

RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE

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The New Curative Agent, and only Reliable Remedy for Nervous and Liver Complaints.

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- Nervous Prostration
- Liver Complaints
- Painful Strain of the Heart
- Dizziness
- Impaired Nutrition
- Noises in the Head and Ears
- Lack of Energy and Appetite
- Physicant's
- Private Complaints
- General Debility
- Fatigues
- Unusually for Study or Business
- Sick Headache
- Lassitude
- Shortness of Breath
- Trembling of the hands and feet
- Nervous Excitation
- Mental and Physical Debility
- Constipation (in its first stages only)
- Timidity
- Eruptions of the Skin
- Injuries of Sight and Memory
- Nervous Fancies
- Impaired Vision
- Nervous Debility in all its stages
- Pressure Decline
- and all morbid conditions of the system arising from whatever cause. The action of the Phosphodyne is twofold—on the one hand increasing the principle which constitutes nervous energy, and on the other the most powerful flesh and blood generating agent known; thereby, a marvellous machine for restoring impaired and broken-down constitutions. It quickly improves the functions of assimilation to such a degree, that where for years an emaciated, anxious, cadaverous, and semi-vital condition has existed, the flesh will rapidly increase in quantity and firmness, and the whole system return to a state of robust health. The Phosphodyne acts electrically upon the organization; for instance, it assists nature to generate that human electricity which renews and rebuilds the osseous, muscular, nervous, membranous, and organic systems. It operates on the system without exciting care or thought upon the individual as to the process. It moves the lungs, liver, heart, kidneys, stomach, and intestines, with a harmonious, vigorous, yet mildness unparalleled in medicine.

The Phosphodyne gives back to the human structure, in a suitable form, the phosphoric or animating element of life, which has been wasted, and exerts an important influence directly on the spinal marrow and nervous system, of a nutritive, tonic, and invigorating character, maintaining that buoyant energy of the brain and muscular system which renders the mind cheerful, brilliant, and energetic, entirely overcoming that dull, inactive, and sluggish disposition which many persons experience in all their actions.

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Full directions for Use, in the English, French, German, Italian and Dutch Languages, accompany each Case.

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The Riponshire Advocate, PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY.

Contains a complete summary of local and general news for the week.

Subscribers who do not receive their papers regularly or at an early hour of the morning would much prefer us by immediately forwarding their names to the office of this paper, in order that such errors may be rectified. We are most desirous of securing for our subscribers a regular and early delivery, but it will be impossible for our measures to prove effectual, unless we are warned by them when neglect takes place.

Advertisements sent in, without a written order as to the number of insertions, will in all cases be continued until countermanded, and no advertisement can be withdrawn without an order in writing, delivered at the office by 10 a.m. on the day previous to publication. Advertisements for this paper cannot be received after 4 o'clock on the evening previous to publication.

Communications of a literary nature, must be addressed to the Editor, and must bear the signature and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a pledge of the truth of the facts stated, and as a rule will be the means of preventing disappointment to contributors.

Advertisements coming under the heads of Wanted, Missing Friends, For Sale, Rewards, if not exceeding twenty-four words, will be inserted for two shillings and sixpence.

Notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, will be charged 2s. 6d. for each insertion.

Display advertisements, and advertisements above, ready for the reception and sale of consignments during the season. We are prepared to make LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES.

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Youths' Trousers and Vests, in great variety. White suits, in all sizes and varied materials. White shirts, hand and narrow flaps, all sizes and prices.

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We respectfully ask the public not to be misled by the puff of our "Rival of former years."

The number of sewing machines imported (like other goods) is no criterion of the number sold, the evidence of which lies in the fact that Melbourne is overstocked with the importations of 1874.

Reasons why the "WHEELER AND WILSON" Sewing Machine is far superior to the "Singer."

The W. and W. will do more work, and do it better. The W. and W. is much more durable. It will last a lifetime, and run for years without repair. The W. and W. is easier to work than the Singer. The W. and W. is not so liable to get out of order.

The W. and W. has no cog wheels to wear away and break, as a Singer.

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The W. and W. is more simple in action. The W. and W. has less wear and tear.

The W. and W. is better adapted for all kinds of work.

The W. and W. has been awarded more prizes.

THE "RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE" Circulates in the following districts—

Beaufort, Carriam, Stockyard Hill, Main Lead, Charlton, Waterloo, Bunong, Middle Creek, Shirley, Skippon, Lake Goldsmith, Travalla, Sailors' Gully, Lillie, Burrumbet, and Streatham.

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Commercial.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET. In wheat there is no change from last week. Oats are steadily firming. For pollard and bran there is but very little sale, and the same remarks will apply to barley.

A correspondent has furnished the "Age" with the following extract from a letter received from Palmerston, Northern Territory.

Unclaimed Letters & Newspapers.

Buchanan W. Outhbertson G., Carnell G. W. Evans John. Fitzgerald Ann, Fraser J. G. Goldie W., Gerrard —, Gordon Henry.

Bank of Victoria. THIS BANK will be CLOSED on Saturday 1st and Monday 3rd January.

W. A. JENNINGS, Manager. Beaufort, 30th December, 1875.



Department of Railways and Roads, Spencer-street, Melbourne, 28th December, 1875.

Victorian Railways.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of 2500 cubic yards of QUARRY TALLINGS for BALLAST to be delivered between 27 miles 40 chains and 27 miles 70 chains on the Ballarat and Ararat line.

THE Riponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 1876.

A meeting of the directors of the Warrior Co. was held on the 23rd ult, at Fairman's hotel, Linton. Mr. England in the chair.

The following applications for grants under section 31 of the Land Act 1869, have been approved of.—William Smith, 20a. Or. 36p., Raglan; Robert Jeansh, 20a. Eurambeen; James Greenwood, 20a. Or. 28p., Beaufort; Everingham; Greenfield and Co., 60a. 2r. 28p., Raglan; Albert Silman, 80a. 3r. 30p., Raglan; Robert Pitcher, 40a., Raglan.

At the half-yearly meeting, held on Thursday last, of the M.U.L.O.O.F. the following officers were elected:—Joseph Watson, N.G.; James Prentice, V.G.; Thomas Welsh, G.M.; R. Barnes, E.S.

On Christmas eve the local brass band under the leadership of Mr. P. Mieschel patrolled the streets and discoursed music suitable to the occasion.

It is rumored that Sir Samuel Wilson is negotiating for the purchase of Mr. Colin Campbell's station at Buangor.

The Riponshire Council will hold their ordinary monthly meeting next Thursday.

To-morrow (Saturday) the Beaufort cricket club will play a friendly game with the Ararat club on the Beaufort ground.

Our report of the Raglan races is unavoidably held over; it will appear in our next.

The continued wet weather will prove most disastrous in many cases in this district. Crops that have been sown on old ground will be perfectly valueless, but in the new ground fortunately, a more favorable yield than was expected will be realised.

The following cattle are impounded at Skipton.—Five head of young cattle, both ears marked, W of ramp. If not claimed and expenses paid they will be sold on the 5th January, 1876.

A public meeting was held in the school-house, Natto Yallock, on Monday evening last to protest against the Berry clique in their factious opposition to the present Government.

Mr. James E. Taylor, a large farmer at Natto Yallock, proposed the resolution, as follows:—"That this meeting views with alarm and disgust the action of Berry and his followers in obstructing the business of the country, and desire to express their great disapprobation of the same."

The Ballarat Carnival which commenced on Boxing Day attracted some 300 residents of this district. The train on Monday was crammed with holiday seekers bound for Ballarat.

A discovery has lately been made on an island in the Mississippi, says the "Pall Mall Gazette," which shows that the aborigines of America were not wholly unacquainted with mechanical surgery, but occasionally wore wooden legs when deprived of their natural limbs.

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"The Border Post" reports that another lot of tobacco, consisting of 37 bales, 56000lb. weight, was passed through the Albury custom-house on Friday in bond for Sydney by Messrs. McCulloch and Co.

Dr. Talmage says:—"That man has a survelled heart who begrudges the pennies he pays to the news-boy who brings the world at his feet."

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Ararat Athletic Sports.

BOXING DAY, DECEMBER 27. 100 yards, Maiden Race. 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1.

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ARARAT HANDICAP. Of 40 sovs. 1st prize, £25; 2nd prize, £10; 3rd prize, £5. First event.—200 Yards.

MEMBERS' CUP. Value 20 guineas; 2nd prize, silver watch, value £5; 3rd prize, gold locket, value, £3, 100, 200 and 300 yards.

Handicap Hurdle Race. Of 10 sovs.; 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, £1; 3rd prize, £1; 100, 200, and 300 yards.

SAOK RACE. Of 3 sovs.; 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, £1; 200 yards. Murphy ... 1 Lathley ... 2

Handicap Hurdle Race. Of 10 sovs.; 1st prize, £1; 2nd prize, £1; 3rd prize, £1; 100, 200, and 300 yards.

BOYS' HANDICAP. Of 3 sovs.; 1st prize, £2; 2nd prize, 15s.; 3rd prize, 5s.; for boys under 16 years; 200 yards.

Handicap Walking Match. Of 7 sovs.; 1st prize, £5; 2nd prize, £2; 700 yards.

Handicap Consolation. Of £10; 1st prize, £6; 2nd prize, £3; 3rd prize, £1; one mile; handicap.

BOYS' RACE. Under ten years of age; for cricketing materials; 100 yards.

INTERCOLONIAL CRICKET MATCH. The above match was commenced on Monday last, and was terminated on Wednesday.

VICTORIA.—FIRST INNINGS. W. Campbell, b Spofforth ... 0 F. Allen, b Evans ... 7

VICTORIA.—SECOND INNINGS. W. Campbell ... 3 F. Allen, c and b Evans ... 0

NEW SOUTH WALES.—FIRST INNINGS. N. Thompson, b Allan ... 12 D. Gregory, b Allan ... 6

NEW SOUTH WALES.—SECOND INNINGS. W. Campbell ... 3 F. Allen, c and b Evans ... 0

Toother, not out ...

No ball ... 0 Byes ... 1 Leg-byes ... 6 Total ... 171

Sailors' Gully.

The annual treat to the Sailors' Gully school-children took place on the 21st inst., and as usual, was numerously attended. Early in the forenoon the children began to arrive.

Main Lead.

Kangaroos—I saw a herd of thirteen kangaroos last week on the plains between this and Box's cutting on the Ararat road; on the next morning I saw another herd feeding quietly.

General News.

How to burst up big estates has been practically solved, by an old pioneer, Mr. E. G. Bucknall, of Rodborough, says the "Maryborough Standard."

The "South Australian Register" of 14th December says:—Once more the dreary waste between the outmost western settlement in South Australia and the advanced parts of the sister colony has been crossed by an intrepid band of daring explorers...

OXYGEN IS LIFE. Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne.—Multitudes of people are hopelessly suffering from Debility, Nervous and Liver Complaints, Depression of Spirits, Hypochondria, Timidity, Indigestion, Failure of Hearing, Sight, and Memory...

Poison lurks in the air of low lying, marshy localities, now clearings, in the vicinity of sunken lots, on the outskirts of cities, and in the atmosphere of tropical regions...

Richmond Quartz Mining Company, No Liability, Waterloo.

Shire of Ripon. NOTICE is hereby given.—That it is the intention of the Council of the Shire of Ripon, at a meeting to be held at this office, at eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 6th day of January next...

Shire of Ripon. MEMBERS addressed to the President of the Shire of Ripon, and care to be sent to the office of the Shire, on the 11th day of January, 1876...

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS. CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAY EXCURSION FARES. ON 24th, 25th, 27th, 28th, 30th, and 31st inst., and 1st prox., tickets will be issued to and from all stations at HOLIDAY EXCURSION FARES...

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS. GOODS SHED HOLIDAY. ON 25th and 27th instant, 1st and 3rd proximo, the GOODS SHEDS at the various stations will be CLOSED, and Goods Trains will not run.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS. NOTICE.—From the 24th instant to the 4th proximo, the Department cannot engage to Forward HORSES and VEHICLES by any PARTICULAR TRAIN.

Lands Available for Selection, etc. THE following application for land under The Land Act 1862 not having been completed by the applicants, owing to the non-payment of surveys fees, is hereby declared abandoned...

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District Survey Office, 22nd December, 1875.

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Muscatsels, Currants, Sultanas, Valencia Jams, Raisins, Figs; all new fruits. Finest Honey; Westcott's Jams; Jellies; Marmalade, Calves' Foot Jelly; S.S. and Jordan Almonds, Barcelona's Liquorice, the finest mude; Jujubes and Pastilles; Citron, Orange, and Lemon Peel; London Mixtures, Swallow and Ariel's Biscuits, and Caramels Cakes.

Annual Picnic and Sports. NEW YEARS DAY, JANUARY 1, 1876, At Watkins Gardens.

Important News to the People of Beaufort. BALLARAT CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL. GRAND ART UNION DRAWING, First Prize worth £1000 FOR 1s.

FITZGERALD BROS. BEG to inform the public of Beaufort and district that during the month they intend PRESENTING FREE OF CHARGE TO EVERY MAN, WOMAN, AND CHILD who BUYS to the amount of ONE POUND'S WORTH of Goods at their Shop in Beaufort...

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Country Visitors' by Coach and Railways. Save at least 5s. in the £1 by making their purchases at Fitzgerald Bros., DRAPERS AND TAILORS, Bridge Street, Ballarat, and Ballan.

SAILORS' GULLY ANNUAL RACES. The above Races will be held on Friday, 31st December, 1875.

NO Trained Horses or Horses that have won an advertised prize, or horses owned by persons residing beyond the distance of Ten miles from SAILORS' Gully will be allowed to enter for any race.

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DRAPERY, MILLINERY, FANCY GOODS, and TOYS, Draughts, Good Words, Spelling Bees, &c. Dressmaking and Millinery as usual.

BOOTS AND SHOES, Crockery, Ironmongery and Fancy Goods, GROCERIES, WINES AND SPIRITS.

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TO BUYERS OF DRAPERY IN BEAUFORT. MY Establishment is now Replete with all SEASONABLE Drapery bought in London by my brother, Mr. J. D. TAYLOR, for Cash, and will be SOLD retail at Wholesale prices.

CHOICEST MILLINERY, Ladies' Sleeveless Jackets, Ladies' Costumes, Ladies' Underclothing and Stays, Infants' Caps, Frocks, and Robes.

THE MANCHESTER DEPARTMENT AT THE BRUNSWICK HOUSE. Has stood pre-eminent for many years, having the largest and best selection of Calicoes, Shirtings, Linens, Sheetings, Towellings, Damasks, Hollands, Drills, &c.

T. TAYLOR, BRIDGE & PEEL STREETS, BALLARAT.

FOR SALE, 120 Acres of Pasture Land, BEAUFORT. 7 Allotments in Neill-street. Apply, W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Commission Agent Beaufort.

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Value the Ballarat Banking Co. (Limited) Agent for the Victoria Fire, Life, and Guaranto Insurance Company.

JOSEPH COLLIE, Secretary, A. and S. Beaufort, W. EDWARD NICKOLS.

VICTORIA FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE BALLARAT BANKING COMPANY (Limited) transacts every description of banking business limited to the requirements of local constituents, including that CURRENT ACCOUNTS.

THE DIRECTORS invite application from Settlers, Landed Proprietors, Farmers and others, requiring cash-advanced on freehold property, or to complete purchases of land from the Government or private parties either temporarily or for a term of years.

Cash Credits opened on the security of freehold property or personal security; a system possess great advantage and convenience to borrowers. Particulars as to terms of loans, and any other information can be had on application to the local valuer, or at the head Office.

NOTICE. IN consequence of the VERY HIGH PRICES ruling at present for STOCK my price for the future for CASH will be as follows:—

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Corned Beef ... 5d. per lb. Roast do. ... 6d. & 7d. "

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THE undersigned is a purchaser of SHEEP and GOATSKINS. ALFRED C. TUCKE T, Street, Beaufort.

A LIVELY SPELLING BEE.

An impromptu spelling bee, reports the "Danbury News" was inaugurated in Merrill's grocery the other evening. A young man, who last year aided Mr. Couch in the management of the North Centre School, conducted it.

GENERAL NEWS.

A case of lambing-down occurred at Echuca recently, when two men who had received orders on Mr. Lath son found themselves without any cash, and in debt to a publican named Sebeck. He asserted that he had bought an order for £13 14s. from one of the men for £5.—Goulburn Advertiser.

after a couple of these large lizards visited our friend's fowl-house where they were as warmly received as their predecessors had been.

The Paris correspondent of the "London Standard" refers as follows to a new article of food in the French capital.—"I must briefly allude to the butter, called Margarine Moutier."

The eccentricities of His Honor Judge Skinner on the bench have become so proverbial throughout the length and breadth of the colony, that they have almost ceased to become a subject of comment.

Fashion kills more women than toil or sorrow. Obedience to fashion is a greater transgression of the laws of woman's nature, a greater injury to her physical and mental constitution, than the hardships of poverty and neglect.

The following narrative of the prowess of a Victorian amazon is by the Chesterton correspondent of the "Hamilton Spectator"—"In spite of what theorists may say, we are at all events not degenerating in our physical attributes."

THE CLYDESDALE STALLION

EMPEROR. WELL bred, this stallion in the district of Shirely, Bunger, Middle Creek, and Haglan.

YOUNG WALLACE.

THE "Pura-Bred" Clydesdale Stallion, YOUNG WALLACE, bred by Mr. Chalk's farm, will walk his district, including Bunger, Waterloo, Charlton, and Haglan.

YOUNG WALLACE is a fine dapple bay colt, rising four years old, by Young Wallace, dam Nugget by Bellona, dam Gipsy by Mr. Peter's Black Champion out of an imported mare from Tasmania.

THE THOROUGH-BRED SIRE

LEO. Will stand this season at CIPRESTOVE, Mount Skipton, 20 miles past Ballarat, 10 miles from Bunger.

PERFORMANCES.—LEO'S performances when 2 and 3 years old—1872, 2nd May, won Adelaide Town Plate; 2 years, weight for age, beating Glouce and seven others; December, won Consolation Stakes at Ballarat Spring Meeting; December, won Sydney Stakes at Sydney.

On Sale. AMERICAN shelving boards Do Lumber do 6 x 1 T and G Scotch flooring

JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD, CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOBY STREETS.

MARK BARNES, BUILDER, BEAUFORT.

"The Weekly Times" With which is incorporated "The Economist," and "Town and Country" Newspapers.

"The Daily Telegraph" SATURDAY'S EDITION Enlarged to EIGHT PAGES. The best Penny Paper in Australia.

POPULAR SAFE

AND EFFICACIOUS.

DR. D. JAYNE'S STANDARD FAMILY MEDICINES.

EXPECTORANT

DR. D. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT cures Coughs, Colic, Croup, Sore Throat, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma and Pleurisy.

TONIC VERMIFUGE

Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge is a remedy especially adapted to cure many of the ordinary ailments of Children, and to save them from much suffering.

AGUE MIXTURE

Dr. D. Jayne's Ague Mixture an unfailing Remedy for Fever and Ague, Intermittent and Remittent Fevers, and all complaints of a like nature.

SANATIVE PILLS

Dr. D. Jayne's Sanative Pills known all the world over as a mild, prompt and effective purgative of established efficiency in Liver Complaints, and all Bilious affections, Headache, Disordered Stomach, Dyspepsia, Female Diseases and Disorders of the skin.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS OF THE SINGER MACHINE.

SPURIOUS SINGERS' made of inferior metal, are in the market; but they can easily be detected by the absence of the Singer trade-mark with the name of our firm written underneath.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS

No FAMILY or person should be without these Pills their long tried efficacy in correcting disorders of the liver and stomach, stimulating the bowels and purifying the blood, has secured for them an imperishable fame throughout the world.

English Mails, 1876

Table of English Mails leaving Melbourne. Columns: Day, Month, Year.

Arrives at Melbourne

Table of arrivals at Melbourne. Columns: Day, Month, Year.

Victorian Railways.

TIME TABLE.

Table of Victorian Railways time table. Columns: From, To, Time.

Beaufort Post Office.

TIME TABLE, 1876.

Table of Beaufort Post Office time table. Columns: Post Town, Mails arrive, Mails close.

Debilitated Constitutions—Bad Coughs

In general debility, mental depression, and nervous debility, there is no medicine which operates so like a charm as these Pills.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known for the following diseases: Ague, Rheumatism, Bilious Complaints, Retention of Urine, Scrofula, or King's Evil, Sore Throat, Stone and Gravel, Dropsy, Secondary Symptoms, Female Irregularities, The Dolorosa, Fever of all kinds, Uterus, Gonorrhoea, Venereal Affections, Worms of all kinds, Weakness from whatever cause, etc., &c.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT

Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, Wounds, and Ulcerations of all kinds.

There is no medicinal preparation which may be so thoroughly relied upon in the treatment of the above ailments as Holloway's Ointment.

For Glandular Swellings, Stiff Joints and Diseases of the Skin.

This invaluable ointment has greater power over gonorrhoea and rheumatism than any other preparation. None but the patient in pain if its removal be set about in good earnest, by using this infallible remedy according to the printed instructions affixed to each pot.

Gout and Rheumatism.

There is no preparation for salivary efforts comparable to this remedy. It shows its well-earned superiority in the most distressing cases of rheumatism, when the affected parts are their due commotion with warm water.

Piles, Fisulas, and Excoriations.

The cure which this Ointment offers in healing piles and excoriations of long standing, after every other remedy has failed, is well known to all who have used it.

In Disorders of the Kidneys, Bladder and Uterus.

The Ointment is a powerful remedy for all disorders of the kidneys, to which it will cure any prostrated patient almost every case of gonorrhoea, and all other ailments of the urinary system.

Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, Gout, Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Ulcers, Scrofula, King's Evil, Sore Throat, Stone and Gravel, Dropsy, Secondary Symptoms, Female Irregularities, The Dolorosa, Fever of all kinds, Uterus, Gonorrhoea, Venereal Affections, Worms of all kinds, Weakness from whatever cause, etc., &c.

"Look then into thy Heart and Write."

THE above sentence read carefully will tell all that I could in this manner. My health is such admirably to a large number of cases continually coming under my treatment.

Many who "Look into their hearts" at the reading of this advertisement, and who ponder over it, will say "I know I should write, for I have a great secret hidden in my heart, hidden deep down, and I for every day of my life will shortly show it by my plain system, and make that secret known to my fellow men, as cause me to be pointed at as an object of pity or scorn."

"Look into thy heart and write," or hundreds have written to me when it has been too late, and who, in place of having "Gladness like a dove" resting upon their tables, have their homes desolate, and feel a reproach upon their manhood in life.

Debility

Loss of Power, Indiscretions of Early Youth, &c.

In all the above cases, arising from errors and yielding to the passions, no time should be lost to at once arrest the progress of disease.

DR. L. L. SMITH,

(The only legally qualified medical man advertising in 182 COLLEGE STREET EAST, MELBOURNE, (Opposite the Melbourne Club), (Late the residence of the Governor). Private entrance is in Stephen-street, South. Consultation fee by letter £1. Medicines forwarded to all parts of the colonies so packed as to avoid observation.

RIPONSHIRE ADVOGATE.

NO. 187.

BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 1876.

PRICE SIXPENCE.

STOCKYARD HILL.

A. M'COLLIM,
BLACKSMITH AND WHEELWRIGHT.

DEGS to inform the inhabitants of Stockyard Hill and surrounding district that he has COMMENCED BUSINESS as above, at this farm, and trusts by Good Workmanship and Moderate Charges to merit the patronage of the farmers and others.

A. M'COLLIM,
Stockyard Hill, September 17th, 1875.

THOMAS BARKLEM,

General Smith, Machinist,
WHEELWRIGHT AND SHOEING SMITH,
BALLARAT ROAD, BEAUFORT.
(Next the Agricultural Showyards.)

Protected by Royal Letters Patent, Dated
October 11th, 1869.

Under the distinguished patronage.

**DR. BRIGHT'S
PHOSPHODYNE,
(OZONIC OXYGEN.)**

The New Curative Agent, and only Reliable
Remedy for Nervous and Liver Com-
plaints.

THIS Phosphoric combination is pronounced
by the most eminent members of the
Medical Profession to be unequalled for its
power of replenishing the vitality of the
body, by its supplying all the essential
constituents of the blood and nerve substance,
and for developing all the powers and func-
tions of the system to the highest degree.

It is agreeable to the palate, and innocent
in its action, while retaining all its extra-
ordinary properties; and as a specific, sur-
passing all the known therapeutic agents of
the present day for the speedy and permanent
cure of—

Nervous Prostration	Shortness of Breath
Liver Complaints	Trembling of the hands and feet
Palpitation of the Heart	Indigestion
Dizziness	Impaired Nutrition
Noises in the Head and Ears	Mental and Physical De- pression
Loss of Energy and Ap- petite	Consumption (in its first stages only)
Hypochondria	Trichiniasis
Female Complaints	Eruptions of the Skin
General Debility	Impaired Sight and Memory
Indigestion	Nervous Functio-
Flatulence	Improvement of Blood
Incapacity for Study or Business	Nervous Debility in all its stages
Sick Headache	Pneumonia Dolor-
Lassitude	mus

and all morbid conditions of the system
arising from whatever cause. The action of
the Phosphodyne is twofold—on the one
hand increasing the principle which consti-
tutes nervous energy, and on the other the
most powerful flesh and blood generating
agent known; therefore, a marvellous me-
dicine for renovating impaired and broken-
down constitutions. It quickly improves the
functions of assimilation to such a degree,
that were for years an emaciated, anxious,
cadaverous, and semi-vital condition has ex-
isted, the flesh will rapidly increase in
quantity and firmness, and the whole system
return to a state of robust health. The
Phosphodyne acts electrically upon the organ-
ization; for instance, it assists nature to
generate that human electricity which renews
and rebuilds the osseous, muscular, nervous,
membranous, and organic systems. It
operates on the system without exciting care
or thought upon the individual as to the
process. It moves the lungs, liver, heart,
kidneys, stomach, and intestines, with a
harmonious, vigorous, yet mildness unparal-
leled in medicine.

The Phosphodyne gives back to the human
structure, in a suitable form, the phosphoric
or animating element of life, which has been
wasted, and exerts an important influence
directly on the spinal marrow and nervous
system, of a nutritive, tonic, and invigorating
character, maintaining that buoyant energy
of the brain and muscular system which renders
the mind cheerful, brilliant, and energetic,
entirely overcoming that dull, inactive, and
sluggish disposition which many persons ex-
perience in all their actions.

The beneficial effects of the Phosphodyne
are frequently shown from the first day of its
administration, by a remarkable increase of
nervous power, with a feeling of vigour and
comfort, to which the patient has long been
unaccustomed. Digestion is improved; the
appetite increases wonderfully; the bowels
become regular; the eyes brighter; the skin
clear and healthy; and the hair acquires
strength, showing the importance of the action
of the Phosphodyne on the organs of nutrition.
Finally, the Phosphodyne maintains a cer-
tain degree of activity in the previously de-
bilitated nervous system; its use enables all
debilitated organs to return to their sound state
and perform their natural functions. Persons
suffering from Nervous Debility, or any of the
hundred symptoms which this distressing
disease assumes, may rest assured of an
effective and even speedy cure by the judi-
cious use of this most invaluable remedy.

Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne
is SOLD ONLY
in Cases at 10s. 6d. by all Chemists and
Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the
Globe.

Full directions for Use in the English, French,
German, Italian and Dutch Languages, accompany
each Case.

Caution.—The large and increasing demand
for Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne has led to
several imitations under somewhat similar
names; purchasers of this medicine should
therefore be careful to observe that each case
bears the Government Stamp, with the words
"Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne engraved thereon,"
and that the same words are also blown in
the bottle.

Export Agents—
NORTON, WATNEY & CO.,
107 Southwark-street, London S.E.

The "Riponshire Advocate,"

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY.

Contains a complete summary of local and general news
for the week.

Subscribers who do not receive their papers regularly,
or at an early hour of the morning, would much oblige
us by immediately forwarding their names to the office,
of the paper, or to our office at the office of the paper,
to be rectified. We are most desirous of securing for our
subscribers a regular and early delivery, but it will be
impossible for our managers to have effectual notice
given by them when neglect takes place.

Advertisements sent in without a written order as to
the number of insertions, will in all cases be continued
until countermanded, and no advertisement can be
withdrawn without an order in writing, delivered at the
office by 10 a.m. on the day previous to publication.

Advertisements for this paper cannot be received after
7 o'clock on the evening previous to publication. Ad-
vertisements for insertion are only charged from the date
of ordering the paper.

Orders to discontinue subscriptions to the paper must
be in writing, delivered at the office and for the current
quarter.

Communications of a literary nature must be ad-
dressed to the Editor, and must bear the signature and
address of the writer—not necessarily for publication,
but as a pledge of good faith. An observation of this
rule will be the means of preventing disappointment to
contributors.

All advertisements coming under the heads of Wanted,
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twenty-four words, will be inserted for two shillings
and sixpence.

Notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, will be
charged 5s. 6d. for each insertion.

Displayed advertisements, and advertisements above
one inch, four shillings per inch for the first two inser-
tions, and two shillings per inch for all subsequent inser-
tions.

Business and double column advertisements, if inserted
or extended periods, will be charged on a reduced scale,
in proportion to the number of insertions.

WOOL.

GEORGE SYNNOT & Co.,
WOOLBROKERS,
STOCK AND STATION AGENTS
G E E L O N G,
(Established 1854.)

WE beg to announce to the Wool Growers of Vic-
toria that our extensive warehouses, which have
been constructed specially for the STORAGE and
DISPLAY of WOOL to the best advantage, are now
ready for the reception and sale of consignments during
the season. We are prepared to make

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES
Free of Commission, on the ensuing CLIP of WOOL,
either for SALE in this market or for SHIPMENT to
our own, or to owners agents in London.

We act purely as selling and shipping brokers only,
and give prompt personal attention to consignments.

CHANGES LOWEST RULING IN THE COLONY.
WOOL SALES EVERY TUESDAY.

Sales of SHEEPSKINS, HIDES, and TALLOW
every WEDNESDAY during the WOOL SEASON,
TUESDAY at other times. Sales of FAT STOCK
every MONDAY, STORE STOCK at any time in the
country.

—Fencing Wire, Woolpacks, Cornsacks, &c.
All kinds of station requisites, Tea, Sugar, Flour, &c.

WOOL SEASON 1875-76.

MELLISH, VINES, & Co.,
WOOL, HIDE, SKIN, AND TALLOW
BROKERS,
Sheep and Cattle Salesmen,
ARE prepared to make LIBERAL ADVANCES on WOOL
and other Produce consigned to them for sale.

FENCING WIRE, WOOLPACKS &c.,
At Lowest Current Rates.

Days of Sale.—Sheep and Cattle, at the Corporation
Yards, every Monday.
Wool Sales held on Tuesday.
Hides, Skins, and Tallow on Wednesday.
We act purely as selling and shipping agents, next to
GUNN'S STORE, where he hopes to merit the con-
tinuance of patronage hitherto bestowed on him.

Buckland and Burnett,
Stock and Station Agents,
AND
WOOLBROKERS,
MOORABOOL STREET, GEEELONG.

ARE prepared to make LIBERAL ADVANCES to
any amount, on most reasonable terms, WITH-
OUT CHARGE for Commission, on the ensuing CLIP
of WOOL, intended either for sale in the colony
or shipment to the London agents.

ON SALE.—Finest Lucerne Seed, just landed, ex Somersetshire.
Wool Packs, 10lbs, 14lbs, and 16lbs; best makes.
Calcutta and Dundee Cornsacks. Rylands Wire, Rock
Salt, Sulphate of Iron, Sulphur, Arsenic, Hood's Specific,
Tea, Sugar, and all Station requisites.

X. GASSER,
Watchmaker and Jeweller,
42 BRIDGE STREET, BALLARAT.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery, of every De-
scription, on Sale.

Colonial Jewellery Made to Order.

A. T. THOMPSON,
Watchmaker and Jeweller,
(Late of Sebastopol.)
SUCCESSOR TO MR. H. HARDING,
MAIN ROAD, BALLARAT.

Watches and Clocks of every description Carefully
Repaired.

Tailors and Manufacturers,

OUR NEW GOODS for the SPRING SEASON
are **Now Open,** and contain a carefully selected
stock of all the latest Patterns in Colonial, Belgian,
Hannochian, and West of England Tweeds and
Cottungs; made to order by the best makers, and
which you can therefore confidently recommend. We
desire also to state that notwithstanding the depression
in this district, and the consequent keen competition
in its trade, we are in a position to offer to our
Customers all the advantages which cash, skill, and
a life's experience in the tailoring trade can secure. Our
Prices will necessarily be the lowest possible in the
district.

Tweed Suits, as usual, To Measure,
£2 10s.

OUR READY MADE GOODS

Are now nearly equal to bespoke and comprise every
description of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing,
made by ourselves, especially for this district. A good
fit and style always obtainable.

Indigo Blue, Grosvenor, and Diagonal Coats, war-
ranted not to fade.

Frock, Beaufort, and Paquet Coats, plain and fancy.
Very Handsome Patterns in Men's Trousers and
Vests.

Youth's Trowsers and Vests, in great variety.

Boys' suits, in all sizes and varied materials.

White shirts, broad and narrow plaid, all sizes and
prices.

Hats—Tyrolean, Oxford, Prince of Wales, West-
minster, &c.

Crimson Shirts, Boys' Hats and Caps, Scarfs, Collars,
&c.

In Molesters, and all other
Working Men's Clothing and Underclothing

We keep the
Best Right Class of Goods at the Right price.

J. S. BROOKS,

BOOTMAKER,
HAYLOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Beaufort and the
surrounding district, that he has
Commenced Business
in the premises lately occupied by Mr. J. PATTERSON,
and under his strict attention to business, and executing
work in first-class style, combined with moderate
charges to merit a fair share of public patronage.

W. C. STRONGE,

Land, Stock, Commission, and
Insurance Agent.

Cash advanced on the ensuing Clip.

Fencing Wire all sizes on sale.

Auction sales attended to.

WILLOBY STREET, BEAUFORT.

W. BAKER, Proprietor,

Cabinet Maker, Turner, Upholsterer, and
Undertaker.

HAS REMOVED his stock to his manufactory,
opposite the State school, where he will
sell at

Greatly Reduced Prices,

Plain and Ornamental Printing
Of every description executed at the
"RIPONSHIRE ADVOGATE" OFFICE
NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT

BOOKBINDING
ON REASONABLE TERMS.

Mining Scrip, Call Receipts, Delivery
Books, &c.,

Prepared on the shortest notice.

HENRY DAVIS,

Wholesale & Retail Butcher,
NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.

H. D. begs to return his sincere thanks to the in-
habitants of Beaufort and the surrounding
district for the patronage accorded him: since com-
mencing business, and takes this opportunity of stating
that he has removed to the above address, next to
GUNN'S STORE, where he hopes to merit the con-
tinuance of patronage hitherto bestowed on him.

Carbazotate of Ammonia

WAS first introduced to the notice of the profession
and the public about two years ago, and had
for its supporters the elite of the profession in both London
and Paris, including Dr. Dujardin-Beauregard, Becquerel,
Thuraxau, and Manoppe, of Paris; Bell, Calvert,
Aspland, and Williams, of London. It is manufactured
only by F. C. Calvert and Co., of Manchester, for whom
the undersigned acts as agents in the distribution of this
invaluable medicine. Its power over many diseases is
truly marvellous, one dose gives relief, and one bottle
usually cures Acute Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia,
Lumbago, Low Fever, Ague, &c. It is given in all
cases where the use of quinine is indicated, and has the
advantage over that drug, that headache never follows
its use.

Dr. Beaumont supplies the following cases.—No 1.—
Ague with fever. Sulphate of quinine had no effect;
cured in four days. Case 2.—Same disease; cured in
five days; quinine had been given for seventeen days
with no good effect. Case 3.—Fertile Ague; com-
pletely cured in six days. Case 4.—Mild Neuralgia,
instant relief, and a cure in two days.

Dr. Beaumont draws the following conclusion from his
long use of the drug. He says "It is very efficacious in
intermittent fever, much superior to quinine, and that
by giving a teaspoonful three daily, the prostrations are
instantly relieved, and no bad effects follow." It seems
to be much better tolerated by the stomach than sulphate
of quinine, the physiological action of which it much
resembles.

Sold in bottles containing 32 doses at 5s. per bottle.
A liberal allowance to the trade.

HOOD & CO., 141, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

HOOD & CO'S CORN SOLVENT

Is a safe and certain Cure for Corns.
In Bottles 5s. 6d. each.

The above preparations are on sale at the office of this
paper.

SPRING, 1876.

Calling public attention to this season's purchases
of **SPRING GOODS,**
Made under peculiarly advantageous circumstances,
A. CRAWFORD,
of
MITCHELL'S BUILDINGS,
Considers that by giving a few particulars of some of
the most important of the recent arrivals opened, he is
not doing his duty to the public, who have hitherto so
largely patronized his establishment. Ever since the
occupation of Mitchell's Buildings, and more especially
since the change which has been thrown into one immense
business establishment, the trade has continued to grow
and increase month by month, showing that the general
public are more and more daily appreciating its im-
portance.

The purchases this season have been, in consequence
of the above fact, on a much larger scale than has ever
been the case on any previous occasion. The number of
A. C. has been induced to make up of such immense
importance to Personal and Domestic Economy, that
it is his clear duty to make those monetary advantages
widely known, so that his former patrons, and those
also who have not visited this important establish-
ment, may be made aware of the circumstances.

Ballarat being now of such easy access by rail, people
in the outlying districts cannot have the slightest diffi-
culty in visiting this establishment, wherein the assort-
ment is at least double that of any other soft goods
warehouse in the colonies, whilst the prices are besides
merely lower—two important facts which cannot
too readily or prominently be brought before the
public.

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A large and complete assortment of House Furnish-
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RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.

A sad railway accident occurred at 3 a.m. on the 30th October, near Castlebar, on the Irish Midland line.

Two fatal railway accidents occurred lately. In a collision on the Cheshire lines, in the neighborhood of Macclesfield, one passenger was killed and a number of others badly hurt.

A singular railway accident occurred at Tunbridge station recently. A train from Redhill had just overhauled the points, when the London and Margate train, which comes by the Sevenoaks loopline, came up, and before the Redhill train could be backed, the wheels of the engine of the two trains became locked, and defied all attempts at separation for several hours.

A fatal railway accident is reported from Vienna. A passenger train of the Henry Joseph line, which left Vienna on Wednesday evening for Prague, ran off the rails between Goepfritz and Schanzenu, killing five and injuring nine persons.

GENERAL NEWS.

Mrs. Stenhouse, an anti-Mormon lecturer, who has had 20 years' experience at Utah as the wife of a Mormon missionary, is about to hold forth at Melbourne.

The Whipstick country, Bendigo district, is now being rapidly stocked with Japanese pheasants, and colonial quail are about to be acclimated. The eggs have been procured and hatched.

Friday's "Herald" says:—"A poor Frenchman named Carl Hoffman, who had experienced hardship and braved death on the battle field, appeared at the Collingwood police court to-day as a vagrant.

DR. KENEALY AND ARTHUR ORTON. Dr. Kenealy and Mr. Orton had a two hours interview, on the 16th November, with Arthur Orton in Dartmoor prison.

The Palace Hotel, now nearing completion in San Francisco, is the largest hotel structure in the world. It covers 96,250 square feet of ground, and is seven stories high.

THE GARDEN.—JANUARY.

After the heavy rains of last month, no time should be lost in sowing early, newly-planted trees, and, where not already done, plants such as geraniums, daphnes, azaleas, gardenias, and rhododendrons; doing it with some well-rotted manure prevents the moisture from evaporating so fast, besides also affording food for the plants.

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Take advantage of the recent rains, and put in more peas and beans of the early kinds; lettuce may be sown in drills, where intended to stand; also onions for salads, cabbages, spinach, turnips of early kinds, cabbages and cauliflower of early kinds may be sown for late planting; in firmer sowings of spinach, lettuce, turnips and carrots, to the full distance at which they are intended to stand.

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BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Stockyard Hill and surrounding district that he has COMMENCED BUSINESS as above, at his farm, and trusts by Good Workmanship and Moderate Charges to merit the patronage of the farmers and others.
Stockyard Hill, September 17th, 1875.

THOMAS BARLEM,
General Smith, Machinist,
WHEELWRIGHT & SHOING SMITH,
BALLARAT ROAD, BEAUFORT.
(Next the Agricultural Showyards.)
Protected by Royal Letters Patent, Dated October 11th, 1869.
Under the distinguished patronage.

DR. BRIGHT'S
PHOSPHODYNE,
(OZONIC OXYGEN.)
The New Curative Agent, and only Reliable Remedy for Nervous and Liver Complaints.

THIS Phosphatic combination is pronounced by the most eminent members of the Medical Profession to be unequalled for its power of replenishing the vitality of the body, by its supplying all the essential constituents of the blood and nerve substance, and for developing all the powers and functions of the system to the highest degree. It is agreeable to the palate, and innocent in its action, while retaining all its extraordinary properties; and as a specific, surpassing all the known therapeutic agents of the present day for the speedy and permanent cure of—
Nervous Prostration Shortness of Breath
Liver Complaints Impaired Sight and Hearing
Spasmodic Cough Irritability of the Heart
Dizziness Impaired Nutrition
Noise in the Head and Ears Mental and Physical Debility
Loss of Energy Nervous Prostration
Hysteria Consumption (in its first stages only)
Hypochondria Timidity
General Debility Eruptions of the Skin
Female Complaints Irritability of Stomach and Intestines
Asthma Nervous Faciety
Indigestion Nervous Debility in all its stages
Insanity Nervous Debility in all its stages
Sick Headache Premature Decline
Loss of Appetite

and all morbid conditions of the system arising from whatever cause. The action of the Phosphodyne is twofold—on the one hand increasing the principle which constitutes nervous energy, and on the other the most powerful flesh and blood generating agent known; therefore, a marvellous medicine for reinvigorating impaired and broken-down constitutions. It quickly improves the functions of assimilation to such a degree, that when for years an emaciated, anxious, cadaverous, and semi-vital condition has existed, the flesh will rapidly increase in quantity and firmness, and the whole system return to a state of robust health. The Phosphodyne acts electrically upon the organism; for instance, it assists nature to generate that human electricity which renews and rebuilds the osseous, muscular, nervous, membranous, and organic systems. It operates on the system without exciting care or thought upon the individual as to the process. It moves the lungs, liver, heart, kidneys, stomach, and intestines, with a harmony, vigour, yet mildness unparalleled in medicine.
The Phosphodyne gives back to the human structure, in a suitable form, the phosphoric or animating element of life, which has been wasted, and exerts an important influence directly on the spinal marrow and nervous system, of a nutritive, tonic, and invigorating character, maintaining that buoyant energy of the brain and muscular system which renders the mind cheerful, brilliant, and energetic, and entirely overcoming that dull, inactive, and sluggish disposition which many persons experience in all their actions.
The beneficial effects of the Phosphodyne are frequently shown from the first day of its administration, by a remarkable increase of nervous power, with a feeling of vigour and comfort, to which the patient has long been unaccustomed. Digestion is improved; the appetite increases wonderfully; the bowels become regular; the eyes brighter; the skin clear and healthy; and the hair acquires strength, showing the importance of the action of the Phosphodyne on the organs of nutrition.
Finally, the Phosphodyne maintains a certain degree of activity in the previously debilitated nervous system; its use enables all debilitated organs to return to their sound state and perform their natural functions. Persons suffering from Nervous Debility, or any of the hundred symptoms which this distressing disease assumes, may rest assured of an effectual and even speedy cure by the judicious use of this most invaluable remedy.
Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne IS SOLD ONLY In Cases at 10s. 6d. by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the Globe.
Full directions for Use, in the English, French, German, Italian and Dutch Languages, accompany each Case.
Caution.—The large and increasing demand for Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne has led to several imitations under somewhat similar names; purchasers of this medicine should therefore be careful to observe that each case bears the Government Stamp, with the words Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne engraved thereon, and that the same words are also blown in the bottle.
Export Agents—
NORTON, WATNEY & CO.
107 Southwark-street, London S.E.

The "Riponsire Advocate,"
PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY.

Contains a complete summary of local and general news for the week.
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WOOL.
GEORGE SYNNOT & Co.,
WOOLBROKERS,
STOCK AND STATION AGENTS
GEELONG,
(Established 1854.)

WE beg to announce to the Wool Growers of Victoria that our extensive warehouses which have been constructed specially for the STORAGE and DISPLAY of WOOL to the best advantage, are now ready for the reception and sale of consignments during the season. We are prepared to make—
LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES
Free of Commission, on the ensuing CLIP of WOOL, either on SALE in this market, or on SHIPMENT to our own, or to owners agents in London.
We act purely as selling and shipping brokers only, and give prompt personal attention to consignments.
CHARGES LOWEST RULING IN THE COLONY.
WOOL SALES EVERY TUESDAY.
Sales of SHEEPSKINS, HIDES, and TALLOW every WEDNESDAY during the WOOL SEASON, TUESDAY at other times. Sales of FAT STOCK every MONDAY, STORE STOCK at any time in the country.
On Sale—Fencing Wire, Woodpacks, Cornsacks. All kinds of station requirements, Tea, Sugar, Flour, &c.

Wool Season 1875-76.
MELLISH, VINES, & Co.,
WOOL, HIDE, SKIN, AND TALLOW BROKERS,
Sheep and Cattle Salesmen,
ARE prepared to make liberal advances on WOOL and other Produce consigned to them for sale.
FENCING WIRE, WOOLPACKS &c.,
At Lowest Current Rates.
Days of Sale.—Sheep and Cattle, at the Corporation Yards, every Monday.
Wool Sales held on Tuesday.
Hides, Skins, and Tallow on Wednesday.
Sales conducted in any part of the Colony, either privately or by Auction.

MOORABOOL STREET, GEELONG.
Dennys, Lascelles, & Co.,
WOOL BROKERS,
STOCK & STATION AGENTS,
GEELONG,
MAKING LIBERAL ADVANCES, Free of Commission, on any amount, on most reasonable terms, WITH-
OUT CHARGE for Commission, on the ensuing CLIP of WOOL, intended either for sale in the colony or shipment to the London agents. Wool Sales held each Tuesday during the coming season. Charges.—The lowest ruling in the colony.
ON SALE—
Finest Lucerne Seed, just landed, ex Somerseshire. Wool Packs, 10lb., 10lb., and 10lb.; best makes. Calcutta and Dundee Cornsacks. Rylands Wool, Rock Salt, Sulphate of Iron, Sulphur, Arsenic, Hood's Specific, Tea, Sugar, and all Station necessaries.

Buckland and Burnett,
Stock and Station Agents,
AND
WOOLBROKERS,
MOORABOOL STREET, GEELONG,
ARE prepared to make LIBERAL ADVANCES on any amount, on most reasonable terms, WITH-
OUT CHARGE for Commission, on the ensuing CLIP of WOOL, intended either for sale in the colony or shipment.
We are also prepared to Ship Wool to other than our own agent, at direction of the owner, at a charge of ONE SHILLING PER TON, covering the same by insurance while in store, and effecting insurance on shipment at the lowest current rates.
As a facility to wool growers who may not have the convenience, we are prepared to CLASS WOOL at our Warehouse, either in small or large lots at a very nominal charge.
WEEKLY SALES of Wool, Sheepskins, Hides and Tallow, and other Station Produce.
Woolpacks, Fencing Wire, and other Station requisites supplied at lowest rates.

SALES OF FAT STOCK
At the Corporation Yards every MONDAY, and of all kinds of Stock, Station, and other Properties held in all parts of the colony.
X. GASSER,
Watchmaker and Jeweller,
42 BRIDGE STREET, BALLARAT.
Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery, of every Description, on Sale.
Colonial Jewellery Made to Order.

A. T. THOMPSON,
Watchmaker and Jeweller,
(Late of Sebastopol.)
SUCCESSOR TO MR. H. HARDING,
MAIN ROAD, BALLARAT.
Watches and Clocks of every description Carefully Repaired.

I. J. ROFF,
Tailors and Manufacturers,
MAIN ROAD, BALLARAT EAST.

OUR NEW GOODS for the SPRING SEASON are now Open, and contain a carefully selected stock of all the Latest Patterns in Colonial, Belgian, Bambookurn, and West of England Tweeds and Coatings, made to order by the best makers, and which we can, therefore, confidently recommend. We desire also to state that notwithstanding the depression in its trade, we are in a position to offer to our Customers all the advantages which cash, skill, and a life's experience in the tailoring trade can secure. Our Prices will necessarily be the lowest possible in the trade. TWEED SUITS, as usual, To Measure, £2 10s.
OUR READY MADE GOODS
Are now nearly equal to bespoke and comprise every description of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing, made by ourselves, especially for this district. A good fit and style always obtainable.
Indigo Blue, Grosvenor, and Diagonal Coats, warranted not to fade.
Frock, Knicker, and Paquet Coats, plain and fancy.
Very Handsome Patterns in Men's Trousers and Vests.
Youths' Trousers and Vests, in great variety.
Boys' suits, in all sizes and various materials.
White shirts, broad and narrow plims, all sizes and prices.
Hats—Tyroloze, Oxford, Prince of Wales, Westminster, Crimean Shiraz, Boys' Hats and Caps, Scarfs, Collars, Ties, &c.
In Molestins, and all other Working Men's Clothing and Underclothing.
We keep the Right Class of Goods at the Right Price.
I. J. ROFF,
Corner of Humffray-street and Main Road.

J. S. BROOKS,
BOOTMAKER,
HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.
BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Beaufort and the surrounding district, that he has COMMENCED BUSINESS
In the premises lately occupied by Mr. J. PATTERNER, and trusts by strict attention to business, and executing work in first-class style, combined with moderate charges to merit a fair share of public patronage.
W. C. STRONGE,
Land, Stock, Commission, and Insurance Agent.
Cash advanced on the ensuing Clip.
Fencing Wire all sizes on sale.
Auction sales attended to.
WILLOBY-STREET, BEAUFORT.

MANCHESTER HOUSE,
HAVELOCK STREET,
R. A. PAULL
IS now showing a Large and Varied Stock of Seasonable Goods, in
Drapery, Clothing
Boots and Shoes
INSPECTION INVITED

BEAUFORT
FURNISHING WAREHOUSE
NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.
WM. BAKER, Proprietor,
Cabinet Maker, Turner, Upholsterer, and Undertaker.

HAS REMOVED his stock to his manufactory, opposite the State School, where he will sell at
Greatly Reduced Prices,
Plain and Ornamental Printing
OF Every description executed at the
"RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE" OFFICE
NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT

BOOKBINDING
ON REASONABLE TERMS.
Mining Scrip, Call Receipts, Delivery Books, &c.
Prepared on the shortest notice.

Carbazotate of Ammonia
Was first introduced to the notice of the profession for its effects in the cure of the rheumatism in both London and Paris, under the name of the *Cure de Paris*, was introduced into France, by M. Deleury, of Paris; by Dr. Calvert, of London; and by M. Williams, of London. It is manufactured only by F. C. Calvert and Co., of Manchester, for whom the undersigned act as agents; and the distribution of this invaluable medicine. Its power over many diseases is truly marvellous, one dose gives relief, and one bottle usually cures Acute Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Low Fever, &c. It is given in all cases where the use of quinine is indicated, and has this advantage over that drug, that headache never follows its use.
Dr. Bennetts supplies the following cases—No 1.—Ague with fever. Sulphate of quinine had no effect; cured in four days. Case 2.—Same disease; cured in five days. Case 3.—Terzina Ague; completely cured in eight days. Case 4.—Facial Neuralgia; instant relief, and a cure in two days.
Dr. Bennetts draws the following conclusion from his long use of the drug. "It says 'It is very efficacious in intermittant fever, much superior to quinine, and that by giving a teaspoonful three daily, the paroxysms are instantly relieved, and no bad effects follow." It seems to me much better tolerated by the stomach than sulphate of quinine, the physiological action of which is much more violent."
Sold in bottles containing 32 doses at 6s. per bottle. A liberal allowance to the trade.
HOOD & CO., 147 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

HOOD & CO'S
CORN SOLVENT
Is a safe and certain Cure for Corns.
Is Bottles 2s. 6d. each.
The above preparations are on sale at the office of this paper.

Christmas and New Year Season,
SPECIAL PURCHASES.
EXTENSIVE ARRIVAL
OF
Goods Purchased for Cash,
Expressly for the above season,
AT AN ENORMOUS DISCOUNT.
On account of the depressed state of business in the Colony; caused by the tightness of the money market and unseasonable weather.

The above causes have operated to such an extent this season, that the calculations of the most profitable trade have been completely upset, their goods having been long in hand than they could have anticipated, and their prices have become unreasonably high.
A. CRAWFORD,
MITCHELL'S BUILDINGS, STURT STREET,
Being the largest cash buyer of Drapery Goods and Furnishings in the Australian Colonies, has taken the greatest possible advantage of the present depressed state of the Melbourne markets, and will sell every line he has purchased at such remarkably low prices as must cause them to run out sharp.
The following list will indicate the attractive nature of these enormous purchases—
8000 pairs of Drawings, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, 3s 6d, and 3s 11d per yard
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5000 pieces of Drawings, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, 3s 6d, and 3s 11d per yard
A fine assortment of Brussels Carpets, 6s 6d per yard; worth 8s 6d
Dutch Carpets and Dundee Matting, 8s 6d, 10s 6d, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, and 2s per yard
Kidderminster Carpets, 1s 11d to 6s 11d per yard
6000 Scotch Blankets, 1s 6d; worth 2s
2000 large-sized White Blankets, 20s; worth 27s 6d
A Job Lot of full-sized Toilet Quilts, 4s 11d, 6s 11d, and 10s 6d
China Mattings—White, Checked, and Fancy, in all qualities, from 9d to 1s 6d per yard
FLOOR COVERS, NEW PATTERNS and VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY, FROM 18 INCHES TO 15 FEET WIDE.
A Job Lot of Window Curtains, slightly soiled, from 4s 11d per pair
Heath and Carriage Buggies, Doormats of every description
11 cases new Prints, very choice styles, including all the best makers—Crawford, Mayall, Ashton's &c., and warranted fast colors, 3s 6d, 4s 6d, 5s 6d, and 7s 6d per yard
1 case Fines, from 1s to 2s 3d per yard
1 case of Prints, from 1s to 2s 3d per yard
2 cases Cotton and Linen Ginghams, very cheap
4 cases Flannels, 2s 6d cent. lower than ordinary prices
5 cases Linnen Drill, plain and striped, for boys' clothing, 6d to 1s 3d per yard
1 case Linnen Diaper Towels, 6s 11d and 8s 11d per dozen; worth 12s and 15s per dozen
3 cases Unbleached Towel Sheetings, 1s 6d, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, and 2s per yard
5 cases Brown Hollands, 4s to 5s 6d per yard
2 cases Printed Flannels, summer patterns, 1s to 2s 6d per yard
Hosiery Calicoes, all numbers, from 4s 11d per dozen
Woolen Shirtings, 8s 6d per dozen
White Twilled Shirtings, full widths, bought at 2d discount, from 1s 6d to 2s 6d per yard
A large lot of Fines' plain Shirting, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, 2s per yard
2 cases Huckabuck Towels, 4s 6d, 6d, 8d, 1s, 1s 3d, and 1s 6d
3 cases Turkish Towels, 10s 6d, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, and 2s
A large lot of Toilet Covers and Antimacassars, purchased at a discount, now laid out in baskets, at half the usual price
IN THE DRESS DEPARTMENT
A. CRAWFORD has again succeeded in purchasing some of the most extraordinary cheap lines ever shown in the colony, being at the same time New, Stylish, and Fashionable, and very adapted for the Great Colonial Season, which Australians seem disposed to acclimatise. 12,000 yards checked Tissues, all colors, 3s 6d per yard
7500 yards Striped Balloons, 8s 11d and 12s 6d per dress
10 cases Plain and Checked Washing Camlets, Balloons, Homespuns, Beltons, and Grenadines, 6d per yard; worth 1s 1s 6d
8700 yards Japanese Silks, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, and 2s 6d per yard
2 cases Linnen Tasso Cloths, 6d, 8d, and 10s 6d per dress
1 case Plain and Fined Silvering, very cheap
A splendid lot of Irish Poplins, at less than Dublin prices
2 cases Black Alpaca; an extraordinary cheap line; 6s 6d, 8s 6d, 1s 3d, and 1s 6d per yard
4 cases Black and Evenweave Muslins, newest designs and colors, 4s 11d, 6s 11d, 8s 11d, 9s 11d, and 12s 6d per dress
1 case Plain China Silk, for dresses, &c., &c., 6s 6d per yard
A splendid variety of genuine Spitalfields Colored Silks, 4s the full dress, worth 7s
An immense variety of all kinds of dress materials will be laid out as a special line for the Christmas trade at 6d per yard, the value of which ranges from 1s to 12s 6d per yard
Thousands of Ladies' Hats and Bonnets, 6d, 8d, and 10s
Amongst the latter lot will be found hats well worth 6s each
A magnificent display of choice Millinery, purchased expressly for the festive season, with all the newest designs
Dresses Ribbons, all shades
New Flowers
New Feathers
Hamburg Nets and Laces
Ribbons, all colors and widths
Ladies' Quizzes Jackets
Hamburg Net and Lace Jackets and Aprons
Ladies' and Maids' Stays and Underclothing, in immense variety, at very low prices
Silk Jackets and Caps, newest styles, from 2s 6d
Lace and Grenadine Shawls, very cheap
300 dozen Ladies' Linnen Stuffs, Collars and Collars, plain and fancy, from 6d to 2s 6d
270 dozen Cambric Handkerchiefs, 1s 11d to 8s 11d per dozen
300 Gacinate Parachutes, 1s 6d each, suitable for gifts
A splendid assortment of Beaded Laces and Fringes
61 boxes Fancy Ribbons, 6d per yard; worth 1s 6d
Gossamer, all colors, at 11d per yard
300 dozen Linen Stuffs, Collars and Collars, plain and fancy, from 6d to 2s 6d
400 dozen Ladies' Linnen Stuffs, fashionable shape, now clearing out at 6d per pair
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CLARKE'S B 41 PILLS
IS warranted to cure all discharges from the Urinary Organs, in either sex, acquired or constitutional, Gonorrhoea, and Pains in the neck. Sold in boxes, 4s. 6d. each, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors.
Sole Proprietor, F. J. CLARKE,
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ELLIOTT BROTHERS & Co., Wholesale Druggists.
Ed. Row & Co.
Adelaide agents.
FAULDING & Co., Wholesale Druggists.
Brisbane agents.
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"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE."—See Deuteronomy, chap. xii., verse 23.
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THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER AND RESTORER.
For cleansing and clearing the blood from all impurities, cannot be too highly recommended.
For scrofula, scurvy, skin diseases, an sores of all kinds it is a never-failing and permanent cure.
It Cures old sores
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ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The R.M.S. Mongolia arrived at five o'clock on Saturday, 8th inst. She brings a large number of passengers, including Mr. Higginbotham, engineer-in-chief of Victorian Railways; Mr. W. J. Clarke, and Major Heath.

In the Court of Queen's Bench, Ireland, Sir C. Gavin Duffy was sued at the instance of Mr. McGrath, a bill-discounter, on a promissory note for £40, endorsed by the defendant. He pleaded "no consideration," and received the benefit of the Statute of Limitation.

Cavendish Bentinck, it is rumored, will be the new Judge-Advocate-General. He is to be succeeded at the Board of Trade by the Hon. Edward Stanhope.

The Rev. J. W. Bargon, Vicar of St. Mary's Oxford, is to be the new Dean of Chichester.

Sir G. B. Aity, Astronomer Royal, has been presented with the freedom of the city of London.

The Common Council has also resolved to present the city of freedom to Lord Chief Justice Cockburn.

Professor Macfarren has undertaken to compose a cantata for the Glasgow musical festival.

An American paper says that Madame Armblah Goddard intends to settle in California.

Charles Matthews has had a farewell benefit at the Gaiety, and is about to start for India.

Daily meetings of the Cabinet are evidence to the public of the pressure of unusual care upon the Ministerial mind.

From India come rumors of the uneasiness prevalent there among the ruling classes, and the probability of the Prince of Wales' visit being prematurely terminated.

Both Russia and Austria are known to have well-equipped forces in readiness to cross the frontier of the Turkish provinces at a few hours' notice, and not to be unprepared for eventualities. The British Government are making military arrangements.

The "World" states that Lord Napier, of Magdala, has been appointed Governor and Commander of Gibraltar, with a view to dash upon Egypt immediately any emergency arises.

Other Governments are on foot pointing to the same contingency.

The English press urges upon the Government the necessity of speedily deciding upon, and announcing, a definite policy regarding Eastern question. The European cabinets must not be allowed to settle affairs without perfectly consulting our national interests. All parties agreed that he must secure undisputed command of the Suez Canal, and perhaps of the Euphrates valley, as highways to our Eastern possessions.

The public expresses the most unbounded satisfaction at the mastery made in buying the Khedive's Suez Canal Shares.

The English Channel Steamship Company have resolved to build another vessel on Captain Dreyer's principle, with greater speed and other desirable modifications.

Preliminary soundings for a channel tunnel are being actively carried out at St. Margaret's. The engineers are satisfied with the results of the works.

The remaining exhibits from the London International Exhibition of Fine Arts have been offered for sale. The total amount realized was £31,615.

A large air-bag, lent by the Czar of Russia to be used in attempting to raise the Vanguard, has arrived at Portsmouth, and been successfully tried on the sunken Oberon.

The Iron Duke narrowly escaped foundering outside Plymouth Breakwater while out on a short trial trip. Owing to derangement of the valves, there was a sudden influx of water, which was not stopped until the vessel was in imminent peril of sinking. There was no powder aboard wherewith to fire an alarm, and the signal "sinking" was kept firing fifteen minutes before it was seen by the flagship. The inability of the Admiralty is severely denounced by the press.

It is stated that a detached squadron will shortly leave Indian waters for the Suez Canal.

Parliament is summoned for the 2nd February.

The reforms in Turkey proposed by the Powers perfect legal equality between Christian and Mussulman.

It is stated that the Egyptians have had further reverses in Abyssinia, and retreated to Mussowah much out of breath.

The Prince of Wales has visited Ceylon. Very great preparations were made. He was received by Governor Gregory and a brilliant staff. The decorations were splendid. The Prince was in excellent health, and accompanied by a large staff. He visited various places of interest, and returned to the Seraphis to dinner. The visit to Kandy next day was a great affair, the route being prettily decorated with arches and flags. At the great incline of the railway, 1700 feet, the Prince and the Duke of Sutherland travelled on the engine. On the arrival of the Prince he went to his carriage between two rows of Kandyan chiefs, all splendidly dressed. The Prince presented gold medals to the principal chiefs, and received valuable gifts in return. The Prince also invested Governor Gregory with the order of knighthood. After some ceremony, the Prince visited Maligawa, where the most rich treasures, including the sacred tooth, were exposed to view. The chiefs and priests were much delighted with the Prince's affability, and said he was a true king. Returning from elephant-shooting, at which the Prince killed two elephants under circumstances of some danger, Lord Charles Bessford interposed with the coachman's driving, and upset the coach with the Prince under, but he was fortunately quite unhurt, and merely exclaimed:—"Charlie, where's my tail?" meaning the elephant's tail.

Leaving Colombo, the fleet was magnificently illuminated, to the wonder of the natives. The Prince gave 10,000 rupees to the poor in Bombay. At Baroda there was also a grand reception, where the Prince witnessed exciting scenes in the arena, and a great procession of gaily painted elephants, the Prince being mounted on one gorgeously caparisoned, with howdah and trappings of solid gold, the most picturesque Oriental pageant. Returning to Bombay there was another round of festivities, the most striking scene being the baron gathering of 14,000 children, dressed in various colors, who sang "God bless the Prince of Wales." At Madras illuminations were most effective, and the reception enthusiastic. The whole affair was most successful.

THE GARDEN.—JANUARY.

After the heavy rains of last month, no time should be lost in mulching all newly-planted trees, and, where not already done, plants as camellias, daphnes, azaleas, gardenias and rhododendrons; doing it with some well-rotted manure prevents the moisture from evaporating so fast, besides also affording food for the plant. Stake and train ipomeas and others of the convolvulus species; also give attention to overhanging plants, so as to prevent their covering smaller plants and becoming unsightly. Duranta Plumieri, a beautiful blue flowering shrub is not in full bloom, being of a straggling habit, it is liable to be cut back and spoiled for blooming; it blooms on long pendant shoots, requires good deal of room, and should be placed well back in the border. Vacant spaces may be sown with annuals, if plenty water is available, if not, it is of no use. Pot plants must be shaded during the heat of the day, and plenty of water given night and morning. The up gladioli as they come into bloom, and secure liliums from being blown down. All seeds should be gathered as they become fit; anemias are fast shedding theirs. Layer pinks, carnations, and all other flowering shrubs; verbenas, it is only necessary to cover over with a little soil, to prevent their shifting, for they root freely. Keep chlamomile edges cut, to prevent their blooming; rake up all fallen leaves, and otherwise keep tidy. Let the hoes be kept continually going when the weather permits. Roses may be still budded, and the ties loosened of those already done where they have become too tight. It is also a favorable time to bud camellias, scarlet-thorn, &c.

Continue to sulphur vines, to prevent oidium spreading, the weather being very favorable to its development. Keep regularly pinched back the too luxuriant laterals; a strong growth is thereby encouraged, as well as the finer fruit. That very early white grape, Early Malinge, is likely to prove very valuable, as it ripens about the first of this month in favorable situations near Melbourne; the fruit is rather small, but it has a rich sweet flavor, and forms quite an ornamental bush. The early kinds of apples will be getting ripe fast now, such as Early Harvest, Early Julian, Early Joe, Early Strawberry, White Junetang, and Early Margaret; the latter should be eaten soon after being gathered, or it becomes mealy. In pears, Doyenne, d'Eté and Coton des Carmes are at their best, these are two very nice rich-flavored pears; Early Crawford, Green Chisel, and Jargonelle will soon follow. Gather raspberries as they ripen, and apricots before they become too ripe, Muesch Musch being the earliest. In plums, Early Admirable is just ripe, also Braly's greengage; Early Orleans. Cherries of the late kinds will need to be protected from the birds, where they are wanted to hang as long as possible. Planchoury and St. Margaret are in nice condition for the market, and come in after the Florence. In early situations, the budding of plums may be proceeded with; also cherries, peaches, apricots, nectarines, &c.; it is also a good time to bud oranges, and others of the citrus species.

Take advantage of the recent rains, and put in more peas and beans of the early kinds; lettuce may be sown in drills, where intended to stand; also onions for salads Celery, spinach, turnips, of early kinds. Cabbage and cauliflower of early kinds may be sown for late planting; thin former sowings of spinach, lettuce, turnips and carrots, to the full distance at which they are intended to stand. Plant out at once any plant in the seed beds that are left, choosing the strongest plants, such as cabbage, cauliflowers, tomatoes, and capsicums. Keep the hoes going, and fork out sorer; for, where it is thoroughly established, it is no use hoeing, by which the tops are just cut off, and a shower of rain soon brings it up again; whereas, if forked up carefully, it amply repays the extra time.

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BALLARAT WHOLESALE MARKET.

MESSRS. EVERINGHAM, GREENFIELD AND CO. REPORT.

The market for wheat has been very dull and dropping during the week, and prices have ranged from 5s. 6d. to 5s. 3d. Oats—The demand has been better, and considerable parcels have been cleared at 3s. 2d. to 3s. 4d. Barley—Capo 2s. 9d. to 2s. 11d.; English, 4s. 6d. to 5s. Pans—Not much enquiry. 4s. Hay—The supply has been more moderate, and prices have been steady, £2 10s. to £4. Straw—Equity limited at 40s. to 50s. Potatoes—Fair supplies of new to hand, and a ready sale has been resulted at £4 to £4 5s.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

Wheat is the same as last quotations, and there does not appear to be any prospect of an early move. Oats are firm, with an upward tendency. For pollard and bran there is no demand, neither is there any change in flour. Potatoes are very plentiful, both from Ballarat and Warramboul. Fresh and bottled butter are in good demand, and slightly firmer. Hams and bacon still keep very high, and are in good demand even at the advanced rates. Eggs are very plentiful. Hay is offering freely, but is not in demand. We quote as follows—Wheat, 5s. per bushel; oats, 3s. 9d. per bushel; pollard, 1s. 6d. per bushel; bran, 1s. 6d. per bushel; barley, nominal; flour, £12 10s. per ton; potatoes, 6s. per cwt.; fresh butter, 1s. 6d. per lb.; bottled do., 10d. per lb.; hams, 1s. to 1s. 2d. per lb.; bacon, 1s. per lb.; eggs, 1s. per doz.; hay, £3 to £3 10s. per ton; chaff, 4s. per cwt.—Advertiser.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSRS. HERRIN AND LEONARD REPORT.

Fat Sheep—168 for Mr. D. Kinnerly, Learmonth; cross-bred ewes, 12s. to 14s. 9d.; merino ewes, 8s. 6d.; ewes, 6s. 6d. 7oz merino merino wethers for Mr. Robert Moffat, Lake Bolac, to 8s. 6d., averaging 8s.; 480 merino wethers and ewes for Messrs. Nichol and Son, Beckwith Court, at 8s. and 8s. 7d. respectively; 255 merino wethers for Messrs. M. Threlkorn and Co., Colonsay, at 7s. 6d.; 2000 merino ewes for Mr. M. Shanahan, Marnoo, at 6s., a few lower; 480 merino ewes for Mr. L. J. Duke, Glenorchy, 5s. 7d. to 4s. 1d.; 3208 merino wethers and ewes for Mr. D. Robertson, Englefield, at market rates, and we turned out 1773 inferior stores unsold. Fat Lambs—201 shorn for Mr. Chalmers, Mount Rowan, at 5s. Store Stock—A fair demand now exists for good wethers, and we could dispose of a considerable number, but few good lots are offering at present. There is very little enquiry at present for ewes. Horses—We yarded about 50 head on Saturday, principally light horses in good condition. Demand for such was very dull, and a large number had to be turned out unsold.

GEELONG STATION PRODUCE MARKET.

MESSRS. GEORGE SYMOND AND CO. REPORT.

The fourth sale of the season was held at Mack's hotel on Tuesday, when the four brokers submitted a total of 1613 bales, out of which we catalogued 966. There was a numerous attendance of buyers, and spirited competition for every lot; prices ruled firm at late quotations, and we were enabled to clear the bulk of our catalogue at the following satisfactory prices—Grensey fleece, 73d to 143d. per lb.; greasy lambs, 74d. to 104d. per lb.; greasy pieces, 44d. to 84d. per lb.; greasy locks, 2d. to 6d. per lb. Washed fleece, 16d. to 19 1/2d. per lb.; washed pieces, 13 1/2d. to 15 1/2d. per lb. Scoured fleece, 18d. to 20 1/2d. per lb.; scoured pieces, 17d. to 17 1/2d.; scoured pieces, 10d. to 16 1/2d.; scoured locks, 10d. to 12d.

GEELONG LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSRS. MULLICHAM, VINES, AND CO. REPORT.

Fat Cattle—A fair supply, quality medium to prime. Best in a draft Mr. J. Austin, which were much (and justly) admired. There was a good attendance of the local trade, with a fair sprinkling of country do. For best pens competition was good, and prices in advance of last week's. We sold a few head of medium quality cows, for Captain Collich and others, at from £4 to £5 15s. Fat Calves—A good few in, including some very prime, which realised well. We sold 2 small fair quality, for Mr. J. Daniel, 28s. per head. Fat Sheep—A medium supply, the great bulk being of second class description. There was a fair demand, and everything fit for the trade was disposed of early in the day, prices ruling a little firmer. Our sales were on account of Messrs. E. Williams, W. Greaves & Co., G. Fat Lambs—The number penned was below average quality, for the most part good to prime. Prices were about equal to last week's. We sold 30 good for Mr. D. Hamilton at 10s. 10d. for Mr. Grano, 10s. 6s., and 14 extra good at 10s. 4d. Store Cattle—We note a better demand for grown sorts of both sexes, bullocks having the preference, and although prices cannot be quoted higher, they are considered satisfactory in most cases to the seller. We sold some odd lots at the yards on account of Messrs. Collich and others, cows from £3 to £4, and outside, for Messrs. D. Bantock, R. Fletcher, and others, 7s. cows and bullocks, at £3, 31 steers and bullocks, at £5 17s. 6d.; 41 steers, at £4 15s., and 11 mixed from £2 to £6. Store Sheep—We sold at the yards, for Messrs. Grundy and Beck, 200 ewes with 50 per cent of lambs; 300 ewes with a small percentage of lambs; and outside, for Mr. R. Fletcher, 700 full-mouthed wethers, all at market rates.

Mr. Ramsay (says the "Argus") on Tuesday evening, presented to the Legislative Assembly the correspondence relating to the dismissal of Mr. A. K. Plummer from his employment in the public service as clerk in the money-order branch of the General Post Office. The correspondence bears out the statement of the matter given by Mr. Ramsay to the House last week. The deficiency in Plummer's accounts amounted to £64, and the matter was first reported by himself on the 5th October, 1874, and the amount made good by him three days afterwards. Mr. Plummer was notified of his dismissal on the 24th October, 1874, with an intimation that the dismissal should take effect from the 4th October. His application to be paid the amount of his salary, £21 10s., due on the 21st October, was therefore refused. Mr. Plummer was afterwards temporarily engaged in the Government Statist's office from the 19th April to the 30th June, 1875, during which time he gave every satisfaction to Mr. Hayter. An application was made on the 6th October, to Mr. Lalor when Commissioner of Customs, by Mr. Lock, M.L.A., with the object of seeking further employment for Mr. Plummer in the Government service, but the matter was not dealt with before the late Government were ejected from office. It was notified in Friday's "Government Gazette" that at an Executive Council meeting held on January 10th, the town of Collingwood was, upon the petition of the mayor and councillors, declared to be a city, its gross revenue now exceeding £20,000 a year.

Unclaimed Letters & Newspapers.

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Brown J. W.
Chellie W. Mrs., Cochran J. B.
Dunn Bros., Dunn James.
Elsigman Ann, Pergusson John.
Gordon Henry.
Haines V. J.
Jones Mr.
Lewis Russell.
Miller H. Mrs., Manners Mr., Murchison J.
Murry P., Morris B.
Noble M. Miss.
Parker Thomas.
Richardson G., Riley Wm.
Stewart J. S., Scullin J. Mrs.
Thompson B.
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The stone-wall party have put on the carpet, and the struggle has commenced. We regret that Messrs. Longmore, Woods, and Smith are so blind to their own interests, that they now endeavor to stop the business of the country. It is a well known fact these gentlemen are very anxious for the welfare of their fellow colonists, but at the same time it is evident to every elector in their respective constituencies that No. 1 is the object they are eagerly longing for, and to secure this end the business of the country must be stopped so as to allow these wretched the opportunity of jumping the Treasury Benches. Men who have nothing to lose and everything to gain, should be cautious how they proceed, and not attempt such desperate games, as it will inevitably lead to their own confusion. It would be the great aim of our legislators to use the means at their command to keep capital within bounds of the colony, and not by had legislation drive it over the borders to New South Wales and the other colonies. Do the stone-wall party imagine for a moment, should a dissolution be granted, that their party would go back to the House with an overwhelming majority. We give Mr. BERRY credit for more shrewdness. It is quite probable that Ballarat West, and a few other constituencies would return opposition, but the majority have ere this seen through the manœuvres of the bulk of the stone-wallers, and would by the ballot box relegate them to private life. It is monstrous that the business of the country should be brought to a standstill simply because a few are eager to be enriched at the expense of the people. It is not a great length of time before a general election takes place, and then the members of the opposition benches will have ample opportunity to air their grievances and if the Ministry are such traitors as would appear from the opposition papers, the electors will know how to act. On the other hand, should BERRY and Co. determine on pursuing their present suicidal policy, they will find in February 1877, that they have been erecting their own gallows. The Ministry have only to give these gentlemen plenty of rope and they are bound to get into difficulties.

The mails for England will be despatched from Melbourne on Thursday, 27th January. The mails will close at the Beaufort Post Office as follows—Registered letters, 4 p.m. Wednesday, 26th January; ordinary letters, 4.30 p.m. Wednesday, 26th January; newspapers, 4.30 p.m. Wednesday, 26th January. Money orders will be issued up to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, 26th January.

Owners of unregistered dogs are requested to get them registered at once.

Professor Tolmague, conjuror and humorist, will give one of his entertainments on Monday evening next, at the Societies' Hall. The Professor notifies that he will shortly leave this colony for New Zealand, consequently those who wish to see him in his performances should not lose this opportunity. The metropolitan and Ballarat press speak very highly of his talent.

The "Australasian" for January contains the following illustrations—"The Stonewall-parliamentary sketch," "An Australian harvest moon," "The New Britain Islands," "Botanical Gardens Adelaide," "The Skull rocks, Wilson's Promontory," "The Normal School, Christchurch," "The two thousand guinea heifer, Roan Duress," "Moonlight Gorge Wakatipu, New Zealand," "Progress of the Lower Murray Bridge, South Australia," "Shooting wild horses in the Back Country." The reading portion contains a summary for the month, Mr. Henningsen is the local agent.

A local land board will be held at Beaufort on 2nd February, the list of applications appear elsewhere.

Mr. Prentice, storekeeper, Haylock-street invites tenders for building two houses.

An accident happened on Thursday to a man named Edward Fox, who is employed at the Mount Cole saw-mill. It appears whilst saving a piece of timber the saw got fastened and while trying to loosen it the timber by some means sprang back and broke his collar bone. Dr. Johnston was sent for, and set the fracture. Fox is progressing favorably.

Having built their "stone-wall," wasted several evenings in proposing obstructive motions and in rowdy buffoonery, converted the House into a bear-pit which it was thought desirable to shield from the obstructive eyes of strangers, and outraged public decency by actual violence within the precincts of Parliament, the Berry clique must feel very much elated over its work. The "money, money, greedy office-seekers" of the Opposition, after thus wasted a week since the resumption" of what is called work, have the assurance to state that they "would go on with the same tactics for a year, if necessary." Nothing can be more desirable than that they should have, as early as possible, the opportunity of doing so, and of assuming the responsibility of stopping supplies. The public has taken but a very languid interest in this conflict hitherto—a circumstance which is, doubtless, owing to the growing feeling of despair at the working of our Parliamentary institutions in their present condition, and the surrender of any expectation of anything good or valuable coming from that source. But whether the same apathy will be shown when

the abstract question suddenly, by the stoppage of supplies, becomes a sternly practical one, that comes home to the very painful way to a very large section of the public, is an important question that will soon have to receive its answer. The issue, will then be put in a very plain shape before the public. We shall have the view of a band of shameless place-hunters engaged in a reckless attack on the constitutions of the country, and resorting to means that will carry hardship and misery into thousands of households, that "derange trade," endanger the public credit, and inflict a serious blow on the prosperity of the country. If the people of Victoria find in their minds a sufficient stock of patience or indifference to equally endure these inconveniences very long, merely for the aggrandisement of Mr. Berry and crew, they are much more deficient in spirit and common sense than we imagine them to be.—"Australasian."

The "Australasian Sketcher" for transmission by the outgoing mail for England contains the following illustrations—"Five o'clock tea, in town and in the bush," "Free selection by miners," "Oberon bay near Wilson's Promontory," "The Giles exploring expedition," "Wilson, New Zealand," "The intercolonial cricket match," "First train crossing the Murray," "Port Arthur, Tasmania," "New Town Bay and Risdon, Tasmania," "The house of Mr. Larnach a Dunedin merchant," and views of the churches in Adelaide. Copies may be obtained from Mr. Henningsen.

The Hotsup correspondent of the Hamilton "Commercial" states that in the event of New Guinea becoming a British colony, Sir Samuel Wilson will be one of the first to test the capabilities of its soil and climate by sending a host of pioneers and reclaimers there from Victoria.

The "Gippsland Mercury" gravely undertakes the following make-story:—"As a farm on the Stratford road a strange spectacle was witnessed the other day. A snake was observed coiled round the hind leg of a cow and regaling itself with her milk. After enjoying the luxurious repast his snakeship returned to the ground only to be despatched at once.

Ægles in the "Australasian" says:—"Last week's Parliamentary work cost in payment of members' £625. Add to that the salaries of Parliamentary officials. Consider that the financial year is more than half through, and that the Government are still still undetermined. Now what does the practical Parliamentary work of the week amount to? Why, Mr. Lalor has knocked in Mr. Thomas's hat and apologised for doing so. 'Voilà tout!'

Mr. McDermott (says the "Telegraph") has gone in for hard hitting. A speech in which he described the interview between Mr. Berry and Sir James McCulloch, when Mr. Berry in August last, waited upon the member for Warramboul to induce him to take office, kept the House in a roar. "If said Mr. McDermott, the member for Warramboul had said, 'this is my fiscal plan—to tax the large property, to tax the large incomes, and to tax the absentees, and I will bring in you, and two or three of your party, and make a fine team of it,' Mr. Berry would have swallowed the programme with the avidity of a shark." Messrs. Patterson, Lalor, and Smith, said the hon. gentleman, are ready to overthrow everything and everything that has been done in this colony, and Mr. McDermott declared his conviction that the robbery of the public stores was a step neither compatible with "decency, justice, nor morality," and he described the stone-wall as built of "undeccorated mud."

Another side of the Stone-wall. The "Herald" says—"The committee of the Benevolent Asylum, in common with the public generally, have suffered through the stoppage of supplies in Parliament, and the change of Ministers. Sir James McCulloch has signified his approval of the scheme for establishing a benevolent asylum on a line of railway at a distance from Melbourne, and the maintenance of some place in town as a receiving house, but the chaotic state of affairs prevents any action being taken. Meanwhile the committee are under great embarrassment. They have refused 133 applications during the past week. An attempt has been made to provide rooms by turning out such inmates as were able to work, but it proved futile, and the inmates all came back on hand."

The "Argo" states that the girl, Mary Hanley, who was shot at Hawthorn on Tuesday, is progressing favorably. On Wednesday some of the shot was extracted, and it is anticipated that the remainder will be removed in course of time. It is stated that the accused man, John Rouget, purchased a gun at a pawnbroker's on Monday evening, which corresponded in description to the one found by the police.

A company called the Victoria Stream Tin Company (limited) has been floated in London to work the tin mines on the Lairobo River, South Gippsland. The mines are situated about 30 miles from Camball Creek, on the Gippsland coast road, and about 70 miles from Melbourne. The land claimed by the company comprises about 700 acres, held under leases obtained from the mining department by Mr. J. M.L.A., and Mr. L. L. Smith. The prospecting cost was £2,000. There are five thousand shares remain for subscription. The London shareholders sent out Captain W. Eddy, who claims to have had experience in tin mining in California and elsewhere, to report upon the mines. After spending six weeks on the ground, he reported that he found stream tin deposits varying in depth from 6 ft. to 30ft. from the surface, and from 6in. to 3ft. thick all over the flat, embracing an area of from 6000 to 1,000ft. in width through the valley. The average assay of the tin raised was 68 per cent. He believed the lease contained continuous and large payable deposits of stream tin, and that from the deepest part of the flat sufficient gold would be found to pay working expenses. An expenditure of about £20,000 will be required to obtain an uninterrupted supply of stream tin. Mr. Eddy left Melbourne on Thursday with a party of men to commence operations.

It is a curious fact (says the "Kyneton Guardian") that in connection with the visit of the parrots this year, there was a sudden exodus of the sparrows. For four or five days scarcely a sparrow has been seen in the neighborhood. Why they took their departure or where they went to has not yet been ascertained, but their absence was most noticeable. Yesterday, a few were to be seen about the streets and in the gardens, so that we presume we may expect them back again.

Grasshoppers are again visiting us (says the "Spectator"), and may be seen dispersing themselves in myriads about the Hamilton common and in some of the neighboring paddocks. The insects average about three quarters of an inch in length, and their appearance in this incipient stage of development at so advanced a period of the season need cause no alarm. The crops at any rate are safe.

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Friday's "Star" says:—"Appropos of the situation an attempt is to be made, if possible, to night to show how the voice of the country is expressed by the Press, and one honorable member, who has been engaged in perusing the files of the various up-country journals, purposes submitting to the House a table, showing that the 'Ministerial party is numerically triumphant in the constituencies, if the opinion of the local organs is to be accepted as an indication."

Sir John O'Shanassy addressed a meeting of the electors of Villiers and Hayesbury on Monday night. He intimated that he did not come forward as an opponent of Mr. Joseph Jones, but quite independently of any one. With regard to the political situation, he seemed to take a rather desponding view. The Assembly, he said, was torn into shreds and patches, and the present state of confusion must be damaging to the country. He looked upon the proceedings of the Assembly with much apprehension, and considered that we were approaching a serious crisis, in dealing with which great care and wisdom would have to be exercised. Sir John O'Shanassy met with a very favorable reception.

The Melbourne correspondent of the "Globe Guardian" says:—"As sundry paragraphs have appeared in the provincial press anticipating the employment of female composers by a Melbourne printing firm, with the ulterior object, as alleged, of transferring them to the office of a daily paper, and being in a position to know something about the matter, you may accept my assurance that so far as the latter statement is concerned it is all fudge. As a matter of fact, however, the experiment of employing young lady composers is being tried, and so far with the most pronounced success, the novitiates having reached a state of proficiency which will compare favorably with their male comrades, and the sphere of female employment in Melbourne is likely to be considerably enlarged in consequence. There is no attempt at concealment in the matter, and I learn that there is a likelihood of several other firms following the example, which has been adopted from America, where there are thousands of lady composers, and where the system is in full and advantageous operation. The work seems to be peculiarly adapted to the female constitution, as it is not laborious, and the hours are much lighter than those of shopwomen or dressmakers, being from nine a.m. to half-past five p.m. daily, with the usual half holiday on Saturdays."

The "Gippsland Mercury" relates that a story is current in South Gippsland, that Mr. Mason, M.L.A., took a great fancy to a mare that ran in one of the late races there, and that he even bought her, but when he found that her name was Lucy Chambers, he declined to fulfill the contract, for fear of "Melbourne Punch" getting hold of it.

Among the most marvelous adaptations of electricity to the use of man is a plan which we have lately heard it has been proposed to be carried out in England. This new contrivance is for printing the same paper simultaneously in several distant towns in England. The first experiment is to be tried with the "Times." It has been suggested to issue this journal in London, Manchester, and Liverpool simultaneously. The *modus operandi* is to this effect:—The compositor is provided with a machine somewhat resembling a piano, and by pressing a key a corresponding letter is dropped into its proper place. The new idea is to be assisted by electricity, wires being connected to the machine, and leading to Manchester, Liverpool, and any other town, and by this process a "Times" leader may be simultaneously set at any decided number of cities, or, in fact, in any distant part of the world. An English magazine commenting on this new "idea," remarks that "it suggests an approach to monopoly and ubiquity at which we shudder."

Correspondence.
THE STONEWALL.

To the Editor of the Riponshire Advocate.

SIR,—I see that the stone wall has been erected, and that Berry and party mean to have it out. More power to them I say, and I hope that they will force Sir James McCulloch to quit the Treasury benches, and let men occupy them who will legislate for the general weal, not for the squating community. I say that the squatters are ruining the country. Look at Beaufort, it is almost done, people have been and are now taking their departure for fresh fields. I have heard that four more householders will take final leave during next week, and I would venture to assert that by this time 12 months on store will be sufficient to do all the Beaufort business. The question arises could this be remedied. The reply is, "yes." Then comes the solution—by opening up the lands within 15 miles around Beaufort, and I assert, without fear of contradiction, that Beaufort would be a thriving township instead of the present struggling one. To secure this end the only way is to stick to the Berry Ministry, and should they be successful in compelling Sir James McCulloch to ask for a dissolution, to return our old and tried member, the Hon. F. Longmore. It is a singular thing that, although we see the farms around us are getting absorbed by the squatter, no one will initiate a branch of the National Reform League here. Rumor says that Sir Samuel Wilson is about purchasing the station of Mr. Campbell at Buaniger. By the purchase of this property it will require the aid of Messrs. Bege's property at Burnside to join his estates together, and I suppose money would be difficult. The next move would be to purchase all the farms about Raglan adjoining this station, and then good-bye to Beaufort as far as business is concerned. The latter few sentences are only conjecture, but everyone knows that Sir Samuel's mania is laid for to run his sheep on, his sheep do not wear clothes, and eat nothing but grass; it is desirable that we should be as we are, instead of having his sheepwalks with 50 yards of our main streets. A good stiff land tax might stop his little game. Hoping that I have not trespassed too much on your space,
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Attention.—The large and increasing demand for Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne has led to several imitations under similar names; purchasers of this medicine should therefore be careful to observe that each case bears the Government Stamp, with the words, Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne, engraved thereon, and that the same words are also blown in the bottle.

Police.

BEAUFORT.—THURSDAY, 20TH JANUARY.

(Before P. C. Crespiigny, Esq., P.M.)

Frank Johnston v. Edmund Adamthwaite.—For shooting a goat; damages 30s. Adjourned from the 6th inst. to enable the defendant time to procure documentary evidence to prove that the defendant was left in charge of the land by James Arnold, the licensee.—The Bench held that the document produced did not give the defendant any authority over the land in question, as it did not state where the land was situated.—Further adjourned for seven days for Arnold's attendance. Seven shillings costs were awarded to complainant.

Joseph Frusher v. George Barrick, jun.—For driving about 170 sheep the property of complainant of certain land at Waterloo, without being entitled to do so.—Dismissed.

Three debt cases concluded the business, and the court adjourned for seven days.

Scraps of News and Morsels of Moralising.

There have been many funny things both said and done, especially by the democratic section of the electors of Ballarat, in that great meeting house, the Alfred Hall; but I very seriously doubt if anything more extraordinary, and, for those who feel capable of regarding serious things lightly, positively comical, was ever said there than that portion of Mr. David Gausson's speech at the meeting on Monday evening, wherein he pointed out amidst a storm of cheers from the loyal liberals, as they are humorously called, that the proposal of the government to put on an income tax was in reality only a scheme to get fresh taxation on the shoulders of the working classes. The proof put forward to support this statement in point of common sense and logic, was just about upon a par with most of the rest of the utterances of the loyal liberal or protectionist section of our politicians. It was asserted that if an income tax was imposed upon a merchant or tradesman he would raise the price of his goods; and thus the working classes would have to pay in the end. Upon this the "Ballarat Star" very correctly observes—"The tax is to be imposed only upon certain incomes of a high amount, and the persons who pay will have to compete with the persons who do not pay. It is evident, therefore, that if the price of goods is raised by one set of dealers the public will go to the other set, and thus the price to the public will remain the same as before. But the large dealers will, assuredly, not be such fools as to destroy their trade in order to spite the working man, and there is absolute certainty that prices will remain as before." I have a very vivid recollection of when a child, amusing myself with building houses of cards, and on one occasion had succeeded in piling up the whole pack. I was sitting and very much admiring the result of my skill when someone came behind me and with a slight puff blew the pretty edifice completely down. I recollect I felt exactly the same sort of angry disappointment that I have no doubt the member for Ararat experienced on his reading the above extract in the "Star," and finding his stupid argument blown to the winds. But this is a fair sample of the political pabulum with which the Gausson and Longmore type of politicians feed their followers; and unfortunately, I suppose, there will always be Gaussons and Longmores. In reference to Mr. Gausson I may observe that I had the satisfaction of hearing his political utterances when seeking election for Ararat. I have used the term "satisfaction," for a satisfaction it certainly is in having the opportunity of correctly gauging the intellectual calibre of any man who seeks the position of assisting in the legislation of the country in which we live in; and I can conscientiously assert that his argument on Monday evening anent an income tax is exactly on a par with what I should have expected of him. The better class of politicians in the Assembly are, I believe, opposed to a dissolution, principally on the ground of loss of time; but the question will soon be asked as to whether it would not be worth while to loose a little time, if only for the sake of getting rid of the stone-waller gang, for most assuredly the country is getting so thoroughly disgusted with them, and notwithstanding their frantic assertions that they have the country with them, they will most assuredly find that in the very larger majority of instances, the country far from being with them is against them. In the event of a dissolution how about Gausson for Ararat and Longmore for Ripon and Hampden? There is an old aphorism, written by a very clever fellow, which asks—

What must be the priest when a monkey is the god.
Let the electors for Ararat and Ripon and Hampden remember when the day for electing representatives arrives, that the above aphorism may be by outside constituencies paraphrased to their cost and disadvantage.

Wining.

A meeting of the shareholders in the Nelson Quartz Mining Company was held on Monday evening last at Nettleton's Victoria hotel: The mining manager's report was read, which was as follows:—During the past week 40 tons of stone have been reduced at the Richmond battery, yielding the amount of 4oz. 20wts. 12grs. of bar gold, averaging 22wts. 2grs. per ton. The stone has been taken at a depth of sixteen feet from the surface. The stone looked promising for ten feet south of the shaft; afterwards it became mixed up with bar mullock, and the stone changed to a dull iron like color. North of the shaft the stone was also mixed with mullock, and very irregular. We stopped all the stone overhead that had any appearance of being gold bearing, and as the 40 tons were brought to grass, we considered it advisable to await results before incurring more expenditure. We are of opinion that the shaft should be sunk about 50 feet, and a cross-cut put in to intersect the stone at a greater depth, as several reefs appear to show on the surface. We consider that the present number of shareholders paying at the rate of 2s. 6d. per week would allow of two men sinking the shaft to the required depth, when payable stone will in all probability be met with at last. The reef at that depth will be formed, as the walls appear to go downwards, and are at present well defined. We have also to report a deficiency of £5 11s. 9d. to meet the payment of the bills, which will necessitate a call of 5s. to be made

to meet the terms.—Wm. DUNCAN, on behalf of the local board. The accounts were audited and certified to as correct—Receipts, £49 18s. 2d.; expenditure, £52 9s. 11d.; deficit £3 11s. 9d. Mr. Duncan was authorised to call on the shareholders and see whether they would contribute 4s. 6d. each to meet this deficiency, and also to endeavor to form a company of 30 shareholders at 2s. per week to sink the shaft 30 feet deeper. The deficiency, we believe, has been collected from the shareholders, but we have not heard whether the new company has been floated.

The Market Reserve Company commenced washing up on Thursday, and from one set obtained 11dwts. of gold. The washing up yesterday yielded 1 1/2 oz. from 2 sets. Next week they intend to go into their old shaft; this will necessitate the removal of a great portion of their working appliances, and it will be about a fortnight before they will resume driving. The prospects obtained are considered very favorable by the shareholders. There being a good extent of ground to be worked, we trust that we will have the pleasure of chronicling some good yields.

The Try Again Company obtained 4oz. of gold last week.

Parliamentary.

In the Legislative Council on Tuesday, The President said he had received an intimation from the Hon. Mr. Stace that in consequence of the state of his health he was obliged to visit New Zealand.

Upon the motion of Mr. Hightest leave of absence was granted to Mr. Fitzgerald for the remainder of the year.

Captain Cole gave notice of his intention to move, that an address be presented to His Excellency the Governor, setting forth that measures should be at once taken to carry out the consideration of the late Acting-Governor's address at the opening of Parliament on the subject of constitutional reform.

Mr. Simpson gave notice of his intention to ask whether the Government intend, during the present session, to repeal the Thistle Bill.

The Public Health Bill was considerably amended in committee.

Mr. T. T. Beckett moved the second reading of the Attorney General Bill. Upon the conclusion of his remarks the debate was adjourned for a week.

The House then adjourned to Thursday.

In the Legislative Assembly on Tuesday.

In reply to Mr. Service, who called the attention of the hon. the Attorney-General to section 135 of the Transfer of Land Statute, and the apparently unjust and oppressive character of some of the provisions contained therein; and asked if he will consider the effect of these provisions with a view to an alteration in the law at an early convenient period.

Mr. Kerford made certain statements defending the provisions of that act, and explaining the mode of its operation.

In reply to Mr. Gausson.

Sir James McCulloch said that it was not the intention of the Government to impose a tax upon stock imported into Victoria.

Mr. Service called the attention of the hon. the Minister of Public Instruction to certain correspondence that has taken place regarding school accommodation at South Ravenswood (School No. 1346), especially to a letter from Mr. Venables, under date 15th October last, addressed to James H. Warren, Esq.; and asked what decision has been arrived at. In doing so, the hon. member said that there were extraordinary delays in carrying on the business of the department, and that it was evident that the staff in the department was either not sufficient or inefficient. He believed that such delays as the one now complained of were the rule rather than the exception.

Mr. Ramsay explained, in reply, that in the present case the delay had arisen in consequence of some question as to the title of the land.

Mr. Lock rose to call attention to a personal matter. He referred to the report in "The Ballarat Courier" of some remarks made at a meeting of the National Reform League by Major W. C. Smith. He said that that hon. member had, with his usual license charged him (Mr. Lock) with having been promised a police magistracy by the present Government.

Major Smith said that if the hon. member had read the context of his speech, he would have found that he had only referred to certain suspicions. He had said nothing which he was not prepared to repeat.

Mr. Kerford contended that the hon. member ought not to repeat such slanders.

Mr. Gilles, in reply to one of the hon. member's statements, exclaimed "It's a notorious lie."

Sir James McCulloch thought that as the alleged rumor had been distinctly denied by Mr. Lock, the expression ought to be withdrawn.

The Speaker here expressed a similar view of the matter.

Major Smith consented to withdraw the expressions complained of.

Mr. Campbell moved that the correspondence connected with the case of Benjamin Tucker, whose application for 320 acres of land was granted by the late Minister of Lands in September, 1873, notwithstanding his having acquired 616 acres under the Land Act 1862, be added to the other correspondence asked for on the motion of the Hon. J. J. Casey.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Munro then rose to move an amendment. He said that his only object in doing so was to enable the hon. member for Collingwood (Mr. Tucker) to bring forward his motion in favor of a dissolution. He said that if the Government, as had been rumored, believed that they had the means of carrying on the business of the country in spite of the action of the Opposition, they (the Government) were responsible for every day's delay that took place. The hon. member concluded a spirited speech in favor of the object which he had in view, by moving—"That in the opinion of this House the motion of the hon. member for Collingwood (Mr. Tucker) should take precedence of all other business.

Sir James McCulloch pointed out that the real object of the present amendment was to stop the supplies, or to prevent the payment of the public creditor. The Government would not submit to have this majority trampled over by a minority.

Mr. Berry then rose to defend the course

taken by himself and those hon. members who voted with him.

Mr. McDermott denied the significance of the late public meetings as the opponents of public opinion, and contended that all the intellectual portion of the colony was with the Ministry, and concluded by expressing his belief that Mr. Berry and the stone-wallahs desired the greatest good for the greatest number, but considered the greatest number was number one.

Mr. Patterson replied. He denied the appropriateness of constitutional precedents, as there was no modern instance at home of king or queen refusing the advice of his or her responsible Ministers. He charged the majority with having broken their contract with the people who sent them there.

Mr. Wilson said that if the Opposition insisted on their tactics the House would be attending its own obsequies. He reviewed the position and contended that no grounds existed for an immediate dissolution. Mr. Berry's point could only succeed at the expense of the constitution.

In the Legislative Assembly on Wednesday, Mr. Longmore asked the hon. the Minister of Lands whether he would re-open the cases of several selectors in the Sandhurst district who had selected on Mr. Wilson's run.

Mr. Gillies said the hon. member would do well if he would give notice of his intention to ask the question.

Mr. Longmore gave notice of his intention to ask the hon. the Minister of Lands if it was his intention to re-open the Echuca dummy cases.

Upon the motion that the House go into committee of supply,

Mr. Lalor referred to the speech of the hon. member for Ballarat East last night, in which he stated that the Opposition was obstructing the business of the country. Lord Brougham had successfully used—(Mr. McDermott—"Abused.")

Mr. Lalor—No, Sir, not abused. He had availed himself of all the forms of the House in the introduction of the income-tax, and successfully too. This was after Napoleon's war. It was a recognised fact that the King or Queen could do no wrong, and the Governor should not do wrong; but he had refused a dissolution to Mr. Kerford when the House was equally divided.

Mr. McDermott—But the House is not equally divided now.

Mr. Lalor was sorry that the hon. member and the hon. members on the Treasury benches had so quickly and entirely changed their opinions. The only test on this question was an appeal to the ballot box.

Mr. Macpherson—Yes, and a minority would again try to rule.

Mr. Berry—Did you ever know them to do it before?

Mr. Clarke—No, and they won't do it now.

Mr. Gillies—To do evil that good may come.

Mr. Lalor—What harm can be possibly done? He begged the hon. Treasurer to pause in the mischievous policy he was now adopting, which was creating ill-feeling among all classes outside and within the House. He recommended the Government to advise his Excellency to dissolve the House.

Mr. Tucker moved that an address be presented to the Governor to dissolve the House.

The speaker ruled that the motion was inadvisable, as it was substantially the same as that already moved.

* It was eventually agreed that Mr. Tucker's motion should be entertained if he consented to the withdrawal of the principal amendment.

Mr. Kerford made an explanation of his position when he advised a dissolution. The speaker intimated that the Sergeant-at-Arms had taken some persons in the strangers' gallery who had been creating a disturbance into custody.

Sir James McCulloch said that the offence was becoming of nightly occurrence, but as it was the first arrest of the kind that had taken place, he moved they be discharged. If any further disturbance occurred, he hoped that the offenders would be sent to the common goal.

Mr. Berry concurred in the remarks of the Premier, and seconded the motion. The prisoners were discharged.

Mr. Berry contended that the House was not in accord with itself; it had a perfect right to appeal to the highest court of appeal to the ballot box.

In the Legislative Assembly on Thursday, Major Smith resumed the debate on Mr. Tucker's motion for an address paying the Governor to dissolve the Assembly.

Mr. Higinbotham supported Mr. Tucker's motion. He could see no solution to the present struggle, which he regretted, unless the Government used unconstitutional means to obtain supplies, and violence would then perhaps follow.

Mr. Macpherson—"There will be no violence."

Mr. Higinbotham was glad to hear it. Whatever the intentions of the Government were, they dare not explain them. The speaker members went back to their constituents and confessed their grave faults (to better it would be for themselves and the country). Mr. Higinbotham concluded a remarkable and powerful speech amidst loud Opposition cheers.

Friday morning, two o'clock. After a few remarks from Mr. Langton, the question was put, that the words proposed to be omitted stand part of the question. Ayes, 31; noes, 23.

Majority against Mr. Tucker's amendment, 8.

This announcement was received with cheers and counter-cheers.

Mr. A. T. Clark moved that the chairman report progress. Ayes, 18; noes, 34.

Mr. Dixon moved that the Chairman leave the chair. Ayes, 17; noes, 35.

Mr. Longmore trusted the Premier would reconsider his position, and not keep the House any longer in suspense. It wanted to know what his fate was to be. (Laughter.)—Barrat papers.

A morbid appetite for excitement is the only effect of the unmediated and adulterated spirits frequently used under the impression that they are wholesome stimulants. Abandon such "burning liquids" at once and forever. If you are weak, low spirited, dyspeptic, nervous, or suffering from the effects of exhaustion, use that genuine, recuperant of bodily energy, that real stomachic and nerve anodyne, Udolpho Wolfe's Schiedam, Aromatic Schnapps.

General News.

In reference to the new alluvial rush on the Cape River gold-fields, the "Brisbane Courier" states that information has reached the Queensland Minister for Mines, from Mr. Warden Charters, by wire message, dated 22nd December, to the effect that a party of four men had applied to him for an alluvial claim at the Cape River; depth of sinking 77ft. One of the applicants, David James, received a portion of the reward for the discovery of that gold-field. The warden states that he is in possession of reliable information, dated from the rush, December 16, that 14oz. to the load had been obtained, the wash-dirt being 2 1/2 ft. thick, driven across the lead. He knows the ground, and says it bears every indication of a good lead. A number of claims are already pegged off, and about 400 miners have left Charters Towers for the Cape. Three young men were each fined 40s with 2s. 6d. costs, at the Williamson Court for carrying firearms on a Sunday.

A sailor, in describing a voyage to some landsmen, remarked that his ship stood on one tack all day and part of the night, whereupon one of his auditors declared,—"I don't believe it. I had one tack in one of my new boots yesterday, and I could not stand on it five minutes."

The following calculation is by Sir John Herschell, and may possibly be serviceable in setting at rest the fears of those nervous persons whose anxiety to "keep intact the equilibrium of Mother Earth leads them to advocate the use of cremation instead of burial by interment.—"The number of human beings living at the end of the twentieth generation, commencing from a single pair, doubling at each generation (say in thirty years), and allowing for each man, woman, and child, an average space of four feet in height, and one foot square, would form a verticle column, having for its base the whole surface of the land and sea spread out into a plain, and for its height 3684 times the sun's distance from the earth! The number of human strata thus piled on the other, amounts to 460,790,000,000,000. The calculation at once disposes of the skeleton craze and Mother Earth's inaptitude to dispose of the remains the organisms to which she has given berth.

A correspondent of a London daily paper, who had been sent to Horseneouer's Lane for ten days because he was unable to pay a debt of £10, writes as follows:—"I had every opportunity of measuring the misfortune of being a debtor. From within an iron cage, we could survey the snug apartments allotted to ex-Colonel Baker, and morlisse as we listened on the contrast. Outside the windows of his snugly furnished sitting-room we could see the creeping plants drooping gracefully down from their boxes. We could see him receive his well-dressed friends. We could watch his heroine of a wife trudge in and out daily, bringing him books and little delicacies. We could admire the even reverential demeanor of the officials to every friend of the colonel's, and appreciate the hurried alacrity with which they hastened to admit them on every day of the week except Sunday. It was tantalising to me, at all events, to see a perspiring waiter pass by every morning, borne down with the weight of a sumptuous breakfast for a "first-class undimmed." It is aggravating to see the same waiter carrying in an equally sumptuous dinner; and it was more aggravating to watch the warden bearing in daily a bottle of wine, to make the dinner more palatable. We ought to have been a very pious people, but I am afraid we were not. We were manoled in a single file to chapel every morning, huddled together in a pew. The colonel had a pew to himself, and walked out with the governor in gay conversation daily."

A visitor from Melbourne to Echuca found himself the other evening in an awkward and unpleasant situation. Tempted by the heat, he sought a secluded spot on the Murray, some distance from Echuca, and stripping, jumped into the water and swam across the river, the efforts exhausting his energies. A new and serious difficulty then presented itself. The stream was broad, swift, and deep; his clothes were posted on the opposite bank. He was unequal to the effort of re-crossing the river; his best strength was gone. The setting sun waned, and the shades of evening fell upon a figure, like Adam at his birth, crouched in despair and hiding behind the covering of a gum-tree trunk. That night, as the moon rose, a swagman crossing the punt was startled to terror by the spectacle of a white spectral form flitting from tree to tree. Petrified with fear and astonishment, he stood motionless, speechless with horror, and unable to move. The figure beckoned him to approach. Fascinated with awe by its appearance, he obeyed the signal; and on approaching the fearful object he found it to be the rash youth whose notatory tastes had reduced him to a state of nudity. Matters were soon explained, and the countryman, relieved of his groundless alarm, was induced to take the promise of a handsome bribe to obtain the necessary vesture, and after a lapse of time, which seemed an age to the cool promiser in a state of nature through the sylvan woods, he regained his clothes, and it is hoped returned home a better and wiser man. The above, for the accuracy of which the "Riverview Herald" vouches, contains a moral to bathers to eschew the venture of swimming a river of which they know nothing.

A private letter, written at Port Darwin on the 29th October by a young man to his friends in the neighborhood of Clare, has been published in a South Australian paper. The writer, who went overland with a party taking stock, thus describes another affray with the Northern Territory natives:—"We have been twelve months on the road, and had an awful job to get through the blacks. They attacked us about the same time that they killed the party, the account of which appeared in the papers. None of us were injured, and we were all armed. One tribe of about 300 tackled us, and at the time only two of us were with the stock, the rest of the party being back at the camp about three miles distant. When the blacks attacked us I took eight out of the mob, but I could not tell how many my mate took; he is a plucky fellow—the best I ever travelled with. There were a great many natives wounded, and it was dreadful to hear their screams. The party at the camp heard the noise, but by the time they got to us the affray was over. That was the first attack we had."

Government Advertisements.

Application for a Mining Lease. The pursuance of the Act of Parliament No. 291, Section 41, it is hereby notified that after the expiration of one month from the date hereof it is intended to grant the lease undermentioned, subject to such modifications, alterations, and reservations as may be necessary.

ARARAT DISTRICT—MAGALAN DIVISION. Lease No. 810; 15 years; J. Wotherspoon and another; 10a. 1r. 3p.; Richmond reef, Waterloo. W. M. L'HELLAN, Minister of Mines. Office of Mines, Melbourne, 14th January, 1876.

Shire of Ripon.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Shire of Ripon and enclosed 5 per cent deposit will be received at the Shire Office until 11 a.m. on THURSDAY, February 2nd, 1876, for the following works:—

Contract No. 281—Making 21 chains of footpaths in Havelock-street, Deafour; and building a small foot-bridge.

Contract No. 282—Making 17 chains of gravelled road and building two log cutters, &c., on the Beaufort and Salter's Gully road.

Contract No. 283—Making 7 1/2 chains 60 links of gravelled road, near 21 chains of gravelled road, on the Trawalla and Waterloo road, near Blackmore.

Contract No. 284—Making 22 chains 50 links of gravelled road, and clearing 23 chains at Waterloo.

Contract No. 285—Making 16 chains of blue-metalled road near J. Holdsworthy's farm, Middle Creek.

Contract No. 286—Making 17 chains of blue-metalled road north of Brierly's Hotel, Firey Creek.

Contract No. 287—Making 30 chains of gravelled road, near the Arguing and Ballarat road, on the hill near the shire boundary, and supplying 100 yards of maintenance metal.

Contract No. 288—Supplying 300 yards of bluestone maintenance metal in Ripon's lane.

Contract No. 173—Making 17 chains 40 links of quartz road, and building one small stone culvert on the Canico road.

Contract No. 174—Making 22 chains of gravelled road, west of Carrigindilla station, on the Carrigindilla and Chestnut road.

Contract No. 175—Making 78 chains of blue-metalled road, building one culvert, &c., west of Black's Creek, on the Carrigindilla and Strathgully road.

Contract No. 114—Making 55 chains 50 links of the Stockyard Hill and Skipton road, about three miles north of Skipton.

Contract No. 115—Making 10 chains of metalled road, on the east side of Lake Yungana.

Contract No. 116—Supplying and fixing 77 chains of south-west rail towing at She Oak Hill and Lake Goldenhill.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Shire Office, Beaufort; and those for the East Riding at the Greyhound Hotel, Sunke Valley.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. H. JACKSON, Shire Engineer. Shire Offices, Beaufort, 21st January, 1876.

To Carpenters.

TENDERS will be received till the 28th inst. for BUILDING TWO HOUSES. Labor only.

JAMES PRENTICE, Stonekeeper, Havelock-street.

Notice.

STRAYED into my paddock a BAY or BROWN Mare, branded C on rump, near-shoulder, and near thigh. If not claimed before 6th February, it will be SOLD to duty expenses.

January 10th, 1876. JAMES GRANT, Ripon.

Notice.

ALL OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS, owing to the undersigned, are requested to be PAID within one month, or otherwise legal proceedings will be taken for their recovery.

L. O. ELLS, Ripon, 12th January, 1876.

For Sale, Cheap.

THE WEIGHBRIDGE at the Beaufort Hotel, in good working order, adjusted, weighing up to 5 tons. Apply to H. F. HENNINGSEN, Beaufort.

TO LET, a SIX ROOMED HOUSE

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FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY. MONDAY, JANUARY 24th. 7.30.

Trade to his departure for New Zealand.

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THE EMINENT CONJURER & HUMORIST, will have the honor of appearing as above.

Readings at 7.30, to be seen everywhere. Admission—Reserved seats, 2s.; back seats, 1s. Doors open at half-past 7. Overture, 7.45. Commencement at 8 o'clock. G. BULLER, Manager.

Beaufort, &c., United Common.

NOTICE—All FEES MUST BE PAID by the 31st inst. after that date legal proceedings for recovery will be taken without further notice.

By order, J. W. BROWN, Secretary. Beaufort, 14th January, 1876.

Shire of Ripon.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons having any registered DOGS on their premises, to REGISTER THE SAME FORWORTH of the provisions of the Statute relating thereto, to be enforced without further notice.

By order, W. E. NICKOLS, Registrar. Beaufort, 14th January, 1876.

Local Land Board.

List of Applications to be heard by a local Land Board to be held at Beaufort, on 2nd February, 1876, at 11 a.m.

Applications under 19th section. Archelaus Ball, parish of Eurumbene, 240a.

Thomas White, parish of Langi-Kal-Kal, 100a.

David Kinnerly, parish of Lexton, 320a.

William Drow, parish of Raglan, 95a, 3r. 28p.

Applications under 49th section. William Ford Vance, parish of Langi-Kal-Kal, 20a.

William Phelan, parish of Langi-Kal-Kal, 20a.

Mary McCaffery, parish of Caralulul, 15a. 3r. 30p.

Applications for sale by auction. Henry Davis, parish of Beaufort, 20a.

William Hervevan, parish of Caralulul, 31a. 2r. 30p.

Applications for forfeiture. William Blanchfield, parish of Trawalla, 20a.

James Arnold, 49th section, parish of Trawalla, 20a.

Alex. Boyd, 49th section, parish of Trawalla, 20a.

P. OHAUNOY, District Surveyor. District Survey Office, Ballarat, January 21st, 1876.

NEW CHOICE SEASONABLE GOODS WOTHERSPOON BROS. & CO'S.

Muscateles, Currants, Sultanas, Valencia Raisins, Figs, all new fruits. Finest Honey; Westcott's Jams; Jellies; Marmalade; Calves' Foot Jelly; S. S. and Jordan Almonds; Biscuitons; Licorice; the finest made; Jujubes and Pastilles; Citron, Orange, and Lemon Peel; London Mixtures; Swallow and Ariel's Biscuits; and Canterbury Cakes.

Spices—Cinnamon, ground and whole; Cloves, Mace, Nutmegs, Mixed Spice, Pimento, whole and ground; Ginger, Cayenne, loose and in tins.

Isinglass, Gelatine, Essences. Spirits—Hennessey's Three Star Brandy; Wolle's Schnapps; Kummell, Geneva in white bottles; Strathgully, Long John, and Thum and Cimeron's Whiskey; Jamaica Rum.

Gonzalez and Duboux's finest Port and Sherry, 6s. per bottle. Grenache (fine South Australian Wine), 2s. 9d. per bottle.

Champagne—Wächter's pints and quarts, and No. 1 Imperial. Leslie's Bitters, Townsend's Sarsaparilla; Devonshire Cider, Black Currant Wine, Tennant's Ale, and Burke's Stout.

Leaf Sugar, Crushed Lump, Snowdow, and Preserving Sugar. Ling, Ill, and 3lb. Salmon, Red Herrings, in tins; Salt Salmon; Salt Herrings; Findon Haddocks, Kipper Herrings, Mackerel, &c.

Tea—Finest Orange Pekoe, Pouchong, Assam, Oolong, Kaisow Buds, and fine Congou's; mixed as desired. Coffee—Fresh roasted beans, ground on the premises.

Epps' Cocoa, Taylor's Chocolate. Levi and Ferris' Sauce, Chutney, Curry, Anchovy Paste, West India Pickles, C. and B. Cabbage Onions and Mixed Pickles.

Maccaroni, Vermicelli, B. and P. Corn Flour, Tapioca, Sago, Ground Rice, finest dressed Java Rice, Refined Table Salt in packets and jars, genuine Mustard, White Pepper, C. and B. Salad Oil, Scented Oil, Castor and Casterine.

Geelong Soap; own brand, Ricketts' Light Blue. Cordials—Peppermint, Raspberry, Lemon Syrup, Ginger Wine, and Sherbet.

Bacon and Hams, German Sausages; all pork; finest Colonial Cheese, new Potatoes, Dried Onions. Treacle and Golden Syrup.

The finest American Tobacco—Queen of the South, In Twist, Pocket Pieces, Navy Fives, Teas, Sixteens, Cable Coils, Tortoise-shell, &c.

Also Cuba and genuine Ormond's Cigars. Just received! White Jan Jars; 6 and 7 in nest; price remarkably low.

Important News to the People of Beaufort. BALLARAT CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL.

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To Cash Buyers who make Purchases to the Amount of £1 worth of Drapery or Clothing.

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BEG to inform the public of Beaufort and district that during the month they intend PRESENTING FREE A TICKET IN THE GREAT DRAWING to every MAN, WOMAN, and CHILD who buys to the amount of ONE POUND WORTH of Goods at Dublin House. They also hope that the lucky number in the first prize may be a ticket presented by them.

The following Grand Stock, worth over £7000, has been brought to Beaufort, and more ready to select them, at prices lower than any other house in the colony.

MUSLINS. BRILLIANTS, Cash Buyers VISITORS LUSTRES. in the GRENADINES, Colony. BALLARAT CAMBRIC LINENS.

HOLLANDS, CALICOES, SHEETINGS, &c., &c. MILLINERY and MANTLES are now showings a grand lot of choice goods: Also Feathers Flowers, Ribbons, Silks, &c., all shapes (trimmed), from 1s. 1d. to 27s. 6d. Silk and Grandine Mantles, newest styles, from 11s. 6d.

Shirts for the season, in great variety: 20 dozen Stays grand value from 1s 11d per pair. In UNDERCLOTHING, we are offering a large and varied assortment at very moderate rates.

Special. 30 Pieces Herrocks' Long Cloth, 4s 11d per dozen, worth 6s 6d. 2 Hales solid Flannel, 10yd, 12yd, worth 1s 3d. 200 Ladies' Stays (job), 1s 11d and 2s 6d—grand value. 28 Pieces Grey Calico, 4s 11d per dozen—the best ever offered.

450 Girls' Trimmed Hats, 1s and 1s 6d (job). 50 Pieces Fingy's Sheeting (job) 7s and 8s inches from 1s 3d worth 2s 8d. 50 Men's Summer Pants and Vests, all wool, 15s 6d to 20s. 70 Tweed and Cloth Coats, from 12s 6d to 35s. 30 Boys' and Youths' suits, all wool, from 12s 6d to 25s. 20 Pieces all wool Tweeds, from 2s 6d to 6s 6d per yard—special lot to make up from Shirts, Hats, Ties, Scarfs, Mole Pants, Gloves, &c. at prices that will astonish the public.

TAILORING OF ALL KINDS Done on the premises—Fit, Style, and Low Price Guaranteed.

COUNTRY VISITORS BY COACH AND RAILWAYS. See at least 10s. in the £1 by making their purchases at FITZGERALD BROS. DRAPERS AND TAILORS. Bridge-street, Ballarat, and Ballarat.

BENJAMIN MOORE, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, Groceries of the Best Quality at the Cheapest Rates.

THE DRAPERY DEPARTMENT IS REPLETE WITH A VARIED STOCK OF SUMMER DRAPERY.

The TIMBER YARD is under the personal supervision of Mr. Moore, and an extensive stock is always kept on hand to select from.

PERMEWAN, HUNT & Co., Railway and General Carriers, FORWARDING AGENTS. CUSTOM HOUSE AND SHIPPING AGENTS.

Head Office—120 COLLINS-ST., WEST, Melbourne. A Branch office at the Railway Goods Station, Beaufort.

Merchandise, Station Stores and Wool forwarded at the Lowest Rates, or Contracted for.

Grain Forwarded and Delivered at the Lowest Rates.

HARRIS & TROY, PRODUCE DEALERS, BEAUFORT. Agents for Broadbent Bros. and Co., FORWARDING AGENTS AND GENERAL CARRIERS.

Deutsches Vereinslocal DUTCH HARRY HOTEL, MAIN ROAD, BALLARAT.

H. SCHMIDING, Proprietor.

BALLARAT. T. TAYLOR, 77 and 79 Bridge and Peel Streets, BALLARAT.

TO BUYERS OF DRAPERY IN BEAUFORT. MY Establishment is now Replete with all SEASONABLE Drapery bought in London by my brother, Mr. J. D. TAYLOR, for Cash, and will be SOLD retail at Wholesale prices. My reason for adopting this Cheap way of disposing of the goods, by selling a Large quantity at a very Cheap rate, both the buyer and the seller is satisfied. The goods are all good quality, and the Newest styles, most of them left London on the 9th July by the "Whampoa."

The public of Beaufort will please notice that this no Puff, but a reality. Come and See! All WINTER GOODS 20 per cent off, such as Blankets, Rugs, Woollens, and Merinos.

T. TAYLOR, BRIDGE & PEEL STREETS. BALLARAT.

ROGERS & Co., DRAPERS AND SILK MERCHANTS, 119, 121, 123, 125, STURT STREET, BALLARAT.

ROGERS and Co. have received by Mail steamer and other vessels, making exceedingly quick passages—Damask Ribbons, all shades, Hamburg Nets and Lace, Beaded Lace and Ribbons, Steel Gaces, Balenois, and Silk Wraps. All exceedingly scarce lines. ROGERS and Co. would direct the ladies' attention to the display in the SHOW ROOM OF THE CHOICEST MILLINERY, Ladies' Sleeveless Jackets, Ladies' Costumes, and Shirts, Infants' Caps, Frocks, and Ribbons, IN THE SILK AND DRESS DEPARTMENTS. An extensive stock of Black and Colored Silks, Checked and Plain Balenois, Silk Wraps, Lustris and Astrucians, British and Foreign Muslins and Grenadines, Wedding Outfits, Family and Complimentary Mourning. THE MANCHESTER DEPARTMENT at THE BRUNSWICK HOUSE, His stock pre-eminent for many years, having the largest and best selection of Calicoes, Shirtings, Linens, Sheatings, Towellings, Damasks, Hollands, Drills, &c., and an endless variety of Prints, Brillantes, Ribbons, and Marcellas. THE FURNISHING DEPARTMENT is well assorted in Brussels, Tapestry, and Kidderminster Carpets, Coir and Chinese Matting, Floor Cloths, from 6 to 15 Cent wide, Hearth-rugs and Door-mats. GENTLEMEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT. Embroidered Clothing, Ready-made and to Order, Suits made from the best Tweeds at Moderate Prices, always on hand. A splendid assortment of Tweeds and Colored Moleskins, Shirts, Hats, Scarfs, Ties, &c. THE BOOT DEPARTMENT. Every variety of English and Colonial Boots.

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Skins. THE undersigned is a purchaser of SHEEP and GOATSkins.

ALFRED C. TUCKETT King-street, Beaufort.

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SERIOUS SINGERS' made of inferior metal, are in the market; but they can easily be detected by the absence of the Singer trade-mark, with the name of our firm written underneath. Any person caught selling a counterfeit machine as a genuine Singer will be prosecuted without further notice. Illustrated price list sent post free.

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