POOR DOCUMENT

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The Fable of The Man Who Guessed

(With the Kind Indulgence of Friend Ade.) Once upon a Time there was a clever Guy who was wont to brag that he was the best Little Forecaster who ever stepped Down The Pike. He could always tell in advance just what Dame Fortune Intended to hand out to All and Sundry. He had a glit-edge First Mortgage on the Gift of Per-ception, and he was no Dub at Telling the World Just where everyone and everything was going to Get Off at. Now, it happened that a bunch of Citizens in a certain well known Sport Town got together and decided to Put Over a big Skating Meet. The Clever Guy bore the reputation of being an interested Sport Fan, and when he was told that if he wanted to Get in on his share of the big meet he would have to Step Lively and secure his Pasteboards while the

meet he would have to Step Lively and secure his Pasteboards while the Getting Was Good. But he had the thing all Doped Out; the Dear Public was not likely to Fall All Over itself in a Mad Rush for admission. No, Siree, he Should

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Worry—he'd be able to Meander to the rink on the Nights in Question and Grab Off the best in the House without a Bit of Fuss. So the days Humped Along until the First Session of the big meet was at Zero Hour. The Clever Guy smiled Cynically when his Bosom Pals asked him, "Didjagetyerticketsyst?" He strolled in Low Gear to the Scene of Battle as the first Bunch of Speed Artists crouched at the Start-Ing Line. He wondered what the Big Mob was that Cluttered Up the en-trance to the Iced Arena. He tried to Elbow his way through the Surging Throng. He was Pummeled, cursed at, tramped upon and generally Given the Razz. After half an hour of Useless Effort he was loaded into the Red Cross wagon and Carted Off to the Hospital. Three weeks later he was reported as Resting Easily.

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2 MORE STEAMERS

GO INTO DRY DOCK

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Wrong For Once in His Life

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, FEB 15.

LOCAL NEWS

CONFERENCE WILL

BE NEXT MONDAY

Meeting in Ottawa on St.

John Matters-New Station Question.

Word has been received by Commis-mioner Bullock that a conference be-tween representatives of the C. P. R. and City Council and the Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, had been arranged for Monday afternoon next, and it was announced by Mayor Fisher that the delegation would leave here on Sunday afternoon for Ottawa. When asked who would compose the delegation His Worship said that it had not been definitely settled as yet. It would be a small delegation of not more than half a dozen persons, and the only ones who had been selected for sure this morning were himself and Commissioner Bullock. He said that Premier Veniot had found it im-possible to go, and the same was true of G. E. Barbour, president of the Board of Trade. His Worship said that while in Montreal he would try to arrange a conference with Sir Henry Thornton on matters in general and with par-ticular reference to the new station which St. John hoped to secure.

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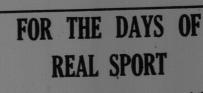
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