







Agriculture.

CLOVER SICKNESS.

DR. J. H. BENTLEY, M.D., D.D., F.R.S. In 1880...

Another subject referred to is clover sickness...

In the year 1849, having some acres of clover in one of my fields...

Upon the remainder of the land—which had been under clover for twenty years...

I may mention here that, as far as chemical composition is concerned...

With this view I sowed three red clovers, scarlet, trifolium, the purple lucerne...

The whole of this portion of the field has failed since about 1848...

The result of the examination brought out the following facts...

Passing from this field, let us now go into an experiment on an ordinary four-course rotation...

Here I may observe that the remarkable circumstance of other leguminous plants growing luxuriantly over clover...

Science.

Some attempts have been made to investigate the cause of clover sickness...

HOW THE SUN PRODUCES RAIN. BY W. S. B. ROYER...

In a communication to a Bulletin, Dr. Royer deals with the sun...

His favourite morsels were certain juicy females of large size...

His manner of taking his prey varies. If the insect jumps...

Curiously, it appears to know me, and to certain and unmistakably prefer to take food from my hand...

THE ASTEROIDS. The number of asteroids that have been discovered is now over 1000...

Naturalist.

It is, I believe, somewhat unusual for a trout to live, grow, and flourish in a small tank...

Up to the spring of 1881, the trout had made some progress in its growth...

ENNUI. BY THE AUTHOR OF 'THE WIFE AND THE MARRIED MAN'...

His favourite morsels were certain juicy females of large size, abundant in summer and autumn...

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Miscellaneous.

R. L. STREVENSON tells a pretty story illustrating the power of remorse. A friend of his, a Scotch blacksmith...

RECENT DISCOVERIES IN INDIANA. A much more recent date to the mastodon than has been generally assumed...

WISDOM OF THE ANCIENTS.

CONTROL YOUR PASSION OR IT WILL CONTROL YOU.—HORACE.

THE PRUDENT MAN DOES NOT PUT HIS HAND INTO THE FIRE.—HERODOTUS.

IF YOU WANT TO BE A FOREIGNER, BE ONE IN YOUR OWN COUNTRY.

THE EDITOR OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL JOURNAL has drawn a long article...

A TEST OF AN ABSOLUTE CURIOUS OR FIELD was made recently before members of the Washington Fire Board...

THE POWER OF COLL. The enormous amount of power stored up in coal is thus set forth...

Household.

MARRIAGE. Marriage, truly and rightly considered, may be said to be the productive of great happiness...

THE ROSARY OF MY YEARS. SOME reckon their age by years. Some reckon their days by the flow of their tears.

Humour.

CHIFFONS FROM PARIS. (TRANSLATED FROM LE FIGARO.)

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LATEST NEWS.

[By Electric Telegraph.] (FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) MELBOURNE, Friday Evening. Members of the Ministry have been in conference all day. They will adhere to the resolution to wait till the vote of want of confidence is carried against them.

A movement is being made at Port Pirie, S.A., with the object of getting a reduction in the size of wheat bags. The notion is, that the majority of men in loading and unloading drays, &c., cannot carry on their backs, with safety to themselves, a greater load than 170 to 200 lbs, and it is urged that the usual weight of a bag of wheat exceeds this.

The following nominations have been received for the principal events to be competed for on Easter Monday:— MAIDEN RACE, 100 YARDS. Thomas Jones, Bungerup. C. E. S. Hunter, Horsham.

A WHOLESALE POISONER. Charles M'Leod, a young man, 26 years of age, was charged at the Melbourne city court on Friday morning with attempting to administer poison. M'Leod's father is dead, and his mother and family live on a selection of land at Marnoo, near St. Arnaud.

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found in his possession. He is the eldest of the family, and being hard up at the time, it is supposed that he attempted to poison the whole family in order to secure the property. He was remanded to appear at St Arnaud on Friday.

The "Otago Daily Times" of the 14th February says:—"At the Christchurch Resident Magistrate's Court, Mr. Oliver, who was on the Bench, mentioned that he had seen at the Rokaia a few days ago about 20 men who were idling about a publichouse. They had refused as wages for harvesting £3 per week and their 'tucker' The wages they wanted were £5 per week and found."

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SMALL COTTAGE TO LET. Apply W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Beaufort.

V. R. GOVERNMENT ADVERTISEMENTS. Application for a Gold Mining Lease.

NOTICE. ON and after this date the FARE on my line of COACHES running between Waterloo and Beaufort will be REDUCED.

Wanted Known. THAT on and after MONDAY 11th inst. I will start a LINE of COACHES between Waterloo and Beaufort to meet the trains at 9 o'clock in the morning, 12 o'clock noon, and 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

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

W. H. WILLIAMS, SHOEHING AND GENERAL SMITH, WISHES to inform the residents of Beaufort and district that he has commenced business opposite the Golden Age Hotel, Beaufort, and hopes, by strict attention to business, good workmanship, and moderate charges, to merit a share of public patronage.

Boots! Boots! Boots! A GOOD ASSORTMENT of GENTLEMEN'S, LADIES', and CHILDREN'S BOOTS always kept in stock.

GEORGE LOFT, BOOT AND SHOE MAKER, Havelock street, Beaufort, three doors from the Golden Age Hotel.

GEORGE SYNNOT & CO. (Established for 23 years), WOOL BROKERS, HIDE, SKIN, AND TALLOW SALEMEN, STOCK AND STATION AGENTS.

THE name of M. MOSS & Co. THE CELEBRATED WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

Advances on Wool, Grain, etc., Stock, Stations, and Station Produce of all kinds.

NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (Limited), Capital, £3,000,000, Reserve Fund, £200,000.

Make Liberal Cash Advances ON STOCK SECURITIES, ENSURING CLIPS OF WOOL, GRAIN, ETC., FOR SALE IN MELBOURNE OR SHIPMENT TO LONDON.

On Sale AT JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD, CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOWY STREETS.

TO SHEEP FARMERS, SELECTORS, AND OTHERS. E. J. STRICKLAND'S Ballarat.

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ACTS AS SELLING BROKER ONLY. E. J. S. is again thanking his numerous constituents.

SALE DAY—THURSDAYS. Any of the forwarding agents will receive consignments, pay all charges, and forward with despatch.

NOVELTIES AND SPECIALITIES FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON IN ALL OUR FANCY DEPARTMENTS. Also New Goods suitable for Christmas and New Year.

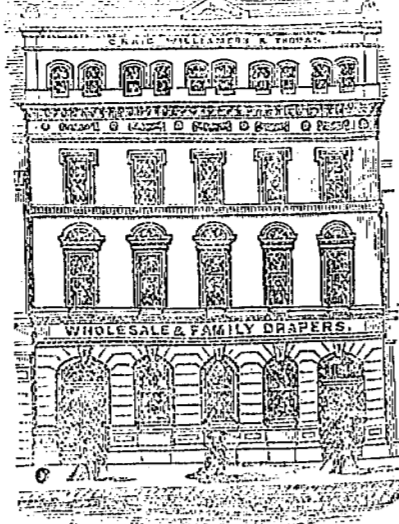
HAWKES BROS., IRON AND STEEL MERCHANTS, Importers of English, American, and Continental HARDWARE.

THE WONDERFUL WERTHEIM SEWING MACHINES. PRICE LIST AND SAMPLES FREE FROM.

Starting Announcement. Houses without Money or Security ON S. NATHAN'S WONDERFUL SYSTEM OF TIME PAYMENT.

OXYGEN IS LIFE.—Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne—Multitudes of people are hopelessly suffering from Debility, Nervous and Liver Complaints, Depression of Spirits, Hypochondria, Thinness, Indigestion, Failure of Hearing, Sight, and Memory, Lassitude, Want of Power, &c., whose cases admit of a permanent cure by the new Oxygene Phosphodyne (Ozonic Oxygen), which at once allays all irritation and excitement, imparts new energy and life to the enfeebled constitution, and rapidly cures every stage of these disorders...

Important Discovery. GREEN BANK PATENT DOUBLE REFINED CAUSTIC SODA. Makes the Finest Hard Soap absolutely without Boiling!! No special apparatus required. By simply mixing with tallow refuse grease, or oil, any quantity of soap can be made in 5 minutes, from ten pounds in a few minutes to ten tons in a few hours. Quality superior, and cost much less than any boiled soap; when refuse grease or oil can be obtained the best hard soap can be made, costing only a half-penny a pound!!



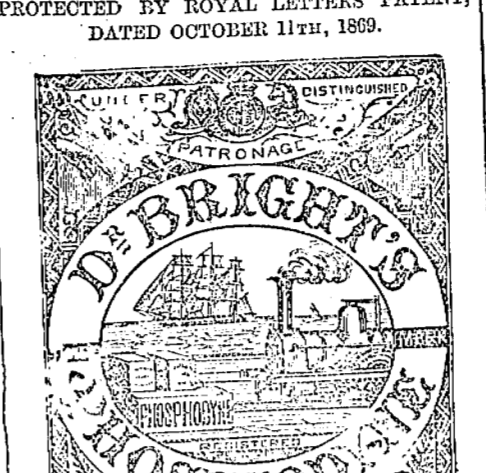
IMPORTANT NOTICE TO HEADS OF FAMILIES AND OTHERS.

The Great Pain Annihilator. PROFESSOR SCOTT'S MAGIC BALM. Is the only medicine that will Cure Toothache Instantly and Permanently. Diphtheria in One Night.

Neuritis ... Instantly Headache ... Instantly Rheumatism ... From 1 to 7 days Sciatica ... From 1 to 14 days Lumbago ... From 1 to 7 days Colic ... Instantly and Permanently Diarrhoea and Dysentery ... From 1 to 12 hours It treats Cuts, Burns, Scalds, Bruises, etc., and all kinds of internal and external aches and pains. NEVER FAILS TO CURE, AND HAS NO EQUAL.

Oxygen is Life. ALTHOUGH the modern Materia Medica includes many valuable remedies for human afflictions, it is a matter of certainty that in all cases where the animal vitality is failing, Phosphorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy...

PROTECTED BY ROYAL LETTERS PATENT, DATED OCTOBER 11th, 1879.



Wonders of DeBriete's Phosphodyne. The cures which this Ointment effects in healing piles and fistulas of long standing, after they have resisted all other applications, have been so numerous and notorious that it is not possible to detail them here. It is sufficient to know that this Ointment has never produced a single failure.

Valuable Discovery for the Hair.—If your hair is turning grey, white, or falling off, use "The Mexican Hair Renewer," 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 Renewer," sold by Chemists and Perfumers everywhere at 3s. 6d. per bottle. Wholesale depot removed to 33, Farringdon Road, London.

THE COMMON CAUSTIC SODA SOLD IN DRUMS WILL NOT MAKE SOAP AT ALL BY THIS ABOVE DIRECTIONS. The Soapmaker must use an absolutely pure unadulterated soap, far superior in quality to any boiled soap, and much cheaper. It contains all the glycerine originally contained in the press cake, a valuable ingredient all the soap makers value...

CRAIG, WILLIAMSON, AND THOMAS. Wholesale Prices.

Supplies the Public with Drapery, Woollens, Clothing, Carpets, Floorcloths and Linoleums, Bedsteads and Bedding, direct from the Importers, at actual Wholesale Prices.

TESTIMONIALS.—Which are genuine. WONDROUS CURE OF SEVERE PAINS IN THE HEAD. Consultant of the United States of America at Auckland, N.Z., 1st August, 1878.

THE WONDERFUL MAGIC BALM. Is a boon to Society; it has never been known to fail when properly applied in accordance with the printed directions, and only requires a trial to prove its wonderful efficacy. It is now a household word, and is used throughout all the Australia and New Zealand Colonies...

Following complaints: Bad Legs, Bad Brains, Burms, Bunions, Chapped Hands, Corns (Soft), Contracted and Stiff Joints, Erysipelas, Gout, Glandular Swell, Hemorrhoids, Lumbago, Piles, Rheumatism, Sciatica, Sore Throats, Scurvy, Skin Diseases, Sore Feet, Swellings, Ulcers, Wounds.

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 under the label on the quart bottles, since 1st October, 1878, and continue to inclose in every DAY'S PACKING THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, THREE (3) 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 UDOLOPH WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS, with our name upon the top label M. Moss & Co., Wynyard Lane, Sydney.

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WONDROUS 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. I used some of your wonderful medicine, the "Magic Balm," which I have used for several days, and I find that I have felt no pain since, which I am very thankful for, and can recommend it with pleasure.

THE NEW CURATIVE AGENT, and only Reliable Remedy for Nervous and Liver Complaints. (OZONIC OXYGEN).

Lives of great men all revolve around one point. We can make our lives what we will. Let us make our lives what we ought to make them.

Beaufort Post Office. TIME TABLE, 1883. Table with columns: Post Town, Mails arrive at Beaufort, Mails close at Beaufort. Rows include Melbourne, Geelong, Ballarat, Traralgon, Raglan, Chute, Waterloo, Main Lead, Sailor's Gully, Stockyard Hill, Ararat, Bunger, Eurambur, Shirley.

POPULAR, SAFE AND EFFICACIOUS. DR. D. JAYNE'S STANDARD FAMILY MEDICINES. EXPECORANT. DR. D. JAYNE'S EXPECORANT cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, Sore Throats, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma and Pleurisy; is a prompt and certain palliative in Consumption, and all Pulmonary and Bronchial Disorders, in action freeing the Lungs and Bronchial tubes of irritating and obstructing matters, and healing the ulcerated surfaces.

Wool Brokers. GEORGE HAGUE & CO. Will hold Sales of Wool every Tuesday during the ensuing Season. TO keep pace with the rapid increase in their business they have made extensive additions and improvements to their warehouses, which are now unobscured in Geelong for the STORAGE and EFFICIENT DISPLAY OF WOOL.

WONDROUS CURE OF RHEUMATISM. PROFESSOR SCOTT'S MAGIC BALM. I have long suffered from a severe case of chronic rheumatism, from which I have long suffered. I was almost a cripple, could hardly walk, and I was unable to do any work whatever. On seeing your advertisement, I 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.

DR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE. Is sold only in Cases at 10s. 6d. by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the Globe. I have been suffering from a severe case of chronic rheumatism, from which I have long suffered. I was almost a cripple, could hardly walk, and I was unable to do any work whatever.

How to Enjoy Life. Is only known when the blood is pure, its circulation perfect, and the nerves in good order. The only safe and certain method of expelling all impurities is to take Holloway's Pills, which have the power of cleansing the blood from all noxious matters, expelling all humors which tend to impurify it, and thereby purify and invigorate the system.

Victorian Railways. TIME TABLE. FROM MELBOURNE TO STAVELL. Table with columns: Train Name, Time, Destination. Rows include Melbourne to Stavell, Stavell to Melbourne, Melbourne to Traralgon, Traralgon to Melbourne.

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

Lightning Sewer. THE NEW WILSON Oscillating Sewing Machine. Is the BEST SEWING MACHINE IN THE WORLD for Family Sewing and Manufacturing. No Coqs, Complicated Cams, or Elaborate Mechanism. Entirely NEW in Principle, Detail, and Detail.

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HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT. Had Legs, Bad Brains, Wounds, and Ulcerations of all kinds. This is no medicinal preparation which may be so thoroughly relied upon in the treatment of the most obstinate and inveterate cases of the skin, as the Ointment of Holloway's Pills. It is a simple, but effective, cure for all these affections, and it is not possible to list the various cases in which it has been used with success.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. No family should be without these Pills. Their long tried efficacy in curing disorders of the Liver and Stomach, stimulating the bowels, and purifying the blood, has secured for them an imperishable name throughout the world. A few doses produce comfort, a short continuance effects a complete cure. Invalids may look forward towards this refreshing and revivifying medicine with the certainty of obtaining relief.

WILSON Sewing Machine. TABLE. Shows specifications for different sizes of machines, including needle size, thread size, and other technical details.

AGUE MIXTURE. Dr. D. Jayne's Ague Mixture an unfailing Curative for Fever and Ague, Intermittent and Remittent Fevers, and all complaints of a like nature. It breaks up the chills, and assists in restoring the Liver and Digestive organs to a healthy condition; it also exercises a tranquillizing effect on the nerves, and has a most excellent tonic properties which enable it when taken in conjunction with the Sanative Pills, to eradicate the disease.

SANATIVE PILLS. Dr. Jayne's Sanative Pills are known all over the world as a mild, prompt and effective purgative of established efficacy in Liver Complaints, and all Bilious affections, Headache, Disordered Stomach, Dyspepsia, Female Diseases and Diseases of the skin. In small doses they are alternative and gently laxative, in large doses actively cathartic.

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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases: Ague, Rheumatism, Retention of Urine, Scrofula, King's Evil, Sore Throats, Stone, &c., &c., &c. Indigestion and its Cure. Indigestion with torpidity of the Liver is the bane of thousands, who pass each day with accumulated sufferings, all of which may be avoided by taking these Pills according to the accompanying directions.

W. FORD AND CO. TABLE. Shows list of agents and branches in various Australian locations, including Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, Perth, and others.

SOLE AGENTS FOR AUSTRALIA. W. FORD AND CO., 76 SWANSTON STREET, MELBOURNE. Sole Agents—Waltherspoon Bros. and Co.

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SWISS CHEESE.

NOTE: FACTS ABOUT ITS MANUFACTURE IN SWITZERLAND.

The manufacture of cheese in Switzerland... Swiss cheese is made in the high pastures about the village of Emmenthal...

Naturalist.

HONEY ANTS.

THE Garden of the Gods in Colorado is a bit of green-scenery of the true American type...

nocturnal species, and he had to follow them through the thick forest in the land...

tail is actually splitting into meters that thus fill but one-fifth of the zone, but will in time be satisfied through whole extent...

Dr. Owen reports the results of one hundred and fifty-one cases of diphtheria treated with acetic acid...

AN INCUBATOR FOR INFANTS. Mr. TARNIER, the surgeon of the Maternity Hospital in Paris, struck by the great mortality among infants...

At the recent meeting of the British Association, Mr. Barlow read a paper "On the Mechanical Properties of Aluminium..."

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RECIPES.

To Keep Cheese.—To keep cheese moist, wrap it in a cloth dipped in white wine...

BAKED QUINCES.—Wash and core ripe quinces, fill with sugar, bake in a stewpan with a little water...

FRUIT JAM.—To be served with broiled spare rib or roast pork, is very delicate. Take nine large tart apples...

THE BEST OF ALL THE PILL-BOX EVER. Since ever time began, are the doctors who have most to do with the health of a heavy man...

WARM MILK A HEALTH RESTORER. CONSIDERABLE has been lately said in medical journals concerning the value of warm milk as a remedial agent in certain diseases...

Humour. CHIFFONS FROM PARIS. (TRANSLATED FROM LE FIGARO.) THE doctor orders M. Lerat four baths of half-an-hour duration...

Mademoiselle Baby has just perverted the truth most outrageously. "Oh! it is wicked to tell lies! say mamma to her..."

Mademoiselle Tata talks with her nurse: "Do you think he will propose?" Silence of the nurse.

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At the Zoo. M. Prudhomme showing the tortoise to his son: "See, my child, how nature sometimes distributes her favors so unequally..."

THE BOY WHO WOULD'N'T BE AN ANGEL. A DORSETSHIRE Sunday school class had just finished singing. "I want to be an angel, and with the angels stand..."

WHY SHE WANTED TO SAVE HIM. DURING a Deadwood quarrel the other night a woman was seen to rush between the combatants...

WHY HE DIDN'T TAKE IT. Nor long ago an old pioneer, who had lived in Texas in the days of the early colonies, was once boasting of the good old times...

AN INNOCENT HOOPER'S EXPERIENCE. YESTERDAY afternoon a tall, lank individual, dressed in a faded suit of brown jeans...

WHAT'S THE MATTER NOW? inquired a one-eyed man of a group of young sports who were posed on the sidewalk...

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THE mails for Ararat, Melbourne, Ballarat, Geelong, Bunger, and Traralgon are despatched twice daily. Mails for Waterloo are despatched daily. Mails for Shibley, and Eurambour 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.

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No special apparatus required. By simply mixing with warm water, or oil, any quantity of soap can be made at a time, from ten pounds in a few minutes to ten tons in a few hours. Quality superior, and cost much less than any other soap; when refined grass or oil can be obtained the best hair soap can be made, costing only a half-penny a pound!

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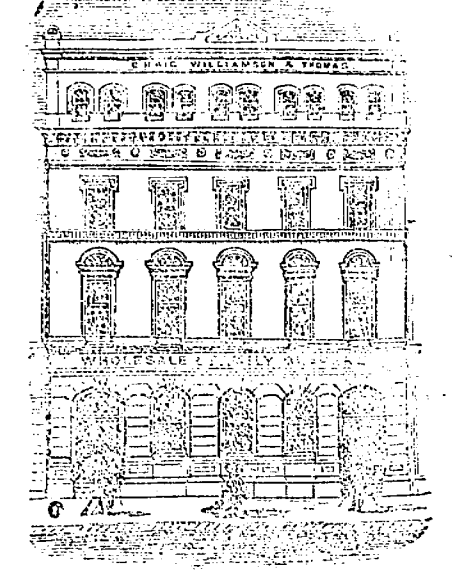
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Geelong Wool Sales. GEORGE HAGUE & CO. Will hold Sales of Wool every Tuesday during the ensuing Season.

TO keep pace with the rapid increase in their business they have made extensive additions and improvements to their warehouses, which are now arranged in Geelong for the STORAGE and EFFICIENT DISPLAY OF WOOL. Every lot, no matter how small, is carefully examined prior to sale, and protected up to full market value.

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LATEST NEWS.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.] (FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) MELBOURNE, Friday Evening.

SATURDAY, 24TH MARCH, At One o'clock p.m.

321 Acres of Superior Land; Parish of Murchison. In the Estate of the late Elias Sanders. By order of the administrators.

Schedule W.—Clause 42. We, the undersigned, hereby give notice that we did, on the 5th day of March, 1883, take possession of such a quantity of land as may, under the provisions of clause 42, section 4, of the Statute in that behalf made, be held under six leases...

Notice. PERSONS found trespassing with dogs on the PROSECUTED. TROUS. TINDALE, Manager. March 17th, 1883.

NOTICES.

Wanted Known. THAT on and after MONDAY, 12th inst., I will start a LINE of COACHES between Waterloo and Beaufort will be REDUCED. Single fare, either way, 2s; and return, 3s 6d. HARRY SMITH, January 18th, 1883.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS, AUCTIONEER. King street, Beaufort, and Queen street, Ararat. Estate and Financial Agent, Arbitrator and Valuer, Wool, Grain, and Money Broker.

W. H. WILLIAMS, SHOWING AND GENERAL SMITH. WISHES to inform the residents of Beaufort and district that he has commenced business opposite the Golden Age Hotel, Beaufort, and hopes, by strict attention, good workmanship, and moderate charges, to merit a share of public patronage.

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PUBLIC NOTICE. THE undersigned, in thanking his numerous customers throughout the district for past favors, at the same time wishes to contradict an erroneous report which is being industriously spread through the district...

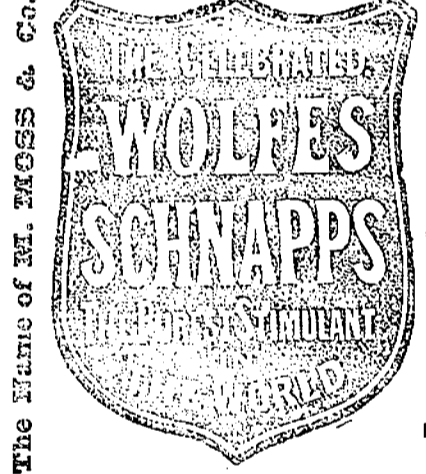
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A BANKER LOOKED UP IN HIS SAFE.

An extraordinary will case is now pending before the Tribunal of Carpentras, in France. It has arisen out of a strange adventure that happened some time back to M. Jules Braine, the chief partner in the banking house of Braine and Co., in the above mentioned historic town.

A FEW FACTS ABOUT BEER.

Some time ago writes the Melbourne correspondent of the "Hamilton Spectator", the fortunes of a certain brewing firm in Melbourne had reached a very low ebb, when there came seeking employment, a brewer.

REGINA SABBATH SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.

SERMONS in connection with the above will be preached by the Rev. R. ALLEN at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Sunday, 18th inst.

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All farmers should understand the effects of lime upon their lands. Dr. Lawes of England publishes an article on lime in the North British Agriculturist...

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SHAKESPEARE FLY-POETRY.

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PREFACE. AMONGST THE MANY EFFLUENTS of the almost universal knowledge of the greatest poet of English speaking races...

Naturalist. GLOSSARIUM SPIDERS. A BOATING party on the Charles River, near Waltham, Mass., encountered the other day a cloud of gossamer spiders...

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VERY NATURAL. A furious radical propagator of the use of dynamite among the disciples of brotherhood among the 'infamous bourgeoisie'...

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M. M. Thollan & Gough have lately been subjected the great comet (Cruik's) to the spectroscopic. On September 9th they saw distinct sodium lines...

THE WHEAT CROP OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

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The wind of autumn blows Destruction to the rose; It takes the sunburnt nose, Among the leaves its rose...

HOW A BETTER THING.

It was really funny to see him bruce up as he entered, in a coronation style, with a black coat, adjusted his hat, above a pencil necktie, and to disguise himself...













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THE LAWS OF BREEDING.

In a note to John L. Hayes, Jr., D. D., editor of the Bulletin of the National Academy of Sciences...

THE ROT IN SHEEP: OR THE LIFE-HISTORY OF THE LIVER-FLUKE.

An article of considerable interest to sheep farmers, under the above title, lately appeared in Nature from the pen of A. J. P. Cook...

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or here, that comparatively little is known of its progress, development, or results. There have been, I believe, but four or five crosses reported in both Europe and this country."

THE BEAN was introduced from the East into England at an early period as an article of food both for men and horses. It was regarded as a sacred plant by the Greeks and Romans, but by the Egyptian priests was looked on as unclean. See Australian Botany (Guilfoyle) p. 57, and Treasury of Botany p. 355.

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1600 bricks on outside and inside walls; on the top and angles of chimneys and on the wood or stone work, not more than half of this or some work could be laid. To find the number of bricks in a wall, first find the number of square feet of surface, and then multiply by 7 for a 4 inch wall, by 14 for an 8 inch wall, by 21 for a 12 inch wall, and by 28 for a 16 inch wall."

THE STUDY OF CLEMATIS-LEAVES BREAKFAST. Did you ever hear of the trick played upon a deaf and dumb child, Clematis, as I have done, while on their way to the annual meeting of the General Assembly? The brethren had traveled some twenty miles before they reached the hotel, and were very tired, and that it is in the eye is only a matter of accident in the course of its penetration of the body of the horse."

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with his hopes of days that are to come. Beautiful also is the stirring of love, with its fond remembrances, and its milrow side turned toward heaven as well as earth. Young people marry their opposites in temper and general character, and such a marriage is generally a good one. They do it involuntarily. The young man does not say, "My black eyes require to be wed to blue, and my overvehement requires to be a little modified with somewhat of dullness and reserve."

TABLETTS. In spite of the attempt to introduce cyanide of potassium, preference in the highest circles is still given to fine white diamonds, but occasionally the dross is trimmed with lace edges. GARDENING. Fashionable dinner-tables are lighted by candles, and either side of the centre piece, or occasionally by a central cluster of branch lights, which surmount a pair of vases, all springing from the same base. Usually the foundation is a mirror, and the support the figure of a child or mythological subject. WESTHIA LOANES.—Beat one pound of mealy potatoes with one-fourth pound of grated ham, two eggs, a little butter, and a little cream; mix the eggs and cream together, fry them a nice light brown; they should be fried in butter. Pile them on a napkin, and serve with a garnish of fried parsley.

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technical botanists call it. That is an ununusually good word, imbricated, by way of scientific terminology; for it means, arranged like tiles on a roof; and in fact the scales do really lap over one another just like the Italian tiles that one sees on cottages in Southern Europe. These short, broad, brown, close-set scales are themselves by origin abortive leaves; or, to put it more truly, they are leaves which have given up their original function of digesting fresh material from the air, and have taken to the new function of protecting the more active sitters from the sharp teeth of their forest. Underneath the brown outer pieces, however, you come at last to some tiny bright green knobs; and these shapely little things are the living parts which carry on the continuity of the bush from one season to another. As soon as spring sets in, they will be supplied with fresh living material from the reserve stores in the permanent tissues of the hawthorn, and they will then swell quickly within the brown covering, showing at first a little pinkish tint, and finally spreading out as thin, pale green leaves, full of very active chlorophyll—giving them that beautiful spring hue which we all love and admire so much in the first days of returning sunshine. Some trees carry this principle of provision for the future one step further, and by thus showing buds as well as their leaf buds for months beforehand. For example, look at this little sprig which I have just picked from the overhanging alder. You see at once that it is covered by two kinds of buds, one of which clearly foreshadows the buds of the next year, and are just as distinctly warmer catkins. At the very first approach of warmer weather in earliest spring, the alder catkins burst out at once into full bloom, and so succeed in getting into the cone-like fruits well set by wind-fertilisation, long before even the willows and the elms have been duly impregnated by the honey-seeking bees.

Naturalist. A NATURALIST'S YEAR.

How full of promise for the coming season is this little flock of sprig of hawthorn, which I picked from the hedge, and always thickly covered with the buds and leaves of next spring's foliage. In a certain sense, indeed, one may fairly say that the naturalist's year begins most truly in late autumn. It is then that many of the annual life-cycles start on their appointed course; it is then that next year's seeds are sown, that next year's leaves are rudely formed, that next year's flowers are buried securely in the sheltering ground. Take, for example, the case of foliage and flowers. To the casual observer, it seems as though these most notable of all external objects, which mark the trees and the field throughout the whole summer, began their yearly course with the first return of spring. In reality, however, many or most of them have lived on in embryo forms from the preceding autumn. This is the case even with annual seedlings; for if you cut open a seed, you will find that it consists of either one or two seed-leaves (according as it belongs to one or other of the two great flowering stocks), and these seed-leaves, and the rudimentary buds, are already perfect in the fruit, although they do not expand and develop their foliage head until the spring comes with its warmth and moisture to continue the arrested cycle of their growth. When some precocious plants, indeed, the young seedlings habitually sprout in great numbers during the autumn, struggle on somehow through the cold season, and start afresh with redoubled vigour in March or April. This is the case with the pine tree in England, with the little grasses or cleavers, which is now growing abundantly in every hedgerow here, and is struggling among the brambles and briars as if it meant to hold its own bravely till the frosts are over.

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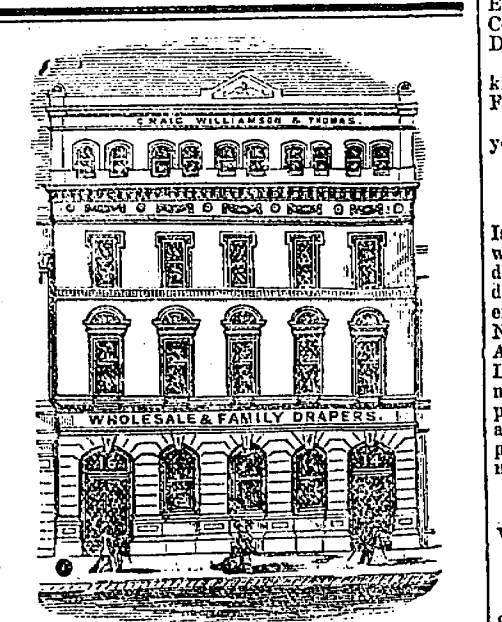
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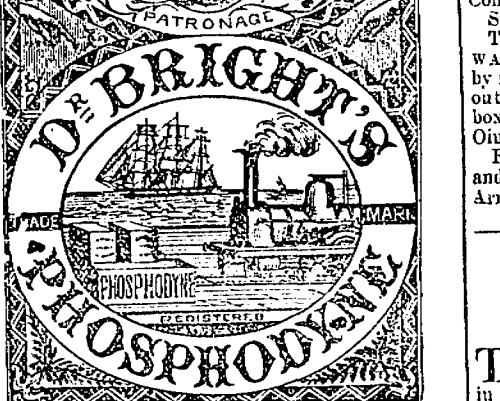
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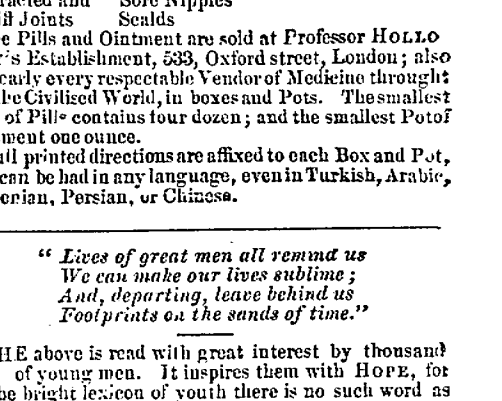
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