

ASHBRIDGE'S BAY.

Engineers Ordered to Report on a New Scheme for its Reclamation—The Devil's Strip to be Widened.

At the Board of Works meeting yesterday afternoon a letter was read from Mr. Robert Grant, who had been awarded three contracts for paving, stating that in the tender for the Queen-street, 300, from the Railway to Gladstone-avenue—a clerical error had made the amount \$21,235 instead of \$27,235. He also stated he had not expected more than one contract and would be unable to fulfill the whole three. On Ald. Lamb's suggestion Mr. Grant's deposit of \$500 was forfeited and the city advertised for new tenders providing he still refused to go on with the work.

Ald. Lamb moved a resolution that the Engineer be instructed to prepare plans with estimates of cost to carry out the following scheme: Ashbridge's Bay, canal 300 feet wide through Ashbridge's Bay, the ends to be cribbed and sheet piling; the main canal to be earthwork with rip-rap stone protection; an allowance of 150 feet on either side for roadway and rail-way purposes; the streets on the north side to be continued to the roadway and the east side to be widened to 100 feet; the north side to be assessed as a local improvement 5 per cent. to be charged on the property assessed on the portion of Ward No. 1, 1 may be dispensed with on the north side of the city, which shall retain full possession of the city and crown lands to be applied to the improvement and to be applied to the improvement and referred to the engineer, in spite of Ald. Small's opposition against the raising of Ward No. 1.

Ald. Lamb moved a resolution declaring that in the opinion of the Board of Works the Railway Company should not be allowed to pay for any more of the new high level bridge over the bay than the cost of an ordinary low level bridge. Ald. Atkinson said the city ought to pay only 10 per cent. Ald. Burns said the city had been forced to pay in the past for a bridge crossing because the railway was there first. Applying the same argument, the railway ought to pay the entire cost of the bridge, because Queen-street was there before they were. The motion was withdrawn.

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One class which will affect the city at large was that recommending that the devil's strip on the railway, track allowance be widened to 100 feet and the cutting districts to 4 feet. It is understood that this widening the tracks will only occupy the prescribed 16 feet track allowance.

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When will you consider the appointment of a new City Engineer? asked the Mayor of Ald. Shaw. "Oh, we'll have a special meeting to do that," answered the worthy alderman.

UPPER CANADA RIDLE SOCIETY. New Testaments for the Bibles, Passages, Sermons and Tracts.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of the Upper Canada Bible Society there was a large attendance of members. In the absence of the president, Hon. G. W. Allen, Vice-President W. B. Gieske, M.D., occupied the chair. As this meeting of the society, the members who were elected were formally introduced and warmly welcomed by the president.

A resolution of condolence with the relatives of the late Mr. T. G. Kibbey, a Vice-President of this society, was unanimously passed.

Mr. John C. Cope, President of the Committee on Distribution of the Scriptures, reported that during the month of May the 300 new Testaments had been issued at half-price to the proprietors of the newspapers and to the proprietors of the bookstores for the use of the guests; and that of the large passenger steamships plying to and from the harbor, and that 250 copies of the Scriptures had been issued for railway carriages for the use of the passengers.

The president reported the receipt of \$200 from the executors of the late Mr. J. H. Gieske, being the closing payment of that gentleman's legacy of \$10,000 to the society. The receipt of a donation of \$20 was also reported from Mr. Henry Lewis of Weston, Ont. The receipt of a donation of \$10 was also reported from Mr. Henry Lewis of Weston, Ont. The receipt of a donation of \$10 was also reported from Mr. Henry Lewis of Weston, Ont.

During the month of May the four colporteurs of the society traversed 147 miles, making 1,200 copies of the Scriptures and gave away 10,000 copies of the Scriptures. They also visited 100 families and have commenced their work in Hamilton, and W. O. White has returned to Algoma and Hamilton, while Messrs. Crockett, Leckhart and Armstrong continue their work in Ontario.

Hamilton Steamboat Company. The Stationary Engineer of Toronto have joined hands with the Hamilton Kennel Club in celebrating Dominion Day in Dundas Park, Hamilton, and to accommodate the increased travel for the day the above company have arranged for the steamer "Modena" to leave this city at 7.30 a.m. July 1. There will also be a special boat leaving here at 9 o'clock on the holiday. There are trips from each city on the holiday. There are many attractions offered to pleasure-seekers, among them the demonstration at Dundas Park, the new electric railway system, which has just been inaugurated there this week, and the trip to the top of the mountain by the incline railway. The last boat will leave Hamilton at 9 p.m.

Vote on the Bylaw To-Day. Property owners of this city should not forget that the Exhibition Bylaw is to be voted upon to-day. There is no doubt that the bylaw will be passed, and it is in favor of the passing of it and vote, but it will be a serious mistake if they allow this opportunity to pass without showing their appreciation of the good the Industrial Fair has done to the city of Toronto. It is reported that a few of the older ribs who are endeavoring to work against the bylaw in the hope of preventing the removal of the ribs to the new range. If such is the case they are on the wrong track, as whether the bylaw is carried or not the ribs will have to go.

Excursions. The Niagara Navigation Company are offering special rates by their popular steamers Cibiola and Chicora to Niagara, Lewiston, Falls, Buffalo, etc., for to-day and July 1. A. F. Webster's office, 64 Yonge-street, Globe Building, will be kept open till 9 o'clock to-day to accommodate those desiring tickets. Only a limited number will be sold.

St. Paul's School Closing Exercises. The boys attending this school had their closing exercises yesterday. The Rev. Father Minahan presided, assisted by Charles Burns, J.P., trustee for the school for upwards of 30 years. The successful candidates at the Latin entrance examination were: Robert, Junior form 4, J. O'Leary, J. Dally, Junior form 3, T. Daley, S. Brady, Junior form 2, C. Coyle, S. Griffin.

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A New Habit. Rabbi H. M. Lasker, formerly of Portland, Maine, and recently of Buffalo, N.Y., has accepted the call as Chief Rabbi of the orthodox Jews of Toronto. Congregation Golesthetic, corner of University and Elm-streets. He will preach his inauguration sermon in Hebrew at 4 p.m., Saturday next. Services will also be held at the same hour the following day.

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Wool Delaines at 19c yard again this morning; don't miss them.

More 20c Sateens go to the 12c tables to-day—if we could only tell the quantities we've sold of these Sateens—in yards we probably could cover half the city by laying them on the ground.

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