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COMMERCIAL

ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET. Wheat, 2s 8d per bushel...

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Pat Cattle - 255 head come to today's sale...

CELEBRATED MARKETS. George Hugg & Co. report (24th inst.)...

Gazette Notices. Power has been given to J. S. Smith to transfer lease No. 1907...

Skipiton. The following stating in this locality have commenced shooting operations...

Mr. M. P. Hutton has had the road at Lake Bole pulled down and re-estimated near the homestead at Norrin North...

The Postmaster-General has approved of the Beaufort post and telegraph office being closed...

Mr. Sinclair, President of Riponshire, took advantage on Monday of Cr Stewart's first attendance at the council since his marriage to propose his health...

Entries for the Grand National Show, to be held at Maryborough on 18th and 19th October, close on Saturday, 7th inst...

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Beaufort Agricultural Society's Federation Fair and Sports Gathering.

A federation fair and sports gathering, in aid of the Beaufort Agricultural Society's show ground improvement fund, was held on Wednesday, and passed off fairly successfully.

Before the appointed hour for starting the procession, 9.30 a.m., large numbers of people congregated in the streets, despite the cold wet weather which prevailed, and by the time the marshal made his appearance there must have been some hundreds of people waiting to see the spectacle.

The procession started at 10.0 a.m. and proceeded in the direction of the show ground, the streets being lined with spectators.

The procession was headed by the band, followed by the various societies and clubs, and the show ground was reached at 11.0 a.m.

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The Acquittal of Mr. T. J. Orde.

A GLORIOUS RECESSION BY HIS FELLOW-CITIZENS.

"FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW." PLAYED BY A BRASS BAND, AND SANG BY LEADING RESIDENTS.

LADIES JOIN IN THE ENTHUSIASM. THE SENIOR-CONSTABLE HOOTED.

WHILE MR. ORDE IS ESCORTED HOME AND CARRIED SHOULDER HIGH.

Hearty as were the congratulations received by Mr Orde in Ballarat upon his honorable acquittal, without a stain on his character, from the charge of alleged indecent assault—comparative strangers were all the time coming up and shaking hands with him—yet on returning to Beaufort by the 7 p.m. train a pleasant surprise was in store.

Mr. Orde was met at the platform of the railway station, and as the train steamed in Mr Orde was accorded a glorious reception. Here were ladies and gentlemen enthusiastically hurrahing, whilst Bulch's Brass Band played "For he's a jolly good fellow," and the crowd sang it lustily.

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Since that time we have been without it. We find it gives instant relief in cases of burns and scalds and is never failing for all rheumatic and neuralgic pains.

For particulars, apply to J. R. WOTHERSPOON & Co., Beaufort.

Beaufort Police Court. Monday, 9th October, 1899. (Before Mr R. E. Johns, P.M.)

A postponed case against Henry Anderson for non-compliance with the Vaccination Act was withdrawn by Senior-constable Downey; the child having been successfully vaccinated.

A debt case was struck out, there being no appearance of either party.

Charles Broadbent was charged by Senior-constable Downey with neglecting to send three of his children to school the required number of days.

Sarah Griggs and Robert Saph were each fined 2s 6d, in default 12 hours imprisonment.

Edward White, the father of the boy, said he asked Senior-constable Downey if it could not be settled out of court, but he didn't like the idea, and said he was not the P.M.

A Gripman's Danger.

HE SUFFERED FROM INDIGESTION AND PAINFUL ERUPTIONS—ONE YEAR OF PAIN.

DR. MORSE'S INDIAN ROOT PILLS ALONE CURED HIM.

Mr A. Murray, of Ballarat, has been appointed Government auditor for the Shire of Ripon.

A gold mining lease of 9a 1r 20p is awaiting execution to J. Bending.

The following applications for licenses under the 123rd section of the Land Act 1890 have been approved.

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One Man in Ten!

Does Not Trade with US.

We're After that Man.\* About one man in ten doesn't know that the other nine of his fellow-mortals have come to the conclusion that it is always safest to trade with us.

Are You the Tenth Man? We're After YOU. J. R. WOTHERSPOON and Co., Wholesale and Retail GROCERS, Wine & Spirit Merchants.

GRAND NATIONAL SHOW, MARYBOROUGH, 18th and 19th OCTOBER.

YOUNGHUSBAND & COY. (Proprietary Limited). 666 & 668 BOULEVARD STREET, MELBOURNE.

PRIZE FOWLS. A limited number of EGGS FOR SALE at 7s. 6d. dozen from the following pure breeds.

Buy from the Importers direct. HAWKES BROS., Iron, Steel, and Galvanized Iron Merchants.

NEW MILLINERY. The People's Draper, IS NOW SHOWING NEW MILLINERY.

G. H. COUGLE, The People's Draper, IS NOW SHOWING NEW MILLINERY.

A Bad Man.

There was an old crooked man, And he suffered from such a bile; He had a very bad attack; When near a crooked stick; So he went and bought some Bile Beans; And now he's well and strong; And finds of nothing but his cure.

What a time I have had this week with processions, dramatic entertainments, sports, &c., and just as I had about 16 columns written describing everything, I get a telegram from the Editor to say cut it short this week.

The Federation Sports was supposed to have been got up for the benefit of the farming community, but as far as I could see the farmers themselves supported the show to a very small extent.

Here is a new recipe to kill cockroaches. Get two small blocks of wood and number them 1 and 2; catch the cockroach; place him on No. 2 block; take No. 1 in your right hand, and place it on No. 2, with the cockroach between, and apply a slight pressure; remove the remains, and proceed as before.

A meeting of the managers of the Beaufort United Common was held on Monday. Present Messrs Humphreys, Flynn, and Brown.

Cricket.

MIDDLE CREEK V. BEAUFORT. These clubs met in friendly rivalry in the Beaufort Park on Saturday last.

The game did not commence until 3.35, when Middle Creek sent Beaufort to the wickets, and at 5 o'clock rain compelled the players to retire, and the innings was then closed.

The total was 92 runs for 7 wickets. McDonald secured 4 wickets for 26 runs; Walker 2 for 20, and Baker 1 for 18.

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I have never had to use more than one or two doses to cure the worst case with myself or children.

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No. 1146.

BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1899.

PRICE THREEPENCE.

POSTAL NEWS.

BATES WITHIN VICTORIA.

LETTERS.—Per ounce or under 0 2

NEWSPAPER LAW.

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

RE MINING LEASES.

It is notified for general information that applicants for Mining Leases are required, within seven days previous to lodging the application, to insert in a newspaper published in the district where the land is situated, or if no such newspaper, then in one published nearest the district, an advertisement or notice in the form marked "A" in the schedule relating to Mining Leases.

TECHNICAL RATES.

LETTERS.—Per 1/2 ounce or under 0 2

Dr. TARRANT

For sixteen years Hon. Surgeon to the Sydney Hospital—Registered by the Medical Board—has during his recent world-wide travels discovered a NEW METHOD OF HEALING...

Business man.—"You remember that I had in your paper, and took out two months ago? Well, I want to have it put back again."

LOST MANHOOD

Woman's Salvation.

Teeth! Teeth!!

The Naked Truth

UNDERTAKERS AND CARPENTERS.

FUNERAL ECONOMY

NOTICE.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS

W. BAKER

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENT. RELIABLE FAMILY MEDICINES. Have stood pre-eminent during the past sixty years as...

Spring is Here! AND SO IS

McKEICH'S FIRST SHIPMENT OF HOYLES' PRINTS AND SATEENS.

NEW SPRING MILLINERY, Which will be on view in a few days.

J. McKEICH, IMPORTER, BEAUFORT.

GENERAL PRINTING AT LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

"The Advocate" Office, Beaufort.

Lincoln, Stuart and Co. Proprietary 252 & 254 Flinders-street, Melbourne.

Advertisement for a suit, featuring an illustration of a man in a suit and a top hat.

W. EDWARD NICKOLS, Auctioneer, Valuer, Arbitrator, General Commission Agent.

GEELONG WOOL SALES.

SEASON 1899-1900.

GEORGE HAGUE & COY.

WILL hold Weekly Wool Sales as usual every Friday during the coming season.

WM. C. PEDDER, Blacksmith and Wheelwright, NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.

JOHN HUMPHREYS COMMISSION & INSURANCE AGENT.

Dr. JENNER'S COUGH BALSAM.

YOU CAN AFFORD IT.

ARTHUR PARKER, Printer and Publisher, LAWRENCE STREET, BEAUFORT.

Plain & Ornamental Printing

To our Readers and Patrons.

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

The Circulation of the Riponshire Advocate

And as the Advocate of the interests and the welfare of this district it has a claim for considerably greater amount of support.

"The Advocate,"

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY MORNING, CIRCULATES in the following districts—

Business Men, Read

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

Job Printing

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, BALL TICKETS & PROGRAMMES, ADDRESS & BUSINESS CARDS, MINE & CO. REPORTS, &c., PAMPHLETS, CIRCULARS, BILLHEADS, POSTERS, DELIVERY BOOKS, DRAPERS' HANDBILLS, CATALOGUES, MOURNING CARDS, SOURCE & DINNERS TICKETS, &c., &c.

BOOKBINDING

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



HAVELOCK TOBACCO. Confidence Curls Tobacco. Each pipe is branded with yellow tin tag, thus.

COMMERCIAL. ARARAT PRODUCE MARKET. Wheat, 3s 3d per bushel, bagging four, stone-made, none.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF SAVINGS BANKS. Loans to Farmers. Up to Two-thirds of Valuation of FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD Lands in Victoria.

Mr J. W. Harris, junr., PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMIST AND REGISTERED DENTAL SURGEON. Begs to inform the residents of Beaufort and surrounding district that he has COMMENCED BUSINESS on the premises lately occupied by Mr J. B. Cochran.

MELBOURNE MARKETS. Wheat—Prime new, 3s 5d. Flour—Roller, 7s 5d to 7s 10d.

RICHARDS & CO., The Leading and Fashionable BALLARAT PHOTOGRAPHERS. The very latest style—"THE ALBANY PLAQUE."

war. The rattle of the Lee-Metford and the crackling of the death-spitting Maxim are the agents by which the tangled skein of national politics in South Africa will be unravelled.

The weekly meeting of the Beaufort United Y.P.S.O.E. Society was held on Thursday evening, 12th inst., in the P.M. schoolroom; and the Rev. H. Robinson in charge.

Local and General News.

The annual meeting of the Beaufort Athletic Club is announced for Tuesday evening at the Mechanics' Institute.

A very laughable episode to those who witnessed it occurred in Beaufort on Thursday afternoon. A recent courting match appears to have caused a great deal of ill-feeling.

We regret to record the death of Mrs. Thos. Cumming, an old and respected resident of the district, which occurred at Waterloo on Tuesday.

The weekly meeting of the Beaufort United Y.P.S.O.E. was held on Thursday evening, in the Primitive Methodist Church, the occasion being the lecture on "Character in candles," delivered by the Rev. J. West Law, of Ballarat.

Mr John Buntine, father of Mr. H. A. Buntine, assistant Presbyterian minister at Beaufort, was recently the recipient of the valentines addressed, which are attached from the minor's Dream G.M. Co., West Australia.

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CHIPS.

[By "TOMAHAWK."] "The pen is mightier than the old cheese."

I have just recovered the wild haroo I indulged in last week, and after analysing things carefully I am of opinion that a man will go through a lot of inconvenience when he is put to it, and not with the object of assisting with his mite a good cause, but just because other people do it, and he cannot be left out of the general stampede.

Lance-Corporal Jas. Kilbeg and Private Wm. Buchanan, of the Beaufort detachment D Co. Rangers, having been selected Transvaal (the former in the infantry and the latter in the mounted rifles), their friends decided to give them a hearty send-off on Monday afternoon, therefore, a demonstration was made.

After I had ten I struggled in to the Societies' Hall, with a lot more pieces of humanity, to see the great drama "Blow for Blow," and after a most exciting engagement, succeeded in vanquishing the enemy and getting a sent without a back.

My wife has used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for rheumatism and other household uses for which we have found it valuable.—W. J. CUYLER, Red Creek, N.Y.

Mining News.

Hancock and party cleaned up a machine on Tuesday for a yield of 21 oz. Yesterday another machine gave 47 oz., while still another has been cleaned up to-day.

Mr Moodie, an officer of the Mines Department, was in Beaufort on Saturday till Wednesday evening making inquiries in connection with the opposition expressed in a petition by miners against the granting of local dredging leases.

Who Are the Wise?

"A word to the wise is sufficient, but you ask, who are the wise?" This of trustworthy persons may be taken for knowledge. Mr. W. M. Terry has better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in drug business at Elkhart, Ky., for twelve years; has sold nearly all other cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory.

"Blow for Blow."

As briefly mentioned in our last issue, the Beaufort Dramatic Club successfully produced the drama "Blow for Blow" at the Societies' Hall, on the night of 11th inst. There was an exceptionally large hall was never so well attended.

Owing to the unsettled weather, the Beaufort Cycle Club postponed their race from Wednesday last till the 17th inst. Entries now close on Wednesday 23rd inst. The race promises to be a great success, as 30 entries have already been received.

The annual meeting of the Municipal Association of Victoria was held in Melbourne on Wednesday. The permission granted by council to the holders to erect swing gates covered with wire netting across roads not at present required for public use having been contested in the courts, and decided in opposition to the council, prompted the Shires of Glenelg and Ripon to move that the Government be asked to validate such acts by municipalities. The motion was agreed to.

Notwithstanding the many wonderful developments of science, no rival has yet been found to the place of Holloway's Pills and Ointment as reliable and speedy cures for the various diseases with which we are all liable to be afflicted. The Ointment is universally acknowledged to be a certain remedy for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs, colds, glandular swellings, rheumatism, and all skin diseases. The Pills have just earned a world-wide reputation for all female complaints; for infantile disorders, such as colic, cholera, and diarrhoea, and a complaint for which both the Pills and Ointment are not beneficial, and which is the cause of all parts of the world can testify to their merit. They are suitable for any climate or season of the year.

Latest cables from the seat of war in the Transvaal report conflicts between the opposing forces in which the Boers have been repulsed. A number of refugees who have arrived in Natal from Johannesburg declare that the Boer authorities precipitated the war only because they were buoyed with the hope that by so doing they would cause a general rising amongst the Dutch residents in Cape Colony.

The scene opens in the office of Josiah Craddock, a lawyer, at Portsmouth. One of his clerks (John Drummond) is a crafty man, and is in love with one of Craddock's daughters (Mildred). Finding his love is himself upon her. He is anxious to Craddock is in monetary difficulties, and finds out that he has forged the name of a wealthy client for £1400. In the scene, and asks Craddock's consent to his marriage with his daughter, which is readily given, and Linden retires to seek out Mildred; but before doing so goes to Craddock a severe thrashing is given to him, which he has given him in the presence of Miss Craddock. The other clerk (Spragg) having been dispatched by Craddock to the bank with the forged cheque for £1400, returns, but is accompanied by the bank manager and a policeman. Craddock, being accused of the forgery, denies it, but Drummond confronts him, and admits the result that Craddock is arrested. Linden now appears on the scene with Miss Craddock, who has consented to become his bride, but finding the disgrace which has fallen upon her, she declares that they must part. Linden, however, declares that she shall still be his wife, and the prologue ends with the discomfiture of Drummond.

Five years are now supposed to have elapsed, and during this time Mildred has been married to Linden, but she is dead. Linden, who has been dead for three years, has been seen by Drummond then joined in his scheme. Drummond then tells him that his wife still lives, gives a proof by confronting him with Alice, who is taken for Mildred by Linden, with satisfactory results for Drummond. Drummond's cupidry here asserts itself, and being anxious to extort money from Linden, he overhears the mark and arouses Linden's suspicions. At the same time Linden, in an interview with Alice, unconsciously shows the latter that she is merely a tool in the hands of Drummond for the purpose of revenge, and she then explains to him, with the result that Linden and his wife are reconciled; and Josiah Craddock having returned, the play concludes by emphasising the fact that it is better to return good for evil than "Blow for Blow."

Mr Sinclair, as President of the Mechanics' Institute, sincerely thanked the public for their patronage. He was sure the committee would feel deeply grateful. It was one of the largest attendances that there had ever been in Beaufort. The result would carry the Institute over the year, and it was believed that next year the district would be more prosperous, which would be a good thing for all. He also returned his heartfelt thanks to the La Mascotte Quadrille Assembly for so gracefully giving up the hall after arranging to hold their wind-up social that night. While the entertainment was not perfect, the performers, and hoped for the best to give satisfaction, and hoped on another occasion to give even a better performance. The balance sheet, which is published in another column, shows the receipts to have amounted to £35 14s, and the expenditure to £10 17s 8d, leaving the sum of £24 16s 4d for the Institute—a result which must be very gratifying to all concerned, and particularly to Messrs Sinclair and Drummond, who were so energetically in their respective positions of stage manager and secretary to ensure success.

An essential condition of health is that the kidneys should be kept in good order. The most safe and pleasant regulator is D.C.L. WHISKY. Ask for D.C.L. black bottle.









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Richardson & Co., The Leading and Fashionable BALLARAT PHOTOGRAPHERS.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SAVINGS BANKS ARE NOW GRANTING LOANS TO FARMERS

MELBOURNE MARKETS. Wheat, 3s 4d; oats, 1s 9d to 2s; bran, 9d

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Youngusband & Co., Proprietors, Ltd., report—We hold our usual weekly sale

RELIGIOUS SERVICES. SUNDAY, 29th OCTOBER, 1899.

BIRTH. PARKER—On 22nd inst., at Beaufort, the wife of Arthur Parker—a daughter.

THE Riponshire Advocate Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, OCT. 28, 1899.

The death of James Pay, son of Mr. Luke Pay, of Middle Creek, occurred on Thursday

A death occurred at Lexton from influenza on 19th inst., the victim being Mr. Patrick Quigley, who was 80 years old

Mrs. Cameron, of Ding Dong, Beaufort, died on Wednesday, from consumption

The marriage of Miss M. Kirkpatrick, daughter of Mr. George Kirkpatrick, farmer, of Stockyard Hill, Beaufort

Mrs. Constance Ivey, of Skipton, met with a serious mishap on Saturday

Wool-scouring Contest. The following are the weights and valuations (in order of merit) of the fleeces of the four

Intimate Strangers. Suppose a man to have lived fifty years without ever having seen the reflection of his own face

Who Are the Wise? A word to the wise is sufficient and a word from the wise should be sufficient

CLARK'S B 41 PILLS are warranted to cure, in either sex, all acquired or constitutional Disorders from the Urinary, Digestive, Gravel, and

The rainfall at Beaufort for the week ending yesterday at 9 a.m. amounted to 15 points.

South African affairs for some time to come are bound to attract a large amount of attention.

The Beaufort Primitive Methodist Sabbath School sent three scholars to the district examination, viz., Misses Robinson, Florie Cameron, and Ada Frusher.

The following are the handicaps for the B.C.C. road race on Wednesday next from Beaufort Post-office to Fraser's, Lake Goldsmith, and back to Post-office, a distance of 12 miles:

- P. McCarthy, Ararat ... 1 min. S. Lynch, Learmonth ... 1 1/2 M. Cavanaugh, Ararat ... 1 J. Keen, Ballarat ... 1 1/2 A. McDougall, Beaufort ... 2 E. C. Tilley, Beaufort ... 2 D. de Baker, Beaufort ... 2 1/2 J. Yeoman, Linton ... 2 1/2 W. Tilley, Beaufort ... 2 1/2 G. Jennings, Learmonth ... 3 D. F. Fry, Beaufort ... 4 A. W. Trimblett, Beaufort ... 4 S. Goldsmith, Learmonth ... 4 1/2 J. A. Hogg, Beaufort ... 4 1/2 G. Wright, Linton ... 5 G. Tyrrell, Beaufort ... 5 A. O'Day, Learmonth ... 5 E. Barry, Learmonth ... 5 A. W. Pedder, Beaufort ... 5 1/2 J. McPherson, Middle Creek ... 5 1/2 Ben Baker, Beaufort ... 5 1/2 H. J. Richards, Middle Creek ... 5 1/2 F. Loftus, Beaufort ... 6 1/2 A. Watterspoon, Beaufort ... 6 1/2 G. Wilson, Beaufort ... 7 W. Gibson, Beaufort ... 7 J. Cavagna ... 7 A. Laney, Waterloo ... 7 J. Bathford, Waterloo ... 7 Z. Williams, Main Lead ... 7 C. Oatley, Chute ... 7 M. O'Brien, Middle Creek ... 7 T. Sands, Beaufort ... 7 F. Roe, Beaufort ... 8 W. Holdsworth, Beaufort ... 8 R. Brennan, Beaufort ... 8

Skipton. (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.) A very enjoyable ball was held in the Mechanics' Hall on Friday, the 20th inst., in aid of the Roman Catholic Church.

Influenza is very prevalent in this locality at the present time, nearly every house having one or two cases.

A Victorian Industry. For some time Messrs Wm. Cameron Brog & Co. Propy. Ltd. have been engaged in the manufacture of the very finest tobacco.

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CHIPS.

["BY 'TOMAHAWK.'"]

After successfully dodging his royal highness for about a week, he captured me, and now I am a prisoner in the hands of the influenza fiend.

The Church of England fair, wax-works and tableaux promise to be something startling. The various stalls will be fixed up in quite a novel and taking manner.

Nearly £25 profit. Now that is what I call a first rate, and all concerned have reason to be proud of the result of their labors.

Immediately on the north side of Beaufort is Camp Hill, a popular holiday resort and picnic ground.

Suppose a man to have lived fifty years without ever having seen the reflection of his own face. Now I had him before a mirror and let him have a look.

Continuing our correspondent's story: "I had no relief to be had, and after eating I had the best and steepest of the city.

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Pictureque Beaufort.

ITS LAKE AND MOUNTAIN SCENERY.

Little more than an hour's ride by train from Ballarat, and having a convenient service, Beaufort with its scenic attractions should be a more popular tourist resort than it is.

THE GARDENS AND LAKE. Like many of the towns around Ballarat, especially the older ones, Beaufort is fortunate in the possession of public gardens

THE LAKE GOLDSMITH. This is over eight miles from Beaufort—a fine farmland of the lake and country for miles round can be obtained by going along the road for about three miles, and then climbing the low ridge or bank which runs past it.

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which have made the Jenolan caves in New South Wales so famous. The cave entrance is 6 feet by 4 feet, and the cave is a natural rock seat—a beautiful 25 feet in length, and the cave follows and other, 3 feet in diameter, and the cave extends 40 feet across, hence the cave extends any further is neither the cave

THE GARDENS AND LAKE. Like many of the towns around Ballarat, especially the older ones, Beaufort is fortunate in the possession of public gardens

THE LAKE GOLDSMITH. This is over eight miles from Beaufort—a fine farmland of the lake and country for miles round can be obtained by going along the road for about three miles, and then climbing the low ridge or bank which runs past it.

CAMP HILL. Immediately on the north side of Beaufort is Camp Hill, a popular holiday resort and picnic ground.

Suppose a man to have lived fifty years without ever having seen the reflection of his own face. Now I had him before a mirror and let him have a look.

Continuing our correspondent's story: "I had no relief to be had, and after eating I had the best and steepest of the city.

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The Resignation of Rev. A. Adam.

In connection with the resignation of Rev. A. Adam, M.A., Presbyterian minister at Beaufort, of his charge, as previously reported, the Rev. C. A. Fraser, of Burrumbett, officially informed the congregation thereof on Sunday, and again on Wednesday evening, when a congregational meeting was presided over by the Rev. C. A. Fraser, and after the usual devotional exercises, he formally acquainted the congregation of their pastor's resignation. The meeting had now to deal with the matter of acquiescence or rejection, as it was a rule of the presbytery not to accept a resignation until it was first brought before the congregation.

A letter was read from Mr. J. Gray, on behalf of the Beaufort congregation, acquiescing with regret in his resignation, and expressing kind wishes for Mr. Adam's future welfare. Apologies for non-attendance through sickness were also expressed on behalf of Mr. H. M. Turner, Trawalla, and Mr. J. S. Patterson, Sailor's Gully.

Mr. Buntine referred to the kindly feeling for Mr. Adam and regret at his resignation which had been expressed throughout the district. Having been connected with him as his assistant for the past six months, he could say that he had striven to do his duty faithfully and well.

The Rev. C. A. Fraser spoke in similar terms of Mr. Adam's kindness to him as his assistant minister, he having given him the greatest encouragement.

Mr. N. McIntosh expressed very kindly feelings towards Mr. Adam, having known him for 40 years. Mr. J. A. Hogg spoke of the kindness extended to him as a stranger by Mr. Adam, and remarked that every one who had spoken to him felt deeply grieved at having to part with Mr. Adam. If he were able to carry on the work no one would have any objection to his resignation, though very sorry, knew that it would be to his benefit.

Mr. H. H. Menzies said he had been asked by the ladies of the choir to have placed on record the choir's hearty thanks to and appreciation of Miss Adam's able help in carrying on the work of the church. The ladies felt very deeply the necessity for Mr. Adam's relinquishing the charge, and desired to have their regret expressed.

Mr. D. McFarlane, who had no fault to find with Mr. Adam, and was sorry to part with him, alluded to Mr. Adam as the pastor of the church in the cause of the Sunday school and of their kindness in visiting the sick.

Mr. A. Wotherspoon remarked that Mr. Adam had always dealt fairly and squarely with his congregation, and that every resident in Beaufort who knew him was very sorry to part with him.

The meeting (at which about 40 were present) decided on the show of hands to acquiesce in Mr. Adam's resignation.

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Mr. Coyle is one of the leading merchants of this village and one of the most prominent men in this vicinity. - W. G. PATERICK, Editor Red Oak Herald.

Mining News.

At Poverty Point Lilly and party have sunk another shaft and last week obtained 10ft. from nine loads of wash dirt. The Grater intend to sink their shaft deeper in order to enable them to work the lower ground. After sinking a shaft, which was bottomed at 47 feet, a party of four is now boring in Wilkinson's paddock, on the Racecourse road, but they have not yet succeeded in finding any wash or deep ground.

The Best Remedy for Colic and Diarrhoea.

I was reading an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the Worcester Enterprise recently, which leads me to write this. I can truthfully say I never used any remedy equal to it for colic and diarrhoea. I have never had to use more than one or two doses to cure the worst case with myself or children. - W. A. SROUD, Pocomoke City, Md. For sale by J. R. WOTHERSPOON & Co., Beaufort.

HISTORIC PARRAMATTA JOINS IN The Praise.

Mr. James J. Artlett. (From the "Parramatta Times.") Our reporter met Mr. James Artlett, of Wentworth-street, Parramatta, and questioned him concerning his recent illness.

Victorian Racing Club.

The following notice for a license has been approved by C. Shalton, 260 sleepers, Mount Cole State Forest. Transfers of Leases Registered at the Office of Titles.—From Jane Loxton to Frederick Sanderson, Kanowna, 97a. 3r. Sp. 163a. 1r. 6p., and 22a. 2r. 20p., Raglan West.

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KILBURNIE is a beautiful dappled grey horse, 6 years old on the 22nd October, 1899, by the famous sire, Kilbowie; dam, Bell, by Fitzlyon (imp.).

TO STAND this Season, at BURAMBEE EAST (near Beaufort), the THOROUGHBRED HORSE, ST. MARNOCKS.

ST. MARNOCKS (Victorian Stud Book, vol. 6), by MAGRAGON, out of NIGHTZEGGER, imported by Tattersall, size of Regins (imp.).

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Harvest time is now approaching, and before buying your new Binders be sure and inspect the HORNSBY. It will pay you to do so.

J. R. Wotherspoon and Co., Sole Agent for Beaufort District.

Twine, Oil, and all Duplicates on hand.

HAVING purchased the POST OFFICE STORE at WATERLOO, and disposed of the Albion Hotel by Mr. Thos. Newey, I desire to thank the public for the patronage accorded me in the past, and to express a hope that a fair share of support will be given to me in my new business, as well as to my successor, T. D. MARTIN.

MANCHESTER HOUSE.

Buy from the Importers direct.

HAWKES BROS., New Goods.

Iron, Steel, and Galvanized Iron Merchants, General Ironmongers.

Timber, Lime, Cement, and Coal Merchants, Hay and Corn Dealers, Furniture, Paperhangings, Crockery.

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G. H. COUGLE, The People's Draper, IS NOW SHOWING

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DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMY INCURABLE.

CURED BY Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

THE REMARKABLE CASE OF ALFRED SHAW.

A REPORTER of the South London Press recently paid a visit to 69 Paradise Street, Lambeth Walk, London, S.E., and sought out one of those interesting, not to say unfortunate, young men—Alfred Shaw—who, having chosen a military career, experienced the remorse of being compelled to abandon it from causes over which he had no control.

ALFRED SHAW'S CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE.

PARCEMENT CERTIFICATE OF Discharge of No. 11111 (Rank) Private Alfred Shaw. Report Norfolk Regiment of Infantry. Born in the Parish of St. Andrew's near the Town of Norwich.

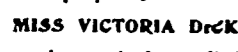
LORD WOLSELEY, DISCHARGED SOLDIERS AND DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE.

Lord Wolseley's lament on the scarcity of army recruits have aroused widespread attention, which is not to be wondered at, having in view the great national interests at stake; but what has especially attracted the serious attention of the public is the fact that the ranks of men, as the official phrase goes, "medically unfit for further service."

AUSTRALIAN CURE BY Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People

SEVEN YEARS OF ANEMIA, SICK HEADACHES AND INDIGESTION How a Young Lady Regained Health and Happiness.

HEARING that a young lady residing at Auburn, who had previously been suffering from anemia, had tried a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, our reporter took his way to Mrs. Dick's well-known store in Paradise Road, Auburn.



MISS VICTORIA DICK. "I scarcely gave it the credit it deserved. Presently I noticed my headaches became less and less painful, the color gradually came back to my face, and as I persevered with the pills, the painful symptoms slowly disappeared, my skin was firmer, I suddenly seemed to have an appetite—such as I had not possessed for years."

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The Transvaal War.

Important engagements in connection with the Transvaal war were reported in cable news.

A battle at Glencoe between 9000 Boers and 4000 British troops has resulted in a decisive victory for the latter. When at daybreak on Friday week the enemy's artillery was unmasked on the hills surrounding Glencoe a rapid fire was at once opened from the British guns.

The debate upon the proposal of the Imperial Government as to a vote of £10,000,000 in connection with the war in the Transvaal was concluded in the House of Commons on Friday week.

Late advices state that the battle at Elandslaagte was waged with terrible ferocity. The Boers held their ground very determinedly in the face of the British guns, which were being worked with very great effect.

Colonel Viljoen, a most prominent Boer commander, was amongst the killed at Elandslaagte, while the British suffered the loss of Lieutenant-Colonel Chisholme, in command of the 5th Lancers.

No less than six pieces of the enemy's artillery fell into the hands of the British troops at Mount Lupati, the scene of the great defeat of the Boers.

The rejoicings at Cape Town over the Mount Lupati victory were tremendous, and the feeling extended to the officers and crew of the German gunboat Gendur, lying at the Cape, who decorated the vessel in honor of the event.

Details are to hand of the reported fight at Elandslaagte. The force of the enemy holding the railway station at that place was estimated at from 1000 to 2000 men.

Further details regarding the British victory at Elandslaagte state that the British troops assaulting the Boer position refused to take advantage of any of the shelter that offered, and pushing on in the most intrepid manner, carried the rocky heights by a succession of rushes.

The Boers have captured the waterworks at Kimberley, devastating the surrounding country, and they are now investing the town with the object of capturing Mr Cecil Rhodes, who was lately reported to be there.

Joubert's force was) and the west (the Orange Free State commando), General Yule is presumably leaving his wounded at Dundee and concentrating his force at Glencoe Junction, changing front towards Joubert's headquarters.

Reinforcements are being sent from Maritzburg to Ladysmith, where the enemy is at present in large numerical superiority.

General Yule's movement is not a retreat, but merely a change of front to meet an attack from a different direction.

A large Boer commando is reported to be marching on Melmoth, in Zululand, its object apparently being to get to the east of Glencoe.

News from Natal states that General Sir George White, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces in Natal, in order to cover the movements of the troops under General Yule, who succeeded General Sir W. Symons, has engaged a large Free State commando which was strongly entrenched seven miles to the west of Ladysmith.

Colonel Yule has, as anticipated, effected a junction with General White. Owing to the destruction of the railway bridge at Waschbank, Glencoe is now isolated.

A despatch from Colonel Baden-Powell, who with a small force holds Mafeking, conveys the intelligence that on the 15th inst. a British armored train on reconnaissance duty, was attacked by a strong force of Boers.

All the turn of the Victorian infantry unit have agreed to receive only 1s a day, on service, leaving the balance, viz. 3s 6d, for the use of their family and relatives.

The Minister of Agriculture has received a telegram from the British War Office asking him to arrange for the shipment of 470 tons of white oats to South Africa, and for the departmental inspection of same.

A syndicate of Western (American) editors offered 1000 dollars for the best newspaper subscription to pay up their subscriptions. The prize was given to the editor of the "Rocky Mountain Call." This is the poem:

Lives of poor men oft remind us: Honest men don't stand a chance; The more we work there grow behind us; Bigger patches on our pants.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS.

Attention is called to the following regulations under part 2 of "The Mines Act 1890," twenty-third schedule:— 4. Every applicant for a lease to mine on private property shall apply for a lease in manner prescribed by these regulations on or before the seventh day immediately preceding the day on which the application with the following things— (a) A plan of the land is laid out in the following manner:— (i) A plan of the land is laid out in the following manner:— (i) A plan of the land is laid out in the following manner:—

WOOL RATES. The Railway Commissioner has fixed the following charges for the conveyance of wool per ton:— To Melbourne. To Geelong. s. d. a. d.

A Strange Nervous Complaint.

A Complete Cure after a Tour among the Leading Lights of the Medical Profession without benefit.

The Case of MRS. ANNE PRITCHARD.

(From the "Rockdale Advocate.") Although midsummer, it was delightfully fine and cool when our reporter arrived at the pretty little town of Hurstville, which Sydney claims as a suburb.

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Declared at Hurstville this 27th day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, before me, J. MANTON, J.P.

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