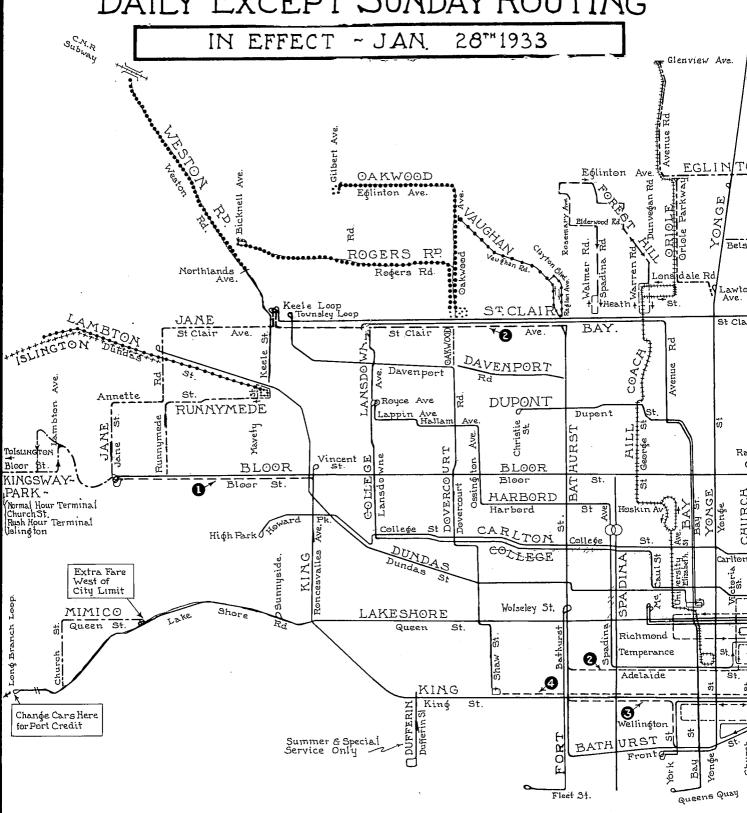
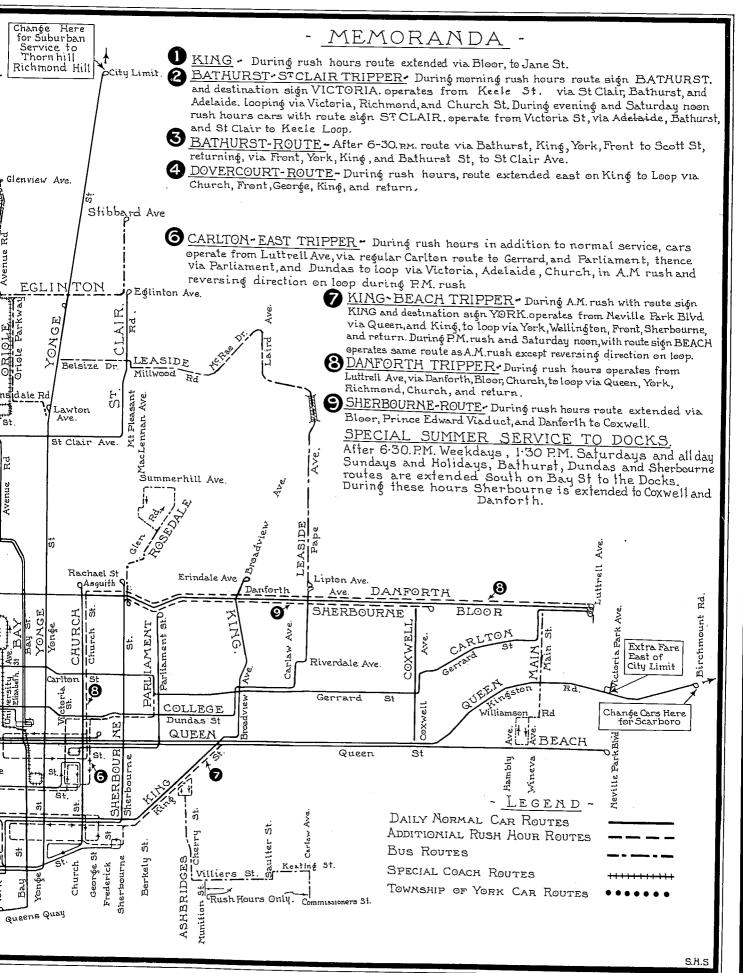
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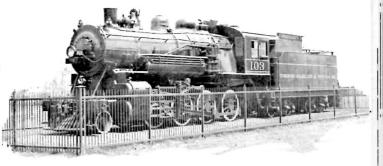


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# HAMILTON CHAPTER NEWS

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The Hamilton Chapter meets on the fourth Friday of the month. Next meeting will be held at the home of James Platt, 99 Mountain Park Avenue on Friday, May 26. In addition to a showing of films of railroad interest, Mr. Platt will have part of his extensive rail photo collection on view. Visitors are welcome, especially members from Toronto.

#### FORMATION OF CHAPTER FINALIZED

At the April meeting, held at the home of R. T. Vincent, the final step in the formation of the Hamilton Chapter was taken. The petition to organize having been accepted by the Directors, of the Society, a formal motion to inaugurate the Chapter was carried unanimously. Thus the "Last Spike" was driven, creating the first "Branch Line" of the U. C. R. S. In acknowledgement of the work done by him to get the venture under way Ray G. DesChenes was elected Chairman of the group. Douglas Page will be Recording Secretary.

## TH&B-PARKS COMMISSION-UCRS ACCORD ON 103

Pending a formal agreement with the Hamilton Parks Commission, present custodians of TH&B 103 in Gage Park (see masthead), the maintenance of that engine will become a project of the UCRS. We expect to have such an agreement in writing within two weeks, and are hoping to have much the same arrangement as exists in the preservation of 6213 at Exhibition Park in Toronto.

MEMBERS VIEW SUPERB STEAM LOCOMOTIVE MODELS



In the first informal meeting sponsored by UCRS-Hamilton, 12 members and guests, including four from Toronto, drove to the home of Stan Grigg near Dundas Ontario, to view two live-steam engines built by him. One is a 1" scale CN Northern, eight feet long, and complete to working air pump and lubricators. The other is a %" scale NYC Niagara. CN 6121 was fired up and operating. Also on view was a 1" scale CN Mogul, being built by a CN locomotive engineer, under Mr. Grigg's supervision. Plans are already being made to return for another visit, possibly with flood-lighting equipment, to enable movies to be made of the locos in action.

### BUS ARRANGEMENTS FOR JUNE 4 EXCURSION

For the convenience of those living in the Hamilton area, the Society will operate a chartered bus between Hamilton and Toronto to connect with our Special Train June 4. This bus will leave Hamilton CN Station at 7.30a.m. and make the following stops: Burlington CN St'n: 7.50, Oak-ville CN St'n: 8.20. It will arrive at the Toronto Union St'n at 9.10. All times are Eastern Daylight. It is suggested that those coming on the excursion might detrain at Hamilton on the return trip, or if you wish to return to Toronto on the Special, you might return to Hamilton on CNR No. 15. Fare for this bus (one way only, payable on the bus) is \$1.60