

3,000 IN CHURCH SNOWED IN.

Scranton Theatres and Stores Closed—
Trains and Cars Stalled.

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SCRANTON, Penn., March 2.—Four persons are dead, several are missing, the city's milk supply is cut off, and four Lackawanna Railroad trains are reported stalled in the Pocono Mountains as a result of the worst blizzard ever recorded in this section of the country.

More than 3,000 persons who braved the storm last night to attend revival services were marooned in Billy Sunday's tabernacle for fourteen hours.

All railroad and surface railway traffic is completely paralyzed. The snowfall is recorded here at 15 inches. The gale piled up drifts from 6 to 15 feet in height.

A report has reached here from the country district to the effect that thirty passengers are marooned in a surface car near Nicholson. Train No. 7 on the Lackawanna Railroad, which left Hoboken at 7 o'clock last night, arrived at 7:40 to-night after being stalled in the Pocono Mountains. It could not get further.

All the theatres in the city were closed to-night because the show troupes on their way to the city were stalled. Several of the big department stores were closed to-day because the employes were unable to get to them. All of the schools are closed.

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