





BEAUFORT ATHLETIC CLUB.

A general meeting convened to consider Dr. Adam's motion by notice to rescind the resolution fixing the price of members' tickets, and transacting other business, was held in the Mechanics' Institute on Monday evening.

CRICKET.

A very friendly and enjoyable match was played at Waterloo last evening, between the club and the Riponshire. Mr. Hannah moved that the secretary be instructed to apply to the Riponshire club to close the Park on Boxing Day.

MINING NEWS.

The Ballarat district showed an increased output of 20,186oz. This was owing to 21,600 tons more of stone being crushed in 1897 than in 1896, and to the satisfactory yields from the mines at Rokeby and Pitfield.

A MIRACLE IF EVER THERE WAS ONE.

DAVE KIRK, AN EX-MELBOURNE CRACK CYCLIST, LEAVES THE HOSPITAL TO DIE.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

There were 12 competitors at the monthly match of the Beaufort Rifle Club on Wednesday. The prizes were 6s, 3s 6d, and 2s 6d, and were won by A. R. Hobbs, E. Enesco, and A. Welsh respectively.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A MINING LEASE.

I, the undersigned, hereby give notice that within seven days from the date hereof, I will leave with the Warden of the Mining Division of Ararat an application for a lease, the particulars whereof are hereunder set forth.

BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB'S ANNUAL RACES.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the above Society will be held at the SHIRE HALL this day (SATURDAY, 6th inst.) at 2 o'clock p.m.

BEAUFORT LAWYERS.

Mr. W. H. Pender, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, is now residing at the Beaufort Hotel, Beaufort.

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COMMERCIAL.

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BALLARAT PRODUCE MARKET. Wheat, 6s; oats, to 1s 8d; barley, 1s; peas, 3s 8d; pollard, 10d...

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET. Cattle—287 head came to hand for day's sale, principally consisting of middle-aged and useful descriptions...

H. GILLOCH, FAMILY BUTCHER, NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.

[A. CALD.] DR. ADAM, M.B., C.M., May in future be consulted at his Private Residence (next to Police Station).

DR. D. O. WHITE, M.B., CH.B., Late Resident Medical Officer Melbourne Hospital...

Important Announcement.

Mr J. W. Harris, junr., PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMIST AND REGISTERED DENTAL SURGEON.

MR HARRIS desires to impress upon the public that only the HIGHEST CLASS OF DRUGS and CHEMICALS will be stocked...

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THE Riponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning.

SAURDAY, NOV. 13, 1897.

Two writers of recent date, Mr. W. T. Stead, in the Review of Reviews, and Captain Mahan, in Harper's Monthly, have declared for international alliance...

George Hague & Co. report (5th inst.):—Wool.—We held our second sale of the season to-day, when we submitted a catalogue of 506 bales...

THE GREAT FRENCH REMEDY. LADIES SAFETY PILLS positively restore regularity, however disturbed or long continued.

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either is not only possible but probable, for the tendency of the times is characteristically altruistic, and the present conflicting interests are by a natural process of evolution naturally tending in one direction—democracy.

The heterogeneous races would, under a system such as that promulgated in these reformers' dream, become homogeneous in every respect, and the chief nations of the earth, by that powerful combination, would become the international law-givers of a generation.

The examples of Austria-Hungary, the once divided Duchies of Germany, and the states of Canada, together with the United States of America, and later the unity of the chief nations of Europe—however unsatisfactory—in quelling the year in Greece, may all be taken as evidences of what is possible where nations are agreed, and of the common tendency of the times.

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The anniversary services in connection with the Waterloo Sunday school are to be conducted to-morrow afternoon and evening by Mr. Jolly, of Ballarat.

Mrs. Broomfield, an old resident of Carrington, and for many years proprietress of the Prince of Wales Hotel, died at Raglan on Sunday at the ripe age of 84 years.

A youth named William Scharp, 16 years of age, the son of Mr. L. Scharp, of Waterloo, while pulling some turnips in Mr. Picher's garden at Raglan on Wednesday, was bitten by a black snake on the tip of the middle finger of his left hand.

The St. John's Mutual Improvement Society met on Tuesday evening. After singing and prayer, the portion of scripture chosen, Job xxxviii, was read.

Discrepancies to the amount of £1,200 have been discovered in the accounts of George Bean, clerk in the Lands Office. He appears to have appropriated the money given him to pay into the bank.

The Ministry on Monday circulated the Hospitals and Charities Bill, which the Premier will move the second reading of the measure in the Legislative Assembly next week.

Local and General News. Wednesday, 1st December, is the last day on which electors' rights can be obtained for enrolment on the general lists of non-ratepaying electors for the Legislative Council and Assembly.

The Beaufort and Wambra Cricket Clubs will play a friendly game in the Beaufort Park to-day (Saturday), commencing at 3 o'clock.

During the rough weather in the early part of last week several of the Western district stations lost numbers of sheep through want of food.

At Dugby and Co.'s Geelong wool sale on Friday, 6th inst., what is still the top price of the season, viz., 12s 10d, was well-bred, very shaggy, light-colored merino.

The Choise and Mr. Leonard Croker Clubs meet in friendly rivalry on Saturday (to-day), on the ground of the former.

The heat on Wednesday and Thursday was pretty severe for Beaufort, the thermometer registering as high as 93 degrees.

The secretary of the Beaufort Jockey Club desires to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following donations towards the New Year's Day races: Hon. W. H. Osmund, M.L.C., 10s; Cr. H. Cushing, 10s.

The installation of Bro. K. A. D. Sinclair, the W.M. elect of the Fiery Creek Lodge, and investiture of his officers, takes place on Wednesday evening next.

The Prince of Wales' Birthday was observed as a general holiday in Beaufort. The only source of amusement in the town was a tennis match between Beaufort and Linton, the home players being victorious.

A committee meeting of the Beaufort District Rifle Club was held in the Mechanics' Institute on Monday evening last.

The reports and balance-sheet were received and adopted on the motion of Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Danneberg.

The following accounts were passed for payment on the motion of Mr. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Eastwood:—Fire Insurance premium, 10s 11d; salary and commission, 17s 12s; petty cash, 6s 2d.

Mr. J. Jess moved a vote of thanks to the auditors for their services. Seconded by Mr. Gordon, and carried.

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The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. From Department of Agriculture, intimating that His Excellency Lord Brassey had decided to appoint a silver medal as a prize for best dairy cow, and asking if the Society intend taking advantage thereof...

Mr. Gordon nominated Mr. T. Jess, who declined the honor, as he thought there was no occasion for a change. But it was to be a change of Middle Creek, Ballyragan, or Beaufort man should be appointed, as long as the could remember Mr. Cushing, Mr. Austin, or Mr. Lewis had been president.

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Mr. Lewis thanked the members very much for electing him again as president, although he would rather not have been appointed. He would have done just as much for the Society if he had not been elected. He would accept the position for another year. (Applause.)

Mr. Kelly proposed that Messrs Gordon and Cushing be re-elected as vice-presidents. Seconded by Mr. Jess, and carried.

Mr. Gordon returned thanks, and hoped that they would all agree as hitherto. Mr. Watterspoon was re-elected as treasurer on the motion of Mr. Danneberg, seconded by Mr. Gordon.

Mr. Eastwood moved, and Mr. Kelly seconded, that Messrs Hughes and Sinclair be re-elected as auditors. Carried.

Both auditors returned thanks. The President urged members to obtain as many new members as possible, pointing out that 18s 4d was not enough to start the year with, as a lot of money might have to be spent on the yards.

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IN CASE OF FIRE.

Your house takes fire: What burns first? The lightest and most inflammable stuff...

A THEORY.

Why do the violinists stand so when across them... Bob for angular and flat...

A POSSIBLE LOSS.

I met her on the shores of the lake. There were tears in her eyes. 'Oh, Mr. Vanstitt, what shall I do?'

HINTS TO FRIENDLY READERS.

You want to see the local paper a successful institution. Talk about it wherever you go.

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THE RIFONSHIRE ADVOCATE, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1897.

Applications for Mining Leases. Attention is called to the following regulations under part 2 of 'The Mines Act 1890.'

Woman's Salvation. The wife who is unkind and unloving, who is not kind and unloving, who is not kind and unloving...

Wool Rates. The Railway Commissioner has fixed the following charges for the conveyance of wool per ton: To Melbourne, 25 s. d. To Geraldton, 27 s. d.

Newspaper Law. 1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, in writing, are considered as wishing to continue their subscriptions.

Prize Poem. A syndicate of Western (American) editors offered 1000 dollars for the best appeal to newspaper subscribers to pay up their subscriptions.

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Advertisement for H. A. COLLINS, THE JEWELLER, 148 Elizabeth-st. (near Colonial Bank) Melbourne. Shop by Post. Black Douglas, a horse bred by Mr. Allan McKay.

Advertisement for JAMES TYLER & CO. featuring 'ONE FOUND PARCEL' and 'Specimens of which we quote below'. Includes a list of items like '2 Nights, good eating, unimpaired teeth'.

Advertisement for PARCEL NO. 1, 20s. featuring '2 Nights, good eating, unimpaired teeth', '2 Knickerbocker, good eating', '1 Sun Bonnet, dark print', '1 Coat, any size', 'Ladies can have the above from 10 to 30 (long or short makes)', '1 Apron, white Bishop's lawns', '2 Blouses, good quality', '1 Gown Hat, fully trimmed'.

Advertisement for PARCEL NO. 2, 20s. featuring '1 doz. Flannellette, plain or striped', '1 do. Cotton for family use', '1 do. Cotton, good quality, light or dark', '1 do. Print, good quality and fast color', '1 Gown Dress, blk. or colored', 'Skirt Lining', 'Bodie Lining', 'Buttons, Bones, Binding, Preservers, Twist, any size', '1 pair Kid Gloves', '1 pair H-c', '1 pair Curses, any size'.

Advertisement for PARCEL NO. 3, 20s. featuring '1 pair of Tweed Trowsers', '1 pair of Heavy Moles', '2 Cotton or Flannellette Shirts, with or without collar and pockets', '4 pairs of Strong Sox', '1 Soft Felt Hat, blk., brn., and col.', '1 pair Braces or Elastic Belt', '2 large white Hdfs, white or col.'.

Advertisement for JAS. TYLER & CO. located at 13, 15, BRIDGE STREET, featuring 'SHE WAS COMPLETELY CURED AFTER MAKING THREE BUTTRES' and 'RAPID CURE OF CHRONIC ASTHMA'.

Advertisement for W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Auctioneer, Valuer, Arbitrator, General Commission Agent. Located at BARKLY STREET, ARARAT, and NELL STREET, BEAUFORT.





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RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

SUNDAY, 21st NOVEMBER, 1897. Church of England—St. John's, 11 a.m. Subject, 'A picture of divine evolution.'

BIRTH.

HARRIS.—On the 4th inst., at Beaufort, the wife of J. W. Harris, Junr., of a daughter.

THE FRIENDS OF THE LATE MRS. U. TUCKER. Are respectfully invited to follow her remains to the Beaufort Cemetery on Sunday next...

THE Riponshire Advocate.

SATURDAY, NOV. 20, 1897.

Local and General News.

Attention is directed to Mr Fraser's advertisement, photograph, etc., in our issue of the 13th inst....

At a Warden's Court held by Mr. John P.M., at Ballarat on Friday, 12th inst., Charles Ramsay and David Thomas applied for a lease of 19 acres of ground in the Parish of Brewster...

At a meeting for this session of the St. John's Mutual Improvement Society was held in the school-room on Tuesday evening...

Steps have been taken by the Municipal Association of Victoria to call a conference of municipalities to consider the Hospitals and Charities Bill.

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RENEWALS OF LICENSES UNDER THE LAND ACT FOR THE YEAR 1897-8.

Mr W. E. Nickols announces a clearance of station plant, vehicles, household furniture, etc., at St. Enoch's Estate, Stockyard Hill, on Wednesday, at 10 a.m.

For Wodpucks, Sheep-shears, Branding Oils, Dips, Twine, and all Shearing Requisites, go to Hawkes Bros., Ironmongers, of Beaufort.

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WATERLOO SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY

On Sunday afternoon and evening the Waterloo Sunday School anniversary services were held in the Waterloo Free Library...

The broken doll, Jane Nixon, 'Hang up thy' stockings, Violet Smith, 'Referring to work, Jane said: 'Grandma's answer, Ella Kennedy, 'I don't like fat, May Smith, a musical dialogue, by several scholars, was much appreciated...

The collection for the afternoon service amounted to £2 10s 7d. In the evening the attendance was again exceptionally good, the place being again crowded...

On Monday the scholars were treated to a very enjoyable picnic, which was a large and successful one. The usual games were indulged in, and first-class provisions were supplied by Mr D. Hayes...

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—I have much pleasure in placing before you the report of the 15th anniversary of the Waterloo Sunday School...

The Chairman intimated that he would forego his address in favor of Mr Willis, of Melbourne. The hymn, 'Dark below, but light above, having been sung, the following resolutions were given:

FIERY CREEK LODGE

INSTALLATION OF BRO. R. A. D. SINCLAIR, AND INVESTITURE OF OFFICERS.

About 40 Free Masons attended the Fiery Creek Lodge on Wednesday evening, when Bro. R. A. D. Sinclair, the W.M. elect, was installed into the ancient chair of King Solomon...

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RESTORES VIGOUR, HEALTH AND VITALITY OF YOUTH. CURES WEAKNESS, LASSITUDE, DEBILITY, INDIGESTION, PROMPTLY AND PERMANENTLY. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

Mr E. Wilson, Rankov-street, Broken Hill, who writes on August 18th, 1893: 'Sir—Permit me to have the pleasure of adding my testimony to the many already sent you relating the cures effected by Clements Tonic...

Owing to the dryness of the season in the north of South Australia, the estimate of the wheat crop has had to be reduced from six bushels to four.

The British and Foreign Bible Society has printed and distributed since its foundation no fewer than 151,000,000 copies of the scriptures.

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At Poverty Point Hancock and party are erecting steam machinery on their shaft, which is sunk to a depth of about 50 feet. There is nothing new to report about the rush at Madman's Gulch, except that Day and party have bottomed on payable gold, and are erecting a 'whip' on their shaft.

A case of what appears to be murder and attempted suicide is reported from Dinedin. A woman named Clements was found lying in bed in a pool of blood quite dead, with her throat cut.

The following (writes our Chute correspondent) are the yields for the past week:—Last Chance (Chute), 1oz 12dwt; Hatfield and White, 11dwt 12grs; Dupp and party, 1oz 3dwt.

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BEAUFORT UNITED COMMON

THE MANAGERS OF THE ABOVE COMMON MEET AT THE SECRETARY'S OFFICE ON 15th INST. PRESENT, Messrs Humphreys, Flynn, and Brown (secretary).

From the Secretary, reporting as follows:—Balance in bank, £20 14s 2d; cash in hand, £1 5s; making a total credit, £21 19s 2d. Fees received to date for current half-year, £27 13s; unpaid fees due on stock registered, £6 12s, making the total assessment to date, £33 5s.

From the Herdsman, reporting that 6000 sheep and 50 head of cattle passed through the common since last meeting, and that G. Loft, of Chute, offers his bull to the common on the same terms as last year. He recommended that it be accepted; also that some poisoned wheat and toxa be laid at Poverty Point, where the young rabbits are getting numerous; but, taking the common all round, the rabbits are very much less in number this season.

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THE undermentioned application has been lodged, and will be dealt with by a Local Land Board to be held at this office on Thursday, the 2nd December, 1897, at 11 o'clock a.m. SECTION 99, THE LAND ACTS, 1890-1.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS

SEASIDE AND GIPPSLAND LAKES EXCURSIONS. From 15th November, 1897, till 30th April, 1898, Seaside Excursion tickets will be issued at the principal stations to Geelong, Queenscliff, Warrnambool, Deans Marsh, Forrest, Timboon, Portland, Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Frankston, Hastings, Bittern, Mornington, Stony Point, Sale, Bairnsdale, Foster, Toora, Welpohol, Alberton, or Port Albert, and combined railway and steam-boat tickets for the Gippsland Lakes.

FOUNDED AT BEAUFORT

Red and white Bull, no visible brands. Brindle and white Heifer, near ear slit, no visible brands. Blue and white speckled Cow, Warrnambool, 4 not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold 20th November 1897.

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JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD, CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOW STREETS—American shovelling boards. Do lumber do. 6 x 1 Tard G Scotch flooring. 6 x 2 do do. 6 x 2 do do. 6 x 2 do do. American and Baltic deals, all sizes. 4 not pine weatherboards. 6 do do. American clear pine. 4 in, 5 in, 6 in, cedar, wide and narrow boards. Cedar table legs, all sizes. French casements, doors, sashes. Mouldings, architraves, skirting. Broad palings and shingles. A stock of sizes of hardwood always on hand also GEELONG LINE.

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NEW LACES, RIBBONS, UMBRELLAS, CORSETS, &c.

Special attention is called to the large and very choice assortment of new Dress Goods; also a large assortment of Prints, Blousings, Cambrics, Crepons, Mullins, &c., at prices we feel assured will be fully appreciated by our customers and the general public.

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APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS. Attention is called to the following regulations under part 2 of 'The Mines Act 1897'...

WOOL RATES.

Table with 2 columns: Location (Beaufort, Bangor, Dobbies, Middle Creek) and Rates (To Geelong, To Melbourne).

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1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary, in writing, are considered as wishing to continue their subscriptions...

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How to Increase Flesh.

The quantity of food we eat matters not; it is the amount which is digested and assimilated. A diet of lean beef that has been finely chopped and robbed of the connective tissues...

How to Make Chocolate Caramels.

Bowl together a pound of white sugar, a quarter of a pound of chocolate, and a few spoonsful of molasses.

How to Crystallize Flowers.

Arrange some basket forms of any desired pattern with pliable copper wires and wrap them with gauze.

How to Prevent Choking From a Fishbone.

A raw egg swallowed immediately will generally carry a fishbone down the throat.

How to Wash Underwear.

Never wash underwear in the same suds which have served for white things. Aside from the dirt held in solution, the water is charged with tiny particles...

How to Renew Stained Floors.

To renew stained floors that have grown a little dull rub thoroughly with beeswax and turpentine. Repeat this whenever it is needed.

Ticklishness.

Ticklishness, so marked a characteristic of childhood, has been a subject of prolonged study by Dr. Louis Robinson.

FADS AND FANCIES.

Society Lovers New Year's Debutante Balls. The recent receptions in honor of debutantes have been characterized by a lavish display of bouquets.

Principals of Card Etiquette.

When an unmarried lady is calling on a married couple with daughters, what cards should she bring?

The Gentlewoman.

A gentleman smiles, but never laughs. She talks, but never giggles. She is interested and sympathetic.

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SEASON 1897-1898. GEORGE HAGUE & COY. WILL hold Weekly Wool Sales as usual every Friday, during the coming season.

EXTENSIVE WAREHOUSES, built expressly for the storage of Wool. SHOW ROOMS splendidly lighted and unequalled in the colony for the display of Wool.

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GEORGE PAYNE, Watchmaker and Jeweller. Near the Post Office, Sturt Street, Ballarat. I employ the most complete staff of workmen of Melbourne in my workshop at 18 Drummond Street North.

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We have resolved to reduce the subscription to "The Riponshire Advocate" (with which is published a 14-column supplement containing well-selected reading matter) to 38 per centum.

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Farm and Timber Waggon, Farm, Road and Spring Drays, Waggonettes, and all kinds of Vehicles made and repaired on the premises. Horses Carefully Shod.

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Our Suit to Order at 42/-, 5,000 pieces of material value Woolens to select. Tuxed Suits 21/-, Fawn Suits 18/-, etc.

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Very few are too poor now-a-days to take their country paper, and it is false economy to try and get along without it.

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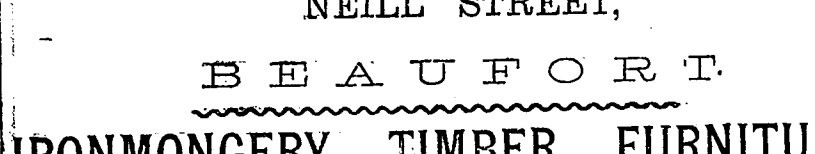
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The Riponshire Advocate

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And the Proprietor, recognizing the increased support in this district, will use his utmost endeavors to merit and sustain the patronage accorded him by giving the Latest possible Local and General News, and the most interesting and instructive information.

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

Arthur Parker, Printer and Publisher.

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REGISTERED DENTAL SURGEON. Mr. Harris has had considerable experience in dentistry...

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THE WINDSTORM.

The windstorm of Friday, 19th inst., seems to have been most severely felt in Western and Central Victoria. It was characterized everywhere by violent gusts of wind from the north-west, with vivid shifts of wind to the west, with vivid lightning, and short but heavy falls of rain.

ST. ENOCH'S STOCK SALE.

Powers, Rutherford, and Co., in conjunction with Heppburn, Dowling, and Crawford, conducted a clearing sale of stock at St. Enoch's Estate, on account of Mr. E. H. Austin, M.L.A., on Wednesday. There was a large attendance, but on the whole prices were rather unsatisfactory.

MINING NEWS.

At Madman's Gully Cochrane and party are erecting a whim. It is reported that Crocker and party will have a good yield this week, whilst several of the other parties are getting payable gold.

GAZETTE NOTICES.

At the expiration of a month a gold mining lease will be granted to the following:—E. Rutherford, Golden Eagle Consols Co., 11a 1r 29p, Waterloo South.

DO YOU SUFFER FROM LIVER COMPLAINT, INDIGESTION, CONSTIPATION, HEADACHE, BRUISES, PAIN, OR ANY SYMPTOMS OF A DISORDERED DIGESTIVE APPARATUS?

If so, there is no remedy in the world so safe and sure to give relief as Fletcher's Pills and Clements Tonic. Don't be misled by the wasting time and money or agonizingly "All-falling" nostrums so frequently advertised by designing quacks and dishonest rogues.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.

Mr. L. N. BLACKMORE, DENTIST, 112, ST. GEORGE'S ROAD, BEAUFORT.



BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB'S ANNUAL RACES.

To be held on the Racecourse, WATERLOO FLATS, ON NEW YEAR'S DAY (SATURDAY, 1st JANUARY, 1898).



Application for a Gold Mining Lease.

In pursuance of the Act of Parliament 54 Victoria No. 112, it is hereby notified that after the expiration of the term from the date hereof it is intended to grant the lease undermentioned, subject to such excisions, modifications, and reservations as may be necessary.

ST. ENOCH'S STOCKYARD HILL.

SALE BY AUCTION, ON WEDNESDAY, the 1st DECEMBER, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, at St. Enoch's Station, Stockyard Hill.

ON SALE.

JEREMIAH SMITH'S TIMBER YARD, CORNER OF LIVINGSTONE & WILLOW STREETS.

SHOP BY POST.

To enable our country friends and customers to do their shopping by post.

JAMES TYLER & Co.

Have made special arrangements for ONE POUND PARCELS.

Parcel No. 1, 20s.

- 2 Night's, good calico, trimmed lace. 2 Chemise. 2 Kecker's, good calico. 1 Sun Bonnet, dark print. 1 Corset, any size.

Parcel No. 2, 20s.

- 1 doz. Flannellette, plain or striped. 1 Calico, for family use. 1 Gretone, good quality, light or dark. 1 Print, good quality and fast color.

Parcel No. 3, 20s.

- 1 pair of Tweed Trousers. 1 pair of heavy Moles. 2 Cotton or Flannellette Shirts, with or without collar and pockets. 4 pairs of strong Sox.

GRAND DISPLAY.

SPRING & SUMMER NOVELTIES!

Manchester House.

G. H. COUGLE

Is now making a splendid display of NEW MILLINERY.

The greatest possible care has been exercised in the selection of the most fashionable productions at specially advantageous prices.

NEW DRESS GOODS.

Special attention is called to the large and very choice assortment of new Dress Goods; also a large assortment of Prints, Blousings, Cambrics, Crepons, Mullins, &c., at prices we feel assured will be fully appreciated by our customers and the general public.

NEW LACES, RIBBONS,UMBRELLAS, CORSETS, &c.

MEN'S, YOUTHS', AND BOYS' READY-MADE CLOTHING. Knicker Suits, Hats, Shirts, Ties, Underwear, &c.

SUITS MADE TO ORDER.

A large assortment of Men's, Women's, and Children's BOOTS and SHOES. See them and compare. The prices are surprisingly cheap.

WE CAN GUARANTEE THAT OUR PRICES ARE THE LOWEST IN THE TRADE FOR ALL SEASONS OF DRAPERY, OUR PARCELS THIS SEASON HAVING BEEN BOUGHT UNDER EXCEPTIONALLY FAVORABLE CIRCUMSTANCES.

GEO. H. COUGLE,

Family Draper, &c., HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT.

TRAINES.

I BEG TO THANK THE Fire Brigade and neighbors who so promptly extinguished the fire in my wood shed on Thursday.

SHIRE OF RIPON.

NOTICE.—The adjourned ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE SHIRE OF RIPON, for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the financial year ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1897, will be held at noon on MONDAY, the 6th day of DECEMBER, 1897, at the SHIRE HALL, BEAUFORT.

Beaufort Butter Factory Co. in Liquidation.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to FRIDAY, the 3rd DECEMBER next, for the purchase of all the existing rights of the Company in and to the Factory Building and Land in Livingstone Street, Beaufort, and subject to the Company's liabilities existing on the said property.

THE CELEBRATION OF THE PRIMITIVE METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.

THE CELEBRATION OF THE PRIMITIVE METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY will be held at the SOCIETIES' HALL, BEAUFORT, on SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5th, 1897, when Three Sermons will be preached by Rev. H. Robinson, M.A., at 11, Afternoon at 4, Evening at 7. On MONDAY Evening, the 6th DECEMBER, a grand MUSICAL FESTIVAL at 7.30 p.m. Special Singing at all services by an efficient choir of 150 voices, under the leadership of Mr. J. Jackson, with a splendid orchestra.

COMMISSIONERS OF SAVINGS BANKS.

Invite Tenders for purchase of Mortgage Bonds at 3 per cent. For sums of £25, or any multiple thereof. Tenders will be opened on Monday, 29th July, 1897, at 2.30 p.m., and every alternate Monday, at Head Office, 20 Market-st., Melbourne.

THE MOST WONDERFUL INVENTION IN MODERN PHOTOGRAPHY.

BAS-RELIEFS SPECIMENS ON EXHIBITION AT RICHARDS & CO'S. Studio for the first time in Australia.

ORIGINAL CORRESPONDENCE.

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

TO THE EDITOR.

Dear Sir,—At the last meeting of the Shire Council, the Engineer, in his report, states that it was owing to the defective condition of the water main that the water supply was interrupted for a period of several days.

BEAUFORT FIREMAN.

In connection with the Melbourne fire, the sum to be paid by the insurance companies will not fall far short of £700,000.

REPORTS FROM THE CHIEF WHEAT-GROWING AREAS.

Reports from the chief wheat-growing areas clearly indicate that farmers will have to face another disastrous failure of crops.

FLOODING.—FORTH AND BREATH.

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A PETITION AGAINST THE RETURN OF MR WHITE.

A petition against the return of Mr White, member for Albert Park, has been lodged by Mr Ernest Joske and Mr T. R. Ashworth, the defeated candidates on the ground of bribery and undue influence by Mr White or his supporters.

THE SALUBRITY OF THE CHANNING ISLANDS.

The Salisbury Government have threatened to abandon the Channing Islands unless the militia which the islands are compelled to furnish reaches the number demanded by the Imperial requirements.

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"KEATING'S POWDER" destroys BUGS, BEETLES, 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 in "KEATING'S" as imitations are anxious and inefficient. Sold in Tins, 6d, 1s, and 2s 6d each, by all chemists.

WEDNESDAY'S SITTING OF THE ASSEMBLY.

Wednesday's sitting of the Assembly was almost entirely given up to private members' business, but a break was made at 5 o'clock to allow of the election of a Chairman of Committees. Mr Beazley being chosen for that position.

THE CHIEF SECRETARY HAS INTRODUCED A BILL IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY TO MAKE THE BANK AND INSURANCE HOLIDAYS CORRESPOND WITH THOSE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

The Chief Secretary has introduced a bill in the Legislative Assembly to make the bank and insurance holidays correspond with those of the public service. White Monday, Separation Day, and Constitution Day will be abolished as bank holidays, and Eight Hours' Day and the Royal Agricultural Society's show day will be substituted.

THE BUILDINGS DESTROYED BY THE GREAT FIRE IN LONDON ON FRIDAY NIGHT COVERED AN AREA OF FOUR AND A HALF ACRES.

The buildings destroyed by the great fire in London on Friday Night covered an area of four and a half acres. The losses sustained by the insurance offices is estimated at under £1,000,000. The leading British offices lose £300,000; and the American offices are heavy losers. It is estimated that 4000 work people will be thrown out of work by the fire.

THE LATEST NEWS WITH REGARD TO THE BUBONIC PLAGUE IN INDIA IS THAT IT SHOWS NO SIGN OF ABATING IN VIOLENCE AT POONA AND SURAT, AND THAT IT HAS BROKEN OUT IN BEZMUR AND AHMADABAD.

The latest news with regard to the bubonic plague in India is that it shows no sign of abating in violence at Poona and Surat, and that it has broken out in Bezmur and Ahmadabad.

"FOR BLOOD IS THE LIFE."

"FOR BLOOD IS THE LIFE."—If the blood is laden with impurities it spreads disease, circulates through the organs of the human body—Lungs, Heart, Stomach, Kidneys, Brain, Clarke's World-Famed Blood Mixture is warranted to cleanse the blood from all impurities from whatever cause arising. For Scrofula, Scary, Eczema, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds, its effects are marvellous. Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected by it. Sold everywhere at 2s 9d. Beware of worthless imitations and substitutes.

The Daily Telegraph states that the losses of the English Insurance Companies by the Melbourne fire amount to £2,000,000 and are limited to £10,000 each.

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Not an Unlucky Number. "I don't call it an unlucky number," said Mrs. Calliper to her husband...



The Clergyman—It strikes me that I've seen your face before.

The Analytical Novel. "I don't know," said the clergyman, "but I have seen your face before..."

His Wealth. "I have four acres," said the man, "and I have four cows..."

The Sadness of Love. "Jack—it is time for me to go, dearest. I shall be locked out, and I left my key in my pocket..."

Encouragement. "A Damsville preacher told us that he had attended the funeral of a husband and wife..."

A Suggestive Conclusion. "What did I think I do in the lion's den?"

A Ready Helpmeet. "We've got to economize," said Mr. Gar-

ALMOST A TRAGEDY. "But 'Old Robinson' proves that he is a Baro Actor."

Old Robinson had returned from the city the other evening, when, as he hung up his overcoat on the hall hatrack and prepared to go up stairs, he heard such strangely excited voices in the parlor that he paused to listen.

"Peace, woman, and weary me no longer with your reproaches. I tell you the day of my wedding with Mabel Rockerbell is fixed, and nothing shall prevent our union."

"How would you like to change the game?" asked the drummer. "I'd like to play the hand of a millionaire."

It Ticked Him. "The Rhinoceros—If their ammunition only holds out from their march, I'll have the best day's shampoos that I've had for a month—Life."

Fitted For the Post. "Hotel Proprietor—Yes, I want a clerk at once. What do you know about hotel keeping?"

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Cholly—Does youn tallaw evah send in his bill?

IN CASE OF FIRE. "Your house takes fire. What burns first? The lightest and most inflammable stuff of course—fire, doors, shelves, floors, paneling and other work."

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