









Cable News.

(FROM THE ARGUS CORRESPONDENT.)

KORTI (on the Nile), Dec. 29. The following plan of operations for the relief of Khartoum has been decided upon by Lord Wolseley:—

A force of infantry will be despatched up the Nile for the purpose of chastising the murderers of Colonel Stewart and Mr. Powers, "The Times" correspondent.

Lord Wolseley, with the mounted troops, will cross the desert and strike the Nile at Shendi.

The journey will consist of two stages—the first to Gakdul Wells, and the second to Shendi.

LONDON, Dec. 24.

A sensation has been caused by a statement which has appeared in the "Daily News," to the effect that Prince Bismarck, the German Chancellor, is intriguing to bring about the downfall of the Gladstone Ministry.

The subject is referred to by the foreign press, which admits the truth of the assertion made by the "Daily News."

Dec. 29.

The German press expresses great indignation at the annexation by the British Government of St. Lucia Bay, in Zululand, where a German traveller recently purchased 100,000 acres of land.

The formation of a British syndicate is projected, with a capital of £5,000,000, for the purpose of constructing armed cruisers.

The mail steamer Ballarat arrived at Albany on Tuesday.

A most interesting address was lately (says "Chambers's Journal") delivered by Sir James Paget to the members of the Working Men's College, London, the subject being "Recreation."

The speaker dwelt upon the necessity of choosing for the occupation of our spare time some recreation which, although it might really involve harder physical exertion than our ordinary work, represented a complete change. He could not imagine more prudent recreation for workmen engaged in unusual labor than attendance at the college for the exercising of their minds.

Commercial Travellers' Samples.—From the 22nd December to the 5th January commercial travellers' samples will not be taken to or from roadside stations, except by mixed or goods trains.

Parcels.—On the 24th and 31st December parcels must be at the Melbourne Parcels Office thirty minutes before starting time of ordinary trains.

North Melbourne and Newmarket Stations.—From the 24th to the 26th December and on 31st December and 1st January, tickets will not be issued at North Melbourne or Newmarket Stations, and down-country trains will not stop there.

Good Sheds Holidays.—The 25th and 26th December and 1st January will be observed as holidays in the Goods Branch, and goods trains will not run.

By Order of the Commissioners. P. P. LABERTOUCHE, Secretary for Railways.

BEAUFORT.

WEDNESDAY, 7TH JANUARY, 1885. At One o'clock.

To Speculators, Building Societies, and others.

Sale by Public Auction.

On the Ground, Neil street, Beaufort, by order of the Proprietor, Mr. Phillip Mitchell.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS will sell, as above, the following valuable allotments all in the township of Beaufort.

Lot 1—Allotment 4, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 2—Allotment 11, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 3—Allotment 14, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 4—Allotment 15, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 5—Allotment 16, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 6—Allotment 17, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 7—Allotment 18, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 8—Allotment 19, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 9—Allotment 20, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 10—Allotment 21, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 11—Allotment 22, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 12—Allotment 23, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 13—Allotment 24, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 14—Allotment 25, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 15—Allotment 26, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 16—Allotment 27, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 17—Allotment 28, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 18—Allotment 29, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Lot 19—Allotment 30, of section 5, containing 1 rood, or thereabouts.

Beaufort College.

FIRST QUARTER commences Monday, January 12th, 1885, in old B.C. Church building, Pupils enrolled and classified on Thursday, 8th January, between 10.30 and 11.30 p.m.

TERMS (payable in advance).—Matriculation (boys and girls), £2 2s. per quarter; School-Matriculation (do.), £1 10s. do.; Ordinary Classwork (do., 14 and over), £1 1s. do.; Other partitions on application only, under 14, 10s. do.

BERNARD ODOWD, M.B. Univ., Principal.



GOVERNMENT ADVERTISEMENTS.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR EXCURSIONS.

Holiday Excursion Tickets will be issued to and from all stations (Suburban lines excepted) from the 15th December, 1884, to the 5th January, 1885, both dates inclusive (Sunday excepted), available for return for one calendar month from date of issue.

An excursion ticket issued on the 24th December will be available till the 24th January. When the last day falls on a Sunday, the ticket will be available till next day.

The journey must be commenced on the day the ticket is issued, but after a distance of fifteen miles has been travelled, the journey may be broken at the discretion of the passenger.

Sydney Excursion Tickets.—From the 15th December to the 5th January, both dates inclusive, Excursion Tickets will be issued at Melbourne to Sydney at the following return fares:—1st Class, £5 6s. 6d.; second Class, £4 1s.

These tickets will be available for two calendar months from date of issue, but will not be available by the express trains on the New South Wales line.

Language.—Excursion Passengers will only be allowed to carry such luggage free as can be stowed under the seats without inconvenience to other passengers, and those who have luggage for the van must be at the station half an hour before the train starts, and pay excess luggage-fare for it.

Horses and Vehicles.—From the 22nd December to the 5th January, both dates inclusive, the Department cannot engage to forward horses and vehicles by any particular train.

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School District West Riding of the Shire of Ripon.

NOTICE is hereby given that an ELECTION of two persons to act as members of the Board of Advice for the above-named School District will be held on the 11th January, 1885, to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of Mr. R. Kirkpatrick's term of office, and Mr. R. Ward resigned, and that the 11th January has been fixed as the day of nomination.

Nomination papers must be delivered to me, at my residence, not later than 4 o'clock p.m. on the 5th January, 1885.

JAMES HANNAH, Returning Officer.

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To Let.

A COTTAGE near the Court-house Be. or. Apply to H. P. HENNINGSEN.

VICTORIA INSURANCE COMPANY Limited.

Capital—ONE MILLION STERLING. Chairman—HON. HENRY MILLER. FIRE, MARINE, LIFE, and GUARANTEE. 24 Market Street, Melbourne.

JOSEPH COLLIE, Secretary. Agent to Beaufort—W. EDWARD NICKOLS.

SPRING, 1884.

NEW DRESS GOODS, NEW PRINTS, NEW SATTEENS.

SAILOR STRAW HATS, MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING, HATS, SHIRTS, TIES, COLLARS, At Prices to Suit the Times.

BOOTS. BOOTS. BOOTS.

A Large Assortment just to hand, Cheaper than any other house in the district, at GEO. H. COUGLE'S Cash Drapery Store, HAVLOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

ONE TRIAL WILL PROVE THE FACT. N.B.—Men's Tweed Suits made to order at Lowest Cash Prices.

HARRIS & TROY, PRODUCE DEALERS BEAUFORT

Agents for Broadbent Bros. and Co. Wm. McCulloch and Co. Permewan, Wright and Co., FORWARDING, COMMISSION & RAILWAY AGENTS & LICENSED CARRIERS.

On Sale

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

American sheding boards, 12x12 and 12x14 Scotch flooring, 6x4 do do flooring, American and Baltic deals, all sizes, 4 out pine weatherboards, 6 do do, American clear pine, 3in, 4in, 5in, 6in, cedar, white and narrow boards, Cedar table legs, all sizes, French casements, doors, sashes, Mouldings, architraves, skirtings, Broad palings and shingles, A stock of all sizes of hardwood always on hand, Also, GEBLONG LIME.

NEXT TO POLICE STATION. J. W. HARRIS, MINING AGENT AND SHARE BROKER, BEAUFORT.

Member of the Ballarat Stock Exchange THE IMPORTED PUREBRED FOLK-PUNCH STALLION DUKE

Will stand this season at his owner's Farm, TRAWALLA. DUKE is a rich blood chestnut, without white, standing over 16 hands 2 inches high. He was imported to South Australia by Mr. E. M. Bagot, bred by Mr. James Lambert, of Mendocino, his dam by Mr. Oatlin's Royal Duke, the winner of many prizes, his sire by Mr. John Bloomfield's Briton, the winner of many prizes. The horse was purchased by his previous proprietor from Mr. C. B. Fisher, and selected as the class of horse best adapted to benefit the farmers and breeders of this district. The fact of his having been used by Mr. Fisher as a stud horse for some years past is the best guarantee of his excellence as a pure foal-getter and producer of first-class stock.

Mr. Walsh (Stonehouse), editor of "The Field," one of the greatest authorities on the subject in England, when speaking of the Suffolk Punch in his work, "The Horse and the Field," says:—"His admirers maintain that no other horse is so hardy, and that he will do more work in the same time, and on the same amount of food, than any other."

Terms: £2 if led to the horse. If paddocked, £2 10s. Good grass paddock provided, with a plentiful supply of water. RICHARD WILKINSON, Proprietor.

Geelong Wool Sales.

We shall hold AUCTION SALES of WOOL on each TUESDAY AND THURSDAY, throughout the coming season (excepting Tuesday the 4th November, Melbourne Cup Day).

To keep pace with the rapid growth of our consignments we have again added to our Warehouse by the erection of Two Floors, measuring 60 x 132 feet. This makes our New Sample Room the LARGEST IN VICTORIA and will enable us to display every lot to the best advantage.

We draw attention to some of the advantages we have to offer for the sale of Western and Wimmera clips:—

A SAVING IN CHARGES AND FREIGHT, on, as compared to Melbourne, of about SEVEN SHILLINGS PER BALE.

The ATTENDANCE of all the EUROPEAN and AMERICAN BUYERS, and in addition, a LARGER LOCAL CONSUMPTION of Wool than is in any other Australian Town.

THE SITUATION of OUR WAREHOUSE, within a stone's throw of the SHIPPING, and in close proximity to the Sale Room, thus enabling buyers, at a minimum inconvenience, to re-examine any lots which may have been passed in at auction.

THE CAREFUL VALUATION and Personal Attention of each Member of the Firm.

Trusting that our efforts to provide Growers with every facility for the Sale of their Wool in the Colony, will meet with a correspondingly increased support. We are, etc., DENNY, LASCALLE, AUSTIN and Co. Geelong, 20th August, 1884.

W. BAKER, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, Window Blind and Bedding Manufacturer.

W.B. has ON SALE the following lines:—Pine Shelving, Flooring, and Lining Boards; Californian, Kauri, and Clear Pine, up to 36 inches; Cedar, all thicknesses and widths; Table Legs, Sashes, Doors, Architrave and other Mouldings, Window Glass, White Lead, Oils, Turps, and all other Building Requisites. Sashes, Doors, and all kinds of Joiner's Work made to order at the Lowest Possible Prices. Hardwood supplied at Timber Yard Prices.

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 STATION SECURITIES, ENSUING CLIPS OF WOOL, GRAIN, ETC., FOR SALE IN MELBOURNE OR SHIPMENT TO LONDON.

Auction Sales of Wool held every week through the season. Auction Sales of Tall-wal Hides, Sheepskins, Leather, etc., three times a week throughout the year. Auction Sales of Grain, Flour, etc. held every Wednesday.

DAVID ELDER, Manager. I. YOUNGHUSBAND, Wool and Produce Manager. Melbourne Wool and Grain Warehouses, Collins street west.

Geelong Wool Sales.

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

To keep pace with the rapid strides their business has been making they have been compelled to greatly extend their Warehouse accommodation by the addition of a large building at the rear, 170 feet long, which will be completed in time for the coming season, and will make their Warehouse one of the largest and most convenient in the Colony.

Every improvement that experience can suggest has been adopted in the new buildings, and the new show-rooms are admirably adapted for the exhibition of Clips to the best possible advantage. A steady south light, which is so necessary to the efficient display of the superior Western Wools, being a special feature.

Every lot, no matter how small, is carefully examined prior to sale, and protected up to full market value.

They act as SELLING BROKERS ONLY, which is a further guarantee that all consignments will be placed at utmost market value. CASH ADVANCES made on the ensuing clip.

CHARGES the lowest ruling in the colony, and growers will find they effect a Saving of Seven Shillings per bale by selling at Geelong instead of Melbourne.

ACCOUNT SALES and proceeds forwarded invariably three days after sale. WOOLPACKS and station stores supplied at lowest market rates.

Only One Shilling per bale is charged for Receiving, Weighing, Warehousing, and Delivering Wool intended for shipment to the London market.

Separate Warehouses have been provided for the sale of SHEEPSKINS, HIDES, TALLOW, and other station produce.

Special arrangements have been made with Permewan Wright & Co. and Broadbent Bros. to receive and forward Wool from all railway stations in the colony to our store.

GEORGE HAGUE & CO., Wool Brokers. Geelong, 1st July, 1884.

WOTHERSPOON BROS. & CO., BEAUFORT, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Grocers, Wine & Spirit Merchants, Drapers and Outfitters, BOOTS AND SHOES. Ironmongery, Furniture, and Earthenware. MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING.

W. B. & CO are Importers of Drapery, Earthenware, Glassware, Bedsteads, &c., &c., and, being Large Cash Buyers, are enabled to sell all goods at Lowest Possible Prices.

Customers may rely upon getting as good value for their money as in any house in the colony.

Goods delivered within 14 miles FREE OF CHARGE.

N.B.—Our NEW SHOWROOM for FURNITURE, EARTHENWARE, &c., is now open.

HAWKES BROS., Next Bank of Victoria, Beaufort, Wholesale and Retail Iron Merchants, Ironmongers, Furniture Bakers, Dealers in Glassware, Crockery, etc.

HAWKES BROS., Being Importers of Iron, Ironmongery, Bedsteads, Furniture, Oils, Colors, etc., are enabled to offer to the public their goods at PRICES WHICH CANNOT BE BEATEN.

HAWKES BROS., Are prepared to supply FURNITURE and all HOUSEHOLD REQUISITES upon the TIME-PAYMENT SYSTEM.

HAWKES BROS., CHEAPEST HOUSE in the district for Ironmongery, Furniture, Crockery, Paperhangings, Canvas, House Lining, Oils, Colors, etc.

THE MELBOURNE PORTS DEPOT, INCORPORATED IN WAISTA. CRICKET \* TENNIS BOWLING \* CROQUET

62 ELIZABETH ST MELBOURNE 64

Agent for Beaufort: F. DE BAERE, Watchmaker, etc.

WOOL WOOL WOOL. NOTICE. POISON is laid down in the Langi Kal Kal paddocks during lambing. Trespassers with dogs will be prosecuted. THOS. TINDALE, Manager.

NOW READY. Price Sixpence, By Post Eightpence. A NEW WORK ON THE REPRODUCTIVE ORGANS BY R. J. POULTON.

The above work is a popular treatise on the REPRODUCTIVE ORGANS, showing their Construction, Functions, and the Derangements to which they are liable. This little book is one which may be perused with advantage by all who are desirous of obtaining information on a subject which ought to form a portion of the Education of the Male sex. A knowledge of this subject is undoubtedly of incalculable value, as by it many of the ills which afflict after life may be avoided or remedied. Copies will be forwarded under strict cover to any address on receipt of postage stamps issued by any of the colonies.

R. J. POULTON, 186 BOURKE STREET EAST, MELBOURNE.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS AUCTIONEER, King street, Beaufort, and Queen street, Arara Estate and Financial Agent, Arbitrator and Valuer Wool Grain, and Money Broker. Estate managed for Absentees and Others. Correspondent and Valuer for the Ballarat Bank Company, Limited. Agent for the Victoria Fire and Life Insurance Companies. Agent for the Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria Limited. Houses and Land bought or sold. Rents and Debts collected. Travelling Agents. Business of all kinds attended. Attend at Beaufort on Mondays and Saturdays, any other day by appointment.

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

TO SHEEP FARMERS, SELECTORS, AND OTHERS. E. J. STRICKLAND'S Ballarat WOOL, HIDE, SKIN AND TALLOW AUCTION ROOMS, Lydiard-street north, near Railway Station. Established 1868. ACTS AS SELLING BROKER ONLY.

E. J. S. is again thanking his numerous constituents, the Sheep Farmers and selectors (whose business he makes a specialty) for their liberal support during the past season, can confidently recommend this market as the best in the colony for the SALE of SMALL CLIPS, as past seasons' prices will show. I have therefore much pleasure in soliciting the favor of your support and interest. LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES MADE, whether in sale here, Melbourne or Geelong. Prompt Account Sales. Charges—Lowest in the colony.

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

NOW ON SALE—Victorian Almanac for 1885. Punch Almanac (just issued). Gordon's Poems. A Splendid Collection of Christmas and New Year Cards.

H. P. HENNINGSEN, NEWS AGENT, ETC., HAVLOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

THE CELEBRATED WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS THE PUREST STIMULANT IN THE WORLD

The Name of M. MOSS & Co. is on every Genuine Bottle.

INFINITELY SUPERIOR to Brandy or Whisky, and is now the Most Popular Drink throughout the Colonies.

Certified by the Medical Profession as "THE PUREST STIMULANT PRODUCEABLE."

As a Tonic and Stimulant cannot be surpassed, giving tone and life to the system.

The Purest Spirit in the World.

UDOLPHO WOLFE'S SCHIEDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS has been a quarter of a century before the public, and its sale is steadily increasing, while hundreds of imitations have appeared and disappeared, leading only ruin and disgrace to all connected with them. The public should no longer be duped by injurious, cheap, fiery compounds, imitations of the genuine WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

The public are strongly advised to purchase original unopened bottles, as the Custom Authorities have found it necessary to prosecute a large number of Publicans under the Trade Marks Act, and they have fined up to £10, and £10 10s. costs, for selling inferior spirits over the bar, representing it to be the GENUINE WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

M. MOSS & CO., MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY, SOLE AGENTS, WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

Watches. Watches. Watches. Clocks. Clocks. Clocks. Jewellery. Jewellery. Jewellery.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. ALL NEW. ALL NEW.

M. HAMBURGER, Next the Bank of Victoria, Beaufort, and Victoria street, Ballarat



# The Riponshire Advocate.

BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 1885.

PRICE SIXPENCE

No. 458]

## 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 messengers 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.  
New 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 bear the signature and address of the writer—not necessarily for publication, 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 6 shillings and sixpence.  
Notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, will be charged 2s. 6d. for each insertion.  
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 LANCA SHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
Established in the Colonies 1862.  
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 Fire, Marine, Stocks, and Agricultural Produce.  
Premiums for the year, £425,355 or £37,870 over 1879.  
The additions to Reserve Funds now amount to £53,729 to meet fire losses only, in addition to the Capital.  
Out of a surplus of £110,730, only £16,897 was paid to Shareholders in Dividends, the balance being added to Reserve Fund.  
H. P. HENNINGSEN

**WANTED KNOWN.**  
IT 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 will be 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 may save 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 strength 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 blood and a properly nourished frame."—See article in the "Civil Service Gazette."  
Made simply with boiling water or milk.  
Sold in 4lb. packets by Grocers labelled thus:—  
JAMES EPPS & CO.,  
HOMOEOPATHIC CHEMISTS,  
LONDON, ENGLAND.  
H. P. HENNINGSEN,  
BOOKSELLER,  
STATIONER & NEWS AGENT,  
HAVELOCK-STREET BEAUFORT.

**IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
PERMANENT ENLARGEMENT  
Of the  
WEEKLY TIMES  
TO TWENTY-FOUR PAGES,  
Or  
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.  
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How many wasted ruined youths of both sexes have also been restored to health, and thanked their manhood, for having consulted me by letter.  
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when, after careful consideration, we have arrived unanimously at a decision which is embodied in the following statement. On the 19th December, 1884, the date fixed for the trial, which was held at Darkbounce, on the St. Arnaud and Donald line, only two of the four entries put in an appearance, viz., Mr. Rupert Smith, of Beaufort who sent two machines, and Mr. R. Bowman, of South Australia, who competed with one. The three machines were put to work on plots of two acres each, but, owing partly to the lateness of the crops, which prevented the competitors having the advantage of a private test, and the fact that one of Smith's harvesters broke down early in the day, the result was far from satisfactory. In order to obtain a thorough knowledge of the actual capabilities of each harvester, the trial was adjourned until the 31st December, so that in the meantime competitors could remedy defects, and otherwise complete their preparations. At this stage Messrs. Nicholson and Co., who had not previously been in readiness signified their willingness to compete at the adjourned contest, and their offer was agreed to. The adjourned competition duly took place to-day on the farm of Mr. Veale, near St. Arnaud, the conditions as regards the crop and the state of the weather being exceptionally good. R. Smith again sent two machines, and R. Bowman one, whilst Nicholson and Co. were also represented. Two-acre blocks were again allotted to each competitor, and after a careful scrutiny of the different harvesters and a close examination of the capabilities of each machine, we came to the conclusion that the results fell far short of the anticipations of the Department of Agriculture when offering the bonus of £250, and we therefore cannot see our way clear to recommend a payment of a greater amount than £75, to be apportioned in the following manner:—Nicholson and Co., £40; Smith £20; Bowman £15. In consideration of the adjournment of the first trial for 12 days, we should recommend a further payment of £20, to be divided equally between Messrs. Smith and Bowman to assist in defraying any expenses incurred by them during their compulsory stay in the district. Touching the construction of the competing machines, it is sufficient to say that they are all built on the lines of the stripper, and fitted with dressing apparatus for clearing the grain, which is then conveyed by elevators to the bag stand attached to the machine on the land side. Bowman's harvester, however, does not bag the grain, as after being cleaned it descends into boxes underneath the machine, which are emptied when necessary at the headland. We have the honor to be, Sir, your most obedient servants, James Gibb, H. Martin, C. Yeo. The Hon. the Minister of Agriculture.



Beaufort Athletic Club. A GENERAL MEETING of members of the Club, including members, and others interested will be held at the Victoria Hotel, on THURSDAY, 15th instant, at 8 p.m. Business: Arrange programme for Easter Monday, and general.



GOVERNMENT ADVERTISEMENTS. School District West Riding of the Shire of Ripon. NOTICE is hereby given that an ELECTION of two persons to act as members of the Board of Health for the above-named District will be held on the 20th January, 1885, to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of Mr. R. Kickett's term of office, and Mr. R. Ward's term of office, the 19th January has been fixed as the day of nomination. Nominations must be delivered to me, at my residence, later than 4 o'clock p.m. on the 20th January, 1885.

NOTICE. I am claiming to be entitled to the General List of Persons who have been elected to the office of Member of Parliament for the Ripon Division of the North-Eastern District of the House of Commons, and I am now in possession, and can be inspected by any person interested therein at my office.

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Sale by Public Auction, AT THE GOLDEN AGE HOTEL. Freehold Farm, Lands at Trawalla. EDWARD NICKOLS has been favored with instructions to sell, as above: Lot 1—All that piece of Freehold Land, being Crown Allotment 13, subdivision B, in the parish of Trawalla, county of Ripon, containing 50a. 3r. 22p. This allotment has frontage to the Emu Creek, and is adjoining Mr. Smith's. All that allotment of land, situated 1 rood on which is erected a four-roomed cottage, with out-kitchen, and close-fenced with palings. Lot 2—By order and on account of Mr. William near the agricultural show ground, containing 1 rood on which is erected a four-roomed cottage, with out-kitchen, and close-fenced with palings. Lot 3—By order and on account of Mr. P. Male. All that piece of land, being Crown Allotment 5, of section 61, in the township of Beaufort, containing 1 rood or thereabouts, upon which is erected a four-roomed dwelling house, fenced, etc., etc. Terms as set out. W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Auctioneer.

To Let, A COTTAGE, near the Court-house, Beaufort. Apply to H. P. HENNINGSEN.

Schedule A.—[Rule 4.] NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A GOLD MINING LEASE. I the undersigned, hereby give notice that, within the period of the date hereof, I will leave with the Warden of the Mining Division of Ripon an application for a Gold Mining Lease, the particulars whereof are hereunder set forth: Name in full of each applicant: John Harris Previs; which it is intended that the business shall be carried on by: Harris Previs & Co., Beaufort. Extent of ground applied for: Fifty acres; both on or a lot of ... and below the surface. Name of each person (or any) who is in occupation of the land: ... For the first six months, two men; subsequently, when in all works, fifteen men. Musical Gully, Waterloo north and adjoining lease of D. Cochran. Fifteen years. On the granting of the lease, £1000; steam machinery and manual labor. Whether the boundaries of the land applied for will include any river, creek, water, spring, artificial reservoir, public roads, or subject to any public rights: None. General remarks: ... None. Date and place—January 3rd, 1885; Waterloo.

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

Beaufort College. FIRST QUARTER commences Monday, January 12th, 1885, in old R.C. Church building. Pupils enrolled and classified on Thursday, 8th January, between 10.30 and 11.30 p.m. TERMS (payable in advance).—Matriculation (boys and girls), £2 2s. per quarter; Sub-Matriculation (do.) £1 10s. do.; Ordinary Classwork (boys only, under 14), 1s. do.; Ordinary Classwork (girls only, under 14), 1s. do. Particulars on application to BERNARD O'DOWD, Melb. Univ. Principal.

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A DISASTROUS CYCLONE.

The following details regarding the recent disastrous cyclone at Madras are furnished by the Calcutta correspondent of "The Times." On Friday last (Nov. 21), a cyclone burst over the town in the early morning and blew for a time at the rate of 46 miles an hour. The shipping in the harbour was in great peril. The ships Dominion, Laurel, and Medusa dragged their anchors, but were brought up before going ashore. The steamer Clan Grant was obliged to put to sea without a pilot, and narrowly escaped drifting upon the breakwater. The most serious damage was done on the land. The storm breached the northern embankment of the Red-hills Lake, the only reservoir of drinking water which the city possesses. The lake was fairly full, owing to the recent heavy rain, but on Thursday evening the water was still full, below the top of the embankment, while there was a parapet 3ft. high besides. The cyclone drove the water over these 3ft. of perpendicular height, and the top and back of the embankment were torn away until the whole collapsed, and almost the entire supply of water effected its escape to the sea, carrying away two small villages and some isolated houses, with six persons. The whole country below the lake was under water on Saturday, and rafts were being constructed to rescue the people in the villages. It is feared that there is not enough water in the lake to send a supply to Madras, even by means of steam pumps, and the city must depend on the wells till the breach is repaired, which will probably be a work of some months. Cholera, which was also brought by the storm, but the damage done was apparently purely local.

GARDENING FOR JANUARY.

KITCHEN GARDEN.—This month is generally too hot and dry to admit of much being done in gardening operations, except in low, moist situations, where cropping can be carried on almost at any time. Where water is plentiful and easily applied, young crops should be watered once or twice a week, care being taken that the soil be well stirred with a Dutch hoe after every watering. If rain or dull weather occur, a few cabbage, carrot, cauliflower, celery, broad and kidney bean, lettuce, pea, onion, radish, and turnip seeds may be sown to a limited extent; with the exception of the peas and beans, all the seeds should be slightly protected from the intense sun. Early potatoes should be planted for use in April.

FLOWER GARDEN.—Dahlia and roses should be looked after; the former requiring staking, disbudding, mulching, and watering; the latter to be pruned when necessary, so as to give a fine autumn bloom; decayed flowers should be removed, and every means used to render the plant vigorous. Carnations should be layered. Chrysanthemums, phloxes, and other herbaceous plants will want staking and thinning.

FARM.—Farmers will be busy harvesting the grain crops, when the ground is cleared, lose no time in ploughing or sowing the stubble, to destroy weeds. If the weather will permit, turnips might be sown, and would yield good feed for sheep, and a good dressing of manure. Mangolds, carrots, and other root crops must be kept clean by horse-hoeing.

A panic resembling that which led to the Sunderland catastrophe, but happily without such serious consequences, occurred on November 23 in the Bohemian town of Horie, where the girls and boys of the national schools, which are held in two adjoining houses, having a common corridor and two very narrow entrances. In one class a girl, suddenly attacked with an epileptic fit, cried out, or caused another girl to raise the cry, "It's burning." A fearful panic at once set in, and spread to all the classes in both houses. The boys and girls rushed down the staircase, the teachers being unable to detain them. Two girls sprang from a first-floor window. The people outside made matters worse by barring the entrances in their endeavors to get in and help the children. Eventually they were all got out, and, strange to say, with no more serious injuries than some bruises and a few slight fractures.

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GREEN BANK ALKALI CO.'S PATENT POWDERED DOUBLE REFINED CAUSTIC SODA. Makes the Finest Hair absolutely without Boiling! No special apparatus required. By simply mixing with tallow refuse grease, or oil, any quantity of soap can be made at a time, from ten pounds in a few minutes to ten tons in a day. The soap is 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!

THE COMMON CAUSTIC SODA SALT IN DRUMS WILL NOT MAKE SOAP AT ALL BY THE ABOVE METHOD. The Soap made in this way is an absolutely pure undiluted soap, far superior in quality to any boiled soap, and much cheaper. It contains all glycerine originally contained in the tallow, and is free from all impurities. It is the best soap for washing, scouring, and bleaching purposes. It is also the best soap for making emulsions of Caustic Soda, and for use in the manufacture of various articles of soap. It is also the best soap for use in the laundry. It is also the best soap for use in the kitchen. It is also the best soap for use in the bath. It is also the best soap for use in the wash. It is also the best soap for use in the tub. It is also the best soap for use in the sink. It is also the best soap for use in the drain. It is also the best soap for use in the gutter. It is also the best soap for use in the pipe. It is also the best soap for use in the channel. 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Our 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 bear the signature and address of the writer—not necessarily for publication, 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 6 shillings and sixpence.  
Notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, will be charged 2s. 6d. for each insertion.  
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, forwarded or extended periods, will be charged on a reduced scale, in proportion to the number of insertions.  
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Established in the Colonies 1862.  
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and disorderly at Clute on New Year's night. Sergeant Woods stated that the defendant used some very bad language, but it could not be proved that the language was used in a public place...

S. Chapman v. James Rooney.—Goods sold and delivered, £1 0s 2d. Order for amount, with 5s costs.

WATERLOO.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) Tuesday. The prizes in connection with the Waterloo State School were distributed yesterday...

The Waterloo Church Committee held their annual meeting last evening, all the members being present. The secretary's report showed a small cash balance in hand...

LATEST NEWS.

(BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.) (FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) MELBOURNE, Friday. Dr. Matthew Quinn, for twenty years Roman Catholic Bishop of Bathurst, died today after a very short illness.

The late Mr. J. B. Slack's body was examined this morning. Professor Allen and Dr. Nield held a post mortem examination, say that the deceased was strangled before his throat was cut.

Dr. Figg, of Williamstown, was fined £5 and costs today for using insulting language to Mr. Neale, proprietor of the "Williamstown Chronicle."

BEAUFORT UNITED COMMON. A meeting of the managers was held yesterday, when there were present—Messrs. Browne, Thomas, and Nicol.

A letter was read from the Messrs. Beggs, asking the managers to allow them a month's time in which to remove their fence. The request was granted, providing the Messrs. Beggs keep their sheep off the common in the meantime.

From Charles Loft, Clute, complaining of a large flock of 10,000 sheep eating the whole of the grass on that part of the common, and stating that the headman does not attend to his duties by watching the travelling sheep, and is never seen at Clute except when collecting fees.

From the Headman, contradicting the statements made by Messrs. Mulholland and Mitchell with reference to their cattle, which were impounded at Snythesiaie while being paid for on this common.

From Donald Marchison, enclosing two letters from the headman of the Carngaham Common, which stated that Marchison's cattle were running on the Carngaham Common for three months before he impounded them, and also stating that he told the Beaufort headman about the cattle, when the latter said that they did not belong to the Beaufort common.

From the Lands Department, intimating that allotment 4, parish of Erambeun, is within the boundaries of the Erambeun run.

The headman not being in attendance, through illness, it was resolved that a copy of the letters from the Carngaham headman be forwarded to him, with an intimation that his report of the matter is considered very unsatisfactory by the managers, who believe him to be inattentive to his duties, and therefore request him to attend at the adjourned meeting, to be held on the 23rd instant, to answer any charge brought against him, and to show cause why his services should not be dispensed with.

The Board then adjourned. DESERTIONS FROM MEN-OF-WAR SHIPS. With regard to desertions from ships of war on the Australian station, the "Sydney Morning Herald" says:—"There are at present about, by a rough calculation, 1,500 seamen on board Her Majesty's ships of war in Sydney harbor. With its number of seamen it might be expected that desertions would be very numerous, but the police state that on the whole the number of desertions of late and at present, as compared against those of former years, shows a decrease rather than an increase. This is attributed to the fact that the punishment for the offence has become more severe, and that the duration of imprisonment is generally of such length as to all events prevent the frequent repetition of acts of desertion by the same persons. A few years ago 90 days' imprisonment was the usual punishment for desertion, but now 9, 12, and even 18 months' imprisonment are the terms of confinement inflicted as punishment, and the more rigorous course thus adopted appears to have—to some degree, at all events—checked the evil. At the present time there is said to be between 80 and 90 seamen imprisoned at Darlinghurst undergoing punishment for acts of desertion. These will, on their arrival, be shipped on board the Tamar, which is on her way to the colony with the Nelson's

complement of seamen, to take the place of those who will shortly complete their term of service on this station. On the return of the Tamar to England the deserters will be transferred to English prisons, there to complete their punishment.

The "Scientific American" says:—"If a bottle of the oil of pennyroyal is left uncorked in a room at night, not a mosquito or any other bloodsucker will be found there in the morning. Mix potash with powdered meal and throw it into the rat holes of a cellar and rats will depart. If a rat or mouse gets into your pantry, stuff into its hole a rag saturated with a solution of cayenne pepper, and no rat or mouse will touch the rag for the purpose of opening a communication with a depot of supplies.

A telegram from Sydney says:—"Great excitement was caused in Sydney on Thursday by the discovery of two putrid bodies on the premises of an undertaker. It appears that about two months ago a dead body was brought to the Sydney hospital to the University for the use of the medical students by an undertaker named Kirby, and another was brought from the same place a month after. Kirby was directed by the University authorities to inter both bodies, but instead of doing so he removed them to his own premises. The neighbors complained yesterday of the stench, and the police on making search found the two putrid bodies covered with rain lying in the shed at the back of the premises in Phillip-street, where they still remain. The stench is intolerable, and the neighbors are preparing to leave the spot, and the health authorities have been communicated with.

Mr. Alley, P.M., now travels to his courts on a bicycle. From "information received" it is quite possible that a distinguished legal luminary will also shortly take his daily walks abroad on a bicycle.

The "Week," which is one of the most influential papers in Canada, sums up the dispute as to the Hamilton-Beach race, which has excited so much interest in this country, as follows:—"Hamilton is known to be a needy man, fond of money, given to gambling, and his only chance to make a considerable sum was to lose the race and lay against himself—a device which it is too apparent he resorted to."

Wanted, A BOY, fourteen or fifteen years of age, to make himself generally useful. Apply on Monday to W. SMITH, Butcher, Beaufort.

MEMORIAL GIR Distribution. THE following are the winning numbers, the prizes for which are still unclaimed:

Table with 5 columns of numbers and prize amounts. Numbers include 2257, 2349, 1901, 340, 2540, 1612, 1455, 1306, 25, 2589, 1194, 803, 353, 2625. Prize amounts range from 1880 to 2500.

All prizes not claimed within fourteen days from this date will be forfeited. W. G. STEVENS, Hon. Sec.



Beaufort Athletic Club. GENERAL MEETING of members of the above Club, intending members, and others interested will be held at the Commercial Hotel, on TUESDAY, 20th instant, at 8 p.m.

For Sale, A SECOND-HAND REAPING MACHINE, in good order. Apply W. AL. SMITH, Butcher, Beaufort.

To Let, A COTTAGE, near the Court-house, Beaufort. Apply to H. P. HENNINGSEN.

[A CARD.] M. E. HAMBURGER, Watchmaker, Jeweller, Optician, Neill street, Beaufort, next the Bank of Victoria, Beaufort. Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery repaired. Workmanship guaranteed. New Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery on sale at Cheapest Rates. A Trial solicited.

W. HARTLEY IS prepared to instruct pupils on the Piano, a limited number only, visiting Beaufort weekly. For particulars apply to W. Hartley, Dentist, Ballarat, or Mr. Loft, Railway Hotel, Beaufort.

BARGAINS BARGAINS! BARGAINS! IN DRAPERY, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, AT GEO. H. COUGLE'S Cash Drapery Store, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

BEAUFORT. SATURDAY, JANUARY 17th, 1885. At Two o'Clock.

Sale by Public Auction, AT THE GOLDEN AGE HOTEL. Froehold Farm, Lands at Trawalla.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS has been favored with instructions to SELL, as above:— Lot 1—All that piece of Froehold Land, being Crown allotment 13, sub-section B, in the parish of Trawalla, county of Ripon, containing 60 a. 3 r. 2 p. This allotment has a frontage to the Elm Creek, and is adjoining Mr. Heald's farm.

Lot 2—By order and on account of Mr. William Smith. All that allotment of land, situate near the agricultural show ground, containing 1 rood, on which is erected a four-roomed cottage, with out-kitchen, and closed-in with pig-pens.

Lot 3—By order and on account of Mr. F. M. M. All that piece of land, being Crown allotment 5, of section 61, in the township of Beaufort, containing 1 rood or thereabouts, upon which is erected a four-roomed dwelling house, fenced, etc., etc.

Beaufort College. FIRST QUARTER commences Monday, January 12th, 1885, in old R.C. Church building. Pupils enrolled and classified on Thursday, 8th January, between 10.30 and 11.30 p.m.

CHEMICALS AND DRUGS, STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES, Hair and Tooth Brushes, TOILET ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, SOAPS, SHOULDER BRACES, TRUSSES, SPONGES, AND ALL VARIETIES OF DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES.

Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded, and orders answered with care and despatch. A. ANDREWS, PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMIST, NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.

Martin and Co.'s Homeopathic Medicines. A. A. wishes to notify that he has been appointed Agent for the above preparations by Messrs. MARTIN and CO., Collins street, Melbourne.

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

FORWARDING, COMMISSION & RAILWAY AGENTS & LICENSED CARRIERS. On Sale AT JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD, CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOBY STREETS.

American shelving boards, Do number do, 6 x 1 T and 2 Scotch flooring, 4 do do lining, 6 x 3 do do flooring, American and Baltic deals, all sizes, 4 cut fine weatherboards, 6 do do, American clear pine, 4 in. x 1 in., 1 1/2 in., cedar, wide and narrow boards, Cedar table legs, all sizes, French casements, doors, sashes, Mouldings, architraves, skirtings, Broad palings and shingles, A stock of all sizes of hardwood always on hand AND GEELONG LINE.

Next to Police Station J. W. HARRIS, MINING AGENT AND SHARE BROKER, BEAUFORT. Member of the Ballarat Stock Exchange

THE IMPORTED PURE-BRED SUPERIOR FOLK-PUNCH STALLION DUKE Will stand this season at his owner's Farm, TRAWALLA.

DUKE is a rich blood chestnut, without white, standing over 16 hands 2 inches high. He was imported to South Australia by Mr. E. M. Bagot, and bred by Mr. James Lambert, of Mendlesham, his dam by Mr. Catlin's Royal Duke, the winner of many prizes, his sire by Mr. John Bloomfield's Briton, the winner of many prizes. The horse was purchased by his previous proprietor from Mr. C. B. Fisher, and selected as the class of horse best adapted to benefit the farmers and breeders of this district. The fact of his having been used by Mr. Fisher as a stud horse for some years past is the best guarantee of his excellence as a sure foal-getter and producer of first-class stock.

Mr. Walsh (Stonehouse), editor of "The Field," one of the greatest authorities on the subject in England, when speaking of the Suffolk Punch in his work, "The Horse in the Stable and the Field," says:—"His admirers maintain that no other horse is so hardy, and that he will do more work in the same time, and on the same amount of food, than any other." Terms: £2 if led to the horse. If padlocked, £2 10s. Good grass paddock provided, with a plentiful supply of water. RICHARD WILKINSON, Proprietor.

Geelong Wool Sales. We shall hold AUCTION SALES of WOOL on each TUESDAY AND THURSDAY, throughout the coming season (excepting Tuesday the 4th November, Melbourne Cup Day).

To keep pace with the rapid growth of our consignments we have again added to our Warehouse by the erection of Two Floors, measuring 60 x 132 feet. This makes our New Sample Room the LARGEST IN VICTORIA and will enable us to display every lot to the best advantage.

We draw attention to some of the advantages we have to offer for the sale of Western and Wimmera clips: A SAVING IN CHARGES AND FREIGHT, on, as compared to Melbourne, of about SEVEN SHILLINGS PER BALE.

The ATTENDANCE of all the EUROPEAN and AMERICAN BUYERS, and in addition, a LARGER LOCAL CONSUMPTION OF Wool than is in any other Australian Town. The SITUATION of our WAREHOUSE, which is within a STONE'S THROW of the SHIPPING, and in close proximity to the Sale Room, thus enabling buyers, at a minimum inconvenience, to re-examine any lots which may have been passed in at auction.

THE CAREFUL VALUATION and Personal Attention of each Member of the Firm. Trusting that our efforts to provide Growers with every facility for the Sale of their Wool in the Colony, will meet with a correspondingly increased support. We are, etc., Dennys, Lascelles, Austin and Co. Geelong, 20th August, 1884.

W. BAKER, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, Window Blind and Bedding Manufacturer.

W.B. has ON SALE the following lines:—Pine Shelving, Flooring, and Lining Boards; California, Walnut, and Clear Pine, up to 36 inches; Cedar, all thicknesses and widths; Table Legs, Sashes, Doors, Architraves and other Mouldings, Window Glass, White Lead, Oils, Turps, and all other Building Requisites. Sashes, Doors, and all kinds of Joiner's Work made to order at the Lowest Possible Prices. Hardwood supplied at Timber Yard Prices.

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 STATION SECURITIES, ENSUING CLIPS OF WOOL, GRAIN, ETC., FOR SALE IN MELBOURNE OR SHIPMENT TO LONDON.

Auction Sales of Wool held every week through the season. Auction Sales of Tallow, Hides, Sheepskins, Leather, etc., three times a week throughout the year. Auction Sales of Grain, Flour, etc. held every Wednesday. DAVID ELDER, Manager. I. YOUNGHUSLAND, Wool and Produce Manager. Melbourne Wool and Grain Warehouses, Collins street west

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

To keep pace with the rapid strides their business has been making they have been compelled to greatly extend their Warehouse accommodation by the addition of a large building at the rear, 170 feet long, which will be completed in time for the coming season, and will make their Warehouse one of the largest and most convenient in the Colony. Every improvement that experience can suggest has been adopted in the new buildings, and the new show-rooms are admirably adapted for the exhibition of Clips to the best possible advantage. A steady supply of light, which is so necessary to the efficient display of the superior Western Wools, being a special feature.

Every lot, no matter how small, is carefully examined prior to sale, and protected up to full market value. They act as SELLING BROKERS ONLY, which is a further guarantee that all consignments will be placed at utmost market value. CASH ADVANCES made on the ensuing clip.

CHARGES the lowest ruling in the colony, and growers will find they effect a Saving of Seven Shillings per bale by selling at Geelong instead of Melbourne. ACCOUNT SALES and proceeds forwarded invariably three days after sale. WOOLPACKS and station stores supplied at lowest market rates.

Only One Shilling per bale is charged for Receiving, Weighing, Warehousing, and Delivering Wool intended for shipment to the London market. Separate Warehouses have been provided for the sale of SHEEPSKINS, HIDES, TALLOW, and other station produce.

Special arrangements have been made with Fernewan Wright & Co. and Broadbent Bros. to receive and forward Wool from all railway stations in the colony to our store. GEORGE HAGUE & CO., Wool Brokers. Geelong, 1st July, 1884.

THE CELEBRATED WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS THE PUREST STIMULANT IN THE WORLD. The Name of M. MOSS & CO. Is on every Genuine Bottle.

INFINITELY SUPERIOR to Brandy or Whisky, and is now the Most Popular Drink throughout the Colonies. Certified by the Medical Profession as "THE PUREST STIMULANT PROCURABLE." As a Tonic and Stimulant cannot be surpassed, giving tone and life to the system.

The Purest Spirit in the World. UNLORD WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS ARGENTINE SCHNAPPS has been a quarter of a century before the public, and its sale is steadily increasing, while hundreds of imitations have appeared and disappeared, leading only ruin and disgrace to all connected with them. The public should no longer be duped by injurious, cheap, fiery compounds, imitations of the genuine WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

The public are strongly advised to purchase original unopened bottles, as the Custom Authorities have found it necessary to prosecute a large number of Publicans under the Trade Marks Act, and they have fined up to £10, and £10 10s. costs, for selling inferior spirits over the bar, representing it to be the GENUINE WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

M. MOSS & CO., MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY, SOLE AGENTS, WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

WOTHERSPOON BROS. & CO., BEAUFORT, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Grocers, Wine & Spirit Merchants, Drapers and Outfitters,

BOOTS AND SHOES. Ironmongery, Furniture, and Earthenware. MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING.

W. B. & CO are Importers of Drapery, Earthenware, Glassware, Bedsteads, &c., &c., and being Large Cash Buyers, are enabled to sell all goods at Lowest Possible Prices. Customers may rely upon getting as good value for their money as in any house in the colony.

Goods delivered within 14 miles FREE OF CHARGE. N.B.—Our NEW SHOWROOM for FURNITURE, EARTHENWARE, &c., is now open.

HAWKES BROS., Next Bank of Victoria, Beaufort. Wholesale and Retail Iron Merchants, Ironmongers, Furniture Brokers, Dealers in Glassware, Crockery, etc.

HAWKES BROS., Being Importers of Iron, Ironmongery, Bedsteads, Furniture, Oils, Colors, etc., are enabled to offer to the public their goods at PRICES WHICH CANNOT BE BEATEN. HAWKES BROS., Are prepared to supply FURNITURE and all HOUSEHOLD REQUISITES upon the TIME-PAYMENT SYSTEM.

HAWKES BROS., CHEAPEST HOUSE in the district for Ironmongery, Furniture, Crockery, Paperhanging Canvas, House Lining, Oils, Colors, etc.

Advertisement for THE COLONIAL BRANCH featuring various clubs and products. Includes logos for THE NEW SPECIAL CLUB, THE CHEVY'S MORE, THE IMPERIAL CLUB, and THE WOLF CLUB. Text includes 'ESTABLISHED 1858' and 'CORRESPONDENCE INVITED'.

Agent for Beaufort: P. DE BARRE, Watchmaker, etc. WOOD, WOOD, WOOD. NOTICE. POISON is laid down in the Lansi Kal Kal paddock above mentioned. Trespassers with dogs will be prosecuted. THOS. TINDALE, Manager.

E. J. STRICKLAND'S Ballarat. WOOL, HIDE, SKIN AND TALLOW AUCTION ROOMS, Lydiard-street north, near Railway Station. Established 1859. ACTS AS SELLING BROKER ONLY.

E. J. S. is again thanking his numerous constituents, the Sheep Farmers and selectors (whose business he makes a specialty) for their liberal support during the past season, can confidently recommend this market as the best in the colony for the SALE of SMALL CLIPS, as past seasons' prices will show. I have therefore much pleasure of soliciting the favor of your support and interest. LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES MADE, whether in sale here, Melbourne or Geelong. Prompt Account Sales. Charges—Lowest in the colony.

SALE DAY—THURSDAYS. Any of the forwarding agents will receive consignments, pay all charges, and forward with despatch. NOW ON SALE—Victorian Almanac for 1885. Punch Almanac (just issued). Gordon's Poems. A Splendid Collection of Christmas and New Year Cards.

H. P. HENNINGSEN, NEWS AGENT, ETC., HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS AUCTIONEER, King street, Beaufort, and Queen street, Ararat. Estate and Financial Agent, Arbitrator and Valuer. Wholesale Grain and Money Broker. Estate managed for Absentees and Others. Correspondent and Valuer for the Ballarat Bank Company, Limited. Agent for the Victoria Fire and Life Insurance Companies. Agent for the Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria Limited. Houses and Land bought or sold. Receipts and Debts collected. Trust and Agency Business of all kinds attended. Attend at Beaufort on Mondays and Saturdays, any other day by appointment. Note the Address: W. EDWARD NICKOLS, AUCTIONEER BEAUFORT.

MAJORITY FEAST.

The majority feast, the first held since the... Government prohibited the... at Paribaka, was held on... Wellington. The "New... correspondent at the spot...

THE BAD AND WORTHLESS

Are never imitated or counterfeited. This is especially true of a family medicine, and it is positive proof that the remedy imitated is of the highest value. As soon as it had been tested and proved by the whole world that Hop Bitters was the purest, best and most valuable family medicine on earth, many imitations sprung up and began to steal the notices in which the press and the people of the country had expressed the merits of H. B., and in every way trying to induce suffering invalids to use their stuff instead, expecting to make money on the credit and good name of H. B. Many others started nostrums put up in similar style to H. B., with variously devised names in which the word "Hop" or "Hops" were used in a way to induce people to believe they were the same as Hop Bitters.

THROAT AFFECTIONS AND HOARSENESS.

—All suffering from irritation of the throat and hoarseness will be agreeably surprised at the almost immediate relief afforded by the use of "Brown's Bronchial Balm." These famous "lozenges" are now sold by most respectable chemists in this country at 1s. 1/6 per box. People troubled with a "licking cough," a "slight cold," or bronchial affections, cannot try too soon, as similar troubles, if allowed to progress, result in serious Pulmonary and Asthmatic affections. See that the words "Brown's Bronchial Balm" are on the Government Stamp around each box. Prepared by John I. Brown & Sons, Boston, U.S. European depot, removed to 33, Farringdon Road, London.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS!

—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain or cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and pleasant to taste, it produces natural, quiet sleep, by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes "as bright as a button." It soothes the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysentery and diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by medicine dealers everywhere at 1s. 1/6 per bottle.

THOMAS GEO. ARCHARD, CIVIL ENGINEER.

DESIGNS to inform the inhabitants of Beaufort and the district that he is prepared to execute Plans and Specifications for any description of buildings, supply Contractors' quantities, and prepare estimates. Address—Messrs. Hawkes Row, Ironmongers, etc., Beaufort. Agent for the Imperial Fire Insurance Company



TOM BOY.

TO STAND this season at E. Waugh's Baugor Hotel, and will travel the surrounding district, the Celebrated Clydesdale Stallion, TOM BOY.

YOUNG TOM BOY is a bay, and is by the celebrated Imported Clydesdale stallion Tom Boy, and out of the first-class mare, Darling, both being imported by the well-known horse-breeder, the late J. G. Ware, Esq. of Koor Koor Nong, whose stock always fetches the highest price in the Ballarat market; and to prove above Young Tom Boy's stock, he was sold for £20 and six months old and £25 and £30 have been referred for other foals by Young Tom Boy.

Terms:—£2 10s. each mare. Paddock. Every care taken, but no responsibility. Mares to be removed and paid for when stated (of which due notice will be given), after which 1s. 6d. per week will be charged for grazing.

THE PURE CLYDESDALE STALLION YOUNG SCOTCHMAN

Will stand at Mr. P. Blackmore's paddock, Travalla, this season, and travel the surrounding district. YOUNG SCOTCHMAN is a steel grey horse, 9 years old, stands 16 1/2 hands high, with splendid bone and muscle and his silky hair in the right place, a kind temper, a splendid worker, and has proved himself a sure foal-getter.

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YOUNG CHAMPION

YOUNG CHAMPION was bred by Mr. A. Robbie, of Brynton Stud Farm. He is a dark bay, black points, 8 years old, standing 17 hands high, and is a most promising young horse. He is by the celebrated Champion of England, which was imported by Mr. Darman, and purchased by Mr. Robbie at a cost of 115 guineas. When only 2 years old he took first prize at Peterborough, open to all England. He took second prize at the Royal show, held at Beaufort, open to all the world, and was considered to be, by competent judges, one of the best Cart Stallions in Europe.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS

NO family should be without these PILLS. Their medicinal efficacy in correcting disorders of the bowels 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, and may lead forward towards the recovery and revivifying of the system.

Holloway's Ointment.

There is no medicinal preparation which may be so thoroughly relied upon in the treatment of the above ailments as Holloway's Ointment. Nothing can be more salutary than its action on the body locally and constitutionally. The Ointment "sifts" around the part affected the pores as salt penetrates meat. It quickly penetrates to the source of the evil, and drives it from the system.

THE COMMON CAUSTIC SODA

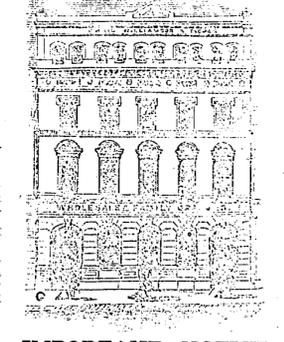
THE COMMON CAUSTIC SODA MEMO. IN DRUMS WILL NOT MAKE A PATENT POWDERED DOUBLE REFINED IN THE U.S.A. BY THE ABOVE DIRECTIONS.

FLORILINE

—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, hardens the gums, prevents tartar, stops decay, gives to the teeth a peculiar pearly-whiteness, and a delightful fragrance to the breath. It removes all unpleasant odour arising from decayed teeth or tobacco smoke.

Victorian Railways.

Table with 2 columns: Station, Time. Includes Melbourne to Stawell, Melbourne to Geelong, Melbourne to Ballarat, Melbourne to Ararat, Melbourne to Hamilton, Melbourne to Portland, Melbourne to Geelong, Melbourne to Ballarat, Melbourne to Ararat, Melbourne to Hamilton, Melbourne to Portland.



IMPORTANT NOTICE TO HEADS OF FAMILIES AND OTHERS.

Drapery, Woollens and Clothing, Carpets, Floorcloths and Linoleums, Baldestans and Bedding, direct from the Importers, at actual Wholesale Prices.

CRAIG, WILLIAMSON, AND THOMAS

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CRAIG, WILLIAMSON, & THOMAS, IMPORTERS AND WAREHOUSEMEN, MELBOURNE.



THE THOROUGHBRED STALLION LEO

Will stand this season at Chepstove, Terms—£2 6s. Also, The Imported Arab Stallion SERANG. Terms—£5 5s. THOS. R. ODDIE, Proprietor.

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

JOHN JAMES TREVATT, Shoeing and Jobbing Smith,

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. Sale days, Tuesdays and Thursdays for Wool, and Wednesdays for Skins, Hides and Tallow. During the grain season Weekly Sales of Grain will be held at the warehouses.

THE COMMON CAUSTIC SODA MEMO. IN DRUMS WILL NOT MAKE A PATENT POWDERED DOUBLE REFINED IN THE U.S.A. BY THE ABOVE DIRECTIONS.

The Soap made in this way is an absolutely pure unadulterated soap, far superior in quality to any boiled soap, and much cleaner than the same way made. It contains in the grease used, a valuable ingredient all contained when the soap is made by the old-fashioned "boiled" method. This soap is pure and unadulterated, and will not injure or destroy the most delicate fabrics, or colours; though for washing or scouring woollen articles we always recommend a pure potash Soap made in the same way.

ROBERT DICKENS & CO., 25 Market Street, Melbourne: Wholesale Agents for Victoria. CLARE STREET, GEELONG.

GARDENING FOR JANUARY.

KITCHEN GARDEN.—This month is generally too hot and dry to admit of much being done in gardening operations, except in low, moist situations, where cropping can be carried on almost at any time. Where water is plentiful and easily applied, young crops should be sown on or twice a week, care being taken that the soil be well stirred with a Dutch hoe after every watering.

VALUABLE DISCOVERY FOR THE HAIR.

—If your hair is turning grey or white, or falling off, "The Mexican Hair Restorer" for it will positively restore in every case Grey or White hair to its original colour, without leaving the disagreeable smell of most "Restorers." It makes the hair charmingly beautiful, as well as promoting the growth of the hair on bald spots, where the glands are not decayed. Ask your chemist for "The Mexican Hair Restorer," which is sold by Chemists and Perfumers everywhere at 3s. 6d. per bottle. Wholesale depot removed to 33, Farringdon Road, London.

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.

KEY'S COMPOUND OF LINSSEED, Aniseed, Senegal, Squill, Tolu, &c., with Chlorodyne.

KEY'S COMPOUND, a demulcent expectorant, for Coughs and Colds.

KEY'S COMPOUND for Coughs and Colds, is equally serviceable for Horses and Cattle.

KEY'S TIC PILLS, a specific in Neuralgia, Face-ache, &c.

GOAULINE.—Cement for Broken Articles. Sold everywhere. Imported by all Merchants, and sold by all Chemists &c. Sole Makers—KAY BROS., Stockport & England.

REMEDY FREE!—A victim of youthful impudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, &c., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple specific, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers. Address: J. H. REEVES, Esq., 43 Chatham Street, New York City, U.S.A.

Beaufort Post Office.

Table with 3 columns: Post Town, Mails arrive at Beaufort, Mails despatched at Beaufort. Includes Melbourne, Geelong, Ballarat, Travalla, Raglan, Chute, Waterloo, Main Lead, Sailor's Gully, Stockyard Hill, Ararat, Buangor, Eurambool, Shirley.

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NEVER RETURN.

—It is said that one out of every four real invalids who go to foreign countries to recover health never return, except as a corpse. The undertakers, next to the hotel-keepers have the most profitable business. This excessive mortality may be prevented and patients saved and cured under the care of friends and loved ones at home if they will use Hop Bitters in time. Read.

TOWLE'S PENNYROYAL AND STEEL PILLS FOR FEMALES.

quickly correct all irregularities, and relieve the distressing symptoms so prevalent with the sex. Boxes 2s 9d., of all Chemists. Prepared only by E. T. Towle, Chemist, Nottingham, England. Agents for Melbourne—Toole, Tompitt & Co., Wholesale Druggists: Hemmings and Co., Wholesale Drugists; William Ford & Co., 67, Swanston Street.

# The Riponshire Advocate.

No. 4607

BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1885.

PRICE SIXPENCE

## The "Riponshire Advocate,"

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY,

CONTAINS a complete summary of local and general news of 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.

Every subscriber is 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 bear the signature and address of the writer—not necessarily for publication, but as a pledge of good faith. An observance of the 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 6 shillings and sixpence.

Notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, will be charged 2s. 6d. for each insertion.

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 Premiums for all descriptions of Insurance at the LOWEST CURRENT RATES.

Risks accepted on Thrashing Machines, Stocks, and Agricultural Produce.

2 centims for the year, £195,355 or £17,870 over 1879.

The additions to Reserve Funds now amount to £253,729 to meet fire losses only, in addition to the Capital.

Out of a surplus of £110,735, only £16,097 was paid to Shareholders in Dividends, the balance being added to Reserve Fund.

H. P. HENNINGSEN

## WANTED KNOWN.

IT 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 "Riponshire Star," and "Daily Telegraph" can be had and will be 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 may save 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.

Sold in 4lb. packets by Grocers labelled thus—

JAMES EPPS & CO.,

HOMOEOPATHIC CHEMISTS,

LONDON, ENGLAND.

H. P. HENNINGSEN,

BOOKSELLER,

STATIONER & NEWS AGENT,

HAVELOCK-STREET BEAUFORT.

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

PERMANENT ENLARGEMENT

Of the

WEEKLY TIMES

TO TWENTY-FOUR PAGES,

Or

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 Finest Cablegrams, Commercial, Shipping, and General News, thus supplying in a condensed form the

WEEKLY NEWS OF THE WORLD.

PRICE THREEPENCE.

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

Office: 86 COLLINS ST. EAST, MELBOURNE.

## 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 Company, a GNOME,

Representing the Dwarf of German Fable, in a sitting posture, with a mallet resting on his shoulder, and long flowing hair reaching to his feet.

Besides this Trade Mark the NAME "WERTHEIM" IS PAINTED IN GOLD ON THE PLATE of each Machine.

As a 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,

30 FLINDERS LANE EAST,

MELBOURNE.

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

PETRUS DE BAERE,

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 puff of our "Rival of former years."

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.

F. De BAERE,

WATCHMAKER,

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.

BOOKBINDING

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 mid-day train, at the shop of Mr. H. P. HENNINGSEN, Agent, Beaufort. Price, Threepence.

WARD & LIPMAN,

Commission Merchants.

PHILADELPHIA, U. S. A.

EXPORTERS OF AMERICAN GOODS.

Advances made on Consignments.

Commiss for Railways and Public Works Solicited.

WASHING LIQUID.

MRS. GILLOCH 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 stains, and improve colored articles.

Directions for Use.—For every 3 gallons of cold water add one half-pint of the liquid, wet and wring 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 suds flannels in warm water, and place in boiler when fine white clothes, are taken out, and allowed to remain 15 or 20 minutes—then dry and iron as usual.

Sold in large or small quantities. Single Bottle 3d.

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CIRCULARS in the following districts:—Beaufort, Stockyard Hill, Lake Goldsmith, Sailor's Gully, Main Lead, Raglan, Charlton, Waterloo, Burnmoun, Bunger, Middle Creek, Shirley, Travalla, Burnmoun, Learmonth, Strathgairn, Ship's, and Carnham.

## JOB PRINTING

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

BALL TICKETS & PROGRAMMES,

ADDRESS & BUSINESS CARDS,

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PAMPHLETS, CIRCULARS, BILLHEADS,

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(HAND AND TREADLE),

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ONLY FIRST PRIZE

GOLD MEDAL

AWARDED AT THE

Sydney & Melbourne International Exhibitions, 1880-1

AND THE

Only First Prize,

Adelaide Exhibition, 1882.

IMPORTERS—

HENRY BISHOP & CO.,

79 BOURKE STREET EAST,

MELBOURNE.

(Next to the Theatre Royal).

Local Agents Wanted.

## HOOD'S

PHOSPHORUS PILLS

A Certain Remedy for Nervous Debility

Either special or general. To avoid dis-

appointment, ask for Hood's Phosphorus

Pills, and insist upon having them only.

PRICE—2/6 and 6/-

## HOOD & CO.

A Certain Cure for Hard or Soft Corns.

PRICE—2/6 a Bottle.

WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS.

147 ELIZABETH STREET.

FIRST PRIZE

Awarded Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880-81.

## SANDER AND SONS'

EUCALYPTI EXTRACT.

UNDER the distinguished patronage of His

Majesty the King of Italy, at Rome.

Dr. Cruikshank, Health Officer for the City of

Sandhurst, certifies to the extract being the

most reliable remedy for external inflammation,

bronchitis, diphtheria, affections of the lungs,

chest, all pains of rheumatic nature, neuralgia,

etc., all swellings, bruises, sprains, wounds, dis-

orders of the bowels, diarrhoea, &c.

PROFESSOR DR. MOSSLER, at the University

of Graubunde, Germany, reports astonishing

cures of Diphtheria, Lung and Throat

Diseases by inhaling the vapors of SANDER and

SONS' EUCALYPTI EXTRACT.

Epitome of declaration made before M. Cohen,

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

son of Mr. Raabe 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. Junghen, suffering

from disease of the bone, as pronounced by Drs.

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, wound on the arm with enormous

swelling of several bruises and a sprained ankle,

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

advice was of no avail, are reported by the

"Donald Times," "Newcastle Morning Herald,"

"Cooktown Courier," "York's Peninsula

Advertiser," and others.

The extract regulates the action of the kidneys

cures dysentery and diarrhoea, and is the surest

remedy for the prevention of contagion in

scarlet, typhoid, and intermittent fever. For

particulars see testimonials accompanying each

bottle.

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

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Do not confound SANDER and SONS' EUCALYPTI

EXTRACT with the common Eucalypti Oil, a

resinous fluid equal to turpentine, without the

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A COWARDLY OUTRAGE.

A cowardly outrage was committed at Swanwater, on the farm of Martin Driscoll, probably some time on Saturday night (says an "Arus" telegram). On Sunday, Driscoll found that 60 bags of wheat had been cut open, the contents being scattered on the ground. A plough had been broken and rendered useless, and other articles of less value irretrievably damaged.

A later report states:—Respecting the outrage at Driscoll's farm at Swanwater, when a number of bags of wheat were cut open and other damage done, it was reported on Wednesday that later information shows the crime was committed on Sunday. Information was given on Monday to Sergeant Shanklin here, who despatched Constable Walsh to the place.

In the meantime Driscoll reported the occurrence at headquarters, which led to the despatch of Constable Faulkner and the black trackers by the first train on Tuesday. Accompanied by Constable Walsh, they reached the farm at half past 3 p.m., when the trackers at once set to work. The first result was the discovery of an impression of a man's foot on one of the bags of a plough which had been destroyed.

THE FROZEN MEAT TRADE.

"The Frozen Meat Trade," writes the "Argus" London correspondent on December 12, "shows decided indications of depression, and prices have declined considerably. The supplies, foreign, home-bred, and colonial, are just now so large that all descriptions of meat alike suffer. The Iberia's consignment from Melbourne and Sydney arrived in good condition, but is only realising from 4d to 4 1/2d per lb. About half of the Sydney portion of the shipment has been sold at these rates; the Melbourne consignment is still in store.



GOVERNMENT ADVERTISEMENTS.

TENDERS

ARE required by Ten a.m. of MONDAY, 2nd February, 1885, for Repairs, Painting, New Iron Roof, etc., to State School, 523, Raglan. Specifications may be seen at State School, No. 60, Beaufort, and on application to Mr. William Dobbie, Inspector of School Buildings, Ballarat, to whom tenders are to be addressed.

Beaufort Wood Company, Limited.

NOTICE.—The Half-yearly General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Camp Hotel, Beaufort, on MONDAY, 2nd February, 1885, at 8 o'clock p.m.

Business: General; including the election of two directors, the retiring members being Messrs. Topper and Mussen.

W. BROWNE, Manager. Beaufort, 23rd January, 1885.

To Let,

A COTTAGE, near the Court-house Beaufort. Apply to H. P. HENNINGSEN.

For Sale,

A SECOND-HAND REAPING MACHINE, in good order. Apply W.M. SMITH, Butcher Beaufort.

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M. E. HAMBURGER, Watchmaker, Jeweller, and Optician, 111, Victoria Street, Beaufort, next the Bank of Victoria. Watches, Clocks, &c., and Jewellery repaired. Workmanship guaranteed. New Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery on sale at Cheapest Rates. A Trial solicited.

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AT GEO. H. COUGLE'S Cash Drapery Store, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

The Mining on Private Property Act 1884. Appendix A.—[Rule 4.]

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR MINING LEASE.

I, the undersigned, hereby give notice that, within seven days from the date hereof, I will leave with the Warden of the Mining Division of Raglan, an application for a Lease for Mining on Private Land, the particulars whereof are hereunder set forth:—

Table with columns for Name in full of each applicant, Extent and situation of land, Name of each person who owns the land, Name of each person who is in occupation of the land, Minimum number of men to be employed, Precise locality of the ground, Term required, Time of commencing operations, Amount of money proposed to be invested, Whether the boundaries of the land, and General remarks.

Schedule A.—[Rule 4.]

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A GOLD MINING LEASE.

I, the undersigned, hereby give notice that, within six days from the date hereof, I will leave with the Warden of the Mining Division of Raglan an application for a Gold Mining Lease, the particulars whereof are hereunder set forth:—

Table with columns for Name in full of each applicant, Extent of ground applied for, Name of each person who is in occupation of the land, Minimum number of men to be employed, Precise locality of the ground, Term required, Time of commencing operations, Amount of money proposed to be invested, Whether the boundaries of the land, and General remarks.

JOHN WOTHERSPOON. Date and place—January 20th, 1885; Beaufort. WARNING TO APPLICANTS.—If at any time after the execution of the lease granted on this application a less number of men be employed, or if the ground shall not be worked to the best advantage, then and in either case the lease will be forfeited.

Beaufort College.

FIRST QUARTER commences Monday, January 12th, 1885, in old R.O. Church building. Pupils enrolled and classified on Thursday, 8th January, between 10.30 and 11.30 p.m.

TERMS (payable in advance).—Matriculation (boys and girls), £2 2s. per quarter; Sub-Matriculation (do.), £1 10s. do.; Ordinary Classwork (do., 14 and over), £1 1s. do.; ordinary classwork (boys only, under 14), 10s. do. Other particulars on application to BERNARD O'DOWD, M.A., Univ., Principal.

CHEMICALS AND DRUGS,

STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES, Hair and Tooth Brushes, TOILET ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, SOAPS, SHOULDER BRACES, TRUSSES, SPONGES, AND ALL VARIETIES OF DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES.

Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded, and orders answered with care and despatch.

A. ANDREWS,

PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMIST, NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.

Martin and Co.'s Homeopathic Medicines.

A. A. wishes to notify that he has been appointed Agent for the above preparations by Messrs. MARTIN and CO., Collins street, Melbourne.

HARRIS & TROY,

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

FORWARDING, COMMISSION & RAILWAY AGENTS & LICENSED CARRIERS.

On Sale

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

American shelling boards Do lumber do 6 x 1 T and G Scotch flooring 6 x 4 do do 6 x 4 do do flooring American and Baltic deals, all sizes 4 to 12 pine weatherboards 6 do do American clear pine 1 1/2, 2, 2 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100.

J. W. HARRIS,

MINING AGENT AND SHARE BROKER, BEAUFORT.

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THE IMPORTED PURE-BRED SUPERIOR FOLK-PUNCH STALLION DUKE

Will stand this season at his owner's Farm, TRAWALLA. DUKE is a rich blood chestnut, without white, standing over 16 hands 2 inches high. He was imported to South Australia by Mr. E. M. Bagot, bred by Mr. James Lambert, of Mendlesham, his dam by Mr. Catlin's Royal Duke, the winner of many prizes, his sire by Mr. John Bloomfield's Briton, the winner of many prizes. The horse was purchased by his previous proprietor from Mr. C. B. Fisher, and selected as the class of horse best adapted to benefit the farmer and breeder of this district. The fact of his having been used by Mr. Fisher as a stud horse for some years past is the best guarantee of his excellence as a sure foot-gaiter and producer of first-class stock.

Mr. Walsh (Stonehenge), editor of "The Field," one of the greatest authorities on the subject in England, when speaking of the Suffolk Punch in his work, "The Horse in the Stable and the Field," says:—"His admirers maintain that no other horse is so hardy, and that he will do more work in the same time, and on the same amount of food, than any other."

Terms: £2 if led to the horse. If padlocked, £2 10s. Good grass paddock provided, with a plentiful supply of water.

RICHARD WILKINSON, Proprietor.

Geelong Wool Sales.

We shall hold AUCTION SALES OF WOOL on each TUESDAY AND THURSDAY, throughout the coming season (excepting Tuesday the 4th November, Melbourne Cup Day).

To keep pace with the rapid growth of our consignments we have again added to our Warehouse by the erection of two floors, measuring 60 x 132 feet. This makes our New Sample Room the LARGEST IN VICTORIA and will enable us to display every lot to the best advantage.

We draw attention to some of the advantages we have to offer for the sale of Western and Wimmera clips:— A SAVING IN CHARGES AND FREIGHT, on, as compared to Melbourne, of about SEVEN SHILLINGS PER BALE.

THE ATTENDANCE of all the EUROPEAN and AMERICAN BUYERS, and in addition, a LARGER LOCAL CONSUMPTION of Wool than is in any other Australian Town.

THE SITUATION of OUR WAREHOUSE, which is within a STONE'S THROW of the SHIPPING, and in close proximity to the Sale Room, thus enabling buyers, at a minimum inconvenience, to re-examine any lots which may have been passed in at auction.

THE CAREFUL VALUATION and Personal Attention of each Member of the Firm. Trusting that our efforts to provide Growers with every facility for the Sale of their Wool in the Colony, will meet with a correspondingly increased support.

We are, etc., Denny's, Lascelles, Austin and Co. Geelong, 20th August, 1884.

W. BAKER, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, Window Blind and Bedding Manufacturer.

W. B. has ON SALE the following lines:— Pine Shelving, Flooring, and Lining Boards; Californian, Kauri, and Clear Pine, up to 36 inches; Cedar, all thicknesses and widths; Table Legs, Sashes, Doors, Architecture and other Mouldings, Window Glass, White Lead, Oils, Turps, and all other Building Requisites. Sashes, Doors, and all kinds of Joiner's Work made to order at the Lowest Possible Prices. Hardwood supplied at Timber Yard Prices.

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Auction Sales of Wool held every week through the season. Auction Sales of Tallow, Hides, Sheepskins, Leather, etc., three times a week throughout the year. Auction Sales of Grain, Flour, etc. held every Wednesday. DAVID ELDER, Manager. I. YOUNGHUSSEAN, Auctioneer and Produce Manager.

Geelong Wool Sales.

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

To keep pace with the rapid strides their business has been making they have been compelled to greatly extend their Warehouse as accommodation by the addition of a large building at the rear, 170 feet long, which will be completed in time for the coming season, and will make their Warehouse one of the largest and most convenient in the Colony.

Every lot, no matter how small, is carefully examined prior to sale, and protected up to full market value. They act as SELLING BROKERS ONLY, which is a further guarantee that all consignments will be placed at utmost market value. CASH ADVANCES made on the ensuing clip.

CHARGES the lowest ruling in the colony, and growers will find they effect a Saving of Seven Shillings per bale by selling at Geelong instead of Melbourne.

ACCOUNT SALES and proceeds forwarded invariably three days after sale. WOOLPACKS and station stores supplied at lowest market rates.

Only One Shilling per bale is charged for Receiving, Weighing, Warehousing, and Delivering Wool intended for shipment to the London market. Separate Warehouses have been provided for the sale of SHEEPSKINS, HIDES, TALLOW, and other station produce.

Special arrangements have been made with Permewan Wright & Co. and Broadbent Bros. to receive and forward Wool from all railway stations in the colony to our store.

GEORGE HAGUE & CO., Wool Brokers. Geelong, 1st July, 1884.

THE CELEBRATED WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS THE PUREST STIMULANT IN THE WORLD

Is on every Genuine Bottle. INFINITELY SUPERIOR to Brandy or Whisky, and is now the Most Popular Drink throughout the Colonies.

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The Purest Spirit in the World. UNOLFO WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS AROMATIC SCHNAPPS has been a favorite of a century before the public, and its sale is steadily increasing, while hundreds of imitations have appeared and disappeared, leading only ruin and disgrace to all connected with them.

The public should no longer be duped by injurious, cheap, fiery compounds, imitations of the genuine WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS. The public are strongly advised to purchase original unopened bottles, as the Custom Authorities have found it necessary to prosecute a large number of Publicans under the Trade Marks Act, and they have fined up to £10, and £10 10s. costs, for selling inferior spirits over the bar, representing it to be the GENUINE WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

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WOTHERSPOON BROS. & CO., BEAUFORT, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Grocers, Wine & Spirit Merchants, Drapers and Outfitters, BOOTS AND SHOES. Ironmongery, Furniture, and Earthenware. MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING.

W. B. & CO are Importers of Drapery, Earthenware, Glassware, Bedsteads, &c., &c., and, being Large Cash Buyers, are enabled to sell all goods at Lowest Possible Prices.

Customers may rely upon getting as good value for their money as in any house in the colony.

Goods delivered within 14 miles FREE OF CHARGE. N.B.—Our NEW SHOWROOM for FURNITURE, EARTHENWARE, &c., is now open.

HAWKES BROS., Next Bank of Victoria, Beaufort, Wholesale and Retail Iron Merchants, Ironmongers, Furniture Brokers, Dealers in Glassware, Crockery, etc.

Being Importers of Iron, Ironmongery, Bedsteads, Furniture, Oils, Colors, etc., are enabled to offer to the public their goods at PRICES WHICH CANNOT BE BEATEN.

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Advertisement for THE COLONIAL BRANCH of THE COVENTRY MACHINISTS CO. LTD. featuring bicycles and tricycles. Includes text: 'CORRESPONDENCE INVITED', 'ESTABLISHED 1859', 'UNDER THE CHARGE OF EXPERIENCED ENGLISH EXPERTS', '62 & 64 ELIZABETH ST. MELBOURNE', 'FREE LISTS', 'DICYCLES AND TRICYCLES', 'EVERY STYLE EVERY PRICE TERMS CASH OR EXTENDED PAYMENTS', 'PRINCE OF WALES'.

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ACTS AS SELLING BROKER ONLY. J. S. is again thanking his numerous constituents, the Sheep Farmers and selectors (whose business he has a specialty) for their liberal support during the past season, can confidently recommend this market as the best in the colony for the SALE OF SMALL CLIPS, as past seasons' prices will show. I have therefore much pleasure in soliciting the favor of your support and interest.

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Any of the forwarding agents will receive consignments, pay all charges, and forward with despatch. NOW ON SALE—Victorian Almanac for 1885. Punch Almanac (just issued). Gordon's Poems. A Splendid Collection of Christmas and New Year Cards.

H. P. HENNINGSEN, NEWS AGENT, ETC., HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

NOTICE. POISON is laid down in the Langi Kal Kai paddocks during lambing. Trespassers with dogs will be prosecuted. THOS. TINDALE, Manager.

NOW READY. Price Sixpence, By Post Eightpence. A NEW WORK ON THE REPRODUCTIVE ORGANS BY R. J. POULTON.

The above work is a popular treatise on THE REPRODUCTIVE ORGANS, showing the construction, functions, and the arrangements to which they are liable. This little book is one which may be perused with advantage by all who are desirous of obtaining information on a subject which ought to form a portion of the Education of the Male sex. A knowledge of this subject is undoubtedly of incalculable value, as by its study of ill which might after life may be avoided or remedied.

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



Beaufort Jockey Club.

A GENERAL MEETING of members and others interested will be held at the Beaufort Hotel on THURSDAY, January 30th, at 8 p.m. Business: Arrange programme for St. Patrick's Day, and general. JOHN B. HUMPHREYS, Hon. Secretary.











scene at Salt Clay Creek describe it as heart-rending, and their word may be taken. A spectator who saw the waters rise over the line states that the embankment seemed to melt away. The soil in the district is peculiarly susceptible to moisture, and must have washed away like a pile of sawdust. A matter of some importance to those injured in the accident is the fact that the coroner's jury at Coomaundra, in holding an inquest on the bodies of those killed in the collision, has returned a verdict to the effect that the Railway department of New South Wales is responsible for the accident through not having provided larger culverts. Mr. Bergin, who had both his thighs broken, and whose life was from the first despaired of, died yesterday at Coomaundra, and the body, together with that of his nephew Hude, who was instantly killed, were conveyed by train to Carcoar. A statement is furnished by our special reporter, showing that a resident in the vicinity of the line saw the water rise over the line and break away the embankment, just as they threatened at the same time to sweep away the tents in which he and his family lived. He had to choose between going to the rescue of his family or rushing down the line to warn the express. Very naturally he sought the safety of his own, and thus the only chance of saving the train vanished. Afterwards he heard the crash as the train went into the fearful chasm, and the screams of women struggling in the water.

The following are the particulars which have been ascertained as to the passengers who are injured:—Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Carrathool—Mr. Smith, ribs broken and hand cut; Mrs. Smith, spine hurt and child injured. Laurence Zucker, Melbourne, severely bruised. Jacobson, Melbourne, severely bruised and internally injured. T. O'Brien, Melbourne, slightly injured. Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett, Hay, both very severely bruised. Isaac Barnard, Melbourne, severely bruised. W. Friddle, Yamma Tree, concussion of spine, and general shock to system. J. McDarra, Wagga, slightly bruised and cut. A. Schneider, Melbourne, ribs broken, internal injuries, and cut. W. Bergin, Carcoar, both thighs broken. John Cohen, Melbourne, hip broken and seriously cut. Austin Sajo, Melbourne, fearfully bruised all over. Joe Thompson, Melbourne, ribs broken, leg hurt. J. Levy, Carlton, Victoria, arm injured. J. Harper, slightly cut on leg. R. H. Beattie, Hay, severely bruised. A. Trigalar, slightly injured. John Ewan, Wilcannia, slightly injured. Driver Moody, scalded, internally injured, but not severely. Mrs. Dean and three children—Mrs. Dean, not much hurt, two girls all right, boy left arm broken, and cut on forehead and face, man with them not much hurt. Charles Jenkins, bruised. W. Stone, Coomaundra, seriously injured. A correspondent at Coomaundra forwards the following additional names of injured passengers:—Geo. Adams, scalp wound on forehead. Richard Furman, small scalp wound, with contusions on various parts, scalded right leg. A train has been provided, with sleeping carriages, with attendance, to take all concerned who are fit to go to the Goulburn Hospital. Messrs. Moody and Hall have already gone. Several others have expressed a desire to remain here. It is not known how many will avail themselves of the train. Dr. McKellar and Dr. McLaurin will accompany those who desire to go to Goulburn.

The inquest on the bodies of the persons killed was concluded at Coomaundra, on Wednesday, when the jury returned the following verdict:—"We find that the deaths of Alfred Wilson, Joseph Campy, John O'Dwyer, John Hude, Mrs. Hodgson, Harry Holmes, and William Hodgson were caused by the mail train on which they travelled meeting an accident through the washing away of the embankment at Salt Clay Creek, and that the Government have shown negligence in not having caused the culvert at Salt Clay Creek to have been built on a much larger scale. We are also of opinion that this accident might in all probability have been prevented had there been more lamps than one provided for each gang of settlers." The jury added the following rider:—"We are of opinion that Mr. George Hawke is worthy of great credit for his efforts on the night of the accident, and that he merits some recognition from Government for his action during the whole of that night."

**THE CAMPAIGN IN THE SOUDAN.**  
CAIRO, Jan. 28.  
Full particulars have now been received of the further operations of the column under Sir Herbert Stewart since the engagement on the 17th inst.  
Lord Wolsley telegraphs to the authorities here that when Sir Herbert Stewart had arrived within four miles of the Nile on the 19th, the enemy showed in front in great force. The British commander then halted and constructed a zabra, under a heavy fire which the Arabs opened upon him. It was at this time that Sir Herbert Stewart was so severely wounded that he was placed hors de combat.  
Colonel Sir Charles Wilson, R.E., then assumed the command, and leaving the wounded behind him at the zabra, he marched on the same afternoon to attack the Mahdites. The latter were led on by several eunuchs on horseback. They made a desperate charge on the British line, but were repulsed with the loss of five of the emirs and 250 men killed. The wounded were very numerous. The casualties on the British side are not stated.  
Mr. Cameron, the well-known correspondent of the "Standard," and Mr. Herbert, the representative of the "Post," were both killed.  
The intelligence previously received that Meterech had been captured proved to be incorrect. On arrival before that place a close inspection was made by Sir Charles Wilson, which showed that it was well-fortified, and that it was held by a rebel force of at least 2,000 strong.  
Sir Charles Wilson therefore considered that it was not worth while to incur a heavy loss by assaulting it at the time of his inspection.  
Shortly after this news was received that four steamers under Miri Bay (one of Gordon's officers) had arrived from Khartoum, at Guba, a place a short distance to the south of Meterech, and had there landed guns and

men. Upon hearing this Sir Charles Wilson immediately pushed forward to Guba, from which place he started on two steamers for Khartoum, with a detachment of the Royal Sussex Regiment, on Saturday last, the 24th inst. On the departure of Colonel Wilson, Major General Sir Kedvers Buller, V. C., left Korti, where he was stationed, to assume command at Guba. The Royal Irish Regiment has also started, and the West Kent Regiment will follow without delay.  
The latest news from General Gordon is to the effect that he is at Khartoum, and that he reported "all well."—Reuter's telegram.

**THE BOAT ACCIDENT OFF KANGAROO ISLAND.**  
ADELAIDE, Sunday.  
The steamer Governor Macgregor arrived at Cape de Coullis on Friday afternoon. The two men were seen on the Inner Brothers, a high rocky islet about 95ft. high and half a mile in circumference. A boat was sent out in charge of the chief officer. The crew wore lifebuoys. With much difficulty they got round to the northern side of the islet. They threw a line, which Olaf Nelson caught, and was drawn through the surf to the boat. The other man—Mizon, a farmer on the Cygnet River—was rescued in the same way. When the steamer Governor Macgregor was reached, the men received food and a change of clothing. They report that on Tuesday, the 15th inst., their boat, with Myers and Small, reached the islet, and in the afternoon sailed away in the direction of South-west River. The remains of this boat have been found, and it is believed both Small and Myers have been drowned. When their food was exhausted Mizon and Nelson lived on fish and kimpets. They obtained water by condensing salt water by a meat apparatus. They slept in a stalactite cave, and having matches and candles, made a fire. They spent the time in catching seals, of which they said about 140 birds. The men were landed at King's Cove yesterday morning.—"Argus" telegram.

**THE RELIEF OF KHARTOUM.**  
CAIRO, Jan. 27.  
Latest devices from the Soudan state that General Lord Wolsley has sent a large convoy to the Gaddai Wells, where a garrison was left by Sir Herbert Stewart.  
Jan. 28, 11 a.m.  
The uncertainty which has prevailed during the past few days as to the movements of the forces under the command of Colonel Sir Herbert Stewart has been removed by the receipt of telegraphic despatches from General Lord Wolsley, stating that Meterech has been captured, and the town occupied by British troops. The Arabs offered bitter resistance, and in the engagement that ensued Sir Herbert Stewart was severely wounded.  
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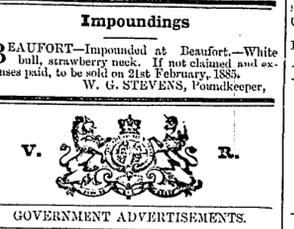
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About 1 o'clock on Sunday morning (says the "Geelong Advertiser") a large shark, which had been hovering about the wharves for some days, made its appearance in close proximity to the Western baths. Directly it was observed, Master W. Searle, son of the superintendent of the baths got a boat manned with a view of endeavoring to capture it. However, before the boat could be got under weigh, a large Newfoundland dog named Carlo, belonging to Mr. McCormack, the solicitor, jumped into the sea and caught the shark by the tail and held on to it. The shark quickly turned round and nipped the dog by the ear, and a desperate struggle took place. Finally, the dog seized hold of the dorsal fin on the left side, and a stern fight ensued. The shark managed to get away, but when it returned to the combat, the dog again seized hold of it by the dorsal fin on the right side, and drew the shark ashore. The deep sea monster, which measured about 5 feet 10 inches in length, was immediately killed by Master Searle, who was armed with a spear of formidable dimensions.  
A supplement to the "Government Gazette," dated Thursday, contains a proclamation further purporting Parliament to the 13th of March next.

A correspondent of the "New York Tribune" says:—"If anyone has a pear tree that bears spotted or cracked fruit, let him sprinkle wood ashes freely over the soil beneath the tree—not in diameter as the branches extend—but a slight sprinkle, either, but a liberal dressing. Then wash the bark thoroughly with strong soapuds (old-fashioned soft soap preferred), with the addition of lime water and a little flour of sulphur.  
The greatest discovery of the hour in the German medical schools is the wonderful effects of salicylic acid, it is used instead of quinine, and it is alleged that any fever can be broken up with it.  
Yesterday's "Argus" says:—"For some time the members of the Public Service Board have been working day and night preparing the list showing the classification of all officers to whom the Public Service Act applies. Under that act the list must be published in January, and it will be published to-morrow. As the names of 4,000 or 5,000 officers, with the dates of their birth, and on which they entered the service, and other particulars, appear in the list, the preparation of it has involved much labor, and the board have thought it much better to do all the work themselves than to employ clerks upon it. The revision of the list has been very strict, and has not been finished yet."

**Impoundings**  
BEAUFORT—Impounded at Beaufort—White bull, strawberry neck. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st February, 1885.  
W. G. STEVENS, Poundkeeper.



**TENDERS**  
ARE required by Ten a.m. of MONDAY, 2nd February, 1885, for Reprints, Printing, New Iron Roof, etc., to State School 325, Haglan. Specifications may be seen at State School, No. 60, Beaufort, and on application to Mr. William Dobbie, Inspector of School Buildings, Launceston, to whom tenders are to be addressed.  
JOHN HUMPHREYS, Secretary.

**Beaufort Agricultural Society.**  
A MEETING of the members of the above Society will be held at the Shire Hall on SATURDAY, the 31st day of February, 1885, at 2 o'clock p.m., to prepare prize lists and make arrangements for the forthcoming show, to be held on Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1885.  
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**HOLIDAY.**  
Minors' Association Sports, Waterloo, 12th February, 1885.  
WE, the undersigned, agree to CLOSE our establishments on the 12th February next, the day on which the sports of the Waterloo Branch of the Minors' Association are to be held:—  
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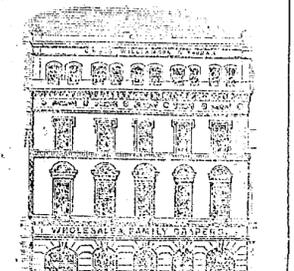
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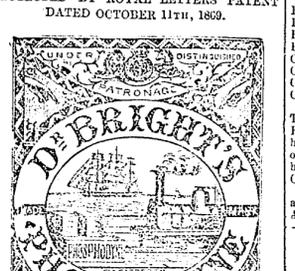
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