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ments in order to enjoy themselves.

DENT.

A LADY KILLED. Colac. Tuesday. A fatal shooting accident occurred in the Beech Forest this morning, the this morning Mr Fulton was sitting upon the verandah, when he noticed a gatin bird in a fruit tree eating the He got his gun and shot the bird, which he gave to Mrs Powney, who took it into the house, where Mr Fulton supposed she remained. He resumed his seat upon the verandah, close to the door, and shortly afterwards noticed a slight disturbance in some bushes. The shot appeared to have taken effect in the head, and death must have been instantaneous. Mrs Powney must have gone out by another door, pnknown to Mr Fulton. Mr Fulton at once came into Colac, a distance of 26 miles, and gave information to the

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times of prosperity everything glides along easily; but it is when adversity and to the illustrious Queen from whence we derive the name of Victoria. Notwithstanding the bad crops, the prolonged drought, the depression in the

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forbearance and rindly greetings toward each other. Atthough during the last twelve months there has, owing to the prolonged depression, the disastrous harvest and very many other causes, been occasion for despondency, it should been occasion for despondency, it should been occasion for despondency, it should be remembered that there is only one cocaine of the color will stand boiling. If you can show any goods bearing our name, the show any goods bearing our name, the colors of which are not fast after washing, occupied all day. Mr R. Wilson your draper will get for you from us the price of the material, and we will pay the committee, to which full justice was active and alive to our interests. The Direct Importer, Neill-street, Beaufort. -[ADVT.]

The New Year was ushered in at Beauamusements or jokes of a harmless nature. no one need complain; but when property, is destroyed and open acts of yandalism tributes on the occasion of their recent bereave ment. They trust their frends will accept this acknowledgement as sufficient.

3rd January, 1886.

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have retrenched from the effort and the cap has fitted those in authority— meeting terminated with a vote of thanks added to the result; and as all the so much the better, and we have accomfarmers in the world act upon this pliched the object desired. But although held in St. John's Church on New Year's principle, we may say that the whole it has been our duty to censure, it has Eve, when the old year was watched in its buman race, without doubt for its own been also our more pleasing duty to passage into the new year, with praise and advantage, endeavours to obtain every- give honor where honor has been due, prayer, with song and sermon. The subthing, whether it be bread or any other and such will ever be our aim. As the ject for meditation was based on the comproduction, as cheap as possible, that is old year has died away, so may our mand of the Angel of the Lord to the improduction, as cheap as possible, that is byten there. He again fired, and on going to see the result was horrified to find Mrs Powney lying dead under the to second industry, for it is absurd to earnestness and justice, and may the Now we are as it were called upon to high. Postentry, 7s.

say that the laws of men ought to oper new year greetings usual on such close the account for the year 1895, and to Mr A. K. Dewar's br g Henchman, ate in opposition to the laws for we occasions come from the bottom of our open up a new account to be carried on may call such tendency a law—of Provibearts with sincerity and truth. Thank between our souls and God during 1896.

dence. But when the farmer as a poling our readers and subscribers and the former than the farmer as a poling our readers and subscribers and the tician and a voter says, "I comprehend general public for past confidence and quire, and for His grace and mercy, that the theory of cheapness; I support, and trusting to merit a connothing of the theory of cheapness; I support, and trusting to merit a con- we may start well upon our new journey. police of the sad affair.

Mrs Powney was well known in the district. She was an elderly lady, a widow, residing upon her son's selection with hit daughters and the son. Robert Her sor. William is stationed at Colden as Anglican reader. Very great sympathy is manifested for the hereaved family, and also for Mr Fulton, the prefer rather to see bread dearer and tinuance of the same, we take this Its commencement we now see, but we onderly in the we ask God to forgive us our back, Erin made up his lost ground, and, en by until we ask God to lorgive us our back, Erin made up his lost ground, and, sink for the sake of Jesus Christ. Peace as Henchman banked at the last hurdle, It may interest our readers to learn that we shall have if we ask Him to blot out took up the running. Erin also baulked, December has been 2 to inches, and for Christ outpoured on Calvary is all effications. The average for dous. God expects each one of us to come the year 1895 23.38in. The average for dous. God expects each one of us to come through. The race the became a flat one, is 1895, both inclusive) to him in Jesus name; then He can and Henchman, businesses for

family, and also for Mr Fulton, the ballot-box. We should then see him panwitting cause of the calamity.—

Argus correspondent,

[A magisterial inquiry was held on Wednesday and a verdict of accidental death returned, Mr Fulton being excepted, and for its recognised excepted from all blame.]

December has been 2.64 inches, and for the year 1895 23.38in. The average for 18 years (viz. 1878 to 1895, both inclusive) is 25 inches 9. points per annum.

A very large number of picnickers from the will, for its avowed end, and for its recognised effect, to increase labor. It has also for the country of Jesus, go now, go day by day, and the seen at the foot of weeks and months of 1896 will provide an officer. Mt. Cole. We are informed that fully of Jesus, go now, go day by day, and the 50 yehicles were to be seen at the foot of weeks and months of 1896 will provide an ever-requiring source of gladness, blessing, of mind, will give to the soul brightness of expectation, and fill the spirit with cheerful anticipation of good things to ome. - [COMMUNICATED.]

THROAT APPECTIONS AND HOARSENESS.

The annual races under the pspices Handicap. Winner to be sold for £10 all day. The course had been well har carried 9st (McVicar) rowed, and was in better order than has Other starters: One Bop (8.13), been the case for some years but while this made the ground soft for he horses Rose (8.13), Lulu (7.13), Teanie (8.11), Henchman (8.11), Sweet Marie (9st). PARILY BYCHER.
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easier our labors can be enhanced, by current quarter. The meeting closed and performed the task so well that here was less grumbling than ever blare:

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| The meeting closed and performed the task so well that here was less grumbling than ever blare: was less grumbling than ever blore; 100yds behind ser. ... (Brambeld) handicapping for the Beaufort Hadicap Mr G. Wright's Beggarman, aged, Messrs A. Andrews, T. Vandestoel, Other starters: Economist, Gippslander, and M. Kelly; Messrs E. P. Velsh. done. He also had charge of the fruit stall, but had to contend against a good deal of opposition through other overtakes us that the true man, the fort in incongruous ways. Whilst the true nation, is proved. And it is religious portion of the community Schlicht, of the All Nations' Hotel, had a matter for congratulation that engaged in watchnight services, the Victorians have proved themselves rowdy element disturbed the repose of not appear to be so brisk as usual. The possessed of that true grit that is able to peaceable citizens by yelling in the streets day's racing commenced with the possessed or that true grit that is able to pand shifting vehicles or anything that overcome all obstacles, and this being so came to their hands. The church and Maiden Plate, which Moroccc won in a we may confidently hope that the time firebells and reports from numerous fire-field of eight. The Handicap Hurdle colony of the sunny south, an honor to morning to show that some mischievous starters. Five nonlinations were the nation from which we have sprung, spirits had started 1896 very badly. So received for the big race of the day, long as the boys confine themselves to namely, the Beaufort Handica, but there were only two starters, the

reputation of Cobalt (who is by Rich- R bin (8.10), Kitty (7.5), Larrikin (9st), mond—Blue Lake) causing the scratch—Firebrand (8.2).

This was the best race of the day, Swag the best race of the day the b beating Barmaid by half-a neck. The hopelessly out of the race. Consolation Stakes was a gift to The Consolation Stakes, or o soys.

Punter. The backmaking fraternity Mr G. Blurton's The Punter, 9.9 was well represented, but not withstandin the principal races demanded long Mr Ball's br g Chepney, aged, 7.8 odds from backers, their gains were very small. The crowd was a remarkably well-behaved one, and the duties of the guardians of the law were accordingly

light. Appended to details of the racing :—
MAIDEN PLASE, of 5 sovs. Three-quarters of a nile. For all horses that have never won an advertised raco.

Mr W. Knight's br & Morocco, 4yrs. 9st, carried 9.5 (Edwards) ... Mr R. McCullum's bk m May, 4 yrs, 8.11, carried 8.12 (McOook) Mr A. Wilson's br m Unionist, 5yrs. 8.13 (owner) 8.13 (owner) 3 Other starters : Elsie (8.13), M M (8.11), Nothing (7.13), Blubell (8.13), Siberia

Post entry, 5s.

(8.13). the back of the cours May forged ahead. soon, however, to be overtaken by Morocco. Coming into the straight Morocco was raced by May, Unionist and Elsie, but won comfortably by 3 lengths. HANDICAP HURDLI RACE, of 7 sovs. Two miles. Over huidles about 3ft. 6in.

aged, 10.7 (McVical)
Mr W. Kelly's b g Erin, aged, 9.7, 11.7 (Temby) 3. Other starters; All There (9.7), Gipps-

lander (10st), This race was a farse. Erin took the lead, but ran off at the first hurdle. Henchman was the only horse to negotiate body—Lungs, Heart, Stomach, Kidneys, Brain, the second jump, and while Rattler, All If it is laden with poisonous matter it affects. and Henchman having most foot wor easily; the three placed horses being the

only finishers. BEAUFORT HANDICLP, of 10 soys. One mile and a hat. Entry, 10s. Mr P. Russell's br g Cobalt, by Richmond—Blue Lake, ared. 9st (Brown). Mr Geo. Blurton's b The Bunter, by Boatman, out of Movelette, aged,

Larrikin (7.10) scratchel. Betting : Cobolt 6 to 4 on. The Punter evens. Cobalt was never askill to gallop, The

A good race. Won by 2 lengths in

Any surplus to go to the funds of the olub. Post entry, 5s. Distance, one mile, Mr T. Jones's ch y Bradawl, aged, 8,11,

Elmore, Peeping Tom and Commodore (each at scr.), and Trafalgar (120yds.)

A gift to Barwon. FLYING HANDICAP, of 5 soys. Three-quarters of a mile. Entry, 5s. Mr P. Russell's Cobalt, 9.9 (Brown) 1 Mr A. K. Dewar's ch g Firebrand, aged, 7.10, carried 8.4 (J. Poulson) Mr P. Stewart's b'g Larrikin, aged, 7.10, carried 8 4 (A Wilson)

being scratched. There was no betting, the bookmakers wanting 100 to 1 on Cobalt. Cobalt got a very bad start, but won as he liked in 1 min. 30 sec.

HURRY SKURRY, of 2 sovs. With entrance money added. Once round the course. Handicap. Post entry, 2s fid.

8st., carried 8.8 (owner) ... Mr J. Dickenson's br g Wattle, agod, 9st. (Dadswell) Other starters: Molly Darling (7st.)

stimes and obtain ample proof by looking damage, they will have to face the the day, namely nine in each; the being run over just as this race started one of which, I think, will in the end prove former was won by Bradawl with She ran across the track as the horses were the main and permanent lode of the former was won by Bradawl with only being past, and there seemed to be no system.

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At Madden's Flat Mr James Whitla has way of escape, but Tompkins risked Kitty's found a fine field of alluvial gold, but, so the latter was a vitte mare was within an abs of ramping far, fittie is known of the mare was within an abs of ramping far, fittie is known of the mare was within an abs of ramping far, fittie is known of the mare was within an abs of ramping far, fittie is known of the abs youngests, weighing as high as 14 oz, that his presence of mind sayed the girl have been found. The gold is very coarse, while the day Swagman back on the course and was by this time.

(carried 8.2) (Broadbent)...

Three starters, M M being scratched Won in a canter.

"KBATING'S POWDER" destroys BUGS FLEAS, MOTHS, BEETLES, and all other insects, whilst quite harmless to domestic animals. In exterminating Beetles the success of this powder is extraordinary. It is perfectly clean in application. See the article you purchase is "K"ATING'S," i.e., with the signature THOMAS KEATING on each tin as imitations are nextens and ineffectual. So him Tins, 6d and Is each, by all chemists. Lord Roseber , ex-Prime Minister

of England, has issued a manifesto is the members of the Liber I party, in which he states that Lord Salisbury's vote of censure be passed on him by the Liberals

Economies practised in the F-lucation department have effected a considerable reduction in the annual expenditure. the proportion for that period of several clothing. thousand pounds.

'It the blood is diseased the body is diseased." member that the blood, whether pure or inoure circulates through the organs of the human disease on its course. In cases of Scrotula, Scurvy, Bersma, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples and Sores of all kinds, the effects of Clark's Blood Mixture are marvellous. Phousands of wonderful cures have been effected by if. Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold everyre at 2s 9d per bottle. Beware of worthless mitations and substitutes.

thrashing machine at Axedale his leg was caught in the drum and torn off half wav

The first shipment of Californian wheat bought for consumption in New South butter market, and a passage in the Wales arrived direct in the steamer Kahunli. The voyage was accomplished in 25 days, and the cargo, which is consigned to Messrs Falk and Co., consists of 1000 tons is some reason for the fear. Mr. Cines. of wheat.

occasioned by the political situation the time butter, arrived on the London Turkish Customs revenues have fallen market the previous week. It was of

MINING NEWS

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Owing to the holidays the miners have not put in full time during the past forrnight. The only yields we have to report are :- Wright, Loz 2dwt ; M'Cracken, 102 are: - Wright, loz 2dwt; M'Uracken, 102
8 lwt; Try Again, 7dwt. The party employed on the site of the Lord Brassey claim have bottomed, and have everything ready for opening out. Lilley and party have bottomed another shaft with fair. prospects. It is probable that M'Cracken and party will draw their slabs next week, as the ground is not payable. Our mining friends will no doubt be

the working expenses of the mine. To natural inference is that the company were going into a region of unpayable country, which got poerer and poorer as depth was attained. What was the remedy? A simple one, but expensive, viz., to make a boid effort get deal of the barren country and sink the shelt at the very least 1000ft before opening out; but the prospects of finding something payable would of course increase as the shaft was sunk deeper. It has been proved in scores of mines in the colony that there are regions of larren country in all quartz lodes, and anyone making a Erin (8st.) also started; The Punter careful analysis of the question would (8st.), Morocco (8.10), and Barmaid (8st.) come to the conclusion that the prospects at the 700ft level in the Star of the West would be poorer than in the 600ft level. There was every indication of it. Probably. had the matter been left to the wisdom and discretion of the mining manager, the Star of the Viest may have been in

to as who know nothing of the peculiarities of the formation and character teristics of the reof, were deaf to all addied, and suffered in consequence. The company have a magnificent plant, consisting of winding engine, pumping engine steam, caustan, battery of 20 leads, everything, in fact being, to use a collourialism, "upto the handle." The prospects so far, are not

most exciting race of the day, Swagman back on the course, and was by this time gold has every appearance of having been washed from a quartz lode, and the geological feature of the locality favor the existence of a quartz reef. From present appearances the reef should be a payable was well represented, but not with stand (owner) 1 one when found. Other leases have been ing that they gave very short odds, and Mr W. Kelly's Erin, 7st (carried 8.5) 2 applied for, and there is now a prespect one when found. Other leases have been of the country, in that direction, being thoroughly prospected.

Marks and party, at S. engaged puddling cement. The recent trials give an average of about 4dwt. per ton when crushed

Ryan's Freehold, at Mortchup, is defunct. Payable gold was obtained in bores to the north, but the attempt to, reorganise the company did not meet with success. Nothing else is being done at Smake Valley, beyond the fossickers about, many of whom are making fair wages .--

"Grenville Standard."

FOR THE SPRING .- Your attention is drawn to the New Dress Materials, Crepons, Prints, Corsets, Ribbons, Laces, Umbrellac, want of success in dealir; with the Hosiery, Gloves, Floorcloths, Calicoes, Armenian question, which will perhaps sheetings, Flannelettes, Clothing of all involve Europe in war, demands that a descriptions, New Millinery, Hats, Shirts, vote of censure be passed on him by the inducements to buyers of sterling goods at a nominal price. For these goods call on J. McKEICH, The Direct Importer, Neill-street. Beautort.-[ADVT.]

The "Standard" hints that negotia-In 18945 the expenditure of the tions for a treaty between Russia, and department was L570,315. For the year Turkey are in progress. The same 1895-6 the estimated expenditure was journal states that Turkey is practically L531,014, or a reduction of about bankrupt, and that Turkish soldiers at L40,000, but the accounts for the past Damascus are dying at the rate of a half-year show, as Mr Tynan, the score- hundred a day from famine and expotary, reports, that there is a saving in sure, being without either food or

Holloway's Pills and Ointment exert a rapidly favourable effect in all those diseases which are uduced by exposure to damp or by great changes in temperature. They will therefore be found eminently serviceable to those who work in item. enfirely compounded of vegetable drure selected with the greatest care and regardless of price When used in accordance with the ample printed directions which accompany them, surely and mildly, and do not interfer: daily work. There are but few diseases which While Patrick Ahern, residing at are not capable of cure—or, at all creats of great relief—if Holloway's remedies are particularly work. severingly used.'

Some persons well qualified to form up the thigh. He died of exhaustion and an opinion regard with apprehension the effect of competition from the Argentine Republic in the English Agent-General's last letter to the Minister of Agriculture shows that there notes as a matter of interest to Victorian In consequence of the apprehensions producers that 150 packages of Argent

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(Ponies under 14 hands.) Three-quarters of a mile. Post entry, 3s.

A Mr J. Redmond's bik h Tommy Trick, aged, 8.2 (Blurton)

Mr W. Tynan's ch' h Horror, aged, 2 seling mild in operation and absolutely for injurious drugs, acting at once for splendid tonic and a gentle aperical Like where proved U. Lace and Stomesh of The punter. The cancenfidently be recommended to the estimated output is 755,000.

FOR INDIGESTION, the BEST REMEDY is aledem with impurities it spreads death bit circulates through the organs of the injurious drugs, acting at once for splendid tonic and a gentle aperical Like where recase arising. For Scrofula, Scarry, whatever cause arising. For Scrofula, Scarry, and Stomach complaints doine Vendors is like the previous week.

During 1895, America has put on to the trade, and pullet equal the pullet equal th

A NEW OREED WANTED.

The new religion manufacturers are puch harder at work than most people might imagine. Of course, the difficulty with many must be to suppose that there can be any further possibility of invention in the delds of either philosophy Bat the truth

reed. We perstless desire to as, which is a satisfaction with This dissatisfaction mg Protestants than asts or Greek churchmen. which are doctrinally uneasy are more likely to arrive, however slowly, at the crisis which will bring them to a new reformation, than are those which are alike retrogressive and those which are alike retrogressive and those which are alike retrogressive and the Persian slie place in history. persecuting. An aggressive church is never a persecuting church. It is those heaver a persecuting church. It is those heaver a persecuting church. It is those heaver a persecuting church. Beaufort, 11 a.m.; Leiton, 3 p.m. Rev. A. Beaufort, 11 a.m.; Leiton, 3 p.m. Rev. A. communions which are determined to hug old heresies which fiercely attack Methodist Church everybody who wants to go forward to the light. It ever a new church has Motto." Raglan 3, Mr 3rown. Chute 11, and been a persecuting agency it will always Waterloo 3, Rev. H. Brile Barber. be discovered on examination that it has been a political as well as a religious institution. - " Christian Common-

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THE SECRET OF HAPPINESS. women is that of looking for happiness! somewhere outside of useful work. It acknowledgement as sufficient. has never yet been found in that way, and never will be while the world stands; and the sooner this truth is learned the

wealth."

ments in order to enjoy themselves.

DENT.

A LADY KILLED.

COLAC, Tuesday.

A fatal shooting accident occurred in partner in the local firm of Belyea and Fulton, was staying in the Beech Forest. very delicate for some time past. Early this morning Mr Fulton was sitting upon the verandah, when he noticed a gatin bird in a fruit tree eating the fruit. He got his gun and shot the bird, which he gave to Mrs Powney,

who took it into the house, where Mr Fulton supposed she remained. He resumed his seat upon the verandab, close to the door, and shortly afterwards noticed a slight disturbance in some current bushes and funcied he saw a going to see the result was horrified to find Mrs Powney lying dead under the bushes. The shot appeared to have ngve been instantaneous. Mrs Powney must have gone out by another door, unknown to Mr Fulton. Mr Fulton at once came into Colac, a distance of 26

Mrs Powney was well known in the district. She was an elderly lad; a politician and a voter is dismetrically happiness during 1896, widow, residing upon her son a selection opposed, to that tot the farmer as a with her daughtered the company of the with ber daughter and ber an Robert to the formula to the special terms. To be consistent to the special terms to the

every case Grey or White hair to its original colour, without leaving the disagreeable smell converged by true, if it mean that the injensity of Elephant. It was stopped on coming to a converged by the hair on bald spots, where the grades are not decayed. Ask your Chemistfor Charming are not decayed. Ask your Charming a your hair is turning grey or white, or falling off, use "THE MEXICAN HAIR RE-Charlists and Pertumers everywhere at 38 cd and produced by produced from the Russian Minister of Agriculture from the Russian Russian Minister of Agriculture from the Russian Ru

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES. SUNDAY, 5TH JINUARY, 1896.

Beaufort 11, Mr Davie; Beaufort 7, Rev. H

Watson.—On 28th Dec. ilt., Helen Priscilla Watson, aged 6 mouths, daughter of Joseph and Annie Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vatson tender the The common error among men and their many expressions of sympathy and floral 3rd January, 1895.

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known English member of Parliament, industry, the output of gold has exceeded fully received :- Mr Jno G. Robertson, will afford much room for reflection, that of the previous year by 334 oz odd. Mt. Mitchell, Li is; Mr Philip Lewis, In this work it is distinctly pointed out, We heartily and sincerely wish the Stoneleigh, L1; Mr F. Beggs, Eurambeen, TERRIBLE. SHOOTING ACCI and we think satisfactorily proved, that mixers better lock this year in their LL. Mr Beggs also notified that as the every farmer's aim is to save abor and search for the hidden treasure. Pros. matter of improvements to the racecourse, every farmer's atm is to save agoor and control to the mining industry means a as per Mr Russell's kind offer to donate produce wheat, should wheat growing be parity to the mining industry means a 150 if another 150 was subscribed, had not his means of support, as theaply as revival of trade generally, by which the possible, for the cheaper his product the business people and farmers will profit. this object also expires. The secretary greater the remuneration he receives. It is usual at this period of the year to reported that in compliance with the resothe Beech Forest this morning, the When he prefers a good plough to a touch upon ourselves. In this respect lution carried at last meeting, he had circumstances of which are of a very bad one, improves his land, and calls to we have little to say, and are content obtained the signatures of stewards and distressing nature. Mr William Fulton, his aid all the processes which science with the knowledge of the fact that our made application to the manager of the partner in the local firm of Belvea and his aid all the processes which science with the knowledge of the people of the Bank of Victoria and obtained the memorand experience have revealed to him, he efforts on behalf of the people of the has, and he can have, but one object, to district have not been in vain. We and Mr R. Wilkinson re lease of race at the residence of Mrs Powney, for the diminish the effort as compared with bave endeavoured to fight the battle of course. The lease expires on 8th Feb. benefit of his health, which has been the result. We have not, indeed, any the people, and having the interests of ruary, 1899, and the agreement is to be reother means of recognising the skill of the ratepayers at heart, will continue to deposited in the bank in the names of the bird there. He again fired, and on This tendency once admitted should may we all start afresh with renewed indicate to us in what manner we ought vigor to fight the battle of life with to second industry, for it is abourd to earnestness and justice, and may the nothing of the theory of cheapness; I support, and trusting to merit a conmiles, and gave information to the prefer rather to see bread dearer and thurance of the same, we take this

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cost of making up a new dress .- J. McKeich, The Direct Importer, Neill-street, Beaufort.

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added to the result; and as all the so much the better, and we have accomplished to the result; and as all the so much the object desired. But although the object desired. But although the object desired in the plished the object desired. But although the better, when the old year was watched in its principle, we may say that the whole that the whole it has been our duty to censure, it has been also our more pleasing duty to passage into the new year, with praise and the back of the cours May forged ahead, however, to be overtaken by have retrenched from the effort and the cap has fitted those in authority meeting ferminated with a vote of thanks thing, whether it be bread or any other and such will ever be our aim. As the ject for meditation was based on the comproduction, as cheap as possible, that is old year has died away, so may our mand of the Angel of the Lord to the imto say with the least amount of labor. differences die. With the new year prisoned apostles. Acts v., 20—"Go ye and stand and speak the Temple to the people all the words of this life." The preacher concluded his message thus Now we are as it were called upon to isay that the laws of men ought to oper new year greetings usual on such close the account for the year 1895, and to Mr A. K. Dewar's tr g Henchman, taken effect in the head, and death must are in opposition to the laws—for we occasions come from the bottom of our open up a new account, to be carried on may call such tendency a law of Provi- bearts with sincerity and truth. Thank. between our souls and God during 1896. dence. But when the farmer as a poli- ing our reade's and subscribers and the Let us look to God exmestly and heartily tician and a voter says, "I comprehend general public for past confidence and for what forgiveness we individually rewe may start well upon our new journey. prefer rather to see bread dearer and timusce of the same, we take this Its commencement we now see, but we work more abundant—it is very evi—believely of beartily wishing one and know not if we shall see the end of 1896. dent that the principle of the farmer as all a fall massive of prosperity and This thought ought to awaken an earnest gesire to be at peace with God, be at peace Henchman was the only horse to negotiate with our fallows, and be at peace with our fallows, and be at peace with our fallows, and be at peace with the second jump, and while Rittler, All the second jump, and while Rittler, All There and Gippstances were being brought back, Erin made up is lost ground, and, as Henchman banked at the last hurdle, as Henchman banked at the last hurdle. we shall have it we ask Him to blot out took up the running. Erin also baulked, our transgressions. The blood of Jesus and then knocked the pridle, Henchman Ohrist outpoured on Calvary is all effications getting an advastage by running dous. God expects each one of us to come through. The race thei became a flat one, unwitting cause of the calamity.— sowing his seed on the most barren land, 18 years (viz. 1878 to 1895, both inclusive)

Argus correspondent, for he would acceed thus in working is 25 inches 9 points per annum.

[A magisterial inquiry was held on much to obtain little. Restriction has A very large number of picnickers from indwelling of the Holy Spirit. This, and He will, forgive, and bless us with the easily; the thr indwelling of the Holy Spirit. This, and only finishers.

Wednesday and a verdict of accidental for its avowed end, and for its recognised death returned, Mr Fulton being effect, to increase labor. It has also for its recognised examination all blame.]

A very large number of pronunces from the convergence of the township and surrounding district this only, can ensure to us a happy new spent New Year's Day at Fern Tree Gully, year. Let us all go to God in the name examination of Jesus, go now, go day by day, and the foot of weeks and months of 1896 will provide an effect. to premote dearness, which is effect, to premote gearness, which is continued at the mount.

A destructive fire started on the Terinpeace, and hope; and should it be that docts—infinite labor, produce nothing.

One often hears it said that abor conceptions of the new year, we shall find this daily approach to God in the name of Jesus

BEAUFORT RACES.

the coincil do make and by a general and nominations, being in every way is justly, that intelligence consists.

On Wednesday the joy-bells rang, the said general rate be doe and leave of, and the new year welcomed. The said general rate be doe and leave of, and the new year welcomed. We trust, with that hope which ever of February, 1896.

We trust, with that hope which ever bells rang out the rolonies, that the balls rang out the said general rate be downed and have very shaft with fair to gallop upon, yet the clouds of dust the back of the course Brade want, the gare the gain the faithless.

The social nominations, being in every way of Dickenson's br g Wattle, aged, and nominations, being in every way of Dickenson's br g Wattle, aged, and have obtomed and have very ready for opening out. Cilley and have bettomed another shaft with fair rowed, and was in better orde than has been the case for some years but while this made the ground soft for he borses got away in a bunch, and they could not be seen for dust round the solonies, that the balls rang out the Reamfort district for 1895 was 4,8040z want, the gare the gain the faithless. PAMILY DIPOLINE

TAYEDICK STERET, BRITYSING

From Mean Seat the color of the committee of the color of the co which were raised did not pike things turn, but at the back of the course Brad- 12dwt 12gr, according to the Bank of agreeable to the spectators. The at-tendance was roughly estimated at close a grand race home resulted in Wattle being 8dwt 5gr for 1894, or an increase of besten by half a length, Gracie being two 334oz 4dwt 7gr.

done. He also had charge of the fruit Mr P. Stewart's h'g Larrikin, aged, stall, but had to contend against a good deal of opposition through other there were only two starters the Other starters: Molly Darling (7st.) reputation of Cobalt (who is by Rich- R bin (8.10), Kitty (7.5), Larrikin (9st), mond—Blue Lake) causing the scratch—Firebrand (8.2).

This was the best race of the day, Swag

In the best race of the da

Consolation Stakes was a gift to The One mile. Handicap. Post entry, 3s. Punter. The backmaking fraternity Mr G. Blarton's The Punter, 9.0 in the principal seces demanded long Mr Ball's br g Chepney, aged, 7.8 odds from backers, their gains were very (carried 8.2) (Broadbent)... small. The crowd was a remarkably well-behaved one, and the duties of the guardians of the law were accordingly

MAIDEN PLACE, of 5 sovs. Three-quarters of a nile. For all horses that have never we an advertised race. Post entry, 5s.

Mr W. Knight's br & Morocco, 4yrs, 9st, carried 9.5 (Eswards) ... Mr R. McCullum's ble m May, 4 yrs, 8.11, carried 8.12 (McCook)

soon, however, to be overtaken by Morocco. Coming into the straight Morocco was raced by May, Unionist and Elsie, but won comfortably by 3 lengths. HANDICAP HURDLI RACE, of 7 soys. Two miles. Over huidles about 3ft, 6in.

high. Postentry, 7s. aged, 10.7 (McVical) Mr W. Kelly's b, g Erin, aged, 9.7, carried 11.3 (owner)... Mr D. Walker's br g Rattler, aged, 11.7 (Temby) ... Other starters; All There (9.7), Gipps-

lander (10st). This race was a fare. Erin took the lead, but ran off at the first hurdle. and Henchman having most foot won

BEAUFORT HANDICLP, of 10 soys. One mile and a hat. Entry, 10s. Mr P. Russell's br g Cobalt, by Richmond—Blue Lake, ared. 9st (Brown). Mr Geo. Blurton's b The Punter.

easily; the three placed horses being the

by Boatman, out of Novelette, aged, 8.3 (owner) ... 2
Rattler (7st), Firebrand (6.7), and Betting: Cobolt 6 to 4 on, The Punter

and about three furlegs from home Cobalt was given his head and cantered home fully twelve lengths ahead of The Punter. Time, 2min/50sec.
Pony Race/of 3 says.

(Ponies under 14 hards.) Three-quarters

Won by 3 lengths in A good race.

Any surplus to go to the funds of the hight. The only yields we have to report Mr T. Jones's chy Bradawl, aged, 8.11,

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81 wt; Try Again 7.4 in M. Cracken, 102

15yds from scr. (Shearer) ... 3 Other starters: Economist, Gippelander

Elmore, Peeping Tom and Commodore

Three-quarters of a mile. Entry, 5s. Mr P. Russell's Cobalt, 9.9 (Brown) 7.10, carried 8 4 (A Wilson)

being scratched. wanting 100 to 1 on Cobalt. Cobalt got a very bad start, but won as

he liked in 1 min. 30 sec. Hurry Skurry, of 2 sovs. With entrance money added. Once round the course. Handicap. Post entry, 2s 6d carried 8.10 (A. Wilson) mr C McVicar's in Barmaid, aged,

round among your friends and acquaint and select those who appear to have the most workers! We know what your naiver will be.

Of all the miserable human beings it has been my fortune or misfortune to know had retired from useful major to enjoy themselves.

We know had retired from useful means to the present cannot for reflection. The theory of the most workers and the signs of the state of the signs of the firm who had retired from useful means the signs of the state of the signs of the firm who had retired from useful means the signs of the signs of the firm who had retired from useful means the signs of the signs of the signs of the firm who had retired from useful means the signs of the signs chauce in the race by pulling her off when I tound a und the race by pulling her off when I tound a und the race by pulling her off the mare was within an ace of the mare was within an ace of the cirl heavy nuggets, weighing as high as 14 12, upon the girl, and there is no doubt but heavy nuggets, weighing as high as 14 12, upon the girl, and there is no doubt but heavy nuggets, weighing as high as 14 12.

Three starters, M M being scratched, Won in a canter.

"KBATING'S POWDER" destroys BUGS. light. Appended tre details of the PLEAS, MOTHS, BEETLES, and all other insects, whilst quite harmless to domestic animals. In exterminating Beetles the success of this powder is extraordinary. It is perfectly clean in application. See the article you purchase is "K"ATING'S," i.e., with the ignature THOMAS KEATING on each ting as mitations are noxicus and ineffectual. Se. Lord Roseber , ex-Prime Minister of England, has issued a manifesto w the members of the Liberal party, in which he states that Lord Salisbury's want of success in dealir; with the Hosiery, Gloves, Floorcloths, Calicoes, Armenian question, which will perhaps Sheetings, Flannelettes, Clothing of all involve Europe in war, demands that a descriptions, New Millinery, Hats, Shirts,

> Liberals Economies practised in the F-lucation lepartment have effected a considerable Beaufort.—[ADVT.] reduction in the annual expenditure. the proportion for that period of several clothing,

thousand pounds.

"It the blood is diseased the body is diseased." Remember that the blood, whether pure or inonly—Lungs, mears, Stomach, Amneys, Brain, eminontly serviceable to those who vote. If it is laden with poisonous matter it affected thandries, explore miner and collected disease on its course. In cases of Scroula, well-known remodies present manifest tages in respect of use and effectiveness. Pimples and Sores of all kinds, the effects of Clark's Blood Mixture are marrillous. Phousands of wonderful cures have been effected inere at 2s 9d per bottle. Boware of worthless

imitations and substitutes. While Patrick Ahern, residing at M'Ivor road, Bendigo, was working at a thrushing machine at Axedale his leg was caught in the drum and torn off half way up the thigh. He died of exhaustion and an opinion regard with apprehension shock.

bought for consumption in New South butter, market, and a passage in the Wales arrived direct in the steamer Kahululi. The voyage was accomplished in 25 days, and the cargo, which is consigned to Messra Falk and Co., consists of 1000 tons is some reason for the fear. Mr dines of wheat.

occasioned by the political situation the time butter arrived on the London Turkish Customs revenues have fallen market the previous week. It was of

MINING NEWS

Owing to the holidays the miners have not put in full time during the past forrare: Wright, 102 20wt; 31 Oracken, 102 8lwt; Try Again, 7dwt. The party employed on the site of the Lord Brassey claim have bottomed, and have everything

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SNAKE VALLEY MINING.

The most important mine in the division is the Star of the West at Snake Valley Is is held by English sharsholders in the main. So far it has been a failure, and will continue so if the shaft is not such to greater depth. It was practically a nining suicide when the or new decided to open out at the 700ft. level, against the xpress wish of the management. The old Brittannia Company worked the reef down or and give up because the

was obtained, but gradually we ; 500ic. and 600ft. levels the averag. became less, and ultimately with every appliance at hand, too poor even to pay the working expenses of the mine. To natural inference is that the company were going into a region of unpayable country, which got poorer and poorer as depth was attained. What was the remedy? A simple one, but expensive, viz.. to make a bold effort to get clear t the barren country and sink the shaft at the very least 1000ft before opening out; but the prospects of Ending something payable would of course increase as the shaft was sunk deeper. It has been proved in scores of mines in the colony that there are regions of arren country in all quartz lodes, and a youe making a Erin (8st.) also started; The Punter careful analysis of the question would (8st.), Morocco (8.10), and Barmaid (8st.) come to the conclusion that the prospects at the 700ft level in the Star of the West There was no betting, the bookmakers would be poorer than in the 600ft level. There was every indication of it. Probably. had the matter been left to the wisdom, and discretion of the mining manager, the Star of the West may have been in splendid got a time, or time, or is to wish to speak down over

1900f : but seed arities of the formation and charge eristics of the reof, were deaf to an addice. and suffered in consequence. The company. have a magnificent plant, consisting or winding engine, pumping engine steam caestan, battery of 20 heads, everything, in fact being, to use a collegitalism, "up to the handle." The proposts, so far, are not payable, and limbs work is being done at

existence of a quartz reef. From present appearances the reef should be a payable, me when found. Other leases have been applied for, and there is now a prespect of the country, in that direction, being thoroughly prospected.

Marks and party, at 8% & engaged puddling cement. The recent trials give an average of about 4dwt. per ton when crushed.

Ryan's Freehold, at Mortchup, is defunct. Payable gold was obtained in bores to the north, but the attempt to, reorganise the company did not meet with success. Nothing else is being done at Snake Valley, beyond the fossickers about, many of whom are making fair wages .--'Grenville Standard.'

FOR THE SPRING .- Your attention is drawn to the New Dress Materials, Crepons. Prints, Corsets, Ribbons, Laces, Umbrelias, vote of censure be passed on him by the inducements to buyers of sterling goods at a nominal price. For these goods call on J. McKEICH, The Direct Importer, Neill-street.

The "Standard" hints that negotia-In 18945 the expenditure of the tions for a treaty between Russia and department was L570,315. For the year Turkey are in progress. The same. 1895-6 the estimated expenditure was journal states that Turkey is practically L531,014, or a reduction of about bankrupt, and that Turkish soldiers at L40,000, but the accounts for the past Damascus are dying at the rate of a half-year show, as Mr Tynan, the secre- hundred a day from famine and expotary, reports, that there is a saving in sure, being without either food or

Holloway's Pills and Ointment exert arapidly fayourable effect in all those, diseases which are induced by exposure to damp or by great changes eminoutly serviceable to those who work in live well-known remedies present manifest advan-tages in respect of use and effectiveness, being directions which accompany them. surely and mildly, and do not interfered daily work. There are but few diseases when are not capable of cure—or, at all events of great relief—if Holloway's remedies or severingly used.

Some persons well qualified to form the effect of competition from the The first shipment of Californian wheat Argentine Republic in the English Agent-General's last letter to the Minister of Agriculture shows that there notes as a matter of interest to Victorian In consequence of the apprehensions producers that 150 packages of Argent quality which met wish the approal of

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TOR INDIGESTION, the BEST REMEDY is undoubtedly NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS. They can confidently be recommended as being mild in operation and absolutely fraction injurious drugs, acting at once for splendid tonic and a gentle aperical Lien nearly 18 years they have proved under the for Indigestion Dyspepsia, Sick He in bottles, Liver and Stomach complaints sicine Vendors Is 11d, 25 dd, and 11s, by all simple, safe, and throughout the world, certain Remedy.

factorily explain this to bimself. We would respectfully reply-"Neither can I explain satisfactorily to myself why you should close this letterwriting business immediately after a disinterested barrister rules that the burden of proof is with Father Cleary." Have we not given a sufficient reason the following words:—"If the arrange to the piano fund. The secretary, Mr H, Jarvis, deserves great praise for the ment is to block my final letter, or to manner in which he carried out all the play into the hands of Father Cleary, urrangements. Mr Cleveland, as secrewell I can afford to say so be it, and tary to the picnic, could not be equalled take advantage of the alternative available." Mr Barber has already refused to "take advantage of the alternative available "_to prove his charges against the Catholic Church, For the life of us we cannot see why he should be afraid of Father Cleary's criticism. If Mr Barber is in the right, all that Father Cleary could say would not affect him in the slightest. He has therefore no

SKIPTON NOTES. (FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS NOW CLOSED.

THE CLEARY BARBER CON. race, Some of the prizes were of THE WAR CLOUD IN THE

lazer telegram has been received from the always tried to do his duty as a teacher, is getting no real being the district, and he thanked one and all back worse the proper order balls thought was the proper order balls thought was the proper order.

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Taneval with reference to the advance of Di Jameson on Johannesburg. President and was very pleased to find that his efforts had met with the approval of the residents of the district, and he thanked one and all back worse the proper order the proper order. The doctor law always tried to do his duty as a teacher, and was very pleased to find that his efforts had met with the approval of the residents of the district, and he thanked one and all back worse the proper order the proper order thanked one and all back worse the proper order the proper order the proper order the proper order thanked one and all back worse the proper order the proper order the proper order thanked one and all back worse the proper order the proper He also thought was the proper order encore. W. Osborne danced an Irish Jameson, and His Excellency has ordered given to him and his assistants. The the time of writing that letter jig so neatly that in order to quiet the that the correspondence would be closed audience he was compelled to follow with a short hornpipe. A. Wilkie sang after the 4th January, for he must have "Biddy M'Carthy" in great style, and the British residents in the Transvaal. It believed that Rather Cleary would not was well received. G. Murray sang is stated that 20,000 Enfield rifles and allow him to distate as to how the letters "Say au revoir," which was very well 2,000 Martinis have been sent from Bir-Thould appear. That right belongs to "Say au revoir," which was very well na Consequently when Father Cleary received. J. Grist followed with "The declined to concede the last word to Policeman and two orphans," which he Rev. H. Bride Barber, and it seemed sang in a very pathetic tone, and had wery pytident that the latter gentleman to repeat the last verse to satisfy the would not prove his charges against the audience. The chairman then announced would not prove his charges against the the next item on the programme—a in the Transvael.

Catholic Church, especially as we had farce entitled "The Coal Heavers"—The German Government has made personally offered him space for a dozen farce entitled. "The Coal Heavers" personant outree must space for a dozen but as it would take a few minutes to formal request that the Government of reason why the correspondence should prepare the stage he would take this Great Britain will furnish definite inforreason why the correspondence should prepare the stage ne would take this mation as to the steps which are being continue. It has not advanced the opportunity of thanking all present, on taken to check the advance of Dr Jameson's cause of religion in the slightest degree, but on the contrary has provoked strife among Protestants and Catholics. We less aware of the success of the last among Protestants and Catholics. We entertainment, from which a little over with regard to the invasion of the Transto our having received a most ungentle.

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Company, has made an important statement with regard to the invasion of the Transto our having received a most ungentle. wo our naving received a most ungenties expenses. This sum had been sent to riflemen. Mr Rhodes states that this action He accuses us of the Ballarat Hospital, together with by Dr Jameson, the administrator of doing him an injustice, because the about L7, the net result of an entertain. Also Barrer. He actuage the doing him an injustice, because the notification regarding the closing of the correspondence came after Father Cleary's letter instead of after his. Barber, had the first word in his Orange Barber, had the Catholic forms of which would enable any resident to get a word means to expect the result of an entertain. Anshomhand for the company, is get to usuathorised. He adds that he himself, no the company is gents, as Menelik is at present can be someth we should never have bread, and if bread or other food) never got further than the seamon war against the someth in orange of the prevent him from starting on the expedition. Margaret M'Leod.

Class VI.—Clement A. Baker, Frederick we should never have bread, and if bread or other food) never got further than the seamon war against the straing Dr Jameson's purpose, the distance of the than the semant to do not the than the semant of the company wards. Through the energy of the learning Dr Jameson's purpose, the distance of the than the semant of the company of the learning Dr Jameson's purpose, the doctors of the straing Dr Jameson's purpose, the doctors of the strain of the company of the learning Dr Jameson's purpose, the doctors of the strain of the company of the doctors of the strain of the company of the doctors of the strain of the section of the strain of the company of the learning Dr Jameson's purpose, the doctors of the strain of the adds that he hadds that he heart of the strain o doing him an injustice, because the ment given at Lismore shortly after learning Dr Jameson's purpose, tried to notingation regarding the closing of the wards. Through the energy of the prevent him from starting on the expedition, man, Kate Brennan, Cecilia Brennan, Ceci

sermon against the Catholic forms of warvis, living in the heart of the town, which would enable any resident to get a ticket of admission to the hospital without having to ride five or ten miles to produce one. He was sure that they would all agree that this was a great wersy. Rather Cleary according to the roll in the last word. Mr Barber on throws out the universal total. money to purchase a piano for the now throws out the unjust and totally institute, a want which had always been pincalled for imputation that we "con-felt whenever an entertainment had sult" Father Cleary, but "dictate" to been held there, They had the full Fin strict harmony with Father Cleary's lassurance of every assistance from the him in a " most arbitrary fashion " and Mechanics' Institute committee, and wishes." He says that he cannot satisthey hoped, jointly, to soon have a piano. In conclusion he again thanked him to retire with his troops across the the audience on behalf of the troupe, thou cans't not then be false to any man." perous new year. The money taken at the door for the concert amounted to and no instructions can be communicated the tidy sum of L11 6s. The ball was to him. Mr Chamberlain openly accuses crowded to excess, and everybody seemed to enjoy themselves very much, judging by the smiling faces. The cash takings were L4, which brings the total fave we not given a summonder of Mr. takings were Li, which ortage that the or closing the correspondence? Mr. takings were Li, which ortage that the Barber finishes his very unchristian, tronpe will have about L20 net to go uncharitable, and unkind letter with to the piano fund. The secretary, Mr

tary to the picnic, could not be equalled

in the district. An occasional correspondent from Skipton writes :- "One of the most enjoyable Christmases and New Years has been spent in this district, which I, with many others, think worthy of yells. Then every person in the theatre record, and which has been principally standing up, cheered loudly as "God Save the Queen" was played, amidst a scene of with many others, think worthy of brought about by the thoughtfulness and liberality of Mrs and Mr R. Chirnside, reason to quibble over the final letters. J.P., of Carranballac. They forwarded to the local butchers two fine fat bullocks to be killed, and distributed to every householder as a Christmas and New Year's gift, "not as a charity," The Linton Tennis Club visited Skip but as a token of their friendly feeling, foncon Saturday last to try conclusions with the instruction that if there was with the latter team. A large number not sufficient they would forward more, of supporters came out with the Linton which was greatly appreciated by every team; which made the town quite busy one of the inhabitants of the township for an hour or so. Mr Cook captained This was enjoyment for the elder ones : the visitors, while Mr W. Osborn acted then comes their thoughtfulness for the in a like capacity for the home team, younger ones. Besides contributing The day was not at all desirable for the handsome sum of L5 for prizes for tennia, owing to the wind being too the Christmas-tree, to be competed for strong and therefore spoiling a lot of at the annual New Year's Day picnic, the good play. At half-time the players they journeyed to Ballarat the previous were treated to a cup of tea and some day, and purchased a present for every niceties; judging by the look of them. child that was too small to take part in the game resulted in a victory for the races, so that by their kindness Skinting has a formal to the races. Skipton by a few games. The visitors everyone has been able to participate in started for home at about 7 p.m. which a very enjoyable holiday time. But

The game resulted in a victory for Shipton by a few games. The visitors everyone has been able to participate in everyone has been able to participate in to the chartend company, as very enjoyable holiday time. But Jameson.

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It is reported that a rising has taken day's gathering such a success was their place at Johannesburg, but no details are yet available.

Public feeling in Berlin is extremely expected and antity over Dr Jameson's expeditional process. At eleven o'clock the horsemen and one that they will be long spared to buggies started to roll in and kept participate to many a future gathering, rolling up till about 1 o'clock. The Contributions were received from Mr working committee had everything up to date; and of course punctual to time.

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consider the difficulty.
A supply of arms has been despatched to

three wonths.
The situation in the Transvaal is exciting much interest on the Continent of Europe. A demand is nade by the German press that immediate efforts shall be put forward to protect the interests of German subjects

Mr Cecil Rhodes, Premier of Cape Colony and chairman of the British South Africa R. B. Mason, Esq. for numerous racing Jameson's extraordinary action: Sir Hercules (Kobinson has issued an

parried on between Mr Chamberlain, Secrepary of State for the colonies, and President Kruger, with a view to arriving at a peace able settlement of the difficulty. Sir Jacobus Dewet, Her Majesty's agent at Johannesburg, has left in order to intercept the advance of Dr Jameson's force:

He will order Dr Jameson when he meets frontier of the Transvaal. In consequence of the overland telegraph line being interrupted no news has been

received of the approach of Dr Jameson, Dr Jameson of having himself cut the wires in order to be out of the reach of

General Joubert (commander-in-chief of the forces of the South African Republic) has received a letter from Dr Jameson dated from the district of Marico, near the frontier of British Bechuanaland and the Transvaal. Dr Jameson, in his letter to hostile intention in leading an expedition into the Transvaal. He is simply advancing, he says, in order to assist the residents of the Rand to obtain justice and their rights as citizens.

A scene of remarkable enthusiasm tool Place on Saturday night in the Standard Theatre, Johannesburg. When the orches-tra struck up the "Volkslied," or national authem of the South African Republic, the audience drowned it with their hoots and the wildest excitement. The Australian residents of Johannesburg,

the Uitlanders. Companies of both cavalry the Uitlanders. Companies of both cavalry and infantry have been formed exclusively of Australian subjects of Her Mejesty. As soon as the Australian troops were enrolled they, sang the British National Anthem amids a scene of tremendous enthusiasm.

Mr Chamberlain has made a decided move towards releasing the British Government from any online the British Government from any online the British Government ing critical situation. He has sent an imperative demand to the directors of the Chartered Company that they shall repudiate the action of their administrator, Dr. Jameson, in trossing the frontier of the Jameson, in grossing the frontier of the Transvaal with an armed force. The Char-

tered Compan meet to day in order to consider Mr Chai berlain's demand.

A report has been received from Pretoria stating that a accession has taken place to the expedition headed by Dr. Jameson. It

A portion of the German residents of

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the immediate withdrawal of the invading children, parents and visitors were then force. The Cabinet has been summoned to invited to partake of the sumptuous tea provided for them in the schoolroom, which had been handsomely decorated for the occasion by Miss Lily Lees. The comestibles were of a very high order, nothing but that the most fastidious could wish for, full and plenty being the order, and plenty to spare. Everything was done by the elders to make the youngsters happy, and themselves apparently happy too. After ten games were again indulged in, until it was time for all to depart, Phree cheers were given for Mr and Mrs Baker and assistants, and the pic-nic of 1895 was brought to a close. The headteacher desires to thank all those who assisted to make the pic-nic a success. especially the Hon. W. H. S. Osmand, M.L.C., the Hon. W. M'Lellan, A. G. Neate, Esq., Wotherspoon and Co., and R. B. Mason, Esq. for numerous racing prizes. The catering was in the hands of Mr Jas. Cowans, of Beaufort, and gave every satisfaction. The receipts in aid of the funds appeared to \$214.14s. The the funds amounted to £14 14s. The

following were the prize takers:-Ciass VI.—Clement A. Baker, Frederick

special to the British residents of the Band David Naira, James Stapletin, Susan through the prelia of Pretoria and Johannes Baker, Mahal Pancock, Eliafical Panting Presents and Johannes Baker, Mahal Pancock, Eliafical Panting Class II.—Ernest Boreham, Artie Hill-to remain quiet and act in conformity, with the laws of the country.

Negotiations in a friendly spirit are being Class I.—Percy Baker, David Lees, Class L.—Percy Baker, David Lees, William Nairn, James Nairu, James

White, Sarah Anderson,-"Ararat Ad-

vertiser. The Blood is the source from which our sys-The Blood is the source from which our systems are built up, and from which we derive our mental as well as our physical capabilities. If the blood is diseased the body is diseased, Sufferers from Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sorcs of all kinds are solicited to give Clarke's world-tamed Blood Mixture a trial to test its value. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected prices and sold everywhere at 2s 9d per bottle, Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes,

With the close of the year the last of the primage duty will be seen. This is a duty of 1 per cent. on all articles imported, imposed during the reign of Mr Downes Carter at the Treasury. It has In an article dealing with the Venezuelas proved very vexatious to merchants, and difficulty, "The Times" states that a bave no nose, nor no teeth, nor no ears. has had a very bad effect on our interthe commandant, states that he has no colonial trade, and its abolition will be held as a great relief. At the same time the revenue will feel the loss L80,000 a year.

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care much what became of me.
"One day in October my wife said, 'It ap. nears the doctors can do nothing for you, so I am going to doctor you myself. She went to the Southern Drug Stores, in Camberwell Road, and got a bottle of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup. After taking this medicine for a few days the pain in my stomach left me, my appetite improved and I sained some structh tite improved, and I gained some strength. Soon afterwards I was back at my work, The people in the office, seeing how well I looked, asked what had cured me, and I answered Mother Seigel's Syrup, I shall be glad to reply to any inquiries about my case. (Signed) Charles Harris, 74, Beresford Street, Cauberwell, London, December 1st, 1892."

Mr. Harris' statement goes straight a the

point. Why was he afraid to eat? Because his food gave him pain without giving him strength. This was dead wrong. It was exactly the reverse of what it should have been. When man is the proper form he gets vigour and powe from his meals, and eats them with enjoyment and relish. If he doesn't there is something the

grain never got any further than the mil hopper we should never have bread, and if bread or other

taken place in the Anlio-American situa-tion, and is expected tchave an important result on the future conduct of the negotiations. A Britist chartered com-

pany is being formed in Lritish Guiana for the purpose of working that portion of territory claimed by Venezuela and lying between the Essequibo River and the line drawn by Sir R. Schomburgk in 1840. This is a portion of the territorywhich forms the subject of the present dispute between England and Venezuela. From the attitude adopted by the Government of Brazil, it is considered probable that majority of 33 votes, the numbers being For the bill, 169; against the bill, 136

large body of citizens of the United States They swallow their wittles whole, and are averse to peaceable relations being It is added that the situation is still threatening, and that President Cleveland severely, for it brought in about is bent on pursuing his policy to the bitter

sold everywhere at 2s 3d per bottl. Beware of youthless imitations and aubstitutes. The Yenezuelans aremaking prepara-

In a speech made by him at Edin- with Great Britain esulting in war. burgh on November 8, Mr Thomas F. They are fortifying the harbour of Bayard, the United States Ambassador Maracaibo, the chief fort of the republic. in England, delivered a scathing denun. An attempt is being hade by Venezuela ciation of the protective system in to form an alliance with the other America. He said that he had witnessed Spanish-American republics and Brazil a week, work will be resumed by non-tionist party, whose demands had ever the Legislature have started from grown more and more insatiable, and Caracas to visit the various South declared that protection was the chief American capitals with the view of cause of the corruption in private life in trying to arrange such an alliance. A the United States; that it had given strong feeling of sympathy for Venezuela rise to the extraordinary inequality in and hostility to Eigland prevails in fortunes that was such a marked feature some of the South Aperican states, and in American society; and that it had it has just been marifested in a very lowered the whole tone of the nation, unusual manner. The Spanish Minister This speech and others by Mr Bayard, at Bogota, the capital of the adjoining which are supposed to reflect on the republic of Colombia, has been expelled domestic policy of the United States, from the country for denouncing the have been brought under the notion of treatment of the British Minister by

Public feeling in Berlin is extremely excited and arry over Dr Jameson's expedition. The fress is strongly urgins the German Gornment to intervene in the interest of German residents in the Band.

The English press strongly supports Mr Chamberland, and applands his action in taking stess to stop the advance of Dr. Jameson, I has been adopted by the Jameson, I have been adopted by the Jameson, Jam

best house property in the metropolis now barely returns its owner 2 per cent., and in the majority of cases the owners, or rather the nominal owners, would be glad enough to get rid of the be glad enough to get riu of the gla buying them and selling them again up country.

THE DOG, THE MAN, AND THE MEAT. The rainfall for the week ending at 9

his throat on Tuesday almost from ear of ratepayers.

JOSEPH WATSON, Shire Secretary. the abdomen, making no less than nine the Shire of Lipon, and enclosing five per cent cash deposit, will be received up till 11 a.m. on Monday, fith January, 1896, for the following similar manner, severing the windpipe. Contract No. 3.—Forming and sanding He was taken to Jamestown Hospital, 53 chains and repairs on the Ragian and

producing considerable sinxiety in regard near the createry, Lake Goldsmith.

INPURITIES IN THE BLOOD-" We have seeu hosts of letters from people who have received great benefit from the use Clark's Blood Mixture. It cannot be too highly estimated, for it cleaness and clears the blood from all impuri-Fanily Doctor, which goes on turther to say:—" It is the finest Blood Purifier that science and skill have brought to light, and we can with the utmost confidence recommend it to our subscribers and the public generally." it to our subscribers and the public generally."
For perofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Ploud Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds, its effects are marvellous. Thousands of woondrful cures have been effected by it. wonderful cures have been effected by it. Clarks's Blood Mixture is sold everywhere, at 2s od perbottle, Beware of worthless imitations and

Carlton, Fitzroy, and Collingwood solicits a share of public patronage. passed off without a solitary act of rowdvism having been reported to the local police.

related to King Menelick, who were travelling in Italy for the purpose of pursuing their education, have mysteriously disappeared. It is reported that they have been kidnapped by Italian agents, as Menelik is at present carrying on war against the Italians in Abyssinia, They have since been

"HOW IS IT THAT 'CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXindigestion and dyspeps, though it by a separate call each and every tric of it by a separate name. Yet they don't cut it, which is the main thing after all.

But Mother Seigel's Cutative Syrip does, as by brought to light. Thousands of manderful to the line of the light of the line of the lin

Since September last the Board of Agriculture has analysed 291 samples of imported butter. Of these the Australian samples were found to be quite pure, while 79 samples from Holland, Germany, and Denmark were found to be adulterated,

"CLARKE'S WORLD-FAMED BLOOD MIX-TURE" is a guaranteed cure for all Blood and Skin diseases. It is the most searching blood the Republic of Brazil and other adjoining republics will take up arms to support Venezuela if the present difficulty should end in war. The Bond Bill was passed by the House of Representatives by a 289d per bettle. Beware of worthless imitations.

"Hens is curious animals. They don't chew it up in their crops inside of 'em. continued between England and Amerba. The outside of hens is generally put inter pillers and inter feather dusters. The inside of a hen is sometimes filled with marbles and shirt buttons and such A hen is very much smaller than a good For the past quarter of a century there lighted been one continuous flow of letters bearing testimony to the truly wonderful cures effected by Clarke's World-famed Blood Mixture, "the finest Blood Purifier that science and motical skill have brought to light." Suffers from Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs Skin and Blood Disanses, Pimples and Sorcs o any kind, are solicited to give it a trial to, tet its value, sold everywhere at 2s 3d per botth. Beware of sold everywhere at 2s 3d per botth. Beware of wings, and can fly when they get scart. cut Uncle William's hen's head off with a hatchet, and it scart ber to death. taking an active interest in the agitation 2s 9d perboatle. Beware of worthless initations rions for defending their ports and Hens sometimes make very fine spring for free institutions and the franchise for and substitutes. Dog Gazette."

The ship-builders at Belfast and on PRINTS. the Clyde have sent an ultimatum to the engineers intimating that unless the take up the places of the men on strike.



THI General List for the above division is

low printed, and a copy may be inspected, free of charge, until the day appointed for revision, at my office, and every post-office within the division. C. W. MINCHIN, Beafort, 31 | 12 | 95.

OS, on 31st ult., a White COCKATOO.

I vith pink top-knot. Finder rewarded or returning same to POLICE STATION Banfort Philharmonic Society.

DRATICE will be resumed on THURSDAY

NOTICE .- It is the intention of the Council points.

The secretary of the Beaufort Jockey of the Shire of Ripon, at its meeting to beheld on Monday, the 6th January, 1896, at the Shire Hall, Beaufort to make a GENERAL RATE of TWELVE PENCE in the POUND on the net annual value of all the property assessable in the Shire for the period ending 31st December, 1896, and to make the said rate due and payable in one payment.

A statement of the proposed rate is deposited

t the Shire Office, Beaufort, for the inspection 28th December, 1895.

OHIRE OF RIPON PENDERS, addressed to the President of NORTH RIDING

Contract No. 2. - Sanding 18 chains of road at Middle Creek.

Contract No. 4.—Forming and metalling

engaged four to five hours daily lifting water by means of whips for their dairy cattle, horses and sheep.

Since the Hospital Sunday system was initiated in Bendigo 23 years ago or any tendes not necessarily accepted.

I BEG to intermed the of Resulters and surrounding die that I am appointed Local Agent for the LABY'S ARARAT FLOUR. Terms strictly cash.

G. CUTHREETSON, Baker.

MRJAM SOHALKLEY, Practical Watch-mak r and Jeweller (late of Rotheram, London), was to announce that he has purchase the business lately carried on by Mr. Overman, next the Golden age Hotel, where Lazarus' Specialist Spectacles.

For the first time during the past 30 CIAS. W. VOWLES begs to announce that years the New Year celebrations in Table (Alcock's), with patent Imperial low

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BEAUFORT.

THE CRY OF THE NEW BORN.

(By Lady Cook, noe Tenessee Classic). It is agreed on all sides that we are a very humane people. We are liberal in charities. We protect the nests and the young or birds, and do much to prevent destroyed by thousands annually without They are dumb-these little ones-they It is true many perish from diseases, though these are mostly preventible. But by supersidding those who are cut off by strangling, amothering, drowning, poison, starvation cruelty, and neglect, it has some to pass that nearly one lith of the newly born die hi their first year, and twenty, six in every hundred before they ready than four fivers. Similar pholes will be a first than the first part of the first of the first part of the first p starvation, cruelty, and neglect, it has

that the time is not yet ripe or preventing some of the causes of these premature deaths, yet all must admit that there are others which call for immediate redress. If we cannot prevent the infit from promulucing as many children's, they choose, we cannot least do something to protect these whom they been taught into the world, and that not melety by penal statutes, but by endeavouring to inform

things possible in a nation like ours.

A Bill has just been proposed to make It punishable for any woman except certificated midwife to deliver another in necessitous. If this should become law, help, of receiving no assistance at all, for this is very frequently given gratuitously I am, faithfully yours, Chas. Junor, Aus-The fussy desire of legislators to interfere with everybody and everything, and to multiply the provisions of the penal code. Is an unwise reversion to the system prevailing centuries ago. It is substituting the brutality of the bludgeon for permanent reform by instruction and enlightened conviction. But bindgeon legislation, from Moses to Roseberry, has never been very successful. We may sometimes say photographic part of the performance is

govern well, it will also be worthy of you 25,000 parts, it being recognised that a who shall examine whether it be not the most wise not to lay restraint on the general affairs and business of men is yet pute anything. to be born; yet this is the King who would govern like a God and by the IMPERTAL EYE GIVENERN is still, the saids individual to himself, would ascertain ence. For over 50 years it has we ked to be boru; yet this is the King who knowledge. Where men are most free as testimonials will show. Every household there will they be most numerous, and is advised to keep a supply always on hand. mission, and have the greatest attachment to authority; for authority is essentially the fruit of that freedom which is protects. No man would require more than to be left at liberty and in peace."

Although this abstention is necessary for adults, yet the young should receive ample protection from the law. Insanitary dwellings, even if "the owners combine philanthropy with a considerable dividend," must be condemned when, as the Medical Officer of Health has proved "out of every hundred children born in these buildings twenty-five die under one year of age.

The terrible cases of infant destruction that have lately come before the Coroners' Courts, prove that the very young have children, a daughter 17, and two others more to fear than to hope from many of 12 each. their professed protectors. We find that their professed profectors. We find that perfectly healthy" children, an hour of two old, have been murdered by wilful sprinkled on a wet tooth-brush produces a structure to severe cold and the sounds. exposure to severe cold, and the punish- pleasant lather, which thoroughly cleanese the ment inflicted on one of the reckless and highly certificated midwives who do this, was about the same that is given for stealing a pockethandkerchief.

Unlicensed "lying-in-houses" unregistered houses for "nursing out" appear to be too frequently wholesale death-traps for the unwelcome new-born. The national conscience is occasionally galvanized into momentary activity by some horrible exposure of cruelty, and straightway good asleep again.

flock to hide their spane. How is this I in European stocks.

We may ask. Are mut the lives of natural askidizing as a little of the little of because everyone around them desires that they should not live it. Opr cruel and immortal morality degrades the unwedded mother, deprives her of common social rights, and sets the stamp of harlotry on her brow. She may be by nature refined, chaste, and virtuous as any married woman, although, perhaps, betrayed by the man to whom, in pure maintenly affection, she sacrificed her honor, yet her ingenuo sness counts for nothing, and her submission to her lover is deemed a crime because it is found out Society does not teptubate the wanton-married or single who is armed by experience against discovery. It reserves its punishments

and who surrenders without premedita-We are cursed with too many superatitions—the relics of an ignorant past, and with too many sexcalled sins—the prolific conceptions of thomasticism and narrow-minded prodery. We want wider views and a broader and deeper common sense. Then our ideas would be more in secord with nature and with human tequirements. Society should have no more right to interfere with our private

for her whose innucence suspects no evil.

as a mistress than the majority of our HINTS TO FRIENDLY READERS. married women? That great and most estimable woman justified her conduct by the eloquence of an unspotted life. She broke through the artificial trammels of society and lived up to her conscience and her God. None have dared to cast a stone cruelty towards all dumbanimals. At the lat her. And when other noble women present moment there is a bill in Parlia- shall have the moral courage to exercise ment to put down cock-fighting in Scot- her independence of conventional morality land. Yet the most innocent and most there will be greater teleration for our helpless members of our community are humbler sisters, and mothers will cherish their natural offspring, instead of being any great outery being raised to sive them. I maddened by shaine to murder them. The caunot tell the tale of their ownsafferings, graces our country will become a hideous tradesman. but life statistics and the reports of our remembrance of the past, and Englishmon eriminal courts speak for them, and are of the future will marvel that heaven and incontestable witnesses of their wrongs, earth could remain so long insensible to the cry of the new-born.

> THRICE IS HE ARMED. WHO HAS HIS QUARREL JUST.

INDIGESTION NEURALGIA WEAK E NESS DEBLE IN DECISE RESPONDE DEBASE, AND LIVER COMPLAINT,

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READ THIS CASE. Mr Chas. Junor cured of Press Associ-Lassitude & Dyspepsia.

Queen street. Melbourne, Victoria, writes on October 3rd, 1804 : - A few lines to express my and stimulate the public conscience. For, admiration and appreciation of your after all, it is general callousness or a lazy | valuable Clements Tonic, which in my indifference that makes such a state of case has effected a marvellous cure within an incredibly short time. For the pass Some interest, however, is ich in the three years I have suffered periodically from lassitude, dyspepsia and insomnia brought about by overwork. I have tried change of air, scene and diet, and also various medical prescriptions, without childbirth, hereby creating a new chine obtaining any benefit. After a skort for those who minister to the poor and course of Clements Tonic some morths back I found complete relief. That its and expect to get trade without adver your town. The time may come when then in remote country places many women effects will be permanent I have every in labor will be in danger, owing to reason to believe, as my usual attacks poverty or scarcity of cheap professional occurred at intervals of every two months or so. Once more expressing my thanks,

Professor Macry, famous for his feats in instantaneous photographic work, has just succeeded in photographing a dragon-fly on the wing-an operation which he says necessitated an exposure of only one 25,000th of a second. The to our governments as Mirabean said to wonderful enough, but great credit is William II. of Prussia on his accession: also being awarded to the man capable "Ah, Sire, it will become you always to of accurately dividing a second into

to all the fruis of their industry and their really marvellous curis in these colonies, there, also, will they pay the most sub-mession and have the greatest attachment soreness is felt through dust, heat, flies exposure to heat or cold, excessive reading or writing, &c., and thus save further trouble and expense Avoid all imitations and substitutes offered in place of this valuable Olntment. Having stood the severest test of time, no family can afford to be without it. Sold everywhere in pots, containing sufficient for six or more cases. -[ADVT.]

John Delaney, aged 88, a native of Sydney, has died at Parramatta. He was married at the age of 26, and his wife bore him 29 children, 12 of whom are living. His grandchildren number 108, and there are several great grandchildren. One of his sons has 18

teeth from all parasites or impurities, bardens the guns, prevents tartar, stops decay, gives to the teeth a peculiar pearly-whiteness, and a delightful fragrance to the breath. It removes all unpleasant odour arising from decayed teeth or tobacco smoke. "The Fragrant Flori ine," being composed in part of Honey and sweet herbs, is delicious to the taste, and the greatest toilet discovery of the age. Price 2s 6d, of all Chemists and Perfumers. Wholesale depot, 35 Farringdon Road, London, England

It is not generally known that Li Hung Chang, who once more succeeds to supreme power—next to the Emperor in China, is the richest man in the world. The richest Englishman is WORLD'S FARS. Industrial Expositions, and State Shows is the provided by the supriscibled by the suprisci Hung Chang, who once more succeeds We observed in the list of new Bills to supreme power - next to the Emperor introduced in the present moriband

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When this century opened there vere abon: 19,000,000 people whose ordinary speech was English. At present the number of those who use it in the fa miliar intercourse exceeds 120,000,00. while there are no less than 120,000000 Sold by Chemists and Storeto whom it has become or is texting the medium of all literary and scieleffic interest, of commercial and induting

A shocking disaster has occurred in a theatre at Biltimore, U.S. While the performance was proceeding a fire roke out in the building. A terrible sanic ensued, which resulted in -24 missing being killed and 40 more or less solvaly injured.

hore right to interfere with our private made of life than with our religious opinions. Pullic decency is all which it can justly demand.

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gerse, 88 carcuses; turkeys, 2,473 tulcures have been effected by it. Sold everycurcases; ducks and fowls, 12,757 where at 2s 9d. Beware of worthless imitations. game, 20,727 carcases; honey, 1,428 The greatest aid you can give your

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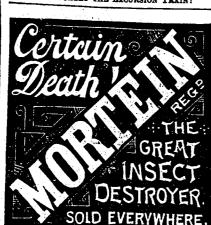
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Fat Cartle—503 head was the supply penned for to-day's sare, and consisted largely of medium and useful quality beet. Prime Meet kept. Suft tioulaniways on he Orders called for daily. a small proportion being good and prime. There was a large attendance of the trade, and although the high rates ruling in the final market of sat year were not main-tained, still for heat descriptions commedium, L5 to L6; prime pen cuws, L5 to L5 10e; good, L4 to L4 10s. Averages: Merino Downs, 16 bullocks, L10 2 24; Leslie Maner, 31 bullocas, L7 lis 7d; Muradal, 25 buil x-ks, L7 8, 10d; Muradal, 10 cows, 1st 13s 61; Muntham, 31 hallooks, L6 19e 94. Calves-40 yardet, which sold fairly well; best to 45. (Sheen 4000 to head, only a cathin peliticist being good and prime, calciuse principally comprising middling and u eful descriptions. Buyers mustere i in good force, still, with the exception of a few choice lots, which met with brisk competition, biddings throughout lacked autonation, medium and useful sorts meeting a very dull demand at considerably low r prices; a few remaining unseld. Quotetions:—Prime crossbred wethers, 10s to 11s 64; good do, 8s to 9s; medium do. 6s to 7e; prime crosshred ewes, Ps to 10s; 2 od do, 7s to 8s; medium do, 5s 6d to 6s; p ine mains wethers, Ss to 9s, extra to 10s; good do, 6s 6d to 7s 6d; medium do, 5s to 6s; merino ewes to 4s 11d. Store sheep .- 7182 yarded, for which there was hardly any demand except at very low rates, only a few being disposed of. Lambs -3403 to hand, the few fit for trade requirements s ld readily at late rates, others being difficult to dispose of even at low rates Prime, 7s to 7s 64, extra to 9s 6d; good, Se 6d to de da; medium, le to 4s 61.

The following district sales are reported: -By Mesers Macheod and Booth-4 cartie for Mr Archd. Stewart, Wongan, bullock L7 78 6d, cows to L4 15s, and 216 sheep, merino wetters os 10d to 7s 3d, comeback wethers at 113 6d, topping the market merino ewes, 3, 63; 79 ewes, Mr Robt Kirkpatrick, Stocky and Hill, to 5s, and 21 lambs 4s; 13 lambs, Mr J. Sheehan, Snake Valley, as to 64 6d, By Messrs Heplurn, Dowling and Crawford-13 builbeks for Mr. T. R. Oldie, Chepdowe, to L5 15s, and 6 Lincoln rams to L1 1s; 3 head cattle for Mr Wm. Lewi , Ston-leigh, to L4 17s 6d; 20 merino wethers for Mr W. O'Neil, Enuc West, to 5s; and 2 lambs at 4.; 156 lambs for Mr W Nuun, Chepstowe, to 4s 6d. By Messra Fisken, Valentine and to .- 200 wethers and ewes for Mr A. Bain, Stockyard Hill, former to be latter to be oil. Our report of Monday's Riponshire rove, but this expedient is not likely, at 217 merino ewes for the executors of the Council meeting appears on the fourth less for some time to come, to be adopted. late Sir S. Wilson, Ereddoure, 3: 2d to 1: Page. 11d, topping the market for merice ewes.

71d to 8d; best dairies, 61d to 71d, good 6d; soft heated lots lower. Potted butter, 6d balance of L2192 7s 11d to the Sick and the dimenty is to find the money to pay to 7d. For first-class dairies and private separator lump, I have constant buyers at highest prices. Eggs.—Market easier, 6id. Id, showing a less for the year of L27 7s soft heated lots lower. Potted butter, bi Bacon, town cared, aid to od; hams, old to loll. The trustees, however, had a sum

about the same as at the close of the year, cial position, on which the members are to We submitted a very heavy supply, and sold all as follow.—Butchers' fresh-killed pelts, small to inclume, oid to 8d each; good to superior, 12d to 15d each, extra to the death of Mr James Boyd, which and the several parties employed in the death of Mr James Boyd, which and the several parties employed in the distance.

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to 3d per pound; other sorts, 14d to 2d per pound; other sorts, 14d to 2d per pound; other sorts, 14d to 2d per pound; other sorts, 14d to 3d per pound; other sorts are duced to four men, as two have the source from which we derive our neutiles so sorts beas sould up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our thrown up their shares. This week's neutile sorts are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles are built up, and from which we derive our neutiles. If the blood is diseased the body is diseased, he bear the blood is diseased the body is diseased, and the blood is diseased the body is the blood is diseased the body is the blood is diseased the body is the blood is diseased, and the blood is diseased the body is the blood is diseased. The blood is diseased the body is diseased, and the following the blood is diseased the body is the blood is diseased the bo

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but two years ago the Patterner (Ind., popular transmitted and farmers)

MELIOTICA MAKET.

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about equal to la equotations. Heavies to The remains of deceased were interred in return to-day, as during the week they picked out a nugget weighing 20x 2dwt, the fineral being attended by a large to 3d per pound; other sorts, 14d to number of sympathising friends.

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We are informed that the bot fly has ST. JOHN'S PARICHIAL DISTRICT. CARNGHAM WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' THE TWO

(By Rev. R. HOSKEN, INCUMBENT.) The weather during the present week has been extremely hot, dusty, and oppressive, Sunday and Thursday especially being regular brickfielders. A bushfire broke out at the Gap, Mt. Cole, on the Elmhurst side, on Sunday, and burned up to Thursday night. Mr C. Tucker was a heavy loser, he having over £100 worth of wattle bark destroyed, besides about £30 worth of mining laths and a quantity of grass. Another bushfire occurred on Sunday in Snake Chilly, but was contined to the forest ranges around Sailor's with a small balance in hand. Towards Reviewing the past year there is ample fined to the forest ranges around Sailor's with a small balance in hand. Towards N. Kay. Mr W O'Sullivan, who acted in the Gully, and was extinguished the same this result the committee desires to record, capacity of secretary, on behalf of Mr J. A once again, their hearty thanks to the Bourke, was unremitting in his at ention, Waterloo branch for the very great help and to his credit is due the expelition-A meeting of the Beaufort Jockey Club secured by their sale of gifts towards the manner in which the lengthy programme was bold at Maher's Farmers' Hotel on stipend fund, and it is hoped the other was gone through. Messrs Cameron and J. Tursday evening; Mr Archard presiding.

and Messrs Maher, Welsh, and Parker this good example during the current being also present. A letter was received from Mr Philip Russell, Mawallok, for-warding donation of L10 towards the in maintaining the Sunday services, especipetition was snimuted at very little alteration. Medium sorts, notwithstanding the large number forward, met a good demand, though at slightly easier rates, sales closing fairly strong, Quotations:—Prime, L8 10s to L9 10s, extra to L10 5s; good, L7 to L8; medium, L5 to L6; prime pen cows, L5 to

By the quarters of halfquarters, 17s 6J per 19, the forwards the funds of L10 towards the in maintaining the Sunday services, especially with the forward, met a good demand, the chief of scales), M. 25K ay, G. Sto then virtues. They are soil every is not the towards the in maintaining the Sunday services, especially at trawalls. Referring to the pulpit thanks. Accounts amounting to L25 7s were pasted for payment. The secretary were pasted for payment. The secretary submitted a rough financial statement, on Wednesday evening, May 15, to a confidence of the policy of the follows the club.—Acknowledged with thanks. Accounts amounting to L25 7s were pasted for payment. The secretary submitted a rough financial statement, on Wednesday evening, May 15, to a confidence of the policy of the follows the club.—Acknowledged with thanks. Accounts amounting to L25 7s were pasted for payment. The secretary submitted a rough financial statement, on Wednesday evening, May 15, to a confidence of the policy of the follows the club.—Acknowledged with the financial statement with the follows the club.—Acknowledged with funds of the club.—Acknowledged with thanks. Accounts amounting to L25 7s were pasted for payment. The secretary with the follows the club.—Acknowledged with funds of the club.—Acknowledged with thanks. Accounts amounting to L25 7s were pasted for payment. The secretary with the follows the club.—Acknowledged with funds of the club.—Acknowledged with thanks it will be remembered the funds of the club.—Acknowledged with thanks it will be submitted as the follows the club.—Acknowledged with funds of the club.—Acknowledged with thanks it will be remembered the funds of the club.—Acknowledged with thanks it will be remembered th warding donation of L10 towards the in maintaining the Sunday services, especiwith the recent races had amounted to gregation which crowded the church. The stall were presided over by Miss. Brown L82 10s and the expenditure to L71 9s 6d. Bushop's visitation took place in June, and Mrs J. Douglas. The takings at

if the recent races had amounted to L83 10s and the expenditure to L712 to 64, the leaving a profit of L11 0s 64.

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(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MIDDLE CREEK.

Handicap Hurdle.—Pollock, 1; Malony, provoked the crisis with America.

The interances of the Russian press in regard to the present relationship between Great Value of the P The harvest is once more completed.

senr., had charge of the mortuary arrangements. The funeral cortege, which comprised about 60 vehicles and 30 horsemen, All suffering from irritation of the throat and toarseness will be agreeably surprised at the almost immediate relief afforded by the use of M.U.I.O.O.F., the deceased's husband question which has perplexed many. The

FUND'S SPORTS.

The Sist annual gathering under the auspices of the above fund was held in the Recreation reserve at Snake Valley on New Year's Day. The weather was perfection, the grounds in good order, and the attendance the largest that had assembled for years. The entries were numerous, and the racing, foot and horse, keen and exciting; the it was difficult in some inclances to see arace themon, results which reflect great credit on the mon, results which reflect great credit on the mon of the mon, results which reflect great credit on the mon, resul fluishes in the foot events being so close that it was difficult in some the tances tose, arme the handicappers, Mesers J. Douglas and M.

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(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

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Valley, and in close proximity to the reported to have been effected with President ticulars see posters exhibited at sames. After some discussion as to the best holdings of Mesars Brokitt and Green-Kruger by England. way to assist the petitioners, it was bank. The Mosers Currie (3), Brokitt, fighting, the further progress of the fire was stayed, and evidently a good bit of work done as the Set 1 good bit of work done as the Set 1 good bit of work done as the Set 2 good by the set 2 good by the work done as the Set 2 good by the work done as the Set 2 good by the work done as the Set work done, as the fire has not since broken worthless imitations and substitutes.

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Mr. Hill (23), R. Thomas (15), C. White
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Whelm and Rick and equal points 5. The money was divided.

Old Boys' Race—Cheeseman, 1; M'Fadzean, 2

Handicap Trot—Robertson's Echo, scratch, 1; Monerieff's Brown Boy, 50rds.
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The Times publishes an article, in which the writer states that the authorities in Great V.

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A WARNING

"One Who Knows" writes Age" as follows, from Perth Would you kindly allow me to war ! it is as bad; in fice home but FLETCHER'S PILLS cure heartburn, miners can get work. If Victorial tralia. The risk is nothing in co-These two remelies have been to coming here to a country when where they are, prospect Copisiv I am certain West A tralia will



otherwise they would have to dispose of the ranges about four miles east of Snake their mettle.

On Tuesday a bush fire broke out in question will soon be removed from an acute charged about half fare. For firthe par their mettle. Horsham, Murton, Lubeck, Start, Se-Friday, 24th January .- To Mello me hom Horsham, Murton, Stawell, Great Western

> Wednesday, 22nd January. By order, R. G. KENT. Secretary for Reilerys

MPOUNDED AT BEAUFORT One hay horse, N on oil sociider. 1st February, 1866. W. G. STEVENS, Page 21 and

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1895.

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A meeting of the directors was held on Saturday last. Present. Dr. Adam (chairman), and Messrs Troy, McDonald,

Hannah and Holdsworth. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

CORRESPONDENCE. Registrar-General, acknowdging receipt of list of shareholde and summary as required by the Companies' Act 1890 .- Received

fitters charges for overhauling refriger tradesman. ator, and s ating that they will forego half the amount of the charges seeing that there is no way of accounting forbut is too mean to support local enterhow the cotton waste came in the pipe. To be informed that the directors prise. decline to pay any portion of the ficter's expenses, as the waste must have been

forwarding reports from their expert on lid per bottle three consignments of butter for export; What right has any person, endowed all stating that butter was well made, with an ordinary share of intellect, and

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sent to test the market to see if it would opacity of sorrow and misfortune. lead to a profitable outlet.—Received ; no action at present.

placed to his credit for calls due on his long shares.

Leamery.—Resolved that L7 8s 6d be business printing to execute. The newspaper man needs it, and it helps him to pay his printers for setting up

From Mr W. Lewis, Stoneleigh, the thousand and one free notices he stating that he regrets not being able to gives you and your town; but don't continue the milk supply, as the distance give it to the printer or job printing manage to send this dry hot season, but and is spending neither time, money,

The secretary reported that the bank from job printing. Therefore, if you from job printing. Therefore, if you Overdraft at date, as per pass book, was Libby 2s 9d. A statement of liabilities want a good newspaper—one that can still further help you and your town lassets, which included the accounts still further help you and smitted for payment, showed a debit CLARKE'S WORLD-FAMED

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from what you have read in its advertis-From Humble and Nicholson, re ing columns mention the fact to the Don't lend your paper to any person who can afford to become a subscriber,

ADVICE TO MOTHERS !- Are you broken in expenses, as the waste must have been left in the pile by the fitter who put the machinery up, thereby causing the machine to fail in keeping down sufficiently the temperature of the chamber last summer.

From Shire Secretary, re the refuse matter from the factory.—Received; matter from the factory.—Received; matter from the factory.—Received; the best known remedy for dysontry, and the best known remedy for dysontry, and the little pain of cutting teeth! Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Storie. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and pleasant to taste, it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysontry, and

and to be informed that the directors the best known remedy for dysentry, and diarrhea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by Medicine Dealers everywhere at 1s

of good quality, color, and flavor. | blessed with a respectable share of good From same, advising that the butter of despondency? What is the meaning of it? The cause is a weak mind, and shipped per "Oruba" realised 100s per of it? The cause is a weak mind, and the meaning is sin. Providence never health, to despond? What is the cause the meaning is sin. Providence never From same, in reply to letter from intended that one of his creatures should secretary relative to the opening up of a be the victim of a desire to feel and look market at Cape Town for the sale or the gloom of the thunder-cloud. Never Victorian butter, and staring that they despond, for one of the first entrances of find that there are no properly recog- vice to the heart is made through the nised commission agents there, the instrumentality of despondency. Al people having control of the freezing though we cannot expect all our days works being dealers themselves; further, and hours to be gilded by sunshine, we it is not known what the charges on must not, for mere momentary griefs, consignments would be; they would, suppose that they are to be enshrouded however, handle any small shipment in the mists of misery, or clouded by the

"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE."-CLARKE'S WORLD-FIRMED BLOOD MIX. From same, stating that at the present there is a good demand in the intercolonial trade for butter from 9d to 10d per lb. according to quality.—Received.

From Mrs R. Kirkpatrick, relative

CLARKES WORLD—FIRMED BLOOD MIX-TURE is warranted to cleanse the blood from all impurities from whatever cause arising. For Scrofula, Scurry, Eczema, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds, its effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonder-tulcures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere at 2s 9d. Beware of worthless imitations. to the non-payment by the secretary of The greatest aid you can give your her milk account for Novr.—Resolved newspaper is your job printing; if you that the amount of the cheque be placed do not feel able to run an advertisement, to the credit of calls account for the five surely you can afford to give the broken mr. McIntosh, forwarding newspaper your cards, dodgers, billcount for firewood delivered at heads, letter-heads, envelopes, and all

is too far for all the quantity be can office that can give you no such return, and is spending neither time, and is spending neither time, and is spending neither time, and and is spending neither time, and is spending neither time, and abide by the rules of the company.

Resolved that in accordance with the rules a fine of L1 (the lowest) be improved in this case. A call of 2s 6d per share on the new subscriptions, but no ordinary newsable to the secretary on the 4th men payable to the secretary on the 4th prox. without the auxiliary support derived

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CERTIFICATE ->AUDITORS'

We certify that we have audited the books, vouchers an accounts of the Riponshire Council, together with the Water Supply and Vermin Destruction Loan accounts, for the year ending September 30th, 1895, and find the same correct and in order. We have also examined the fire and guarantee insurance policies. The above balance-sheet is a true statement of the financial position of the shire.

Beaufort, November 15th, 1895. A. T. MORRSON, F.I.A.V., Govt. Municipal Auditor. JOHN HULPHREYS, Local Auditor.

and are allowed by the Council this 6th day of January, 1896.

I certify that these Accounts have been finally examined by he Council of the Shire of Ripon, found just and true, WM. MURRAY, President.

Monday, 6th January, 1896. Present-Crs Murray (president), G. Lewis, Cameron, Bridges, Cushing,

Austin, Begg , Russell, and Flynn. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

CORRESPONDENCE. From Victorian Railways, forwarding for signature as claimant an account for L130 19s. 11d. in connection with the water supply at Beaufort, and also intimating that same has been passed for payment.—Received.

From Chief Inspector Vermin Destruction Act, forwarding for completion account for L6 6s. 3d. as subsidy on foxes.-Attended to.

From Assistant Government Statist. forwarding documents to be used in the collection of statistics, also two copies of circular re wheat schedules, etc.-Received.

From Under-Treasurer of Victoria cipal Advances Act of 1895 the Treasurer is empowered to make advances to municipalities during the year 1895 on terms prescribed by the Act, and notifying that applications must be made at an early date, as no allocation can be made ofter 31st ult.—Time expired. From Secretary for Lands, asking for

nature of council's objection to the sale of strips of land adjoining allotments 1B and 3B of section 22, parish of Enuc, for which application to purchase had been made by Mr D. E. Stodart, and stating that the proposed deviation of road asked for by the council cannot be dealt with until Mr Stodart becomes the owner in fee simple of the strips referred to.-To be informed that as exchange of roads is about to be effected the council's objection is now removed, on motion of Crs Austin and Lewis.

From Victorian Railways, intimating that drainage works at Beaufort have been completed, and asking if council's portion of drain is done.-To be informed that it is completed. From Secretary Board of Health,

asking for a report from Dr. Donaldson on the extent of prevalence of scarlet fever, the occurrence of cases of which disease has been notified to the Board as under :- William, Albert G., and Poy Cairns, Skipton .- From Dr. Donaldson, notifying that he had sent the report to the Central Board, and enclosing copy to the effect that the attacks were of a mild form, and had been contracted from a visitor from Footscray,-Received.

From Mayor of Castlemaine, forwarding subscription list in aid of the Sir James Patterson Memorial Fund To lie on the table on motion of Crs Lewis and Austin.

From Borough of Eaglehawk, asking assistance of council, through their parliamentary representatives, in having a clause inserted in the Local Government Act basing the amount paid for audit fees by municipalities on the revenue received; a fee of L2 2s per auditor for every L1000 of revenue being considered sufficient.—To lie on the table on motion of Crs Flynn and Cameron; the mover speaking against the system and considering that they would be drifting from bad to worse by resorting to piece-work.

From Secretary Australian Industrial Exhibition, asking council to apply to Chief Secretary to declare the shire a holiday on Friday, 20th ult., the opening day of the exhibition.-Letter received too late for action to be taken. From Ballarat District Benevolent Asylum, asking council to endorse recommendation of Mr W. Lewis for the admission into the institution of George Johnston, so that the case may be charged to the shire.—Referred to

Mr Lewis. From Arnall and Jackson, forwarding for correction proof shets of district matter in Municipal Directory for 1896, and soliciting orders.—The usual number to be obtained.

From J. and A. Mulcahy, Lake Goldsmith, forwarding particulars of damages making up L60 as under:-Loss of one tank partly patched with stones and damage caused by making new one, L50; surface damage caused by cutting one drain, L10.—To lie on the table on motion of Crs Flynn and Austin. This matter was afterwards dealt with in committee.

From J. Daly, poundkeeper, Skipton, in reply, forwarding accounts received and receipts for trespass fees and advertising,-Received,

Harvey Tucker, Raglan, applying for slaughtedring license. - Granted. From Wm. Smith, Beaufort, applying for renewal of slaughtering license. ...Granted.

From Thos. Cheeseman, Snake Valley, intimating that his son met with an accident to himself and horse by going through the planking of a bridge behind the Carngham hotel; that his son lost a week's work owing to his bruises; the horse is ruined; and that as he could not afford to lose his son's work and the horse, he would leave it to the council to consider.—Referred to

be paid in advance and added to the L8 5s; W. Stevens, L4 6s 8d; M. Mir, pay-sheet to-day. Seconded by Cr L8 5s; M. Meehan, L9 16s 6d; M. Jar-

Austin and carried. From E. Rogers, Beaufort, drawing attention to the unsafe condition of the crossing leading to his residence, and asking council to sanotion the erection of a new one.-Referred to north 15s 4d.

riding members. From D. Cochrane, Waterloo, asking for a new pump to be placed at the old for a new pump to be placed at the old reported as under;—

I have the honor to report that theonard the water having been unavailable to the residents for the past three pleted. The old culvert was so reten months as there are no means of getting that I had to have new brick walls but ab seconded, that Joseph Watson be reported as under;—

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had to be renewed every few months. It was broken time after time, but whether designedly or through carelessness he did not know. It was underrepair. It was broken a fortaight after adopted. it was repaired last. Cr Beggs thought a new pump should be put up, and a notice cautioning people against break. council's property. Seconded by Cr

Austin, and carried. ton Town Common, forwarding balance- Received and adopted. sheet for 1895, and notifying that at a meeting held on 2nd inst, the three retiring managers were re-elected for 1896. The audited accounts showed John Carmichael the receipts to have amounted to S. C. Pimblett (accepted) reminding council that under the Muni. L43 14s and the expenditure to Madden Bros. L34 12s 5d, thus leaving a Cr. balance C. Bradshaw of L9 1s 7d.—Received; copy to be V. F. Watkin

> ing to have water laid on to his allotment of land, Ararat road,—Referred J. F. Watkin to water commission.

From Philip Russell, Mawallok, askproof swing gates on certain unused roads in parish of Mawallok .- Granted on motion of Crs Bridges and Russell : the engineer stating there was no traffic, and could be no objection.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING. The time having arrived for the adjourned annual meeting, Cr Lewis moved, and Cr Beggs seconded, a formal motion to the effect that the accounts having been finally examined and found correct be now duly allowed and certified to accordingly. Carried.—[The statement of accounts is advertised elsewhere. T

ORDINARY MEETING RESUMED.

From Senior-constable Downey, callng attention to the ruling of the Bench in a recent case of discharging firearms in the township-without permission, at Beaufort, respecting the application of part 1 of Police Offences Statute to the township of Beaufort, that, although shown by proclamation in the Gazette of 1864 that this portion was then in force in the Shire of Ripon, it was not so now, and the case was dismissed. For the well-being of the township he considered that it is absolutely necessary that a portion at least of this part of the statute should be adopted by the council, or as much as would enable the police to deal with such offences as discharging firearms, throwing stones, shanghaiing and playing games in the streets, which Madden Bros. are now bound to develop into an intolerable nuisance.—The secretary believed the proclamation was still in C. Bradshaw force; if so it raised a nice legal question; It was the first time he had ever heard that age destroyed a law. They II knew that people had been prosecuted under Charles the First's laws. He was of opinion that had the police magistrate been present the decision would have C. Bradshaw been a different one, and thought the A. R. Slater decision could be upset. When the defendant pleaded guilty it was not the place of the magistrates to investigate the charge. Cr Cushing mentioned that the shire had been constituted in 1865. Cr Bridges thought the police should bring a test case before the stipendiary magistrate. The secretary said the police had reported it to their superior officer, who instructed Senior constable Downey to bring the matter before the Act 1890 the council had power to have the provisions of the Police Offences Statute applied to any part of the shire. But the question was, if the proclamation is in force, how are they going to get rid of it? It was decided to obtain an opinion on the matter from the council's legal adviser on the motion of

Crs Lewis and Beggs. From A. Andrews, applying to have water laid on to his allotment in Beau-

From Madden Bros., contractors,

stating that having made a mistake in the locality they wished to throw up the contract at Raglan obtained by them that day.—The engineer pointed out that the only remedy they had was to forfeit the deposit, and consider whether they should accept the next lowest tender or call for fresh tenders. Cr not do. He had sent the two surface the pit of my stomach was a nungry, men from the west riding down, and put ing the reputation of the contractors, if everything in thorough order. Cr Beggs the next lowest canders to forfeit endorse. Seconded by Cr Lewis, and in the morning that we the little I took did not abate this feeling. My sleep was broken, and I awoke this feeling. My sleep was broken, and I awoke the next lowest canders. Seconded by Cr Lewis, and in the morning that we take before I found. the next lowest concerns. The secretary having pointed out that this was payers, Trawalla, praying for the connot in order, as the tenders were no struction of a bridge across Kilbogie before the council the matter was post Creek in Carital Table

poned till a later stage. On the recommendation of the Financial to the council to consider.—Referred to engineer to report at next meeting on motion of Cr Cameron, seconded by Cr motion of Cr Cameron, seconded by Cr Russell.

From Mrs Stewart, secretary Beaufort Ladies Benevolent Society, appealing for monetary assistance, owing to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 the society and a bridge would cost a lot of money. None of the "near neighbors" had signed the petition. It would only be useful to one man, and there was a bridge half a mile off. They wanted a bridge on the main road, not in a lane. Clark, L1 5s; fox rewards, L1 7s 6; Martin and Grose, L1 3s 6d; W. Frank, contract deposit, L1 9s; J. Whitfield L8 5s; W. M'Farlage, L8 5s; R. Gibn.

Morrion by None of the "near neighbors" had signed the petition. It would only in the tribute one man, and there was a bridge half a mile off. They wanted a bridge on the main road, not in a lane. The matter was referred to the north riding members on the motion of Crs Ladies and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and in debt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and indebt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and indebt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds and indebt.—Cr Flynn moved that L10 to the society being entirely out of funds an rigan, L13 3s; C. Adams, L6 17s 61 J. Tait, L1 7s 6d; D. Turpie, L9 0s 9d Jer. Smith. L2 16s 2d; H. M. Stuart, 1 1s 6d; Hawkes Bros., L3 16s 6d; J. Surff,

> BEPORTS. The engineer (Mr. H. H. Jacson) reported as under :-

The engineer stated that the pump | tenders for four contracts that will come | general rate as well as the annual under your consideration to-day.-Received and adopted.

Mr J. Watson, rate collector, recommended that the following alterations be made in the general rate for 1895 :- Corstood that when the pump was put delia Lilley to David R. Lilley; Hugh there the residents had to keep it in Wast to Richard Laney, -Received and

Robert Gibson, caretaker, reported that the water race is in fair condition. Two or three rotten and leaky flumes want renewing. The spring is very low for the ing it. Cr Flynn, who endorsed what thine of year-lower than it has been for the engineer had said as to the pump, over 20 years. Two puddling machines and also the fence, being broken, moved were being supplied with water from the that a new pump be erected, and a race, but he had to knock them off. There reward of L2 offered for the conviction | was a breakage in the race during the of any person found destroying the holidays at the top of a very steep gully, up towards the mount. He thought it must have been a rabbit that burrowed through. He took up a man with him on From David Madden, secretary Skip the Sunday, and got it fixed that night.

NORTH RIDING.

Contract No. 2. - Sanding 18 chains of road at Middle Creek. ... 20 13 ... 20 0 0 forwarded to Lands Department, on the Schains and repairs on the Ragian and but when he applied that to the common motion of Crs Russell and Cameron.

From G. H. Cougle, Beaufort, apply Madden Bros. 1889 3 6 hed form the part of the process of rabbits, but when he applied that to the common he went beyond bounds. The managers ... 127 8 0 J. Carmichael

> Seconded by Cr Lewis. done where there was so little between the tenderers. Had the disparity been greater he would have favored the motion, but would move as an amendment that Madden Bros. be allowed to forfeited in the usual way. Seconded by Cr Cushing, who said it was the usual custom when a contract was thrown up to strictly observe the rule that the deposit be forfeited. There had been a few cases where the deposit had been refunded a few months afterwards.

2; the mover and seconder alone voting ing their co-operation in having the for the motion.

Cr Cushing, who pointed out the likelihood of contractors arranging between themselves to throw up connext lowest tenderer, moved that fresh Lawis.

Seconded by Cr Russell and carried; Crs Beggs. Austin and Cameron voting with them; whilst Crs Cushing, Lewis,

WEST RIDING. W. Bradshaw J. Carmichael J. F. Watkin ... Slater (accepted) ... 130 13 8 EAST RIDING. EAST RIDING.
Compared No 5. Forming, sanding, repairs, &c., at Lillirie. Madden Bros. S. C. Pimblett (accepted) ...

J. F. Watkin ... 117 15 0 From Thomas Cleveland and 18 rate-

pavers, Skipton, requesting council to reconsider the dismissal of John Tuit as Yet be was a man of naturally fine intelligence surfaceman, from his one day's work per week in the township, as they considered his services were quite necessary; and pointing out that if his dismissal before. He had been stationary while the world was on account of retrenchment the moved on. Many of his old friends were dead sending of the surfaceman from Stock- and all were changed. A hig slice of his career was lost, and worse than lost. Could he even yard Hill would cause greater expense council. Under the Local Government to the ratepayers, while the work cannot be so well done, as by having a man in the township little jobs that are

Different as it is in all outward conditions constantly cropping up can be done .- long illness produces results which resembles The engineer stated that Tait was only a casual hand, and not a surfaceman engaged by the council. Several people had complained about him (Tait), yet these very men signed the petition, which was got up by a publican. Another objection was that now and again our homes by disease we are virtually out of the world. Friends may, and do, pity us; but they do not lie down by our side and suffer with us. Ah! no. They go their own ways and leave us alone. In the midst of company we are still alone. Enjoyment, food, sleep, fives hir, more ment, work, &c.—those are for them, not for us. Alas! for the poor prisoner whose jailor is some release disease. Who shell count the objection was that now and again some relentless disease. Who shall open the another day was strick on the account. I never had any rest or pleasure." So fort previously applied for.—Referred The man also would not do what he to water commission.

The man also would not do what he writes a man whose letter we have just finished reading... "In the early part of 1888," good of him? The culvert near his own place, which was not exactly dangerous, needed repairing, as also fences, but he couldn't account for it. I had a foul taste in needed repairing, as also fences, but he would not at end to them. In reply to Cr. Austin, the engineer said he was arranging to get another local man. The man he had written to said that two men were required, but this would two men were required, but this would the said that the said the said that the said that the said that the said that the said not do. He had sent the two surface ness. "At the pit of my stomach was a hungry,

before the council, the matter was post Creek, in Smith's Lane, Trawalla.—The Flynn introduced Mr Dunn, who Objected to the bridge being made. He Committee the following accounts were said that a oig body of water came down and feet were cold and clammy, and she was pale passed for payment.—Salaries, L40; the creek, and a bridge would cost a lot palvitation. Said that a oig body of water came down and feet were cold and clammy, and she was pale and bloodless. She had pain in the left side and bloodless. She had pain in the left side and bloodless.

MOTION BY NOTICE. Cr Beggs moved in accordance with notice-"That in order to raise the sum required, as shown by the estimates, the council do make and levy a general rate of twelve pence in the pound on the net annual value of all property assessable in the Shire of Ripon for the period ending the 31st day of December, 1896, and that the said general rate be due and navable in one payment on the 18th serious said serious is it that we may almost say that there is no other disease. It signifies life transformed into death, bread turned into poison. With the said serious is it that we may almost say that there is no other disease. It signifies life transformed into death, bread turned into poison. With the said serious say that there is no other disease. It signifies life transformed into death, bread turned into poison. sum required, as shown by the estimates. L3 6s; A. Crocker, 5s 6d; contrachay rate of twelve pence in the pound on the ment, Wm. Fraser, L35 5s; total 190 net annual value of all property assessand payable in one payment on the 18th

recurring Beaufort and Snake Valley water rates. Carried.

GENERAL BUSINESS.

Cr Lewis moved that the Government be requested to re-appoint the rabbit inspectors under the control of the shire councils. He pointed out that this step was necessary owing to the large having too much to do to attend to the duties efficiently.

Cr Beggs, who seconded the motion, would sooner see a Vermin Destruction Board appointed. There were more rabbits in the district now than he had ever seen; there were places which were fairly alive with them. On the Mt. Cole reserve there was not a blade of grass owing to the increase of rabbits, while there were millions under the shire culverts and roads. The common was alive with rabbits, and the country was bere through being eaten down by them. They were never so bad before. Cr Russell called attention to the bad state of the Mt. Emu reserve.

Cr Flynn agreed with Cr Begge that he went beyond bounds. The managers had four men on for three weeks poison-96 0 0 ing the rabbits with grain and toxa, Or Flynn moved that Madden Bros. and by his own eyes he saw that more be allowed to withdraw their tender, rabbits came off land adjoining the ing for permission to erect three rabbit and that the deposit be not forfeited. common than from the common. He had counted one flock of 65 rabbits on Cr Beggs did not approve of this being the Raglan side, which was a great breeding ground for them.

Cr Austin agreed that action should be taken to cope with the rabbits. He knew himself they had enormously increased. Last year, on St. Enoch's, he withdraw their tender if the deposit is had killed 16,000 rabbits, whilst three years ago not one could be seen there. It was not the neglect of inspectors that caused the increase, but the wonderful breeding season for rabbits. It was the same throughout the western district. The motion was carried,

Or Austin moved that a circular be The amendment was carried by 5 to sent to all the shires in the colony askrabbit inspectors re-appointed. Seconded by Cr Cushing, and carried.

Cr Russell said that while the rabbits had increased very much in the shire, tracts if it was a rule to give it to the the council was more to blame than landowners, through keeping up the tenders be called. Seconded by Cr Mt. Emu reserve, which was covered with rabbits. The lessee was unable to Cr Bridges moved as an amendment | cope with them, and as the place was a that the next lowest tender be accepted. plague to the shire the council should give him assistance.

Cr Lewis agreed with Cr Russell When the reserve was taken it would Flynn, and the President supported the have cost from L300 to L400 to make a job of it at all.

Cr Austin thought they should have Contract No. 4.—Forming and metalling the engineer's report on the reserve to see the way it was kent first.

Cr Russell moved accordingly, Seconded by Cr Austin and carried; Ca ... 206 0 0 Bridges suggesting that the reserve be ... 149 12 0 given back to the Government, and Cr Austin remarking that the Government would not take it.

Cr Austin reported that two days ago when in Skipton one of the surface-6 wen told him that the hailstones had 92 0 0 broken one of the glasses in the street ... 244 9 6 1 mp and he told him to get it repaired.

> THE WORLD RUNS AWAY FROM US. years ago he was incarcerated under a life sentence. Recently, however, circumstances had arisen which proved his innocence, and he

> our homes by disease we are virtually out of the

Gainsborough. In a brief note dated January 3rd, 1893, Mrs Rusling says she suffered in a

Mr Smith was completely cured by the same remedy, and says had be known of it sooner he would have been saved years of misery.

The real allment in both cases was indigestion and dyspepsia, with its natural consequences. feeling of weariness, languar, and fatigue, which announce its approach. Prevention is better

getting that I had to have new brick walls bolt at seconded, that Joseph Watson be are daily delivered as the hand of the good to an extra cost of 26 10s. I have by led authorized to demand and collect the General wings open the dome.

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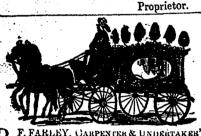
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BALLARAT PRODUCE MARKET. Wheat, 4s 9d to 5s; Algerian oats, 2s 7d to wheat, 48 Md to 58; Algerian oats, 23 7d to 28 9d; peas, to 38 2d; barley, prime malting, 48 6dd to 58; Cape, 28 10d to 38; potatoes, L5 to L5 10s; hay, prime green chaffing, L3786d to L3128 6d; medium, L8 58 to L3 78 6d; manger hay, L8 128 6d to L3 15s; straw, to L8 10s; bran, 1s 1d; pollard, 1s 14d; flour, roller, L12 59 to L12 10s.

BALLABAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

By the quartersor half quarrs, 17s 6d per 100 lb.; Corned Heef, 15s per 10 lb.; Mutton, by the carcase, 2d per lb.; 2gs, 3d per lb.; Prime Roast, 4dd per lb.; hops, from 4d to 5d per lb.; Sausses, 4d per .; Rump Steak, rom 4d to 6d per lb. Fat Cattle-Another large supply, numbering 424 head, was penned for to-day's sale, chiefy comprising quality ranging from useful to good, a small proportion being prime. There was an average atten-dance of the trade, and as the supply was dance or the trade; and as the supply was in excess to present reducements.

The process of present reducements for all descriptions showing a considerable decline of but week's rates. Quotations—

Printe pens builders, LV to LV 48 6d; good, L6 to L6 10s; inclinar, Li 10s to L5 10s; frime pens cows, L8 10s to L4, extra to L5 26 6d; good do, L2 10s to L3. Averages—

Description 14 bulledes 1.7 10s 13. Mering Dunrebin, 14 bullocks, 17 19s 1d; Merino Downs, 18 do, L7 16s 3d; Laidlaw, 25 do, L6 9s; Hutton, 19 do, L6 1s 5d; Gazette 21 do, L5 5s 1d; Captain Bridges, 30 do, L5 2s 11d. Calves-40 yarded, including some good and prime vealers, which met a very cull demand, at low prices—best to 47s Fat Sheep—6000 came forward for to-day's sale, only a small proportion being good and prime, remainder principally consisting of middling and useful descriptions. Sale opening to a very small attendance of buyers, competition lacking animation and throughout, continu d so, all quality pens shawing a marked decline on last week's values, whilet other sorts were terribly dull, and to effect a clearance very low prices had to be accepted. Quotations :- Prime crossb ed wethers, 9s to 10s, a few extra to 123; good do, 78 6d to 83 61; medium do 6s to 7s; prime crossbred ewes, 6s to 6s 7d good do, 5s to 5s od; prime merino wethers 7s to 7s 11d; good do, 6s to 6s 6d; medium do, 43 6d to 58 6d; ewes to 3s 9d. Store Sheep-5725 forward, and except at very low prices, met with hardly any demand, some remaining unsold. Lamb —25.3 to hand, the majority of the trade having supplies on hand were not anxious; prices mation to the exiled Jews, and Jose Christ's realised showing a reduction on last week's value: medium description ruling very low. Quotations .- Prime, 6s 6d to 7s, a few from | Presbyterian Church-8s to 8s 61 : good, 5s 6d to 6s; medium, 4s to 5s: inferior from 1s.

The following district sales are reported: -By Fisken, Valentine and Co -30 light weight bullocks for Captain Bridges, B.N. Stockyard Hill, to 7s 9d By Hepburn Dowing and Crawford -96 lambs for Mr G. Stephenson. Snake Valley, to 5s.

Bariey .- Prime walting, 4s 3d to 4s 10d. medium, 3s 9d to 4s; Cape, 2s 10d to 3s. Oats.—Best stout, up to 3s 7d; feed de 8s 6d to 3s 7d; Algerians, prime, 3s 2d to Ss 21d; good feed, 3s to 2s 11d. Potatoes -L55s. Onions, to L7. Chaff, L47s 6d to L4 5s.

wanted soft lots from 4d. For prime instead of federation as the mos/desir-dairies and private separator lump, I have able feature of the Australian ture. Some and private separator lump, I have able feature of the Australian ture. In the constant buyers at highest prices. Eggs constant buyers at highest prices. Eggs There are doubtless very may difficuncils the power of appointing rabbit councils the power of appointing rabbit inspectors in the place of the members of the arriving in very inferior order. Duck eggs, culties to be overcome before uccess inspectors in the place of the members of the although for really prime lots there was

sitting on Thursday, and virtually settled the new system of railway management. The Government proposed that a trust should be appointed, composed of experisystem of having one commissioner adopted. The Premier then moved the adjournment

been evaporated from the pasture can only trust that as the days roll by fulness over his congregation during the done is estimated at L2500. grasses. Around Dixie the dairymen we can get rid of this unneighborly past year. The meeting closed with a

be as much difficulty with New Zealand as with any other colony, but it is satisfactory that New South Wales has to a year great artest back. South Waterloo, has been abandoned.

The Ararat Shire Council has abandoned the proposal to borrow L4000 on debentures for 20 years. Beaufort Busines Directory. GEORGE a very great extent broken down the Ti schedules for income tax for the BOOT AND SHIEFAKER. Willoughby Street, jer Shire Hall, BEAUFOR? Half Soleing and Heeling, or Cash—Men's, 3s 6d; Women's, 2s 9d; Gillren's, at equally reduced rates. H. C I L L O C H, tian Customs union into existence; we can confidently look forward to the time when it will be complete in its operations and obstacter; and we may look forward with no less confidence to that further off time—not greatly further off time—not greatly further of ti -FAMILY BUTHER,-HAVELOCK STREET BRAUFORT. Prime Meat kept. Soft Golardways on hand Orders called foldaily,

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proclamation to the human race, high 61 1 to 4, St. Luke 4, 17 to 19. Trawall 3 p.m.

Lexton, 11 a.m.; Waterloo, 3 p.m. Rev. A

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18,1896.

Local and General News.

The rainfall at Beaufort for the week ending 9 o'clock vesterday morning was Sunday was the hottest day this year a

eaufort, 100° being registered in the angle of my house and of my house ay night, when about 40 points of rain The weather has since been cooler. Speaking on the rabbit pest in the Regislative Assembly on Tuesday, the member for Ripon and Hampden is re-

The tolling of the firebell disturbed good many of the townspeople at about 7 clock on Wednesday morning. The house at St. John's Parsonage was simply are now announced escaping from a copper. The members of the local Fire Brigade promptly answered

to the call. be presented to Mr Wm. Lewis, J.P., of "Stoneleigh," Stockyard Hill, by the president and councillors of the Shire of Ripon, with which Mr Lewis half. Ripon, with which Mr Lewis had been willingness to enter the political arena in connected as connecillor for 29 years, is (says the interests of that constituency is Mr slaughtered as fat cattle frequently used the "Star") on view at Messrs F. W. Patrick Neylon, Black Rock, near Camper- in the manufacture of what are called Niven and Co's establishment. The address down. Mr Neylon is one of the most is of unusual size, and fully evidences the energetic of the Heytesbury shire counhigh-class workmanship turned out from cillors, and is very popular in the forest the firm's establishment. The lettering is country. Mr Thos. Montgomery, of bold and neat and is surrounded by an Mortlake, was asked to stand, and was effective piece of coloring in the shape of promised liberal support, but that gentleclusters of azaleas, sweet briar flowers, &c., man explained that he had pledged while at the foot is a representation of 'Stoneleigh," and at the top Mr Lewis' portrait

The following is a copy of the circular on the rabbit question which has been forwarded to all the shires in the colony by the Shire of Shire of Ripon to draw your attention to the great and alarming increase in the number of Villiers and Heytesbury, and settles the anea in the House since his return from the House since his return from thick the sincing of reluctantly consented to be aligned. weight bullocks for Captain Bridges, B.N.,
Trawalle Estate, to L5 17s 6d, averaging
L5 3s; 139 wethers and ewes for M. Hogon,

L5 3s; 139 wethers and ewes for M. Hogon, mitted that the present mode of dealing with | and H.) electorate is concerned, I gave no MELBOURNE MARKETS.

Wednesday.

Messrs E. C. Robertson and Co., chaff and grain merchants, 56 Spencer-street, report

Wheat.—New prime milling, to 55

Bariev.—Prime maligning 43 2d to 44 2d to the pest by means of the police is a failure, definite reply at all, and as for Ripon and tariffs, or the removal of visting barriers to the free commercial previous of Australasia. This we must desire to point out that when inspectors come to before we can lav any clm to be appointed by the shire consideration of the shire c come to before we can lay any clan to were appointed by the shire councils the federation, and the more the queson is rabbits were effectually kept in check, and 147s 6d to 14:5s.

Mr George Evans, Flinders-lane west, the formula of the more apparently will be the formula of the formula of the same common origin, ill of the same common origin, ill of the shire councils to appoint rabbit inspectors. Fresh Butter.—Short supplies, quality common sympathies, and each siving in place of the members of the police force. This council has already addressed the Hontor lump, 71d to 8d; prime dairies, 7d to 7td; good, 6d to 7d; inferior and heated of commercial isolation can cy be to have the co-operation of your council, and loss lower. Potted butter, 5d to 61d; justified by those who look to antenism for that purpose respectfully suggests that

7d. Bacon, town cured, 51d to 6d; hams, can be said to be attained; it was police force.—I have the honor to be, etc., 61d to 7d; lard, 41d to 5d. Honey, 1d to there ever a great scheme, hch as Joseph Watson, Shire Secretary." 2d. Beeswax, 112d, wanted any quantities. Australian federation, without diffi-Id to 11d. Consignors should forward culties? The very eagernes which Church, Beaufort, was held in the Sunday Beaufort.—[ADVT.] vealers and porkers for Friday's sale only, Victorian manufacturers are aintain-Poultry met with a dull market after the Poultry met with a dull market after the holidays, and prices ruled very low, obstacle rather than an aid. ome of of the last annual meeting be confirmed. tair bidding. Young roosters sold up to 43 her manufacturers are ope to the The following gentlemen, being duly 6d; mixed lots, 1s 3d to 2s 1d; small imputation that as they forerly con- nominated, were elected as committeechickens, 6d; ducks, 2s to 3s; ducklings, ls tended for isolation entirelyin their men for the ensuing year, on the motion 9d to 3s; geese, 2s 3d to 3s; turkey gobblers, prime 8s to 14s 6d; inferior, 6s to 7s 6d; hens, 4s to 7s; pigeons, 9d. Grain Market (No. 2) by pigeons, 9d. Grain Market (No. 2) by pigeons, 9d. Grain Market (No. 2) by pigeons, 9d. Grain the conscite principle. The need have Market.—Chaff.—Prime, L4 15s; medium the opposite principle. The need have Minchin, J. Eastwood, — Tilley, and J. to L4 78 6d; straw chaff, oaten, L3 28 6d; little hesitation in adming this Humphreys; the incumbent nominating wheaten L3; barley, L2 178 6d. Wheat. — impeachment. But it w not be Captain Bridges, R.N., and Messrs Hughes Prime, 5s 2d; medium to 4s 9d. Barley, difficult to show at the confe nee which and Sinclair. The statement of receipts -Malting to 4s 6d; thin English to 3s 10d; difficult to show at the contempor which and sindair. The statement of recepts cape to 3s 6d. Units —White stout to 3s to be held within the burse of a halance in hand on the 31st December. 74; Algerian to 3s 2d. Peas to 3s 3d; month or two that if interceptial free- a balance in hand on the 31st December, maize, 3s 6d; potatoes, to L5 10s; onions to trade would benefit Victor it would Husbes, and seconded by Mr. Tourist 17 10s. assuredly not injure any of the other colonies—that in point of figs the free and adopted. Moved by Mr Hughes, and The Legislative Assembly had a long interchange of commodies would seconded by Mr Topper—That the usual tring on Thursday, and virtually settled eventuate in mutual gain, even if we amount be passed to Miss B. Ison, the leave out of consideration that larger organist, with a letter of thanks for her he Government proposed that a trust event of the future which i yould most services; also the usual amount to the should be appointed, composed of experienced business men, but this was rejected
after a long and dreary discussion; and the
system of having one commissioner adopted.

event of the future which it yould most organ-blower. Moved by the Incumbent, and seconded by Mr Hughes—That a
hearty vote of thanks be passed to the by any obstacles in the way, evote our treasurer, Mr George Topper, and to the time to the minor consummation as the secretary, Mr W. Stuart, for their faithful sek the House to meet to-day, but at the ing that Sydney is now a free port, that seconded by Mr Hughes—That the usual

subjects or objects, and embrace in its of that duty. The returns will have to be range the full measure of Australian will be made by 31st March, and the tax will be payable on or before 20th April. Full particulars may be obtained now

hold good for 21 days. These facts alone University, who had been on an explora-should be sufficient to induce many people tion picnic to the law Baw Ranges. to travel. Those who decide to take "Argus" correspondents:

advantages or the trans will have an opportunity of witnessing the many coatests and intertainments provided by the A.N.A. a rise in bread which mares the thrifty Great interest is being evinced in the housewife look with wonder and alarm. Wheel Race for 800 sovereigns, which is the largest prize yet offered in any part of the their shadows before, it is the altered prosworld for such an event. There are 97 ported in the "Argus" as follows:—"Mr entrants for it, among the number being it is by long standing dought, opens up do something, but it would be uttarly im.

Martin, Harris, and Porta, of old world in regard to the future that capped. do something, but it would be utterly im- fame, and Parsons, Pither, and Walker, possible to fence in the Crown lands at the Australian champions. The first prize the present juncture. Much good might in the art union is £650, and there are extra cost of living need not be done by distributing a large amount of the highest union is £650, and there are extra cost of living need not be considered to the cost of living need not be considered as unmixed evil. Unfortunately, however, the indications of improvement in trade, the extra cost of living need not be considered as unmixed evil. Unfortunately, however, the indications of improvement in trade, the extra cost of living need not be considered. obtained from local agents. All purchasers, ever, the indications are all the other way. whother present at the fête or not, have a For a long time past the boats to South chance to win some of the important prizes, Africa were crowded with artisans and and also £50 in cash, if they send the others who were tired o' being idle here. alarm, however, was a false one, as the coupon on the ticket to the secretary of the The same kind of exodus is now going on amoke issuing from the roof of the wash- fate. The last days for the sale of tickets in re Western Australia. And now as it

> vacant by the resignation of Dr Thos. Scott, member for Villiers and Heyteshimself to oppose Mr E. H. Austin, the present representative of the Ripon and

The seat in the Assembly to be rendered

Hampden electorate, at the next general election, and consequently was not in a position to accede to their request .-Terang Express." Mr T. Montgomery writes to the "Standard," respecting the rumor that he had been asked to stand for

from Samuel West to Mrs Collins, the of the House was moved to discuss the owner having paid the liceuse fee on the increase of the rabbit pest. When this Tuesday, 28th inst., at 10 a.m.

FOR THE SPRING .- Your attention is drawn to the New Dress Materials, Crepons, Prints, Corsets, Ribbons, Laces, Umbrellas, Hosiery, Gloves, Flooreloths, Calicoes, Sheetings, Flannelettes, Clothing of all Ties, Boots and Shoes, which offer great original estimate had been exceeded The singer wss loudly applauded. inducements to buyers of sterling goods at mainly owing to the Government being

The Rev. R. Hosken, St. John's Parsonage, Beaufort, wishes to express his Council without amendment. A short thanks to the captain, officers, and bill enabling a grocer's license to be transmembers of the Beaufort Fire Brigade for ferred in the event of the death of the their very prompt attendance on the licensee was passed through all its stages. Many morning of 15th inst. to the alarm of fire. At half-past 10 o'clock the House An attention so ready and so willing must, adjourned till half-past 3 p.m. to-day. Mr Hosken says, tend to give confidence Judging from the disposition shown by throughout the district-a confidence, he members yesterday to get through with is well assured, the Beaufort Fire Brigade

members fully deserve. Around the festive board on Wednesday evening the members of the Fiery Creek Lodge of Freemasons showed their loyalty manner. Lord Salisbury and Mr Chamburgh, an admiral of the English fleet, go berlain were highly culogised by Bros. J. over to reign in Saxe Coburg Gotha, says had enjoyed themselves quite as much as from 243 to 286. recent war scare. The healths of these Germany. But such a contingency was begged to third it.

The Duke of Westminster, who a few days ago refused to bring further pressure to bear on Lord Salisbury to take

Germany so acute that President Cleve of the performers, who, ne said, would than 2006 sentences to penal servitude only be too happy to assist any church or only be too happy to assist any church or only be too happy to assist any church or in 1869, and only 751 in 1891.

The Duke of Westminster, who a few land and Senator Chandler have folded up the Munroe doctrine and oranged it into the district in whatever way their pockets for the time being so as to the properties and the pockets for the time being so as to the pockets for the time being so as to the pockets for The fremier then moved the adjournment of the debate till Tuesday, to allow the dovernment to remodal the bill on these flooring the base of the same gentlemen were appointed to Multyre and Mr Shieldsauggested that the law said, there are a good many was not inconvenient for both city and country members to attend at the House of Fridays. The Premier consented not to ask the House to meet to day, but at the seconded by Mr Hughes—That the usual that the following the premier to the debate till Tuesday, but at the seconded by Mr Hughes—That the usual that the formula of the seconded by Mr Hughes—That the usual that the following the premier of the debate till Tuesday, for the time being so as a second to the finite time to the minor consummation as the secretary, Mr W. Stuart, for their faithful and continued services during the year. It was not the finds the inquiring friends a his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition on behalf of the finds the inquiring friends at his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition on behalf of the finds the inquiring friends at his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition on behalf of the finds the inquiring friends at his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition on behalf of the finds the inquiring friends at his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition on behalf of the finds the inquiring friends at his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition on behalf of the finds the inquiring friends at his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition of Messrs McDonald and Stewart; Mr Armenians in the stew the finds the inquiring friends a his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition of Messrs McDonald and Stewart; Mr M. Armenians in the stew the finds the inquiring friends a his bedside accorded the Chairman, on the proposition of Messrs McDonald and Stewart; Mr M. Armenians in the stew the finds the inquiring friends accorded that the finds the inquiring friends and it is almost decided that the finds the inquiring frien same time intimated that it was not to be her Ministers and people have freetrade sum be handed to the treasurer for what the Eriday sittings tendencies she holds have freetrade nostage etc. Moved by Mr Hughes and what power thwarted the endeavor his magnificent young nephew, the Employee and what power thwarted the endeavor his magnificent young nephew, the duke assumed from this that the Friday sittings tendencies, she holds hereif suspiciously were to be abandoned. The House then adjourned at half-past 10 p.m till Tuesday. and jealously aloof. Sime of her lead-ing old-fashioned men—we would like to revoke the English. And fearfully against the English against t to take place on the first Monday in each enabling a monster in human shape to The Dixie dairymen have great faith to dub them "statesmin," but we do quarter, at 8 p.m. Moved by Mr Topper, destroy 50,000 defenceless people. Her ing him aboard a warship his old comrades in the utility of green maize as a not care to pervert the truth—adhere and seconded by the Incumbent—That a Majesty Queen Victoria is so much dis-

grasses. Around Dixie the dairymen grow a succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep up a regular supply of succession of crops which keep to do thanks to, the chair. [community of the light of the summary of t

The Ararat Shire Council has abandoned | CONCERT AT MIDDLE CREEK

barriers which existed between that year 895 may now be obtained. It was Great Rritain and Germany, the press of barriers which existed between that colony and Victoria. We must perforce look to the ameliorating influences of time and experience. In brief, if we can only succeed in bringing an Australian Costoms union into evistance, we highly cache provided to post a schedule to each tax project the latter country makes an important contradiction. It has been publicly stated that, in reply to the rebuke sent by Her Majesty Queen Victoria to her Imperial tickle. Accordingly, each person required to fit in a schedule must obtain one for the two countries.

procession, and the remarks to be heard

On the principle that coming events cast pects which such failure accompanied as much uneasiness. If there were any clear indications of improvement in trade, the we had not troubles enough to keep as sufficiently down heatted for the next twelve months, at least, there comes the horrible revelations by the municipal bodies respecting our milk and meat supplies. Diseased cattle slaughtered for human food in premises totally unfit fer business. Unborn calves taken from cows impart and spread disease and death instead of nourishment and health. And all this under the very eyes of the Central Board of Health.

There was a good attendance of members of the Legilative Assembly yesterday afternoon when the speaker given and thoroughly appreciated. Miss took the chair, fully 50 gentlemen being in their seats. Many of then were sunburnt, showing they had spent their holidays audience demanded a second instalment, either in the country or at the seaside, and Miss Stuart favoring them with 'Angel they were in marked contrast with the land,' which was tastefully rendered and pallid faces of those, who had stayed in much approved. Mester Colin M. Donaid of draw your attention to the ginerease in the number of of the sincing of the debate, and urgel the flow of the debate of the flow of the debate, and urgel the flow of the debate, and urgel the flow of the debate of the flow of the flo from both sides on entering the Chamber. the House to refer to the Railway Stand- style, and was loudly applauded. The defences and to the tay i frees in the House to refer to the Railway Stand-ing Committee the question of extending second part of the programme was eponed colonial waters, conc. a faminal second part of the programme was eponed colonial waters, conc. a faminal the railway further into the mallee. The by Miss McDonald (Middle Creek) who Bridge's opinion that every mound dieso

of the line, which is a little over two miles Master J. McDonald (Middle Creek in length, instead of L20,000, as stipurate the estimate had been based. The measure was eventually sent to the licensee, was passed through all its stages. the work placed before them, the session should be brought to a close before the end of the month .- "Argus," Wednes-

When the British people let one of F. Watkin and H. H. Jackson for the "Oriel," a moment's thought was given the listeners. Who had been unable determined manner in which they had to the embarrassing position of the Duke Mr W. Roberts, who had been unable determined manner in which they had to the embarrassing position of the Duke Mr W. Roberts, who had been unable determined manner in which they had to the embarrassing position of the Duke Mr W. Roberts, who had been unable the manner in which they had to the embarrassing position of the Duke Mr W. Roberts, who had been unable the manner in which they had to the embarrassing position of the Duke Mr W. Roberts, who had been unable the manner in the m determined manner in which they had to the embarrassing position of the Duke dealt with England's foes during the in case of war between England and statesmen were drunk in bumpers, and, so absurdly remote, so obviously imposled by Bro. J. R. Wotherspoon, the sible, that the idea was laughed away. brethren sang "Rule Britannia" in the Here suddenly, however, is a crisis with that the country will want to know British Admiral, but in the event of war district. awkward complications might arise. See The object of the concert was a very suzerian rights of Great Britain are find the channel fleet might set fogged in the channel fleet might set of the channel fleet might get fogged in their ideas, and forget to fire until it was should make their segments. summer milk producing fodder for their dairy cows. And they have good reason tor the dependence they place on it, the experience of the last couple of the experience of the experience of the last couple of the experience of the last couple of the experience of the last couple of the experience of the their ideas, and forget to fire until it was should make their services as attractive as pendent Republic it, the experience of the last couple of years convincing them of its great value. To be a really successful dairy man it is a great essential to have a rich, juicy fodder of some species to supply to cattle when the juices have been evalurated from the pasture of the experience of the last couple of and obviously advantateous in practice, accounts. It was resolved four should four should autograph letter on the subject.

A destructive fire occurred in Main street, Stawell, on Tuesday, when Mr Nelson's drapery establishment was not all by Mr Toppor—Thut a hearty vote of thanks be passed to the Rev. R. Hosken, the incumbent, for his services and watch—the incumbent, for his services and watch—the incumbent, for his services and watch—the incumbent, for his grandmanna when first interview with his grandmama when he next visits her. Her most gracious and he thought are the peautort enurch, but imperial EYE olnTMENT is sufficient interview with his grandmama when would now have to try and get another. Safest, speediest and best remote works are the thought are thought are the peautort enurch, but imperially and get another. he next visits her. Her most gracious and spirited Majesty has given him a bit of her mind already has given him a bit of her mind a bit o

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A most enjoyable concert, in aid of the local Presbyterian Church Organ Fund, was held in the Middle Creek Public Hall on Thursday evening. The building proved altogether too small for the occasion, proved altogether too small for the occasion, and the occasion an many having to be content with an out- Lord Brassey, loz 10dwt; Litter, many having to be content with an out-side hearing. It was pleasing to see the ledwt. The yields from Chite good fellowship existing amongst the amounted to 50z 3dwt. The Try Again various denominations, all of which were vield was only about 'dwt. This strongly represented. Dr Adam officiated commany after heat! as chairman in the happiest of manners. company, after battling against bad luck when he promised to come out he was for over twelve months, he show been When he promised to come out ne was told that the concert would start would up, but one of the r number is punctually, and he supposed they should endeavouring to get another company be thankful that it was only half-an-bur together to work the ground, as he is be thankful that it was only man-an-used to gettier to work the ground, as he is after the starting time, which was punctual still of opinion that there is payable further off time—not greatly further keeters, solicitors, schoolmasters, &c., will gon last Friday by the appearance of the ladies and two gentlemen with two attendants and packhorses. The cause of the extend to other than commercial necessary to an intelligent performance of the ladies and packhorses. The cause of the ladies were old proverb, 'Hurry no man's cattle,' was in the direction of the flour mill, the "sensation" was that the ladies were old proverb, 'Hurry no man's cattle,' was ground dipped away suddenly, and dressed in rational costume—generally applicable to the country. But they were ground dipped away suddenly, and spoken of as "bloomers"—and each rode going to keep the ball rolling now. He apparently formed a gntter running poken of as "bloomers and can't be going to keep the ball to have being asked to preside, north and south. It is thought that if her horse "straddle legged." The party was very pressed at being space to paid that if caused as much sensation as a circus and could only repeat what he had said on this ground were opened out payable and could only repeat what he was always gold may be found. The party now Full particulars may be obtained now from the local statement of the excurfrom the local state health, found it unsuitable to go out to very slow. Hancock and party have health, found it unsuitable to go him to not yet succeeded in finding party nave ovening meetings, and asked him to not yet succeeded in finding one payable represent him and apologise for his gold at the Southern Cross. White and absence. As usual he saw that all party are blocking, and will soon have denominations were represented, and liked the ground worked out from the present helping everybody els -which is as it should be. After referring to the pro- paddling and working in stallow gramme of delightful songs and recitations, ground have poor yields to report.

and thanking the Presbyterians for appointing him chairman, Dr. Adam called upon Miss Cowans and Miss McDonald (Middle Creek) to play a pianoforte duet, and 'Merry sleigh bells' was rendered in good style, and loudly cheered. Master J. McDonald (Middle Creek) sang Sailing' most creditably and was cordially received, after which the Chairman remarked- That's one McDonald ; we're going to have a dose of McDonalds to-D. McDonald (Beautort) recited an old hard Langdon the Fremier intuition night, for the clan is in evidence.' Mr D. McDonald (Beautort) recited an old that applications resident being received by the Lands & Datus one style, and met with a hearty reception. from farmers whose crops have suffered Miss Adam gave a beautiful tendering of 'Marguerite,' and was vocierously applauded. At a later stage Mis Adam also be dealt with shortly. The New Comtastefully sang, to a zither accompaniment, Flora McDonald's lament, and again met with a cordial reception. Mr J. R. Wotherspoon was in great fette, Bonny Dundee' pleasing so well that the singer responded to the encore by giving a capital rendering of 'The barring o' the door. He was also heard to advantage later on in 'The blue Alsatian mountains.' Miss Bain recited, in character, 'The new Church organ.' This item was plendidly

L. Stuart's song, Come under my plaidee, was exceptionally well rendered, and the nice effect. This number pleasel con-

Kilgour, was sweetly sung and warmly wait. received. Dr. Adam effectively sang 'By The bush fire of Sunday licensee objecting to do so. Mr Leader subject had been disposed of, the Electric pointed out that a special Licensing Court Light and Power Bill was passed through would have to sit, and he would arrange all its stages with a few consequential well pleased. Miss L. Stuart and Mr. hors the analysis of the council well pleased. Miss L. Stuart and Mr. with Mr Patterson and Mr Johns, P.M's., amendments, and returned to the Council. J. A. Jackson sang and acted 'Very State forest has been to hear the application at Beaufort on The Minister of Railways then moved J. A. Jackson sang and acted 'Very State forest has been application at Beaufort on The Minister of Railways then moved J. A. Jackson sang and acted 'Very State forest has been application at Beaufort on The Minister of Railways then moved J. A. Jackson sang and acted 'Very State forest has been sanguaged by the second state of the the second reading of the bill amending improper indeed to the entire satisfaction of the audience; in fact, they fairly devastated that it count for he rectored struction Act by providing for the brought down the house.' The last verse in a generation. expenditure of L25,000 in the construction was repeated and again appreciated

brought the programme to a close by lated in the act. He explained that the really good rendering of 'Sweet Marie.'

compelled to give the men engaged on proposing a hearty vote of thanks to the the work 6s a day instead of 4s, on which performers, said he was sure that all had enjoyed themselves and got the value of the ls. spent. It was the first time that he where at 98 91 per bottle. Feware of worthlass had come to an entertainment of this imitations and substitutes character here, but he hoped it would not be the last, although he did not approve tain has decreased from 23,361 in of churches, believing in the good old 1876-7 to 12,663 in 1991-2. The conmethod in recognition method in vogue in Scotland of everybody, viet population in the same period has contributing their mite towards the houses of known bas fame las diminchurch. If they had a little more of that nished nearly 75 per cent. here, so as to cause the people to think In view of the serious flar cean more of the welfare of their church, it situation and the possibility of histic would be far better.

Mr H. Gordon seconded the motion, remarking there was no doubt but that it has consented, on the recommendation was very kind of the performers to come of the Military Commandant, to increase

to get inside, having acted as doorkeeper,

acclamation. Mr Sinclair returned thanks on behalf of the performers, who, he said, would

thanked those present, and repeated that over its foreign affairs by Great Britain he was only too happy to assist the arrange over its foreign affairs by Great Britain. Creek people in any way that he could. to revoke the treaty under which the worthy of every commendation for the flowers made by her on behalf of these made efforts made by her on behalf of those who attended the church, and he hand they which had a sort of an instrument, but would now have to try and get another.

He thought To an angle another the state of the sense of triumph.

SORE EYES!! Beyond doubt MORRIS'S SORE EYES!! Beyond doubt MORRI

MINING NEWS

The following are the reported yields | for last week :- Wright, 11oz 11dwi; White, 50z 17dwt 6gr; Iredale, 103 sinft. As usual those employed

The following are the Waterloo yields to hand for the week endin 11ti ist.: -Volunteer, 11 oz ! dwt; Gollen Gate, 6 oz 8 dwt; Martin, 3 oz 8 dw; Crasweller, 2 oz 9 dw. Kiplay de 1 oz 13 dwt.

The Legislative Assemble al it exhibited the previous day.

through the drought, and that they would panies Bill was introduced by the Attorney-General and circulated. A proposal made by the Minister of Rullways to remit the question of the further extension of the railways in the malice to the Railways Standing Committee was rejected, the House being of online that the Government should accept the responsibility of selecting a line in that district for construction, and not attempt to thrust the work on to the committee. The Railway Management Bill was then considered in committee, but no progress was made, members reiterating a number of the suggestions made during the debates on the second reading of the measure last month as alternative proposals to the Government scheme for the app of a trust. At 11 o'closs

"Argus," Thursday. Lord Brassey, referring to colonia.

no houses were burn to Vaccesa

of the blood is divised --Remember that the idea pure, circulates through th

The singer was loudly applauded.

Mc D. McDonald (Middle Creek), in proposing a hearty vote of thanks to the performers, said he was sure that all had anyoned themselves and sense that all had anyoned themselves and sense that all had anyoned themselves are marked as the sense of the sense The prison population of Great Bri-

decreased 50 per cen , the number of &

ties being resorted to, the Government

River, near Menindie, a cod fish weighing 1811b. was recently eaught. Two The vote of thanks was accorded by men pulled it out with fencing wire, and dragged it into a billabong.

In Great Britain there were no fewer

In responding, Dr Adam gratefully Transvaal of the authority exercised

It is reported that the Boer bargbers

really marvellous cures in these colonies

BEAUFORT POLICE COURT,

Monday, 13th January, 1896. (Before Mr. Leader, P.M.) James Jackson was charged with assaulting, and also resisting, Const ble Stephenson in the execution of his duty. at Waterloo on the night of 1st January. Defendant said he had been to the

not know what he was doing. Constable Stephenson gave evidence to the effect that Jackson was creating a disturbance at the Albion hotel, Waterloo, and wanted to fight everybody there. He cautioned him a couple of times, and said that if he did not behave himself he (the constable) would arrest him. Jackson then got the jigger or rest in the billiard-room, and threatened to strike the landlord. When witness went up to him Jackson struck him in the face with the rest. He then arrested him, and on the way to the watch-bouse Jackson tried to throw him several times, and refused to walk.

fine-nearly La As it was the first offence, Jackson was need L1 on each charge, in default 14 days' imprisonment, with 11s costs. A debt case was settled out of court. George McCracken v. John Damus.

night last, he missed a bottle of whisky night last, he missed a bottle of whisky and due out a lot of burrows. Whenever and suspected Damus of stealing it, he he could spare time from home he was on about two hours. He left about 9 and a ferret. his cash. He had known Damus bfore, Roland and his cousin Jack were with he having been employed breking thought it was possible to count 100 rabbits stones for the shire.

Constable Bray gave evidence as to the arrest of prisoner, from a descrip digging them out.

John Kirkpatrick, a cousin of defendant,

not have taken the whisky had he He was on the land about an hour.

Saturday night, he was sentenced to 24

Roland Kirkpatrick, a son of defendant, gave, evidence as to his working on the land as week before Christinas, digging out workings and so have been in his proper senses he would give him the benefit of that. The ordered to be returned to Mr McCracken.

There were two rabbit cases on the list but as the act specified that a J.P. must adjudicate with the F.M., the ceart was adjourned till 2 p.m.

Subsequently Mr J. R. Wotlerspoon, JP., sat with Mr Leader on the

Rabbit Inspector Orde chargel Robt.

of Eurambeen, Defendant pleaded not guilty.

T. J. Orde, sworn, produced his appointment as inspector under the Vermin Destruction Act. He visited the land on 22nd June and found the rabbits were very numerous. He again visited the land on 9th July, and again on 7th Jany. He had left it for so long to endeavour to get defendant to clear his land. He posted a notice to July (copy produced), also a plan showing the situation of the ground. The first visit was paid at about 3 p.m., when he walked through the paddock and saw that the burrows were very numerous and the rabbits very bad. The land was in as bad a state on the the money to do so. He had been put to going into one burrow. There was no meet the case. sign of anything being done to kill them; no burrows were dug out. He walked right down on one side, crossed | could do, if the inspector was willing, was found that no attempt whatever had rabbits. rabbits were as numerous on his next could not agree to this, as the plain truth visit. There had been a plough farrow right across the west side evidently made between the 9th July and 7th Jany., but there was no poison there on the latter date, nor had any recent attempt been made to destroy the rabbits. He counted 110 rabbits, and saw a great many more, but ceased Mr Leader intimated that it was the to count after reaching 110. It is people's law, having been made by Act of Parliament, and that it must be carried rangy, timbered country.

To defendant—Saw no wheat there. To Mr Leader—Did not see Mr the inspectors to the Department. "Sup-Kirkpatrick after serving the notice. pose," said he, "I kill the rabbits, will I He had an extensive scope of country get the money back?"
to deal with, and it was impossible to Mr Leader—"If you sell the rabbits see men day after day.

Mr Leader—You are not expected to ment of the fine.

Inspector Bray, who had accompanied Inspector Orde on the 7th inst., gave corroborative evidence.

To defendant—Saw two or three furrows in different parts of the paddock. Was not in the south-west corner. The furrows were not recently ploughed. He had visited the land north of Kirkpatrick. On 28th Novr. there were hundreds of rabbits on the land. Served a notice on 4th Decr.,

'94 for the same land, grain of wheat in them,

Robt, Kirkpatrick, sworn, stated that rom the day following that on which he received the notice, he had men digging out burrows for weeks and also had laid poisoned wheat. He lived at Stockyard Hill, 4 or 5 miles from this land He sent his two sons rabbiting there every now and again, and some-

times went himself to help them dig Defendant said no mad been to the out burrows, but could not tell how races, got the worse of drink, and did half-a-day, others half-an-hour. He ploughed the furrows and his son sowed all but two handfuls of two kerosene tins of poisoned wheat. They started from the gate on the main road through the paddock, to the south-west corner, back again, and up the gullies. There were two horses in the plough, and it took two days to do it—one day last Wednesday and the other about a few days after receiving the notice. The

burrows. To Mr Orde—He received a notice from Mr Bray on the 4th Decr., but to the best several times, and refused to walk. of his knowledge had not got any from Aiter a great deal of trouble he locked him (Mr Orde). He did not think it was bim up, and brought him into Beaufort possible to cross the paddock and count on the 2nd inst., when he was remanded 100 rabbits; but he might do so by counttill to-day. Jackson had 7s. on him, ing some a dozen times over. He would but his mates left money to pay the not swear that there were not 500 burrows go into the paddock every day. He had not ploughed on the north portion because of the ranges, but had dug plenty

of burrows out there. John Kirkpatrick, a son of defendant. deposed that he was ploughing burrows -Larceny of a bottle of whisky, valued on the land all day Wednesday, and laid he was also there killing rabbits with Defendant, who elected to be dealt three dogs, but did not see the inspectors with summarily, supposed he had taken there. He was chopping rabbits out of it be had no recollection of doing so. logs also. As fast as the rabbits were Grorge McCracken, licensee of the killed they came in from the common, freorge Hotel, deposed that on Saturday which is literally alive with them. On Tuesday he took a load of wood home,

having been drinking at his place for the land killing rabbits with dogs, a gun, o'clock, and 20 minutes after witness To Inspector Orde—It was possible for sent his boy for the police upon missing two men to go through the paddock on it. Mr Bray brought the man and the horseback without his seeing them. He whisky back to his place. Damus was under the influence of drink, other lise thought he would not have taken the took two witnesses out on the 9th to see whisky. He had only had three draks, that poison was laid; that was when the witness giving him two and a tiree- summons was served. They arrived on penny piece, but did not have any of the land about 6.30 p.m. His brother

> crossing the paddock, but it was impossible to count 500 burrows, as he had been

Prisoner admitted taking the whisky gave evidence as to inspecting the land in from the counter, and afterwards said question last Thursday. It was daylight when he got theze. He saw a lot of and came to try and get work on the also that had been made some time before. railway regrading works. He would He saw 20 or 30 rabbits, but no burrows.

proper senses he would give him the he went regularly to cart wood homo; sometimes he took a load home. He could not swear there were not 500 burrows there, nor that 100 rabbits could not be counted in crossing the paddock. The rabbits came off the common for the picking, as it was the only place that there

was any grass. Walter Simper deposed that he was employed by Mr Dunnet at Stockyard Hill, Last Wednesday, whilst carting wood, he saw J. Kirkpatrick ploughing Kirkpatrick with not taking sufficient and laying poisoned wheat on the land. steps to destroy the rabbits on his land He saw the dogs kill two rabbits while he (324 acres or thereabouts) in the parish was there for about an hour. He was not

on the land last year. Mr Kirkpatrick considered the inspectors should attend to other people's paddocks as well as his, as they could find rabbits there as well.

Mr Leader-"Mr Orde, no doubt, would bevery glad to go round with you." Mr Kirkpatrick quoted the councillors' remarks published in our last issue con-

Mr Leader said that anyone travelling clear his land. He posted a notice to about could see the country was overrun defendant to destroy the rabbits on 19th with rabbits. At Cape Clear one could

hardly cross the road for them. Mr Kirkpatrick said the rabbits came from the common in droves across the

Mr Leader advised Mr Kirkpatrick to wire-net his land. Mr Kirkpatrick replied that he hadn't

occasion of his second visit. He a great deal of expense in killing the counted at times 6, 7, and 8 rabbits rabbits, and thought a nominal fine would Mr Leader pointed out that the minimum

second offence. The only thing the Bench across and back to the other side, and to give him an opportunity to destroy the been made to cope with the pest. The Mr Orde did not wish to be severe, but

was that Mr Kirkpatrick had been blamed for stocking his land with rabbits. Mr Leader said the Bench saw no reason why defendant should not be fined

and imposed the minimum penalty of L10. Defendant, who said it was a very severe fine indeed, asked for expenses for

you may." Six weeks' time was allowed for the pay Rabbit Inspector Bray v. Neil McIntosh.

-Same offence. George Bray deposed that on 29th August last he visited the land and found

several times and served notices on and again visited the land on 7th inst., in defendant -1. defendant, who was fined L2 in April company with Inspector Orde, when the To Inspector Orde—The Vermin Act had not been complied with by defendant. The furrows had not been complied with by defendant. The furrows had not a wheat in them,

| Similar to Airkpatrick s, out no possible, wheat to be seen, nor any dead rabbits, nor any burrows dug out—nothing done by it. Sold everywhere at 2s 9d per bottle, by it. Sold everywhere at 2s 9d per bottle, Road; London, England.

Cross-examined-If the land was cleared of rabbits it would not be very long before it was as bad again, as they can come from other places. There is wire-netting on not for the same land.

to get any better.

19th Decr., he and his son and a man was very badly infested when he got the the scores:notice. It had been a dreadful year for rabbits, and the season being so dry, none were drowned in burrows, but all came to maturity. It was rangy country, and he often went through it with dogs, but had boys were for several weeks digging out not dug any burrows out. The poison

acted very well last year. Cross-examined-He got the poisoned wheat from Felton, Grimwade and Co Last year it had a great effect, when he aid it twice. The time had not arrived for he second poisoning, as February was the best time. He was on the land last Friday and Saturday, and saw very few rabbits indeed. The next application of poisoned wheat would "cook" them altoether, if other people did the same work. His experience was that if the rabbits took the wheat at all they ate it within a week. Miles Nicholson, employed by defendant, gave corroborative evidence as to

the laying of the poison. Cross-examined-He had not dug any turrows out on this land, where he saw a few, but did not count them. The land was not so bad as others that no notice was taken of. He had seen rabbits coming off the common, not 20 or 30, but one after the other like a lot of Chinamen, and going into people's paddocks—some into Mr M'Intosh's and some into Mr Kirk-

patrick's. John M'Intosh, son of defendant, gave similar evidence to his father, and in cross-examination said he had not looked to see if there were any dead rabbits after laying the poison, but next day there was not a grain of wheat in the furrows. Enough poison was laid to kill all the rabbits there, and as many more.

Mr M'Intosh undertook to destroy the rabbits to the inspector's satisfaction if one month's time was given him. Mr Leader recognised the difficulty in coping with the pest with open country around, unless rabbit-proof fencing was erected, and this land did not appear to

be worth it. A fine of 40s. was imposed; 14 days peing allowed to pay it in. The Court then rose.

CLARKE'S WORLD-PAMED BLOOD MIX-TURB.—"The most searching Blood Cleanser that science and medical skill have brought to

the increase of the rabbit pest. Mr Duggan moved the adjournment of the House to enable this matter to be discussed. He stated that he had just returned from the country, and had not had an opportunity of conversing with members on the subject, but he trusted he would be supported by the necessary 12 members to enable the matter to he debated. To his surprise ar 3 satisfaction at least two-thirds of the members present rose to support the motion, showing that others beside him had been in the country, and had seen the serious increase in the pest. A large number of members took part in debate, and there was a general admission that the rabbits were overrunning the country to an alarming extent. It was stated that in some parts of the colony cerning the increase of rabbits in the it had become a question whether the selectors or the rabbits were to have possession of the land. There was, however, much difference of opinion as to what steps should be taken to cope with the pest. Some members advocated the lending of money to the municipalities to enable them to supply the farmers with wire netting, to be repaid S4 balls, 2 mdns., 45 runs, 4 wkts.; C. White, 24 balls, 19 runs; E. Lilley, 18 by 10 aunual insalments, and insisting on the land-owners laying down poison. Others, however, considered it would not be necessary to supply the selectors with wire netting if the Crown lands and reserves in the neighborhood, which fine was L2 for the first and L10 for the were the breeding grounds for the vermin, were enclosed with rabbit-proof netting. Sir John M'Intyre pointed out that now that an expert trade had been established in rebbits it should be determined whether they were in future to be looked upon as food or vermin. If the export trade were to be encouraged the destruction of rabbits could not be achieved, and a suggestion was made that the rabbit factories should receive a bonus on the number of rabbits tinned like the poor, the rabbits were always rabbit inspectors was proposed, but this ls. a day extra to induce them to take a greater interest in their duties. The

Minister of Lands on the various sug-

gestions made, and said that probably

the Ministry would introduce a bill

chase of wire netting.

WATERLOO V. DECEIVERS. A match was played in the Beaufort one side. This is the third offence, but Park on Saturday afternoon between Waterloo and a local team styling them-Inspector Orde gave corroborative selves the Deceivers, resulting in a victory evidence, stating that he counted 80 for the latter by 49 runs. The Deceivers CURES rabbits on crossing the paddock. It always rattled up 120; C. White and Loo, with has been a bad paddock, and never appears | 40 and 24 (not out) playing sound cricket, Defendant deposed that at about the (19), E. Lilley (11), and Cowel (10). and being well backed up by E. Trompf Defendant deposed that at about the capity of the time given him, the 18th and Calder secured 4 wickets at a cost of 23 PROMPTLY AND PERMANENTLY. runs, Abrey 3 for 30, R. Charlton 1 for ploughed the land and laid wheat all over 14. H. Charlton 1 for 22, and A. Cochrane the ground, taking two days, and laying 1 for 27. Waterloo responded with 71; two tins of wheat, which should be suffi- A. Cochrane (28) and Calder (17) being Mr W. Taylor, Yass, N.S.W., who writes

DECEIVERS. A. Parker, e A. Cochrane, b R. Charlton Charlton ... G. Cowel, c and b Cochrane E. Lilley, c Newey, b Calder ... C. White, c J. Cochrane, b R. Charlton G. Carver, c A. Cochrane, b R. Charlton ...
B. Thompson, b Abrey C. Loo, not out V. L. Lilley, c H. Charlton, b Calder T. Buchanan, b Calder W. White, cJ. Cochrane, b Calder Sundries ...

Bowling Analysis.—A. Cochrane, 54 balls, 27 runs, 1 wkt.; R. Charlton, 36 balls, 1 mdn., 14 runs, 1 wkt. ; H. Charl- ations and diploma. ton, 54 balls, 2 mdns., 22 runs, 1 wkt H. Calder, 34 balls, 23 runs, 4 wkts. T. Abrey, 54 balls, 30 runs, 3 wkts.
WATERLOO.

J. Cochrane, b Cowel... R. Charlton, hit wicket, b White T. Abrey, b White ... H. Calder, b Cowel ... A. Cochrane, b Cowel H. Charlton, not out ... J. Frusher, b Cowel ... J. Rutherford, c E. Trompf, b A. Parker ... W. Newey, b A. Parker W. Rutherford, b A. Parker Broadbent, c L. Lilley, b Cowel Sundries ...

Bowling Analysis .- G. Cowel, 64 balls mdn., 23 runs, 5 wkts.; C. White, runs, 3 wkts.

BEAUFORT V. AVENUE.

This match was continued on Wednesday afternoon. Beaufort, with 2 down for 47, totalled 178, or 77 ahead of the Avenue's first innings. A. Trompf, Loo, and G. Carver were the principal scorers, obtained 2 for 18 each, and Loo 1 for 19. The game is to be resumed next Wednesday. The following are the scores :-

Avenua .- 1st. Innings. C. White, b Fraser ... Cowel, b A. Trompf ... Barnes, c Fraser, b A. Trompf... E. Lilley, absent ... Nicoll, absent R. Thomas, c Loo, b Welsh D. Thomas, run out ... W. Buchanan, b E. Trompf Hill, b Welsh T. Buchanan, b A. Trompf Tilley, not out

Bowling Analysis. - E. P. Welsh, 116 balls, 4 mdns., 31 runs, 2 wkts.; A. Trompf, 108 balls, 1 mdn., 46 runs, 3 runs, 1 wkt. BEAUFORT.-1st Innings.

Parker, b Buchanan

H. Trompf, b Cowel ... Fraser, run out E. Trompf, b Cowel ... A. Trompf, c and b Barnes Thompson, c Thomas, b Barnes... E. P. Welsh, b Cowel... C. Loo, b Cowel Carver, c and b Barnes E. H. Welsh, not out A. Hobbs, b Barnes ... Sundries Total ...

Bowling Analysis.—Barnes, 115 bails 3 mdns., 48 runs, 4 wkts.; T. Buchanan 54 balls, 1 mdn., 36 runs, 1 wkt.; Cowel, AVENUE .- 2nd Innings.

C. White, l.b.w., b Welsh Cowel, b Loo E. Lilley, l.b.w., b Parker Barnes, c Thompson, b Welsh ... W. Buchanan, b Parker ... W. Hill, not out ... R. Thomas, not out ...

Total for 5 wickets Total for 5 wickets ... 64
Bowling Analysis.—E. P. Welsh, 84

550 PIECES HOYLE'S PRINTS AND SATEENS .- Summer days are coming, you and shipped abroad, but it was stated will want a washing dress. Thomas Hoyle that if that were done the pest would Havio's Prints and is washing day. Hoyle's Prints are fast colors, and will not never be got rid of, as it would be to run away on washing day. If our name is the interest of the factories to see that, stamped on the piece, we guarantee that this year. like the poor, the rabbits were always the color will stand boiling. If you can One up with us. The reappointment of the colors of which are not fast after washing, rabbit inspectors was proposed, but this your draper will get for you from us the was opposed on the score of expense, price of the material, and we will pay the and a counter proposal made to give the cost of making up a new dress. -J. McKeich, land. constables who acted as rabbit inspectors The Direct Importer, Neill-street, Beaufort.

The Treasurer states that the revenue for the first week of this year was Premier promised to consult with the L39,000 in excess of that collected between the 1st and 7th January, 1895. Of this increase L34,000 was paid into the Customs Department. authorising the Government to advance

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cient to kill all the rabbits there. He the only double-figure scorers. Cowel on June 7th, 1893 :—I have been suffering had not been on the ground till recently, took 5 wickets for 23, A. Parker 3 for 7, for a number of years from neuralgia. when he saw very few rabbits. The land and C. White 2 for 18. Appended are There is nobody but one suffering from the above complaint can give any idea of prise. the misery attached to it. I tried a lot of remedies, but never found any relief from

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All suffering from irritation of the throat and hoarseness will be agreeably surprised at the almost immediate relief afforded by the use of "Brown's Bronchial Toches." These famous lozenges are now sold by most respectable to continue dealing out daily temperational to the state of the second to continue dealing out daily temperations. lozenges are now sold by most respectable chemists in this country at 1s 1½d per box. People troubled with a "hacking cough," a shade, he will make it too hot for any slight cold, or bronchial affections, cannot try them too soon, as similar troubles, if allowed to progress, result in serious Pulmonary and Asthmatic Affections. See that the words is at vote of want of confidence height.

"Brown's Bronchial Teches" are on the Government Stamp around see that the words is at vote of want of confidence height.

vincial. He and Police Magistrate members at once pass from control. I Panton were at one time the owners of am very sorry this position had been five million acres in the Kimberley (W.A.) district. From what Punch 25 hears they abandoned a good deal of the balls, 18 runs, 2 wkts.; G. Carver, 12 land some years ago. Osmand, although bails, 17 runs; A. Parker, 24 balls, 7 many people would not think it by his "cut," has a passion for yachting, but of annum. late years he has not followed it up with the enthusiasm that once characterised his sea travels.

IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD-"We have seen hosts of letters from people who have received great benefit from the use of Clarke's Blood The chief inspector of stock reports first-named, however, was easily missed in ties."

Mixture. It cannot be too highly estimated, form the cleanses and clears the blood from all impurifies. This is a good testimonial from the when he got theze. He saw a lot of ploughed furrows with wheat in them, Prisoner said he had been working on Richardson's station on the Wimmera before. There were a lot of old furrows disease. For some time past there have we can with the unionst confidence recommend T. Buchanan 1 for 36. The Avenue have it to our subscribers and the public generally." now lost 5 wickets for 64 runs, towards which E. Lilley contributed 25 and W. Buchanan 17. Welsh and A. Parker kinds, its effects are marveilous. Thousands of

schedules there are still bitter complaints that farmers are unjustly treated in not being permitted to deduct the board of their workmen, as the schedules Friday, 24th January .- To Melbourne from provide that only "wages actually paid" can be deducted. It is urged that an will leave Horsbam at 10.40 a.m., Murtoa at unfair distinction is made between 11.30 a.m., Stawell at 1.15 p.m., Ararat at employers of labor in towns and em2.5 p.m., Beaufort at 3.10 p.m., and reach
Melbourne at 7.40 p.m. Fares:—From ployers in the country.

of cutting teeth! Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of Mins. Winslow's Soothing SYRUP. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and ileasant to taste, it produces natural, quiet sleep by wkts.; W. Fraser, 30 balls, 2 mdns., 7 relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes "as bright as a button." It sootnes the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysentry, and diarrhea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs. Winslow's Scothing Syrup s sold by Medicine Dealers everywhere at 1s

A fatal cricketing accident is reporafternoon Albert Ernest Faull, aged 13 served by a ser ted from Long Gully. On Friday years, was playing with several of his stations). cousins. He was batting, and another lad was bowling when the ball struck him in the stomach. He complained at the time, but went on batting, and was soon bowled out. Then he took the hall and bowled several times, when he fell down and complained of great pains. The lads carried him home. Dr Thom found that the bowels had been ruptured by the blow of the ball. The poor lad died in 12 hours after the accident.

The recent heat in New South Wales has been without parallel in the history of the colony.

FLORILINE. -FOR THE TEETH AND BREATH -A few drops of the liquid "Floriline' sprinkled on a wet tooth-brush produces sprinkled on a wer tooth-prush produces a pleasant lather, which thoroughly cleanss the teeth from all parasites or impurities, hardens the gums, prevents tartar, stops decay, gives to the teeth a peculiar pearly-whiteness, and a delightful fragrance to the breath. It removes Bowling Analysis.—E. P. Welsh. 84
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being composed in part of Honey and sweet herbs, is delicious to the taste, and the greatest toilet discovery of the age. Price 2s 6d, of all Chemists and Perfumers. Wholesale depôt,
33 Serringdon Road London Frackerd. Chemists and Perfumers. Wholesale 33 Farringdon Road, London, England. Complaints are coming from all

quarters in regard to the large increase very few rabbits last year are swarmed

destroy as much as a head of cattle, Browne, representing the Raglan Division, and that he has 100,000 rabbits on his of the said district, who retire by rotation,

The Bendigo Mining Board has decided to request the Minister of Mines CANDIDATE for any of such Divisions from 5s. to 2s. 6d.

are truly democratic.

HINTS TO FRIENDLY READERS.

You want to see the local paper s uccessful institution.

Talk about it wherever you go. Mention it to the tradespeople with whom you do business.

induce them to do so. If you are induced to buy anything

from what you have read in its advertis-

ing columns mention the fact to the tradesman. Don't lend your paper to any person who can afford to become a subscriber, but is too mean to support local enter-

"In the organism of man, as in that of all the them; was advised to try Clements Tonic, higher animals, the materials for the nutrition of and I can assure you that the effect was every portion of the structure are supplied by wonderful; before I had finished the first bottle I was entirely cured, and if ever I find the slightest recurrence of the enemy I take a dose of Clements Tonic, and ind that I am as good as new. From my experience after so many remedies failing, I arising. For Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Pimples and Sores of all kinds, its effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere, at 2s.9d per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations

If I (Melbourne correspondent to

'Ararat Advertiser') were an autocratic-Surgeons, England, have rejected a pro- Premier, which Mr Turner unfortunaposal made to those bodies that women tely isn't, I should signalise the resump should be admitted to their examin- tion of the session by suspending the Government astronomer. I don't mean Government Stamp around each box, - Prepared And when once the Assembly sits early by John I. Brown for each box, - Prepared by John I. Brown & Sons, Boston St, lin the year instead of winding up European Depot, 33, Farringdon Road, London, before Christmas nobody could tell you and England. M.L.C. Osmand is a Devonshire Pro- what will happen for the infuriated forced upon us. Much talk and little work will, I fear, ensue, with great danger of an opportune crisis.

From Japan raw silk and cocoons are experted to the value of L3,000,000 per



A.N.A. EXCURSIONS. First and second-cass return tickets, return by all ordinary trains (express excepted) for one calendar month, will be issued as under, and the trains will run as wonderful cures have been effected by it. Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold everywhere, at 2s 6d per bottle. Boware of worthless imitations and proportionate rates will be charged from the proportion. others. The first class fares are nearly 50 With reference to the income tax hedules there are still bitter comticulars see posters exhibited at stations. Horsham, Murton, Lubeck, Stawell, &c .-

Horsham, Murtoa, Stawell, Great Western, Horsham, 18s; from Murtoa, 16s Sd; from ADVICE TO MOTHERS:—Are yot broken in Stawell, 13s Sd; from Ararat, 12s; from your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain Reaufort. 9s Sd. Tickets can be obtained at Beaufort, 9s Sd. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Wednesday, 22nd January.

By order, R. G. KENT, Secretary for Railways.

FOUNDATION DAY. By all trains (express included) on 25th and 27th January tickets at Holiday Excursion fares, available for return till 30th January inclusive, will be issued to and from all stations (suburban excepted). Seaside Excursions .- The issue of these

By order, R. G. KENT,

THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RIPON

THE General List for the above Division I is now printed, and may be inspected, free of charge, at my Office until the day appointed for revision, and at every Postoffice within the Division. EDWARD C. EARLES,

BEAUFORT DIVISION - ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RIPON AND

THE RATEPAYERS and GENERAL LISTS for the above Division are now printed, and copies may be inspected, free of charge, until the day appointed for revision, at my Office, and every Post-office within the Division, and at the Office of my Deputy at Waterloo.

C. W. MINCHIN,

Registrar at Beaufort.

Ararat Mining Board Moction.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GFREN, that an ELECTION of FOUR MEMBERS of rabbits. Places where there were of the Mining Board for the District of Ararat, in the places of Messrs. William this year.

One unfortunate grazier has calculated that thirty rabbits will eat or lated that thirty rabbits will eat or will be held on SATURDAY, the Twenty-

to provide in the Mining Bill for a shall lodge with me at the Court House, Ararat, not later than Eleven o'clock a.m. on FRIDAY, the Seventh day of February, rom 5s. to 2s. 6d.

"The Beacon" writes:—If by Con-Christian and Surname of such Candidate. servative we understand the advocacy of class interests, then the Protectionist less than ten persons duly quantied to vote party, fighting tooth and nail for the at such Election, and no person shall be

With regard to the production of oils in the colony the Government expert reports, as to linseed that great things may be achieved. Not only is the demand for the oil good and permanent, but linserd oil cake as food for cattle is quoted as high as L3 per ton; and so well is it thought of in England for that If they don't advertise in it, try and purpose that over L1,000,000 is there annually paid for it. As an article of export therefore this product should be very valuable.

MPOUNDED AT REAUFORT.

One bay horse, N on off shoulder. One bay horse, B on near shoulder, star

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold 1st February, 1896.
Bay mare, C near thigh.
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If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 8th February, 1896.
W. G. STEVENS, Poundkeeper.

WANTED, Applications for post of Secretary, Sexton, and Curator for Waterloo Cemetery. To be sent to Mr FLYNN, Waterloo, Monday, 27th inst., 8 p.m. W. F. VANCE, Chairman.

WANTED, a Good GENERAL SERVANT VV Apply Mrs. HOSKEN, St. John's Parsonage, Beaufort.

For Sale,
A SEVEN-ROOMED W.B. VILLA, with
A fruit and vegetable garden and eight
acres private property adjoining. Apply to
Mrs. ELLEN AUDAS, Park road, Beaufort.

THE MISSES NICKOLS resum tuition on the 20th January, 1896, in the following subjects: - Music (plano and organ). Singng, Painting and Drawing, and Shortband 'The Firs," Beaufort, 10th January, 1896.

INCOME TAX

MAX Schedules prepared and Balance-sheets Compiled. All business confidential, Fees moderate. J. W. HARRIS, Insurance and Commission Agent.

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will be held in the Shire Hall, on SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at 2.30 o'clock p.m.
Business: To arrange Prize List for the

Beaufort Agricultural Society

ensuing Show.

JOHN HUMPHREYS, Beaufort, 17th January, 1893. MR. DRUMMOND'S PRIVATE SCHOOL,

at "The Bungalow," Beaufort, will RE-OPEN on MONDAY, 27th inst. Beaufort Jockey Club.

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A MEETING, to receive Balance-sheet and Auditor's Report, will be held at Vowles' Camp Hotel, on THURSDAY Evening, 23rd inst., at 8 o'clock.
A. PARKER, Hon. Secretary.

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The Prices are lower than ever for SPOT CASH.

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him at a disadvantage.

Different as it is in all outward conditions long illness produces results which resembles those of enforced solitude. When confined to our homes by disease we are virtually out of the world. Friends may, and do, pity us; but they do not lie down by our side and suffer with us. Ah! no. They go their own ways and leave us alone. Enjoyment, food, sleep, fresh air, movement, work, &c.—those are for them, not for on the whole it has been regretfully Mines at 195,218 cz, against 173,304 oz alone. In the midst of company we are still alone. Enjoyment, food, sleep, fresh air, move-

and distress. Sometimes I had a sensation choking in the throat as if I could not swallow. I was swollen, too, around the body, and got about with difficulty owing to increasing weak-

"At the pit of my stomach was a hungry,

February 15th, 1893.

Before we hear how he was at last delivered Ann Ruiling, of Station Road, Misterton, near gradually got strong. I keep in good health, and have pleasure in making known to others the remedy which did so much for me." Mr Smith was completely cured by the same femedy, and says had he known of it sooner he

would have been saved years of misery.

The real ailment in both cases was indigestion and dyspepsia, with its natural consequences. Throughout the civilised world its course is marked by a hundred forms of pain and suffering. Men and women are torn to pieces by it

are daily delivered as the hand of the good German nurse swings open the doors.

bush fire on Monday. He was trying to save one of his fences, when the smoke overcame him and he fell in-

A fatal case of snakebite has occurred near Korumburra, an 8 year old girl, daughter of Mr Kelly, a well-known farmer, living about 8 miles from Korumburra, being the victim. She was sleeping with an elder sister, and endless difficulties. If our baker bakes was bitten twice by a snake that was in good bread, or our bootmaker makes the bed.

The Health and Vigor of an individual depend upon the quantity and quality of the Blood.
When the tissues have been at work, there are thrown into the blood, waste products, and if these be not eliminated but (through any cause) are worthy people, and sad to think detained in the blood, they influence untrition and function and finally produce organic disease. The Humanitation of their handlwork would not be effected disease."—The Humanitarian. In cases of Scrofula. Scurvy, Bezema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds, the effects of Clarke's Blood Mixture are thing at all without troubling about the marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold everywhere, at 2s 9d per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes.

During the Church of England service at Branxholme on Sunday, and whilst standing up singing one of the all we regard. If literature is to be an hymns, a well-known and respected exception to this custom, there would young man named William Foster suddenly fell back in his seat. As it was thought that he had only fainted he was lifted up and carried outside, but after gasping twice for breath he suddenly expired.

A peculiar shooting affair has occurred at Annandale, N.S.W. Two boys, named Amos Pritchard, aged 14, and John Brownley, of the same age, were, it is alleged, robbing an orchard, when they were shot at by some man. The shot entered Brownley's thigh and Pritchard's chest, and the latter is in a shooting at the lads.

"KEATING'S POWDER" destroys BUGS, FLEAS, MOTHS, BEETLES, and all other insects, whilst quite harmless to domestic animals. In exterminating Beetles the success of this powder is extraordinary. It is perfectly c'ean in application. See the article you purchase is "KEATING'S," i.e., with the signature THOMAS KEATING on each tin, as imitations are noxious and ineffectual. Sold in Tins, 6d and 1s each, by all chemists.

An appalling boating accident, in which 10 persons were drowned, occurred at Kaipara, near Auckland, on an indescribable and abominable custom | The greatest aid you can give your Saturday. Eleven people were out on a fishing excursion, when their boat and most accomplished were frequently do not feel able to run an advertisement, capsized, and only one escaped drowning, after swimming a distance of three born and high-bred in our country to- newspaper your cards, dodgers, billmiles. The survivor, a young man named Edwards, made gallant but unsuccessful efforts to save his companions. He succeeded in putting nine of them on the bottom of the boat; but the swell washed them off. Six of the lost | we must prohibit the choicest efforts of | gives you and your town; but don't were women and girls. The saddest genius Horace, and most of the rest of give it to the printer or job printing feature of the catastrophe was the the ancient classics must be burnt, the office that can give you no such return, drowning of Mrs Perkins and her Bible expurgated, and possibly even our and is spending neither time, money, family, consisting of three daughters own glorious Shakespeare himself would nor brains in beloing you to build up and one son.

Ladies' French Safety Pills INSTANTLY restore regularity, however about all that is desired in a few hours. Ladies will therefore save time and money by getting their value. Safe! Silent! Sure! Box posted. The way to pigmies? It would seem so if we permit vestrymen to decide.

If we are genuine in our desire to from job printing. Therefore, if you want a good newspaper—one that can still further help you and your town—give it your job printing.

WE have a large amount of TRUST and without the auxiliary support derived from FOUR and a HALF per cent., and Leaseholds at from FIVE and a HALF per cent., and their value. The first agood newspaper—one that can still further help you and your town—give it your job printing.

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MORALS OF AUTHORS.

(By Lady Cook, nee Tenessee Claffin). It is a melancholy fact that the have often been at variance. A large sense of virtue should impel us to lay Dowse, near Cunninghame, in East number of distinguished authors, whose hands upon that viler and far more works have become immortal, and important abuse: the seduction and ruin whom it would be invidious to mention, of innocent girls—for, unlike the other, tators, who comprised officials, press have been men of indifferent lives, and in some cases grossly dissolute and infanticide, destitution, disease, or abandoned. Their work, however, was death. better than themselves, and has been preserved and valued for its intriusic merit. Genius and moral purity should be inseparable, but unfortunately it is the heat in New South Wales.

not so. As a rule, men of great ment, work, &c.—those are for them, not for us. Alas! for the poor prisoner whose jailor is some relentless disease. Who shall open the iron doors and set him free? ness of those monarchs who have ruled

of 19, New City Road, Glasgow, and dated the worker and his work. Each has tered, 4,913,000. to us, whereas otherwise they would similar way for over fifteen years. Her hands and feet were cold and clammy, and she was pale and bloodless. She had pain in the left side and palpitation, and her breathing was short and palpitation, and her breathing was short and palpitation, and her breathing was short and palpitation. papiration, and her standard of his moral character. degrees were registered in the shade at until two years ago. "At that time," she says, our minister, the late Rev. Mr Watson, told our minister, the late Rev. Mr Watson, told

convicted by a jury of infamous having occurred from the heat. At criminality. Before his conviction- Broken Hill the thermometer stood at works were in some places withheld being reported. as vessels are by the rocks on which they are from the public. Even a member of On the 28th November some of the driven by tempests. So comprehensive and all-en-bracing is it that we may almost say that the Westminster Vestry gave notice to old disbanded body-guard of soldiers at embracing is it that we may almost say that there is no other disease. It signifies life trans- move "that they be withdrawn from Seoul, Corea, attempted to force their formed into death, bread turned into poison the two public libraries in Westminster, way into the palace, but were repulsed. Watch for its earliest signs—especially the keeling of weariness, langour, and fatigue, which and that the other local authorities in The chief man in the plot to seize the seeing of weariness, langour, and langue, which announce its approach. Prevention is better London be requested to take the same palace was Li Han Shin, ex-Minister of than cure.

But, by the use of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, cure is always possible; and poor captives in the loathsome dungrous of illness are duly delivered as the hand of the ready done this, perhaps without legation even sizes the hand of the ready done this, perhaps without James Barbour, an old resident of beyond common repute, with the author premature discovery of his plans by the Cherokee, was burned to death in a in question or his literary works. But Government ended in his defeat. It become so popular, and if they were good then they must be the same now. Here we regard only the principal his clothing, and left scarcely any flesh involved. This resolves itself into the good work because of the immorality

utility and therefore its morality.

The absurdity of an affirmative to this question should be self-evident. and, if carried out, would land us into good boots, we do not ask what are the morals of these tradesmen before eating the bread or wearing the boots. It would be agreeable to know that they thing at all without troubling about the moral deficiencies of the makers.

of the author or doer?

We do not inquire before buying picture whether the artist is moral or otherwise. The quality of the work is be very little left but that of inferior value, for, unfortunately, as we have said, the men of highest genius have been too frequently of extremely shaky morals. The virtuous vestryman of West-

minster no doubt goes to church regularly and enjoys the Psalms of David and the Song of his son Solomon. But the worst of modern authors are the pinks of propriety compared to those old poetic Jews who perpetrated every villainy under the sun. However, we do not on that account move that these amorous and religious effusions be with-Sheard has been arrested on a charge of drawn from Westminster Abbey and if their perusal will do anyone any good, by all means let people read them. And let us thank God that it is possible to educe good from the evil, and to paint the beauty of the rose and the fairness of the lily from the ordure of the stable.

It is surprising how virtuous everybody is when some one most unfortunate rushed for life belts. The fire was is found out. Men have been practising ultimately got under. from time immemorial. The greatest newspaper is your job printing; if you day still follow it. If the wave of heads, letter-heads, envelopes, and all that the intellectual work of its votaries him to pay his printers for setting up be also condemned, then to be consistent, the thousand and one free notices he come under the ban. Are our great your town. The time may come when

check the growth of this abomination in our schools and colleges, where our youths are too often educated in the vice, and stamp it out in our Army and Navy as we did the leprosy. And our this is followed by every evil: murder,

Nearly 30 deaths in all have been recorded as due directly or indirectly to

The output of the Johannesburg abilities have claimed for themselves a mines for the month of November last license denied to meaner mortals, and has been declared by the Chamber of

well, so with these, the true kings of following as the blood bill of the makers man whose letter we have just well, so with these, the true kings of following as the blood bill of the makers men. mankind have been lenient to finished reading. "In the early part of 1888," men, mankind have been lenient to he says, "a strange feeling came over me. I their faults for the sake of their great —1793 to 1815, England and France thing appeared to be many with men and their faults for the sake of their great the sake of their great their faults for the sake of their great their faults faults for the sake of their faults fau public usefulness. Strange to say, no lost 1,900,000; 1820, Russia and Turcouldn't account for it. I had a foul taste in the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did the mouth, my appetite failed, and my appetite failed, and what I did the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did the mouth, my appetite failed, and the mouth, my appetite failed, and what I did eat lay on me like a stone. Soon I became afraid to eat, as the act was always followed by pain and distress. Sometimes I had a sensation of members have very frequently been civil strife in Europe, 60,000; 1859, distinguished for eccentricity or reck. Franco Austrian war, 63,000; 1863 to lessness; they soar higher and fall lower 1865, American civil war, 800,000 than other men. "Great wits to wad- 1866, Austro-Prussian war, 51,000 ness are allied," said the poet, and thus 1866, France and Mexico, 65,000 craving sensation, as though I needed support from food; yet the little I took did not abate brilliant abilities have been too often 1864 to 1870, Brazil and Paragnay brilliant abilities have been too often this feeling. My sleep was broken, and I awoke in the morning unrefreshed. For four years I united to moral worthlessness. But by 330,000; 1870 to 1871, Franco-German united to moral worthlessness. continued in this wretched state before I found universal practice and consent, a war, 290,000; 1876 to 1877, Russodistinction has been preserved between Turkish war, 180,000. Total slaugh-

"CLARKE'S WORLD-FAMED BLOOD MIXbeen judged separately, and thus some TURE" is a guaranteed cure for all Blood and Before we hear how he was at last delivered from the slavery of illness, let us listen to the of the priceless intellectual and artistic Skin diseases. It is the most searching blood from the slavery of illness, let us listen to the words of a lady on the same theme: Mrs Mary treasures of past times have come down cleanser ever discovered, and it will free the system from all impurities from whatever cause have been lost. It was chiefly reserved Legs, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds, its effects 3rd, 1893, Mrs Rusling says she suffered in a similar way for over fifteen years. Her hands

"our minister, the late Rev. Mr Watson, told me of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and urged me to make a trial of it. I did so, and presently felt great relief. It was not long before the bad symptoms all left me, and I opposed to sound sense and to the opposed to sound sense public welfare, we desire to question its whom are dead : the fourth is not expected to recover. Several horses Lately an author and playwright of have fallen dead in the streets. Bourke some considerable reputation has been reports 110 in the shade, eight deaths indeed, as soon as he was charged-his 112 degrees in the shade, three deaths

sufficient consideration. We have October, and he has been in close connever had any acquaintance whatever, tact with the Russian office. The these, we presume, were good to have has transpired that he fled on board the Russian man-of-war.

FOR INDIGESTION, the BEST REMEDY undoubtedly NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS. They can confidently be recommended as being mild in operation and absolutely free from injurious drugs, acting at once as a splendid thnic and a gentle aperient. For nearly 100 years they have proved UNEQUALLED for Indigoction, Dy-pepsia, Sick-Hendache and Liver and Stomech complaints. Sold in bottles, 1s 14d, 2s 2d, and 11s, by all Medicine Vendors throughout the world. A simple, safe, and

certain Remedy. Some severe fighting, according to the news by the steamship Tsinan, has occurred on Formosa between the natives and the Japanese. A despatch from the Governor of Formosa states that a small band of soldiers were ordered to the vicinity of Taibyo, where mobs were reported to be gathering. When they reached the place the soldiers were surrounded by about 1000 natives, and desperate fighting occurred. The insurgents were dispersed, and 60

of them were killed and only one Japanese. Another detachment left Hosan to subdue some rioting along the course of the Tamsui River. They encountered a stubborn resistance near to Ko Ko. In the fighting 200 or 300 insurgents were killed. The loss on the Japanese side was small. Later in the day a reconnoitring party was attacked by the natives, and 50 of the enemy were killed and only three Japanese.

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Reports from most of the dairying districts of the colony state that grass is scarce and there is little hope now that the export of butter to England will equal that of last season.

The steamship Cintra, bound for West Australia, put into Portland on Sunday on fire. There were 500 passengers on board, and the ladies, it is said, behaved with the greatest culmness in contrast with some men who

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EXECUTION OF STRANGE.

Charles Henry Strange was hanged at the Melbourne Gaol on Monday morning for the murder of his mate, Frederick There was a small attendance of specrepresentatives, and a couple of justices of the peace. The sheriff, Mr M Farlane, The Machinery in Laboratory and General Appointments of the Establishment are the Most and the governor of the gaol were in attendance punctually at 10 o'clock, and not a moment was lost in bringing the unfortunate man on to the scaffold. He walked with a firm step on to the trap-door, and on the rope being placed round his neck the sheriff asked if he had anything to say. Strange replied in a firm voice, "No, sir." The cap was drawn down, and at a signal from the sheriff the bolt was drawn and the body fell. Death was instantaneous, scarcely a muscle moving after the drop. An inquest was afterwards held at which verdict of " judicially hanged" was returned. During his last days the unfortunate man was resigned to his fate, and according to the Rev. Mr Scott he deeply regretted the deed he had committed. Strange was visited by his father, mother, and sister on Saturday evening, and an affectionate parting took place. His wife visited him on Sunday evening, and the interview was a most affecting one.

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An explosion has occurred on board torpedo boat which was making a trip on Lake Maggoire, in the north of Italy The torpedo boat sank after the explosion, and 12 persons lost their lives.

Although the Ministry is anxious to get the construction of a railway authorised before the close of this session, it has experienced considerable difficulty in finding a district where a railway could be made with reasonable prospects of becoming remanerative in a few

A very important discovery of diamonds has been made north of West Australia, causing immense interest throughout the colony. Several very fine specimens have been brought to town, and other parcels are on the way. The whole district where the diamonds were found is taken up and acquired by Albert Calvert.

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at Goolagong, N.S.W., at the residence of Mr E. C. Elms, Nanima Station. Mr Elms, his wife, and children were seated at the breakfast table, when Herbert West, Mrs Elms' brother, entered the room, and without any warning shot Mr Elms dead before his wife and children. The assailant then calmly walked out of the house to a hay stack where a number of men were working, and told them that he had shot Mr Elms. West has for some time past been very eccentric in his habits, and has lived the life of a hermit in a hut away in the bush. Mr Elms leaves a widow and two children. West is believed to have been aggrieved at Mr Elms being appointed manager of

the station. While our young men are leaving the colony for the waterless and uncertain West, remarkably rich discoveries are being reported from all parts of the colony. Three prospectors, Messrs Joyce, Emmett, and Hopkins called at the Mines Department on Monday and displayed some very rich specimens obtained at One Tree Hill, near Queenstown. The samples weigh about 10lb. of which 100 oz was pure gold. The reef is from 10 to 18 inches in width. The Secretary for Mines received a telegram from Omeo on Monday announcing the result of a crushing of 36 tons from the Highland Chief mine at Sheep Station Creek. The 36 tons yielded 257 oz of gold, while at least 50 oz more were expected from the tailings.

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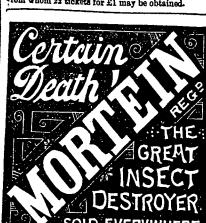
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BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday. Fat Cattle-242 head were penned for todiy's sale, and, with the exception of a few add pens ranging from good to prime, conated, solely of middling descriptions, a vanded... There was an average attendance of the trade, and for anything like quality amposition—a minimation at singlety anything like in the outset last improving somewhat, but towards the also improving somewhat, but towards the also slackened, closing dull, a few being O. COTHBERTSON, Baker. alose slackened, closing dull, a few being turned out. Quotations:-Prime pens ballocks, L7 10s to L8 12s 6d; good do, L6 10s to 1.7; medium, L5 to L5 10s; prime pens cows, L4 to L4 10s; good de, L3 to L3 10s. Ave ages: -Langt-Kal-Kal, 24 bullocks, L7 7e; Mount Koroit. 9 do. L6; Devon Park, 11 cows, L4 9s 7d; Turubull and Son, 20 do, L3 12s 9d. Calves-24 forward, chiefly indifferent quality, best to 36s. Sheep -4684 was the supply yardod for to-day's sale, only a small portion of which ranged from good to prime, remainder principally comprising middling quali ties. There was a fair number of buyers, and throughout the tone of the market was firmer, competition for quality ruling fairly active at somewhat improved rates, whilst medium descriptions were also in better request, prices showing a slight improvement. Quotations:— Prime crossbred wethers, 9s 6d to 10s 6d, extra to 11s 6d; good do, 8s to 9s: medium do, 6s 6d to 7s 6d; prime crossbred e es, 7s 6d to 8s, a few extra to 9s; good do, 6s to 7s; prime merino wethers, 7s 6d to 8s, extra to 8s 10d; good do, 6s 6d to 7s; medium do, 5s to 6s; merino ewes to 4s Sd. Lambs-1537 t hand, only a small proportion being good and prime. The demand throughout was inactive, prices for all descriptions ruling easier. Quotations-Prime, 6s 6d to 7s, i few to 8s; good, 5s to 6s; medium, 3s 6d to

The following district sales are reported : -By Messrs Macleod and Booth-30 cattle for Mr Linest G. Austin, Borriyalloak, bullocks to L6 10s; cows to L4 10s; 14 cows and bullocks for Mr R. C Bell, Banongil, to L5 5s. and 512 wethers 3s to 5s; 2 bullock for Mr P. Shannon, Skipton, at L3 12s 6d, 2 bullocks for Mr James Murray, Skipton, to L3 15s; 108 ewes and wethers, for Mr Donald McDonald, Middle Creek, to 7s 6d By Messrs Fisk n, Valentine and Co.-24 SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1896, builocks for the Hon Robt. Simson, Langi-Kal-Kal, to LS 12s 6d, and averaging L7 7s, making the top price and highest average

MELBOURNE MARKETS.

Wednesday.

Messrs E. C. Robertson and Co., chaff and frain merchants, 56 Spencer-street, report -Wheat.-New prime milling, to 5s

14 5s to L4 5s.

Mr Geo. Evans, Flinders-lane west, reports:
—Cheese—Full supplies, prime matured in demand, 6½d; new, 4n to 5d; medium, 3½d to 4d. Fresh Butter,—Prime factory, 9¾d to 10d; prime dairy, 84d to 9d, a few special higher; first-class dairies and private separator lump I was held at Vowles' Camp Hotel on of Victoria; you should rather say the nrst-class daries and private separator lump I have constant buyers at highest prices. Eggs, — Short supplies; market firmer, 74d to 74d. Figs are still arriving in unsatisfactory condition. Bacon, town cured, 5d to 6d; hams, 64d to 7d; laid, 4d to 5d. Honey, 1d to 2d. Beeswax, 14d. wanted. Carrase Pork (Friday's), 24d to 5d; medium, 2d; inferior, 4d to 1d; weal private and expenditure, we the receipts and expenditure are the receipts are the the wanted. Carrage Pork (Friday's), 23d to 14g; inferior, 3d to 14g; inferior, 3d per 1b. Consignors 5 y. Pow'iry.—Large surplies to hand market. Frime young roosters in demand at tron 28 6d to 48 3d per pair mixed lots, 1s to 28 5d; ducks, 1s 10d to 28 5d to 48 3d per pair mixed lots, 1s to 28 5d; ducks, 1s 10d to 28 5d to 38 3d; reported that he had evamined to the country to six or father the pair and the closing of particularly as secretary read an audited statement of the country to six or down to six or leads to the country to six or leads to the closing of particularly as the foreward ports and expenditure or the year field in the closing of particularly as the location of the country to six or leads to believe that it behoved the closing of particularly as the location of the country to six or leads to be some that it behoved the closing of particularly as the location of the country to six or leads to be some that it behoved the closing of particularly as the closing of particularly and the closing of particularly as the closing of particularly and the closing of particularly as the closing of particularly and the closing of particularly as the closing of particularly as the increase was so bad particularly as the closing of particularly as m demand at from 2s 6d to 4s 3d per pair mixed lots, 1s to 2s 5d; ducks, 1s 10d to 3s; duckings, 2s to 3s 3d; geese, 2s 6d to 4s 3d; geese, 2s 6d to 3s 3d; geese, 2s dit so 3s 3d; geese, 2s 6d to 4s 3d; geese, 2s dit so 3s 3d; geese, 2s dit so 3s 3d; g

GEELONG MARKETS. Messrs George Hague & Co. report under date of 17th inst.

Weel-We submitted a small catalogue Weel-We submitted a small catalogue Benevolent Society. Seconded by Mr to-day, consisting entirely of oddments of Thomas and carried The meting closed greasy and local and country scoured with a vote of thanks to the pair. parcels. There was a good attendance of lot meeting with full attention. Prices who has opened a studio at Arrat, intends generally were fully equal to the best rates visiting Beaufort on Thursday and Friday of the season. We made a clearance of our in each week, for a short time only. catalogue as follows: Greasy fleece Cabinets, 12s. 6d. doz. Study at Mr F. (merino); inferior to medium, 6d to 81d per pound; do. (x bred) do., 6d to 74d; do. Cabinets, 12s. 6d. doz. Studb at R. Farley's, Neill street.—[Aivī.]

the usual attendance of buyers.

dd per cound, extra higher; good con-will be further communicated with. In Mr Service and Sir Frederick Sargood everything in the way of cool drinks, ditioned light and medium salted, 2d the meantime, it would be well if some will give the proposition some rough tempting delicacies, and tasteful viands

tale after the holidays, pringing forward a number of family). In catal gue of 679 bales, out of which we sold in order of registration. Mr. Wotherto all concerned. The firm's clients will be Ties, Boots and Shoes, which offer great

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5.1 per lb.; Sausag s, 4d per lb.; Rump Steak,
rom 4d to 6d per lb.

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Presbyterian Church-Beaufort, at 11. lev. A. Adam, M.A.

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registrar, Mr C. W. Minchin,

Western Australia. Mr T. A. Archard, notifies that unless outstanding accounts connected with the wool buying business are paid on or before Wednesday, 5th he is compelled to keep continually tra-February, legal proceedings will be taken veiling between Europe and the colonies, to recover the same.

to Lö 10s. Oats.—White stout to 3s 51d; Archard. Air Archard move(that a bound of L3 3s be passed to the secretary Algerian, to 4s 04d. Peas to 3s 3d; maize, 3s Seconded by Mr Vowles and carried. The secretary briefly returned thanks. Mr Vowles moved that a dolation of L5 be given to the Beaufirt Ladies'

To keep up his business conjection with buyers present and keen competition, every this district, Mr. Millist, potographer,

Hogan, Stockyard Hill. In our report of the Presbyterian colcert at Middle Creek last week we omitted

to mention that Mr H. Gordon, junr., pf Ballyrogan, recited "The lifeboat." loud applause which followed the recitation showed that it was greatly appreciated 550 PIECES HOYLE'S PRINTS IND SATEENS .- Summer days are coming, ou will want a washing dress. Thomas Head

and Sons says:- This is washing div Hoyle's Prints are fast colors, and will so run away on washing day. If our name is s amped on the piece, we guarantee that the color will stand boiling. If you can show any goods bearing our name, the colors of which are not fast after washing, your draper will get for you from us the price of the material, and we will pay the ost of making up a new dress .- J. MoKrich, The Direct Importer, Neill-street, Beautort.

Since the opening of the fishing season inglers at the Beaufort Park reservoir nave not met with very much success, but at the end of last week Mr Hughes an his two boys made a good haul-in fact the best we have heard of this seasonthe result being four large carp and two

The Ministry (says Tuesday's "Argus") under such circumstances rumours are afloat of intended attacks upon the Treasury bench. The House has not been in such a restless state as it is now

development at any moment.

said to me the other day :- "What is the A meeting of the Beaufort Jockey Club use of your talking about the settled policy

pelts, small to medium, 3d to 6d each; Member in turn brought the mitter under deficit, which is not caused by loss on tion-rooms may be similarly described. good to superior, 15d to 18d each, extra to 24dd. Country and station, peits short 04d to 1d per pound; medium to good, 14d to 2d per pound; superior to 24d per pound; superior to 24d

2d per pound; other sorts, 13d to 2d per pound; instance, were to register bons fide local talf to 2 3-8d per pound.

In the Legislative Council on Wednesparty included Mr and Mrs Everard and furnish the Department with their control of the council of the counc and furnish the Department with their Connor, said that the Parliament would Lorna Price, Vera Browne, Ivy and Messrs Dalgety and Co., report under names, addresses of such men, stating shortly have an opportunity of dealing Gladys Chirnside, and Maude Fenner, shortly have an opportunity of dealing Gladys Chirnside, and Maude Fenner, Ernest date of 17th inst.:—We held the first wool hale after the holidays, bringing forward a number of family). List to be made out commissioner would allow farmers to do. Rubertson, J. Calvert. Gordon, Russell, number of family). List to be made out commissioner would allow farmers to detime of the year was rather poor. The james Syder. E. H. Austin, Eig., M.P., skirts, 10\frac{1}{2}d, and second pes 9\frac{1}{2}d, AC over

TC in diamond (Careanbelles). In order of registration. Mr. Wother-interest to describe the selection as usual at this spoon's letter herewith.—Yours faithfully, duct the cost of maintenance of labor on their farms. In the Assembly Mr Shiels, also present—Mr and Mrs Corbett, Mr before the remier referred to the question of the income referred to the question.

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West Australia's population on 21-1
West Australia on 2

Mr W. Reid Nicoll invites tenders for A special general meeting of the Beau- The excursion train from Melbourne to the excavation of a reservoir, 60 ft. square ort Agricultural Society has been conand 8 ft. deep, on the property of Mr M. vened for this (Saturday) afternoon, at whilst the return trainyesterday had 450 2.30 o'clock, to arrange the prize list for passengers on board, 22 looking at Beaufort.

be pleased to learn that his son Richard doubt as to whether the society will obtain has been awarded a scholarship in the source of the Beaufort Ladies' Benevolent Society deses to acknowledge with thanks the receipt a donation of 25 person College Mathematical College Mathematica The friends of Mr J. W. H. Lugg will the ensuing show. As there is some Surrey College, Melbourne; principal it will be difficult to carry out the show Rev. F. A. Darling. This scholarship entitles the holder to three years' residence at the college, thus bringing him be the beginning of his University career. the end of March, as usual, this year, as it death. Thousands of he reptiles are being is thought that the large landholders will

give liberally to enable this to be done. The weather on Thursday was phenomenally hot for Beaufort, and a record-for was established, the thermometers varying day. This brings, the food to 35 deaths directly acribable to the heat. The from 86° to 102° in the shade. No doubt average heat in the shadifor the month to it was a regular scorcher, the hot winds intensifying the heat. About 4 p.m. a four days the average his been 118‡ deg. thunderstorm broke over the town, and The residents are really anic stricken, and notwithstanding that there was a good hundreds are leaving for soler climates. downpour of rain, the night was very | Consequent upon the henomenal heat oppressive. Early in the morning, how the death rate in Sydn) and suburbs last attracting much at action. There are ever, there was a welcome change, heavy week assumed alarmin proportions. A showers falling, and continuing for several glance at the records cone Necropolis and hours. Half-an-inch was registered. Up of the Waverly Consery shows that to 2 p.m. yesterday the total rainfall at immediately after the excessively high Beaufort for the week amounted to 1 inch | temperatures the more than

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The fish were landed close to the linst., of the death of Mr Alexander but there was also a large number of deaths beat-house. Residence (next to Police Station); The ministry (says ruesuay's Argus of the district. He came to it in 1846 or presented at the mortury at the Necroas soon as possible, so that it can get into 1847, and was on the Langi Willi Estate, recess. If, however, its wishes are met, with Messrs. Wright and Montgomery. distressing one. The luneral trains were the disorganisation of its opponents is Afterwards he went to live at Bangaal more likely to secure it the benefit than and from there to Mooramong. He was its cwo strength. The failure of the always foremost in any good work that Ministry to lead the Assembly last week was to be carried out in the district, and a has caused great dissatisfaction amongst great loss was sustained when he left for members, and as is always the case Geelong, owing to the decline of his health. Deep sympathy is felt throughout the district with the bereaved family.

for a considerable time, and there may be Rabbit Extirpation, Mr E. H. Austin were elaborately organised as far back as and one son were killed instantaneously, observed this was a matter which had been 1894. The idea was that the foreign white the second son sustained such sequence. In Russia active steps are A large meeting of the ratepayers in brought forcibly before the shire council population of the Republic should join sectors injuries that he succumbed also being taken to increase the navy, favor of the severance movement was held with which he was connected. He was of with the forces of the British South Africa shortly afterwards. n the Skipton Mechanics' Institute on opinion that the Government ought Company in Mashonaland. Saturday night. Mr C. Cairns was voted certainly do something with regard to the A Sydney telegran reports that on Monto the chair; and Mr R. Cairns, as one of Crown lands. It was all very well for day night a largely attended meeting of St. John's, 11. Sbject, "The prayer of the leper, the petition of the centurion, and the response of Jesus," 7 p.m. Subject, "The many first period of the centurion of the centurion of the response of Jesus," 7 p.m. Subject, "The prayer of the day night a largely sttended meeting of the the canvassers, in the absence of Mr A. honorable members to get up and say that lirish colonists was held, under the president of status of the centurion, and the dency of Cardinal Moran, at the Hotel bein imposed on these officials, viz., to the chair; and Mr R. Carres, as one of Crown lands. It was all very well for day night a largely sttended meeting of the the canvassers, in the absence of Mr A. Honorable members to get up and say that the Government should fence in Crown dency of Cardinal Moran, at the Hotel bein imposed on these officials, viz., to the chair; and Mr R. Carres, as one of Crown lands. It was all very well for day night a largely sttended meeting of the the canvassers, in the absence of Mr A. Honorable members to get up and say that the Government should fence in Crown dency of Cardinal Moran, at the Hotel bein imposed on these officials, viz., to the convergence of the canvassers of the canvass M. Elder, informed the meeting of the the Government should fence in Crown dency of Cardinal Moran, at the Hotel bein imposed on these officials, viz., to steps that had been taken to procure the lands, but that would be a matter of Australia, when it was decided to form an colect full particulars of the milk outsignatures to the potition in favor of impossibility at the present moment, Irish rifle corps for the defence of Ausseverance, which had been forwarded to because the Crown lands were very much tralia. The greatest enthusiasm prethe Hon Agar Wynne. The secretary, scattered, and the amount of money vailed when Dr Warren announced that Mr Cleveland, reported that on Thursday required for fencing them would be very the statement made by Mr J. E. Redmond, he had interviewed Mr Wynne, who great indeed. But the Government could that England's distress was Ireland's atim Bill, the Government propose to thought that the best and safest course to do good by distributing a quantity of opportunity, was a likelon Irishmen, who make an effort to secure that the pursue was that the meeting should poison over those lands, and thus diminish-had not only no sympathy with the state-principle of the bill shall still have effect express its readiness to accept the readjusting the rabbits. It was of no use for ment, but were as prepared as ever to shed so far as the Assembly is concerned. ments of the boundaries as indicated in the honorable members to think that the their blood in defence of their country, petition and as considered necessary by rabbits could be altogether exterminated; A report has been furnished by Mr petition and as considered necessary by rabbits could be altogether exterminated; the Minister of Public Works. After a that was impossible. The country would Reginal I Murray, the Government geologist, boat trading between Adelaide and SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1896, the Minister of Public Works. After a long discussion the majority thought this always contain rabbits, because they paying and general lsts of electors for the paying and general lsts of electors for the Beautort division of the Ripon and Beautort division of the Beautort divi taking the rabbit inspectors away from the brought in a picket handkerchief to the Hampden electorate are published by the It was proposed by Mr R. Cairns, secon-shire councils. In some cases the councils Mines Department Lat. week by Mr Joyce, registrar, Mr C. W. Minchin.

ded by Mr B. Daly, and carried—"That worked their rabbit inspectors very well.

Hardly a week passes but that some of the petition as signed and forwarded In other cases they did not, but if the (Mr Murray) predicted would yield that H.R. H. Prince Heavy of Butter-large contracts for the parchase of Avselonded to presented."

One of the owners of the mine, and which he (Mr Murray) predicted would yield that H.R. H. Prince Heavy of Butter-large contracts for the parchase of Avselonded to presented. the young men of the district leave for Western Australia. Hr T. A. Archard, the secretary was instructed to inform Mr. In the property the country would be presented. On the motion of Government had made the councils do over 100 to find yielded 1670z. He berg, who accompanied the Ashmatee over 100 to find yielded 1670z. He berg, who accompanied the Ashmatee over 100 to find yielded 1670z. He berg, who accompanied the Ashmatee over 100 to find yielded 1670z. He berg, who accompanied the Ashmatee over 100 to find yielded 1670z. He berg, who accompanied the Ashmatee over 100 to find yielded 1670z. He berg, who accompanied the Ashmatee over 100 to find yielded 1670z. He berg, who accompanied the Ashmatee over 100 to find yielded 1670z. Western Australia. If T. A. Archard, Barley.—Prime making, 4s 3d to 4s 10d; medium, 3s 9d to 4s; Cape, to 3s 3d.

Oatz.—Best stout, up to 3s 5d; feel do, 2s 10d to 3s; Algarians, prime, prime, and in all my experience 1 do on the petition as collected to inform Mr. The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the petition as collected to inform Mr. The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by quartz, and in all my experience 1 do on the rabbits.—The increase of the pest by qua

thought the Government should take great care, if they had to appoint rabbit lowing is the liberal and practical view of serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that it was not considered sat sheep and natile are dying in the same special serious that the same spe

termed political influence. We were taught able gathering took place at "Carranthat the people's representatives were so ballac," where Mr and Mrs R. Chiruside persistently naughty in grinding their entertained about eighty of their friends local axes on the State whetstone, that and relatives. Although the affair was at the want of sympathy at home, and a they must be saved from themselves by first intended as a treat for the young scolding, sulking, or nagging wife. having Boards created under them to people, the older ones, composed mostly of control the public service, and railway the parents, turned up in great force, and TURE" is a guaranteed cure for all Blood and management composed of officers so pro- "honours were about even" as to old and Skin diseases. It is the most searching blood tected in the enjoyment of their positions young. The grounds at "Carranballac," that they could practically snap their ingers in the face of Parliament though appointed by it. This idea, it appears, wont wash any longer, for after a week of provided beadance of the face of the face of the face of Parliament though appointed by it. This idea, it appears, wont wash any longer, for after a week of lanterns and fairy lighted up with countless Chinese lanterns and fairy lights, and the marquee, and some softly lander, at lanterns and fairy lights, and the marquee, and some lights, and some perfected by it. Sold everywhere, at lanterns and fairy lights and the marquee, and some lights, and the marquee, and some lights and some lights and some left the lanterns and some lights. The sold are marked by it. Sold everywhere, at lanterns are marked by it. Sold everywhere, at lanterns are marked by it. puzzle-headedness the Assembly has de- in which Terpsichore held sway, was about 28 9d per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations. cided to return to the old system of poli- fifty feet by eighteen, and was a continualambs do, 3½d to 7½d; do, pices, do, 3d to 5½d; do, pices, do, 3d to 5½d; do pices, do, 3d to 5½d; do pices, do, 3d to 1½1; do, x bred do, 7½d to 10d; washed merino do, 8d to 1½d; do pices, do, 3d to 1½d; do, pices, do, 3d fleece, to 11 d; do. x bred do., to 10 d; do. nothing definite has so far ben decided clerk. The only check left is the operax lambs do., to 94d; do. pieces do., to 7d. upon by the Railway department. In the tion of the Act which continues in exist- up with gas and many coloured lights, and daughter of "Money" Miller, is one of Wednesday, Jan. 15th.
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We do not not the Act which continues in existing as and many coloured lights, and interests of the working men of the ence—the Railway Standing Committee.

How the fatly-fed expert, who will have which was devoted to the onlookers, was whose absence from the Assembly is to be which was devoted to the onlookers, was whose absence from the Assembly is to be which was devoted to the onlookers, was whose absence from the Assembly is to be which was devoted to the onlookers, was whose absence from the Assembly is to be the usual attendance of buyers. We sold all as follow:—Butchers' fresh-killed pelts, small to medium, 3d to 6d each:

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Hides—We sold all to hand at prices Ararat. Nothing definite has been settled railway loss for a year or two, unless it is continuous. Heavies to in this matter, but as soon asit has you time to swing back again. Yet, methinks all the guests were seated, and where

The hon, treasurer of the Beaufort Ladies'

The Kelly family, of Strezlecki, in which the death of a little irl from snake bite, recently occurred, hav killed 137 snakes on their property during this summer, 11 of which have been killed since the child's

killed in every directio.

A Bourke telegram dated Tuesday reports :- The heat tiday was very trying, the thermometer registoring 118 deg. in the shade. Two more desthawere reported to-

doubled. The large number of burials 20 phints:

Deopie have doubled. The large number of burials decided to observe Monday, 27th inst. (Foundation Day), as a public holiday. The usual weekly half-holiday will accord
Rokewood alone, the total number of the usual weekly half-holiday will accord
The usual weekly half-holiday will accordingly not be observed on the following tunerals on that day in the city and suburbs reaching about 80. News was received on Friday, 17th those of infants and vay aged persons, Mooramong. He was the oldest resident stroke and heat apoplex?. The spectacle polis on Wednesday ast was a most crowded to their utnost capacity and additional accommodation had to be provided for the carriage of the dead. brought nearly 70 lodies for interment.

and the number of mourners was unprecodented. The evidence tendered in support of the view that a plot wason foot to seize the

inspectors, to see that they got good honest and competent men. In the past, the was sorry to say, some inspectors were inspectors were the inspectors where the control of use of your talking about the settled policy of Victoria; you should rather say the unsettled policy of Victoria. What you want is some patriotic Cromwell, who would turn your Parliament out of doors and put the key in his pocket, entrusting the Gevernment of the country to six or the southern formula and the closing of nutie houses, and all are going to expent L100,000 on water the southern formula at halt was made at Prahsu, a town on the southern frontier of Ashantee. Instead of the southern frontier of Ashantee, the southern fronti On Friday, 17th January, a very enjoy- ness and fatigue, dyspopsia, too jolly company, billiards, and card-playing. Oh, if space permitted. I could name a score

cleanser ever discovered, and it will free the Sir Henry Wrixon is already mentioned

H. J. Gerritson, of the firm of Octzer and Gerritson, produce merchants, London, who las just concluded compats the idea that it is possible to overdo the London market. The fact and morning the juice of half a lemon in the United States, and demanded that that between L4,000,000 and L5,000,000 in a glass of hot water. It will distributed by the difficulty with the three markets are also in the United States, and demanded that in the United States, and the United States, and demanded that in the United States, and demanded that in the United States, and the United S

and roreign countries, prices show a rise of per cent. on closing rates of last series for all good merino fleeces and lambs, also for the tulk of crossbred wools, while there is an eger demand for all good pieces. Luting the season Dalgety and Co. have of the quarter being 6862, and for other the per cases of the per content of the p

A regular epidemic of garroting and burglary cases has broken out in Perth. Freemantle and Coolgardie, Lucenies are frequent offences. Spielers and for the past week criminals from the east ward are landing Wright, 3oz 5dw; ; d Brasses in shoals. Over 20 well-known scoun- dwt; McCracker 1 well-place 1 drels from Victoria and New South Iredale, 17dan Batter and party Wales came in the steamer Waroonga, (puddling), 2oz 1 det. A new party of The police are helpless, and it is likely hive has been for a work the Try the force will have to be immediately Again Company

increased. The bodies of Victoria and Charles will probably wash. Martin, cousins, about 14 years of age, to-day. At Chart who were reported as missing last week, obtaining payab gad, but traffer is who were reported as massing most stated at the same payable of the same start of th decomposed. The unio tunate children had evidently taken shelter under a ledge from the rains on Sunday week, and the Consentant Sunday Sun

sand slipping they became entombed. nuggets having been unearthed at expressed himself as determined to

Pilbarra a few years ago, Reports to hand concerning the crops He is contemplating an expenditure of in the Warra enhant district and very from 15,000,000 to L20,000,000 is the eucouraging. The cereals have given construction of new war-ships. returns. It is expected that pointness tion to such a proposal from will yield an average of 4 tons per acre, Reichstag is considered likely, in which and late crops will be much better than asset the Emperor hints that he will ake anticipated owing to the good effect the step of dissolving that body as was the recent downpour of rain. With the tone when the members removed is once enhanced prices now ruling it is evident the additional vote for a say, that farmers will obtain much larger The Enveror declares that should be

Reichsta, beling to increase the ravel returns than for years past. According to the "Age" it will not strength it the empire, he will a read from it to the patrio ism of the electors. take long to show whether the Government sill commands the confidence of throughout Germany. Prince Hobenlohe, the Imperial Chancellor, whom the House, and if it has no longer a His Majisty was said to have consulted The morning and afternoon funeral trains | majoriv there can be but one alterna-

> in connection with the annual colledion of statistics by the shire officers construction brought forward by the

thown out the Lapsed Bills Restorship in reply to every one b i't by

which for many years was the crack modern armaments these shore defences

under the care of an ambolance party to large ght. O, many farms not , dro, the coast, but his condition became so of rain was taken for 18 months and

At present there is almost a plague and Biles have been completely eaten out, and several other persons report that their orchards have been greatly damaged by the grasshoppers. In Jeeraling large paddocks of artificial insects have now commenced to eat the definitely decided not to accede to the

Fine rains are reported in the north of Western Australia. Ten inches fell in two days. The River Harding is which the Queen a week ago add ased to over 94 feet deep, and running a banker. the Sultan of Turkey warning him of the Heavy rain is reported to have fallen consequences that might ensue unless as at Cue, W.A., where there has been a drop in the temperature from 100 deg. Sultan his throne was endangered by the to 60 deg. At Roebourne 10 inches of neglect to introduce the retorms demanded rain have fallen, and the rivers and by the Powers, and that Abdul Hamil. in creeks are running bankers. The express train from Adelaide was

delayed on Monday owing to the engine | exaggerated. It is now annotated delayed on Monday owing to the engine | Sultan is seriously displeased at the Queen's coming in contact with a bull at a cross- letter, and there are indications that the ing between Milbrook and Gordons. Russian Government, which has largly been The bogies of the engine and the second showing marked friendliness towards Ture carriage were detailed, and a casualty to account. Communications upor the subtrain had to be sent from Ballarat with train had to be sent from Ballarat with ject have a ready been received through the men and appliances. No damage of any Russian Ambassador in London, M consequence was done, and the only de Staal, and the Embassy is professing to result of the accident was that the train did not reach Melbourne until 2.45

liver it is without equal. Take night and morning the juice of balf a lemon margarine alone showed that there was room for a very large expansion in trade with genuine butter.

perso headache, improve appetite, should be come to. This utterance cryster is should be come to. This utterance cryster is an extraordinary demonstration from the Sensite with genuine butter.

England over the Venezuelan question for the should be come to. This utterance cryster is an extraordinary demonstration from the Sensite with genuine butter. A vast flock of screeching seagulls states that if Lord Salisbury carries of all states that if Lord Salisbury

Isle during the voyage of the vessel from New Zealand to Sydney to be quarrelling over some object floating on quarrelling over some object floating on an amicable settlement of the difficulty, the surface of the ocean. The vessel and will entail the failure of the around the is advised to keep a supply always on hand, and immediately apply it when weakness or soreness is felt through dust, heat, flies, exposure to heat or cold, extessive reading or writing, &c., and thus save further trouble and expense. Avoid all imitations and substitutes offered in place of this steward who recently invested to the steward who or writing do, and thus save further trouble and expense. Avoid all imitations and substitutes offered in place of this steward who recently jumped overboard than the revenue received for the steward who recently jumped overboard than the revenue received for the corresponding to the steward who recently jumped overboard than the revenue received for the corresponding to the current manufacture.

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THE EUROPEAN OUTLOOK

In view of the active preparating

largely strengthen the German navy.

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telegram of congratulation to President

the policy which the Emperor is pur-

The Czar Nicholas has given his ap-

Government. It is proposed to expend

400,000,000 rouldes (over L60,000,000).

Admiraty is to construct a new battle-

Great Britain. The British S cretary

of State for War, Lord Lansdowne, has

promised that the War Office will take

immediate measures to supply with

The authorities both at the War Office

tralian tinned meat .- " Argus."

where at present guns of obsolete v

a start on Tuesday 19 The following Wareshop yields hand for the week end of otn in Crus veller, 3 oz 17 dwt.

The Little Joker ungget, of 303 oz, found in the Devon Consolamine, W.A. is being exhibited at Perth, and is mide by England to defeat any atte three or four other large nuggets shown. The Joker is the third largest nugget at German interference in the found in the colony, 587 oz and 30 oz via', the Empired William as

ive-1 dissolution. While a farmer named Alexander Mitchell, who resides near Orange, was Kruger, is now stated to be house to seared at ten with his two sons lightning day, 14th inst., during the discussion on Transvaal appears te show that the details strick the farmhouse, and the father suing. It is considered likely that the

> proval to au enormous scheme of navai over a period of seven years no less than in building new war vessels. The The Legislative Council having expressed intention of the Russian

The well known steamer Aldinga,

The " Evening Standard," announces

contains the announcement of I .ce ing Morwell. There are millions of the Henry's death, states that the even. ascreatures in the paddocks, and they are been a terrible blow to Her Maj sty tae eating everything that is at all green. Queen, who is most deep'r affect d at Two vineyards owned by Messrs Alloid the loss of her son-in-law, and at thing her daughter's happy life crushed. A pulletin just issued by the medical advisors in attendance upon the Cheen states that Her Majesty has passed a

sleepless night and is very unwell. The Commissioner of Castons has in bond. Further developments have taken place in connection with the autograph after

It was stated that Her Maj sty that to reply, said the reports circulated it is massacre of Armenian Christians wet. exaggerated. It is now announced that in: be greatly concerned over the affair. The proceedings in the United States

Senate on Thursday gave unmistakable evidence of the growing desire for a peace The lemon is invaluable for its mediable adjustment of the difference with circs cinal properties. For inactivity of the Britain. Senator Walcott, in a speech up was observed from the brigantine Handa intention, as announced in the E glies intention, as announced in the E glies

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RY TRUST.

meeting was held at Vowles' Camp Hotel on Saturday afternoon. Present-Massis. J. Hamph-The minutes of the previous neeting were read and confirmed.

The secretary reported as follows: past year, I beg to state that the lodge and the cemetery fence are both in good

this is doubtless owing in a great is a matter which I must leave to your consideration. There are now 265 private graves in the cemetery, some of which are in excellent order, and others

for the previous year .- J. W. Browne, Secretary."-Received and adopted.

CORRESPONDENCE. From R. F. Failey, complaining of a great delay, even after the certificate was produced .- Received.

From H. Stewart, sexton, reporting F. Farley for using blasphemous language to him at the cemetery .- Re-

Several of the trustees referred to the

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Resolved that Adam Padfield be appointed sexton in place of H. Stewart, was in every way suitable for it.

The hulance-sheet was then read. The receipts amounted to L101 6s. 3d., and the expensione to L61 17s 11d, thus

trustees.

Air Hursphreys moved that a bonus of 13 % be voted to the secretary as proviously, reserving to the work and crouble that the secretary had had to do. Recorded by Mr Parker, and carried.

Mc Browne returned thanks, remarking that he appreciated the consideration shown of his services. He always tried to do his best, and now that they were getting a new sexton he thought they should have another meeting, and see what work was required so as to put the grounds in order.

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the chair.

ORIGINAL CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not in any way identify ourselves with the opinions expessed 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 pablication, but as a tona fide guarantee.

come from ! Mr Kirkp trick says all The Avenue have lost 2 wickets for 15 standing this adverse vote the Ministry don't kill any rabbits, nor don't intend to, unless I am paid for it. That they all come off the common is quite enough for me when the inspector comes along. If some of them go back again so much The better for me. Some knowing member of Parliament said the other day that rabbits, like the poor, are always with us. My neighbor Jones and myself and Jones's neighbors had a talk over this matter, and we came to he conclusion that the more rabbits there are with us the less poor will here be (also with us), and we decided

SKIPTON NOTES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) The first meeting of the Skipton District Turf Club for the season 1896 was authorising urban water trusts to collect held in the Mechanics' Institute on rates, as a recent decision of the Supreme roys (in the chair), D. D. Cumeron, beld in the Mechanics Institute on rates, as a recent decision of the Supreme Court threw considerable doubt on their Saturday, 18th inst., Mr W. Bradshaw court threw considerance doubt on the coupying the chair. There were but legal power to do so. The bill also provides that fees are not to be charged for summonses slight alterations made in the office-bearers. Mr H. Jarvis was appointed Lands brought in the bill promised by the The secretary reported as follows: clerk of scales, and Mr Bell was added Government enabling the Treasurer to lend to the list of stewards. The secretary 1.50,000 out of the trust funds to the

taken during the past twelve months; appointed to audic the books and rose till 2 p.m. next day. measure to the increasing infirmities of meeting. It was manimously decided Assembly on Wednesday on the action of measure to the increasing infirmities of to hold the next race meeting on 19th the Ministry in demoralizing and disorgan-the sexton, Mr Stewart. However, that March. The meeting closed with the trenchment. Mr Madden pointed out that usual vote of thanks to the chair.

The Skipton minstrel troupe intend giving an entertainment at Lismore ou

during the year, being 18 in excess of Institute on Saturday, 18th inst. of all the pravious period. The statement of those interested in the severance quesreceipts and expenditure shows a credit tion. There was a good attendance of of L39 8s. 4d., as against L21 8s. 9d. ratepayers and others. Mr C. Cairns, who occupied the chair, said the meeting a few Maxim guns should be obtained to dealing with other matters of importance the unwarranted treatment received at in connection with the severance movethe hands of the sexton, who refused to ment. A letter of apology for nonadmit the funeral of the late Mrs attendance was received from Mr E. G. ment in the civil part of the Defence the former 60 inspectors for re-engage-Rosking unless he produced the certifi. Austin. It was unanimously a reed to cate of death, through which there was present the petition as it stands, and Commissioners, and his work could not not make any alterations in it.

At the Skipton Court of Petty Sessions, on Wednesday, 22nd inst., before Mr Leader, P.M., and Messrs R. Chirnside and E. G. Austin, J'sP., E. H. Harris proceeded against John Lourie, officers of the public service for exceptional of Streatham for L7 5s 3d. debt. An treatment. The Premier, in replying to of Streatham, for L7 5s 3d, debt. An general complaints made against the order was made for the amount, with sexton and to his incapacity for the 17s costs. Same v Albert Lourie, position and neglect of his duties, and Debt, L5 12s 6d. Settled out of court. it was unanimously resolved to dispense E. C. Earles proceeded against Michael with the services of H. Stewart as and Costello, garnishee order, L6 12s the expenditure of the Defence department.

Great indignation is expressed by at the same rate of remuneration, and Riponshire side of Skipton at the laxity The secretary called attention to a holes to be made, to the danger of rateRangers should not be carried out. These the act will be rigidly enforced against should tonic and a gentle engrice of a splendid tonic and a gentle engrice. They can connucently be recommended allowances of the Mounted Rifles and the will now be compelled to take action, as as being mild in operation and absolutely free from injurious drugs, acting at once as a splendid tonic and a gentle engrice. new regulation to the effect that no payers who have to travel these roads were considered on Thursday. soffin shall be buried within four feet of the ground unless without the knowledge of the Ripon- it contains the body of a child under 12 shire Councillors will show their disapproval vears, when it shall not be less than three councillors will show their disapproval to a new alliance against the Ministry being to destroy the rabbit. The Minister states that he will, however, be very glad to receive intimation of Crown lands infested where there is reasonable throughout the world. A imple, safe, and certain Remedy. softin shall be buried within four feet of at night. If this work has been done

BEAUFORT.V. AVENUE. This match was resumed on Wednesday Jenying a credit balance of L39 8s. 4d. afternoon. The Avenue, with 5 down for The souttors (Messrs, Humphreys and 64, increased their score to 78, batting Parker's wified to the correctness of two innings against Beaufort's 178. Parker gos 4 wickets for 3 runs. The Belance sheet and auditors' report seniors test one wicket before scoring the received and adopted, and the required two runs required to win the match; statutory declaration made by the Barnes getting the wicket without any runs being scored off his bowling.

The scores are as follow:-AVENUE .- 1st Innings BEAUFORT.-1st Innings AVENUE .- 2nd Innings. C. White, l.b.w., b Welsh Cowel, b Loo Lilley, l.b.w., b Parker Barnes, e Thompson, b Welsh ... W. Buchanan, b Parker W. Hill, c H. Trompf, b. Parker R. Thomas, b Parker ... D. Thomas, b Parker... T. Buchanan, not out... W. White, c W Trompf, b Parker Sundries Total ...

balls, 8 mdns., 27 runs, 2 wkts.; C. Loo, 24 balls, 19 runs, 1 wkt., A. Parker, 86 palls, 5 mdns., 21 runs, 6 wkts. BEAUFORT .- 2nd Innings.

E. H. Welsh, l.b.w., b Barnes... 0 E. Trompf, not out A. Parker, not out ...

they all come from the common. Of (not out). Cowel secured 4 wickets at a common on the part of the House that Mr. Speight should be reinstated. Notwith-

BEAUFORT.-1st Innings. A. Parker, run out ... H. Trompf, b Cowel ... E. Trompf, b Jowel ... C. Loo, b Buchanan ... A. Trompf, not out ... E. P. Welsh, b Buchanan E. H. Welsh, c D. Thomas, b Buchanan R. G. Tilley, c and b Cowel

R. Sinclair, b Cowel ... Sundries

POLITICAL

Very little work was done in the Legis lative Assembly on Wednesday. The Minister of Water supply introduced a bill

experienced men in the permanent artillery had been dispensed with and their places filled with recruits who knew nothing about

trenchment scheme of the Ministry had caused every branch of the defence force to become dissatisfied and evince very little 50 constables. interest in their duties. It was stated, as suggested in the "Argus" of Monday, that of the former inspectors should be rethere could be a large amount of retrenchcompare with theirs in importance. He moved an amendment that the salary of Commander Collins be reduced from £792 to £500, but he witadrew it on the Premier stating that the secretary for Defence ought not to be singled out from other the criticisms of members, reminded them that the Ministry had retra ed its steps in

regard to the reduction of the Permanent Artillery, and that the House kast year directed the Government to largely reduce with the services of H. Stewart as and Costello, garnishee order, L6 12s The crux of the question was pounds, sexton, and to give him a fortnight's 6d. Order for amount, with L1 6s shillings, and pence, and, seeing how the Government was pressed for money, the members of the defence force, he thought, some of the people who reside on the Riponshire side of Skipton at the laxity amendment that officers and men receiving subject to the same conditions; Mr of the councillors of the East Riding in L200 a year and less should not suffer the Humphreys having stated that Padfield allowing the roads here to be ploughed would accept the position, and that he in p and carted away to repair the roads

it contains the body of a child under 12 shire Council then it is to be hoped the vears, when it shall not be less than three councillors will show their disapproval by severely censuring the culprits.

at least one foot thick shall be left unsaged was risen to 7d, per four-pound arranged. Most members of the Opposition agreed that it would be a mistake in faction throughout the colony for destroying the rabbits.

Shire Council then it is to be hoped the announcement made in our (Argus) issue as to a new alliance against the Ministry being ground for complaint. He has fixed the latter of the day appointed for evision, and every Post-office of the latter of the latte tion agreed that it would be a mistake in taction throughout the colony for destroy-tactics to join forces with the Labor Corner ing the rabbits.

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American and Anglican Mission Churches the Registrary at Becufort. the indications of an impending crisis disappeared. The feeling now is that the session should be brought to an end at the earliest possible moment, and there can be no doubt that the Ministry would be cordially assisted to wind up the business if it intimated its determination to prorogue in a week or two.

The Legislative Assembly had a long but animated sitting on Thursday. Dr. Cockburn, the South Australian Minister of Education, who is on his way to Adelaide, having attended the recent Postal Conference at Sydney, visited the House in the afternoon, and was accommodated with a seat on the floor of the chamber.

but animated sitting on Thursday. Dr. If it is laden with poisonous matter it spreads succumbed to expessive. The Scurvy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimpies and Sores of all kinds, the effects of Clarke's Blood Mixture are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold everywhere at 2s 9d per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes. The Legislative Assembly had a long The estimates of the Defence department cepted on the understanding that the charities. Government would reconsider some of Western District dairymen are urging the Management Bill was then resumed in whether Mr Speight should be reinstated compulsory by Act of Parliament. Bowling Analysis.—E. P. Welsh, 114 Mr Hancock came boldly out with a pro- on Friday that several tons of honey posal to restore that gentleman to his forwarded to London by the district former position, but with more restricted apiaries has been sold at 37s per cwt., powers, and it was received with loud but the Premier declined to carry it out

> The Sydney Zoological Society has elephant Jumbo, which was a present from the King of Sism. A motion has been carried by the

Boort Agricultural Society urging the pay their debts, cannot be sent to gaol on Government to provide seed wheat for a fraud summons, according to the decision farmers who are unable to buy it.

INCREASE OF THE RABBI

INSPECTORS RE-APPOINTED. DAY FOR GENERAL DESTRUCTION

The alarming increase in the rabbit pest Or any symptoms of a disordered digestive was brought before the Capinet on apparatus? If so, there is no remedy in Monday night by the Minister of Lands, who desired that the Government should take immediate action. Mr Best stated that before he left for his holidays three reported a credit balance of L30 in the enable them to buy wire-netting for farmers sideration, and ascertained that it would bank. The programme for the ensuing to assist them in coping with the rabbit only require the expenditure of a few order, and require no special attention or the same with regard to the comestary the same with regard to the comestary, which is much the same slight as last year's, was drawn out, some slight alterations being made where it was thought they were for the better.

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> It was decided by the Cabinet that 20 had been convened for the purpose of strengthen our land forces. Attention was engaged by the Lands department, as it is receiving the canvassers' reports and drawn to the high salaries received by the absolutely necessary, if immediate steps dealing with other matters of importance secretary for Defence and the paymaster in comparison to those paid to Colonel Price the pest, that experienced men only should and to Colonel Otter. Mr Austin thought be employed in the work. Applications will be invited without delay from among department. The secretary of Defence got ment. Any applications from other than a far higher salary than two of the Railway those will not be entertained. These 20 inspectors will be employed from month to month, and their continuance in the service of the department will depend entirely on their efficiency in discharging their duties. It has been found that among the 260 constables referred to there are some who have done their duty as rabbit inspectors well, and are to some extent qualified for that position. About sixty of the most energetic constables will therefore, be selected to continue as rabbit inspectors, and they will be paid a bonus of L12 a year each if they perform these duties to the satisfaction of the chief inspector under the Vermin Destruction

In addition to this, a number of men will be put on to clear the Crown lands of rabbits, which the Minister of Lands finds are not as badly infested as they have been represented to be. A large number of commons are, however, infested with the rodents, the managers having neglected

the shires for the purchase of wire netting for the farmers in their respective districts. The money is to be repaid in 10 flayed slive. annual instalments .- " Argus."

"If the blood is diseased the body is diseased." Remember that the blood, whether pure orim-pure, circulates through the organs of the human body—Lungs, Heart, Stomach, Kidneys, Brain.

During the last racing season in France were further considered, and were disposed the sum of L19,000,000 was invested in of after two hours' debate, the retrench- the totalisator, 2 per cent. of which ment proposals of the Ministry being ac- (L380,000) was distributed among the

them. The discussion on the Railways Dairymen's Association to action with a view of having an exhaustive test made of committee, and members were soon the various aerators, and also with a view plunged into a spirited discussion as to of having the aerating of milk made

being an advance of 7s per cwt on previous cheers. Ministers were surprised at the consignments.

strong support accorded the proposition, VALUABLE DISCOVERY FOR THE HAIR.—

the rabbits come off the common on to his land and be considered to the for 10.

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John Davies, one of the prospectors of

in Coolgardie, and robbed of bank deposit receipts to the value of L30,000. Married women, if they are unable to

of Mr Justice Holroyd in the Supreme The trotting match between A. W. Harris, the English cyclist, and Mr I. Robertson's Mystery for L25 a side and directly attributable to heat apoplexy.

This return has not been approached since

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match between Adam Mather, at one time an intercolonial player, and Alfred Foster, two of the best players in the district. Mather batted first, and at the to may be seen without fee at my office. having bowled 700 balls. "As a SAFE, PERMANENT, AND WARRANTED CURE" for Pimples, Scrofula, Scurvy, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and

Sores of all kinds, we can with confidence recommend Clarke's World-famed Blood Mixture. "It is certainly the finest Blood Purifier that science and medical skill have brought to light." Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere, at 2s 9d per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations, Freemantle police court. Mrs Fairbairn, summoned for driving round a corner at a pace faster than a walk. Mr Fairbairn retired from the bench, heard the charge read out, pleaded guilty, and was fined 5s with 3s 6d costs.

Mr J. A. Wallace, M.L.C., who has a mineral resources of Victoria is firmly convinced that miners now migrating from Victoria "are leaving a better country than those to which they are

The commission recently appointed by President Cleveland to enquire into the boundary dispute between Great Britain and Venezuela, has asked the former power if she is willing to produce evidence of her claims.

FOR INDIGESTION, the BEST REMEDY is undoubtedly NORTON'S CAMOMILE

On Wednesday when the Assembly have American and Angucan mission mutches the Minister sale of the Government to address the Gulf of Iskanderan, in Asia Minor, have been put to death after being subjected to fearful torture; the former was

Scotia. After the ship had struck, the crew took to the boats and were for four days tossed about on the ocean before assistance arrived; 15 persons had DAY, 1st February, 1896, for the excavation of a reservir, 10 feet square and 8 feet deep.

Further intelligence has been received from Berlin with regard to the speech made by the Emperor William to the chief German statesmen and generals. In the course of his speech the Emperor promised an extensive amnesty to prisoners now undergoing sentence for various offences, and also signified his intention of conferring a new order upon terminal and sentences. To be sent to Mr FLYNN, Waterloo, Monday, 27th inst., 8 p.m. W. F. VANCE, Chairman. ferring a new order upon men and women

A mill for extracting oil from linseed, which has been imported by the Agricultural Department, is being erected at the store of Messrs. Cliff and Bunting, North Melbourne, and will shortly be available for use. Mr Taverner has decided that a small charge should be made, being just sufficient to pay the wages of the men A. Parker, not out ... 2

To the edition, but as a iona fide guarantee.

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THOS. A. ARCHARD, Beaufort.

BOYS', YOUTHS', and MEN'S throughout Victoria for the cultivation of linseed and the erection of oil mills. The departmental mill is mainly intended for suffered a big loss in the death of the London mine, which was recently sold for some weeks in Melbourne will be sent from the King of Sign. in the same way as the travelling dairy did Q H I R R O F R I P Q N a few years ago. Bairnedale will be the first district visited.

been discovered. It is a large building, with sculptured basins, heating apparatus, lead pipes, and bronzed fancete. The walls and floor are tiled. Everything is

For the pasiquarter of a century there has een one commuous flow of letters bearing estimony to te truly wonderful cures effected by Clarke's World-famed Blood Mixture. "the inest Blood Briffer that science and medical skill have bright to light." Sufferers from Scrofula, Sculy, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Disease Pimples and Sores of any kind,

are solicited tigive it a trial to test its value. Sold everywhre at 2s 9d per bottle. Beware of worthless imittions and substitutes. Lord Woseley, the Commander-in-Chief of the British army, states that he has never kniwn a time when the British military forces were in a more efficient state of preparation than at present.



M'Dougal, George; 373, Nothnagel, Jacob excitement over a single-wicket cricket 453, Simson, Resert; 504, Thomas, George 505, Thomas, Richard.

The numbers orrespond with those shown on Electoral Lie for the above-mentioned Division. Full particulars of persons objected C. W. MINCHIN.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF RIPON DIVISION, 1886.—LIST OF NAMES OBJECTED TO UPON THE GENERAL LIST OF ELECTORS: ___ A133,153, Cain, Andrew; A133,202, Coch-

rane, William James; A133,159, Coyne, Michael; 642,107, Dillon, William Henry; An amusing incident has occurred in the learn the police court. Mrs Fairbairn, Hunt, Walter Frederick; Al33,194, Jackson, wife of the resident magistrate, was Daniel; A175,961, Lewis Thomas; A133,501 Martin, Francis; Al33, 197, Overman, Arthur John; A133,200, O'Dowd, John; A133,192, Patterson, George; A133,177, Rafferty William John; A133,183, Thompson, Benjamin Fawcett.

The numbers are those of the Rights wide knowledge of and a great faith in the of persons objected to may be seen without fee at my office. C. W. MINCHIN,

Electoral Registrar. THE ELECTOLAL DISTRICT OF RIPON AND HAMPDEN. -ST. ENOCH'S DIVISION.

THE General List for the above Division is now printed, and may be inspected, free of charge, at my Office until the day appointed for revision, and at every Postoffice within the Division. EDWARD C. EARLES.

BEAUFORT DIVISION - ELECTORAL

HORSALE, WAGGONETTE SOCIABLE, News has been received of the wreck of the ship Eding, on the coast of Nova

Scotia After the ship Land After the ship Eding.

succumbed to exposure. The sufferings of a reservoir, so feet square and 8 feet deep, on the reservoir of M. Hogen, Esq., Stockyard Hill.

W. REID NICOLL, Havelock Street. Beaufort, 23rd January, 1896.

ferring a new order upon men and women who have taken prominent part in social movement of a philanthropic and beneficent character. At the conclusion of his speech the Emperor waved the German standard and swore that he would defend the specifications to be seen at Architects' Office on and after Wednesday. Architects' Office on and after Wednesday,

THE MISSES NICKOLS resume tuition on the 20th January, 1896, in the following subjects:—Music (piano and organ), Singing, Painting and Drawing, and Shorthand.

"The Firs," Beaufort, 10th January, 1896.

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him at a disadvantage.

Different as it is in all outward conditions long illness produces results which resembles and studied humour appar to have our homes by disease we are virtually out of the world. Friends may, and do, pity us; but they do not lie down by our side and suffer with us. Ah! no. They go their own ways and leave us alone. In the midst of company we are still attention in our article "The New alone. Enjoyment, food, sleep, fresh air, move Movement," Mr Traill has evolved a &c. - those are for them, not for 248. Alas! for the poor prisoner whose jailor is some relentless disease. iron doors and set him free?
"I never had any rest or pleasure." So

writes a man whose letter we have just finished reading. "In the early part of 1888," he says, "a strange feeling came over me. I felt heavy, drowsy, languid and tired. Something appeared to be wrong with me, and I couldn't account for it. I had a foul taste in the mouth, my appetite falled, and what I did eat lay on me like a stone. Soon I became afraid to eat, as the act was always followed by pain and distress. Sometimes I had a sensation of choking in the throat as if I could not awallow. I was swollen, too, around the body, and got about with difficulty owing to increasing weak-

ness. "At the pit of my stomach was a hungry, craving sensation, as though I needed support from food; yet the little I took did not abate this feeling. My sleep was broken, and I awoke in the morning unrefreshed. For four years I continued in this wretched state before I found

This letter is signed by Mr Charles H. Smith, of 19, New City Road, Glasgow, and dated

February 15th, 1893.

Before we hear how he was at last delivered from the slavery of illness, let us listen to the words of a lady on the same theme: Mrs Mary Ann Ruiling, of Station Road, Misterton, near Her hands similar way for over fitteen years. and feet were cold and clammy, and she was pair and bloodless. She had pain in the left side and and oloodless. She had pain in the fert said and palpitation, and her breathing was short and hurried. No medicines availed to help her until two years ago. "At that time," she says, "our minister, the late Rev. Mr Watson, told me of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and urged me to make a trial of it. I did so, and presently felt great relief. It was not long before the bad symptoms all left me, and I gradually got strong. I keep in good health and have pleasure in making known to others the remedy which did so much for me." Mr Smith was completely cured by the same

remedy, and says had he known of it sooner he would have been saved years of misery.

The real ailment in both cases was indigestion and dyspensia, with its natural consequences. Throughout the civilised world its course i marked by a hundred forms of pain and suffering. Men and women are torn to pieces by it s vessels are by the rocks on which they are driven by tempests. So comprehensive and all en-bracing is it that we may almost say that there is no other disease. It signifies life transformed into death, bread turned into poison. Watch for its earliest signs—especially the seeling of weariness, languar, and fatigue, which announce its approach. Prevention is better

But, by the use of Mother Seigel's Curative Byrup, cure is always possible; and poor are daily delivered as the hand of the German nurse swings open the doors.

The council of the New Zealand Education Institute has decided that any attempt to introduce religious teaching the mortal virtues into the coming in school hours would at present be man!" detrimental to the interests of education. Sufficient opportunities, it is maintained, already exist for such teaching before or after school hours.

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At the close of the magazine article the sport which I have enjoyed, and of dolls talk in the same way. No one is induce them to do so. the kindness and good fellowship so "spanked," and no one is decived. consistently shown towards me by my Victoria."

The Health and Vigor of an individual depend upon the quantity and quality of the Blood. Rights movement. I take it that When the tissues have been at work, there are thrown into the blood, waste products, and if these be not eliminated but (through any cause) | what they are about. Didn't you think detained in the blood, they influence nutrition that idea rather good where the boy is and function and finally produce organic columnted like and disease."-The Humanitarian. In cases of Scrofula, Scurvy, Eczena, Bad Legs, Skin and boy, and Lea, from sheer innocence and Blood Diseases. Pimples, and Sores of all kinds, pity of his helplessess. the effects of Clarke's Blood Mixture are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Clarke's Blood Mixture is sold everywhere, at 2s 9d per bottle. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes.

Marian Crossling, only 17 months married, has been accused of chasing her husband about with an axe, and stabbing him with a fork. She was discharged, the father of the prosecutor testifying that his son's conduct towards his wife was disgraceful.

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 truth. A joke is a joke; but if this is and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing meant to have any serious weight, it Sybur. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and pleasant to taste, it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cheruly 1868 46 as bright as a button." It soothes the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysentry, and diarrhosa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs. Winkslow's Soothing Syrup is soid by Medicine Dealers everywhere at 1s 13d per bottle 11d per bottle

Numerous applications have been received by the Minister of Lands from if faithfully carried out, there would be farmers in the districts affected by drought for seed wheat for the coming Surely, Bertie, you do not wish me to sowing. Applications have already been received for 12,000 bushels of wheat, 1500 bushels of oats, and 28 bushels of barley. One farmer asked for 800 bushels. The 8th day of February has been fixed as the last day for receiving applications. A close enquiry will be made into the circumstances of all applicants.

Ladies' French Safety Pills INSTANTLY restore regularity, however about all that is desired in a few hours. Ladies will therefore save time and money by getting stuce for the gauder is sauce for the them at first, as one trial is sufficient to prove their value. Safe! Silent! Sure! Box posted,

(By Lady Cook, nee Tenssee Classin). Some little time ago anther flower of intelligence unfolded itelf within the columns of the Daily Teleraph. The mental horticulturist who produced it is Mr H. D. Traill, a genteman whose abilities in the field of imgination are unquestionable, as his "Dialogues of this occasion, however, muh cleverness been wasted, for, following the ideas contained in a former "leder" in the same journal, and to which we drew attention in our article "The New hybrid which no one but hinself would own or recognise. There is not an individual who has striven for sexual purity more than ourselves none who spend more time and morey than we I for bringing about "The Higher Marriage," "The New Woman," and "The New Man." We are proud to say, and we acknowledge heart-felt gratitude to the Press in stying it that

our views have been spread and favourably received over all the continents and wherever God's good sun shines on a good newspaper. But the little mongrel whom Mr Traill presents to the British public as the modern Galahad is no more a child of ours than Mrs Hovdon-Manners' daughter Penthesilea is a type of the "emancipated" maiden. This sporting Amezon, malodorous of whiskey and stables and a "past mistress" of rowdy and pugilistic slang, was a common character in the days of the earlier Georges, but can have no place Gainsborough. In a brief note dated January in the future Pantheon of "New 3rd, 1893, Mrs Rusling says she suffered in a Women" If M. Troill ever now have in the flesh, it must have been when

"slumming" in the frows purlieus of Whitechanel, where the vices depicted by Hogarth still survive. But we must not anticipate. Our recently-married friends, Gladys and Bertie, who a short time ago discussed the question, "Are We Polygamists?" are one of the happiest couples alive. Gladys is already assuming matroniz airs which sit somewhat quaintly on her girlish face and figure, and Bertie strokes his moustache thoughtfully and looks a trifle sober of demeanour, as befits one who has become a father. They still take pleasure in exchanging views on the current topics of the day, and happening to read the two numbers of the Daily Telegraph containing "The New' Man," the following little He gain in sweetness and in moral height, dialogue ensued between them after

He-I say, Gladys, there's a deuced Nor lose the children in the larger limit. Till at the last she set herself to man, good article by Traill in the Telegraph. Like perfect music unto nobler words; And so these twain, upon the skirts of Have you read it ? Clever fellow, that Traill. I haven't seen a better hit at the women reformers for a long time. How he spanks certain ladies who are trying themselves, as he says, "to spank

She-Well, Bertie, I read it over twice, and I admit it is amusing, but for feucing cemeteries will be received the caricatures are too grolesque to hit | until the Zuch Kebruary. anybody or anything. A clever not; and so I don't think it clever, same means. except for its utter ridiculousness. Mr impations are noxious and ineffectual. Sold in amused himself by pulling them to hand of L2 15s. pieces. Do you remember one day, when we rode third-class to the Crystal on "Sport in Victoria," Lord Hopetoun | Palace, how a man entered the carriage writes :- "I am leaving the colony with | and exhibited an over-paintel, woodenthe keenest regret. Apart from the faced doll with a movable jaw, which interest and pleasure which my work worked up and down when it was has brought me, I take away many intended to talk and sing. But the happy recollections of this favored land, ventriloquism of the owner was too and amongst those recollections none apparent to impose on the youngest whom you do business. will be pleasanter than the memory of child present. Mr Traill makes his

He-I am afraid vou are a little brethren of the saddle and gun in sunny hard on Traill, darling. It is a most carefully-studied paper, and comes as a sort of manifesto against the Women's Traill and the Daily Telegraph know educated like a girl and the girl like a pity of his helplessness, learns to love Galahad, and, as she looks down upon the fragile little fellow, feels bound to protect him, because he is such a little and-gander theory, you know.

She-Really, Bertie, I thought that was the weakest part of the whole article. If it had been studied as carefully as you think, and is the best manifesto that the Telegraph can put forth, it reflects little credit on writer or journal, because it is wanting in meant to have any serious weight, it should have been treated truthfully. the young men should unsex themselves

and become as girls. In their system, neither Telegraph Galahads nor Leas. Traill does not.

He-Then you do not believe in the oose-and-gander theory 1 She-Most emphatically I do, but

not in Mr Traill's interpretation of it. What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander, and, therefore, what is goose, says he. Very true, the women as to the rest of her young brood." PROFESSOR LEO HAUTMONT, R.M.D., Victoria street, North Melbourne.

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ferocious logician you are.

She-Ah, Bertie, you do not unde stand. You men mean well-of that! am sure; but you have not time lo or it may be of pleasure, that the sill small voice of thought is rarely hand. ation that he withdrew it. But we who are domestic women have tration to see when your clever men Majesty the Queen and the German make big mistakes. All my sympathies | Emperor." He did not see why they are with those who are striving to make should not be united who were so closely mankind happier, and, therefore, purer; related in blood, and he hoped they who are battling against muchievous would remain as closely alied to friendprejudices and evil customs. And ship as ever. when able men and powerful journals
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She-I am, dear; and a few more

do it. Take our little girl, Bertie, how would you like her brought up?

satisfied beyond expression. that. But how about the boy? He-You shall have "absolute con-

After that we must work together. She-In that case, Bertie, I am determined, with your help, to try

to make our children better than our- doings of Garcia and Welis. He is a selves. Nothing less will satisfy me, surgeon-major in a Russian regiment, Unless individuals do this, how can who was so celebrated for his good luck successive generations improve on their at cards that his brother officers raised predecessors? And in doing this we a srm of money and sent him to Monte will bear in mind Tennyson's divine Carlo to speculate. In August he won words, which have a higher and a half a million francs, in Oc over he won nobler ring than those of the Daily another half-million, and quite recently Telegraph :-"The woman's cause is man's; they rise or sink | third half-midden, or L.60,000 in all Together, dwarfed or God-like, bond or free. | FLOWLINE. -FORTHE TERREAND BELLEVI If she be small, slight-natured, miserable,

Nor lose the wrestling thews that throw world. She mental breadth, nor fail in childward care. Nor lose the childlike in the larger mind : Sit side by side, full summed in all their powers,

Let man be more a woman, she of man;

GAZETTE NOTICES.

An auctioneer's license has been issued to Mr W. E. Nickols, Ararat. Applications to participate in the vote A return shows that 6225 persons

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newspaper proprietor down south who friends and acquaintances that I shortly combines pedigree poultry raising with Surely, Bertie, you do not wish me to press work to keep bosoms in his pants, appear in a new part which I never infer that men may not be virtuous and press work to keep bosoms in his pants, attempted before. The play is entitled muscular at the same time, or that our went into an outhouse where a hen was 'Matrimony,' and my partner is Mr girls may not be muscular as well as shortly expected to have chickens, and Wilkins. It depends upon him whether girls may not be muscular as well as judge of his consternation when he met the play will be a comedy or a tragedy; they are at once accused of demanding a huge "gohanner," loaded with prize but certainly it will not be a farce. For, they are at once accused of demanding lands gold off. Our brother pressible of the beat performed firstly, we are both frightfully in earnest, man at once killed the beast, performed an operation, and recovered his full number of eggs. He at once replaced This said that in England to day there them under the hen, and in a few days 11 pure pedigree chicks and one fullblooded "gohanner" were hatched out.

"THE 'NEW' MAN" ND "THE But Mr Trail's version is: What is The unfortunate mother, Catherine NEW MOVEMENT." | Good for girls is bad for boys, and what Moylan, who murderously attacked her is good for boys is bad for girls. And two children at Black Flat on Thursday so I suppose by his same reasoning last, has been declared by Dr Shields to

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