PETITIONS

For and Against the Railway Franchise

Bill to be Taken Up Again at Special Meeting of the Council.

night for and against the railway franchise is that in several instances the same names appear on both petitions leaving one in doubt which is really favored. After the bylaw had been read the second time permission his views upon the matter. H. G. Wilson stated that he appeared in behalf of the antis and would ask that the final disposition of the bill be deferred until a later date and that it be proceeded with no further and if a railway track be laid along ial meeting of which his worship had already made mention the speaker of those carrying on business on that the case in a much more satisfactory street

de Lion, was present and was asked front advantages west of First ave how it happened that his name ap- nue, but should not on any accoun pears on both lists. He said he had be given a franchise to lay tracks, to signed the first one without knowing operate or maintain a railroad or said First avenue, especially north of then he had changed his mind. Then Princess street. there was a mild dispute as to which when Mr. Davey arose and pointed ered." out that his petition, for the bill, bore the most recent date. It is still ice de Lion; Hershberg & Co., Reid a question which one de Lion favors. & Co., Thos. Chisholm, Canadian His was not the only name that was Bank of Commerce, by D. A. Camer duplicated on both lists as will be on; Jno. L. Sale & Co., J. Ortman found by a perusal of the signatures Hugh Agnew, J. Levy, J. L. Binet following. If the council takes into J. O. Binet, Townsend & Rose, Oa consideration the relative amount of Hall Clothing Co., A. E. Sherwood taxes paid by the signers for and Chas. T. Kreling, J. M., Howard against the bill those in favor of it Clark, Wilson & Stacpoole," H. G. cent. of the total taxes paid. The A. W. Complin, D. M. Sanson, venue route is as tollows :

son that a terminus of the Klondike Murray & Ross, Jas. Monroe, Ben Mines Railway Company should be Levy, T. Townsend, J. Rosenburger, established in Dawson with as little J. McDonald, D. D. Buchanan, D. A. delay as possible at a point where Shindler, H. T. Wills, Davis & Frey, freight will receive the minimum J. R. Gandolfo, John Joslin; Isaacs of insanity and it is said that it will the coast cities were paid \$2900 a had created by it and they all tried with all the old aldermen running amount of handling, and that as lit- Bros. Catherine McGillivray, A. J. ence as possible be occasioned by the use of such streets Cribbs, E. F. Patton, Anderson & as are necessary, with that end in Swan, Louis Brier. view and for very many other apparent reasons, your petitioners respectully urge and pray that no time be in granting to the Klondike Mines Railway Company power to A. B.'s Preparing for the Big enter the city at a point on the bank of the Klondike river commencing on or near Sixth avenue, thence to Sawmill Company, by W. M. Heron; Yukon Hardware Co., or of Dr. Ed-toward restoring her mental equil-Standard Oil Company, by M. A. wards. Rainbow; Ames Mercantile Company by W. H. Parsons ; Merchants Transportation Company, by R. W. Calderhead: Northern Commercial Company, by W. H. Fairbanks; George A Pleasureable Party on Last de Lion, by Maurice de Lion; A. D. Fields, Chute & Wills, Aurora Dock Company, by A. E. Wills, per J. A. Company, by A. E. Wills, per J. A. Chite, his atty. White Pass & Yuker creek was the progressive whist ket Railway, by J. H. Rogers; Falparty given on Saturday night by con Joslin, Wm. Thornburn, James Mrs. Ogburn at her home, 9 above 23 above, McCarty's roadhouse. A of Joshn, will Photocological Clothing Last Chance. Company, W. D. Gross, John Mac-Donald, F. Uran, Yukon Hardware gressive whist, and was concluded with particular care for the children. Company, by Roderick Chisholm with the serving of dainty refresh A fine program program rendered ments. Stauf, his atty.; J. W. Crahan, Geo. Butler, Louis Brier, Fred W. Baker, McDonald Trading Company, by John McCormack; Trading and Explora and Quirk. Payson be secured at the Nugget printery at country and if he were elected to the reasonable prices.

mayor and city council of the city of LICENSES

ARE FILED Dawson moder earnestly protest against the petition of the Klondike Mines Railway or any other company to grant them a franchise to build, perate or maintain a railway along First avenue north of Princess stree in the city of Dawson. We most re- Annual Report of Inspectfully protest for the following

"That the operation of a railway along First avenue will naturally result in a great loss of business. to many of the merchants and others carrying on business on First avenue, especially those engaged in the retail

"That the operation of a railway along that portion of First avenue north of Princess street will greatly A peculiar thing about the peti-tions filed with the city council last

shipping and handling of goods by other shippers than the railway.

"That said First avenue from Princess street north will be practically made into a shipping yard for was given anyone present to give the benefit of the said railway company for which they offer no compensating advantage.

> "That said First avenue is already closely crowded with business and shipping for a portion of the year. north, it will be to the great injury

"We wish to say further that the said railway company should without Maurice de Lion, agent of George difficulty be able to secure water

"We most respectfully pray that the first and which the last, this our petition be favorably consid

Signed by George de Lion by Maur will win hands down, as it bears the Wilson, W. L. Gibson, W. M. Sime, names of all the large companies who J. Harrison, F. T. May, W. Carogether pay probably ninety per negie, R. L. Cowan, J. B. Adams, petition of those favoring the, First Ross, J. D. Bell, A. E. Maynard, W. H., Mendham, T. Suter & Son, Realizing that it is to the best A. P. Renzoni, Thos. Bruce, L. ousiness interests of the city of Daw- Schuman, Geo. Butler, L. Hoffman,

MASQUE BALL.

Event.

The A. B.'s are making exception-Craig street, thence down Craig to ally elaborate preparations for the First avenue and along the westerly grand masque ball which is to take the Yukon, by T. B. Cooke; Yukon Sale & Co.'s, Monarch Shoe Store, the sanitarium will probably do much

WHIST PARTY.

Chance.

Among the guests were the follow- recitation by Mrs. Slater and a solo Jas. P. McLennan, M. des Brisay, Holme, Miller & Co., S. C. Kirk, J. S. Barron, Joe Levy, A. C. Lochhead, C. Goldstein, by J. H. Joslin, his atty.; John Webster, by J. H. Joslin, his atty.; A. Gandolfo, Frank Lory, by E. C. Strait, his atty.; Wm. Sheridan, Alex. McDonald, by John McCormack, his atty.

The finest of office stationers and formula for the most successful event that ever occurred on the creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Ogburn, Miss Pasky, Miss Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Ogburn, Miss Pasky, Miss Pasky, Miss Irvine, Miss James, Miss Forney, Miss Crawley, Capt. Graves, Messrs, Brandt, Woods, Bramton, Griffiths, Slimming, Lacerte, Guiberson, Osalth, by John McCormack, his atty.

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The petition against the bill is All the latest books at Landahl's

COLLECTED

spector Worlock

Handsome Sum is Added to the Revenues of the City, Result of License Bylaw.

U	Auctioneers, 4	400
r	Bowling alleys, 1	100
-	Boxing permits, 1	50
t.	Billiard and pool tables, 2	112
0	Cigars, cigarettes and tobac-	
n		1716
ſ	Drays, 27	967
Į,	Livery stables, 4	325
t	Milk vendors, 2	100
-	Pawnbrokers, 1	150
	Pedlars, 2	250
*	Scavengers, 3	800
d	Second hand dealers, 5	412
h	Shooting galleries, 1	50
	Street stands, 2	125
,	Transient traders, 4	600
	Water carts, 5	300
k		7
,	Transfers, 2	
		0.100

Helen Jewel is Laboring Under Peculiar Hallucination.

Bannerman, H. D. Wright, W. M. able to appear in court for an examfilmy garments which upon closer investigation took the material form haunted look about her eyes and askone had a jolt of X-rays turned on ibrium

ROYALLY OBSERVED

Celebration.

big Christmas tree was provided,

ing a solo by the Rev. Van Wyck, a in the proper way, obtaining the in-recitation by Mrs. Slater and a solo

Send a copy of the Nugget's Christ.

The report filed at the council neeting last night by License Inspectwo. The collections cover only that it. (Cheers.) period since the appointment of a li- He noticed that one of the planks cense inspector before which time, of one platform was sidewalks. This according to the statement made by was not a question to be decided off

SINGER IN TROUBLE

Sulphur People Have a Fine

bringing our influence to bear on our

mond, Cunningham, Traves, Fulton, The finest of office stationery man They had done a great work in the

mas edition to your outside friends.

BEGINS IT WITH SCANDAL the producers. "So if you vote for ... (Continued from page 1.) orce, and there will be no referen-

ject. (Loud applause).

further from my mind. (Cheers).

you, and I see that in was not neces-

hink that I might descend to such

fail to be surprised at his case and

Alderman Murphy followed, devot-

ng his time almost entirely to the

'deal" he tried to make with Mr.

Robertson, Brimstone,

uffering from la grippe.

months

kinds of matters would be coming un for the consideration of the council right along, and they should be left free to deal with them as wisely and as conscientiously as they could. The thing was to elect men in whose good judgment they had confidence, nov them down with pre-election promises. (Applause.) the present license system, had

been found to work hardship upon any class of citizens it was the duty of know that I have no need to assure the council to look into it and regulate the system, accordingly. The same with the matter of the equipment and main nance of the fire department, which one platform had so ed by a number of friends to consent much to say about. It seemed to to become a candidate. I was asked tor Worlock shows the revenues of him, and referring particularly to the to do so last year. This year I have the city to have been increased during the past year from such source had earned for the city more than to the extent of considerably over ten times as much as was paid to \$6000, the ficenses issued covering them last year. It was an expensive sixteen occupations. The number is service, but it was one that was absued was 106 and number of transfers solutely necessary and we must have

Alderman Macdonald, the territorial hand. It required the careful delib government had collected between erations of council. To try to deal \$2000 and \$3000 and which went into with it here and now would be footthe general revenue of the territory. ish. Up to the present time the side The city has had charge af its own walks had been paid for by individufinances only since June 30 last. Mr. at lot owners, and these lot owner Worlock's report in detail is as fol- were certainly benefitted by them. Ite had paid for some sidewalks himself, and he did not think it would be just to ask him to pay for the sidewalks of other people in addition. If the city built sidewalks on all the vacant lots held for speculation there would he no funds left for any other city in provement during the coming year Mr. Davison owned some lots or Seventh avenue, and it might be good policy on his part to get the city to nav for his sidewalks there. (Laugh-As to the indemnity paid to mayor

and aldermen, he thought that \$4800 for mayor and \$1800 for aldermen as paid last year was too high. But the people of Dawson did not want something for nothing. They were not that kind of people. (Cheers.) If McLennan, and saying that that genthey took \$1800 from the mayor's allowance, and \$800 from that of the shape." He also found it necessary doing nothing but wearing out the King," is confined at the barracks in time and attention the office would say against it. They all saw the and not the Jap, at the mention of the woman's ward under the charge demand from him. The mayors of wave of popularity Mr. McLanan such low prices. ination. Last night the detail at the the sum paid down there—applause.

What the new council had to look very brief. After him came Messrs, over one of the aldermen said of Miss Jewell. She had a wild out for was where additional revenue Cresswell, could be obtained from. Now the ed for protection, saying that some waterfront land, say from the Pair- Timmins, Greene, Edwards, McKinview to the hospital, was owned by non and Strong. Rev. McCrae and you have knocked yourselves," was her and was peering into her very the government, whereas it should be Mr. Beddoe also spoke. soul. She also appeared to have own d by the city. (Applause). That side of First avenue to a point at or place on New Year's eve. No one Smith after seeing that she was prothe government but by the people of near the warehouse of the Standard will be allowed on the floor unless masked, until after 12 o'clock. Many Oil Company." The petition is sign masked, until after 12 o'clock. Many barracks where she was placed under perty ought to bring us in about the care of Assistant Surgeon way Company the right to run up called "A Klondike Christmas." In the care of Assistant Surgeon way Company the right to run up called "A Klondike Christmas." In the care of Assistant Surgeon way Company the right to run up called "A Klondike Christmas." E. McKee; the Joseph Ladue Gold and the affair promises to be a grand the care of Assistant of this city are entitled. If the gov- kirst avenue, on Tuesday might (to- spending the holidays in town. He ernment was using if for government night) at 8 o'clock in the rooms over dropped in to the office yesterday and nurposes it would be a different the Bonanza saloon, to take action asked who this Sydney Webb was, thing. But the government is not to oppose such grant. here as a money maker and when it becomes a landford and collects rents on this property then we have a right to tax it. (Applause).

when the government built a new one

assessed it and it pays taxes to this

day. The government at Victoria

have granted James bay flats to the

MURRAY & ROSS The old postoffice in the city of Victoria paid no taxes when it was used for government purposes, but

and leased the old one then the city board.

NOTICE.

GOOD CLOTHES

government. And if we go about it pression.

GEO. BREWITT, The Tailor Indians of Monschide exercised the 114 SECOND AVENUE SATISFACTION GURRANTEED.

- Stroller's Column. um, and no trimming upon that sub-

Mr. Davison has referred to the year, generally known throughout the a few Indian babies. water question, and he insinuates that I am going into the council in mining camps as "swear off day." It order to get something for the water- could not possibly come at a better works. I have been in business here season, for after a man has thoroughfor four and a half years, and I have by enjoyed Christmas, and has spent men in whom they had so slight a been in business for twenty years altogether. Do you think I have to get over it, his system needs a jobbed the people I have dealt with? rest and must have it. Hence the Has it ever been suggested even? I rest and must have it. Hence the good old custom of swearing off. can assure you that there is nothing Jimmy Grierson, a braw Scotchman, was one of those nen who never could swear off. He never could ge past a certain roadhouse on the sary for me to answer the ungentle-Saturday evening, and he was rarely manly insinuation of Mr. Davison. in shape for work on Monday morn (Renewed cheers): I have been asking as a consequence. He was told that it only needed a little resoludid. He successfully passed his faconsented. I am not going to bring orite tavern; and walked on a hunreproach upon them. And I have no dred yards or so to effectually test ntention of bringing reproach upon his resolution. Then he stopped, ou who will vote for me, nor upon struck a hearty blow on his chest and nyself; by working any job or perexclaimed: "Well done, old Resolunitting any job to be worked if I am ion; thee deserves a pot for that. avor. (Loud applause). If you And he walked back and treated hira self with great pride. However, aseness you would be very foolish swear off or no swear off, the Strolright be possible I should certainly ler is pleased to wish all his readers ask you not to do so. (Renewed ap-

> One of the candidates for public from Mrs. Davis that he was another kind of swearing the other day. Like several others he looked Then Alderman Adair appeared as upon the administration building as a candidate for mayor and spoke very place where a large number of votes riefly. Mayor Macaulay followed, were conveniently bunched and there- gan to be canned, then it was no owever, and did a lot of talking for fore easily canvassed. He talked to Com, who is his candidate. All who some of the boys and they said they en ember the feebles attempts at would get up a petition for him and speaking which the mayor made at have it signed. They did this, and the beginning of the year could not after the usual form were the words "Sign this and see-

ability. He made a rattling good Quite a number did sign it in good speech in behalf of the old council, faith without reading the continuaextolling every member of it, him- tion of the sentence at the bottom of self included. Mr. McLennan will no the page; others signed it in ghoulish doubt speak in public with ease by glee because this continuation readthe time he has been in office a few "How badly he'll be licked."

> The Jap who is claimed to have political aspirations is said to be aggrieved against the Nugget because it is advertising in big type:-

aldermen he thought it would be a to say that he was not in favor of a This is altogether a misunderstandreasonable amount and nothing but wide open town, and that he was not ing. The Nugget did run such a line right. For those who had nothing in favor of the retention of the for some days, but there is nothing else to do that might be cassed a Mounted Police. The latter state- in connection therewith to prove that salary. For men idling around town ment showed his courage, as after the it has gone into the restaurant busi-Helen Jewell, the erstwhile prima sidewalks it might be something statements of Mr. McLennan upon meal tickets, and bill heads and all donna whose voice has often been worth striving for; but it would not the indemnify a business was for the indemnify a business man for the the latter, speakers had a word to printers who are guashing their teeth,

be several days before she will be year, and he would not insult his to ride on it. Among these were for re-election some of the quidnuncs union friends by accepting less than Colonel Reichenback, who said he are now repeating with great unction town station was somewhat startled He was no cheap guy-laughter. He than the Canadians were to have him up before the council in regard to was more pleased to be a Canadian a little saying of Dr. Catto. He was to see wasted into their midst a vis- did not come before them asking to join them. He is a candidate for al- that bill of his which has been so ion clad principally in smiles and be elected as chief scavenger of Daw- derman. T. G. Wilson had to be long unsettled, and again it was loudly called for and his speech was turned down. After the meeting was "I suppose you will knock us now

> Jones, La Lande, Arnold, Johnson, doc? "You don't need to be knocked the sententious reply of Dr. Catto.

The Strotler's old friend William whose name appears by the news-HERSHBERG & CO. bere at Christmas of a large number papers in connection with the visit LOST - Saturday, roll of hills of the Peel river Indians. Craigie is amounting to \$40. Finder please cursious about it, as le thought that return to Nugget and get reward. he was the only white man who has e 30 spent any length of time with those Indians of the Mackenzie basin, i It Best hot drinks in town-The Side may be that the indians have been affected with the political atmosphere of Dawson during their brief visit, and are inclined to call a constitucity, and the city of Vancouver has Always Create a Good Im- chief. The post has been vacant for tional convention for the election of pearly two years, and this same Sydney Webb may be a dark horse. ou need a new Suit, Overcoat With Chief Isaac applying to the govair of Trousers you should get ernment for "good jobs," and threatonly the best. To do that you must ening to sell "his" Yukon unless be gets them, and with the story that at the first election in Dawson the franchise, it might be well for Mr.

Tomorrow is the last day of the chances are exceedingly slim, to kis

Marty Mack, the poet, sends the troller a parody "On the Banks the Wabash," only the first verse of which can be given in this column however, as the rest is far too realis tic for some of the readers of the Stroller. Here it is with all its po etic craving Round the Yukon's banks for many months I've wandered.

But a freight train never came within my view;

Often times I wish I were in Nev York city. Where I first received my free-lunch

ovster stew For there is one thing . Dawson city. And without it

complete never get those

Or cry of "Hot Tomales" on our The Stroller may perhaps relieve

the longing of Marty by saying that the hot tomales disappeared from the streets of New York several years ago. It was common in San Francisco for years and was even heard was next called for, but a note was honors was inclined to do a little of in Chicago before it reached the meable reign. Large companies were formed to manufacture the tooths some and appetizing food, then it becally forgotten.

> That was a terrific game of hocker on Christmas afternoon, and several of the players were badly bruised One of them, J. M. Merritt, of the Bank of B. N. A., discovered two days later that he had two or three ribs broken. He went immediafely to the hospital. The doctor said it 10 "Come, Holy Spirit," sole and was pleurisy. How disappointed Mr

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Rev. Father Lebert of Grand Forisdoing all in his power to make the sacred concert a success when in to be given in St. Patrick's chert at that place on New Year's nicht Nearly everybody is fond of bear ng a good concert and there is no doubt but the church will be crown ed, as everyone will-avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing that oncert, which will be the best that has ever been given at Grand Fortil Following is the programme

L. "Nazareth," solo, .. "Mr. Turnbuli 2. "Kyrie," solo and chorus 3. "O Holy Night," sedn

Mr. Walton 4, "Lead, Kindly Light," duet Mrs. Parker and Mr. Twenball

5. "Holy City," solo Mr Barrell Adeste Fideles," solo, dues trio and quartet Mrs Mullen, Mrs. Parley, Mr. Walton, Mr. Turnbull

"Ave Maria," solo Mr James. 8. "O Salutaris," duet Lambillette Mrs. Parker and Father Lebert

Mrs. Mullen quartet Mrs. Sporse, Mrs. Parker, Mr. Burrell and Mr. Turoball. "Too Late." solo

Mrs. Parker 2. "O Salutaris," duet Wegat Mr. Walton and Mr. Turnbull. 3 "Star of Hethlehem," sole

> Mrs. Mullen "Pray for us," solo, Piccolomia Mr. Walten. There is no Heart Lag-Thine," trio Mrs. Mullen, Mrs. Parker and

Father Lebert. "Benedictus," quartet and Walton, Turnbull, Mrs. Malles and Mrs. Spores. (b) "Agnus Del," duet and

chorus Mrs. James and Mrs. Parier. "Calvary," solo .. Mr. Turnbull Mr. G. Pepin, organist.

Cause of Stage Fright An expert claims that stage fricht really comes from a dispotent stomach. He argues from this fast that persons in Dawson contemplate ing appearance should be careful at their diet and always buy growing of Dunham, where they are always sure of getting the purest and best.

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ost about \$4000 a year. Did any itizen of Dawson seriously contenisate the appointment of a body of ocal policemen, at a cost of nearly which was monstrous. when

\$50,000 a year instead of them ? It would be too ridiculous. This would be an endeavor to increase crime in order that we might live idle upon t. It was the wide open town idea, The time holes and English and other capitalists were pouring in with sup-spend here, the country could sup-mort a large population which was inproductive. That time was gone

by. The miner was the only producer and we had all to live off him. We

could promise them that the quest of a local police force would not come up during the year. The present city olice were an efficient body and they

gold was found in pot