

MAYOR'S OBJECTIONS TO BONUS SYSTEM

Swamped by Smaller Places at the Municipal Association Meeting in Toronto.

Guelph Junction Promoters Get Busy and Will Bring Engineer Here.

Both of Hamilton's suggestions to the Ontario Union of Municipalities, which held its annual convention at Toronto this week, were bowled out.

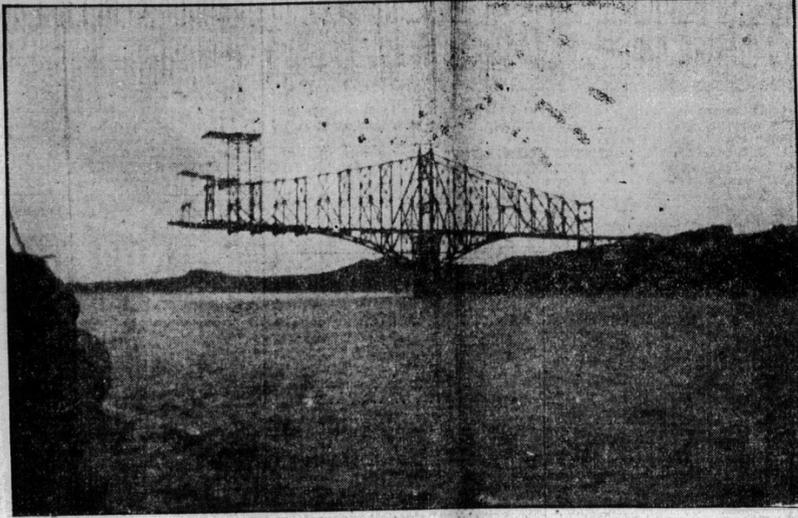
projected Dunnville, Wellandport and Beausville electric railway, in which Jas. A. Ross, of Wellandport, and others are interested.

The following building permits were issued to-day: V. Lightheart, alterations and addition to house corner Wood and MacNab streets, \$450.

The Government contractors evidently intend rushing the work of filling in behind the reclamation wall.

City Clerk Kent this morning had a conference with ex-Mayor Biggar, solicitor for the proposed Guelph Junction Road, and Mr. Biggar intimated that the company was anxious to proceed with the work at once.

Dunnville Gazette: Samuel Kennedy, clerk of the Township of Gainsboro, has been in town this week discussing with a number of business men the plans and prospects of the



THE QUEBEC BRIDGE BEFORE ITS FALL.

The above picture of the wrecked bridge at Quebec was taken by Mr. C.W. Finch, of this city, who, with his father, Mr. W. H. Finch, of Finch Brothers, arrived home from England on Monday of this week.

NEW QUEBEC BRIDGE FALLS; OVER EIGHTY MEN KILLED.

Steel Structure Collapsed Into the River Without Warning.

Philadelphia, Aug. 30.—The Phoenix Bridge Company, which has the contract for building the bridge which collapsed yesterday near Quebec, has offices in this city.

Quebec, Aug. 29.—One of the most terrible disasters in the history of bridge building in America took place at 5.45 this afternoon at the Quebec bridge five miles up the river from this city, when the south anchor column and the 800 feet of the cantilever span projecting from it over the river collapsed, and carried down with it scores of the workmen who were engaged in the operations.

ST. PAUL'S.

The Great Cathedral has Been Slowly Sinking for Centuries.

London Aug. 30.—The committee of architects which was appointed to inquire into the condition of St. Paul's Cathedral, has issued a report which declares that, while the Cathedral is in no immediate danger, elaborate precautions are necessary to preserve it from disaster.

SKULL FRACTURED.

New York, Aug. 30.—Herman Wisluter was probably mortally injured yesterday evening at an outing of the Osceola Club at College Point.

Bain & Adams' List.

New Sultana raisins, new Valencia raisins, Rockefort melons, Georgia watermelons, sweet oranges, plums, pears, peaches, grapes, red currants, cauliflower, celery, lettuce, chickens, ducks, eels, cod meats, pea fed bacon and ham, strictly fresh eggs, fruit jars, all sizes, at rock bottom prices.

WHO HAS WHEEL?

John Hutzler, the Owner, Certainly Has Not.

The police have a wheel story that they would like further light upon. John Hutzler, 361 Main street, went out to the Desjardins Canal one day last week to fish.

AFTER 20 YEARS.

Reunion of Old-Time Members of I. O. G. T. of the old boys and girls of Reliance Lodge, I. O. G. T., gathered at Dundurn Park, many of whom had not met for over twenty years.

BEACH HOUSES BURN

Cottages of James Balfour and George Petrie Destroyed.

The Beach was again visited by a rather large conflagration this morning, when the residences of Mr. James Balfour and Mr. George Petrie at Station 4 were burned to the ground.

EIGHTEEN LIVES LOST.

Gravelines, France, Aug. 30.—The French schooner Violette has gone down in the English Channel and 18 men on board of her were drowned.

Saturday Tobacco Bargains.

Ten cent plugs of King's Navy for 7c. Bobs, Sc. Lily, Sc. Empire, Sc. British Navy, Sc. Mahogany, Sc. Myrtle Navy, 25c. Ivy Sc. at peace's cigar store 107 King street east.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables, at the TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

NO PARK OR THEATRE ALLOWED ON BEACH.

Commissioners Pass a By-law Which is Very Far Reaching and May Cause Trouble.

Their Evident Intention Is to Keep Hamilton Pleasure Seekers Off the Beach.

When Col. Ingersoll, head of the Canadian Amusement Co., which has planned to build Lakeside Park, and which has already expended several thousand dollars in preliminary work, returns to the city, he will find a letter in his office that is likely to give him a shock.

has been kept in ignorance of this by-law from July 9th till now, is hard to explain. Chairman Van Allan, who is known as the "boss of the Beach," could not be seen to-day and Commissioner Morden is on the way to the Pacific Coast, and will not be back for some time.

RICHARD MANSFIELD DEAD; LIVER DISEASE THE CAUSE.

The Great Actor Passed Away This Morning at New London While Unconscious.

New London, Conn., Aug. 30.—Richard Mansfield, one of the best-known actors on the American stage, passed away at 6 o'clock this morning, at his summer residence, Seven Oaks, Ocean avenue.

McClellan, of Pittsburg, was summoned. Dr. Allen said to-day that he had feared the worse for several days. There were many conditions that prevented his getting well.

The Man In Overalls

Just as the mountain was getting a bad name for ruffianism and robbery the opening of a new church up there is announced. We may now look for better things.

The Dundas Star's agitator is working all right.

The ward system will ward off the graffer and the political alderman. Vote for it.

Who was the "drunk man" the Con. Club sent to ask Mr. Barrow to give up the ship?

There shouldn't be much trouble in getting rid of the smoke nuisance. Other cities are doing it. Why can't Hamilton?

When the Bay front improvements and the North End Park are completed, it will be worth while to spend an hour or two down by the water.

Will somebody please report progress as to the Queen Victoria statue? Will it be here soon?

Once more, why not accept Mr. Gibson's offer of electric pumps without money and without price?

At any rate, the bakers are not selling "faced" bread.

Another thing, you can't feel the taste of the sanducker in the water.

Will the expenses of the aldermanic deputation to the States in search of pumps come out of the overdraft, or what?

fallen out of the real estate boom. But has his rent been reduced?

You better order your coal in case the price takes a jump next week.

Will Ald. Farrar please give us the names of the clique that is trying to hound him out of public life? I would like to print them.

Another plan would be to weigh the bread yourself.

There is no provision in the militia regulations, Col. Ptolemy, permitting a commanding officer to canvass his regiment for votes.

Here's the end of August, and not another clue to the Barton murder mystery. What's the matter with the reporters? Can't they interview Detective Greer?

Now they say that it is an attack of electrolysis that ails the sanducker. The Mayor should run down and see about that.

The Toronto Fair is worth millions of dollars to that city, and we can't even have a flower show.

And you would think Chairman Quinn never heard there was such a sheet of water as the Coal Oil Inlet. What scared him?

After the ministers all get home from their holidays and are well rested we may expect the Ministerial Association to resume its Monday matinees.

In the meantime Trustees Booker confine his art studies to the S. S. papers, Daniel in the lion's den, etc.

That is another reminder that the \$10,000 for the art gallery is still in the ratpayers' pockets. My art friends don't make enough noise.

THE KING'S BIBLE.

Bishop of London Sails for Virginia to Present It. Liverpool, Aug. 30.—The Bishop of London, the Rev. Dr. A. F. W. Ingram, who will present to Old Bruton Parish Church at Williamsburg, Virginia, the second oldest church in America, the Bible which King Edward has given in connection with the Jamestown Exposition, sailed for Canada to-day on the Algonquin.

SOUTHAM HOME ON THE GROUNDS AT HOSPITAL.

Practically Settled at Conference To-day---Dr. Unsworth Would Like to Resign Position.

The Southam home for cases of advanced consumptives will be built on the City Hospital grounds and operated in connection with that institution. This was practically settled at the conference this morning between the Board of Health Committee and the directors of the Hamilton Health Association to discuss the suggestion to build the home on the mountain grounds on the mountain top.

on the mountain, it is said will vote for the hospital grounds now, in view of the stand taken by the Health Association. This would make that board 4-3 in favor of going to the hospital grounds.

Mayor Stewart said that if a home was built on a separate site and operated by itself it would cost about \$30 a head. By running it in connection with the hospital this would be cut down to about \$6 a patient a week.

The laundry work has been one at the institution since it was opened, but not as effectively as those in charge desired, and new up-to-date machinery is being installed.

BLAME THE CITY

For Increase in Price of Coal in Hamilton.

It is not quite a certainty but it is very likely that the price of coal will go up in Hamilton to \$7 a ton next week. It will certainly reach that price before long. It is \$6.75 now, for egg, stove and nut.

ONLY ONE MORE DAY Of Right House Reduction Sales—Get Your Share To-morrow.

And make your share enough to last for months to come. You will find at the Right House ready-to-wear apparel for over the holiday, and for the weeks to come at half price—smart wash dresses for women and children, dainty blouses, fine hosiery, good long gloves, charming millinery for grown-ups and children, too. Imported dress goods, pretty all-over laces, men's furnishings, etc.

SHE DID NOT ELOPE.

Isabel Haines, the Dundas girl, who disappeared from her home last Saturday, and whose absence caused a great deal of uneasiness and led to rumors of an elopement, is all right. She did not elope, but went to a farm house on the fourth concession of West Flamboro' and took an engagement.

Baden Powell, the son of Dr. McNamara, Toronto Junction, was injured in an accident on the miniature railway at the Toronto Exhibition grounds.