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Skaters in Building.**

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ACCIDENT.

Magog, March 16.—(Special)—The roof of the skating rink caved in yesterday at about 4.30 p.m., due to the excessive weight of snow upon it. Fortunately no one was in the rink at the time. Mr. A. Cavel, the caretaker of the curling rink, was in the curling rink telephoning at the time it went down to Mr. McPherson, the proprietor of the rink, that the roof was sagging. He says he did not stop to hang up the receiver. The curling rink, which is adjacent to the skating rink, was left intact, although the snow on it was several feet thick. About twenty feet of the roof at the east end and both ends are left standing. The waiting and dressing rooms, as well as walk for spectators at the rink, are intact, so that it presents the appearance of an enclosed open air rink.