

ALL RIGHTS RESERVED. THE Sealed Tower.

By Alice and Claude Askew. Authors of "A Scarlet Sin," "The Shulamite," "Anna of the Plains," &c., &c.

TWELFTH INSTALLMENT CHAPTER XX.

The two young men were standing in the doorway of the hotel. Jocelyn had passed through the streets of York, passing nothing, his steps burning mechanically in the direction he had chosen. His attention riveted to the investigations into the murder of Paul Martin, he had not seen anything of the sort. He was all very easy for the moment, but naturally from the moment when Reggie brought to his attention the investigations into the murder of Paul Martin, he had not seen anything of the sort. He was all very easy for the moment, but naturally from the moment when Reggie brought to his attention the investigations into the murder of Paul Martin, he had not seen anything of the sort.

trace him, Dalton. And in the meantime, my friend here has some information to give you which you will, no doubt, be interested to hear. There has been an extraordinary development, and I think we might safely say that we have at last something to go upon.

however, and it is quite reasonable to presume, as was suggested by Burnell himself, that he somehow contrived to get wind of the intention to murder his cousin, to make himself scarce. He seems to be a peculiar and erratic sort of individual—a feeble old man—yet possessed of a remarkably active brain. I have learned that he was in London the day after the murder, and that he then travelled north. I have, in fact, success in tracing him to Kelton. Not indeed, to Kelton Castle, and I have no particular reason for concluding that he went there, but the mention of the little town of Kelton recalled to my mind the curious case of some twenty-five or twenty-six years ago, which I remember the high I was quite a young man at the time. It was a case of—

devising of soothing the young man's fears, "and this, from what you have said, she is not likely to spring out of the car, and was no standing by the innkeeper's side. "You said that you'd be back before many hours, I know," the latter continued, "and you say that you might want my help. Sir, I am a stranger thinking that there are strange things afoot, both here and up at the castle." He pointed with his thumb across his shoulder towards the house behind him. "You were asking me all sorts of questions this morning about Mr. Frank Burnell," he continued—"him as was on the yacht and has his house up at Dereham. Well, he's here," the innkeeper concluded laconically—"him and his sister."

Jocelyn drew a long sigh of relief. At last, then, the time had come, and he was to be brought face to face with the man who was so anxious to meet him. Burnell was at your inn?" he asked, quickly. "We have come in search of him. Did he say that he was expecting any one?" "He did, indeed," returned the innkeeper with a laugh. "He was expecting me, I am sure, since he came. His first question to me was whether the yacht was still in harbour; but she isn't. She put out very soon after you left this morning, and no doubt she's far away by now. Mr. Burnell seemed downright angry to know that the yacht was not here, and since the yacht is his, I can understand that he is vexed. Anyhow he's been walking up and down the parlour, swearing when he's alone, and asking me questions 'til I'm sick of them about someone coming from New York whom he expects to see. I've told him that no one could get here from York till the afternoon train was in, for I didn't think of anyone turning up in a motor-car. We're not accustomed to see things in this part of the world," he added, turning critical eyes upon the neat car which had brought Jocelyn and his companions to Kelton.

"I suppose it's these gents as Mr. Burnell is expecting to see," he continued. Then, lowering his voice he added, "He's been saying all sorts of things about Mr. Travis up at the Towers—things that I don't rightly understand. He's been talking about the police, and asking if there are any of them here in Kelton he can depend upon. He had a chap with him who pronounced a solemn opinion about the yacht, and he'd told me that he was looking for you, Mr. Kennedy. Anyway there was trouble with one or two of our men down at the harbour, and Mr. Travis and Mr. Oliver had to drive off again pretty smartly, lest they should get their heads broken. I tell you, I'm wondering what the end of it will be. The innkeeper had spoken with considerable volubility, but Jocelyn, preoccupied as he was, thought more of the presence of Frank Burnell than of the man who had been narrating to him. The detective and Reggie had descended from the car by now, and had been listening impatiently to the last words spoken by the innkeeper. At that moment, too, a stranger whom Jocelyn at once recognized as the man of whom he had heard so much, but had not yet seen, appeared at the doorway of the inn. He was a tall, broad-shouldered man with a bronzed face, though it was lined as though from dissipation, giving him an appearance of being older than he was. He was dressed in a suit of grey, and he had a pair of spectacles on his nose. He advanced rapidly, and he laid his hand upon the detective's arm.

"You have come at last, Dalton!" he cried. "Thank God, you've come!" Dalton briefly explained how the delay in York had occurred. "Not that it made any real difference," he added, "for had it not been for these friends of mine, I doubt if I should have had the inspiration to come on by motor-car. But I think you'll be glad to hear of my explanation for your silence. I was led to believe that you had reasons of your own for evading the police. However I am glad that this is not so."

Frank Burnell gave a short laugh. "You will understand why I was silent," he said, "when I should myself attend to a certain matter, am going to Kelton. It is a small town lying upon the coast to the north. I want you to follow me there with the smallest possible delay. You will either find me or hear of me at the inn which is close by the station. It may be that help will be needed for the arrest of a man who is a dangerous character."

THE ENGINEER'S REPORT. The engineer should be asked to make a report on the state of the water from the reservoirs, as it would be necessary to know the amount of water available for the supply of the town.

THE RAILWAY DEPARTMENT. The Railway Department is holding a meeting on the subject of the proposed extension of the line from Ripon to Thirsk.

THE TOWN COUNCIL. The Town Council has decided to purchase a new site for a public house in the centre of the town.

THE MARKET. The market was well supplied with all the necessaries of life, and the prices were generally low.

THE CHURCH. The church is to be repaired and the interior redecorated, and the work is expected to be completed in a few months.

THE SCHOOL. The school is to be enlarged and a new building erected, and the work is expected to be completed in a few months.

THE HOSPITAL. The hospital is to be enlarged and a new building erected, and the work is expected to be completed in a few months.

THE WORKHOUSE. The workhouse is to be enlarged and a new building erected, and the work is expected to be completed in a few months.

WHERE PRESENTS ARE FORBIDDEN.

There is a curious custom at the Courts of the Indian princes. When a British official or a physician called upon a rajah he is shown into the reception or throne room, where sits the rajah surrounded by the great State officers. After the exchange of the usual salutations one of the officials brings in a tray on which are displayed jewels and golden ornaments studded with valuable stones, perhaps worth £50,000 or more. The trayful of valuables is supposed to be a present from the rajah to his visitor, and it is offered first to the gentlemen, who, inclining his head, touches the edge of the tray with the tips of his fingers, and then passes over to the lady, who invariably accompanies the British officer, if he is married, on such occasions. She follows the example of her husband, and the tray and its contents are then returned to the jewel-room. In lieu of the accepted jewels a long narrow strip of little value, is placed round the neck of each, where it remains during their stay within the palace. There is a very strict law against any British official accepting a gift from a native prince.

A NEW WAY TO POACH PHEASANTS.

Though the Maori of New Zealand does not, like his European counterpart, sacrifice health and happiness in the mad rush after wealth, he possesses an inventive faculty in those everyday problems with which he is confronted, which would be the envy of the wisest of our modern professors. Our proverb, "A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush," is utter nonsense to the man who has a perfect knowledge of bush life and bird lore. Show him the bird, and if he really is a bird, he will get it, and it would not be an easy task for the average white man to devise a trap, which, while it infallibly catches the cock pheasant, always allows the hen to escape. The Maori had to solve this riddle, and he did it effectively. He was only allowed to purchase one pound of powder, and 10lbs. of shot in each year, so shooting on the wing was out of the question. Pheasants were thick in the locality, and he wished them to remain so, so far as the hen was concerned, and he was only allowed to shoot one bird in each year. On the other hand, not only were the cock birds fair game and good eating, but a considerable diminution in their number would preclude an increased hatch of succulent pheasants in the future. The hen, which is a small, open trench a few feet in length, and joined two narrower trenches on to it. The last of these he roofed over with brushwood. Then he sprinkled Indian corn, sparingly at first, and more thickly as the season advanced, and he was only allowed to shoot one bird in each year. The hen pheasant walked in, ate her fill, and either backed out, or turned out, and he was only allowed to shoot one bird in each year. The hen pheasant walked in, ate her fill, and either backed out, or turned out, and he was only allowed to shoot one bird in each year.

DEEPLY MOVED.

In one of the Liverpool churches a long sermon had been preached on the home mission. After the service a collection in aid of the above was to be made at the door. On his way down the aisle a member of the congregation, a rich old bachelor, tapped a friend excitedly on the shoulder, and he whispered, "For goodness sake," he whispered, "lend me some money. I have none with me. I have never heard so touching a sermon. I am deeply moved."

AT THE FINISH.

His aunt was rich and elderly. She had called unexpectedly when he was out, and his wife was trying to entertain her by such methods as she thought to be best conducive to their future welfare. The old lady had recently added a gramophone to her establishment, and when she heard that early that morning her loving nephew had made for her a record of her favourite music, she was delighted. "How nice of him," she said. "Can I hear it?" "Well," said her niece, "we haven't tried it yet, but still, I'll put it on."

It was a pronounced success and the old lady was delighted. "You see," she said, "I already know in what manner you are concerned with the Travises of Kelton. Chance has brought a great deal to my knowledge since I last saw you in London."

STILL THE "Big Drops" MERRILY FALL! BARGAINS! Everywhere Bargains! There's a certain sturdy honesty that characterizes trading here...

DIXON BROS., PRODUCE MERCHANTS, &c., BALLARAT. Horse Rugs, Tarpaulins, Tents, &c., Binder Twines, Oils, Hayforks, Water-bags, &c.

"THE NEW LIGHT." To Whom it May Concern. Have you seen the "VEGA" Kerolene Incandescent Gas Lamp?

CAMP HOTEL, BEAUFORT. The above Hotel has just changed hands, the present Proprietress wishes to notify the residents of Beaufort...

Mz. SAMUEL YOUNG, Barrister and Solicitor, Proctor and Conveyancer, BEAUFORT.

Richards & Co's New Studio, Ballarat. NEW STUDIO. NEW STUDIO. NEW STUDIO.

Richard & Co., The Leading and Fashionable Ballarat Photographers, Sturt Street.

United Ancient Order of Druids. THE ORDINARY MEETING will be held in the LODGE ROOM, SOCIETY'S HALL, on WEDNESDAY evening next, at 7.30 o'clock sharp.

RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE. Notice to Advertisers. OWING to the inconvenience caused by the alterations to the Standing Advertisements...

Riponshire Advocate. SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1908. Intending exhibitors at the Beaufort Agricultural Society's thirty-fifth annual show...

At the third reading of the Bill for the appointment of J. T. Kearns to Beaufort was made. At the recent examination for appointment as telephone attendants...

At the Fire Brigades' demonstration in Ballarat on Wednesday, at intervals throughout the day the visiting bands contributed selections...

At the death of Mr. Joseph Middleton Barber occurred at his daughter's residence, Caldermead, on 8th inst., at the age of 84.

Since our last issue 19 points of rain have fallen at Beaufort, making a total of 104 points for the present month. The Carnham Turf Club's annual regatta...

The annual congregational meeting of the Beaufort Presbyterian Church will be held on Thursday evening at the church.

A bottle of whisky has been taken from the foundation stone of a house built 200 years ago, in Washington, U.S.A.

The Russian State sceptre is of solid gold, 31 1/2 long, and contains among its ornaments a piece of the wood of the tree which was used for the cross on which our Lord was crucified.

The first German Dreadnought has been launched. The State Cabinet decided to appoint additional surveyors to subdivide 600,000 acres of Mallee land...

At the meeting of the Board of Health, the board then turned to the consideration of the typhoid fever in the district...

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICES. Harvest thanksgiving services were held at the Beaufort Presbyterian Church on Sunday last.

Another resident of Northrup passed away on Saturday, after a lengthy illness, in the person of Mr. John...

A sale of crown lands was conducted on Tuesday by the land officer, Mr. C. J. Joy, at the auction rooms of Messrs. Wm. Little and Co., Ballarat.

MINING NEWS. The following are the reported yields for the week ending Saturday, 7th inst.:

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET. Butter—Prime factory, 1s 10d; dairy, 1s 10d; separator, 1s 10d; dry, 1s 10d; cream, 1s 10d; churn, 1s 10d.

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Sealed. By Alice and Clara Authors of "A Scarle Plains," &c. THIRTIETH IN CHAPTER. It was some time though it was not until he recovered from the shock of the news that he could appreciate it.

WALLEY. Mr. Mortelup passed a letter to Mr. John Young... The funeral took place in the Cornhill... Mr. W. C. Rodd... Mr. John Ringling... Mr. W. C. Rodd... Mr. John Ringling... Mr. W. C. Rodd... Mr. John Ringling...

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to speak to her. His only concern was his life... The young man, who was... The young man, who was... The young man, who was...

great point in our favour... He nodded, took up his hat, and was gone. CHAPTER XXIII. Left alone, Frank Burnell eyed Jocelyn with some curiosity... He paused and shifted his position so that he could scrutinize Jocelyn's face in a better light.

WHEN FISHES FIGHT RATS.

The most surprising antagonists are sometimes met with by the observer of nature... A short time ago a Carnarvonshire farmer having successfully garnered his crops, told his two farm hands... TWO MEN IN A GROCER'S SHOP.

invariably returned to the compe stones to eat them with the most evident gusto... "Why, I gave your father a sovereign asking for change so that me and my mother might go and enjoy ourselves in the fair... MILKING FISH I. "Yes," said the pretty dairymaid, "it is difficult to milk a cow, but how would you like to milk a fish?"

CROWN LANDS.

lands was conducted by the local officer, Mr. C. C. ... The following is a list of the lots: Lot 10, area 1/2 section 9; Geo. ... Lot 17, area 1/2 section 9; Geo.

G NEWS.

the reported yields during Saturday, 7th... Mr. W. C. Rodd... Mr. John Ringling... Mr. W. C. Rodd... Mr. John Ringling...

THE SPONGE-DIVERS OF TRIPOLI.

There are a great many varieties of sponges, most of which are found in the warmer parts of the world... The bath sponges are chiefly found in the eastern half of the Mediterranean, where they occur at all depths down to 200 fathoms.

A BAFFLED HIGHWAYMAN.

A doctor in Switzerland had occasion to drive from the town of Nottbach to Waterthout... He was in his carriage, and his horse was in a most determined way... He was in his carriage, and his horse was in a most determined way.

FATHER AND SON.

Tommy was going round with the club subscription list, and asked his father for half a crown towards the funds... In America some negroes were keeping the festival of Christmas...

SIR CONAN DOYLE'S LATEST.

Sir A. Conan Doyle told the following story at the Authors' Club Christmas dinner... In America some negroes were keeping the festival of Christmas...

THE GIFT OF SONG.

How blest is he to whom the gift divine is given; whose soul with sacred fire is glow...

MARVELS OF MODERN STEAMSHIP ENGINES.

There is one very striking fact which has doubtless impressed itself upon the minds of those who have followed the extraordinary development of Atlantic liners during the last ten or twenty years...

WHAT A TURBINE REALLY IS AND HOW IT WORKS.

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ICEBERGS HAVE THEIR USE.

THEY BUILD FISHING BANKS AND COOL SUMMERS. When an iceberg is launched upon its long journey, its bottom parts are battered with sand, boulders and other detritus gathered from the land surface over which it has made its tedious march to the sea.

MY FIRST GRIZZLY.

"The fields are white unto harvest," raved the weary one from Canada. "An it makes me ache to think about it."

CLOSE TIME NEEDED.

There ought to be a kind of close time for human beings, a period during which they will be forbidden to introduce characters in novels—that is, under their real names.

SHOULD REAL PEOPLE APPEAR IN FICTION?

Novelists generally select traits from living people of their acquaintance, or even caricature them, as Charlotte Brontë did in the case of the Curates, or Madame Heger, and so on.

AN ABSENT HEDDA.

In the course of a recent performance of "Hedda Gabler" in New York the audience was treated to a bit of comedy for which Hilda was not responsible.

HARVESTING IN MANITOBA.

"The fields are white unto harvest," raved the weary one from Canada. "An it makes me ache to think about it."

MARRIAGE PRANKS.

"Marriages are made in Heaven and completed on earth," runs an old French proverb; but the writer had not America in his thoughts when he penned these words.

"RETURN TO CAIRO PLEASE."

Rapid communication is an essential factor in the present-day existence, and the inauguration of December 7th of the new route from Great Britain to Egypt is a notable event.

HOW THE SERGEANT WON HIS CASE.

One of the most famous of breach of promise lawyers was Mr. Sergeant Wilkins. He once defended a case in which his client was a little, ugly man.

CAUSED BY YOU.

Sighing is but another sign of mental suffering. The cause of most frequently occurring mental suffering is a failure of the mind to keep pace with the progress of the world.

QUESTION OF "KOWTOW."

From the "North China Herald." Just to hand, we learn that the Chinese Legation has memorialized the Emperor on the necessity of abolishing the degrading custom of high native Ministers of the Crown kowtowing and addressing or replying to their Majesties on bended knees.

BRITISH REPRESENTATIVES.

Western diplomats and others in China have not been in the past unanimous in their opposition to the British Embassy when presenting their credentials.

IN THE LAST HALF CENTURY.

The French Ambassador sent to China in 1844 received special instructions not to submit to the kowtow. These instructions, however, he ignored, as he held the opinion that the Emperor would not be displeased according to the usages of the Court to which they were accredited.

HIGHLY SUSPICIOUS.

"It is a rule, to which good lawyers usually adhere," said a member of that profession to me the other evening, "never to tell more than one knows."

VERY FEW PEOPLE ARE AWARE.

Very few people are aware of the fact that the duck is a waterfowl, and that the goose is a landfowl.

TO THE PYRAMIDS AND BACK FOR £40.

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YOU CANNOT DISGUISE IT.

If there is one thing that a person cannot disguise it is another's walk. A clever detective officer...

THE LION AND THE LAMB.

"Yes" said the lion of the evening. "I better myself than we African explorers get in some queer places."

CAUSED BY WORRY.

Sighing is but another name for oxygen starvation. The cause of sighing is most frequently worry.

PACE, THE JESTER.

Pace, jester to Queen Elizabeth, was so bitter in his retort upon her that she was forbidden her presence.

IN THE FACE OF DEATH.

The following story shows how cool a man of pluck can be even in the presence of death. One day an army surgeon was dressing the wound of a soldier who had been shot in the neck near the carotid artery.

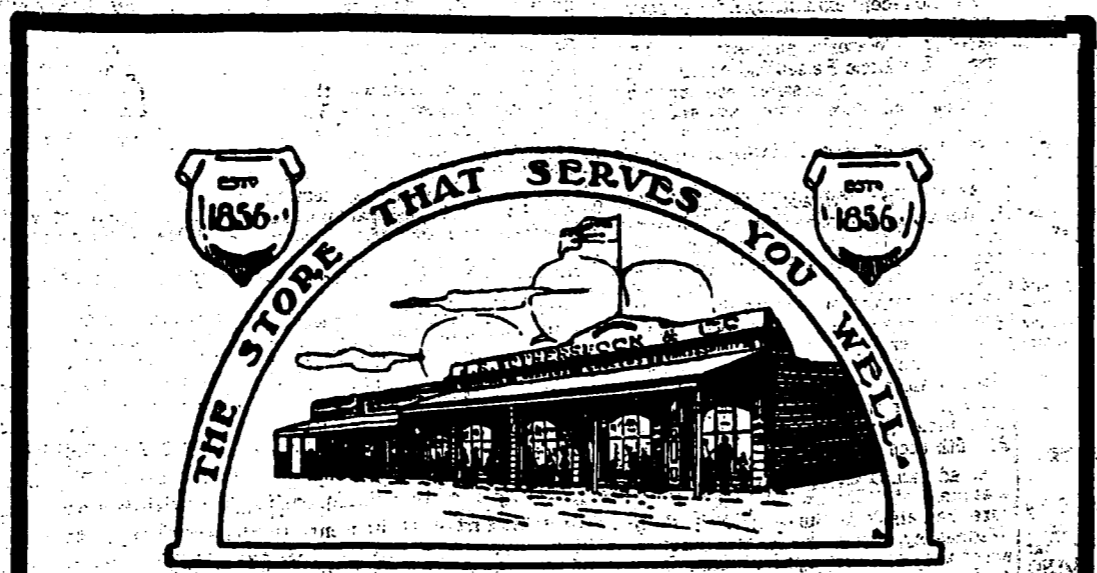
AN INTELLIGENT HORSE.

Instances of great intelligence in horses are almost as numerous as the horses themselves. But there are few which make prettier stories than this, related in "Le Naturalist."

Very few people are aware how rapidly eggs absorb the odours of articles which are placed near them.

On one of their visits to Ireland the Duke and Duchess of Connaught were out driving in their carriage one day when they saw in the distance a man running in their direction.

Scientists have never been able to ascertain exactly what proportion the blood bears to the weight of the human body.



Are Your Groceries Always Fresh?

Do you get good groceries one week and poor groceries the next? That's the trouble with most grocery stores—qualities are not uniform.

If you're pleased with their goods one week you're dissatisfied with them the next. What you want is good groceries ALL the time.

FRESH GROCERIES

J. R. Wotherspoon & Co., THE STORE THAT SERVES YOU WELL, BEAUFORT.

GOLD BUYERS ACT. DIFFICULTIES MAGNIFIED.

The Minister of Mines is not the least alarmed at the difficulties that have been suggested in respect to the effective working of the Gold Buyers Act.

enough to pay them to have it assayed, or to get someone else to smelt it for them.

Mr. McLeod holds the opinion that some of the buyers who are not likely to get licenses are doing their best to discredit the measure.

WEDDING. ROYD-BELL.

A quiet and very pretty wedding was celebrated on Wednesday afternoon last, when Mr. Alexander Boyd, eldest son of Mr. Alexander Boyd, formerly a resident of the Beaufort district...

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle—242 head was the number penned for to-day's sale, about one-third consisting of quality ranging from good to prime, remainder being made up of middling and useful descriptions...

BATTLE FOR A CHURCH. CLERGYMAN PUT OUT.

Great excitement was caused at the Church of England, Narioka, on Sunday afternoon, when the Rev. G. Gladstone, who was recently relieved of the incumbency of the Narioka Diocese...

Mining Lease Declared Void.

ARARAT District, Baglan Division.—A mining lease in the 1000s 25, 10p, parish of Beaufort, was declared void by the Hon. W. DICKSON, Secretary for Mines, Melbourne, 11/3/08.

Beaufort Presbyterian Church. THE ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

THE ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will be held in the Presbyterian Church on THURSDAY, March 19th, at 8 o'clock.

CARNHAM TURF CLUB. Annual Races.

1. TRIAL HANDICAP, of 25. For horses that have never won a race exceeding 27.5 miles. Entry, 5s.

WANTED—TENDERS. Cutting 1000 tons of Wood (Saplings), on Lease. 16 Bruce Street, Toorak.

NOTICE. ALL ACCOUNTS owing to the undersigned must be paid on or before 31st inst. otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a Solicitor for Collection.

Sale of Race Booths.

DIXON BROS. & HALPIN (per Mr. W. H. HALPIN, Auctioneer) will sell by Public Auction at the Band Rooms on SATURDAY, 14th inst., at 6 p.m., the right to the following BOOTHs at the Beaufort Jockey Club's Races...

BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB. TENDERS are invited up to 8 p.m. on WEDNESDAY next, 18th inst., at 8 p.m., for Harrowing Racecourse, Supplying and Fixing Flags on Posts, and sundry small jobs.

GOOD INVESTMENT. FOR SALE, £375 CASH.

ALL that Property, comprising Butcher's SHOP, Six-rooms and DWYER'S, with the SHED, of the late Wm. Smith, corner of Havelock and Livingston Streets, Beaufort.

STAWELL ATHLETIC CLUB. First RACE FESTIVAL, SATURDAY and MONDAY, APRIL 18th and 20th, 1908.

Attendance last Easter, 9000. The 1908, and Conventions are unsurpassed. £500 in Prizes. Easter Gift, £120. Most Extensive Sports Gathering in Australia.

NOTICE. ANY Person found TRESPASSING with Dog or Gun on "MORMOT" or "WONGAN" during the Summer months without Permission will be PROSECUTED.

Beaufort Bakery. HAVING taken over the above Business, lately carried on by Mr. H. Flowers, we desire a continuance of the patronage accorded to him.

LLOYD BROS. (Late of Camperdown).

BEG to announce to the Public that they have started a CYCLE Agency at Beaufort, in NEILL ST. (next door to Bank of Victoria), and hope to merit a fair share of patronage.

SHOW DAY, 18th MARCH, at SHOW GROUNDS, at 5 P.M.

DIXON BROS. & HALPIN will submit to Public Auction, on account Messrs. Shepherd & Co., 2 First AYRSHIRE BULLS, also several PONIES, account various vendors.



Beaufort Jockey Club's Annual Races.

To be held on the Racecourse, WATERLOO PLAT, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 1908.

Member's Ticket, 10s. Admission to Course, 2s. Children under 15, 6d.

President, Mr. E. R. Welsh. Committee: Messrs. W. O'Sullivan, A. Dixon, W. G. Jones, P. G. Prince, H. Rogers, A. Parker, and W. McCurdy.

TRIAL STAKES, of £7. Five furlongs. Weight for age. For horses that have never won an advertised race of 48 or over. 1st, £8; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 7s.

BEAUFORT CUP, of £17. One mile. 1st, £12; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 8s; acceptance, 5s.

HANDICAP HACK RACE, of £5. Five furlongs. Hacks to be approved of by Stewards. 1st, £4; 2nd, £1. Post-entry; 5s. (to be in hands of Secretary by 2 p.m. on day of races).

WATERLOO HANDICAP, of £10. Six furlongs. 1st, £8; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 2s 6d.

FLYING HANDICAP, of £10. Five furlongs. 1st, £8; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 2s 6d.

Nominations for all races except Hack Races positively close with the Secretary on Wednesday, 18th March, 1908.

Farmers! Attend!

THE RENARD CO.'S FAMOUS STANDARD MANURES! Superphosphates, Bonedust, Mixed Super and Bones, Thomas Phosphate (German), Ploughshares, Forgan's, GERLONG.

Best Macleanfield Bluestone (Guaranteed full strength)—4td. per lb., or 37s. per cwt.

Plow and Trace Chains (Dental Link)—44d. lb. Plow Reins—In Cotton, 2/6; Russian Hemp, 2/6; Manila, 2/3 per pair.

No. 8 Black Fence Wire—2 1/2 per ton. No. 8 Galv. 22 1/2. No. 12 Galv. Barb Wire—16/9 coil.

No. 14 Wire Netting, greatly reduced. Yours to command—

HAWKES BROS., THE IRONMONGERS, BEAUFORT.

CASH-BUYERS of Wheat, Oats, and Hay in any quantity.

PAST THEIR PRIME.

(By "Sympathy.") There are very few people who have reached a certain age, who do not realize that, for them, the prime of life is past. Generally the change has been so gradual that it has been more or less unnoticed until one day one makes the discovery that he or she is a shock to hear one's self described for the first time as "Old Mr. or Mrs. So and So."

THE ROBIN AT CHURCH.

"It was the night before Christmas, in England, and snow was falling. A little robin, cold and hungry, hopped about wearily, seeking shelter and food."

HEALTH!

The Most Vital Interest—Learn from Others' Experience. A big tribute with respect to its value as a curative medicine was recently paid to Clements Tonic by Mr. Joseph Lauranchi, of No. 223 Drummond-street, Carlton.

HEARNE'S BRONCHITIS CURE

The Famous Remedy for COUGHS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, & CONSUMPTION, Has the Largest Sale of any Chest Medicine in the World.

Those who have taken this medicine are amazed at its wonderful influence. It's healing power is marvellous. Sufferers from any form of Bronchitis, Cough, Difficulty of Breathing, Hoarseness, Pain or Soreness in the Chest experience delightful and immediate relief.

Beware of Imitations! The great success of HEARNE'S BRONCHITIS CURE, has induced a number of unprincipled persons to make imitations, each calling his medicine "Bronchitis Cure" with the object of deceiving the simple-minded.

HEARNE'S BRONCHITIS CURE, Small Size, 2/6; Large Size, 4/6. Sold by Chemists and Medicine Vendors, and by the Proprietor, W. G. HEARNE, Chemist, Geelong, Victoria. Forwarded to any Address, when not obtainable locally.

NOTICE—Hearne's Bronchitis Cure No. 1A does NOT contain any poison within the meaning of the Act. It is equally beneficial for the youngest child and the most aged person.

Make your District Known.

Concuring some parts of the district news comes but seldom. This is not entirely our fault; we have no means of knowing what is happening at all the places within our area of circulation.

NOW! NOW! RARE FURNITURE OPPORTUNITY!

ROBERTS & SONS, Of Smith Street, Geelong, HAVE SOLD THEIR STOCK OF FURNITURE, LINOLEUMS, CROCKERY & GLASSWARE, TO R. TUNBRIDGE & SONS.

Who have removed the whole of the Stock to their Mammoth * Furnishing * Arcade, Lydiard Street, BALLARAT.

A Monster Clearing Sale, When Bargains in Every Grade of HOUSE FURNISHING... Will be Offered.

R. TUNBRIDGE & SONS, The Store for Everything in House Furnishing, 29, 31, 33 Lydiard St., Ballarat.

ONE QUALITY S.A.P. RABBIT POISON THE BEST TROY BROS. Beaufort, Agents.

FIREWOOD! A Reminder ANYBODY CAUGHT on my Premises with the intention of obtaining GOOD VALUE...

GOLDEN AGE HOTEL, Beaufort. W. C. JONES, Proprietor.

For sale by J. R. WOTHERSPON & CO., Agents for Beaufort and District.

The "ANCEL" Pulverising Mill (PATENTED) FOR CRUSHING ALL CLASSES OF ORE, CEMENT CLINKER, BONES, ASPHALT, &c.

Jas. H. Dorward, care of JOHNSON & SONS Propy, Ltd., TYNE FOUNDRY, YARRA BANK, SOUTH MELBOURNE.

Railway Time-Table.

The following is the local railway timetable:—A mixed train leaves Ballarat at 11.23 a.m., Traralgon at 12.10 p.m., reaching Beaufort at 12.27, and taking its departure at 12.30. It leaves Middle Creek at 12.49, and Beaufort at 12.58.

THE GOLD FEVER.

When the gold fever grips a man it is astonishing to what lengths he will go, and what privations he will endure.

WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING.

Woman as a worker is a subject which must interest every woman. The question really seems to be: What is there which women cannot do and which men can do?

FROOTOIDS

Cure Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and Biliousness.

The immense number of orders for Frootoids, sent by post direct to the Proprietor, is convincing proof that the Public appreciate their splendid curing power over the above-named ailments.

MAKES MARRIAGE POSSIBLE.

Providing marriage-portion for certain poor young girls is the object of the Government fund in Italy. Without doubt it would be impossible for many a girl to be married, and this form of charity is said to be highly appreciated.

POLLY AND THE FOG.

One of Uncle Sam's most faithful servants in the State of Maine, but one that draws no salary, lives at the Fortland Head Lighthouse. It is a large grey parrot brought from Africa some time ago, and presented to the keeper of the light.

Milkman: "I s'pose you notice I an savin' warm milk every mornin' num."

Housekeeper: "Yes, and considerin' the number of diseases flyin' around, I think it's real thoughtful of you to boil the water."

For sale by J. R. WOTHERSPON & CO., Chemists, Geelong, Victoria.

NOTICE.—The materials in FROOTOIDS are of the VERY BEST QUALITY and consist, amongst other ingredients, of the active principle of such FIVE different MEDICAL FRUITS and ROOTS, so combined and proportioned in a particular way that a BETTER result is obtained than from an ordinary aperient.

For Stylish Clothing.

EVERY garment made by us, whether to your measure or ready-made, is of good sound English, Scotch or Australian make, in the latest range of smart patterns and colours ever shown in Australia.

READY-MADE CLOTHING. Fine Worsted Suits, 25s, 35s. Summer Suits, very smart, 25s, 35s, 38s, 44 in. Chest.

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RATES TO THE UNITED KINGDOM AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

Letters to United Kingdom For every 100z. or under 1s. 6d. Letters to Foreign Countries For every 100z. or under 1s. 6d.

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Money Orders Payable in New Zealand: Any sum not over £5, but not over £10, 1s; not over £15, 1s 6d; over £20, 2s.

POSTAL NOTES.

Postal Notes may be obtained from the Post Office in Victoria. The following are the rates of the notes, and the postage charged for them:—

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Printed and published by the Proprietor, J. R. WOTHERSPON & CO., at the office of "The Riponshire Advocate" newspaper, Lawrence street Beaufort, Victoria.

PACKETS, ETC.

Packets may be sent by post without a cover (but lined with anything adhesive gum, postage stamp, etc.) in a cover entirely of end or side (if the contents of the opening must be of the tent of the end or side, and tents must be easy of use.

TO ALL THE AUSTRALIANS.

Letters—For every 100z. or under 1s. 6d. For every 100z. or under 1s. 6d. Letters to Foreign Countries For every 100z. or under 1s. 6d.

LINSEED COMPOUND.

Prevents coughs, cures, and relieves the chest. It is a most valuable remedy for all cases of cough, cold, and influenza.



The Autumn Carnival!

Biggest Quantities! Daintiest Creations!

Just as the Autumn leaves begin to fall in each year, this store is transformed—show cases and windows are filled to overflowing with beautiful feminine dress novelties and exquisite Millinery Concels—

Selected with an eye for quality as well as effect, each garment and hat will bear the closest scrutiny of the most critical of Dame Fashion's followers—

We extend to one and all a cordial invitation to call in and inspect. We feel sure of your appreciation of the whole-hearted manner in which we have done things—

G. H. COUGLE,

BEAUFORT.

DIXON BROS PRODUCE MERCHANTS, &c., BALLARAT.

Horse Rugs, Tarpaulins, Tents, &c., Binder Twines, Oils, Hayforks, Water-bags, &c., ALL HANDMADE.

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"THE NEW LIGHT."

To Whom it May Concern. Have you seen the "VEGA" Kerosene Incandescent Gas Lamp? If not, make enquiries at the Agent's—

GEO. PRINGLE, Spot Cash Grocer, NEILL ST. Agent for—GEO. SMITH, Seedsman, Ballarat. Guardian Fire Assurance Coy.

CAMP HOTEL, BEAUFORT.

The above Hostelry having changed hands, the present Proprietors wish to notify the residents of Beaufort and district that the house has been thoroughly renovated, and no effort will be spared to make customers comfortable. Only Best Brands of Wines, Spirits and Ales Kept. FIRST-CLASS BEDS, 1/- Meals a Specialty, at any hour, 1/-

Mr. SAMUEL YOUNG, Barrister and Solicitor, Proctor and Conveyancer, BEAUFORT.

Richards & Co's New Studio, Ballarat.

NEW STUDIO. NEW STUDIO. NEW STUDIO. The Studio itself is the Perfection of Modern Bill—Cool in Summer, Warm in Winter—having the finest Southern Light introduced. Lit throughout with Electric Light. Commodious Office, Beautiful and Artistic Reception Room. Four large and well-ventilated Dressing Rooms, with every convenience. Lavatories, &c.

Religious Services.

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 1908. Church of England—Beaufort, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Main Lead, 3 p.m.; Waterloo, 8.30 p.m.—Rev. Chas. Reed. Presbyterian Church—Waterloo, 11 a.m. (Harvey Thanksgiving); Traralgon, 11 a.m. (Beaufort, 7 p.m.); Rev. C. Neville, Middle Creek, 11 a.m.; Chute, 7 p.m.—Mr. R. Thompson, Beaufort, a.m.; Main Lead, 7 p.m.—Mr. J. M. Carroll.

MARRIAGE. CUSHING—LYRALL, On 25th February, 1908, at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat, by the Rev. W. G. Jones, John Henry, fourth son of the late Mr. Hugh Cushing and Mrs. Cushing, Lake G-Whim, Beaufort, to Elizabeth Lillian, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Several, Devon-street, Ballarat.

Death. BALL—On 6th March, at Porirua, N.Z., John, eldest son of C. and M. Ball, of Baglan.

In Memoriam. COCHRAN—In loving memory of my dear wife, Elizabeth Williams Cochrane, who entered into rest, March 20th, 1908. "Gone, but not forgotten."

Inserted by her loving husband, John Cochrane, Beaufort.

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Published every Saturday Morning.

SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1908.

The rainfall for the past week at Beaufort was 17 points. The usual fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort Agricultural Society was held last evening, at 8 o'clock, at the Mechanics' Institute.

The many friends in this district of Mr. John Ball (eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ball of England) will regret to hear of his death, the sad event taking place at Porirua, New Zealand, on 6th inst.

The sittings of the Ararat Police Court on Friday, 13th inst., were commenced at 10 o'clock in the Beaufort Lodge, and were concluded till exactly 10 o'clock in the evening, which, allowing for adjournments for dinner and tea, accounted for 10 hours' sittings.

A very enjoyable and successful dance was held at the Societies' Hall on Tuesday evening. There were over fifty couples present, and the floor being in perfect order, dancing was vigorously pursued by the guests.

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Victoria is very largely dependent on her rural industries, and how advisable it is that they should be encouraged and fostered is only too reasonable a way.

Once again it was pleasing to note improvement both in the quality and number of exhibits at Wednesday's exhibition. Mr. D. F. Troy, the indefatigable secretary, left no stone unturned to ensure success, and the very large increase in membership during late years testified to the excellent services rendered by this capable officer.

Mining News.

A party of six, under the management of Mr. Chas. Meredith, have sunk a shaft of the old Barton workings, and at a depth of 60ft. struck a nice quartz lode, varying from 10in. to 2ft. 6in. in width, which prospects about the Southern Light.

The sheep were of excellent quality, the champion prizes were awarded as follows—Merino ram, also ewe, Philip Russell, M.L.C.; Lincoln ram, also ewe, estate of A. B. Slater, Esq.; Stockyard Hill; Leicester ram, also ewe, A. R. Slater, Spring Bank, Skipton.

Two fat long-wooled or crossbred ewes. First, 15s; second, 12s; third, 10s. Two fat merino ewes. First, 15s; second, 12s; third, 10s.

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By Alice and Claude Authors of "A Scarlet S... Shulamite," "Ann... Plains," &c. &c. FOURTEENTH INST... CHAPTER XXIII.—C... Jocelyn, vastly excited the other man by the ha... he cried, his eye... true? "You are sur... tell me is true? Oh... stand why I have never... father Kennedy as a son... there was always so... something that I en... wanting in our relation... zied look, grudgingly exp... "same I am not clea... yet," he went on. "You... Travis, though not Ital... son? He was a Travis... "A Travis, and born... replied the other smile... he that you will have... right to the estate... Gideon was not think... while he is contest it... mine to be seen. The... you are the one survivi... tive of another branch... family—a sentiment... Gideon, though though... father, nor his father... contested their unduly... the Kelton property, th... tainly have won it ha... to do so."

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A LONG WAIT.

At exactly fifteen minutes to eight His step was heard at the garden gate. And then, with heart that was light...

BONES.

"If you have a good idea for an article," telephoned the editor, "bring it along."

NE OBJECTED.

"I don't see any use in my son Benjamin studying Latin," pessimistically said a certain farmer...

SAVED HIM.

"Do you believe in athletics?" was asked of a well-known business man who was found practising with the dumb-bells at the back of his warehouse the other day.

MONARCHS IN BUSINESS.

THE KAISER AS CHIEF OF A PORCELAIN FACTORY. It is popularly supposed that all industrial "kings" come from America...

WHY CHILDISH BEAUTY FADES.

How is it that so many beautiful children lose their charm as they grow to manhood and womanhood? According to an artist who has studied the subject the question can best be answered by analysing the various features which go to the making of a beautiful face.

SOME CURIOUS ACCIDENTS.

Collisions between all sorts and varieties of vehicles are on record, but a collision between a vessel and a railway train is probably unique.

BIG FARMS.

"Yes, sir," resumed the Dakota man, as the crowd of agriculturists seated themselves around a little table...

THE BISHOP AND THE COACHMAN.

A young coachman who had driven his master to lunch with a certain famous Bishop, who was certainly very good and grew to be a friend of the Bishop's coachman in the harness room.

EDITORIAL ADVICE.

The poet approached the newspaper editor for the first time. "I have here," he said, meekly, "a poem which I should like to have printed in your paper."

BARNUM'S MENAGERIE.

An American paper prints an amusing tale, which the reader may receive with as many ounces of salt as he thinks necessary. It is connected with the wreck of a circus train in a rather wild Southern State.

A STORY OF LORD ROBERTS.

"Talk about your commanders," said Tommy Atkins, "Bobs is the boy for me. I found out what he was in Afghanistan. My company was digging trenches, and while finishing one the Afghans began firing, and the bullets whistled close to our heads."

WOULD ARGUE STILL.

Mr. McR., now on the staff of one of the big daily newspapers, was at one time a reporter in San Francisco. He was the most argumentative, and at the same time, the calmest man that ever entered the fiery town.

THE CONCERT.

The concert in the evening a large crowd, the Societies well filled. The stage was arranged and decorated by the members of the Societies, which was very thorough, with opened up by the Jackson String Quartet, who were complimented on the Westminister piano placed himself on good ground at the audience at once by his light tone voice and clear enunciation.

GENERAL INFORMATION.

Japan has a history extending over 2,500 years. In France the doctor's claim on the estate of a deceased patient has precedence of all others. Women serve as medical officers in the Russian army. In no other country of Europe is such employment given to the sex.

BUANGOR.

Mr. D. McLachlan, the energetic teacher here, who is ever ready to note the well-being of the children present engaged in the work of schooling the children for the day held on the hall on 15th inst. a very interesting and useful purpose of building a school reserve. It is a very able purpose, for the school is practically null and void for either a hot or rainy day.

BEAUFORT JOCKEY.

Very good entries have been received for the Beaufort Jockey Club on 1st April. The stakes are, five, ten, fifteen, twenty, thirty, and forty guineas. The race will be run on the 1st of April at Beaufort, on the 1st of April.

Best sow, First, 20s.; second, 10s.—G. C. Stewart, 1; F. G. Prince, 2.

THE CONCERT. The concert in the evening attracted a large crowd, the Societies' Hall being well filled.

Mr. Anderson of the Westminister Glee Company, placed himself on good terms with the audience at once by his singing of "Sally in our Alley."

Miss Bessie Wallace, a Melbourne vocalist with a highly trained voice, sang "Blue of rich and sonorous timbre."

Mr. J. A. Anderson of Ballarat, who is becoming an old favorite, sang "The Soul of the Violin" with recited sympathy and pathos.

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J. R. Wotherspoon & Co., THE STORE THAT SERVES YOU WELL. BEAUFORT.

CRICKET. ARARAT ASYLUM v. BEAUFORT. An enjoyable game was played on the Asylum ground last Saturday afternoon.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET. Tuesday. Fat Cattle.—224 head came to hand for to-day's sales, the majority consisting of midding and useful descriptions.

SNAKE VALLEY. A local resident who recently acquired the art of shooting from a peafowl received a pleasant surprise a couple of days ago, whilst practising.

BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB. Very good entries have been received for the Beaufort races on 1st April by the secretary Mr. W. H. Halpin, as under:—

BEAUFORT. McDonald, b McDonald ... 12; A. Tregrove, b McDonald ... 7; DeBaer, c McDonald, b Maguire ... 7; White, b Christie, b McDonald ... 27; Sparrow, c Maguire, b McDonald ... 2; Hall, c Reid, b McDonald ... 2; Young, c McDonald, b Christie ... 28; H. Tregrove, b Christie ... 4; Aldag, c Reid, b Christie ... 0; Milne, not out ... 10; Sundries ... 8.

THE BALLARAT TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. Office—Camp Street. DIRECTORS: John Macleod, Chairman; Hon. J. Y. McDonald, M.L.C.; Frank Herman; J. D. Woolcott, J.P.; Dr. Robert Scott; George Lewis; John Glasdon, Manager.

John Fishlock, Inglewood, Vic., writes:—Last winter I contracted a very severe cold, the cause of which I do not know.

Ask any mother in this community who has used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy what she thinks of it. She will tell you that she depends on it for coughs, colds, croup, hoarseness, and that by giving it to the children at the very first of these complaints, they are never allowed to get a foothold in the house.

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BEAUFORT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The annual congregational meeting was held in the church at Beaufort on Thursday evening. There was a fair attendance (especially of ladies), and Rev. C. Neville presided.

Mr Neville said he was pleased to be there that evening, which was his first opportunity of meeting them as a congregation. His few months' experience of married life as between pastor and people had pleased him very much, and he hoped that it would be prolonged for a long time to come.

Mr Carroll apologised for the absence of Mr W. J. Stevenson, a committee member. The reports and balance were formally received.

Mr Carroll stated that steps would be taken for the election of committees in the various outlying districts. The members of the choir were paying for their tuition, and during Miss Wotherspoon's absence, the church had been very fortunate in securing the good services of Mrs Neville as organist.

Mr Neville urged a better attendance, especially of young men, at the Fellowship classes. Mr Carroll mentioned that the Sunday School anniversary was to be held on 5th April, to be conducted by Rev. Hugh Kelly, of Melbourne, followed by a cantata on the succeeding Monday.

Mrs Carroll congratulated the statement that the Beaufort Missionary Union had raised more money than any other union in proportion to its size in Victoria, but he said more cookery books.

Mr Carroll joyfully apologised for the error. The chairman mentioned that the session had under consideration the introduction of individual cups at the communion service, and several unknown donors had made the generous and handsome donation of the communion cup outfit.

Mr J. R. Wotherspoon considered it a splendid thing, as it would bring back memories of olden days, and moved that the diamond jubilee be celebrated. Seconded by Dr. Edie (who thought it an event that should undoubtedly be celebrated), and carried.

Mr Neville said he would like to see the proposed take the final shape this year. If they all pulled together and worked unanimously, the difficulty would be overcome.

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President, Mr. E. H. Welsh. Committee: Messrs. W. O'Sullivan, A. Dixon, W. C. Jones, F. G. Prince, H. Flowers, J. Parker, and W. McCurdy. Stewards: Dr. G. A. Edie, Messrs. H. A. D. Sinclair, H. Jaensch, H. Flowers, W. C. Jones, W. O'Sullivan, A. Parker, and H. Smith.

Handicappers for Hack Race: Messrs. Welsh, O'Sullivan, and McKeich. Clerk of Course: Mr. G. Maher. Measurer of Poles: Mr. G. Vowles. Treasurer: Mr. J. R. Wotherspoon. Timekeeper: Mr. R. Stokeld.

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LLOYD BROS. (Late of Camperdown). BEG to announce to the Public that they have started a CIGARETTE Agency at Beaufort, NEILL ST. (next door to Bank of Victoria), and hope to merit a fair share of patronage. All Repairs done. Sundries stocked. GOOD INVESTMENT. FOR SALE, £375 CASH.

ALL that Property, comprising Butcher's SHOP, Six-roomed DWELLING, and Outbuilding, at the late Wm. Smith, corner of Havelock and Livingstone Streets, Beaufort. The estate is leased at £30 a year, the lessee paying all rates and taxes. The present lease does not expire for about two years. For further particulars, apply to W. H. SMITH, Brown Street, Hamilton; or B. SLADE, Ironmonger, Newmarket.

BEAUFORT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. On the suggestion of Dr. Edie, it was also decided to hold congregational meetings in the outlying districts, with a view to obtaining co-operation in the diamond jubilee and new church movements.

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OST-LEATHER HANDS, containing Money. Traders interested on return name to this Office.

EYESIGHT.

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Handicappers for Hack Race: Messrs. Welsh, O'Sullivan, and McKeich. Clerk of Course: Mr. G. Maher. Measurer of Poles: Mr. G. Vowles. Treasurer: Mr. J. R. Wotherspoon. Timekeeper: Mr. R. Stokeld.

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ALL that Property, comprising Butcher's SHOP, Six-roomed DWELLING, and Outbuilding, at the late Wm. Smith, corner of Havelock and Livingstone Streets, Beaufort. The estate is leased at £30 a year, the lessee paying all rates and taxes. The present lease does not expire for about two years. For further particulars, apply to W. H. SMITH, Brown Street, Hamilton; or B. SLADE, Ironmonger, Newmarket.

BEAUFORT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. On the suggestion of Dr. Edie, it was also decided to hold congregational meetings in the outlying districts, with a view to obtaining co-operation in the diamond jubilee and new church movements.

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THE NEW LIGHT. To Whom it May Concern.

Have you seen the "VEGA" Kerosene Incandescent Gas Lamp? If not, make enquiries at the Agent's.— GEO. PRINGLE, Spot Cash Grocer, NEILL ST.

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Only Best Brands of Wines, Spirits and Ales Kept. FIRST-CLASS BEDS, 1/- Meals a Specialty, at any hour, 1/-

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United Ancient Order of Druids. THE Ordinary MEETING will be held in the LODGE ROOM, SOCIETY'S HALL, on TUESDAY evening next, at 7.30 o'clock sharp.

Religious Services. SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 1908. Church of England—Beaufort, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Main Lead, 3 p.m.—Rev. Chas. Reed.

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CHURCH OF ENGLAND. INDUCTION OF REV. CHAS. REED.

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A TIME-EXPIRED SOLDIER.

He was the only other occupant of the humble third-class sleeper, in the northward-bound train. He was in plain clothes, but "soldier" was written upon his sunburnt face and erect, stalwart frame. He was eager to talk, and "Ah'm pavin' home!" he announced, as he yawned.

THE DISCOVERERS OF RADIUM.

When Mme. Curie came to study in Paris her means did not admit of matriculation at the schools of the faculty, and she went to learn at a municipal working class institute, where M. Curie directed the laboratory.

A KISS IN THE DARK.

Some vulgar women have a disgusting way of making remarks upon people they meet in public places and conveyance. Often, too, they take very little trouble to prevent their comments from being heard; or sometimes they express their views without words, yet unmistakably, by means of a contemptuous sniff, or a toss of the head.

A great many seem to think it hardly worth while to consider the feelings of strangers, and deserve to be taught such a lesson as that given to a French painter, once administered to two ladies who travelled with him in a railway car from Versailles to Paris.

They evidently knew who Vernet was; so they stared at him freely, and exchanged all sorts of remarks about him.

Not unnaturally, the artist was vexed, and he told them to cease him to take a truly French revenge upon these very un ladylike women. Thereupon the train passed through the St. Cloud tunnel, he kissed his own hand twice, very loudly and violently.

Of course, when the train shot out of the darkness, he found that the two ladies had left off staring at him, and were eyeing one another. He amused himself with studying the expressions of amazement, contempt and indignation that passed over their features, though the train was not a word; then, when the train stopped at the Paris station, he got up to leave, making them a very low bow.

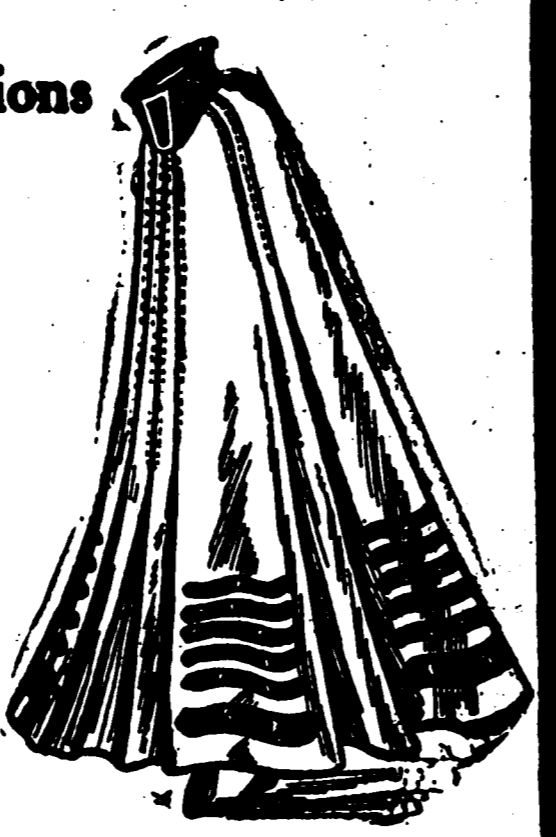
"Ladies," said he, "I shall be pleased all my life by the enquiry, which of you two ladies was it that kissed me?"



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If perfection of fit—quality of materials, correctness of style and beauty of workmanship are chief considerations—then we can satisfy the most exacting taste of any lady for these features are all combined in these elegant skirts. Better choose yours now while the new goods are here and the assortment is complete.

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SNAKE VALLEY.

A serious accident occurred to Mr. Jas. Whelan, a groom employed on Carrigrohane Station, in company with a horse and driver, when the animal leaped out, kicking Whelan on the left leg. In falling he struck the stone flagging with his head, sustaining serious injuries.

TENNIS.

A tournament for ladies will be contested on the courts of the Beaufort Tennis Club on Wednesday next, at 2.30 p.m., for a prize, valued at £1, donated by the president of the club (Mr. E. W. Hughes), and a trophy, valued at £10, donated by the club. Contests will be decided in favor of the side scoring first 10 games, and as the tournament will be concluded on the date fixed, all pairs must be then ready to play.

There is a strong feeling at Swan Hill that large areas of Crown land in the neighborhood should be made available for settlement.

Sir William Lyne, Commonwealth Treasurer, is developing his scheme for taking over the State debts and readjusting the distribution of revenue at the expiration of the Braden clause period.

Amongst the cases called on at the Melbourne City Court on Monday was that of Albert E. Ford, 33 years of age, baker, who was charged with drunkenness. Few recognized in the decrepit man who answered to the name the pedestrian who was so well-known in Victoria 30 years ago.

At a largely-attended meeting of the Blackball Miners' Union, New Zealand, it was decided to remain firm on the demand for half-an-hour "grit-time" and not to pay the £75 fine imposed by the Arbitration Court.

The David Syme research paper for the best original scientific work done in Australia during the last two years has been awarded to Dr. Basil Kilvington, M.D., M.B.C., of Camberwell, for his researches into the conditions of healing and degeneration of injured nerves.

The largest wall in the world is that built by the Chinese. It traverses the northern boundary of China, and has been carried across rivers, through the desert valleys, over the highest mountains, and in fact, every natural obstacle that stood in the way of its progress.

LINKED COMPOUND, for Gough and Olds. These Acheson and rollers built by Dr. Hall-Edwards, of Birmingham, has had his left hand amputated owing to the having contracted the disease known as "X-ray dermatitis."

COMMONWEALTH DEFENCE.

Mr. Deakin, in a speech at a large meeting of citizens in Sydney, on the occasion of national defence, referred to the sparse population of Australia—only one adult to each 160 square miles. Owing to her isolation, Australia lay open to the attack of a superior sea power.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

The twenty-seventh competition by members of the Beaufort Rifle Club for the "Admiral Bridges" trophy—a marble clock, valued at £10—was shot off on Wednesday afternoon (10 shots at 300 yds.), and resulted in the "log-in" being scored by A. Parker, junr., who scored 48 out of 50 points.

CATHOLIC MISSION.

One of the most successful missions ever held at the Beaufort R.C. Church was brought to a close on Sunday night last by the Rev. Father Sebastian, of the Order of Passionist Fathers, who conducted the mission. From early morning a stream of worshippers might be seen wending the way towards the church, where mass was celebrated at 9 a.m. by his Lordship Bishop Higgins, of Ballarat, who administered holy communion to a large number of communicants.

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SHIRE OF RIPON.

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DIXON BROS. & HALPIN will sell by Public Auction at RAGLAN, on TUESDAY, 7th APRIL, the well-known and almost new FURNITURE and Effects of Mr. E. SUDWICKS, comprising the following:—Tables, Bedsteads, Dressing Cases, Washstands, and Ward, Piano, Kitchen, etc.

FURNITURE SALE by Auction, SATURDAY, 4th APRIL, 1908, at 2 p.m., near Railway Station, Beaufort. Mr. H. FLOWERS (who is leaving the district) has favored DIXON BROS. & HALPIN with instructions to sell all his well-known Furniture and Effects, comprising the following:—Bedding, Suits, etc.

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The Russian Clay Comb. I HAVE this day appointed Messrs. J. R. WOTHERSPOON & CO. Agents for the above.

FOR SALE—SEED WHEAT, varieties—Federation, Silver King, Dart's Imperial, SEED OATS, varieties—Algerian, American Garden No. 1. All seed machine-cleaned. Samples sent on application.

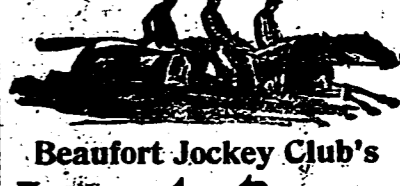
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TRIAL STAKES, of 7s. Five furlongs. Weight for age. For horses that have never won an advertised race of 25 or over. 1st, £5; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 7s.

BEAUFORT CUP, of £13. One mile. 1st, £12; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 5s; acceptance, 5s. HANDICAP HACK RACE, of £5. Five furlongs. Hacks to be approved by Stewards. 1st, £4; 2nd, £1. Post entry, 5s. (to be in hands of Secretary 2 p.m. on day of races).

WATERLOO HANDICAP, of £10. Six furlongs. 1st, £9; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 2s 6d. FLYING HANDICAP, of £10. Five furlongs. 1st, £9; 2nd, £1. Nomination, 7s 6d; acceptance, 2s 6d.

Nominations for all races except Hack Race positively close with the Secretary on Wednesday, 18th March, 1908. A copy of the handicaps will be posted to nominators. Nominations must be accompanied by the fees. First race to start at 1.30 o'clock sharp. J.V.C. Rules strictly adhered to. Y.H.C. Rules must ride in colors. W. H. HALPIN, Hon. Secy.

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PATENT MEDICINES.

REVELATION OF CONTENTS.

Messrs E. Glover and J. A. Kenningham, the delegates from the proprietors of the London Chamber of Commerce, who are now in Melbourne, have forwarded to the Minister of Customs a detailed statement of their case against the proposed Federal legislation requiring the formulae of proprietary medicines and foods to be disclosed.

Women's Letters.

(By "A Friend.")

No woman can afford to remain in ignorance of the benefits to be derived from the use of Warner's Safe Cure, in order that as many women as possible may be enlightened, we quote the following specimen letters.

From Mrs. McLoughlin, 10 Sims Street, Surry Hills, Sydney, N.S.W. A few years ago I suffered from an unbearable pain in the lower back and depression of spirits.

AGRICULTURE.

REASONABLE FARM NOTES.

It is necessary to repeat what has been so often written in these columns regarding the necessity of making some provision to conserve water during the coming winter.

By the end of this month it is not too soon to make a beginning of sowing wheat, provided that the soil has been prepared and the weather conditions are favourable.

Seed for green crops can be sown at any time now, and it is necessary to keep up the supply for the milking stock, especially on holdings where the grazing area is not extensive.

HEARNE'S BRONCHITIS CURE

The Famous Remedy for COUGHS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, & CONSUMPTION, Has the Largest Sale of any Chest Medicine in the World.

Chronic Indigestion. AN IRISHMAN'S STORY. The following story tells in plain Anglo-Saxon what results may be realised if the correct course is adopted in similar circumstances to those dealt with by Mr. John Murphy, of No. 10 Johnston Street, Fitzroy, who said to our reporter:—

"Ever since I was a youngster in the good old county of Cork, Ireland, and all my life I have been a sufferer from indigestion."

No 1584. COAGULINE, KLINX, T. Contents for broken and other articles.

POST AND TELEGRAPH. For the information of our readers Herewith Publish the New RATES FOR PLACES IN...

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There is only one Sun One Moon One Rabbit Poison One "S.A.P." Do not be deceived with something which is "Just as good" or said to be "The same thing."

FIREWOOD! A Reminder. ANYBODY CAUGHT on my Premises with the intention of OBTAINING GOOD VALUE Will be AMPLY REWARDED.

MILLER'S, THE CLOTHIERS, 7 & 9 Bridge St., Ballarat. All the world's a stage; we are merely players. To live up to our parts good clothes are essentials—clothes that carry an air of dignity and refinement—clothes with the impress of careful workmanship.

Railway Time-Table.

The following is the local railway time-table:— mixed train leaves Ballarat at 11.23 a.m., Traralgon at 12.10 p.m., reaching Beaufort at 12.27, and taking its departure at 12.40. It leaves Middle Creek at 12.49, and Bunung at 12.58.

Beaufort Rainfall.

Table showing rainfall data for Beaufort from 1899 to 1907. Columns include year, total rainfall, and other statistics.

Make your District Known.

Concerning some parts of the district news comes but seldom. This is not entirely our fault; we have no miraculous power of knowing what is happening at all the places within our area of circulation.

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