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I have from Hawkins a letter saying he
has built 50 spans of 100 x over ft each—
Mr. Lassig gave me his mileage last Dec,
& I let Wellington have it, but it
can't be found ⁱⁿ the Evening News Office now—
as W. is away. S. J. Fields of Buffalo (N.
Am. Soc. C. E.) can give you some data as to the

work built by the defunct Niagara Bridge Wks.

If you know of a draftsman (bridge) who
will work for \$100 per mo, please send him
to me as I am very hard pushed for help
& my best man (Wilkins) is sick & gone to Germany

Yours very truly
G. H. Thomson