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own water can be shad by gravity without too foot at cost, it will be to the interest of the city to proceed with the work at mee, and in the meantime simply o make such temporary provision is any be necessary for an increased supply linder the present system. They are, perhaps, lew who know the country through which the pravitation supply pipe would have to be lath better than 1 do, and 1 will need to be thoroughly satisfied as to the final cost of construction, and as to the expediency and practicability of the undertaking before my consent to the adoption of the scheme can be obtained. We have at our doors an abundance of the best water, which could be supplied to the citizens at very much less than it is costing at present, with proper machinery and skilful management. The stoppage of unnecessary waste from leaky mains, service connections, etc., has already effected a considerable swing, and it is much more can be done in this direction without in any way restricting the people in the proper or even lavish use of water for every purpose. In proof of this it is only necessary for me to say that. Rochester is quite as well supplied with water as Toronto, and yet during the last summer their consumption was only about half that of ours.

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The railway question is also one of great importance to the city. The combined terminal facilities of all the railways centering here are not at the present time much more than half what they ought to be to provide for the proper handling of the freight business. The result is that trade is greatly hampered and business goes past Toronto which would otherwise come here. The Eric Railway, and several other American roads, owing to the scarcity of cars and their long defention here, have for several months restricted their cars coming to Toronto. Local freight yards convenient to the business portion of the city are much needed. The whole Esplanade question is one that requires the most careful consideration, and while the railways should be assisted to facilitate business; the city's interests must be protected, free access to our water front must be had and due provision made for the protection of life. Existing evils ought to be reusedied by a definite scheme, carefully guarding all the city's interests—giving the railways as fair and full accommodotion as possible and not prejudicing the rights of Esplanade property owners. This scheme should be put into operation at the earliest possible date.

In 1890 the agreement between the Toronto Street Railway Company and the city will terminate. At an edrly period steps should be to secure for the city the full benefit which ought to secure therefrom.

The Local Improvement plan has been largely adopted, and no doubt in the near future almost all improvements will be constructed on that plan. Great care is necessary that the axes may be fairly distributed and no injustice done. A more astisfactory system will have to be devised and there will necessarily be discoveries and corrections from time to time. I am impressed with the necessity of steps b To the Electors of St. John's Ward. JAMES THOMSON as ALDERMAN for 1888. Electors: My record as a business man in your midst for the past thirty years is before you. I am opposed to all machine politics, rings, cliques or party management. I promese, if elected, to consider every question square y upon its own merits.

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