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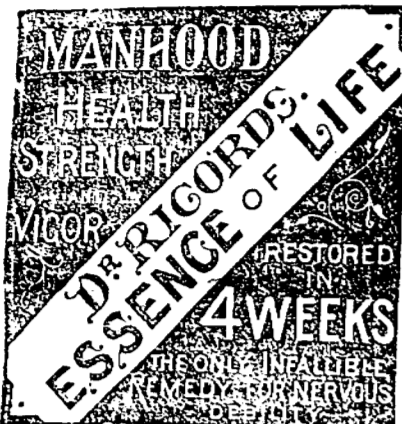
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DEATH OF MR. D. G. STEWART.

[BY WIRE.]

There is an old saw, pregnant with truth, whether pertaining to things animate or inanimate, which runs thus:—"It is the unexpected that always happens."

We regret very much to learn that an instance of the very truth of this old saying reached us late last night—or rather at a very early hour this morning.

Mr David Garth Stewart, the well-known Secretary to the Shire of Ripon, passed away at the Melbourne hospital last night about ten o'clock.

The information came as a staggerer to us, for it was an unexpected event, for about 7 o'clock yesterday evening we were informed that the latest bulletin contained the hopeful intelligence that Mr Stewart was rapidly recovering.

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NOTICE.

I HEREBY NOTIFY that a REVISION COURT will be held by the Police Magistrate for the Revision of the Ratesayers and General Lists for the Beaufort Division of the Electoral District of Ripon and Hampden, 1889 and 1890, at the Court House, Beaufort, on Tuesday, the 4th February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

C. W. MINCHIN, Clerk of the Revision Court, Beaufort, January 25, 1890.

NOTICE.

ARARAT MINING BOARD ELECTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that an ELECTION OF FOUR MEMBERS OF the Mining Board for the District of Ararat, in the places of the following gentlemen—Mr William Marons Bank, representing the Ararat Division; Mr Joseph Frost, representing the Pleasant Creek Division; and Mr J. W. Browne and Mr Alexander Cumming, representing the Raglan Division of the said District, who retire by rotation, will be held on SATURDAY, the Twenty-second day of February, 1890.

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ARARAT MINING BOARD ELECTION.

RAGLAN DIVISION.

TO THE ELECTORS.

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to announce that I am a CANDIDATE for re-election for a seat in the Raglan Division of the Ararat Mining District at the ensuing Election, to be held on the 22nd February inst., and respectfully solicit your votes and interest.

Yours truly, ALEXANDER CUMMING, Beaufort, January 24, 1890.

TO THE ELECTORS.

I hereby announce that I am a CANDIDATE for the representation of the Raglan Division, at the Mining Board Election, to be held on Saturday, the 22nd February next, and respectfully solicit your support. Trusting to have the honor to be again returned to represent your interests.

I am, Gentlemen, Your obedient servant, J. W. BROWNE.

ARARAT MINING BOARD ELECTION.

TO THE ELECTORS.

I beg to announce that I am a CANDIDATE to represent you at the ensuing Election for the Raglan Division on the 22nd February next, and respectfully solicit your support and interest.

JOHN HUMPHREYS, Neil Street, Beaufort, January 25th, 1890.

WILLIAM KENWORTHY SHAW.

of Waterloo, hereby announces that he is a CANDIDATE for a Seat on the ARARAT MINING BOARD, the Election for Members of which Board takes place on the 22nd February next. He respectfully solicits the votes of the Electors.

Waterloo, January 24, 1890.

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R. A. D. SINCLAIR, Hon. Secretary.

[A CARD.] DR. ADAM, M.B., C.M., May in future be Consulted at his Private Residence (lately occupied by Dr. Croker), also when necessary at his Consulting Room, next Mr. Andrews' Chemist. Messages left with Mr. Andrews, conveyed by telephone.

Death.

HUMPHREYS.—On the 29th January, 1890, at Beaufort, Thomas, the youngest son of Richard Humphreys, of Beaufort; aged 22 years.

THE Ripoushire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, 1st FEBRUARY.

The comparatively small body of gentlemen who form the Beaufort Agricultural Society are determined more than ever this year to cater for the public generally and the farming class in particular. At Saturday's meeting last year's lengthy prize list was discussed, and with a view to secure a larger catalogue of exhibits all round, and a better one as regards the quality, numerous and various of the awards have been so amended as to be more attractive to those who look upon these exhibitions as providing a series of pools to be scooped, and at the same time to induce a variety of exhibits that will charm and interest the general visitor. The amount of money on the prize list this year nearly reaches £200.

The special prizes detailed elsewhere are more numerous this year than ever, and when it is seen that such gentlemen as Messrs E. H. Austin, Beggs Bros., F. Beggs, and G. Lewis contribute largely to the prize-list, it may be at once understood that success is aimed at, and if it is possible, success will be achieved. "Tis not in mortals to command success," and it cannot be expected that the Beaufort Agricultural Society can do this. But they always have, and always will endeavor to deserve it. Although two months will elapse before the Show comes off, it is not too soon to speak a word in behalf of the Society. Their claims to the support of the class whose interests they have at heart, cannot be over-stated. Agriculture is one of the recognised staple industries of the colony. Agriculture is necessary to the progress and well-being of any community; and everything that tends to the firmer establishment of the industry has claims innumerable for support from particularly those who follow the pursuit.

For seventeen years the Beaufort Society has been in existence, and with the exception perhaps of the first year or two, no enthusiasm has been thrown into the work of the society except by the few who are determined to fight out discouragement and discontent. Practically but few of the large number of farmers in this district subscribe to the society. Out of a list of about 60 members, barely one-third are representatives of the farming industry, the remainder comprising the much-abused pastoralists and business men, who get no practical benefit whatever out of the society or its exhibitions. Affairs would be stated to be the other way about, if the shows were not successful, or if the society were on its last legs. Fortunately so such calamity is hanging over the society. Yet strange to say, only amongst those who hold aloof is their any discontent and grumbling. They sneer

at the shows when asked to become subscribers. Generally the cry is—not that they cannot afford it, but—that they have "nothing to exhibit." Have they not families—children growing up around them, whom they expect in a few years to work the farm and dairy, to fatten the poultry and rear pork, ham and bacon? Is it not to the advantage of those "who have nothing to exhibit" to support the society in the interests of their children? True, the young can be taught to work without these shows, but the incentive to good work; the friendly rivalry that produces good work is all stirred up in the show yard. The motive for grumbling and discontent is selfishness; and selfishness is not a characteristic of the agriculturist; and to their own advantage; for the interests of the society, and for the progress and advancement of the district, they should come boldly forward, and shoulder to shoulder, give the wheel a shove, and it will be moved with a surety that will be surprising.

LOCAL & GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

DEATH OF MR. T. HUMPHREYS.—Great regret was expressed—especially in cricketing circles—on Wednesday afternoon last when it was announced that Mr T. Humphreys, Beaufort's best bowler, had succumbed to a prolonged attack and illness from typhoid fever. As far back as October last, the young man complained of a cold which was succeeded by the pains and symptoms of the fever, but he bravely held out against what proved to be a very serious illness. As time wore on he consulted a medical man, and was prescribed for. On Christmas Day, he was apparently very hearty, and enjoyed the seasonable fare provided on that day with avidity. He was present at the cricket match in the afternoon, although not taking part. In the evening he was seized with a painful illness, and the doctor was sent for, and the case was pronounced one of typhoid of a serious nature. Ever since he has undergone various stages of the fever until Sunday last, when a sudden change came over him, and the doctor expressed no hope of his recovery. The young man died at one o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, after a prolonged attack of delirium. The funeral took place on Thursday, a large procession following the remains to the Beaufort Cemetery, where the last rites were performed by the Rev. E. J. M. Davies at the grave. Mr R. Farley conducted the funeral.

LAPSED PROSPECTING VOTES.—The Minister of Mines has re-allotted the lapsed grants under the Prospecting Vote. The allotment for the Ararat district is as follows:—North Magdala Moonlight Company, £100; William Iredale and party, £80; Sheet Anchor and Richmond Reef Company, £140; John Cudde and party, £80.

ARARAT MINING BOARD.—A meeting was held on Tuesday last. There was no important business of interest to this division transacted. A letter was read from the Secretary of Royal Commission, requesting the board to furnish the Commission with its views in respect to the constitution of Mining Boards; whether they should be continued or be superseded by some other body, or be abolished altogether. The board went into committee to consider the letter, but after some discussion it was resolved to postpone further consideration of the matter till next meeting. Another letter was read from the Raglan divisional members, reporting favorably on Mr G. Tupper's application for the sale of land at Trawalla, was also received.

BEAUFORT Y.M. GUILD.—The weekly meeting of the Young Men's Guild was held in the Mechanics' Institute last Wednesday, when Mr J. Rose read a very able paper on "Modern Thought." The Rev. W. H. Youlton will deliver an address at the next meeting, to which all young men who possibly can attend are invited.

SHIRE OF RYKON.—A special meeting of the Shire Council of Ripon was held on Thursday last, there being present—Crs Lewis, Austin, Cushing, Andrews, Beggs, and Thomas. In the absence of Cr Murray (President), Cr Lewis was appointed chairman. The principal business for which the meeting was called was to elect some person to act for the President during that gentleman's temporary absence in New Zealand. Cr Lewis was finally appointed, and authorized to sign the statistics in respect of the council's claim for the Government subsidy. The meeting then adjourned. The annual meeting was also held, but as the balance sheet had been returned with certain instructions, the meeting was further adjourned till next Thursday, the day of the ordinary monthly meeting.

A HEROIC ACT.—A few days ago two young ladies on a visit to Mr W. Lewis, of Stoneleigh, went to a large dam on the estate to indulge themselves in a refreshing bath, and whilst in the water, one of them—Miss Aitkin—was seized with cramp. The other young lady, Miss Armstrong, seeing her companion's danger, went promptly to render assistance, and got out of her depth. Miss Lewis, who was dressed upon the bank, seeing that both were in imminent peril, plunged into the water as she was, and succeeded in rescuing both of her friends and bringing them safely to shore.

LOCAL AUDITOR.—The local auditorship for the Shire of Ripon is likely to be decided by a third election, which will be announced in due time, as soon as the application for ousting Mr W. R. Nicoll has been decided. Communication has been held with the Government respecting this matter, and the result is that it will be necessary to ascertain the wishes of the ratepayers by a further election. It is stated that Mr W. R. Nicoll, after the last meeting of the council, wrote that he was willing to sign the balance sheet, and would forego any claim to payment, "in the interests of the ratepayers, to save the expense of another election." But the council having decided what to do on the receipt of the departmental letter, would not go back on their resolution.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND, BEAUFORT.—The annual meeting of the congregation of the above was held last evening in the school room, the Rev E. J. M. Davies occupying the chair, and a goodly number assembling. The report and balance sheet were presented as follows:—The report stated that the receipts for the past year, including a balance in hand at the beginning of the year, amount to £296 2s 5d, less an increase on the previous year of £11 0 7d. The increases resulted from seat rent and stipend contributions principally, being respectively £51 15s and £46 8s 8d, against £33 and £23 of last year. There was, however, a falling off in the contributions for the outlying districts, being a decrease from Middle Creek of £1 7s 6d; Chute, 15s. Contributions to the Church Improvement Fund exceeded last year's amount by £2 16s 2d. The expenditure amounted to £294 10s 2d, leaving a credit balance of £1 12s 3d. Works for the improvement of the church property consumed £26 10s of this sum. During the year a stable had been erected at a cost of £20, two-thirds of which was contributed by Captain Bridges, of Trawalla, and E. H. Austin, Esq., of Stoneleigh. The organ had been repaired, and was now in good order. £50 had been paid off the mortgage of the parsonage, with interest amounting to £7 1s 4d. It was also stated that during the year a change had taken place in the ministry; the Rev. C. M. Lowe having removed to Condam, and his place had been filled by the Rev. E. J. M. Davies, from Ararat. During the year there had been a slight falling off in the offertory collections, amounting to £4 5s 2d, at the Beaufort Church. The balance sheet of the Sunday school showed—Receipts, £26 17s 5d; expenditure, £25 18s 2d, leaving a balance of 19s 6d to credit. A sum of £5 12s 6d had been spent in prizes, and £5 18d on library and class books. The balance sheet was adopted. The following committee was appointed for the ensuing twelve months:—Captain Bridges, Messrs G. A. Eddy, E. W. Hughes, J. H. Nelson, G. Tupper, J. Rose, W. Baker, Jno. Humphreys, and R. A. D. Sinclair. Auditors—Messrs A. Andrews and W. E. Nickols. The meeting was closed in the usual manner.

VISITING SCHOOLS.—It is understood that the annual report of the United Sunday Schools of Beaufort will not take place this year. An effort is being made to induce the Ararat S.S. to pay Beaufort a visit and join in having an immense picnic at the Beaufort Park. It is a fine place for a day's outing, and hopes are entertained that the efforts will be successful.

WARDEN'S COURT.—A Warden's Court will be held on Tuesday next, at Beaufort, when the application of Sidney Hancock and party will be heard. We believe that there are a series of objections against the granting of the lease. These will be heard simultaneously with the application.

TRESPASSING.—Several notices appear in our advertising columns prohibiting persons trespassing with dog or gun on the various estates in this shire. The reason for these notices is obvious, and it is hoped that attention will be careful to heed them. The danger of bushfires at this time of the year is so great that every precaution has to be taken to prevent them.

LETTER LIST.

Letters and papers are waiting for the following persons at the post office:—W. Allen, Hugh Brody, Mr Carrington, J. Dunn, Mr Dutton, J. Ellis, T. Flowers, H. Flowers, Miss F. Fraser, Thos. Flowers, Alf. Flowers, John Fraser, T. Guiding, S. Harant, R. Henry, D. Holdbrook, Wm Johnstons, Mrs J. Kerr, T. Kewley, Michael Kane, J. Kay, J. Mackie, J. P. Maitcock, J. W. Miller, Manager New Discovery Gold Mine, R. Provis, H. Ramsay, R. E. Shepherdson, Secretary A.N.A., H. Todd, John Woolley, C. Westbrock, Peter Wilkinson, Mrs Eliza Whitfield.

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A Christmas Run.

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What a time Boxing Day in Beaufort was, to be sure! Perhaps the most annoying, exasperating day possible. And yet the sports were good, the attendance caused the speculator at the gates to chuckle, the music was all that could be desired—both vocal and instrumental—and mine host of the Camp and the burly caterer certainly looked well to the wants of the inner man. But with the thermometer at 100, and the dust ankle-deep, how could one be pleased? And the heat and discomfort were many times repeated at the concert, while the pluck of those who dared to dance that night can evoke nothing but fearful and commiserating admiration.

But see! Shut your eyes, for no one can sleep on such a night, and after such a day. So forty-eight hours fly with a clank of railway wheels, a hiss of Westinghouse steam, a dream of scorched grassland, hot streets and houses vanishing before a vision of forest-clad ranges and waving ferntrees, and presto! where are we? Gliding down the cool and shadowy Latrobe on the L.N. Co.'s steamer Ormsby, with a general Norse captain, a boatload of riflemen with their friends, and an infinite surrounding span of calm, cool, peace and comfort. There is Sale left behind us, like every other town to-day—hot, hot, and scorching, blistering in the sun—but here on the river are coolness and rest and laziness. Ducks and swans, swans and ducks, myriads of all kinds of fowl on the river and Lake Wellington. Late in the afternoon we pass McLennan's Straits, and into the lovely Lake Victoria.

Now a boat creeps out from a point, the skipper catches our rope, and the little craft tears through the water beside us while the plucky daughter of the fisherman swings down into it, and so it drops astern. Now Her Majesty's mails are similarly transhipped in return for baskets of fish. As the sun sank we steamed through the narrower part of Lake Wellington, and admired the sunset glow on the lofty ranges which here come right down to the water. On the other side of the lake are low sandhills overgrown with brush and scrub, with the ocean breaking on the back beach immediately beyond.

So we pass pretty haunts—Painyville, Rosherville—and numbers of lovely faras with little jetties running out into the water. At one of the villages passengers for the Beirnsdale are transferred to another boat, and we lose some merry companions, but what of that? Here fate may left. Here are Wheatbrook and Langifton, of the Melbourne Rifle Club, and Inches and Wales of the 3rd Battalion, and Ordnaries of the Ballarat Civilians, and Long Snap of Sale, and why should we mourn for departed ones? And Snap knows the country; he was raised here, and he points out all the objects of interest, and tells us many a pleasing twister. He has on board his horse and tubery, with tent, provisions, and weapons, for he is going on to-morrow to Orbest and Brathen, and maybe to Malaroota, and will we come with him and see Eastern Gippsland? Much should we like to, but our time is too short, and we shall be content to do the Lakes.

He shows us in the dim moonlight the new entrance, where a lucky storm burst the bar and did many thousands pounds worth of work for the contractor, and here is the place where the schooner was flung to the top of a forty-foot hill by the same storm. To-morrow we shall see it there. Here, where the dimly lights are, is Cunningham township, at the old entrance, and while the others go on to Roadknights, we must drag the horse and tubery across the intervening bar, and so on to the jetty.

By the time we reach Roadknights we are ready for a hearty supper, and soon to bed, for it is very late and deliciously cool, and so very different from that nightmare of Boxing Day. In the morning we see where we are, and the scene is a striking one. Roadknights is a large farm-house, in process of becoming a seaside hotel. It is perched on the verge of a steep bare hill, standing some two hundred feet above the belt of dense scrub which lies between us and the narrow Lake King. Beyond this is the hummocky strip of beach which forms the bar, and there, there outside of all, and dominating and overshadowing all, the Pacific—leaguelling rollers breaking on the sand—on the same waves, the same sand as the adventurers in the Tom Thumb story saw when they crawled along the Ninety Mile Beach intent on proving the existence of Bass' Straits.

This explains the deep rolling noise we heard in the night; this accounts for the pungent strength of the air. Of course we knew the ocean was near, yet it seemed a great surprise to step out into the bright sunshine and see this immensity of blue water spread out at our feet. After an early breakfast, we lay out our plans for the day. Wheatbrook is unwell, and Langifton must stay by him, and after we have started Snap off to Orbest, we make up a jolly Ballarat party, and struggle through the thick scrub to the lake.

Here is a boat, and a stalwart waterman who will take us all round the lake. There is the old entrance—silted up now, and indistinguishable in the sand. There is Jumbuck's Point (Jonny's, they call it), where the new chum explorers lost their only jumbuck, and with it their hope of

chops. Here are the costly works in conjunction with the Entrance, but our careful boatman will not venture into the jetty. The sea is rough, splashing in many places 20 feet over the pier, and some of us get wet, and we must hurry back, for Laddi wants to catch the boat to Bairnsdale.

We also had intended to go on to Bairnsdale, and take the train thence to Melbourne, but we conclude that it is pleasant enough, and restful for us, and that it would be absurd to chase it all the time. So Laddi and the Melbourne men depart, and we sit down to dinner.

In the afternoon mine host will drive us to Lake Tyers, and show us the station. But—no! The "lake lake" is on, and we will not rush now.

There is a little black camp in the lake below, and that is enough for us to see. So to the beach, looking in at the camp on the way. Ordinarily it is the king's acquaintance with a handsome little boy, about 8 years old, that he has evidently like to steal.

King Billy shows us torches of bark and "bullwood" ten feet in length, and explains—"Mine fish to-night, had mine bimely!"

And so we get to the beach and start and smoke and loaf in the enjoyment of perfect idleness, until the result of our dissipation becomes evident in the form of a tremendous appetite.

In the evening dire is the wretch of assembled sharpshooters to see hundreds of swans flying over the lake at an elevation, and no firearms are to be found. It is even so. Everyone has cartridges, but not a single rifle. So the grand creatures go untroubled.

After the inevitable smoke and music, and dawdling amuse, we think of bed, when a sudden flash from the remains of the blackfellow's promise—"Baal wind bimely, mine fish to-night!" There is not a breath of air stirring, and we break for the lagoon to witness the novel sight. King Billy holds the great torch under his left arm and carries a long three-pointed spear. As he goes along in the shallow water, the lighting light shows the fish on the sandy bottom, and with hardly a miss the subtle one leaps quite a number of good-sized fish.

As we turn and face the high land, Roadknights' window shines out like a very high and distant light-house. With some trouble we find the hospitable place and the kindly hostess, who is easily persuaded to give us a substantial supper after our fatiguing walk on the sand and through the scrub.

Next morning we bid farewell to the Lakes Entrance, and once more thread the watery labyrinth, this time in the Tambo.

The beautiful wooded walls of the lake look even more charming in the early morning light than in the evening, and afford a combination of sweet music, scenery and lofty forest beauty which cannot well be surpassed.

It is well on the old day when we reach Sale, and soon the old familiar whistle of the train reminds us that this trip is over.

COMMERCIAL.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET.

More activity was apparent in the produce market last week than has been the case at any time since the commencement of the present grain season. Flouring operations are now being vigorously proceeded with; and farmers are beginning to care in their produce. Three lots of wheat came to hand at the close of the week, the sample being very good, and the lots were taken up at 3s 3d per bushel. A large quantity has been landed from the Wimmera district, the price delivered being the same as for locally grown grain. There has been a good demand for flour, and a patent roller having a brisk sale at 1s 6d and stone made at 1s 5s. Bran and pollard are firmer, having advanced the price to 10d and the latter 7d. At H. P. Rowan 3s is given for good sample of wheat, but a considerable quantity of this is forward is shrivelled and it fails to reach this quotation. The Donald market has now closed, and 3s is the figure ruling. At St. Arnaud 3s is given for good milling, and 3s 1d for prime. There has been a good deal done in oats, and an easier feeling is evidenced. A prime lot of 30 bags of new reached 2s 8d per bushel, two 50-bag lots brought 2s 4d, and a 40-bag brought 2s 6d. A few loads of potatoes came in from Warramundee during the week, and were cleared at 1s 15s per ton, and new unions were offered from Hamilton at 1s 5s per ton at the field, or 1s 10s delivered here. Hay has been freely supplied. Butter has been very scarce this week, the extremely dry weather quite preventing people from making up. Our quotation is a nominal one, as none has been offered, and we might say that any price could have been obtained had any been offered. Eggs are fairly well supplied. A lot of those came in through the week, but were 5d being asked. Wheat, 3s 3d per bushel, base in flour, 2s 8d per bushel, stone-made flour, 2s 10s per ton for patent roller Oats, 2s 4d per bushel, bagging Flour, 2s 10s per ton for patent roller Cape barley, 3s 9d per bushel Peas, 4s 6d per bushel Rye, 4s 6d per bushel Potatoes, Warramundee, 1s 15s per ton Potatoes, Ballarat, none Hay, sheaves, 2s 10s per ton Hay, roused, 2s 15s per ton Straw, 2s 6d per ton Chaff, 3s 6d per cwt Onions, 3s per cwt Butter, fresh, 9d per pound Butter, potted, 7d per pound Bacon, 11d per pound Bacon, 2s 4d per pound Cheese, 4d to 5d per pound Eggs, 11d per dozen.—A. Deane.

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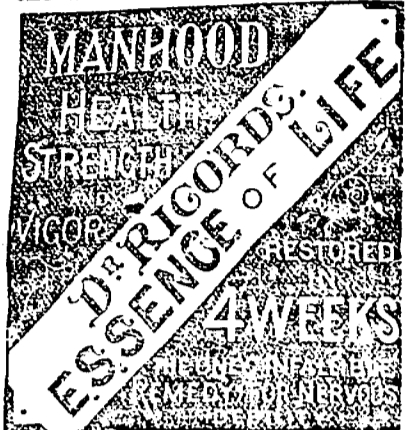
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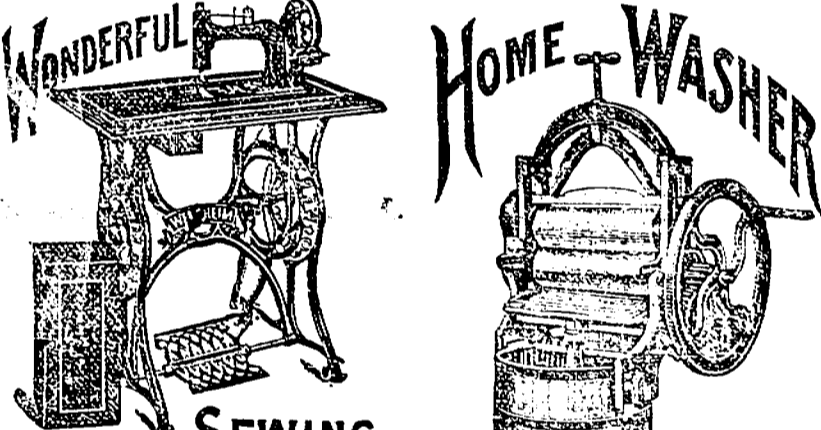
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W. K. SHAW, of Waterloo, begs to announce that he is a CANDIDATE for a seat on the Mining Board for the Raglan Division of the Ararat District, and respectfully solicits the Votes and Interest of the Electors at the ensuing Election, which will be held on the 22nd February inst.

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As a donation to the fund for the improvement of the Park. On the motion of Mr Stewart, it was resolved to donate a profit to the fund, and that a special effort be made to make the gathering as great a success as possible. It was also unanimously resolved that the club retain the following programme of events was drawn up:—Bicycle Racing—One mile, £10; two mile, £12; three miles, £13; five miles, £15; Safety Race, two mile, £10; Forced Handicap, one mile, £5; Consolation, one mile, £5. Foot Racing—Easter Gift, 120 yards, £15; Hurdles, 120 and 220 yards, £8; Local Societies, Race, 120 yards, £2 10s; Woodcutters Contest, £3 10s; Boys' Race, under 12 years, 10s; Boys, under 16 years, 10s.

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THE Riponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, 8th FEBRUARY. LOCAL & GENERAL INTELLIGENCE. PECULIAR ACCIDENT TO A COW.—A peculiar accident happened in front of Mr. Schlicht's All Nation's Store on Thursday afternoon.

BEAUFORT ATHLETIC CLUB.—A general meeting of the above club was held on Thursday last at the Mechanics' Institute, the President (Mr. J. McKeich) in the chair. It was resolved to hold the usual carnival on Easter Monday, and the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year:—President—Mr. Jas. McKeich; Treasurer—Mr. G. H. Cougle; Hon. Secretary—Mr. R. A. D. Sinclair; Committee—Messrs H. M. Stuart, A. Andrews, H. Loft, G. Loft, J. Barber, W. G. Stevens, Orin, Cougle, McKeich, J. R. Wetherpoon, T. Buchanan, G. Jauchsch, R. Thomas, Sinclair, J. Miller, and J. Chapman.

The Late Mr. David Gath Stewart. In our last issue we gave, at such length as time and space permitted, an account of the death of our much respected Secretary to the Shire of Ripon. The intelligence did not reach us till 2 o'clock on Saturday morning last, when we were all ready for going to press. The local importance of the news, which was indeed sad, commanded some attention, and under the circumstances allowance will be made for any little inaccuracies that creep into our ordinary notice, and we are conscious of one or two such.

Mrs Stewart was with her husband till the afternoon in company with a son-in-law. The remains of Mr Stewart arrived by the last train on Saturday night, and at once conveyed to the late residence of the deceased, and the funeral moved there at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, Mr W. Baker superintending. On either side of the hearse walked Messrs D. Troy, W. E. Nickols, J.P., and H. H. Jackson (shiro engineer), J. McRae (Government, late shiro, rabbit inspector), J. W. Harris, J.P., and J. Watson (acting shiro secretary). The hearse was followed by the immediate relatives and friends of the deceased: Mrs W. Lewis, J.P., E. H. Austin, J.P., H. Cushing, J.P., A. Andrews, J.P., W. C. Thomas, J.P., and T. Beggs. Mrs. Murray, J.P. (President), and Oddie, J.F., are absent in New Zealand (the latter was represented by his son, Mr F. Oddie). Following these came almost all the male residents of the town, and many from the country round here to the number of about 400 on foot. On reaching the cemetery the corpse was met by the Rev. E. J. M. Davies, Church of England minister, and a large number of the female population, many of whom carried bouquets of flowers to lay upon the coffin, which was borne to the grave by Messrs. J. W. Harris, J. McRae, H. H. Jackson, and D. Troy. The solemn services having been gone through the body was lowered into the grave, with the accompanying "Earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust." The coffin was literally covered with floral emblems and devices.

SPORTING MEMOS. By "TAPK." Mr. L. Clarke has won back £100 out of the £500 he lost a short time back to Captain Brewer, the American crack gun shot. The second match was for £100 aside, Captain Brewer conceding 3 yards in the rise. Remarkably good shooting was done. Mr Clarke killed 96 birds out of 100 at 30 yards, and the captain 95 out of 100 at 33 yards from the traps. The match was very exciting.

LETTER LIST. Letters and papers are waiting for the following persons at the post office:—Mrs J. Corini; J. Dunn, farmer; Owen Evans; S. Gulliving; D. Holtrop, butcher; Robert Henry William Johnston (3); Henry James M. Lindsay; T. Miller, G. McDuff, J. Mackie, John McCrook, J. McKinnon, John T. Mairbacher, Mrs McEuff; Mrs R. Previs, jun.; E. Roycroft; Mr Toup, Mrs Ellen Trompf, H. Todd; Miss J. Woods, C. Westbrook, Mr Wright.

THOSE WHO NEED IT. All who are languid, nervous, and low-spirited, and who suffer from dyspepsia, nervous, or want of appetite, should try relief in Wolf's Schnapps.

An Important Meeting at Beaufort. A well attended meeting of miners and the public was held at the Golden Age Hall on Monday evening last, convened hurriedly by poster, to discuss and take action with regard to the application for a gold mining lease lodged with the Warden by Mr Sidney Hancock on behalf of the Allion Gold Mining Co.

Mr. Andrews, J.P., was voted to be the chair, and stated the object of the meeting. They were all aware of the circumstances connected with the application for a gold mining lease made by Mr Hancock and a party of four other men applied to the Prospecting Board for the Ararat mining district for assistance to prospect for gold in a certain locality, viz., 35 chains from the Beaufort township, abutting on the meadows road, and adjoining a paddock leased under the 42nd section of the Land Act by Mr Stephen Chapman. The Board recommended the application, and the Minister of Mines in allocating the various amounts, apportioned £200 to S. Hancock and party. In November last, after boring in 18 places at different depths, with success as regards indications, a whole area of 19 acres was pegged out. A number of other parties of miners, hearing of the discoveries made by Hancock and party, immediately went to work and pegged out prospectors' claims. Application for a lease had been lodged by Hancock, and objections had also been lodged by Ramsay's party and Lindsay's party. The two latter parties had got up a petition, which had been numerously signed, and presented the same to the Ararat Mining Board, with a request that the Board should ask the Minister of Mines not to grant the lease, for if the lease were granted it could be a precedent for giving a monopoly, which was contrary to the spirit and intention of the Act of Parliament sanctioning the vote for prospecting other miners would be shut out from prospecting in that locality. The ground was portion of country never intended to be covered by a lease, and it was not to the public advantage that a lease should be issued. The greater amount of prospecting that took place the better, and it was generally believed that in the locality under discussion, the lost Beaufort lead would be discovered. This would be seen at once the disadvantages of the ground being monopolised by lease. The object of the prospecting vote would be entirely frustrated if such a monopoly were created. The meeting was called for the purpose of supporting the petition objecting to the lease, and of also supporting the resolution of the Ararat mining board, which has been forwarded to the Minister of Mines.

Mr. A. Cunningham went into figures showing the amount of ground allowed to be taken up as a prospecting claim, which was sufficient for any party of five men. He moved:—"That in the opinion of this meeting, the granting of a gold-mining lease applied for by Sidney Hancock, would be detrimental to the interests of the miners of this district, and that the chairman be empowered to sign this resolution on behalf of the meeting and forward the same to the Minister of Mines."

Mr J. W. Browne seconded the resolution, and took advantage of the opportunity afforded to correct a rumor in circulation to the effect that the members for this division were favorable to the granting of the lease. This was a question which opened up a wide field for discussion in connection with the distribution of the prospecting vote. He contended that no five men should be allowed to monopolize 19 or 20 acres of ground, and thus exclude all other working miners. The motion was put and unanimously carried.

Mr H. M. Stuart moved:—"That in the event of Sidney Hancock's application for a lease being granted, this meeting request Mr Uren, M.P., for the district, to bring this matter before the House next session, with a view to prevent the monopoly of ground by lease by any party receiving assistance from the prospecting vote under similar circumstances."

Warden's Court. BEAUFORT, TUESDAY, 4th FEBRUARY. (Before Mr J. C. Thomson, P.M., Warden.) Sidney Hancock, for the Allion G.M. Co., applied for a lease of 19 acres of Crown land at Poverty Point, 35 chains from Beaufort township. The occupier of the property is Stephen Chapman; and it is proposed to employ for the first six months five men, and subsequently when in full work as many men as can be profitably employed. The application stated that the time for which the lease is required is 15 years, and that the company were at present working. They proposed to invest £500, and employ horse power and manual labor.

Mr Barrett appeared for certain objections, and Mr Jno. Hardy for the applicant. Objections were lodged by Hy. Ramsay, for Ramsay and party, and D. Lindsay, for Lindsay and party. The former deposited £5 on 16th January, and Thomson, Lindsay and party, £5 on 20th January, on their protests. Mr Hardy submitted that the objections stated in writing were not such as could be considered by the Warden. For instance—One of the objections put in stated that "S. Hancock and party have been subsidised by the Government through the Prospecting Vote." That was not an objection for the Warden to consider. The 2nd objection stated that the Government in voting the subsidy is exercising in the interest of and for the party prospecting, but has a wider scope, for the benefit of the whole community. That was an objection for the Minister of Mines to consider. The 3rd—"That the extent of ground allowed under the mining bye-laws of the district for the encouragement of prospectors is a fair and reasonable allowance, and is deemed satisfactory to a miner." That was no objection to a lease. That was the precedent of granting a mining lease under the circumstances would militate against the interests of the community, inasmuch as every Government subsidised party would apply for such a monopoly of ground. This also is not for the Warden to consider. The 4th—"That the said Sidney Hancock and party have applied for and registered prospecting claim under the bye-laws of the district, within the lease pegs. There was really no crime in that, and no reason that should prevent them doing so. The 5th—"That a petition has been signed by 165 residents and miners for presentation to the Hon. the Minister of Mines objecting to granting of lease." The 7th—"That the Ararat Mining Board on considering the matter decided to recommend the Hon. Minister of Mines not to grant a lease." He (Mr Hardy) could not understand the claim of the objectors to appear.

Mr Barrett's said in other cases of similar objections the Minister of Mines had forwarded all papers, petitions, &c., to the Warden to consider and report upon. He would show if permitted at the proper time why the objections should be stated. The Warden only sat ministerially—not judicially—and after hearing both sides would report to the Minister.

Mr Hardy repeated his argument, and said that the Warden should note his objection. Mr Thomson said he would make a note of what Mr Hardy had stated, but would hear the case. Mr Hardy then stated the case for the applicant, and called— S. Hancock, who testified to having complied with regulations in marking out ground and applying for lease. Produced notice in Ballarat Courier of the 20th November. Got consent of Mr Chapman's agent to bore on the land. Deposited money (£8 10s) with the clerk, and produced receipt. Had done a lot of boring—driving down 18 borings previous to applying for lease. The borings varied from 25 feet to 108 feet. The southern end is shallow, the wash is 74 feet deep. Expect to deepen as lead goes up north. There is much water 18 feet from surface. The ground cannot be worked with windlass. Were working a shaft in shallow ground with whip; will have to erect winch to work it to advantage. The water is more than can be comfortably worked with whip. The 108 feet bore is about 500 feet from present working. The shaft from northern boundary is 1100 feet distant, and 130 feet distant from the southern boundary. In sinking the 108 feet bore met with water and trouble. Some drift. On the plan is shown a claim marked out by Hy. Ramsay and party, that was not marked out when we marked out our lease; it was marked out about a week after. Did not see Hy. Ramsay, but saw David Ramsay about it, and told him he was trespassing on the lease. He (Ramsay) did nothing since then but mark out a shaft. Some time after Ramsay's party sank a shaft about 5 feet; I removed their pegs; they left five weeks ago—and party are also on portion of my lease ground. They have done no work at all. Another party, D. Lindsay's, did some work. Told them when they started work that if they did not stop we would try to stop them. They came on the ground after I had pegged out the lease. Their shaft is south of mine; it is marked on plan close to southern boundary. They afterwards left, taking everything but their windlass. Had not received tracing of plan from surveyor up to the time of their leaving.

By Mr Barrett—I was prospecting before marking out lease, with assistance of Government prospecting subsidy to the amount of £200. Had no marked out any land at the time of prospecting. Were boring on Mr Chapman's leasehold land; as soon as we got gold we marked out for the lease we

have applied for. Marked out 19 acres; had no particular reason for marking out 19 acres. [Witness been looking at a memo. book containing his memory.] The book I have been looking at contains a few names of names with reference to this application made the entries at the time the claims occurred. Were working on Mr Chapman's ground with his consent. Could not say what Mr Chapman's agent—probably a brother-in-law—had said to me on 19th November. As far as I know, member I can recollect nothing that passed between us, except that I showed him with a notice. It was a copy of a document I posted at the time I was in writing. The 4th objection stated the date I received the notice of exception of the one day. Was not a receipt in my possession. I have a duplicate of application for the lease, but did not have the original. Have not read Mining Regulation 6. Lodged duplicate application on 21st November. Marked out prospecting claim on 6th December. I do not think we had so much opposition to the claims. As soon as I wanted to get up their pegs some time afterwards.

Resummed:—Mr Minchin, the clerk, said: Before lodging the application I paid him the money for the receipt at the time of the application. He gave me the receipt and I put it in since; I got the forms for the claim from Mr Minchin. We expended £26 for material and gave out £100 for the forman. Before we got anything from Government we had to do the work.

John Bendine—An one of S. Hancock's party. The bore was 108 feet average depth; only one of the borings was 110 feet deep. We got from the water £10 2s 6d per ton, being 100 lbs. per ton. We had no water allowed us, but have not received any. We had heavy expenses. We worked a shaft at our own expense, but it was expensive working below ground, and increases every day; could not work with whip or windlass; we have got up a winch.

By Mr Barrett—We reported 74 feet and 63 feet, but since we got the bore we have present shaft we have opened out present shaft with windlass not indications in bore, and we got gold in 3; one within 3 feet of surface; 40 to 50 feet.

S. Chapman stated—I hold the lease upon which this lease is applied for, and I was not in the colony in November last. My agent was Mr. Tas. Chappman, who adopted son. He gave consent to Hancock and party to go on to work. I confirm that consent; consent I did not object to the lease. By Mr Barrett—Have not seen any notice served on the agent. He said I have heard of any such notice being served was in the court today. Mr Barrett asked on behalf of the objectors that the application should be recommended until the title is clear. He might mention, as an instance, of the necessity to clear the title to claim, the Jubilee claim at Ballarat, a similar case to this in which appeared. The Warden would remember it—Anthony and others v. The Jubilee claim. He mentioned it as a precedent in that case of the objectors. It was not his. Several parties pegged out portions of the same land, and one company applied for a lease, and they were compelled either to abandon their application or prove their title to a lease. He submitted that the applicant should clear his title. Further, the strict compliance with regulations is required. In this case one breach of the regulations had been made. Registration providing that within six days after advertisement appears, the applicant must be left, with the deposit money in the hands of the Warden, and may be no return in breach of regulations. The Mining department is required to comply strictly with them if a lease is issued. There was also no proof that notice had been served on Mr Chapman's agent. Consent, however, had been given by Mr Chapman since. Mr Hardy had told his witness that the parties now objecting had abandoned their holdings, and that why Sidney Hancock pulled up their pegs. It was no such thing. They stopped working when told to do so, in compliance with the Mining Regulations. But that they had abandoned their claim to work there was another matter. They immediately proceeded to oppose the granting of the lease. They took the trouble to get up a petition, signed by over 100 prospectors, and presented it to the Mining Board. They have held a public meeting and passed certain resolutions objecting to the granting of this lease. The Warden would therefore see there had been an abandonment. But what he would particularly point out to the Warden was the fact that the working was gradually being crushed out of the ground by means of these borings. This was a peculiar instance, inasmuch as the applicant had received Government assistance to look for gold for the benefit of the whole community. They had received portion of a money given by Parliament for the benefit of the working miner; and now that they had found gold they wanted to monopolise the whole of the mine. The fact of the matter was this—Immediately a speck of gold is discovered in old or new ground the whole country at once marked out for lease applications, and the ordinary working miner left out in the cold. In other words,

rest from their labors and their works do follow them." It is true that from the very fact of his long residence in this place and his prominence in various public matters, his departure will be keenly felt by many; but most of all by those who were dear to him, who remain to mourn their loss. He was sure all hearts would go out in sympathy to them in their great bereavement, and heavy stroke which God had laid upon them.

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Forty Processes of the Sea.

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Humor.

Hannah, Where's Your Hat?

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What Woman Can Do.

She can do a great deal more than is generally supposed...

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A Georgia "Pomona Orchard."

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The Eyebrow.

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A Lover of Omelette.

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Nothing Like It.

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Wind Pressure.

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Cooking Recipes.

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THE RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1890.

The auriferous country is thrown into the hands of mere speculators, and the bona fide miner has no chance of prospecting or working anywhere near. Some time ago in Weddell's trial.

Riponshire Council
THURSDAY, 6th FEBRUARY.

The thing had been delayed long enough and he did not see why the matter should be delayed any longer. He moved "that Mr. Beags be

Or Beags moved that all owners of land in the shire be instructed to destroy the young forza fences along the

such land to procure material for road-making, &c. That the Governor in Council should by regulation

Public Notices.

Salesmen Wanted.

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 disintegrable and innocuous, 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 grandular system at the same time, else the after-effects of the pill will be worse than the disease itself.

The Riponshire Advocate is the Advertising Medium for all Contracts let, and modifications of the Shire of Ripon, and is the ONLY NEWSPAPER That is Printed and Published within the boundaries of the Shire.

Containing an Interesting Serial Tale, Amusing Anecdotes, Pastoral News, Poultry Farming, Agricultural Intelligence, Recipes, Gardening Items, Etc., Etc., Etc.

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.

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

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

JOB PRINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. BALL TICKETS & PROGRAMMES. ADDRESS & BUSINESS CARDS.

Plain & Ornamental Printing of Every description executed at "RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE" OFFICE.

BOOKBINDING ON REASONABLE TERMS. MINING SCRIP, CALL, RECEIPT, DELIVERY BOOKS, &c., Prepared on the shortest notice.

Business.

To our Readers and Patrons.

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

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.

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And as the Advocate of the interests and for the welfare of this district it has a claim for a considerably greater amount of support, and has a greater scope for extended usefulness than any other journal or journal within a given radius of the Shire offices.

The Circulation of the Riponshire Advocate is Steadily Increasing.

And the Proprietors, recognizing the increased support in this direction, will see their utmost endeavor to merit and sustain the patronage accorded them by giving the latest possible Local and General News, and the most interesting and instructive information.

"The Advocate," PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY MORNING, CIRCULATES in the following districts—Beaufort, Stockyard Hill, Lake Goldsmith, Sailor's Gully, Main Lead, Raglan, Charlton, Waterloo, Ewanston, Dunrobin, Middle Creek, Shirley, Travalla, Burra, Levenmouth, Streatham, Skipton, and Carrington.

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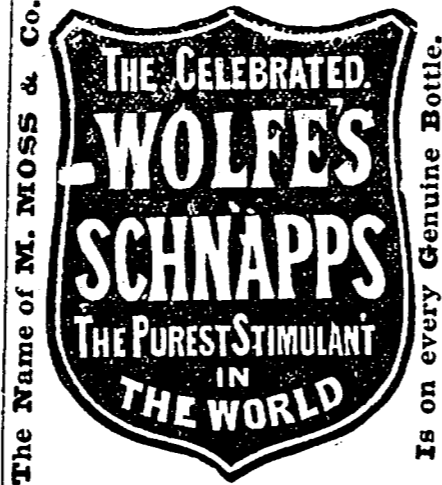
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Medical.



WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS £1 ORDERS.

Some Unprincipled Traders, to obtain a nearly increased profit, will deal in imitations, while others go so far as to sell 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 pay the finder of them ONE POUND STERLING.

These are being Cashed daily.

1000 ORDERS. Representing the sum of £1000, Have been found and Cashed.

THE PUBLIC SHOULD BE CAREFUL NOT TO HAVE IMITATIONS OR SOME CHEAP FOREIGN ARTICLES PALMED OFF ON THEM AS THE GENUINE WOLFE'S AROMATIC Schiedam Schnapps.

THE ONLY SPIRIT RECOMMENDED BY PHYSICIANS.

TRADE MARK. ROWLEY'S GULSH EMULSION.

FOR ADULTS & CHILDREN. 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.

For Granular Swellings, Stiff Joints and Discharge of the Skin.

This invaluable ointment has greater power over gout and rheumatism than any other preparation. None need remain in pain if its moral be set about it in good earnest.

There is no preparation for sanitary effects comparable to this remedy. It should be well rubbed over the affected parts after their due formation with warm water.

Piles, Fistula, and Hemorrhoids. The Ointment is a sovereign remedy if it be well rubbed twice a day into the small of the back, over the region of the kidneys, into which it will gradually penetrate, and in almost every case give immediate relief.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following complaints: Bad Legs, Fistula, Scalds, Bad Breasts, Gout, and all sorts of Sores, Burns, and Ulcers, Rheumatism, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Piles, Tumours, Corns, and all sorts of Ulcers, Contracted and Sore Nipples, Wounds, 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, 170 William street, Melbourne.

Business Notices.

HAWKES BROS. Ironmongers

GENERAL MERCHANTS. OWING to Heavy Shipments Just Arrived, and to make room for same, we are SELLING AT LARGE REDUCTION 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.

Every Description of Mining, Agricultural, and Pastoral Requirements ALWAYS ON HAND.

HAWKES BROS., BEAUFORT and GEELONG.

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

Let such person (he or she) sit quietly down in the privacy of their own apartments, and with calm minds describe each symptom of their case. A clear statement thus written, and laid before me is far preferable to any verbal description.

How many thousands have I not brought up old in the marriage state through consulting me? How many have been enabled to enter into the marriage state through consulting me?

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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. 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 clearing the blood from all noxious matters, expelling all humors which taint or impoverish it, and thereby purify and invigorate and give general tone to the system.

Our Mothers and Daughters. The functional irregularities peculiar to the weaker sex are invariably corrected without pain or inconvenience by the use of Holloway's Pills. They are the safest and purest medicine for all diseases incidental to females of all ages, and most precious at the turn of life, or when entering into womanhood.

Debilitated Constitutions—Bad Coughs. In general debility, mental depression, and nervous depression, there is a general ailment which operates so like a charm as these famous Pills. They soothe and strengthen the nerves and system generally, remove all morbid humors, elevate the spirits, and in fact render the patient sensible of a total and most delightful revolution in his whole system.

Indigestion and its Cure. Indigestion, with torpidity of the liver, is the bane of thousands, who pass each day with accumulated sufferings, all of which may be avoided by taking these Pills according to the accompanying directions. They stimulate and invigorate every organ, assist in digestion, and effect a cure without debilitating or exhausting the system; on the contrary, they support and conserve the vital principle by a complete purification of the blood.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:— Ague, Piles, Rheumatism, Asthma, Retention of Urine, Bilious Complaints, Sciatica, or King's Evil, Sores Throats, Bowel Complaints, Debility, Dropsy, Secondary Symptoms, Female Irregularities, The-Dolorous, Fevers of all kinds, Croup, Venereal Affections, Headache, Worms of all kinds, Indigestion, Weakness from whatever cause, Liver Complaints, Lumbago, &c., &c.

The Pills and Ointment are sold at Professor Holloway's establishment, 78 New Oxford Street, London; also, by nearly every respectable Vendor of Medicine throughout the civilized world, in boxes and smaller boxes, of Pills contains four dozen, and the smallest pot of Ointment one ounce.

Full printed directions are affixed to each box, and can be had in any language, even in Turkish, Arabic, Armenian, Persian, or Chinese.

"Dissolved Nature sometimes breaks forth in strange eruptions."—Act III. Scene I.

TO THE PUBLIC. SOME patients suffering from nervous affections are afraid to risk a trial of a medical man; other patients have not the self-possession and coolness, when in the consulting room, to correctly describe their symptoms, their habits of life, and the nature of the disease they suffer from.

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FOR THE BLOOD IN THE

CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER AND RESTORER.

For cleansing and clearing the blood from all impurities, it is the most valuable medicine in the world. For Scrofula, Scurvy, Skin and Blood Diseases, and Sore of all kinds it is a sovereign and permanent cure.

It Cures Old Sores, Cures Ulcerated Sores on the Neck, Cures Ulcerated Sores on the Legs, Cures Scalds, or Blisters on the Face, Cures Cancerous Ulcers, Cures Head and Skin Diseases, Cures Itchy and Swelling, Clears the Blood from all Impurities, Clears the Blood from all Impurities, Clears the Blood from all Impurities.

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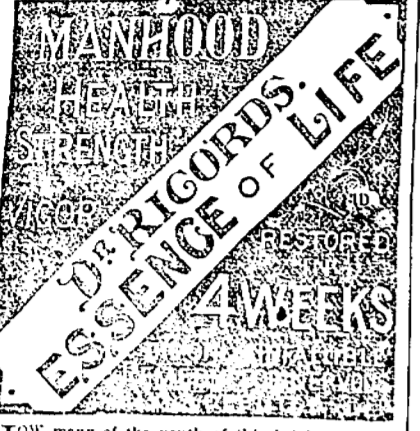
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PRICE SIXPENCE.

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DR. RICORD'S ESSENCE OF LIFE

Used for over a quarter of a century with unparalleled and unprecedented success throughout the world.



HOW many of the youth of this bright land are there who, instead of growing up into robustly perfect manhood, grow under a burden almost too great to bear. How many are there in this colony who should be the living embodiment of strength and manly vigor, but who, from the errors of youth, are deprived of their functional powers, and rendered physically impotent. Their remaining powers give the least excitement in a condition from which they never recover, and the present resolves that if he can but find a real remedy for his sad state, he will never again. Such a remedy is before the public in Dr. Ricord's Essence of Life, and no one suffering from Nervous Debility or Physical Prostration, induced by errors or excesses, need despair of recovery if the required agent.

FOUR WEEKS

course of this renowned medicine is persevered in the system is rapidly acted on, the relaxed tissues and debilitated nerves resume their normal condition and the patient loses the gratification of recovering in a few weeks his restoration to health and permanent happiness.

This valuable remedy affords relief, and permanently cures all who suffer from Wasting and Withering of the Nervous and Muscular Tissues, Spermatorrhoea, and all Urinary Deposits which cause weakness and degeneracy, total and partial prostration, and every other exhaustive derangement of the system, regenerating all the important elements of the human frame, and enabling man to fulfil his most sacred obligations.

The directions are very simple, and require no restraint or hindrance from business. Pamphlets enclosed in each case with Testimonials.

In cases at 12s., or four quantities in one for 36s.; if by coach, 2s. 6d. extra. City and suburbs free.

Packages, packed securely and free from observation, sent to any part of the colony on receipt of Post Office Order or Postal Notes, with the greatest promptitude.

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207, Rue St-Honore, Paris.

LeGrand's Special Products.

SAVON-ORIZA (Oriza Soap). From the formula of Dr. O. Revil. The best soap for rendering the skin white and soft. Sweety and refreshing scented—rose, green and white.

Savon-Oriza-Violet.—Exquisitely perfumed, for the toilet and baths.

Savon-Oriza (Oriza Soap)—No. 2, extra, in boxes, 8 cakes. 12 exquisite perfumes, No. 1.

Oriza-Sarou-Incolore.—Superior quality, rose tea, white heliotrope and white violet.

Oriza-Tonica.—Extract of Plants, to cleanse the hair. New men may, moss-rose, violet, &c.

Oriza-Powder.—Flowers of Carolina rice. For softening and refreshing the skin. In elegant boxes, with powder puff.

Oriza-Volutes.—Flowers of rice powder, adhering to the skin, with the perfume of new-mown hay.

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The following PRIZES will be awarded for Agricultural and Dairy Produce, Fruit, Flowers, and Garden Produce, Wines, and Miscellaneous Exhibits:—

Special Class for Sheep

- Section 1. L1 10s for best Long-wooled Ram, over one year...

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- Section 1. L2 for best eight bushels Wheat

Class B—Roots, Hay, Fruit, etc.

- Section 1. L1 for best sample of Sheaf Hay, not less than one cwt.

Class C—Dairy Produce.

- Section 1. L1 for best 4 lbs. Powdered Butter, put up in rolls as usually sent to the market...

SECTION 2.

- L1 10s for the best 25lbs Salted Butter, made by the exhibitor

SECTION 3.

- L1 10s for best not less than 50 lbs Spring-made Salted Butter, made in the spring of 1889

SECTION 4.

- L1 10s for best Cheese not less than 50 lbs weight

SECTION 5.

- L1 for second best do

SECTION 6.

- 10s for best Han

SECTION 7.

- 10s for best Fitch Bacon

SECTION 8.

- L1 for best Hackney, mare or gelding, capable of carrying 13st

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SECTION 11.

- L1 for best Draught Gelding or Filly, under two years

SECTION 12.—Special Prize by Thomas Jess, Esq.

- 10s for second best do

SECTION 13.—Special Prize, by George Pearson, Esq.

- L1 1s for the best Thoroughbred Mare and Foal at foot

SECTION 14.

- L1 for best Draught Fowl

SECTION 15.

- 15s for best Juniper, to carry not less than 11st

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SECTION 23.—Special Prize by Robert Kirkpatrick, Esq.

- L1 1s for best pair Buggy Ponies, fourteen hands and under, to be driven in harness

SECTION 24.

- L1 10s for best Bull, any breed

SECTION 25.

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SECTION 26.—Special Prizes by Messrs Begg's Dros.

- L1 10s for best Hereford Bull

SECTION 27.—Champion Prize.

- L1 for best Drought Mare, any age, in the yard

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A £37,000 STOCK TO BE CLEARED AT COST!

SNOW & ROOM

Have resolved, in consequence of having very large shipments to arrive shortly, to offer every item in their Large and Varied Stock at Cost and under; and to effect a thorough clearance they will

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SNOW AND ROOM find it better to make this great SACRIFICE OF PROFITS

than to hold over their stock; and to give patrons an idea of the BARGAINS they are securing

EVERY ITEM Will, alongside of the old rate, have THE REDUCED PRICE MARKED IN PLAIN RED FIGURES.

To effect this the Premises have been closed for two days. As a rule, one day suffices for any Drapery to re-mark Stock, but as EVERY ITEM had to be marked DOWN TO COST, the work employed an extra large staff fully two days.

Special Notice! TO THE MANY VALUED CLIENTS WITH OPEN ACCOUNTS AT CRAWFORD'S.—The Proprietors request your kind assistance in carrying out the principles of this Great Cash Sale. High class Goods will be sold lower than ever previously attempted in this City, and the benefits to buyers will be very great.

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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.

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The postal authorities have completed arrangements for the establishment of a system of intercolonial postal notes between this colony and South Australia.

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FLORILIN—FOR THE TEETH AND BREATH—A few drops of the liquid "Florilin" sprinkled on the teeth 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.

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Business. To our Readers and Patrons.

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

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.

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These are being Cashed daily. 1000 ORDERS, Representing the sum of £1000, Have been found and Cashed.

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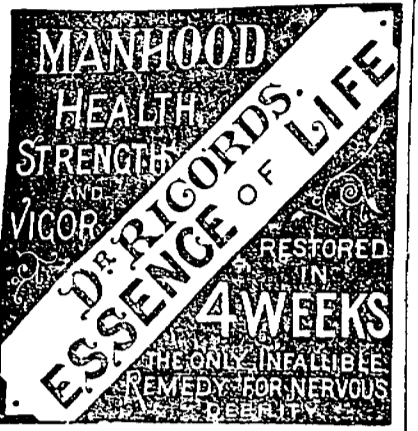
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COMMERCIAL.

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET. The following prices ruled in the Ararat market on Monday...

MELBOURNE WEEKLY MARKET.

Messrs Dalziel and Company report under date 19th February. Our local wool sales were resumed today...

Government Advertisements.

THE abolition of Plumbers and Gasfitters is directed to the provisions of section 71 of the Public Health Act 1889...

ARARAT MINING BOARD ELECTION.

A POLL for the Election of Four Members of the Ararat Mining Board will be taken at the Ararat Mining Board...

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DR. ADAM, M.B. C.M., May in future be consulted at his Private Residence...

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MINING BOARD ELECTION.

To-day, the mining population of this division of the Ararat District are called upon to choose two out of the six candidates...

spirit. Refreshment was provided in abundance, and it is hardly necessary to say that the good things...

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The Y.M. Guild.—The Rev. W. H. Youlton read his paper on "Christianity Applied to Business" at the meeting of the Y.M. Guild on Wednesday evening...

AGRICULTURAL BULLETIN.

We have received from the department of Agriculture No. 5 of the "Bulletin" issued by the department...

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY OF SLATE.

The best slate yet found in Australia has been discovered about three miles from Amphipheatre. The supply is inexhaustible...

Sporting Memos.

I notice by the "Sportman" that a reference is made to the Beaufort racing track. The terms used are very complimentary...

Things in General.

The following paragraph appeared in the Riponshire Advocate of August 24, 1889: "We hear upon good authority that tenders will shortly be called..."

Latest Parisian Fashions.

January is certainly the children's month, for the holiday festivities linger with them until February. A child never looks so well when simply dressed...

Colonial Spirits.

There is always a certain amount of prejudice prevailing with respect to articles of colonial production, which is difficult indeed to grapple with...

Local & General Intelligence.

BUANGOR.

SATURDAY, 1st MARCH, 1890. At the Baugor Hotel, at 2 o'clock.

LOCAL & GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

A NEW MINING COMPANY.—A meeting was held at the Victoria Hotel on Tuesday evening for the purpose of forming a new gold mining company...

BEAUFORT DISTRICT RIFLE CLUB.

The HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of Members of the Rifle Club will be held at the SHIRE HALL, Beaufort, on MONDAY, 24th February, 1890, at 8 p.m. sharp.

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R. FERREN, Returning Officer.

For the Ararat Mining District. Dated the 13th day of February, 1890.

SHIRE OF RIPON.

TENDERS, addressed to the President of the Shire of Ripon, and enclosing 5 per cent. deposit, will be received up till 11 a.m. on THURSDAY, 6th March, for the following WORKS:—

EAST RIDING.

Contract No. 352.—Forming, metalling, and draining 40 chains of the Chepstow and Main Lead road, near Mr. Emtt Reserve; building culverts, &c.

Contract No. 353.—Gravelling 144 chains of the Gullingham and Lake Gullingham road from Beaufort to near Chepstow Swamp; building culverts and other work.

Contract No. 354.—Forming and graveling 142 chains of the Carrigann and Lake Gullingham road from near Chepstow Swamp west; building culverts and other work.

Contract No. 355.—Supplying 8000 feet of h.w. timber at Snake Valley.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Shire Office, Beaufort, and at the Greyhound Hotel, Snake Valley.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. H. JACKSON, Shire Engineer, Beaufort, 21st February, 1890.

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TRUST OFFICER.

Mr. H. Usher, Trust Officer under the Education Department, who some weeks ago underwent the delicate and critical operation of lithotomy at the Ararat hospital, has, as "Advertiser" are glad to be able to state, made rapid progress towards recovery.

VICTORIAN DIVORCE BILL.

The English Cabinet, according to a cablegram, has decided to advise Her Majesty the Queen to give her assent to the Victorian Divorce Bill. Mr. W. Shields, M.L.A., laid before the Cabinet the reasons why it should receive Her Majesty's assent.

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Special Class for Sheep

- List of prizes for sheep including long-wooled ram, merino ram, and ewe, with certificates of merit for third best.

Special Prizes, by E. H. Austin, Esq.

- Prizes for merino ram and ewe.

Class A--Grain.

- List of prizes for grain including wheat, oats, and barley.

Class B--Roots, Hay, Fruit, etc.

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Class C--Dairy Produce.

- List of prizes for dairy produce including butter, cheese, and milk.

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Class D--Agricultural Implements.

- List of prizes for agricultural implements including ploughs, harrows, and mowers.

Class E--Swine.

- Prizes for swine.

Class F--Poultry.

- List of prizes for poultry including cocks, hens, and ducks.

Class G--Horses & Cattle.

- List of prizes for horses and cattle.

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