









Field Trial of Reapers and Binders.

When Tuesday morning dawned, and the sun shone brightly, the field trial of reapers and binders began to trouble members of the Beaufort Agricultural Society...

In delivery variety was charming. The Massey suffered considerably in this department. The prongs of the sheaf holder appeared to be set too long, and the falling board too narrow...

The basis upon which the points were awarded was as follows:— Durability and Rigidity ... 15 Simplicity ... 10 Ease of adjustment & management ... 10 Facility of repairs ... 5 Accessibility for oiling ... 5

Public Notices. GO TO R. JACKSON'S CHEAP CASH GROCERY FOR YOUR GOODS. Best Quality at Smallest Cost.

MONEY. To Farmers, Landowners, and Others. TO LEND—Large and small sums of money, on leasehold and freehold lands at lowest rates of interest.

FUNERAL ECONOMY. Established 1860. WILLIAM BAKER, UNDERTAKER, Lawrence Street, opposite State School.

MOURNING ORDERS PROMPTLY EXECUTED. SATURDAY, 7th DECEMBER, 1890. FREEHOLD LAND NEAR BEAUFORT.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS has received instructions from Mr. H. H. JACKSON, to Sell by Auction at his rooms, Neill Street, Beaufort, on SATURDAY, 14th December, 1890, at 5 o'clock p.m., the undermentioned properties in connection with the New Year's Day Races.

BE CAREFUL WHEN PURCHASING. Shamblers, counterfeiters of Wolf's Sheepskin, who are poisoned with fusel oil and saccharine matter are occasionally palmed off upon the unwary as the genuine article.

WANTED.—2 or 4 good STRIPPERS, at per ton. Good paddocks, large waterless. Apply RICHARD WILLIAMSON, Mr. Vaughan's Paddock, Glenelg, Amphitheatre.

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Geelong Wool Sales. SEASON 1889-90. GEORGE HAGUE AND CO. WILL hold weekly WOOL SALES as usual EVERY TUESDAY during the coming season.

On Sale. JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD. CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOU STREETS.—American shoving floors, Double doors, 6 ft x 8 ft Scotch flooring, 6 ft x 4 do ditto, 6 ft x 3 do do ditto, American and Baltic deals, all sizes, 6 do pine weatherboards, 6 do do.

On Sale. THE CLYDESDALE HORSE, Young Conqueror, Will Stand this Season at Sutherland's Farm, Stockyard Hill.

Plain & Ornamental Printing. OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. BALL TICKETS & PROGRAMMES, ADDRESS & BUSINESS CARDS, MINING SCRIP, REPORTS, &c., PAMPHLETS, CIRCULARS, BULLHEADS, POSTERS, DELIVERY BOOKS, DRAPERS' HANDBILLS, CATALOGUES, MOURNING CARDS, SOIREES & DINNER TICKETS, &c., &c.

Bookbinding. MINING SCRIP, CALL, RECEIPT, DELIVERY BOOKS, &c., Prepared on the shortest notice.

Public Notices. THE PROSPERITY OF A DISTRICT DEPENDS chiefly upon the support and encouragement that is given by the population to local enterprise and industry.

Public Notices. The law of exchange was never satisfactory in its working; thus it was that the custom of buying and selling, using a standard currency was introduced. One form of that currency known as "paper money" and "specimens" is more than one kind. All kinds, useful, but not every kind retains its original value.

Public Notices. And the Proprietors, recognising the increased support in this direction, will use their utmost endeavors to merit and sustain the patronage accorded them by giving the Latest possible Local and General News, and the most interesting and instructive information.

Business Men, Read! It was Benjamin Franklin who wrote—"What steam is to machinery, advertising is to business."

Henningson and Klunder. Printers and Publishers, LAWRENCE STREET, BEAUFORT.

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Public Notices. His own returned to Victoria in time to show Purves at the Grand National in Geelong; he again won first in his own class, and in competition with colts and fillies, two years old, he won the Champion prize. At Ballarat he was first in his class; at Clunes, shown among the three-year-olds, first; at Kynton, the Larankshire of Victoria, Purves, for the second time, carried the Stakes Produce Challenge Cup, value 15 guineas, defeating Mr Bourke's grand two-year-old Black Prince, the first prize horse in Melbourne in the Sires' Produce Stakes. Purves was also first in his class, first at Donald Show in 1885; and again first at Ballarat in 1886; first at Ararat in 1888, and gained Mr G. Thomson's special prize of £5 same day; first at Ballarat 1888; first at Clunes 1888; first at Smeaton 1888; and first at Beaufort 1889.

Public Notices. Some of Purves' first gets were kept for stallions, and are prizetakers wherever shown. One of Purves' yearlings gained the handsome prize of £8 at the Beaufort show in 1880.

Public Notices. PURVES has won 40 first prizes and £261 prize money. TERMS.—£4 4s each mare, to be paid at the end of the season; 18s extra charged for mares paddocked. All mares paddocked must have hind shoes taken off. Good grass paddocks with plenty of water provided. All care taken, but no responsibility assumed. For further particulars apply to the Owner, THOMAS JESS, Shirley P.O.

Public Notices. MORRIS DANCER. To stand this Season at the Ormer's Stud Farm, Stockyard Hill, THE THORNTON-BLAIN STALLION, MORRIS DANCER. MORRIS DANCER is a beautiful dark bay, rising three years old, is very fast, and a first-class jumper. He is by that successful sire of so many good racehorses, Liberator. Liberator by Fireworks; Fireworks by Kelpie (imp). Sea Stand Book. Dan Genevieve by Maribron; Maribron by Fisherman (imp); see Sea Stand Book.

Public Notices. MORRIS DANCER won seven first prizes as a yearling, and nine as a two-year-old, and is considered at the present day by competent judges to be one of the best looking colts in the colony. Terms ... £4 4s each mare. Also to stand again this season, the PURE-BRED SHERMAN POSEY STALLION, Young Bobby Dazzler. YOUNG BOBBY DAZZLER is rising five years old, is a beautiful jet black, stands twelve hands high, is good tempered, and possesses grand action. He has proved himself a very fast-getter. His breeding is of the very highest order. He is by Old Bobby Dazzler (imp), dam Ruby (bred by Mr Calvert, of Colac).

HOW PILLS ARE MADE.

The Custom of taking medicine in the form of pills dates far back in history. The object is to enable us to swallow easily in a condensed form disagreeable and nauseous, but very useful drugs.

No form of medication can be better than a pill, provided only it is intelligently prepared. But right here occurs the difficulty. Easy as it may seem to make a pill, or a million of them, there are really very few pills that can be honestly commended for popular use.

But the good pill does not gripe and pain us, neither does it make us sick and miserable for a few hours or a whole day. It acts on the entire granular system at the same time, also the after-effects of the pill will be worse than the disease itself.

At CRAWFORD'S this system is rightly observed, and, as a consequence, the trade has grown larger, and the popularity of the Establishment has increased every year. In support of this, and as evidence of the keen interest evinced by the Public in the Show of Goods made at CRAWFORD'S, we append the following list of one of several recent flattering testimonials:

Extract from the Ballarat Evening Post:—It is estimated that fully 10,000 persons visited Messrs Snow and Room's establishment last evening on the occasion of their annual show of spring and summer fashions and materials.

Unlike many kinds of pills, they do not make you feel worse before you are better. They are, without doubt, the best family physic ever discovered.

Intercolonial Postal Notes.

The postal authorities have completed arrangements for the establishment of a system of intercolonial postal notes between this colony and South Australia. The system is one which will enable small amounts to be sent from one colony to the other at a lower rate than by money order, the charges on the issue being as follows:

Notes of the value of 1s and 1s 6d... An additional fee, equal to the original fee, will be collected by the paying office. The system will be brought into operation on the 1st February. In accordance with the resolution adopted at the late Postal Conference, arrangements will in due course be made to establish the system with New South Wales, Queensland, Tasmania, Western Australia, and New Zealand.

FLORIDINE!—FOR THE TEETH AND BREATH.—A few drops of the liquid "Floridine" sprinkled on a wet tooth-brush produces a pleasant froth which thoroughly cleanses the teeth from all parasites or impurities, hardens the gums, prevents tartar, stops decay, gives to the teeth a regular pearly whiteness, and a delicate fragrance to the breath.

THROAT AFFECTIONS AND HOARSENESS.—All suffering from irritation of the throat and hoarseness will be speedily relieved by the use of "Brown's Bronchial Troches." These famous "lozenges" are now sold by most respectable chemists in this country at 1s 1/2 per box. People troubled with a "hacking 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 Brown's Bronchial Troches are on the Government Stamp around each box.—Prepared by JOHN I. BROWN & SONS, Boston, U.S. European Depot, 33, Farringdon Road, London, England.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is the only safe and pleasant remedy, it produces natural quiet sleep by soothing the inflamed membrane, and the little cherub awakes "as bright as a button."

Business. NOTICE FROM "CRAWFORD'S." Sturt & Armstrong Sts. BALLARAT.

SNOW and ROOM beg to advise that during the past month they have opened up 1117 PACKAGES of New Spring Goods, Imported direct from the leading manufacturers of Europe.

Residents in the country are reminded that in purchasing at CRAWFORD'S they have the great advantage of selecting from one of the largest Stocks in the Colony, together with the very keenest price list in the trade.

The turn over at CRAWFORD'S is the largest in Victoria outside of the metropolis, and in this fact alone the Public have the best guarantee that our prices must be right. It certainly goes without saying that no house will stand the test of continued years of success unless faith is kept with the Public, and the BEST CLASS OF GOODS SUPPLIED AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE RATES.

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Every department is splendidly stocked, and the seasons' business in full swing, and with the knowledge that the Country Trade is the best, and the most profitable, we are feeling assured that after a careful inspection and comparison of values, &c., our visitors will eventually join the thousands of customers who stick to CRAWFORD'S.

Applications for patterns, &c., and any information desired, promptly attended to, post free. Correspondence invited. SNOW AND ROOM, Proprietors, BALLARAT.

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

Some Unprincipled Traders, to obtain a meanly increased profit, will deal in imitations, while others go so far as to Re-fill Wolfe's Bottles, and sell them as Genuine.

As a protection against these FRAUDS, and in order to ensure the Destruction of the Wrappers, there are Packed in the large sized Bottles a number of ORDERS on the Agents, to the finder of them ONE POUND STERLING. These are being Cashed daily.

THE PUBLIC SHOULD BE CAREFUL NOT TO HAVE IMITATIONS OR Some Cheap Inferior Article Palmed off on them as the GENUINE WOLFE'S AROMATIC Schiedam Schnapps.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT. Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, Wounds, and Ulcerations of all kinds. There is no medical preparation which may be so thoroughly relied upon in the treatment of the above ailments as Holloway's Ointment.

There is no preparation for salutary effects comparable to this remedy. It should be well rubbed over the affected parts after their due denudation with warm water. It acts by stimulating the absorbents to increased activity by preventing coagulation and promoting a free and copious circulation in the parts affected.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following complaints: Bad Legs, Scalds, Ulcers, Wounds, Burns, Gout, Rheumatism, Stings, Bruises, Swellings, Scoury, Chills, Lumbago, Sore Throat, Headaches, Stomachic Affections, Contracted and Sore Nipples, Stiff Joints.

DEAF.—A person cured of deafness and noises in the head of 23 years' standing by a simple remedy, will send a description of it FREE to any person who applies to NICHOLSON, 175 William street, Melbourne.

Business Notices. HAWKES BROS. Ironmongers AND GENERAL MERCHANTS.

OWING to Heavy Shipments Just Arrived, and to make room for same, we are SELLING AT LARGE REDUCTIONS Upon Former Prices.

IRONMONGERY, of every description. FURNITURE, GLASS & CROCKERY, OILS, PAINTS, COLORS, PAPERHANGINGS, WOOL-PACKS and SHEEP SHEARS, and all Station Supplies.

A Large Assortment of FANCY GOODS, CRICKETING MATERIAL, BEDSTEDS, GUNS, AMMUNITION, FISHING TACKLE—Just Landed. TOBACCO AND CIGARS. GALVANISED IRON and FENCING WIRE, SPECIALITIES.

A MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF PIANOS BY ALL THE BEST MAKERS. 25 per Cent. Better Value than any other House can offer.

H. P. HENNINGSEN, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT, STATIONER AND NEWS AGENT.

STATIONERY, SCHOOL REQUISITES, TOBACCO, &c. Melbourne Daily Papers and Ballarat Star are delivered without extra charge.

VICTORIAN DISTILLED SPIRITS. PURE AND WHOLESOME. Equal to the Choicest Brands Imported.

Persons suffering from Deafness or Nasal and Throat Catarrh should consult the Aural Clinic Melbourne, 175 William Street, Melbourne.

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

How to enjoy Life. It is only known when the blood is pure, its circulation perfect, and the nerves in good order. The only safe and certain method of expelling all impurities is to take Holloway's PILLS, which have the power of cleansing the blood from all noxious humors, expelling all humors which taint or impoverish it, and thereby purify and invigorate and give general tone to the system.

Indigestion, with regularity of the liver, is the bane of thousands, who pass each day with acrimonious sufferings, all of which may be avoided by taking these Pills according to the accompanying directions. They soothe and strengthen the nerves and system generally, give tone to the stomach, elevate the spirits, and in fact render the patient sensible of a total and most delightful revolution in his whole system.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases: Ague, Piles, Rheumatism, Bilious Complaints, Headache of Urine, Blotches on the skin, Sore Throat, Bowel Complaints, Stomach and Gravel, Debility, Dropsy, Secondary Symptoms, Female Irregularities, Typhoid Fevers of all kinds, Gout, Venereal Affections, Worms of all kinds, Indigestion, Weakness from whatever cause, Liver Complaints, Lumbago, &c., &c.

TO THE PUBLIC. SOME patients suffering from nervous affections are afraid, from these hysterical and modestly to PERSONALLY consult a medical man; other patients have not the self-possession and confidence, when in the consulting room, to accurately describe their symptoms, their habits, and the nature of the disease they suffer from.

At the same time medicines are sent to my patients in such a form as to defy detection. How many thousands have I not brought up old? How many have been enabled to enter into the marriage state through consulting me? How many after marriage have privately consulted me and been blessed, and their marriages made fruitful and happy?

There are many thousands of cases in daily life where a consultation with one at a distance will remove, by a single letter, a great heat, a great cold, or it often solves what appears as an impenetrable mystery. Many a sick heart has been made joyful on receipt of an explanatory letter from me.

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Medical Notices. FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE. CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER AND RESTORATIVE.

For cleansing and clearing the blood from all impurities, it cannot be too highly recommended. For scrofula, erysipelas, skin eruptions, and sores of all kinds, it is a new and permanent cure.

THREE DOCTORS DECIDE TO AMPLIFY. "Dear Sir, I enclose you a copy of a testimonial, which you will find of great value. It is from a person who has been cured of a long-standing case of scrofula by the use of your Blood Mixture."

CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. It is sold in Bottles of 2s 6d each, and in Cases containing six times the quantity. It is sufficient to effect a permanent cure in the most obstinate cases of scrofula, erysipelas, and all other skin diseases.

CAUTION. Purchasers of Clarke's Blood Mixture should see that they get the genuine article. Write to the proprietor for a list of the names of the principal chemists, druggists, and dispensers in all parts of the world.

FOR COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, INFLUENZA, CONSUMPTION, &c. KAY'S COMPOUND ESSENCE OF LIME. Sold in Bottles of 2s 6d each, and in Cases containing six times the quantity.

NERVOUS. Men, young and old, married or single, suffering from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, Loss of Manhood, Vital Power, and all disease of the Genito-Urinary Organs, may obtain free, a valuable remedy by an eminent Surgeon, containing full information regarding self-treatment, by applying by letter to Box 181, G.P.O., Sydney.

ALLOPECIA. The ONLY CERTAIN REMEDY FOR BALDNESS. COMOTROPIC. All Druggists, Storekeepers, and Retailers.











Licensing Court, Beaufort.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14th, 1889. Presiding Magistrates—Messrs Thompson, Hoton, and Orme.

The following renewals and transfers were dealt with: RESEWAIS—Publicans. Philip Blackmore, Royal Saxon hotel, Waterloo South; assessment 125.

Granted. William Brierley, Brierley's hotel, Beaufort; assessment 125.—Granted. Timothy Day, The George hotel, Beaufort; assessment 125.—Granted. William Dickman, the Main Lead hotel, Main Lead; assessment 130.—Granted.

Granted. Sarah Fisher, the Waterloo hotel, Waterloo; assessment 135.—Granted. William Hitchhills, the Victoria Hotel, Waterloo; assessment 135.—Granted. Mary Hutton, the Fifeshire hotel, Waterloo; assessment 140.—Granted.

Granted. T. D. Macchi, the Commercial hotel, Waterloo; assessment 130.—Granted. James Mitchell, the Sailors' Gully hotel, Nering; assessment 120.—Granted. Helen Primor, Tachen hotel, Haglan; assessment 122.—Granted.

Granted. Wilhelm Schaepe, Beaufort hotel, Beaufort; assessment 150.—Granted. Wilhelm Schlicht, All Nations hotel, Beaufort; assessment 145.—Granted. Jeremiah Smith, Golden Age hotel, Beaufort; assessment 1120.—Granted.

Granted. T. Vanderstede, Victoria hotel, Beaufort; assessment 140.—Granted. Emma Wyles, Richmond hotel, Waterloo; assessment 130.—Granted. R. Wandler, Working Miners' hotel, Waterloo South; assessment 125.—Granted.

Boxing Day Sports.

The following are the handicaps for the principal events to be contested at the Beaufort recreation reserve on Boxing Day, 1889.

Acceptances will positively close on Thursday, December 19th, with the hon. secretary, J. R. Wotherspoon. Competitors are requested to send colors.

ONE MILE BICYCLE RACE—Acceptance, 2s. Yds. J. W. H. Bussell, Melbourne ... 20. L. B. Scharp, Melbourne ... 35.

TWO MILES BICYCLE RACE—Acceptance, 2s. Yds. J. W. H. Bussell ... 40. L. B. Scharp ... 50. D. Jewell ... 60.

THREE MILES BICYCLE RACE—Acceptance, 2s. Yds. J. W. H. Bussell ... 50. L. B. Scharp ... 60. D. Jewell ... 70.

WATKIN TROPHY, OF 27. First prize, £5; second, £2. One mile. Post entry, 2s 6d. R. A. D. SINCLAIR, Handicapper. Beaufort, Dec. 10, 1889.

CHICKETS, FOOTBALLS, AND FIREMEN'S RACE, 130 yards.—No acceptance. R. Thomas ... 2. R. Sinclair ... 2.

COMMERCIAL.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET. Although no parcel of the new crop of wheat has yet reached Ararat, samples of Mexican came down from Warracknabeal early last week, and it is certain that delivery will be made here by about the middle of the week.

FISHING TACKLE. ANNUAL RACES. Will be held on the NEW RACECOURSE, WATERLOO FLAT, ON NEW YEAR'S DAY, JANUARY 1st, 1890.

THE MARKET FOR WESTERN DISTRICT WOOL. Our Sales Last Season—27,620 BALES WOOL. To provide for an increase likely to occur in the Sales this Season we have erected further large Additions, besides NEW AUCTION ROOM, opening into the main building, thus enabling buyers to inspect or after the sales to re-inspect "bought in" lots.

MELBOURNE WEEKLY MARKET. Messrs Dalgety and Company report under date 11th December. Tallow—There has been little or no movement in this market locally, as there is a great measure hampered in their operations by the scarcity and a rise in rates of freight, while manufacturers do not appear anxious to buy except at a reduction on previous rates.

GEELONG STATION PRODUCE MARKET. Messrs George Hague and Co. report under date December 11th.—Butchers' fresh killed skins, small to medium, 18d to 20d each; good to superior, 22d to 24d each; extra large, 26d to 28d each; counts and counts, 24d to 26d per lb.

THE NEW PARCELS' POST SYSTEM has provided a great convenience to country residents. It enables families residing in the most remote parts of Victoria to send or receive parcels at a minimum of cost, and we have pleasure in giving prominence to the following: PARCELS POST RATES. s. d. Parcels weighing 2 lbs and under ... 0 9.

THE BEST REMEDY FOR INDIGESTION.—Norton's Camomile Pills are confidently recommended as a simple remedy for Indigestion, which is the cause of nearly all the diseases to which we are subject.

Public Notices.

GEORGE WHITE. THANKING his numerous Patrons for their kind support in the past, begs to announce that he is prepared to supply all Goods at a Fair Price.

ON SALE, A LARGE STOCK OF FISHING TACKLE. ANNUAL RACES. Will be held on the NEW RACECOURSE, WATERLOO FLAT, ON NEW YEAR'S DAY, JANUARY 1st, 1890.

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MISS F. BILTON'S New Dressmaking Establishment. Opposite P.M. Church, NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.

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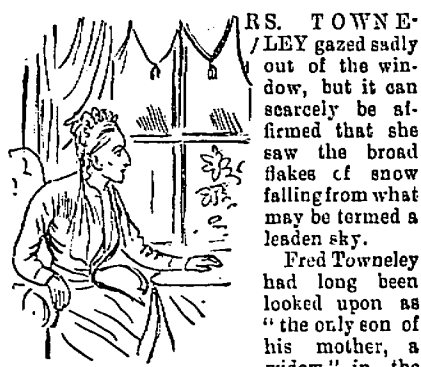
SCARLETBERRY BROO;

Tom Townley's Triumph

A LANCASHIRE CHRISTMAS STORY.

By Eric St. C. K. Ross.

CHAPTER I. HOPE.



THE SCARLETBERRY BROO; was a young merchant seaman, evidently an officer from the gold band on his cap and the gold buttons on his pea-jacket.



fall upon the visitor of the Brothers Crofton—a sergeant of infantry, Ashford by name—who was evidently the owner of the various voices, and the performer on the melodion.

"No fear," cried the sailor, "I've got here what I wouldn't lay alongside any long-shore land before 'ring 'em for daylight."

Forward the wanderers pushed, until their feet were impeded by a high hedge, behind which was constructed a thin—and to them, invisible—wire boundary.

"Let us follow the sounds of the music," advised Tom; and acting upon the suggestion he turned to the right.

"Hullo, my hearty! I'm blessed if this here music don't come out of the centre of the earth!"

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passage—they never looked doors in Heaton Market—the outer portal opened, and Dick, turning, found himself face to face with his own child Rosey.

"I never see her Majesty's colors but I salute 'em," Steve in the navy, and he lay, for twenty-five years. The Queen—God bless her.

"I must trust to Providence, said Dick Dingleby, with unusual emotion.

CHAPTER III. LOVE.

Next morning the sound of joyous Christmas bells awoke the inmates of the cabin of the two barges.

When Dick Dingleby and he set out to work the four miles that separated them from Heaton Market, they were proud to arrive at the little town.

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the guilty party, and my brother is innocent. "But I traced his footprints in the clay," said the detective.

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A Scheming Old Santa Claus.

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"Here's a letter for you, ma'am; an' oh, ma'am, it's for Australia."

"Australia!" she murmured, as she gazed down at the familiar handwriting; and then she fell upon her knees, crying in a voice of the deepest devotion.

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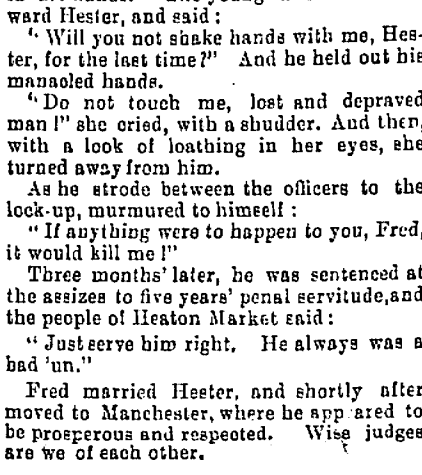
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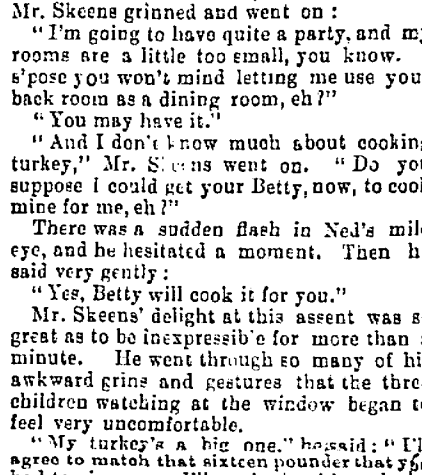
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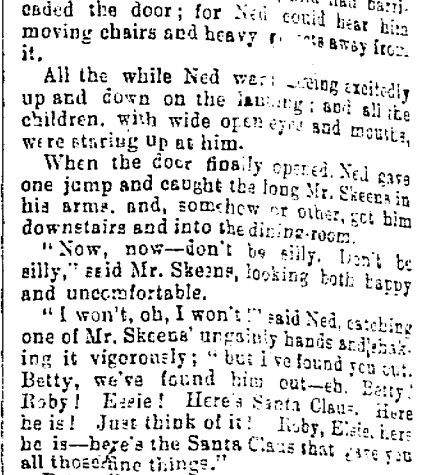
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POETRY.

Santa Claus's Petition.

BY JULIE M. LIPPMAN.

Dear children—I write in great haste just to say I've met with an accident coming this way...

This something proved to be a folded paper, on which was written: "I give this baby to you as a Christmas gift..."

"I know Aunt Lettie," answered the child. "Where does she live?" "With Mr.," was the brief answer.

OLD SURLY'S WAIF.

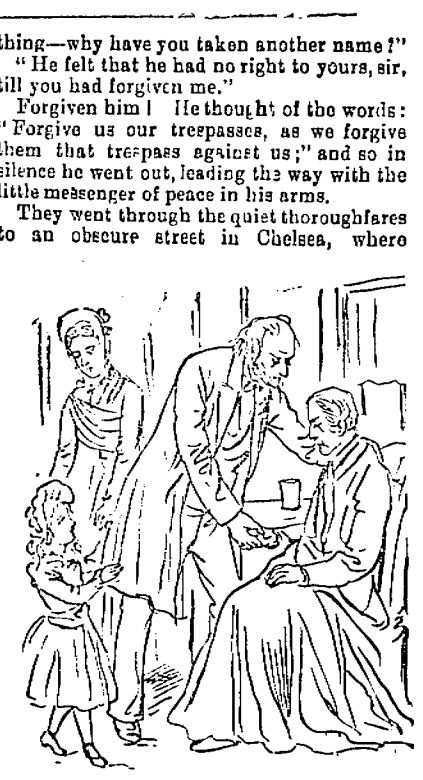
A CHRISTMAS STORY.

BY ERNEST BRENT.

It had been a wintry day even for that season of the year when wintry days are expected, bitterly cold and sharp...

"Ah, well, that's all right," he said, rubbing his mouth first with a red cotton handkerchief...

her hands. Clapping her to his breast with a sudden impulse, he said a fervent "Thank Heaven!" for she was only asleep.



The outcast son had one wretched room, and here the father and his son lived.

At a Christmas dinner given by a lady of reputed penurious proclivities, a gentleman, while helping the other guests to pudding...

A Christmas Carol.

BY THE IDLE IDLER.

Now rest you, merry gentlemen—may nothing your dismay! The church bells chime, 'tis Christmas time—let's celebrate the day!

A Strange Christmas Gift.

BY M. E. S.

It was the day before Christmas, and little Miss Smallkin, of Castleman, was in the train, writing away to visit her brother...

By the time she reached the end of her journey she had firmly made up her mind to keep and care for the little waif.

"Certainly I do," answered Walter. "I always thought it was a mean thing not to try to save a little craft just because it isn't a rich cargo."

Why is a Christmas dinner like a dark sunset? Because the spirits appear, and often appear a nervous.

Christmas Conundrums.

Why is a Christmas goose like a Gay Faun figure? Because it is well stuffed.

The Christ Child.

Among the wild stories and legends with which Germany teems I know not one more beautiful in its conception and the more lesson it inculcates than the simple story of the "Christ Child."

shoes and wearing apparel, old musical instruments, including two or three square pianos—all had to be carried in and replaced with more modern than was apparent in the result...

What have you got there?" he said. "Something very good, and I'll tell you what you can do with it."

He rolled them up in a hurry—the boots inside the coat—and gave them back to her. "Take them away," he said, with a groan...

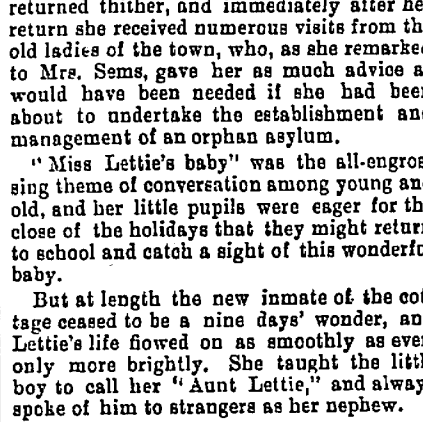
Why is a young lady under the mistletoe bough like a lemon for punch? Because she is bound to be squeezed.

Why is a man who has eaten a hearty Christmas dinner like one who gives all his votes to one candidate? Because he is a plumper man.

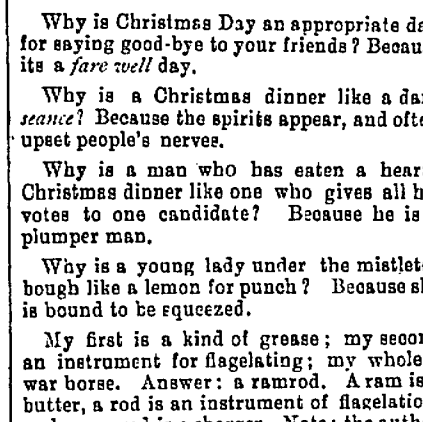
Why is a sauce at a Christmas dinner like Bulgaria? Because it's very near Turkey.



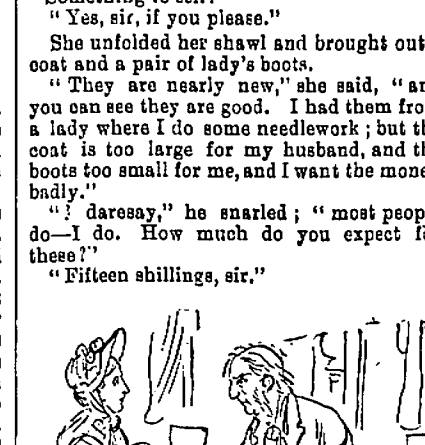
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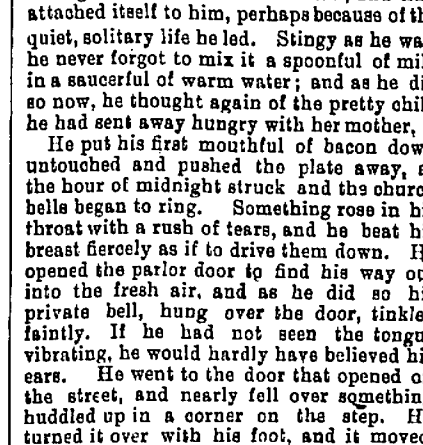
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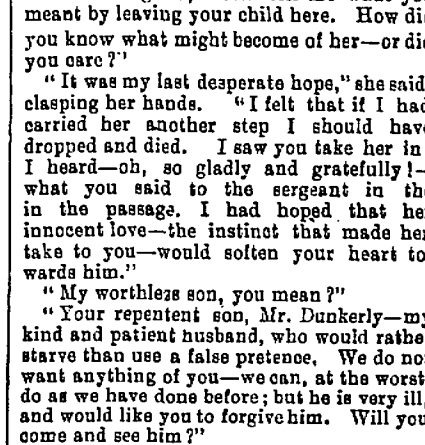
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Why he Knew Her.

"Yes, sir," went on Professor X to a gentleman to whom he had recently been introduced, "I have given some attention to the study of human nature, and I rarely fail to read a face correctly."

It Made All the Difference.

Husband: "My gracious! we'll be late; get your things on." Wife: "My dear, it's raining pelted, and the wind is blowing a hurricane."

GRANDMAMMA'S CHRISTMAS.

A Story for the Children.

By Rona P. Whitworth.

In a richly furnished parlor sat a lady old and grey, busily engaged in knitting, but her thoughts were far away. Thoughts that drew the backward vista peopled times of long ago, saying thoughts perchance, and memories that the heart can never outgrow.

"The mountains rose beyond in steep, stern tiers, as if no shepherd there, 'No further shall thou go; There were then no roads, no bridges, there was scarce a beaten track, but all was wild and terrible, as if to warn men back."

"The days sped into weeks and months lengthened into years, and they, among the foremost of the Western pioneers, The pleasures had of pastoral life, felt little of its ill."

She stood in front of their leader, Jack, a savage tall and grim, Jack the Cannibal, so 'twas said, yet she showed no fear of him.

CHIP. A Story for Children.

By Mrs. O. W. ZATRO.

"Chip" was the name of Winnie Bailey's lovely great striped cat, and no one knew better than Chip how well his little eight-year-old mistress loved him.

and dear to them through childish associations. "Mamma," Winnie said sadly, the day before Christmas, "Chip will never know now what a soft, warm quilt I made for his Christmas present, and no Chip will be here to hold up his soft paws for his share of the turkey."

Christmas Outcasts.

Christ died for all, and on the morrow fell. We gladly deprecate their cheerful hearts. At Christmas tide, the blessed train should fall. That they may mix some honey with the gall.



Pretty picture, one of many, in this sunny land of ours. Grandmammas, too, like a Queen, in easy chair is sitting. If a Queen one could imagine occupied in knitting.

From rosy morn to dewy eve, he cut it steady fast way. Through thorny bush and tangled scrub—and many a forest king.

Nor of their dark-skinned neighbors had they ever seen a district, Had tended them in sickness, and had never been auster.

Spare them for their goodness to you all, and men of the tribes, kill me! "She said, but of all that strange crew there was none to make reply.

It was the last week before Christmas, when, as I said before, Chip was almost three years old, and Winnie's auntie from one of the New South Wales towns with her little daughter about Winnie's age, had been visiting.

Although he never told one word concerning his long ride, yet we are safe in supposing that he did not enjoy it any better than cats usually enjoy rides or excursions of any kind.

The Christmas Stocking. "Dear Santa Claus," wrote little Willie to his true father, so please to bring me a pair of stockings, a pair of shoes, a pair of slippers, a pair of mittens, a pair of gloves, a pair of socks, a pair of shoes, a pair of slippers, a pair of mittens, a pair of gloves, a pair of socks.

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Melbourne Items.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

Melbourne, Dec. 19. On the evening of Tuesday, 17th, at 10 before 8 o'clock, I was able to telegraph to several of my constituents...

The same paper reports a robbery committed in Hutton Garden, London. A letter carrier, delivering letters from a case, was set upon, seized, and robbed of a letter containing diamonds...

Some months ago, when the London Dock labourers struck work for higher wages, the working men of Australia, recognising them as "men and brothers," sent them enough gold to start a bank...

On the 9th instant, Mr. Andrew Rowan issued a circular letter addressed to and for the information of shareholders in the company of Goldborough, Mort, and Co., Limited...

It is a wonderful career. To-day, as from the time of its introduction, over 10 years, Wolf's Sanpiperine has been the lead of every other tonic and the most successful in the estimation of the public and scientific men.

THEY MET AGAIN. They stood together under the waving branches of a mighty elm on the bank of a stinging brook one fair, sweet night in June...

Melbourne Wool Sales. Messrs Dulgey and Company Limited report under date 18th December:—We offered 2000 bales to a crowd of attendances of buyers and others interested.

COMMERCIAL. ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET. New wheat is now being delivered from the Wimmera district in small quantities. The highest price for the same is 3s 6d per bushel...

Mr. H. E. Kugelmann, CONSULTING ELECTRIC, SKILLED SPECIALIST for ALL CHRONIC DISEASES, 67 1/2 William Street, Melbourne.

GEORGE WHITE, FISHING TACKLE. PRICES TO SUIT ALL! Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, Pipes, School Books and Bags, Stationery, Confectionery, Fresh Fruit, &c.

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BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB'S ANNUAL RACES. Will be held on the NEW RACE COURSE, WATERLOO FLAT, ON NEW YEAR'S DAY, JANUARY 1st, 1890.

PROGRAMME—Maiden Plate, For all horses that have never won an advertised race. Post entry, 3s. Handicap Hurdle Race, Of 7 sows. Two miles. Over hurdles about 5th. 6th. high. Post entry, 7s. Beaufort Handicap, Of 8 sows. One mile and a half. Post entry, 8s.

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THE OLYMPIAN HORSE, Young Conqueror, Will Stand this Season at Sutherland's Farm, Stockyard Hill.

YOUNG CONQUEROR is by Mufford's Conqueror, dam by Fride of Scotland (imported), grand dam by George Buchanan (imported), g.g.g. dam by Ben-For (imported), g.g.g.g. dam by Sir William Wallace, g.g.g.g.g. dam by Victoria (imported), g.g.g.g.g.g. dam imported by De Beaufort show one of his fillies was awarded second prize, beating a Blue Ribbon filly out of a prize mare.

YOUNG BOBBY DAZZLER is a beautiful grey five year old, is a beautiful leg hamper, stands twelve hands high, is good tempered, and possesses grand action. He has proved himself a sure foal-getter. His breeding is of the very highest order.

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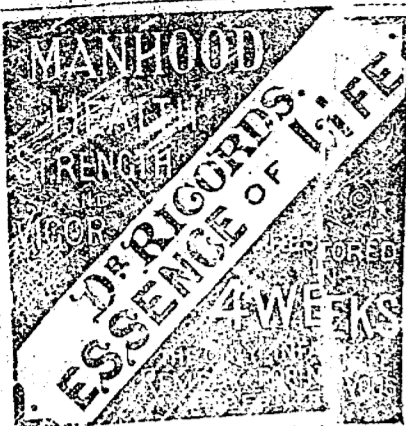
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Schape sprinting in an excellent manner, passing the other two men in a dash. Schape's sprint, however, was rather too good for Jewell, who was beaten by about two lengths.

Boys' Race. A number of youngsters went for this event, which resulted in an easy win for Arthur Welsh.

Swimming Match. Fitzpatrick... Only three started, and Fitzpatrick won easily in very slow time.

Sea-horse Race. Three competitors also started for this event, but only one was able to mount his floating steed, and paddle it over the course marked out.

Two Mile Bicycle Race. Seven started for this event. All the interest in this race was centred on Schape and the Jewells at the start, but after going half the distance, it was seen that Schape had no show to win.

Cricketers, &c., Race. Six or seven started, and after a good run, E. Welsh was adjudged the winner.

Throwing Cricket Ball. There were eight entries, and some very good throws made. R. Wilson succeeded in outstripping his opponents, J. Hosking being second.

standing their respectable appearance. These hoodlums should have some consideration for the players, whose difficulties are great enough without unnecessary interruptions, and it is to be hoped no further occasion will arise to merit such censure as was passed by Mr Sinclair on Thursday night during the progress of the piece.

The evening after the entertainment was devoted to dancing, which was kept up till a respectable hour, Mr G. Ison officiating as M.C.

Correspondence. We do not in any way identify ourselves with the opinion expressed by our correspondents. It is desired that letters to the editor shall be accompanied by the real name and address of the writer, not for absolute publication, but as a bona fide guarantee.

THE DOG IN THE MANGER. TO THE EDITOR. SIR,—There is an old proverb which says, "Save us from our friends," and with your permission, Mr Editor, I would like to make a few comments on the local tender was not thought worthy of acceptance, without the further action of a few shining lights dragging the band's ability through the mud.

WOODCUTTERS' CONTEST. There were six competitors, and the logs were, on the whole, tough ones. Nixon was finished first, although his log was about the coarsest of the six. Fisher finished in a couple of strokes afterwards.

THE ENTERTAINMENT. In the evening at 8 o'clock, the Societies' Hall was well filled, and people came trooping in until the hall was packed to the stage.

LETTER LIST. Letters and papers are waiting for the following persons at the post office:—W. Allen, Miss A. Adamchwaite, Mr. Boyd, R. Brewer, Miss R. Callaghan, Geo. Cook, Thos. Fitzpatrick, Thos. Flanagan, T. Harsant, Miss Hancock, John Irving, Mrs Jones, Mrs Kane, H. N. Loro, Miss Martin, Mr McGregor, Manager New Discovery Gold Mine, P. O'Loughlin, Miss Phillips, Mr Rankin, A. Rogers, M. Sullivan, Walters Bros., John Welsh, F. Yates.

The Education Act 1889. Parents should carefully observe the following amendments in the Education Act of 1889, which will come into force on the 1st of January, 1890. The compulsory attendance has been increased from 30 to 40 days in each quarter. When a child has attended more than 40 days in one quarter it is not necessary to attend 40 days in the next quarter, but the attendance for both quarters must amount to 80 days. A child 13 years of age may cease to attend school provided such child has been in the fourth class for four quarters of a year. If the child has not been in such class as specified it will be necessary for it to attend an approved night school or school of mines until 15 years of age, unless a certificate of exemption from compulsory attendance is obtained. Should there be no night school within three miles of the child's residence such child shall be entitled to a certificate of exemption if the child has attended school for the required number of days in each half-year for a period of two consecutive years immediately preceding the day on which it claims such certificate of exemption.

A WHITE HEAT. There was a girl who belonged to excessively careful parents. One night she was to go to her first party. The question of the adequacy of her costume to keep her warm was discussed. The anxious father at length hit upon a scheme of safety, as he thought. He took one of those glass thermometers, such as physicians use in determining whether the temperature of a patient is normal or feverish, and made her place it in the bosom of her corsage next her own fair skin. Thus fixed, they all went to the party together. After a while, just after Johnny Smith had been chatting with her, the father took her aside and asked for the thermometer. She shyly drew it out. "Groat Scott!" he exclaimed. "Thirty five degrees. You've got a chill!" "Oh, no, papa," the maiden exclaimed. "I am quite comfortable." The mother was femininely astute, and she sent the daughter off once more with the thermometer still in her bosom. Then she said to the old man. "The thermometer is almost over her head. Johnny Smith is her detestation. He tries to make love to her, and she won't have it. It was her carelessness to him that sent the mercury down to freezing point. See?"

A Convenience. The New Parcels' Post System has proved a great convenience to country residents. It enables families residing in the most remote parts of Victoria to send or receive parcels at a minimum of cost, and we have pleasure in giving prominence to the following:—

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Public Notices. THE CLYDESDALE HORSE, Young Conqueror, Will stand this Season at Sutherland's Farm, Stockyard Hill.

Public Notices. YOUNG CONQUEROR is by Muffin's Young Conqueror, dam by Pridio of Scotland (imported), grand dam by George Buchanan (imported), g.g.g. dam by Sir William Wallace, g.g.g.g. dam by Ventrump (imported), g.g.g.g.g.g. dam imported to Tasmania.

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THE CELEBRATED CLYDESDALE STALLION, PURVES.

PURVES is a dark bay, foaled 2nd November, 1881; sire Carmyle, dam Gipsy. In 1882, as a yearling, he carried off first honours at Smeaton for the best yearling colt on the ground, and one of a group of three; also two champion prizes. At Ballarat, in the spring of 1882, he won first prize for the best draught colt; at Kyrenston the same year he took first prize, and also won the Ladies' Produce Stakes of £40—open competition; at Clunes he was again first in his class; at Echuca he took first prize, and also a special, for the best yearling colt on the ground; at Bendigo, Grand National Show first again, his half brother (got by the same sire) was second—open competition; at Gladly he won first prize for the best yearling; thus showing an unbeaten record for less than a dozen times as a yearling.

His sire, Carmyle, is too well known in this district to need comment. PURVES' dam was Gipsy, by Surprise (imp); g.s. dam's sire, Surprise, &c. PURVES began his two-year-old Show-yard triumphs in Adelaide, S.A., in September 1883, at the Royal Agricultural Society's Show there; he won first in his own class and Hart Bros' silver cup, value ten guineas; and the same day, in the All-aged Stallion Championship Class, in which many first-class horses competed, notably Waverley, Purves carried off the massive Silver Medal and ten guineas. At Clare (S.A.) the following week he was again first in the all-aged class, winning the Champion Prize of ten guineas, and in his own class the two-year-old's first prize also.

His owner returned to Victoria in time to show Purves at the Grand National in Geelong; he again won first in his own class, and in competition with colts and fillies, two years old, he won the Champion prize. At Ballarat he won first in his class; at Clunes, shown among the three-year-olds, first; at Smeaton, among the three-year-olds, first; at Kyrenston, the Lamsarshire of Victoria, Purves, for the second time, carried off the Sires' Produce Challenge Cup, value 15 guineas, defeating Mr Bouke's grand two-year-old Black Prince, the first prize horse in Melbourne in the Sires' Produce Stakes. Purves was also first in his own class; first at Donald Show in 1885; and again first at Ballarat in 1886; first at Ararat in 1888; and gained Mr G. Thomson's special prize of £5 same day; first at Ballarat 1888; first at Clunes 1888; first at Smeaton 1888; and first at Beaufort 1889.

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