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The Provincial Championship skating meet to be held at Moncton on Thursday, February 23rd, will bring together several of the best speed artists of New Brunswick, and some rare sport is looked for.

The Meet will be held in the new Sunny Brae Rink. It is expected many people will go to Moncton to witness these skating events.

The Canadian National Railways are arranging for the expected rush of travel on this particular day.

EFFORTS TO SAVE
JOHN PARIS

St. John, Feb. 8.—Efforts made here today to save John Paris from the hangman's noose were unavailing when Mr. Justice Chandler in chambers, refused to grant an application for a reserve case. The application was made by G. H. Vernon, K. C., of Truro, and argument against the granting of the application was made by the Attorney-General, Hon. J. P. Byrne, on behalf of the Crown. Mr. Vernon said this evening that he would now bring the matter before the Appeal Court at Fredericton. Failing to receive favorable action at Fredericton the case would be carried to Ottawa as a last resort, Mr. Vernon said.

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SWEDEN'S LIQUOR
SYSTEM EXPLAINED

Stockholm, Jan. 22.—The consumption of intoxicating liquors in Sweden has been reduced nearly fifty per cent since the beginning of 1914 when Sweden's liquor rationing system went into effect. This is shown by the latest official reports which say that the reduction took place without absolutely excluding anyone from the use of alcoholic stimulants except those who abused the law by drinking to excess.

Under the Swedish rationing system individuals are given cards upon which they can obtain a given amount of distilled liquor or wines. The maximum amount allowed to any individual is about seven and one-half pints per month and this is allowed to married men. Married women receive no allowance except from their husbands' cards, while unmarried women receive as low as one and one-half pints per month. On special occasions such as weddings or festivities these allowances are increased if requested.

The rationing cards are revoked in the case of individuals convicted of drunkenness. The official report says that the number of inebriates whose licenses have been taken away have decreased enormously. In 1913 the number of inates who lost their licenses to buy intoxicants was 50,422 persons per thousand; while in 1921 only 16.55 persons per thousand were found guilty of drunkenness.

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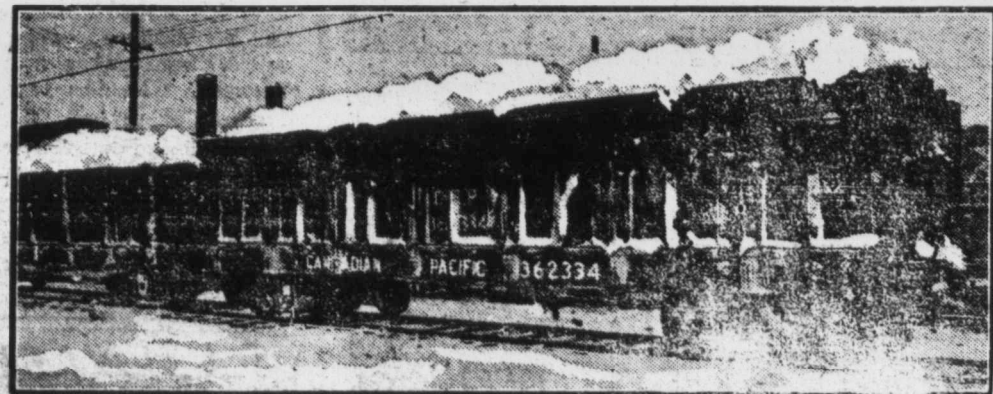
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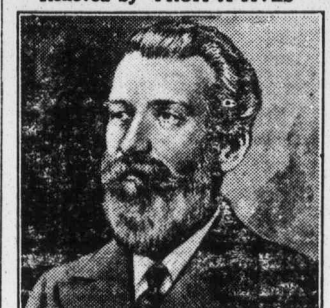
SNOW IMPORTED FOR SKI EVENTS



For the first time the Canadian Pacific Railway carried snow as freight when it transported several carloads from Lake Louise to Calgary, where it was needed for the ski jumping in connection with the Winter Carnival.

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The consumption of distilled liquors in Sweden in 1913 amounted to 8,541,048 liters, a liter being a trifle less than two pints. In 1921 the Swedish people used 4,920,400 liters. Meantime the population has increased from 5,750,000 to 6,000,000.

A snow flake is a little thing, almost devoid of weight. But enough snow flakes got together on a Washington roof to cause over 100 deaths. Here's a chance for the moralist to point out the crushing effect of the accumulation of little sins; for the banker to show how small savings end in big bank accounts. In fact, the field is unlimited. It is an object lesson in many ways.

THE RAILWAY
SITUATION

In a recent issue of this journal, we noticed the fact that Toronto is anxious to keep the headquarters of the National Railways in that city and the Mayor of Toronto, is in favor of the City donating a free site, for Railway Head Offices. We also referred at length to the very important action wisely and promptly taken by the Liberal Members of Parliament, for the Maritime Provinces, in placing their views before the Government, regarding the relation of the Intercolonial to the Canadian National System.

From our exchanges, and other sources; we gather that the whole Railway question will loom up as the most important business to call for attention when the Federal Parliament meets, and there will be a big fight on in the House, as to where headquarters should actually be, and the future Administration of the National system.

As matters look just at present, there seems to be a spirit of jealousy at work, between the Maritime Provinces; Toronto, and Montreal. The justice of the position of the Maritime Provinces, in demanding their rights in Railway matters, seems not to be thought of by the Advocates of either Montreal or Toronto. The Provinces by the Sea, on the Atlantic coast, can claim certain rights in the Intercolonial which cannot be denied them by any Parliament, or taken away from them, without an absolute breach of faith, and the distinct understanding of confederation. True, there may be members in the House, who like the late Sir Richard Cartwright, look upon us down east as only "the ragged edges of the Dominion", but that does not alter the fact, that Moncton is the only natural and business like headquarters, for that portion of our National Railways, known as the Intercolonial, or Peoples Railway. In that City the Maritime Railways have already offices and equipment, which if more efficiency is necessary, could easily be changed, without the addition of any huge expense, into the best administration possible.

We have no doubt strong efforts will be made to have the headquarters of the entire National System of Railways located in Montreal. Should such be the ultimate decision of the Government; it will mean the spending of millions of Dollars, an outlay, hardly consistent with the political sermons we had from King and Company, about National extravagance, and the squandering tactics of the late government, forcing the present party in power, into the ranks of rigid economists, and watchful guardians of the public treasury. Of course the planting of headquarters in their midst, would mean bigger business for Montreal, add to its already important position, and give it a power in National transportation, which would immensely tickle its vanity, and make it Railway Boss of Canada. We of the Maritime Provinces have no desire for such a change; to impose it upon us, would simply be an act of political robbery; and we have no guarantee that the brains of Mon-

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of thin, run-down people have re-found the joys of splendid health by taking

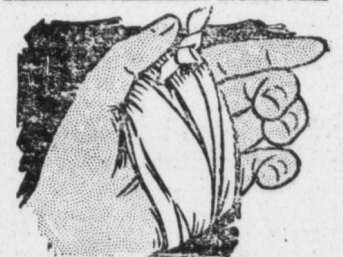
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Montreal, or any other portion of the Dominion, could manage our National Railway affairs, any better than the brains to be found in "the ragged edges of the Dominion." In fact if half of what some Montreal papers hand out, is true; that "fast, and festive, and murderous city," had better learn to manage her own civic affairs more efficiently and decently, before seeking to become headquarters for the management of our Canadian National Railways, or any other affair of National importance. Her own local affairs, seem to be more than a match for all her brains, and whatever amount of efficiency she possesses. We don't object to the I. C. R., being a part of the National system, but we do object strongly, and justly, as we believe to side tracking us subject to the whims and orders of headquarters; which would deprive us; of the benefits of local headquarters, such as we have in Moncton, and we trust that when the testing time comes, and our Rail way position before Parliament, that every member from Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and P. E. I.; regardless of his Party name, will be staunch and true to the best interests of the Maritimes and Moncton.

The following recipe is given for good times; lock up every motor car for a period of 12 months. So far as its being true that many of us have automobiles who can not afford them, or use them more than we ought to, nothing is to be said. It is true that think of the unemployment and the financial upset that would follow the suspension of the automobile industry for a whole year. If it is a cure, it is a mighty drastic one.

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