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#### COMMERCIAL

### BALLARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

The market was well supplied on Wednesday and a good business was done. Oats were especially plentiful, but in overything prices were unaltered, being as follows :- Wheat, 5s. were unaltered, being as follows:—Wheat, bs. 7d. to 5s. 9d.; prime seed, to 6s. 6d; oats, feed, 2s. 9d. to 3s.; seed, 3s. 3d; to 3s. 6d.; English barley, 4s. 6d. to 4s. 8d.; Cape, 2s. 7d. to 2s. 8d.; peas, 2s. 10d. to 2s. 11d.; potatoes, L2 12s. 6d. to L2 15s.; manger hay, L4 up to L6; sheaves, L3 15s. up to L4 7s., 6d.; wheaten straw, L2 to L2 5s.; and oaten at L3 to L3 2s. 6d.—"Star" 6d .- "Star."

#### ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

Nothwithstanding the Adelaide reports, which represent wheat as being dull, the market here is not only firm but shows signs of hardening. Flour is slightly easier since last quotations. but the advance in wheat, will, of course cause it also to advance in a little time. Potatoes are reported as boing scarcer than they have been of late, and good samples are in ready demand. All descriptions of dairy produce are poorly supplied and dear, both eggs and butter commanding unusually high prices. Good cheese is scarce, and a prime sample would bring a top price. We funce as foliano: Wheat, ps. 19.58. 2d. per bushel; oats, 2s. 1d. to 3s. per bushel; pollard, 1s. 6d. per bushel; bian, 1s. 4d. per bushel; barley, 3s. per bushel; flour, L11, 10s. to L11 15s. per ton; potatoes. L3 17s. 6d. to L4 per ton; fresh buffer, 1s. 6d. per lb; potted do., 1s. 2d. per lb.; hams, 1s. per lb.; bacon, 10d. per lb.; eggs, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 8d. per dozen; hay, L3 15s. to L4 per ton; chaff, 4s. 6d. per cwt. - "Advertiser."

#### BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSES. HEPBURN AND LEONARD REPORT:-Fat Cattle 78 bullocks (none station bred) for Messrs. Robertson Bros., Colac, at from L9 15s. to L14, making the top average of the market, as mentioned above; 12 head for Mr. D. Daly, Skipton, and others, to L9 12s. 6d. Fat Sheep-1010 cross-bred wethers for Mr. P. M'Arthur, Meningoort, to 14s. 6d., averaging 11s. 6d.; 880 cross-bred wethers for Messrs. Forbes and Co., Burrumbeep, to 13s., averaging 12s. 6d.; 210 cross-bred wethers for Messrs. A and J. Gillespie, Stockyard Hill, at 12s. 4d. 226 cross-bred ewes for Mr. J. Leishman Forest Hill, to 11s. 9d., averaging 11s.; 602 worthers and ewes for Mr. D. M'Phail, Coleraine -the former from 8s .6d. to 10s. 2d., the latter from 6s. 9d. to 9s. 4d.; 147 merino wethers for Mr. Donald Gunn, Burrumbeet, at 9s. 6d. 3732 wethers and ewes for Messrs. G. Dunnett, Stockyard Hill; Js. Bryden, Framlingham W. Free, Raglan: and others, at market rates. Fat Lambs—17 extra weights and quality for Mr. J. Leishman, Forest Hill, to 13s. Sd.; 35 for Mr. Stevenson, Stockyard Hill, at 8s..; 91 for Mr. G. Dunnett, Stockyard Hill, at 6s. 6d. to 7s. 7d. Store Stock-Since our last we have sold 1600 6-tooth ewes, at 5s. 9d.; 1400 2 and 4tooth ewes, at top market rates; and we have two or three other sales pending. Demand is fair for good 3 and 4-year old wethers. Horses-We yarded about 20 head of light horses on Saturday, and had a satisfactory sale, disposing of the whole on account of Messrs. J. D. Adams, St. Euoch's; J. B. Smith, Avoca; and others, at prices ranging to L25.

### GEELONG LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSES. GEO. SYNNOT AND CO. REPORT :-Fat Cattle-A full supply, of prime to good quality, but prices were not up to last week's quotations. Our sales were-for Messrs. Madden, Hill, Jellie, and others, 30 head; bullocks from LS 15s. to L11 15s.: cows from L6 10s. to L11 12s. 6d. Fat Sheep-A full supply, only a few of which were prime Sales were rather dull. We sold, for Messrs. Faulkener, Sinclair, and others, 172 wethers, medium quality, at 9s.; 100 at 8s. 6d. 30 ewes at 10s.; 75 wethers at 10s.; and outside, 200 ewes; total, 577 head. Fat Lambs-A short supply, and prices were considerably firmer. Our sales were-15 for Mr. Faulkener, at 6s. 6d.; and outside, 175. Store Stock-Since our last we have had enquiries for good young cattle, and have sold in the yard 62 head; cows, L4 to L6; mixed young cattle from 27s. to L3 3s.; and outside, at Mr. Beard's sale, 90 head; cows to L8; heifers, L5; and mixed young cattle, L2 to L3 5s. also, 70 head mixed cattle, 60 do., 39 cows; total cattle, 321. Also, 368 ewes, 700 wethers, 250 do.; total, 1719 head.

## GEELONG STATION PRODUCE MARKET.

MESSRS. GEORGE SYNNOT AND CO. REPORT :---Sheepskins-We had an extra large supply to-day, over 13,000 skins. Biddings throughout the sale were exceedingly spirited; and we can quote an advance of fully 4d. to 6d. on best pelts. There was a large attendance of buyers. Best pelts brought 36d. to 41d. each; medium do., 21d. to 30d. each, and by the pound, 2d. to 6d.; lambskins, 12d. to 30d. each. Hides We had a smaller supply than usual, but cleared all, at last quotations. Wet salted, 4d. to 4gd. good-conditioned do., 41d. to 48d. per lb.; calf-skins, 41d. to 43d. per lb. Tallow—We did not offer any shipping lots, but during the week will submit 150 pipes first-class beef and mutton. Our sales to-day were station sorts, L29 to L32 10s.; rough fat, 2d. to 23d.; rendered fat, 23d to 31d. per lb.

Not long ago Judge Ward, of New Zealand, dilated upon the moral effects of eating mutton from Leicester sheep, and now remarks the "West Coast Times," we find the magistrate at Wellington expatiating upon the assault-provoking qualities of underorder against her husband, remarked, 'The case was, in fact, a weak one. There appears certainly to have been some violence used on one accasion, and from the evidence before me it appears that the defendant originally received provocation from his wife, who, like many other young wives, does not seem to know much abaut cooking. She seems to under-cook the meat. Now, under-cookingis apt to produce indigestion, and indigestion is apt to produce hasty temper, and consequently M'Carthy may have been driven to vet have to lower his colors to a colonial. drink and hastiness of temper by the indigestion produced by his wife's bad cooking. It strikes me that if you were to advise your daughter to do the cooking better, and pay a little more attention to her husband, they might get on much better.

The guns found on board the yacht Peerless when she was seized by the American consul at Samoa have been handed over to the American consul at Auckland. They consist of one Dahlgren 12-pounder, and a considerable collection of small arms, together Beaufort, the patient is a child of Mr. Farley's, with shells for the Dahlgren gun. The of the Reservoir store. Constable M'Guirk Gatling gun and the Parrot gun which Steinberger fixed in his fortified place at Apia of dead sheep had been found in Emu Creek, were spiked by order of the captain of the bearing the same brands as some sheep belong-Barracouta and remain there useless. The "Southern Cross" states that the United

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AND NEWS - Aman was arrested yesterday, 5 miles beyond |

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SATURDAY, MAY 6, 1876. salao

A serious accident occurred to a young man named William Aldridge, residing at Mount Cole, on Saturday last. He was running in the bush, when he slipped and fell on his knees, sustaining a fracture of the right knee-cap and cutting his left. He was removed to the Ballarat hospital on Monday.

The New Victoria Company, Waterloo, suc-

ceeded in obtaining 35oz. 16dwt. of gold last week, making a splendid total of 63oz. 19dwt. for the fortnight. This week over 200z. were obtained in four days.

Henry Quock Ping, vendor of Chinese herbs. will visit Beaufort on Tuesday, 9th May, and

may be consulted at the Golden Age hotel. The match between Hewitt and Davis was run at Sydney on Monday and resulted in an easy victory for the former. The distances were, 100 and 150 yards, and were run in 101 and 15 seconds, great difficulty being experienced in starting the men. About 3000 persons assembled to witness the match; the Governor was amongstthe number. Hewitt collected £50 for Davis on the course.

Parliament has been further prorogued from the 9th May to about the middle of June. but will not be called together for the disposal of business till the beginning of July. The financial year does not close till the 30th proximo, and provision has been made for the payment of Civil Servants in the Estimates up to the above

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It will be seen by referring to our advertising columns, that an alteration has taken place with regard to the arrival and departure of trains from the Beaufort railway station, owing to the extension of the railway to Stawell.

for the present month, it contains a large amount

of readable matter. A. A. M. Markett M. C. A monthly general meeting of the Beaufort Monday evening, Captain Humphreys in the chair, eleven members were present. A letter Brigade Demonstration, stating that the nomin- but a dim memory in the public mind some the brigade, as two were required. Mr. J. leave. Mr. R. Barnes gave notice that he would move at the next meeting, that Mr. J. A. C. for him., Wilson be appointed honorary member of this brigade. Two new members were enrolled. After some other business of minor importance

was disposed of, the meeting adjourned. Our Main Lead correspondent writes :- "The Easter holidays being over, work is the order of the day. You can hear the echo of the axe resounding from morning till night. There are three parties out this week prospecting for gold; it is to be hoped that their perseverance will prove successful. By the bye, the new Primitive Methodist minister, the Rev. Joshua Smith, was expected to preach at the hall on Sunday, consequently a number of persons came to hear ferred to engineer. [1] the most based of the persons council bins although the real Simon Pure could not From City of Sandhurst, requesting council. done meat. His worship, in referring to a make his appearance, we were not without; a case in which a wife applied for a protection | Smith, as Mr. Rupert Smith took his place, and was listened to attentively, in fact, his text, taken from Titus ii., 11, 12, 13, and 14 verses

was a sermon in itself."

Hewitt and and Watson, the New South Wales champion, meet to-day at Newcastle to run 200 yards for £500. A Despite Hewitt's victory over Davis, Watson's party are confident of the result. If the latter man can make the extraordinary time of 191 sec. with which he is credited, the redoubtable Englishman will:

The receipts on the Victorian railways for the veck ending 27th April amounted to £18,034 9s. 4d. The amount received for the corresponding period of last year was £15,998 8s. 3d. The Local Board of Health sat on Thursday. A letter was read from the Central Board of Health approving of the appointment of Dr. Keiser as Health officer for the East Riding. A letter was also read from Dr. Lock, stating that a sovere case, of scarlet fover had appeared at sent in a report, stating that a number ing to Mr. J. H. Cameron .: It was resolved to

Stayell, on suspicion of being the perpetrator of the Burrumbeet Zoutrage, and pissed through here by the last train in the evening he is now made an error in the calculation in the Burrumbeet lock-up in charge of Constable Liverton. The prisoner exactly corresponds with the description given, us also does his swag and the larrikin boots.

Our Waterloo correspondent writes:—I regret to say that the Golden Gate Company have suspended work, and are busy drawing the lifts. but I think they have abandoned their shaft, just! when they should have kept on. I am of ing for a donation No action taken. opinion, and believe that I am not the only one, that they were just coming on to the gold. We had quite a treat here on Tuesday evening. Mr. Knox gave an entertainment or lecture of the birth of Christ in the shape of views by a magic lantern, and I can assure you it was well worth seeing, the place was well filled. Should he make his appearance at Beaufort I would advise all, who can make it convenient, fo attendess timenes, the directory the explorate

Sullivan the New Zealand murderer, was res eased from the Melbourne Gaol, on Saturday by His Honor Mr. Justice Fellows. Some years ace Sullivan was sentenced to death at New Zealand for perpetrating some atrocious crimes, but on his turning Queen's evidence he was granted a free taroun. He then proceeded to England, and shortly afterwards returned to Victoria, when he arrived in Melbourne he was immediately arrested under the Prevention of Criminals Influx Statute, and remanded to New Zealand; pending his removal there he was taken to the Melbourne Gaol, where he was confined until discharged on Saturday. His Honor held that the prisoner could not be dealt with under the Act, as he had been domiciled n Victoria previous to it being passed.

We have received a circular from the Victorian Humane Society, but as it is too lengthy for our columns we are unable to publish it.

The railway time table issued this month by the Government, if properly attended to ensures one collision at least a day near Ballarat. The morning train for Ararat is set down to leave the station here at 10.55 a.m., and the train from Ballarat to Ararat should arrive at 11 a.m., or five minutes after the outgoing train. Now, if this train had got five minutes on its journey along a single line whereon another train was travelling in an opposite direction, the inevitable consequence must be that these trains would meet. Whether it is the aim of the railway department to endanger the lives of, as well-as inconvenience, the travelling public, we cannot, of course, say, but to publish a time-table with such times for the departure and arrival of trains is a rather curious achievement on the part of the department -"Star." It was ruled in the County Court by Judge Cope and a jury of four (writes our Melbourne correspondent) that the following words confor making hay while the sun shines. You are keeping two coppers going, are you in The words were addressed by one butcher to another,

and though the defence was the words were

only chaff, the defendant had to pay 40s.

damages and £5 5s. costs.—"Star." Mr. Brough Smyth is to be permitted to resign his position in the Government service, (says the "Star's" Melbourne correspondent). We have received the "Australian Journal" and leave the officers of the Mines Department to conduct their business with less anxiety and uncertainty than they have known for many years. The decision will be a relief to them, Fire Brigade was held at the Camp hotel on | and will be pretty generally accepted by the public as the only practical solution of a somewhat perplexing dilemma. An impression prewas received from the committee of the Fire vails that when the late enquiry has become ations for the different competitions must be other sphere where his energy can be employed lodged with the secretary not later than 2 p.m. with less detriment to the self respect of on the 8th May. The secretary was instructed his subordinates wil be found for him. This, of to forward the requisite notice; he was also in- course, is pure surmise, but it is based on the structed to write to the Shire Council, asking fact that the limitation of three months, which them to purchase another branch for the use of is the gauge of compensation allowances, would render the amount to be received from this Dolan was appointed hose officer pro tem, in the source too small for his acceptance, and that, absence of Mr. W. Stevens who is at present on therefore, some more permanent provision will, after the present hubbub has subsided, be made

## RIPONSHIRE COUNCIL THURSDAY.—MAY 4, 1876.

Present—Cr. Beggs (president in the chair): and Crs. Wotherspoon, Lewis, Oddie, Adams, Tompkins, Cushing and Forrest. 1994 (1994) The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed on the should want.

From James Hill and others, pointing out the necessity to this council, of repairing two very bad pieces of road in Hill's lane. Re-

to co-operate with them and urge on the Government to allow the issue of excursion fares from and to all stations where ever

issued—No action taken. From Alex. Adam, on behalf of the ladies committee, requesting council to grant a donation to the Beaufort Ladies' Relief Fund The sum of £10 was granted with a recommedation that a balance sheet be published. From Hampdenshire, asking engineer of stone and timber culvert; supplying 1500 yards muzzle at his companion, and at that instant his council to meet their engineer is Skipton quartz metal, and 300 yards of quartz gravel at it by some, at present unaccountable means, this council to meet their engineer re Skipton and Baangal road—Complied with (C)

From teacher of State school, Long Gully, requesting council to remove a heifer which had died near the school-Complied with. From John Cosgrave, calling council's attention to the amount of his rates, which he thinks too much considering the quality of

the land Referred to the valuer. The From Sergeant Woods, accepting appoint ment of Inspector of nuisances and Inspector under the Health Statute, and constables inspector of nuisance for the North Riding.

M'Guirk and Menagh for the West and East and constable Menagh for the East Riding. Ridings respectively Received.

From Andrew Chirnside, accepting council's offer re exchange of roads—Received. From Mrs. Simester, stating, her inability to pay the account £5 19s., lunacy charges in connection with her husband Received, and dog inspector at a salary of £19 per From Randall, Mitchell and Nevitt, re annum, together with 20 per cent. commission Tunbridge's land, Mount Cole—Received

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made an error in the calculation of his tender

for contract No. 228, North Riding, and of deposit. from Deputy Postmater General, stating

that he cannot give a daily mail to residents in the East Riding, unless the contractors will agree to carry a mail at a reduced rate-Held over.

From Melbourne Orphan Asylum, apply From Roads and Bridges Department, for

warding protest from Mr. Porteus, of Baangal, against exchange of land for road purposes with Mr. Chirnside -- Cr. Oddie considered the course adopted by Mr. Porteous as disrespect-Cr. Tompkins thought Mr. Porteous had gone to work in a proper manner by laying his. complaint before the department. After some discussion it was resolved that the secretary communicate to the department to the effect that the council were unanimous in granting the exchange, and that the public would be greatly benefited by it.

From Mary Galvin, Mrs. Woods, John Pinking, and John Cowans, asking for remission of rates Received Figure , 700 From John C. Watson, requesting council

forego, the payment of rates of Mrs. Duncan—Received. From A.C. M'Donald, of Melbourne, informing council that in the event of them determining to raise a loan he would consent

to act as agent-No action taken. From Samuel Wilson, pointing out that the road to the railway station, Trawalla, wanted forming-No action taken, as the land referred to was in Lextonshire.

From Beaufort Fire Brigade, asking council to purchase another branch-Granted. From John Hehir, asking 28 days extension of time to complete contract No. 221, North Riding-To be considered when the work is finished.

From R. Simson, with payment of rates inder protest—Received.

From John Wheelan, complaining of Thos. Williamson blocking up land between the two properties—The secretary was instructed to write to the Board of Land and Works, asking them to give access to the land.

REPORTS.

The Engineer reported as follows:—I have the honor to inform you that the following contractors have exceeded the contract time in the execution of their contracts in the East Riding:— Walker, contract No. 161, five weeks; J. Nicholson, contract No. 164, five weeks: H. Parker, contract No. 166, two weeks; R. Fitridge, contract No. 169, two weeks. There are other contractors who are behind time with their work, but their contracts are not yet completed.
(2.) Tenders have been called for 48 contracts during the present season, twenty-one of which are still in progress in various parts of the shire, and are generally being proceeded with in a sale to test the quality of the wash. In the satisfactory manner.—Received. (3.) J. O'Shea face of a drive in the flat, and bearing north has given up his contract on the Main Lead in about 306 feet from the shaft, there is a gutter reservoir is in a bad state of repair, as is also driven for in this gutter, as the drive from that at Box's cutting; I recommend that they the rise is too shallow, but the main level is in be put in order.—Ordered to be done. (5.) A an excellent position and depth to strike it about log fonce belonging to Mr. Neil Ferguson has 60 or 70 feet ahead. Should this prove rich road between Carngham and Mortchup. On a (three ounces), and the ground continue up to previous occasion a similar fence was washed the Perseverance, we have indeed a most on to the same bridge, completely blocking it valuable claim. Owing to water and the loose up with large logs, &c. Mr. Fergusson has nature of the headings, slow progress has been made a long fence, which will, in all promade in first opening up the ground, but when ability, be washed on to the bridge by the first flood, endangering its safety, and also that of he road.—Notice to be served on Mr. Fergusson to remove the logs. (6.) With regard to contractor Hamilton's application for allowance or flood damages to his contract at Waterloo, I ieg to point out that if the council accede to his equest they will establish a dangerous precedent, and that other contractors who suffered by the same flood have made no claim for compensation. I believe that Hamilton's contract can be repaired for about 30s.—The sum of 30s. compensation to be allowed on the satisfactory completion of the work. The Collector reported as follows :- I have the honor to report that £241 17s. have been collected for general rates since your last meet-

to £2839 16s. With one or two exceptions. whole of the ratepayers have been visited, and the usual notice of demand left, when payment was not made. 29 10s, water rates still remain unpaid; and I herewith enclose list of defaulters. The time for the completion of the thistle con-The following accounts were passed for pay-

ment on the recommendation of the Finance Committee:—Salaries, L73 6s. 8d.; Job Wilcox, balance of gratuity, L5; H. Walsh, L1 3s.; R. Kirkpatrick and John Keating, refund of publican's license fee, L15 each; C. Cushing, L1; J. Driver, L1 7s. 6d.; S. Walker, L3 7s. 6d.; F. Nickelsen T. C. T. Constant L. 175. J. Nicholson, L8; J. Crossley, L250; H. Parker, L69 18s. 3d.; R. Fiiridge, L8 4s. 6d.; W. C. Pimblett, L171 11s. 6d.; Stevens and Hosking, (L36; L7hos. Kenny, L20; John O'Shea, L4 1s. 3d.; Hamilton and Harris, L10; J. Hehir, L57 5s.; James Kincaid, L100; Geo Douglass. L40; Nicholson and Whitla, L30 Thos. Greenbank, L43; Robert Buchanan, L107; Taylor and Peddar, L55; J. F. Watkin, L394s.; Extras, L22-5s.; John Whitfield, L8 Joe Whitfield, L8 8s.; C. Cushing, L8; M. Muir, L7 6s. 8d; Pat Corregan, L6; M. Corregan, L2 5s.; W. M. Farlane, 18s. 6d; R. Gibson, L8; B. Stuart, L4 16s. 6d.; Hawkes Bros., L7 19s. 7d.; Whittaker, 7s. 6d.; James Cross, L3 12s.; M. Farlane, L5; D. Cameron, 10e.; Mrs. Dolan, L1 10s.

For contract No. 176, East Riding.—Constructing 50 chains of quartz road, building one Snake Valley. Snake Valley. 2207 W. Osborne. £207 4 ... B. Cosack) (178.12 ... (178.12) Geo. Douglass... 1921. 1921. 1931. 1931. 1931. 200 10 0 R. Buchanan Milita wan inti it B. Cosack's tender was accepted.

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Mr. W. R. Nicoll be appointed revenue officer

STURT STREET, BASEARAY

cts of Parliament—Received.

From John O'Shea, stating that he had advantage of the present. He then moved registration and all fines inflicted and paid to the shire treasurer under the Wines and Spirits Sales Statute.

Cr. Lewis said he agreed with the remarks made by Cr. Tompkins, and seconded the mendment.

Cr. Forrest said the collector's duties were very severe as he had a great deal of travelling, and commented very warmly on Cr. Tompkin's idea. Cr. Wotherspoon pointed out that the coun-

il were going to appoint an officer to do the work without giving him sufficient payment. After a great deal of discussion on this matter the amendment was put and carried, Crs. Tompkins, Lewis Wotherspoon, Adams, and the president voting for it. Cr. Cushing complained that the caretaker

of the weighbridge was nearly always absent, and stating that farmers coming from a distance have sometimes to wait for two hours before they could get their produce weighed. On the motion of Cr. Cushing it was de-

bridge for 50 per cent. of fees, from 8 a.m. antil 6 p.m. daily, the present caretaker to receive one month's notice. Cr. Wotherspoon moved, and Cr. Adams seconded-That the Postmaster-General be written to on the subject of the present mail arrangements between Melbourne and Beau-

are not now delivered in Beaufort until 2 p.m., hitherto they had been delivered at 9 a.m.— On the motion of Cr. Tompkins, the matter of reporting on certain works at Eurambeen

fort, pointing out that the Melbourne letters

was left to the North Riding members. The plans submitted to the council in con-

nection with the exchange of roads with Mr. Chirnside were approved of. Crs. Wotherspoon, Lewis, and the pre-

sident were appointed to sign chques.

NEW VICTORIA COMPANY, WATERLOO FLAT, BEAUFORT.
The half-yearly meeting was held at the Camp hotel, Ballarat, on Saturday, 29th April; Mr. J. D. Williamson in the chair. 682 shares were represented. The directors' report was as follows :- "In the month of February last a rise was put up west of main drive, and on the 26th of the same month our first machine of dirt was washed. Since then drives have been constructed to open up and drain the ground towards No. 1 shaft. The extent of driving done (including main drive and cross-cuts) in washdirt is about 800 feet, proving on one lead payable ground 130 feet wide. The south cross-cuts have been in quite a different kind of wash which may probably be a run from the shallow workings, and as it is quite dry we shall soon be able to test the quality of the wash. In the been washed by a flood on to a bridge on the throughout as the ground from the three sets the Perseverance, we have indeed a most made in first opening up the ground, but when drained is good working ground. The wash in most of the ground opened up is about five or six feet thick, and is full of large quartz boulders, some of them reaching from one set of timber to the next. These are a great drawback in small drives, especially where there is a running drift overhead. The weekly yields show a gradual increase, and for the last month there is a profit beyond working expenses. The last fortnight's yield is 63oz. 19dwt, 6gr., giving a surplus beyond expenses for the same period of L50, and as soon as we are able to sluice, say three machines per day our profits will, no doubt increase in greater proportion, as extra expense on top will be but slight. The appliances are on hand, and it is only required to get the ground well drained and more of it opened up ing, and the balance yet to be received amounts The machinery is all in good order, and working well. Since the first machine was washed we where the property has changed hands, the have not required to make any more calls, and we hope soon to clear off the liabilities, and see the company in a position to declare dividends. -John D. Williamson; John Gibbs, Manager." The balance sheet showed a credit balance at the bank of L182 4s. '9d. upon the tracts expired on the 30th ult., and I have rehalf-year's transactions. The receipts included commended the payment of the balance due. —Gold sold (11802, 12 dwt. 22gr.), L4827s. 4d.: —Gold sold (1180z. 12 dwt. 22gr.), L4827s. 4d. capital, L982 18s.; shares sold, L343; and mortgage, L200. Expenditure showing, amongst other items, wages at L1023 3s. 5d.; timber,

## A SERIOUS GUN ACCIDENT.

1.150 17s. 2d.; plant, L444 2s. 2d.; the total

being L2012 12s. 3d. The reports and balance sheet were adopted. Messrs. J. D. Williamson

(of Charlton), H. Jones, L. Evans, and J.

Pritchard were re-elected directors; and Messrs.

H. Swayne and A. L. Gilliland directors .-

A dreadful accident happened at Inglewood on Monday to Robert Irving, a lad about 18 years of age, whilst out shooting. He, in company with another lad named Heck, went out from Irving's farm, at Kurning into the some kangaroos, each lad carrying a loaded gun. After they had gone a considerable distance Trying (says the Bendigo Advertiser") requested Heck to change the position of his weapon, it being carried dangerously as regarded himself. In obedience to this Heck, in bringing the gun round, pointed the muzzle at his companion, and at that instant went off, the charge, which consisted of mixed shot, some being of the size known as swan, lodging right fair in the middle of the thigh, about four inches below the groin, inflicting as most terrible wound: Irving impresence of mind got up and stood on the by Baron de Lesseps and several Egyptian wounded limb to ascertain whether or not it dignitaries. was, broken, and then again fell. The other go for assistance. On this errand Heck immediately started, the nearest habitation being a mile and a half away. A handbarrow was obtained on which to carry on dog registration fees, and all fines inflicted Irving, but the scrub was of most impene-From Argratshire, forwarding plant is the and paid to they shire, treasurer, under the trable thickness, and in order to get the coast of the Mediterranean. On the same States man-of-war Keersage is engaged to search for and apprehend Steinberger, as having attempted, by an act of piracy and usurption, and by false representations, to dishonor the American flag.

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From Evans Bros, forwarding lists of new when the expenditure must be greatly reduced, | thoughts being for his companion. It was and the council would act wisely by taking found that the charge had gone in in a lump. boring a hole in the flesh 2in. or 3in. in an amendment that Mr. Nicoll be appointed diameter, It appears to have then struck revenue-officer and dog inspector, and the bone, and ran round it, remaining emwishing to withdraw it Granted on forfeiture to receive 20 per cent. commission on dog bedded in the flesh at the back of the thigh. The muzzle of the gun could not have been more than a foot off the leg when it went off. On Monday evening Irving was progressing as well as could be expected.

## THE CARNIVAL ART UNION.

The Ballarat correspondent in Wednesday's

"Argus" gives the statement of Mr. Dalley. who acted on behalf of Miss Capron in regard to the £1000 prize in the Carnival Art Union, as follows :-- Mr. Dalley bought some tickets from Mr. Griffiths, and gave three to the daughters of Mr. Capron, a land selector near him and an old friend. Miss Capron, the eldest of the daughters-she is only 14—had the ticket 56,704, the winner of the first prize, Griffiths of course being well aware of the numbers he had sold. As soon as he received the private telegram of Mr. Bushby here of his good fortune, he rode off to Mr. Capron's place, the girls and another child being only at the hut, said in great sided to call for applications from persons glee that one of his tickets had won a big willing to undertake the charge of the weigh- prize, and he had come round to collect them, and send them down to Ballarat to the secretary to have them guaranteed. The girls, without for a moment suspecting anything was wrong, gave him up the three tickets, and having the winning one in his possession he came here to claim the prize, and stoutly denied that he had sold any tickets—especially that one-to Miss Capron or Mr. Dalley. There was something in the man's manner on Saturday last when he was asked the questions that told he was guilty; and even his friend Mr. Bushby offered to take bets on Monday that he would never return to Ballarat to claim the prize; the great fear, however, was that he would, out of spite, burn the ticket, and deprive Miss Capron as well as himself of the money. Very fortunately, as Mr. Dalley was coming to Ballarat on Monday, he met Griffithson the Sandhurstrailway platform on his way back to Conargo. He then and there charged him with having obtained possession of the tickets dishonestly. Griffiths asked him not to accuse him before so many people, but to step on one side, which they did, and after a very short time he gave up the tickets, including the 56,704 number. He then tried to persuade Mr. Dalley-so the latter says-that there was some arrangement about his getting half if any of them won, but Mr. Dalley only replied by reminding him that the public roads of the colony was not a good place for compulsory labor. He afterwards said that as he had gone to the expense of riding to Ballarat "to get the money for Miss Capron," he ought to have something towards his expenses, to which Mr. Dalley replied that if he would purchase about 10ft, of half-inch rope and use it properly he would not mind going to that expense; and finally Griffiths left him with the full knowledge, no doubt, that he was a baffled rascal.

## A ROW AT THE HARD HILLS RUSH.

Police protection is urgently required at the Hard Hills rush, Berlin. An unruly disturbance, which at one time threatened to be very serious, occurred on Monday night last. A correspondent informs us "1000 miners had lighted bonfires, which illuminated the whole place; flags were flying, bells were ringing, and meetings of small groups of miners were held. From all these indications it was evident that something was going on ; and it soon transpired that the object was to drive the Chinese from their claims, and hunt them away. Hostilities were commenced by throwing stones at the huts and residences of the Chinamen, who, as it may be supposed, were very much alarmed. The principalscene of operations was in front of the store of Ah Yem, who had a very narrow escape from personal injury. The windows were smashed, and the roof of his place battered in. Entry was at length forced, and Europeans, to the number of forty or fifty, loudly clamored for drink. Others carried bushes and piled them up against the huts, threatening to set them on fire, which, however, was not done. The principal Chinese subscribed for a guard to protect their property, and the golden claims were also jealously guarded during the night. Mr. Ah Hong, interpreter, on Tuesdap applied to the Dunolly police for protection, which he was informed could not be granted; so application has been made, through one of the solicitors, to the headquarters in Melbourne. The number of Chinese on the rush is 300, and they hold 100 claims, about twenty of which give good gold. They are all possessed of miners' rights, and the majority are orderly; but there are one or two opium shops, which the respectable Chinese wish were closed."-"Maryborough Standard."

ARRIVAL OF THE CALIFORNIAN MAIL.

SYDNEY, 4th May. The San Francisco arrived from Wellington at II o'clock this morning, bringing dates from California to 3rd April. The following are the principal items of European summary :-

LONDON, 3rd April. Sir Charles Reed sails on the 6th May for Philadelphia, as representative of the educa-

Charles Bent, accused of fraud in America, has been brought up at Bow-street, and will probably be remanded to New York on the

llth April. H.M.S. Serapis, with the Prince of Wales 0 mediately said, "I'm shot," but uttered no on board, arrived at Suez on 24th March. other cry, and fell; but with wonderful He started for Cairo next day, accompanied

The leading newspapers censure and lad, in great distress, took off his shirt, tore sharply criticise Mr. Distaeli for the stateit into strips, and endeavored to staunch the ment he made in the House of Commons alarming flow of blood, but finding the efforts relative to Egyptian affairs, and also the futile, the wounded lad, who had not lost | Government for agreeing to withold the facts, consciousness for a moment, advised him to in consequence of which Egyptian securities

suffered a heavy decline. Snow fell generally in the south of Eng-

A fearful hurricane has occurred in the province San Sebastian, Spain, and along the

The "Daily Telegraph's Berlin correspondent says the negotiations for the pacification of Herzegovina are now regarded as having failed. The powers seriously contemplate an intervention if this should prove unavoidable. The "Times" Alexandra despatch says that

the King of Abyssinia has sent envoys to Egypt asking for peace. The Egyptians are fortifying strong positions commanding the

At Havanna, on the 2nd April, Sanchez Ismaga, after an angry controversy in the court-room, shot fatally the Marquis of known.

A decree from Marshal MacMahon, promulgated on March 28th, announces incidentally that an international exhibition will shortly be held in Paris, in 1878, or 1879.

The Chamber of deputies have granted 350,000 francs for the relief of the sufferers by the recent inundations in France. The Powers demand from Servia guaran-

tees of continued neutrality, and ask the Porte to accelerate the pacification of the people. Several Communist refugees have been

The Gibraltar authorities have released the Guarda Costa recently captured by an English merchantman.—Ballarat papers.

ENGLISH ITEMS.

Arthur Orton has been removed from his ordinary cell at Dartmoor Prison to the infirmary, and is attended for a swelling and gathering on one of his legs. By order of the medical officer he is now supplied with half a pound of meet per day, in addition to full diet allowance of soup and bread supplied to other convicts.

A return just issued shows the number of owners of land from one acre and upwards in England and Wales to be 269,547, and that of owners below one acre 702,289, making a total of 972,836 persons who, in the widest and most literal sense of the designation, are

The house in High-street, Borough, in which Henry Wainwright intended to deposit the dead body of Harriet Lane, is undergoing some alteration, and a board, which is conspicuously placed on its front, announces that in the course of a few days it will be opened

A large number of horses belonging to the railway companies at Bradford are at present cressed the act, which also further stated that suffering from a severe epidemic of influenza. Out of 80 belonging to the Midland Compaay, 18 are unable to work, and one has died, while of 100 owned by the Great Northern Company nearly 50 are laid up, and two have died. The attack is a severe form of influenza, and is attributed to the changeable weather.

A few days ago there died in Dens Road. Dundee, an old man named John Davidson, a spirit dealer, who during his life displayed considerable eccentricity. Sixteen years ago he had himself measured and a coffin made for the final reception of his body. That not very pleasant companion he kept under his bed, and to any friend who might have occasion to visit his house he was always ready to show it. Unfortunately, however, when his end did come, it was found that from the effects of time and its numerous exhibitions it had become a little frail and worn, and had to be repaired for the reception of his body. Although the practice of providing coffins is well known to have prevailed in China from time immemorial.

A circular has been received at the School

In delivering her third and last address to a crowded meeting at Woolwich recently, Mrs. Stewart said that it was nonsense for men to say that they could not work on total abstinence. All the prize fighters in America ignored drink as tending to enervate the system, and her "Yankee" brother (Weston). who was now performing such extraordinary

feeling against England, the majority of the German newspapers refusing to admit that the German vessel could have been in the wrong. "Eye-witnesses" on board the Franconia have done their best to prejudice German opinion in favor of the German opi Vessel, and German correspondents in England sending garbled and distorted accounts of the proceedings at Deal are doing their best to influence the national jealousy which appears to have become the besetting sin of the German nation since its recent aggrandizement. Immediately after the collision took place a telegram was sent to Hamburg declaring that "no blame whatever could be abroad but in the hone of it leading to the declaring that "no blame whatever could be abroad, but in the hope of it leading to the attached to the Franconia." This telegram discovery of the lady for whom the interestwas quoted in all the provincial papers. ing gage of affection was intended. The note Now, a letter from an "Eye-witness" is was as follows:—dere Leecy i scent you this making the round of the Press, affirming that Kase of Hhappels, dere Leecy mind you the Franconia kept strictly in her proper scent me a Kase of Hhappel Dumlins and DUTCH HARRY HOTEL, course, but that the Strathclyde, apparently mind you scent them ot. There is no longer desirous of showing off her seamanship, suddenly attempted to cross it. The Franconia immediately reversed her engines with trate her claim she may obtain the proceeds conia immediately reversed her engines with full power, but was unable to prevent the on application to the railway department, but shock. The "Eye-witness" admits seeing the Strathelyde going down in a very little time, but considers that the Franconia was has occurred at the Lakes entrance. On too severely injured to be able to help the Tuesday morning the schooners Gippslander drowning crew. He describes the discipline and Glengarry were attempting to make mind and resource displayed by her captain, Strathelyde he affirms confusion and disorder eastern spit. Fortunately the Gippslander as LATERS & SLATE IMPORTERS, to have been prevalent.

The streets of London have an aggregate done to her, but the Glengary is expected to length of 2500 miles, requiring about 5000 become a total wrecky she has 700 bushels length of 2500 miles, requiring about 5000 miles of gas main, and upwards of 54,000 of grain on board. The latest news from the public lamps, which consume something like 1,000,000,000 cubic feet of gas a year, or about 3,000,000 a day, The gas supply of the entire metropolis is about 14,000,000,000 cubic feet a day, requiring for its production the coking of 1,500,000 tons of Newcastle coal.

The estimate of the sum required tage of subsoiling fence rails. The editor, of CL4.080.000, during the vear ending March

ordered by the German authorities to quit actually amounted to only 176,602; a reduction corresponding to the reduced number was of similar cases; but it don't matter. I'll in the purchase money, which amounts to just cross your name off, though you don't been sentenced to two month's imprisonment L3,976,582 2s. 6d. Messrs. N. de Roths-look strong, and there's bad color on your for insulting Prince Bismarck.

The "Daily Telegraph's" Berlin despatch says that the charge of treason against Count will be confiscated if he refuses to appear to answer the charge. Von Arnim has heavily mortgaged his property, to prevent its sequestration.

Lo,976,952 28. bd. Messys. N. de Roths-look strong, and there's bad color on your child undertook to pay the above-mentioned sum to the Khedive in anticipation of the scriber, looking somewhat alarmed, "I believe I'll just keep on another year; 'cause their trouble and risk, it was agreed that I'did always like your paper; and come to their trouble and risk, it was agreed that I'did always like your paper; and come to their Majesty's Government should pay to think about it, you're a young man, and there's bad color on your nose."

Lo,976,952 28. bd. Messys. N. de Roths-look strong, and there's bad color on your nose." "See here, Mr. Editor," said the subscriber, looking somewhat alarmed, "I believe I'll just keep on another year; 'cause their trouble and risk, it was agreed that the had may like your paper; and come to their trouble and risk, it was agreed that the had made a narrow tration. balance necessary to make up the round sum escape from death.

Spanish steamer Elvira exploded on is added for the purpose of meeting any incidental expenses which may be incurred.

The ship Antelope, from Boston, put into were killed and wounded.

Falmouth on February 23rd with about twelve of the crew of the steamer Bremen, belonging to Messrs. Bates and Co., of Liver who suffer greatly in this world will escape pool. These men state that about fourteen days after leaving Liverpool for San Francisco they complained of the quality of the cisco they complained of the quality of the meat, some of which were thrown overboard. When off Cape Horn one of the crew died of especially gravel, also inflict unspeakable misery. scurvey, and before arriving at San Francisco Eradicate the causes of these sufferings with eleven others died, the men allege from the Udolpho Wolfe's Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps. same disease. Twenty others were put into hospital at San Francisco, where one died, and the others being refused their discharge, deserted and joined other ships, leaving dinner does away with the indigestion, fulness, seven months'-wages due to them.

£4,000,000 for the Suez Canal purchase. as a "general carriers' and railway booking office." It was formerly a small tavern.

any money, except in so far as this had been comnort in not chinates and high temperatures, which is most desirable for the preservation of health. three times the amount of the loan if it transof that fine the informer was to have one-

The Brotherly Love, the vessel on board of which the great navigator, Captain Cook, served his time as a ship's apprentice, and obtained. his certificate as mate, is now alleast and trading on the Tyne, having just left South Shields for the Baltic.

The traffic receipts of railways in the United Kingdom during the week ending January 9th, amounted on 14,835 miles to £988,378, against £924,593 last year on miles and of £63,785.

# GENERAL NEWS.

A "Herald" telegram from Inglewood says :- "Sullivan, the Mangatupu murderer, before death is a novelty in this country, it reached Wedderburn on Monday, and at once went to his wife's house to stay, bu twas met at the door by Mr. Stretch, who had CONVEYANCE OF MAILS, 1876, 1877, 1878, married Mrs. Sullivan, when Sullivan was of Military Engineering, containing the imprisoned in New Zealand. Sullivan denames of about three hundred and sixty non-commissioned officers and men of the Royal a gun and pointed it at him, and the murderer, Engineers who have been granted the silver had to clear out. He camped in the bush all

England some time ago. He purchased a nice estate, and was making some progress in days a week.

Services required.

415. To and from Beaufort and Eurambeen, three days a week.

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A telegram from Bairnsdale in yesterday's "Age" says :- "Another unfortunate mishan on board the Franconia, and the presence of their way over the bar when they were mind and resource displayed by her captain, struck by a heavy sea, and there being was "truly admirable;" whereas on board the westerly breeze ablowing drifted on to the

(L4,080,000), during the year ending March course, conceded the man's right to stop his Court-room, shot fatally the Marquis of 31st, 1876, in order to pay the purchase paper, but he remarked coolly, turning over Argudin. Both parties are wealthy and well money of the shares which belonged to the his list—"Do you know Jim Sanders down Mis list—"Do you know Jim Sanders down Khedive of Egypt in the Suez Canal, and the expenses attendant on the said purchase, has been issued. To it has been appended the following explanatory note:—"His Highness the Khedive have proposed to sell his shares in the Suez Canal Company to Her Majesty's Government for L4,000,000, Her Majesty's Government accepted the proposal, supposing that His Highness was still in possession of the full number (177,642) formerly belonging to him; but His Highness subsequently in the stopped his paper because I said he was the cause I thought a farmer was a blamed fool who didn't know that timothy was a good thing to graft on huckleberry bushes, and he died in four hours." "Lord, is that so," said the astonished granger. "Yes; and you know old George Erickson, down on Eagle Cerek?" "Well, I've heard of him." "Well," said the editor gravely, to him; but His Highness subsequently in the stopped his paper because I said he was to him; but His Highness subsequently in- "he stopped his paper because I said he was formed them that he had parted with some the happy father of twins, and congratulated shares, and that the number in his possession him on his success so late in life. He fell

If there is any truth in the belief that those at the stake can their tortures be adequately

Holloway's Pills.—This cooling medicine has the happiest effect when the blood is overheated and a tendency to inflammatory action is set up in the system; one Pill taken shortly before even months'-wages due to them.

At the half-yearly court of the Bank of or disordered liver. A few Pills taken at bed-England, held on March 16th, Mr. Gibbs, time act as alteratives and aperients; they not the governor, explained why the Treasury only relieve the bowels but regulate every organ had not applied to the bank to advance the £4,000,000 for the Suez Canal purchase. secretions essential to our-well-being. Hollo-There was, he said, an act in existence prohibiting them from lending the Government any money, except in so far as this had been confort in hot climates and high temperatures.

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At a meeting of the Society of Engineers held recently in their hall, a paper was read by Mr. Perry F. Nursey, C.E., on the Channel Railway, proposed by Mr. P. J. Bishop, but the details of which were worked out by the author himself. The system consists of two distinct tubes of cast-iron, each carrying a line of rails, laid on the bed by the medical attendant having the same of the channel between Dover, and Cape Grisnez, a distance of 233 miles, at an estimated cost of one million sterling per mile. The tube, which is elliptical in section, would be 4 inches thich, cast in 5 feet lengths, bolted together by internal flanges, lined inside with brickwork laid in cement, and that cased again with 5-inch boiler plate. The outer dimensions, 17 feet 8 inches diameter of the major axis, and 14 feet 8 inches the minor diameter; the inner diameters being 15 and 12 respectively. The tube would be sunk in 25-feet lengths, an ingenious watertight bulkhead being fixed at each end, with a central guide to bring them into juxtaposition for bolting when they are sunk. The bulkheads are removable from the inside, and would be sent ashore in a trolly as the tube progressed, to be used for a fresh section. The operation of sinking would-be carried on from a floating pontoon 400 feet long by 100 feet wide, with a central opening 100 feet by 25 feet, surrounded by staging for lowering each section. Plans were shown of the details of this novel scheme, for which the author with the healthy. This involves, if done perclaimed that it was perfectly practicable, and that it would be completed for the estimate in five years, or, if necessary, in three years.

#### AMERICAN MEAT IN ENGLAND.

Another consignment of this meat is due in London. This new and important trade is no doubt so far a complete success. How far it will continue to do so during the summer months remains to be seen. But, even supposing that this traffic can only be carried on during the six cooler months of the year, the influence it will have on British agriculture will be something considerable, for the American graziers and stall-feeders will simply adapt their produce to the season. This, we are informed, they can do with every facility, as the beasts which have been sent were fat in the autumn from having fed on some of the richest grass runs in the world. This trade can, therefore, be begun early in the autumn, and by keeping some of the cattle on their cheap corn through the winter, they may be appropriated as the exigencies of the trade suggest. We are informed that the resources of America, within easy distance of New York, will admit of hundreds of thousands of beasts being prepared by another season for the English market. We making sympathetic visits in such circumgive this as information which the English stances. tenant farmer ought to be in possession of. And if their be any incredulous graziers in regard to the quality and condition of Transatlantic beef, we would advise them to get their local butcher to send an order for a quarter or more, that they may not only see but taste for themselves. The principal salesmen of these carcases are Messrs. Bowyer and Son, and East, 259, 261, and 262 Central Meat Market, E.C., and we have their authority for saying they will execute any properly authenticated orders that may be sent to them by provincial butchers. Quarters or joints may easily be forwarded in the hampers in which pigs or sheep have been forwarded to London, and which would otherwise be returned as "empties."

## THE SOLAR YEAR.

Julius Cæsar fixed the solar year as 365 days 6 hours, every fourth year being leap year. This calendar was defective, as the solar year consists of 365 days 5 hours and 49 minutes, and not 365 days 6 hours. This difference in the 16th century amounted to ten entire days, the vernal equinox falling on the 11th, instead of March 21. To obviate and so sent to the public ash-pit. this error, Pope Gregory XIII. ordained, in 1852, that that year should consist of 365 days only (October 5th became October 15th); and, to prevent further irregularity, it was determined that a year beginning a century should not be leap year, and the exception of that beginning each fourth century. Thus 1700 and 1800 have not been leap years, nor will 1900 be so; but the year 2000 will be a leap year. In this manner three days will be retrenched in 400 years, because the lapse of eleven minutes will make three days in about that period. The year of the calendar is thus made as nearly as possible to correspond with the true solar year, and future errors of chronology are avoided.

# THE BEECHER CASE.

When the last mail left New York the Advisory Council was deliberating over the Beecher trouble, but had not arrived at a definite resolution. It held three long and exciting sittings on February 18th, in the presence of a dense crowd of spectators. Mr. Beecher at the morning sitting of the council made, says the "Tribune," one of the most emphatic and earnest addresses he has ever delivered in the walls of the Plymouth Church. At the beginning he spoke calmly and firmly, with a touch of sadness in his voice. Afterwards, in an outburst of feeling, he exclaimed, "If there is any man on earth that has anything to say to my detriment, I am here, and now challenge him to say it. I into the vessels used for the discharges, rego further than that. If there be any angel | membering that the spit or discharge from of God more prescient and omniscent, I the throat is particularly poisonous. challenge him to say aught. I go beyond that, and, in the name of our Common Redeemer, and before him who shall judge you and me. I challenge the truth from God himself." The effect of this startling and powerful outburst was very great; the spectators and most of the members of the council were electrified and awed. In the afternoon Mr. Beecher replied to the imputation contained in a letter that Plymouth church had not done once or twice in the twenty-four hours. to do is simply to advise by telegram of the courted open investigation. With a voice broken by emotion he said that both himself and his church had spent so much time in courting investigation and engaging in investigation, that he had come to care little for the opinions of anybody, so long as God and his mother knew how it was.

SCARLET FEVER.

(Adapted from a Paper by the Health Committee of Glasgow.)

Parents and others are requested to read this paper carefully, and adopt the instructions which it contains, as well as any given end in view.

Scarlet fever is a very contagious and a very dangerous disease. A mild case is as contagious as a severe one, and scarlet fever is never so mild that it may not in the long run prove dangerous to life or even fatal. One case of scarlet fever is always derived directly or indirectly from some other. It is fixed :therefore the duty of all parents or persons who have charge of a case, to remember that they will be responsible for the spread of the disease, and should adopt such precautions as will prevent it. These are all embraced in the words isolation and disinfection.

#### ISOLATION.

Isolation means the separation of the sick from the neighbourhood of every person not necessary for proper nursing and treatment. This may be effected-By keeping the patient at home and cutting off all communication feetly, a great many points:--

1. Send the children who are well out of the house; at least keep them out of the sick room.

2. When a choice is possible, select a room large and well-ventilated; and if the weather is not hot, have a fire burning. Never choose the kitchen, as there disease cannot be separated.

3. Remove carpets, curtains, hair-cloth chairs, or sofas, and every unnecessary or absorbent piece of furniture, especially woollen fabrics. Iron bedsteads, hair, or still better, straw mattrasses and kitchen chairs-in short, all articles which will not convey contagion, and which can be easily

disinfected—are to be preferred. 4. The room must be occupied only by the patient and person nursing, and never entered by any one unnecessarily. No child belonging to the family should go to school. No person nursing a child in scarlet fever should go shopping or visiting. The gown or outer garment should be a washing print, and stuff dresses should not be worn. Women especially should avoid neighbors' houses where scarlet fever is, particularly during convalescence. Much mischief is done by

5. No teacher of a school should receive a pupil who is known to have had scarlet fever recently, or to belong to a family, any member of which has scarlet fever, until a certificate of freedom from risk of contagion has been presented, signed by a legally qualified medical practitioner.

In order to insure safety, isolation should be maintained at least a month.

The body, and everything about and discharged from the body of a person infected with scarlet fever is infected, and therefore capable of imparting the disease to other persons. Disinfection includes all methods by which the infected matter or material can be deprived of infecting power.

Cleanliness, not of a surface sort, but thorough, in all the holes and corners of the house, below the furniture as well as in the middle of the floor-in all the folds of the bedding as well as in the coverlet—is the first and essential step towards disinfection. All the dust swept up or rubbed down should be placed in the heart of the fire and so burned, not thrown among the ashes or into dust bins,

Ventilation is a part of cleanliness, and is best maintained by leaving the window open at the top two or three inches, and keeping a nice bright fire burning, if the weather is not hot. There is no danger of cold draughts, if registration be charged on delivery; but if this be done constantly; but there is danger the person to whom the letter or packet is if now and then, or only when the doctor calls, the window is drawn down and a rush of cold air admitted to the over-heated room.

Scarlet fever patients always cast their skin, and so long as a particle of old skin is visible there is risk of contagion. The dead skin comes off partly in flakes, but partly also as dust, which flies everywhere and clings to everything. To prevent this, rub the whole surface of the body over with camphorated oil, or any other agreeable or convenient sweat oil or fat. Do so every night and morning, and whenever the patient is able to bear it give a warm bath, washing the whole body with carbolic acid soap. A succession of such baths, always followed by oiling, until the whole skin is removed, will prevent the infectious dust from flying about, and in the end will disinfect the patient's body. This oiling and bathing is the most important disinfecting process wich can be adopted in scarlet fever but a few more precautions are desirable.

Use separate bits of rags for wiping the poisonous discharge from the mouth and nose, and burn each bit as it is used.

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Prepare a steep in a bucket or tub containing a wine glassful of clear carbolic acid, or a despatch a Post Office Order per telegraph wine glassful and a half of Burnett's Fluid to on paying; in addition to the cost of the each gallon of water, or a table-spoonful of order, the sum of One Shilling for transchloride-of-lime to each bucket of water; mission of the message. This is a matter bring to the patient's bedside, and put therein | well worth knowing, as it is a great conall bed and body linen removed from the patient, doing so cautiously, in order not to scatter adhering particles. This should be ward cash promptly. All that it is requisite The linen should remain in the water until washed, and should then be well boiled.

DISINFECTION AFTER RECOVERY OR DEATH.

After the last bath, when every particle of old skin is away and recovery perfect, a fresh may also be forwarded to all Telegraph Offices suit of clothes, from the skin out, should be in South Australia, upon payment of the put an by the natient, and also by the nurse; following rates, including commission and In the 6,000,000 dol. suit brought against and disinfection of the apartment, by fumiga- charge for transmisson :- For any sum not William M. Tweed on behalf of the people of the United States, the jury have returned a bedding and other infected articles, should tralia, 3s. Exceeding £5, but not exceeding verdict for the plaintiff for 6,537,177 dol. forthwith be carried out.

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Any inland letter, packet, or newspaper, posted with an unobliterated Victorian postage stamp of any value, is to be transmitted and delivered, although the stamp be insufficient; but in cases where the postage shall not be fully prepaid, the letter, packet, or newspaper shall be stamped "More to must be collected before delivery.

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office, to be dealt with according to law. Letters weighing over half an ounce addressed to the United Kingdom will be forwarded if a single rate (sixpence) be prepaid, and the deficient postage, together with a fine equal to a single rate (sixpence), will be

charged on delivery.

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Waterloo .	Ditto	Ditto
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Ararat	9.31 a.m. 5.20 p.m.	11.45 a.m. 9.20 p.m.
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A mail for Ma	in Lead is mad	e up at Beau-

fort on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 8.30 a.m.-returning from Main Lead on

same days, at 6.30p.m. The mails for Ararat, Shirley, Melbourne Ballarat, Geelong, Buangor, Trawalla, and Eurambeen are despatched twice daily. Mails for Main Lead, Raglan, Charlton,

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#### BALLARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

Owing to the wet weather, the supplies of produce brought forward on Wednesday were small. We quote the following prices:—Wheat, up to 5s. 6d.; oats, feed, 2s. 10d. to 3s., seed do., 3s. 3d. to 3s. 6d.; barley, English, 4s. 3d. to 4s. 8d.; Cape do., 2s. 7d. to 2s. 8d., potatoes, L2 10s. to L2 15s.; sheaves, L4 to L4 7s. 6d.; manger hay, L4 10s. to L5 7s. 6d.; oaten straw, 60s. to 65s.; wheaten straw, 40s. to 45s.; flour, L12 2s. 6d. to L12 10s. 6d.; carrots, L2; peas, 2s. 10d. to 2s. 11d.—"Courier."

#### ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

Since our last issue the markets have become very firm as regards both wheat and flour, and it is expected that the hardness will continue. Dairy produce is still scarce, the prices quoted being unusually high. Potatoes are also described as scarce, good samples of which would meet with ready sale. The prices for hay and chaff remain as before. We quote as under :-Wheat, 5s. 2d. per bushel; oats, 2s. 9d. to 3s. per bushel; pollard, 1s. 6d. per bushel; bran, 1s. 4d. per bushel; barley, 3s. per bushel; flour, L11 10s. to L11 15s. per ton; potatoes, L4 per ton; fresh butter, 1s. 6d. per lb.; potted do., 1s. 3d. per lb.; cheese, 8d. to 10d. per lb.; hams, 1s. 2d. per lb.; bacon, 10d. per lb.; eggs, 2s. per dozen; hay, L3 15s. to L4 per ton; chaff, 4s. 6d. per cwt.—"Advertiser."

#### BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSRS. HEPBURN AND LEONARD REPORT :-Fat Cattle.—60 bullocks, light weights, for Mr. D. M'William, Fine View, Terang, at from L7 2s. 6d. to L11 2s. 6d., averaging as above; 20 head for Messrs. Egan Bros., Greendale, and others, at market rates; total sales, 80. Fat Sheep. -400 merino wethers for Mr. Wm. Lewis, Stoneleigh, at from 13s. to 13s. 6d.; 207 cross-bred wethers for Messrs, Buchan Bros., Woorndoo, to 13s. 3d., averaging 12s. 7d.: 242 cross-bred wethers and ewes for Mr. Samuel Creed, Terang, to 11s. 10d.; 132 merino wethers for Mr. Donald Gunn, Burrumbeet, at 9s.; 292 merino ewes for Messrs. Anderson Bros, Smeaton, at from 6s. to 6s. 6d.; 2073 merino wethers and ewes for Messrs. F. Bucknall, Cotswold; G. Sides, Mount Mercer; C. Faples, Dean, and others, at market rates. Fat Lambs. -41 for Mr. F. Bucknall, Cotswold. at 6s. Sd.; S6 for Mr. Samuel Creed, Terang, at market rates. Store Stock .- Since our last we have closed for 3000 6 and 8-tooth wethers, at Ss.; 3000 2, 4, 6, and 8-tooth wethers, at highest market rates.

### GEELONG LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSES. GEO. SYNNOT AND CO. REPORT :-Fat Cattle.—A full supply forward, but very few prime came to hand, and prices were extremely good for all classes forward. Our sales were-for Messis. J. Hamilton, and others, 31 head; steers to L7 7s. 6d.; cows to L6 15s. Fat Sheep .- A shorter supply than usual, and all the good quality forward were fully 1s. in advance of last week's prices, medium quality being dull of sale. Our sales were-for Messrs Collins, and others, 549 head to 9s. 6d. Store Stock .- Cattle are in good demand. We have placed some large lots under offer, but have no sales to report; but have sold 500 ewes, and 784

### GEELONG STATION PRODUCE MARKET.

MESSES. GEORGE SYNNOT AND CO. REPORT :-Sheepskins.—We offered upwards of 10,000 to-day, to a full attendance of buyers. Competition was brisk, and we managed to clear out all but one lot at an advance on last week's rates. Best pelts brought 42d. to 52d, each superior do., 54d. to 61d. each; medium do. 24d. to 32d. cach; station skins, 31d. to 61d. per lb.; lambskins, 12d. to 30d. cach. Hides. -Are in very poor request; and prices, if anything, are inclined to be easier. Wet salted brought 33d. to 4d. per lb.; good-conditioned do., 43d. to 43d. per lb.; dry do., to 51d. per lb.; calfskins, 4d. to 53d. per lb. Tallow.—Since our last report we have sold, by auction and privately, 150 pipes. Mutton, from L34 to L35 per ton; beef, L31 10s. to L33 per ton; mixed, L30 to L33 per ton; station sorts, L29 to L33 10s. per ton; rough fat, 2d. to 23d. per lb.; rendered fat, 23d to 3d, per lb.

The two prisoners, named Thos. Matthews and James Hayes, who escaped from the Melbourne goal on Wednesday last, but who were re-captured by the exertions of the warders the same evening, were brought (says the "Age") before the visiting justices as were undergoing at the time of their escape.

The Bank of Victoria has offered a reward of £100 for such information as will lead to the conviction of the person or persons concerned in the robbery of the Seymour branch of that

bank on the 28th ult. An account of an extraordinary series of assaults-one of a serious, and perhaps fatal nature-has been reported to the police in the neighborhood of the Yan Yean road, Nulimbik. The statement is, that a man named John Kennedy of Coburg, was loading wood about 50 yards from the Yan Yean road, and some two miles from Nilumbik, when he R. Smith; no appearance of either party; struck saw a Chinaman approaching him carrying out. James Cowans v. John Wauchob; goods an axe and saying, "I kill you, you \_\_\_\_\_. Kennedy ran towards the house of John Butler, farmer, and got into the house just as Butler came out at the door. The Chinaman made a blow with the axe, which Butler warded off, and the latter then ran round to the back, Kennedy having shut the front door. The Chinaman followed, and made another blow at Butler, but the latter closed with him and received a blow on the left shoulder from the handle of the axe, while the blade made a hole in the back of his coat. The axe and a carving knife then fell from the Chinaman's hands, and his hat fell off, whereupon he ran away. Before running after Kennedy, the Chinamar, about half a mile up the road, met a boy in charge of two horses and a load of wood, and asked the boy to stop the horses The boy refused, and the Chinaman then struck the lad on the head with an axe, making a cut in his hat from 31in. to 4in. long, and cutting his head. The youth, Edward Lamburg, about 18 years' of age, was taken home, and was attended by Dr. Eccles, who said he had very little hope of his recovery, as the skull was fractured. and the brain was protruding through the fracture, which was from 2in. to 3in. long. Before this assault the Chinaman, some mile and a half further up the road, went into the house of P. Finnegan, chased the latter's wife and sister out, and took away the axe a carving knife, and a cash-box containing six £1 notes. Before this, again, he chased two

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THOMAS LEWIS: Postmaster.

Beaufort, May 12th, 1876.

Death. BRUCE.—On the 9th inst., at Beaufort, of Scarlet fever, Mary, youngest daughter of Joseph and Sarah Bruce, aged 14 months.

#### THE Pipouslire Alvocate. Published every Saturday Morning.

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1876.

WE have great pleasure in announcing to our readers that this journal to-day completes its second year, consequently it is fitting to record our thanks to the inhabitants of Beaufort and district for the support which has been accorded to us. During our term we have with the ability we command endeavored to advance the interests of the town and people: we shall continue to .do so if sufficient support is granted, whereby we can accomplish that end without any monetary loss. Beaufort at the present time is not in such a flourishing state as we have seen it previously, keep capital within its limits, which at present | local agent. often finds its way to Melbourne and other places, we have no doubt that at the expiration of another 12 months the beneficial effects of this argument will be realised by all. It has ooking up again, and we hope that other large quantities. No one will deny that we operations of the farmers. have in our midst payable leads that once struck, and payable gold obtained will open up a large tract of country, that will place Beaufort in a first class position. We must compliment the Shire Council on the work that they have done during the past months, also the members of this division of the Mining Board, for the interest they have taken in the

The English mail will be despatched from Melbourne on Tuesday, May 16th. The mails will close at the Beaufort post office as follows:-Registered letters, 4.30 p.m. Monday, 15th May; ordinary letters and newspapers, 5 o.m. Monday, 15th May. Money orders will be issued up to 4 p.m. on Monday, 15th May.

of land that can be utilised by that class.

Owing to several of the miners of the Market Reserve Company having given up work, a usual, and each received two months' im- meeting of the Beaufort Furnishing Company prisonment with hard labor, cumulative upon | was held at the Camp hotel on Monday evening, the unexpired portions of the sentences they when it was resolved to keep the water out of the shaft for one week, so as to enable those miners of the Market Reserve Company who wished to continue, to form a new company to

work the ground. The New Victoria Company, Waterloo, yielded 33oz. 9dwt. last week. This week they

obtained 15oz, for three days work. At the Beaufort Police-court on Thursday, before P. C. Crespigny, Esq., P.M., the following cases were dealt with:-P. De Baere v. R. Smith; goods sold; no appearance of defendant; order for £2 4s. 6d. Charles Baker and Co. v. sold £1 2s. 6d.; order for 5s. and 5s. costs. Police v. Sigh Song and High Chong; creating a disturbance at the Chinese Camp; fined 10s. and 5s. costs each, in default 48 hours imprisonlatter peferred to go to gaol. Grown from whom copies may be obtained to Lands Bailiff v. G. Morris; cutting wood without a license; fined 2s. 6d. and 5s. costs, 14 days allowed to pay. Same v. Joseph Keeble; was 3,572, and the number of departures during cutting wood without a license; fined 5s. and 13s. costs. Same v. Henry Walsh; cutting wood without a license; fined 1s. and 8s. costs. Same license; fined 5s. and 13s. costs, 14 days allowed wood without a license; fined 5s. and 13s. costs. costs. Same v. John Pitcher; removing timber off Crown lands without a license; fined 1s. and 7s. costs. The license for the George Hotel was, tion of this plan.—"Argus." transferred from A. Poeppel to J. W. Browne.

The match between Frank Hewitt and Watson, of Scone, was run at Maitland on Satur- with the Burrumbeet outlage: North of Ireday, the latter won by about a yard. Time, within 25 yards from the winning post. The and whiskers worn all round, moustache of rain caused the ground to be very sloppy.

We have been informed that a letter was received by the secretary of the United Fire Brigades' Demonstration from the Commissioner of

The entries for the Fire Brigades' demonstration. The official return of gold from tion, to be held at Ballarat on the 23rd and 24th treasury, Sandhurst, for the month of March, inst., give a total of 957 men, 38 hose-reels, 6 shows that the yield is 28,051oz. against 22,513oz. manual engines, 5 apparatus carriages, with 8 obtained for February, and 24,299 for March, bands of music, besides those belonging to the 1875, showing a large increase as compared with Ballarat brigades. It is probable that there either of these two last-named periods. For the will be 1000 men, bands included, at the demon- first three months of the present year 72,714oz. stration. A new principle of competition has of gold have been obtained; for the corresponding been adopted this year, of pairing off the hose- period of 1875 only 63,463oz were sent in, or an reel parties to compete against each other in ties increase of near 10,000oz. in favor of the preto be decided after the first competition. The sent year. following are the entries and the result of the drawing:-Hose practice-Fitzroy v. Beaufort, hurst City, Ararat v. Wellington, Eaglehawk commissioner of police. Clunes, Maryborough runs a bye. Engine Practice-Ballarat, Geelong, Ballarat City, Sandhurst, City, Dunedin, Sandhurst No. 1, Long Gully, Talbot. Ladder and Hose Practice Maldon, Long Gully, Buninyong, Carlton Brewery, Beaufort, Maryborough, Eaglehawk, Dunedin, Sandhurst City, Sandhurst Temperance, Ballarat City, Ararat, Sandhurst No. 1, above order. The Handle of the

The first case of scarlet fever that has proved fatal in Beaufort occurred in the family of Mr. J. Bruce, on Tuesday morning, the victim being a child 14 months old. Every precaution was taken by the police at the funeral to prevent the spread of the disease. Mr. Farley's child is now out of danger and on a tair way towards recovery.

We have received the "Illustrated Australian News" for the present month. It contains the and said he was perfectly satisfied. following engravings;-"Wreck of the steamer Banshee on Hindhinbrook Island, Queensland," "Tunnel and Culting on the Newton Boyd road. New England district, N.SW.;" "Shooting wild pigs;" "Holiday rambles.—Western Port Phillip Island;" 'Fatal attack on the officers and crew of H.M.S. Barracouta, at Samoa;" "The long room of the new Custom House;" "Wairoa River and Punt, Province of Hawke's Bay, but, nevertheless, if the townspeople will N. Z.;" The Collingwood City fete." Copies endeavor to pull in the same direction and may be obtained from Mr. Henningsen the

> The contractor for the new shaft of the New Warrior Company, Lexton, is down 51 feet, and expects to touch the water shortly. "Talbot

Rain has fallen here for the last few days. often been the custom of some of our which has been anxiously looked for by the residents when in want of any article no miners and farmers of this district. The miners matter how trifling to send elsewhere for it, have had to cart their washdirt for miles to where this suicidal policy not only acts detrimentally | they could obtain sufficient water to wash it; in to the township, but must in an indirect some cases the yield of gold would only pay for manner tell against the party who adopts it. the cartage. Parties who could not obtain water Mining in the neighborhood appears to be at an easy distance from their claims have had to paddock up the dirt, pending the fall of rain and others had to abandon their shafts. The companies besides the Victoria Company will dry weather that we have experienced for the succeed in obtaining the precious metal in past few months has also greatly hindered the

> The Shire of Ripon offers a reward of £5 for information that will lead to the conviction of any person or persons, doing any injury to the water race or works connected with the Beaufort Water Supply.

Mr. Alex. Cumming has been authorised to collect all outstanding accounts that are owing to the estate of the late Mr. F. R. Scharn. miners' wellfare, in objecting to the alienation

Some interesting information in regard to the electorates of the colony has been published. The returns show that the number of electors at the general election in 1874 was 145,486, of whom 113,850 were ratepayers, and 29,936 were non-ratepayers. The number of electors left off the the rolls through non-payment of rates was 35,274.

The crew of the immigrant ship Sthrathearn, from Glasgow, while the vessel lay at anchor in Keppel Bay mutinied, and severely wounded the second mate. The cabin was barricaded against the mutineers, who took possession of the ship. The chief officer telegraphed to Captain Anderson at Rockhampton that unless armed assistance was sent the mutineers would probably seize the ship's boats and decamp. Upon receipt of the message twelve constables were sent to render assistance. "Telegraph"

telegram. The the "Australasian Sketcher" for trans mission abroad by the outgoing mail is to hand It contains the following illustrations:-"An Octopus in Portland Bay;" "The model Lodging-House: Late Lodgers;" "The long room of the new Custom House;" "Government House, and Willows and Aviary, Botanic garders, Adelaide; "Terminus of the Main Line Railway, Hobart Town;" "A border town;" "Mr. W. J. Clarke. Sunbury;" "Arabs and their Captives;" "Railway timber Viaduct, Bridgewater, Tasmania; "Tiki Tapu, or Blue Lake, N. Z.;" "Group of Ferns, Hunt road, Tasmania;" "Scene at the storming of Messrs. Stevenson and Sons' ment; the former paid the fine, and the Warehouse:", Mr. Henningsen is the local agent,

The number of persons who arrived in the colony by sea during the month of March last the same period was 3,239. SHRU ALA /41

The Premier has taken certain preliminary steps towards retrenchment in the civil service. v. Thomas Stanfield; cutting wood without a and with this object we understand notice has been given to all civil servants above the age of states the "Owesgo Times," a peculiar smell simple, and the experience of this company to pay. Same v. Charles Rusenburg; cutting 60 years that they will be required to retire, in accordance with the Civil Service Act. This Same v. Josia Pitcher; removing timber off order will, of course, not apply in some excep-Crown lands without a license; fined 1s. and 7s. tional instances, where the services of the gentlemen concerned are of special value, or where no saving would be gained by the adop-

The following is the latest description furnished by the police of the person who is charged land man, 30 to,32 years old, 5ft. 9in! or 10in. tures, dissipated and down-looking appearance, generally wears moleskin trousers crimean shift, tweed coat, wide awake hat, blucher boots,

The "Police Gazette" notifies that members of the police force are desired to note that City of Collingwood v. Carlton Brewery, Sand- analyses in connection with police proceedings hurst Temperance v. Richmond, Maldon v. or prosecutions are not in future to be obtained Prahran, Sandhurst No. 1 v. Kilmore, Talbot v. from any other person than the Government Dunedin, Kangaroo Flat v. Castlemaine, Ballarat analyst at Melbourne, without prior authority City v. Long Gully, Creswick v. Geelong, Bal- being secured (by telegram, if necessary) from

The Melbourne correspondent of the "Hampden Guardian" writes:—A very funny story in connection with an attempt to defraud Her Maldon, Wellington, Newton, and Chilwell, Majesty's Customs was told to me, and will bear repetition. A friend of mine purchased, as a favor, a horsehair couch from a wholesale firm, out for some convenient place of concealment, Ballarat The brigades will compete in the time the owner of the house, who happened out much air has long been a popular belief, cigars permeating the atmosphere of his sanctum. His suspicions being aroused, he made for the newly-purchased settee, which he ripped up, and to his astonishment and joy discovered that the squab or seat was filled with prime cigars. His friend, the importer, called next day, and explaining that the couch was of an inferior quality, offered to exchange it for one of better workmanship. My friend declined the offer,

A case of considerable importance to poundkeepers and owners of cattle that may be impounded came before the Bungaree bench on Mulligan goldfield, 2nd April, which we Wednesday. Nine head of cattle, the property of Mr. John Carroll, had been impounded in the Bungaree Shire Pound. The owner followed them and found them still in the yards, not having been yet turned into the pound paddock. The poundkeeper charged 2s. per head on the nine cattle for one day's sustenance. Hence the action. The "Ballarat Courier" says:-Mr Gaunt held that although the authorised scale allowed the sum of 2s. per day for sustenance while impounded, this did not justify the poundkeeper in charging unless sustenance was actually provided for the cattle. This not having been done, the poundkeeper was fined the sustenance also to be refunded to plaintiff.

PERE HYACINTHE AT GENEVA. Grace Greenwood writes to the "New York Times" concerning Pere Hyacinthe's position in have been washed out since the upheaval of Geneva, from which it appears that he preaches in a low, close, upper chamber, in a dingy, obscure building near the Cathedral. The larger portion of his audience is made up of tourists, including many Americans. The service is very 400 of whom seemed to be dissatisfied out of simple, the Pere being assisted by two young that number. The average is stated to be gentlemen in ordinary dress. There is a little chanting, a few genutiexions, and the elevation of the host, which is followed by the reading of working with about the same results, so that prayers and singing, in which latter the congregation join. The sermon is delivered in a flowing white embroidered robe, which is very becoming to the Napoleonic face and figure of the preacher. Of his experiences in Geneva it is said:-We were told that a year or two ago Pere Hyacinthe had a large congregation of disaffected Catholics and liberal Protestants, but that he found that his fame and power were being used to build up a sect which might be as intolerant and arrogant as another, and loving Mitchel to provide deep leads and reefs for a religious liberty and purity with a passion of future generation of diggers. I should not before the public. Is it becoming of daily strongest adherents, and made a new departure. He is not a man to be a great zealot or a small pope. Now his little flock of honest men and women is to his mind, and he preaches to them as grandly as ever be preached to crowds of devotees, and of the rich and noble, from the pulpit of the Madeleine or Notre Dame. It must be confessed that he is not much loved in Geneva by the religious (strictly speaking) portion of the community. Religious party lines are drawn too straight to take him in on either side. The Calvinists distrust, the Catholics hate him. He has been often insulted by coarse bigots and ignorant zealots. Usually he takes no notice of these insults, but occasionally he turns upon his tormentors and deals with them in a summary and salutary fashion. A short time before our visit to Geneva he was one day accosted in the street by a waggon-ful of market women, who screamed after him such opprobrious epithets as "apostate," "traitor," "renegade." M. Loyson is a gallant man, but he thought this was going a little too far. He called a few gendarmesfortunately every fifth man you meet in Geneva is a gendarme—and had the vociferous ladies arrested. They were taken to the police court and fined and reprimanded for their exhuberant piety and untempered zeal But such things

### CHLOROFORMING A CAR FULL OF La lett continue PASSENGERS.

20 1-10s. Hewitt leading by a few yards high, fair complexion, blue eyes, brown hair the utmost effrontery. "I'll coffee you," said interest; but when the manufacturer finds the Oswegonian, as his olfactories took in a the home market glutted, and looks abroad lighter colour, straight nose, rather thin fea- full dose of the anesthetic, which was fast tor buyers, he finds himself compelled to escaping. "Here conductor, Dick, help! compete with other makers who have not to Up with the windows; seize the rascal! We pay 60 per cent. upon their raw material, are being chloroformed. It is the same fellow and he cannot possibly win a race in which and carries a swag consisting of one blanket who chloroformed a whole passenger train on he his so heavily handicapped. In order,

the sub- sterling air forced through the car to counter- establishment in Great Britain to supply the prompt measure.

#### A MAN KILLED BY A MOUSE.

An extraordinary occurrence came to light at an inquest held recently on the body of a man in South London. It appears that in a work-room where many young girls were at at work, a mouse suddenly made its appearlart v. Daylesford, Collingwood City v. Sand- the Crown Law department through the chief ance on a table, causing, of course, considerable commotion and a general stampede. The intruder was seized, however, by a young man who happened to be present, but the mouse sleeve came out between his waistcoat and shirt at the neck. The unfortunate man had his mouth open, and the mouse, on the look imported from England. The couch was sent entered the man's mouth, and he, in his home, and a fire was lighted in the parlor last fright and surprise, swallowed it. That a Saturday to celebrate the event. After a short mouse can exist for a considerable time withnot to be a smoker, noticed a strong flavor of and was unfortunately proved to be a fact in the present instance, for the mouse began to bite and tear inside the man's throat and chest, and the result was that the unfortunate fellow died after a little time in horrible, agony. Several witnesses having corroborated the above facts, and medical testimony as to the cause of death having being given, a verdict of accidental death was returned.

### THE HODGKINGSON RUSH.

the river, well beaten down tracks diverge

in every direction, making the road from 85

miles to 120, according to taste. Every hundred yards or thereabout a reef of quartz, overlaid or else covered by micacious schist, or porphyritic quartzite, which is a pretty good indication of the presence of gold. The reefs passed over en route appeared to be just this place being under or overlaid by the same strata. The schists get harder and more compact as it gets nearest the range, and consequently older, the hardness depend nominal sum of 1s. and 21s. costs, the 18s. for ing on the amount of silca infiltered into its composition, which will account for the variety of names by which it is known. All the country as far as we could see appeared to be auriferous, but to what extent remains to be found out. The gullies and river beds the slates, and the desert sandstone appears to have overlaid nearly the whole of the district. We had a look at what is known as Cornish Jim's rush, or Williamstown. Supposed to be about 500 men on the rush. 11dwr. per day per man. At M'Leod's alluvial rush there are about 1000 mcn anything you may hear from the successful or unsuccessful, you have got to average it. The statements are not meant to mislead, but people under excitement will believe anything. The rainfull you may set down as seventy inches per mouth during the rainy season; the rivers rose forty to fifty feet, and the gullies run with a velocity equal to shifting stones over one ton in weight, so that the gold is all shotty and in patches, and the finer gold has gone away down to the advise anyone who can earn 1s. per hour anywhere to come here; and yet there is plenty of gold in the country for those who can afford to risk the chance of being one of the "five per cent." who are lucky. All the quartz for ten miles around this place has oeen prospected, and anything looking like a reef has been pegged out. There are five, in- moral character. Many of the youths were said to be very good, two of them very rich, and the rest may be so. At present there is little chauce for anyone not well provided with supplies. All the alluvial payable with the tin dish has been worked out. The less said about the roads or tracks the better; but the track from Byerstown to the diggings, excepting the three rivers, will be waterless in the dry season, though well grassed. The last bullock was killed to-day; more are expected next week. There are two shanties; two blacksmiths; further information by next opportunity. Meat 1s., and flour 1s. 6d.

## · PROTECTION IN AMERICA.

One of the American manufacturing companies has just given the world an illustration of the weak side of the protectionist system. There are about a dozen factories in the United States which manufacture iron screws; but the American Screw Company takes the leading position. It has its headquarters in Providence City, but it has just refuses further advances. The breach purchased a good business position in Canada in order to erect a second factory. Why As the passenger train from Carlotte, on the American tariff is such a blessing to the Lake Shore road, was coming to Oswego, manufacturers? The explanation is very was noticed by F. P. Eagle, who was a furnishes an excellent exposition of the workpassenger on board, and on looking round he ing of the protectionist system. Iron pays a discovered that a strange appearance of duty of 60 per cent. in the United States. stupor had come over all the passengers. If the screws are made of imported iron, the His suspicions being aroused, his action was manufacturer has to pay that duty on his prompt and energetic. He was not long in raw material before he begins to operate. If discovering the culprit in a suspicious locking he works upon native material, the cost of it character who occupied a seat in the rear end is no less, and it is still 60 per cent. above of the car. He lit upon him at once, and distinct the natural price. So far as the home covered in his possession a curiously con- market is concerned, the thing is as broad as structed tin can, and demanded to know what it is long, for whatever the manufacturer has he had in it. "Coffee," said the fellow, with to pay he gets back from the consumer with of placing Theodore's son on the throne under El notes. Before this, again, he chased two little girls on the Plenty road, near Grant's Hotel. The Chinaman is under 5ft. in height, and is supposed to have come from Morang. and is supposed to have come from Morang. The Chinaman is under 5ft. in height, and is supposed to have come from Morang. The Chinaman is under 5ft. in height, and is supposed to have come from Morang. The Chinaman is under 5ft. in height, and is supposed to have come from Morang. The Chinaman is under 5ft. in height, and is supposed to have come from Morang. The Chinaman is under 5ft. in height, be Saturday excursion fares, inasmuch as the following from the Morang of the Moran great depth of 1060 doors open in an instanter, and as the train many years since the manufacturers of sewmoved along there was enough of the pure ing machines found it necessary to have an votes, standing 179 against 166.

act the effects of any quantity of the stupefy- North American markets. American printing ether. The culprit was seized by Mr. ing presses intended for non-American Eagle and Conductor Day, and his "can" markets are also made out of America, and was found to contain enough "coffee" to other instances of the same kind might be stupefy a dozen car loads of passengers. A mentioned. Our neighbors in Victoria have vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Eagle by already in a small way developed the same the grateful passengers, who felt that they result. They find out that a protected colony had been saved from robbery, if not worse | means a limited market, and under the evils, by his remarkable self-possession and specious title of intercolonial free-trade they have been seeking to get the whole of Aus tralia as a market protected against the outside world.--" Sydney Echo."

# RUMORS OF THE QUEEN'S ABDICA-

The London correspondent of the "New York Graphic" writes :- "At not long intervals some one in "society" whispers that his wife's uncle, who is on very intimate terms with the bosom confident of Prince Christian or Lichtenstein, had told him that slipped out of his hand, and running up his the Queen had made up her mind to abdicate. The story thus started runs the usual rounds and gathers large proportions, but after a while it dies away again. The story has again been set affoat within the last few days, and, as usual, it is attributed to some remarks made or dropped by some of the Queen's German cousins, who are notoriously very much more in Her Majesty's confidence than any English person. The story, this time, seems to be believed in the German courts, and it has found its way into the continental journals. Probably there is no truth for the rumor, but one cannot be certain. The fear, as well as the wish, is sometimes the father to the thought; and there are many German serenities who would be sorry to see the Prince of Wales take the place of the Queen. They would find their positions altered very much for the worse. An ominous incident is said to have occurred at the close of the The "Cooktown Herald" of the 26th ult. reading of the Queen's speech on the opening contains a letter, dated Hemmant's Town, of Parliament. The Queen, who had been seated on the throne during the reading of the abridge as follows :—" After leaving the left speech, arose to retire, when as the story bank of the Palmer, that is, looking down goes, her crown "fell off and fell upon the loor." This is an exaggeration of what really happened. The Queen wore a small coronet of diamonds, the great crown itself being carried by one of the attendants on the cushion. Part of her Majesty's head dress consisted of two long "weepers," and the ends of these had caught themselves on the throne behind her. When she arose the "weepers" stuck as likely to contain payable gold as those in fast, and they dragged the coronet from its position on her head; the Princess Beatrice started forward and released the "weepers," and that was all there was of it."

## OUR BOYS.

The other day an advertisement appeared n cur columns (says the "Mount Alexander Mail") for two lads and a cook to join a survey party, application to be made to Mr. J. Myring, coachbuilder. There were no less than sixty active and intelligent youths applied, sons of respectable parents resident in the borough; but two only were wanted out of the sixty applicants. The young gentlemen, for such they are, acted on the principal that the early bird caught the worm, and, instead of waiting for the appointed hour, got into their buggy and drove to the residence of the gentleman advertising-a distance of some miles out of Castlemaineand secured the appointments, much to the chagrin of the less active fifty-eight. The destination of the appointed ones is some 400 miles into the interior of New South Wales. the remuneration being £1 per week and found whilst on the journey, at the end of which they are to receive a six months' engagement, together with an additional 5s. per week. And for this there were sixty applicants? Is it to be wondered at, after this, that the question of "What shall we growing importance that the question should receive a more practical answer than that of marrying them to the girls. The applicants in question included youths of from fifteen to twenty-five years of age, in the enjoyment of robust health, many of them possessing a superior education, and nearly all of good recommended by some of our most influential townsmen, but it is, notwithstanding, pleasing to know that the successful candidates were the two who "paddled their own canoe."

# NEWS BY THE CALIFORNIAN MAIL

London, April 2nd. The subject of the prolonged imprisonment and ill-treatment of the crew of the British ship Talisman by the Peruvian Government has been brought before the House of Commons. It is probable that a gun-boat will be sent to Callao to demand their release.

The ex-Empress Eugenie and the Prince Imperial have left Chiselhurst, on a visit to Weimar.

Colonel Gordon, of the African exploration expedition, is expected to reach London in October.

A "Times" special from Odessa says that a million and a quarter is still wanting to complete the payment of the Turkish coupons due in January last. The Ottoman Bank between the Government and the bank is daily widening.

Mr. Plimsoll's amendment in the Merchant Shipping Bill that every British vessel before leaving any port in the United Kingdom must have a certificate of seaworthiness has been rejected. The Government opposed it on the ground that it lessened the responsibilities of shipowners.

The "Times" Alexandra correspondent says that the King of Abyssinia has sent envoys asking for peace. He afterwards made impossible demands for a treaty of commerce before the treaty of war was signed and the payment of war expenses. It is reported that Prince Tigre has revolted, and is marching on Adowa. Many persons favor the idea guarantee.

Owing to the dullness of the trade, the workmen at the Great Atlas and Cyclops Ironworks, Sheffield, have been discharged. The plague has reached Bagdad, where there are ten cases. The Egyptian sanitary

Trollope have been added to the Copyright the old alluvial miners at Ballarat, Bendigo;

The bullion in the Bank of England has that the lead is unprecedented for its unincreased £336,000 during the week ending reliable character. Some men have been March 30th.

The "Times" of March 29th had an article on the subject of the adventures of the point of abandoning their claim as a duffer, survivors or the emigrant ship Strathmore, which concludes thus :- "The vessel which at length arrived to rescue them was a United States whaler, on her course to the South Sea fisheries. Her captain, we are told, gave up the chance of the season's profits for the sake of the poor creatures he found at comparatively calm, there was an unusually Crozets, and who needed an amount of care heavy sea rolling in from the westward, they could not receive if he had not taken them with him. We are sure that the English nation will judge as it deserves of the sacrifice to which Captain Gilmore submitted, an avalanche. Some of the waves attained and will not fail to do honor, and something a height of some 30 or 40 feet before breaking, more than bare honor, to the deed and to the

The capital required for testing the practicability of the English Channel tunnel is being rapidly subscribed. The French company has already 2,000,000f., half the the day, and it certainly well repaid their amount required, and the English company is nearly as far advanced. Experiments will be in active progress before long.

France proposes to join England, Russia. Germany, and China in common action against this turmoil in the sea, the day was calm and the Chinese pirates.

Baron Rodich, the Austrian Peace Com- some heavy weather away to the westward. missioner, had broken off negotiations with Turkish officials. The pacification commissioner of the latter Government has issued a proclamation to refugees, granting them Brookly during the week, and getting the the property of absentees will be confiscated.

The "Times" Berlin correspondent, March opposition to such plans, the "Gazette" con- simple process."

Russia for this purpose.

The Geographical Society of Paris has con- the folly of being your own lawyer.

the French Government, and soliciting its few days.

direction in order to prevent the Khedive's The "Colac Herald" relates that "Mr. signature from being dishonored to-day in George Marriner, jun., a few days since, London. The Duke Decazes, Minister of while on an exploring tour in the Otway Foreign Affairs, on receiving the telegram on Forest, came upon an amphibious creature Friday, convoked a Cabinet Council, and sub- lying dead on the beach between Apollo Bay sequently a meeting of the principal Paris and Cape Otway. It was cast high and dry bankers was held, at which it was agreed to upon the beach, but it appeared only to have give the required support, and the necessary been dead a very short time. Mr. Marriner sum was immediately despatched to London."

Emperor William at Berlin en route to Ems, there at that time. Mr. Marriner estimates at the end of April.

Department of State. The proceedings thing like a cowskin, to Colac. From an inagainst him are to be conducted in contama- spection of the skin we should say that it cion, if he fails or refuses to appear at Potsdam on April 28th.

near Stuttgart on March 28th, with imposing

It is mentioned in Berlin that the Imperial revenue for 1875 falls 2,800,000 dol. short of what was expected.

It was rumored in Berlin on April 2nd, that the forthcoming interview between Queen that the forthcoming interview between Queen Victoria and the Emperor William is for the purpose of ceding to Germany the right of the Duke of Edinburgh as heir resumntive best venicle for diffusing the tome properties of any medicinal preparation throughout the system is a pure, wholesome spirit. The presumntive sence of distilled spirit in an invigorant, probetter to deceive the Duke of Edinburgh as heir-presumptive to the Duchy of Saxe-Coburg Gotha.

Von Moltke will probably resign his position as chief of the military staff, and be succeeded by General Wartensleben.

## GENERAL NEWS.

found by a European the same day. It is tations under similar names; purchasers of this engraved thereon. On the label is the address,

James Anthony Froude and Anthony told, extremely remarkable. It puzzles all Maryborough, and Castlemaine. They say known to drive right to their boundary without seeing the color, and when just on the have discovered nuggets within a few feet of the shaft, and afterwards found that they had

been leaving rich stuff underfoot. The "Belfast Gazette" mentions an extraordinary phenomenon as having occurred on Wednesday last. Although the day was comparatively calm, there was an unusually heavy sea rolling in from the westward, causing one of the greatest currents known to run through the South-west Chaunel, through which it poured with the speed and power of an avalanche. Some of the waves attained a height of some 30 or 40 feet before byeaking. and then as they met the obstruction of the rocky shore, dashed the spray to an inconceivable height, accompanied with a noise quite deafening. A number of the townspeople visited the western shore throughout visit, as the whole produced a most grand effect. The new dyke has sunk in several places in consequence of the sand being washed from under it: Notwithstanding all mild, and the barometer registered 30-30; but It was stated in London, March 30th, that though not locally felt, there must have been Referring to the Beecher case, the New

York "Nation." of February 24th observes: -" The Advisory Council has been sitting in a month to return to their homes, after which evidence relating to the points submitted to them by a sort of desultory examination of witnesses, apparently in a spirit of great fair-29th, makes the important statement that ness. Mr. Beecher has taken occasion twice the Russian press is gradually withdrawing during the proceedings to challenge the world from the conservative possition assumed at to bring forward charges against him, and the beginning of the rebellion in Herzegovina. once, after appealing to any angels there might Neither the necessity of keeping Turkey be of unusual 'prescience and omniscience' intact nor the inexpediency of Russia acting to reveal the truth about him, called on God conjointly with Austria is now insisted upon. to do the same thing-a performance which The official "Invalide Russ," on the contrary, brought down the tumultuous applause of the attributes the dangerous position of the in-surgents to Austria's partiality for Turkey, results. The call for a council forwarded by forgetting entirely that Austria's proceedings the Andover church has been published, and have long been supported by Russia. The is a sensible and well-drawn document, con-" Moscow Gazette," which is always well taining the reasons for further enquiry with informed in foreign matters, has suddenly which everybody is familiar, but it has apchanged its tone. It proposes that the parently not been well received by the Turkish troops be withdrawn from Herze- Plymouth Church, the managers of which, govina, and the province either ceded to or by frequent protrusions of the main quesplaced under the administration of the Prince tion' into the proceedings of the council now of Montenegro, who in return might be in- sitting, are apparently desirous of giving its duced to recognise the Sultan as his Suzerain. finding the air of a judgment on the whole This suggestion is put forward because the case. It looks more and more as if the ordeal "Gazette" thinks that all hope of carrying of fire or of water would have finally to be out reforms as a programme must be resorted to. The importance of the church abandoned while there are Turkish troops in Appears to attach to Mr. Beecher's appeals to Herzegovina, and while the Porte is penni-Almighty God to make known his innocence, less and impotent to do anything effectual. looks as if they thought the divine inter-Without mentioning Austria's well-known position might be visibly secured by some

cludes by inviting England to co-operate with | Mr. Ridout, the late proprietor of the "Morning Post," was his own lawyer and Two other St. Petersburg journals, the made his own will. The result is a little "Golos" and "Vedomosti," assure the South | curious. Describing himself in the testament Slavoniaus that although Russia is hardly in as the owner of the fashionable daily, he left, a position to succour them at once, she will by special clause sums varying from £25 to neither coerce them by violent measures, nor £50 to all his servants who had been five allow another power to coerce them. If the years in his employ. Clearly he meant his South Slavonians feel strong enough to rise domestic servants, those employed in his against the Turks, Russia, according to the household-but laving described himself as "Vedomosti," will guarantee the neutrality a newspaper proprietor, the word takes an of other parts. This language strangely differs extensive range, and everybody employed on from intelligence semi-officially propagated; the "Morning Post" is held to be a legatee. but, as under Russian press laws, it could Consequently, from the porter to the editornot be held with impunity if unapproved, the compositors, reporters, correspondents, the existence of opposite currents cannot be whole literary staff is the richer. They inherit by mistake. The story illustrates again

ferred a gold medal on Nachtigal, the German | One of the most extraordinary discoveries explorer of Africa, and invited him to Paris | which ever came under our notice (writes the to receive it. The incident is reported as "Border Post") is that made in the interior of indicating increased friendliness.

The "Message de Paris" of April 1st says:

"England has done her best to delay the Goldsborough and Co. The discovery regreat financial proposition enabling Egypt to meet her payments falling due in London today. The Khedive has consequently despatched two telegrams, one authorising the in a perfect state. It will afford matter for British Government to publish Cave's report, speculation for the savans of Melbourne, and the other appealing to the friendship of where it will be exhibited in the course of a

had passed the spot where it was found some The Emperor of Russia will visit the three or four hours previously, and it was not that it weighed about 8cwt when he first saw The charge of high treason against Count it. He skinned it, and brought the skin, Von Arnim has been finally adopted by the which is covered with long smooth hair, somebelongs to a seal, in fact, there can be little doubt about it. The mammal had evidently Ferdinand Freiligrath, the poet, was buried received its death blow in a combat with some congener, as it was wounded in one or

> All persons of intelligence are aware, or should be, in this century of enlightment, that the bearinsome instansence of distilled spirit in an invigorant, provided it be pure, is considered by physicians to greatly promote the operation of the remedial principles in combination with it. This is one of Sydney and elsewhere, and readily finds its reason why medical men so strongly recommend Udolpho Wolfe's Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps frauds, as I do not allow my Medicines even to as a remedy for debility.

beach by the wash of the sea." ....

## OXYGEN IS LIFE.

Wilcannia. The "Times" says there is scarcely any of it in the town. On the Paroo, a few weeks back, a squatter paid £70 for seven bags. Provisions of every kind are none to plentiful, and, as there was no probability of river navigation for the next five or six months. it was anticipated that provisions of every kind are none to plentiful, and, as there was no probability of work of a permanent cure by the new remedy. Phospodyne.—Multitudes of people are circulary by the same people are ci river navigation for the next five or six months, it was anticipated that provisions would become very dear.

The Inglewood correspondent of the Bendigo Advertiser" reports that another fine nugget has been found at Hard's Hills on Thursday by Chinamen. It weighed from 8lb. to 12lb. Another piece of 7oz was found by a European the same day. It is found by a European the same day. It is said that three Chinaman sold 58lb weight of gold in the neighboring township on the previous Tuesday. The erratic manner in which the gold runs at this rush is, we are



Government Advertisements. CONVEYANCE OF MAILS, 1876, 1877, 1878

FOURTH CALL

undertake the service; the money to be ledged to the credit of the Députy Postmaster-General, and to be absolutely forfeited to the Government in case the person whose tender may be accepted shall fail to complete, within ten days of the date of notice being given of the acceptance of his tender, the usual bond and contract to the satisfaction of the Government. The attention of tenderers is drawn to the condition which requires that in case were validles are used. Members of Parlianum in cases were vehicles are used, Members of Parliament shall be conveyed free of charge between the districts they represent and the districts in which they reside and Melbourne.

415. To and from Beaufort and Eurambeen, three days a week.

416. To and from the Post Office and Railway Station;
Buanger, four times a day.

434. To and from Buanger and Ballyregan State School, three days a week.

ROBERT RAMSAY,

Postmaster General. General Post Office, Melbourne, 11th April, 1876.

Shire of Ripon,

£5 REWARD.

BEAUFORT WATER SUPPLY WORKS.

REWARD of FIVE POUNDS will be paid by the A REWARD of FIVE POUNDS will be paid by the Council of the Shire of Ripon, for Information that will lead to the Conviction of any person or persons loing any Injury to the Water Race, or Works connected therewith.

By order, D. G. STEWART, Riponshire Offices, Beautort, 8th May, 1876.

SCHEDULE A.—Rule 4.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR GOLD MINING LEASE,

THE undersigned, hereby give notice that, within six day from the date hereof, I will leave with the Warden of the Mining Division of Raglan, an applica-tion for a Gold Mining Lease, the particulars whereof are hereunder set forth :nor hereunder set forth :
Name in full of each applicant, with the full address of each, and style under street, Ballarat. New Victoria Gold Mining

Company.

of each, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on earried on ... ...)
Extent of ground applied

for, and whether on or (Ten acres; both on and below the surface, or both, or a lode ... Name of each person (if)

For the first six months, Minimum number of men to be employed ...

3 men; subsequently, when in full work, as many men as can be profitably employed. Precise locality of the Paddy's Gully, Waterloo ground ... ... Flat, near Beaufort. ground ... ... Flat, near Bea
Term required ... Fifteen years. Time of commencing opera- \ When lease is granted.

Amount of money proposed to be invested, and in £1000; steam machinery what manner the land and manual labor. is to be worked ... Whether the boundaries of)

the land applied for will include any river, creek, deposit of permanent Cleared road. water, spring, artificial reservoir, public roads, or subject to any public

General remarks ... ... \ None. Date and place—Beaufort, May 12th, 1876. JAMES GIBBS.

WARNING TO APPLICANTS.—If at any time after the execution of the lease granted on this application a less number of men be employed, or it the ground shall not be worked to the best advantage, then and in either case the lease will be forfeited.

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GARDENING FOR MAY.

The Garden this month requires more than ordinary attention. The gardener will find as the season advances that there is no end of work on hand, and that he must be constantly doing. All draining and trenching operations, where possible, should be finished before the wet season fairly sets in. The flower borders will now require a thorough digging and tidying up, giving at the same time some good rotten manure, if available, or a good sprinkling of bone dust. Good 10tten manure is much to be preferred, if properly prepared by turning over, so as to destroy all weed seeds; where such is not to be got, however, bene dust is the next best.

A few annuals may still be sown, and plant out any of the foregoing sowings as soon as they are of sufficient size to handle. Annuals, as they appear above the ground, should have a good dressing of soot, to keep away slugs, Verbena layers, where sufficiently rooted, may now be planted; and surplus plants may be put into a bed by themselves, where they can be protected from slugs; they can be removed in spring to wherever wanted. Lawns and grass plots that have been exhausted, thin, and unsightly by traffic, may be sown over again, and some good, rich, wellprepared soil may be put on and evenly raked. which after a few showers of rain, will have a refreshened and healthy appearance.

Climbing plants that have become unsightly by a too luxuriant growth may now be cut back and trained as desired. Those very abundant blooming plants, Tecoma, Capensis and T. Radicans, may be trained to a wall or fence; the latter is very effective 'when well cut back into the form of a bush, and is a very showy border plant. The following shrubs may now be cut back-Ambutilen, Orleanders, Buddleyas, and all shrubs that have a tendency to make a long naked growth. Attention should be paid to the clipping of hedges, cleaning out drains, &c. It is also very desirable that bulbs of the valuable kinds should have attention paid to them as soon as they appear above the ground, so that they may be protected from the slugs. Tulips and hyacinths, pests are especially fond of, and when not secured from them, both are seriously injured in a very short time. A very good plan is to put around the bulb on the surface some clean river sand, and dust occasionally with lime or soot.

The Orchard-All late apples and peas should be gathered at once, and stored; all fruit trees should be looked over for red spider, scale, and apple blight. American blight on the apple trees will need immediate attention, for within the last few weeks it has increased to such an extent in large orchards that it will tax the grower's time to keep it in check. Prune Almonds, Plums, and Cherries this month as soon as the leaves have fallen, in the order named. Now is the time to take notice of all stunted and unhealthy growing trees, and replant with young vigorous growing ones. It is but a loss of time to be nursing a dwarfed and unsightly specimen, except where it is a special and rare variety. In replanting in the same spot, it is desirable that the old soil be removed, and the tree replanted in fresh soil, with some bone dust or well-rotted manure. Now also is a very good time to plant that very desirable but, much-neglected fruit, the Guava (Pisidium Cattleyanum), it will grow well in any light, rich loam, not exposed to severe frosts, and will root from layer freely.

No time should be lost in preparing ground that is intended for gooseberries, and getting it ready to receive the plants. Gooseberries should be planted earlier than any other kind of fruits; when planted late they never do so well, and perhaps die. They thrive in any garden soil that has been enriched with good rotton manure, deeply worked, and well drained. The following varieties may be planted with confidence:-In red varieties, Companion, Red Robin, Lonpon Slaughterman, are very fine; Glenton Green, Green Gascoigne, Plunder, and Telegraph, are green varieties; Leveller, Leader, High Sheriff, and King Cole. These are but a few of the many named varieties, and comprise some of the finest in cultivation.

Strawberry bedsshould now bedug, manured and the dry leaves and runners taken off. Where beds have been planted with unprofitable or worthless varieties, now is the time to replant; by selecting the strongest runners, and planting early in autumn, there is a chance of getting a crop the first year. The soil that suits the strawberry best is a good rich heavy loam; it should be worked deep, with plenty of manure. They should not be planted closer than two feet apart in the rows, and three between, which will allow room to dig and manure between the plants; and in the growing season they should never want for water.

In the Kitchen Garden, the land previously worked will be in a fine friable condition, and fit for the reception of seeds and plants of the culinary vegetables adapted for planting now. As the weather is getting much colder, it is advisable to make early sowings of parsnips, carrots, turnips, and spinach. This is the best month for sowing early peas; sow early kinds of cabbage and cauliflower, and plant out any from seed hed. In making sowings of peas, those that are dwarf in habit are the best, as they require no sticking. Selections from the following may be made:-Bishop's Dwarf, Queen of Dwarfs, Climax, M'Lean's Advancer and Little Gem, Laxton's Peabody, Laxton's Quality, Veitch's Perfection, &c. Onions may be sown for transplanting, also potatoe onions, garlic, and shallots. Rhubarb and asparagus beds should have a rich dressing of manure; the crop altogether depending for excellence on the liberalty bestowed on it in the shape of manure. Hotbeds may be prepared on which to raise early cucumbers. Sow lightly of lettuce, mustard and cress, radishes, &c .- "Australian Journal."

Dr. Bonar states that, as a result of Moody and Sankey's efforts in Glasgow, they can lay their hands on 7000 converts who hold out

An exchange thus wickedly comments upon certain details of fashions of the day:-The latest style in female head-gear is the hanging of a dinner plate on the end of the back hair. Ladies will now miss their hats less than ever when they happen, through forgetfulness, to go out without them. It is an

HINTS FOR THE PREVENTION OF SCARLET FEVER.

(Adapted from a Paper by the Health Committee of Glasgow.)

Parents and others are requested to read this paper carefully, and adopt the instructions which it contains, as well as any given by the medical attendant having the same end in view.

Scarlet fever is a very contagious and a very dangerous disease. A mild case is as contagious as a severe one, and scarlet fever is never so mild that it may not in the long run prove daugerous to life or even fatal One case of scarlet fever is always derived directly or indirectly from some other. It is therefore the duty of all parents or persons who have charge of a case, to remember that they will be responsible for the spread of the disease, and should adopt such precautions as will prevent it. These are all embraced in the words isolation and disinfection.

ISOLATION.

Isolation means the separation of the sick from the neighbourhood of every person not necessary for proper nursing and treatment This may be effected-By keeping the patient at home and cutting off all communication with the healthy. This involves, if done perfeetly, a great many points:-

1. Send the children who are well out of the house; at least keep them out of the sick room.

2. When a choice is possible, select a room large and well-ventilated; and if the weather is not hot, have a fire burning. Never choose the kitchen, as there disease cannot be separated.

3. Remove carpets, curtains, hair-cloth chairs, or sofas, and every unnecessary or absorbent piece of furniture, especially woollen fabrics. Iron bedsteads, hair, or still better, straw mattrasses and kitchen chairs-in short, all articles which will not convey contagion, and which can be easily disinfected-are to be preferred.

4. The room must be occupied only by the patient and person nursing, and never entered by any one unnecessarily. No child belonging to the family should go to school. No person nursing a child in scarlet fever should go shopping or visiting. The gown or outer garment should be a washing print. and stuff dresses should not be worn. Women especially should avoid neighbors' houses where scarlet fever is, particularly during convalescence. Much mischief is done by parents gossiping in each others' houses, and making sympathetic visits in such circum-

5. No teacher of a school should receive a oupil who is known to have had scarlet fever recently, or to belong to a family, any member of which has scarlet fever, until a certificate of freedom from risk of contagion has been presented, signed by a legally qualified medical practitioner.

In order to insure safety, isolation should be maintained at least a month.

The body, and everything about and discharged from the body of a person infected with scarlet fever is infected, and therefore capable of imparting the disease to other persons. Disinfection includes all methods by which prived of infecting power.

Cleanliness, not of a surface sort, but the dust swept up or rubbed down should be fine, being charged on delivery. placed in the heart of the fire and so burned, not thrown among the ashes or into dust bins, and so sent to the public ash-pit.

Ventilation is a part of cleanliness, and is est maintained by leaving the window open at the top two or three inches, and keeping a nice bright fire burning, if the weather is not this be done constantly; but there is danger the person to whom the letter or packet is if now and then, or only when the doctor calls, air admitted to the over-heated room.

Scarlet fever patients always cast their skin. and so long as a particle of old skin is visible there is risk of contagion. The dead skin comes off partly in flakes, but partly also as dust, which flies everywhere and clings to everything. To prevent this, rub the whole sur face of the body over with camphorated oil, or any other agreeable or convenient sweat oil or fat. Do so every night and morning, and whenever the patient is able to bear it give a warm bath, washing the whole body with carbolic acid soap. A succession of such baths, always followed by oiling, until the whole skin is removed, will prevent the infectious dust from flying about, and in the end will disinfeet the patient's body. This oiling and bathing is the most important disinfecting but a few more precautions are desirable.

Use separate bits of rags for wiping the oisonous discharge from the mouth and nose, and burn each bit as it is used.

into the vessels used for the discharges, remembering that the spit or discharge from the throat is particularly poisonous.

each gallon of water, or a table-spoonful of order, the sum of One Shilling for transchloride of lime to each bucket of water; mission of the message. This is a matter all bed and body linen removed from the venience in any case of emergency, such as patient, doing so cautiously, in order not to missing a train or coach, to be able to for scatter adhering particles. This should be ward cash promptly. All that it is requisite done once or twice in the twenty-four hours. to do is simply to advise by telegram of the The linen should remain in the water until order having been sent, when the receiver washed, and should then be well boiled.

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- fraction of two ounces after the first two ounces... ... Newspapers-Of any weight, for every newspaper ... ... ... ... For the United Kingdom.

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ing four ounces ... ... ....
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Prepayment of Postage. The postage upon all lecters, packets, and newspapers must be prepaid by stamps, except it may happen that any postmaster shall not have stamps of the requisite value for sale, in which case the postage may be prepaid in coin, and shall be acknowledged by such postmaster on the face or cover of such letter, packet, or newspaper.

Any inland letter, packet, or newspaper, posted with an unobliterated Victorian postage stamp of any value, is to be transinsufficient; out in cases where the postage shall not be fully prepaid, the letter, packet, or newspaper shall be stamped "More to must be collected before delivery.

Intercolonial and foreign letters, packets, and newspapers posted without any stamp being theron, and unpaid, and intercolonial and foreign letters and packets stamped or paid less than a single rate of postage, are to be sent without delay to the Dead Letter office, to be dealt with according to law.

Letters weighing over half an ounce addressed to the United Kingdom will be forwarded if a single rate (sixpence) be prepaid, and the deficient postage, together with a fine the infected matter or material can be de- equal to a single rate (sixpence), will be charged on delivery.

Letters weighing over half an ounce adthorough, in all the holes and corners of the dressed to South Australia, Queensland, Tashouse, below the furniture as well as in the mania, Western Australia, New Zealand, middle of the floor-in all the folds of the and New South Wales will be forwarded if bedding as well as in the coverlet—is the first they bear twopence postage, the deficiency, and essential step towards disinfection. All together with an additional twopence as a

Registration of Letters. For the registration of letters, stamps to the value of sixpence must be affixed in addition to the postage.

Any letter or packet not registered and believed to contain money or other valuable enclosure, will be registered and the fee for hot. There is no danger of cold draughts, if registration be charged on delivery; but if addressed open it in the presence of a postthe window is drawn down and a rush of cold master or officer of the post office, and it be found not to contain money or other valuable enclosure, the fee will in that case be re-

Letters addressed to the United Kingdom or received from the United Kingdom addressed to Victoria, containing coin, or having the word "registered" written upon them, but upon which the fee for registration | SANATIVE has not been paid, will be compulsory registered and charged on delivery with a double registration fee.

ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

Victorian Rates. From any Electric Telegraph Station in Victoria to any other station in the colony, a uniform charge of One Shilling for a message process wich can be adopted in scarlet fever; of ten words, and a penny for each additional

Intercolonial Rates. From Melbourne to any Telegraph Station in South Australia, Two Shillings for a message Put Chloride-of-lime, Burnett's Fluid, (a of ten words, and twopence for each additional table-spoonful), or carbolic acid or powder, word, to or from any station in Victoria.

Telegraphic Money Orders. Note.—At all towns from which Money Orders are issued, and with which the Prepare a steep in a bucket or tub contain- Electric Telegraph is connected, persons may ing a wine glassful of clear carbolic acid, or a despatch a Post Office Order per telegraph wine glassful and a half of Burnett's Fluid to on paying; in addition to the cost of the bring to the patient's bedside, and put therein well worth knowing, as it is a great conwill apply at the Post Office, and get the

After the last bath, when every particle of puid at all Telegraph Offices in Victoria, and amusing sight to see a lady clad in furs, with old skin is away and recovery perfect, a fresh may also be forwarded to all Telegraph Offices hands carefully protected in a must, walking suit of clothes, from the skin out, should be in South Australia, upon payment of the put on by the patient, and also by the nurse; following rates, including, commission and is bare-headed: but the height of absurdity is and disinfection of the apartment, by fumigacharge for transmisson:—For any sum not reached when the hat that should protect the tion with burning sulphur, and also of the exceeding £5; Victoria 1s. 6d.; South Aushead is hung, like the bobtail of a kite, far bedding and other infected articles, should tralia; 3s. Exceeding £5, but not exceeding £10, Victoria 2s.; South Australia, 4s.

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DR. D. JAYNE'S

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DR. D. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, Sore Throats, Whooping Cough, Bronchiis, Asthma and 4d | Pleurisy; is a prompt and certain palliative in Consumption, and all Pulmonary and Bronchial Disorders, in action freeing the Lungs and Bronchial tubes of irritating and obstructing matters, and healing the ulcerated

Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge is a remedy especially adapted to cure many of Ballarat .... the ordinary ailments of Children, and to Pay" with double the deficient postage, which save them from much suffering. It utterly destroys Worms, the great pests of children, and purges the system of them. Its valuable tonic properties remove General Debility, Sick Headache and Dyspepsia, restoring a good tone to the system, and strengthning the Stomach and Digestive organs.

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English Mails, 1876.

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Victorian Railways.

TIME TABLE.

FROM MELBOURNE TO STAWELL. LEAVE-Melbourne, 6.15 a.m., 3.10. p.m. ARRIVE At Ballarat, 10,25 a.m., 8.15 p.m. LEAVE-Ballarat, 5.10 a.m., 10.55 a.m., 8.30 p.m. Burrumbeet, 5.48 a.m., 11.25 a.m., 9.6 p.m. Beaufort, 6.26 a.m., 12.8 a.m., 9.44 p.m. Buangor, 7.10 a.m., 12.48 a.m. 10.24 p.m. ARRIVE At Ararat, 8.5 a.m., 1.33 p.m., 11.9 p.m.

LEAVE-Ararat, 8.25 a.m., 1,48 p.m., 11.24 p.m. ARRIVE At Stawell, 9.25 a.m., 2.43 p.m., 12.15 p.m. FROM STAWELL TO MELBOURNE. LEAVE-Stawell, 6.45 a.m., 10.30. a.m., 3 p.m. ARRIVE At Ararat, 7.45 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 3.50 p.m.

LEAVE-Ararat, 8.5 a.m., 11.50 a.m., 4 p.m. Buangor, 8.50 a.m., 12.48 a.m., 4.40 p.m. Beaufort, 9.31 a.m., 1.45 p.m., 5.20 p.m. Burrumbeet, 10.20 a.m., 2.25 p.m., 6 p.m. ARRIVE At Ballarat, 11 a.m., 3.5 p.m., 6.45 p.m. LEAVE-Ballarat, 11.30 a.m., 3.25 p.m., 7 p.m. ARRIVE At Melbourne, 3.41 p.m., 8.55 p.m., 11.6 p.m.

FARES. Ballarat First-class. Second-class Is 6d 2s 6d 3s 0d 5s 6d 4s 0d 5s 0d 5s 6d 6s 0d First-class Ararat to Buangor Trawalla ..... 9s 6d 6s 0d

Beaufort Post Office.

TIME TABLE, 1876.

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A mail for Main Lead is made up at Beaufort on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 8.30 a.m.—returning from Main Lead on same days, at 6.30p.m.

The mails for Ararat, Shirley, Melbourne Ballarat, Geelong, Buangor, Trawalla, and Eurambeen are despatched twice daily.

Mails for Main Lead, Raglan, Charlton, and Waterloo are despatched three times a

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The Pills and Ointment are sold at Professor Hollo-WAY's Establishment, 533, Oxford street, London: also by nearly every respectable Vendor of Medicine throughout the Civilised World, in Loxes and Pots. The smallest

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

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Relaxed and congested throats, clongated uvula ulcerated or turgid tonsils, whooping cough, croup, wheezing from accumulated nucous, and other difficult ties of respiration, also palpitation, stitches and short ness of breath, may, with certainty, be cured by rubbing this healing Ointment over the chest and back for at least half an hour twice a day, assisted by appropriate doses of Holloway's Pills.

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NO. 106.

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Henry Davis, and hopes by strict attention to business

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Stays, Underclothing, Hosiery,

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#### BALLARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

Wednesday's market was fairly supplied, and a good business done at the following quotations :—Wheat, 5s. 6d. to 5s. 8d.; feed onts, 2s. 10d. to 3s. 1d.; seed oats, 3s. 3d. to 3s. 6d. Cape barley, 2s. 8d.; English do., 4s. 3d. to 4s. 8d.; peas, 2s. 11d.; potatoes, L2 15s.; wheat straw, 45s.; oaten do., 60s.; manger hay, L4 to L5 10s.; sheaves, L4 10s.; flour, L12 2s. 6d. to L12 7s. 6d.; bran, 1s. 3d., pollard, 1s. 5d.-

#### ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

The market remains firm in wheat, flour, and oats, at last week's quotations. Potatees are scarcer, and dealers want more than L4 per ton from the drays. Dairy produce remains very scarce, especially eggs. Hay is 5s. higher per ton. The following are the quotations:—Wheat, per bushel, 5s. 3d. to 5s. 4d.; oats, 2s. 9d; to 3s.; pollard, 1s. 6d.; bran, 1s. 4d.; barley; 3s.; flour, per ton, L11 10s. to L12; potatoes, L4; fresh butter, per lb., 1s. 6d.; potted do., 1s. 3d.; cheese, 8d. to 9d.; hams, 1s.; bacon, 10d.; eggs, per dozen, 2s.; hay, per ton, L4 to L4 5s.; chaff, per cwt. 4s. 6d.-

### BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSRS, HEPBURN AND LEONARD REPORT :--Fat Cattle.—S9 head, principally stores, for Messrs. J. and J. Beveridge, Middle Creek; A. Taylor, Farlie; and others, at highest market rates. Fat Calves .- 9 for Mr. T. Hamilton, Sandon, and others, to 45s. Fat Sheep. -579 cross-bred wethers and ewes for Mr. J. G. Ware, Koort-Koort-Nong, the former to 20s., averaging 18s. 9d., the latter to 10s. 3d., averaging 9s. 6d.; 577 cross bred wethers for Mr. Andrew Chirnside, Carranballac, to 16s. 6d., averaging 15s.; 256 wethers and ewes for Mr. Wm. Robbie, Lake Bolac, at 8s. 11d. and 7s. 3d. respectively 258 merino wethers for Mr. T. H. Archdale, Moolort, at 7s. 7d.; 188 merino ewes for Mr. R. Swan, Cardigan, at 6s. 2d.; 3689 merino wethers and ewes for Mr. W. Lamb, Camperdown, W. Williamson, De Cameron, W. Young, Beamerside, and others, at market rates. Fat Lambs.—On account of Mr. C. G. Schultz, Springs, and Mr. T. H. Archdale, jun., Moolort, at from 4s. 6d. to 6s. 6d. Store Stock .- We have during the week sold some small lots of cattle, at prices ranging from L6 10s. for bullocks; also, 1650 full-mouthed wethers in forward condition, at Ss. 4d.; and 1000 6 and Stooth ewes in lamb, at 6s.

#### GEELONG LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MESSRS. GEO. SYNNOT AND CO. REPORT :-Fat Cattle.-- A short supply, and bidding were very dull; the best pen's went up to last week's quotations, and inferior were lower. Our sales were-15 head, L7 12s. 6d. Fat Sheep. -A moderate supply, only a few of which were prime. Our sales were-for Messrs. Collins, Delhunty, Hamilton, and others, 320 ewes and wethers to 16s. Store Stock.—Cattle are enquired for, and with the demand prices are improving. Our sales are-100 steers at L6; 25 at L4; also, 270 sheep; and at Colac, of any property unless their rates are paid inconjunction with Messrs. Dalmahoy Campbell, Hepburn, and Co., 1600 ewes and wethers.

### GEELONG STATION PRODUCE MARKET.

MESSES. GEORGE SYNNOT AND CO. REPORT :-Sheepskins.-We had an extra large supply today, over 16000 skins. There was a full attendance of local and metropolitan buyers, but competition was hardly so spirited as last week, and prices ruled a trifle lower. We effected a clearance, as follows :-Best skins, 26d. to 48d. each ; extra large ones, 50d. to 59d. each; medium do., 22d. to 30d. each; station skins, 3d. to 61d. per lb.; lambskins, 1s. to 2s. 5d. each.

a brother living at Brookville, Ontario, and several relatives in the United States. An association has been formed to advance their

The long-promised eruption of Mount Vesuvius has at last occurred. On the night of 17th March, about twelve o'clock, the lava began to overflow, and a long snake-like rivulet took the direction of Pompeii. The street, eruption was hardly expected, for the smoke really lovely; a tremendous column of beautifully white and cotton-like vapor towered over the yawning abyss, and the reflection of the burning furnace from underneath on the feathery cloud, gave it a splendid crimson tint, dying out into the most delicate nink as it reached the curves of the capricious panache. Large quantities of cinders and lapilla were thrown up during the night, and 19a. 31. the neighborhood of the opening of the crater is covered with beautiful multicolored mineral formations. There is reasons to believe that the cruption will be a long one.

The "Australasian" is likely to get into a heavy libel at last, says the correspondent of the "Hampden Guardian," which will, of course, end in the discharge of one or two of the employees of that journal. It appears that the big weekly has been continually carping at Mr. Lazar, the proprietor of the Theatre Royal, Sydney, by means of "Letters from a Lady Visitor to Sydney." Mr. Lazar stood this for some time, but at last has grown tired of it, and a final straw having been added to the burden, he has turned at bay.

Writing about the French and German armies the "Army and Navy Gazette" says:— "We believe that the French army, in spite of what has been written in this country on the subject, is making great progress in every way. Work is being done silently and well. We have just seen the letter of an accomplished French officer, stating that the work until a few days ago was really too hard, and dwelling on the extra amount of duty necescarriages. Once ready for a start orders are given to disembark, and man and steed are broken to this new service-conveyance of cavalry. An important measure of unification in the armament of the German army is about to be effected. The Bavarian General Bavarian troops, has just constructed a metal cartridge fitting both the regulation. Werder (Bavarian) and the Mausor (Prussian) riles. This cartridge has been issued already to the Bavarian troops, and is likely to be adopted also in Prussia.

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Bank of Victoria. WEDNESDAY, 24th inst., being the Queen's Birth-day, will be observed as a holiday. W. A. JENNINGS, Manager.

#### Advocate. Kiponshire. Published every Saturday Morning. **SATURDAY, MAY 20, 1876.**

The New Victoria Company's yield last week was 280z. 14dwt., making the total for the fortnight, 62oz. 3dwt. The main reef drive will be started next week, and it is expected the deep gutter will be reached in about 60 or 70 feet from the face. It is anticipated that 40 men will be shortly employed at mine, which will greatly increase the yields of the company.

A nugget weighing 20oz. was found on Wednesday at the Hard Hills rush (1986)

The practice of locking the railway carriage doors has been the subject of consideration by the Government for the last month or two. The carriages are now undergoing certain alterations at the workshops at Williamstown for the purpose of allowing the new scheme to be carried into effect. The first trial of the experiment will take place on the Williamstown line, and will, if found to work successfully, be extended to all other Government lines.

The Stawell railway will be formally opened by His Excellency the Governor on Thursday, May, 25th. 19 January Special Configuration

Wednesday next, the Queen's Birthday, will be observed as a holiday by all loval subjects of the British Crown all over the world. Trains will run from all Victorian railway stations at Saturday excursion fares (single fare and a half), Williamstown and Essendon lines excepted, on Monday and Tuesday, the return ticket being available until Saturday.

Ratepayers are reminded by advertisement, that they will not be entitled to be enrolled in respect on or before the 10th June next

Impounded at Skipton—One grey mare, NR conjoined or B over H near shoulder, saddle marked. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 31st May 1876.

The following applications for grants under the Land Act 1869 have been approved:-Edward Byrne, parish of Beaufort, 53a. 2r. 29p.; Gerald

Halpin, parish of Beaufort, 40a. Another instance of allowing boys to have the use of fire-arms occurred on Saturday last. A boy named Richard Andrews whilst out on a bird shooting expedition in company with Henry R. Holt of Montreal (says the "San | several other boys on the ranges near Beaufort, Francisco Bulletin"), comes forward as another met with an accident which might have resulted heir to the great Holt estate in Oxfordshire, in his losing the use of his hand, or perhaps in England, estimated at £4,000,000. He has death, but fortunately he only received a slight wound on the hand. It appears that he was in the act of letting down the hammer of a pistol which he had for the purpose of shooting birds, when it accidently went off.

> Mr. J. W. Browne notifies in our advertising columns that he has taken that commodious house known as the George hotel, Havelock-

At a meeting of the finance committee of the and vapor, emitted by the crater for some Ballarat Carnival Art Union on Wednesday, it time past in great abundance, had somewhat was decided that the money subscribed by the church last Sunday. The building will accomoabated that day. The following morning the winners of prizes should be divided as follows:sight presented by Mount Vesuvius was Hospital, £47.15s. 4d.; Benevolent Asylum, £47 rich-toned organ, and a possable choir. The 15s. 4d.; Orphan Asylum. £47 15s. 4d.; Ladies'. Clothing Society, £5; Public Library, £2 10s.; Methodists, Wesleyans, Auglicans, Indepengirls' who drew the tickets, £12; boy who dents, Presbyterians, Baptists, and a few Roman turned the churn, £2; total, £164 16s.

The following application for a lease under section 20 of the Land Act 1869 has been approved :- Cornelius Tucker, parish of Raglan,

The local firemen turned out on Friday for hose practice and made some very good time. We have no doubt but that they will be able to give a good account of themselves at the forthcoming demonstration. It is the intention of the brigade to compete with their own hose reel, which has been in the hands of the painter for the last few days.

The Bank of Victoria will be closed on Wednesday, 24th inst. the Queen's Birthday. We have received from Mr. T. F. Chuck, of the London Portrait Gallery, Royal Arcade, Mel-

bourne, a well executed photograph of the late Rev. T. F. Bird, congregational minister, Melbourne.

Site reserved for watering purposes at Buangor.-Forty-one acres, inore or less, county of Ripon, parish of Buaugor, situate in section 6: Commencing at a point in the southern boundary of allotment 35 bearing north from the northwest angle of allotment 38; bounded thence by the first-mentioned allotment bearing west allotment 34 bearing S. 55 ° 44 E. fourteen sitated by the training of reservists. We see chains twenty-two links, and S. 13° 26' W. that in Paris the cavalry regiments are being sixteen chains six links; thence by allotment drilled to take rail at night-time and by the G southerly along the Billy Billy Creek about lantern dimly burning' a squadron rides up twenty chains, and S. 19° 58' W. five chains Patterson, Ray, Palmer, and Co. Forum to a station, dismounts, piles arms, unsaddles, sixty links; thence by allotment Z bearing S. installs its chargers in the railway boxes, 70° 2' Er four chains, and S. 19° 58' W. packs up hay and corn, and takes in the two chains fifty links; thence by the road from Ararat to Beaufort bearing S. 70° 2' E. to the south-west angle of allotment la; thence by that allotment bearing N. 10 ° 30' E, six chains eight links; thence by roads bearing respectively N, 70 ° 2' W. eighty-six links, north five Podewils, inventor of a system of muzzle chains twenty links, west five chains, and north

here by the 9.30 a.m. train on Tuesday norn railway expenses.

The following charges have been made by the Board of Land and Works for the carriage of Tuesday (says the "Age" that Mr. Brough wool by rail :- From Beaufort to Ballarat, 1s. Smyth had received an appointment under the .6d: per bale not over 4-cwt; from Beaufort to Geelong, 4s. 3d. per bale not over 4 cwt.; from Beaufort to Melbourne, 5s. 9d. per bale not in this colony, and at a salary considerably over 4 cwt. From Trawalla to Ballarat, is, 3d. larger (50 per cent.) than he had been receiving. per bale not over 4 cowt; from Trawilla to Mr. Smyth, however, is reticent upon the Geelong, 4s, per bale not over 4 cwt. from Trawalla to Melbourne, 5s. 6d. per bale not over 4 cwt.Thoug.Las .Tours.-Janua

The miners of the Market Reserve Company having a discontinued working, a inceting of the shareholders of the Baufort Furnishing Company was held at the Camp hotel, on Monday evening. Present-Mr. Votherspoon in the chair, and Messrs. Jackson Watts. Troy, Tompkins, Loft, Owen, Hennington, W. Thomas, W. C. Thomas, Hoskings, Evens, and De Baere. After a discussion as to the probability of forming a party of miners to continue working the Market Reserve Company and findnumber of men to undertake the working of the mine, it was resolved on the proposition of Mr. Henningsen, and seconded by Mr. Troy, to draw the liftsfrom the shaft. Proposed by Mr. Jackson mitted great ravages, and eaconded by Mr. Da Baere, that Mr. Goo. As regards selectors, the cry is "Still they Evans be employed to draw the lifts-Carried. The meeting then adjourned.

The Buangor races took place on Thursday, about 200 persons were on the ground, and the weather was splendid during the day, great interest was taken by all present in the different events. It is intended to have the course properly cleared before the next races take place. We were unable to obtain the names of the winning horses.

A case affecting the powers of constables when n plain clothes, and not on duty, was heard at the Melbourne County Court on Tuesday, when constable named Samuel Brooks was sued for £49 damages for assault and false imprisonment, by a man named Joseph Toy. It appears that he saw the detendant and another constable named Colvin, both in plain clothes, struggling with a man named Allason, the defendant having Allason by the throat. The plaintiff, not knowing the defendant and Colvin were constables, interfered. Defendant caught hold of plaintiff and dragged him towards the lock-up, He was locked up on a charge of interfering with the police in the execution of their duty, but the charge against him was dismissed. Defendant admitted that he was in plain clothes, and was not on duty at the time of the occurrence. His Honor Judge Cope considered etc., 1 acre; maize, 13 acres; rye grass, lucerue, that the defendent's conduct as regarded the than an ordinary civilian. He gave a verdict for the plaintiff for £25, with £11 15s. 6d. costs. Goods sheds at the the various railway stations

will be closed on Wednesday, 24th May. "An Occasional Correspondent" of the Camperdown Chronicle" thus describes reigious matters here :- "In Beaufort there is a emarkable absence of ritualism. Episcopalians have a 'reader' for their services, and the Presbyterians a minister, but a large portion of his time is spent, I understand, among the squatters. The Baptists had a minister some years ago, but the church is now dissolved. One thing strikes visitor, or a new comer, in the aspect of religion, as a little remarkable, and that is, that the Primitive Methodists have taken the lead at Beaufort. The church is filled with an 1876 attentive congregation on Sundays, and their minister seems to be a leading man on all occasions requiring ministerial functions. There | 1876 83,389 have been two deaths since I came here, and on each occasion the Primitive Methodist minister was seen committing the mortal remains to the grave. I went to the Primitive Methodist date about 200 souls. There is a beautiful and congregation consists, I am told, of Primitive Catholics. Necessity, rather than choice, seems to be the motive that brings them to blend together, as the Catholics have only one service in a month, and the Presbyterians only two Sabbaths a month." of hater of farmed

The following return shows the number of letters, packets, and newspapers received at and despatched from Victoria per P. and O. Royal mail steamships during the month of April, 1876: -Received per China, 40,952 letters, 6,270 packets, 88,335 newspapers; despatched per China, 31,189 letters, 1,110 packets, 37,165 newspapers; received per Bangalore, 39,361 letters, 6,319 packets, 83,719 newspapers. Total, 111,502 letters, 13,699 packets, 209,219 news-

papers, and the main ships and the ships and the prisoner Duffus, condemned to death for committing a rape on his own daughter, was conveyed to Castlemaine on Wednesday, by the handcuffs. He is to be hanged in Castlemaine gaol, on Monday next, at 10 o'clock.

.Mr. P. Hanna, M.L.A., was on Wednesday sworn in before the Chief Justice, in chambers, as a justice of the peace.

Messrs. Stevenson, Brind, Macfarlane, and Machamara, charged with resisting the seventeen chains thirty-seven links; thence by Customs authorities in the execution of their duty, were on Thursday admitted to bail before Mr. Sutherland, J.P. The sureties were Messrs. Murray Smith, M.L.A., and J. Aylwin, the resident representative of the firm of Messra.

The "Wedderburn correspondent of the Bendigo Advertisor states that Sullivan is still at that place. He has taken forcible possession attended the Wesleyan Chapel on Sunday morn-

The South Australian papers state that a letter has been received from Mr. S. Davenport, the 256 gallons, increase 108 gallons. It is to be orders to their men to direct their arms special representative of the colony at Philadel-borne in mind, with reference to the return of against the people. The situation was a phia, in which he mentions that up to March vines, that, whilst the acreage and number of very grave one indeed, for only one offensive vines, in common with the remainder of the word would have sufficed to cause a most skerryword which the Victorian and South statistics, are for the year ended 31st March, fearful slaughter. On Monday morning a

firemen who intend to be present at the de the fickleness of fortune, was given in the monstration at Ballarat, that they must leave: Central Criminal Court on Thursday. A man who, on Wednesday, stood in the dock, was on ing, otherwise they will have to pay their own Thursday called on the jury, and took his scat in the box.

It was stated in well-informed circles on New South Wales Government in a position somewhat similar to that which he recently filled

matter. Sheep and cattle graziers in the neighborhood of Belfast (says the "Banner") are likely to meet disease amongst stock. Not long ago a new disease, in some respects bearing a strong resemblance to fluke, was observed to have made its appearance in some of the flocks of the district. Since its first outbreak it has spread rapidly. The rate of mortality is alarming, and scarcely a sheep farmer in the district can say his flocks are free from it. Sheep are dying in hundreds on all the runs, and the disease it is said, is of such a character as to baffle the ing it impossible at present to obtain a sufficient most experienced among sheep. We are informed that pleuro-pneumonia, in a most malignant form, has broken out amongst some of the cattle on the runs in the Oxford and Yambuk districts, on which, already, it has com-

come" (says the "St Arnaud Times"), and with them their horses, cattle, and miscellaneous belongings. A gentleman coming down from Bungeluke on Tuesday last met no less than fifteen of these family caravans on their way to the new settlements. Though there are still numerous choice blocks open for selection northward, they are, for the most part, only known to the officials, and a few persons who make "a good thing out of it" by "laying on" intending settlers; and it is now freely stated that ere long the mallee country will have the eyes picked out of it, as it is known that large patches of the mallee soil are in no way inferior in quality to the very best of that of the plains.

#### AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.

Last Friday's "Gazette" contains the following statistics relating to the Shire of Ripon for the year ending 31st March, 1876:-Number of holdings exceeding f 1 acre, f 502 ; extent of land in occupation, 325,596 acres; extent of enclosed land, 324.773 acres; extent of land under tillage, 13,575 acres. There are 702 acres under wheat; 3774 under oats; 51 under barley; none under maize, rye and bere; 50 under peas and beans; 293 under potatoes; 7 under turnips 2 under mangel-wurzel; 135 beet, carrots, parsnips, and cabbages; none under onions. Hay-1441 acres; cereal grasses: barley, wheat, oats, clover, vetches, etc., 349 acres; sorghum, none; I grasses. 5 plaintiff was quite unjustifiable, as a constable none; vines, 10 acres; other crops, 86 acres while in plain clothes and off duty was no more | gardens, 134 acres; orchards, 23 acres; land in description of crop cultivated in the shire is as follows: -Wheat, 7795 bushels; oats, 60,931 bushels; barley, 1093 bushels; maize, none; rye and bere, none; peas and beans, 611 bushels; potatoes, 364 tons; turnips, 7 tons; mangel-wurzel, 4 tons; beet, carrots, parsnips, and cabbages, 158 tons; onions, none; hay, 1476 tons; tobacco, none, number of vines, 15,700 vines; 97 cwt. of grapes not made into wine or brandy; 55 cwt, of grapes made into wine or brandy; wine produced, 321 gallons; brandy manufactured, none.

The area under the four principal crops, and the gross and average produce during the last two seasons in the County of Ripon is as fol-

Wheat. Oats. Potatoes. Acres. Acres. Acres. 10,299 1036 10,373 7720 1225 The produce of the above was-Bushels. Bushels. Tons. 1875 153,872 156,577 2362 2625 152,322 Average produce per acre-Bushels. Bushels. Tons. 15.202.28

1875 14.83 GENERAL SUMMARY. During the year 1876 204,409 acres were alienated, making the total quantity of land purchased from the Crown up to the end of March, 1876, 9,357,583 acres. The total area now in occupation is 13,084,233 acres, of which 12,105,197 are enclosed. The total extent of land under tillage in the colony was 1,126,831 acres. There were 321,401 acres under wheat, being 11,535 acres less than the preceding year; 124,100 acres were under onts; being an increase of 9179 acres; 31,568 acres under barley, inpeas and beans, increase 2684 acres; 36,901 acres under potatoes, increase 1718 acres; 284 acres under turnips, increase, 43 acres; 1223 acres under mangel-wurzel, decrease 58 acres'; wheat, oats, 1760 acres, decrease, 624 acres; maize, 2019 acres, increase 372 acres; rye grass, lucerne, clover, vetches, etc., 11,240 acres, decrease \$43 acres; sorghum, 208 acres, increase 36 acres; permanent artificial grasses, 293,178 acres, increase 55,135 acres: tobacco, 782 acres. increase 49 acres; vines, 5081 acres, increase 144 acres; other crops, 3067 acres, decicase 443 acres; gardens, 11,816 acres, increase 733 midday train in charge of two constables, in acres; orchards, 5945 acres, decrease 372 acres; land in fallow, 97,133 acres, increase 19,221 acres. The gross produce of each description of barley, 700,665 bushels, increase 80,769 bushels; maize, 37,177 bushels, increase 12,914 bushels rve and bere, 19,356 bushels, increase 3736 bushels; peas and beans, 450,948 bushels, increase 133,566 bushels; potatoes, 124,377 tons, bages, 4268 tons, increase 381 tons; onions, 4780 tons, increase, 1986 tons; hay, 206,613 tons, increase 49,352 tons; tobacco, 501 tons, decrease 6338 tons; the tobacco crop is reported as having failed in most of the districts; number disgusted every feeling man who saw them. of a hut on his land, in High-street; and he 21,211 cwt. of grapes not made into wine or to three hundred miners offered their services, brandy, increase 1212 cwt.; 123,650 cwt. of but were each time rejected by the officer in grapes made into wine or brandy, increase 32,602 owt.; wine produced, 755,000 gallons, increase 177,507 gallous; brandy manufactured,

PARTMENT.

Already it has been found that a large saving | made. can be effected by dispensing with many of with severe reverses this winter, owing to the returns annually made, and which are little better than so much waste paper, and by simply giving a synopis where a large variety of returns were previously required. This will effect an immense saving in clevical outrage had been committed on a lady in a labor. In its attenuated dimensions the de- | public street was received at the Prahran police partment will be more readily worked as a station shortly after 8 o'clock on Saturday mere branch of the Lands Department. The evening. Sergeant Parkinson immediately work at present done by the Mining Depart- proceeded to the spot, when such a tale of ment is extremely multifarious. There are violence and brutality was disclosed as forabout 3000 mining leases in existence, com- tunately is but very seldom heard of in Vicpliance with the labor covenants of which toria. It appears that Mrs. Rumbold, the require constant supervision. The preven- wife of William Rumbold, proprietor of a tion of the alienation of auriferous lands vineyard on the banks of the Yarra, immeoccasioned frequent supervision. There is diately below the bridge, on the Brighton then the working of the act for the regulation | railway, was proceeding up Murphy-street, of mines; the registration branch, which has

#### ERRIBLE CATASTROPHE AT CAUB, ON THE RHINE.

The small town of Caub, the historical spot

the department, and the geological surveys.

The work connected with the several branches

is very considerable, and costs the country

over £50,000 a year. The Mining Boards

cost about £5000 annually, and this amount,

Wiesbaden, 15th March.

induced the authorities to erect a wall 30 feet | The struggle continued for about 15 or 20 thick about 100 yards above the houses, in minutes, when some footsteps were heard order to prevent rocks rushing down and close by, and the man relaxing his grasp for a crushing them. This wall was built six moment, Mrs. Rumbold again screamed for months ago, and since that time the miners, help, and the ruffian becoming alarmed, ran about thirty in number, working near the away Mrs. Rumbold tottered to her own summit of the mountain for slates, were residence, and gave an account to her husdirection of the guardian wall, which accumu- assailant as well as she was able. Mr. Rumlated in time to an enormous mass. What | bold gave information to the police, and ever reason the Government may have had Sergeant Parkinson, with Constable Hamilfor giving this order, it is certain the public ton, at once proceeded to the spot where the will not be convinced of the propriety of the assault took place. Here they picked up a measure, the more so as the valley on the left | man's cap, and having got a full description hand might have been purchased, and used of his appearance they started in pursuit, for heaping up the waste, whereby, at all each taking a different road. Constable events, no houses would have been endangered | Hamilton was the first to get on the track of or lives lost. Last Friday night, shortly the ruffian. In Toorak road he heard that a before twelve o'clock, the inhabitants were man whose appearance tallied exactly with alarmed by the bells and the night watch- that given by Mrs. Rumbold was seen man, as well as the cries of the people, that a running in the direction of Punt road, and portion of the mountain was rolling down, inquiring the way to Melbourne. The conand everybody hastened to a place called the stable heard of him next in Argo-street, and Kalkgrube, where a sight as horrible as after tracking him through the network of mankind ever witnessed presented itself. In small streets in that neighborhood he met consequence of the heavy rains during the him suddenly in Coburg place, and arrested last few weeks immense masses of slate him. When asked who he was, he gave the suddenly gave way above, and came down name of John Ryan. He was confronted with tremendous force against the guardian with Mrs. Rumbold, and at once identified wall, which gave way with a terrible crash, as the man who assaulted her. In the watchtogether with an immense heap of waste house the prisoner admitted that he had only slate that was pilled up against it. In a been that morning discharged from Pentridge, few seconds afterwards no fewer than eight but refused to state for what crime he had houses with their twenty-seven sleeping in- been imprisoned. On being examined his habitants were entirely buried beneath the shirt sleeves were found to be deeply dyed debris. Three persons who happened to be with blood, almost to the elbows. His hands up and heard the peculiar noise in the back were caked with clotted blood, and his face houses had just time to escape. The scene and hands marked as if with finger nails. that followed is scarcely to be described—the Ryan was brought before the Prahran Bench screams of two thousand men and women on Tuesday, and remanded for a week. It who surrounded the entrances of the only two | transpired in court that previous to assaulting narrow streets leading to the place of disaster, Mrs. Rumbold he had chased a young lady combined with the cries for help and ex- into the Botanical Gardens, and only desisted pressions of fear that still greater accidents when he saw her seek the protection of a might every moment occur, were for some gardener. crease 2063 acres; 2346 acres under maize, in- time deafening. Order prevailed at last, crease 823 acres; 1292 acres under rye and land the nien set to work, although it was bere, increase 196 acres; 18,854 acres under pitch dark, to release their buried friends and neighbours. On Saturday morning they heard sounds below, and digging in that direction they succeeded, after a hard struggle, 807 acres under beet, carrots, parsnips, and in liberating a man, his wife, and sister from cabbages, increase 86 acres; 552 acres under the ruins. The man, although seriously in onions, increase 205 acres; hay 155,274 acres, jured, may yet recover, the two women are not increase 36,243 acres; cereal grasses: barley, hurt at all. Later on, the bodies of two men and four women, fearfully mutilated, one man decapitated, were got out, and more distant sounds were heard from underneath. On Saturday night the thirty pioneers stopped work altogether by order of their officer. On one of the remaining corner houses for of the rail towards the south is more marked some time past, by order of the mayor, a board was put up, on which in large letters is written that passengers are warned to pass the narrow street as quickly as possible, and crop in the entire colony for the year end- yet the Government did not take steps to ing 31st March, 1876, is as follows :- Wheat, remove the people from the endangered 4,978,914 bushels, increase 128,749 bushels; homes. Two or three houses, which are still oats, 2,719,795 bushels, increase 598,183 bushels; liable to be smashed every moment by some liable to be smashed every moment by some pieces of the threatening loose rocks, ought to have been pulled down immediately, whereby they would have gained considerable space to pursue their operations without any naturally presses the eastern rail most heavily. increase 67 tons; turnips, 2668 tons, increase further hindrance. But up to this evening 767 tons; mangel-wurzel, 16,795 tons, decrease the Government is still considering whether 1104 tons; beet, carrots, parsnips, and cab- to sacrifice £2000 or £3000, the value of the It is also noticed that the wheels which run houses which, according to the universal opinion, will have to be done after all. The impossible to resist the conclusion that the easy way in which the soldiers were working of vines, 12,060,685, increase 3,515,321 vines; and yesterday, as well as the day before two command; nay more, the latter, seeing the threatening position the men adopted, gave

We wish to impress on the minds of our A curious instance (says the "Herald") of ABOLITION OF THE MINING DE- one cow alive. The poor creatures had eaten up pretty well all the straw and have been supplied with food and water through the It has been decided by the Government to opening above for the last two days. Yesteramalgamate the Mining Department with day one more dead body was brought forth, that of the Lands. The "Age" says :- "In | which leaves eighteen more still to be got out, arriving at this determination there was but besides the cattle. A peculiar incident is one dissentient in the Cabinet-namely, Mr. | that a son of one of the unfortunate families M Lellan, whose solicitude on the subject was | was imprisoned the day before for a trifling only natural. Enquiries are at present being matter, and thus saved. About 300 people instituted with a view, not only to a total re- who inhabited the houses adjoining the place organisation of the department, but to the of disaster have now been ordered to leave simplification and retrenchment of the ex-them, and obtained with great difficulty a penditure connected with the meahinery, not provisional home. The Emperor has sent only of the office in Melbourne, but of the £100, the Empress £25, for the relief of the various branches throughout the colony. sufferers, and everywhere collections are

#### BRUTAL OUTRAGE AT SOUTH YARRA.

Information that a most revolting and brutal

South Yarra, on her way home, about halframifications all over the colony; the mining past seven o'clock on Saturday evening, and surveys; the collection of the mineral and arrived within a short distance of her own other statistics, furnished by the officers of house, when she was suddenly seized from behind by a man whose approach she had not noticed. The man threw her down in the channel, and struck her a violent blow in the mouth. This occurred near the blind end of Murphy-street, where there are very few we believe, will be saved by the abolition of passers, consequently Mrs. Rumbold's screams for assistance were not heard. The ruilian then tore her bonnet, and, taking her by the hair, proceeded to dash her head against the bluestone curbes, with which the channel is formed, by way of inducing her to keep quiet. As she still screamed for assistance, he threatened to murder her if she did not be where Marshal Blucher crossed the river on quiet, and then forced his fingers into her the 1st January, 1814, is well known through | mouth, gagging her in a most fearful manner, its scenery and wine that grows there. For and tearing her mouth so much that his hand the last few years the people have noticed was covered with blood. He then attempted that part of one of the mountains, at the foot | to commit a criminal offence, but the instant of which whole streets are situated, had her mouth was free, Mrs. Rumbold screamed moved about two feet downwards, forming for help, and fought with her assailant with vertical crevices, of which the bottom could the energy of despair. On each occasion that not be ascertained. The numerous petitions she screamed her cowardly assailant beat her sent to the Government in Berlin, in which head with violence on the bluestone, and attention was drawn to the imminent danger, again savagely gagged her with his fingers.

# MODERN LOCOMOTION.

An English contemporary writes :- " It is by no means improbable that the requirements of modern locomotion will before long render it necessary to consider the question of effecting some change in the present system of the earth's motion. The "creeping" of rails had lately attracted some attention, and the "Scientific American," without attempting to explain the phenomenon, calls attention to the fact that on lines running north and south the western rail "creeps" faster than the eastern rail-that is, the movement in one rail than in the others on the same track. Furthermore, it has been noticed that on such a line the eastern rail wears the fastest. Both of these points, it is suggested, can be explained by the motion of the earth as it turns from the west towards the east. Everything that has free motion is dragged after the whirling globe; every wind that blows and every tide that moves feels the influence. Thus the train going north or south is pulled over towards the east, and The western rail, being deprived of its share of weight "creeps" more freely and quickly. on the eastern rail wear out first, and it is earth's motion is the true cause. By strengthening the eastern rail the inconvenience may be in some degree avoided, and perhaps the adoption of this remedy had better be tried before attempting any serious interference with the movement of the planet.

A delicate membrane. The lining of the intestines is a most delicate membrane, and when it becomes so unnaturally sensitive that a slight

MOODY AND SANKEY REVIVALS.

fervid appeals of Messrs. Moody and Sankey that city, or that may have been otherwise have had an effect outside of evangelism that killed, for which they pay forty cents, each. is not generally known in the community. The carcases are conveyed to their manufac-The fact is that there has been since the tory in South San Francisco, where the skins of a permanent cure by the new remedy Phosplo beginning of the revivals at the Hippodrome, are removed and sold to the tannerics, the an increase in the number of people who hair taken off and resold to the plasterors, lose their reason from outward excitement or the hide tanned, made into gloves, and sold from some peculiar frenzy or monomania that in the market. The denuded carcase is then may take possession of them for a time to thrown into a huge cauldron and poiled the exclusion of all other ideas. At some of until the bones are easily separated from the the uptown station houses it has been noticed flesh, when they are removed and sold to the within the last thirty days that, coming on sugar refineries, where they are ground to a to the hour of midnight, men, and in a few fine powder and used to clarify sugar. The cases women, have been brought into the oil that rises to the surface of the boiling mass station house charged with drunkenness and is skimmed off and manufactured into cod disorderly conduct whose appearance would liver oil, and the remainder is used for the be an absolute denial to the charge. These respectable looking, well-dressed people were discharged, of course, as the station-house News"), while the gale was at its height, a calmed them instantly, and extricated them nobby looking Chinaman was walking belind from their religious frenzy, which was the a young lady dressed in the extreme of cause of their arrest and seeming drunkenness: fashion, when a sudden gust of wind blew the Sensitively organised people are of delicate Celestial's pigtail forward and wrapped the fibre, and their constitutions are easily over- end of it around the lady's neck. Being powered by the tremendous appeals made frightened slie grabbed at the end of the nightly by Mr. Moody, and there have been queue to snatch it away, but pulled in the many cases of religious mania, resulting from wrong direction. The Chinaman also made the revivals, within the last three weeks; a grab to recover his property, but he was but in nearly every case, the friends of the out of luck, as he got hold of one of those unfortunate subjects of religious mania have them hurried out of sight, either to give them private or close family care, or to have them sent to one of the private lunatic asylums of the state. The most violent case yet made public is that of the colored boy Edward Williams and was gathered into a small knot that stood

DY all passenger trains on the 23rd and 24th inst., RETURN TICKETS at SATURDAY EXAMPLES (single fare and a half), will be sent to one of the private lunatic asylums of the lady's top hair, hat and all, came off. The lady's head had no hair on it, only a little that was gathered into a small knot that stood.

Sequence of Railways and Roads, Seque public is that of the colored boy Edward that was gathered into a small knot that stood Williams, who was arrested by the police erect, like the scalp lock of a Piute brave. If while making a charge on Henry Bergh's ever you saw a Chinaman astonished at what office with a rusty revolutionary cavalry he had done, it was that one. sabre, as he charged in, waving his sabre over The head-teacher of the Glenormiston Statehis head with a frightful energy, and shouting school for girls was summoned to the Terrang at the top of his voice, "Git out quick ! I am police court on the 15th inst. for overbeating God! Mr. Moody has sent me from Jesus! Look out for your skulls!" Edward Williams daughter of a farmer at Kolora. The "Hampwas secured after a hard struggle and taken den Guardian" reports that complainant, a girl' to Bellevue Hospital, where he was strapped of fourteen years of age, stated that on the 3rd down, on an iron bed in a cell. He became of May, Miss Pride, the head teacher gave her less violent. Here Edward stated he saw some work to do, and because it was not done "150,001 angels standing round the lamb, to her satisfaction, she struck her several times and that good Mr. Moody was the odd angel." over the head with a cane. She then told her "Oh God?" said Edward, who is a handsome to undo the work, but complained she was looking mulatto lad of 19 years of age, with unable to do so with a pin, and the scissors an intelligent looking face, "if I only had a could not be found. The defendant struck celestial banjo for to kind a just git in ane her again four times on the hands and several thrum alongside of the divine Mr. Sankey, times over the shoulders. The severity of wouldn't that be heaven, eh!" Here the boy the blows caused her thumb to bleed. frothed at his mouth, and tried to tear his The witness showed her hands, which face and strangle himself. This is as sad a appear to have recent bruises. In cross-excase as could be known. Young Williams amination the complainant admitted that she was a porter in the employment of the had often been punished and kept in late at Domestic Sewing Machine Company, at the school but did not remember what form The corner of Fourteenth-street and Broadway, defendant called no witnesses, but made a and was universally liked, and noted for his short statement of the circumstances ounder honesty and fidelity. He became an attendant | which she was compelled to punish the comat the Moody and Sankey meetings, and after plainant, whose conduct was of an obstinate visiting there for a few evenings he came land determined character. She considered home to his mother's house in Fifty-third she had a right to inflict corporal punishment street completely crazed and frothing at the and it was customary in all the schools. Mr. mouth from sheer madness, caused by the ex- Puckle, P.M., said he did not agree with dev citement of the several meetings. A few days fendant as to this, but he thought the matter, since the poor lad was taken from the Belle- a subject for the Board of Education, and the vue Hospital to the lunatic asylum on Blackwell's Island, and while on the boat going over he had a lacid interval, but on his arrival at the asylum he became more crazy than ever, and had to be tied up, in which state he now makes day and night mournful with his heart-piercing cries. - "New York

## GENERAL NEWS.

The Harrietville correspondent of the "O. and M. Advertiser" tells the following story of a boy's pluck:-On Monday, 8th May, as the mail-boy, Dick Gow, was coming in with the mails from Omeo, he got thrown from his horse, which kicked him and broke his leg. The plucky little fellow(12 or 13 years old) hopped on one leg, and managed to catch, the horse, and got on it again-how is mystery, a small boy and a large horse. He managed to rideabout two miles towards Gray's and then the pain became so great, and the leg swelled so much, that he had to stop, when providentially, after he had been two hours there in the ranges, Messers Waldron and Gray came along, and found the poor -little fellow sitting on the horse crying. Had they not luckily found him, he must have perished with the cold that night, They litted him off his horse, lit a fire, and went to Gray's, six miles, for assistance to carry him there, where he now lies.

If we were as highly civilized as th Californians, such an act of injustice to both the wife and second husband as the following discloses could not possibly arise in our midst: -"Some few weeks back (writes the "Bendigo Advertiser") a marriage was celebrated in this city by a fair landlady of a public house on the one part, and a rather youthful tradesman on the other. The event caused considerable discussion at the time, but! is to create still further attention by revelations, the whole period it had been open; only one to say the least of it, of a rather awkward nature. The blushing bride claimed to be a little dreamt of what would be brought forth widow; she had not heard from her first hust this morning. During the progress of disband for about ten years, and had good reasons for believing him to be numbered amongst the dead A few days ago, however, the unwelcome and startling information was brought to her that her first husband was still alive, and likely to visit Sandhurst in a few days to claim his wife, who is possessed: of the charms of a decent bank balance as well as those of personal appearance.

An Auckland telegram in the "Otago Daily Times" of May 6 says:-"It is generally, believed that Commodore Hoskins strongly disapproved of the part taken by Captain Stevens, of the Barracouta, in the Samoan row, and that this is the reason of the vessel being ordered home. The wounded seamen have been forwarded by the Suez mail, and the commodore has proceeded to Samoa in the Pearl. Steinberger, before the Pearl's departure, demanded that he should be returned to Samon, from whence he was forcibly taken. The commodore wouchforcibly taken. The commodore vouch there any great probability of his being dissafed to (not) reply to his letter. He claims covered, but it does, appear hard that such a that he has good grounds, of action against rascal should parade the town and escape dethe British Government, because even as a tection. There is no doubt if hands could be political prisoner of the United States, he once laid upon him he would fare hadly. urges that his detention on board a British Holloways Ointments and Pills.—Glandular man-of-war was illegal and contrary to swellings in the throat, neuralgia, tie doloreux, man-of-war was illegal and contrary to British law, which provides total immunity to political prisoners on British territory. He says the governor of Fiji and an attorney there had advised Captain Stevens of the illegality of his act, and hence his desire to shove him ashore at Levuka contrary to swellings in the throat, neuralgia, the doloreux, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, and other diseases affecting the glands, muscles, and nerves of sensation are permanently eradicated by this constitution. It is also a perfect remedy for all skin diseases, and every kind of superficial inflamation, which soon lose their angry and painful character under this valuable Ointment. against his wish.

It is a fact perhaps not generally known! If COXYGEN IS LIFE. 1 that there is a firm doing business in San Francisco who purchases thousands of The powerful exhortations and zealous and dogs slaughtered by the poundmaster of

one of her pupils named Annie Maloney, the case would therefore be dismissed.

Another "new chum"has fallen an easy'. prey to some of the sharps of Melbourne. A young man named; Henry Templeton who, arrived in the colony by the last trip of the steamship Northumberland, has reported to the police that on the night he reached Melbourne he got into a company of some suspicious characters, and was robbed of £235 consisting of ten £20-notes and thirtytive sovereigns, English mintage. "He guarantees a reward of £100 for recovery of the

"A very shocking case of concealment of birth of a child has been brought to light (says the "Bendigo Advertiser"), and according to the circumstances at present surrounding the discovery, it appears most probable, that the crime will turn out to be one of murder. About five o'clock on Wednesday' afternoon, Mr. Brown, caretaker of the Camp Reserve, in passing the pool of water, situated at the lower end of the park, and around which some willows have been planted, observed something floating that very much resembled the corpse of antinfant / Upon making closer observations, his aroused suspicions were confirmed, and presently he drew to the bank the dead body of a newly-born entitled to be entolled in respect of any property unless before or on the lothic day of June next all sums called upon the scene at this stage, and took payable in respect of any rates made three months or charge of the body, which was simply wrapped in a piece of calico. It had the appearance of being in the water for about six or eight days. The police have as yet found for the purpose of receiving payment of rules of the unfortuno trace or clue of the mother of the unfortunate infant, which is probably the offspring

of an intimacy of shame or the "Geelong Evening Times" writes: When Mr. Lane, vice-president of the Mechanics' Institute in closing the exhibition on Wednesday night, announced that it was a matter for special commendation that during case of vandalism had been discovered, he mantling, it was discovered that nearly every piece of tweed and cloth exhibited, every piece of goods within reach on the Victorian Barwon, Union, and Ballarat Woollen Companies' exhibits, had been mutilated and destroyed. In the former the tweeds are mostly hung, and are found to be cut; some pieces in half a dozen places, leaving holes about an inch in length, while the other pieces had been cut through in various places with a sharp knife, and further examination led to the discovery that in others there are large rents of several inches ... In the Barwon company's cloths, a sharp-pointed knife has been driven into a roll of tweed to the depth of some 3in., spoiling a great, number of yards. The shawls and blaukets of the Balfigured in several places. Of course there is liberal share of their patronage. no clue to the perpetrator of this most aggravated and wanton piece of wandalism, nor is

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Spencer-street, 12th May, 1876. VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

GOODS SHEDS HOLIDAY.

WEDNESDAY, 24th inst., being the Queen's W Birthday, the Goods Sheds at the various stations will be CLOSED. Arrangements will be made for the Receipt and Despatch of perishable or urgent goods have a stationary property and perishable or urgent goods have a stationary property.

JOSEPH JONES,
Commissioner of Railways and Roads. Spencer-street, 17th May, 1876

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Notice.

W. L., the undersigned, hereby agree to CLOSE our respective places of Business on the Queen's Birthday, 24th May:

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Notice.

I HAVE this day appointed Mr. W. C. STRONGE

to COLLECT my OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS,
and request they may, he PAID to him forthwith,
otherwise LEGAL PROCEEDINGS will be taken for Rochester, May 18th, 1876.

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TENDERS will be received up to 11 a.m., THURS-DAY, the 1st day of JUNE, for the PURCHASE, of GATES and other Fixings at the site of the old Stonyford Toll Gate.

Shire Secretary.

D. G. STEWART. Riponsbire Offices, 47 Beaufort, 16th May, 1876.

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A PPLICATIONS will be received up to 11 a.m. on A THURSDAY, the 1st day of JUNE, from persons, willing to undertake the duties of WEIGHBRIDGE KEEPER: at Beaufort; to give aftendance from the hours of 8 in the Moraing till 6 in the ovening, at a remunication of one half of the fees received. uncration of one half of the fees received. eclelquos lin bun providi GaSTEWARTan

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D. G. STEWART,

Riponshire Offices, Beaufort, 15th May, 1876.

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Plans and specifications can be seen at the Shire Office, Beaufort.

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work in the fields went down the Walleway to be the crew of the schooner Grecian river to bathe. One of these was standing Daughter, bound to Ostend with coals and Letters—For every half-ounce, or fracwaist deep in water apart from the rest and had been for two days and nights at the was enjoying a shower bath out of a pot which | pumps. he filled every time it was empty, and just as he stooped to fill it for the last time, an Alligator, a real man-eater, seized him by the hand, and no sooner he gave the alarm all the rest of the bathers cleared off to the bank leaving the poor man to help himself. The unfortunate man however managed to rid himself from the jaws of the monster and was making his way towards the bank when he was again seized right across his body. The man tried to keep himself steady with his legs spread out and firmly fixed on the bed of the muddy river, for he knew his escape depended entirely on his keeping an erect posture; and while he struggled with the Alligator he called out for help; but the panic stricken people were running and failed to give any timely aid. The Alligator was all the while trying to master his victim, and the man to shake the monster off from him; but they both failed in their attempt and seemed equal as far as their powers of endurance went. When the Alligator discovered that he could not easily carry his victim away, he resorted to a very clever trick, which astonished even the panic stricken people on land. Having the man's body firmly fixed in his jaws the Alligator raised one of his fore feet to the back of the man's neck and placing it there pressed him forward and simultaneously the monster gave a sudden jerk or toss of his head which threw the man forward on his face to the water and thus he managed to carry away his victim.

THE LADIES' FOLLY.—LEAP YEAR GERMAN CLUS DANCING.

were not admitted to the hall unless escorted by a "chaperon." After two hours had been spent in dancing round and square dances the "German" (apparently a form of the cotillion), to which the entertainment owes its name, was commenced, under the leadership drop, when their partners had to pick them They had, moreover, to be "fanned and her choice;" and that "when she reached the seat where she had left him it was perhaps twelvemouth; and if the worst comes to the river sand, and dust occasionally with lime worst we may hope that it will die out with the year which has seen this unlovely style of entertainment come into existence.

THE "SPOT-STROKE" AT BILLIARDS. No one who watches carefully a game of position for the "spot-stroke," and accomplished the mechanical feat of repeating it a dozen times or more, there seems no valid indefinitely, or at least until "game" is called. But sooner or later the stroke fails, or the striker's ball is left in a position from which it is very difficult, or even impossible, to make the winning hazard successfully, and so he has to play all round the table for some time, until he can get his ball once more into position for the spot-stroke. The a priori view is that the most difficult part of the business is to get into position for working the spot-stroke; but such is not really the case, the difficulty is to keep it up. It is not that the muscles of the arm fail or tire; it is the muscular adjustment of the eye which becomes exhausted. In keeping up the spot-stroke, a series of very fine adjustments of "accommodation" have to be made in quick succession, and sooner or later the eye becomes weary, and failure is the consequence. Possibly the brain-centres in connection with the eyes, by which the calculation of how much muscular force is to be liberated for the stroke, and how the muscles have to be co-ordinated, are chiefly affected in the exhaustion; but the muscular apparatus of the eye itself is implicated. As might be expected, from the experience of the rifle range, grey or blue eyes have an advantage over other colored eyes; and a large proportion of those who do the spot-stroke well have light colored eyes. By playing more slowly, and by looking into distant space away from the balls betwixt each stroke, probably the spot-stroke could be Medical journal."

GALLANT RESCUE.

On the evening of the 14th March, Captain on the voyage from Rotterdam to London, flying in the rigging. Though a heavy gale was blowing at the time, and the sea running very high, the second mate (Mr. W. Thorne) and three seamen volunteered to go in the Leo's lifeboat to the schooner, which was before she could be freed from the tackling. She righted herself, however, and the men were picked up. Captain Bass did not think it prudent to allow them to proceed, though

CARRIED AWAY BY AN ALLIGATOR. | jumped into the water, and were hauled on One afternoon several men, after their day's board the Leo over her stern. They proved

> Intelligence from Tunis, dated 14th March, Newspapers—For every newspaper ... 1d says that great excitement was caused there murder of the Italian Consular Judge, Signor Pulege, and the killing of the would-be assassin by the consul's dragoman. The body was conveyed to the Italian Consulate, tollowed by an immense crowd, and the turmoil was so great that the troops had to be called out to guard the approaches to the Italian and American Consulates. The troops had some difficulty in keeping the mob back, and stood for several hours with fixed

> bayonets levelled at the populace. It was feared that there might be a renewal of the fanatical excitement which produced so much | Packets-Not exceeding one ounce ... 1d alarm in Tunis some years ago.

GARDENING FOR MAY. All draining and trenching operations, where possible, should be finished before the wet season fairly sets in. The flower borders Newspapers-Of any weight, for every will now require a thorough digging and tidying up, giving at the same time some good rotten manure, if available, or a good sprinkling of bone dust. Good rotten manure is much to be preferred, if properly prepared by turning over, so as to destroy all weed seeds; where such is not to be got, however, bone dust is

A few annuals may still be sown, and plant out any of the foregoing sowings as soon as they are of sufficient size to handle. Annuals, as they appear above the ground, should have a good dressing of soot, to keep away slugs. Verbena layers, where sufficiently rooted, The "Ladies' Leap Year German Club" has may now be planted; and surplus plants may been formed at Washington, and has already be put into a bed by themselves, where they given its first ball, which we find described can be protected from slugs; they can be reas a "novel and agreeable affair." "Novel" it moved in spring to wherever wanted. certainly must have been, as one may see from Lawns and grass plots that have been exthe merest sketch of what took place. The hausted, thin, and unsightly by traffic, may invitations having been issued by a committee | be sown over again, and some good, rich, wellof ladies, the gentlemen who profited by them prepared soil may be put on and evenly raked, which after a few showers of rain, will have a refreshened and healthy appearance.

Climbing plants that have become unsightly by a too luxuriant growth may now be cut back and trained as desired. Those very abundant blooming plants, Tecoma, Capensis of two ladies; and in less than an hour the and T. Radicans, may be trained to a wall or ladies found that it was not so pleasant to play fence; the latter is very effective when well newspapers must be prepaid by stamps, the gallant after all. The gentlemen are said cut back into the form of a bush, and is a very except it may happen that any postmaster to have provided themselves with lace hand- showy border plant. The following shrubs shall not have stamps of the requisite value kerchiefs, "which they would provokingly may now be cut back—Ambutilen, Orleanders, for sale, in which case the postage may be Buddleyas, and all shrubs that have a tendency to make a long naked growth. Attensupplied with seats, given glasses of water, cion should be paid to the clipping of hedges, such letter, packet, or newspaper. and more than all, fed." An eye-witness who cleaning out drains, &c. It is also very dedescribes that "it was not an easy task for a sirable that bulbs of the valuable kinds should posted with an unobliterated Victorian describes that "it was not an easy task for a lady partner to obtain ices or jellies at a crowded table, and take them to the man of appear above the ground, so that they may be mitted and delivered, although the stamp be secured from them, both are seriously injured or newspaper shall be stamped " More to is said to be contemplated. But the humor in a very short time. A very good plan is to Pay" with double the deficient postage, which of the thing can scarcely last for an entire put around the bulb on the surface some clean must be collected before delivery.

The Orchard-All late apples and peas should be gathered at once, and stored; all fruit trees should be looked over for red spider, scale, and apple blight. American blight on the apple trees will need immediate attention, billiards can avoid being interested in the feat for within the last few weeks it has increased by which the "spot-stroke" is repeated. The to such an extent in large orchards that it striker having once brought his own ball into wiil tax the grower's time to keep it in check. Prune Almonds, Plums, and Cherries this month as soon as the leaves have fallen, in the equal to a single rate (sixpence), will be Prune Almonds, Plums, and Cherries this order named. Now is the time to take notice reason why the stroke should not be continued of all stunted and unhealthy growing trees, and replant with young vigorous growing ones. It is but a loss of time to be nursing a dwarfed and unsightly specimen, except where it is a special and rare variety. In replanting in the same spot, it is desirable that the old soil be removed, and the tree replanted in fresh soil, with some bone dust or well-rotted manure. Now also is a very good time to plant that very desirable but much-neglected fruit, the Guava (Pisidium Cattleyanum), it will grow well in any light, rich loam, not exposed to severe frosts, and will root from

> layer freely. No time should be lost in preparing ground that is intended for gooseberries, and getting the person to whom the letter or packet is it ready to receive the plants. Gooseberries should be planted earlier than any other kind of fruits; when planted late they never do so | found not to contain money or other valuable | disease. well, and perhaps die. They thrive in any garden soil that has been enriched with good rotton manure, deeply worked, and well drained. The following varieties may be planted with confidence:—In red varieties, Companion, Red Robin, Lonpon Slaughterman, are very fine; Glenton Green, Green them, but upon which the fee for registration Gascoigne, Plunder, and Telegraph, are green has not been paid, will be compulsory revarieties; Leveller, Leader, High Sheriff, and gistered and charged on delivery with a King Cole. These are but a few of the many | double registration fee. named varieties, and comprise some of the finest in cultivation.

Strawberry beds should now be dug, manured and the dry leaves and runners taken off. Where beds have been planted with unprofitplayed even longer than it now is.—" British able or worthless varieties, now is the time to replant; by selecting the strongest runners, and planting early in autumn, there is a chance of getting a crop the first year. The soil that suits the strawberry best is a good rich heavy Bass, in command of the General Navigation loam; it should be worked deep, with plenty Company's paddlewheel steamship Leo, when of manure. They should not be planted closer than two feet apart in the rows, and three in South Australia, Two Shillings for a message observed a schooner with signals of distress between, which will allow room to dig and of ten words, and twopence for each additional manure between the plants; and in the growing | word, to or from any station in Victoria.

season they should never want for water. In the Kitchen Garden, the land previously worked will be in a fine friable condition, and Orders are issued, and with which the fit for the reception of seeds and plants of the Electric Telegraph is connected, persons may Sold by Druggists and Storekeepers through evidently sinking. The lifeboat was lowered, culinary vegetables adapted for planting now. despatch a Post Office Order per telegraph, but a sea struck her, and she was capsized As the weather is getting much colder, it is on paying; in addition to the cost of the advisable to make early sowings of parsnips, order, the sum of One Shilling for transcarrots, turnips, and spinach. This is the mission of the message. This is a matter best month for sowing early peas; sow early well worth knowing, as it is a great conkinds of cabbage and cauliflower, and plant he states they wished to do so. He then out any from seed bed. In making sowings missing a train or coach, to be able to forbrought the Leo as near as he dared to the of peas, those that are dwarf in habit are the ward cash promptly. All that it is requisite sinking ship, and determined to allow his best, as they require no sticking. Selections to do is simply to advise by tolegram of the lifeboat to be carried by the wind and sea to the leeward of the schooner, slacking out Dwarf, Queen of Dwarfs, Climax, M'Lean's will apply at the Post Office, and get the the rope for that purpose. The plan was suc- Advancer and Little Gem, Laxton's Peabody, money. cessfully carried out, and the crew of the Laxton's Quality, Veitch's Perfection, &c. Telegraph Money Orders are issued and cessumy carried out, and the crew of the vessel, five in all, were able to jump into the boat. Almost immediately afterwards the potatoe onions, garlic, and shallots. Rhubarb may also be forwarded to all Telegraph Offices schooner sank. Their perils, however, were not and asparagus beds should have a rich dressing in South, Australia, upon, payment of the schooler sank. Their perus, nowever, were not yet at an end, for so high was the sea that it was impossible for the lifeboat to come along-side excellence on the liberalty bestowed on it in charge for transmisson:—For any sum not the Leo. After towing a short distance, Cap- the shape of manure. Hotbeds may be pre- exceeding £5, Victoria 1s. 6d.; South Austain Bass threw out two lines; these being pared on which to raise early cucumbers. Sow tralia, 3s. Exceeding £5, but not exceeding

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### Victorian Railways.

December 12

TIME TABLE.

Tuesday

FROM MELBOURNE TO STAWELL. LEAVE-Melbourne, 6.15 a.m., 3.10. p.m. ARRIVE At Ballarat, 10.25 a.m., 8.15 p.m. LEAVE-Ballarat, 5.10 a.m., 10.55 a.m., 8.30 p.m.

Burrumbeet, 5.48 a.m., 11.25 a.m., 9.6 p.m. Beaufort, 6.26 a.m., 12.8 a.m., 9.44 p.m. Buangor, 7.10 a.m., 12.48 a.m. 10.24 p.m. ARRIVE At Ararat, 8.5 a.m., 1.33 p.m., 11.9 p.m. LEAVE-Ararat, 8.25 a.m., 1,48 p.m., 11.24 p.m. ARRIVE At Stawell, 9.25 a.m., 2.43 p.m., 12.15 p.m. FROM STAWELL TO MELBOURNE.

LEAVE-Stawell, 6.45 a.m., 10.30, a.m., 3 p.m. ARRIVE At Ararat, 7.45 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 3.50 p.m. LEAVE-Ararat, 8.5 a.m., 11.50 a.m., 4 p.m. Buangor, 8.50 a.m., 12.48 a.m., 4.40 p.m. Beaufort, 9.31 a.m., 1.45 p.m., 5.20 p.m.

Burrumbeet, 10.20 a.m., 2.25 p.m., 6 p.m. ARRIVE At Ballarat, 11 a.m., 3.5 p.m., 6.45 p.m. LEAVE-Ballarat, 11.30 a.m., 3.25 p.m., 7 p.m. ARRIVE At Melbourne, 3.41 p.m., 8.55 p.m., 11.6 p.m.

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Ballarat	First	-class.	Secor	ıd-class
Burrumbeet	2s		1s	6d
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Buangor	8s	0 d	5s	6d
Ararat	9s	Gd	Gs	0d
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Buanger	2s	6d	ls	6d
Beaufort	5s	Od	3s	0d
Trawalla	5s	Gd	38	6d
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# Beaufort Post Office.

TIME TABLE, 1876.

	Post Town.		Beaufort.	Besufort.
	Melbourne	•••	11.8 a.m. 9.44 p.m.	9 a.m. 5 p.m,
١	Geelong		Ditto	Ditto
1	Ballarat		Ditto	Ditto
l	Trawalla		Ditto	Ditto
۱	Raglan		4.15 p.m.	8 a.m.
١	Charlton		Ditto	Ditto
Ì	Waterloo		Ditto	Ditto
l	Main Lead	•••	Ditto	Ditto
	Sailor's Gully	•••	4.15 p.m.	Ditto
	Stockyard Hill	•••	Ditto	Ditto
	Ararat	•••	9.31 a.m. 5.20 p.m.	11.45 a.m. 9.20 p.m.
	Buanger	•••	Ditto	Ditto
	Eurambeen	•	43 p.m	1 p.m.
•	Shirley	•••	Ditto	Dittto

A mail for Main Lead is made up at Beauat 8.30 a.m.—returning from Main Lead on

same days, at 6.30p.m. The mails for Ararat, Shirley, Melbourne, Ballarat, Geelong, Buangor, Trawalla, and Eurambeen are despatched twice daily. Mails for Main Lead, Raglan, Charlton,

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July 25

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RICHARD MELLISH AND CO. REPORT :-Fat Cattle-A short supply, quality for the most part medium, the balance useful to good. The attendance was not large, but prices were in advance of last week's, quality of the cattle considered. Fat Sheep—A short supply; also quality, generally speaking, medium to fair. The trade, as buyers, were poorly represented, and sales were dragging, last weeks prices not being maintained. We penned 448, and sold on account of Messrs. R. Fletcher and others, fair to good light wethers, 8s. 6d. to 9s. 6d. ditto, ewes, 5s. 9d. to 9s. 6d. Fat Sheep-About 50 only to hand; for these there was a fair competition at about last weeks rates. We sold 17 fair to good, for Messrs, Purcell and Gilles, from 6s. 3d. to 10s. Store Cattle-At the yards we sold for Messrs. T. and W. Honey, and D. Gilles, 14 head mixed ages and sexes, at market rates; and outside, for a graizer, 80 do., from £3 to £5.

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MESSRS. GEORGE SYNNOT AND CO. REPORT: Sheepskins-There was an average attendance of buyers at the different sales. Prices at the opening were lower than last week's, but recovered as sales progressed, the market closing at a slight reduction on late rates. We offered a large quantity and sold all with the exception of two lots, as follows:-Best pelts, to 54d. medium, do., to 38d. Station skins, to 61d. per lb.; lamb skins to 2s, 9d, Hides-Very few in the market, prices were in consequence from an eighth to one farthing per lb. dearer. We sold green, to 41d.; wet salted, 41d. to 5d.; calf, 41d. to 51d.

Post," that the boot factories of Goulburn, Sr. M'Ervale; W.I.G., Bro. Day; W.O.G., New South Wales, flourish without the adventitious aid of protection. The proprietors of these establishments forward boots by rail to Sydney, thence by steamer to Melbourne, aud round by the North-eastern railway to Albury. After the expense attendant on such a circuitous route they are sold as cheap as the imported article, and for durability are much preferable.

The "Age" states that the certificated teachers of State schools in Victoria are about to receive a notable addition to their ranks, in the person of Signor Riociotti Garribaldi, a son of the Italian patriot. This gentleman has been in the colony for some time, and he has now applied for an appointment as teacher under the Board of Education. He is known to be an accomplished scholar, and is master labor done £3 13s. 6d; order for amount and of English as well as other languages. It will be remembered that he also served throughout the Franco-German war.

The "Tasmanian Tribune" says :-- "On Saturday night, 13th instant, about half-past eleven o'clock, four persons were out fishing, opposite the long bay above the Government House, when they hooked a large shark, to be mentioned, I happened to be one of a They cut the monster open, and in his inside, party travelling with about 130 head of cattle, a man's head, the upper part with hair on it, | free accommodation for our cattle for the night, them, of a human body. After some discussion as to whether they should bring the remains to town or not, they decided to leave then; with the shark on the beach."

The "Trenton Gazette" says :- 'A little girls, to liquidate the debt of one of the small | all total strangers to him." churches in the outskirts. A prize was amount. She succeeded well, but she learned that one little girl had raised a trifle more than she did, and after all she was likely to lose the prize. In thinking over the matter the idea occurred to her that she would write to General Grant to help her out. She did so, and to her great joy, the General answered the letter, and enclosed the sum of five dollars, and besides some excellent advice. The child was as much pleased in receiving the letter from General Grant as she was to get the five dollars. The letter became an object of great | South Wales is without foundation. curiosity. Everybody wanted to see it. One gentleman gave five dollars for it, and then charged a quarter to see it. In this way some fifteen or twenty dollars were realised. all of which was paid to the object for which the little girl was soliciting subscriptions, namely, the Hamilton Avenue Church.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" of the 19th May, says: -" With reference to a telegrum from Melbourne conveying the rumor that Mr. Brough Smyth, late secretary for Mines in Victoria, has been offered the best authority for stating that there is no foundation whatever for the statement." Weller, 3.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AND NEWS-PAPERS.

Adamthwaite E. Bathurst W. Mrs., Bishop James. Chellew P. Mrs., Cochran J. B. Dutten Wm. Farley James, Fox B. Gardner S. Hall E., Hay John, Haddon E. M'Leod Murdock. Opie John. Phillips Mrs. Quayle Mrs. or Miss. Ross John, Smith Thomas. Topper George. Vance William.

Beaufort, May 26th, 1876.

THOMAS LEWIS.

Piponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning.

**SATURDAY, MAY 27, 1876.** 

Our local fire brigade acquitted itself most praiseworthy at the demonstration at Ballarat the Fitzroy, Kangaroo Flat and Maryborough brigades; they completely ran away from the former, and secured 9 points; their second run was against Kangaroo Flat, whom they beat, securing 6 points, and their last contest was with Maryborough whom they also beat securing the same number of points, making a total of 21, which was only three points less than the number scored by the winner of the Cup. The Beaufort brigade had to compete for every point scored, never ran a bye, nor were they beaten in any contest. On the contrary the winners of the second and third prizes, viz., Sandhurst No. 1 and Wellington, and also the Maryborough brigade, all ran byes, which gave them 9 points each of drawing lots for the third prize, the competing teams had run off the Beaufort brigade would have become the winner of the third prize, and as another paper expresses itself, it is rather to be regretted that the Fire Brigades' competition should be

The Rev. Mr. Herring will preach to the Episcopalian Church.

The Shire of Ripon invite tenders for works in the North Riding.

We caution owners of fowls to be on the Stuart had his hen roost of 13 cleared pounds as wines and spirits, it seems only just off. This neighborhood has not been troubled for some time with this class of midnight prowlers, and we hope that this will be the THE FIRE BRIGADES' DEMONSTRATION last that we shall hear of them.

At the adjourned quarterly meeting of the Hope of Beaufort Lodge I.O.G.T., held last evening the L.D., Bro. S. Chapman, assisted by Bro. M'Grane acting as G.W.S., installed the following officers for the ensuing term:-W.C.T., Bro. Chalmers, re-elected; W.V.T. Sr. Cochran; W.S., Bro. Cumming, re-elected W.T., Bro. Cochran, re-elected; W.F.S., It is a notorious fact remarks the "Border Bro. Donnelly; W.C., Bro. Read; W.M. Bro. Driver; W.A.S., Sr. Farley; R.H.S., Bro. M'Grane; L.H.S., Sr. Murchison.

> Applications will be received by the Shire of Ripon on Thursday, from persons willing to undertake the duties of weighbridge keeper at Beaufort.

The Victoria Company, Waterloo, yield for the last week was 28oz. 18dwt. The main reef drive was started on Wednesday last.

Mr. P. C. Crespigny, P.M., attended at the Police Court on Thursday and disposed of the following cases:- Harris and Troy v. Thomas Egan; goods sold £4 10s. 7d.; order for amount and 5s. costs, to be paid forthwith in default distress. James Frusher v. Thomas Egan; work and 53. costs, in default distress. Charles Connell v. N. Meredith; goods sold £2 8s. 3d.; the amount had been paid into court.

The Corack correspondent of the St. Arnaud 'Times" writes :- "There happened a little event on our journey to Corack, which deserves were offered provisions for ourselves if we chose to remain for the day and rest our stock, which we, with sincere thanks, declined to accept, as "onward" was our motto. The kind gentlegirl was engaged in raising money by small man above referred to is Mr. W. Lewis, of

given to the girl that raised the largest for the week ending 18th May show the following:-Total for week, £18,958 15s. 4d.; aggregate from 1st July, £891,131 10s. 2d.; weekly average, £19,372 8s. 6d. The corresponding rewere 32,368; in 1876 there were 618 miles open, and 34,822 passengers.

The statement anent Mr. R. B. Smyth's appointment in the Mining Department of New

The Ballarat Miners' Races were held on Wednesday, the meeting was one of the most successful ever held in Ballarat, about 4000 people were on the ground, and the course was in very good condition. The following is the -Mistake, 1; Dred, 2. All Saints trot-Conquering Hero, 1; Jack Sprat, 2; Tommy Dodd, 3. Miners' handicap-Defiance, 1; Sea Kale, 2; Erin, 3. Handicap hurdle race-Friar, 1; Fox, 2. Handicap steeplechase-Mistake, 1; Sheet

Mr. Wilkinson, of Messrs. Stevenson and Son. The shaft of the New Warrior Company, Lexopened out. A contract to drive into the reef has been let, and is expected to be completed in three weeks .- "Talbot Leader."

Three very disastrous fires occurred on Thursproperty was destroyed. About 3 o'clock in the morning a fire was discovered on the premises of Messrs. Harper and Co., Oriental Mills, Flinders-street, and whilst the fireman were engaged in extinguishing this, another fire | brigade, and the time, taken by chronograph, broke out in the Flinders Bond, Flinders-street. by which they can see for themselves that the These fires burnt very fiercely, and it was with | majority of the trials were exceedingly close, great difficulty the flames were got under and such as proved that even the beaten brigades control. The buildings were completely gutted, and property destroyed to the value of many thousands of pounds. At 1 o'clock in the day a third fire broke out in the warehouse of Messrs. Lazarus and Co., Elizabeth-street, by which property to the value of L7,000 was destroyed. -"Argus."

The Melbourne correspondent of the "Courier" writes:-At one of the fires on Thursday morning, a policeman observed a young fireman, named John Clarke, making off with someon Wednesday last. They competed against thing apparently stowed away under his coat. On looking to see what caused the bulky appearance, the policeman found three new hats. and, on a further search, three purses and a large number of valuable gold studs and sleeve links and other articles. He was therefore locked up, and was remanded until Friday.

We take the following from the columns of the "Sydney Morning Herald":- "In these days when alcoholic liquors are so largely consumed, and consumers are so much in doubt whether their systems are not being gradually impaired by adulteration, it is as well that one, at least, of the popular beverages of the period is reliable and pure—that is, Wolfe's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps. After making reasonable deductions from the varied and many active and neutralising virtues it is said to possess, it is something to be assured by physicians and other without exertion, and no doubt, if, instead of the scientific cognoscenti that we have in this article a genuine extract which taken in moderate quantity, and under ordinarily healthy conditions of body, afford a beneficial stimulus to the animal functions, and even if taken in excess leaves but a minimum of the inevitable evils of abuse. The fact that in the latter respect it is incomparably superior to the mass of other decided by a sort of "Yankey Grab" system. liquors of a like class is attributed to the entire absence of fusil oil; its palatableness, its tonic morrow (Sunday) morning and evening in properties, and its effect in increasing the vital energy may be traced to the purity of its main constituent. It differs from Holland gin, the produce of juniper communis, the schnapps being made from the Italian juniper, which gives a finer aromatic liquor. If it is necessary in the alert for fowl stealers, as we have been in- interests of the public to denounce the too comformed that on Thursday night Mr. Charles mon practice of manufacturing noxious comto point to this meritorious exception."

The annual Demonstration of the United Fire Brigades was held at Ballarat on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Ballarat was alive with the many colored uniforms of the men of the various brigades who took part in the demonstration. All the brigades had arrived by Tuesday afternoon. It was with difficulty that a great number of the men obtained accommodation. On Tuesday evening the torchlight procession took place, at half-past five o'clock the brigades mustered at the Western Railway Station, and a start was made about half-past seven. About 1000 men accompanied by eleven bands formed the procession, and it was one of the most noble and inspiring sights that has ever been witnessd in Ballarat, the streets were lined by crowds of anticipant spectators, and every window and balcony upon the line of route was crowded with eager sight-seers. On Wednesday morning at eight o'clock the various brigades commenced to muster at the Western Railway Station, preparatory to starting for Russell Square. At halfpast nine the brigades, with their reels, engines and apparatus carriages, marched up the north side of Sturr-street, above the City Fire Brigade tower, and down the south side towards the convincing ground, which was reached about half-past ten. There could not be less than 10,000 persons on the ground. At twelve o'clock the competition commenced. Beaufort and Fitzroy were the first to run, our brigade completely ran away from the Fitzroy men and won easily, and scored all the points. In the next run they were pitted against the Kangaroo Flat brigade whom they beat in showing the first and second jets of water, for which they deserve amongst other particles of food, found half of in the locality of Beaufort. We got not only great credit. Great was the excitement when it was made known that Beaufort would meet and part of the chest-ribs, with the skin on with grass in abundance, but next morning we Maryborough, Sandhurst No. 1 would meet Sandhurst City; Dunedin would meet Wellington, and Ballarat meet Ballarat City, in the second ties. Beaufort beat Maryborough in getting on the water; Sandhurst No. 1 heat Sandhurst City in the same way; Dunedin recontributions among quite a number of other | Stoneleigh station, near Beaufort. We were | tired in favor of Wellington, and Ballarat City beat Ballarat. An adjournment of the judges The traffic returns of the Victorian railways here took place to consult on the best plan of settling the final heats, when it was found that Sandhurst No. 1 and Ballarat City had scored 24 points each, and Beaufort, Maryborough, and Wellington 21 points each. It was then turns for 1875 were £15,564 1s. 1d., £827,274 proposed to put the three last named into a hat lieutenant of the Beaufort brigade and the other captains consented, and Wellington was drawn. Afterwards Captain Humphreys of the Beaufort brigade protested that he had not been a consenting party, but the judges declined to entertain it. The third prize, therefore, fell to a

The Crown has abandoned its case against feet), fix branch and throw water as before, and Davies, and West Charlton station by Mr. to carry 300 feet of hose, hydrant and branches ton, is sunk to water level, and chamber being on carriage, I inch nozzles; the hose to be dry to commence with, strictly canvas hose and in no way prepared or lined; both lines run in the same direction and not to be crossed. The competing teams to run in pairs to be drawn for, day in Melbourne, by which a large amount of and to be decided by points, viz., 3 points first carriage past plug; 3 points first water; 3 points first with two streams. We refer our readers to a carefully prepared tabulated statement below showing the number of points made by each

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The following is the result of Thursday's competition :—

The tie between the Ballarat City and the Sandhurst No. 1 resulted in a victory for the for Trawalla school room, stating that the former. -Ballarat City. -Run up, 28sec; first department had the school room thoroughly water, 46sec.; second water, 63sec. The time repaired last year, and it was not the practice of the Sandhurst team was not taken. Engine Competition.—First prize, silver

mounted emu egg cup; second prize, silver trophy, the gift of Henry Henkel Esq. -Ballarat, 551sec.; Ballarat City, 65sec.; Sandhurst City, 68 sec.; Sandhurst No. 1, 57sec.; Maldon, 974sec.; Newton and Chilwell, 70sec.

LADDER AND HOSE COMPETITION. - First prize, two branches, the gift of John Danks, Esq.; second prize, silver trophy, the gift of George | Cole Flats. Thompson, Esq.—Maryborough, 641/2 sec.; Sandhurst City (no water on); Ballarat City, 571.; Sandhurst No. 1, 73 sec.; Ballarat, 62½ sec.

## EAST CHARLTON.

We have received the first number of the "East Charlton Tribune." It is neatly printed and well written, and should prove a great benefit to 6s., and £17.984 4s. 6d. In 1875 there were and draw for third prize so as to avoid running the district in which it is published. We extract 587 miles open, and the passengers for the week | a bye, the first name drawn to have the prize. The | the following from its columns:-East Charlton stands on the eastern banks of the Avoca river in a beautiful valley between two ranges of hills, and is distant twenty miles from Wedderburn and twenty-eight from St. Arnaud. The country around is of a very rich nature, and bids fair to become the finest agricultural district in the brigade that had not won it on its merits, but colony. The whole of the land for many miles around has been selected. The wheat grown in Hose Competition. -First prize, silver cup. | the vicinity of East Charlton during the past value 40 guineas, and eight gold medals, the season realised the highest price of any in Vicresult of the day's racing:-Selling hurdle race gift of I. Jonas, Esq.; second prize, 100 feet toria. How surprised the old habitues of the canvas hose, the gift of Thomas Evans, Esq.; Lower Avoca would be to see the East Charlton third prize, silver trophy, the gift of Thomas of to-day. How great is the contrast with what Heyden, Esq. The conditions of competition it was in the days of the mighty Cid and the were :- Eight men (not to exceed) to run with inimitable Cann, when a sheet would have carriage 200 yards, fix hydrant, run out 100 covered the whole of the inhabitants. The first a similar position in the civil service here to Anchor, 2; Postmaster, 3. Corner selling stakes feet of hose, fix branches, and throw water over building erected on East Charlton was in the that which he held in Melbourne, we have Nonsense, 1; Trifle, 2; Buckley, 3. Selling a rope stretched at the height of 10 feet; year 1863 by Mr. John Flug (the building is now sider it the most melancholy news, hardly The exposure of the departmental and other riages to come back to a line drawn 15 feet used as a police station). The East Charlton excepting the assassination of President frauds by the members of the Government is I from hydrant, run out a second line of hose (100 | station was then owned by Messrs. Cunningham | Lincoln.

banches to extend 80 feet from hydrant, carriage J. B. Chirnside. Every obstacle was thrown in the way of Mr. Flug, and every means employed to prevent him establishing himself on the river. But with the indomitable pluck of the Norsemen of yore. he stood his ground, and laid the foundation of the present thriving township. In the course of two or three years after the adventof Mr. Flug, houses were erected by Messrs. Hay, Currie and Smith followed by a down the country and paddocked owing to the great scarcity of water in this district. The scarcity of water was caused through the shortsightedness of the then residents in not forming tanks and dams in preference to trusting to natural water holes. I dont think we shall ever be short of water again, good and wholesome water has been obtained by sinking wells varying from 12 to 100 feet, easy sinking); there are If lucerne got once root in the above soil it would grow most wonderful crops. Mr. Peter M'Kenzie, of West Charlton, is the pioneer selector on the Lower Avoca, and was the first to prove that grain of a very good quality could be grown in this district, in fact, that farming would pay. Many a time did he foretell that to the acre, and the high prices obtained for the wheat grown in the district, go far to prove Mr. M'Kenzie's assertion. It was not until 1872 and 73 that selection could be said to have thoroughy set in. In the early part of 1873 the Beautort Mechanics' Institute, is many thousand acres had been selected in and suffering greatly through want of patriotaround East Charlton, and even now the cry is ism, and of late the committee have "still they come." At the present time there cannot be less than three thousand persons in close connection with East Charlton. The year 1873 and the greater part of 1874 passed before the town woke up from its lethargy, and then with the quickness of a magician's wand, homes, hotels and stores sprang up in every direction. A lowlying space which had been reserved for a water take books home with them to read, and leave and camping ground was suddenly rushed and their subscriptions unpaid for two years, and taken possession of; it was then cut up into building allotments, and sold at £8 per acre, the same ground is now worth from £2 to £5 per foot, although in winter it is liable to be flooded. When the township extends, which it doubtless will, along the Wedderburn and Sandhurst road the allot ments in the higher part of East Charlton will become valuable properties. In the year 1870 about midday between the East Charlton Hotel and the bridge, there was a swift rushing current of water from four to five feet deep. When a deep drain is made to carry off the storm water, when our streets are metalled; when our footpaths are formed; when our promised Court of Petty Sessions is an established fact; and when the shires on whose boundaries we stand take notice of our little wants then we can proudly boast that our fast growing township of East Charlton stands second to none in the district The powers that be could not adopt a wiser and more beneficial policy than to see that all roads to and from East Charlton are made

> appearance. A district rich in itself. Where teeming plenty opens all her store.

passable in winter. They should remember that

social intercourse, or intercommunion, is the

spirit of that power which carries success to any

listrict. Apart from the great grain producing

properties of this place, it is eminently suited

of its herbage it has a tendency to cure fluke,

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF ADVICE.

A meeting of the above was held yesterday t Scharp's Beaufort hotel. Present-Mr. M'Leod (chairman) and

Messrs. Humphreys and M'Donald. From Education Department, giving notice to the Board that the school reserves at Mount Cole, Mount Cole Flats, and Trawalla had ocen gazetted.

From same, in reply, stating that with repect to defective ventilation of the Beaufort state school the matter would receive atten-

From same, in reply to Board asking for additional desks and forms and extra lining to completely line school rooms.

From same, in reply, stating that Mr. Davy had been instructed to invite tenders for fencing Eurambeen school without delay. From James Patterson, head teacher, Sailors' Gully school, reporting favorably re

A deputation consisting of Messrs. Waldron and Brown, waited on the board, and pointed cut the necessity for a school at Mount

scarlet fever.

Moved by Mr. M'Donald, seconded by Mr. M'Leod-That the correspondent again write, urging the building of a school at Mount

A complaint having been brought before the board relative to the alleged illtreatment of a boy attending the Eurambeen school by severe flogging, the board after hearing the report of Mr. M'Donald, who had been deputed to enquire into the matter, and also the all the hotel-keepers in the town to a man explanation of the teacher being before the board, it was moved by Mr. Humphreys, seconded by Mr. M'Leod-That the circumstances did not call for the board's interference.—Carried.

Mr. Humphreys reported that he had visited the Main Lead school, and was highly that to the writer it was a wonder the first pleased with the recent appointment of Mr. M'George as head teacher, and the general management and discipline of the school. The Board then adjourned sine die.

President Grant has at length been caught of the inhabitants for the purpose of blackn the mælstrom of investigation. The New York papers of the 20th chronicle the fact of his political and moral suicide in the use of the secret service moneys as an election corruption fund, for his party's benefit and treasury, is now one of the most prominent his own re-election. The general press con- candidates for the presidential nomination.

STRAY NOTES

It seems every little township is able to get up horse races, even small outside places like Sailor's Gully and Eurambeen have their day's racing, and I see in last week's "Advocate" that Buangor held their annual races. patronised by no less than 200 spectators; how is it that the inhabitants of Beaufort. who in former times used to hold two days' races, collect money enough to be able to offer few small huts. The bridge was built in '67; prizes to the amount of over £120, and give the Presbyterian Church in 1871. The years enjoyment to more than 1000 people, have 1866-7-8, were very trying ones on the Lower for several years past shown no energy at all Avoca. Horses, cattle, and sheep were sent in keeping up the old established custom. It cannot be that Beaufort is now less populated or less important than at the time when races were held, and taking it for granted the statement in a letter appearing lately, signed 'Justice," being correct, enumerating not only the addition of several new streets, but other public works and erections of public as well as private buildings-to the praise of our councillors-Beaufort should now be in a better position to keep annual races. The several fine wells at Bungeeluke. Wychepraff racecourse has not been made use of for racing and Ninuenook. There is a shaft near Mr. or any other purpose for years, and I am in-Western's selection, Ninuenook, which is sunk formed that the right to the same is liable to over thirty feet through a very rich black soil, forfeiture, which I think if possible should be prevented, because although the present generation may be more inclined for achletic sports, the next may love other sports, if not taking into consideration the insignificant position to which Beaufort is now being reduced in the opinion of others, a proof of which I, together with several others, to our annoyance experienced a short time ago. this district would some day be the richest wheat when on the arrival of a train at the station, producing portion in Victoria. The large yields | a passenger asked the porter the name of this place, to which he replied, Beaufort. Beaufort, repeated the passenger; well, I never heard that name before!

Another old established institution. been obliged to retrench, and will be obliged to do still more, to such an extent that probably the next question will be whether or not it will be advisable to close it, the funds received from subscribers not being sufficient to keep it open. I wonder how men in good position, well able to pay, can go there daily, not only to read the papers, etc., but also thereby not only causing the institute the loss of the amount for such subscriptions, but also the loss of the grant from Government, but such is the case.

If the older inhabitants show their negligence in promoting the interests and preserving the honor of Beaufort, our young men are different. The Beaufort Volunteer Fire Brigade show that they at least are determined not to allow the name of Beaufort to become extinct. All from Beaufort at the fire brigade competition, or whoever read the report of it, must have been highly delighted, and, no doubt, the brigade has far exceeded the expectations of a good number. If there had been sufficient time, and the tie for the third prize had been run over again, instead of deciding it by lot, according to the time in which the former runs were made, the Beaufort men would have stood well for it, because the Wellington men did not come within 16 sees, of Beaufort, either for the run up, first water, and also second water. After such performance as shown at the competition by the Beaufort brigade, I should think an apology from "Cayenne" would be only just and I think councillors in their actions are not

always guided by love of justice. An archi-

for pasture ground. Owing to the salty nature teet is complaining against the Melbourne City Council, that after in competition, gainand foot-rot is unknown. It is a district in which ing first prize for a design (the prize-taker as we may safely say that rust will never put in an a rule is also entrusted with the work), he is invited to again compete for the same design with one of those over whom he previously gained the prize. I have no doubt our councillors would do different; they as a rule deal very fair with contractors. Still in some acts of theirs I fail to see justice, and here is one. Where is the justice in appointing the 'Evening Post" the council's official paper ? Where the justice is not, not only to other newspaper proprietors, but also to the readers of newspapers, I can very forcibly show, by repeating a conversation at which I was present not very long ago. One of our local news agents canvassed a newly established hotelkeeper here in Beaufort to become a subscriber to a daily paper. "I am taking in the "Evening Post," was the reply. On the representation of the news-agent that the "Ballarat Stars'" and "Courier's" were generally delivered here two hours before the Evening Post" of the previous day's issue, the hotel-keeper replied, "I must take the "Evening Post" all the same; it is the council's official paper, and contains all the advertisements, and I am not yet in a position to keep two daily papers." Anyone much interested in council advertisements is in the same situation, as some advertisements are not inserted in any other paper, not even in the one published opposite the council's own office, which, if I am right informed, is the only paper published in the whole shire. I have been told before, that this journal is owned by a clique, generally supposed to include a couple of our councillers; no doubt my informant mistook the name. There are still places where people are

alive to their own interests, and can appreciate a good thing when offered them. A private letter shown to me the other day from an up-country town where a weekly newspaper has lately been started, stated, that on the morning of the first publication, came to the office each with a bottle of champagne, and the manager of a public institution with two, and other business people numbering over 20 (almost as many as are there), dropping in, toasting and drinking to the health and prosperity to such an extent issue was ever sent out. Such unity for a small town promises well for future prosperity; it is not like once when a paper was first published in a place close to where I hail, when it was said the paper was started by one half guarding the other half.

N.N.

Mr. Bristow, the present secretary of the mainly due to him.

#### AN ILLICIT STILL IN THE MOORA-BOOL VALLEY.

There is something of a romantic description about the seizure of an illicit still, whilst it possesses a great deal of interest to the officers connected with the collection of revenue. Yesterday afternoon, between one and two o'clock, Mr. Superintendent Furnell, Inspector days after the advertised sailing time, owing of Distilleries for the district, accompanied by to legal troubles. Sergeant Toohey and Mounted-Constable Lloyd, visited the Moorabool Valley. At a very quiet and picturesque spot on this side three of his Ministers, and declines all cereof the valley, off the Steiglitz road, and not mony and official receptions. He registers far from the railway viaduct, those officers found a still, head, worm, &c., complete, in a house in the vineyard of Mr. H. B. Williams, vigneron and farmer. The police first visited produced by Mr. Furnell to Williams, who on the 24th. denied having a still in his possession, then In the bicycle contest at New York, for This was sufficient for the law's vigilant track altogether. vindicators, and they forthwith seized the day's "Advertiser."

#### EXECUTION OF JOHN DUFFUS.

John Duffus was executed at Castlemaine on Monday morning preisely at ten o'clock. At that hour Duffus was engaged in prayer with Archdeacon Crawford. On being summoned, he immediately rose from his knees and stepped outside the cell door, where he was taken in custody by Gately, who pinioned him, and went through the usual form of placing the cap over his head, then led him Havana. to the drop, and he said, "Have you anything to say? He replied, "Nothing." The signal bolt, and the unfortunate man was launched into eternity. Duffus fell six feet, and in his descent struck the back of his head against the scaffold, the trap, being narrow, suffusing the patent was a fraud. the white cap with blood, which appeared to and the Rev. Mr. Short were on the scaffold trust. during the execution. The body was allowed to hang for an hour, and was then cut down. He was quite resigned to his fate, but up to the increase. Franz Nicholl, a tobacco merthe last he protested his innocence of the chant, is the latest victim. awful crime with which he was charged. He of a good breakfast shortly before his execution. Archdeacon Crawford visited him on Sunday and administered spiritual consolation. The archdencon believes that he died penitent, but he failed to elicit any confession from him. He retired to sleep at ten o'clock last night, and slept till seven o'clock this morning. He received the sacrament on Sunday, Duffus stated the wished his daughters brought up Protestants, and attributed his present position to the rage of his wife, who is a Roman Catholic.—" Herald."

## THE TORRES STRAITS MAIL.

SINGAPORE, April 29th.

The Agnes is engaged in repairing the Madras cable, which is broken near Nicobar

The latest Perak intelligence states that Rajah Yuse, heir to the throne, has been committing cruelties, and inflicting brutal punishment for imaginary offences. His acknowledged brutality caused the Malay chiefs to endeavor to cut him off from the succession, The country is, however, quiet, some rebels, notably Kota Lama, chiefs and followers, showing symptoms of submission. Mr. Davidson, resident at Salangore, and Mr. Paul, deputy-resident, have been appointed as commissioners at Perak, but the former is sick at Malacca, and will probably be invalided. Both appointments are much approved of.

Governor Jervoise, accompanied by Ringoore with 50 of the 8th Regiment, went to Malacca on April 8th, consequent on news of gow on the 22nd, and a whole square was disturbances having again occurred at Negri Sumbilan. The reports proved exaggerated.

Bands of nameless robbers and plunders made simultaneous attacks upon the police stations in Moar Jampole and Sri Marente. Wales. Thirteen persons were killed, and They fled without hardly firing a shot upon the approach of the soldiers.

Messrs. William Henry Read and William Admason have been appointed members of the Straits Council.

The Siamese Government is vigorously pushing on a line of telegraph to connect Burmah with Bangkok, thence to Penang. There will thus be two lines from Singapore of Nationalists, armed with sticks, who had to England. The Siberian lines have been

much interrupted lately. The climate of Acheen still affects the health of the Dutch troops. Skirmishing is

Ex-Sulian Ismal, with 17 followers, has arrived at Penang from Singapore. He was sent to Johore, to be interned on parole, pending the result of the official enquiry as to the complicity of the chiefs in the recent outrages.

Governor Jervoise has formally acknowledged the obligations of the British Government to the Siamese Government and Rajah Quedah for the aid in the late outbreak.

The Spanish troops have had a successful engagement at the Sooloo Islands. General Maleampo despatched a detachment into the interior, attacking the enemy at Liang. The natives were completely routed. The troops are suffering considerably from fever and

dysentery. The Spanish recovered a number of cannon previously abandoned by them in the swamps, and captured some native artillery. There was great enthusiasm at Manila upon the re- or six men, who presented firearms at him, turn of the troops. Two regiments of infantry and gagged and bound him with strips torn and four batteries remained at Sooloo to from his bedding. They then proceeded to

Friendly Islanders at Nersher.

been sold at Singapore at 7dol.

improvement in freight.

ARRIVAL OF THE CALIFORNIAN! MAIL:

SYDNEY, Wednesday. a.m. this morning.

AMERICAN SUMMARY. San Francisco, 26th April. The City of New York was detained three

The Emperor of Brazil, Don Pedro, arrived his name at the palace hotel as Alcantara. It is generally believed that Don Carlos

and three of his generals were among the passengers of the steamship Hibernia, landed the house which was supposed to contain the at Halifax recently, and that they intend to illegal apparatus, but found one of the rooms make a tour of the United States, incognita. locked. Having a search warrant, this was The City National Bank of Chicago failed This they do by pasting the several pieces

admitted it, and afterwards made several con- the championship of fifty miles, between D. in circulation. It is evident there are a found the still—a 20 gallon one—with all the M'Lellan broke down on the sixteenth, and thus carrying on a wholesale system of robbery. necessary paraphernalia for the business, also his twentieth mile, and then left the "O. and M. Advertiser.

The Government Lunatic Asylum at property, arrested Williams, and brought it Washington has been investigated into, and and him to the lock-up in Geelong. Williams a horrible state of things revealed. The was afterwards admitted to bail.-Wednes- patients were stabled like horses, and the bones of many were worn through the skin, and in several instances death was hastened by violence.

Don Pratt, of the Washington capitol, reports President Grant as being intoxicated dyne (Ozonic Oxygen), which at once allays all Don Pratt, of the Washington capitol, reoubliely.

On the motion of the counsel of Rufus Hatch, Judge Spicer, of the New York Supreme Court, has granted an injunction against Sydney Dillon and Jay Gould, to prevent them attempting in any way to dissolve the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. Boss Tweed is reported to be living in

Don Pratt, a Washington journalist of was then given to Gately, who pulled the 20,000 dol. for using his influence with the some prominence, has confessed to receiving Secretary of War to have a certain moth preventative introduced into the army department. He thought at the same time that

The failure of Patrick Donohue, editor flow from a wound in his head. The extremities and publisher of the "Boston Pilot," the of the wretched man were convulsed for a few principal Catholic paper in the United States, minutes by contraction of the nerves, but life is for 500,000 dol., with only a third of that was probably extinct almost immediately, as sum secured. The worst feature about it is the rope slipped back, and his neck was that Donohue used 70,000 dol., the property broken. The Ven. Archdeacon Crawford of poor Irish people deposited with him in

> Since Moody and Sankey began their revival in New York insanity is largely on

President Grant is represented as very ate his rations with zest, and partook heartily despondent, in view of the malfeasanoc on the part of many of his personal friends whom he appointed to office. His private secretary's (Babcock) alleged complicity in the safe burglary is the severest blow of all.

Four thousand kegs of powder exploded in he Salt Lake City on the 5th instant, causing the loss of five lives and the destruction of much property. The powder was stored in magazines on Temple Hill, and the cause of the explosion is supposed to be that two young men were making a target of the iron doors. They were both blown into ounce

A New York "World's" Philadelphia special says the Americans are behind all exhibitors at the Centennial.

The baby-farming business as carried on at Montreal, is attracting considerable attention from the board of health. It is shown that out of 719 babies received at the Grey Nun Hospital last year, only eighty-five survived. The inhabitants of Latador are in a starving condition, and a steamer laden with provisions for their relief has left Quebec.

GREAT BRITAIN. The Queen and Princess Beatrice arrived at Portsmouth from their continental tour

A Calcutta telegram announces that seventeen persons implicated in the murder of Mr. Margarey of the English Expedition, will be executed at Bahama on the 5th May, in the presence of the British escort.

A serious fire occurred in Buchanan street, one of the principal thoroughfares of Glasconsumed.

An explosion of gunpowder occurred on the 22nd, during the operations in the new ralway tunnel in the course of construction near Neath, Glamorgan County, South many wounded.

A desperate fight took place in the streets of Limerick on the 17th instant. It appears that Butt and O'Shaughnessy, M.P's. for the city, announced their intention of addressing the people from the base of O'Connell's monument. A procession, numbering some thousands, marched to the place, and a body previously taken possession of the monument, attacked the procession. The Nationalists were overpowered after a severe fight, in which many persons were injured. The police and military were under arms, but ab-

stained from interference. The "St. Petersburg Gezette" says that the fears entertained for the peace of Europe

are entirely groundless. Advices from Constantinople state that the Sultan, if driven to extremes, intends to arm the Mahomedan population in Herzegovina

and Bosina. The "Moscow Gazette" says Turkish soldiers receive neither pay nor provisions and sell cartridges to the insurgents for bread

The "Pleasant Creek News" says :-"Another part of the gang of new arrivals of the more disreputable class made what was for liberal share of their patronage. a time a successful attempt at robbery under arms, at the North and New South Wales Company's mill, Deep Lead, early on Sunday morning. One of the men employed was sleeping in the mill, and was awakened by five strip off the copper from the tables, and had It is proposed to form a settlement of well nigh completed their task when the gagged man, being left unwatched for a minute The Phonix's cargo of Newcastle coals has crept to the engine and succeeded in turning on steam to the whistle. This alarmed the Tonnage is superabundant. There is no robbers, who, fearing the arrival of those l living near, at once made of.

During the past few months several, bank managers have been somewhat puzzled to account for a number of notes which have been The City of New York arrived about two in circulation, and which, though to all ap-

pearance genuine, bore the numbers of others issued, and were in excess of the number sent out. Not long since a manager in this part of the country received one of these notes, and knowing that the number corresponded with that of one already in circulation, sent it to the head office, from whence it was returned last evening in this city, accompanied by with the request that he would furnish information as to from whom it had been received. This he was unable to do. The fact is that there is a regular trade done in the manufacture of bank notes. Men tear off a small piece of a note which does not at all detract from its value, and then another from another note, and so on until they have sufficient pieces to manufacture a whole note. together, and there can be no doubt but that by these means several spurious notes are now tradictory statements with respect to the ap- Stanton (English), and W. L. M'Lenan number of ingenious, patient rascals in our pliances. Williams ultimately produced the (American), the former won. Stanton made midst, and it would be well if the detectives key of the locked room, and there the officers the distance in three hours four minutes. would keep a sharp look-out for those who are

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#### Government Advertisements. A MINING LEASE DECLARED VOID.

A TTENTION is directed to the Government Gozette of the 19th May, 1876, page 958, in which it is notified that the undermentioned leaso has been de-

ARARAT DISTRICT-RAGLAN DIVISION. No. 580, dated 17th March, 1873; M. O'Grady; 27a. Or. 10p, Charlton Lead.

THOS. COUCHMAN, Acting Secretary for Mines. Melbourne, 19th May, 1876.

Beaufort Athletic Sports Club.

A GENERAL MEETING of the above club will be held on TUESDAY, MAY 30th, at 8 pm, at Moss' Commercial Hotel. Business—To receive balance G. M. CAMPBELL, Hon. Sec.

## Shire of Ripon.

TENDERS will be received up to II a.m., THURS-DAY, the Ist day of JUNE, for the PURCHASE of GATES and other Fixings at the site of the old Stonyford Toll Gate. D. G. STEWART, Shire Secretary.

# Riponsbire Offices, Beaufort, 16th May, 1876.

A PPLICATIONS will be received up to 11 a.m. on THURSDAY, the 1st day of JUNE, from persons willing to undertake the duties of WEIGHBRIDGE KEEPER at Beaufort; to give attendance from the hours of 8 in the Morning till 6 in the evening, at a remuneration of one half of the fees received. nuneration of one half of the fees received. D. G. STEWART,

Shire of Ripon.

Riponshire Offices, Beautort, 16th May, 1876.

## Shire of Ripon.

TENDERS addressed to the President of the Shire of Ripon and enclosing 5 per cent. deposit will be received at the Shire Office until 11 a.m. on THURS-DAY, the 1st day of JUNE, 1876, for the following

NORTH RIDING. Contract No. 229—Making and gravelling 7 chains of footpaths in Havelock-street, between Sharp's

Contract No. 230—Supplying 300 yards of quartz gravel on the Main Leadrond, and in Beautort. Plaus and specifications can be seen at the Shire Office, The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. H. JACKSON. Beaufort, 19th May, 1876.

## Preliminary Notice.

Sale of Farm, Stock, and Implements at Colvinsby.

# R. C. BEVERIDGE

HAS received instructions to SELL, at an early date at Mr. W. Smith's Farm, Colvinsby, About 600 Sheep of various descriptions, mixed ages and sexes, a number of Horaed Cattle, Winnowing and Reaping Machines, Drays, Harness, and a general assortment of Farming Implements; also, a quantity of Oats, one Stack of Hay one ditte Starry June 1975.

Hay, one ditto Straw, a lot of Grass Seed, Rock Salt, two Chaffeutters and Horseworks, two Spring Carts, etc. Further particulars will appear in the next issue of

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HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

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# WINTER GOODS,

Including all the latest novelties in Millinery, Jackets Hyde Parks, Shawis, the newest and most choice descriptions of Dress Goods, and the most handsome and Fashionable Trimnings of every kind just received by the mail.

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On and after Saturday next, the second portion of THOMAS POPE'S STOCK, At about half-price, and magnificent value in al

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o bines 174 Extra Super, and Intel Blankets, 9416 weight, 25s, worth 35s Grey, brown, drab, blue, and Scarlet Blankets, at from 3s 11d to 42s per pair 150 heavy Railway Rugs, 8s 11d, worth 20s 470 heavy make winter Toilet Quilts, 7s 6d and 12s 6d, worth 15s and 20s 3 bales Scotch Blankets, a manufacturer's job, 20s, 255, 2018 232 Cd. worth 15s and 20s. 25s, and 32s 6d, worth more wholesale 72 pieces new patterns tapestry and Brussels Carpets. 2s Hd and upwards per yard. A choice lot of the very best quality of Brussels Carpets
Just opened, most beautiful patterns China, Coir,

Minilla, Dutch, and Dundee Mattings, all widths, from 51d per yard Floor and passage Oil Cloths in the newest designs from 18 inches to 18 feet in width Wool and Coir Door Mats, Hearth Rugs; Window, Poles; not, lace, leno, Swiss, and harness Curtains very

cheap 6 bales all-wool Flaunels, extra wide and heavy, 1s, 1s 23d, 1s 43d, 1s 63d, 1s 9d, 2s, and 2s 3d; nothing to equal them in Ballarat within 6d per yard

The second portion of Mr. Pope's Sheetings, now Is, 1s 23d, 1s 43d, 1s 63d, and 1s 9d per yard, worth from 6d to 1s more per yard 6d to 1s more per yard 5 bales Unbleached Twill Sheeting, 1s per yard, 72

inches wide, worth 1s 6d
400 dozen full sized Fringed Towels, 4½d, 6d, and 9d each, worth 9d, is, and is 6d

The second lot of Mr. Pope's Table Damasks, warrented pure linen, is 23d, is 43d, is 63d, is 9d, and 2s,
worth dauble the wife 3d. worth double the price Pope's Crimean Shirting, now 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 9d, and 2s, worth 1s 9d, 2s, 2s 6d, and 3s

Pope's heavy make Brown Hollands, 63d, 73d, 83d, and 93d, worth 10d, 11d, 1s, and 1s 2d Basketsful of Antimacassars, Table Napkins, Toilet-covers, &c., &c., at less than half-price—thrown out as

## DRESS DEPARTMENT.

This department is, without dispute, the largest, most caried, attractive, and cheapest assortment of ordinary and first-class dresses in the Australian colonies. With the second portion of Mr. Pope's stock will be shown all he most choice novelties of the season. French and the most choice novetties of the season. Frenen and Irish Poplins, Natte Cloths, Wool and Silk Matelasses, Wool and Silk Reps, Wool and Silk Damasses, &c., &c. 23 cases Fancy Dress Staffs, purchased as a clearing line, 6d to 9d per yard; worth 1s 3d to 1s 9d 263 pieces Plain Winceys, 4\frac{3}{4}, 6\frac{3}{4}, 7\frac{3}{4}, 8\frac{3}{4}, 9\frac{3}{4}, 16\frac{3}{4}, and 1s; worth double the price 5 cases Aberdeen Winceys, 10\frac{3}{4}, 12\frac{3}{4}, 1s 3d, 1s 4\frac{3}{4}, and 1s 6\frac{3}{4}a and 1s 9d; worth from 6d to 1s more now and Is 63d, and Is 9d; worth from 6d to Is more per

The newest shades in Satin Cloths, 1s 9d per yard 4 cases Silk Reps, all the newest shades, 2s 9d per ard; worth 4s 6d 5 cases Black Alpacas, 81d to Is 9d; the best value in the colony 3 cases Black Alpaca (pure Lustre), ls per yard; worth Is Gd 2 cases Black Figured Lustres, now so favorably known, 93d and Is; worth Is 3d and Is 9d.

SILKS! SILKS! SILKS! A magnificent assertment of new Fancy, Damass and Matelasse Silks, at very low prices BLACK SILKS.—A splendid stock of pure Italian Glace and Gros Grain Silks; also, 2 cases of Spitalfields Glaces and Gros Grains just opened, at 2s 6d to 7s 11d

MOURNING GOODS. Black Russell and Persian Cords, French Merinus and Twills, Paramattas, Siciliennes, Satin Cloths, Australian Crapes, Baratheas and Serges, at very low prices

and in superior qualities
5 cases Plain and Striped Skirtings, 1s 63d to 3s 11d 4 cases Grey and Scarlet Felt Skirtings, at sale prices "MILLINERY DEPARTMENT. Under the superintendance of the most experienced

nodistes out of London and Paris. Felt Hats and Bonnets in the newest and most fashionable shapes and colors, together with the best and most ashionable Trimmings

New shades in Velveis, Flowers, Feathers, Plumes, Birds' Plumages, and ornaments of the newest decriptions 1500 Straw Hats for children and girls, 6d, 9d, and 1s 1700 Ladies' Straw Hats, 1s to 2s 6d each, Hydo

arks from 4s 11d to 35s Waterproof Cloaks from 8s 11d to 45s Cloth Jackets in great variety, from 4s 11d to 50s

Silk Velvet Jackets, newest shapes Thousands of pairs of Stays, from 1s 6d to 8s 6d per The second portion of Mr. Pope's stock contains Great Bargains in Hats, Stays, Lonnets, Underclothing, Shawis, Jackets, &c., &c. New Silver Necklets, Brooches, Belts with Fan-holder

Chains, Ear-rings, &c., &c. 120 dozen French Kid Gloves, 1s 11d and 2s 11d per New shades in Faille Ribbons, 43d and 63d per yard worth double the price 300 dozen Ladies' Silk Scarves and Ties, 6d each and

upwards
Upward MENS' AND BOYS CLOTHING. The second portion of Thos. Pope's stock is by far the

most important yet brought forward, and will be found to contain great bargains in Top Coats, Pilot Coats, Tweed Suits, Tweed and Doeskin Trousers and Vests, Moleskin Trousers, Black and Blue Cloth Sac, Paget, Tommy Dodd, and Benufort Coats, at less than manufactured by the Coats, and the coats and the coats and the coats and the coats are coats. facturers' cost. The extraordinary rush of trade has prevented these goods from being brought torward pefore. Crimean Shirts, Flannel Shirts and Drawers, Socks

Hats, Caps, Braces, Belts, Ties, Scarves, &c., &c., at extraordinary low prices

Mr. Popo's stock must now be sold, and is marked at such absurdly low prices as must ensure immediate

BOOTS! BOOTS! BOOTS! 96 trunks of new Winter Boots just to hand, and will be shown on Saturday next. Some extraordinary clearing lines will merit particular attention in both 15 trunks of Children's Boots, Lace-ups, and Elastic Sides, at very low prices.

REMNANTS! REMNANTS! REMNANTS! On Saturday next the centre tables will be loaded with all kinds of Remnants, the rush of customers having until the present prevented these having any attention, but will now be sold at such extraordinary low prices as must cusure an immediate clearance. Remnants of all kinds of Dress Stuffs, Flauncis, Sheetings, Calicoes, Table Damasks, Hollands, Carpets, Flooreleths, Ribbous, Laces, Tweeds, Moleskius, &c., &c.

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## Notice.

HAVE this day appointed Mr. W. C. STRONGE to COLLECT my OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS, and request they may be PAID to him forthwith, otherwise LEGAL PROCEEDINGS will be taken for

H. D. CROKER, Surgeon. Rochester, May 18th, 1876.

### Notice.

A NY PERSON tound tresspassing with DOGS upon my paddocks lately occupied by Mr. Wauchob, will be PROSECUTED according to law POISON LAID in several places.

JAMES H. CAMERON. Lake Goldsmith, March 30th, 1876.

Motice. ANY PERSON or PERSONS found tresspassing with DOGS on the Trawalla and Lillirie Estates after this date Will be PROSECUTED.

#### ALEX. M'KENZIE. Trawalla, April 20th, 1876.

Notice. A NY person found TRESPASSING with DOGS in A our paddocks at Eurambeen, Woodnaggerak, Shirley, and Mowallok, will be PRO-ECUTED accord-

#### G. & F. BEGGS, Eurambeen. Caution.

ing to law. POISON laid.

A NY person found TRESPASSING on the Langi Kal Kal property with Dogs after this notice, will be PROSECUTED. POISON laid in paddocks. THOS. TINDALE, Manager. Langi Kal Kal, 17th May, 1876.

For Sale, Cheap,

500 RAILS, now lying at Mr. Robert Simson's, Laugi Kal-kal. Apply to Messys. HARRIS TOR SALE or to LET, the allotment and premises 1 lately occupied by the proprietors of the "Ripon shire Advocate." Apply to 11. P. HUNNINGSEN. Beaufort, April 21st. 1876.

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made at Wellington (says a local journal) in cent. per annum. reference to the practice of some of the Conreally so, the men in some instances having left lawful wives at home. An official investigation is being made. One case, as follows, has been disclosed before the German Consul:-A man who recently arrived here passenger list is described as a married man, he is a single man. Being desirous of trying his fortune in New Zealand, he applied to the accredited agent of the New Zealand Government in his native town, and was told that, as a single man, he could not be furnished with a passage. On a subsequent application he was told that only married couples were required, but the agent obligingly suggested a way out of the difficulty. He stated that he knew a respectable young lady who, with her child, was anxious to emigrate, but was unable to do so from the fact of being single. Could not the applicant agree, as a 'merely formal matter, to pass as this young lady's husband and father of the child? The matter could be arranged for a consideration, and the wishes of all parties as to emigration met. The man agreed, and paid the consideration, and the matter was arranged. He met his " wife" for the first time on board the ship at Hamburg. Finding quarters in the married compartment appropriated to himself and family, he represented the true state of affairs to the captain and doctor, asking to be sent into the single men's division; but this request could not be assented to, and the ill-matched pair were obliged to pass as a married couple during the voyage. It subsequently was discovered that the parish or town from which the young lady had come had paid a handsome premium to the agent to be relieved of the probable expense of maintaining her and her child.

#### THE PARSON AND THE THREE-PENNY BITS.

An instructive story was told the other day by the captain of one of the Melbourne steamers. While at anchor at Lyttleton, and on the point of sailing, a gentleman of reverened and clerical aspect came on board, and announced himself as the Rev. Mr. So-and-so, of Christchurch. He then produced a large bag, evidently full of money, and asked Captain --- if he would kindly give him gold in exchange for the same amount in threepenny pieces. Captain - expressed his readiness to grant this singular request, but entertaining grave doubts as to the mens sana of his visitor, prepared for a precipitate "bolt" the instant any further sign of mental aberration appeared. On producing the sovereigns, he ventured to hint the very natural questionwhy did he not go to one of the banks for the gold, especially as small change was very scarce, and such an amount would be received with joy. The minister grouned. "My Christian friend," said he, "it is for that very reason I come to you. I verily believe that this bag contains all the threepenny bits in Canterbury, and I wish to send them all out of the country in order to prevent my congregation being able to disgrace themselves by giving such small coin at church collections. This glorious work I have now achieved. O, let us be joyful; O, let us be joyful!" saying he departed. Captain - conveyed the money to Melbourne, but was by no means so joyful as his late guest, when the bank teller insisted on his remaining while the threepenny pieces were counted, an operation which, Captain — says occupied nearly twenty-four hours. And this is why small change is scarce in Christchurch.—"Cromwell

## A STEAM HORSE.

A ingenious Californian has invented a new method for employing steam as the motive powers of street cars. The task which he proposed to himself in making this invention was a simple one, inasmuch as he did not in-What he tried to do was to devise a locomofancies that he has fully accomplished his purpose by building a locomotive in which he regards as the likeness of a horse. The new steam horse resembles the ordinary style of animal so far as the head and shoulders are placed a cab reminding one by its appearance finest in cultivation. of a sedan chair. The steam horse is harnessed with a cow-catcher, a head-light and the dry leaves and runners taken off. and a bell, being built with immovable ears Where beds have been planted with unprofitand no tail whatever, it is unable to express able or worthless varieties, now is the time to its motions except by the unequine process | replant; by selecting the strongest runners, of whistling. That an intelligent man and planting early in autumn, there is a chance should for a moment fancy that so pre- of getting a crop the first year. "The soil that posterous a machine could impose upon even suits the strawberry best is a good rich heavy the most stupid cart horse, is something loam; it should be worked deep, with plenty that the average horse will mistake this than two feet apart in the rows, and three steam horse is designed to impose upon the season they should never want for water. presumed study of other horses he is un- In the Kitchen Garden, the land previously of San Francisco in swenty four hours.

as run into the clutches of the law.

At Limerick, the other day. James Kear ney, a pawnbroker, was fined £20 for charging Some extraordinary disclosures have been interest on pledges at the rate of 411 per

A curious circumstance (reports the "Bat tinental immigration agents. There is good hurst Post") befel a cow belonging to Mr. reason to believe that several couples who Hamilton, of Dog Trap Creek. The animal have recently come out as married are not which was in first class condition, was observed to become very restless and to lose flesh rapidly, a thick foam at the same time Overland or by sea to South Australia, New issuing from her mouth. Having with some difficulty caught the animal, her mouth was forced open, and the cause of the poor brute's For every half-ounce or fraction of halffrom a Continental state, who in the official distress found to be the entire sole and heel of a lady's high-heeled boot, the tacks of accompanied by his wife and child, states that which were firmly sticking in the jaw, thus charged as foreign packets and newspapers.) totally preventing mastication. There was some doubt at first as to the fate of the wearer, but as no lady is missing from the to places where higher amounts are specially neighborhood, all alarm on that score was fixed :quickly set at rest. The animal is now doing Letters—For every half-ounce or fracwell, though she will take some time to regain her previous condition.

### GARDENING FOR MAY.

All draining and trenching operations, where possible, should be finished before the wet season fairly sets in. The flower borders Newspapers-Of any weight, for every will now require a thorough digging and tidying up, giving at the same time some good rotten manure, if available, or a good sprinkling of bone dust. Good rotten manure is much to Letters-Not exceeding half an ounce ... 6d be preferred, if properly prepared by turning over, so as to destroy all weed seeds; where such is not to be got, however, bone dust is the next best.

A few annuals may still be sown, and plant out any of the foregoing sowings as soon as they are of sufficient size to handle. Annuals, as they appear above the ground, should have a good dressing of soot, to keep away slugs. Verbenn layers, where sufficiently rooted, may now be planted; and surplus plants may be put into a bed by themselves, where they can be protected from slugs; they can be removed in spring to wherever wanted. Packets (book or sample) -Not exceed-Lawns and grass plots that have been exhausted, thin, and unsightly by traffic, may be sown over again, and some good, rich, wellprepared soil may be put on and evenly raked, which after a few showers of rain, will have a refreshened and healthy appearance.

Climbing plants that have become unsightly by a too luxuriant growth may now be cut back and trained as desired. Those very abundant blooming plants, Tecoma, Capensis and T. Radicans, may be trained to a wall or fence; the latter is very effective when well cut back into the form of a bush, and is a very showy border plant. The following shrubs shall not have stamps of the requisite value showy border plant. The ionowing shruos shall be acknowledged TONIC VERMIFUGE Buddleyas, and all shrubs that have a ten- prepaid in coin, and shall be acknowledged dency to make a long naked growth. Atten- by such postmaster on the face or cover of cion should be paid to the clipping of hedges, such letter, packet, or newspaper. cleaning out drains, &c. It is also very de- | Any inland letter, packet, or newspaper, sirable that bulbs of the valuable kinds should posted with an unobliterated Victorian have attention paid to them as soon as they postage stamp of any value, is to be transappear above the ground, so that they may be | mitted and delivered, atthough the stamp be protected from the slugs. Tulips and hyacinths, | insufficient; but in cases where the postage pests are especially fond of, and when not shall not be fully prepaid, the letter, packet secured from them, both are seriously injured or newspaper shall be stamped "More to in a very short time. A very good plan is to Pay" with double the deficient postage, which put around the bulb on the surface some clean must be collected before delivery.

fruit trees should be looked over for red spider, paid less than a single rate of postage, are to scale, and apple blight. American blight on be sent without delay to the Dead Letter the apple trees will need immediate attention, office, to be dealt with according to law. for within the last few weeks it has increased to such an extent in large orchards that it dressed to the United Kingdom will be formonth as soon as the leaves have fallen, in the equal to a single rate (sixpence), will be order named. Now is the time to take notice | charged on delivery. of all stunted and unhealthy growing trees, and replant with young vigorous growing dressed to South Australia, Queensland, Tasones. It is but a loss of time to be nursing mania, Western Australia, New Zealand, a dwarfed and unsightly specimen, except and New South Wales will be forwarded if where it is a special and rare variety. In replanting in the same spot, it is desirable that together with an additional twopence as a the old soil be removed, and the tree replanted | fine, being charged on delivery. in fresh soil, with some bone dust or well-rotted manure. Now also is a very good time to fruit, the Guava (Pisidium Cattleyanum), it dition to the postage.

will grow well in any light, rich loam, not Any letter or packet not registered and will grow well in any light, rich loam, not exposed to severe frosts, and will root from believed to contain money or other valuable

layer freely. tend to do away with railway trucks nor to change the pattern of street cars now in use. It ready to receive the plants. Gooseberries addressed open it in the presence of a postshould be planted earlier than any other kind master or officer of the post office, and it be tive which would not frighten horses, and he of fruits; when planted late they never do so found not to contain money or other valuable well, and perhaps die. They thrive in any enclosure, the fee will in that case be regarden soil that has been enriched with good mitted. rotton manure, deeply worked, and well drained. The following varieties may be or received from the United Kingdom adplanted with confidence:- In red varieties, dressed to Victoria, containing coin, or concerned. There, however, its resemblanes Companion, Red Robin, Lonpon Slaughter-having the word "registered" written upon abruptly ends. The iron animal is devoid of man, are very fine; Glenton Green, Green them, but upon which the fee for registration legs, for which are substituted wheels, just Gascoigne, Plunder, and Telegraph, are green has not been paid, will be compulsory revisible at the foot of an iron petticoat. Where varieties; Leveller, Leader, High Sheriff, and gistered and charged on delivery with a the hind quarters of a well constructed horse King Cole. These are but a few of the many double registration fee. ought to be, the inventive Californian has named varieties, and comprise some of the

Strawberry beds should now be dug, manured wonderful. The inventor actually believes of manure. They should not be planted closer legless and tailess machine for an animal of between, which will allow room to dig and its own species. So far as the newly invented | manure between the plants; and in the growing

doubtedly a failure. But there is a still worked will be in a fine friable condition, and greater objection to him. Even if he were fit for the reception of seeds and plants of the not to frighten the horses, he would most culinary vegetables adapted for planting now. certainly frighten nervous people, children, As the weather is getting much colder, it is on paying; in addition to the cost of the and people addicted to an excessive consump- advisable to make early sowings of parsnips, order, the sum of One Shilling for transtion of whiskey. It is said that in early carrots, turnips, and spinach. This is the Californian days, the sight of a single harm- best month for sowing early peas; sow early less rat would throw a whole inining camp kinds of cabbage and cauliflower, and plant into a fearful looking form of delirium out any from seed bed. In making sowings missing a train or coach, to be able to fortremens. How much more alarming would of peas, those that are dwarf in habit are the ward cash promptly. All that it is requisite be the sight of a horse with a parabolic head best, as they require no sticking. Selections to do is simply to advise by telegram of the light and a perpetually tolling bell! The from the following may be made: Bishop's order having been sent, when the receiver terrible vision would fill the lunatic asylum Dwarf, Queen of Dwarfs, Climax, M'Lean's will apply at the Post Office, and get the Advancer and Little Gem, Laxton's Penbody, money. Laxton's Quality, Veitch's Persection, &c. The fact of there being a society in Mel. Onions may be sown for transplanting, also bourne for the preservation and extension of larrikinism, with its duly appointed secretary, and asparagus beds should have a rich dressing in South Australia, upon payment of the treasurer, president, and contributing members, of manure; the crop altogether depending for following rates, including commission and is vouched for by the police. Its operations excellence on the liberalty bestowed on it in charge for transmisson:—For any sum not are, however, seldom made public, except in paying the fines of such unfortunate members pared on which to raise early cucumbers. Sow tralia, 3s. Exceeding £5, but not exceeding lightly of lettuce, cress, radishes, &c.

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ing four ounces ... ... ... And for every additional four ounces Newspapers-Not exceeding four ounces 3d Every additional four ounces or frac-

Prepayment of Postage. The postage upon all lecters, packets, and newspapers must be prepaid by stamps, except it may happen that any postmaster

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Via Southampton. For every additional half an ounce or fraction of half an ounce ... Packets (book or sample)-Not exceeding one ounce in weight Exceeding one ounce, but not exceed-

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TIME TABLE. FROM MELBOURNE TO STAWELL. LEAVE-Melbourge, 6.15 a.m., 3.10. p.m. ARRIVE At Ballarat, 10,25 a.m., 8.15 p.m.

LEAVE-Ballarat, 5.10 a.m., 10.55 a.m., 8.30 p.m. Burrumbeet, 5.48 a.m., 11.25 a.m., 9.6 p.m. Beaufort, 6.26 a.m., 12.8 a.m., 9.44 p.m. Buangor, 7.10 a.m., 12.48 a.m. 10.24 p.m. ARRIVE At Ararat, 8.5 a.m., 1.33 p.m., 11.9 p.m. LEAVE-Ararat, 8.25 a.m., 1.48 p.m., 11.24 p.m.

ARRIVE At Stawell, 9.25 a.m., 2.43 p.m., 12.15 p.m. FROM STAWELL TO MELBOURNE. LEAVE-Stawell, 6.45 a.m., 10.30. a.m., 3 p.m. ARRIVE At Ararat, 7.45 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 3.50 p.m. Buangor, 8.50 a.m., 12.48 a.m., 4.40 p.m.

Beaufort, 9.31 a.m., 1.45 p.m., 5.20 p.m. Burrambeet, 10.20 a.m., 2.25 p.m., 6 p.m. Arrive At Ballarat, 11 a.m., 3.5 p.m., 6.45 p.m. LEAVE-Ballarat, 11.30 a.m., 3.25 p.m., 7 p.m. ARRIVE At Melbourne, 3.41 p.m., 8.55 p.m., 11.6 p.m.

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### Beaufort Post Office.

TIME TABLE, 1876.

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Geelong		Ditto	Ditto
Ballarat	•••	Ditto	Ditto
Trawalla		Ditto	Ditto
Raglan		4.15 p.m.	8 a.m.
Charlton		Ditto	Ditto
Waterloo		Ditto	Ditto
Main Lead		Ditto	Ditto
Sailor's Gully		4.15 p.m.	Ditto
Stockyard Hill		Ditto	Ditto
Ararat	· <b></b> .	9.31 a.m. 5.20 p.m.	11.45 a.m. 9.20 p.m.
Buanger		Ditto	Ditto
Eurambeen		43 p.m	1 p.m.
Shirley		Ditto	Dittto

A mail for Main Lead is made up at Beauat 8.30 a.m.—returning from Main Lead on same days, at 6.30p.m.

The mails for Ararat, Shirley, Melbourne, Ballarat, Geelong, Buangor, Trawalla, and Eurambeen are despatched twice daily. Mails for Main Lead, Raglan, Charlton,

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