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Commerce and Finance.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, May	rch 18
Ask	Off
Canadian Pacific vd 8934	8
Duluth, common	
Dululh, preferred 8	
Commercial Cable, xd	17
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	10
Commercial Registered Bonds	10
Montreal Telegraph	17
Richelieu and Ontario 100	9
Montreal Street Railway 260	
Montreal Street Pailway260	25
Montreal Street Railway, new. 259	25
Toronto Railway 100	9
Montreal Gas Company193	19
Bell Telephone	17.
Royal Electric	14
Bank of Montreal 94714	24
Ontario Bank. 110	10
Moisons Bank 910	20
Bunk of Toronto 935	22
Merchants' Bank 185 Merchants' Bank of Halifax	18
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	18
Quebec Bank.	12
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Bank of Commerce 141	13
Northwest Land, pref	10
Montreal Cotton Company 150	14
Canada Colored Cotton 45	4
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TORONTO, March 18 ritish America estern Assurance... nsumers' Gas....

Consumers' Gas.

Montreal Gas.

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Sorthwest Land Company, pref. 51%

Canada Pacific Railway Stock. 82%

Commercial Cable Company. 174

Commercial Coupon Bonds. 106

Commercial Registered Bonds. 106

dell Telephone Company. 175

tichelieu and Ontario. 90%

Montreal Street Railway. 93%

Ooronto Street Railway. 93% London Loan. 85
London and Ontario. 85
Ontario Loan and Debenture. 121/2
G. T. R., Gtd. 76
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COMMERCIAL

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, March 18.-Wheat-Dull but steady, at 85c for red winter west; Manitoba wheat unchanged, at \$1 10 for No. 1 hard at North Bay, and \$106 on the Midland. Millfeed, barley, buckwheat and rye unchanged. Cornsteady, at 31c for Canada yellow west. lats-Quiet, at 29c to 291/2c for white est. Peas-Steady, at 56c west. Balhay—Quiet; cars on the track here, to \$850. Baled straw—Dull; cars re, \$4 50 to \$5. Butter-Steady, at 18c large rolls; 22c for creamery ints, and 20c for tubs; all kinds of utter scarce and wanted. Eggs-Reelpts liberal, and market easier, at 12c

English Markets.

EASTER HOLIDAYS. Liverpool, March 18 .- The cotton exchange will observe the Easter holiby closing from 1 p.m. April 7 until April 12.

American Markets NEW YORK, March 18.—Flour—Receipts, 23,434 bbls; sales, 3,200 packages; state and western steady and moderately active. Rye flour dull. Wheat-Receipts, 55,500 bu; sales, 950,000 bu; options moderately active and stronger on crop scares and higher cables; May, 99%c to \$1 00 3-16. March, \$1 041% to \$1 041/2; July, 88 3-16c to 883/4c; Sept, 811/2c to 81%c. Rye—Steady; state, No. 2 western, 58c to 581/2c f. o b., afloat at New York. Corn-Receipts, 96,525 bu: sales, 50,000 bu; options steadily held with wheat; May, 33%c to 34c. Oats-Receipts, 100,800; options were dull and nominal; on track, white state, 331/2c 89c; on track, white western, 331/20 Butter-Receipts, 3,031 packges; firm; state dairy, 141/2. Cheese-Receipts, 1,931 packages; dull; part skims, 4c; large colored, Sept., 8c; mall colored, Sept. 8½c. Lard—Oct., 1½c to 7¾c. Hops quiet. Lead—Dull;

price, \$3 50; exchange price, \$3 70 BUFFALO, N. Y., March 18.—Spring wheat, No. 1 hard, \$1 074; No. 1 northern. \$1 06. Winter wheat, No. 2 red, 98c; No. 1 white, 98c. Dorn, No. 2 yellow, 33½c to 34c; No. 3 yellow, 2½c to 33½c; No. 2 corn, 32c. Dats, No. 2 white, 31½c; No. 3 white, 30½c; No. 1 white, 30c; No. 2 mixed, 25½c to 29½c.

DETROIT, March, 18.—Wheat, No. 1 white, 18sh, 93½c; No. 2 red, cash, 95½c; May, 96c; July, 83c.

mah, 93%c; No. 2 red, cash, 20%c; May, 50c, July, 83c.
TOLEDO, March 18.—Wheat, cash and May, 7%c; July, 83%c. Corn, cash, 30c; May, 30%c. July, 31%c. Oats, cash and May, 27c.
MILWAUKEE, March 18.—Wheat—Cash,

Chicago Exchange CHICAGO, March 18 Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago loard of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, roker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1.278. Close. 1 05% 86% e. Phone 1,278.
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Live Stock Markets. CH. JAGO, March 18.-Hogs-Estimated receipts today, 21,000; left over,

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1,500; fairly active, strong, to 5c higher; light, \$3 75 to \$3 95; mixed, \$3 80 to \$4 02½; heavy, \$3 75 to \$4 10; rough, \$3 75 to \$3 85. Cattle-Receipts, 3,000; steady; beeves, \$3 90 to \$5 35; cows and helfers, \$2 20 to \$4 50; Texas steers, \$3 60 to \$4 50; stockers and feeders, \$3 40 to \$4 50. Sheep-Receipts, 7,000; steady.

Immortalized I

Alderman Lend Their Names to City Streets.

Jolly Row, Carrothers Ave, etc.-City Hall Notes.

The titles for the streets which have duplicate names have been chosen, and the council Monday night will be asked to approve them. Most of them are in West London. As will be seen, the mayor and several of the aldermen have been selected for immortality. It is a great compliment to the village. Nothing except a new breakwater could have been more highly appreciated by the residents there. A number of city streets will also be graced by the cognomens of the city fathers. The changes are as follows:

IN WEST LONDON. street, changed to Douglass Ash avenue Mill street, changed to Beaufort Dufferin street, changed to Euston

street. Center street north, changed to Saunby street. Center street south, changed to Wilson avenue. Queen street, changed to Arundel street. William street, changed to Fleet street. street, changed to Belgrave John

street. Ann street north, changed to Empress avenue. Ann street south, changed to Belgrave street Peter street, changed to Carrothers

Bryan street, changed to Belton street. Pine street, changed to Kingston avenue. Oak street, changed to Jolly Row. Riverview avenue, changed to Surrev avenue. Francis street, changed to Cooper

street, changed to Argyle Maple street. Elm street, changed to Meredith avenue Birch street, changed to Cavendish street. IN THE CITY

P. O. BOX 807 - MONTREAL Mount Pleasant street, changed to in the public eye again shortly. Piccadilly street. Ragian street, changed to George Lichfield street, changed to Central avenue. London Lane, changed to Hyman street. Queen street, ward 4, changed to Regina street.

Alma street, ward 5, changed Keenleyside avenue. Oak street, ward 5, changed to Lewis street. Chester street, ward 5, changed to Anderson avenue. Hewitt street, ward 5, changed to Glebe street.

No. 3 committee will visit the fire halls today.

The city council meets on Monday. ** ** ** It is considered that Fireman Pope, who has been substituting at No. 3 hall for Fireman Taylor, who was injured, should receive the permanent appointment. He has now year's experience, and Chief Roe reports that he is a good workmen at fires. This would be better than introducing an untried man.

.. Mr. John McMartin has taken out permit to erect a brick residence on Elmwood avenue, corner Edward street. Mr. John Burns, 347 Simcoe street, will also build a brick veneer cottage on Colborne street, between Cheapside and Victoria.

Inspector Sanders is trying to secure employment for a young Englishman named Albert Hughes, who has been in the Home for Incurables, but has recovered and is now able to do light work. He was previously suffering from paralysis caused by injuries inflicted by an employer. Hughes is a bright. to work if he can get the chance.

THE HOME CIRCLES.

Supreme Officers Selected for the Ensuing Year.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON. Following is the complete list of su-

preme officers elected for the following seats early. Leader-Rev. E. B. Stevenson, B.A., of Freeman. Vice-Leaded-J. S. Dench. Trenton. Secretary-J. M. Foster, B.A., Toronto, re-elected by acclamation. Treasurer-D. R. Foster, Waterford,

re-elected by acclamation. Chaplain—S. Cunningham, Waterford, re-elected. Marshal-F. W. Vandusen, Nap-Warden-A. E. Healey, St. Thomas. Guard-B. A. Stamers, St. John,

Sentinel-John Wilson, Alliston. Orgaizer-P. M. Pattison, Toronto, by acclamation. Medical Examiner-A.T. Hobbs, M.D.,

London, by acclamation. Solicitor-W. A. Dowler, M.A., Tilsonburg, by acclamation. Past Leader-F. N. Raines. M.A., Uxbridge. Auditors-Wm. Wilkinson, Brantford; A. R. Thompson, Merritton.

Trustees-G. Y. Smith. Whitby; F. St. Catharines. Finance Committee-J. L. Buck. Port Rowan; W. N. Hossie, Brantford; C.

Denton, Tilsonburg.
Committee on Laws-T. Paradine,
Hamilton; F. N. Raines, Uxbridge; S. Nelles, Grimsby. Committee on Appeals—Dr. Clouse, Woodstock, son of St. G. Baldwin. Board Past Supreme Leaders-Hon. A LAMBETH PARTY.

R. Harcourt, Rev. J. Mooney, F. N. Meeting adjourned till 7:30 p.m. THE CLOSE. At the closing session of the Supreme ome Circle votes of thanks were passed to the mayor and city authori-

ties for their courtesies. Several minor changes in the bylaws were made, and the convention was adjourned for the Worms cause reversances, moaning accompanied by an address setting and restlessness during sleep. Mother forth the appreciation of her devoted

Topics of Today

Mr. Whitney, Opposition leader, has to her new home. tario contest began.

On Wednesday last 500 passengers were taken through Sarnia tunnel en route for the Klondike.

At a meeting of the railway committee of the Commons at Ottawa yester-able dealing and enterprising methods. He has advertised continuously in The

Mr. Garrow takes exception to seven which his trade extends, for Mr. Beck, who was thereby elected by two of a majority.

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, March 18-10 s.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Winds increasing to strong from the eastward, clouding up by night, followed by rain. High winds with rain on Saturday.

Around the City

-Mr. I. P. Marlatt, of Rectory street, is visiting friends in Chatham.

-Mr. A. H. Harkness, of Brigden, Ont., is visiting friends in this city. -Miss Gertrude Armstrong, Clarence street, is visiting Mrs. A. F. Rutter, OSGOODE HALL ECHOES.

street north, left this morning for Nelson. B. C. -Miss Michille, of Woodstock, is the guest of her friend, Miss Best, Cartwright street. -Mr. Albert Smith, of Lyle street,

East London, left for the Crow's Nest Pass yesterday. -Miss Brown, of the City Hotel, is visiting her uncle, Rev. Joseph Deacon, at Bryanston. -Mr. and Mrs. M. Cowan, Strath-

roy, are the guests of Mr. Thomas Reycraft, Rectory street. -Mr. Leonard Weaver and Mr. Thomas May intend leaving for Denver, Col., in a few weeks. -Mrs. Cameron, of Aylmer, and Miss

Ethel Holmes are the guests of Mrs. (Dr.) Moore, Ridout street. -Fashionable parasols this year will be larger than ever before; they'll be -Mrs. McFarlane, of this city, who has been visiting her daughter

Campbell, Ingersoll, for the past week, has returned home. -Mr. Eph Rogers, of Dorchester Sta-Tuesday to accept a position as foreman on the Indian Head farm lands. -Inspector Jas. L. Hughes, of Toronto, has arrived in the city, and will lecture on "Schools and Schoolmasters of Dickens" in the Auditorium this

evening. -Mr. Cliff Tuffered, employed at the Robinson corset factory, slipped on Dundas street pavement the other night, and broke his ankle. He will be laid up for a couple of weeks.

-The grocery stock of Mrs. Boath was offered by Joseph Brown, auctioneer, and was withdrawn at 50 cents. It will be sold by public auction in detail every afternoon and evening. -In describing the presentation to Mr. G. N. Hodgson, choirmaster of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, who is about leaving for British Columbia, it should have been stated that it was

him with a gold ring, while the choir boys gave him a fine fountain pen. -Several of the well-known city athletes have organized a gymnastic class and will practice at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. They perform some wonderful feats of strength and some very funny ones, too. The class is composed of Walter Smith, Ed. Masuret, George Cameron, Frank Reid, Harley Brown,

William Spittal, R. K. Cowan, George Macbeth and James Duffield. Mr. Cowan holds the championship for hurdle jumping.

-The London Vocal Society will sing by request at their second annual concert next Tuesday evening the by an employer. Hughes is a brated humorous part song, "Where industrious young man, willing Are You Going, My Pretty Maid," by Caldicott. All who attended the society's concert last year will remember how effective this chorus was. Mr. Herman Heberlein, the celebrated 'cellist, will play "The Witches' Dance"

of his own composition, and Mrs. Chas. E. Saunders, the popular soprano, of Toronto, will contribute vocal numbers. The plan is now open at the Bell piano warerooms. Those who intend going had better reserve their

-The Kingston News, speaking of Master Freddie Ulley, the celebrated boy soprano, who will sing in Dundas Center Church next Thursday evening. says: Of the young lad Freddie Ulley equal praise must be given. It was simply delightful to listen to him. His voice is a fine soprano, and withal he is a very handsome boy. His numers were evidently carefully selected to present his voice and attainments their most attractive light. "The Voice of the Father," "I Want to be a Soldier," "O, for the Wings of a Dove" and "Angels Ever Bright and Fair"

were his contributions to the pleasure of the evening MR. BALDWIN BURIED.

The funeral of the late Mr. Morgan Baldwin, brother of the Bishop of Huron, took place yesterday from his late residence, Dowling avenue, to St. James' cemetery, Toronto. The funeral was private, but was nevertheless largely attended, several officers of the 1. P. B. S., of which he was a member be-Young, Toronto; J. G. Cumming, ing present. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Bernard Bryan (formerly of this city), rector of the Church of the Epiphany, in the mortuary chapel of the cemetery. The chief mourners were the Bishop of Huron. Rev. A. H. Baldwin, rector of All Saints', Rev. F. M. Baldwin, rector of Woodstock, son of deceased, and Dr. E.

Last night a number of the young people of Trinity Church, Lambeth, met at the residence of Mr. Joseph Poole, who has recently removed from Lambeth to York street, this city. The feature of the gathering was the presentation to Miss Lottie Poole of a handsome gold watch, the gift of the members of Trinity Church, in recognition of her long and faithful services both as organist and Sunday school teacher. The presentation was PREE to nousekeepers on application, Graves. Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to progist has none in stock, get him to progist has none in stock, get him to protion in the social life of Lambeth and

will be missed by a large circle of friends whose well wishes follow her

lost 25 pounds in weight since the On- THIRTY YEARS IN BUSINESS. Yesterday Mr. A. Westman, the wellknown Dundas street hardware merchant, completed the 30th year of business in his present stand, a record which has very few parallels in the city. Mr. Westman's uninterrupted success has been due to ability, honor-

miles of the Rainy River Railway be Advertiser for over 25 years, and say, Advertiser for over 25 years, and says completed within two years from the tory to himself and creditable to the first of August, 1898, and the balance paper. "I suppose I shall continue doing business in the same place and "I suppose I shall continue the same way to the end of the jour-Notice of an appeal on behalf of J. T. ney," said Mr. Westman today to an Garrow, the Liberal candidate in West Advertiser representative who called Huron, has been filed at Osgoode Hall. to congraturate min. This friends the city and the county, throughout disputed ballots which were counted wish. Mr. Westman reports that business is brisk and the outlook bright.

DIVISION COURT CASE. At the sittings of the first division court today before Judge Wm. Elliot. the case of Jane Dackey, aged 90 years, vs. Wm. Lawn, came up. This was ar action brought by Mrs. Lackey to recover compensation for the use and occupancy of four acres of land in Westminster, to which Mrs.Lackey was entitled by reason of her dower in the premises. The plaintiff had recovered judgment in the high court for her dower in the premises (being the four acres of land), in 1893, and not having had the use of it, and the defendant having used it since, she glaimed \$22 50 per year, or \$90 in all. Mr. Love, appearing for the defendant, objected to the claim, on the ground that plaintiff, having recovered judgment in the high court for her dower, should have proceeded to have her dower as signed. This she neglected to do, and he claimed she could not do so now and claim the \$90. The case was dismissed. Buchner, for plaintiff.

—Mr. Richard Spicer, of Waterloo treet north, left this morning for Nelon, B. C.

Orrange vs. G. G. McIntyre, orra Orrange vs. G. G. McIntyre; Orthe actions at London, in favor of the plaintiff. The actions were brought by the administrator with the will annexed of the estate of George McIntyre, deceased to recover possession of certain lands and for mesne profits, and for a declaration that he has the right as administrator to sell and dispose of such lands for the payment of the debts of the deceased. The defendants were the sons of the deceased. Street, J., held upon the evidence that the father never intended to part with the ownership of the two farms, and that the facts did not suffice to vest the ownership in them by length of possession. W. Cassels, Q.C.,

for plaintiff, contra. Not finished. Hunter vs. Town of Strathroy.—Os-ler, Q.C., and D. L. McCarthy, for de-Street, J., in chambers, affirming an order of the junior local judge at London, in an action for damages for negligence and for an injunction to restrain the defendants from main- the road. The cost of construction of taining a nuisance in the shape of a foul drain, requiring the defendants tion, leaves for Balgonie, N. W. T., on fendants having pending the action abated the nuisance, as plaintiff alleged. The defendants contended that the only thing done by them after action was to open up the drain in question, which showed that there was no nuisance, and there was no jurisdiction to make an order in chambers disposing of the costs, there having been in fact no settlement of the matters in question in the action, and both parties still maintaining that they were right. W. H. Blake, for plaintiff,

Soon To Be

contra. Judgment reserved.

the men of the choir who presented Some of the R. R. C. I. Men Who Will Go to the Yukon.

> Half of the Detachment from No. 1 Company Named-Farewell Concert at Wolseley Barracks.

The thirty-two soldiers, of No. 1 Company of the Royal Regiment of Canadian Infantry, at Wolseley Barspend the next two years, and possibly three, in the Yukon district, are not all yet aware of their impending fate. As may be expected, they await the intelligence with great eagerness. It is a momentous occasion for all. Even those who did not volunteer are liable to be called upon. Every man in the company is being examined by company surgeon, Dr. Belton, and the selection rests with the officer in command, Col. Smith, D. A. G. The ma-jority of the 47 volunteers have al-

ready been examined. The suspense was over for some of the men at noon today. Fifteen were informed that they would form part of the detachment. They were chosen by Col. Smith from the number passed by the medical examiner, and are in fine

physical condition. Following are the names: Corporal Cockburn,

Corporal Blake-Foster Bugler Beals. Private Webb. Private J. Taylor. Private Fred Taylor, Private H. Taylor, Private Evans

Private Monteith. Private H. Smith Private Moore, Private Tansley.

Private Yeo. Private Baldwin. With a mental picture of the nardships that await the expedition before one, it was indeed a brave thing to offer oneself, with a soldier's readiness, for the forbidding duty. Yet, as one of the 47 said. there is no reflection on those who did not volunteer. Private reasons fully justified them. They showed brave hearts and a loyalty to those dependent upon them by taking the stand they did.

Tonight the Balmoral Club will give a farewell concert at the school. On Sunday night a farewell sermon to the men will be preached at the Colborne Street Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. George Jackson, Special music by the choir has been arranged for.

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Today At The Capital.

How the Late Government Fixed Up a Drummond County Railway Deal.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, March 18.-There was another meeting of the Drummond County Railway committee today. H. W. Greenshields was further examined.

He said that himself, Farwell and Mitchell owned stock in the Mr. Broder read an agreement made in 1894, whereby all the shareholders had assigned their stock to Farweil

for \$50,000. Mr. Greenshields explained that this was done to enable Farwell, who was Conservative organizer in the Eastern Townships, to negotiate with Hugh Ryan, who was dealing with the govfendants, appealed from an order of ernment for the sale of the road. The agreement with Farwell was that he was to get from the government \$100,-000 rental, or \$17,000 per mile if pur-chased. This would make \$2,500,000 for the unbuilt part would be taken for this, and whatever subsidies were received were to be added. After this was done the profits were to be divided in three parts-one part to go to the shareholders, and the other twothirds to Ryan and his associates This option was renewed from time to time, and the last time was in the spring of 1896, the understanding being that if the Conservative Government were not returned, then the option would be surrendered Mr. Greenshields explained that he did not give one cent towards the purchase of La Patrie. He was merely acting for Messrs. Tarte & Sons. He said that he paid for most of his stock in Drummond county at par, and some

of it he purchased below. Klondike Bound. Plenty of Food In Dawson City.

Reason Why Major Walsh Changed His Plans-Rich Strikes.

Victoria, B. C., March 18. - The steamer City of Seattle has arrived from the north with the latest news from Dawson, showing everything orderly there, and an abundance of food. racks, on whom the lot shall fall to The theory is advanced that the reason for Major Walsh's sudden change of plans, and his return to the post at Big Salmon is the feeling that the re- sick list. cent discoveries on Walnut Creek, near A number of bicycles were seen out there, justify the belief that a settlement there will in the near future rival even that at Dawson. News has been received of very rich strikes in the American and Manook Creek districts.

CHINA THREATENED

By Both Russia and France-Failure

of the Mission to St. Petersburg. London, March 18 .- It is announced today in a dispatch to the Times from Pekin that the mission of Shu King Chen, the Chinese minister to Germany, who was sent to St. Petersburg in an effort to prevail upon Russia to modify her demands upon China, has been unsuccessful, and it is added there is no alternative but to agree to the Russian

A Pekin telegram says: The French demands upon China, in addition to those cabled from Pekin last night, include that the director of the imperial postoffice be a Frenchman, evidently with the view of separating it from the control of Sir Robert Hart, the director of the Chinese imperial maritime customs, and the cession of a coaling station at Kwang Chou is demanded on the same terms as Kiao Chau Bay is ceded to Germany, with a railroad concession, to include exclusive mining privileges. Eight days are allowed China in which to reply to the French demands, and threats are interpreted to indicate the French occupation of the province of Hainan unless the Chinese comply.

Steamship Arrivals. At

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The Work Lightning

Colborne Family Receive a Bad Shock -Farm Buildings Destroyed-Church Set on Fire.

Colborne, Ont., March 18 .- The residence of T. L. Chatterson, lot 26, con. 2, Cramahe, was damaged by lightning Wednesday evening. The family received a shock which stunned them for some time. The bedstead, near which Mrs. Chatterson was standing, was shattered. The barn of Samuel Bennett, Cra-

mahe, was also destroyed by fire occasioned by lightning. Stottville, Que., March 18.-St. Valentine Catholic Church was struck by lightning and was burned down. The church ornaments were nearly all sav-Loss, \$90,000; insurance, \$15,000. Balsam, Ont., March 18 .- During a thunder storm which passed over here Wednesday evening the barns, stables and outbuildings on the farm of Thomas McAvoy, of Pickering, were struck by lightning, and the whole of the contents and part of the live stock were destroyed; loss \$4,000, insurance

FAKE NEWSPAPERS.

One of Their Promoters Sent to the

Central Prison for 18 Months. An Ottawa dispatch says: James Harvey, publisher of the fake newspaper Canadian Homestead, who swindled many persons in Westminster and other western townships, and who was tried last week for receiving money under false pretenses, and using the mail for the purpose of fraud was sentenced this morning to 18 months' hard labor in the Central Prison. In the interval between the trial and the sentence Judge Mosgrove made some inquiries into Harvey's antecedents, and discovered that his previous character was nothing to his credit. He secured a list of the aliases under which Harvey had worked in different parts of the country, and found that he had been almost everything to all men."

KOMOKA. Komoka, March 18 .- Mr. and Mrs. D. McLaughlan, of Lobo, left for Brooke on Thursday morning to funeral of the late J. McVicar, brother-in-law of Mr. McLaughlan. Sawing bees are in full swing these days-no less than two yesterday, one at Mr. Scoin's, the other at Mr. Robertson's, just a short distance apart. Mr. Israel Doan is reported sick with malarial fever. Plowing commenced in this locality

last Wednesday. Painter C. Lowe is very busy at present. Mr. W. Woolcot, merchant, is on the

on the road today. Don't forget the medal contest tonight.

WARDSVILLE Wardsville, March 18 .- People here who claim they know, declare that the river has not for over forty years reached the height it attained here this week. The north approach was somewhat damaged, and traffic was discontinued for a few days.

A. Thomas gave a full report of the E. L. convention last Sunday night. On Tuesday evening, a load of young people from Flemings surprised Mr. T. Pole and enjoyed an oyster supper. M. A. Pole, of London, is visiting friends here. Mrs. J. Moody is moving to town.

George Thompson is recovering from his recent injuries.

LIFE SAVED.-Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any other remedies do me good.

Insurance companies claim that cycling is more dangerous than traveling either by railway or ship.

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March 21 and Following Days. THE BASINETTE. 2042 Dundas Street.

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