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Ald. Mounteer is acting Mayor, ow-ing to Mayor Sulman being out of the city.

A number of lads were swimming in the river opposite Drader's mill

on Saturday. Rev. W. H. G. Colles conducted the services and preached in St. Mary's Church, Walkerville, yesterday. It is worth your while to call and see the nice assortment of rustic chairs,

lawn seats, lawn flower stands, at Westman Bros. In the Peninsular Football League at Walkerville on Saturday Wind-sor defeated Walkerville by 1 goal

A committee has been appointed to make arrangements for the annual church parade of Court Hope, No. 6,244, A. O. F., which takes place on the first Sunday in

Yesterday was the feast of St. Joseph in the Roman Catholic calendar and the day was fittingly commemorated here by the celebration of solemn high mass at St. Joseph's Church.

In the report of the West Kent Licenses Commissioners' meeting the granting of a license to D. Gonyeau, of Pain Court, was inadvertantly omitted. Mr. Gonyeau granted his license for the full year.

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m Martin had seven bags of cate ICE RUNNING stolen from his barn one and one half miles out Victoria avenue on Saturday evening. Mr. Martin is the possessor of a clue and feels confident of rounding up the

John Armstrong, principal of the Newbury Public School, spent Satur-day and Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Macoun, Prince street. Mrs. Macoun has been seriously ill for some time but is slowly recovering.

David Flook began pumping the sand and mud from the old gunboat this morning. The work of raising the boat will be proceeded with at

"Andy" Beck, or Epperson, appeared before Judge Bell this morning and elected to be tried by jury at the general sessions, opening here on June 11. Beck is charged with stabbing Mrs. Ellison.

Back of Mr. Marshall's farm, about four miles up the river, the washing away of the bank has revealed the burial place of some man. The coffin had evidently been of oak, but nothing was left but dust. Even the nails were rusted away so as to be scarcely recog-nizable. It had evidently been buried

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Thos. Dalton, of Detroit, is visiting riends in the city.

Mayor Greenwood, of Blenheim, the city to-day. Court of Revision

journed till next week. Edward Sharp, of Chicago, who has been risiting his father, Wm. Sharp, returned

home Saturday evening.

Mr. J. H Oldershaw has just received a carload of fine brick and clay at his yards, three doors west of Harrison hall, Welling-

The examination of the plaintiff in Slo vs Sloan took place this morning before Special Examiner Holmes. W. F. Smith appeared for the defendants and J. B. Rankin, K. C., for the plaintiff.

At a meeting of the teachers of Holy Trinity Sabbath school held yesterday afternoon the financial report for the year was presented by the treasurer. It was very satisfactory showing a balance in the bank to the credit of the school of \$90. The school is also entirely free from debt of any kind.

Rev. Thos. Cornish, of this city, who has lately been ordained in the ministry of the Baptist church and who has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Baptist church, Pontiac, read the lesson and led in the opening prayer at the service in the William St. Baptist church last night. Mr. Cornish leaves for Pontiac on Thursday.

The water at Tick-a-Tack Point, near Mitchell's Bay, is now exceptionally tionally low. Yesterday on the exposed sands Mrs. Isaac Heath found a flint-lock rifle and shot gun, made in 1812, with hammer up and loaded; also a jack-knife, metal frying pan, and an axe, the latter forg-ed by a blackmith and a lot of This is an interesting find and doubtless has a history.

COMMENDABLE ACTION. "The spitting of tobacco juice on King street sidewalks is going to be stopped," said Officer Thomas Groves this morning. "I got the names of several offenders yesterday, and they will be summoned to appear in the police court. It isn't necessary for men to stand on the corner and defile the sidewalk with pools of filth for ladies to wade through. The men who do it commit the act thoughtlessly in most cases, and when they find that by spitting on the sidewalk they are breaking the law, they will stop. We don't want to be hard on any one, but just to get all in the habit of spitting on the roadway."

These are the Conditions which Prevai at St. Clair and Marine City To day.

St. Clair, Mich., 'April 29. - The river opened here yesterday morning but was full of running ice all day and is still so. The water fell nine inches vesterday forenoon and commenced to rise in the afternoon, and is now seven inches higher than Saturday. Indications are that it is probably blocking below. The ferry Welcome came over from Courtright yesturday and resumed her regular trips this morning. There are no boats tied up here, but several passed down yes-

terday. It is reported they are tied up at Marine City.

Algonac, Mich., April 29. — The water has raised three feet in the last 24 hours. The river below is blocked with the heavest ice. with the heaviest ice of the season.

Pearl Beach, Mich., April 29.—The ice
off this point is as solid as in midwinter, and the water has risen to a point 18 inches above normal. The "oldest inhabitant" is unable to remember such conditions in this vicinity. A big steamer is visible off Point Du Chene, in the north channel,

with steam up, but she dcesn't seem to be with steam up, but she doesn't seem to be making any headway.

Marine City, Mich., April, 29.—Ice running heavy and faster than at 7 a.m. The water is three and one-half feet higher than normal, but is lowering now. The fleet tied up here consists of the Niagara, St. Paul, Northwestern, Plankington, and Bielman. The 'America, which came down Sunday, is reported aground in the north channel near the Miller farm.

Sir Louis and Lady Davies and Hon. Clifford and Mrs. Sifton were at Sy racuse on Saturday night.

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Col. Sam. Holmes Blossoms Into a Wealthy Land Monopolist.

s now Negotiating With a New Yor Syndicate With a View to Leasing mis Acres.

"I own 5,000 acres of land in Do ver; yes, sir, 5,000 acres," said Col. Sam Holmes this morning, and he dwelt fondly on the 5,000 as he ut tered it. It was evidently a new experience for the genial Colonel to be wealthy land owner.

"I never knew how much land owned until yesterday when John Holmes, Robt. Pritchard and myself went out to my farm at Mitchell's Bay. The water has gone down and left a half-mile of land tacked on to the rear of my farm. It is all pure white sand and as hard as a board. "There were 20 rigs driving on my new farm and as many bicycles. The ground is well packed and makes

splendid wheeling.
"I expect to make lots of money out of my farm this year. You see, some of it is marshy; so I am using that part of it for raising wild rice. Then a company in New York is going to start a frog farm at the Bay I have offered them the use of my farm and if they accept! I will make \$2,000 a year out of the frogs."

And the newly acquired land owner sat down to think it all over.

CARRIED OFF

List of Prize Winners at the Peninsular Fair.

Fine Forses are Credited Wi the Principal Honors.

The following is the list of prize winners at the Spring Peninsular Fair, which was held in this city on Saturday :-Aged Percheron Stallion, 1st, Black-

bird, Geo. McGarvin; 2nd, Raison, Geo. McGarvin. Aged Clydesdate Stallion, 1st, Kingscraft, Reuben Brend; 2nd prize, Royal

Prince, O. A. Coates. Three-year-old Clydesdale Stallions, 1st, Pride of Canada, Ed. Bigger. 181 Aged Canadian Draft Stallion, 1st, Sunbeam, E, Hinds; 2nd, Nicholas, J.

W. Fleming. Three year old Shire Stallion, 1st, in any way.

Bank of Wales, Frank Drury.

Aged Carriage Stallion, 1st High the flour it recovers from the branching that Noon, D. and J. McLachlan; 2nd, Mockmessenger, R. W. Winters. Aged German Coach Stallion, 1st, Nigger, Fred. Weaver; 2nd, --, J. B. Aged Roadster Stallions, 1st, Bas-

Aged Roadster Stallions, 1st, Bassora, E. Cornettet; 2nd, Royal Rysdyke, E. B. Tole.

Three year old Roadster Stallions, 1st, Stanley D., David Muckle; 2nd Wild Bryno, Chas, Crowe.

Thoroughbred Blood Stallion, 1st, Arlington, W. O. McGuigan.

Thomas H. Arneld of Louisville research Thomas H. Arnold, of Louisville, received the diploma for having the best thoroughbred two-year-old Durham bull in West Kent.

WORSHIPPED IN DECOLLETE GOWNS

Ladies Furnish a Novel Spectacle at a London West End Church.

London, April 29 .- A novel spectacle was presented here last evening, men and women attending a West End church in evening dress. Dr. Gray, the incumbent of St. George's, in Albemarle street, has instituted special late services for fashionable people, who profess that dinner engagements prevent their going to church evenings. Many women attended in de-collete dress, with theatre wraps. Dr. Gray found it necessary to explain that it was not, as supposed, an even-ening dress service, but still there was no reason why people should not attend in evening dress if it was convenient for them to do so. It is possible that the innovation will be-come fashionable, especially while it

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WAS SUDDENLY

TERMINATED

Rather Peculiar Reason. Ottawa, April 29.—A suit at the assizes came to a sudden termination Saturday. Joseph Marshall was suing Samuel Armour, a contractor, for the death of the former's son, Wm. Marshall, who was killed in an excavation made by Armour. When the court adjourned for lunch the defendant was in the box. His Lorship omitted the usual precaution to the jury that while out for dinner they were not to talk to any one about the case, nor discuss it among themselves. His Lordship went back to give the jury the warning, and found that the defendant was explaining his case to them with ardor. When the court resumed the judge refused to proceed further, and sent the case over to the autumn sittings.

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tumn sittings. A FLOUR SAVER.

John Piggott & Sons, of this city, have secured the Canadian right to manufacture and sell what is known as the Davidson detacher and finish er, a patent flour attachment, and intend to manufacture them on very large scale.

They secured the right on January 2nd and have since then given it sev-eral good tests, which have proved very satisfactory, showing that it is a good thing, and have not yet had one word detrimental said against it

and shorts will pay for the price of it in one month. It requires so little floor space and power that it can be set in places where no other machine

for similar work can be put. They have not yet decided whether will manufacture them here or they will manufacture them here at Chatham, but in either case have to double their staff where they make them and enlarge their factory. -Windsor Record.

Adam Laidlaw, of Hamilton, is dead.

Mr. Halliday's election in North Bruce

A case of smallpox is reported in the vicinity of Waterloo Town. Gabriel Bergeron, of Lancaster, was struck and killed by a train.

Wm. J. Archer, Toronto, was fatally oursed in his home on Saturday night. A WARLIKE FIND

Ex-Ald. John Liddy states that Mr. McLaren, the Mitchell's Bay stage-driver, told him that Mrs. McLaren had found an old flint-lock shot gun made in 1812, a rifle, a jack-knife and an old hand-made axe just off Tick-a-Tack Point at Mitchell's Bay. Mrs. McLaren found the arms in the sand exposed by the low water. Ald. Liddy says that there must have been axe-ident there at some time, and that the boat had evidently upset.

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St. George's is the chapel where Thackeray immortalized the Rev. Mr. Honeyman in the "Newcombes."

Louis G. Evans, of the 90th Batt., was fined at the Winnipeg Police Court for neglecting to attend drills.

Intending passengers for any Pacific Coast Points, including San Francisco, Los Angeles, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Victoria or Vancouver, will consult their interests by calling on W. E. Rispin, general passenger and ticket agent, 115 King street, who will issue tickets to any of the above points on any Tuesday from now until the end of April at \$38.70 each.

Another Chapter About

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