# Trampled to Death in Rush for Better Seats in Hall in England.

says: Sixteen children were trampled of the injured and the moans of the dyto death and forty others, several of ing causing the greatest excitement whom cannot live, were injured, in a among those gathered in the body of the mad rush for better seats at an enter- hall. Police and ushers rushed to the tainment given in the public hall here head of the staircase, which was literally on Saturday afternoon,

dangerously massed against the lower was averted, all of these eventually beroiling. With a view to relieving this ing taken to the streets in safety. crowding in the gallery the attendants . When the reserve police arrived they decided to transfer some of the children found the narrow stairway practically to the body of the house, and one of the blocked with bodies, which were crushed ushers called out, "Some of you children | in some cases almost beyond recognition.

come downstains." within a few seconds hundreds of chil- vere lacerations, caused by the indescribdren were being trampled under foot. able manner in which they had been Even those who had seats in the gal- trampled upon. lery, doubtless being panic-stricken by Soon after the aecident the approaches Agriculturists Taking Advantage of The Winnipeg Police Bring Off a Big Statement For .First Nine Months of the screams and struggles of the crowds to the hall were crowded with sobbing fighting to reach the staircases, joined in women searching for their missing chilthe stampede.

A despatch from Barnsley, England, The scene was a terrible one, the cries

Scores of children were found later to be Immediately the rush started, and suffering from fractured bones and se-

dren.

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES.

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

Toronto, Jan. 14. - Flour - Ontario wheat 90 per cent. patents are quoted at \$3.70 to \$3.75 in buyers' sacks outside for export. Manitoba flour unchanged; first patents, \$6; second patents, \$5.30 to \$5.40, and strong bakers', \$5.20.

Wheat-Manitoba grades were quiet. No. 1 Northern quoted at \$1.21, lake ports; No. 2 Northern quoted at \$1.16, lake ports; and No. 3 Northern at \$1.13, lake ports.

Ontario Wheat-No. 2 white and red quoted at 97 to 98c outside, and No. 2 mixed at 96 to 96% c outside.

Oats-No. 2 white on track, Toronto, 49% to 50c, and outside at 47 to 47%c. Corn-No. 3 American new yellow is new No. 3 mixed at 65 1/2c, Toronto.

Rye-No. 2 quoted at 81 to 82c outside. Buckwheat-62c outside. Barley-No. 2 quoted at 75c outside

No. 3 extra at 72c outside, and No. 3 a! 70e outside. Bran-\$18.50 to \$19 in bulk outside.

Shorts are quoted at \$21 to \$22 outside. \$1.131/8. COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples-Winter, \$2 to \$3.25 per barrel. Beans-Prime, \$1.65 to \$1.70; and hand-picked, \$1.80 to \$1.85.

Honey-12 to 13c per lb for strained, and at \$1.75 to \$2.50 for combs.

Hay-No. 1 timothy quoted at \$16.50 | \$19.50. to \$17.50 here in car lots.

Straw-Steady at \$9.50 to \$10.50 a ton on track here. Potatoes-Car lots are quoted at 70 to

75c per bag on track.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

large rolls, 22 to 23c; do, inferior, 20 to paid in one or two instances. Medium 24c. Creamery rules at 28 to 29c, and quality cows, \$3 to \$3.40; common cows. solids at 25 to 26c. Eggs-Cold storage are quoted at 20 to

21c and upwards. Cheese-131/2 to 131/2c in a jobbing way.

HOG PRODUCTS. Bacon, long clear, 10 to 10%c per lb up to \$4.50. in case lots; mess pork, \$18 to \$19;

short cut, \$22 to \$22.50. Hams-Light to medium, 141/2 to 15c; to \$2.75. do, heavy, 121/2 to 13c; rolls, 101/2c;

shoulders, 10c; backs, 16 to 16%c; breakfast bacon, 141/2 to 15c. Lard-Tierces, 11%c; tubs, 12c; pails,

12%c.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

The market for oats is firm; car lots at \$4 to \$6, according to quality. Hogs Ontario No. 2 white at 52c, No. 3 at 48 were steady at \$5.90 for the best; \$5.65 to 48%c, No. 4 at 47 to 47%c, and re- for medium, and \$5.40 for common.

Windsor bacon, 141/2 to 151/2c; fresh to Ontario farmers. killed abattoir dressed hogs, \$8.75 to \$9.25; alive, \$6.50. Butter-September, 28 to 29c; fresh receipts, 26 to 27c; dairy, 23 to 25c. Cheese-131/4 to 131/2c.

UNITED STATES MARKETS. Milwaukee, Jan. 14.-Wheat-No. 1 Northern, \$1.13 to \$1.14; No. 2 Northern, quoted at 66c, Toronto, and kiln-dried \$1.10 to \$1.11%; May, \$1.05% asked. says: Alex. Swartz was murdered in Rye-Higher; No. 1, 831/2 to 84c. Barley -No. 2, \$1.04; sample, 70c to \$1.04. Corn-No. 3, 56 to 59c; May, 40 to 607sc a small sum of money. He had been in

\$1.01%; May, \$1.05; July, 95%c.

No. 1 Northern, \$1.123/8; No. 2 Northern, the murderer shot Swartz and then \$1.10%; No. 3 Northern, \$1.06% to bastened back to the station and caught Poultry-Turkeys, dressed, 12 to 14c \$1.08%. Flour-Steady: First patents, the express for the west. The dead man per lb for choice; chickens, alive, 5 to 6c \$5.70 to \$5.80; second patents. \$5.60 to leaves a widow and three little children. per lb; dressed, 9 to 10c; ducks, dressed, \$5.70; first clears, \$4.30 to \$4.40; second o to 11c per lb; geese, dressed, 9 to 10c. clears, \$3.50 to \$3.60. Bran-In bulk,

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 14.-Picked butchers sold between \$4.70 and \$4.80 with choice lots from \$4.25 to \$4.50; medium to good, \$3.75 to \$4.25; common to medium, \$2.75 to \$3.75. Choice cows sold from Butter-Pound prints, 24 to 25c, and \$3.50 to \$3.85, with a little higher price \$2.25 to \$2.75; canners, 75c to \$1.00. Canning bulls sold at \$2 to \$2.50.

to bulls, a number selling at \$3.50 to \$4.25, with extra good quality ranging

Choice stockers were quoted at from \$1 to \$3.75, with light weights from \$2 Calves were steady at 3c to 6c per

There was the usual steady demand

for good milchers, choice selling at \$40. to \$55, with medium at \$25 to \$35. Export ewes sold at \$3.75 to \$4.25;

Montreal, Jan. 8 .- (Special.) - Grain - bucks and culls \$3 to \$3.50; lambs sold

# Three Years in Penitentiary for Attemptted Stabbing.

Choquelle placed himself on record in tunately you did not commit murder. Prussian Minister of State and Finance, Choquette placed himself on record in the College of France, who the interview, "is occupied with China the Court of Special Sessions on Thurs- Italians in this country must understand went over the figures of the Prussian that the College of France, who the interview, "is occupied with China the Court of Special Sessions on Thurs- Italians in this country must understand went over the figures of the Prussian that the College of France, who is occupied with China the Court of Special Sessions on Thurs- Italians in this country must understand went over the figures of the Prussian that the College of France, who is occupied with China the China the College of France, who is occupied with China the day as being determined to put a stop that they have to stop these practices- budget for 1908. The total is \$840,500,000 to the habit so common among Italians | that they must not carry knives or | and shows the enormous deficit of \$110,in this city of carrying and using wea- razors. This is a quiet country, yet in 500,000. A loan is to be issued for \$63,-

pens.

razor and struck Antonio Tatti on the penitentiary, and I inflict three years." | officials.

### FATHER AND DAUGHTER KILLED.

Shocking Crossing Accident at Cedar Springs.

A despatch from St. Thomas says: A terrible crossing fatality occurred at Cedar Springs, near Bothwell, on Saturday night, when the Pere Marquette accommodation, due here at 9 o'clock travelling at forty miles an hour, struck a democrat waggon in which were seated Samuel Crouch and David Tole, elderly farmers residing near Blenheim, and Mr. Crouch's twenty-five-year-old daughter. All three were thrown about one hundred feet, and Mr. Crouch and his daughter , killed instantly. Mr. Crouch was almost scalped and other-wise mangled, while the girl had her years, Jan Janoff Pouren, alleged to be ous crimes in Riga, Livonia, where,

killed, and the other so badly injured extradition papers, it had to be destroyed. The parly had Pouren is a mild-looking man, and it is said. stop at Cedar Springs, a flag station. identity by indicating that the photo- number of murders and robberies.

### EXPERIMENTAL FARMS.

Their Work.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The twentieth annual report of the work done and in progress at the several Do-WORLD'S MARKETS | jected at 46c per bushel ex store.. minion experimental farms was tabled in the Commons on Eriday. It contains the \$5.10 to \$6.25; seconds, \$5.50 to \$5.65 | results of many important and carefully winter wheat patents, \$5.50: straight conducted experiments in agriculture, barrels do, \$10.50 to \$11.25; dry salt evidence of the desire for the latest long clear backs, 10% to 11%c; barrels scientific information among the agriplate beef, \$13.50 to \$15; half barrels do, culturists of Canada. During 1906 nearly \$7.25 to \$7.75; barrels heavy mess beef, 48,000 farmers have joined in co-opera-\$10 to \$11; half barrels do, \$5.50 to \$6; tive tests of seeds for the improvement compound lard, 10 to 11c; pure lard, 12% of crops. Sixteen thousand samples of to 13c; kettle rendered,, 121/2 to 13c; hams, grain of various kinds were sent out to 12 to 13%c; breakfast bacon, 14 to 15c farmers in Quebec and seven thousand

## MURDERED BY STRANGER.

Alexander Swartz Shot Down at Whitemouth, Manitoba.

A despatch from Whitemouth, Man., celd blood by an unknown man near here on Thursday night for the sake of Minneapolis, Jan. 14.—Wheat—May, a bullet through the head. The pockets was nothing found in his pockets by father has taken proceedings to recover \$1.12%; July, \$1.12%; No. 1 hard, \$1.14%; had been rifled. The presumption is that which he could be identified.

## WALL FELL ON FIREMEN.

One Killed and Two Seriously Injured at Montreal.

A despatch from Montreal says: As the result of a small fire on Notre Dame street on Sunday night one fireman is dead and two others seriously injured. Fire broke out in a small fancy goods store through an overheated stove. The New Railway Connection Expected to store was on the ground floor of a ramshackle three-storey brick building, Buying for export was again limited and while fighting the flames part of Gagnon, N. Narbonne and V. Lawall the building was uninjured.

## MAY SAVE MANY LIVES.

Passenger Cars to be Equipped With Extinguishers.

A despatch from Ottawa says: With a view to preventing fires in connection with railway wrecks and the consequent burning to death of those who might be caught in the wreckage, the Railway Commission has passed an order compelling all railway companies to install two fire extinguishers in each | WL. passenger coach. A fine of \$25 is imposed for each failure to comply with the order. The companies are given until January next to have extinguishers placed on all cars now in use.

## AN ENORMOUS DEFICIT.

Frussian Government Will Have to Procure \$110,500,000.

course of the sitting on Wednesday of A despatch from Montreal says: Judge | neck, causing him bodily harm, For- the Landtag, Baron Von Rheinbaben, this city we hear every day of quarrels | 000,000; \$10,000,000 will be obtained by "You are a foreigner, seven months in and murders. Such quarrels and mur- increased taxation, and the remainder this country," said his Honor, in sen- ders must be put a stop to. Anyone who | wil: be covered, it is hoped, by augmentteneing a young Italian named Michaela is found guilty of such offence as at ing the revenue receipts. The causes of Marino to three years in penitentiary, present before this court will be most this deficit are diminution in the reve-"and it is proved that without the severely punished. The highest penalty nues, fresh expenditures for railroads, slightest provocation you took out a in the present instance is three years in and increases in the salaries of State

# Employed as Engineer in a Tunnel at New York.

ter a ceaseless search of nearly two detectives, was a picture of himself.

been to Chatham, and were returning submitted without protest. He was Pouren and his associates are charged home when the accident occurred. It employed as an engineer in one of the with being particularly active in 1906. is believed they thought the train would East River tunnels. He admitted his having, it is charged, committed a

A despatch from New York says: Af- graph of Pouren, in possession of the

neck broken. Mr. Tole was severely a notorious Russian brigand who is with several fellow-countrymen, he terstrewn with dead and dying, and by the injured, and no hopes are entertained wanted in the Province of Livonia, Rus- regized the province and defied arrest. for his recovery. Mr. Tole was taken sia, for murder, arson and robberies it was the custom of the brigands to mittance to the entertainment, and when some of the struggling children to the lo Blenheim for medical treatment, without number, was caught here on make demands upon citizens for large the show opened every seat was taken, cerridors below. It was with the greatand the gallery was literally packed with est difficulty that a panic among the daughter were taken to the station, complaint of the Russian Consul-Gen- lion of several days, if the money was children, who filled the aisles and were children in the lower part of the house and are held pending inquiry. The eral, M. De Ledygensky, and held for not forthcoming, they would rob the rig was demolished, one horse instantly further examination and the arrival of houses and set them aftre. When the inmates resisted, they were murdered,

### A DRAYLOAD OF BOOTY.

Haul.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: A | A despatch from Ottawa says: The Brandon. The men gave the names of lion from the postoffice. B. Martin, H. Boyd, R. Calder, M. Raymond, and all of them are Englishmen.

## ACCIDENTS AT MONTREAL.

Old Man Knocked Down by Runaway Horse and Killed.

old gentleman, about seventy years of him, taking away two children, a boy age, was knocked down and run over and a girl. For years he heard nothing Winnipeg, where he sold three cars of by a runaway horse at the corner of of them, until lately he learned they Duluth, Jan. 14.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, wood, realizing \$150. He returned on the St. Mark and St. Catherine streets on were supposed to be living in this vici-\$1.11%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.09%; No. 2 evening train, and was seen to leave the Friday and sustained inuries from which nity. The father communicated with the Northern, \$1.07%; May, \$1.12%; July, station to walk to his home, accompan- he died. The victim when taken to the authorities, with the result that the trio ied by a stranger. Next day his body General Hospital said his name was have been found in Echo Place. The St. Louis, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Cash, was found beside the River road, about Simpson, but that was all he could say woman is now residing with another three-quarters of a mile from town, with before he became unconscious. There man and their two sons. The Dakota

Miss Marguerite Savage, about forty years of age, dropped dead at the Emander streets on Friday. Deceased had Illinois Central Drops 4,000 Men From pire Cafe, corner of Craig and St. Alexbeen boarding in the house about a week.

Grand Trunk Railway, was admitted to the General Hospital early on Fri- rell on account of the financial situaday morning with both his hands and tion. This was the announcement here his feet cut off. He is unable to explain the cause of the accident.

## WINNIPEG TO NEW YORK.

Give Forty-eight-hour Service.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Placing Winnipeg within 48 hours of the wall fell out, crushing Napoleon New York is one of the possibilities, it may be said probabilities, of the new mouche, firemen. Gagnon died on his connection that the Canadian Northern way to the hospital, and the others are secures by the completion of the Winnibadly injured. The loss by fire was peg & Duluth Railway. It is figured out December makes a new record. The outtrifling, and apart from the falling that a service can be arranged by which put was 583,526 ounces of the yellow a traveller leaving Winnipeg, say, on metal, which is 28,499 ounces over the Thursday morning at 8 o'clock, can be previous highest yield for a month. The hour on Saturday morning.

### REVENUE INCREASED.

Fiscal Year.

gang of desperate burglars, who have statement of revenue and expenditure been operating here for the past week, of the Dominion for the first nine were cleverly rounded up by the police months of the present fiscal year shows on Friday afternoon, and all are now a total revenue of \$73,955,958, an inunder arrest. By a lucky circumstance crease of \$7,097,205 as compared with rellers, \$5 to \$5.25; do, in bags, \$2.25 to horticulture and arborculture carried on they were discovered at work in Co- the corresponding period of 1906, and \$2.50; extras, \$1.30 to \$1.90. Feed- during the last year. The director, Dr. hen's store by a patrolman on Friday a total expenditure on consolidated Manitoba bran, \$22; shorts, \$23; On- Wm. Saunders, notes that the large and morning. All escaped arrest but one, fund account of \$45,667,086, an increase tario bran, \$22 to \$22.50; middlings, \$24 ecostantly increasing demand by the who gave the name of A. Fortescue, of \$8.616.976. On capital account the to \$25; shorts, \$22.50 to \$23 per ton, in- | farmers of the Dominion for the publica- but his personality afforded a clue which | total expenditure for the nine months. cluding bags; milled mouillie, \$26 to \$28; tions issued from the experimental led to the capture of the entire gang was \$19,271,966, an increase of about and pure grain, mouillie, \$33 to \$35 per farms, the rapidly extending correspon- early in the afternoon. At the head- ten millions, as compared with the corlon. Provisions-Barrels short cul mess, dence, and the readiness shown every- quarters of the gang the police secured responding period of 1906. The increase \$22.50 to \$23; half barrels, \$11.75 to where to co-operate with the work of the a big dray load of stolen merchandise is of course, due to a larger expendi-\$12.25; clear fat backs, \$23.50 to \$24.50; farms in testing new and promising of a miscellaneous character. The rob- ture last year on the construction of long cut heavy mess, \$21 to \$24; half varieties of cereals furnish gratifying bers pitched a camp in a bush two the National Transcontinental Railway, miles from the city. They confessed the expenditure on which now averages: to the police that they had intended over one million dollars per month. stealing a team of horses on Friday Ot the total increase in revenue durnight and driving over the border with | ing the nine months ending with Decemthe loot. Among the spoils were eighty- ber \$7 107.938 came from customs, half five watches, which had been stolen in a million from excise and half a mil-

### AFTER MANY YEARS.

, Dakota Man Finds Wife and Children in Brantford.

A despatch from Brantford says: A man named Chambers is here from Dakota on a strange mission. He claims A despatch from Montreal says: An that seven years ago his wife deserted

## RAILROAD MEN LAID OFF.

Pay-roll.

A despatch from New Orleans says: Robert Cartwright, employed on the Retween 3,000 and 4,000 Illinois Co. employes have been dropped from the payon Tuesday night of J. T. Harahan, president of the Illinois Central Railroad. who said if he could possibly prevent it no more men would be laid off.

## TRANSVAAL GOLD.

A Record Output for the Month of December.

A despatch from London says: The Transvaal yield of gold for the month of landed in New York at about the same | value of the December output is placed lat £2,478,659.

Jacques Flach Issues a Warning to the United States.

A despatch from Paris says: The | vene, and put an end to the trouble sensational section of the French press | before it is too late. continues to dwell upon the probability of a clash between Japan and the "authorized Japanese source" with the A despatch from Berlin says: In the United States. La Press on Wednes- object of showing that Japan is so abday published a long interview with sorbed with the mainland of Asia that Jacques Flach, the historian and pro- "The entire attention of Japan," says declares his belief that a conflict is cer- and Corea, where developments are octain for the reason that Japan seeks curring which are giving Tokio the war. He advises the American fleet to greatest concern. China has just disbe on the watch for a sudden Japan- missed a number of Japanese instrucese descent, and asks: "Who knows if tors, who have been replaced with Gerthe attack made by the Japanese on mans. the Russian ships at Chemulpo will not | "The message of the Emperor of Jabe repeated upon the American ships | pan clearly indicates that the country to-morrow?" Continuing, M. Flach ad- 1. looking to the far East, and not in vises Great Britain and France to inter- the direction of America."

The Echo de Paris prints an interview, emanating, it says, from an

war with America is impossible.