Halifax Train P En

A despatch from Halifax The Halifax and Southw train, from Middleton to I burg, was wrecked near Nev many on Friday evening. Tw were killed and five persons more or less badly injured. accident, it was thought, was ed by spreading rails. The and two or three box cars along all right, but the baggas and passenger car at the jumped and fell over a te embankment, lying on their In a few moments after the ca over the baggage car took fire the flames afterwards sprea the passenger coach, which twelve persons. Within the

OVER A MILLION FOR SCI

French Financier Sets an Ex to His Countrymen.

A despatch from Paris, F says: Auguste Loutrefil, wh born a peasant and became i the richest French financie Russia, died recently. He had impressed by the meagre en ment of science in France and termined to set an example for countrymen. His will, which just been made public, disc that he bequeathed \$700,000 t Academy of Sciences; \$500,00 the University of Paris, and 000 to the Pasteur Institute of search work.

BIG JEWEL ROBBERY.

Mrs. Maldwin Drummond Robbed of a Fortune.

Mrs. Maldwin Drummond, former- past his station on Friday, jumped ly Mrs. Marshall Field, jun., of from the train, fell under the wheels Chicago, was robbed of a fortune and was cut in two. in jewels on Saturday night aboard a transatlantic liner. Diamonds, pearls and other gems to the value of approximately \$130,000 disappeared mysteriously from her stateroom on the steamship Amerika of the Hamburg-American Line some time between 9.30 Saturday night and 5.30 Sunday morning.

PRINCE EDWARD DAIRYING.

Shows Big Increase.

P.E.I., says: The value of cheese which carried the logs was stopped 18c. Creamery, 26 to 27c per lb. of cruisers and destroyers for the and butter manufactured at the to be adjusted. It is supposed that for rolls, 24c for solids, and 22 to Pacific squadron of the Canadian forty-five island factories last year Stinson attempted to jump across 23c for separator prints. tory of the province. The increase His head and legs were cut of was \$12,000 over last year. There was a decrease in the cheese, but EXPIRED IN DENTIST'S C an increase in butter. The annual meeting of the Provincial Dairy- Young Girl Passed Away men's Association was held on Thursday. The reports were optimistic, and members are enthusiastic over the progress of the in- | Florence Bird, 19 years old, dustry.

judge of the Olympia Horse Show orphan, only arrived here fro in London, England.

says: Burton Com Memramcook, N.B., a passenger on A despatch from New York says: an Intercolonial train, was carried

CAUGHT BY CIRCULAR SAW.

Young Man Met a Terrible Death in Mill in Quebec.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Cut into three sections by falling across a circular saw, Hiram Stinson met death in the saw mill of J. A. Ericksen, near Barnard Lake, on Wednesday. Stinson, who was Value of Industry in Province 22 years of age, unmarried, and lived at Lascelles Corners, was working beside the saw, taking A despatch from Charlottetown, away the slabs, when the carriage choice rolls, 19 to 20c; inferior, 16 to ern shippard for the construction was \$514,000, the best in the his- the saw, and his clothing caught. | Eggs-Case lots of new-laid, 23

Chloroform at Montrea

A despatch from Montreal a dentist's chair on Friday ing, while under the influe Hon. Adam Beck was appointed a chloroform. The girl, who land four months ago.

Hurled Down Were Cars Seventeen Embankment Near Toronto

A despatch from Toronto says: there. The fifth car behind t Seventeen big G. T. R. freight cars gine broke away and went heavily laden were thrown down mng down the embankment the embankment west of the Hum- south, pulling fifteen or s ber River on Sunday morning and more with it, and piling the piled in a heap just behind the in a heap. The last car was t Humber Bay Hotel. Most of the down with such force that the cars were reduced to kindling wood ling by which it was held to and their contents, consisting al- others behind was snapped. most wholly of grain, was scatter- car in plunging down the hill ed broadcast over the ground. The so close to the rear of the H cars made up the greater part of a Bay Hotel kept by William through freight train bound from that it struck and demolish Port Huron to Portland. The train | buggy in the yard. was drawn by a heavy mogul en- The breaking of the coupling gine and left Mimico vards just be- the last car to descend the hill : fore 10 o'clock on its way into To- saved the lives of Conductor ronto. There were in all twenty- bert Russell and his three br nine cars loaded with grain and men who were in the caboose a lumber and to these was attached rear of the train. The engine the caboose used by the train crew. caboose and some ten or t

the big bridge over the Humber engineer and two firemen o River a flange on the wheel of one engine were only made awa of the cars was torn out when it the accident by the crash was passing over a switch to a sid- cars coming together at th ing used for construction work of the hill.

As the engine was just about on cars did not leave the rails.

PORTS FORM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

of Cattle, Grain, Cheese 1 Other Produce at Home and Abroad.

BREADSTUFFS.

heat 90 per cent. patents, \$3 .-\$3.45 at seaboard. Manitoba -First patents, \$5.40; secatents, \$4.90, and strong bak-\$4.70, on track, Toronto. nitoba Wheat-No. 1 North-8½c, Bay ports; No. 2 North-96c, Bay ports, and No. 3 at Bay ports; carrying Winter

se at Goderich, 1c extra. ario Wheat-No. 2 at 821/2c,

ley-66 to 68c outside, accordo qualify, and feed 50 to 55c

ts-Ontario grades, No. 2 white , on track, Toronto, and 32 to outside; No. 2 W. C. oats, 3434c; No. 4 white, 34c. Barley-Bay ports, and No. 2 quoted Malting, 93 to 98c. 5½c, Bay ports.

 $rn-51\frac{1}{2}$ to 52c, Toronto hts, for No. 3 American. as-No. 2 at 80 to 82c outside. e-66 to 67c outside.

ckwheat—No. 1 at 48½ to 49½ c

n-Manitobas at \$22.50 to \$23, gs, Toronto, and shorts, \$24 gs, Toronto. Ontario bran, o \$22.50, in sacks, Toronto, horts, \$24 to \$25.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

\$5; Greenings, \$4 to \$4.50; the former selling at 41/4 to 41/2c, ing stock was heavy. assorted, \$3.50 to \$4.50 per and the latter at 61/4 to 61/2c per

ns-Car lots, \$1.75 to \$1.80,

and small lots, \$1.90 to \$2. Honey-Extracted, in tins, 101/2 around \$5.50 to \$5.65. Lambs were to 11c per lb.; No. 1 comb, whole- weaker. Sheep were practically sale, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen; No. 2 unchanged, but fat hogs were being

dozen. Baled Hay-No. 1 at \$12 to \$13 on track, and No. 2 at \$9 to \$10.50. Baled Straw-\$6.50 to \$7 on track, Toronto.

Potatoes-Car lots, 80 to 85c per

Poultry-Wholesale prices of dressed poultry :- Chickens, 15 to says: Official announcement is made 16c per lb.; fowl, 11 to 13c per lb.; that the British Columbia Marine turkeys, 19 to 21c per lb. to 2c less.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter-Dairy prints, 20 to 21c; It is the intention to equip a mod-

ICES OF FARM PRODUCTS \$7,000,000 FRENCH CAPITAL

Amount Allotted for Foreign Investors for the New Canadian Bank

that a new Canadian bank was to be established by Mr. Rodolphe over in France, and it was further onto, Feb. 28.-Flour-Win- Forget, M.P., the well-known Mont- learned that half of the three milknown as La Banque du Canada, sured. and to have a capitalization of ten | The new bank is now seeking inmillion dollars.

nesday from Paris announce that of organization will be completed.

store, \$1.03; Winter nominal. Corn

-No. 3 yellow, 50c; No. 4 yellow,

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Toronto, Feb. 28.-Most of the

DRY-DOCK AND SHIPYARD.

Big Plant to be Established Near

Esquimault, B. B.

A despatch from Victoria, B. C.,

be 900 feet long and 100 feet wide.

and London.

Canadian Pacific Railway is

between various points for the

ation of trains. The latest sec-

s to be installed is that from

onto to London, a distance of

miles by rail. The telephones

ch will supplement and not

ersede the telegraphs will be

d at 25 stations on the line to

don, and are intended to be

ack by this method.

extending its telephone sys-

pound.

Calves were steady.

navy at Esquimault.

A despatch from Montreal says: (the seven million dollars taken by Some time ago it was announced French bankers and capitalists out real financier, and associates, with lions allotted to Canada has been the support of French and Canadi- already underwritten so that the an capital, the new bank to be entire capital is now practically as-

corporation at Ottawa, and as soon Cable advices received on Wed- as the charter is granted the work

TRAINS MET ON SWITCH. 35 to \$4.75; first clears, \$2.95 to o. 2 red and mixed, 82c, out- \$3.35; second clears, \$1.95 to \$2.55. Buffalo, Feb. 28.—Spring wheat Passenger and Freight Collided at Macleod Junction, Alta. dull; No. 1 Northern, carloads,

A despatch from Macleod, Alberta, says: The south-bound passen-48c, on track, through billed. Oats ger train from Calgary collided -No. 2 white, 351/4c; No. 3 white, with a way freight at West Macleod Junction shortly after 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. Both engines were scrapped and a dozen freight cars were wrecked, while Montreal, Feb. 28.—Choice steers the tracks were blocked for several sold at 61/2c, good at 6 to 61/4c, fair- hours. Robt. Cooney, fireman of ly good at 5½ to 5¾c, fair at 5 to the passenger engine, had a broken 51/4c per pound. The demand for arm and all the other engine men good fat cows was fair at 5 to 51/2c, suffered slight injuries. The freight and the commoner ones 31/4c per was east-bound and both trains pound. A few good bulls sold at converged on the switch. The 51/4 to 51/2c, and the lower grades brakes failed to check the speed of from 33/4 to 5c per pound. Hogs, the freight, and the locomotives \$7.50 to \$7.75 per 100 pounds, "side swiped" each other at the weighed off cars. Calves, from switch. No passengers were hurt, \$4.00 to \$12.00 each. The trade in but the baggage car was partly les-Spys, \$5 to \$6; Baldwins, sheep and lambs was quiet, with wrecked. The damage to the roll-

SMALLPOX ON RESERVE.

trade in butcher cattle hovered Six Cases Reported and the Disease is Spreading.

A despatch from London, Ont., comb, wholesale, \$1.75 to \$2 per taxed 50c a head for overweight. says: The smallpox outbreak on the Oneida Indian reserve is spreading, and there are now six cases. There are two cases in Westminster under the care of Dr. Roy Routledge. Dr. Mitchell of Kilworth, who has charge of the cases on the reserve, has no easy task. It is nine miles in length by seven in breadth, and about 900 Indians are thereon. He makes daily visits, but is not being Live Railway Company will build a dry- given the co-operation by the nadock to cost \$3,000,000 at Lang's tives that he would like. However, Cove, Esquimault. The dock will latterly there is a better spirit, as both of the new cases have been voluntarily reported.

MORE TROOPS FOR JAMAICA.

Britain May Reinforce Garrison if Canal is Fortified.

A despatch from Kingston, Ja-AINS WORKED BY 'PHONE. maica, says: During the debate in . R. Stations Between Toronto the Legislature on Wednesday on the question of the organization of the local defence force, one of the chief military officers intimated the despatch from Toronto says: probability that the Jamaican garrison would be considerably strengthened by Imperial troops in the event of the Panama Canal being fortified.

A FIFTEEN-INCH GUN.

Will Supersede the Present Armament of Dreadnoughts. *

l only in the despatching of A despatch from London says: as. The Port Burwell, St. Tho- The Morning Post announces a new and St. Mary Branches, and gun of 15-inch bore, to supersede line between Toronto and the 12 and 13.5 guns on the Dreadh's Falls, are also to be con- noughts. It also prints rumors of d by phone. The C. P. R. is a new development in the shape of dy working about 1,500 miles a 3-inch gun on the Maxim rapidfire principle.

mation Similar to That at Porcupine Discovered at Hobon

yrne says the formation at Hobon of the North.

despatch from Sault Ste. is similar to that at Porcupine and ont., says: Mr. J. J. Byrne, that values are equally as good.
The fields are only 156 miles apart.
The new field is easy of access, the silver discoveries at Cobalt, C. P. R. running within 11 miles of cupine and Gowganda, returned the most important claims and the he "Soo" on Wednesday after- N. C. R. when forming a junction n from Hobon, a new gold field with C. P. R. at Hobon, will run overed by William Moquist of directly through one of the richest "Soo" last November. Byrne gold fields on the continent. Assays h J. Hollinger, who with his bro- made on Hobon ore run from \$6.60 r Ben., staked the Timmins to \$400.00 to ton. It is expected im at Porcupine, which was sold that with the advent of spring a \$330,000, have staked 16 claims rush will be made to Hobon, the Hobon adpoining the Moquist finds having created considerable tims, and all show rich values. excitement among the mining men