

ment in 1896, the Town of Edmonton procured a charter for a railway under the name of the Edmonton District Railway, to run from Edmonton to the Athabasca at Fort Assiniboine. This Session the charter will be extended authorizing the railway to be built to the Peace river, at Peace river crossing, thence to the Liard, and onward to the navigable waters of the Pelly-Yukon. The charter has been acquired by a wealthy English syndicate, of which Col. Domville, M.P., is managing director, and as the road will be run through a valuable auriferous territory it cannot fail to assist in attracting thousands of people to this district.

A railway and traffic bridge, to cost \$125,000, is at present under construction across the Saskatchewan river at Edmonton.

**For official information respecting mining regulations and homesteads, application should be made direct to the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.**

