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## Should Merge Four Railways

Engineer's Suggestion for Solution  
of Canada's Railway Problems  
—Part Government Ownership

Montreal, Jan. 22.—In one of the most comprehensive papers ever presented to the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, W. F. Tye last week dealt with the subject of "Canada's Railway Problems." After giving many figures showing the history of railway development in Canada and the manner in which the money has been squandered duplicating roads, Mr. Tye suggested as a solution that the government authorize the organization of a new corporation to take over the Grand Trunk, Grand Trunk Pacific, National Transcontinental and Canadian Northern railways, and consolidate them into one comprehensive system.

This, he suggested, should be run by the corporation, without any government interference in the management, although he proposed that the government should own at least 40 per cent of the stock and have a proportionate representation in the directorate.

With this plan he showed a series of maps and diagrams, indicating the manner in which he considered such a consolidation would do away with overlapping, and prevent the doubling away with a lot of the duplication of tracks which was now in existence in both eastern and western Canada.

The Grand Trunk Pacific, he said, had a splendid main line, built on altogether an expensive plan for the traffic. The Canadian Northern had a poor main line, while it had a good supply of feed lines, which the G.T.P. had not. In the east the Grand Trunk supplied a splendid line of feeders, while the Canadian Northern and National Transcontinental would supply an excellent main line, and in many sections overlapping parts could be done away with.

His proposition was that by taking the four lines and doing away with as much as possible of the losses caused by the duplication of government lines, and, if necessary, the G.T.P. and Canadian Northern liquidated, so as to get on to a firm basis for a start.

It would probably then, he considered, be necessary to spend a large amount during the next five years improving the existing lines and building feeders. But by that time he figured that the increase in business would be such that from a steady loss during the first few years, the consolidated railways would get to a paying basis, probably within five or six years.

Mr. Tye put it that the C.P.R. had been a great financial success, the G.T.P. a moderate success, the Canadian Northern a moderate failure, and the G.T.P. a great financial failure.

The C.P.R. had succeeded by wise planning, wise aid and good management. But government ownership could never succeed on so vast a plan as that he suggested for the consolidation of the four roads, hence his suggestion for the formation of a company, with stock guaranteed by the government, which would put it on a 5 per cent basis. In this way they would avoid the costly experience of the Intercolonial. With the amount of land available, and the possibilities of business, he did not see how there could be a failure of such a business consolidation of railways.

The whole situation, he said, had arisen through undue duplication of railways and a vicious system of bonusing and land granting, which should be stopped. That would end the debacle of railway construction from which Canada was now suffering.

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