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SECRETARY'S OFFICE
GUELPH, ONT.

March 25th, 1918.

To the Reeve and Council.

Gentlemen:

We are starting on another year's activities in connection with Hydro-Electric Railway matters in the Province of Ontario. The whole transportation problem in the Dominion of Canada has undergone many changes in the past two months and your Association, always at the front in any forward movement, has espoused very diligently the cause of nationalization of railways, believing that in its wake lies success for Hydro-Electric lines in this Province, to wit: in the electrification of existing steam roads prior to the building of necessary electric feeders. The work done by the Officers of your Association in the last three months has been enormous and that ahead of them is even greater.

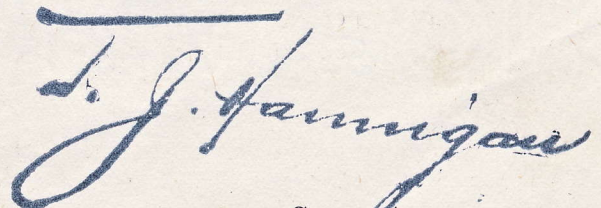
We would respectfully solicit your annual subscription to the Association believing that money spent in this way will be of untold value to the Province as a whole and to each Municipality individually.

The fee for this year is \$3.00 per one thousand of population for places of thirty-three hundred and over and \$10.00 for all Municipalities under that population.

We enclose herewith printed reply form as well as addressed envelope and would appreciate very much your sending cheque at the first possible moment to the Treasurer, Mr. G. Powell Hamilton, Herald Building, Guelph.

Your co-operation in this matter will be much appreciated.

Yours faithfully,



Secretary.