





otherwise. Failing his consent hereto, the line proposed by the Lands Department to be adopted."

**FINANCE.**

The following accounts were passed for payment on the recommendation of the Finance Committee:—

Engineer	£33	6	8
Secretary	20	0	0
Mrs. Taylor	1	10	0
Inspector Woods	3	0	0
Inspector Menagh	3	0	0
S. Baker	5	9	0
John Rogers	1	1	0
Municipal Association	10	10	0
W. G. Stevens, pound fees	5	6	9
Henningsen and Klunder	5	5	3
Refund of amount paid for carrying water along the Camp Hill	3	10	0
Alex Wilson	0	10	0
Weights and Measures Union	2	0	0
R. Humphreys, firewood	1	2	6
J. M'Raë, rabbit inspector	10	0	0
Rabbit Suppression	21	12	2
J. M'Dougall, weighbridge commission	1	2	0
Surfices labor	82	0	0
R. Gibson	2	0	0
Hawkes Bros.	3	11	11
R. Gemmell	54	0	0
W. C. Pimblett	12	0	0
P. Kially	10	5	0
J. E. Watkin	117	5	0
J. H. Cameron	64	0	0
R. Humphreys (rolling)	3	5	0

**CHARITABLE DONATIONS.**

The following amounts were passed for payment:—Ballarat Benevolent Asylum, £25; Ballarat Hospital, £25; Ballarat Orphan Asylum, £15; Deaf and Dumb Asylum, Eye and Ear Hospital, Blind Asylum, and Ararat Hospital, £5 each; Carngnam Widows' and Orphans' Fund, £10; Human Society, £2; Skipton Relief Fund, £5; Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society, £3; Beaufort Free Library, £10; Carngnam do., £12 10s.; Skipton Mechanics' Institute, £5; Beaufort Fire Brigade, £10; Homoeopathic Hospital, Children's Hospital, and Hospital for Incubables, £3 each; Beaufort Relief Fund £10; total, £161 10s.

**ACTION FOR DAMAGES.**

The Council went into committee to consider the verdict of £300 obtained by James Ingram against the Council for injuries received by falling into an excavation on the Snake Valley road, the members of the Press being excluded. On resuming some conversation took place as to whether the conditions of contract now in use are stringent enough. It was suggested by the engineer that in the

**THE NEW LAND BILL.**

We have received a copy of the new Land Bill, circulated in the Legislative Assembly last week, and from it we extract information of value to our farming and other readers. Clause 5 embodies the conditions on which licenses shall be issued, as follows:—  
A condition that the licensee shall within three years from the issue of such license enclose the land described in such license with a good and substantial fence, and shall, during the currency of such license, cultivate at least one acre out of every 40 acres thereof.  
"A condition annulling the license in case of non-payment of the fees, or any of them, in accordance with the conditions herein mentioned, or in case the licensee shall not, within twelve months after the issue of the license and thence forward during the continuance of such license, either occupy the allotment, or reside within five miles thereof, or in case substantial and permanent improvements, certified in writing under the seal of the board, or under the hands of arbitrators, to be of the value of 10s. for every acre and fractional part of an acre of the allotment, shall not have been made on the allotment by the licensee, his executors, or administrators, before the end of the sixth year from the commencement of the license, or in case of the breach, or non-fulfilment of any of the conditions of the license, or of a violation of any of the provisions of this Act."  
On fulfilment of these conditions, a lease for 14 years is to issue, completing the full term of 20 years.  
By clause 6 it is provided that existing selectors may take up additional land until the full complement of 64 acres is acquired, residence on the first area alone being insisted on.  
After two years licensees may give license liens for loans, up to the value of the improvement actually effected by them. The liens must be registered.  
Part IV relates to licenses for pastoral occupation, and the clause runs as follows:—  
17. Every licensed occupier of Crown lands either as a run for pastoral purposes or under sub-section seven of section 47 of the Land Act, 1869, who shall before the 31st day of December 1881, give notice of his desire to obtain a renewal of such license obtain from the Governor a renewal of his license until the 31st day of October, 1882, on paying therefor in advance ten-twelfths of the amount of the annual fee or rent paid or payable for his license during the year 1881, and the right to occupy any such Crown lands in runs for pastoral purposes after the said 31st

**Charlton, near Beaufort.**

At Twelve o'Clock.  
**SALE BY AUCTION**  
ON  
MONDAY, 14th NOVEMBER, 1881.

**CHARLES GREGORY**  
**Charlton Hotel and Store,**  
**FREEHOLD LAND.**

**Horses, Cattle, Household Furniture, &c.**  
W. EDWARD NICKOLS, instructed by Mr. W. Hutton, will SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, as above, the  
**CHARLTON HOTEL AND STORE,**  
Containing bar, bar parlor, dining room, sitting do., parlor, 5 bedrooms, kitchen and billiard room, together with stable, barn, sheds, pigeries, and all other necessary outbuildings, erected on 1a. 2r. freehold land, or thereabouts, securely fenced, and planted as a garden with fruit trees, &c.; a number of useful horses, several head of cattle (yearlings and upwards), 2 drays, and hay frames, 1 spring cart, buggy, dry harness, spring cart, leading do., busby do., saddles and bridles; also all the household furniture, comprising chairs, tables, carpets and hearthrugs, fenders and fireirons, sofas, curtains and blinds, crockery and glassware, ornaments, cooking utensils, and sundries too numerous to mention, scales and weights, stock-yards, lanes and lanes, &c., &c.  
Terms at Sale.  
W. EDWARD NICKOLS,  
Auctioneer, Beaufort.

**At the Beaufort Hotel, Beaufort.**  
**SALE BY AUCTION.**  
**THIS DAY,**  
At Two o'Clock.

**FREEHOLD LAND,**

Situate at the Main Lead, about three miles from Beaufort, and formerly in the occupation of Mr. John Allen, deceased, and used as a vineyard and fruit garden.

**BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.**  
W. EDWARD NICKOLS, instructed by the Mortgagee, will SELL, as above, the whole of that

Valuable Freehold Land, being Crown allotment 5, Section 17, parish of Beaufort, county of Ripon; also Crown allotment 6, Section 17, parish of Beaufort, county of Ripon, containing by admeasurement five acres or thereabouts.  
The whole is securely fenced with a paling fence, and is planted with choice vines and fruit trees in splendid condition. There is also a comfortable four-roomed cottage erected on it. Permanent supply of water on the ground.  
For Positive Sale. Terms at Sale.  
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**Beaufort Volunteer Fire Brigade.**  
**BOXING DAY SPORTS.**

The following are the principal events:—  
**HAZARD**  
**HURDLE RACE**

**Bicycles. Bicycles.**

MR. W. C. THOMAS, jun., having obtained the Beaufort Agency for the Singer Bicycle can supply Machines of this make, or any others of approved patterns, at MELBOURNE PRICES.

**CHARLES GREGORY**  
WISHES to inform the Residents of Beaufort and district that he has opened an OYSTER SALOON in Havelock street, Beaufort, next door to Mr. Prentice's store.  
All kinds of FRESH FISH kept on hand, and retailed at Reasonable Rates.  
The public are invited to call in, and give him a trial.

**HOPPER'S MILK PUNCH**  
GENUINE OLD ENGLISH ELIXIR VITÆ  
Can be obtained at Smith's Golden Age Hotel, Beaufort, and the Manufactory, Snake Valley, Carngnam.

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BEGS to inform the residents of Beaufort and district that he has commenced business in the newly-erected and commodious premises at the corner of Lawrence and Willoughby streets, Beaufort, and trusts to merit a share of public patronage.  
All descriptions of meat of first-class quality at Cheap Rates.  
SMALL GOODS, choice and varied, always kept on hand.

**WOOL. WOOL. WOOL.**  
**George Synnot and Co.,**  
GEELONG;  
WOOL BROKERS, HIDE, SKIN, AND TALLOW SALESMEN.  
STOCK AND STATION AGENTS,  
Are prepared to make  
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CHARGES—The lowest ruling in the Colony.  
Consignments from any Railway Stations in the Colony will be at once attended to.  
On Sale—Woolpacks, Fencing, Wire, and all Station Stores.  
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**THE FIRST LARGE INSTALMENT**

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**!! Ex Loch Garry, from Glasgow. !!**

**WOTHERSPOON BROS. AND CO.**  
BEG to notify the arrival of their FIRST SHIPMENTS of NEW DRAPERY GOODS and LATEST NOVELTIES, purchased direct from the best Home Manufacturers for cash, and have every confidence in soliciting inspection. As there are no intermediate profits on these goods they will be found all 20 per cent. under retail prices generally.

We shall also show a  
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Begs to announce that they have received their  
**SPRING & SUMMER STOCK,**

And that they now have a GOOD and WELL-ASSORTED LOT of  
**Prints, Hats, Sateens, Muslins, etc., etc.**

The Usual Stock of FAMILY REQUISITES is also REPLENISHED.

Our GROCERY STOCK is COMPLETE, and Every Article will be found of GOOD QUALITY.  
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Of Dresses, Mantles, etc., cut in different sizes for Ladies and Children, accompanied by directions and illustrations for making up. Sold at prices ranging from 6d. to 2s. Newest Styles appear monthly in

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Sole Agents for Beaufort: **MOORE AND CO.**

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The manner of engaged girls, says Clara Belle, are subject to constant modification at the caprice of fashion. As soon as a virgin becomes a betrothed wife she is placed under surveillance by society, and is not released from close scrutiny until she has stood at the altar. Amongst scrupulously conventional people, a girl was formerly expected, under such circumstances, to be more circumspect than ever before; she was not permitted to be much alone with her sweetheart, nor to concede to him a hug or a kiss; she main-

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The cures which this Ointment effects in healing piles and fistulas of long standing, after they have resisted all other applications, have been so countless and notorious throughout the world that any effort to give an adequate detailed statement of their number or character would be in vain. It is sufficient to know that the Ointment has never proved inefficacious.  
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The Ointment is a sovereign remedy if it be well rubbed over a dry into the small of the back, over the region of the kidneys, into which it will certainly penetrate, and in almost every case give immediate relief. Wherever this Ointment has been once used it has established its own worth, and has again been eagerly sought for as the easiest and safest remedy in all diseases of the kidneys.  
*Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in all cases.*













COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

There was a poor supply of produce in the market on Thursday, and a fair demand. The following are our quotations:—Barley, English, 3s 3d to 3s 6d; Cape barley, 2s 9d to 3s; wheat, 5s 1d to 5s 3d; oats, 3s 8d to 3s 9d; sheaves, L2 to L2 17s 6d; mangel hay, L3 to L3 16s; potatoes, L2 17s 6d; straw, 25s to 37s; peas, 4s 3d; rye-grass, 5s to 6s; bran, 1s 13d; pollard, 1s 3d; bonedust, L6 10s; flour, L10 15s to L11 5s.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

The market during the week has fairly supplied with various kinds of produce, and a better feeling is apparent in several directions. Business in wheat may now be considered as over for this season, the transactions reported being small and unimportant. Our quotation of 4s 10d may therefore be looked upon as nominal. As was anticipated, flour has improved a little on late rates, and is now being quoted at L11 to L11 10s per ton. At Horsban no business is reported in wheat, and at St. Ararat the price remains firm at 5s per bushel. No alteration is observable at Donald, 4s 9d being the ruling rate, and the Avoca price is still 5s to 5s 1d per bushel; Landsborough 5s 2d to 5s 4d, and flour L11 per ton. In the Melbourne market breadstuffs are in fair request. Wheat is saleable at 5s 6d for prime parcels, and at L11 2s 6d and L11 5s flour has a good deal of business. In this market oats have strengthened, and are now worth from 3s 4d to 3s 6d. Peas have also advanced, sales having been effected at 4s. Warrnambool potatoes are unchanged, those forward selling at last week's rates, but Ballarat varieties are considerably higher, L3 12s 6d being now asked. In hay there is nothing fresh to particulars, though chaff has advanced to 3s 9d per cwt. Cape barley, maize, onions, and carrots are now out of the market. Fresh butter is fairly supplied at 6d per lb, but good bottled is very scarce and would realise the same figure as fresh. Cheese continues to be scarce at 5d to 6d per lb, and eggs are by no means plentiful at 8d. We quote:—Wheat, 4s 10d; oats, 3s 6d; pollard, 1s 3d; bran, 1s 2d; Cape barley, none; maize, none; flour, L11 to L11 10s; potatoes, Warrnambool, L3 9s to L4; Ballarat, L3 12s 6d; fresh butter, 6d; potted butter, 6d; hams, 11d; bacon, 8d; cheese, 5d to 6d; eggs, 8d; hay, sheaves, 50s; trussed, 55s; straw, 20s; chaff, 3s 9d; onions, none; carrots, none; peas, 4s; rye, 4s; English barley, 4s 6d.—Advertiser.

MELBOURNE GRAIN MARKET.

Wednesday.  
The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company Limited, report:—Our usual weekly sale to-day attracted a full attendance of the trade, and brisk competition was elicited for all the lots submitted. The public offerings of wheat during the week have been small, and the limit for prime is about 5s 6d. Below we give details:—Flour.—We have no change to report. Country parcels can be quoted from L11 2s 6d to L11 5s. Wheat.—This remains at about last week's level. Prime is worth up to 5s 6d per bushel; medium to good, from 5s 1d to 5s 4d; and inferior to medium, 4s 6d. Barley remains in good demand. Prime malting is worth up to about 4s 3d, which figure we realised at our sale to-day. Medium from 3s 6d to 3s 10d. Feeding sorts are worth up to 3s 6d. Oats.—A strong demand has sprung up for oats. Stout feed is worth from 3s 6d to 3s 8d, and up to 3s 9d, and ordinary feed from 3s 3d to 3s 5d. Maize has further advanced, and is worth from 5s 3d to 5s 4d.

GEELONG WOOL AND STATION PRODUCE REPORT.

Wednesday.  
MESSRS. GEORGE HAGUE AND Co. report:—Wool.—We held our third sale of the season to-day, when we submitted a catalogue of 1219 bales of wool. There was a large attendance of buyers, and biddings throughout the sale were extremely spirited. We made a clearance of the bulk of our catalogue at very satisfactory prices. Sheepskins.—Biddings were lively throughout the sale, and we effected an entire clearance of every lot at very firm prices. Hides.—There was a full muster of the trade at our sale, and animated bidding for every lot. Tallow.—There is an easier feeling again in this market, and a slight reduction has had to be accepted in order to effect sales.

MESSRS. GEORGE SYNTH AND Co. report:—Our usual sales were held to-day at Mack's Hotel, when some large catalogues were submitted, amongst which were some splendid samples of western grown wool. The attendance of buyers was scarcely as large as on preceding sales, but there was a decided advance in crossbred wools, especially for the fine and well grown classes, which realised 3d per lb. more than at the last sale. Americans were again prominent in their biddings, and competition was animated in the extreme for greasy wools. With a few exceptions we cleared our catalogue, and as the difference in price is so slight between buyers' valuation and owners' reserve we expect to sell the remaining lots privately. Scoured wools were again much neglected and we were obliged to pass most of those lots in, owners preferring to risk shipping to London rather than sell at such low figures as those offered to-day.

**Scarcity of Money.**—There is no doubt notwithstanding the partial survival of confidence the condition of all kinds of business and industry is much depressed, and it behoves every family to look carefully to their expenses. Winter is coming on, when children are liable to Croup, Whooping Cough, etc., Coughs and Colds will prevail everywhere, and Consumption, with other throat and lung diseases, will carry off many. These diseases should not be neglected. Doctors' bills are expensive, and we would advise our people to use BOSCHER'S GERMAN SYRUP. It never fails. One bottle will keep your whole family well during the winter. Two doses will relieve any case. Sold in all towns in the Australian colonies, and by your druggist. Samples to try, 9d. Wholesale Agents: ROCKE, TOMPKINS, and Co., Melbourne.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AND NEWS-PAPERS.

Andrews, T.; Austin, Mr.; Armstrong, Mrs.  
Boyd, A.  
Cope, W.; Callahan, M.  
Day, Thos.; Dunn, J.  
Ellis, T.; Edwards, W.  
Hastings, J.W.; Hobson, E.; Howes, S. H.  
Leach, Fanny.  
McIntosh, N.; McMillan, J.; McHatten, A.; Morton, Wm.; Mack, Thos.  
Parsons, Geo.  
Summers, Jas.; Spier, C.; Spencer, Mrs.; Synnott, C.; Stewart, J. and H.  
Thompson, M. A.; Topper, Geo.; Turner, Geo.; Tan Loo, Mrs.  
Whitfield, Miss S. and E.; Warner, Wm. Westbrook, R.  
E. M. KILDAHL, Postmistress.  
Beaufort, 18th November, 1881.

THE Riponshire Advocate.

Published every Saturday Morning.  
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1881.

A COMPLETE mine of litigation appears to have been sprung in the proceedings taken by William Smith, of Emerald Hill, against Dr. Iffa, for having wrongfully signed a medical certificate, which consigned the plaintiff to the Yarra Bend Asylum for a period of about two months. Smith sued for £1,000 damages, and the jury to whom the case was referred gave him a verdict for £520, which sum is quite sufficient to show that the jury thought that the liberty of the plaintiff had been unjustly interfered with. Smith now proposes to go for the other medical gentlemen who signed the certificate, Dr. Forster, and it is to be presumed that if Dr. Iffa was wrong, his coadjutor is equally to blame, and, as a consequence, equally liable. The plaintiff Smith, however, according to current report, is bent on wholesale slaughter, in the shape of proceeding against several whose evidence tended to show that he was "a shingle short." Smith, however, is not alone, in the luxury of suing for heavy damages, since he is to be sued himself for £1,000 damages for slander by a butcher named Struggell, whom Smith alleged was guilty of improprieties with his (Smith's) better-half. If Struggell succeeds it would appear probable that others who were charged by Smith with similar *faux pas* might have a slap at their alleged slanderer, so that the legal embroglio altogether is one of the most curious and complicated that has been seen for many a long day, and the legal fraternity that are in the fray, no doubt, are "exceedingly glad." The whole affair, however, has a very serious bearing, though some of its elements are not without a touch of the ludicrous. And the serious aspect of the question is, with what apparent ease a sane man can be consigned to an asylum to consort with the insane, than which a more horrible fate can scarcely be imagined or realised. In this particular case of Smith's, admitting even that he was somewhat eccentric in his ways, there does not appear at all sufficient data to warrant the medical men signing the certificate for his consignment to a place where it is more than likely the unfortunate man would have gone mad indeed. The balance of evidence in the case of Smith tends to show that his wife and step-children desired to get rid of him, and this desire was carried out in an altogether too easy and accessible manner, making it clear that it is within the bounds of possibility to get a member of any family who might be objected to by the rest quietly shelved and put out of the way in a dark retreat, the portals of which are hard to open when once the bolt is shot. Mr. Justice Williams, in summing up, said that a medical man ought to make the most careful inquiry and examination before he signed a certificate to consign a fellow creature to a madhouse, and the result shows, in Smith's case at any rate, that the inquiry was not a careful one, nor the examination at all so sound and patient as it should have been. It is evident that, careful as the law is supposed to be with regard to the liberty of the person, the rigors of the Lunacy Statute is not a particular safeguard, and, as the "Argus" points out, "The power given by the 11th clause of the Lunacy Act to friends or relatives is simply a disgrace to our legislation. With the connivance of any two medical men, no matter how incompetent or disreputable, they may put any inconvenient connexion out of the way, for a time at all events, and possibly for ever. This is no imaginary danger. It is one to which every person is liable so long as the law remains as it is." The same paper suggests that statutory certificates ought only to be received from men of first-rate standing in the profession, and that the power of committing should be given to police magistrates only. These suggestions, and, in fact, the whole matter, are worthy of the early attention of the Legislature to devise some more efficient check to the possibility of a sane man's banishment to the company of unreason, with a fate threatening to which even death itself would be preferable.

Public attention is again directed to the important sale by auction which takes place at Charlton on Monday next. The property to be sold is that of Mr. A. Hutton, comprising the Charlton Hotel and store, freehold land, live stock, household furniture and effects, and a lot of sundries. Mr. W. E. Nickols will conduct the sale.

An important sale of sheep will be held at the Eurambine woolshed on Thursday, 15th December. Full particulars will be found in another part of this issue.

We have received the sum of 5s. from Mr. Thomas Black, of Shirley, per Sergeant Woods, as a donation to the Beaufort Ladies' Benevolent Society.  
Mr. Collings, truant inspector, presented an interesting return before the meeting of the Board of Advice for the North Riding of Riponshire, held on the 10th inst., from which we extract the following, being for the quarter ending 30th September:—Total number of children attending, 798; total not attending, 161; made up as follows—certificated, 24; under age, 61; over age, 5; over distance, 5; balance of time made up at other schools, 21; new scholars during quarter, 10; visitors and left district, 12; dead, 1; sick, 19; truant, 3. Total number of children on the school rolls, 957.

The English mails will be despatched from Melbourne on Wednesday next, 23rd November. The mails will close at the Beaufort Post Office on Tuesday, 22nd inst., for ordinary letters and newspapers, at 5 p.m., and on Monday, at 3 p.m., for money orders and registered letters. Attention is drawn to the regulations that letters and newspapers for transmission *via* Brindisi must be endorsed, and must not exceed half an ounce in weight; letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, will be charged 6d.; every additional half an ounce or portion thereof, 6d.; newspapers, 1d. each; packet not exceeding an ounce, 1d.; two ounces, 2d.; four ounces or portion thereof, 4d.

A meeting of the Beaufort Boat Club is convened for Tuesday evening next, the 22nd inst. The property of the club is fast disappearing, and if some steps are not taken to stop its wholesale destruction it will very soon be nil. Two of the boats are disabled and sunk, and the third has two large apertures in its side, besides having everything movable taken out of it. The oars and sculls are broken, and pieces of them are scattered all over the shores of the reservoir. Through the want of stern and proper management nearly £200 worth of property has been destroyed by the hordes of larrikins who have recently taken possession of the club's property.

Public attention is directed to Messrs. Craig, Williamson, and Thomas's business notice which appears in another column.

We have received a copy of A. H. Massira and Co.'s "Weather Almanac" for 1882. It is neatly printed, and contains a mass of information, including several new features, notably a new map of the railway lines throughout Victoria, including those in course of construction, census returns, rainfall statistics, travellers' road guide, &c. A sheet almanac also accompanies the publication.

The young men residing at Beaufort do not appear to take a very lively interest in cricket. A meeting of the members of the local club was convened for Wednesday evening last, when the hon. secretary and one solitary member were all that put in an appearance.

On Monday last Mr. J. A. Lord, head teacher of the State school at Ragan, reported to the Board of Advice for this district that a member of his family was suffering from measles. The members of the Board at once instructed Mr. Lord to close the school pending further instructions from the Department, who have been informed of the matter.

On Monday last the welcome rain commenced to fall, and has continued since with but slight intermission. The crops and grass in this district will be revived, and an immense deal of good will be done generally. From our exchanges we learn that the rain has been general throughout the colony.

A perch, weighing 8lbs., was found stranded on the shores of the old reservoir one day in the early part of this week.

The ordinary monthly Beaufort Police Court will be held on Thursday next.

The "Sketcher" for the fortnight, just issued, is an interesting number, containing a number of good engravings, together with a complete epitome of current news. "Rescue of the Boat's crew of the *Glimps*" forms a frontispiece. A two-page engraving depicts "Sketches on the Cup Day," and is a pleasing picture. A full-page is devoted to sketches at Sir Henry Parkes' residence at Faulconbridge, and another to "Sketches at the National Agricultural Society's Show, St. Kilda road." "Victorian Industries"—the Hoffman Brick Company's works, Brunswick, is given a page, and a sketch is also given of a public exhibition by Professor Rudolph, the billiard champion. Portraits of Miss Nellie Stewart and Miss Annie Taylor make up a good number. Copies may be had from Mr. Henningsen, the local agent.

William Nugent, the murderer of trooper Pearce, was executed at Mount Gambier yesterday.  
Mr. Alexander Ramage, of Robbie and Ramage, of Baungr, died suddenly on Thursday. The deceased leaves a wife and thirteen children.

The Ballarat and Creswick people are going to hold a monster camp meeting on Christmas Day at Queenscliff.

The Healesville poisoning case was concluded on Thursday, and resulted in the acquittal of King.

A bushman from New South Wales was robbed of 258 10s. in Melbourne during last week by some women of the "unfortunate" class.

Mr. L. L. Smith announced his intention of bringing Mr. Vale's nose in the Assembly on Wednesday night.

Mr. R. de Bruce Johnstone, M.L.A. for Geelong, was seized with a stroke of paralysis on Wednesday. He had not recovered consciousness last evening.

A Sydney telegram says:—The daughter of a wealthy Jew has eloped and married a bank clerk. The cute young lady made a declaration regarding her age by chalking "twenty-one" on the soles of her shoes, and then saying that she was over twenty-one.

Sergeant, who demolished Mr. Munro's furniture, also took an oil painting of that gentleman out of the frame, and it has been found in a paddock near where the man was arrested, torn to pieces. Sergeant will be prosecuted for larceny.

The new goods classification and tariff, to take effect after 11th December, has been issued by the Railway Department. In the agricultural produce class the rate to be charged is 1 1/2d per ton per mile for any distance up to 17 1/2 miles, 3d for every mile over 17 1/2, a terminal charge of 1s. per ton to be added to this rate in all classes.

The evidence taken before the Police Commission occupies 720 pages of printed matter. A cook named John Wilde hung himself at the Ereidoun station on Tuesday.

A diary kept by Mrs. Watson, the wife of one of the owners of the Beche-de-mer station on Lizard Island which was recently destroyed by the Queensland blacks, was discovered on the island by Her Majesty's schooner *Conflict*, and has been brought on to Cooktown. It is thought that Mrs. Watson and her child have been murdered, as no traces of her can be found.

The name of the Victorian Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has been altered to the Society for the Protection of Animals.

Mr. George Sprigg, town clerk of St. Kilda, committed suicide on Monday last in his office.

W. Begg, the Governor of the Castlemaine Gaol, died suddenly in the Melbourne Hospital on Tuesday. He was taken suddenly ill at the Coffee Palace on Monday, and removed to the Hospital.

Digestion is simply the reduction of food into a liquid form. Before the food passes into the blood-vessels, as it necessarily must, before it can nourish the system, it is essential that it should be emulsified. In this condition it is taken up by the absorbents, and by some mysterious process converted into blood. This transmutation or conversion must be complete, else food, in unmistakable train, dyspepsia, indigestion, heartburn, and like ailments, flit to protect the process, use UDOLPHO WOLFE'S SCHEIDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS.

George Ranken, guard of a train in Queensland to which an accident occurred, has been fined £10 or two months' imprisonment for omission of duty; and William McKay, a ganger, for not placing signals out when he had removed a rail for repairs, and not having another ready to replace it, was sent to gaol for six months.

Mrs. Hugh Roberts, of Bruce's Creek, a few days ago became the mother of triplets—two sons and a daughter. Some years ago the lady accomplished twins.

One of the "liberal" writers replies to Mr. Shields' recent able speech that "he is a young man with red hair," and is to marry a squatter's daughter.

As an illustration of the great activity displayed in the shipbuilding trade of Great Britain, it is mentioned that there are now in course of construction nearly one million tons of shipping, which is almost unprecedented.

An Ohio correspondent mentions that the Methodist clergyman of the place had occasion to call at the blacksmith's shop to get a small job of work done. After it was finished, he asked what was to pay. The accommodating smith replied, "Oh, it's not much—just remember me in your prayers." "Very well," replied the parson; "as my motto is, 'pay as you go, I'll settle the bill now.' Down went the whole party, and then there that shop was made to resound with the genuine Methodist ring from a pair of lungs of two-anvil power.

An Osego country man is credited with the following novel advertisement of his wife:—"My wife Mary is strayed or stolen. I will break the head of anybody who returns her to me. As to giving her credit, every merchant has a right to do so; but as I have never paid my own debts, it is not probable that I will pay hers."

It is stated in a French scientific periodical that underground water may be discovered by observing the quivering of the air on a clear, calm summer afternoon, when the sun is low. If a well be dug at the spot where the quivering appears, a supply of water, will, it is said, there be found; and, as regards the influence of trees on moisture, careful observation has confirmed the theory that more rain falls on forests than on open plains, and comparing different kinds of trees, it is found that the pine tribe get more water, and retain more, than leafy trees. Hence, it is said, that pines are the best defence against sudden inundations, and the best means for giving freshness and humidity to a hot and dry climate, such as that of Algeria, where attempts at amelioration have been made by planting and by digging artesian wells.

A singular case of trance is reported from Reading, Pennsylvania U.S., where for thirty-six days a young Hungarian has lain motionless, unconscious, and yet alive. He came into a bar-room one evening suffering from a heavy cold, sat down by the stove, dropped asleep, and has never given sign or look since. He can take a small amount of food and seems in quite a healthy condition, but all efforts to rouse him have been in vain though he has been subjected to all sorts of experiments. Once, however, when shocked by a powerful galvanic battery, his eyes opened with a dazed look, but closed again immediately.

A singular circumstance has been reported to the "Donolly Express." It seems that a man who has been known to be deaf and dumb for some years at least, and who has recently resided between Donolly and Havelock, was in Donolly on Tuesday, and becoming excited, suddenly recovered both his speech and hearing. Some persons who witnessed the sudden change, and thinking the man had been shamming, wished Senior Constable Wilkinson to lock him up as an impostor. Mr. Wilkinson, however, had some knowledge of the man, and having told his accusers of the circumstances of the case, the man was taken away to have a drink.

A painter at Geelong was writing a sign on Tuesday, when some boys, while playing, knocked the ladder from under him and he fell to the pavement, receiving injuries from which he died on Friday.

A water rat entered the Salo Police Court on Friday, while the Court was sitting and wandered about amongst the spectators, and finally on to the bench, when a dog which had been watching its proceedings seized the rodent, and it was ejected.  
A comical episode at Coonamble, N.S.W. The mail coach got bogged, and all the passengers had to alight and put their shoulders to the wheel. One passenger was a prisoner in irons, but his fetters were removed, in order that he might lend a hand in the extraction of the coach. But he utilised his temporary freedom in an unexpected manner. He left the coach in the mire and struck for liberty. After an exciting chase he was captured and brought back to his old seat in the extricated vehicle.

A lad named J. H. Rolls, son of the captain of the barque *Veritas*, was lost overboard during the passage from London to Melbourne.  
A little girl was worried by a dog at Williamstown on Wednesday. She is not expected to recover.

City property was sold in Sydney on Thursday which realized £250,000, or about £800 per foot.  
The All-England eleven arrived at Sydney on Wednesday after a remarkably quick passage from San Francisco.

The daughters of the proprietor of the "Queenbyan Age" set up the paper as compositor.

A young man who was recently bathing in the Mississippi river, seeing a number of ladies approach, drowned himself, from motives of delicacy.

During the recent visit of the Prince and Princess of Wales to Liverpool, it is said that a "human avenue" was formed of a million of people, which extended the length of eight and a half "miles of streets." Their Royal Highnesses are described as having been highly impressed by the sight.

In the Emerald Hill embroglio Mr. Purves bids fair to become considerably "mixed." In the case against Dr. Iffa he was for the prosecution. In the case against Dr. Forster, he is for the defence. In Struggell's action, the learned gentleman is against Smith; and in the action against Struggell and others he is for Smith and against Struggell.

Guitau, while in prison, has dictated his autobiography to a shorthand writer. During the dictation Guitau displayed much vanity. He has an idea that the whole civilized world is waiting to hear the minutest details of his career. Full particulars are given of the manner in which he planned and executed the crime.

The "Argus" points out that there are about 1,000,000 hats purchased every year in Victoria. The protective duty causes each of these hats to be 1s. dearer than they ought to be. The public, therefore, pay £50,000 per annum to keep up the colonial hat factories.

A young man named George Harrison Chappell, a compositor, has received a sentence of three weeks' imprisonment for leaving his hired service at the "Observer" office, Kyneton, and possessing himself fraudulently of the office free railway pass.

John Dodd, 19 years of age, who met with an accident on the Flemington course on last Cup Day, died on Monday. Dodd, it will be remembered, was riding Suwarrow in the Cup Race when that horse was brought down by Wheatear.

In the year 1788 there were only 29 sheep in Australia. At the present time there are no fewer than 62,000,000.

Two intoxicated aboriginals quarrelled at Bourke, New South Wales, the other day. Simon struck Billy on the head with a tomahawk. Billy is dead and Simon in gaol.

The "Bandigo Advertiser" states that when the members of the Sandhurst City Fire Brigade arrived at Wodonga with the prizes which they had won at the Sydney demonstration, the Victorian Customs officers there demanded a duty of £4 on the prizes, which they classed as "jewellery." The captain of the brigade protested against the impost, but the officers of the Customs department would not permit the prizes to be carried over the Murray without the money being paid. The captain had to submit, and forthwith paid the demand.

A heavy storm of rain took place at Melbourne on Tuesday night. A deal of property has been damaged.

On Turrigallum station near Camperdown 108,000 rabbits were killed during the month of October.

An old man named Birch was found hanging to a fence by the waistband of his trousers, at Kororo. He was nearly dead when found.

Mrs. Susannah Hinning, landlady of Orient House, Victoria Parade, Fitzroy, died from strychnine poisoning on Sunday night. There was no evidence to show whether she had taken the poison accidentally or intentionally.

A profitable cow was (the "Ararat Advertiser" states) recently killed at the Lunatic Asylum. It was purchased over 11 years ago for the sum of £5, but at that time 6 years old. Since her purchase she has been milked for nine years out of the 11, averaging eight quarts of milk per day, or a total of 26,280 quarts. Valuing this at fourpence per quart, which has been the average price during the years stated, we find the milk to have been worth £438. When killed the carcass and hide realized £5 5s 9d (that is, long contract price), and thus, after deducting the original purchase money, £5, and the cost of keep for 11 years at £3 per year, a total of £36, there is a balance left of £347 5s 9d as the profit on the beast. The cow did not show much breeding; if any particular strain predominated it being the Hereford, but with the exception of the head, which was a little coarse, she had all the requisite points of a good milker.

An old resident of Inglewood, Mr. John Donaldson, hairdresser and photographer, and his son, a young man about 27 years of age, have got into trouble over the alleged theft of a quantity of building material, comprising corrugated iron, roofing, piping, &c.

Here is a description by the Rev. T. Keumais of the Sydney larrikin:—"A creature that stood at the corners of our streets, snobbish in apparel, noisy and insolent in gesture, and filthy in speech; a creature that lurked and waited in public resorts that it might injure the innocent and helpless, that it might leer into the eyes of maidenhood, and pour forth its silt into the ears of womanhood as it passed by; a creature which denied all the attributes of mankind."

A poor girl of good family from a neighboring colony, the victim of seduction, has (the "Argus" says) just died utterly heart-broken in Melbourne, where she has been during the past five months hiding her disgrace. Her parents repudiate the care of the infant boy to whom she gave birth on the 9th ult. We are requested to give publicity to the case, the particulars of which have been communicated, and to request that any person willing to step in and adopt a helpless orphan will communicate with the secretary of the Industrial Schools department, King-street. There is no clue to the parentage of the child, who before the mother's death was, at her desire, baptised into the communion of the English Church.

A stone has been erected over the grave of Professor Clifford in Highgate Cemetery with the inscription:—"William Kingston Clifford, Born May 4, 1845; died March 3, 1879. 'I was not, and was conceived; I lived, and did a little work; I am not, and grieve not.'"

At a meeting of the Associated Banks held on Thursday decided to raise the rate of interest on deposits to two, three, and four per cent. for three, six, and twelve months respectively.

Three men were killed in a vinegar vat at Sydney on Thursday by foul air.

Mr. Henry Davies, the respected secretary of the Ballarat Orphan Asylum, is dangerously ill.

WATERLOO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

On Sunday and Monday last the anniversary of the above school was celebrated. On Sunday afternoon the Rev. C. Harris preached, and the services were conducted in the evening by the Rev. W. H. Youtton. The church building was crowded at each service, and instructive and interesting discourses were delivered by the rev. gentlemen. The scholars attending the school also gave some recitations and sang several choice hymns. On Monday the picnic was spoiled by the heavy down-pour of rain which occurred during the afternoon. The attendance at the tea was also interfered with by the rain, as also the public meeting held afterwards. The Rev. C. Harris presided at the public meeting, and delivered a very appropriate and interesting speech. The children again sang and recited specially prepared pieces. Mr. C. Rankin, the superintendent of the school, said the present anniversary would probably have been the most successful ever held in connection with the school had the weather been favorable. There were nine teachers attending the school, but still there was room for more, there being 130 children on the school books, the average attendance being 90. If any of the teachers stopped away then the classes were too large. The attendance, he thought, was very good, considering that some of the children had to come a long distance. He wished to thank the chairman, and also Mrs. Milligan, the organist and leader of the singing, as she had rendered most valuable assistance. A vote of thanks to the chair, the teachers, and to Messames Robinson and Harris, who so kindly got up the tables brought the meeting to a close.  
Before those present dispersed Mr. Rankin announced that owing to the unfavorable weather experienced that day, another tea meeting would be held on the Wednesday following. The weather, however, was even worse on that day than on Monday, and consequently very few people attended. The gross cash receipts of the services amounted to £26.

BEAUFORT MINING ITEMS.

Friday Evening.  
Waterloo.—Small rise from main level. No. 3 riss, went through into wash 10 feet over the back, showing gold in the dirt. Have opened out north and south to divert trend of the ground.  
Hobart Pasha.—The main drive started during the fortnight is still being continued, and good headway is being made. The leading wash-dirt drive is being driven west, and crosscuts are being opened to prove the ground allayed driven through.  
New Perseverance.—Now engaged in putting in crosscuts from uphill main drive, and all the machinery now is in better working order than it has been for some time. Two small machines have been washed during the week, which yielded 2 1/2 oz. of gold.

Cable News.

(FROM THE ARGUS CORRESPONDENT.)  
LONDON, Nov. 16.  
Mr. Gambetta, the head of the new French Ministry, has announced that his political programme will include a reform of the judicial system by the abolition of all unnecessary tribunals, the perfecting of the system of national education by further decentralising it, and by affording additional facilities for children to perfect themselves in the higher educational grades; the completion of the military law by the adoption of universal military service; the organization of finance and the reduction of the national expenditure by means of mutually advantageous commercial treaties with foreign countries, and the maintenance of peace both at home and abroad.

Mr. Paul Bert, the Minister of Public Instruction in the Gambetta Cabinet, will also hold the portfolio of Public Worship.  
The German Press ridicules both the Gambetta Ministry and their programme.  
Throughout Europe the Ministry is regarded as weak, and not likely to be of long duration.

The Fenians have recently exhibited considerable activity in the north of England. At Bradford, a large manufacturing town in Yorkshire, with a population of over 50,000 inhabitants, they have been especially bold, arms having been obtained by many members of the organization and drillings having been frequent. The arrest of a Bradford Fenian named Tobin, at Middleborough a few days ago, has caused a panic, and the members are flying from the district in wild haste.

Earl Granville, the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has written a despatch to the British Consul-General in Egypt, in which he states that the existence of a condition of anarchy in Egypt would justify the intervention of the foreign powers interested in the good government of that country.

Mr. W. J. Sendall, one of the assistant secretaries to the Local Government Board, has been appointed Governor of Natal, in succession to Sir Evelyn Wood.

Mr. John Bright, the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, has received many addresses to-day congratulating him on having attained his 70th birthday.

The American wheat harvest shows a deficiency of 100,000,000 bushels.  
Mr. William Rathbone Greg, the well-known writer on political and social science, died yesterday at the age of 72.  
The epidemic of cholera is spreading with alarming rapidity at the holy city of Mecca. The pilgrims and residents of the city are dying at the rate of 500 a day.

THE CALIFORNIAN MAIL NEWS.

(REUTE'S TELEGRAMS.)

SYDNEY, Thursday. The following is the news received by the Californian mail steamer Australia, which reached Sydney on Wednesday:-

EUROPEAN SUMMARY.

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The officers of the "Irish Times" and "Irish Mail" at Dublin were mobbed when the news of the suppression of the Irish National Land League reached the head office. The executive council of the league held a hurried meeting, and burned all the books. The executive and officials then decamped.

The Russian Imperial palace at Gatchina has been lighted by electricity outside, in order to guard against the Nihilists.

Terrible hurricanes have taken place in the United Kingdom; no less than 400 trees were blown down in South Park, London, and all the other parks were strewn with fallen timber. The gales damaged much property all over the country, wrecking hundreds of houses in Ireland and Scotland, and killing many people.

The Marquis of Waterford and his friends have been mobbed when following the Curraghmore hounds. The dogs were stoned with pitchforks. A number of noblemen in Kildare have been warned by the Irish National Land League that they will be similarly treated if they appear in the hunting field.

In consequence of these proceedings the principal landowners are closing their houses and leaving for England, entailing great loss on the neighborhoods where they resided.

On Lord Rosse's estate not one out of 500 tenants appeared on rent day, and a number of his farm houses have been burnt.

When Captain Boycott was in Westport, protected by the police, the mob followed him and burnt his effigy.

Dr. C. R. Darwin has inherited £30,000 by the death of his brother, Erasmus Darwin.

Sir Garnet Wolseley has expressed the hope that the tunnel under the English Channel will never be constructed, as it would be a lasting source of danger to England.

A terrible inundation has devastated the communes of Sottimo and San Petro in Italy. Fifty-four houses were destroyed and four lives lost, besides enormous losses in cattle and grain.

The charges by M. Rochefort that the Tunisian Expedition was arranged by M. Gambetta for stock-jobbing purposes will be rigidly investigated. M. Gambetta's interview with Prince Bismarck was at the request of the latter, who said that Gambetta was the man on whom the maintenance of peace might some day depend.

AMERICAN SUMMARY.

SAW FRANCISCO, Oct. 22.

Thirty thousand dollars have been offered as an inducement for the racehorses Foxhall and Iroquois to meet on the Chicago course.

Landerberger's mill at Philadelphia has been burnt; more than 20 of the operatives lost their lives.

Secretary Blaine is preparing for his nomination for the Presidency in the Republican interest.

A fire at New York burnt 200 horses, and a warehouse containing a million dollars worth of property, including a picture valued at 50,000 dollars.

While the British ship Frieburg was unloading railroad material at Oakland, three steel rails slipped from the slings, knocked a hole in her bottom, and sunk the vessel.

The work on the Panama Canal is advancing rapidly. 1,200 men are employed in excavating. £400,000 has already been expended.

It is said that the shipment of infernal machines to Liverpool was a clever plot to obtain money by an Irish saloon-keeper, named Foye, assisted by O'Donovan Rossa. Foye received 10,000 dollars from the British Consul at New York for his information about the shipment. Since this disclosure Rossa and Crowe have been ostracized by the Irish Nationalists.

Great frauds have been discovered in the American Pension Office. The peculations are said to amount to millions.

The Arctic whalers report a catch about equal to that of 1880.

The fear of a war with the Apache Indians in Arizona has blown over, and many of the hostile Indians have surrendered.

Mr. Archibald Forbes has arrived at New York, en route for Sydney.

The German ship Hugo has been burned in the South Pacific Ocean. The captain and seven men have arrived in Chile.

PARLIAMENTARY ITEMS.

(From the "Argus")

The Hon. Alex. Fraser announced in the Legislative Council on Tuesday that it is his intention to resign his seat to-day, as he has made arrangements to dispose of his property qualification, and is now in his 80th year. The hon. member expressed his obligations to the House for the considerate treatment he had always met with during a period of 23 years. Dr. Dobson and Sir Charles Sladen gave expression to the unanimous feeling of regret felt by the House at the loss of one of its oldest members, and bore testimony to the attention Mr. Fraser had paid to his legislative duties, both as a private member and when representing a Government in the Upper Chamber.

As soon as the Speaker took the chair in the Legislative Assembly on Thursday Mr. Vale announced that he had decided on retiring from public life. He assigned two reasons for taking this step. It had been stated, he said, that the late Government had agreed to adopt the leasing system as their policy on the land question. Such a policy he had opposed throughout his political career, and as Attorney-General of the late Government he never gave his assent to the departure which other members of the Liberal party contemplated taking. Not wishing to act in opposition to men whom he had hitherto been associated with, he deemed it advisable to give up his seat in Parliament. Another cause for his resigning was the fact that he did not enjoy good health, and for this reason he should not seek from his constituents a renewal of their confidence. Having thus briefly explained himself, Mr. Vale withdrew from the Chamber.

A GOOD STORY.

A thief was lately tried in California for entering a miner's tent and stealing a bag of gold dust. The testimony showed that he had been once employed there, and knew exactly where the owner kept his dust; that on the night specified he cut a slit in the tent, reached in, took the bag, and then ran off. The principal witness testified that he saw the hole cut, saw the man reach in, and heard him run away. "I rushed after him at once," continued the witness, "but when I caught him I didn't find Bill's bag, but it was found afterwards where he had thrown it." "How far did he get when he took the dust?" inquired the counsel. "Well, he was stooping over half way in, I should say," replied the witness. "May it please your honor," interposed the counsel, "the indictment isn't sustained, and I shall demand an acquittal on direction of the court. The prisoner is on trial for entering a dwelling in the night time with intent to steal. The testimony is clear that he made an opening through which he protruded himself about half way, and stretched out his arms and committed the theft. But the indictment charges that he actually entered the tent, or dwelling. Now, your honor, can a man enter a house when only one half of his body is in, and the other half out?" "I shall leave the whole matter to the jury. They must judge of the law and the fact as proved," replied the judge. The jury brought in a verdict of "Guilty as to one half of his body, and not guilty as to the other half." The judge sentenced the guilty party to two years' imprisonment, leaving it to the prisoner's option to have the innocent part cut off, or take it along with him.

IMPOUNDINGS.

BEAUFORT—Impounded at Beaufort—Bay mare, branded over J3 near shoulder; black sow pig; four young pigs, progeny of sow. If not claimed and expenses paid to be sold on 3rd December. W. G. STEVENS, Poundkeeper.

A MEETING of the Boat Club will be held at the Golden Age Hotel on TUESDAY, November 22nd, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of winding up the club and disposing of the property.

THURSDAY, 15th DECEMBER. At One o'clock. At the Eurambien Station Woolshed, near Beaufort.

Important Clearing Sale of 824 Well-bred Merino Sheep.

HARBURN and ROWE have received instructions from the executors of the late Mr. Francis Reges (on account of the expiration of their lease of Eurambien Station) to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at Eurambien, six miles from Beaufort, on the main Ararat road, on Thursday, 15th December, as above, in lots of suit parcels as follows:— The following pure Merino sheep (horn)— 570 ewes, one year old

570 do, two do 600 do, four do 1204 do, five do 500 do, six do 940 wethers, one year old 600 do, two do 1272 do, three do 710 do, four do 738 do, five do 600 ewers, mixed sexes 40 rams, various ages.

The rams used for the past 20 years have been purchased from the best stud flocks in the Western district. The clip for many years has netted from 6s. to 7s. 3d. per sheep, lambs included, the wool brand being Mr. Cole over B & Co.

The Auctioneers desire to call the special attention of buyers to the above important sale, as such a chance of obtaining first-class merino sheep seldom occurs.

The whole of the sheep are in good condition, and about 2000 of the wethers are fat, and will worthy the attention of purchasers.

Conveyances will leave Beaufort for Eurambien at nine a.m. and twelve o'clock noon on the day of sale, to convey intending purchasers, returning after the sale. Return fares, 2s. 6d.

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During the day a charge of 6d. will be made for admission to the Sale of Gifts, when each person will receive a Prize.

Ticket to admit to Tea and Concert, 2s. To Concert only, 1s.

NO COLLECTION.

Charlton, near Beaufort. At Twelve o'clock.

SALE BY AUCTION ON MONDAY, 21st NOVEMBER, 1881.

Charlton Hotel and Store, FREEHOLD LAND, Horses, Cattle, Household Furniture, etc.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS, instructed by Mr. Hutton, will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the forenoon, the CHARLTON HOTEL AND STORE, containing bar, bar parlour, dining room, sitting room, parlor, 5 bedrooms, kitchen and billiard room; together with stable, barn, sheep pens, pigsties, and all other necessary outbuildings, erected on 1a 2r freehold land, or thereabouts, securely fenced, and planted with a garden with fruit trees, etc.; a number of useful iron, ornaments, cooking utensils, and sundries too numerous to mention, scales and weights, steakyards, hams and bacon, etc., etc.

LONDONERS EXPOSED. Terms at Sale. W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Auctioneer, Beaufort.

NOTICE. I WISH to intimate to customers that, until further notice, I am prepared to deliver FISH at Beaufort, Waterloo, and surrounding district every Thursday and Friday at 4d. per lb. L. O. ELLS.

CHARLES GREGORY WISHES to inform the Residents of Beaufort and district that he has opened an OYSTER SALOON in Havelock street, Beaufort, in the shop recently occupied by Mr. Hall, draper.

All kinds of FRESH FISH kept on hand, and retailed at Reasonable Rates. The public are invited to call in, and give him a trial.

Hot Pies and Coffee. BALLARAT WOOL SALES. Everingham, Greenfield, & Co

Dr. Duncan, of Albury, was recently arrested at the North Melbourne railway station in mistake for a criminal. The doctor means to make the Victorian detectives pay for the little blunder. Action for damages initiated.

Observations made at the Melbourne Observatory indicate wet and stormy weather up to the end of December.

An Aberdeen writer has aptly remarked:—Take a company of boys chasing butterflies, put long-tailed coats on the boys, and turn the butterflies into half-crowns and you have a fine panorama of the world.

A man was tried some time back for stealing several clocks. The defence set up by the learned gentleman who appeared for him was this—that after the prisoner had taken the clocks to his own home "he put 'em all back!" The jury didn't acquit him.

A schoolboy, reading that "General Hancock was always coolest when on the point of attack," exclaimed, "He must be a queer fellow. I never saw a chap that was coolest when he was on the point of a tack."

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Charlton Hotel and Store, FREEHOLD LAND, Horses, Cattle, Household Furniture, etc.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS, instructed by Mr. Hutton, will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the forenoon, the CHARLTON HOTEL AND STORE, containing bar, bar parlour, dining room, sitting room, parlor, 5 bedrooms, kitchen and billiard room; together with stable, barn, sheep pens, pigsties, and all other necessary outbuildings, erected on 1a 2r freehold land, or thereabouts, securely fenced, and planted with a garden with fruit trees, etc.; a number of useful iron, ornaments, cooking utensils, and sundries too numerous to mention, scales and weights, steakyards, hams and bacon, etc., etc.

LONDONERS EXPOSED. Terms at Sale. W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Auctioneer, Beaufort.

NOTICE. I WISH to intimate to customers that, until further notice, I am prepared to deliver FISH at Beaufort, Waterloo, and surrounding district every Thursday and Friday at 4d. per lb. L. O. ELLS.

CHARLES GREGORY WISHES to inform the Residents of Beaufort and district that he has opened an OYSTER SALOON in Havelock street, Beaufort, in the shop recently occupied by Mr. Hall, draper.

All kinds of FRESH FISH kept on hand, and retailed at Reasonable Rates. The public are invited to call in, and give him a trial.

Hot Pies and Coffee. BALLARAT WOOL SALES. Everingham, Greenfield, & Co

WILL hold SALES OF WOOL and SHEEP-SKINS every ALTERNATE THURSDAY during the season, at their new

Wool and Grain Stores, DOVETON STREET.

The increasing demand yearly for wool for local manufacture renders the Ballarat market second to none in the colony, and we have no hesitation in saying that small clips and steepskins have a decided advantage in being offered here.

Valuations carefully made prior to sale, and lots not fetching owner's reserve can be sent to Melbourne or Geelong markets or shipped to London on owner's account, with no further expense than that incurred for labor and out of store.

Bicycles. Bicycles.

MR. W. C. THOMAS, jun., having obtained the Beaufort Agency for the Singer Bicycle can supply Machines of this make of any number of approved patterns, at MELBOURNE PRICES.

HOPPER'S MILK PUNCH GENUINE OLD ENGLISH ELIXIR VITAE

Can be obtained at Smith's Golden Age Hotel, Beaufort, and the Manufactory, Snake Valley, Caranghan.

JOSEPH FRUSHER, BUTCHER.

DEGS to inform the residents of Beaufort and district that he has commenced business in the newly-erected and commodious premises at the corner of Lawrence and Willoughby streets, Beaufort, and trusts to merit a share of public patronage.

All descriptions of meat of first-class quality at Cheap Rates. SMALL GOODS, choice and varied, always kept on hand.

WOOL. WOOL. WOOL.

George Synnot and Co., GEELONG, WOOL BROKERS, HIDE, SKIN, AND TALLOW SALESMEN, STOCK AND STATION AGENTS.

Are prepared to make Liberal Cash Advances on Wool Sent to them for Sale in the Colony, or shipment to the London Market.

SALES BY AUCTION every TUESDAY and THURSDAY for Wool and on WEDNESDAY'S for Skins, Hides, Tallow, and other produce. They act as selling or shipping brokers only, and consignments, whether in large or small lots, carefully valued, and have prompt personal attention.

CHARGES—The lowest ruling in the Colony. Consignments from any Railway Stations in the Colony will be at once attended to. On Sale—Woolpacks, Fencing Wire, and all Station Stores. Agents for Messrs. Bargon and Ball's celebrated Sheep Shears.

Geelong Wool Sales.

GEORGE HAGUE & CO. WILL hold SALES OF WOOL every TUESDAY during the season.

Special notice with the rapid increase in their business they have made extensive additions and improvements to their warehouses, which are unsurpassed in Geelong for the storage and display of wool. EVERY LOT, no matter how small, is carefully examined prior to sale, and protected up to full market value.

They act strictly as SELLING BROKERS only, which is a further guarantee that all consignments will be placed at utmost market value. CASH ADVANCES made on the ensuing clip. CHARGES—The lowest ruling in the colony, and growers will find they effect a SAVING OF SEVEN SHILLINGS PER BALE by selling at Geelong instead of Melbourne.

ACCOUNT SALES and PROCEEDS forwarded invariably three days after sale. WOOLPACKS and Station Stores supplied at lowest market rates. Only One Shilling per Bale charged for receiving, weighing, warehousing, and delivering is woolenoluted for shipment to the London market.

Special arrangements have been made with Permain, Wright, and Co., and Broadbeat Brothers and Co., to receive and forward wool from all railway stations in the colony to our stores. GEORGE HAGUE & CO. Wool Brokers.



IMPORTANT SALE OF Furniture and Furnishings.

Separate warehouses have been provided for the Sale of Sheepskins, Hides, Tallow, and other station produce.

Special arrangements have been made with Permain, Wright, and Co., and Broadbeat Brothers and Co., to receive and forward wool from all railway stations in the colony to our stores.

GEORGE HAGUE & CO. Wool Brokers.

DOG to announce that they have purchased the Entire Stock, amounting to about 12,000 worth, of Carpets, Floorcloths, Linoleums, Furniture, Drawingroom Suites, Diningroom Suites; Library Suites, Bedsteads, Bedding, Pictures, Clocks, Bronzes, Works of Art, Vases, &c., &c., in stock and to arrive, from B. Isaacs and Co.

The above goods are now being sold at Greatly Reduced Prices, as C. W. & T. require the premises for a Clothing and Carpet Warehouse.

Terms—Strictly Cash. Hours of Business, 9 to 6; Saturdays, 9 to 1.

The two businesses will in future be carried on by CRAIG, WILLIAMSON, and THOMAS, at Nos. 6, 14, and 16 Elizabeth street, Melbourne, where all goods are sold at Actual Wholesale Prices in Retail and Family Parcels. Note the Address: Nos. 14 and 16 Elizabeth street, MELBOURNE.

For Silks, Satins, Dress Materials, Prints, Statures, Millinery, Hats and Bonnets, Mantles, Costumes, Dust Coats, Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Underclothing, Umbrellas, Parasols, Haberdashery Goods, Youths', and Boys' Hats and Shirts, Scarfs, etc.; Manchester Goods, such as Calicoes, Sheetings, Bed and Table Linen; Blankets, Flannel, Towels and Towelling, Lace and other Curtains, Cottonones, and every other article requisite for a Wholesale and Family Drapery Trade.

After the sale of furniture at the Warehouse, No. 6 Elizabeth street, the following will be kept on the premises:—Woolens, Clothing (ready-made and to measure), Gentlemen's Outfits; also Furnishings Goods of every description; Carpets, Floorcloths, Linoleums, etc., etc. Terms Strictly Cash. Hours of Business, 9 to 6; Saturday, 1 o'clock.

CRAIG, WILLIAMSON, & THOMAS, 6, 14, and 16 Elizabeth street, MELBOURNE.

Venetian Blinds Made to Order.

Painting, Glazing, Paperhanging in Town or Country.

JUST OPENED OUT! THE FIRST LARGE INSTALMENT

OF New and Fashionable Drapery Goods and Latest Novelties For the coming SUMMER SEASON. !! Ex Loch Garry, from Glasgow. !!

WOTHERSPOON BROS. AND CO. BEG to notify the arrival of their FIRST SHIPMENTS of NEW DRAPERY GOODS and LATEST NOVELTIES, purchased direct from the best Home Manufacturers for cash, and have every confidence in soliciting inspection. As there are no intermediate profits on these goods they will be found all 20 per cent. under retail prices generally.

We shall also show a Large and Varied Selection of Men's, Boys', and Youths' Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Boots and Shoes, etc., embracing all the New Styles for the Season.

MOORE AND CO.

DEGS to announce that they have received their SPRING & SUMMER STOCK,

And that they now have a GOOD and WELL-ASSORTED LOT of Prints, Hats, Sateens, Muslins, etc., etc.

The Usual Stock of FAMILY REQUISITES is also REPLENISHED.

Our GROCERY STOCK is COMPLETE, and Every Article will be found of GOOD QUALITY.

A FULL STOCK of SOFTWOOD, DOORS, SASHES, MOULDINGS, etc. is always on hand.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES: 12, 14, 16 Eastern Arcade, Melbourne, and 161 King street, Sydney.

Madame Weigel's Paper Patterns OF Dresses, Mantles, etc., cut in different sizes for Ladies and Children, accompanied by directions and illustrations for making up. Sold at prices ranging from 6d. to 2s.

Newest Styles appear monthly in Weigel's Journal of Fashions, Price 7d., by post 8d., or 6s. per annum, payable in advance. Catalogue of Fashions, 3d. Sole Agents for Beaufort: MOORE and CO.

To Let, On Sale A COTTAGE and STABLES. Apply to H. P. HENNINGSEN.

"The Evening Mail" TO be published in Melbourne on the 17th inst. at a Halfpenny per copy, or Three pence per week, will contain all the Latest News—European Cable Messages, Intercolonial Telegraphic Intelligence as well as Colonial and Political information, as also Sporting and Theatrical News; and will be no Party journal, but its politics will be to further the advancement of Victoria.

Interested subscribers please apply to H. P. HENNINGSEN, Agent. Beaufort, October 7th, 1881.

H. KROEGER, VICTORIA PARADE HOTEL, Corner of Victoria Parade and Napier Street, FITZROY.

FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATION. Also, Wines, and Spirits of the best quality & brands Baths, Billiards.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS, AUCTIONEER, King street, Beaufort, and Queen street, Ararat.

Estate and Financial Agent, Arbitrator and Valuer, Wool, Grain, and Money Broker. Estates managed for Absentees and Others. Correspondent and Valuer for the Ballarat Banking Company, Limited.

Agent for the Victoria Fire and LI Insurance Companies. Agent for the Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria, Limited. Houses and Land bought or sold. Rents and Debts collected. Trust and Agency Business of all kinds attended to. Attend at Beaufort on Mondays and Saturdays, or any other day by appointment.

Note the Address: W. EDWARD NICKOLS, AUCTIONEER, BEAUFORT.

WOOL AND GRAIN. THE NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (Limited). Capital, £3,000,000.

NOTIFY that their arrangements are now complete for the reception of Grain for Sale in Melbourne or Shipment to London.

Commission on all sales of grain in this market will be 2 1/2 per cent., including guarantee.

Liberal Cash Advances made on receipt of produce, or at the principal railway stations, if required. DAVID ELDER, Manager.

I. YOUNGHOUSEBAND, Wool and Produce Manager. MELBOURNE WOOL AND GRAIN WAREHOUSES. Established 1860.

WILLIAM BAKER, BUILDER, CARPENTER, CABINET MAKER, & UNDERTAKER. Has on Sale—PAPERHANGINGS, PERAMBULATORS, CRADLES, BASKETS.

BEDSTEADS, (Wood and Iron CHAIRS, TABLES, SOFAS, ETC., ETC., At Less than Ballarat Prices.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS. Venetian Blinds Made to Order.

Painting, Glazing, Paperhanging in Town or Country.

JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD,

CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOBY STREETS—

American shelving boards. Do lumber do. 6 x 1 ft & 6 Scotch flooring. 8 x 2 do do lining. 8 x 4 do do flooring. American and Baltic deals, all sizes. 4-out pine weatherboards. 6 do do. American clear pine 3/4 in., 1 in., 1 1/4 in., cedar, wide and narrow. Clear table legs, all sizes. French casements, doors, sashes. Mouldings, architraves, skirting. Broad palings and shingles. Stock of all sizes of hardwood always on hand. Also, GEELONG LIME.

NEXT TO POLICE STATION. VICTORIA INSURANCE COMPANY Limited. United Capital: £1,000,000. HON. H. MILLER, CHAIRMAN.

FIRE, MARINE, LIFE, and GUARANTEE DEPOSITS RECEIVED at INTERES. Offices—Market-street, Melbourne.

JOSEPH COLLIE, Secretary Agent for Beaufort—W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Agent for Chapestove—THOS. TINDALL.

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WHAT in consequence of my Tailoring Business I having increased beyond my expectations, I am determined to S

**CURE FOR ERYSIPELAS.**

**SANDER AND SON'S EUCALYPTUS GLOBULUS.**  
Editorial in the American Medical Journal, January, 1881; Editor, Geo. C. Pitzer, M.D., Professor of the Theory and Practice of Medicine in the American Medical College.

On Thursday evening, November 18, 1880, I was called to see Mrs. Newton, age 30, of previous good health, and now nursing a babe six weeks old. Upon approaching the patient, I observed that her face had been painted with tincture of iodine, and was very much swollen. Upon inquiry, I learned that the woman had been sick since Saturday of November 13th, gradually growing worse daily, and that for three days the erysipelatous swelling and inflammation referred to had been making its appearance and spreading. No doctor had been called. The iodine had been applied at her own suggestion. She has now a low grade of fever; the tongue is dry, sore on the teeth, breath offensive, pulse frequent and feeble, bowels loose, and the patient delirious nearly all the time. One eye is entirely closed by the swelling, and the other nearly so.

Having observed so frequently the past season, the favorable results following the use of Eucalyptus in typho-malarial, typhoid, and other fevers where a septic condition was manifest, I determined to test it in this case, and prescribed:—R. Eucalypti Extract, ounce; Syr. simplex, ʒi ounces; Water, ʒi ounces. One teaspoonful every hour. Nothing else except plenty of water to drink. No local applications.

Friday, Nov. 19, 9 p.m.—The patient has been restless, and the bowels are still loose. Pulse not quite so frequent, tongue not quite so dry, swelling going out of the face, and better of the delirium. Continue same treatment.

Saturday, Nov. 20, 2.30 p.m.—I find the patient much improved. She has but little fever, tongue moist, sores all gone from teeth, bowels quiet, swelling rapidly leaving the face, and is rational all the time. Continue same treatment: only give a dose of the medicine every two hours.

Sunday, November 21, 3 p.m.—I find the patient sitting up by the fire. No fever, bowels quiet, swelling nearly all gone from face, tongue moist, appetite returning, feels quite well, only very weak.

We certainly have in Sander and Son's Eucalypti Extract one of the best therapeutical agents that has ever been discovered. It is the best remedy we have in low fevers, where sepsis is a prominent element. We find place for it in the treatment of typho-malarial and typhoid fevers; in erysipelas, diphtheria, scarlet fever, small pox; and wherever a soothing tonic and powerful antiseptic is needed. It is not to be regarded as an antiseptic in the same sense that we apply this term to bichloride of potash and carbolic acid; but it effectually retards the disintegration of the animal fluids and tissues in the class of diseases above mentioned, which might result in a general breaking up of the blood, and eventually in death.

**GARDENING FOR NOVEMBER.**

**KITCHEN GARDEN.**—Beds of rhubarb and sea-kale that have been forced should be cleaned off. Cease cutting asparagus, or you will weaken the roots. Attend to cucumbers and melons; if any have missed, sow again. Stop leading shoots of cabbages, to induce laterals. If tomatoes are not planted against a wall or fence, they should be tied up to strong sticks and pruned moderately, or fruit will be small and few. This is the time for preventing a great deal of pruning in winter. Use the finger and thumb judiciously in disbudding and stopping fruit trees; thin the fruit where thick; increased size and superior flavor will be the result. Vines will require frequent attention as regards training, tying, and thinning shoots.

**FLOWER GARDEN.**—Hybrid perpetual roses should have their shoots pruned back immediately if they have bloomed. Newly-planted shrubs or plants suffering from hot sunshine should be protected by boughs of tea-tree or wattle. Empty cases, with both ends knocked out, make very good shelters, although rather unsightly. At close of month budding may be proceeded with. Flower seeds can still be sown, although with greater risk of their well-doing than if sown earlier.

Holloway's Pills are the medicine most in repute for curing the multifarious maladies which beset mankind when dry sultry weather suddenly gives place to chilly, drenching days. In fact, these pills offer relief, even if they fail of proving an absolute remedy, in all the disturbances of digestion, circulation, and nervous tone which occasionally oppress a vast portion of the population. Under the general, purifying, and strengthening powers exerted by this excellent medicine, the tongue becomes clean, the appetite improves, digestion is quickened, and assimilation is rendered perfect. These Pills possess the highly estimable property of cleansing the entire mass of blood, which, in its renovated condition, carries purity, strength, and vigor to every tissue of the body.

A couple of young men went out fishing the other day, and, on returning, were going past a farmhouse and felt hungry. They shouted to the farmer's daughters, "Girls, have you any butter-milk?" The reply was gently waived back to their ears, "Yes; but we keep it for our own calves."

Sovereigns and half-sovereigns are estimated to wear for about eighteen years.

**CAUTION.**—In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature—rain, wind, and sunshine often intermingled in a single day—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of BOSCHER'S GERMAN SYRUP kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness; a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. GERMAN SYRUP is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles, for trial, 9d.; regular size, 4s. Wholesale Agents: **ROCKE, TOMPSITT, and Co.**, Melbourne.

**OXYGEN IS LIFE.**—Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne Multitudes of people are hopelessly suffering from Debility, Nervous and Liver Complaints, Depression of Spirits, Hypochondria, Timidity, Indigestion, Failure of Hearing, Sight, and Memory, Lassitude, Want of Power, &c., whose cases admit of a permanent cure by the new remedy Phosphodyne (Ozone Oxygen), which at once allays all irritation and excitement, imparts new energy and life to the enfeebled constitution, and rapidly cures every stage of those bilious and incurable and distressing maladies. Sold by all chemists and druggists throughout the globe. **CAUTION.**—Phosphodyne is sometimes sold in the form of Pills and Lozenges; it should be generally known that every form where solid particles of Phosphodyne are in combination is dangerous. It is therefore necessary that the public should be cautioned against the use of any form of Phosphodyne not perfectly soluble in water.

**VALUABLE DISCOVERY FOR THE HAIR.**—If your hair is turning grey or white, or falling off, use "The Mexican Hair Restorer," for it will positively restore in every case Grey 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 Restorer," sold by Chemists and Perfumers everywhere at 2s. 6d. per bottle. Wholesale depot removed to 33, FARRINGTON ROAD, LONDON.

**THROAT AFFECTIONS AND HOARSENESS.**—All suffering from irritation of the throat and hoarseness will be agreeably surprised at the almost immediate relief afforded by the use of "Brown's Bronchial Trochæ." These famous "lozenges" are now sold by respectable chemists in this country at 1s. 1 1/2d. per box. People troubled with a "hacking cough," a "slight cold," or bronchial affections, cannot try them too soon, as similar troubles, if allowed to progress, result in serious Pulmonary and Asthmatic affections. See that the words "Brown's Bronchial Trochæ" are on the Government Stamp around each box—Prepared by John I. Brown & Sons, Boston, U.S. European depot, removed to 33, FARRINGTON ROAD, LONDON.

**FREE GIFTS.**—The proprietors of WOLFE'S SCHIEDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS, to induce the destruction and prevent the improper use of their wrappers and labels, and thus further protect the Public against fraud and deception, have inclosed in the wrappers or under the label on the quart bottles, since 1st October, 1878, and continue to inclose in EVERY DAY'S PACKING THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, THREE £1 ORDERS, which are drawn upon the undersigned, and which will be cashed by them on presentation. To secure these Gifts, the Public must be careful to ask for, and accept nothing but the GENUINE UDOLEHO WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS, with our name upon the top label, M. MOSS & Co., Wynyard Lane, Sydney.

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**Beaufort Post Office.**

TIME TABLE, 1881.

Post Town.	Mails arrive at Beaufort.	Mails close at Beaufort.
Melbourne...	6 a.m. 12.10 p.m. 10 p.m.	8.45 a.m. 5 p.m.
Geelong...	...	...
Ballarat...	...	...
Traralgon...	...	...
Chute...	...	...
Waterloo...	...	...
Main Lead...	...	...
Sailor's Gully...	...	...
Stockyard Hill...	...	...
Araucan...	9.31 a.m. 5.20 p.m.	11.45 a.m. 9.20 p.m.
Buamgor...	...	...
Buramberg...	4.30 p.m.	1 p.m.
Shirley...	...	...

The mails for Ararat, Melbourne, Ballarat, Geelong, Buamgor, and Traralgon are despatched twice daily. Mails for Waterloo are despatched daily. Mails for Shirley, and Buramberg are despatched three times a week—Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Mails for Main Lead, Raglan, and Chute are despatched three times a week—Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Mails for Stockyard Hill and Sailor's Gully (a loose bag to Lake Goldsmith) are despatched three times a week—Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

**Victorian Railways.**

TIME TABLE FROM MELBOURNE TO STAWELL.

LEAVE Melbourne 6.30 a.m.	11.10 a.m.	4.10 p.m.	7 p.m.
ARRIVE Geelong 8.30 a.m.	12.07 a.m.	6.15 p.m.	9.30 p.m.
ARRIVE Geelong 8.30 a.m.	1.12 a.m.	6.30 p.m.	8.40 p.m.
ARRIVE Ballarat 10.35 a.m.	3.20 a.m.	9 p.m.	10.20 p.m.
LEAVE Ballarat 10.35 a.m.	10.50 a.m.	10.55 p.m.	...
LEAVE Ballarat 11.15 a.m.	11.15 a.m.	4.33 p.m.	...
Burrumbidgee 6.40 a.m.	11.45 a.m.	5.25 p.m.	...
Beaufort 7.30 a.m.	12.4 a.m.	6.25 p.m.	...
Buamgor 8.25 a.m.	12.40 a.m.	6.7 p.m.	...
ARRIVE Ararat 10.31 a.m.	1.16 p.m.	6.59 a.m.	...
LEAVE Ararat 9.20 a.m.	1.31 a.m.	7.1 a.m.	...
ARRIVE Stawell 10.20 a.m.	2.22 p.m.	7.55 a.m.	...

FROM STAWELL TO MELBOURNE.

LEAVE Stawell 6.45 a.m.	10.45 a.m.	3.5 p.m.	...
ARRIVE Ararat 7.30 a.m.	11.45 p.m.	4.30 p.m.	...
LEAVE Ararat 7.40 a.m.	11.55 p.m.	4.40 p.m.	...
Buamgor 8.55 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	4.45 p.m.	...
Beaufort 9.2 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.25 p.m.	...
Burrumbidgee 9.43 a.m.	2.16 p.m.	6.7 p.m.	...
ARRIVE Ballarat 10.31 a.m.	3 p.m.	6.45 p.m.	...
LEAVE Ballarat 9.30 a.m.	11.30 a.m.	6.35 p.m.	7.10 p.m.
ARRIVE Geelong 8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	6.5 p.m.	9.13 p.m.
LEAVE Geelong 5.50 a.m.	8.45 a.m.	1.54 a.m.	6.30 a.m.
ARRIVE Melbourne 9 a.m.	10.30 a.m.	3.41 a.m.	...

FROM ARARAT TO HAMILTON AND PORTLAND

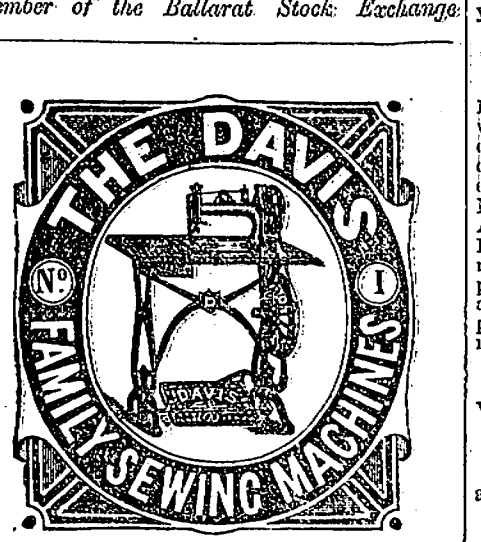
ARRIVE Ararat 1.50 p.m.	...	...	...
LEAVE Ararat 1.50 p.m.	...	...	...
Widfield Road 2.51 p.m.	...	...	...
Glen Thompson 3.25 p.m.	...	...	...
LEAVE Glen Thompson 3.50 p.m.	...	...	...
ARRIVE At Dunkeld 4 p.m.	...	...	...
Hamilton 4.50 p.m.	...	...	...
LEAVE Hamilton 5.5 p.m.	...	...	...
ARRIVE At Portland 7.20 p.m.	...	...	...
FROM PORTLAND AND HAMILTON TO ARARAT	...	...	...
LEAVE Portland 10.15 a.m.	...	...	...
ARRIVE At Hamilton 12.35 p.m.	...	...	...
LEAVE Hamilton 12.47 a.m.	...	...	...
ARRIVE At Ararat 3.51 p.m.	...	...	...
LEAVE Ararat 4.9 p.m.	...	...	...
ARRIVE At Melbourne 11.15 p.m.	...	...	...

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Beaufort to	First-class	Second-class
Traralgon	1s 0d	0s 9d
Burrumbidgee	2s 6d	1s 9d
Widfield Road	3s 6d	2s 6d
Ballarat	5s 0d	3s 0d
Geelong	14s 0d	9s 0d
Melbourne	21s 0d	13s 0d

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Opposite Exhibition Mart, Main Road, Ballarat.  
Watches and Clocks of every description repaired. Also a Choice Selection of First-class Watches—in English, Geneva, and Waltham—always on hand.  
Mr. GEORGE ISON, Agent for Beaufort.

**J. W. HARRIS, MINING AGENT AND SHARE BROKER.**  
BEAUFORT.  
Member of the Ballarat Stock Exchange.



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Only First Prize. Adelaide Exhibition, 1881. Importers: HENRY BISHOP & CO., 79 BOURKE STREET EAST, MELBOURNE. (Next to the Theatre Royal). Local Agents Wanted.

**HOOD'S PHOSPHORUS PILLS.** A Certain Remedy for Nervous Debility—either special or general. To avoid disappointment, ask for Hood's Phosphorus Pills, and insist upon having them genuine. PRICE—2/6 and 5/-.  
HOOD & CO.'S CORN SOLVENT. A Certain Cure for Hard or Soft Corns. PRICE—2/6 a Bottle.

WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS, OILS, ANALINE COLORS, and DRY SALTS, 145, ELIZABETH STREET. AWARDED MELBOURNE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1880-1.

**YOUNG VANQUISHER.** Will stand this Season at his Owner's Farm, Middle Creek.

He is by VANQUISHER, the imported pure Clydesdale entire horse, and has taken important prizes at Ballarat, Stawell, and Melbourne. Vanquisher's sire was the celebrated Champion, the property of Mr. Muir, of Loch Fergus. Champion took first prize at the King'sburgh when two years old, and the 250 prize given by Messrs. Scott and Co. at the same place; first prize at Strathairn, 1877; also first prize at Dunfermline, in 1878. Champion is by Salmon's Champion, who gained first prize at the Highland Society, Glasgow, Shetland, and other places, and his sire is brother to Prince Charlie and the famous Victor.

**YOUNG SCOTCHMAN.** Will stand at Traralgon this season, and travel the Surrounding District. YOUNG SCOTCHMAN is a steel grey horse, rising 7 years old, of a fine build, and of a good temper, kind temper, a splendid worker, and has proved himself to be a sure foot-getter.

Young Scotchman is by Old Scotchman, champion of the colonies (imported by As Rowan, Esq., of Kyneton), winner of two first prizes at Grand National, New Zealand, and again in Melbourne. Scotchman has never been beaten, either at home or in the colonies, and is a sire of high price animals stands as yet unbeaten. He is also sire of a great number of entire horses in the colony. Young Scotchman's dam is Mrs. Esell's brood mare Jose, dam Old Dunrobin, grand-dame Newpittan, great-grand-dame Sir William Wallace (imported). Terms: £2 10s. each mare, to be paid at the end of the season. Good paddocks, with plenty of water provided, for which 5s. extra will be charged. All sort of care will be taken, but no responsibility incurred. THOMAS JESS, Proprietor, Middle Creek.

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**WONDERFUL CURE OF NEURALGIA.** Royal George Hotel, Ballarat, 10th May, 1880.  
To Professor Scott, Craig's hotel.—Dear Sir,—I have been a great sufferer from neuralgia for some time past, and I used some of your wonderful medicine "THE MAGIC BALM" last night which gave me instant relief, and I am very happy to say, I have not felt any pain whatever since the application. I am a firm believer in "THE MAGIC BALM" and can, with confidence, recommend it to all who suffer with neuralgia, as I am sure they will receive great benefit from its use, as I have already done. You may use this letter in any way to your advantage you may think proper. I am, dear Sir, yours respectfully, G. W. ROOSEVELT, U.S. Consul.

**WONDERFUL CURE OF TOOTHACHE.** [Signed] H. TRUENING.  
Grahamstown, N.Z., July 26th, 1878.  
I hereby certify that I have been suffering terribly with my teeth for several years past and had tried all known remedies, within my reach, all of which failed to give me any relief whatever; two months ago, while working in a mine, my teeth ached so much that I was compelled to knock off work. I was advised to call and see Professor Scott (who was then visiting Grahamstown introducing his "Magic Balm.") I found that gentleman at his hotel, stated my case, and he immediately applied the wonderful medicine, which gave instant relief, and, from that time to the present, I have felt no pain whatever, and can eat any meals with the greatest ease. I can safely recommend Professor Scott's "Magic Balm" to all who suffer with their teeth.

Signed:—WALTER WHITE, Miner. Witness:—W. FRASER, Resident Magistrate C. CURTIS, M. L. A., Pacific Hotel.  
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**Important Announcement.**

**A. CRAWFORD**  
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A DISCOUNT of 2d in the shilling (equal to 17 per cent.), or, in other words, 3s 4d in the pound, WILL BE ALLOWED ON ALL CASH PURCHASES on and after Saturday, 8th October, 1881. Thus a customer purchasing goods to the amount of £5 will receive a discount of £1.

On or about the 20th January the annual stocktaking will take place, when the stock will be revised, and re-marked at purely wholesale prices, when a further saving of from 7 1/2 to 10 per cent. will be effected by cash buyers—thereby making a total saving of from 25 to 30 per cent. By that time the first direct importations will have arrived from England, Scotch, and Continental markets, and continuous shipments are arranged for in the future of all kinds of softgoods and furnishings suitable for the Ballarat market; thus bringing the public closer to manufacturer, and saving the enormous profits of Melbourne wholesale houses.

The immense success that has attended all establishments of a similar kind in Europe and the colonies, which have fully carried out the cash principle at wholesale prices, proves that the public are now alive to the great advantage of the system.

It is needless to point out that any purely retail establishment, however well it may be managed under the ordinary credit system, is attained with an immense expense and loss by exposure of goods outside and in the windows; also by the necessity of keeping an expensive staff of clerks, and having large sums of money constantly locked up in book debts, the whole of which has to be provided for out of the profits by those who pay—A TAX WHICH THE CASH BUYER HAS NO RIGHT TO BE BURDENED WITH. The time has now arrived that Ballarat is in a position to support an establishment of the kind; the population is ample, and the distribution of wealth is such that cash buyers have a right to be considered, and an inducement of a sufficiently solid kind offered to those who can pay, to do so at once, instead of having their goods entered.

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COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

There was a poor supply of produce in the market on Thursday, and a fair demand. The following are our quotations:—Barley, English, 3s 3d to 3s 6d; Cape barley, 2s 9d to 3s; wheat, 5s 1d to 5s 3d; oats, 3s 3d to 3s 9d; sheaves, L2 to L2 7s 9d; mungers hay, L3 to L3 15s; potatoes, L2 7s 6d; straw, 2s 6 to 3s 7s; peas, 4s 5d; ryegrass, 5s to 6s; bran, 1s 1 1/2d; pollard, 1s 4d; bonedust, L6 10s; flour, L11.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

Although little is now being done in the breadstuffs market, sales of wheat being restricted, there has been a good deal of animation in some other lines, oats particularly having firmed considerably. A few sales of flour have been made at L11 per ton, the market maintaining a firm tone at that price, and milling wheat would realise our quotation of 4s 10d per bushel. In the various up country districts there is no change to record, the parcels being brought in realising last week's figures. At Landsborough wheat fetches 5s 2d to 5s 4d, and flour L11 per ton. In the Melbourne markets breadstuffs maintained a firm tone and parcels have been sold at L11 to L11 2s 6d. Wheat is strong at 5s 5d to 5s 6d. In this district, owing to the short delivery of oats, 3s 9d is now ruling for all prime samples. Hay, too, has been supplied scarcely up to wants and trusted new commands L3 per ton. There is still a good demand for pollard and bran and but little immediate prospect of prices easing. Potatoes have been fairly supplied from Warrambrook, those coming in selling at from L3 9s to L4 per ton. Ballarat varieties have, however, had less business and have receded to L3 5s per ton. In dairy produce there is little change to note. Fresh butter is not so liberally supplied as of late, and has advanced to 7d; good potted is wanted at 6d, and eggs are becoming scarce at 8d. We quote:—Wheat, 4s 10d; oats, 3s 9d; pollard, 1s 6d; bran, 1s 2d; Cape barley, none; maize, none; flour, L11 to L11 10s; potatoes, L3 9s to L4; Ballarat, L3 5s 6d; fresh butter, 7d; potted butter, 6d; hams, 10d; bacon, 8d; cheese, 5d to 6d; eggs, 8d; hay, sheaves, 5s; trussed, 60s; straw, 20s; chaff, 3s 9d; onions, none; carrots, none; peas, 4s; rye, 4s; English barley, 4s 6d.—Advertiser.

GEELONG WOOL AND STATION PRODUCE REPORT.

Wednesday. MESSRS. GEORGE HAYES and Co. report:—Wool.—We held our usual wool sale to-day, when we submitted a catalogue of 1010 bales. There was a very large attendance of buyers present, and biddings throughout the sale were exceedingly animated. We noticed there was a decided improvement in the demand for superior light-conditioned greasy fine crossbreds suitable for America, and competition for all lots of this description was very keen; while, on the other hand, merino sorts were hardly so firm, and a decidedly easier tone was perceptible in the demand for all the coarser grades of crossbred and faulty and inferior merinos. Sheepskins.—We had an extra large supply to-day, consisting principally of full-wooled skins. There was a good attendance of buyers present, and firm prices ruled for all descriptions. Hides.—There is a strong demand for hides, and all lots of this class met with keen competition. Light and medium sorts were not in so much request.

MESSRS. GEORGE SYMONS and Co. report:—Wool.—Owing to the recent heavy rains, shearing operations have been delayed, and in many instances entirely stopped, so that many good clips which we expected did not come to hand. The usual complement of buyers was present, and through the sales biddings were conducted with great spirit, and much better than we had anticipated. The firm feeling for good crossbred wools has been maintained in full, and a better demand was manifested for merino wools at today's sale.

"Distribution of dynamite by Fenians," roared out a newspaper boy, offering an evening paper to a surly-looking Briton. "Distribution of dynamite by Fenians." "What's the good of that?" responded the customer; "if it had been distribution of Fenians by dynamite, I'd have bought the lot."

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—Insufficient clothing and exposure to damp and cold produce many diseases of the skin, and greatly aggravate the sufferings of the delicate and scrofulous. The utmost relief is obtainable in such cases by using Holloway's remedies. The Ointment applied to the part affected restrains all insidious inflammation, while it soothes, cleans, and renders healthy any ulcers or sores, which have destroyed the skin, which show little disposition to heal. This Ointment purifies the blood, renders the local circulation vigorous, and represses excessive irritation. Holloway's Pills are particularly serviceable in all strumous disorders, because they strengthen the stomach, improve the digestion, excite a proper action in the liver, and act as alteratives and aperients.

An Ebuca servant girl is suffering from a strange hallucination. She recently walked to Rochester police station and lodged a complaint that a constable who had kept company with her refused to marry her, and another illegally detained 250 of her money.

Scarcity of Money.—There is no doubt notwithstanding the partial survival of confidence the condition of all kinds of business and industry is much depressed, and it behooves every family to look carefully to their expenses. Winter is coming on, when children are liable to Croup, Whooping Cough, etc., Coughs and Colds will prevail everywhere, and Consumption, with other throat and lung diseases, will carry off many. These diseases should not be neglected. Doctors' bills are expensive, and we would advise our people to use BOSCHER'S GERMAN SYRUP. It never fails. One bottle will keep your whole family well during the winter. Two doses will relieve any case. Sold in all towns in the Australian colonies, and by your druggist. Samples to try, 9d. Wholesale Agents: ROCKE, TOMPKINS, and Co., Melbourne.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AND NEWS PAPERS.

Andrews, Thos.; Austin, Mr.; Armstrong, Mrs. Brierly, Mr.; Boyd, Mr. Callahan, M. Edwards, W.; Ellis, Thos. Hastings, W.; Hobson, E.; Howes, S. H. McIntosh, W. H. and N.; M'Hatton, A.; M'Killan, Mrs. Peddar, Miss A.; Fryke, Mrs. Roycroft, Eliza. Solomon, G.; Symons, C. C.; Spier, C.; Spence, Mrs. Wilson, John; Warner, Wm.; Westbrook, R. E. M. KILDAHL, Postmistress. Beaufort, 25th November, 1881.

Death.

BAIRD.—On the 25th instant, at Beaufort, John Baird, aged sixty-two years. The funeral will move from the sexton's residence at the Beaufort cemetery at 4 o'clock this day (Saturday).

**THE Riponshire Advocate.**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1881.

It is difficult at times to account for the morbid sympathy that springs up for those who, pre-eminently aware of the utter wrongfulness of their doings, are made to suffer for their complete disregard of the common principles of honesty, and scorn of the wide and direct application of the solemn warning "Thou shalt not steal." A case in point is engaging public attention in the metropolis just now owing to the Rev. Mr. Rentoul and the religious paper—the "Southern Cross"—having taken up the cudgels on behalf of the defaulting teller in the Bank of Victoria—Thorpe, who lately was sentenced to two years' imprisonment for having appropriated something over £2,000 of the bank's money. His defenders seek to make the directors of the bank real culprits, because they reduced Thorpe's salary, and after some twenty years' service he was not much better off than when he began. Admitting even that there are hard lines in the experience of the delinquent teller, we fail to see that there is any justification for his having robbed those that fed him and his. It must be borne in mind that Thorpe was still in receipt of a salary which would have enabled him to have brought up his family with comfort and respectability until the aid of money that he had not earthily right to. It is also proved that he was living outwardly in the semblance of a moral and religious tone of existence, but really in the living incarnation of a lie, because no one who had a grain of true religion about him would take that which did not belong to him. It is almost pitiable, we think, to find a minister and a newspaper supposed to be defenders of the faith, stand up in a cause of wrong-doing, and letting a sympathy, which is really the inheritance of the honest striver, run riot over a culprit from whom, considering the number of talents that he had, something better was to be expected. Take in imagination a parallel case, in which a bank clerk similarly situated to Thorpe, the same brunt of misfortune weighing upon him, but who strove on steadily and honestly—a brave man, who as the late President Garfield said, could look the devil in the face, and tell him he is a devil. Which of the twain deserves the sympathy of the unco guid? The latter surely. A correspondent of the "Argus," writing on the subject, says:—"Are there not in our land hundreds of families subjected to hardships, occupying and maintaining positions of trust, with narrow incomes—gentlemen who have merited at the hands of their employers better treatment than they have received, and amongst them not a few belonging to the same profession as Thorpe? These gentlemen, with trusts as important, money interests as great in their hands, and under their direct control, and who, unlike him, have never suffered degradation for disobeying instructions . . . would and do scorn the inference, that anything would justify them in misapplying any portion (however small) of these sacred trusts. . . . It is absolutely monstrous to say that a man with a salary of from £300 to £350 per annum, taking an active part in church and Sabbath school work, and professing the highest kind of morality, is in any degree excusable in calmly and deliberately devising and effecting a scheme of wholesale embezzlement and breach of trust, a piece of infamous rascality such as Thorpe was guilty of." The writer deplores the false position taken up by Mr. Rentoul and the "Southern Cross," and "the injurious effect their incalculable, though doubtless, well-meant plea, are calculated to produce on the minds of many," and we think he is right. Morbid sympathy and sickly sentimentality are not the food that religion pure and simple is likely to flourish upon—the principle of doing to others as you would be done by is in danger of falling into desuetude when pulpits and press take up a parable in favor of dishonesty and deception.

A meeting of the Beaufort Boat Club was held at the Golden Age Hotel on Wednesday evening last, when it was resolved to take the necessary steps to wind up the club, and dispose of the property. The sale of the property will take place on Saturday next, when Mr. W. E. Nickols, auctioneer, will submit it to public competition.

A public meeting on behalf of the British and Foreign Bible Society was held in the Beaufort Primitive Methodist Church on Tuesday evening last. The Rev. Mr. Howden, Congregational minister of Sydney, was the deputation, and a very efficient one he proved to be. The Rev. C. Harris presided in a satisfactory manner, and addresses full of stirring facts and figures were given by the Revs.—Howden and Joseph Walker. Regret was expressed that the Treasurer (Rev. A. Adam) was not present. Votes of thanks were accorded the chair, speakers, and the church choir, which gave some pleasing selection of music during the evening. The attendance was good, and a collection taken up at the close of the meeting amounted to £1 5s. 10d.

The weather during the past week has been unseasonable—cold showers of rain with occasional halos.

A meeting of the members of the Beaufort Cricket Club and others interested will be held at Scharp's Beaufort Hotel on Wednesday evening next. It is to be hoped there will be the best attendance that there was on the last occasion that a meeting was called.

At the Beaufort Police Court on Thursday, while defending the defendant in the case of the Board of Land and Works v. Joel Tompkins, for negligently allowing his cattle to wander on the railway line, Mr. Gaunt likened the Board to the persons who years ago in England, and at the present time in Melbourne and the suburbs, kept decoy pigeons for the purpose of luring strays into their dovecots. He said the Board held a railway reserve at Beaufort, surrounded by a common. There was a little bit of good grass in the reserve, and the Board left the gates open on all sides to decoy cattle into the reserve, and then took a criminal action against the owners for negligently allowing the cattle to enter the reserve. We are informed that the reply has not been heard of the case, as in last to a request from Mr. Gaunt, the chairman of the Bench signified his willingness to state a case for the Supreme Court.

It is intimated by a notice which appears in another column that persons found lighting fires or fishing at the Laugi Kal-Kal sheepwash dam will be prosecuted. Mr. Tindale, the manager, informs us that he has no objections to persons fishing at the dam so long as they leave the station property alone. On Saturday last a spring balance was stolen from the woolshed, and the fence near the dam has been chopped down in several places to furnish wood for the fires used by the persons fishing for eels at night.

A correspondent sends us an account of an exciting chase after, and ultimate capture of an "old man" kangaroo at Mount Cole by Miss Nellie M'Dowall, a young lady famed for her skilful horsemanship and fearless riding.

Constable Love had a narrow escape from being killed on Tuesday morning last. He was riding the horse he usually does when on duty and engaged in driving another from the Police paddock, when the horse was riding suddenly commenced bucking and succeeded in unseating Love. One of his feet hung in the stirrup, and he was dragged along the ground for some distance, the horse kicking viciously at him all the time. Fortunately for him he had shoes on, which were unlaced, and the shoe coming off freed him from the stirrup. Had his shoe been laced up probably he would have been killed. As it was he received some nasty bruises, but they were not so serious a nature as to cause him to neglect his duty.

Mr. J. W. Blamoy, the well-known legal manager, of Ballarat, disappeared during the latter part of last week. Defoliations in his accounts amounting to about £700 have been discovered. He has also left several of his friends in for a respectable amount. One tradesman, a resident of Beaufort, has been victimised to the extent of £134, and another £36. He was manager of the New Discovery Company and Homeward Bound Company, as also several others in Ballarat and Clunes. He was an ordained minister in connection with the Bible Christians, and subsequently travelled the colony as temperance lecturer to the Grand Lodge of Victoria. A warrant is to issue for his arrest.

The case of Minchin v. Cathie occupied the time of the Beaufort Police Court on Thursday for nearly an hour, owing to a long harangue made by complainant. The defendant, a lad nine years of age, was accused of throwing stones at complainant's house, thereby endangering the safety of himself and family then present. There is no doubt but that the stones were thrown, and as Mr. Alley remarked, a stone thrown by a boy even of such tender years might do a deal of harm. The complainant consulted a number of law books to prove that defendant was liable for his acts, which called forth the following remark from Mr. Gaunt, counsel for defendant:—"The study of obsolete law has affected Mr. Minchin's understanding." A deal of interest appeared to be taken in the case by a large crowd of the public present. Mr. Minchin contended that a boy of nine years of age could be hung for murder, whereupon Mr. Gaunt replied "Well, we'll hang my client, if that will please you." The result of the case will be found in our report, which appears in another column.

Men who ought to know say that the Board of Land and Works are liable to an action for negligence in leaving the gates of the railway reserve at Beaufort open (and we suppose it applies to other reserves), and thereby allowing cattle to stray on to the line to the danger of the travelling public.

The public are again reminded that on Thursday next a sale of gifts, tea meeting, and promenade concert will be held in the Beaufort Societies' Hall in connection with the Beaufort Church of England.

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The employees at Messrs. Whittan and Sons' Boot Factory, Ballarat, are on strike.

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We have been informed that it is the intention of the Railway Department to erect a semaphore near the gate at the top of the bank on the Ararat side of the Beaufort railway station. The object is to stop all trains from Ararat on top of the bank until the signal of "line clear" is given by means of an electric bell from the railway station. This is to be done with a view of preventing a recurrence of an accident similar to that which occurred here on the 26th of January last.

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The ordinary monthly meeting of the Riponshire Council will be held on Thursday next.

Tuesday's "Age," with all the circumstance of detail, reports the discovery of an alleged deficiency in the accounts of the Union Bank, implicating a responsible official to the extent of between £5000 and £6000. It appears there is not the slightest foundation for the report, and the metropolitan papers state that the bank authorities purpose taking legal proceedings against the "Age," damages being laid at £255,000.

The "Advertiser" states that Mr. W. E. Nickols submitted the Ararat Flour Mill and plant to public competition, on Wednesday last, without finding a purchaser. There was a good number of people present, and a bid of £300 fs. was made, but not accepted by the auctioneer.

The accounts of the St. Kilda Borough Council have been found to be correct in every item. All Saints' Church, St. Kilda, was entered on Wednesday evening last, and a valuable oil painting cut to pieces. The police are in pursuit of the ruffian or ruffians.

A boarding-house keeper at Sandridge was fined £20 on Thursday for inducing seamen to desert and afterwards harboring them.

It has been intimated by the Minister of Education that "the midsummer vacation in state schools may commence this year either on the 19th or 26th December at the option of the head teachers."

An "Argus" telegram dated Thursday says:—"A peculiar case of suicide occurred at Braiwood to-day. Jas. Armstrong, a very old resident of that town, hollowed out a piece of wood and filled it with powder and small pebbles. He placed it near his ear and fired the powder with a match, killing himself instantaneously. He left a letter stating that he committed suicide owing to family troubles."

A statement has been circulated to the effect that Mr. Vale has resigned his seat in Parliament with the intention of settling in New South Wales. According to another report, he contemplates taking his residence in New Zealand. Mr. Vale has no idea of leaving Victoria.—"Argus."

A Russian fleet of five vessels, under the command of Admiral Ashtadegoff, will shortly visit Melbourne.

Two deaths have occurred in Sydney during the week from small-pox.

The incoming mail steamer Rome will probably reach Melbourne to-morrow (Sunday). The medical evidence on the death of Mr. Alexander Ramage, of Buangor, attributed the cause to heart disease.

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According to the "Evening Mail," Dr. Moorhouse, Bishop of Melbourne, has lost his voice, and his medical adviser has forbidden him to do any duty. This item of news will be read with deep and widespread regret indeed.

BEAUFORT POLICE COURT.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH, 1881.

(Before J. H. Alley, Esq., P.M., and J. Prentice, Esq., J.P.)

C. W. Minchin v. Arthur Cathie.—Mr. Gaunt for the defendant. The charge was that the defendant did throw stones at complainant's house, to the danger of himself and his family. In opening the case the complainant stated that ill-feeling had existed for some time on the part of the defendant. When he (complainant) went to see the defendant's father about the stone-throwing he was not treated with civility. Mrs. Cathie also refused to see the complainant. Mrs. Anderson said that the complainant stated that he had a grudge against Cathie, and that was the reason why he summoned his son. A lad rejoicing in the name of Jock Anderson deposited to having been in the company of Albert Cathie on the day on which the stones were alleged to have been thrown, and each of them threw a few stones on the roof of an outhouse. The complainant stated that on the afternoon of Saturday, 22nd October, between 6 and 6 o'clock, he, with his family, was in his house, when he heard a number of stones lodge on his house. On going outside he saw the defendant and another lad named Jock Anderson in Mr. Cathie's back yard. He (complainant) secreted himself in his yard, and saw the defendant throw several stones on his house, a little girl named Nellie Cathie (sister of defendant) supplying the boys with the stones. The stone-throwing was kept up for an hour, and about 100 stones were thrown similar to a specimen produced. On complainant coming out to reconstitute with the boys Mrs. Cathie and several members of the family jibed and sneered at him, the defendant hailing him with a "Yah-o" or "Boo-oo." After Mr. Gaunt had laid his case before the Bench, a penalty of 1s. was inflicted, with 7s. 6d. costs, to be levied by distress, in default twenty-four hours' imprisonment.

R. H. Gledhill, stationmaster at the Beaufort railway station v. Joel Tompkins.—Negligently allowing cattle to wander on the railway line. Mr. Finlayson for the plaintiff. Mr. Gaunt for the defendant. The plaintiff stated that numbers of cattle were trespassing on the railway line. On the date mentioned he sent to Mr. Tompkins, stating that his cattle were on the line. He (Tompkins) sent his son for the cattle, who took away six head of them in the direction of his residence. Mr. Gaunt contended that the gates on either side of the line should be kept closed, and persons leaving them open could be fined under the Act. The railway reserve was surrounded by the Beaufort Town Common, and yet five gates were left open for the purpose apparently of entrapping cattle. Mr. Gaunt also admitted the facts of the case, but pleaded that there was no proof of negligence. The Bench stated that the case was an important one, as cows trespassing on the line would probably cause an accident. As this was the first case of the sort a nominal penalty would meet the case, and hence a fine of 1s. would be made, with £1 fs. costs.

Same v. G. Carver.—Similar offence. This case was not gone into, the offence being admitted, and a similar penalty was inflicted.

McCracken v. Cumming.—Abusive language. No appearance of plaintiff. An order was made against plaintiff for £1 10s. 6d. costs.

R. B. Barnes, herdsman of the Beaufort, etc. United Common v. Helen Miller.—Illegally depasturing sheep on the common. Mr. Gaunt for complainant, and Mr. Finlayson for defendant. The complainant deposed that on the morning of November 15th, at about half-past 7, he found 200 of defendant's sheep on the common. He rounded up the sheep, when Mrs. Miller's son came up and claimed them. The sheep were scattered about the common feeding. They were not being driven. John Miller, son of defendant, deposed that he took charge of his mother's sheep. He was shepherding about 200 of them on the 15th November, on a piece of land occupied by his mother by virtue of a grazing permit. Some of the sheep had strayed, and he went to look after them. When he returned some of them were on the common. He was driving the sheep; they were not depasturing. They were from a quarter to half a mile on the common. When I had the herdsman he (the herdsman) tried to lead them. E. S. Baker corroborated the herdsman's evidence as to the sheep being scattered all over the common, and depasturing.

This concluded the evidence, when the Bench stated that they had no doubt but that the sheep were trespassing on the common, and inflicted a fine of 5s., with £2 fs. costs.

William Williams was charged by the police with being an idle and disorderly person, having insufficient means of support, and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

S. Baldwin v. J. McCcheon.—Willfully permitting a dog to worry a sheep. Mr. Gaunt for complainant, and Mr. Finlayson for defendant. From the evidence it appeared on Sunday 15th November instant, Baldwin was driving a small flock of sheep along the road opposite Mr. McCcheon's residence at Travalla, when he directed one of his sons to let a dog go after them. The dog chased the sheep, and ultimately drove a lamb into the creek close by, the result being that the lamb was drowned. Shortly stated, these appear to be the facts. The Bench considered the case proved, and inflicted a fine of 1s. with £1 fs. costs.

Same v. Same.—This case was a question as to the damages incurred by the dog, the amount claimed being £4. The evidence was similar to that in the last case. The defendant valued the lamb worried at 1s. 6d. James Lamb deposed to having examined the lamb. He would not buy it for killing purposes, if he was going to buy it he would not give 2s. for it. Richard Wilkinson estimated the value of the sheep at 3s. The Bench gave a verdict for 5s. damages, with £1 fs. costs.

The license of the Victoria Hotel, Nail street, Beaufort, was transferred from Edward Ingram to James Cowans.

The Court then adjourned.

While presching from the text, "Ho giveth His beloved sleep," a Toledo minister stopped in the middle of his sermon, gazed upon his sleeping auditors, and said, "Brethren, it is hard to realize the wondrous, unbounded love of the Lord to appear to have for a good portion of this congregation!"

"Smith," said Brown, "there's a fortune in that mine." "I know," said Smith, "I've put my fortune in it."

BEAUFORT MINING ITEMS.

Friday Evening. Homeward; Bound.—Underground operations are at a standstill pending the receipt of tenders for letting the mine on tribute.

New Victoria.—Yield for five days, 111oz.

Royal Saxon.—Yield for the week, 26oz. 9dwt.

Waterloo.—South drive from No. 3 rise is now in a distance of 55 feet, and the heavy wash is still continuing. Crosscut going east is in 27 feet through same nature of wash. Main drive, north reef, dipping, carrying same appearance of wash.

Hubart Pasha.—The leading drive south and west is in a change of ground, but cannot say anything definite yet as to its character. Good headway is being made with the main reef drive, from which workings will be carried on in future.

New Perseverance.—Yield for the week, 5oz.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not identify ourselves with the opinions expressed by our correspondents.]

"THE HOME OF HOPE."

To the Editor of the Riponshire Advocate. Sir,—It was with no small amount of delight that I read your kind notice of Miss Wetherpoon's generous effort, in your issue of 12th inst., on behalf of our Home of Hope for destitute children in Collingwood, founded by myself and half a dozen other gentlemen some 18 months ago. As an old fellow-citizen of Beaufort, I can say that pretty township has ever since I knew it maintained a warm corner in my heart, and anything done by my old friends in aid of my efforts for poor, fallen, and suffering humanity, in crowded Melbourne, is received with a breast full of gratitude. I take the liberty of sending you a copy of the group of little waifs and strays, who once were homeless, friendless, forsaken, and hungry in our streets, but who now, as inmates of the "Home of Hope," are comfortably clothed, well-fed, and educated. We make it a rule to apply to no one in particular for aid; but we think it right to give information. It may be that some of my old friends in and around Beaufort, who possess the means, may be willing to aid us. The institution is not exactly a local one, for we receive children from any part of Victoria, who are totally destitute, upon proper representation, and approval by the trustees.

Yours, etc., CHARLES M. CHERBURY, Hon. Superintendent, 49 Greaves street, Fitzroy.

ALMANACS FOR 1882.

We have to acknowledge the receipt of the following almanacs:—From Mr. Henningson, news agent, Beaufort, we have received the Victorian Almanac, which contains a mass of information, general and valuable; also Dr. L. L. Smith's Medical Almanac, which is also full of useful matter, including a map of all the railway stations in the colony. From the same source we have also received the Irish-Australian Almanac and Directory, which contains, amongst other novelties, portraits of the members of the Irish Land League and Mr. J. Wainie, the Australian representative of the League, as also the music of the famous Irish tune, "Harvey Duff." Copies of either of the above-mentioned almanacs may be had on application to Mr. Henningson.

We have received "Hutchinson's Australian Almanac" from Mr. M. L. Hutchinson, of the Glasgow Book Warehouse, Collins street, Melbourne. It contains a neat calendar, an educational register, notable events, medical notes, and a lot of other valuable information.

"The Temperance Year Book" is also to hand from the publishers, Messrs. Dunn and Collins, of Elizabeth street, Melbourne. It is very neatly got up, containing a number of pleasing pictures, besides a large number of short and interesting sketches illustrating the benefits of total abstinence.

Cable News.

(FROM THE AGENS CORRESPONDENT).

LONDON, Nov. 24. The general in command of the Chilean forces in Peru has arrested Senor Garcia Calderon, the Constitutional President of the Republic, and Senor Gaiter, the Minister for Foreign Affairs. As a protest against Mr. J. G. Blaine's recent announcement that the United States Government prohibited Chili from taking advantage of the defenceless position of Peru to absorb that country.

It is stated that the French intend to exercise a protectorate over the Austral Islands, a dispersed group to the south of the Society Islands, and over the Hervey or Cook's Islands in the South Pacific.

Meetings in the Liberal interest which were to have been held in Newcastle and at Marylebone, in London, have had to be abandoned, in consequence of the violence of the Irish residents, who refused to allow them to take place.

The Legislative Council of Natal have voted, only six months' supplies for the current financial year, as a protest against the appointment of Mr. W. J. Sendall as governor of the colony.

Nov. 25. At a meeting of the Royal Colonial Institute held to-day, the Duke of Manchester, who, as chairman of the council presided, remarked that his observations during his recent extended tour through Australia had caused him to doubt whether the export of wheat from the colonies would be a success for some years to come. He also questioned whether the policy of free selection, however well meant it might be, could be considered a success when judged by existing results. It was certainly injurious to the squatters.

Atrocious outrages continue to be frequently perpetrated in the disaffected districts of Ireland, and a painful feeling of alarm prevails amongst the law-abiding portion of the inhabitants.

An old angler says that a fish does not suffer much pain from being hooked. Of course not; it is the thought of how his weight will be lied about which causes his anguish.

LATEST NEWS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) [By Electric Telegraph.]

Melbourne, Friday. The weather experienced here to-day has been the most extraordinary ever remembered by the oldest residents. At 10 a.m. it was fine, half-an-hour later raining. At 11 a.m. it was close, whilst at noon the downpour of rain was that heavy that the channels overflowed to the footpaths, and grave fosses were entertained of a flood. A few slight showers followed, but despite all rain at 5 p.m. dust was blowing in clouds. The weather is now (8 p.m.) like a summer evening.

A recent arrival from Adelaide was sentenced to six months' imprisonment this morning for passing a "dash" note, a number of which are in circulation throughout the colony.

THE RE-INSTATEMENT OF NEWMAN.

The following appeared in yesterday's "Argus" as a sub-leader:—"We understand that there is a very strong feeling amongst the engineers and firemen employed on the Victorian railways against the reinstatement of James Newman as locomotive foreman and driver in charge at Ararat. It is said that Newman owed his promotion, in the first instance, to the fact that he is connected with a gentleman holding a prominent position in the political world. At any rate, he was passed over the heads of others having better claims, without having gone through the course of training necessary to fit him for the responsible appointment he received. As a rule, the course of training is similar here to what it is in England. Men are first employed as cleaners, then as firemen, then as drivers. After a number of years, if qualified, they may attain to the position of locomotive foreman. This graduated system is found to produce competent and trustworthy drivers, fit to be entrusted with the care of life and property. Newman, however, was lifted at once by political influence, from the fitters' shop at Ballarat to the position of driver in charge at Ararat. His inexperience and unfitness were speedily demonstrated at the expense of the public. His first exploit, we believe, was to burn the boiler of an engine of which he took charge—a little pleasantly which cost the country some hundreds of pounds. Then came the Beaufort accident, with its accumulated blunders. Owing to bad driving, as was subsequently proved by experiment, Newman could not get his train up an incline, and when, after halving it, he had managed to conquer the gradient, he could not stop the diminished load in time to prevent a serious collision—a collision which caused suffering to many people, and wasted the taxpayers' money in repairs and compensations. Newman was tried criminally and acquitted, but surely the fact that it was impossible to convince a jury that he deserved punishment under the penal laws is no reason why he should be received back again into the service of the state. The drivers and firemen who have had the honesty to fit themselves for their positions consider that they were doubly wronged by the favouritism shown to Newman. They were deprived of the promotion to which they were entitled by seniority, and they were discriminated as a class by this exhibition of incapacity. We believe they have reason to be dissatisfied, and we trust that their protest will not be in vain. The public, moreover, has a right to consideration. The dangers of railway travelling are quite sufficient without adding to unavoidable evils by deliberately employing drivers who have elaborately demonstrated their inability to manage locomotives with ordinary skill."

PARLIAMENTARY ITEMS.

(From the "Argus") On the meeting of the Legislative Assembly at half-past 4 o'clock on Tuesday, Sir Bryan O'Loghlin moved that to adjourn until half-past seven, out of respect to the memory of the late R. de Bruce Johnstone. The motion was seconded by Major Smith and agreed to, and the House suspended its sitting for two hours.

Business was proceeded with in the Legislative Assembly at half-past 7 o'clock, when Sir Bryan O'Loghlin submitted formal resolutions for the continuance of the tobacco and beer duties until the end of the financial year. An appeal for an adjournment was made by the Opposition, who said that they had been taken by surprise, and would prefer to go on with the Sludge Drainage Bill. The Premier replied that he should propose the renewal of the duties on this very day. There was no time for delay, because the existing act would expire next week. The Opposition asked for an adjournment until next day, but the Government remained firm. Opposition members urged that the time had arrived for "wiping out" that the Assembly suffered at the hands of the Council when the Upper House threw out Mr. Berry's amended land tax last session. Sir Bryan O'Loghlin said that the Government intended to revise and extend the tax at the earliest opportunity, but it was no part of their policy to provoke an unnecessary quarrel with the Upper House. The motion to report progress, moved by Major Smith, was not pressed, but Mr. Berry intimated that there would be a long debate on the second reading of the bill to be hereafter founded upon the resolutions; and Mr. A. T. Clark threatened, if he could procure the support of five or six members, to prevent the measure from becoming law this session. These warlike announcements, however, fell quite flat. At half-past 11 o'clock, after four hours' discussion, the tobacco duties were affirmed by 39 votes to 21, including peers, and the beer duties were agreed to without a division. The House then adjourned.

The second reading of the Totalisator Bill was moved in the Legislative Assembly on Wednesday by Mr. Frase, who recommended it to the House as a means of lessening the evils arising from betting on races. In South Australia the totalisator had greatly reduced the number of bookmakers, and put a stop to a large extent, to betting on credit. Persons using the totalisator could not risk more than the money they had in their pocket. It was given in evidence by the late Mr. Bagot, when he was examined before the

committee of the Legislative Council, that 700 mushroom bookmakers attended the bill on Flemington course whose calling would be abolished by the totalisator. The debate turned chiefly on the question whether the totalisator would produce the beneficial effects ascribed to it by persons who were anxious to place a check on betting. Very few members were able to assist the House with any practical information on the subject. The prevalence of the gambling spirit was admitted by all speakers. Mr. Francis said that there was scarcely a kitchen-maid or errand-boy who did not take a share or part of a share in some racing sweeps. The bookmakers were stated to be unanimously against the totalisator, which the supporters of the bill regarded as valuable testimony in its favor. Members objecting to the introduction of the totalisator, as a legalized form of gambling, insisted that this mechanical system of wagering would increase gambling instead of lessening it. The House was very much amused at the naive confession of Mr. Gardiner that he had discovered, after a brief experience, that he was not sharp enough for a bookmaker, and seriously doubted whether even the totalisator could be trusted with the money of simple people. The second reading of the bill was negatived, after three hours' discussion, by 33 votes to 26.

The bill to amend the Game Act, introduced by Dr. Dobson in the Legislative Council, contains practically only one clause, framed in the following terms:—"No person shall at any time kill or attempt to kill or destroy any game or native game with any device or instrument known as a swivel or punt gun, or with any gun other than such guns as are habitually raised at arms' length and fired from the shoulder, and any person offending against the provisions of this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £20."

Bills continuing the tobacco and beer duties were introduced in the Legislative Assembly on Wednesday, and pressed forward by the Government as a matter of urgency. Sir Bryan O'Loghlin stated that the duties would expire on Wednesday next, and manufacturers were making arrangements to pass out large quantities of tobacco in case the passing of the bills should be delayed. Mr. Brophy put in a plea on behalf of the "unfortunate hotelkeepers" for a reduction of the duty on beer from 2d. to 1d. per gallon. At the suggestion of the Speaker, who advised hon. members to be guided by the practice of the House of Commons, the objection was not pressed, and the second reading was allowed to be moved. A general debate ensued. Mr. A. T. Clark moved an amendment affirming that the renewal of the temporary duties should be made contingent on the passing of the Amended Land Tax. The amendment was negatived by 24 votes to 21, and the Tobacco Duties Bill was read a second time. The Opposition also insisted on dividing on the Beer Duties Bill, which was affirmed by 34 votes to 20, Mr. Williams being the opposition member who refrained from taking part in the second division. Both bills were then committed. Mr. Barr moved that the chairman report progress, and the number of the stonevellers fall to six, the remainder of the Opposition leaving the chamber.

The Beer and Tobacco Duties Bills were passed by the Legislative Council on Thursday. The Sludge Drainage Bill, after a deal of amending, passed the Assembly on Thursday night. In the Legislative Council on Wednesday the bill granting an annuity to the widow and children of the late Mr. R. C. Bagot was passed through all its stages.

A lunatic on the route from Sale to Wallhalls, in police custody, jumped from his horse and picked up a brown snake 4 feet long, which he killed. In the court next day he came in with a Testament in his hand, and wanted to read a chapter, saying he was a prophet from heaven, and was sent specially to convert his brethren to Liberalism.

Town talk has it (observes the "North Eastern Ensign") that the object of the "Argus" proprietors starting the "Evening Mail" was to give employment to such of their employees as are unable to work by daylight. This is said to have so annoyed David Syme that he intends to bring out a farthing evening paper, and to further this, and to supply his patrons with the necessary change, he will send to England for £1000 worth of farthings.

Darwinism is the offshoot of an unhealthy parent tree. Evolution is the offspring of a strange and unnatural theory. Both ideas are repugnant to our preconceived notions, and at war with the established principles of common sense and credibility. A few proselytes may accept the teachings of these schools, because innovations are sure to find some disciples, but the majority of mankind will reject both the Darwinian and Speciearian heterodoxies, and believe in what, like UDOLPHO WOLFE'S SCHIEDAM AROMATICO SCHNAPPS, time has sanctioned and the age confirmed.

It was elicited before the Tariff Commission that colonial hats frequently bear the words "Paris manufactured." To meet the convenience of country travellers the Minister of Railways has issued an order allowing persons to ride in the guard's van of goods trains. In all cases, however, where this privilege is of made use passengers will be called upon to pay first-class fare for the distance travelled, and to sign an agreement absolving the department from all liability in the event of accidents.

NOTICE TO THOSE IT MAY CONCERN.—That I will IMPOUND all cattle that I find trespassing on my land at Stockyard Hill. JAMES HANNAH, Stockyard Hill. November 26th, 1881.

Wanted, A Quantity of Round and Split PROPS, all sizes. Apply at once to JOHN JACKSON, Beaufort Railway Station.

Impoundings. BEAUFORT—Impounded at Beaufort—Bay mare, branded over J3 near shoulder; black cow pig; four young pigs, progeny of sow. If not claimed and expenses paid to be sold on 3rd December. Blue heifer, red and white bull calf, yellow and white heifer, red bull, red cow (white belly), red and white cow, red and white heifer, and strawberry heifer, all no visible brands; brindle and white cow, TS near rump; red and white bull, top off both ears, top off rump; strawberry cow, B off rump. If not claimed and expenses paid to be sold on 17th December. W. G. STEVENS, Poundkeeper.



GOVERNMENT ADVERTISEMENTS.

Special Notice to Holders of Electors' Rights. It is hereby notified that holders of electors' rights in the 18th November, 1881, page 3123, in which it is issued or before 1st December 1880 for Electoral Districts, must obtain proof rights in their names in order to have their names placed upon the General Lists to be made up from and after 1st December next. J. M. GRANT, Chief Secretary. Chief Secretary's Office, Melbourne, 18th November, 1881.

Gold-mining Lease Declared Void. ATTENTION is directed to the Government Gazette of the 18th November, 1881, page 3123, in which it is notified that the undermentioned lease has been declared void:—

ARARAT DISTRICT—MAGLAN DIVISION. No. 932 dated 20th July, 1880; E. H. L. SWIFFE, 29 acres; Waterloo Flak. T. COUGHMAN, Secretary for Mines. Office of Mines, Melbourne, 21st November, 1881.

£2 Reward. LOST, a Bay Draught HORSE, shed, off hind foot, "drive" brand, LEDG near shoulder, last seen near Weatherboard Hill, Burroughes, in company of a roan horse, unshed, branded P.N. THOMAS SMITH, Cattle Station Hill, near Creswick.

NOTICE. It is hereby given (owing to damage done by trespassers) that anyone found lighting fires or fishing at the Langi Kai Kai Sheepsheep after this notice will be prosecuted. November 21st, 1881.

Beaufort Cricket Club. A GENERAL MEETING of the members of the above Club will be held at Scharp's Beaufort Hotel on WEDNESDAY next, at 7.30 p.m. Those interested are requested to attend. FRANK WILSON KING, Hon. Secretary.

ON SALE—ALMANACS FOR 1882. Victorian Almanac, Dr. L. L. Smith's Medical Almanac, The Irish-Australian Almanac and Directory.

H. P. HENNINGSEN, News Agent, Bookseller, etc., HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

Beaufort Boat Club. SATURDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 1881.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS has received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the boat-shed old reservoir, Beaufort, at 4 o'clock on the above date, all the property of the above club, viz., boats, sculls, oars, and all fittings and appliances; also the boat-shed. No Reserve. Terms CASH. W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Auctioneer.

THURSDAY, 10TH DECEMBER. At One O'clock. At the Eurumbidgee Station Woolshed, near Beaufort. Important Clearing Sale of 3424 Well-bred Merino Sheep.

HEBBURN and ROWE have received instructions from the executors of the late Mr. Francis Beggs (on account of the expiration of their lease of Eurumbidgee East) to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at Eurumbidgee, six miles from Beaufort, on the main Ararat road, on Thursday, 15th December, as above, in lots to suit purchasers. The following pure Merino sheep (horns)— 570 ewes, one year old 500 do., two do 600 do., four do 124 do., five do 900 do., six do 940 wethers, one year old 660 do., two do 1272 do., three do 710 do., four do 728 do., five do 600 wethers, mixed sexes 40 rams, various ages. The rams used for the last 20 years have been purchased from the best stud flocks in the Western district. The clip for many years has netted from 6s. to 7s. 3d. per sheep, lambs included, the wool brand being No. 1. Color over B & Co. The Auctioneers desire to call the special attention of buyers to the above important sale, as a chance of obtaining first-class stock at a cheap price. The whole of the sheep are in good condition, and about 2000 of the wethers are fat, and well worthy the attention of butchers. Conveyances will leave Beaufort for Eurumbidgee at nine a.m., and twelve o'clock noon on the day of sale, to convey intending purchasers, returning after the sale. Bidding faces, two shillings. Terms, Liberal. Declared at Sale.

Church of England Tea Meeting, To be held on THURSDAY, 1st DECEMBER, 1881.

A SALE OF GIFTS Will take place during the day from 11 a.m. till 4 p.m. The Goods will consist of Useful and Ornamental Articles, Toys, Drapery, Linen Stock, etc.

After tea there will be a PROMENADE CONCERT, when, during the intervals between the music, the Sale of Gifts will be resumed. During the day a charge of 6d. will be made for admission to the Sale of Gifts, when each person will receive a Prize. Ticket to admit to Tea and Concert, 2s. To Concert only, 1s. NO COLLECTION.

CHARLES GREGORY WISHES to inform the Residents of Beaufort and district that he has opened an OYSTER SALOON in Havelock street, Beaufort, in the shop recently occupied by Mr. Hall, draper. All kinds of FRESH FISH kept on hand, and retailed at Reasonable Rates. The public are invited to call in, and give him a trial. Hot Pies and Coffee. BALLARAT WOOL SALES.

Everingham, Greenfield, & Co WILL hold SALES of WOOL and SHEEP-SKINS every ALTERNATE THURSDAY during the season, at their new Wool and Grain Stores, DOVETON STREET.

The increasing demand yearly for wool for local manufacturing renders the Ballarat market second to none in the colony, and we have no hesitation in saying that small clips and sheepskins have a decided advantage in being offered here. Valuations are carefully made prior to sale, and lots not fetching owner's reserve sheep sold on to Melbourne or Geelong markets or shipped to London on owner's account, with no further expense than that incurred for labor in and out of store.

Bicycles, Bicycles. MR. W. C. THOMAS, jun., having obtained the Beaufort Agency for the Singer Bicycle can supply Machines of this make, or any others of approved patterns, at MELBOURNE PRICES.

HOPPER'S MILK PUNCH GENUINE OLD ENGLISH ELIXIR VITE Can be obtained at Smith's Golden Age Hotel, Beaufort, and the Manufactory, Snake Valley, Carrington.

JOSEPH FRUSHER, BUTCHER, BEGS to inform the residents of Beaufort and district that he has commenced business in the corner of Lawrence and Willoughby streets, Beaufort, and trusts to merit a share of public patronage.

WOOL, WOOL, WOOL. GEORGE SYNNOT and Co., GEELONG, WOOLBROKERS, HIDE, SKIN, AND TALLOW SALESMEN, STOCK AND STATION AGENTS, Are prepared to make Liberal Cash Advances on Wool Sent to them for Sale in the Colony, or shipment to the London Market.

SALES BY AUCTION every TUESDAY and THURSDAY for Wool and on WEDNESDAY for Skins, Hides, Tallow, and other produce. They act as selling or shipping brokers only, and consignments, whether in large or small lots, are carefully valued, and have prompt personal attention. CHARGES—The lowest ruling in the Colony. Consignments from any Railway Stations in the Colony will be at once attended to. On Sale—Woolpacks, Fencing Wire, and All Station Stores. Agents for Messrs. Burgon and Bell's celebrated Sheep Shears.

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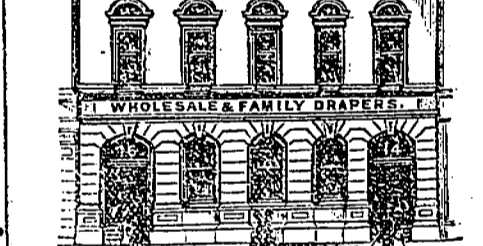
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AUSTRALIAN MEAT IN LONDON.

The following letter by a correspondent to the "Times" has gone round the English press: "I bought a carcass of mutton that was imported in January last by the Protos and hung it up in a larder with a temperature some degrees below freezing. After two days, during which it 'sweated' pretty freely, I had a shoulder and part of the ribs roasted. The result was not satisfactory. The meat, though perfectly good and sweet, was hard, tough, and imperfectly cooked, though it had been longer at the fire than is usual with home mutton. After the lapse of another two days, I had some chops cooked from the loin, and they were very good and sweet, though still rather hard. I now determined to let the remainder hang until the frost was quite out of it, and this was not accomplished until the end of four more days, the weather at the time being very cold. At the end of that time the leg and remainder of the loin were roasted, and the meat was extremely good, though rather dry, as if had been unfortunately overdone. From these experiments I was led to infer that on the first two occasions the frost had not sufficiently melted to allow the fibre to resume its natural state, and that Australian, like home meat, must be hung sufficiently long to impart to it the mellowness that is indispensable in any meat to command a ready sale in this market. That this inference is the correct one has been confirmed by my recent experience with some of the mutton by the Cutco. A friend and I divided a hind quarter, the leg falling to my share. I kept it through the late season, and thence weather until quite certain the frost had been expelled. By this time the appearance of the meat was not attractive. It was damp and looked flabby in consequence of the melting process it had undergone. When roasted however, and placed on the table, the result was that more excellent mutton I never tasted. It was firm under the knife, and yet mellow and tender, and the flavor reminded me of the highly-prized Scotch and Welsh mutton, while an ample flow of gravy filled the 'well' in a few seconds of the first cut. My friend's experience with the loin was quite as favorable as mine with the leg. The truth is that the 'hanging,' which for climatic reasons cannot be given the meat at the other end, should be given at this."

A WHALE PARENT'S DEVOTION.

Sperm whales usually travel in schools, and in going into a body composed of "cows and calves," the latter, although yielding but a small amount of oil, are "struck" first. By this method both are captured. The mother will not leave her offspring, neither will it attack the boat, but will remain close to the calf, apparently urging it to escape by sounding or by flight. The "little one" can only remain a short time under water; consequently its dam is almost constantly a target for lances, which she will continue to receive, although not being fast to the boat, until life is extinct, when the calf will be killed. She will sacrifice her own life in the attempt to assist her young, and to any one, except a whaler, it would appear like a cold-blooded and heartless murderer. Even they cannot help admiring the devotion, and will endeavor to "make the struggles as brief as possible." The "calf" exhibits no such filial affection, for if the mother is harpooned first, he will immediately take French leave, leaving the "old lady" to fight her own battles. Extreme caution is used in striking a calf to avoid a mortal wound, as his death is sure to be followed by the flight of the cow, who knows it instantly.

GARDENING FOR NOVEMBER.

KITCHEN GARDEN.—Beds of rhubarb and sea-kale that have been forced should be cleaned off. Cease cutting asparagus, or you will weaken the roots. Attend to cucumbers and melons; if any have missed, sow again. Stop leading shoots of cucumbers, to induce laterals. If tomatoes are not planted against a wall or fence, they should be tied up to strong sticks and pruned moderately, or fruit will be small and few. This is the time for preventing a great deal of pruning in winter. Use the finger and thumb judiciously in dis-budding and stopping fruit trees; thin the fruit where thick; increase size and superior flavor will be the result. Vines will require frequent attention as regards training, tying, and thinning shoots.

FLOWER GARDEN.—Hybrid perpetual roses should have their shoots pruned back immediately they have bloomed. Newly-planted shrubs or plants suffering from hot sunshine should be protected by boughs of tea-tree or wattle. Empty canks, with both ends knocked out, make very good shelters, although rather unsightly. At close of month budding may be proceeded with. Flower seeds can still be sown, although with greater risk of their well-doing than if sown earlier.

SOME SOUNDRAILS AT MOORIBI, IN THE TAMWORTH DISTRICT, CUT OFF THE LEG OF A PONY RECENTLY WHOSE OWNER HAD OFFENDED THEM.

A mail-bag has been unseathed near Mudge containing a large number of bank notes. All the contents are decayed and worthless. Some bushrangers are supposed to have abandoned their plant.

At the Wagga Wagga Quarter Sessions on Monday James Kelly was found guilty of horse-stealing and was sentenced to five years on the roads. The charge against Wild Wright was not proved, and he was re-arrested on another charge.

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He is a VANQUISHER, the imported pure Clydesdale entire horse, and has taken champion prizes at Ballarat, Stawell, and Melbourne. Vanquisher's sire was the celebrated Champion, the property of Mr. Muir, of Loch Forgas. Champion took first prize at Kirkcaldy in 1870, and second prize at the Glasgow Show of the Macdonalds Society, and again the same prize in 1872, Champion is by Salmon's Champion, who gained eight first prizes at the Highland Society, Glasgow, since the year 1870, and in 1878, Champion is brother to Prince Charlie and the famous Victor.

YOUNG VANQUISHER was bred by Peter Anderson, Esq., Gillespie, near Edinburgh, out of Brisk, who, when a yearling, won the first prize at Kilsyth, and the second prize at Kilsyth, and the first prize at Kilsyth, and the second prize at Kilsyth, and the first prize at Kilsyth, and the second prize at Kilsyth.

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Consulate of the United States of America at Auckland, N.Z., 1st August, 1878.

PROFESSOR SCOTT.—Dear Sir, I take great pleasure in testifying to the efficiency of your wonderful herbaceous medicine, the "Magic Balm," which I have used for several pains in my head from which I have been a great sufferer for some time past. I have made but one application of the "Magic Balm," and can truly say that I have felt no pain since, which I am very thankful for, and I can recommend it with pleasure. The "Magic Balm" is the best medicine I ever used for pains, and in fact, will state that it is the only medicine I ever used that does me any good whatever. Very truly, your obedient servant, GEO. W. ROSEVELL, U.S. Consul.

PROFESSOR SCOTT'S WONDERFUL CURE OF NEURALGIA.

Royal George Hotel, Ballarat, 10th May, 1880. To Professor Scott, Craig's Hotel.—Dear Sir, I have been a great sufferer from neuralgia for some time past, and I used some of your wonderful medicine "THE MAGIC BALM" last night which gave me instant relief, and I am very happy to say, I have not felt any pain whatever since the application. I am a firm believer in "THE MAGIC BALM," and can, with confidence, recommend it to all who suffer with neuralgia, as I am sure they will receive great benefit from its use, as I have already done. You may use this letter in any way to your advantage you may think proper. I am, dear Sir, yours respectfully, E. THURLING.

WONDERFUL CURE OF TOOTHACHE.

Grahamstown, N.Z., July 30th, 1878. I hereby certify that I have been suffering terribly with my teeth for several years past and had tried all known remedies, within my reach, all of which failed to give me any relief whatever; two months ago, while working in a mine, my teeth ached so bad that I was compelled to knock off work. I was advised to call and see Professor Scott (who was then visiting Grahamstown introducing his "Magic Balm") I found that gentleman at his hotel, stated my case, and he immediately applied the wonderful medicine, which gave instant relief, and, from that time to the present, I have felt no pain whatever, and can eat my meals with the greatest ease. I can safely recommend Professor Scott's "Magic Balm" to all who suffer with their teeth.

Signed—WALTER WHITE, Miner. Witnesses—W. FRASER, Resident Magistrate C. CURTIS, M. L. A., Pacific Hotel.

PROFESSOR SCOTT'S WONDERFUL CURE OF RHEUMATISM.

PROFESSOR SCOTT.—Dear Sir, I have been using your "Magic Balm" for a severe case of chronic rheumatism, from which I have long suffered. I was almost a cripple, could hardly walk, and was in constant pain. The disease was located principally in my lower extremities, and I was unable to do any work whatever. On seeing your advertisement relative to your great medicine, the "Magic Balm," I purchased a package containing a dozen bottles, and commenced the treatment as per directions. Great was my astonishment, before I had finished the second bottle to find that the pains were passing away, and now having used some nine bottles I feel quite another man, in fact I consider the "Magic Balm" has completely cured me. You have my permission to use this letter in any way to your advantage that you may think proper. I am, dear Sir, yours respectfully, MATTHEW HOGAN, Miner, Ballarat West.

PROFESSOR SCOTT'S WONDERFUL CURE OF NEUROUS HEADACHE.

PROFESSOR SCOTT.—Dear Sir, After suffering acute pain last evening for several hours from nervous headache, accompanied with severe palpitation in the region of the temples, I was induced to try your "magic balm," as a restorative agent. In justice to you, and in testimony of the virtue possessed by the "balm," in this instance, I may state that a free application of the same where the pain was most severe afforded relief in about 10 minutes. Previous to applying the "balm" I was unable to distinguish one letter of print from another, but after relief I read with ease for three hours. As I was to a considerable extent sceptical regarding the efficacy of the remedy prior to trial, I feel pleasure in thus tendering my thanks to you, and remain, yours obediently, HIRSH CRISP, Evening Post Office. Main street, Ballarat, 10th June, 1880.

No Person or House should be without it.

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CAUTION.

Be sure and ask your Chemist or Storekeeper for Professor Scott's Magic Balm, and be sure you are not induced to accept any other preparation. It has no name in stock but can easily procure it for you by sending to the Main Agency, at

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The Pills and Ointment are sold at Professor Holloway's establishment, 538, Oxford Street, London; and by nearly every respectable Vendor of Medicine throughout the civilized world in boxes and pots. The smallest box of Pills contains four dozen, and the smallest pot of Ointment one ounce.

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The Ointment is a sovereign remedy for all Gravel, and in the kidneys, into which it will gradually permeate, and in every case give immediate relief. Wherever this Ointment has been used it has established its own worth, and has again been eagerly resorted to by the sick, and saved them from all disorders of the kidneys and bladder, in all disorders of the kidneys and bladder.

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Do parents, medical men, and educators of youth pay sufficient attention to this subject? Do they ever ascertain the cause of this decay? and having discovered it (as a strict sense of duty demands) seek the skillful aid of a medical man, who has no other view but to see that the youth who has never allowed his mind to be taken up by a passion, and who has given up all his time to the study of his profession, who has never allowed his mind to be taken up by a passion, and who has given up all his time to the study of his profession.

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