

THE CALIFORNIAN MAIL.

The San Francisco mail steamer, 'City of Sydney,' arrived at Sydney on Saturday, and was ordered into quarantine. She was subsequently released, and came up the harbour on Sunday night.

SAN FRANCISCO, 3rd March.

Ninety-nine men, women, and children left New York for Sydney, on 3rd February, by the barque N. Boynton. They expect to find homes in New South Wales. The barque hauled out into the stream, and they gathered on deck to wave adieus to their relatives and friends who were upon the dock. When the barque was moving from the dock a young woman present, seeing her husband on the pier, who is soon to follow her, changed her mind, and attempted to get off. She would have fallen overboard had it not been for a sailor. The accommodation for the colonists on board is scant. With a beam wind little air will reach them, being shut out by the bulkheads. They are amidst the men sleeping in berths built in tiers, and the women separated from their apartments by a partition. This is the first of a series of colonising experiments by the agents of the Government of New South Wales.

Mr. George Collins Levey, secretary to the Australian Commission at the Centennial Exposition, has, with his newly-married wife, been in this city for some time awaiting the departure of the City of Sydney. He will after all return home alone, as his wife has suddenly been summoned to Washington, D.C., where her mother has been seized with a sudden and serious illness that speedily ended in death.

Speaking of the result of the Electoral Commission, Samuel J. Tilden, Hayes' opponent, dismissed the matter summarily. He said, "Well, we are beaten—justly, I think, but none the less certainly. At any rate there is nothing for us but to submit."

The rumor that Vanderbilt's will would be contested by his son has depressed the stock market. Protests against the probate of Vanderbilt's will have been entered by his eight married daughters.

Ima de Murska commences an opera season in San Francisco, in conjunction with Madame Fabbri, on the 5th inst. Mr. John Hill will lead the orchestra. A previous series of concerts by De Murska had been a failure.

Mr. Biney and Miss Clara Thompson return to Melbourne by the City of Sydney, under engagement to Mr. Wm. S. Lyster. The visit of the company to California has been a financial failure, owing to bad management.

Miss Eleanor Carey has made a hit at the Grand Opera House, as Aouda, in Jules Verne's "Round the World in Eighty Days."

Congress is asked to appropriate 50,000 dol. for the location of a colony in the Arctic regions as a base of operations for successfully exploring the North Pole.

The Congressional Commission on Chinese immigration have made a voluminous report. The gist of it is, that the influx of Chinese is a standing menace to Republican institutions upon the Pacific coast, and the existence there of Christian civilisation. The commissioners recommend that the laws should discourage the influx of a population to whom the ballot cannot be safely confided.

Guano discoveries of immense proportions have been made in the south of Peru.

THE MACARTNEY SCANDAL.

The "Gippsland Standard" of Friday reports Dr. Macartney as having spoken as follows at the public meeting at Tarraville on the previous Saturday:—"If the divorce suit, of which he had not heard a whisper until he had heard of it in Tankard's hotel, was not called on in September next, he would indict two of the seventy-eight members of the Assembly for conspiracy. One was a member now, the other had sold his constituency and left the House because he thought he could bully and browbeat the Government till they gave him a judgeship. If there was proved to be a scintilla of truth in the statement put forward by his traducers he (Dr. Macartney) would retire from the Assembly in September next in the event of his being elected as a member for South Gippsland. For six years he had been a martyr, but he had not come there to say one syllable against his wife, not even though his heart had been bleeding and broken, and he sought to render himself oblivious with drink. Some might say, 'Why bear all this?' but his three daughters were in Melbourne, and for their sakes he abstained from making any exposure. Proof of his persecutors' guilt was coming, and let the papers look to it that they did not make political capital of the scandal that had been got up against him. He called God to witness that there was not a scintilla of truth in it. Mr. Mason should well understand what was a sham action, and this was nothing but a sham action."

The "Gippsland Times" says, in publishing the above remarks:—"Dr. Macartney's conduct, in the circumstances in which he is placed, is an insult to the constituency, that is rendered more flagrant by the muddy innuendoes which he flings at the alleged conspirators against his peace, and some of which he evidently hopes will strike. It is not for us to say whether these innuendoes should be noticed or not by the persons against whom they are manifestly directed, but if they were

repelled openly, as we understand they are privately, Dr. Macartney's position would be rendered so much more painful than it even now is, that is most-attached friends and admirers would probably counsel his retirement into private life until September next. He cautions newspapers against making political capital out of his miseries, yet parades them himself to catch voters on the day of election."

GENERAL NEWS.

In response to a requisition (writes the "Telegraph") Mr. Colin Campbell has consented to become a candidate for Brighton.

Under the Pharmacy Act all persons claiming to register must give notice within six months of the act being law. The law act assented on the 6th February, 1877.

A proclamation appears in the "Government Gazette" directing that in lieu of the blue ensign now the badge, all vessels belonging to or permanently in the service of the Government of Victoria shall wear the blue ensign having in the centre of the flag, on a circular white ground, the distinctive badge of the colony, viz., five white stars, forming the Southern Cross.

The Government subsidy to local bodies is now, owing to the creation of new shires, dwindling down from 40s. in the pound to something like 30s., observes the "Geelong Advertiser," which makes a great difference in the revenue received by the various shires.

A telegram from Sale in Tuesday's "Herald" says:—"A terrible and fatal accident occurred on the railway line at Morwell to-day. The full particulars are not to hand, but a telegram briefly states that one man had his head cut off, and that two others were severely injured."

The "Ararat Advertiser" is informed that an accident occurred to the late train on Monday night, which arrived at Ararat from Glenthompson, owing to a mistake made by a pointsman. One of the trucks, it is said, was thrown off the line, and some children who were in it thrown out. No injuries were sustained by any of the passengers.

The Melbourne correspondent of the "Hamilton Spectator" says:—"Pooley, the wicket-keeper, on his trial at Christchurch, for destroying property in an hotel, and the Englishmen's money-taker, who was charged with him, have been found not guilty, and will be able to return to England with the rest of the team."

The "Argus" reports what is called "the unprecedented success of 'The Yagabond Papers,' Eight thousand copies of the first and second series are in circulation, and fresh editions are in the press. A third series will shortly be published, and as it will contain an authentic portrait of the author, a still larger sale is expected."

It is now positively stated (says the "Warrnambool Standard") that there will be opposition to Sir James McCulloch at Warrnambool. The candidate is at present a "dark horse," so far as our information extends.

The telephone or sound telegraph is now a success. At the telegraphers' ball, held at Chicago on the 12th February, music was transmitted over the wires from Milwaukee. The wires were run into several newspaper offices, and the sounds caused great delight to their occupants.

An important discovery of copper ore was made the other day within twenty-five miles of Melbourne (says the correspondent of the "Hamilton Spectator") by a party of two who were out on a shooting excursion. They have brought in some splendid samples of green carbonate of copper. Of course they conceal the precise locality till they have secured the lease, but from the specimens I saw, and the account they have given to me as to the circumstances under which they were discovered, I have hope that a valuable discovery has been made.

A New Zealand exchange (says the "Herald") refers to H.M.S. Sappho having somewhat hastily left Auckland for the South Seas, and affirms that it is in consequence of difficulties at one of the islands, by which Samoa is pointed at. A German man-of-war left for the same quarter, almost simultaneously with the Sappho. There is no doubt that Samoa is in a troubled condition, through the unsettled nature of the Government; and it is watched jealously by cruisers of three powers—England, Germany, and America. The Germans are considered to have the greatest pecuniary interest in Samoa.

In late issues we ("Ararat Advertiser") alluded to the destruction of hares by shooting, but even then had no idea that the practice was so common. Last week a gentleman saw no less than twelve dead (shot) hares in a sack, which were being taken to market, all of which were of unusually large size, and very fat. Even sportsmen are beginning to regard it necessary to check their very rapid increase by using the gun, the fact being that dogs have but little chance with a full grown strong hare. In a paddock on one estate to the westward, where English grass has been laid down, and where great care was taken to introduce and preserve them, the owner found it necessary to resort to the gun, and give a kind of limited *battue*. Over sixty hares were raised, and thirty fell to the barrels. Where English grass is growing, hares increase too rapidly for grazing economy, and although hundreds may be through in an English grass paddock, yet on the lands outside, where only the natural herbage exists, but few are met with. We have heard some of our keenest coursers express fears that hares as a nuisance may yet rival the rabbits.

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English Mails, 1877.

Table of English Mails, 1877, showing departure and arrival times for various destinations like Melbourne, Sydney, and London.

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Victorian Railways.

Table of Victorian Railways, showing time tables for routes between Melbourne, Geelong, and other stations.

Beaufort Post Office.

Table of Beaufort Post Office, showing mail arrival and departure times for various post towns.

The mails for Ararat, Melbourne, Ballarat, Geelong, Bunyip, and Traralgon are despatched twice daily.

How to Enjoy Life. It is only known when the blood is pure, its circulation perfect, and the nerves in good order.

Debilitated Constitutions—Bad Coughs. In general debility, mental depression, and nervous depression, there is no medicine which operates so like a charm as these famous Pills.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases: Bilious Complaints, Rheumatism, Stomachic Disorders, etc.

The Gum Leaf Cure.

EUCALYPTI ESSENCE. LET THE PUBLIC take notice of a few facts put forward for their information in this intimation.

It has now become the fashion with the inventors or discoverers of remedial agents to claim something little short of infallibility and universality of cure for their respective agents.

For all Wounds, Cuts, Burns, Scaldings, Ulcers, and Cancerous Wounds, a piece of linen wrapped round the suffering part, and moistened with a few drops of the Eucalypti essence, will stop all pain and effect a speedy cure.

For all Cases of Inflammation of the Eye, apply the pure essence to the outside of the eye-lids. Headache and Rheumatic Pains in the Head are positively removed and cured by rubbing the essence on the affected parts.

For all Cases of Severe Bruises the essence has proved the best remedy. Inwardly Used, take three or four drops in half a tumbler of water.

DR. L. L. SMITH, MANUFACTURER, SANDHURST. "Is there no hope? the sick man said; The silent doctor shook his head."

THE TORRES STRAITS MAIL.

The Normanby arrived at Cooktown on Tuesday night from Hong Kong. The following are the principal items of European summary:-

LONDON, 2nd March. Congress has officially declared Hayes as President.

Travallu's motion to throw open the foreign and diplomatic service was negatived.

In reply to the Earl of Belmore, the Earl of Carnarvon stated that kidnapping in the South Seas has greatly diminished by the presence of the Australian squadron there.

The Prince of Wales is the guest of Lord Shannon, and had some excellent hunting with the Cotswold hounds.

LONDON, 5th March. The appointment of Sir R. Temple as Governor of Bombay is gazetted.

The marriage of the King of Spain with the daughter of the Duke of Montpensier is announced.

A disturbance has taken place at Hatcham church. Patti and the Marquis de Caux are suing for a judicial separation.

The Earl of Beaconsfield has recovered from his attack of gout, but is confined to his house.

The Duke of Cambridge is recovering from an attack of bronchitis.

The bestowal of a cardinal's hat on Monsignor Howard, cousin of the Duke of Norfolk is spoken of.

It is thought likely that Cardinal Manning will succeed Pope Pius on his death.

Lord Ashbrook has been divorced from his wife.

EASTERN NEWS.

In the Canton tea market there have been no transactions in old tea for the past fortnight.

The French steamer took a large cargo of new season's quality, which is reported to be far superior to that of the previous season.

The Amy and Foo-chow markets have closed. At Shanghai no business is being done in black; for green there is a fair inquiry at former rates.

The silk market at Canton is dull and quiet, but the closing rates are firm.

The Yokohama market is at a standstill. Opium at Hong Kong is active, and prices steady.

The import market for manufactured goods is quiet, and prices are declining.

The colony of Hong Kong was formally admitted into the Postal Union on 1st April.

The postal rates have been reduced one-half to Marseilles and Southampton.

Lord Derby has requested Sir Thomas Wade to give reasons for every concession made by the Chefoo Convention, which yet awaits ratification.

It is stated that the ruler of Fokein is apprehensive of a Spanish descent on Formosa, and that the greater portion of the Foo-chow arsenal fleet has been ordered to Takad to repel the invasion.

A committee of Congress at Washington has been appointed to inquire into the Chinese immigration. They recommend a treaty between America and China, to be restricted to commercial purposes and the regulating and restraint of Chinese immigration.

The Chinese Government have negotiated a loan of 5,000,000 taels with the native bankers through foreign agency.

Three-fifths of this sum will be forwarded to Kansup for the prosecution of war with Kashagar.

The remainder is required for provisions for Kiang Tse, which had been reduced to most abject want.

Thousands are now suffering the severest privations, and rice has risen to famine prices.

The relief afforded by the authorities is quite inadequate to relieve distress.

The Shanghai Steam Company's steamers are transferred to the China Merchants Company, £1,000,000 being paid by the latter.

The Steamer Ulysses broke the shaft, and lost her propeller, on the 15th February, in a heavy sea, 500 miles from Singapore.

She put back, under sail, to Horsburgh Island. The boats were sent to her assistance, and while in tow they struck her on a rock, but the Ulysses was at length towed off safely and taken to Singapore.

It is rumored that the Chinese Government have offered Japan the loan of a gunboat against the Satsuma rebels.

The provincial government of Fokien intends shortly to send a number of cadets to Europe for instruction in English and French naval schools.

The famine at Shantung is still raging with great severity. The distress daily becomes greater, and the relief lamentably insufficient.

The people are reduced to the last state of emaciation and are dying by thousands daily.

The Satsuma rebellion has assumed a more active phase, several engagements having taken place between the Imperial troops and the insurgents, the former being always victorious, repeated defeats having dispirited the rebels.

A mutiny occurred among the Chinese troops near Tien Tsin. The men were dissatisfied with the hard work of digging canals and with their small pay.

Two thousand mutinied. They were pursued by the Imperial troops, and large numbers killed.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT AT ECHUCA.

A dreadful accident happened at the works in connection with the new Murray bridge at Echuca on Monday.

Soon after 4 o'clock one of the "travellers" on the Moama side of the river, fifty feet from the ground, upon which seven men were working, suddenly fell, fearfully crushing all the poor fellows.

The traveller at the time of the accident was being employed to lift the dead-weight used for sinking the cylinders from the top of one of the piers.

Too much of the material, consisting of railway iron and bluestone, was taken off one side, and the cylinder came over, struck the traveller, which in turn overbalanced, knocked away the girders underneath it, and came crushing sideways to the ground with all the men upon it and about fifty hurt.

Their names are William Godfrey, William Herbert, William Phillips, George James, Madril, George Hardon, and Moore.

They were quickly assisted and despatched to the Bendigo Hospital by special train, under the care of Dr. Crossen, who was at once sent for.

Godfrey, who was dreadfully injured on the head, was pronounced by the doctor to be in a dying state, and others of the wounded men are not likely to recover, their other limbs being frightfully mangled.

When the traveller fell ruin

is complete. Huge beams are splintered like matches, the hoisting machinery and bluestone are broken to pieces, and the staging cylinders and iron are in utter wreck, and piled into one huge mass of debris in inexplicable confusion. The girders supporting the traveller gave way for about fifty yards in length. The accident was caused by the top lengths of the cylinders which collapsed being smaller than those at the bottom, and were resting upon two cross beams placed across the larger piers for only 9 in. in breadth at each side. When the weight above was slightly overbalanced by removing some of the iron from one side, the edge of the cylinder cut into one end of the wood, and threw the whole column over. Four large bolts were fastened between the larger and smaller cylinders, but these snapped like carrots, when the immense weight listed over. A diver, who was excavating the bed of the sister cylinder to the one which fell, had a narrow escape, for when the supply of air was cut off by the accident occurring he had only time to climb the ladder, some forty feet to the mouth of the cylinder, and have the headgear removed to escape suffocation. The disaster has caused immense excitement here, and much sympathy is expressed for the wives and families of the injured men. One man (Godfrey) died at the Sanhurst station in the 'van, and another is in a dying state. Dr. Hinchcliffe, the resident surgeon at the Bendigo Hospital, was in waiting at the station, and superintended the removal of the men to the Hospital. The greatest sympathy and care were exhibited by the railway authorities. The special train from Echuca caught the ordinary train at Echuca, and the two 'vans containing the wounded men were attached to the ordinary train—"Argus" telegram.

The little cells imbedded in the lining of the stomach exclude an acid fluid essential to digestion. When these cells become abnormally excited, they pour forth an excess of this fluid, producing acidity of the stomach and the stinging sensation called heart-burn. This cause of body's growth, and the safest safeguard against indigestion, as well as its consequences—flatulence and biliousness, is speedily obtained by the tranquillising influence upon the nerves of the stomach of Udotho Wolfe's Schnapps. Holloway's Pills.—Stomach, Liver, and Bowels.—There is nothing hurtful in the composition of these purifying Pills—nothing that can injure the most delicate constitutions. They improve the appetite, quicken the energies of the stomach and liver, and regulate the bowels. They thus become the surest safeguards against indigestion, and the safest promoters of the body's growth, and the mind's development. Holloway's Pills exert a wholesome alternative and tonic action on every internal organ and they regulate every disordered or debilitated function. They are natural, and therefore, efficient purifiers and correctives. For unhealthy conditions of the stomach or digestive apparatus can withstand the accumulative healthy influence obtained over the whole frame when these pills are judiciously and perseveringly taken by invalids. Valuable Discovery for the Hair.—If your hair is turning grey or white, or falling off, use "The Mexican Hair Renewer," for it will positively restore in every case Gray or White hair to its original color, without leaving the disagreeable smell of most "Restorers." It makes the hair charmingly beautiful, as well as promoting the growth of the hair on bald spots, where the glands are not decayed. Ask your chemist for "The Mexican Hair Renewer," prepared by Henry C. Gallup, 493 Oxford-street, London, and sold by Chemists and Perfumers everywhere at 3s. 6d. per bottle.

THE BEAUFORT UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY, Chartered, as a No Liability Company, under the provisions of the "Mining Companies Act, 1871." 1. The name of the company is to be the BEAUFORT UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY COMPANY, Chartered. 2. The place of operations is at Charlton, near Beaufort. 3. The registered office of the company will be at 135, Main-street, Ballarat. 4. The value of the company's property, including leased ground and machinery, is £2000. 5. The number of shares in the company is 2000, of 7s. 6d. each. 6. The number of shares subscribed for is 2000. 7. The name of the manager of the company is Samuel B. Pitt. 8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date are as below:-

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Witness to signature—W. CRIBB.
Dated this 13th day of April, 1877.

I, Samuel B. Pitt, do solemnly and sincerely declare that— 1. I am the manager of the said intended company. 2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of Parliament entitling persons making a like declaration guilty of wilful and corrupt perjury.

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Taken before me this 13th day of April, 1877.—JOHN W. GRAY, J.P.

BEAUFORT COURING CLUB.
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ALTERATION OF TRAIN. On and after the 19th inst. the train at present leaving Beaufort for Ballarat and Melbourne at 9.20 a.m. will leave at 9 a.m.

JOSEPH TONES, Commissioner of Railways and Tramways, Spencer-street, 4th April, 1877.

School District of the North Riding, Shire of Ripon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Messrs. DONALD McDONALD, ALEXANDER GUMMING, and JOHN RIEDY have been nominated Candidates for the vacancies in the Board; and that a POLL will be taken at the Shire Office, Beaufort, and the Schools at the following places—Hagana Waterloo, Old Lead, and Snake Valley, on the 30th APRIL for the Election of two members. POLL will open at Nine o'clock a.m., and close at Four p.m.

JOHN WOTHERSPOON, Returning Officer. Beaufort, 21st April, 1877.

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 THURSDAY, the 3rd day of MAY, for RENTING the GRASS of Mount Ems Reserve from year to year. The conditions on which it will be let can be seen at the Greyhound Hotel, Snake Valley. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. H. JACKSON, Shire Engineer. Beaufort, April 20th, 1877.

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Contract No. 253—Making 8 chains metalled road at the boundary of the Shire, at Shirley. Contract No. 254—Building large culvert and making approaches on the road between Hagana and Middle Creek, near Middle Creek.

EAST RIDING. Contract No. 188—Making 18 chains 50 links of metalled road near the north end of Hill's Lane, and building two culverts. Contract No. 189—Rolling roads in the Shire.

WEST RIDING. Contract No. 190—Making and metalling 5 chains of road north of Lake Colts, cutting and graveling hill, and building small culvert. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Shire Office, Beaufort; and those for the East Riding at the Greyhound Hotel, Snake Valley.

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BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET. MESSRS. HERRING AND LEONARD REPORT: Fat Cattle—80 head for Messrs D. McWilliam and Sons, Fine View, bullocks to L12.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE. FRIDAY, APRIL 20TH.

List of occupants of Crown lands who have not paid rent and fees reserved and due upon leases and licenses during the month of September, 1876.—Section 20—James Mellen, parish of Banagar, 80a, &c.

The application of R. K. Allison for license for 372a, grazing, parish of Eranabeen, under section 47 has been approved.

HON. GRAHAM DERRY AT GEELONG. The Hon. Graham Derry addressed a meeting of 1200 persons on Thursday evening at the Mechanics Institute, Geelong, Conncillor Couves being chairman.

Henry Quock Ping, vendor of Chinese herbs, will visit Beaufort on Tuesday next, and may be consulted at the Golden Age Hotel.

Dr. Lock announces that he will vaccinate at Raglan on Wednesday, the 2nd prox., and at Stockyard Hill on Friday, the 11th prox.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AND NEWS-PAPERS.

Bygraves James, Boyd Mrs., Blackmore P. Callagan Martin, Chapman J. P. Day Thomas. Ellis Miss. Fox B., Fiddler Mr.

THE Riponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1877.

To-morrow (Sunday) morning and evening the Rev. J. E. Herring will conduct divine service in St. John's Church.

The New Victoria Company, Waterloo, had for four days work this week 53 oz., and expect to get 10 or 12 oz. more before the end of the week.

The New Enterprise Company, Charlton, have taken out their old cylinder and put in a new one; the old one being found unsafe to start pumping with.

We understand that Bunagar and Stockyard Hill will be gazetted as additional polling places for the Raglan division of the county of Ripon and Hampden.

The Riponshire Council invites tenders for various works in the North, East, and West Ridings, and also for the letting of the grass of the Mount Emu reserve.

The "Government Gazette" supplement of Thursday contains the announcement that G. Beggs, Esq., has been appointed returning officer for Ripon and Hampden, which has been done at the request of Mr. G. G. Morton.

The election of two members of the Board of Advice for the North Riding of the Shire of Ripon will take place on Monday.

The Georgia Minstrels performed in the Golden Age Hall last evening before a crowded house. Not only that they are real Southern States Americans, but their splendid song and music, as well as their humorous play, gave the audience great satisfaction.

We are informed that Mr. G. G. Morton has visited the principal places between here and Camperdown, and has met with more support and encouragement than he ever expected; he is very sanguine and believes that Ripon and Hampden will not be represented in the next Assembly by the hon. F. Longmore.

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THE HON. F. LONGMORE AT THE SOCIETIES' HALL.

At Mr. Longmore's meeting, held in the Societies' Hall, Beaufort, on Thursday evening, about 300 persons were present. Dr. Johnston was voted to the chair, who expressed himself pleased to see so many in the hall, and in consideration of the long time Mr. Longmore had represented this constituency, he thought it unnecessary to make a speech, and at once introduced the candidate, who said that at the last general election, Mr. Francis brought forward what was called the Norwegian scheme, and he was compelled to vote against it, as giving the Council power to interfere in money matters.

He found that at that time, that 200,000 acres were held by farmers; but when the Option found that he was trying to get it, back, everything was set in motion, and they were turned out of office. He now came to the question of protection, which the freetraders cry out so much against, the 20 per cent. now paid on certain goods is too much for them; but before, when 75 per cent. had to be paid for tea, &c., nothing was said; and they never thought of the poor miner when he had to pay L18 per year for a piece of land, eight feet square.

He would now show how the colony had been benefited by protection, and began with the woolen mills. They were owned by shareholders, were being worked at a profit, and found employment for a large number of hands. The Melbourne woolen mill was now making about 120,000 yards of tweed per annum; the last dividend was at the rate of 8 per cent., and the payments to about L120 per fortnight.

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RIPON AND HAMDDEN ELECTION.

In a leading article in a late issue of the "Camperdown Chronicle" on the candidates for Ripon and Hamdden at the forthcoming election, after first complaining of the neglect shown to that part of the electorate by Mr. Longmore...

GRAND NORTH-WESTERN CANAL.

The following is a copy of a letter which has been forwarded from the Lands Department to Mr. McCall, secretary to the Grand North-Western Canal Company...

THE VICTORIAN HUMANE SOCIETY.

Mr. J. Ellis Stewart, hon. secretary to the Victorian Humane Society, had an interview with (says the "Argus") the Minister of Education on the 17th April...

AN UNFORTUNATE VALENTINE.

The Stirling correspondent of the "Glasgow Herald" tells the following story:—"Some six weeks ago there appeared at one of the hotels in Stirling a young man giving the name of Lachlan Cameron...

THE MAORI BOY WHO LIVED SIXTEEN MONTHS IN THE HOT SPRINGS AT TAUPU IS DEAD.

In Auckland, the English match committee were some pounds out of pocket. In Dunedin the English match committee, after paying all expenses, have in hand a small balance of £15.

MR. SHAW HELD HIS FIRST MEETING IN GEELONG ON MONDAY NIGHT.

Mr. Shaw held his first meeting in Geelong on Monday night (says the "Geelong Times") and it was one of the most orderly election meetings ever held in the town.

TWO FATAL ACCIDENTS HAPPENED AT ARARAT ON TUESDAY.

Two fatal accidents happened at Ararat on Tuesday, Mr. Smiley, inspector of permanent way, was run over while attempting to cross the railway line near the station...

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English Mails, 1877.

Table of English Mails for 1877, listing days of the week and corresponding months from January to December.

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THE MAILS FOR ARRAT, MELBOURNE, BALLARAT, GEELONG, BUANGOR, AND TRAVALLA ARE DESPATCHED TWICE DAILY.

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In Scarlet, Typhoid, or any case of Fever, nothing will protect better against contagion than a few drops of the essence poured in the palm of the hand (and rubbed in, in order to liberate the vapor), or sprinkled over the clothes. The perfume will be noticed for a great length of time.

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In short, where a Disinfectant is needed, the pure essential eucalypti essence ought to be the one you have recourse to, and no family ought to be without it.

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Before negotiating with a merchant, before engaging with a confidential clerk; before employing a partner, a careful man makes enquiries as to their standing, their length of occupancy or residence; and in the case of a legal adviser, both as to his legal qualifications and as to his capabilities of transacting the individual business he consults him upon. Strange to say, however, in the selection of a medical man, the sufferer frequently omits these necessary precautions, and without regard to fitness, qualification, experience, and ability for the particular ailment requiring treatment, he consults the nearest man, whose experience and practice, perhaps, lies in quite an opposite direction. It is astonishing that so many are driven mad, and ruined in health, and are bankrupt in spirits, hope and money? Have I not forewarned you of this? I tell you that I, Dr. L. L. Smith, am the only legally qualified medical man advertising in the colonies? Have I not also prosecuted, at my own expense, these very cases, and exposed the various nostrums they are selling—such as Phosphorus, Essence of Life, &c.—and had them analysed and found them to consist of "Burnt Sugar and Flavoring matter," and the certificates I have procured to be all forged. It is for this reason that I step out of the ethics of the profession and advertise to give those who require the services of my branch an opportunity of knowing they can consult a legally qualified man, and one, moreover, who has made this his special study.

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