

FEAR A SPLIT
OVER NAMING OF
JOHN P. MITCHELLRepublicans May Bolt in Favor
of District Attorney W.
Whitman.Not Likely to Venture any
Independent Candidate at
the Present Time.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Aug. 2.—As an aftermath of yesterday's decision of the fusion committee in agreeing to put forward John Purroy Mitchell as the anti-Tammany candidate for mayor, there arose today the question as to whether all three political divisions—Republican, Progressive and Independent Democrat—represented in the committee, would stand by the action taken. Although the committee's decision is regarded as a virtual nomination in behalf of the three divisions it is actually only a recommendation to the political organizations who contributed to the committee's membership, and the actual choice must naturally be made by those organizations.

Fear a Split.
The most talked of danger of a split in the fusion forces is the possibility of a Republican bolt in favor of District Attorney Charles S. Whitman as a regular Republican candidate for mayor.
The Republican leaders make no secret of their disappointment over the nomination of Mitchell, with Whitman running so close in the voting among the committee members that it was practically by one man's choice that the nomination was swung to the collector of the port instead of to the district attorney.

Will Not Venture.
A majority of the New York papers express a belief that notwithstanding the bitterness felt by the Republicans they will not venture upon the talked of independent nomination. The question whether Mr. Whitman will stand on the ticket with Mitchell as the candidate for re-election as district attorney, and whether Borough President George McAneny will stand as the nominee for president of the board of aldermen on the same ticket, was still an open one today. Neither had defined his attitude.

Here's Little Pocohontas



Introducing Miss Florence Antoine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Antoine, 139 Ottawa avenue, Florence weighs 22 pounds and is 4 months of age. Florence is not carried about as a "poozie" as Indian babies of the long ago were. She has one of the prettiest go-furts to be seen. She is a healthy Canadian baby, more a Canadian than any of the rest, in fact. The Baby Editor welcomes her to the exhibition.

TO CHECK UP WARFIELD
WITH THE BLUE PRINTSAldermen Will Be Able to
Verify or Deny Expert's
Findings.

Ald. J. G. Richter, of the finance committee, was yesterday furnished with the original blue prints and power curves of the Warfield electrification report. These will be checked up by the aldermen in order that the accuracy of the "expert's" statements as to the cost of electrification of the London and Port Stanley can be either verified or denied. It will be some weeks before this is accomplished, but some interesting developments are expected as the result of the checking.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FINE AND WARM.

The temperature by the Advertiser's thermometer at noon today was 52.

Forecasts.

Toronto, Aug. 2—8 a.m.
Moderate winds; fine and warm today and on Sunday.

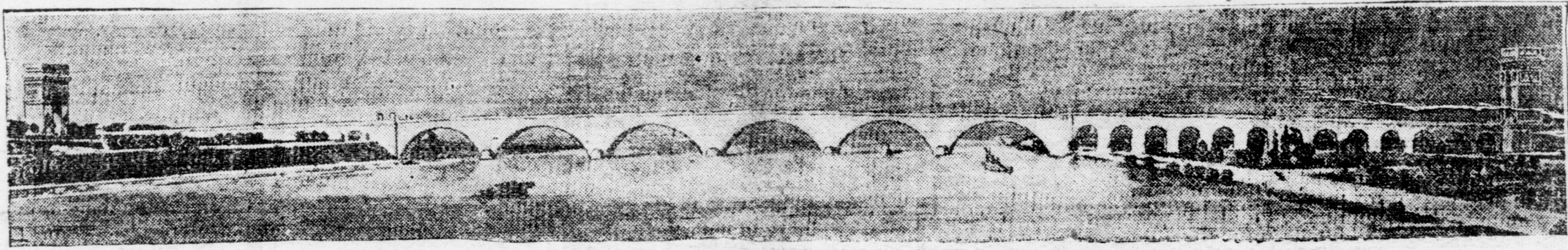
Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
London (12 hours).	73	52	Clear
Victoria	80	56	Cloudy
Calgary	86	52	Clear
Winnipeg	82	52	Clear
Port Arthur	86	52	Clear
Parry Sound	78	56	Clear
Toronto	84	62	Clear
Ottawa	82	60	Clear
Montreal	82	66	Cloudy
Quebec	75	64	Cloudy
Father Point	74	60	Cloudy

Weather Notes.
A shallow depression covers Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, accompanied by local showers and thunderstorms, while from Ontario westward high pressure with fine weather prevails generally.

Plan of the Proposed "Peace" Bridge to Connect Fort Erie, Ont., With Buffalo, N. Y.



This structure, which would cost about three million dollars, would, with its long approaches, be nearly a mile in length, 100 feet wide, and 90 feet clear above the water of the Niagara River. The towers would be 100 feet high. The bridge would contain six spans of 300 feet each, and if built of stone as proposed, it will be the largest stone span bridge in the world.

POLICE SEEKING AUTO OWNER
WHO HIT BOY AT LAMBETHSon of Mr. Mills Is Lying Between Life and Death and Every
Effort Is Being Made to Locate Owner of Machine
Which Ran Him Down.

The county police are looking for the holder of automobile license number 20513. It is alleged that that is the number of the car which, travelling at a rate of about 35 miles an hour, ran down the 16-year-old son of Mr. W. H. Mills, near Lambeth, Sunday evening. The boy is now hanging between life and death and his recovery is doubtful. His collarbone and one leg were broken and he sustained severe internal injuries.

Machine Was Racing.

The boy was crossing the road to catch a traction company car when the accident occurred. The automobile, according to the conductor of the car, was racing the machine into the city, and was travelling at a rate of not less than 35 miles an hour in his estimation. After running into the boy the automobile came to a stop about half a block from the scene of the accident, and the driver looked back to see what had happened, but immediately drove on again. His identity was not learned, but witnesses of the accident have furnished the police with the license number. The aid of the Ontario Motor League has been sought in finding the holder of

the license, and the general secretary at Toronto has been asked to ascertain to whom the license was issued.

The Motor League has issued warnings to all its members against speeding to and from Port Stanley.

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