

Agriculture.

Mistakes in Farm Work.

A WRITER in the Rural Home tells of several mistakes he has made in cutting potatoes and allowing the pieces to remain in a barrel...

Making "Breakfast Bacon."

FOR 100 pounds of meat seven pounds of fine salt, two quarts of molasses with this amount of saltpetre...

Horse Eating Dirt.

WHEN a horse is said to suffer from indigestion or some other gastric disturbance...

Green Food for Fowls.

A SUPPLY of green food is necessary for the maintenance of thrift and health of the warm season...

Dyspepsia in Cows.

EVERYBODY who keeps cows ought to remember that these animals, like human beings...

Nature.

THE CROW.

PROF. W. A. STEINNS, in a lecture upon the utility of birds in agriculture, stated that few birds...

Household.

Remedies for Headache.

THE following recipes and suggestions for the treatment of different forms of headache are collected from a variety of trustworthy sources...

Remedies for Headache.

Two grains caffeine of caffeine, in capsule, taken every half hour, is a very effective remedy in nervous and sick headache...

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Muriate of ammonia, 3 drachms; acetate of morphia, 1 grain; citrate of calcium, 3 grains; acetate of ammonia, 1 drachm; elixir of guaiacum, 4 ounces; rose water, 4 ounces...

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Dr. W. W. Carpenter, is very effective in most forms of headache: Muriate of ammonia, 3 drachms; acetate of morphia, 1 grain; citrate of calcium, 3 grains...

Remedies for Headache.

Dr. Lander Brunton, editor of the London Practitioner, says: "The administration of a brisk purgative, or small doses of Epsom salts, three times a day, is a most effective remedy for frontal headache when associated with constipation..."

to acid diluted 10 drops in a wine glass of water, or bicarb, soda, 10 grains, in water, before meals...

Dr. Riggs had raised corn and watched the operations of the crows. Going upon the field in less than a minute after the crows had left it...

Mr. Pratt stated that he had used coal tar on his corn for five or six years, and had never a spear pulled by the crows...

Mr. Gold had known of crows pulling corn for many years, and he had seen them do it after the second hoeing...

Mr. Ayer was inclined to believe that the crows were pulling corn for five or six years, and had not lost twenty hills by crows...

Mr. Goodwin thought crows were scavengers of the waste, and did good service in destroying the worms, grubs, and insects that preyed upon their trees...

Which is the way from the crowded city. To land of shadow and silent peace. Where women can love and men can pity...

Where are the fields and their emerald cover. The new-found love, and the long-tried love. They are better by far than our feverish art...

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To order out a posy of the "city council-men." To kill the dog! But, strange to tell, they searched the country round...

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MINING MANAGEMENT AND MINING CALLS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE ARGUS.

Sir,—As a new bill on the subject of mining management is at present before Parliament, will you allow me to invite the consideration of honorable members...

labourers are begging for work. There is but one general conclusion that can be drawn from this, and that is, that the policy of New South Wales and Queensland is doing more...

Complete and utter failure will inevitably attend all attempts to rival Wolfe's Schnapps. The secret agencies of this marvelous preparation...

A farmer named Leslie was accidentally shot through the foot at the Wycheproof sports, held in connexion with the opening of the railway on Friday...

JOHN HUMPHREYS, COMMISSION & INSURANCE AGENT, ACCOUNTANT, ETC., Neill Street, Beaufort.

RENTS AND DEBTS COLLECTED. Secretary and Manager of the Kingfisher G.M.C., Beaufort.

GEELOG WOOL SALES. Synnot, Everingham, & Co., WOOL BROKERS, STOCK AND STATION AGENTS.

ARE prepared to make Liberal Cash Advances on the London market. Foreign Sale days, Thursdays and Thursdays for Wool...

All consignments of Wool, etc., are carefully valued by members of the firm, and duly protected up to valuations. When values are not realized...

Geelong, as a market for wool, is acknowledged by all who have tried it to be the best in the colony for the sale of either large or small clips...

Consignments from any part of Victoria or from any of the colonies will receive our best attention. Woolpacks and all Station Stores on sale at lowest rates.

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

G. TUFF'S CHEAP CASH Drapery, Boots, & Clothing STORE, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

The Cheapest House in the District. W. EDWARD NICKOLS, AUCTIONEER.

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

WOOL, HIDE, SKIN AND TALLOW AUCTION ROOMS, Lydiard-street north, near Railway Station.

ACTS AS SELLING BROKER ONLY. E. J. STRICKLAND'S Ballarat.

NOTICE.—A CALL (the 2nd) of Three Pence per share has been made on the capital of the Company, due and payable at the Company's Office...

Schedule N.—Clause 42. WE, the undersigned, hereby give notice that we will, on the 22nd day of September, 1883...

Working Miners Gold Mining Company, No-Responsibility, Waterloo. September 28th, 1883.

John James Trevatt, Shoing and Jobbing Smith, HAS COMMENCED BUSINESS in the premises lately occupied by Mr. W. Buchanan...

SADDLERY SADDLERY SADDLERY GEORGE GREENWOOD, Saddler and Harness Maker, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

RETURNS THANKS to his patrons and the public in general for past favors and begs to inform them that he has just received a Large and Assorted Stock of Saddles, Brilles, Whips, Spunges, Chamois, Brushes, Carry and Manje Combs...

THOMAS GEO. ARCHARD, CIVIL ENGINEER.

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Beaufort and District that he is prepared to execute Plans and Specifications for any description of buildings...

THE CELEBRATED PURE CLYDES-DALE STALLION, TOM BOY

Will stand this season at E. Waugh's Banagar Hotel, and will travel the surrounding district.

YOUNG TOMBOY is a bay, and is by the celebrated imported Clydesdale stallion Tom Boy, and out of the celebrated Clydesdale mare Daching...

First class grass paddock, well watered. Every acre taken by no responsibility. Mares to be removed and paid for when mated (of which due notice will be given) after which 1s. 6d. per week will be charged for grazing.

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

And will travel the Surrounding District. He is by VANQUISHER, the imported pure Clydesdale sire horse, and has taken champion prizes at Ballarat, Stawell, and Hosham...

With regard to Druid, the following extracts from the "Journal of the Royal Agricultural Society of England" speak for themselves as to the excellence of that horse...

YOUNG VANQUISHER took second prize as a second yearling at the Agricultural Show, and YOUNG VANQUISHER'S dam was bred by the late William Lewis, Esq., Stoneleigh, and got by the late Mr. James Mitchell, near Kilpatrick, near Glasgow...

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THE THOROUGHBRED STALLION, LEO, Will Stand This Season at Chestpote.

THE IMPORTED ARAB HORSE, SERANG, Will Stand This Season at Chestpote.

AUSTRALASIA'S SWEEP. MELBOURNE CUP.

THE GREATEST RACING EVENT OF THE YEAR (To be run November 6th.) 12,000 SHARES, 5s. EACH AN EVEN FOUR SHARES, 25s.

THE THIRD CONSULATIONS OF MY 1883 SHARES. The success and general satisfaction over previous events must be deemed sufficient introduction for this...

M. MOSS & CO., SOLE AGENTS WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS, J. W. HARRIS, MINING AGENT.

SHARE BROKER, BEAUFORT. Member of the Ballarat Stock Exchange.

M. J. LILLEY BEGS to inform the general public that he has opened the Railway Dining Rooms, near the Beaufort railway station, and is prepared to supply meals at all hours at moderate rates.

INTIMATION.

FIRST GRAND SHOW OF THE SEASON OF SPRING AND SUMMER NOVELTIES

From London and Glasgow, at WOTHERSPOON BROS. & CO'S,

SATURDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, 1883.

W. B. & CO. have just received a Magnificent Assortment of the Newest and Choicest Novelty of the Season from the leading European Manufacturers...

PRINTS AND SATTEENS. W. B. & CO. would draw special attention to their Magnificent Selection of Prints and Sateens in all the newest FRENCH and ENGLISH Styles...

BOOTS AND SHOES. Having arranged with several First-class Makers to supply them at Extremely Low Rates for Cash, they are in a position to offer customers the Best Market Value.

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

NOTE THE ADDRESS: HAWKES BROS., Neill street, Beaufort.

THE WONDERFUL WERTHEIM SEWING MACHINES

PRICE LIST AND SAMPLES FREE FROM RETAIL DEPOTS AT MELBOURNE, BALLARAT, STAWELL, GEORGETOWN, HAMILTON.

VICTORIA INSURANCE COMPANY Limited. Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING.

THE PUREST SPIRIT IN THE WORLD. THE PUREST SPIRIT IN THE WORLD.

Wanted Known. THAT on and after MONDAY, 11th inst., I will start a LINE of COACHES between Waterloo and Beaufort...

On Sale AT JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD, CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOBY STREETS—

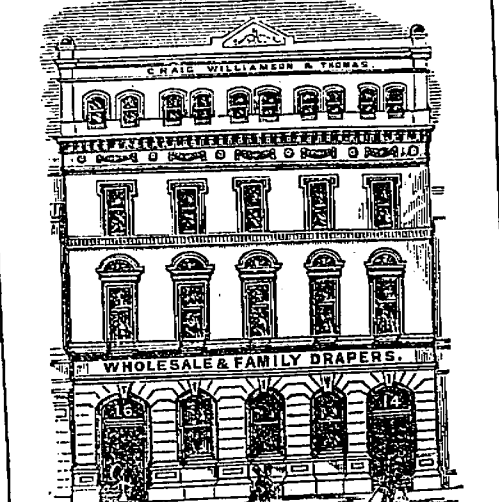
HARRIS & TROY, PRODUCE DEALERS BEAUFORT. Agents for Broadbent Bros. & Co. Wm. McCulloch and Co. Permewan, Wright and Co.

FORWARDING, COMMISSION & RAILWAY AGENTS & LICENSED CARRIERS.

THE BAD AND WORTHLESS. Are never imitated or counterfeited. This is especially true of a family medicine...

THROAT AFFECTIONS AND HOARSENESS.—All suffering from irritation of the throat and hoarseness will be greatly relieved by the use of "Brown's Bronchial Troches."

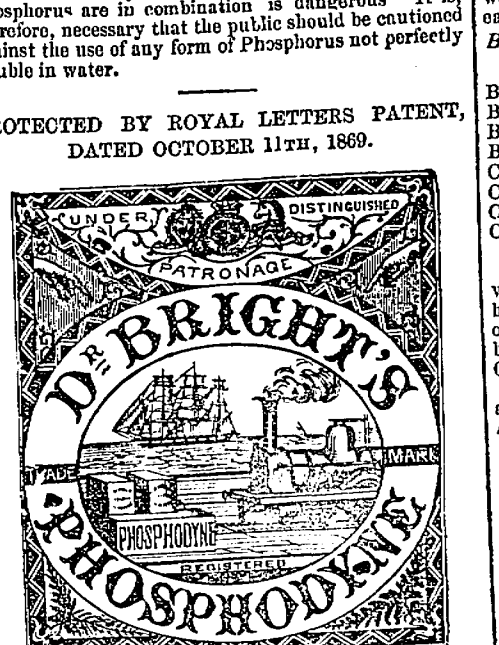
ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.



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

NEURALGIA. Instantly cured. Headache. From 1 to 7 days. Rheumatism. From 1 to 14 days. Sciatica. From 1 to 14 days. Lumbago. From 1 to 14 days. Earache. Instantly and permanently. Colic, Campy, and Spasms. From 1 to 15 minutes.

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 falling...



Piles, Fistulas, and Eczematous. The cures which this Ointment effects in healing piles and fistulas of long standing, after they have resisted all other applications...

For the Blood is the Life. CLARKE'S WORLD FAMED BLOOD MIXTURE. THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER AND RESTORER. For cleansing and clearing the blood from all impurities...

FLORINE.—FOR THE TEETH AND BREATH.—A few drops of the liquid "Florine" sprinkled on a wet tooth-brush produces a pleasant lather, which thoroughly cleanses the teeth from all parasites or impurities...

FREE GIFTS!—The proprietors of WOLFE'S SCHIEDAM AROMATIC SNAPPS, to induce the destruction and prevent the imitations of their wrappers and labels...

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO HEADS OF FAMILIES AND OTHERS. Drapery, Woollens and Clothing, Carpets, Floorcloths and Linoleums, Bedsteads and Bedding, direct from the Importers, at actual Wholesale Prices.

CRAIG, WILLIAMSON, AND THOMAS. SUPPLY the Public with Drapery, Woollens, Carpets, Floorcloths, Linoleums, Bedsteads and Bedding at Importers' Rates.

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...

WONDERFUL CURE OF TOOTHACHE. [Sworn Affidavit.] I hereby certify that I have been suffering terribly with my teeth for several years past and had tried all known remedies...

THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER AND RESTORER. For cleansing and clearing the blood from all impurities cannot be too highly recommended.

DR. BRIGG'S PHOSPHODYNE. It is sold in Bottles of 6d. each, and in Cases containing six times the quantity, 1s. each—sufficient to effect a permanent cure in the great majority of long-standing cases...

READ THE FOLLOWING.—"Carlton, near Nottingham, February 27, 1883. 'Messrs. the Midland Counties Drug Company, Lincoln. Gentlemen,—Some ten years ago my wife became lame with ulcerated legs. I tried every recommendation for a cure, and also a large number of doctors...

DR. BRIGG'S PHOSPHODYNE. It is sold in Bottles of 6d. each, and in Cases containing six times the quantity, 1s. each—sufficient to effect a permanent cure in the great majority of long-standing cases...

SUFFERERS FROM WIND OF THE STOMACH, Indigestion, Costiveness, Giddiness, Sick Headaches, Heartburn, Disturbed Sleep, Flatulency of the Stomach, Colic, Ague, Biliousness, Liver Complaints, Skin Eruptions, &c., should use no life in availing themselves of that most excellent medicine—'PAGE WOODCOCK'S WIND FILLS'...

BEAUFORT TO MELBOURNE AND PORTLAND. FROM MELBOURNE TO STAWELL. LEAVE—Melbourne 6.30 a.m., 11.10 a.m., 4.10 p.m., 7 p.m.

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DRAPERY WAREHOUSE. AT 14 and 16 ELIZABETH STREET, AND their CARPET AND CLOTHING WAREHOUSE, 6 ELIZABETH STREET. CRAIG, WILLIAMSON, & THOMAS, IMPORTERS AND WAREHOUSEMEN, MELBOURNE.

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HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. NO family should be without these Pills. Their tried efficacy in correcting disorders of the liver and stomach, stimulating the bowels, and purifying the blood, has secured for them an imperishable name...

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS. KAY'S COMPOUND OF LIMESEED, Aniseed, Senega, Squill, Tolu, &c., with Chlorodyne. KAY'S COMPOUND, a demulcent expectorant, for Coughs and Colds.

Important Discovery. GREENBANK ALKALI CO.'S PATENT POWDERED DOUBLE REFINED CAUSTIC SODA. Makes the Finest Hard Soap absolutely without Boiling!!

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...

WONDERFUL CURE OF RHEUMATISM. PROFESSOR SCOTT'S.—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.

HOLLOWAY'S Ointment. Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, Wounds, and Ulcerations. It is sold in Bottles of 6d. each, and in Cases containing six times the quantity, 1s. each—sufficient to effect a permanent cure in the great majority of long-standing cases...

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Table with columns: Post Town, Mails arrive at Beaufort, Mails close at Beaufort. Rows include Melbourne, Geelong, Ballarat, Traralgon, Raglan, Chute, Waterloo, Lead, Sallow's Gully, Stockyard Hill, Ararat, Bunger, Eurambee, Shirley.

MEMO.—THE COMMON CAUSTIC SODA SOLD IN DRUMS WILL NOT MAKE SOAP AT ALL BY THE ABOVE DIRECTIONS. The Soap made in this way is an absolutely pure unadulterated soap, far superior in quality to any boiled soap made in any other way...

Lightning Sewer. The New WILSON Oscillating Shuttle Sewing Machine. Is the BEST SEWING MACHINE IN THE WORLD for Family Sewing and Manufacturing.

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. If he has none in stock he can easily procure it for you by sending to the Main Agency, at

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COMMERCIAL. BALLARAT WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET. There was a fair market on Thursday.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET. Wheat during the past week has experienced a further drop in value, and 4s 2d per bushel is now the best price.

GEELONG WOOL AND STATION PRODUCE MARKET. Tuesday, October 9. Messrs. George Hingus and Co. report:—Wool.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AND NEWS PAPERS. Anderson, Thomas. Boyd, James; Barnes, W.; Boyd, A.; Boyd, L.; Byrne, J.; Chering, J.; Cumming, T.; Corkhill, J.; Coghlan, M.; Dowd, Mrs.; Etherton, Isaac; Etherton, W.; Ellis, J.; Ellis, F.; Ellis, T.; Goode, Allen; Hains, Miss Kate; Lof, G.; Manners, T.; McIntosh, N.; Miller, J.; Murray, John; Murchison, Mr.; Morrison, Mr.; Mathison, Miss A.; Mayhew, John; McDonald, J.; McIntosh, Miss M. J.; Newling, P.; Nicholson, Gervas; Phillips, S. E.; Ramaay, H.; Roycroft, John; Sutherland, K. Miss; Topp, W. and G.; E. M. KILDAHL, Postmistress. Beaufort, October 12th, 1883.

THE Riponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1883.

At a recent meeting of the Beaufort Agricultural Society it was resolved that a charge of £4 4s per day be made to all other bodies requiring the use of the reserve, and that a deposit of £3 be paid as a guarantee that the grounds would be left in the same state as when taken possession of.

The affection between stage lovers is often so well acted that no one suspects the real feeling which exists between them. A writer says he knew two actors of the opposite sex who positively disliked each other, and were forced by their parts into the most devotional tenderness of conduct.

The notorious fact that St Petersburg is one of the most unhealthy cities in Europe—its annual death rate being over 51 per 1,000 of the population, or nearly 2 1/2 times greater than that of London—seems to be sufficiently accounted for by the quality of water supplied to the inhabitants.

A WISE DEACON.—Deacon Wilder, I want you to tell me how you kept your family so well the past season, when all the rest of us have been sick so much, and have had the doctors running to us so often.

WE BELIEVE that if everyone would use Hop Bitters freely there would be much less sickness and misery in the world, and people are fast finding this out by its use.

Consumers of Wolfe's Schnapps, especially those taking it medicinally, should purchase it only by the bottle, and thus ensure the genuine article, as there is a fraudulent imitation in the market.

How to GET SICK.—Expose yourself day and night, sit too much without exercise, work too hard without rest, doctor all the time, and then you will want to know.

How to GET WELL.—Which is answered in three words—Take Hop Bitters! Read

affair, but the two or three juries before whom the case was tried could not find the evidence conclusive enough to bring in a verdict of guilty, and as it was usual where there is the slightest doubt, the accused got the benefit of it.

Yesterday's issue of our esteemed contemporary, the "Ararat Advertiser," did not come to hand. From Messrs. A. H. Massina and Co., the publishers, we received a copy of a neat little work entitled, "The Australian Housewife's Manual," a book for beginners and people with small incomes.

Mr. Alfred M'Laren, of Ballarat, committed suicide while on board the steamer Cheviot, between Melbourne and Sydney, on Thursday.

The election of a member of the Legislative Assembly for the constituency of Emerald-hill took place on Tuesday, and resulted in the return of Mr. David Gannoun, who polled 941 votes against 936 obtained by Mr. A. Brown, and 854 recorded in favor of Mr. W. M. K. Vale.

The following letter, which explains itself, has been addressed to the superintendents of the several Sunday schools in the district:—"Beaufort, 9th October, 1883.—There is a movement on foot to see if there is a possibility of getting an amalgamated pleasure excursion to Queensfill of all the Sunday schools in the district, and it has been thought advisable that a conference, consisting of delegates from the various schools, be held to consider the matter.

The Ballarat Presbytery held their meeting in the Presbyterian Church, Beaufort, on Thursday last. The Rev. F. Souther (moderator) occupied the chair. The business transacted was not of any particular public interest.

Our attention has been called to a stack of wood in Burke street, which, to all appearances, is dangerous, as it is so badly stacked that it leans very much, and may fall at any minute.

There were three cases set down for hearing at the Beaufort Police Court on Monday last. Mr. James Prentice, J.P., was the only magistrate that put in an appearance, and hence the cases had to be postponed till next court-day.

The vague ambiguity of the following advertisement which recently appeared in a contemporary, is no doubt the result of trying to keep within the limited number of words that are inserted for sixpence.—Wanted, by a lady living within five minutes walk of the Post-office two gentlemen borders to share the same bedroom.

With the "Sketcher" to be published on the 24th instant will be issued a colored engraving entitled "How they saw the races." It is got up in an excellent style, something new for a colonial production, and depicts a number of amusing sketches in connection with a couple of country cousins who went to see the Melbourne Cup.

A special meeting of the Beaufort Fire Brigade was held last evening. Captain Stuart occupied the chair, and there were eighteen members present. The following resolutions were carried unanimously:—1. That the brigade endorse the action taken by the deputation that waited on the members of the Beaufort Agricultural Society in reference to obtaining the use of the grounds on Boxing Day, 1883.

The following are the reported yields for the past week:—New Victoria, 120oz.; Royal Saxons, 80oz.; Hobart Pasha, 60oz.; South Victoria, 16oz.; Waterloo, 10oz. We are informed that 29oz. was obtained from half a machine washed at the New Discovery mine on Thursday. We are unable, however, to give full returns for the week.

Seven young men, named James M'Gouch, Andrew M'Adam, Michael Carroll, John Stewart, Peter Moran, Joseph Fudge, and Matthew Newman, were charged at the Richmond Police Court on Saturday, with having on the 22nd ult. ridden in first-class railway carriages when they were only provided with second-class tickets. They were fined 20s. each, with 30s. costs.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Bentley, rate collector of St. Amaudhine, who disappeared with 2980 belonging to the shire.

The Government has decided to offer a reward of £500 for information which will lead to the conviction of the person who recently placed two railway chairs upon the Brighton line with the object of overthrowing a train.

Mr. S. Manger, hon. secretary of the United Fire Brigades, received a letter from the Secretary for Railways on Thursday stating with regard to the application for passes for the brigades to and from Albury in connection with the Sydney demonstration to be held on the 9th prox., that the transit of firemen was at present under consideration of the Government, and that he was not yet prepared to say that conveyances would be granted free as heretofore.—"Argus"

There are eleven claimants for a share in the reward of £100 offered by the Commercial Bank for the recovery of the gold stolen therefrom, and conviction of the robber. Six of them are detective police officers, and the remainder civilians.

On one occasion, while the celebrated Mr. Curran was addressing the jury, an ass began to bray, whereupon the judge interrupted him, saying, "One at a time, Mr. Curran, if you please." The speech being finished, the judge began his charge, and during its progress, the ass sent forth the full force of its lungs, whereupon the advocate said, "My lord, my lord, do you not hear a remarkable echo in court?"

An Italian woman was arrested in New York the other day for street begging who was proved to be worth 10,000 dollars since her arrival in that city some years ago, she has made two trips to Genoa, Italy, her native place, and on her return the last time brought a deformed child, with which she has been travelling about.

A correspondent writing of the Poowong and Jeetho district to the "Gipps Land Mercury," says:—"Heavy rains in autumn and a very mild winter have been most favorable to the stock, and the grass has come away very early this spring. A visitor of rather omniscious import has made its appearance lately on a few selections. It is a species of take-ail; it burrows into the ground to the depth of a foot or 18in., eating off the grass roots to within a quarter of an inch of surface. Nor does it confine itself to grass alone, thistles or any other weed but flatweed are equally favored by it.

Last month a cricket match was played in Northamptonshire between two teams of ladies. One of the batswomen scored thirty-five in one innings. The costumes were somewhat curious, but there was no difficulty, what curious, in seeing that the ladies wore pads under their clothes. To which a crusty old bachelor adds. Hem! There never was!

The following method of destroying slugs may be of interest at the present time:—When I began gardening as an amateur I was pestered with slugs. I went in for keeping my garden as neat as possible, and picked every weed off as soon as it made its appearance, but I found that while I was picking the weeds as fast as they came, something else was picking the plants just as fast as they were cut.

St. Clair's minstrels will appear at the Beaufort Societies' Hall this evening. They appeared at Waterloo last evening to a crowded house, and were well received.

A business notice emanating from Mr. P. M. O'Connell will be found in another column.

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Holloway's Pills.—Health or Wealth.—No sane person would hesitate an instant in choice between these two conditions. Now is the season to secure the former either by restoring or confirming it. These Pills expel all impurities from the system which fogs, fumes, vapours, and variable temperatures engender during winter; this medicine also acts most wholesomely upon the skin by discharging the liver of its accumulated bile, and by exciting the kidneys to more energetic action; it increases the appetite for food and strengthens the digestive process. The stomach and liver, with which most disorders originate, are fully under control of these restorative Pills, which act very kindly yet most efficiently on the tenderest bowels.

In connection with the Jewish Festival a somewhat laughable incident occurred on Tuesday. When a well-known bookmaker (says the Melbourne correspondent of the "Ararat Advertiser") was returning from the Synagogue he was met by a Christian metalician, who in a very serious style, said—"Sammy, do you know that the—colt has gone stiff," at the same time mentioning a horse that a night before had been well up in the betting. "Good gracious you don't say so; and I can't go to the rooms," was Sammy's pathetic reply.

The excellence of an article is generally conceded when it elicits a host of spurious imitations. The very fact that it is firmly entrenched in popular esteem invites others to counterfeit it. Hence the number of imposters who have pirated even the trade marks by which Wolfe's Schnapps is distinguished, and endeavored to palm off on the public a deleterious compound in the place of the genuine invigorant.

The "Colac Reformer" states that one or two owners of large estates in the Western district have imported some specimens of the mongooos family from Colombo, with a view to rabbit extermination. After being kept in confinement here for a time, the animals were turned out. It is not yet known whether the experiment has been successful.

Cable News.

FROM THE ARGUS CORRESPONDENT. LONDON, Oct. 10. The "Times" this morning referring to the action of the British Government in refusing to allow the Irish Informers who were sent out by the Pathan to remain in the colony, says that the high handed action of Mr. Service has increased the difficulty experienced by the British Government in punishing crime in Ireland.

With reference to the recent decision of the British Government to allow Cetwayo and his followers to settle in the reserved territory, the Chief Usibeque insists that England shall remove Cetwayo to a greater distance.

The latest intelligence from Madagascar states that the British residents in Tamatave complain bitterly of the severity of the French rule at that port.

The Chinese Government has intimated that it will refuse to recognise any convention that may be concluded between the French forces in Tonquin and the Black Flags. The death of Dr. Short, the late Bishop of Adelaide, was very sudden. He was perfectly well on the Thursday, but was found dead in his bed on Friday morning.

Wednesday last marked quite an epoch in the history of the Presbyterian Church at Beaufort, in fact, in the history of Beaufort. On that day the thirtieth anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. A. Adam in the Beaufort and Lexton district was celebrated. In the first place the Ballarat Presbytery met at Beaufort as a mark of respect for the Rev. A. Adam, of which body he is a member. In the evening a tea meeting was held in the Societies' Hall, and never before have we seen so many people from the outlying portions of the district present on such an occasion. There could not have been many short of 400 people present. The tables were provided by Mr. James Cowans, and the really excellent manner in which they were got up reflected great credit on the caterer. After the tea meeting was over a public meeting was held in the hall, when the building was full to overflowing. The Rev. T. Haslie, of Buninyong, presided. After the 100th Psalm had been sung, the chairman opened the meeting by dwelling at some length on the excellent qualities of the Rev. A. Adam, and his excellent wife, and gave a vivid description of the difficulties that were met with when the Rev. A. Adam first took charge of the district. The Rev. F. Souther then came forward, and on behalf of the Ballarat Presbytery presented the Rev. A. Adam with a beautifully illuminated address, which was couched in the most elegant terms of praise and commended the Rev. A. Adam, and Mr. William Lewis, of Stoneloch, then presented Mr. Adam with a purse of 200 sovereigns, collected, as Mr. Lewis said, from persons of all creeds and denominations. The speaker said he hoped that Mr. Adam would live yet for many happy years. In returning thanks Mr. Adam said that he wished that his thirtieth anniversary would be celebrated in some manner, but he had no idea that it was going to be celebrated in the manner that it had been. There was no man he had greater respect for than the gentleman who had presented him with the beautiful gift from the people of the Beaufort district. He hardly knew how to thank for the Ballarat Presbytery for their gift, and the kind expressions contained in the address. The speaker then went on to recount his experiences during the past thirty years, from the time he first came to Lexton up till the present time, describing the vicissitudes he passed through in his work in connection with the church. The large audience present frequently applauded the speaker, and the warmest feelings of friendship towards Mr. Adam seemed to pervade the whole audience.

The Revs. Henderson, C. Campbell, Whan, Megaw, and Inglis, addressed the audience, all of whom spoke in the highest praise of Mr. Adam as a minister and a friend. The Revs. J. Onions, R. Allen, W. Harris, and W. S. Winburn were also present.

Miss Cathie and Miss Adam sang a duet. Mr. Boothroyd also sang a song in a capable manner. Votes of thanks to the ladies, the speakers, the singers, and the chair having been duly accorded, the meeting was brought to a close by the singing of the Doxology, and the pronouncing of the Benediction by the Rev. T. Haslie.

BEAUFORT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The annual general meeting of the above society was held at the shire-hall on Thursday. Mr. H. Gordon presided, and there were a large number of members present.

CORRESPONDENCE.

A letter was read from Mr. J. Brennan, complaining that he had not been fairly dealt with in reference to a prize for foals at the last show.—As the matter had been fully discussed at a previous meeting, no further action was taken.

From the Beaufort Fire Brigade, asking for the use of the society's reserve on Boxing Day; and also asking as to the price to be charged for same.—Ex-Captain Tompkins appeared in support of the letter from the brigade, and pointed out the claims of the brigade on the public. He considered that the brigade should be allowed the use of the ground for a lower sum than other bodies. Mr. Tompkins further stated that he considered that the brigade had as much right to the grounds as the agricultural society. He asked the secretary to inform him on what date the reserve was gazetted, and on the secretary refusing to supply the information he said he would write to the Board of Land and Works to ascertain what title the society had to the reserve. Mr. Tompkins then withdrew from the room, when Mr. W. Smith moved, and Mr. Hannah seconded.—That the brigade have the use of the ground for £4 4s per day, with a deposit of £3. Mr. Roberts moved and Mr. Cushing seconded, as an amendment.—That the fire brigade be not granted permission to use the grounds until the threat made by Mr. Tompkins is retracted. The amendment was carried. It was further resolved.—That the secretary be empowered to receive the retraction from Mr. Tompkins, through the fire brigade, and that he grant the necessary permission on receipt of the said retraction.

From the Department of Agriculture, through Mr. W. H. Uren, M.P., with reference to the Government grant to the Society, notifying that £72 9s 4d had been passed to defray the expenses of the shows held on the 30th March and 6th September, 1882.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The election of officers resulted as follows:—President, Mr. G. Topper; vice-presidents, Messrs J. Prentice and J. Hannah; treasurer, Mr. W. C. Thomas.

The committee's report, after describing the exhibits and awards at the last show, concluded as follows:—"The balancesheet which will be submitted to you shows a debit balance of £44 14s 10d due to the Bank of Victoria, but against this we have £89 11s 8d to be received as subsidy from the Government. In connection with this we may state that the correspondence between the Secretary, the Agricultural Department, and Mr. Uren M.P. (who has assisted the Society in every way) has been read to us, and that the mistake has arisen through the neglect of the Department not sending the forms to claim as promised. The Hon. the Minister has, however, promised that it will be paid when

the next estimates are prepared. We would recommend to your favorable consideration...

was greeted with a cheer that had spirit in it. EXPERIMENT IN VINE PLANTING

A vigneron at Wodonga some years ago essayed an experiment, which at the time was regarded as a remarkably stupid one...

In the Bridgewater district there is (according to the "Colac Reformer") an abundant growth of a new and strange herbage plant...

FRANCE AND SPAIN. PARIS, Oct. 11. The French Government have formally intimated that they decline to make further reparation for the insult offered to King Alfonso...

Schedule A.—[Rule 4.] NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A GOLD MINING LEASE

PARLIAMENTARY ITEMS. (From the "Argus") The Legislative Council held another long sitting on Wednesday. The Mallee Pastoral Leases was read a third time and passed...

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RENTS AND DEBTS COLLECTED. Secretary and Manager of the Kingfisher G.M.C. Beaufort.

GEELONG WOOL SALES. Synnot, Everingham, & Co., WOOL BROKERS, STOCK AND STATION AGENTS, (Established in 1853).

ARE prepared to make Liberal Cash Advances on Wool, etc., consigned to them for sale or shipment to the London market.

Geelong, as a market for wool, is acknowledged by all who have tried it to be the best in the colony for the sale of either large or small clips...

MELBOURNE CUP, 1883. "BOZ'S" series of CONSULTATIONS NOW OPEN. J. J. Miller, Garton's Hotel, Melbourne.

G. TUFFS' CHEAP CASH Drapery, Boots, & Clothing STORE, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

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

E. J. STRICKLAND'S Ballarat WOOL, HIDE, SKIN AND TALLOW AUCTION ROOMS, Lydiard-street north, near Railway Station.

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

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THE THOROUGHbred STALLION, LEO, Will Stand This Season at Chepstovo.

THE IMPORTED ARAB HORSE, SERANG, Terms: £5.5s.

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THE THIRD CONSULTATION OF MY 1883 SERIES. The success and general satisfaction over previous events may be deemed sufficient introduction for this...

NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (Limited), Capital, £2,000,000. Reserve Fund, £200,000.

Make Liberal Cash Advances on STATION SECURITIES, ENSUING CLIPS OF WOOL, GRAIN, ETC., FOR SALE IN MELBOURNE OR SHIPMENT TO LONDON.

GEORGE GREENWOOD, Saddler and Harness Maker, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

RETURNS THANKS to his patrons and the public in general for past favors, and begs to inform them that he has just received a Large and Assorted Stock of Saddles, Bridles, Whips, Spurs, Sponges, Charcoal, Brushes, Curry and Mane Combs, and all other Horse Appointments.

THOMAS GEO. ARCHARD, CIVIL ENGINEER, BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Beaufort and district that he is prepared to execute Plans and Specifications for any description of buildings, supply Contractors' quantities, and prepare estimates.

THE CELEBRATED PURE CLYDESDALE TOMBOY DALE STALLION, TOMBOY Will stand this season at E. Waugh's Buangor Hotel, and will travel the surrounding district.

YOUNG TOMBOY is a bay, and is by the celebrated imported Clydesdale stallion Tom Boy, and out of the celebrated Clydesdale mare Darling...

YOUNG VANQUISHER Will stand this season at his Owner's Farm, Middle Creek. And will travel the Surrounding District.

He is by VANQUISHER, the imported pure Clydesdale entire horse, and has taken champion prizes at Ballarat, Stawell, and Pertham.

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INTIMATION.

FIRST GRAND SHOW OF THE SEASON OF SPRING AND SUMMER NOVELTIES

From London and Glasgow, at WOTHERSPOON BROS. & CO'S,

ON SATURDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, 1883.

W. B. & CO. have just received a Magnificent Assortment of the Newest and Choicest Novelties of the Season from the leading European Manufacturers...

PRINTS AND SATTEENS. W. B. & CO. would draw special attention to their Magnificent Selection of Prints and Sateens in all the newest FRENCH and ENGLISH Styles and Colorings...

BOOTS AND SHOES. Having arranged with several First-class Makers to supply them at Extremely Low Rates for Cash, they are in a position to offer customers the Best Market Value.

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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 throughout the district...

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

On Sale JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD, CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOBY STREETS—American shelving boards, Do lumber do, 6 x 1 T and G Scotch flooring, 6 x 3 do do lining, 6 x 3 do do flooring, 6 x 3 do do flooring, 4 out piece weatherboards, 4 do do, American clear pine, 4 in, 5 in, 6 in, cedar, wide and narrow boards, Cedar table legs, all sizes, French casements, doors, sashes, Mouldings, architraves, skirting, Broad palings and shingles, A stock of all sizes of hardware always on hand also, GEELONG LIME.

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A LUNATIC ASYLUM BURNED.

A private Lunatic Asylum—kept by Dr. Boyd, near Ealing—was completely destroyed by fire in the early morning of Tuesday, the 14th August.

Flower beds, place in sunny weather an empty flower-pot over the patches of young plants; remove the pots every evening.

POVERTY AND SUFFERING.—"I was dragged down with debt, poverty, and suffering for years, caused by a sick family and large bills for doctoring, which did them no good.

FLORILINE.—FOR THE TEETH AND BREATH.—A few drops of the liquid "Floriline" sprinkled on a wet tooth-brush produces a pleasant lather, which thoroughly cleanses the teeth from all parasites or impurities.

SUFFERERS FROM WIND OF THE STOMACH, Indigestion, Costiveness, Giddiness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, Disturbed Sleep, Palpitation of the Heart, Colic, Ague, Biliousness, Liver Complaints, Skin Eruptions, &c., should use no time in availing themselves of this most excellent medicine—

OXYGEN IS LIFE.—Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne—Multitudes of people are hopelessly suffering from Debility, Nervous and Liver Complaints, Depression of Spirits, Hypochondria, Timidity, Headaches, &c., who are unable to do anything but languish in their beds.

THROAT AFFECTIONS AND HOARSENESS.—All suffering from irritation of the throat and hoarseness will be greatly relieved by the use of "Brown's Bronchial Troches."

FREE GIFTS.—The proprietors of WOLFE'S SCHIEDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS, to induce the destruction and prevent the improper use of their wrappings and labels, and 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.

PROTECTED BY ROYAL LETTERS PATENT, DATED OCTOBER 11TH, 1869.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO HEADS OF FAMILIES AND OTHERS.

DRAPERY, WOOLLENS AND CLOTHING, Carpets, Floorcloths and Linoleums, Bedsteads and Bedding, direct from the Importers, at actual Wholesale Prices.

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THE TAILORING AND OUTFITTING DEPARTMENTS having assumed such large proportions are now located at the warehouse, No. 6 Elizabeth Street, close to the railway station, where all measurements and patterns are taken and made up.

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The Riponshire Advocate.

BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1883.

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The "Riponshire Advocate,"

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY,
CONTAINS a complete summary of local and general news for the week.

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

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

Advertisements for this paper cannot be received after 7 o'clock on the evening previous to publication. No subscribers are only charged from the time of ordering the paper.

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

Communications of a literary nature must be addressed to the Editor, and must not be published, but as a pledge of good faith. An observance of this rule will be the means of preventing disappointment to contributors.

All advertisements coming under the heads of Wanted, Missing Friends, For Sale, Rewards, if not exceeding twenty-four words, will be inserted for 3 shillings and sixpence.

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

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

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Established in the Colonies 1802.

Capital, £1,500,000 fully subscribed.

The undersigned having been appointed Agent for Beaufort, is prepared to receive proposals for all descriptions of insurances at the LOWEST CURRENT RATES. Risks accepted on Threshing Machines, Stocks, and Agricultural Produce.

Premiums for the year, £425,355 or £37,870 over 1879.

The additions to Reserve Funds now amount to £253,720 to meet fire losses, in addition to the Capital.

Out of a surplus of £110,726, only £16,097 was paid to Shareholders in Dividends, the balance being added to Reserve Fund.

H. P. HENNINGSEN

WANTED KNOWN.

I having come to my knowledge that Subscribers to Daily Papers are charged Nine Pence (9d.) a week, for the benefit of the public I wish to inform them that the "Ballarat Star," "Age," and "Daily Telegraph" can be had and sent all delivered in the township of Beaufort at 6d. per week, or 6s. 6d. per quarter.

H. P. HENNINGSEN.

GRATEFUL—COMFORTING.

EPPS'S COCOA,

BREAKFAST.

"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which saves us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure food and a properly nourished frame."—See article in the "Civil Service Gazette."

Made simply with boiling water or milk.

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JAMES EPPE & CO.,

HOMOEOPATHIC CHEMISTS,

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EPPS'S CHOCOLATE ESSENCE.

H. P. HENNINGSEN,

BOOKSELLER,

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PERMANENT ENLARGEMENT

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TO TWENTYFOUR PAGES,

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ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY COLUMNS.

In compliance with the wish of several of the delegates to the Conference of the Farmers' Unions held in Melbourne, an important new feature has been added to The Weekly Times, namely,

"THE FARMERS' GAZETTE AND UNION RECORD."

The increased size of the Weekly Times will enable Parliamentary Proceedings, and all matters of interest

TO BE MORE FULLY REPORTED.

The Weekly Times is now the Cheapest and Most Complete Weekly Newspaper

PUBLISHED IN THE WORLD

At the Price.

THE SPORTING DEPARTMENT

Of the Weekly Times will continue to be a Special Feature in the Paper.

In the Weekly Times will be found a Good Selection of Light Literature, comprising, Original and Selected Tales, Sketches, Household Hints, and the Ladies' Column.

In addition to the above, The Weekly Times will contain the Latest and Fullest Cablegrams, Commercial, Shipping, and General News, and supplying in a condensed form the

WEEKLY NEWS OF THE WORLD.

PRICE THREEPENCE.

Subscriptions per post 3s. 6d. per quarter, or 12s. per annum in advance.

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NOTICE.

It having come to my knowledge that certain unprincipled vendors of sewing machines have frequently substituted in place of the

GENUINE "WERTHEIM"

Machines on a similar principle, but of a far inferior make, I beg to

INFORM THE PUBLIC

That EVERY

GENUINE WERTHEIM SEWING

MACHINE BEARS THE TRADE MARK

Of the

Wertheim Sewing Machine Manufacturing Com-

pany, a GNOME.

Representing the Deraf of German Fable, in a sitting posture, with a mallet resting on his shoulder, and long flowing beard reaching to

his feet.

Besides this Trade Mark the NAME "WERTHEIM" is PAINTED in gold on the PLATE

of each Machine.

As Further SECURITY

To GUARD AGAINST IMITATION every

GENUINE WERTHEIM SEWING

MACHINE

SHIPPED TO AUSTRALIA

HAS STAMPED ON THE SHUTTLE-SLIDE THE

NAME OF THE SOLE AGENT for Australasia,

viz.:

HUGO WERTHEIM,

MELBOURNE.

I hereby inform Vendors of Sewing Machines in Victoria and the other Australian colonies that the WERTHEIM "GNOME" TRADE MARK, as well as the name "WERTHEIM," have been

properly registered in Australia; and that any infringement upon the said registration will be at once proceeded against according to law.

Hugo Wertheim,

39 FLINDERS LANE EAST,

MELBOURNE.

Sole Representative and Agent in Australia for the Wertheim Sewing Machine Manufacturing Company.

PETRUS DE BAREE,

Agent for Beaufort and District.

Machines from £4 10s.

Easy Terms. Illustrated Catalogues.

THE GREATEST "SEWING MACHINE."

TRIUMPH OF THE AGE

We respectfully ask the public not to be misled by the

name "Wheeler and Wilson." The number of Sewing Machines imported (like other goods) is no criterion of the number sold, the evidence of which lies in the fact that Melbourne is over-stocked with the importations of 1874.

Reasons why the

"WHEELER AND WILSON"

Sewing Machine

is far superior to the "Singer."

The W. and W. will do more work, and do it better.

The W. and W. is much more durable. It will last a lifetime, and run for years without repair.

The W. and W. is easier to work than the Singer.

The W. and W. is not so liable to get out of order.

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

The W. and W. has no heavy machinery to tire and weary the feet, as the Singer.

The W. and W. is more simple in action.

The W. and W. has less wear and tear.

The W. and W. is better finished.

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

If any further proof is required of the superiority of the Wheeler and Wilson, it is found in the fact that Singer's agent has never accepted our challenge to have the machines publicly tested.

We warrant every genuine W. and W. machine to give entire satisfaction.

LONG & CO., Australian Agents for Wheeler and Wilson's Machines.

BEWARE OF SPURIOUS IMITATIONS.

Instruction Given Gratis.

P. DE BAREE,

W A C H M A K E R,

Sole Agent for Beaufort.

All Sewing Machines delivered FREE of charge at Melbourne Prices. Discount allowed for Cash, or on easy terms.

Plain and Ornamental Printing

Of every description executed at the

"RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE" OFFICE,

Lawrence-street, Beaufort,

And "TRIBUNE" OFFICE, East Charlton.

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ON REASONABLE TERMS

MINING SCRIP, CALL, RECEIPTS, DE-

LIVERY BOOKS, &c.,

Prepared on the shortest notice

"THE ARGUS" may be had daily, on the arrival of the

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WARD & LIPMAN,

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Advances made on Consignments.

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WASHING LIQUID.

MRS. GILGON begs respectfully to inform the

residents of Beaufort and district that she is manufacturing a "Washing Liquid," which will be found to materially lessen the labor of Washing Clothes, besides giving the clothes a good color. Warranted not to injure any article, of whatever description or texture; it will also take out paint, and improve colored articles.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.—For every 3 gallons of cold water add one half-pint of the liquid, wet and wash the clothes, place in the boiler, and boil for half an hour; then rinse in plenty of water; blue and dry as usual. Soap and soak flannels in warm water, and place in boiler when fine white clothes are taken out, and allowed to remain for 15 or 20 minutes; then dry as usual.

Sold in large or small quantities. Single Bottles, 3d.

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79 BOURKE STREET EAST,

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(Next to the Theatre Royal).

Local Agents Wanted.

PHOSPHORUS PILLS.

A Certain Remedy for Nervous Debility—

either special or general. To avoid dis-

appointment, ask for Heed's Phosphorus

Pills, and insist upon having only

PRICE—2s 6d & 5s.

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WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,

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EUCALYPTI EXTRACT.

UNDER the distinguished patronage of His

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Dr. Cruikshank, Health Officer for the City of

Sandhurst, certifies to the extract being the

most reliable remedy for acute inflammation,

bronchitis, diphtheria, affections of the lungs,

chest, all pains of rheumatic nature, neuralgia,

all swellings, bruises, sprains, wounds, dis-

orders of the bowels, diarrhoea, &c.

PROFESSOR DR. MOSLER, at the University

of Graefswalde, Germany, reports astonishing

cures of Diphtheria, Lung and Throat

Diseases by inhaling the vapors of SANDER and

SON'S EUCALYPTI EXTRACT.

Epitomes of declaration made before M. Cohen,

Esq., J.P., at Sandhurst, October, 1877.—The

son of Mr. Raabo was hurt with an axe on the

knee. After nine weeks' medical treatment it

was declared necessary by Dr. Macgillivray to

amputate the injured limb. At that juncture

the extract was applied, and the wound speedily

healed without amputation.

The daughter of Mr. Jungheun, suffering

from disease of the bone, as pronounced by Dr.

Atkinson and Boyd, was cured just as speedily.

Cures of whooping cough, very severe colds,

croup, bronchitis, diphtheria, earache, pains in

the head (neuralgia), inflammation of the eyes,

and that of a severely injured foot; others of

bad legs, wounds on the arm with enormous

swelling, of severe bruises and a sprained ankle,

(H. Brown), in which case eight months' medical

advice was of no avail, are reported by the

"Dundee Times," "Newcastle Morning Herald,"

"Cooktown Courier," "Yorker's Peninsula

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The extract regulates the action of the kidneys

cures dysentery and diarrhoea, and is the greatest

curative agent and preventive of contagion in

scarlet, typhoid, and intermittent fever. For

particulars see testimonials accompanying each

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Sold at 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d. per vial.

CAUTION.

Do not confound SANDER and SON'S EUCALYPTI

EXTRACT with the common Eucalypti Oil, the

heating fluid equal to turpentine, without the

heating vapors of our Extract, and positively

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SANDER and SON'S EUCALYPTI EXTRACT

and see that you get it. The genuine article is

made up in vials bearing our trade mark and

COMMERCIAL.

BALLABAT WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

There was a fair market on Thursday. We quote as follows:—Barley—English, 6s; Cape barley, 3s 1d; wheat, 4s 2d to 4s 4d; oats, 2s 8d to 2s 10d; hay, sheaves, L3 to L3 15s; do., manger, L4 to L4 15s; potatoes, L1 7s 6d to L2; straw, oaten, L2; do.; wheaten, L1 15s; peas, 3s to 3s 3d; bran, 1s 1d; pollard, 1s 2d; bonedust, L6 10s., flour, L10.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

A very quiet week has just passed through in the produce market, but little business being recorded. Wheat has still further receded, and a few sales have been made at as low as 3s 11d per bushel. Very little is doing in flour notwithstanding a lower quotation. At Horsham wheat has fallen to 3s 9d per bushel. No alteration is reported at Donald and St Arnaud, but the fall may be presumed to be general. In this locality very little is doing in oats. No Warrnambool potatoes have come in, but Ballarat are plentiful. Dairy produce continues to come in in great abundance, and fresh butter and eggs are quoted at 7d. The prices current are:—

Wheat, 3s 11d; oats, 2s 7d; pollard, 1s 1d; bran, 1s; Cape barley, 4s 6d; English barley, 5s 6d; peas, 3s 9d; maize (crushed), none; maize (whole), do.; flour, L9 to L9 10s; Warrnambool potatoes, L3 10s; Ballarat do. L2 5s; hay (sheaves), L2 15s per ton; hay (trussed) L3 5s per ton straw (wheaten) 30s per ton; do. (oaten), 35s per ton; chaff, 3s 6d per cwt; carrots, 3s 6d per cwt; onions, 10s per cwt; butter (fresh), 7d per lb; butter (potted), 6d per lb; hams, 1s per lb; bacon, 9d per lb; cheese, 8d per lb; eggs, 7d per dozen.—“Advertiser.”

UNCLAIMED LETTERS AND NEWS-PAPERS.

Adams, James; Audas, H. A. Boyd, Mr.; Barnes, W.; Byrne, J.; Boyd, L. and J. and A.; Burrige, M.; Campbell, D.; Collins, J.; Corkhill, J.; Cumming, T. Dowd, Miss. Ellis, Thomas. Gouge, Miss. Holland, James. Loft, George; Lyons, Mrs. A. Morrison, Mr.; Miabacher, J. F.; Miller, J. W.; Mathison, Miss A.; McDonald, J. Newling, P.; Nicholson, Gervas. Stewart, Mr.; Stimpson, J.; Stewart, J. Todd, William; Topp, W.; Topp, Geo. Westbrook, R.; Welsh, John. Young H. Kun Sang Lee. E. M. KILDAHL, Postmistress. Beaufort, October 19th, 1883.

Death.

NOLAN.—On the 18th instant, at Beaufort, James Nolan, native of Dublin, Ireland, aged forty-eight years.

THE

Riponshire Advocate.

Published every Saturday Morning.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1883.

THE electors of Emerald Hill are not to be congratulated on their selection of a representative to look after their interests in Parliament, when they elected Mr. David Gaunson on the 9th instant. In the lucid but very ungrammatical words of the showman, “they pays their money and they has their choice,” and it would be right only if “they” had to

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphed as follows last evening:—“Cablegrams received to-day state that troubles between France and China have assumed another phase. Owing to the failure of negotiations between Marquis Tseng and French Foreign Office the Chinese Government are preparing to block the port of Canton with a view of preventing the entrance of foreign vessels in the event of war.”

The English mail closes at the Beaufort Post-office on Wednesday next, 24th instant, at 5 p.m., for ordinary letters, and on Tuesday, 23rd instant, at 3 p.m., for money orders, and at 4.45 p.m., for registered letters.

The following are the reported yields for the past week:—New Victoria, 100oz.; Royal Saxon, 75oz.; Hobart Pasha, 63oz.; South Victoria, 25oz.; Waterloo, 14oz.; New Discovery, 40oz.

The total rainfall at Beaufort for the week ending 19th inst. was only 1.1in. The usual fortnightly Police Court will be held on Beaufort on Monday next.

A private letter has been received from the Lands Department, Melbourne, stating that the Beaufort Agricultural Society have no title to the agricultural reserve, and any other public body can use it, with the sanction of the Minister. A petition, signed by the representatives of the public bodies in Beaufort and 230 inhabitants of Beaufort, Waterloo, and Chute has been forwarded to the Minister, through Mr. W. H. Uren, M.L.A., praying that the reserve may be vested in the Riponshire Council, for the use of the agricultural society or any other public body that may wish to use it as a recreation reserve.

A meeting of the stewards of the Beaufort Jockey Club was held at the Camp Hotel on Wednesday evening. An offer was received from Mr. J. O’Shea to fence in the racecourse. It, however, was decided not to accept the offer, but to invite tenders for fencing in the

A journal in the North of England recently contained the following correction:—“We have to thank the intelligent proof-reader for the necessity which compels us to make this statement. In our editorial yesterday, on Irish Affairs, we were made to say, ‘the government police should be hanged,’ whereas we wrote ‘the Government policy should be changed.’”

The Commissioner of Customs has received through the Board of Trade, in England, the medal and diploma from the French Government, for presentation to Henry Alfred Emerson, residing in Daylesford, who was one of the crew of the schooner John Twizell, which rescued the captain and crew of the French schooner Narcaisse in the English Channel in October 1880.

“It is not often,” observes the “Echuca Advertiser,” “that we hear of mongrel dogs being wanted, especially for sheep stations, but at Wentworth a brisk business is being done in the dog line. The Pride of the Murray steamer, which left here on Friday afternoon, took about 30 dogs away for Tapio Station, where they will be left to battle with the rabbits on the run. It was amusing to see the youngsters rushing off to the vessel just before she left her moorings, dragging along mongrels of every conceivable breed, and color, to supply the demand, and exorbitant prices were asked for the animals, even mangy and three-legged ones. As the vessel’s plank was being taken in many dogs changed hands at half-a-crown a head. Notwithstanding the hundreds of mongrels which roam around our streets the supply was not equal to the demand. A telegram was recently forwarded by a Wentworth firm to the Adelaide Municipal Council, asking them to send their surplus dogs to Wentworth and name their price.”

The latest Yankee “notion” is zinc tombstones, which are now sold in New York at from 5dol. to 25dol. each. These articles do not rust, are more durable than marble, will not chip easily, and will stand any

DETERMINED SUICIDE.

Quite a gloom was cast over the town of Beaufort on Thursday evening when it became known that Mr. James Nolan, boot-maker, of Neill Street, had been found hanging suspended by his neck by a rope in one of the back rooms attached to the shop. It appears that the unfortunate man went over to his shop on Wednesday evening, and locked himself in, and as he did not make his appearance on Thursday evening, Mr. Tompkins, accompanied by Mrs. Nolan, entered one of the back rooms by the window, when the body of the unfortunate man was found hanging, stiff and dead. The suicide was a most determined one, as from appearances he had stood on a chair while securely fastening the rope to one of the rafters in the ceiling, and then having tied the rope round his neck had stepped off the chair. The deceased had been drinking heavily lately, and was also in pecuniary difficulties, which, it is supposed, unhinged his mind, and caused him thus to destroy himself. He was a very old resident of Beaufort, and was widely respected, notwithstanding that an over-indulgence in drink had lately made him but a wreck of his former self. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn their loss. The deceased had been a member of the Loyal Beaufort Lodge of Oddfellows for the past nineteen years, being amongst the first that joined the lodge.

MAGISTERIAL INQUIRY.

A magisterial inquiry was held yesterday, at the Commercial Hotel, before Mr. J. Prentice, J.P. Sergeant Woods conducted the inquiry, and the following evidence was taken:—

Hodgson Inehbold deposed: I am a publican, and reside at Beaufort. The deceased is my son-in-law, and lived with his family in my house for a considerable period of time. Deceased occupied a boot shop in Neill street

I heard a noise in the building resembling a sewing machine at work. I took no further notice, not suspecting anything being wrong. About 7 o’clock in the evening of the 18th October I heard that Mr. Nolan (the deceased) had hung himself in the room into which I looked in the morning. I have known the deceased for some time.

The magistrate delivered the following finding:—I am of opinion from the evidence adduced that the deceased, James Nolan, came by his death by hanging himself in his own house, at Beaufort, on the 18th day of October, 1883, whilst suffering from a fit of temporary insanity.

WATERLOO.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT).

The largest meeting that has been held for some time took place at Wood’s Commercial Hall on Wednesday evening last, Mr. D. Cochrane in the chair. The meeting was convened for the purpose of forming a company to put a tunnel into the range between Waterloo and the Main Lead, at the head of Musical Gully. On the motion of Mr. E. Smith, seconded by Mr. Sneddon, it was resolved—that a company be formed, consisting of 200 shares, calls not to exceed 5s per month per share. It was also resolved, on the motion of Mr. Sneddon, seconded by Mr. D. Smith, that all shares on which calls is not paid within fourteen days after becoming due shall be forfeited to the company. Mr. D. Cochrane was elected Secretary and Treasurer, and Messrs. J. Bow, D. Cochrane, J. Bailey, Ansaldi, and P. Leason were appointed a committee for the first three months. Messrs. C. Rankin, and J. Y. Allen were appointed auditors, and it was also resolved that the company be named the Waterloo Tunnel Company. Altogether the meeting passed off very satisfactorily, and before it closed the shares were taken up, so it appears that the inhabitants think that there is a possibility of this district proving to be a mining district.

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Poetry.

The Orphan Girl.

O FATHER of all forsaken, take pity on me, I pray:
I look to Thy loving kindness, alone in the world to-day,
Bereft of father and mother, who have passed to the better land:
O list to my supplication, and lead me by Thy hand!
Ah me, when I think it over, the happy life

"King Billy!" cried Stella, with a start.
"You've got him with you? Well, I thought it mighty strange you got as far as this."
"You see that it will do no good for you to refuse? Now, like a good girl, do the right thing, and let us set off at once. There may be trouble if we do not arrive before you are missed."
"Oh, yes, yes!" she cried springing to her feet. "Hurry up, at once! If they miss me, there will be trouble, sure. And if I'll take a good hour to get there, anyhow," she added. "It took me three to come here, but I lost my way in the dark, or I'd have been here long ago."

dened animal's sides, he galloped wildly down the gully, in the opposite direction.
But the fates were against him. The Superintendent of Police had heard the shots, and came up with his men just in time to mark Chamberlain's flight.
At a sign from him two troopers started in pursuit, and, by cutting off an angle, they succeeded in coming within fifty yards of him.
He made no response to their summons to surrender, and then one of the men raised his carbine and fired. The man was a noted shot, and he did not miss his mark, although he was riding at a hand-gallop at the time. The ball struck Chamberlain's horse in the

MRS. BIRTLES' BOARDERS.

By R. P. WHITWORTH.

(CONTINUED.)

"Very well. Those who are in favor—ah! good. Those against—none. Carried unanimously. Next business." Chairman, said Bob Brown, rising, "is to charge your glasses—All full?—Gentlemen, here's success to the enterprise, and good luck to Miss Tulk, and God bless her!"
"With a hip-hip-hip, hurrah, &c."
But a penetrating voice came from the half-

It was a dark, dismal night—a miserable night, a night not fit to turn a dog out in. The wind blew in short, sullen gusts, the driving rain fell with a heavy and interminable awish against the closed windows, and the gas lamp at the opposite corner shone sickly through the blurred glass. We, that is those of us whose duties did not call us out, were snugly ensconced in the general sitting-room, some reading, some chatting, Mrs. Birtles with her interminable sewing, and Miss Tulk talking to herself on the piano as was her frequent habit.
Suddenly the snatches of airs and variations on them she had been playing glided off into a wild, weird, but inexpressibly plaintive minor strain, full of strange chorals

shuddered with horror. "Is this true, madam?" I asked.
"Yes—no—no," and the words came falteringly—"it is not true. That is, I married him, but—oh! I cannot tell—the shame of it would kill me."
"You lie, you bag," he said brutally.
"I do not lie—oh! Mr. Grant, I do not lie."
"Lie, or no lie, you foul-mouthed scoundrel," I interrupted, "you'll keep a civil tongue in your head to that lady in my presence, or I'll break every bone in your body. You threaten to throw me out of the window. You can't, and you know it. I threaten to kick you into the gutter. I can, and I will. So be careful!"

some sense that he's got a bit of all events."
"But they were my wife's," he said, turning to a sickly paleness.
"Bah! don't be absurd. Do you imagine a distinguished swell snobman like you can travel incognito. No, no more than you could if you were a prince, or an earl. Besides, we happen to have a few French detectives here, and they're generally thought to be fairly shrewd."
This was a pretty tall game of "bluff" on my part, but every shot told. His mother lip trembled, and he said in a low voice, "What's the lady?"
"That you'll know soon enough if you don't clear out, and that quickly too. Would you

THE WINNER OF THE NEXT MELBOURNE CUP.

Many of our readers will peruse with interest the following narrative, which purports to throw light on what will be for the day the most momentous question of the day, namely, who is to be the winner of the Melbourne Cup? The account of the first scene in this attempt to penetrate the future is from "The Aroha News":—"About two months ago a party of young men met within a few miles of Te Aroha. Amongst them was an amateur musician and also a young lady, who is in the highest degree sensitive to nervous impression. We do not exactly know how it came about, but at all events the result was that, at the request of those present, the young lady was put in a mezzanine sleep, or trance, by the gentleman referred to. A variety of questions were asked her while in this state, all of which she answered without hesitation, and in such a manner as to create the utmost astonishment amongst her audience. As keeping up the joke, she was asked what horse would win the Melbourne Cup in November next, to which after a short pause she replied "Demou." On being again questioned, she uttered distinctly, "First Demou." And now the singular part comes in. None of those present knew the names of all the horses entered, or whether there was such a horse at all, and it was not until some days afterwards that they ascertained that there was a horse so christened in the entry. Moreover, when it first ran in being added afterwards. Again, at that time, the animal in question was comparatively unknown, and was not in the betting. Since then this horse has won or run second in several first-class races in New South Wales, and at the present time is as good a favorite as anything for the Cup. If the main portion of the party knew nothing of the horse—mind it was two months ago—it was in the highest degree unlikely that the clairvoyant, if so we may term her, did; and the fact of giving the name of a horse engaged in perplexing itself. As we said before, these are not facts drawn from the imagination, but what actually occurred under the circumstances stated, amongst most respectable people within a few miles of Te Aroha."

A correspondent writes to the "Pall Mall Gazette":—"On Sunday last (August 26) the Bishop of Liverpool preached in the parish church of Moulton, Perthshire, to a crowded congregation. The church was filled some time before the commencement of the service, and many persons were unable to obtain admission. Dr. Ryle wore no gown, but entered the pulpit in the ordinary walking dress of a bishop. He conducted the whole service in the usual Presbyterian mode, and made no reference in his sermon to the exceptional position which he occupied. The discourse was on the subject of the calling of Andrew, and consisted mainly of an earnest enforcement of the importance of practical personal religion. At the close of the service there was a collection on behalf of the Religious Tract Society."

POVERTY AND SUFFERING.—"I was dragged down with debt, poverty, and suffering for years, caused by a sick family and large bills for doctoring, which did me no good. I was completely discouraged, until one year ago, by the advice of my pastor, I procured Hop Bitters and commenced their use, and in one month we were all well, and none of us have had a sick day since; and I want to say to all poor men, you can keep your families well a year with Hop Bitters for less than one doctor's visit will cost. I know it."—A WORKING MAN. Read

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GARDENING FOR OCTOBER. KITCHEN GARDEN.—If season be moist, carrots, leeks, onions, and parsnips may still be sown. Sow largely of kidney beans, early turnips, capsicums, tomato, cucumber, vegetable marrow, pumpkins, melons, and parsley; also tall-growing varieties of peas—they will not grow very high at this season of the year. Plant out largely cabbage, cauliflower, brocoli, and celery; also sow again for succession. Weeds will grow again—choose a fine sunny day for hoeing them down, and rake off when withered to prevent their starting into growth again. FLOWER GARDEN.—Balsams, cockscombs, globe amarantums, zinnias, and other tender annuals should now be sown, if not already done; if sown in pots, and transplanted into flower beds, place in sunny weather an empty flower-pot over the patches of young plants; remove the pots every evening, or the plants will rot up weak and spindling. Climbing plants will be growing fast, and will require constant trimming and training. See that flower-beds are kept filled by turning out large plants in pots. PARS.—This is the last month that potatoes can be planted, except in low-lying lands. Sow largely of maize and sorghum; mangold-sowing should also be completed. Earth up early crops of potatoes with double-breasted plough, with out delay.

Beaufort Post Office. TIME TABLE, 1883. Table with columns for Post Town, Mails arrive at Beaufort, Mails depart from Beaufort.

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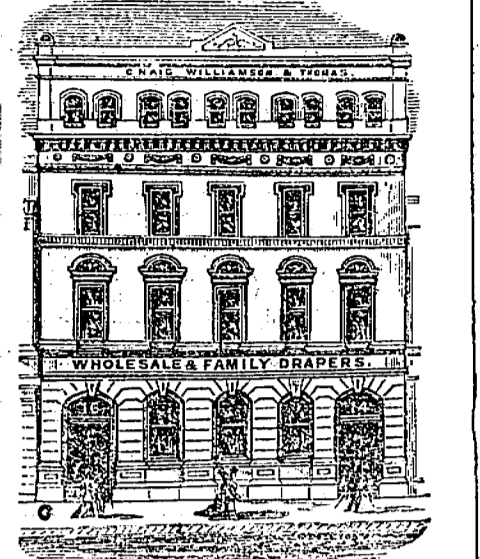
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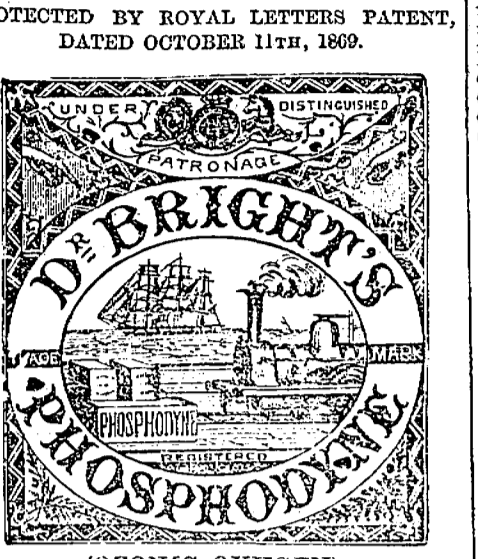
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