the accident. Several twoinch steel cables were broken in trying to pull the engine on the tracks, and it was nearly morning before it was replaced. No trains were delayed.

A CLEVER DEVICE.

The illuminated bill board placed in front of the New Grand Opera House by Mr. J. F. Cairns, the local manager, is an excellent mode of outdoor advertising. It is a remarkably clever way of displaying a three-sheet lithograph in the evening. Electric lights placed back of the paper makes the reading matter easily discernible. The different shows will be advertised in this way. Besides this extra clever scheme of advertising, Mr. Cairns has arranged with the tenants of the

### PRICE PER FOUND

How Much Is Good Solid Flesh Worth?

When a little tot that can hardly talk plain calls out for Grape-Nuts before she gets up from the bed in the morning there must be something pleasing about the food.

Her father says, "I can safely say that every pound of Grape-Nuts used in my family have been worth a dollar in gold to me. To illustrate: About five years ago I was ill and run down from 155 pounds to 130. After I got so could get about, my stomach troubled me and I never could get above 128 pounds although I tried all kinds

of food. "Finally I was put on Grape-Nuts and kept it up for eight months. I realized I was fleshing up again and when weighed found I had recovered my 155 pounds. I have since been able to hold my own. My stomach is in

fine condition. "My family all eat Grape-Nuts and are all improved in health. Even my little tot who can hardly talk calls for Grape-Nuts before she is out of bed

in the morning.
"I stand for nothing but what is

southwest corner of Dundas and Richmond streets to hang three-sheet board on the walls of the first flat. It is the best stand for this class of

bill-board advertising in the city. THE WINTER ASSIZES.

At the assizes yesterday Mr. Justice Ferguson dismissed with costs the acion of Kernohan & Ferguson vs. Samuel Glass, for recovery of \$227 21, and the setting aside of a mortgage. The case of Dongan vs. Noxon Company, of Ingersoll, was taken up and continued till this afternoon, when argument was heard. Only the case of Hudson vs. Corbett remains to be heard. Argument on the judgment in Burke vs. Burke will probably be postponed and heard

MUST READ STANDING.

At the meeting of the library committee of the Public Library board, held last evening, it was resolved to recommend the addition to the list of the New York Life, the Empire Review and the quarterly edition of the Army List. Complaints having been made at the unreasonable length of time some persons monopolize the daily papers, to the delay of the busy man, who only wants a few minutes, and cannot wait an hour for it, the committee resolved to experiment with one stand containing the principal daily papers. They will have the chairs removed and the stand raised higher, so that the papers must be read while standing. The members present were Chairman James Egan, Talbot Macbeth, E. Manigault, Dr. A. O. Jeffery and J. C. Judd.

### POLICE MADE AN INFORMAL CALL

On a Rectory Street Residence at a Late Hour,

And This Morning the Police Court Coffers Were Flooded Just

Sergt. Crawford and P. C. Harry Down made an informal call upon a Rectory street residence at a late hour last night. They found four women and four men within, and the officers extended such a pressing invitation to them to come to police headquarters that none of the company could find

This morning in police court Dorothy Vickers was charged with being the keeper of the place, and Freda La-mont, Ella Bartlett and Edith Astrosser were set down as inmates. All pleaded guilty. They were refined respectively \$50, 20, \$10 and \$10, with \$2 each costs, or the option of 21 days' sojourn in jail.

Of the men, Robert Belton was fined \$5, and John Johnston, Thomas Smith, and Frank McIntyre, were let go, no evidence being offered against them. All the fines were paid, and consequently the police court treasury is \$103

### GETTING READY FOR NEW BRIDGE.

Land Secured for the Roadway on Either Side of the River.

County Councilor J. P. Grigg and Reeve Faulds, of Caradoc, were in the city today. They have been busily engaged in preliminary arrangements for the building of the new bridge at Muncey. The Caradoc council has purchased the land to form a highway to the bridge on the Caradoc side, and the Indians on the other side of the river surrendered the land needed for a road-

### DR. DRAKE WEDDED AT PORT HURON

City Physician Becomes the Husband of Michigan Lady.

A pretty home wedding was celebrated yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. T. R. Wright, of Port Huron, it being the occasion of the marriage of his youngest daughter, Miss Daisy Wright, to Dr. Frederick P. Drake, of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Monday, of Detroit, in the presence of only immediate friends. The bride was gowned in white satin, and was assisted by Miss Elliott, of Detroit, who wore a beautiful costume of white India silk. Mr. Blackburn, of this city, was groomsman. A dainty wedding lunch was served to the guests after the ceremony.

### Late Returns.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Jan. 16.-Full returns give Farquharson, Liberal, 493 majority in West Queens.

Bowmanville, Ont., Jan. 16.-The returns of yesterday's bye-election, as brought in to Returning Officer Hall, means have proved futile. Lumbago, gave Robert Beith, Liberal, a majority Sciatica and Rheumatism can be most

Quebec, Que., Jan. 16.-Complete returns show that Charbonneau, Liberal, was elected in L'Islet by one majority. Napanee, Ont., Jan. 16.—The latest reports from Addington give Avery, Conservative, a majority of 447, with ten polls to hear from, which likely will reduce the majority to about 400. Some of the back polls may not be heard from before this evening or tomorrow morning.

### \$100,000 BETTER

Large Increase in Crown Lands Revenue in 1001 Over Preceding Year

Toronto, Jan. 16.-It was announced today that the crown lands revenue for last year was \$1,634,000, or about right and honest, and I am quite willing you should print my name if you choose to publish this letter." F. A.
Brainard, Binghamton, N. Y., No. 8

Gold street \$100,000 more than in 1900. The highest revenue point was reached in 1892 when the total was \$2,174,591, the bonmillion dollars,

### THE SPEECH OF THE KING

Gratified With the Results of the Royal Tour.

Reference to the War in South Africa Disappointingly Indefinite - The Sugar Bounty Question and Canal Treaty Touched.

THE SPEECH OF THE KING. London, Jan. 16.—The King's' speech at the opening of parliament opened with a reference to the tour of the Prince and Princess of Wales.

"They were everywhere," said the King, "received with demonstrations of the liveliest affection, and I am convinced their presence served to rivet more closely the bonds of mutual regard and loyalty, by which the vigor of the empire is maintained."

Referring to Great Britain's relations with foreign countries, the King "My relations with the other powers continue to be of a friendly character."

Contrary to expectation, the King's reference to the war was just as indefinite as the statements on the subject made in the last half dozen messages from the throne. "I regret," said his majesty, "that the war in South Africa is not yet concluded, though the course of the operations has been favorable to our arms, the area of war largely reduced, and industries are being resumed in my new colonies. In spite of the tedious char-acter of the campaign, my soldiers throughout have displayed a cheerfulness in the endurance of the hardships incident to guerrilla warfare, and a humanity, even to their own detri-ment, in their treatment of the enemy, which are deserving of the highest

"The necessity for relieving those of my troops who have most felt the strain of war has afforded me the op-portunity of again availing myself of the loyal and patriotic offers of my colonies, and further contingents will shortly reach South Africa from the Dominion of Canada, the Common-wealth of Australia and New Zea-

In regard to the sugar conference, the speech says: "I trust its decision may lead to the abandonment of the system by which the sugar producing colonies and the home manufacturers of sugar have been unfairly weighted in the prosecution of this important industry.'

Then came the following clause: "I have concluded with the President of the United States a treaty, the provisions of which will facilitate the construction of an inter-oceanic canal under guarantees that its neutrality will be maintained and that it will be open to the commerce and shipping of all nations."

Next followed references to the Anglo-Brazilian treaty, to the referring of the British Guiana-Brazil boundary questions to the arbitration of the King of Italy, to the necessity for the continuance of famine relief measures in India, and to the death of the Ameer, "whose son, Habib Ullah, has expressed an earnest desire to maintain the friendly relations of Afghanisvith my India After announcing that the estimates

have "been framed as economically as due regard for their efficiency renders possible in the special circumstances of the present exigencies," the speech concluded with mentioning proposed legislation, of solely domestic interest, with the exception of a bill to facilitate the sale and purchase of land in

CABLE NOTES. Rumors are again revived of the pope's serious illness. Lord Dufferin's condition is said to

It is stated by the London Daily Mail that the British representatives at the forthcoming meeting of the Brussels conference will announce that if sugar bounties are not withdrawn, Great Britain is prepared to impose a

countervailing duty.

The decision of the municipal authorities of San Sebastian (Spain) to suppress the annual popular holiday consisting of tormenting bulls, occasioned serious rioting on Wednesday, during which many persons were injured, and much property was sacrificed. A mob stoned the town hall, the residences of the municipal officers and the barracks of the gendarmes. A powerful attack on the government's management of affairs in the Dutch East Indies continues to be made by Heit Volk, the Socialist organ of Amsterdam. The charges include the accusation that the Acheen war is being conducted by the Dutch

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Halifax, N. S., Jan. 16.—The troop-ship Victoria from Cape Town, which is to carry the second section of the C. M. R., to South Africa, reached quarantine at noon.

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### PEDDLING SMALLPOX

Explanation of the Outbreak in Cambridge Township and Its Spread-Nine New Cases Reported.

Toronto, Ont., Jan.16.-In explanation bridge township and its spread, it is asserted in a letter to the provincial board of health that the agent of a Toronto Loan Company is carrying the disease around, having visited a house in which there were a number of cases. The disease is spreading from the original centers in Wellington and Went-worth counties. This morning seven new cases were reported in Puslinch township and two in East Flamboro.

### Telegraphic Briefs.

A convention of members of the British Columbia Legislative Assembly opposed to Premier Dunsmuir's Government met at New Westminster

It is reported that an American syndicate has approachedd certain colliery owners in Lancashire, with the intention of acquiring their properties if terms can be arranged. The committee of arrangements for the one hundred and thirteenth gener-

assembly of the Presbyterian Church, to meet in Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York, next May, has already begun work. Phineas Foutz, a Zanesville, Ohio, soldier, whose execution in the Philippines isannounced, was 21 years old and an orphan, who led a model life

before he entered the army in the war

with Spain. Foutz murdered a Filipino girl under atrocious circumstances. TALK OF A PICKLE FAMINE. Chicago, Jan. 16.—The Western Pickle Packers' Association, including repre-sentatives from Illinois, Indiana, Mich-igan, Ohio, Iowa and Missouri, are considering an advance in prices. It is declared that there might be a pickle famine before next summer, knowing the increase of \$1 50 a barrel over the prices of a year ago. The crop of cu-cumbers was 600,000 bushels below the average, which means that pickle pack-

### ed if the supply gave out entirely be-fore the close of summer. CANCER.

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