City Engineer Says, However, That Railway as Usual Have

Whip-Hand.

"While Robert John says he is do-

the public, he is doing the very re-

"It's abominable," concurred th

These expressions of opinion weid

council, having reference to the with-

drawal of a number of belt line cars

on Sunday under orders of Manager

Ald. McMurrich's Motion.

Ald. McMurrich, with Ald. Vaughan

as seconder, submitted a motion which

called upon the city engineer and city

solicitor to report upon whether the city's agreement with the company of-fers any protection.

cary's agreement with the company offers any protection.

The motion reads:

"That whereas the Toronto Railway Company have seen fit to change very much the service on the belt line on Sundays, greatly to the inconvenience of the ratepayers who patronize that line on that day, be it resolved that the city engineer be called upon to report to this council what action the city can take under the railway agreement to compel the railway company to provide the necessary accommodation as called for under the agreement, and that he consult with the solicitor's department in reference thereto."

Ald. McMurrich declared that passengers in belt line cars on Sundays were packed like herrings in a box as a result of the large cars being taken off, and council unanimously approved the report.

City is Powerless.

Th city engineer holds out little hope, however. He says that when the belt line changes were made, he and City Solicitor Johnston talked over and agreed that, under the decisions of the courts and the Ontario Railway Board, the city was absolutely powerless.

Will Widen St. Clair Avenue.

The principle of widening St. Clairavenue from Yonge-street to Bathurststreet to a width of 100 feet at a cost of \$170,000, was unanimously approved, and the city engineer and assessment commissioner instructed to recommend the improvement in the necessary

improvement in the nec

Ald. Welch wants St. Andrew's mar-

City is Powerless.

verse," asserted Ald. McMurrich.

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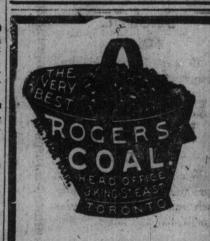
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WILL ASK THE STREET RY. FOR BETTER CAR SERVICE

Mayor McLaren is Authorized by Council to Interview the Management-Fish and Game Officers.

street railway, especiall yin the east end, at the noon hour, and in the evenings. Mayor McLaren will inter-view the company to see if a better service cannot be obtained at these times, and also on Sunday at church hours. O. S. Hillman and Walter Anderson were reappointed city auditors at \$500 a year each. Clark, who is in the plumbing business, found fault because the House of Refuge committee had not advertised for tenders for tenders for plumbing and was informed that estimates had proved so high that the work had been called off. A piece of property at the north of the filtering basins will be purchased at \$1000. Alderman Peregrine, chairman of the finance committee, said he expected a surplus of \$18,000. The first of a series of meetings

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paign committee was held in the sim-coe-street Methodust Church. Rev. Sam. Small was the principal speaker. and the aldermanic candidates for the ward, ex-Ald. Martin and Benjamin Jornson also spoke.

The local branch of the Fish and

Game A sociation met at the Hotel Royal this evening and elected William Hendrie, president; Dr. Gverholt, William Farrar and W. M. Hancock. vice-president; Captain Spence, James Crooks, G. Crawford, Dr. Rennie, Geo. C. Thomson, F. H. Whitton, W. Langhorne, John Hunter, committee, and HAMILTON, Dec. 12.—(Special.)—At the meeting of the city council this evening Alderman Morris mentioned the poor accommodation given by the and two vagrants this afternoon.

Cut His Throat. John Hannon, a cigarmaker, 24 years of age, 265 York-street, committed suicide Sunday by cutting his throat with a razor. His body was not found until this morning. Inmates of the house say he had been on a spree. Mrs. A. D. Campbell, 110 North San-ford-avenue, is a sister of Capt. R. R McLeod, compander of the lost car

The Kinrade family will remove from Hamilton and join Montrose and Mrs. Wright at Calgary.
The street lighting arbitration was continued before Judge Snider this morning. For the Cataract Power Company, W. C. Hawkins testified that the cost of producing power had greatly increased since 1899. He also claimed that the company had been doing business below actual cost because o

wrong estimates. Local broom manufacturers say the being likely to send the price of brooms up to \$1 each is a fake, and that there will be only a small in-crease in the price. Mrs. Mulkovich, 178 West Bartonstreet, had a narrow escape from asphyxiation last night.

Children in Danger. This morning the two little children of Mrs. Benny were locate din a room while their mother went out. They started a wire, and were so frightened that they hid themselves in a corner and did not try to give the alarm. Fortunately street railwaymen noticed the smoke and rescued the child-

Word has been received of the death of William Henry Kime, a former Hamilton man, who was killed in the explosion of powder mils at Glen Willew, Ohio.
It is said that ex-Mayor Steward will lead the hydro-electric ticket, and that the four candidates for controllers

will be ex-Ald. Bailey, Ald. Cooper

Ald. Wright and Frank Quinn. Contracting Co. to Be Dissolved. WINNIPEG, Dec. 13 .- (Special.) - The big contracting firm of Kelly Bros., who have several branches in the west was ordered dissolved to-day as a climax of a lengthy litigation. A re-

Farmer and Two Other Lads E

train at a crossing five miles west of

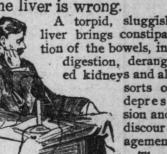
He was heckled by a man in the audience. D. A. McIlroy was in the chair, stantly killed, and Alonzo, aged 10, was seriously injured.

Dayboll received only slight injuries, and the other boys escaped without a

The horse was killed and the wagon ompletely demolished. The horse became unmanageable while being driven across the track.

\$10 Fine for Asking for Drink. KINGSTON, Dec. 13.—(Special.)—Robert L. Ferguson admitted asking for a drink at the Grand Opera House Hotel when on the "prohibited list." and was fined \$10 and costs or twenty

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the improvement in the necessary formal bylaw.

There will be joy among the teamsters of Toronto, since council, on motion of Ald. Maguire, voted to rescind the bylaw which compels slow moving vehicles to keep close to the kerb.

Spent \$3,600 on Jaunts.

It has cost the city \$3652.53 this year for out of town trips by members of council and city officials, not including the bond selling trip to Britain of the mayor and Treasurer Coady, which meant an outlay of about \$1200. As last year's bill of expense was \$5277, comparative economy has been practiced. Ald. Foster, who asked for the report, seemed satisfied.

\$30,000 for Schools.

The board of education got the \$30.000 it asked. Early in the year the board of control cut that amount off the school board estimates, and yesterday F. E. Hodgins, K.C., board of control cut within the years.

the school board estimates, and yesterday's

Level Crossing Tragedy.

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PORT COLBORNE, Dec. 13.—George
Dayboll, a farmer, residing in Wainfleet Township, was driving bile four fleet Township, was driving his four sons to school this morning when the ket converted into a playground. In a motion which asked that the pre-

scratch.

ket converted into a playground. In a motion which asked that the property commissioner and park commissioner report on the idea, he pointed out that the courts have given the city power to do as it likes with the property, which was originally dedicated for market uses.

The Ward Lease.

The affairs of William Ward, one time island constable, once more furnished food for debates. After much litigation, a court of arbitrariem decided that Mr. Ward, who had been paying \$5 a year rental of city property on Ward's Island, occupied by him, should pay \$30 a year/hand shat the advanced rental should date back to April 1, 1902. The board of control was willing to change only \$5 a, year from 1902 to 1905, because of the opinion that the city had been responsible for a delay of three years in making out a new lease, but council referred back the proposition. In doing \$50 council was guided by the assessment commissioner who stated that there were inaccuracies in the statements of J. Lockhart Gordon, solicitor for Mr. Ward, regarding the \$3350 statements for freehold.

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A torpid, sluggish liver brings constipation of the bowels, indigestion, deranged kidneys and all

Teacher Wins Prize for Essay. Miss Lilian E. M. Davy of 39 Sus-sex-avenue, who is a teacher in the normal school, has been awarded sec-ond prize for her essay on physical

The proposals to seek legislation re-ucing the qualification for freehold

the six best essays written in Canada, as part of a plan to promote such training in the Dominion public schools upon lines set forth by the Strathcona A Christmas Spill. Frightened by paper blowing in the storm, one of the T. Eaton horses. hitched to a delivery wagon, ran away in West Queen-street yesterday morn-ing. It collided with one of the Coleman bakery wagons driven by Herman

18 CITY BLOCKS BURNED

Thousands Made Homeless by Fire in Chilean City.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 13.—A dis-astrous fire occurred last night in the City of Valdivia Eighteen blocks of buildings were destroyed, and thousands rendered The loss is estimated at about 7,000,-000 pecus (\$2,500,000).

voters from \$400 to \$200 and giving the medical health officer power to ex-clude impure milk delivered to the Suffragette Manifesto to Asquith. LONDON, Dec. 13.-A committee of caty from dairies putride the municito Premier Asquith that his offer to The city has \$538,67? available for spending purposes during December. The total amount appropriated at the beginning of the year, not counting. beginning of the year, not counting appropriations for interest on bonds and for sinking funds, was \$4,593,225, of which \$4,654,548 has been expended. Various items have, however, been overdrawn, the total being \$57,928.

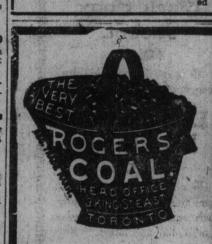
Travelers' Certificates. Commercial travelers' certificates for 1910 can now be had from Fred Johnson, Room 5, Federal Life Building.

and military training by the executive committee of the Strathcona trust. Last summer prizes were offered for British Postal Department in Arrangement With W. U. Tel. Co. LONDON, Dec. 13 .- The British postoffice department announces that it has concluded a money transfer agree-ment with the Western Union Telegraph Company, thru which that comrany will be permitted to make cable transfers of money between its offices in the United States and points in Great Britain and Ireland, where the orders will be cashed thru the postal

the British treasury, and will become operative on Jan. 1 next. Berry, 340 Bathurst-street, Berry was thrown out and slightly hurt and both



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thrown out and slightly hurt and both wagons were smashed. The street was strewn with Christmas toys and Christmas cakes.

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The street was organized. They found him clutching a rifle in his right, but MacDonald failing to show up, a scarch party was organized. They found him clutching a rifle in his right hand, a shot having gone in at the left ear and the whole head being shattered. Tooth's theory is that MacDonald shot himself while insane, but this is physically impossible. Dr. Keele opened an inquest this evening.