

ICE-JAM AT NIAGARA.

Over Niagara Falls tumbles thousands of gallons of water to join a vast ice-jam that stretches for nine miles. The appalling weather that has recently swept much of America and Canada has frozen this vast area of the Niagara River. Now the great mass of ice and snow has become a menace to buildings along the river bank. A Custom's Shed is in danger, and the giant new hydro-electric plant may suffer as the ice is pushed on down-river towards Ontario.

More than a quarter of a million pounds worth of damage has already been caused by the ice which is thirty feet deep in many places. A small church awaits its fate as the ice moves on relentlessly.