SPARKS.

The project for an electric railway between London and Port Stanley has again been revived.

The city of Winnipey, Man., is inviting tenders up to Monday, April 16th, for the supply of a fire alarm system.

The Electrical Construction Co., of London, Ltd., have cleared out twenty-two of their list of eighty second hand machines which were recently exchanged for new ones in Winnipeg.

The Hamilton Radial Railway Company, which contemplates the operation of an electric railway from Hamilton to Oakville and Guelph, has been granted an extension of time for beginning the work until 1905.

The Ickes & Armstrong Syndicate expect to commence work on the construction of an electric railway in the town of Woodstock, Ont., within two months. Mr. J. G. Wallace, the local representative, states that the ties for the road have already been purchased.

Messrs, S. H. Jones, S. F. McKinnon, L. M. Jones and J. A. Lowell have petitioned the Ontario Legislature for an act to authorize the construction of a system of elevated railways in the city of Toronto and adjoining municipalities, and also a system of surface street railways.

The Sutherland Construction Company, composed of New York capitalists, have secured control of the horse car line between Drummondville and Niagara Falls, Ont., and propose to electrify the road. They have deposited a check of \$1,250 as a guarantee that they will install a plant before July 1st next, and have asked for a twenty-year charter.

The shareholders of the Preston & Berlin Street Railway Company have elected the following officers: John Patterson, President, Hamilton; M. M. Todd, Vice-President, Galt; C. R. Hanning, Secretary-Treasurer, The company will make arrangements at once to build a line between Preston and Berlin, thus making a through connection from Galt to Preston and on to Berlin and Waterloo.

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