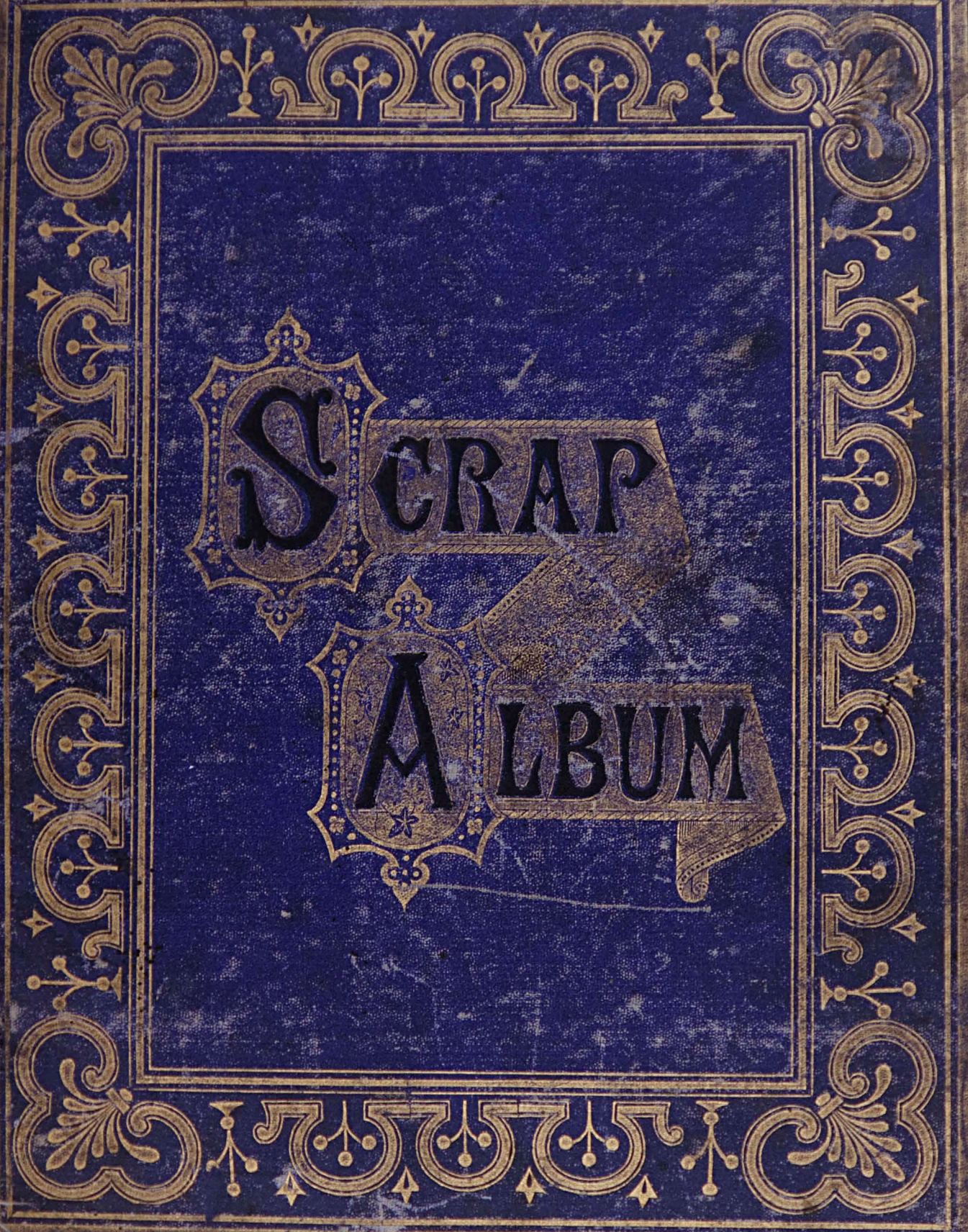


SCRAP
ALBUM



Miss

W

Wishes



SHOULD OLD Acquaintance
BE FORGOT
And never brought to mind
That be an album to contain
Some taken of my Party Friends
OF
MULD LANG SYNE

1879



Lady Consequence









MINE





Love.
Whoso rich and honest
Love are thine,
Love thee, love thee
ever dearly.



DOES YOUR MOTHER KNOW YOUR OUT





Leçon de Flûte

RAISING A FEW NOTES



Leçon de Violon

A VILE INN

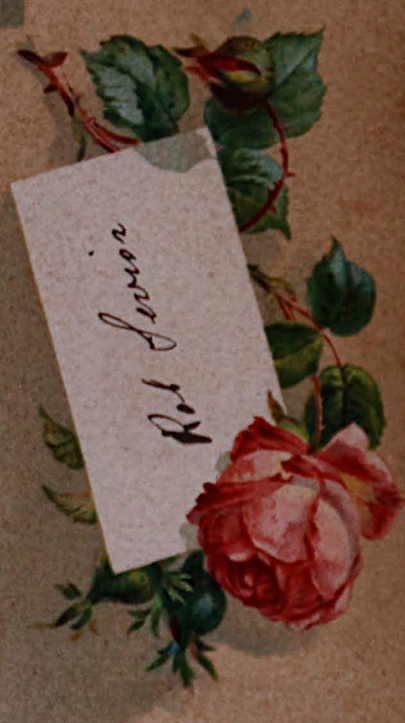


All that glitters is not gold,
sometimes it's a diamond

ow chaos to nature's
il rivet en gallop. -



A bird in the
hand
gathers no more.



There are
no over
of



Good
to
you



TO A
DEAR ONE

Why should I blush
To say to all
That virtue holds
My heart in
all.



TO A
DEAR ONE

*Why should I
blush
To own I love
His love that rules
The realms above.
Why should I blush
To say to all
That virtue holds
My heart in
all.*











White for after



1^{er}

Les Chinois de
sont de vrais
Et puis qu'il
C'est qu'ils sont



Couplet
la Chine
Chinois
sont de la Chine
Chinois.



2^{er}

Les Chinois de la
sont de vrais
Et s'ils n'étaient
Ils ne seraient
Mais puis qu'ils
C'est qu'ils



Couplet
Chine
Chinois
pas de Chine
pas Chinois
sont de la Chine
sont Chinois



Ma Fook







TEACH me
Thy way,
O LORD.



SOUR GRAPES











Mignonette

I know thou art not beautiful,
But yet within thine eyes
A calm, bright light is gleaming
As sunshine from the skies;
A golden hue is falling
Upon thy soft brown hair.
Thou art to me so lovely,
I could not wish thy fair.
I know thou art not beautiful,
But ever in thy face
A holy light-reveals
A heart and inward grace;
A sweet and quiet spirit
Nath less unto thee given,
And thou art but preparing
On earth to live in heaven.
Gladie





UP TO MISCHIEF





- CRIBE



M

LEO
De Leeuw is iemand
die bang is voor niemand.



- SEILER -

De Leeuw is
en zijn gemalin.



- NELSON -



BOXER



- WALLACE -



- NEROE -





~ ~ ~ To Winnie ~ ~ ~

Thou hast winning Eyes Winnie
Glad and passing bright,
Eyes by their gentle fire
Setting hearts all right,



And Oh, thou hast a heart Winnie;
Well its truth I know,
How it beats at others pleasure,
-Meets at others no.



Fairest, rarest charm thou bearest
Rich though others be,
It must beat for somebody,
"Winnie" let it beat for me.

H.M.M. 16th Aug. 1879





LEAP FROG



THE FIRST RIDE



Many a shaft at random
Sent,
Finds aim the Archer
little meant,
And many a word at random
Spoken,
May soothe or wound a heart
That's broken. ~





Essence Of Tulips







SPRING.

CONFIDENTIAL.

Miss:—

I've watched your pretty form
Glide up the thoroughfare;
And often questioned in my mind—
"I wonder who you are?"

Suppose I should make so bold
And would you think it right,
For me to ask you on the sly,
To see you home to-night!



MY WISH.

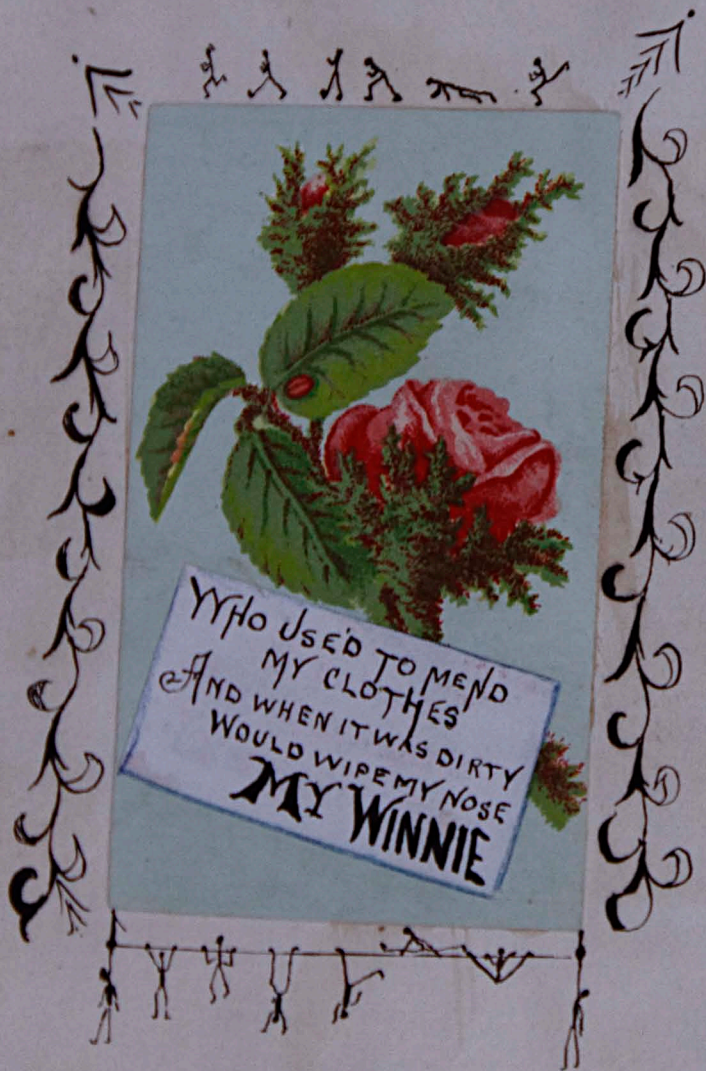
— — —

May the
blessing of thy
God wait upon thee ;
may the sun of glory shine
around thy head ; and may
the gates of plenty, honour, and
happiness, be always open to thee and
thine. May no sorrow distress thy days ;
may no strife disturb thy nights ; and may the
pillow of peace kiss thy cheek, and pleasure of
imagination attend thy dreams ; and, when length
of years makes thee tired of earthly joys, and the cur-
tains of death gently close around the last scene
of thy existence, may the angels of God at-
tend thy bed, and take care that the ex-
piring lamp of life shall not receive one
rude blast to hasten its extinction ;
and, finally, may the Saviour's
blood wash thee from all
impurities, and at last
usher thee into a
land of ever-
lasting fe-
licity.





-- STILL SO GENTLY OER ME STEALING --



WHO USED TO MEND
MY CLOTHES
AND WHEN IT WAS DIRTY
WOULD WIPE MY NOSE
MY WINNIE



"THE LITTLE DOCTOR."

THE LITTLE DOCTOR





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	Miss Jenny Watt
	Madelon ...
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Countryman ...	Mr. Bartlett
First Customer ...	Mr. Levy
Painter ...	Second Customer ...
Boy ...	Mr. Allison
Lady Optima FitzHoward (<i>creme de la creme</i>) ...	Master Hart
Emily FitzHoward (her daughter) ...	Mr. J. Cesar
Mrs. Worts (the brewer's own) ...	Mrs. Edouin Bryer
Ada Worts (her daughter) ...	Miss Maggie Stewart
Sarah (Lady FitzHoward's maid) ...	Miss Doby Stewart
Female Customer ...	Miss Alice Deorwyn
	Miss Jenny Bryce
	Miss Georgina Maynard
	Little Girl ...

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THE following synopsis of the plot has been kindly placed at our disposal by the author, F. R. C. Hopkins, Esq. :—

“A large portion is original, but a part of the plot is derived from one of Ouida's novels. The chief character is John Gladstone Smith, a sort of Mephistophelian Iago, a compound of shrewdness and villiany, who pretends to be the friend, while he is really the enemy of Sir Charles Mordaunt, a reputed millionaire. Smith plots the ruin of Mordaunt, intrigues with his creditors, and leaves him beggared. Mordaunt, reduced almost to starvation, contemplates suicide, and passes through a series of hardships, during which he finds a faithful and affectionate friend in Madelon, a peasant girl, whom he eventually marries. In the final act, Mordaunt, after passing through various trials, and having had his life attempted by Smith, regains possession of his property at the same time that fortune turns her tables on his opponent. Smith, being about to be imprisoned, reveals the fact that he is the natural son of Mordaunt's father.”

To My Little friend A —

The ships that meet upon a world wide waste
Of waters in a peaceful summer calm,
And hail each other with a heart felt joy,
May part to meet no more. At even tide,
The myrt clouds gather, and the storm wind shakes
Them far asunder on their watery way;
So we, indeed, may never meet again,
Until the shell wing haven's reached at last.
Yet, sometimes, in your fancy thoughts perchance
& mem'ry of the by gone hours will come
And etal some faint remembrance from your brain.
May glad some youth that riches cannot buy,
Linger on the way's footsteps in your way,
And keep you in God's sunshine crown'd with flowers.
May all as good and fair, as you, ne'er know
The mark of rude unkindly sorrow's hand;
While LOVE and HOPE, like guiding stars shine bright,
Beyond the friendships of a callous world.
Oh! pure and bright as sparkling mountain dew,
Unquill'd by a world of care and pain,
Unspoiled by stage tricks of a Social Art,
The great World's flattery & its empty praise,
You sum the shadow of a summer's dream
And waft one back to better happier hours
When we like you were children, gathering fair,
Sweet blossoms, in the happy garden fields
With ears unheeded and the Past forgot.
Here, in the midst of flocks & herds alone
With constant sound of busy, active life
Of every kind or shape stamp'd out,
One's nature's dull and commonplace
as lead.
It matters little, if you only
say,
With this poor paper in your dainty
hands:-
" 'Twas time alone and age that could
efface
" One writes here written by a kindly friend
" Whose work perchance has ceased for ever more.

H.



→ The Pet of the Ballet ←

Better hang the
corony. Man. than hang
no Man at all -



Jack Humming



Robert Ford

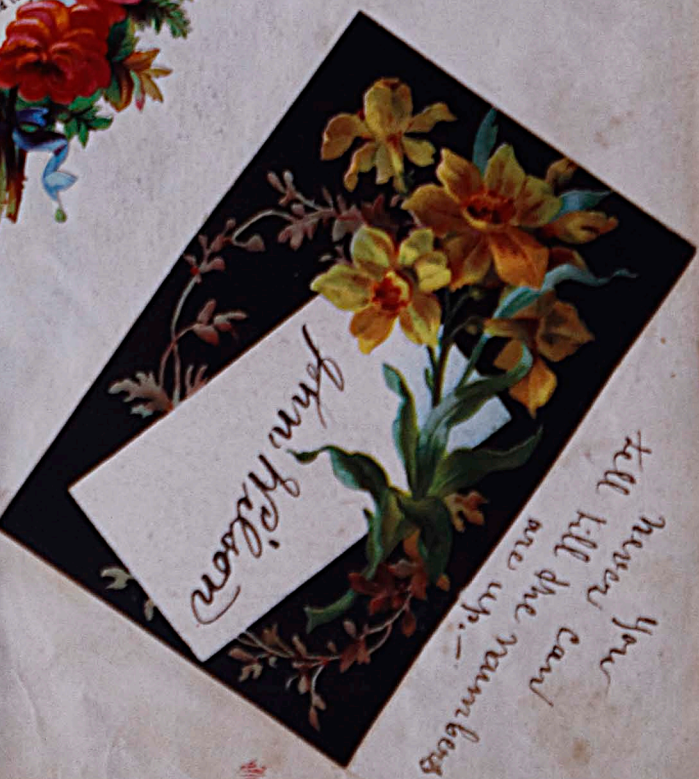


From
a
dear friend

Love
faithful and true



Thank you



John Nelson

Tell never you
tell tell the numbers
and up.

What is it?

FOLDED AWAY.

By FIDELIA.

Day by day, we fold away
Some treasure that our heart holds dear,
Some cherished thing to which we cling
And bless with many a kiss and tear.

A shred of lace may hold a place
That jewels rare could never win :
With love untold a ribbon old
Is laid our dearest shrine within.

A little tress we fondly press
Unto a heart that aches with pain,
Then, with a sigh for days gone by,
We fold it from our sight again.

And is there not a hallowed spot,
In memory's casket lying low,
Where day by day we fold away
Our heart-thoughts lest the world should know ?

Many a one, now lost and gone,
In sweet day dreamings we behold,
Who, in our sleep, come back to keep
With us their vigils as of old.

And yet, alas ! such dreams must pass.
Life's sterner duties must be met !
Quickly we turn and strive to learn
That cruel lesson—to forget !

When from the gleam of love's sweet dream
Our hearts awake in sad surprise,
How dimly burn, where'er we turn,
The lesser lights that meet our eyes !

When o'er the dead our tears are shed,
While on the silent lips we press
The last fond kiss—oh, is not this
The summit of life's loneliness ?

And yet we know though all lie low
Whom we have ever loved or known,
Still we must live and learn to give
To earth the claims it calls its own.

O grief untold ! with hearts grown old,
Like flowers blighted in a day,
How fondly then from sight of men
We fold our dear dead loves away !





Compliments
of the Season.



His festive Season bring you
many pleasures, and few sorrows!



A Happy New Year
to you



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Love in hope
never despair

Love me little
Love me long

Mrs. J. A. Neal

C. W. Burge

Forget
me not.

A
true heart.

Yours
to ever.

WINNIE

I love
you for that.

J. Postman

It is never too late to mend

Oh the early bird gets the worm







William Powell.

Hope on, hope ever.



Jean de Launay

Honi soit qui mal y pense

Hope on, hope ever.

— Hope on, hope ever. —



William Powell

1222 on 1224



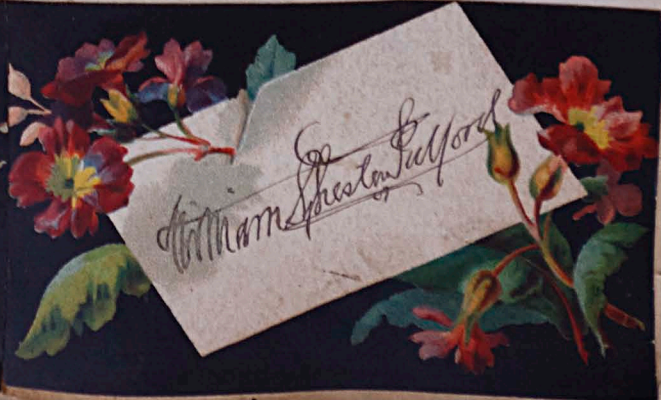
William Powell

— Eo quod victore

Mein Liebster was Bils den ich mich



Hans Bürgel
Mein



William Powell

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H. M. Marks

J. G. WEDDELL,

Hon. Sec.

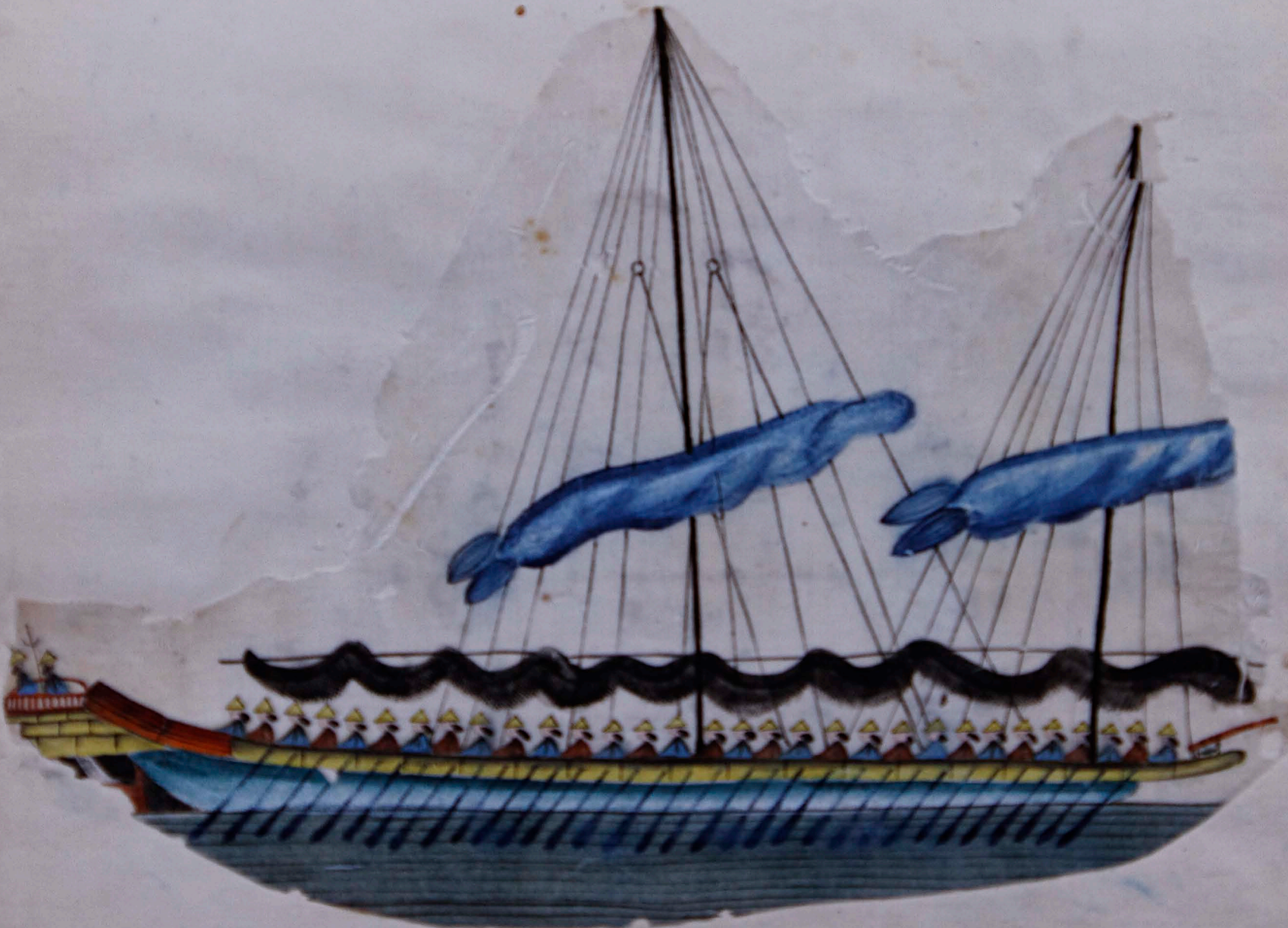


HARD*TIMES





I WANDERED BY THE SAD SEA WAVES





I COULD LIVE IN A DESERT IF ONLY WITH THEE





HE HAS LEARNED TO LOVE ANOTHER



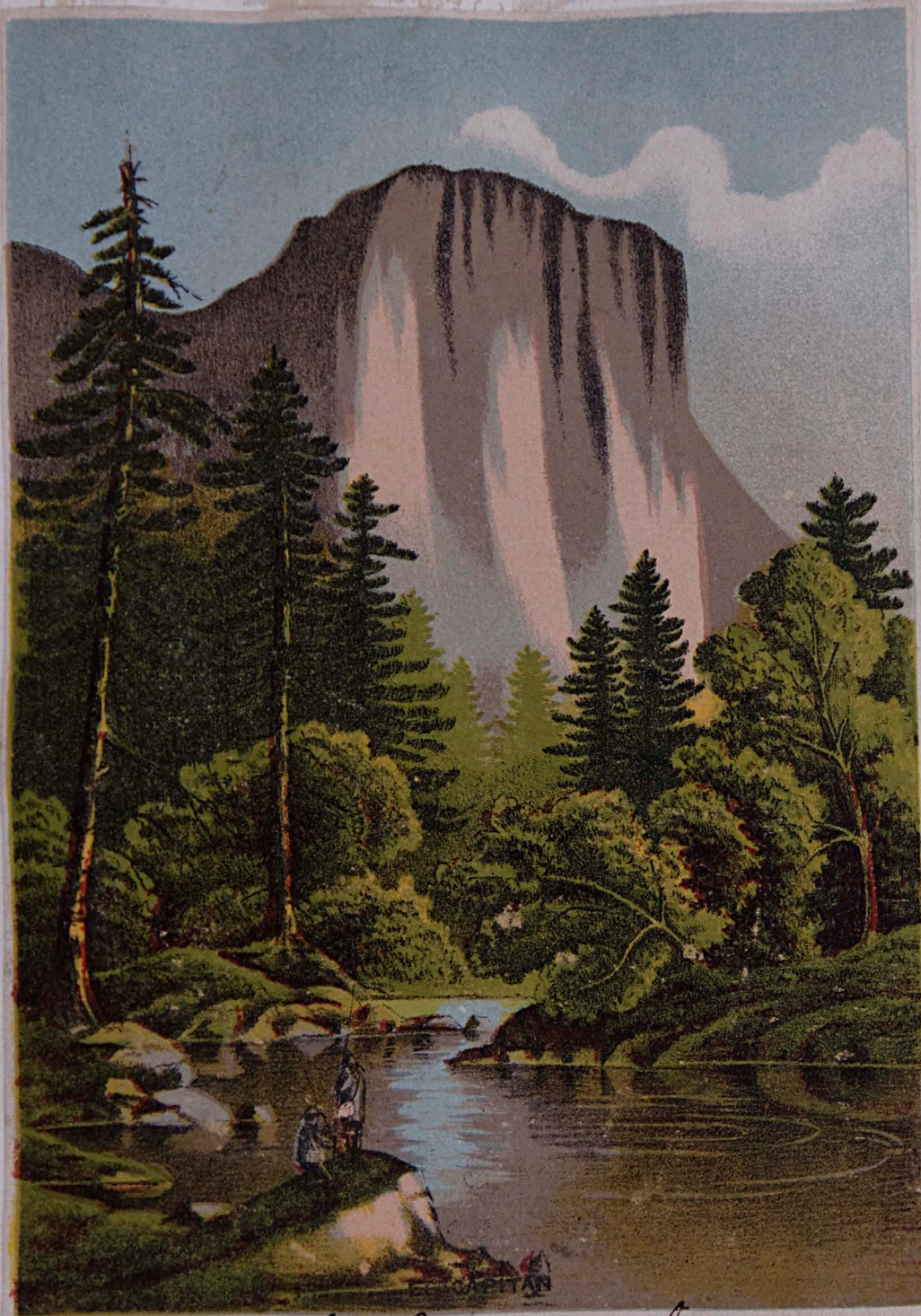
HUMMING BIRDS

the Graceful Train Bearer and the Puff Leg Hummingbird



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The Sun Gem and the Brilliant Humming Bird



W. L. Capitan



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Yosemite Valley



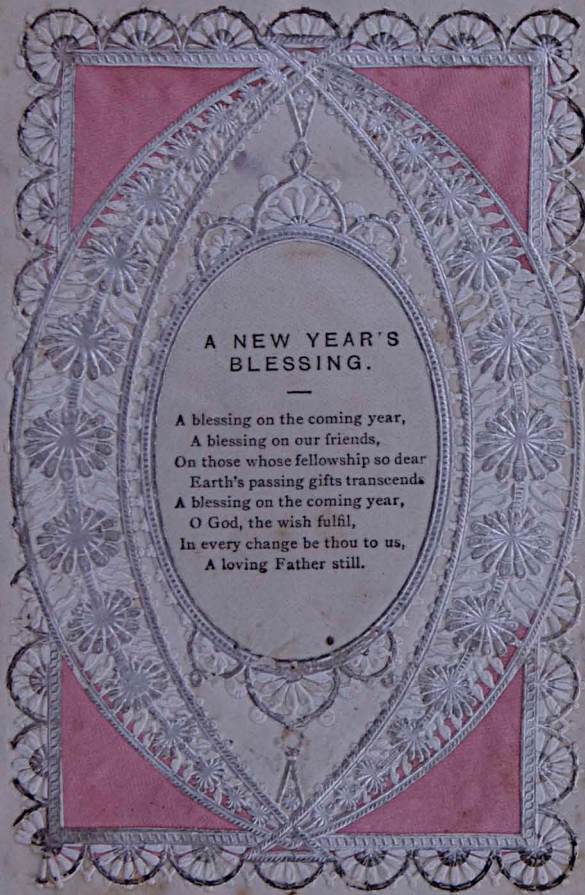
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À Dieu mon âme
Ma Vie pour Roi
Mon cœur pour ma Dame
L'Honneur pour moi

H. Acton ter.

Taken from
the Prison Wall
at Port Arthur
May - 1903



A NEW YEAR'S
BLESSING.

—
A blessing on the coming year,
A blessing on our friends,
On those whose fellowship so dear
Earth's passing gifts transcends
A blessing on the coming year,
O God, the wish fulfil,
In every change be thou to us,
A loving Father still.





M. & C.

Heartsease and the Roses of
life be your dower
Heart loyal to heart through
Sunshine and shower.





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THE MAYORAL ELECTION.

The election and installation of Cr. Marks as mayor of Bendigo for the ensuing twelve months took place yesterday at the Town Hall. But previous to the performance of these formal acts and the handing over of the official robes, mayoral gold chain and keys of office to his successor, the retiring mayor, Cr. D. B. Lazarus, as is usual on such occasions, gave a brief statement relating to several matters of interest to the citizens contained in reports furnished by the officers of the council. As the end of the financial year is not due until 30th September, these reports necessarily refer to only nine months of the year. Nevertheless they give a very good idea of the position of the city financially and otherwise. The

retiring mayor congratulated the citizens on the sound condition of the finances, and considered that no city in the colony was in so good a position. In these days of financial collapse this is a very important matter, and councillors are deserving of every credit for their watchful care of the city funds and expenditure. Touching the £25,000 loan of 1884, it was stated that its extinction in 1903 has been provided for. To meet the liability there are £13,200 invested in Government inscribed stock, and £3,500 of the council's debentures have been repurchased, leaving only £8,300 to be met. This is to be done by payments of £1,000 a year for the next seven years, which, with the interest on the invested money, will wipe out the loan. Roughly, the main assets of the city, comprising such items as the Bath Corner buildings, cattle yards, etc., are estimated at £86,000, the liabilities at £8,300. That is healthy enough. A further evidence of the prosperity of the city was cited in the way the rates for the year have come in. Out of a total of £10,600 the sum of nearly £9,000 has been received. The sanitary rate had also been well met, as £3,691 had been received out of a total of £5,350. On this question the retiring mayor was somewhat apologetic. He alluded to the high cost of the system, but considered that was incidental to its establishment, and he was hopeful that with the experience gained the council would be able to reduce the minimum rate. One pleasing feature will be noted by the citizens, and that is the expenditure of £2,595 during the year on new works—not maintenance—as against £1,931 in the previous year. That may be taken as evidence that councillors are anxious to improve the city, to say nothing of the large amount of employment it has afforded at a time when it was so much required. The issue of building permits is a good indication of permanent prosperity, and the 299 taken out this year, as against 253 last year, shows that Bendigo has a strong and healthy growth. Congratulations were given on the increased lighting of the city, but regret was expressed that the estimate of returns from the cattle market had not come up to expectations. This, however,

could scarcely be otherwise in view of the losses in cattle caused by the drought and the stock tax, which prevented cattle being brought to the market. The report of the health officer was referred to as one deserving of most serious consideration. It shows that deaths from consumption are far too great, and on the increase. Last year they amounted to 68; this year to 72. On this subject the retiring mayor spoke very feelingly. The cause, he said, was not climatic, as there was no healthier district in the colony than Bendigo, but arose from the bad ventilation of the mines in the deep ground. It was sending many of their young men—strong, healthy and active before entering the mines—to an early grave. Such a loss was a national loss, and he believed Parliament would take action in the matter. These opinions and hopes will find a wide endorsement in this and other mining districts. Gold obtained at such a sacrifice of the flower and manhood of the country is too dearly won.

In relinquishing office, Councillor Lazarus cordially thanked the councillors and officers of the council for the great assistance they had rendered in the discharge of his responsible duties, and there was a sincere and hearty ring in the speeches on the vote of thanks to the retiring mayor which will find a generous response in the hearts of the citizens. For two years he has occupied the position of mayor with a dignity, courtesy, kindness and attention to official and social functions worthy of all praise. His acceptance of office for the second time was only at the urgent and unanimous request of the council, and it proved most gratifying to the citizens. It was recognised on all sides that he was peculiarly fitted to fill the position, and the manner in which he received the vice-regal visitor did honor to himself and the city. It is not at all surprising that Councillor Abbott paid him the high compliment he did, when he said that he had seen all the mayors of the city, men of great worth and ability, and he was constrained to say that Councillor Lazarus had been a worthy successor to the very best of them. In the new mayor, the citizens have a gentleman at their head who was born within a stone's throw of the Town Hall, and whose every year of his life has been known to them. Of his character as a citizen there is but one opinion, and that is of the highest kind. To his marked ability as a manager the Easter Fair and the Bendigo Agricultural Society owe much of their success during the years he has been secretary, and on various social movements he has ever been ready to serve. As a councillor he has brought a degree of intelligence to bear in the interests of the city that shows his heart and soul are in his work, and is a guarantee of his fitness for the onerous position he now occupies. The honor has been fairly won, and we wish him every success in the discharge of his duties.

OLD AND YOUNG BENDIGONIANS.

A PLEASANT feature about the mayoral election yesterday was the presence of several old Bendigonians, and their strong expressions of approval with regard to the ex-Mayor and Mayor. We have referred already to Councillor Abbott's very high compliment to Councillor Lazarus on the manner in which he had fulfilled the duties of his office during the past year. His opinion was echoed by all the councillors present, Councillors Harkness and Hoskins making specially laudatory remarks with regard to the ex-Mayor. The kindly feeling towards the new Mayor was also very hearty, and was not only expressed in the Council Chamber, but in the Finance-room afterwards over a glass of wine, where Mr. T. H. Henderson proposed his health in most kindly terms. The good feeling of the old Bendigonians towards the young Bendigonians was reciprocated, and the remarks of Councillor Hobson in proposing the health of the "Pioneers" were heartily endorsed by all present. Mr. Jacob Cohn, who responded, was only checked in his desire to be reminiscent by the want of time, while Mr. W. D. C. Denovan, in acknowledging the good wishes of those present towards the old pioneers, said that Councillor Marks was the third son of a worthy old Bendigonian who had been elected to the mayoral chair, the late Councillor Connelly and ex-Mayor Lazarus being the others. It is worthy of remark that the new mayor in thanking the council for electing him stated that he was born within a stone's throw of the Town Hall. He would not say how old he was, but confessed to being more than 17. This confession raised a laugh which probably induced the new mayor in a further burst of confidence to state that one of his ambitions as a boy was to be the first native mayor of Bendigo. Another was the desire to be a jockey. He had not quite got the first mentioned wish, although he had come very near it. With regard to his second, there is no knowing what may happen to a man in Victoria.

ELECTION OF MAYOR.

INTERESTING RESUME BY EX-MAYOR LAZARUS.

CR. H. M. MARKS INSTALLED.

A special meeting of the City Council was held at 10 o'clock yesterday morning for the purpose of electing the mayor for the ensuing year. There were present:—Crs. D. B. Lazarus (the retiring mayor), Marks, Heskins, Abbott, Hobson, Harkness and M. Gowan. Apologies were received from Crs. Carolin and Ryan.

The mayor, after referring to the object for which they had met, stated that the unanimous selection of Cr. Marks for the position of mayor, was a matter upon which he could heartily congratulate the council and the citizens. (Hear, hear.) Before he (Cr. Lazarus) vacated the position he would take the opportunity of thanking councillors for the uniform courtesy, kindness and consideration extended to him throughout his term of office. To him the term had been one of great pleasure. It had brought many responsibilities, but he had tried his best to fulfil the duties of the high and important office in a manner that would be satisfactory to the council and to the citizens. During the year he had had many opportunities of meeting the citizens, and asking kindness and consideration at their hands—favours which had always been accorded him, and for which he sincerely thanked them. Whatever he did during his term of office was a labor of love. He contrived to give as much time as he could possibly spare to the discharge of the duties of the office, and if he had not lowered the dignity of the position he had been amply repaid for whatever time and trouble he had given. As a young man, he determined on the first occasion that he was honored by being elected to the mayoral chair to follow in the footsteps of those who had so worthily preceded him. On these occasions it was usual for the retiring mayor to make a financial statement, but since his accession to office he had adopted a different course of procedure in view of the fact that at this juncture only nine months of the financial year could be reviewed. However, he purposed dealing briefly with a few items, which might be of interest not only to councillors but to those that took an interest in the working of the city. First of all he thought they might safely congratulate themselves upon the sound financial position in which the city at present stood. There was no municipality in the colony in a more healthy financial position than Bendigo. (Hear, hear.) In 1884 a loan of £25,000 was floated, and of that sum £13,240 had already been invested in Government inscribed stock, £2,600 of which was locked up in the Commercial Bank as deferred deposit receipts. The council had only been able to repurchase its own debentures to the extent of £3,500. That showed that the holders did not want to part with the debentures, being so well satisfied with the security that the city afforded. It would be seen that with the amount of their own debentures added they had a total of £16,700, leaving a debit balance of £8,300, which had to be paid off in seven yearly payments, ending in September, 1903, by which time they would really have more money than the amount of their indebtedness with the £1,000 a year set aside as a sinking fund and interest. That would prove that the city was in a very healthy position. As against their indebtedness of £8,300 they had good assets amounting to £86,550. That spoke for itself that the city was in a very healthy financial condition indeed. It was highly satisfactory to find that the council's revenue was still maintaining a very excellent position. Last year he had the pleasure of remarking that the rates had come in exceptionally well, and he was glad to say that such was the experience again this year. £8,947 2s 5d had been received to date out of an estimated

revenue from the general rate of £10,621, leaving in round numbers only about £1,600 to come in during the two remaining months of the financial year. The sanitary rate had also come in very well indeed. Out of an estimated revenue of £5,350 the sum of £3,691 6s 2d had been received, leaving only about £1,658 to come in. Whilst £5,350 might seem a very large amount, yet it must be remembered that it took a considerable sum of money to work so huge a system, which was such a great improvement on that of the past. It must also be borne in mind that the first cost was very heavy. However, on the last occasion that the estimates were prepared it was suggested by Cr. Harkness that a reduction in the sanitary rate might be effected. He the (speaker) had now asked the town clerk to go into the whole subject and see if a reduction could be made, so that when the estimates came before the council shortly councillors would be able to see what loss, if any, would be entailed by a reduction in the rate. Last year £1,931 were set apart for new works, whilst this year £2,595 had been expended. That had given a great deal of employment to the people who were practically dependent upon the council. A good many necessary works had been carried out during the year. They recognised that many other works needed attention, but the difficulty had been to find the money to carry out the whole of them at once. Whatever money had been spent had been expended to the best advantage and for "the greatest good to the greatest number." The Upper Reserve had been greatly improved during the year, and a handsome conservatory was now in course of construction in the Lower Reserve. Nature had not been so kind to Bendigo in the matter of beauty as it had with regard to gold, and therefore it rested with the council to beautify the place so as to make it attractive, not only for those who lived here but for those who came here as visitors. Striking and convincing evidence of the advancement of the city was afforded by the number of building permits issued by the city surveyor for the erection of new buildings. Last year he drew attention to the fact that the number of building permits issued was the largest for many years previously, and he now had the privilege and pleasure of stating that the number this year large'y exceeded it. Last year 253 permits were issued, whilst this year the number was 299, showing an increase of 46. That showed that there was permanent prosperity in Bendigo. It was thought by some that the people who came here in the early days and made plenty of money would go to places of greater interest, but it now seemed that they were not only prepared to remain here and invest their money in winning the gold from the earth, but they were prepared to make the place their home. The matter of lighting the city had occupied the attention of the council for some considerable period. The electric light had been greatly extended. They now had 35 arc lights, 260 gas lamps, and 185 kerosene lamps. As a recent deputation had pointed out, the lighting in the outskirts was not at all satisfactory. Someone had said—he believed it was Cr. Marks, not Shakespeare—that one lamp was equal to two policemen. (Laughter.) The lamps in certain parts of the city were, as Major Kirby said on the occasion of the recent deputation to the council, "litt'e better than a lighted match." The council would have to grapple with the question, and improve and extend the lighting of the city at no distant date. They must, if possible, have some better system than the present kerosene lighting. The cattle market was always looked upon as a splendid source of revenue, but the receipts for the present year had not come up to Mr. Lloyd's estimate. One of the causes was the drought, and another was that the fat stock did not come up to anticipations. It might be treading on dangerous ground to mention another cause, but he might say that the revenue from the cattle market had been greatly depreciated by the stock tax, and that there was no doubt that the revenue would be greatly increased if that obnoxious tax was out of the way. (Hear, hear.) He had received an important report from the city health officer. It showed that

the health of the city was fairly good. The deaths from typhoid fever and scarlatina were not on the increase, but had been on the decrease for some time past. One part of the report he desired to draw particular attention to, and to say that he thoroughly agreed with it. It read thus:—"This year from phthisis there were 72 deaths, and last year 68 deaths. This death rate is enormous, and I am afraid that it will not tend to diminish, but to increase, until such time as adequate ventilation in our mines is made compulsory by an Act of Parliament. The Mines department would appear to realise at last the great sacrifice of human life, and to be awakening to the necessity of doing something to protect the health of the miner. Some little time back circulars were sent to the medical men in mining centres soliciting information as to the best method of ventilation to adopt in our mines. This question of mine ventilation is a momentous one, and deserving of the immediate and earnest consideration of not only the Mining department, but of Parliament, and I trust that before another 12 months have passed something practicable will be done in this direction." That was a most important statement for an officer to make. The great dangers that the miners had to undergo in the depths of our deep mines had repeatedly been brought before the community most lamentably. It seemed pitiful to think that our young men, strong, healthy and well developed, brought up in one of the finest climates in the world, should be found in a state of decline early in life. He thoroughly agreed with the doctor that Parliament should take some action, and that within 12 months. It was not a question of whether it would lessen the production of our wealth, for every one of those young fellows that were cut down was a national loss. He sincerely hoped that Parliament would take action to protect them, and to make the mines as healthy as they possibly could be. (Hear, hear.) In conclusion he thanked the council and the citizens for the

great kindness and consideration at all times shown towards him in his official position, and said that he had tried to uphold and elevate the office of chief magistrate of this important city. (Applause.)

Cr. Harkness said he rose with very great pleasure to move that Cr. Marks be elected mayor of the city for the ensuing year. This was the 17th year that he had had the pleasure of seeing the mayor installed since he entered the council. The citizens were well aware that there had been a succession of men who had worthily filled the position, and had given satisfaction to the council and the citizenry large; and he felt quite certain that the gentleman who was to be made mayor that day would fully maintain the prestige and honor of the city. (Hear, hear.) Cr. Marks had put himself to be a good hard working energetic councillor who took a deep interest in the city and looked after the interests of his ward in particular, whilst he always worked harmoniously with his brother councillors. He was amenable to reason, and they all felt that he possessed qualities that peculiarly fitted him for the position. He was worthy of the highest honor that the citizens could confer upon him, and he (Cr. Harkness) felt that there was not a single ratepayer who would not endorse the action of the council that morning. (Hear, hear.)

Cr. Hobson seconded the motion with great pleasure. He said he had been associated with Cr. Marks as a citizen for a great number of years, and he felt that the honor about to be conferred upon him was thoroughly well deserved. The name of Harry Marks had been identified with the city in many ways for a great number of years, and he could be relied upon to fulfil the duties of mayor with credit not only to the council and the citizens, but to himself. He possessed all the attributes that befitted him for the position, and he (Cr. Hobson) wished him good health to carry out the duties of the important office.

The retiring mayor mentioned that Cr. Marks' selection was unanimously made by the councillors. The resolution was put and carried unanimously.

The newly-elected mayor was then escorted to the dais by Crs. Harkness and Hobson, and after being invested in the robes of office by Cr. Lazarus he was duly installed in the chair amidst the warm congratulations of the councillors, Cr. Abbott at the same time placing the mayoral chain round the new mayor's neck.

Cr. Harkness also congratulated the new mayor on behalf of ex-Cr. Joseph, from whom he (Cr. Harkness) had just received a telegram.

The mayor said he could hardly find words express his feelings to councillors for the high honor conferred upon him, and anything that could say would inadequately convey what he felt. He felt deeply sensible of the honor done him, and trusted that during his term of office he would do nothing that would give them cause to regret their action. He of his early ambitions as a boy was to be the first Bendigo native that occupied the mayoral chair, but his earliest ambition was to be a jockey. (Laughter.) However, two Bendigo natives had preceded him as mayor, but at least he could say he was the oldest native that had held the position. He would not say how old he was—he was more than 17—(laughter)—but he was born within a stone's throw of here they were now assembled. He had always taken the liveliest interest in the welfare of his native city, and felt proud of it. There was no better place than old Bendigo, and when they remembered the old pioneers who had borne the "brunt of the storm" in building up the city, it behoved them all to carry on the work so worthily commenced. (Hear, hear.) He trusted that the amicable relations that he existed hitherto between the mayor and councillors would be continued. The council had been termed "a happy family," and so it was as far as harmony was concerned, but as regarded public works everything was thrashed out in its fullest sense, and when those relations existed the city must reap the benefit. He found it difficult in following the footsteps of Cr. Lazarus. He was sure he was re-echoing the sentiments of all when he said that Cr. Lazarus had more than worthily represented the citizens during his mayoral term. (Hear, hear.) It was at the earnest wish of the council, in view of the anticipated visit of Lord and Lady Brassey, that Cr. Lazarus consented to accept the mayorship for a second term, it being felt that the gentleman to do the honors for the city on the occasion was Cr. Lazarus. (Hear, hear.) It was his modesty that would not allow him to take office for the second year, but after very great pressure the council succeeded in prevailing upon him to again accept the honor. It was a pleasure to be associated with Cr. Lazarus, whether as a representative in Parliament, a councillor, or as a citizen. (Hear, hear.) He (the mayor) thanked the council from the bottom of his heart for the honor done him, and promised to do his utmost, with the assistance of his wife, to uphold the dignity and prestige of the position. He then moved that a vote of thanks be passed to ex-Mayor Lazarus for the able manner in which he had discharged his duties, and that a sub-committee, consisting of Crs. Hoskins, Hobson and the mover, be appointed to draw up an address to him.

Cr. Hoskins seconded the motion, and said he could perform no more congenial task. It was a source of gratification to see a young man like Cr. Lazarus coming forward and working and guiding the council as he had during the last six years. It was gratifying also to find that he had maintained the dignity of the council. No councillor had sat at the table who could say one word against ex-Mayor Lazarus. (Hear, hear.) He had shown no bias; every consideration had been extended by him to each councillor, and he had guided with a firm and strong hand the affairs of the council. The progress of the city was wrapped up in the mayor for the time being, and in Cr. Lazarus' case everything had been well and faithfully attended to, the mayor being seen at the head of affairs all through the year. The ratepayers did not look at this fact—that in placing a councillor to represent them he should be prepared to take up the mayorship. When the time comes a councillor should have the ability to take the position and represent the

ratepayers. More care, deliberation and prudence should be exercised when councillors were elected in this direction. He did not know of any single instance where it could be said that the gentleman elected to the council was not worthy of the office of mayor, and in Cr. Lazarus' case the council could have conferred the honor on no more able man. He (Cr. Hoskins) felt a pleasure sitting under him. He was always at hand; he had the time at his disposal, and was ever ready to bend to the consideration and appeals of his brother councillors, and do his utmost for the advancement of the city. He (the speaker) most honestly and sincerely seconded the motion, and thought they could not say too much with regard to Cr. Lazarus' conduct during his term of office. (Hear, hear.)

Cr. Abbott added his tribute of admiration of the manner in which Cr. Lazarus had discharged the duties of the office. He had a pretty intimate acquaintance with all the gentlemen that had occupied the position of mayor of the city, and when he said Cr. Lazarus was thoroughly entitled to be ranked amongst the very best of them he was paying him no small compliment. (Hear, hear.) Cr. Lazarus had conducted the business of the council with the greatest credit to the council and the citizens generally. (Hear, hear.)

Cr. Harkness, in supporting the motion, said nothing could afford him greater pleasure. Cr. Lazarus had carried out the duties to the entire satisfaction of the council, and had even exceeded all that was desired. He had, moreover, conducted the business with marked ability and genuine good spirit, not going so much for the applause of men, as the one thing predominant in his mind was the interest of the city. (Hear, hear.)

Crs. McGowan and Hobson also supported the motion.

The mayor mentioned that Cr. Carolin had informed him that he would very much like to have been present, if only to say a few words of admiration of ex-Mayor Lazarus.

The resolution was carried unanimously.

Cr. Lazarus, in returning thanks, said he had done no more than his duty for the welfare of his native city, and if he had given satisfaction he was fully repaid. He paid a flattering compliment to the town clerk (Mr. W. Honeybone) and the other officers of the council for the excellent manner in which they performed their duties, and thanked them for the able assistance he had received from them. Mr. Honeybone, he said, was "most obliging," most careful and most industrious and useful, and concluded by moving a vote of thanks to the officers.

Cr. Abbott seconded the motion, and highly eulogised Mr. Honeybone and the other officers.

The motion, which was supported by the mayor, was carried unanimously.

Mr. Honeybone briefly returned thanks on behalf of the officers in appropriate terms.

On the motion of Cr. Harkness, seconded by Cr. Abbott, a vote of thanks was passed to the press.

The council then rose.

Interesting reports had been placed in the hands of the ex-mayor for his information prior to the meeting, and some of them will be found epitomised below:—

The health officer (Dr. J. M. Eadie) reported:—"During the past year typhoid fever and other infectious fevers have been present in the city, but the public health has, on the whole, been satisfactory. From typhoid fever 21 deaths were ascribed for year ended June, whilst for the corresponding period last year there were also 21 deaths. In the case of scarlatina, there has been one fatal case, whilst last year there was not a fatal case. From diphtheria there have been six deaths, and last year there were seven fatal cases. There is again a large mortality from diarrhoea. Last year the number of

deaths from this disease was 27, whilst this year the number is 20. The large majority of these deaths is amongst children, and at the dentition period. From tubercular disease, the death rate has always been large. This year from phthisis there were 72 deaths, and last year 68 deaths. We still continue to push on with the work of replacing the old wooden blocks saturated with infectious matter with good bluestone, and in addition during the year there has been a large extension of asphalt channelling. In past years we have had great trouble regarding the flushing and cleansing of the street channels. I am glad to say that this work has been carefully and well carried out during the past 12 months. All poor people requiring professional services have received my best attention, and have been supplied with the necessary medicines."

The street tree curator (Mr. J. A. Roper) reported:—"It is now about two years since we had sufficient rain to thoroughly soak the sub-soil, and the effect is beginning to be seriously felt by many of the European trees, especially those which are planted in elevated positions or where the natural drainage is great. I do not recollect such a period of drought since the years 1865 and 1866, necessitating considerable trouble in watering, etc., but it is quite impracticable to supply the needful element artificially where the area is so large. I hope, however, that the next three months will supply a copious rainfall; if not, I fear the effects will be disastrous to large numbers of trees."

The cattle market inspector (Mr. A. M. Lloyd) reported that everything at the yards was in a satisfactory state. In framing his estimates of receipts he went considerably under previous years; still he did not go low enough, the reason of the falling off being the drought. At present to the north and north-west the outlook for summer pasture was very bad. Thanks to the North-eastern and Gippsland districts we had been supplied with good meat during the winter, but he very much feared we would have to look to other localities for two or three months' beef supply.

The sanitary inspector (Mr. John Reed) reported that the routes of the vans had been changed, so that they would be seen as little as possible in the city during business hours. A total of something like 7,200 pans had been distributed throughout the city. There were 400 new pans in stock. The washing plant at the depot was in good working order, and the covering of the night soil was being carried out satisfactorily.

Reports were also sent in by the city surveyor (Mr. G. Minto), parks curator (Mr. S. G. Gadd), city inspector (Sergeant Killefadder), and dog inspector (Mr. G. Pattinson).

Subsequently, at the invitation of the mayor, about 40 citizens assembled in the committee room, where light refreshments had been provided by Mr. E. Conlen. The mayor occupied the chair, supported on his right by the ex-mayor, and on his left by Cr. Abbott, M.L.C., Mr. W. Honeybone (town clerk) being in the vice-chair. Amongst those present in addition to the councillors were—Messrs. D. C. Sterry, M.P., T. H. Henderson, J. Cohn, G. Mackay, A. Mackay, J. D. Crofts, W. D. C. Donovan, J. Millett, S. Lazarus, A. Heine, J. Glen, G. Minto, M. Cohn, C. Wood and J. Reid.

The toast of "The Queen" having been honored,

The mayor proposed the health of ex-Mayor Lazarus, and in doing so said it had been his pleasing privilege to be associated with Cr. Lazarus in many departments of life for many years, and he noticed with pleasure and pride his first election as a councillor and then as a representative in Parliament, where he had represented them so faithfully and well. (Hear, hear.) He did not know of any gentleman in the community whom they could more worthily honor than Cr. Lazarus. His charity was boundless, and the interest he evinced in the welfare of the city was very great. The handsome and dignified manner in which he entertained Lord and Lady Brassey should be placed on record for all time. (Applause.)

The toast was drunk with musical honors and cheers for Cr. Lazarus and his mother.

Cr. Lazarus, in response, said he was glad that the city had in no way retrograded during his term of office. It might be said that during his mayoralty he had neglected to a certain extent the work of the ward, but he had two most energetic colleagues, who, when his time was fully occupied, took the extra work on their own shoulders, and he was sure the ward had not suffered in that respect. (Hear, hear.) His mother and himself were deeply sensible of the honor the citizens had conferred upon him. (Applause.)

Mr. T. H. Henderson proposed the health of the mayor and mayoress. He said he had known the mayor as a child, and was satisfied he would carry out the duties of mayor in the same satisfactory way as any other position that he undertook. If he only carried out his duties the same as he did in connection with the Easter Fair, he would do remarkably well. (Applause.)

The toast was cordially received, and the mayor suitably responded.

Cr. Abbott proposed the toast of the "Press," and Mr. G. Mackay responded.

Cr. Hobson proposed "The Pioneers of Bendigo," mentioning Messrs. J. Cohn, W. D. C. Denovan, J. H. Abbott, D. C. Sterry, T. H. Henderson and J. D. Crofts, all of whom were present.

Messrs. Cohn and Denovan appropriately responded.

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THE MAYORALTY.

It was a case yesterday in the Bendigo City of speeding the parting and welcoming the coming mayor. Cr. Lazarus, though still a young man, is becoming quite a veteran in public life; he yesterday completed his second mayoralty. He is entitled to a couple of links in the mayoral chain, but there will probably be others to add on his account before he some time (in the next century) announces that the period has arrived when he feels it incumbent on him to retire in favor of younger men. This time, as it happens, he is retiring in favor of an older man—a not much older man though—but as his successor puts it a more native Bendigonian than either of his two locally born predecessors. It was Cr. Marks's way of saying that his nativity preceded by a few years that of the late Cr. Connelly of honorable and estimable memory, who was the first young Bendigonian mayor and Cr. Lazarus who was the second. Bendigo has been very happy in its chief magistrates. As a rule, and a rule with scarcely an exception, they have been men who reflected as much honor on the position as the position did on them. It is into this honorable company that Cr. Marks was yesterday initiated. He is the third native mayor of Bendigo, and if there is anything in the popular predilection for odd numbers, the coincidence, we hope, will be fortuitously lucky and happy for himself and the city. That Mr. Marks has abundant abilities for the position we do not think there is one in the district will deny. Judging from a long experience of him in varying capacities and in the performance of various functions, he will bring good tact, sound judgment and honesty of purpose to the discharge of the duties of the honorable position to which he has so successfully aspired. Whilst the routine work of the office will no doubt be performed as capably as could be required, Cr. Marks, it should not be forgotten, has few equals in the district as an innovator and organiser of new projects. Hitherto his opportunities for proving his calibre in this respect have been somewhat restricted. But within that restricted sphere, little that he ever touched was not so well arranged that it did not turn out to be an agreeable and a welcome success. He has now a considerably widened scope for his special abilities. If his mayoral year is remembered hereafter because of useful, ingenious or interesting additions to local municipal institutions, we will not be surprised. The councillors could not have made a better selection, and ratepayers should figuratively, or in fact (each according to his taste), drink to the success of councillors, and of his worship the new mayor.

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OUR GOLDEN CITIES.

THEIR NEW MAYORS.

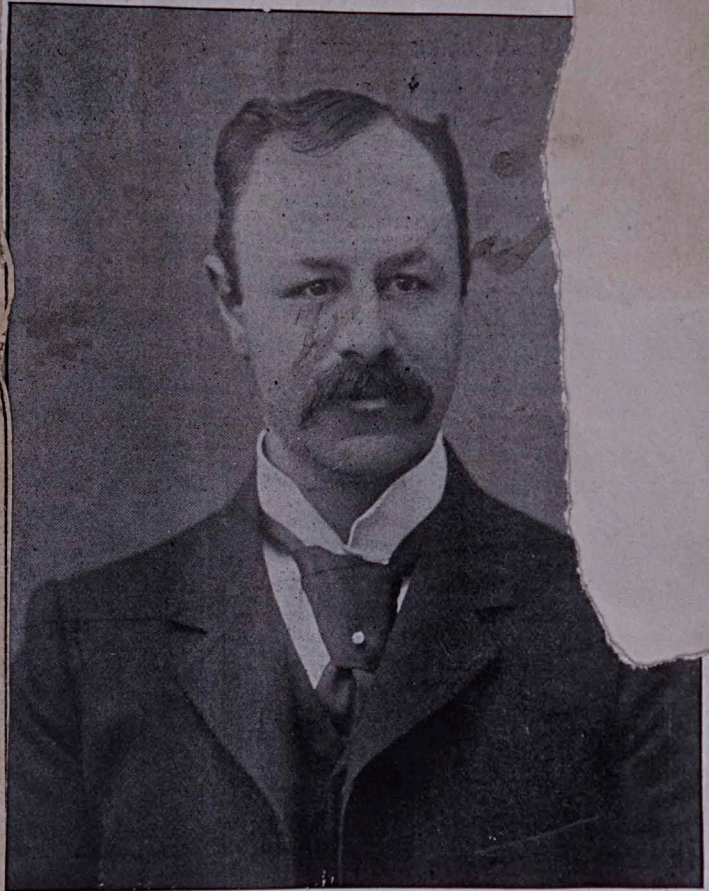


CR. HARRY M. MARKS, BENDIGO.

The newly-elected Mayor of Bendigo, Cr. Harry M. Marks, was born in that city, forty years ago, but he does not look his age by any means. For some years past he has carried on successfully the business of H. M. Marks and Company, auctioneers, commission agents, etc., established by his father in the year 1852. For many years Cr. Marks has had the management of the Bendigo Easter fairs, which are held annually for the benefit of the local charities. By these demonstrations since their inception the local charities have benefited to the extent of no less a sum than £20,000. Cr. Marks has also been secretary of the local Agricultural Society, which is one of the most prominent in the colony. In connection with the last Easter Fair, so gratified was the committee with its success, and Cr. Marks' services, that a very substantial honorarium was voted to him, which he at once handed over to the charities. The Chinese, too, who always take a prominent part in the Bendigo Easter Fairs, presented him with a handsomely illuminated address, in recognition of the assistance he had rendered them. The election of Cr. Marks is a popular one.

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CR. H. M. MARKS, THE NEW MAYOR OF BENDIGO.
(From a photo. by Bartlett Bros.)

THE BENDIGO II

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH BAZAAR AND COMPETITION.

A bazaar and competitive exhibition in aid of St. Andrew's Church, Myers street, was opened yesterday afternoon in the Town Hall. Much interest was taken in it by the congregation (the ladies especially). The stalls are a perfect picture, the decorations being carried out as is only possible when deft female fingers are at work. The arrangements are very complete, and despite the fact that there are nine stalls there is plenty of space for promenading. In addition to the varied and glittering display of articles on the stalls, there is a very interesting museum of exhibits. In the centre of the hall is a stand gaily decorated with bunting, on which are shown exhibits of cookery, confectionery and needlework, whilst exhibits in other sections are displayed to the best advantage round the hall. The gallery upstairs is devoted to the art exhibits, which form a very interesting display. Mr. D. G. Coope supervised the arranging of the pictures, and this work could not have been left in more capable hands. The secretary (Miss Grace Campbell) deserves high commendation for the manner in which she attended to the details.

The opening ceremony was performed by the mayoress (Mrs H. M. Marks) in the presence of a good gathering. The Rev. A. S. C. James, before calling on Mrs. Marks to open the bazaar, explained that it was being called for the purpose of raising funds to reduce the debt on St. Andrew's Church. Reductions had been made in the debt, but the committee were not yet satisfied. It was thought originally that it would be a nice thing to get the new chief magistrate of the city to perform the opening ceremony. Cr. Marks was accordingly approached, but in a letter he had written to the speaker he expressed his regret that an important business engagement in Melbourne would prevent him from complying. Cr. Marks further mentioned that in times past he was connected with St. Andrew's Church and Sabbath School, and on that account alone he would have been glad to be present. The committee then decided to ask the mayoress to come instead. He thought that in the past the wife of the chief magistrate had not received that public recognition which she should, and therefore the members of St. Andrew's Church were setting a good example in asking her to perform the ceremony. Mrs. Marks had only received 24 hours notice, nevertheless she very graciously acceded to the request of the committee. Mr. James read apologies from the Hon. J. H. Abbot, M.L.C., and Mr. D. B. Lazarus, M.L.A., who were unable to be present. The Hon. J. Sternberg, M.L.C., wrote, stating that he would attend if he possibly could.

The mayoress, who was greeted with applause said she greatly appreciated the compliment that had been paid to her. She trusted the bazaar would be a great success, as it certainly deserved to be. She had much pleasure in declaring it open. (Applause.)

Miss Ruby James then came forward and presented the mayoress with a handsome bouquet, and a start was made with the evening's proceedings.

THE LIEDERTAFEL BENEFIT AN EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS.

The entertainment tendered for the benefit of the Liedertafel by Mr. H. M. Marks and Mr. G. H. Hobson was a superlative success in every respect. The two gentlemen named won their spurs years ago as amateur actors, their respective representations of Mo Davis and Nat Gosling in "The Flying Scud" having established their reputations as performers far above the average. To help the Liedertafel out of its financial trouble Messrs. Hobson and Marks offered to reproduce Boucicault's horsey drama, themselves taking the parts with which their names will always be associated.

The undertaking was a serious one for business men, who, in addition to the management of their extensive businesses, have heavy municipal and other public duties to perform. Councillor Marks especially, who, despite his mayoral duties, undertook the stage management of this complicated production, must have done so at a severe sacrifice of time and labor.

Both gentlemen, however, would be fully repaid when they faced the footlights last night and saw the grand response the citizens had made to their invitation. Save in the gallery, which was well attended, every part of the spacious theatre was packed with spectators, the back of the circle being fringed by gentlemen who could not get seats, and the passages of the stalls blocked with extra chairs.

The highest praise we can give to the performance is to say it was worthy of such an audience. Of course, those people who show their superiority by being hyper-critical, expecting their amateur fellow-citizens to be as much at home on the stage as though they were professionals, can find plenty of room for fault finding. But whether regard be had to the scenic effects, to the stage management, or to the acting, any reasonable person will say that it was a remarkably complete production, and one which few cities could equal either in personnel or as a spectacle.

Our notice of the acting must be brief. *Place au Dames.* Miss B. Claridge as Julia Latimer was intelligent and sympathetic, her elocution being specially clear and deliberate. As Katey Rideout, Miss M. Fletcher was equally winsome and appealing, making the infatuation of Captain Godge and Tom Meredith quite intelligible. Miss E. Vallance sustained her one scene as Lady Woodbie very effectively, every utterance being distinct without being harsh or loud. The one entry and one line of the maid was taken by Miss L. Pistrucci.

Of the men, Mr. Hobson easily carried off the honors by his representation of the old trainer. It was not G. H. Hobson, auctioneer and councillor, that was seen, but Nat Gosling, the shrewd, kindly, quizzical Old Boots, who had passed through all grades of stable experience with the result of believing more in horses than in men or women. As we predicted yesterday Nat "sat on" Chester safely enough, though perhaps he didn't look so comfortable as he might if Chester went on wheels. Mr. Hobson's representation was a distinct triumph, both in conception and embodiment. As Mo Davis, Mr. Marks' identity was equally lost; the make-up being fearful and wonderful, but just such as the extravagant character sketched by the dramatist would be likely to adopt. Considering all the responsibility he was carrying as stage manager, Mr. Marks' absorption in the delineation was remarkable, and explains the popularity of the performance years ago. He was welcomed with special rounds of applause on his first appearance and carried the goodwill of the audience to the last. Worthy of these two impersonations was Mr. H. Bradley's Bob Bloater, the faithful but devil-may-care and always hungry jockey, who cannot go by a brewery without putting on 2oz. of weight through merely sniffing the beer. Mr. Bradley's was a distinctly clever character sketch, hugely pleased the audience and largely helped to make the performance the success it was. We would offer him the one word of advice, not to become too conscious of himself or the audience.

The Tom Meredith of Mr. G. D. Watson was just the manly, honorable creation suggested by the author, and was finely contrasted with the sneering, cynical character of Captain Godge (Mr. F. Macoboy), and the effeminate but affectionate Lord Woodbie (Mr. C. Davis). The two last characters are anything but easy or pleasant to represent, but Mr. Macoboy and Mr. Davis must be classed with Mr. Watson as having acted with far more than average intelligence and restraint. Several of the scenes could be spoiled by the least over-acting on the part of either of those three characters.

The characters are so numerous that we can have space left only to recognise with a word the merit of Mr. M. Macoboy (Colonel Milligan), Mr. T. H. McWhirter (Chouser), and Mr. W. Honeybone, as the lawyer. We must, however, give a line to "Chester" the handsome and kindly personator of the Flying Scud, whom Old Nat apostrophises so lovingly.

Mr. Butler's orchestra added no little to the completeness and enjoyment of the entertainment by its rendering of a series of well chosen selections.

Owing to the phenomenal success of the performance last night it is to be repeated this evening as notified by advertisement.

September 22nd 1896

MASONIC HALL THEATRE.

Opening Night, Wednesday April 2nd.

GRAND

AMATEUR PERFORMANCE

THE INAUGURAL ENTERTAINMENT.

The Orchestra will be Occupied by Monaghan's Band,

Under the Leadership of Mr. HARRY MONAGHAN, and will play during the Evening:

1st, Overture: "Romeo and Juliet" (Rossini) | 2nd, Waltz: "Thoughts of Thee" (Matter) | 3rd, Selection: "Puritani" (Bellini).

The Performance will commence at 8 o'clock, with the Charming Comedy, in two acts, entitled;

CHECKMATE.

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Sir Everton Toffee	...	...	...	...	MR. G. D. WATSON
Sam Winkle (His Groom)...	...	...	...	...	MR. H. M. MARKS
Henry (Waiter at the Hotel)	...	...	...	...	MR. H. BRADLEY
Parsley (The Gardener)	...	...	...	...	MR. F. CAHILL
Strap (A Stableman)	...	...	...	...	MR. W. HANSEN
Cheeks (A Page)	...	...	...	...	MR. L. HERMAN
Bottles (A Butler)	...	...	...	...	MR. J. RUSSELL
Miss Charlotte Russe	...	...	...	...	MISS L. PATCHETT
Martha Bunn (Her Maid)	...	...	...	...	MISS E. O'FLAHERTY
Mary Ann	...	...	...	...	MISS L. KNIGHT
Eliza Jane	...	...	...	...	MISS L. LEECH
Mattie	...	...	...	...	MISS T. KNIGHT
} Servant Maids					

ACT 1.—Ladies' Coffee Room, at the Plantagenet Hotel,
ACT 2.—The Garden at the Grange.

To be followed by the Trial for Breach of Promise of Marriage,

BARDELL V PICKWICK

With the Following Unapproachable Cast of Characters:—

Mr. Pickwick	...	...	...	...	MR. J. HEMMING
Nathaniel Winkle	...	...	...	...	MR. C. F. KENNEDY
Sam Weller	...	...	...	...	MR. J. PICKUP
Mr. Weller, Senr.	...	...	...	...	MR. G. RANDOLPH
Judge Doubtful	...	...	...	...	MR. H. M. MARKS
Sergeant Buzfuz, (Q.C., Counsel for Plaintiff)	...	...	...	...	MR. G. H. HOBSON
Snobbim (Barrister for Defence)	...	...	...	...	MR. H. CREDGINGTON
Clerk of the Court	...	...	...	...	MR. A. MACKAY
Crier	...	...	...	...	MR. R. WALTON
Mrs. Bardell (a lone widow)	...	...	...	...	MR. M. COHN
Master Bardell (a sweet child)	...	...	...	...	MR. L. HERMAN
Mrs. Cluppins (a lady with—well wait)	...	...	...	...	MR. C. McLEOD
Policeman A.I.X.	...	...	...	...	MR. E. MESSENGER
Foreman of the Jury	...	...	...	...	MR. J. R. GOODISSON
Jury-men, Solicitors, Clerks, Hangers On, the Dog, etc., etc.					

PRICES—Front Seats, 3s; Second do., 2s; Back do., 1s.

DOORS OPEN AT 7.30.

J. G. SAUERBREY, Hon. Sec.

H. M. MARKS, GENERAL MANAGER.



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THE EASTER FAIR AT BENDIGO.

A. Sutcliffe, photo.



GROUP IN THE GROUNDS.

Mrs. Lussell's Children's Party
August 28th 1896



MEMBERS OF THE BALLARAT AND BENDIGO STOCK EXCHANGES



LADY ATTENDANTS AT THE BOWERY.

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THE NEW SHAMROCK HOTEL.

LAYING THE FOUNDATION
STONE.

There was a large number of leading citizens at the site of the Shamrock hotel yesterday, when the mayor, Mr. H. M. Marks, performed the ceremony of laying the foundation stone of the building now in course of erection. Amongst those present were Mr. Jos. Sternberg, M.L.C., Crs. Lazarus, M.L.A., McGowan, Bailes and Carolin, ex-Crs. Sterry, M.L.A., A. Bayne and J. Cohn, the Rev. E. H. Scott, Mr. Cecchi, of the Water Supply department, and some of the tenants and boarders at the old establishment.

Mr. P. A. Kennedy (architect) called upon his Worship to formally lay the stone, which bore the inscription in gilt letters—"This foundation stone was laid by the mayor of the City of Bendigo, Cr. H. M. Marks, 30th April, 1897. Baxter and Boyne, contractors; Philip A. Kennedy, architect"—and in doing so presented him with a silver trowel, bearing the following inscription—"Presented to H. M. Marks, Esq., Mayor of Bendigo, on the occasion of his laying the foundation stone of the Shamrock hotel, 30 | 4 | 97. Philip Kennedy, architect; Baxter and Boyne, contractors."

The mayor said he had very much pleasure in complying with the request, but he very much regretted the absence of one of the proprietors of the property, ex-Cr. A. Joseph, who while a member of the City Council, had taken part in many public functions here and had always taken a deep interest in the welfare of Bendigo. (Hear, hear.) As they were doubtless aware, Mr. Joseph had met with an accident in Sydney, which would confine him to his bed for some weeks. Through the enterprise of ex-Cr. Joseph and his partner (Mr. Sloman) the new hotel would be one of the finest in the Southern Hemisphere and would be a credit not only to Bendigo, but to the colony. (Hear, hear.) He was particularly pleased that the architect for this palatial building was, like himself, a Bendigo native. The hotel would still be called the Shamrock—(hear, hear)—and he sincerely trusted that the proprietors would reap a handsome reward on their outlay, which was estimated at about £25,000. (Hear, hear.) He then (amidst loud applause) declared the stone well and truly laid.

Cheers were given for Messrs. Joseph and Sloman, the architect, contractors and the mayor.

The company then adjourned to the mayor's room at the Town Hall, where Cr. Marks, in one of his characteristic speeches, proposed the sentiment, "Success to Messrs. Joseph and Sloman," and in doing so remarked that he had just received a telegram from Mr. Joseph expressing regret at his inability to be present, and telling him (the mayor) to be sure and invite all the workmen on the building to partake of refreshments in honor of the laying of the foundation stone. (Hear, hear.) He trusted that the enterprise of Messrs. Joseph and Sloman and the confidence they had displayed in the permanency of this goldfield by the judicious expenditure of such a large sum of money would be amply rewarded.

The toast was enthusiastically drunk in bumpers of champagne, and Mr. Sterry, M.L.A., as an old colleague of ex-Cr. Joseph in the City Council, suitably responded on behalf of the firm.

Mr. Alex. Bayne, an ex-mayor of the city, proposed "The Health of the Architect" in an eulogistic speech, in which he expressed his gratification at the progress made by Mr. Kennedy, a young Bendigonian, in his professional career.

The toast was drunk with musical honors, and Mr. Kennedy neatly acknowledged the compliment. He remarked that when he left Bendigo about 12 years ago he little thought that some day he would be called upon to prepare plans and supervise the erection of such a magnificent structure as the new Shamrock would be. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. J. W. Faul proposed "The Contractors," and referred in flattering terms to the work of Messrs. Baxter and

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"THE BOWERY."

Amongst the numerous attractions on the ground, the premier place must without hesitation be given to "The Bowery," a new institution in connection with the Easter Fair. An outside view of the building itself is not particularly attractive. It had been "jerry built," and bore every appearance of it. In front was a large calico sign bearing the intimation, "The Bowery." The walls were of galvanised iron, and the roof of canvas. But curiosity had been aroused regarding the sights to be seen within, and consequently the exterior appearance was not taken note of—at any rate, until the inquisitive individual had a chance to get outside, after having his curiosity satisfied. Then he began to think that it did not much look like a Bowery, but that it partook largely of the characteristics of the Australian bower-bird's nest, and also that it contained a good many bower-birds, the bird itself being noted for its partiality for silver or gold. But a description of the interior will perhaps be interesting. On going inside the large doors the room seems to have suddenly assumed gigantic proportions, and each of the numerous rooms one can immediately see appear perfect marvels of luxuriousness. In reality there are but two rooms, the partitions being made by two large screens. The first contains a stall on each side, and a large stand in the centre, about which is arranged the dolls entered for the competition. The floor is covered with tan, which makes the room a nice comfortable retreat for tired humanity—providing the finances are flourishing. Going right through, and avoiding the many delusive passages and doors which appear on every side, we come to the refreshment room and tired and hungry humanity may here be refreshed—again including the proviso regarding the finances, of course. Some half dozen small tete-a-tete tables are set out for the purpose, the floor is carpeted and the room is so cosy that only a personal inspection can convey a proper idea of it. The charm is enhanced by the attendants and their assistants, who flit noiselessly about and speedily supply the wants of the hungriest. The assistants look very nice indeed in their picturesque Japanese costumes and harmonise splendidly with the general arrangement of the interior, which is Japanese to a great extent. From the ceiling in the first room are suspended two immense sunshades, and all round are Chinese lanterns from 6in to 3ft in length. The stalls themselves are packed with every imaginable variety of goods, useful

or ornamental. The whole of these are donations from tradespeople in Melbourne and Bendigo, the ladies not having to spend a penny in the purchase of goods. It may therefore be reasonably expected that some bargains are to be picked up at "The Bowery," and even if the visitor is not a purchaser, he will enjoy himself thoroughly in admiring the splendid arrangement of the interior, and the artistic talent which has been displayed to this end. The numerous rooms mentioned are made to appear by an ingenious arrangement of mirrors, and will even in the day time (the effect is somewhat surprising, at night time when the Chinese lanterns, and the lamps arranged on pedestals about 5ft high around the rooms are all alight, the result will be fairy-like to the uninitiated. Miss L. Jackson, the secretary of "The Bowery," is an ideal officer, for she had arranged her duties in a most systematic manner, and as a result has got through the first—and worst—day without a hitch. The ladies who are attending to wants of customers are as follow:—Refreshment Room—Mesdames Hamann and Simpson, and Misses Simpson (3). These were assisted by the following young ladies, who were dressed as Japs:—Misses E. Henderson, R. Marks, M. Hemming, F. Sternberg, Heine, G. Sauerbrey and Coleman. The stalls were attended to by Mrs Marks (president of "the Bowery"), Miss L. Jackson (secretary), and the following members of committee:—Mesdames Heine, Allsopp, Kilfedder and S. Sargeant; and Misses Warren (2), Stamp, Sauerbrey, Dalglish, Burridge, Heinz, Sloman and Cattrao.

At half-past 2 "The Bowery" was formally opened by the Hon. E. Morey, M.L.C., of Ballarat. In performing the ceremony Mr Morey said that it gave him great pleasure to do so, as the gathering was for a good object—charity, for which too much could not be done. The ladies had done their part exceedingly well, and it remained for the gentlemen to do theirs in as capable a manner. He then declared "The Bowery" open, and wished it the most unqualified success.

At the conclusion of his remarks Mr Morey was presented with a handsome bouquet of flowers (with the intimation that they were for Mrs Morey) by Miss Ruby Marks, and a tastefully arranged buttonhole for himself by Miss Maudie Hemming, for both of which he returned thanks.

The mayor called for cheers for Mr and Mrs Morey, which were given with great heartiness, and another portion of the Easter Fair was within a very short time in active operation.

The Best Dressed Doll Competition, which was held in connection with "The Bowery," resulted as follows:—Class I: V. M. D. Jackson, Ascot Vale, 1; Miss E. Mueller, Bendigo, 2; Miss N. Pollett, Bendigo, 3. Twelve entries. Class II: Miss N. Maloney, Sheepwash Road, One entry. Class III: Miss Simpson, View street. Three entries. Other two not worthy of prize. Class IV: Miss E. Perry, Don street, 1; Miss Newman, Bendigo, 2. Fifteen entries. Class V: No award. One entry.

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The Mayor and Mayoress (Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Marks) held a reception on Wednesday, when the Town Hall was crowded with a large number of callers. Mr and Mrs Marks received their visitors in the centre of the right side of the Hall, that part being costly furnished as a drawing room. Altogether the decorations were on a lavish scale, and the hall has never been seen to better advantage. During the afternoon some splendid orchestral selections were rendered under the leadership of Mr Andrews, and Miss Heine and Mr Charlton Johnston were heartily applauded for their songs. The Misses MacGillivray and A Howard performed a trio on banjos, with a pianoforte accompaniment by Miss E. MacGillivray which was highly appreciated. The pretty programme cards printed at the Bendigo Independent Office were much admired. Small tables, prettily decorated, were arranged round the hall, from which afternoon tea, ices, strawberrie's and cream and all seasonable delicacies were served. From the gallery the gathering of gaily dressed ladies presented a pretty picture and one which seemed to afford the mayor and mayoress an amount of pleasure. The silver shield, presented to Mr D. B. Lazarus during the afternoon, called forth a large share of admiration. Some handsome dresses were worn by the ladies present, the most noticeable were:—The Mayoress, rich navy blue faille bodice of pleated white chiffon finished with white silk embroidery, large white picture hat with plumes and knots of shaded ribbon. Mrs William Hunter, handsome black silk crepon, jet trimmings; pretty bonnet of cut jet, pink roses and sprays. Mrs Dyason, black and geranium shaded crepon, lace trimmings; black plumed hat. Mrs Fred Hunter, very pretty costume of black and grey toque to match. Miss L Hunter, white muslin, picture hat with roses. Mrs H Piper, grass lawn, trimmed embroidery; large black hat. Miss Eva Abbot, white silk, bands of torchon insertion; white hat. Mrs E Mueller, rich gown black faille, shaded ribbon trimmings; picture hat, trimmed embroidered lace and roses. Miss Luffman, black and grey silk blouse, folds of chiffon. Mrs Millett, chene silk relieved white chiffon; dainty fancy bonnet. Miss Amy Jackson, pink muslin and lace; black and pink hat. Mrs Heine, white silk, white plumed hat. Mrs B Lazarus, black faille, jet bonnet, with lilac. Mrs G. Freeman, pale blue muslin, large black hat. Mrs Magnus Cohn, pretty pink muslin frock. Miss Aspinall, shaded blue lustre; small black hat, knots of shaded ribbon.

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THE LATE EASTERN AIR.

A CHAT WITH MR. MARKS.
(By Bert Levy.)

I expected to find the secretary of the Easter Fair Carnival wildly besieged by a crowd, made up of clowns, showmen, boxers, proprietors of merry-go-rounds, swinging boats, etc., thirsting for his life's blood on account of his lack of management in allowing it to rain on the first day of the Fair, thereby endangering their profits, but instead, I found him placidly writing a letter at his den in Hargreaves-street, writing, yes, with a smile upon his face, in spite of the screeching of poultry who were being tenderly (?) felt all over by prospective bidders prior to the auction—smiling and writing in the midst of falling bedsteads, the clatter of human tongues and the man with the bell. I felt that amidst this hideous din there was only one thing that could account for the smile, he must have been making out a big account. After about forty-seven people had bothered Mr. Marks with questions I managed to get in my request, viz.:—"A chat for the 'Advertiser'." "All right, old man, fire away, what do you want to know? No, no, not at all! I'm not busy; I never do any work. I'll chat with you all day if you like. Do you see all these people walking about my place? They are all friends, they didn't come here to do business. That fellow with the bell at the door, poor chap, he does that for amusement, he can't help it; he's been doing it for years, but chaffing aside (and Mr. Marks grew suddenly serious) everybody concerned is perfectly satisfied with the results of our annual fair. The committee are gratified with the success of the innovation 'no passes' suggested by me. It was the means of considerably swelling the proceeds on the first day, as well as getting rid of a vast amount of trouble and worry that devolved upon the staff at the ground. The hospitality and enthusiasm shown to the Naval Brigade and the Victorian Mounted Police with their officers by the citizens of Bendigo was most gratifying to myself and the committee of the Fair. They (the naval men and police) keenly appreciated the many kindnesses shown them, and expressed the wish to help on future occasions. Of course, I was fearfully disappointed with the weather on Easter Monday, but all things considered everything went off satisfactorily. Now, honestly speaking, did you ever see a more good-natured, well-behaved crowd as that which swarmed round the cycling track on the Tuesday? It was a veritable sea of faces."

Mr. Marks evidently takes a pardonable pride in Bendigo and its Easter Fair, and asserts that in no other colony will you find a better behaved crowd. As a comparative stranger in this city what impressed me most was the demeanor of the crowd, of which Mr. Marks had just spoken.

Mr. Marks, continuing, remarked that the only note of discord sounded during the carnival was the action of the secretary of the Victorian League of Wheelmen, who failed to protect the interests of the Easter Fair committee on Easter Tuesday and Wednesday, "and I sincerely hope," he said, "that this will be the last Bendigo Easter Fair this auteratic body will be connected with."

"How about the ladies?"

"Oh, yes (here Mr. Marks' face lit up) I was nearly forgetting them. My word, didn't they graft? Now, I quite made up my mind that the receipts (on account of the various patriotic funds) would suffer in comparison with former years, but I must say that, considering the many calls made upon

the pockets of the charitably inclined, the amount of money taken speaks volumes for the interest the Bendigo people take in the institutions deriving support from the fair."

"No," Mr. Marks went on in answer to a question, "I'm not glad it's over; I never felt greater pleasure in any work that I have undertaken—it is really a labor of love."

The poultry, bell and hubbub seemed to be growing louder, another forty-seven men were waiting to get a word in edgeways with the genial auctioneer, who threatened to knock down a few crates of turkeys to me, if I did not finish this chat. At any rate I thanked Mr. Marks, on behalf of my brother pressmen, for his never-failing courtesy to the "boys" during the fair.

ROYAL PRINCESS THEATRE.

Austral Literary and Debating Society's

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IN MUSIC, SONG & STORY.

Instituted Queen's Birthday, 1897, to commemorate the year of Her Majesty's Diamond Jubilee.

Final Concert by Winners on Friday, May 28th.

THE CHAIR WILL BE TAKEN BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR

AT 8 O'CLOCK.

Programme.—Part I.

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| 1 OVERTURE (7.45) | ... | ... | NORTHCOTT'S BAND |
| 2 DUET (Tenor and Bass)—“When far 'Neath Alien Skies.” | Messrs. R. RULE and A. BOTTOMS. | ... | <i>St. Quentin</i> |
| 3 CONTRALTO SOLO.—“Sunshine and Rain” | Miss FLORA HILL. | ... | <i>Blumenihal</i> |
| 4 PIANO SOLO.—“Marche Hongroise” | Miss WINIFRED BISHOP. | ... | <i>De Beauvais</i> |
| 5 VOCAL QUARTET.—“Drops of Rain” | Misses. VIDA ROGERS and G. WALTER. Messrs. G. FRED WALTER and A. HOSKING | ... | <i>Lemmens</i> |
| 6 RECITATION.—“The Diver” | PROF. LUPTON. | ... | ... |
| 7 VIOLIN SOLO.—“Ye Banks and Braes” | Miss JOSEPHINE SCOTT. | ... | <i>Farmer</i> |
| 8 BASS SOLO.—“When Bright Eyes Glance” | Mr. G. FRED. WALTER. | ... | <i>Hedgecock</i> |
| 9 RECITATION.—“The Gateway of Light” (given to the public for first time) | Mr. RALPH W. BROWN. | ... | <i>Wm. Gay</i> |
| ADDRESS | ... | ... | HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR |

Distribution of Prizes by Lady Brassey.

INTERVAL OF 5 MINUTES.

PART II.

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| 1 OVERTURE | ... | ... | NORTHCOTT'S BAND |
| 2 RECITATION (With musical accompaniment)—“Waterloo” | Mr. A. B. FLOHM. | ... | <i>Byron</i> |
| 3 SACRED SOLO.—“Ave Maria” | Miss VIDA ROGERS. | ... | <i>Mascagni</i> |
| (With Accompaniment of Piano by Miss Bathorne Rogers; Violin, Mr. T. Bockelmann; Organ, Mr Ch. H. King) | | | |
| 4 PIANO DUET.—“Faust” | Misses NELLIE JEFFREY and LIZZIE TREVEAN. | ... | <i>Sydney Smith</i> |
| 5 RECITATION.—“Poor Little Joe” | Miss ETHEL M. OSBORNE. | ... | <i>Arkwright</i> |
| 6 SOPRANO SOLO.—“The Carnival” | Miss LILLIE SHARP. | ... | <i>Molloy</i> |
| 7 VIOLIN SOLO.—“The Bloom is on the Rye” | Master W. TINKLER. | ... | <i>Le Thiero</i> |

“God Save the Queen.”

THE MAYOR'S BALL.

A BRILLIANT GATHERING.

The ball given in the Town Hall on Tuesday night last by the mayor and mayoress (Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Marks) was a brilliant success worthy of the estimable chief magistrate of the city and his good lady, and also a fitting commemoration of the dual events—the first mayoral term of Mr. Marks and the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. Upwards of 600 invitations had been issued, and over 400 guests assembled that night. Amongst the number were Mr. A. J. Peacock, M.P., (Chief Secretary), Messrs. J. Sternberg and J. H. Abbott, Ms.L.C., D. B. Lazarus, R. O'Neill, Ms.P., D. H. Martin (secretary for Agriculture), the mayor and mayoress of Ballarat (Mr. and Mrs. Bell and Miss Bell), the mayor of Echuca (Mr. O'Dwyer), Lieut.-Colonel Williams, of Ballarat, and many other representatives of the military forces, a good many members of the Ballarat Stock Exchange, and visitors from Melbourne and various other centres. Mr. H. Foster, Minister of Mines, intended to have been present, but he telegraphed an apology in consequence of the serious illness of his eldest son. Never before did the hall look more imposing. Brilliantly illuminated by the great chandeliers, aided by numerous pedestal lamps, prismatic lamps of varied hues, and Japanese lanterns, combined with lavish and appropriate and tasteful decorations, the scene in the ballroom was one of great gaiety and grandeur. The general effect was heightened by pedestal mirrors, emblematic greetings of loyalty and welcome here and there, festoons of flowers suspended from the ceiling, and a judicious arrangement of flowers and evergreens on the walls. Above the band were the words in large ornamental letters, "Our Queen's Reign." The decorations reflected credit upon the mayor and the parks curator (Mr. S. G. Gadd), under whose direction they were carried out. The worthy mayoress was responsible for a good deal of the artistic details of decorations so noticeable about the hall, having prepared them herself. Contrary to the usual custom, the band was located in the balcony, thus doing away with the necessity for the temporary balcony at the main entrance to the ballroom. By this means the area for dancing was extended and ingress and egress were more convenient for the guests. The vestibule below the balcony was utilised as a sitting room, and the porches on either side of the ballroom were transformed for the nonce into cosy little "Lovers Bowers." Supper was provided in the old courtroom, which was also gorgeously decorated with loyal devices and bunting. The council chamber was used as a light refreshment room throughout the night, whilst the old magistrates room served the purpose of a coffee room. The whole of the arrangements were very satisfactory, and the gathering passed off in a way that must have been highly gratifying to the mayor and mayoress, both of whom were most careful in seeing to the entertainment and comfort of their guests. In this respect they received valuable assistance from the town clerk (Mr. W. Honeybone), who has exerted himself to his utmost for some time past in attending to details.

Dancing began at half-past 8 o'clock, and the

scene in the ballroom then was most pleasing. A strong string band, under Mr. C. Forster, supplied excellent music to which the devotees of terpsichore entered into the 20 numbers on the programme with zest. Mr. E. Dummett fulfilled the duties of M.C. The first set was composed as follows:—Tops—The mayoress and Cr. Lazarus, M.P., Mrs. Sternberg and Cr. M'Gowan; *vis-a-vis* the mayor and Miss Abrahams (Melbourne), Miss Williamson (Castlemaine) and Mr. A. Heine. Sides—Mr. Sternberg and Mrs. M'Gowan, Mr. J. H. Y. Nish and Miss Hilda Abrahams (Melbourne); *vis-a-vis* Mr. W. Honeybone (town clerk) and Mrs. Honeybone, Mr. Abrahams and Mrs. Abrahams. The Ballarat representatives arrived to late to take part in the opening,

THE SUPPER.

Supper, which was provided in three relays, commenced at 10.30, and, without prejudice to any of Mr. E. Conlen's previous successes, it may fairly be considered a masterpiece of the caterer's art, the arrangement and supply being perfect and ample, and, above all, the cooking was excellent. The mayor occupied the chair, supported on his right by Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Sternberg and Mr. D. B. Lazarus, M.P., and Mrs. B. Lazarus, and on his left by the mayoress, Mr. Bell, Mr. Sternberg, Miss Abrahams and Mr. and Mrs. M'Gowan, Mr. J. H. Abbott, M.L.C., and Mr. D. H. Martin, Secretary for Agriculture.

The toast of "The Queen" was proposed by the mayor, and enthusiastically given with musical honors.

The mayor of Ballarat proposed "The Health of the Mayor of Bendigo" in felicitous terms. The toast was honored with great enthusiasm. The mayor suitably responded.

THE DRESSES.

The dresses as a whole, when viewed during a dance, presented a very pleasing sight, the colors, which were not pronounced, blending most harmoniously. The ladies displayed very good taste in their costumes, and there were some very pretty combinations in silks and laces, silks and chiffons, and in the selection of colors. There were also some very dainty things in footwear visible at times, the scarlet and Jubilee shoes being particularly *chic*. The night being cold there was a better opportunity than usual of getting a good view of the cloaks, and many of them were very pretty and artistic. To an onlooker the spectacle was very brilliant and fascinating. The mayoress wore a lovely costume of Tuscan moire antique, exquisitely trimmed with Brussels lace and jewelled ornaments; she also carried a beautiful shower posy of pink carnations and orchids. Mrs. Bell (mayoress of Ballarat) was attired in a beautiful costume of black brocade, with pretty trimmings of chiffon and lace; also carried a handsome shower posy. Miss Bell—Pretty costume of white oude silk, lace and ribbon trimmings. Mrs. E. U. Abrahams (Melbourne)—A pretty combination of black and white satin, with magnificent diamond ornaments. Miss Abrahams—Lovely pink satin gown, chiffon and roses. Mrs. Sternberg—A handsome gown of black brocade, bodice draped in blue silk. Miss Hilda Abrahams—Handsome gown of cream merveilleux, costly lace and ornaments. Mrs. Gilpin (Ballarat)—Handsome black velvet gown, richly trimmed. Miss Williamson (Castlemaine, *debutante*)—An exquisite gown of white satin, suitably trimmed. Mrs. M'Gowan—Handsome gown of *eau de nil*, surah bodice, prettily trimmed

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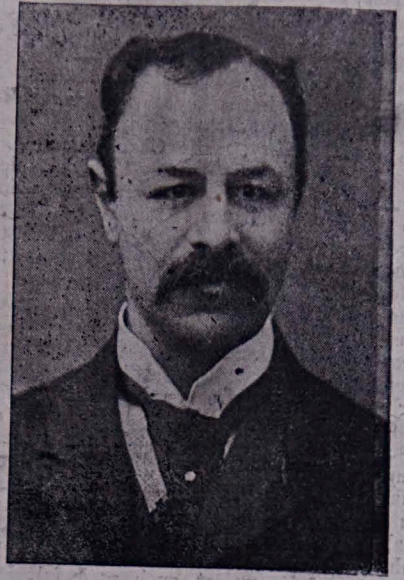
with emerald green velvet. Mrs. Honeybone—White silk, prettily trimmed with Brussels lace. Mrs. Lazarus—Handsome gown of black faille, bodice prettily draped with Honiton lace. Mrs. Quick—Stylish gown of black silk, butterfly sleeves, facings of scarlet. Mrs. R. D. Mackay—A striking gown of cream Indian figured crepe, over-skirt of moire trimmed with lace and pale blue silk. Miss Elliot (Castlemaine)—An effective costume of white silk, brocade bodice, lace, pearl and buttercup ribbon trimmings. Mrs. R. H. S. Abbott—White brocade, silver sequin trimmings. Mrs. J. Knight—Handsome gown of white satin, pretty fur trimmings. Miss Eva Abbott—Cream merveilleux, with gold trimmings. Mrs. F. Macoboy—Black brocade with buttercup trimmings. Mrs. Sturdee—Black and cerise silk. Mrs. Cowen—Black velvet, jet ornaments. Mrs. J. H. Abbott, junr.—White duchesse satin, guipure lace trimmings. Mrs. Magnus Cohn—Pink satin, chiffon and ribbons. Miss Charlton—A very stylish gown of buttercup satin, chiffon and pearl passementerie. Mrs. M'Intyre Eadie—Lovely gown of rose pink silk, Brussels lace and pearl ornaments. Mrs. James Boyd—Handsome gown of pale blue satin. Miss Pike—Handsome gown of black faille, lace and chiffon. Mrs. Hugh Boyd—Heliotrope satin, Honiton lace trimmings, diamond ornaments. Miss Patterson—Cream silk chiffon and bebe ribbons. Mrs. F. Hunter—Becoming dress of heliotrope faille, with beautiful pearl trimmings. Miss Straughair—Lemon satin, chiffon and scarlet poppies. Miss Lily Knight—Very handsome gown of pale blue brocade; bodice trimmed with beautiful jewelled passementerie, gloves, shoes and fan *en suite*. Miss Ni Gan—Stylish dress of pink satin, Brussels lace and roses. Miss M. Ni Gan—A pretty gown of white satin, chiffon and spangles. Mrs. Simpson—Rich gown of black silk, with beautiful jet and silver trimmings. Mrs. Pearce—Pretty gown of nun's de viole, chiffon and bebe ribbon trimmings. Miss Heinz—Very stylish gown of cream satin; bodice trimmed with beautiful Honiton lace. Mrs. Stokes—Handsome dress of buttercup faille, with moss green poppies. Miss Williamson—An effective costume of cream satin, Brussels lace and roses. Miss B. Williamson—Pretty gown of blue surah, chiffon and pearl ornaments. Miss Barnett—Handsome gown of Tuscan satin, Brussels lace and roses. Miss Burridge—Lovely gown of pink silk, bodice veiled in beautiful pearl trimmings. Miss A. Bailey—Pretty dress of white silk, chiffon and bebe ribbon trimmings. Mrs. Dyason—Handsome gown of cream silk, bodice covered in rare lace. Miss Deeble—Cream surah, chiffon and forget-me-nots. Mrs. Dawson—Stylish dress of pale blue gauze, bodice draped in Brussels lace and pink roses. Miss Casley—Pink merveilleux, chiffon and pink roses. Miss Jess—Pretty gown of cream satin, bodice trimmed in chiffon and pearl passementerie. Miss A. Jess—Handsome dress of pale blue surah, chiffon and pink roses. Miss Hill—Becoming gown of salmon pink silk, bodice covered with accordeon pleated chiffon. Miss Buick—Pretty gown of cream faille, chiffon and pearl passementerie. Mrs. Connell—Handsome dress of cream silk, lace and pearl trimmings. Mrs. H. Vahland—Stylish gown of black satin, bodice prettily trimmed with spangled net. Mrs. Sargent—Handsome gown of black brocade, and jet trimmings. Mrs. M'Kee—Black silk, lace and jet trimmings. Mrs. Millet—Handsome gown of black brocade, black and gold ornaments. Mrs. Davis—Pretty frock of pink silk, chiffon and pearls. Mrs. Herman—Lovely frock of pale blue silk, chiffon and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Allsop—Lovely combination of black and white surah, intermixed with carmine roses. Miss A. M'Gowan—Pretty frock of cream silk, scarlet roses. Mrs. M'Clure—Pale lemon faille gown, chiffon and ribbons. Miss Taylor—Cream surah frock, violets and Brussels lace. Miss Grace Roberts—Handsome gown of white satin, chiffon and bebe ribbon. Miss Warren—Lovely gown of buttercup silk, lace trimmings. Mrs. Weekley—Gown of pink merveilleux, Maltese lace and buttercup

Brussels lace and pearl passementerie. Mrs. De Ravin—Handsome gown of black merveilleux, bodice nicely draped with beaded net. Miss Jackson—Cream accordeon pleated silk, emerald green velvet trimmings. Mrs. A. Mackay—Handsome gown of pale blue satin, chiffon and pearl ornaments. Miss Murdoch—A very effective gown of white silk, chiffon and pretty pearl trimmings. Miss Gibson—Pale lemon surah, chiffon and bebe ribbon. Miss Zesch—Becoming gown of cream satin, passementerie bodice, gloves, shoes and fan *en suite*. Miss D. Barnett—Gown of pink surah; bodice covered with chiffon and ribbon. Miss Charlton—Buttercup satin and chiffon, pearl passementerie. Miss L. Jackson—Stylish frock of pink silk, Brussels lace. Miss Kirk—Very becoming gown of white satin, spangled net. Miss K. Cook—Pink silk, chiffon and bebe ribbon. Miss May Woodward—Lovely frock of buttercup accordeon silk and lace. Miss Ethel Woodward—Handsome dress of white satin, chiffon and lilies of the valley. Miss Mackay—Becoming gown of *can de nil* merveilleux, bodice draped in Brussels lace. Miss Brennan—Pink pongee silk. Miss Dunlop—White surah. Mrs. J. B. Young—Cream satin and pink roses. Mrs. Deeble—Striking costume of black silk, bodice veiled in pink spangled net. Miss K. Heine—Handsome gown of white satin, jewelled ornaments and roses. Miss F. Heine—Pale blue silk, pearl passementerie, pink roses. Miss A. Reid—Buttercup silk, prettily draped in chiffon and pearl passementerie. Miss E. Reid, lovely gown of black faille, chiffon and gimp trimmings. Mrs. Montague Levy—A very charming costume of yellow faille; diamond ornaments. Mrs. White, junr.—A handsome gown of ivory white brocade, scarlet trimmings. Miss Woodward—Lovely costume of white satin, silver bolero and chiffon. Miss F. Henderson—White satin bodice, prettily trimmed in pearl passementerie, scarlet poppies. Mrs. Heine—Lovely combination of scarlet and white; beautiful braid trimmings. Mrs. Morrison—Handsome gown of black and heliotrope. Mrs. C. Cohen—Striking costume of cardinal satin. Mrs. Darnton Watson—Handsome costume of black brocade, jet trimmings. Mrs. F. Prescott—Heliotrope silk, veiled in net. Mrs. Dethridge—Pretty costume of white silk, chiffon trimmings. Miss Leech (Castlemaine)—Pale blue surah, pearl trimmings and pink roses. Miss Kiledier—Pink surah, chiffon and pearl trimmings. Mrs. G. G. M'Coll—Amber silk, chiffon and passementerie trimmings. Miss Kitty Jackson—Cream mousseline de soie, with straps of apple green velvet. Miss T. Hay—Pretty gown of rich white Bengaline, with bodice artistically tucked. Mrs. W. E. Armstrong—Gown of yellow satin, black lace trimmings. Mrs. Jas. Denton (Melbourne)—White pongee silk, chiffon and bebe ribbon trimmings relieved with poppies. Miss Samwell (Melbourne)—White satin, pretty pearl trimmings. Mrs. Ripper—Black merveilleux, old gold trimmings. Miss Ross—Black satin, buttercup trimmings. Miss Colgan—Pink silk, pearl trimmings. Miss Moog—White pongee silk, lace and ribbon trimmings. Mrs. James Baxter (Toorak)—Black corded silk, beautifully trimmed with lace. Miss Elsie Moog—White surah silk, passementerie and violet trimmings; very becoming. Miss Minnie Moog—White satin, chiffon and bebe ribbon trimmings. Miss Dunlop, opal tinted silk, point lace trimmings. Miss I. Dunlop—Cardinal surah. There were many others, but we were unable to ascertain the names of the fair wearers. About 40 of the above list of dresses were turned out by Messrs. Henderson and Goodisson, and the other firms were also represented. The Sandhurst Boot Palace were responsible for many of the dainty shoes.

THE GUESTS.

The following is a list of the guests, as compiled from the *entree* cards presented at the door:—
Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Abrahams, Miss Abrahams, and Miss Hilda Abrahams, Mrs. Armstrong, Mr. R. II.

Miss Fletcher, Mr. J. M. Flanagan, Mr. and Mrs. Flohm, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Finster, Mr. and Mrs. P. Finn.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Germann, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gilpin, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Guthrie, Mr. A. and Misses T. S. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Goodisson, Mr. F. Goyne, Dr. and Mrs. Gaffney, Mr. and Mrs. Gadd, Mr. A. H. and Miss Gough, Mr. J. Grellis.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Honeybone, Mr. G. Hunter, Mr. T. and Misses Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Hemming, Mr. Hogg, Mr. and Mrs. Herman, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Horwood, Miss Heinz, Mr. A. Heinz, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hunter, Captain and Mrs. Hamann, Mr. and Mrs. Heine, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hill, Mr. J. and Miss Hay, Mr. A. Hay, Mr. J. C. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. and Miss Henderson, Misses K. and F. Heine, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hughes.
Mr. and Mrs. Illingworth, Captain Irving.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Jackson, Misses Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Jackson, Misses Jess, Mr. and Miss Jeffrey, Mr., Mrs. and Misses Jones.
Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, Sergeant, Mrs. and Miss Kiledier, Mr. F. Kort, Mr. G. W. and Miss Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Mr. J. Knowlton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Keating, Mr. P. Kennedy.
Mr. A. E. Langford, Dr. Long, Mr. M. Longson, Mr. and Misses Leech, Mrs. Lang, Cr. D. B. Lazarus, M.P., Mrs. Lazarus, Mr. and Mrs. M. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Leggo, Mr. R. Lee.
Mr., Mrs. and Miss Minto, Mr. and Mrs. G. Minto, junr., Cr. and Mrs. M'Gowan, Mrs. and Miss M'ulloch, Mr. and Mrs. M'Clure, Mr. G. D. Meudell, Mr. and Mrs. Millett, Mr. A. Mathieson, Mr. and Mrs. M'Kenzie, Dr. Murphy, Mr. P., Mrs. and Misses Moog, Mr. and Mrs. F. Macoboy, Dr. and Mrs. M'Kee, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mackay, Captain and Mrs. G. G. M'Coll, Miss M'Gowan, Mr. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. P. Mole, Mr. L. Murphy, Miss Murdoch, Inspector and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. H. Morrison, Mr. E. Mueller, Miss Macgillivray, Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. George Mackay.
Mr., Mrs. and Miss Neeson, Mr. E. J. V. and Misses Ni Gan, Mr. Ninniss, Mr., Mrs. and Miss North, Mr. J. Nish, Mr. Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. W. Neill, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Nicolai.
Mr. M. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill, Dr. and Mrs. O'Neill, Mr. E. O'Keefe, Mr. and Miss O'Dwyer, Mr. O'Dwyer (mayor of Echuca), Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Oliphant, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. C. Oliphant.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pool, Mr. G. Petrie, Mr. and Mrs. Piper, Dr. Penfold, Miss Pyke, Mr. and Misses Pabst, Mr. and Miss Patterson, Mr. and Misses Patterson, Mr. A. J. Peacock (chief secretary), Dr. and Mrs. Quick.
Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mr. J., Mr. and Misses Ryan, Mr. V. Rymer, Mr. W., Mrs. and Misses E. G. Roberts, Mr. W. Rae, Mr. G. E. Rae, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts, Mrs. Rae, Reporters *Advertiser, Independent, Argus and Age*. Miss Reynolds, Miss Ross (Melbourne), Mr. R. Rankin, Mr. and Misses Read, Mr. and Mrs. Ripper, Mr. A. Rattray, Mr. and Mrs. J. Richardson, Mr. F. H. Richardson.
Mrs. Stokes, Rev. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. J. Stewart, Mr. Jtn. Smalley, Dr. Von Stieglitz, Dr. and Mrs. Sturdee, Mr. F. J. Smart, Mr. Stanistreet, Mr. and Mrs. Sargeant, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney, Mr. W. Stewart, Mr. J. Sternberg, M.L.C., and Mrs. Sternberg, Mr. and Mrs. Sarvaas, Mr. W. J. and Miss Straughair.
Mr. J. Taylor, Mr. J., Mrs. and Misses Taylor, Captain Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Tatchell, Miss Tainsh.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Vahland, Mr. F. B. Vahland.
Mr. D. and Mrs. Watson, Mrs. J. G. Weddell, Mr. W. Weddell, Miss Worrail, Mr. J. F., Mrs. and Misses Warren, Mr. H. and Mrs. White, Mr. G. H. Watson, junr., Mr. T. N. Woodward, Miss Woodward, Miss May Woodward and Miss Ethel Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whyte, Mr. and Miss Walter, Mr. J. Weekley, Mrs. and Miss



MR. H. M. MARKS, Secretary Easter Fair
Committee.



Miss Hansen-Knarhoi. Miss Bradshaw. Miss Julia Sprenger. Miss E. Melrose.



Miss Bessie Oliver. Mrs. H. M. Merks. Mrs. S. H. McGowan.

LADIES ATTENDING NAVAL AND MILITARY ENCAMPMENT.

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Our
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Relief of Mafeking

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1900

Colonel ROBERT BADEN-POWELL'S
GALLANT GARRISON RELIEVED.

Bendigo Citizens' Celebration, May 19.

BOLTON BROS., Honorary Printers, Bendigo.

City of Bendigo
Queen's Diamond Jubilee Celebration,

8000 CHILDREN.

Children's Treat,



800 DINNERS.
June 22nd, 1897.

H. M. MARKS, Esq., Mayor.

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C. MILBURN, Coffee Palace, Bendigo,
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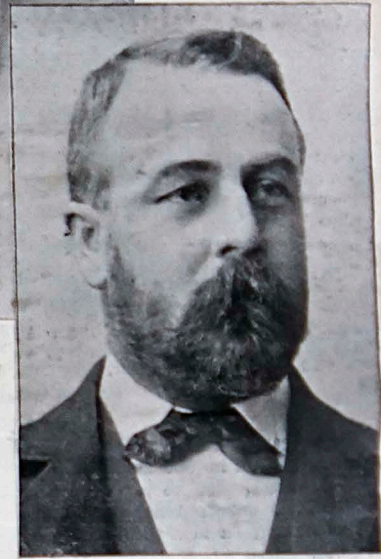
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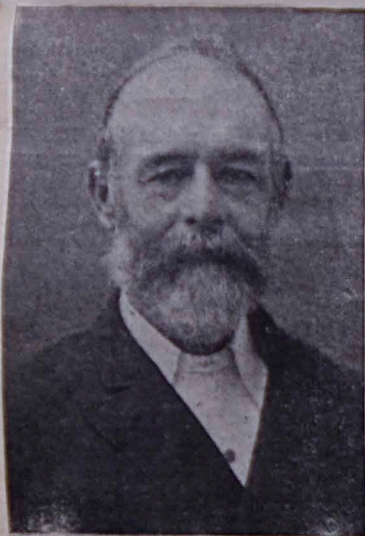
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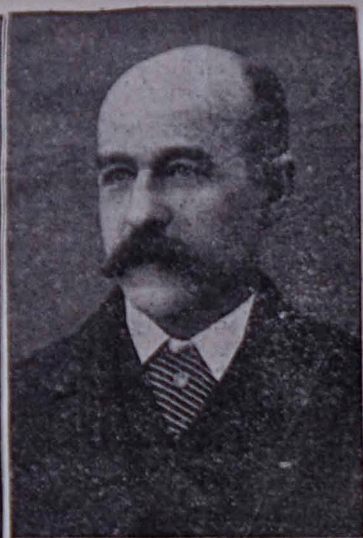
Mr. W. HONEYBONE  
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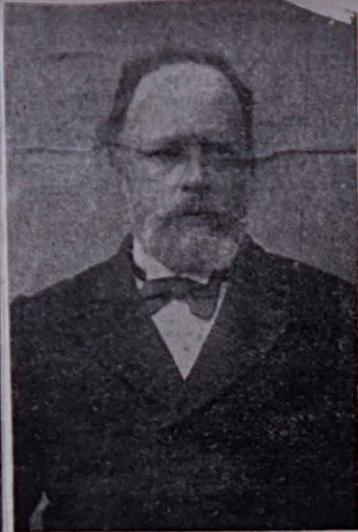
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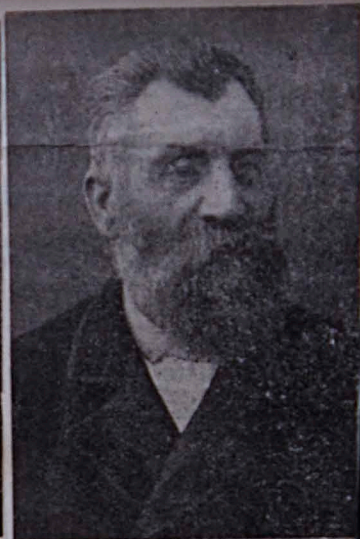
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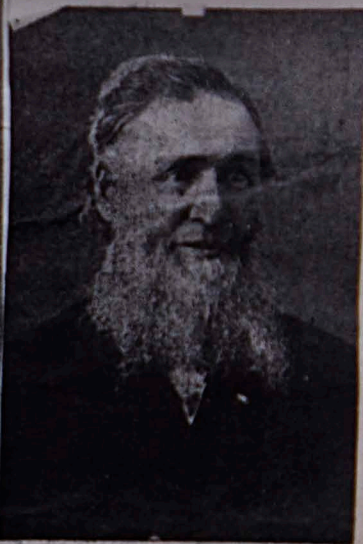
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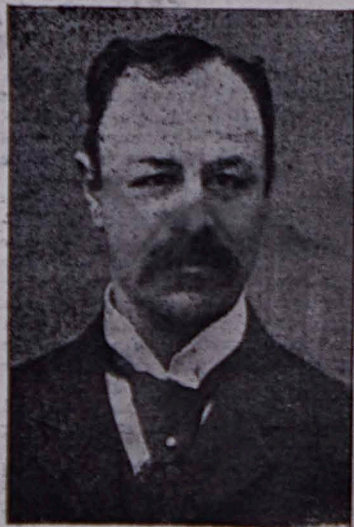
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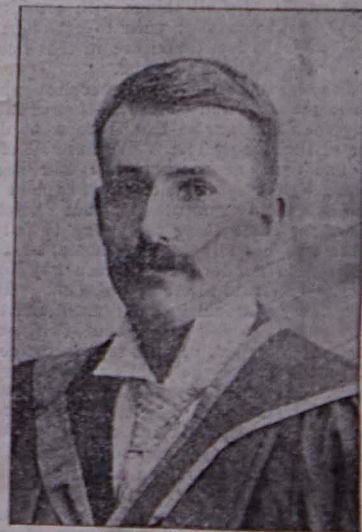
Cr. J. H. ABBOTT.



Cr. H. M. MARKS.



Cr. D. B. LAZARUS.



Mr. J. R. RICHARDSON, M.C.E.,  
(City Surveyor).

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ROYAL PRINCESS THEATRE, BENDIGO.

Friday Evening, 28th July, 1999.

# GRAND CONCERT

BY

## MASTER FRITZ MULLER

Pupil of Miss Adelaide Burkitt.



ASSISTED BY

St. Andrews' Choir  
(Winners of The  
Austral Competitions 1898-9)

Miss Kate Samuels,

Miss Maud Rowson,

Miss Adelaide  
Donovan,

Mr. Alberto Zelman,  
Jr.,

Mr. A Palamountain

Mr. H. V. Roper.


ADMISSION - 3s, 2s, and ONE SHILLING.

Box Plan and Tickets at Suttons.

CONCERT AT 8 P.M.

CARRIAGES AT 10.15 P.M.

HUGO FISCHER, MANAGER.



⇒⇒ Masonic Hall, Bendigo. ⇐⇐

St. Andrew's College,

**BENDIGO.**

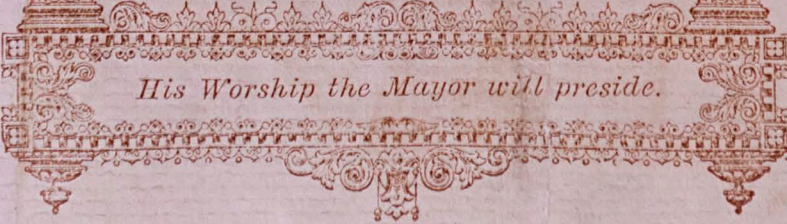
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SPEECH NIGHT

AND

*Distribution of Prizes*

On TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15th, 1896.



*His Worship the Mayor will preside.*

## Programme.

### PART I.

1. PIANO SOLO ... "Recollections of Scotland" ... *Rockstro*  
MISS NELLY CRAWFORD.
2. RECITATION ... "The Man from Snowy River" ... *Paterson*  
HAROLD KIRBY.
3. SONG ... "O Stella Maris!" ... *Piccolomini*  
MISS EDITH BISSET.  
(With Violin Obligato by Miss Emily Dyason).
4. DIALOGUE ... "Twenty Years Ahead" ... *M. S. Haycraft*  
CHAS. GAFFNEY, BASIL COHEN, HAROLD DAVEY, HUGH  
BROWNE, RODNEY MARKS, THEO. DE RAVIN,  
ARTHUR DAVIS.
5. PIANO SOLO ... "Two Hungarian Dances" ... *Behr*  
DR. LONG.

### REPORT.

### PART II.

1. VIOLIN SOLO ... "Fantasie Irlandaise" ... *Vieuxtemps*  
MISS EMILY DYASON.  
(Kindly accompanied by Mr. Ch. H. King).
2. SONG ... "The Yeoman's Wedding Song" ... *Poniatowski*  
MR. M. MACOBOY.
3. DIALOGUE ... "A Precious Pair" ... *Sutherland*  
CHARLIE SEWELL AND ALEC. STERNBERG.
4. MOUTH ORGAN DUET { (A) "My Polly" } ...  
                                  { (B) "Home, Sweet Home" } ...  
NELSON KEATING AND WILLIE BURRIDGE.

### CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

### PRESENTATION OF PRIZES.

## Extravaganza : "Virtue Victoriouth or Vithe-vertha."

### FIVE ACTS IN FIFTEEN MINUTES.

|                          |                                  |                                                          |                            |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| William the Warrener.    | JAMES WARREN                     | ACT I.—The Baron Boasteth Himself.                       | Interval of 30 secs.       |
| Alith.                   | ROY PIPER                        | ACT II.—The Conference of Villainy.                      | Interval of half a minute. |
| The Baron Badenuff.      | HAROLD KIRBY                     | ACT III.—The Tragedy at the Trysting Tree.               | Interval! See above!!      |
| The Mysterious Stranger. | AUSTIN WEIRE                     | ACT IV.—The Mysterious Story of the Mysterious Stranger. | Interval Ditto!!           |
| Villains.                | TOM HENDERSON AND FRED. JENNINGS | ACT V.—Virtue Victoriouth, not Vithe-vertha.             | Interval! Beware!!         |



The Principals wish to acknowledge the  
assistance of Messieurs H. M. Marks, C.  
King, M. Macoboy and Dr. Long.



THE RETURN BALL.

AN ENJOYABLE GATHERING.

The return ball to the mayor, Mr. H. M. Marks, and Mrs. Marks, which took place in the Town Hall on Tuesday, proved an unqualified success, and the committee who had charge of affairs (of which Cr. Bailes was chairman, Mr. Millett treasurer, and Mr. J. Hemming hon. secretary) must be congratulated on the general excellence of the arrangements. The interior of the main hall was tastefully decorated with pot plants and flowers, colored lanterns and bannerettes, while mirror panels placed at various points, added to the effectiveness of the scene. Forster's String Band as usual occupied the balcony, and on the wall below them and facing the entrance to the ballroom were two large photos, one of the mayor and the other the mayoress. The portraits, which were taken by Messrs. Bartlett Bros., and enlarged by Mr. Ninniss (the Bendigonian photographer), were encased in frames made by Mr. D. G. Coope, and decorated with red, white and blue colors by Messrs. Henderson and Goodisson. The photos were greatly admired, and the idea of adding them to the wall decorations was a happy one. The decorations in the supper-room upstairs, and the allocation of the ante-rooms for various purposes were the same as on the occasion of the mayor's ball. The British, Australian and corporation coats of arms were prominently displayed in each corner of the hall. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather there was a good attendance, the hall being comfortably filled.

PRESENTATION TO THE MAYORESS.

Shortly after eight o'clock the members of the executive committee and their wives met Mr. and Mrs. Marks in the mayor's room, for the purpose of making a presentation. Cr. Bailes remarked that it was customary on such occasions to afford some tangible proof of the esteem in which the mayoress for the time being was held, and he was pleased to see that in this instance the committee had not overlooked its duty in that respect. They had selected for presentation to Mrs. Marks a gift which he was sure would please her. It was also a pleasure to him to have the honor of making the presentation, on behalf of the citizens, and he hoped that the mayoress would be long spared to wear it as a token of their appreciation of the admirable manner in which she had discharged her onerous duties as mayoress of the city. (Hear, hear.) Cr. Bailes then formally handed over to Mrs. Marks a beautiful diamond star. In all there are 49 diamonds set in gold in the star, which is so manufactured that it may be used as a brooch, a pendant, or a coiffure ornament. The jewellery was accompanied by a neat case bearing the inscription—"Presented to Mrs. H. M. Marks, mayoress, by the return ball committee, Bendigo, 13 | 7 | 97."

The mayor, in acknowledging the gift, expressed the grateful thanks of Mrs. Marks and himself for the handsome present, which he said would be cherished as a memento of their year of office. It would be highly prized, and handed down to their children as a family heirloom. (Hear, hear.) During the day he had had grave doubts as to whether Mrs. Marks would be able to attend that evening, as she had become suddenly indisposed on the previous day. He was pleased to be able to say, however, that the assiduous treatment she had received had proved of benefit, and she was able to be present amongst them. (Hear, hear.) He could sincerely endorse the hope expressed by the chairman that she might long be spared. (Applause.) The present was not a time for speech making, as they were, he knew, all anxious to get on with the dancing, and therefore he would not detain them longer, but on behalf of the mayoress and himself again thank them for their lovely present. (Applause.)

The chairman said that the committee had decided to present the mayor and mayoress with an illuminated card of invitation, and considered that a fitting time to make the presentation. The card, which was embossed and enclosed in a neat gilt frame, inlaid with velvet, bore the following inscription:—"The citizens of Bendigo present their compliments to the Right Worshipful the Mayor and Mrs. H. M. Marks, and request the pleasure of their company at the return ball at the Town Hall on Tuesday, 13th July, 1897. A. S. BAILES, chairman. J. HEMMING, secretary. Bendigo, 21st June, 1897." The letter was tastefully illuminated and the "card" should prove a nice souvenir of the auspicious occasion.

Cr. Bailes said that the committee desired the mayor and mayoress to also accept as mementoes of their term of office the two enlarged photos, which were on view in the hall. The mayor, who was quite taken by surprise, suitably returned thanks. He said that Mrs. Marks and he had not been able to do as much as they would like to have done during his mayoral year, but he could only hope that their actions had met with approval. (Applause.)

THE BALL.

An adjournment was then made to the main hall, where dancing was soon in full swing, and set up with vigor throughout the night, the programme comprising 20 dances and several romps.

The arrangements in connection with the ball were carried out on the usual system of tables in order to prevent any undue overcrowding at the tables. The first supper was served at 10.15 p.m. Cr. Bailes, as chairman of the committee, presided, and proposed the toast of "The Queen," which was joyfully drunk with musical honors. He then proposed "The Mayor and Mayoress," and in the course of a neat speech referred to the manner in which the mayor had fulfilled the duties of his office as chief magistrate of the city, mentioning particularly the way in which he presided over the different public meetings in connection with the Federation campaign. With regard to Mrs. Marks he safely said that no previous mayoress had been in fulfilling the duties which devolved upon the wife of the mayor for the time being. The toast was enthusiastically honored and the mayor acknowledged the compliment in a few chosen remarks. Cr. S. H. McGowan presided at the first relay and Mr. T. J. O'Connell at the second. The catering was under the able hands of Mr. E. Conlen, of Harcourt street, was carried out in his usual efficient manner, and left nothing to be desired; while the drinks and spirits supplied by the Sandhurst Co-operative Company were first-class. The members of the ball committee are to be congratulated on the success which attended the ball, and in this connection the chairmen, Cr. Bailes, and the hon. secretary, Mr. J. Hemming, whose business tact and experience in such undertakings are invaluable, are deserving of special mention.

Following is a list of the guests, as contained in the entree cards presented at the

- Mrs. J. Allan, Mr. and Mrs. R.H.S. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anthony, Dr. H. Atkinson, Lieutenant J. H. and Mrs. J. H. Abbott, M.L.C., and Mrs. J. H. Abbott, Mrs. W. E. Armstrong, Mrs. J. Allison

- Mr. C. P. Browne, Mr. A. Biscamp, Dr. and Mrs. H. Boyd, Miss Barnett, Mr. R. B. and Miss Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. F. Barker, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Boyd, Mr. S. Brown, Mr. J. H. Bryan, Miss Bickle, Mr. E. G. Brady, Mr. J. E. Buchan, Mr. J. and Misses Buick, Mr. W. and Misses Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, Mr. H. S. V. Busst, Mr. C. and Miss Barnett, Mr. W. F. Boldt, Mr. H. Bradley, Mr. A. and Miss Bayne, Dr. J. Buick, Miss Burns, Miss Bailey, Mr. W. H. Brown, Mr. H., Mrs. and Miss Burridge, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bailes. Mr. Clement, Miss Carr, Mr. W. Crowley, Mr. M. Conolan, Mr. A. Crothers, Dr. and Mrs. O. Cowen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Connell, Mr. Jacob, Mrs. and Misses Cohn, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Cohn, Mr. W. F. Creeth, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. M. Condon, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Currow, Miss Cook, Mr. W. and Miss A. Casley, Miss Charlton, Miss Collins, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohn, Mrs. Collier, Mr. and Miss Colgan, Miss K. Cook, Mrs. Jefferson Connely, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cathcart, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cohen, Mr. G. G. P., Mrs. and Miss Claridge, Mr. C. and Miss Catran, Mr. J. D. and Miss Crofts.

- Captain and Mrs. Dyason, Mr. A. G. and Misses Dunlop, Mr. J., Mrs. and Miss Deeble, Miss Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. F. Denton, Mr. and Mrs. S. Dethridge, Mr. W., Mrs. and Miss Davis, Mr. C. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Daymond, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawson, Mr. J. A. and Mrs. De Ravin, Miss Daglish, Mr. and Mrs. J. Driscoll, junr. Mr. T. and Miss C. Elliott, Mr. J. G. and Misses Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Eskdale, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Eadie, Dr. and Mrs. J. Eadie, junr., Mr. T. Espinett. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Finster, Mr. J. M. Flanagan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Faul and Miss Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Flohm, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Freeman, Mrs. Fuggle, Miss Farman. Mr. F. Goyno, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gadd, Mr. and Miss C. Germann, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Goodisson, Mr. T. S., Mrs. and Misses Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Guthrie, Mr. J. Grellis, Mr. A. H. and Miss Gough, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goudge, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Gaffney.

- Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunter, Mr. T. H., Mrs. and Miss Henderson, Mr. J. Henderson, Mr. J. and Miss Hay, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, Miss Heine, Mr. and Mrs. W. Honeybone, Mr. J., Mrs. and Miss Horwood, Mr. A. and Miss Heinz, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hemming, Mr. W. Hunter, Mr. G. Hunter, Mr. T. and Misses Hunter, Mr. A. Hay, Captain and Mrs. A. Hamann, Mr. and Mrs. L. Herman, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Heine, Mr. T. and Miss A. Hogan, Mr. L. Harris. Mr. and Mrs. J. Illingworth. Mr. and Miss Jeffrey, Misses Jess, Mr. T. R., Mrs. and Misses Jones, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knight, Mr. P. A. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. W. Keating, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kelly, Miss Lily Knight, Miss Klemm, Mr. J. Knowlton, Sergeant, Mrs. and Miss Kildfeder, Mr. F. Kort, Mr. C. F. Kennedy. Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee, Miss Lamb, Miss Dolly Lincoln, Mr. D. B. Lazarus, Mrs. Lazarus, Mr. S. Lazarus, Mr. A. E. Langford. Mr. and Mrs. P. Mole, Mrs. and Miss McCulloch, Miss Macgillivray, Mr. E. Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mackay, Mr. G. Mackay, Mr. G., Mrs. and Miss Minter, Inspector and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. P., Mrs. and Misses Moog, Dr. Murphy, Misses Manning, Mr. and Mrs. J. Millett, Cr. and Mrs. S. H. McGowan, Miss Browne Mason, Mrs. Millin, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, Mr. H. G. Mackay, Mr. R. and Mrs. Mackay, Miss Murdoch, Dr. J. C. and Mrs. McKee, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKenzie, Mr. L. Murphy, Miss A. McGowan, Mr. A. Mathieson, Mr. and Mrs. R. McClure, Miss M. A. Mackay.

- Mr. H. Y., Mrs. and Miss North, Mr. J., Mrs. and Miss Neeson, Dr. and Mrs. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. W. Neill, Mr. Nicholls, Mr. Ninniss, Mr. E. J. V. and Misses Ni Gan, Mr. and Mrs. R. Nicolai. Mr. E. O'Keefe, Dr. and Mrs. O'Neill, Mr. J. F., Mrs. and Miss O'Dwyer, Mr. O'Dwyer (mayor of Echuca), Mr. and Mrs. E. H. C. Oliphant, J. G. Oliphant, Mr. M. L. O'Brien. Mr. G. A. Petrie, Dr. Penfold, Mr. J. and Misses Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pool, Miss Pike, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Prescott, Miss Tottie Potton (Melbourne), Mr. and Misses Pabst, Mr. and Mrs. Piper, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pearce. Dr. and Mrs. Quick. Miss Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Rae, Mr. G. Rae, Miss T. Rickert, Reporters Bendigo Advertiser, Bendigo Independent and Evening Mail, Miss Reynolds, Mr. V. Rymmer, Mr. J. and Misses Reid, Mr. W. T., Mrs. and Miss Grace Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rankin, Mr. F. H. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richardson, Mr. J., Mrs. and Miss Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ripper, Mr. and Mrs. A. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rattray. Mr. J. Stewart, Mr. W. J. and Miss Straughair, Mr. J. and Mrs. Sarvaas, Miss Spooner, Dr. Von Stieglitz, Mrs. J. Sheahan, Mr. Jtn. and Miss E. Smalley, Mr. B. Spence, Mr. G. Sweeney, Mrs. Stokes, Mr. G. J. and Mrs. Sweeney, Mr. W. and Misses Steward, Dr. and Mrs. Sturdee, Rev. E. H. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. F. and Mrs. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sternberg, M.L.C., Mr. F. W. and Mrs. Salmon.

- Mr. G. H. and Mrs. Tatchell, Miss Tainsh, Mr. J. Taylor, Mr. J., Mrs. and Miss Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Tappin. Mrs. Vickers, Mr. F. B. Vahland. Mr. Wallis, Miss Warne, Miss W. Walker, Mr. J. F. and Miss Warren, Mr. T. and Miss Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. H. White, Miss Warnock, Misses Warr, Mr. G. H. Watson, junr., Mr. R., Mrs. and Miss Walker, Mrs. J. B. Watson, senr., Mr. J., Mrs. T. and Miss Weekley, Miss Woodward, Mr. T. N., Misses May and Ethel Woodward, Mr. C. and Mrs. Woods, Mr. W. H. and Mrs. Weddell, Mr. and Mrs. W. White, junr., Mr. R. and Mrs. Williamson, Mr. G. F. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. S. White, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Darnton Watson, Mrs. Whigham. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young, Miss Young. Miss Zesch.

THE DRESSES.

There was a slightly greater variety of colors displayed in the dresses than at the mayor's ball, but many of the ladies wearing the same costumes, our task is narrowed down into describing some that were particularly noticeable. The mayoress (Mrs. Marks) beautiful gown of yellow brocade. Miss Charlton—A handsome costume lemon colored brocade, very prettily trimmed. Mrs. O'Neil—A lovely dress of pale yellow silk, pretty passementerie trimmings. Mrs. G. D. Watson looked very charming in a costume of lemon colored silk, very tastefully trimmed. Miss Lottie Potten, Melbourne, very becoming costume of white pongee silk, diamond jewellery. Mrs. Weekley—A very becoming dress of buttercup merveilleux, bodice beautifully trimmed with silver passementerie and silk lace. Miss Weekley—Very handsome dress of white merveilleux, richly trimmed with pearl passementerie and Brussels lace, shoes, gloves and fan to match. Miss Lily Knight—Lovely gown of pale blue Duchess

satin, bodice elaborately embroidered with silver and enchanced with beautiful pink carnations, cloak en suite. Mrs. J. B. Collier (New Zealand)—Rich ivory white moire Imperiale corsage with bands of pearl insertion, mouseline de soie, gloves, shoes and fan en suite. Mrs. J. B. Watson, senr. (Melbourne)—Stylish gown of black French faille, handsomely trimmed with Maltese lace and black passementerie, diamond ornaments. Miss Dolly Lincoln (Melbourne)—Princess dress of rich orange merveilleux, bodice draped in fine d'Arguille lace and jewelled passementerie. Mrs. R. D. Mackay—A pretty gown of eau de nil brocade, pale pink silk and embroidered chiffon trimmings. Miss Tainsh (Echuca)—Cream silk, trimmed with pearl passementerie and scarlet velvet. Mrs. De Ravin—Black merveilleux, handsomely trimmed spangled net and cardinal. Mrs. Clayton—Black silk, trimmed jet, rich old lace. Mrs. Cathcart—Black velvet gown, jet trimmings with orange flowers. Mrs. Williamson (Castlemaine)—Black merveilleux, handsomely trimmed black jet and pink roses. Mrs. Fuggle (Woodend)—White moire, trimmed with pearls and mauve roses. Mrs. Wigham (Castlemaine)—Red silk moire, jet trimming and red poppies. Mrs. J. Hemming—Black merveilleux, trimmed with black jet and pink roses. Miss Straughair—Tuscan satin, trimmed with chiffon and poppies, shoes and cloak to match. Mrs. H. Hughes—Pale green satin, trimmed with pearls and lace. Miss Jess—Pale blue surah, silver and turquoise trimming, forget-me-nots. Miss M. Moog—White silk, pearl passementerie, bebe ribbon. Miss Madge Jess—Canary satin, gold passementerie and violets. Miss S. Rickerts (Castlemaine)—Pale pink satin, pearl trimmings and flowers. Miss E. Smalley—White silk, trimmed with buttercup bebe ribbon. Miss E. Harrison—White silk, fan and gloves to match. Miss A. Reed—Pretty costume of salmon pink silk, nicely trimmed with point lace. Miss Murphy—Black silk gown, salmon pink sleeves. Mrs. J. Flohm—Pale blue silk crepe, chiffon and pearls. Miss Cohn—A very striking costume in cardinal silk. Mrs. F. Macoboy—A lovely costume of black brocade. Mrs. M. Cohn—Pink satin gown, lace trimmings. Mrs. C. Cohen—A becoming dress in cardinal silk. Miss Faul—Very pretty gown of heliotrope surah, suitably trimmed. Miss Ross (Melbourne)—Black merveilleux, buttercup ribbons, yellow chiffon. Mrs. J. H. Knight—A very pretty costume of pink gauze, pink chiffon bodice and violets. Miss Goff—Becoming costume of black brocade, pretty jet trimmings. Miss Kildfeder—Pink silk, chiffon trimmings, pearl ornaments. Miss Mackay—An effective costume of cardinal silk, suitably trimmed. Miss Elliott (Castlemaine)—Buttercup silk, cardinal trimmings and poppies. Mrs. Faul—A very suitable costume of black merveilleux, bodice of yellow brocade. Mrs. J. Boyd looked well in a very pretty gown of heliotrope brocade, nicely trimmed. Mrs. Crawford—White merveilleux, veiled in net. Miss McGowan—White Pongee silk, lily-of-the-valley and pearl trimmings. Mrs. Dawson—Neat gown of pink silk, chiffon trimmings. Miss Fletcher looked fascinating in a gown of white silk. Miss N. Walker, very pretty black costume, with Ma-Mie-Rosette trimmings. Miss Henderson, can-didil chiffon dress, with trimmings of green velvet. Miss Dagleish, white silk with trimming of chiffon and violets. Mrs. Tatchell, charming black costume. Mrs. H. Boyd, beautiful gown of heliotrope brocade. Miss L. Edwards, pretty dress of pink silk.

Dear Mrs Marks

Harry has today been  
made Mayor Elect of the City of Santiago.  
He will be home directly. Kindly assemble  
the family and receive him with the  
honors due to his exalted position.

P.S. I think the family  
and yourself should  
assemble in the hall  
on his arrival.

Yours sincerely

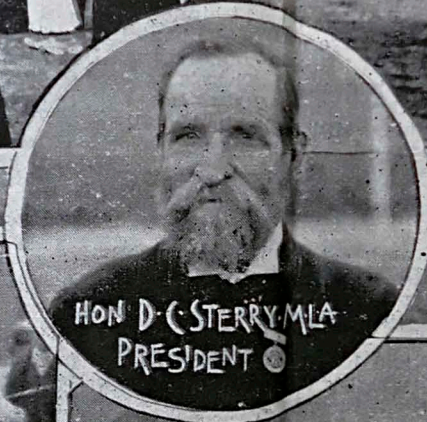
Geo St Hobson.



GENERAL VIEW OF SHOW GROUND



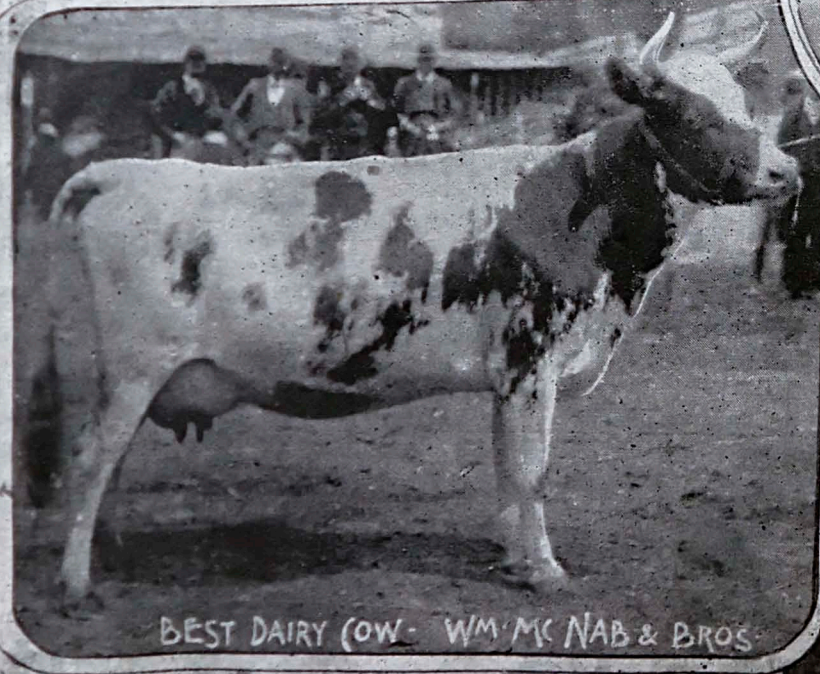
IN THE JUDGES' BOX



HON. D. C. STERRY, M.L.A.  
PRESIDENT



H. M. MARKS  
SECRETARY



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VICE REGAL PARTY & COMMITTEE OF SHOW

1989

## THE MAYOR AND MAYORESS OF BENDIGO.



CR. H. M. MARKS (Photo. by Bartlett Bros.)



MRS. H. M. MARKS. (Photo. by Bartlett Bros.)

THE QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS IN BENDIGO.—THE COMM TTEE OF MANAGEMENT.



MR. W. HONEYBONE (Town Clerk.)

CP. J. P. CAROLIN.

CR. H. M. MARKS (Mayor.)

CR. D. B. LAZARUS, M.L.A.

CP. S. H. M'GOWAN.

(Photo. by Bartlett Bros.)



He paid £4.10 for the Joy of wearing this costume.

ROUSE PAPER... well.

THE BENDIGO CONTINGENT FOR THE TRANSVAAL.

Private J. S. Walton.

Private H. Shearer.



LIEUTENANT H. W. PENDLEBURY. (Photo. by Bartlett Bros.)



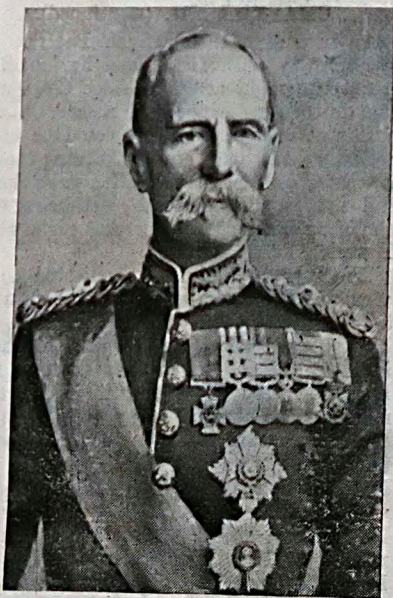
Sergeant W. Miller.

Lieutenant H. W. Pendlebury.  
Private R. Barbour.

Sergeant A. H. Keck.

Private Friswell.

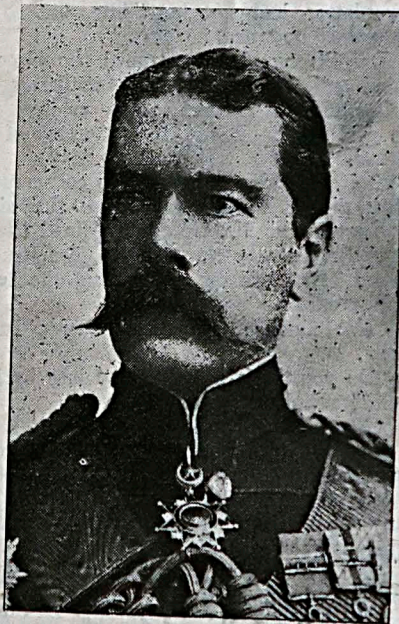
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LORD ROBERTS  
(the Law of Command-in-Chief.)



LIEUTENANT F. H. S. ROBERTS  
(Killed at Colenso).



GENERAL KITCHENER  
(Chief of Staff.)

FROM THE COMMITTEE

# Bendigo Coronation Celebration

God save our gracious  
King,  
Long live our noble  
King,  
God save the King.  
Send him victorious,  
Happy and glorious,  
Long to reign over us,  
God save the King.



Thy choicest gifts in  
store,  
On him be pleased to  
pour;  
Long may he reign.  
May he defend our  
laws,  
And ever give us cause  
To sing with heart and  
voice,  
God save the King.

**June 26th, 1902.**

**GOD SAVE THE KING.**

**J. R. HOSKINS, MAYOR OF BENDIGO.**

**J. NIXON, Manufacturing Confectioner,**

## THE LATEST PLAGUE STORY.

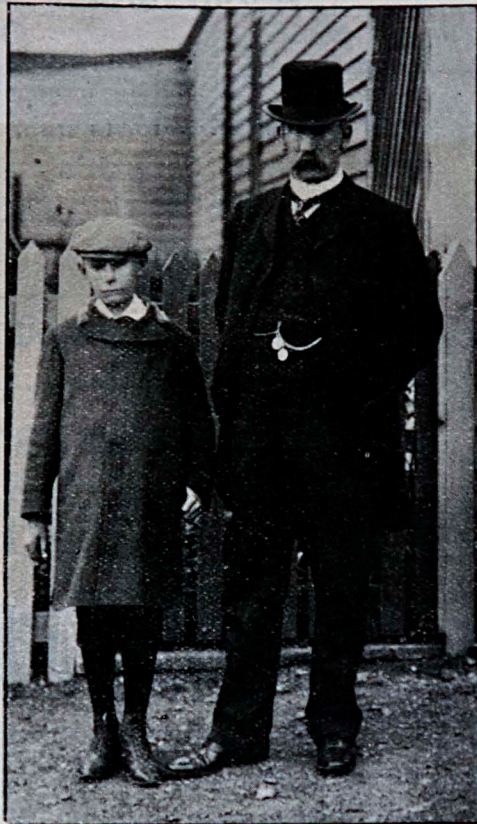
### A SENSATION IN A VALISE.

A rather good story is related in connection with the present plague scare, which, whilst it has the merit of being true, also affords an example of the readiness with which plague germs could be carried from an infected area to a considerable distance away. A gentleman not a hundred miles from Bendigo, whose vocation often requires his presence in the metropolis, on one of his recent visits there, decided, as a good paterfamilias should, to surprise his family on his return with some of the rarer examples of the confectionery art, which enterprising tradesmen are so fond of displaying. As his next day was likely to be a busy one, and other more important matters would occupy his attention, he invested in some of the toothsome morsels the previous evening, and packed them carefully away in his valise. They were brought home, and the family in due course enjoyed the luxury, praising alike the forethought of the head of the house, and the skill of the confectioner, though they regretted the fact that rough usage, which was perhaps unavoidable in fragile sweets being packed in a bag that was bound to be tossed about in a railway carriage, had broken up some very pretty designs. That, however, was a secondary consideration since it did not affect the flavor or quality of the compositions. After the repast had been enjoyed, the head of the family had gone down to his place of business to note correspondence that had come during his absence, and the family generally were dispersed over the house, the mother was quietly reading at the table, when she was disturbed by scratching sounds in the room. With true feminine instinct, they suggested mice or rats in the vicinity, and she made a hasty survey of the room, but without success, her movements having apparently frightened the intruders: twice or thrice this occurred, and eventually to her astonishment she traced the commotion to the valise which had been left on the table. The alarm was sounded, the bag hastily closed, and a patrol set to guard it till the return of the family commander-in-chief. On his arrival, he treated the matter with ridicule, but a fresh disturbance in the bag caused him to take a more serious view of affairs. Then arose a discussion as to the best place to tip the contents of the bag into, and finally the bath, half full of water, was regarded as the most suitable. Here, to the astonishment and horror of all concerned, amidst the general contents of the valise, which were tipped into the water, was a fine grey rat, which had made its journey by rail from the metropolis in the bag. It is surmised that it got into the open valise at the hotel during the night, attracted by the savoury viands. Here then was the solution of the disfigured artistic confectionery, and further proof of deprecation was afforded by some destroyed starched linen. That the viands had been shared with the rodent, who had first pick, was obvious, and naturally the discovery had a nauseating effect which has been followed by visions of bubonic plague, inoculation with the prophylactic serum, periods of quarantine, and all the ills that come in train. One has only got to say the word "rats" to blanch the otherwise roseate hue on the faces of any member of that family. It is needless to add the rat was killed.

draught produce stakes were awarded to



THE SECRETARY OF THE ROYAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF VICTORIA (MR. THOS. PATTERSON)  
Has just been congratulated on the success of the Show.



THE SECRETARY OF THE ROYAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF N.S.W. (MR. F. WEBSTER)  
Considers the Show a great improvement on previous ones.



THE SECRETARY OF THE BENDIGO AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY (MR. H. M. MARKS)  
Hopes for similar success for his forthcoming show.

Herald  
August 29-1896

OUR GOLDEN CITIES.  
THEIR NEW MAYORS.



CR. HARRY M. MARKS, BENDIGO

The newly-elected Mayor of Bendigo Cr. Harry M. Marks, was born in this city, forty years ago, but he does not look his age by any means. For some years past he has carried on successfully the business of H. M. Marks and Company, auctioneers, commission agents, etc., established by his father in the year 1852. For many years he had the management of the Bendigo Easter fairs, which are held annually for the benefit of the local charities. By these demonstrations since their inception the local charities have benefited to the extent of no less a sum than £29,000. Cr. Marks has also been secretary of the local Agriculture Society, which is one of the most prominent in the colony. In connection with the last Easter Fair, so gratified was the committee with its success, and Cr. Marks' services, that a very substantial honorarium was voted to him which he at once handed over to the charities. The Chinese, too, who always take a prominent part in the Bendigo Easter Fairs, presented him with a handsomely illuminated address, in recognition of the assistance he had rendered them. The election of Cr. Marks is a popular one.



Congregational Church, Quarry Hill.

ANNIVERSARY

Tea and Concert

WILL BE HELD ON

Wednesday, April 27th, 1898.

Programme.


- Overture—"Fanfare Militaire" ... Misses RUBY MARKS,  
(Pupils of P. T. Bockelmann) EVA YOUNG
- Song—"The Carnival" ... Miss ADA LAITY
- Song—"The Diver" ... Mr. OLDHAM
- Song—"Sing Sweet Bird" ... Mrs. JONES
- Violin Solo—"Auld Lang Syne" Miss JOSEPHINE SCOTT
- Song—"Hunting the Fox" ... Miss MARION JONES
- Song—"A May Morning" ... Mr. STEWART
- Song—"Maggie! the Cows are in the Clover"  
Miss OLIVE SHARP
- Violin Solo—"Mazurk" (*Ovide Musin*) P. T. BOCKELMANN  
(Accompanist—Miss Ruby Marks.)
- Song—"Sunshine and Rain" ... Miss WALLER
- Song—"Song of Paradise" ... Mrs. GIBBONS
- Duet—"O'er the Hill, O'er the Dale" Mrs. and Miss JONES

Accompanist: PAUL T. BOCKELMANN.

Tea at 6.30.

Concert to commence at 8 o'clock.

T. J. SYMES, PRINTER, ARCADE.



**CR. A. BELL, BALLARAT CITY.**

Cr Alex. Bell, J.P., like the new Mayor of the town, is a Scotchman, having been born at Dumfermline in 1850. He came to Victoria with his father—who, by the way, was present at his election as Mayor—when very young. After leaving school he was connected with the grocery business as an assistant. By untiring energy and business acumen he at length obtained a business of his own, and after 15 years' work, retired on a competency. Soon tiring of a comparatively inactive life, however, he, in 1892, opened an auctioneering and sharebroking business in conjunction with Mr Lambert, under the style of Bell, Lambert and Co. The firm soon attained a standing and is now among those prominent in the city. In 1891 Mr Bell was elected to the City Council, and is justly esteemed by his fellow councillors as well as the citizens he represents for his many sterling personal qualities. He has been chairman of the Ballarat Woollen Co. for twelve years, a director of the Ballarat Tramway and Land Mortgage Co., a member of the Old Colonists' Association, and the Commercial Club; is a Freemason, and has passed through the chair of the Order of St. Andrew. Cr Bell is also a trustee of the Miners' Association, and is a leader in the South street Debating Society. Mrs Bell is the first native of Ballarat who has become Mayoress of the city.



**CR. M'KEE, BALLARAT EAST.**

(Photo by Fraser, Ballarat).

Cr W. D. M'Kee, J.P., who will be elected Mayor of Ballarat East on Monday is one of the most popular public men in the Ballarat district. He was born in Lanark (Scotland) on the 6th of May, 1845, and came to Victoria with his widowed mother and brother in 1857. Until 1866 Mr M'Kee lived in Geelong, where he served his apprenticeship to the printing trade and subsequently worked as a compositor upon the "Geelong Register," which was then edited by the late Mr James Harrison. In that year he came to Ballarat and opened a large job printing office and crockery warehouse in Bridge street, where he still carries on a thriving business. The new Mayor was elected to the Ballarat East Town Council in 1888, as representative of the North Ward, in succession to the late Mr James Russell, M.L.A., and he has since been re-elected—on two occasions unopposed. Cr. M'Kee has been a member of the Orphan Asylum Committee for 15 years, and has twice been president. He is a Past Grandmaster of the I.O.O.F., an ex-president of the Supreme Grand Lodge of that Order. He is also an ex-member of the Ballarat Water Commission, and a prominent Freemason. The new Mayor, who has a family of nine, has frequently been requested to stand for Parliament, but prefers to devote his time to other matters. His geniality and integrity have made him many friends, who are naturally pleased at his elevation to the Mayoralty.

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**DRINK  
KANDY KOOLA  
TEA.**

**ALL GROCERS.**

Auctions.

VICTORIAN 1853

## MIDDLETON V. MARKS.

### DEFENDANT'S LAW COSTS.

At the meeting of the Agricultural Society this afternoon, Mr. S. H. McGowan took advantage of the occasion to present Mr. H. M. Marks with a receipt for the full amount of the costs incurred in the case Middleton v. Marks. He said that it was a great disgrace that men should be so persecuted, and Mr. Marks deserved the sympathy of his fellow-citizens.

Mr. Marks was received with applause, and thanked them all for the compliment paid him and for the practical sympathy shown him. He could not find words to express his thanks for the handsome way in which the society had treated him, and said that he felt under a deep obligation to Mr. McGowan particularly, to the members individually, and to the society collectively. From the information he had received that day he was hopeful of being able to recover the costs which were due to him, and was determined to take action in that direction.

1853

# Debutantes at the Bendigo Tennis Ball.

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MISS EDINA BOYD.



MISS RUBY MARKS.



# Debutantes at the Bendigo Tennis Ball.

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MISS AMY DYASON.



MISS ETHEL COOK.



MISS EDITH COULTER.



MISS MURIEL DAVIDSON.



MISS LENA BOAG.

August 24<sup>th</sup> - 1906

A pleasing function took place last evening, when, at the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Marks, a large number of friends assembled at their residence in Wills-street to celebrate their silver wedding. An enjoyable evening was spent. At supper Mr. S. H. McGowan proposed the health of the host and hostess in felicitous terms, and spoke of the high esteem in which they were held in the community. On behalf of those present, he also wished Mr. and Mrs. Marks "Many happy returns of the day." Mr. McGowan's remarks were cordially endorsed by Messrs. J. W. Faul, J. Hemming, A. Duns, and others. Both Mr. and Mrs. Marks were the recipients of numerous congratulatory letters and telegrams.

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Despite your manners in not  
 inviting us to the party  
 we wish you many happy  
 returns of yesterday we will  
 deal with marks when we  
 meet them

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**WM. BROWN,**

Commissioner of the High Court  
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CORNHILL,

450 COLLINS STREET,

(NEXT NORTHERN ASSURANCE CO.'S BUILDING),

Melbourne, 31 / 10 / 1908.

NO. 1, 3RD FLOOR.

Dear Harry

I read that paragraph in  
the "Age" yesterday and "Good luck"  
to you old "cocker" = I hope it is  
true = that it is a "big hit," and  
that you <sup>will</sup> live long and ~~live~~ <sup>live</sup> to  
the best of health to enjoy it =  
 kindest regards to you and all  
yours from

Your old old co-member  
of the green cloth

Wm. B.

Douba  
Chapel St. - St. Kilda

Dear Mr. Marks.

I read in one  
of the newspapers  
that you had  
inherited a valuable  
property in England.

I hope the news  
is true.

You have my  
heartiest wishes  
that you may  
live long, with the  
best of health, and  
free from trouble.  
So that you may  
enjoy your good  
fortune.

Yours sincerely  
W. Martin



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MARKS.—On Friday, June 26th, at 101, High-street, Chatham, Isaac George Marks, aged 76 years.  
MARCH—On June 27th, 1908, at her residence.

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Romantic windfalls of this description  
happen as often as people suppose, but  
case nothing could be more deserved,  
body who knows papa or any of  
hastening to congratulate him  
sincerely.

Birth November 9th 1908

March

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Harry Marks, of Bendigo, who shortly leaves for England to claim a valuable inheritance—real estate in London and Chatham bequeathed to him by a recently-deceased relative—is one of the best known figures in Quartzopolis. Marks is an auctioneer with a thriving business. For many years he has been secretary of the Bendigo Agricultural Society, and in that capacity has earned a widespread and enviable notoriety. But he is even better known as secretary and general manager of the Bendigo Easter Fair—Bendigo's annual and famous effort in aid of the finances of the local Hospital and Benevolent Asylum. Marks is a born showman: he has all the instincts of the showman, and in the Easter Fair his peculiar talents find full scope. Years ago the committee, formed of representatives of the interested institutions, friendly societies, sporting bodies, etc., used to call for applications and select a secretary. The Fair was steadily going downhill. There are not many people who are fitted to manage so great and many-sided an affair, and the committee was invariably unhappy in its selection. So at length Marks was approached. He consented to take on the job for a fixed number of weeks at a specified remuneration. The result justified the most sanguine expectations, and year after year since then has continued to do the work. Under his able direction the Fair has regained and added to its former prestige, and annually turns £1,500 to £2,000 into the coffers of the hospital and the asylum. Possibly now that Marks has come into "splish," and is off to England, the Fair may next year have to get on with a strange hand at the helm. Marks has been a councillor and mayor of the City of Bendigo, and everywhere on the goldfield is voted a jolly good fellow.

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Chatham  
Rochester News  
sept 4th 1897

It will be interesting to many readers of this column to learn that Mr. H. M. Marks, a member of an old Chatham family, is filling the honourable office of Mayor of Bendigo, in South Australia. I observe from the Bendigonian newspaper that a grand ball has recently been given in that borough out of compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Marks. The occasion was a notable one, and before dancing commenced a very handsome presentation was made to the Mayoress. The gift consisted of a beautiful diamond star. In all there were 49 diamonds set in gold in the star, which is so manufactured that it may be used as a brooch, a pendant, or a coiffure ornament. The jewellery was accompanied by a neat case bearing a suitable inscription. The Mayor himself was presented with a souvenir of the event in the shape of an illuminated card of invitation, enclosed in a neat gilt frame, inlaid with velvet. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Marks, who are the nephew and niece of Mr. Isaac Marks, of High-street, Chatham—judging by the testimony before me in print—are held in the highest possible esteem by the citizens of Bendigo.

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DISJOINTED CHAT.

(By Cynicus, Junior.)

The Dr. Nikola so graphically portrayed by the Australian novelist, Mr. Guy Boothby, was a sinister, cynical, evil-genius of a man who was always pictured as accompanied by a huge black cat from which he seemed to draw some of devilish hypnotic powers, and who assisted him in some mysterious way in his occult manifestations. Here in Golden Bendigo there dwells a genial gentleman who is the exact antithesis of the evil genius of "A Bid for Fortune," but he also chums up with a playful purring representative of the feline race. Ex-Mayor Harrius Markus, as "the chronicler" dubs the jocund wielder of the hammer, keeps a soft little dot of a tabby pussy in his office, and while he discusses business with a customer fondles the kitten and plays with it, tickles it in the ribs, pulls its tail and puts his finger in its tiny jaw and allows it to enjoy itself pretending to bite through the somewhat thick epidermis of his index digit. It is amusing and interesting to watch the pair, the member of the joint-and-several progress associations all smiles, and bubbling over with wit and humor of a rough and ready kind and the little tame tabbie all fun and frolic and playfulness. It almost looks as if H. M. draws his merriment from his fur-coated companion, as if in some mysterious way the jokes are the cat's and the ex-mayor only the medium through which the fun is foisted on to the public. When the kitten is sick her boss is as sober as a judge, when she is off on a scamper after a prosaic mouse who has hidden behind a case of more or less fresh eggs, he looks as funereal as a mute. On the other hand, when pussy's on his knee rubbing her head on his expansive waistcoat he is the merriest of sand boys, and the late Dan Leno, the King's jester, would not have been in it with him. It's quite edifying to watch the pair, for when Harry cracks a joke the cat winks out loudly and turns on her back and actually laughs, as much as to say, "That's my joke, only you don't know it." So when H.M. cracks a joke in full he just say to yourself as they do in "The Pirates of Penzance," "It is the cat." Take a stroll round to the mart and see it for yourself.

At the conclusion of business at the meeting of the hospital committee last night, Mr H. M. Marks, who is leaving Bendigo on a trip to England, was entertained by the president and members. Eulogistic references were made to Mr. Marks's charitable works, and the health of the departing citizen was cordially honored. Mr. Marks made a feeling response.

**EASTER FAIR SECRETARY-SHIP.**

**MR. MARKS TENDERS HIS RESIGNATION.**

Just as the members of the Easter Fair committee were last evening picking up their hats and umbrellas preparing for the close of the meeting and the chairman for the last time asked, "Is there any more business?" Mr. H. M. Marks, the secretary, rose and quietly said, "Yes, gentlemen, I wish to be relieved of my position as secretary."

The request was as sudden as it was unexpected, and was greeted by a chorus of "Oh's." Mr. Marks reiterated his intention of resigning.

Mr. C. Morgan: You're only joking.

Mr. Marks: No, I'm not. Since the last meeting have been turning over in my mind the remarks by Mr. S. Brown, when he said that my appointment as secretary had been criticised by the Caledonian Society. My feelings in respect to it are such that had it been anyone else but Mr. Brown the remarks would have been offensive. I know that there has been a lot of tittle-tattle going on about my appointment, and I must ask you to appoint someone else in my place. Under no circumstances whatever will I continue.

Mr. Brown said he was sorry that any remarks of his should lead Mr. Marks to any such intention. He did it principally in Mr. Marks' interests and in the interests of the fair. He knew that there had been comment, not only amongst the members of the Caledonian Society, but amongst others, and he thought it only fair to mention it and give the hospital and asylum committees an idea as to what some of the outside feeling was at all events. He repeated that it would have been more of a compliment to Mr. Marks if the various societies' representatives had been asked to select the secretary. There was no doubt but that they would have selected Mr. Marks, as he was certainly the man with the most ability for such a position. He would ask Mr. Marks, on behalf of the Caledonian Society, and himself personally, to reconsider his decision. Otherwise it would be fatal to the fair.

Mr. Marks: I have done a lot of the routine work, and will assist anyone else who is appointed. I have positively determined not to continue.

Mr. Brown: Mr. Marks has misconstrued my remarks.

Mr. Marks: No. I know I am the topic of conversation. The position was not of my seeking. I did not want it under any circumstances, for I have had quite enough anxiety and worry over past fairs. It is no sinecure. The work is not only in the office. I have already had four trips away over this year's fair. When I hear the talk outside about it being a

Marks, as his ability was indisputable. The general opinion was that he was the only man in Bendigo who could run the fair successfully. It was rather late now for Mr. Marks to take such a step, and he would be doing an injustice to the fair and a bigger one to himself. If he continued in office he would not only vindicate his selection, but he would have the confidence of the whole of the public.

Mr. C. Morgan said they had made a fairly good start, and it would be a pity if Mr. Marks withdrew at the present stage. He hoped that he would reconsider his decision and that for the sake of the two charitable institutions and the public of Bendigo he would retain the position.

Mr. Marks said he appreciated their kind remarks. But as he said before he had positively determined not to continue, no matter what was done. Other things had been said that he could not mention to the meeting. But they had been insulting to himself and family. He had a number of new ideas he would have liked to have brought out this year, but he was not going to do it at the expense of insults. They would all do the same if they were in his position, and had such things said about themselves and families, as he had of him and his. He had heard that he had done Mr. Walker an injury, and that the Bendigo Fire Brigade was not going to turn out in the procession. He also knew that one lodge had decided not to take part. He could not with any self-respect continue. He had not quite lost all his self-respect yet. He suggested that applications should be called for the position.

It was unanimously resolved on the motion of Mr. S. Brown, seconded by Mr. J. Dorrity, that Mr. Marks' resignation be held over for a week, and that the hospital and asylum committees be asked to meet immediately and consider the position.

**GAINST EX-CR. MARK**

**VIOLATION OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT.**

**DAMAGES CLAIMED.**

**OPINION RESERVED.**

Supreme Court yesterday, Mr. Justice Hodges, John A. Taylor, Mitchell-street, Harry Montague Marks, Greaves-street, Bendigo, penalties recoverable from it in violation of the local Government Act, the occasions acted as a of Bendigo while in provisions of the said The amount sued for damages at the City 50 for each supposed

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## FAREWELL TO MR. H. M. MARKS

### A PLEASANT GATHERING.

In the Town Hall last evening a public farewell was accorded Mr. H. M. Marks on the eve of his leaving Bendigo on a trip to England. The attendance was large and representative of the city and district. The guest, on entering the hall, accompanied by the mayor (Cr. A. Harkness) was received enthusiastically and with orchestral honors. The mayor presided.

After the toast of "The King," Mr. McGowan proposed the health of the guest. He said that they were gathered together to do honor to one of Bendigo's best citizens, a gentleman who had spent a considerable part of his life in doing a great deal of good for its public institutions. Mr. Marks's special efforts had been in connection with the Easter Fair, and he had also done yeoman service for the Bendigo Agricultural Society. There was also a power behind the throne in Mrs. Marks—(hear, hear)—who was always to the fore in the cause of the charities. Their guest would have to be identified when he reached England—(laughter)—and he was not sure whether he would not go along and identify him. (Laughter). But whatever was Mr. Marks's good fortune, the citizens of Bendigo would not regret, but appreciate it. (Applause).

The mayor of Eaglehawk (Cr. Green) also conveyed to Mr. and Mrs. Marks his best wishes for an enjoyable trip.

Mr. Magnus Cohn (president of the Bendigo Hospital) was in a reminiscent and humorous mood, and recounted many incidents of Mr. Marks in football and charity theatrical entertainments.

Mr. G. J. Sweeney (president of the Bendigo Benevolent Asylum) wished Mr. and Mrs. Marks bon voyage.

The Hon. J. Sternberg supported the toast, speaking particularly on behalf of the Agricultural Society.

Mr. Angus Mackay, Mr. J. Patterson (Agricultural Society) and Cr. Long (president of Strathfieldsaye) also spoke to the toast. Cr. Long remarked that Mr. Marks was a born showman, and no one could have beaten him had he followed that calling.

The mayor referred to Mr. Marks's career as a member of the City Council. (Hear, hear). For some years he was a member and in that capacity did a great deal of work for the benefit of the city. In one of those years Mr. Marks was mayor. He (the speaker) had not had twelve months' experience in that position, but he had had quite sufficient to make him think and fully believe that any man who undertook the duties of that office, and who tried to fully carry them out, was deserving well of his fellow citizens. He thought it only right that he should make reference to the great satisfaction Mr. Marks had given whilst acting in that position. He joined in wishing Mr. Marks and his wife a very pleasant trip. If the newspaper reports preceded Mr. Marks, Barnum would take care he would not lose the "best showman on earth." (Applause and laughter).

The toast was warmly and musically honored, and the mayor then made the presentation on behalf of the citizens, prefacing them by stating that they were slight tokens of appreciation of the efforts they had both put forward for the benefit of the city.

The presentation to Mrs. Marks was of a most useful and artistic nature, comprising various necessaries for a long voyage, in sterling silver and of over three dozen pieces. Mr. Marks was presented with a sterling silver smoker's companion. The whole of the articles were selected from the stock of Messrs Prescott and Dawe, jewelers, and were much admired.

Mr. Marks, on rising to make his acknowledgement, was demonstratively received, and said that he did not know how to adequately express his thanks for the honor the gathering had conferred upon him in attending in such large numbers, and for their kindly feelings towards him. He fully appreciated the honor to the greatest extent. This was one of the proudest moments of his life. In his efforts he had really only been doing his duty. He might say that he was very jealous of Bendigo's good name. (Hear, hear)—and was always anxious to see it on top in everything. (Applause). He was born near where they were gathered that night, and he hoped when he returned to be able to ask Mr. McKenzie what he wanted for the place where he was born. (Applause). He referred interestingly to his association in the early days with Cr. Long in the Easter Fair. He also mentioned the name of Mr. H. Monaghan in this connection. He thanked the gathering for their very handsome presents to himself and his wife. They would be cherished as deeply and sincerely as anything could be cherished in this world. What his wife had done for the institutions of Bendigo had been performed with a pure heart and the best of intentions. He thanked the members of the Agricultural Society for the kindly feeling extended to him. Everything had worked pleasantly and amicably during the 27 years he had been secretary. (Applause). He owed a deep debt of gratitude to Mr. McGowan for his acts of kindness, and the same thing applied to the president of the hospital (Mr. Cohn), whilst to the press he conveyed his thanks, and to Mr. Honeybone (town clerk) for undertaking the secretarial duties for the function that evening. He hinted at the possibility of the histrionic talent of former years being again seen in public. If "the old crowd" could be got together they would no doubt be able to raise a fair amount towards the charitable institutions of Bendigo. (Applause). He would have one thought wherever he went, and that would be the pleasure he would have when he returned. (Hear, hear). He wished all present and their families a Merry Christmas, and hoped that they one and all would live long and prosper. (Loud applause).

The guest gave the toast of the mayor, which was duly honored, and the assemblage joined in "Auld Lang Syne."

Stewart's orchestra contributed popular selections during the evening, whilst solos were rendered by Messrs G. Bradley, J. Young, W. Tinkler, Frank Monaghan, A. J. Hamilton (whose local humorisms were very good) and a selection by the male choir (Mr. W. Tinkler conductor).

Mr. R. B. Trengrove catered excellently for the function.

At the inaugural meeting of the Bendigo Easter Fair last night Mr. S. H. M'Gowan referred to the impending departure of Mr. H. M. Marks, the veteran secretary of the fair, and expressed the hope that he would come into a considerable inheritance on his arrival in England. When he returned to Bendigo, whether he was a Rockefeller or a Jay Gould, he would be reappointed secretary of the Bendigo Easter Fair. (Applause.) As he would sail on the 29th of the present month, it would be only in keeping with their sentiments if they wished him bon voyage, a prosperous time in England, and a speedy return. Mr. Marks was a natural-born showman, and Bendigo had been particularly fortunate in having had his services. He (Mr. M'Gowan) moved that the committee place on record its deep appreciation of Mr. Marks's services, and the hope that he would have a prosperous voyage, and a happy home coming. Mr. M. Cohn, in seconding the motion, said the fact that Mr. Marks had been retained as secretary for a great many years was a proof of his ability. (Applause.) Mr. Cohn continued:—"When Mr. Marks is presented at court—(Mr. Marks: Police Court) (laughter)—and puts on the Windsor uniform, I hope he will not forget us. (Renewed laughter.) I hope he will come back and take up the work of secretary again. (Applause.) The Mayor endorsed these remarks, and the motion was carried by acclamation. Mr. Marks, in his response, said he would not be sorry when next Tuesday came. He had been told that he was an awfully good fellow—(laughter)—and the only thing he regretted was that they were not erecting a statue to him before he went away. (Laughter.) He trusted that the approaching fair would be more successful than any preceding one, and there was no reason why it should not be with the Mayor at the head and Mr. Jas. Walker secretary. (Hear, hear.) He would give the new secretary all the assistance he could before he went, while his sons would render all possible help to the committee and officers. (Hear, hear.) He hoped he would return a Rockefeller. If he did there would be no more Easter Fairs in Bendigo. (Laughter.) He was going to stop with Mr. Rockefeller—if he asked him—(laughter)—and would bring some of his millions out with him. (Renewed laughter.) He did not know where he would be on Easter Monday next, but wherever he was his thoughts would be of Bendigo and the Easter Fair. (Applause.) Mr. Marks subsequently entertained the members of the committee at refreshments at the Metropolitan hotel.

Mr. James Hayward, of Messrs. Haynes

unfair to Mr. Walker, I can stand it no longer. Before the first meeting was called, Mr. Walker asked me to do so, as he said that on no consideration was he going to be secretary. I said I was not, either. But I called the meeting in the usual way, and everything done as done with the best intentions. I am not going to be worried as in the past, and have myself and family insulted. I am not going to be the butt for any irresponsible nobodies under any pretence whatever. I will give every assistance I can, but from this day week I cease to be secretary. Let some of the clever fellows in the lodges come and do the work.

Mr. Brown: If you resign I will certainly ask my society to appoint someone in my place on the committee. My remarks were not made in any personal spirit.

Mr. Marks: You had a duty to perform, and did it as nicely as you could. I don't want a worried and anxious time over the fair. We used to be able to run it smoothly. But it seems that now we can't.

Mr. Brown said that, moving about as he did, he obtained a good idea of the popular feeling, and he had not heard one objection regarding Mr. Marks' appointment. He had given general satisfaction. But there had been a little questioning regarding the action of the committee in making the appointment and leaving the delegates out. Mr. Marks has the full confidence of the whole of the committee, and he suggested that he be asked to reconsider his decision.

Mr. Marks: I would rather you did not do that. I have positively determined to resign.

Mr. A. Wright: I've heard nothing.

Mr. Marks: But I have, and have already been insulted. I am not going to be a butt. I am getting too old for that. I don't want a vote of confidence, as I know I have it.

Mr. Dorrity suggested that Mr. Marks should hold his resignation over for one week.

Mr. Marks: No; I'm not going to. It will only do an injury to the fair.

Mr. Dorrity: I want to do for the fair all the justice I can, and if I can keep you there I will be doing it.

Mr. T. Coth had heard some talk as to the manner in which the selection was made, but no one had objected to Mr.

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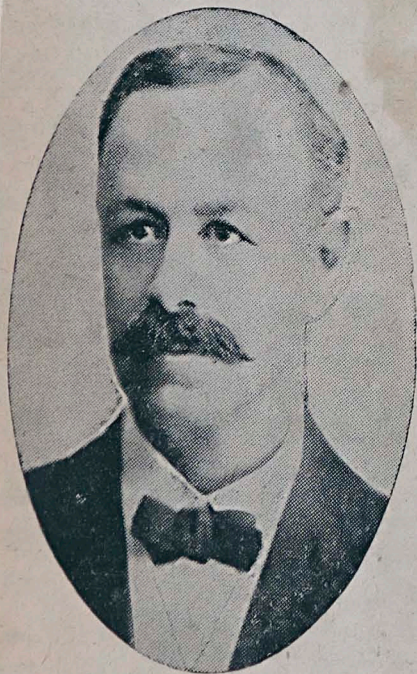
DEATH OF MR. MARKS.

POPULAR CITIZEN'S END.

Passes Away Suddenly.

Notable and Valuable Career Closed.

Somewhat unexpectedly at the end of failing health for some time past, Mr. Harry Montague Marks died at his residence, "Turiff," Carpenter-street, at 9 o'clock last night. With the exception of the two sons at the war, Mrs. Marks and the other members of the family were at his side when he passed away. Mr. Marks had been in brighter spirits during the day, and his medical attendant (Dr. H. A. De Ravin) thought his condition was a little easier. However, he took another of the bad turns that had been troubling him with painful frequency latterly, and it proved fatal. He had been a brave sufferer, and what he passed through during the past few months would have long since crushed the spirits of a less sanguine and courageous man than Mr. Marks. Even last night as the news spread about Mrs. Marks and family began to receive many messages of condolence.



(Vincent Kelly, photo.)

In the death of Mr. Marks, Bendigo has lost one of its oldest sons, and one of its most versatile and popular citizens—a man who was not only born in the city, when it was in its infancy, but who made his impress upon it, as he developed into manhood and maturity. It was in 1855 that Mr. Marks was born, not far from the Town Hall, where he was destined to hold the most important office in the gift of the

"the Prince of Secretaries," and the results he achieved fully merited and justified the title. He found the society heavily in debt when he accepted the post of secretary, but ever since it has flourished, and is now regarded as only second in importance to the Royal Society in this State. Far and wide Mr. Marks became favorably known to exhibitors and the owners of jumping horses. It was largely his personality that drew many of them here year after year, and made the show what it has developed into. During his regime the old-time debt was not only liquidated, but thousands of pounds were spent in improvements at the Show Grounds. As in the Easter Fair, the name of Mr. Marks has become so entwined in that of the Bendigo Agricultural Society that for many a year his memory will be kept green, and his good work extolled. Without Mr. Marks there will be a strong personality and a leader lacking at the next show. In the arena, at the pens, and at the luncheon, his presence will be sadly missed. A silent toast will be offered to the memory of "Harry" Marks, as he was known to scores of friends.

In civic life the late Mr. Marks infused his optimism, yet restrained with due caution. He sat in the City Council for Darling Ward from May, 1893, to August, 1902, and occupied the Mayoral chair in 1896-97. He was offered the Mayoralty in 1895, but owing to pressure of business he declined the honor. After long, honorable and useful services on behalf of the city and citizens, he retired at the end of his term in 1902. As Mayor and magistrate he upheld the dignity of the offices, and proved an acquisition to the bench of honorary magistrates at the City Court, where he sat for many years. He was a prominent Freemason, and was a past worshipful master of the Golden and Corinthian Lodge, Bendigo.

In 1881 Mr. Marks was married to Miss Leech, in Castlemaine, and Mrs. Marks and a family of four sons and one daughter survive. The sons are Messrs. H. S., R. M., A. V., and L. R. Marks. Messrs. H. S. and R. M. Marks have been engaged in the business at the Central Auction Rooms for years with their father, and in recent years had been of great assistance to him in his secretarial and organising work. Mr. R. M. Marks is also a captain in the Commonwealth Military Forces, and officer-in-charge of area 67B Senior Cadets. Mr. A. V. Marks is at the front with the A.I.F. Artillery, and Mr. L. R. Marks, as a medical student, is engaged in A.M.C. work in the A.I.F. of Malta. Mrs. Norman Watson is the daughter of Mrs. Marks.

FUNERAL TO-DAY.

The funeral leaves Mr. Marks's Isafe residence, Carpenter-street, for the Bendigo Cemetery at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

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Sincere sympathy is felt with Mrs. Marks and her children in the death on Wednesday of Mr. Marks, who was such an old identity that we'll miss him so much, especially at Easter time. What will our procession be without Mr. Marks?

Don't forget the St. Patrick's

stead.

Mr. H. S. Marks was last night elected to fill the vacancy on the Hospital Board of Management created by the death of his father, Mr. H. M. Marks. In moving Mr. Marks's appointment Mr. S. H. M'Gowan said it would be a fitting memorial to the late Mr. Marks's memory to elect Mr. H. S. Marks in his place.

## WIDESPREAD REGRET.

a considerable time has the com-  
en so touched as by the sad cir-  
surrounding the death of Miss  
Barrass in the railway accident  
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week she enjoyed such a large  
popularity, and was held so  
lic estimation, she could scarcely  
ved it. The expressions of re-  
ne fatality were widespread  
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ng of all the officers and mem-  
Barrass had been one of the mos-  
rkers in the association since  
in Bendigo, holding through

LATE MISS MARGARET  
BARRASS.

## HOSPITAL LOSS.

MR. H. M. MARKS AND DR. HUGH  
BOYD.

## ERECTION OF TABLETS PROPOSED.

Sympathetic references to the death  
of two of the oldest members of the  
Bendigo Hospital committee—Mr. H. M.  
Marks and Dr. Hugh Boyd—were made  
at the monthly meeting of the committee  
last night.

Prior to entering on the business, Mr.  
A. Mackay (vice-president) said it was  
his duty to refer to the deaths of two of  
the oldest members of the committee.  
Not only the Bendigo Hospital, but the  
city as a whole was poorer by their  
deaths. Both men for a very long time  
had been connected with the institu-  
tion, having been elected to the committee  
in 1888. Thus for 28 years they had dis-  
charged their duties as members of the  
committee, and they all agreed they had  
discharged those duties faithfully and  
and well. On two occasions Mr. Marks  
had occupied the presidential chair. Both  
men had been friends to the institution.  
As regards Mr. Marks it could be truly  
said he was a great friend to the hos-  
pital. As secretary of the Easter Fair for  
many years he was a means, indirectly, of  
gaining a large sum of money. He never  
made an enemy, and was highly re-  
spected by all with whom he came in con-  
tact. For years Mrs. Marks had been as-  
sociated with her late husband in his  
good work of the Easter Fair, and as the  
leader of the ladies' committee, was in-  
strumental in that section being a suc-  
cess. Dr. Hugh Boyd had been the only  
professional representative on the com-  
mittee, and as a connecting link between  
the committee and staff was of great  
value. He took a deep interest in all  
questions affecting the hospital, and his  
advice was always received with respect.  
He had fought the battle of life courage-  
ously, resolutely and honorably. Both  
gentlemen, who had been so long asso-  
ciated with the hospital, had greatly as-  
sisted in the progress of the city. It  
could be truly said they were loyal citi-  
zens of the Empire, for each one had sons  
at the front upholding its honor. He  
moved that a letter of condolence be for-  
warded to the relatives and that a framed  
photo. of each be hung in the room. Mr.  
Mackay added that it may be a departure  
from the general rule, but both gentle-  
men had a long and valuable connection  
with the institution.

Mr. S. H. McGowan (treasurer) sec-  
onded the resolution, remarking that  
Mr. Marks, Dr. Boyd, Mr. Hyett and him-  
were the oldest members of the com-  
mittee. Both Mr. Marks and Dr. Boyd  
had given a great deal of time to the  
welfare of the city. He had been more  
actively connected with Mr. Marks, who  
was always happy when working for the  
Easter Fair. They would sadly miss  
both gentlemen, whose deaths would not  
only be a loss to this, but other institu-  
tions and the city of Bendigo. He had no  
objection to a framed photograph being  
hung in the room, but thought something  
better should be done to perpetuate  
their memory. They had a feeling of  
the greatest respect for both gentlemen.  
He seconded the resolution, not with  
pleasure, but with a vast amount of re-  
gret. He would agree to anything that  
would perpetuate their memory as both  
had been good hard workers for the  
hospital. They were two valuable citi-  
zens, and whatever they took in hand  
would make use of it.

Mr. B. Hyett, one of the oldest com-  
mitteemen, said he desired to show his  
admiration of the great work rendered to  
the hospital by both gentlemen. Mr.  
Marks had been taken away whilst pre-  
sident, a position he had occupied on two  
occasions. During the time he had been  
a member of the board, Mr. Marks had  
shown a marked interest in the institu-  
tion. He had brought a lot of shrewd  
business intellect, thereby benefiting the  
hospital. He had always been an inde-  
fatigable worker for the institution. He  
had had the privilege of being one the  
visiting committee with Dr. Boyd and  
brought closely into contact with the  
work he had done for the institution. Dr.  
Boyd had shown a great deal of interest  
in the visiting committee and brought a  
lot of medical knowledge to bear. When  
they realised the fact that he had spent  
most of his life in alleviating the suffer-  
ings of humanity, it was a source of great  
grief that he was taken away in such a  
tragic manner. He (Mr. Hyett) sug-  
gested that a tablet be raised to their  
memory.

The resolution was carried in silence.  
It was agreed to leave the question in the  
hands of the executive officers, who will  
report to the next meeting.

Mr. McGowan said Mr. Marks had been  
so many years connected with the insti-  
tution that it was fitting that they should  
elect his son (Mr. H. S. Marks) to the  
vacant position. This was decided upon  
and the vacancy caused by Dr. Boyd was  
allowed to stand over until the next meet-  
ing.

Mr. A. Mackay was appointed presi-  
dent for the balance of the term, Mr. Mc-  
Gowan pointing out that Mr. Mackay had  
shown himself to be an earnest worker.  
The position of vice-president will be fil-  
led by Mr. B. Hyett.

Next Wednesday week comes Miss Ruby Marks' wedding at Turriff, to which all

her friends are looking forward with liveliest anticipation. She should make a very pretty bride, and will have two pretty attendants in Miss Williamson and Miss Eunice Watson. Dean MacCullagh will perform the ceremony, which is to take place in the house, in the presence of a large number of guests. And the following Wednesday is

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A great number of old Bendigonians now located in W.A. went down to Fremantle and boarded the Omrah, to see Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marks when they passed through en route for England on the 4th inst. Some of the local papers commented on the fact of their passing through, and one paper spoke of Mr. Marks as "absolutely the wittiest man in Victoria." They had some nice fellow-passengers, among them being Sir George and Lady Le Hunte (the retiring Governor and his wife), the popular vice-regal representative of South Australia. On the way over from Largs Bay to Fremantle Sir George made himself popular, and was very much liked. In stature and manner he reminds me very much of Mr. Tatchell, of Bendigo.

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AT THE BEEHIVE.

ALAS! POOR HARRY!

There's a big blank in Hargreaves street through the death of Harry Marks—a big blank in Bendigo generally. For so many years we who knew him as a level-headed busy man of affairs, and then relaxing whenever he pleased and becoming one of our pleasantest humorists, regretted the slow sapping away of his vitality during the past two or three years. He knew long ago that his end was not very far away. The calm resignation with which he waited for the final, the cool, unemotional way in which he would discuss his consultations with surgeons and what their opinion was of the prospects of an operation giving him a new lease of life, disclosed a firmness of will and a patience under suffering which made his closing years pathetically interesting to old friends who had known him in his happy boyhood and in the mingled rush and merriment of his young and of his middle manhood. His father's only son, he was his father's little mate. It was quite a common thing in the early "sixties" to see Marks Senior and Marks Junior travelling through the Camp Reserve or up View street to their home on the brow of Mac's Hill. (The Extended Hustler's Hill was then called "Mac's Hill," because "Bendigo Mac" had his residence there.) Marks Junior, then a little boy, would be sitting in a tiny cart, drawn by a billy, the whole turnout as natty looking as if intended to compete in a show. At home he had plentiful pets in rabbits, dogs, pigeons, and other sorts of birds. Indeed, throughout his life love of animals was one of his characteristics. As he grew into manhood dogs—all sorts and sizes of dogs—filled up a good part of his time. You would hardly ever in his later teens and early twenties see him anywhere without a flock of dogs in his company—any number from half a dozen to a full score. He would have a bully—a first prize bully—on a hand chain, a second prize bully running free, two or three setters, a couple of retrievers, a long-legged pointer, one particularly tall greyhound, a small Newfoundland, a dachshund, and several kinds of terriers. Sometimes when he had them all out with him on a Saturday afternoon, and casually looked in at the Shamrock, there'd be a big commotion between him and Billy Heffernan's house-dog and Goodisson's St. Bernards, or Dr. Hinchcliffe's curly tailed pug dogs. Such a row there'd be, such barking, snapping and threatening that we'd be having visions of the bars and dining rooms being filled with dead and dying dogs. But nothing serious ever happened. The Marks' team of assorted dogs all backed up each other. Harry controlled them all, each having its own name and answering to it, and eventually he would draw them off, and they would resume their rambles. You could always tell if Harry Marks were coming round the street corner. He'd be heralded by two, three or four of them, then Harry would appear, and after him anything up to a dozen of his favorites.

One day, years after this, when wife and children had arrived and he had stronger interests than in his old canine friends, Harry, some of you may remember, got into trouble with the dog-man. Going up Hargreaves street the dog-man stopped at the auctioneering mart.

"How many dogs have you here, Mr. Marks?" asked the dog-man.

"I don't know," replied Harry, "and I'm too busy now to count them!"

The upshot was that Harry told the dog-man that he was a low fellow, because only a low fellow would take such a billet.

Remonstrated with for having lost his temper over the dog-man and being assured that the dog-man was a useful and necessary city officer, Harry excused himself on the plea that he only had four dogs. "Only four," exclaimed the friend in surprise; "ain't that a good number for the dog-man?" "No," calmly replied Harry. "I used out there near the slaughter yards to keep eighteen and sometimes twenty-four of them, and they never troubled me for dog-fees. Now they're hunting me when I've only got four!"

These and hundreds more of similarly entertaining anecdotes could be told of Harry Marks. One feature of his life was the friendship that was so constant between him and the late Mr. Alfred Joseph. Bookmaker though he was, Mr. Joseph was one of the most liberal-minded fair-dealing men we have ever had in Bendigo. His will and the allocation of his large property showed the fairness of the man. In business perplexities I am sure that Mr. Joseph was often the referee to whom Mr. Marks appealed. And he could not have had a wiser counsellor—a wise man and a wise adviser.

Of Harry Marks and the stage, his colleaguings in comedy with such genuine fun-makers as the late George Hobson, George Bain, Jack Pickup and scores of others, it is needless to say much. It is in everybody's memory. His was a useful and an honorable life. Where is the citizen who at some time or other has not been under compliment to Harry Marks for services and for fun kindly and liberally supplied?

THE LATE MR. H. M. MARKS.

The death of Mr. H. M. Marks removes from our midst one of our best known, most useful and respected citizens. He was born in Bendigo in the years of its infancy, and before there was such a thing as a municipality. He therefore witnessed most of those developments which led to its growth from a township to a municipality, from a municipality to a borough, from a borough to a city, and he was able for a few years to assist in its government, and he attained the position of Mayor. Although he discharged his duties in those capacities in a satisfactory manner, it was as secretary of the Easter Fair and the Agricultural Society that he won distinction. The Agricultural Society has flourished since he assumed the position of secretary, and it now stands second only to the Royal Society, largely as a result of his ability and activity. He was always a most prominent figure at the shows, and was known and respected by exhibitors far and wide. As for the Easter Fair, it was never complete without him, and his energy and resourcefulness were inexhaustible. In the cause of charity for upwards of forty years Mr. Marks was at the beck and call of almost every organisation that required his help, and in amateur performances no more popular man ever trod the boards. His calling as an auctioneer also brought him into prominence everywhere throughout Bendigo, and he was part of the life of the city to a degree that was never equalled by even the most prominent of our public men. Of course, everybody did not see eye to eye with Mr. Marks in regard to public questions, and even in connection with the Easter Fair and Agricultural Society, but there was a general recognition of the fact that the progress and welfare of Bendigo were the main spring of his activity. The people of Bendigo as a whole will acknowledge the community's indebtedness to him, and his personality and worth will be regarded in years to come with kindly memories.

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SERGEANT CYRIL WATSON.

The sad news was received in Bendigo yesterday that Sergeant Cyril Watson, youngest son of Mrs. John Watson, of Wattle-street, had been killed in action in France, on the 23rd February. The sad tidings were conveyed in a private cable message from France, sent by Quarter-master Captain Rodney Marks to Flight Sub-Lieutenant Harold Watson, who is doing duty in English coastal towns. The latter cabled the news to his mother in Bendigo. Sergeant Cyril Watson and Flight Sub-Lieutenant Watson are younger brothers of Messrs. Rupert Watson, of Perricoota Station, Moama, and Oswald and Norman Watson, the well known auctioneers. Sergeant Watson, who was about 26 years of age, left with reinforcements in April last year, and after a brief stay in Egypt and at Salisbury Plains went to France and took part in the fighting early in December. The cable message stated that he was killed instantaneously during a bombing raid by the Germans on the British trenches on the 23rd February. Before enlisting he took part in several of the parades of the Bendigo Citizens' Defence League. He had qualified for the rank of lieutenant, and promotion would have come soon but for the misfortune which overtook him. Sergeant Watson was very popular and the sympathy of citizens will go forth to the family.

# Depends On Whose Bomb

There was conducted in this newspaper some weeks ago a discussion by statements and letters whether the Australian and New Zealand Congress for International Co-operation and Disarmament and its sponsor, the Peace Council, were genuine movements for peace in the world or Communist fronts for the furtherance of Communist aims under the guise of peace.

An answer to the question seems to have been given at the weekend in Peking where Australian delegates attended a rally to celebrate the "success of the Seventh World Congress against Atomic and Hydrogen Bombs."

With Mr. Khrushchev waving the nuclear bludgeon, it is a little difficult to see what the "success" was but the rather large inconsistency did not stop an Australian delegate from blithely declaring his support for the Soviet decision to resume nuclear testing—nor from adding: "I am sure many of my colleagues in the Australian peace movement will do the same."

The delegate apparently fully agreed with Red China's Foreign Minister, Marshal Chen-yi, that the Soviet decision to resume testing of nuclear weapons was a "step to defend world peace."

This Communist double

# OUTLINE OF THE WORK OF LEGACY BY CHAIRMAN

To assist in the understanding of the need for the present Legacy Week appeal, an outline of the work of the organisation was given yesterday by the chairman of the Legacy Week Committee (Mr. A. R. Guy).

He said Legacy was established in 1923, just five years after World War I.

A small group of ex-servicemen of the First A.I.F., led by the late Lieut.-General Sir Stanley Savige, met to consider the problems of ex-servicemen arising from their service.

They resolved to alleviate, as far as possible, the difficulties of the families of their fallen comrades.

"The badge of Legacy is the torch, and wreath of laurel. The torch is a symbol of the undying flame of service and sacrifice handed to the survivors by their comrades of the wars of 1914-18 and 1939-45 and subsequent campaigns, who have passed on.

"The wreath of laurel, with its points inverted, signifying remembrance, is the guerdon of honor to those who gave their lives for their country," said Mr. Guy.

Legacy endeavored as far as possible to give the wisdom of parenthood, and the guidance and material help needed and missed by the children of the nation's servicemen who either did not come back or had subsequently died.

## Foster Fathers

"In its ranks it has a great army of citizens who act in the role of foster fathers in an unobtrusive and unpublicised way. It comprises men from all walks of life — doctors, lawyers, businessmen of all kinds, primary producers and tradesmen.

"In its concepts and ideals it is purely Australian and unique in the world. Legacy has spread across the Commonwealth and in all States it has more than 44 main clubs with a great number of operating groups and branches with a London club all of which provide

Place, where required, widows and children in worthwhile jobs, and see they receive training necessary for their advancement.

Advise on medical and optical needs.

Provide holidays for children during the long vacation periods.

Provide, where circumstances warrant, residential accommodation for children.

Mr. Guy pointed out that no matter how skilled and how effective was the work done by these foster fathers, Legacy required a great deal of financial help each year, and in order to provide for the welfare of the families it was assisting, Legacy would spend more than £150,000 in Victoria alone this year.

"Due to the thinning ranks of ex-servicemen, the number requiring Legacy assistance will grow appreciably over the next ten years. Therefore its requirements in manpower and money will, of necessity, increase to deal with the number of families which will require assistance each year.

Mr. Guy said that during the present Legacy Week, which would continue until next Sunday, an appeal was being made to the public of Victoria to assist Legacy in its tasks.

He felt certain that the people of Bendigo and surrounding districts would respond to this appeal in the same sincere and generous way they had given their support to Legacy over the years.

# RETIRING BEN HOTELKEEPER HONORED

One of northern Victoria's best known Mr. Ray Clohesy, who has retired from the trade association, was honored by a large assemblage yesterday.

Fortunately for Bendigo, Mr. Clohesy has decided to continue to reside in this city.

As "mine host" of the City Family Hotel for many years, Mr. Clohesy became a close friend to many visitors, including many from other states.

Before taking over the licence of the City Family Hotel, Mr. Clohesy had a hotel at Sea Lake and held the unique record of a father and two sons holding hotel licences at the same time.

President

taking up residence in this city, interest in football has held pride of place.

As president of Sandhurst Football Club in the Bendigo League, he was honored by the club last year by being made a life member.

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 THIS IS LEGACY WEEK — Bendigo Legacy Club president Mr. Cyril Watson (right) receives a cheque from Bendigo Teachers' College students for Legacy funds.  
 From left: Maureen O'Brien, Ni Sulinski, Barbara Banfield and Peter Woods, members of the Students' Representative Council.  
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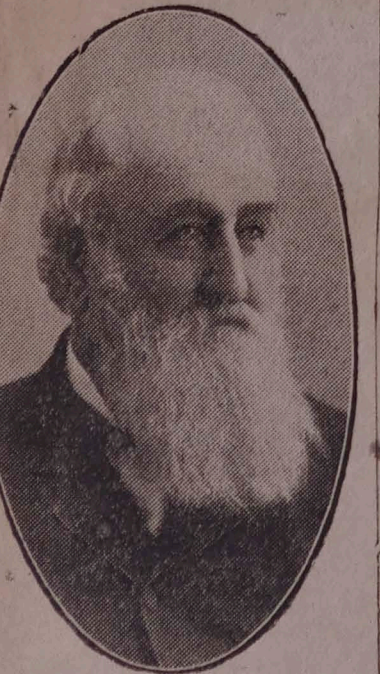
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DEATH OF MR. G. LANSELL.

A PIONEER IN QUARTZ-MINING. BENDIGO, Sunday.—Great regret was expressed among all sections of the people to-day, when it was ascertained that the veteran pioneer Mr. George Lansell had died. He had been confined to his room by a serious illness for some weeks past, at his residence, "Fortuna," Bendigo. The deceased gentleman had not been well for about two months. His illness was accentuated by the fact that the indisposition of his daughter, Miss Edith Lansell, occasioned him great worry, and interfered with his appetite and sleep. At 10 o'clock on Saturday night he lost consciousness, and died shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon. He had been attended to by Mr. H. A. Deravin, M.B., and some days since Mr. T. E. Green, M.B., was called into consultation. His death has removed the most striking figure in the history of the Bendigo field, and one of Victoria's leading citizens. Mr. Lansell was born at Margate, Kent, on August 24, 1823. As a young man he was employed in a brewery, and he was very fond in later life of repeating what passed between him and the proprietor when he announced his intention of leaving for Australia. "You're very foolish," said the principal. "If you work on here, and do well, you will someday get 30/ or £2 a week." "That's what I'm afraid of," Mr. Lansell replied. One of his brothers, Wootton Lansell, who still resides in Bendigo, was a sailor, and in one of his voyages he touched at several points of Australia when the gold fever was raging at its highest. The sailor wrote home glowing accounts of the ease with which fortunes were being made on the diggings, and in 1853, with another brother, William, George set sail for the new land. After spending a few weeks at Echunga, in South Australia, in unprofitable digging, he found his way to Bendigo, where he decided to take up soap and candle manufacture. His business was in View-street, at a spot

work in some instances. On the other hand, it is said that it is more than probable that his interest in these mines will be retained. Of late Mr. Lansell's eldest son (Mr. Victor Lansell) has been appointed on the directorates of several companies, and it is understood that he will continue to watch the mining interests in Bendigo held by his father. At All Saints' Pro-Cathedral, of which the late Mr. Lansell was an adherent, the Dead March in "Saul" was played to-night. The Rev. J. Crookston, preaching at St. Andrew's Church, said that the deceased had been a great support to Bendigo, and the mining industry in particular, and his loss would be greatly deplored. The deceased was on the directorate of the following mines:—Eureka Extended, Garibaldi, New Chum Consolidated, Lazarus, Victoria Quartz, Great Central Victoria, Victoria Consols, Ironbark, Hercules and Energetic, United Devonshire, St. Mungo, Williams' United, Catherine Reef United, Great Southern, Sea, Garden Gully United, Victory and Pandora, Carlisle, Cornish United, Koch's Pioneer, Windmill Hill, Confidence Extended, Johnson's Reef, Princess Dagmar, Golden Age, Johnson's Reef Extended, Constellation, Macduff, Great Northern, Virginia, Specimen Hill, Hustler's Royal Reserve No. 2, United Hustler's and Redan, New Red, White, and Blue, True Blue, Great Britain, Great Columbian, and Francis Ormond. Of late the public companies which have yielded him the best results have, perhaps, been the New Red, White, and Blue, Virginia, and Catherine Reef United. Until recently the Great Northern Mine was also a big source of income to him. Mr. Lansell's private mines, which are now crushing, are the Sandhurst, the Comet, South and North Red, White, and Blue, No. 83, No. 180, and No. 222. A former well-known mining manager, the late Mr. Richard Williams, was closely associated with Mr. Lansell many years ago. He on one occasion related that Mr. Lansell summed up the secret of successful mining investment in Bendigo as follows:—"Buy into stocks on a good line of reef when they are low-priced, and pay calls, and wait." The deceased leaves a widow and family of four sons and one daughter. The sons are Victor, Horace, Leonard, and Cyril Lansell. The only daughter, Miss Edith Lansell, is at present seriously ill. Mrs. Lansell was Miss Edith Bassford. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon, at half-past 4 o'clock.



THE LATE MR. LANSELL.

which became the rendezvous of the early sharebrokers. His speculative tendencies soon asserted themselves, and his resolution to let mining alone was abandoned. All his savings were invested in the leading enterprises of the day. It must not be imagined that from this turning point in his career his road to fortune was easy. Such was by no means the case. His success was due to his foresight and wonderful faith in the mines. He drew big dividends because he paid heavy calls. When, at the outset of his speculations, Mr. Lansell lost all he possessed, he did not repine, but started afresh with renewed vigour. Mining was then just evolving from the alluvial to the quartz stage, and the new method was but little understood. Bendigo's saddle reefs were the cause of great disappointment because their peculiarities could not be grasped. It was here that Mr. Lansell profited. He was a quick observer, and he studied the old-time methods with a prophetic vision, in addition to a large amount of common sense. "Where it is, there it is," is a good old Cornish maxim, well applicable to gold-mining, which Mr. Lansell followed. He obtained interests in the Cinderella, Prince Alfred, and Advance companies, and laid the foundation of his fortune. His gains he invested in other stocks until his investments were dotted all over the field. His boldness attracted attention, and he gave heart to many a timorous speculator. When the mines were depressed he clung tenaciously to his shares—he paid his calls. Here is one instance of his striking courage—the courage which makes the millionaire. It is an incident in the history of the famous Garden Gully mine, of which Mr. Lansell was one of the promoters. The company was in great need of funds, for shareholders would not pay their threepenny calls, and thousands of shares were forfeited. It is on record that a well-known investor, Mr. Joseph Hunter, once offered to a friend 2,000 shares at a penny each, so eager was he to be rid of them. And so unwilling was the friend to receive what appeared to be a great burden that he refused the offer, yet Mr. Lansell stuck to his shares. These facts go to show his abundant faith in the field. His confidence in the Garden Gully was not misplaced. He was deeply interested in the four tribute companies which, in 1868, were formed to work the lease, and in a few months those companies, after an expenditure of £12,666, paid £220,875 in dividends. In 1874 the original company resumed the lease, and it has since paid over £1,000,000 in dividends. Once Mr. Lansell was compelled by force of circumstances to forfeit 10,000 shares in the Hustler's Reef Company for a sixpenny call. He made a mistake on that occasion, and on other occasions besides, but his golden rule was to hold on to shares through thick and thin, till gold was struck. Perhaps the most interesting portion of Mr. Lansell's life is associated with the development of the 180 mine, in which were revealed riches reminiscent of the "Arabian Nights." But in Mr. Lansell's case there was no Aladdin's lamp with which to gain the gold; it was a question of sinking and crosscutting. The 180 was opened up in the "fifties." The original holders were the Weitscheifes, who sold it for £30 to Messrs. Ballerstedt and Son. When they had made a fortune and apparently exhausted its resources, they disposed of it, together with the Fortuna battery, and a handsome villa, to Mr. Lansell for £30,000. It was a bargain; the first stope worked returned the purchaser a clear profit of £180,000, and that was but a fraction of his subsequent gains. The 180 was formerly the deepest mine on the field; its present depth is 3,340ft. Bendigo's deepest mines are now the New Chum Railway and the Victoria Quartz, both of which are below 4,000ft. To encourage deep-sinking Mr. Lansell offered prizes, and it is noteworthy that his 180 was the winner of the award. It is a tribute to his foresight and confidence in the resources of the field that, in the New Chum Railway, a payable reef has been proved to exist below 4,100ft. With the huge profits from the Garden Gully and the 180, and the handsome returns he secured from his numerous private mines and investments in public companies all over the field, Mr. Lansell soon became exceedingly wealthy; but, even then, his interest in the field did not abate. When he married Miss Edith Bassford, over 20 years ago, he resided for seven years in London, and the people of Bendigo paid him the greatest tribute when they petitioned him to return. He did return, and, until his death, lived at Fortuna-villa. It is characteristic of the man that he should have ended his days on the scene of his early triumphs, in which the villa is situated. Portion of the large garden surrounding the house stands on a huge sand-heap, representing the remains of the golden quartz which assisted to build up his fortune. To the north stands Fortuna battery, which has yielded many a rich "cake," and to the east lies his 222 mine; while, as Mr. Lansell drove to and from the city, he passed, close to and from the landmark in the shape of the 180. It was a fitting situation for the home of Australia's quartz king. Mr. Lansell never took any part in public life; all his energies were directed to the control of the numerous companies of which he was a director, and to the care of his varied private interests. To every mining man he was well known, not merely because he was the quartz king, but because he took so deep an interest in the operations of the field that he was always willing to discuss with anyone the prospects of the various lines of reef. Sharp, shrewd, determined, he was nevertheless well liked by all with whom he came in contact, and many an old employee will join to-day with the deceased investor's close associates in mourning the loss of an old friend, and of a bold, persevering, patriotic Bendigonian. The effect of the late Mr. Lansell's death on the mining industry in Bendigo has been a matter of some speculation. It is well known that the deceased gentleman has been a consistent supporter of a great number of call-paying mines, and the question of how his death will affect these mines is a matter for conjecture. If the estate were realised upon, and his interest in these companies were put into the market, it is stated that it might mean the cessation of

CR. HOSKINS AND THE CAMP RESERVE CONCERTS.

IS BENDIGO AN IMMORAL COMMUNITY?

When the matter of the estimates for the current twelve months was being considered by the committee of the City Council yesterday, Cr. Abbott brought up the matter of subsidising a band to play music in the reserve during the summer nights. Cr. Lazarus said it had been decided some time ago to leave the consideration of the matter until the estimates were being considered. It would be better to consider the advisability of granting a sum for such purposes prior to fixing the other amounts, as if they decided to place an amount on the estimates they would have to reduce some of the other items. When the band had played in the park the performance had been greatly appreciated by the citizens. He considered they could reasonably place £50 on the estimates to subsidise a band, and moved accordingly. Cr. Abbott seconded the motion. He felt such a course was very desirable, and he had been a witness to the enjoyment of citizens on such occasions. The music gave a great impetus to young people to study and was educational to them. He was certain that the citizens generally derived great pleasure from the performances from the band in the reserve. The motion was carried. Some time afterwards when the amount was being placed on the list, Cr. Hoskins asked that his name be recorded against the motion if the vote on the matter was taken. He objected to the money being spent in such a direction, and stated the vote had been "smuggled" through. Cr. Abbott at once rose and protested against the remarks by Cr. Hoskins. There had been no attempt whatever to "smuggle" the matter through. He must strongly object to the statement, and he thought they should all resent it. Cr. McGowan pointed out that Cr. Hoskins was sitting between the proposer and seconder of the motion when it was carried. Cr. Hoskins said he did not hear the motion carried. He had special reasons for objecting to the money being voted, and that was on account of the immorality that occurred on such occasions. Cr. McGowan (emphatically): "For goodness sake leave that out." Cr. Hoskins contended that it was a most serious matter, and he was doing what he felt to be his duty. He had a right to express his opinion, and he intended to do so. Cr. McGowan rejoined that he would not hear people called immoral because they went to listen to beautiful music in the reserve. Cr. Hoskins was wrong in saying that the band in the reserve was conducive to immorality. Cr. Hoskins replied that he knew such to be the case. Cr. Lazarus said that as a councillor and a citizen he must contradict Cr. Hoskins' remarks that it tended to immorality. It was quite the reverse. The mayor then judiciously introduced the next business just as matters appeared to be becoming somewhat sultry, and the matter dropped.

The Late Mr. T. H. Henderson.



PHOTO. IN MASONIC REGALIA. (Photo. by A. Spicer.)



THE LATE MR. T. H. HENDERSON. (Photo. by Bartlett Bros.)



THE FUNERAL CORTEGE IN MACKENZIE-STREET. (Photo. by W. Ninniss.)

FUGGLE-COWLING.—On the 27th ult., at the Presbyterian Parsonage, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, by the Rev. Wm. Henderson, Mr. Thomas Fleider Fuggle, draper, Mayborough, son of the late Mr. Thos. Fleider Fuggle, farmer, Kent, England, to Janet, third daughter of the late Edward Cowling, formerly of Clons, Victoria.

the 24th instant, at Castlemaine, by the Rev. Chambers, Harry Montague Marks, of Sandhurst, to Mary, second daughter of Samuel Leech, Esq., Castlemaine.

BARNBY.—On the 22nd ult., at Maldon, by the Rev. Robert Angus, W. H. Pitty, E.T.O., Minister, to Janet Garnet, of Emerald-hill.

JACOMB.—On the 4th inst., at Bendigo, Louisa, the beloved wife of Robert Ker Jacomb, of Brighton Beach, aged 85.

#### DEATH

LEECH.—On the 25th May, at Castlemaine, Samuel Leech, father Mrs. H. M. Marks, Bendigo.

LEECH.—On the 15th August, at Castlemaine, Elizabeth, relict of the late Samuel Leech, aged 83 years. (A colonist of 69 years.)

"Father and mother safe in the vale."

Mrs. Leech, a very old and highly-esteemed resident of Castlemaine, died on Saturday morning. The deceased lady, who was 84 years of age, was highly esteemed and respected. She was the mother of Mrs. H. M. Marks (Bendigo), Mrs. A. Heine (Bendigo), Mrs. De Lisle, Miss Olly Leech, Mrs. T. Williamson (Castlemaine) and Mr. S. Leech (captain of the Castlemaine Rifle Club, and secretary of the fire brigade).

At Bendigo, last week, "the Ladies of Bohemia and the Geisha Lounge" issued pretty little cards inviting friends to afternoon tea, "to meet Commander Tickell and his officers." The association of the name of Tickell—Tickell the Tar—with afternoon tea and Geisha-Lounge ladies immediately suggests a scene for a comic opera. Opening chorus of girls who beat time with tea-spoons on empty cups. Enter George Lauri as Commander Tickell, attended by half-a-dozen she-males in naval uniform. Girls conduct T. to a chair and group themselves around; one of them serves him with tea as he warbles:

A naval man behold in me—  
The Sex's dearest treasure—  
Who merely lives to plough the sea  
And give the ladies pleasure.  
A cup of tea (I like it sweet)  
From hands that one would gladly eat,  
It makes my briny bosom beat  
With rapture beyond measure.  
My officers are flighty swains,  
You'll find them sadly fickle—  
Whilst true to you *this* heart remains  
Till Death brings round his sickle.  
On angry seas I fight the storm,  
On shore I squeeze each lovely form,  
So, when your teas have made you warm,  
O, please command-er-Tickell.



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*So it ever is humble there's no place  
like home*

Very sincere sympathy is felt with the family of Mrs. Marks, who died of pneumonia on Thursday morning. She had a large circle of friends, who all feel her loss very much. She was one of those lovable, tactful women against whom no dissentient voice was ever raised. "I've never heard anyone say anything against Mrs. Marks," is the rare tribute that can be paid her. She will, in every way, be a loss in the city.

Mr. [unclear]

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# Programme.

## PART I.

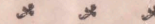
1. Piano Duet ... "Spanish Dances" ... *Moszkowski*  
JOYCE ROSS and IRENE EDDY.
2. Dialogue ... "Good-Bye to Tasks" ... —  
ROY WATSON, STANLEY DE RAVIN, PHILIP LEVY,  
CLAUDE ROBERTSON, SAMUEL PHILLIPS,  
and BERNARD SEMMENS.
3. Vocal Duet "The Flight of the Swallow" *Kucken*  
SINGING CLASS.
4. Scene "Popping the Question" ... —  
Patty—RODNEY MARKS. Joseph—HEDLEY DUNSTAN.
5. Violin Solos (a) "Wiegenlied" *Hauser*  
(b) "Chanson Polonaise" *Wieniawski*  
GIBSON YOUNG.
6. Gymnastic Display "Roman Rings" ... —  
MR. W. R. MCKIE (Instructor),  
and HORACE LANSELL (Champion of School).



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## PART II.

1. Piano & Violin Quintett "Lustiges Stanchen" ... *Dell'Acqua*  
MAUDE HEMMING, MINNA STANFIELD, ARNOLD  
BOSSERMANN, WILLIAM SPRENGER,  
and MR. P. T. BOCKELMANN.
2. Club Swinging  
SENIOR GIRLS.
3. Recitation "What's the Matter with the Pronouns?" —  
Mr. Tucker—HAROLD DAVEY. Reporter—THEO. DE RAVIN.
4. Vocal Duets (a) "Morning" *Keller*  
(b) "Greeting" *Mendelssohn*  
SINGING CLASS.
5. Scene Letter Scene from "Handy Andy" *Lover*  
Squire Egan—CLARENCE DYASON. Andy—WM. JENKINS.
6. Dumb-Bells  
GYMNASTIC CLASS.



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