









USEFUL HINTS.

RABBIT. Welsh, yet the name be... anyone of cookery... succeeded her... for this... For the rabbit... knowledge of... one. If it... unusual... without... special at... house or... it may be... on at the... SE.

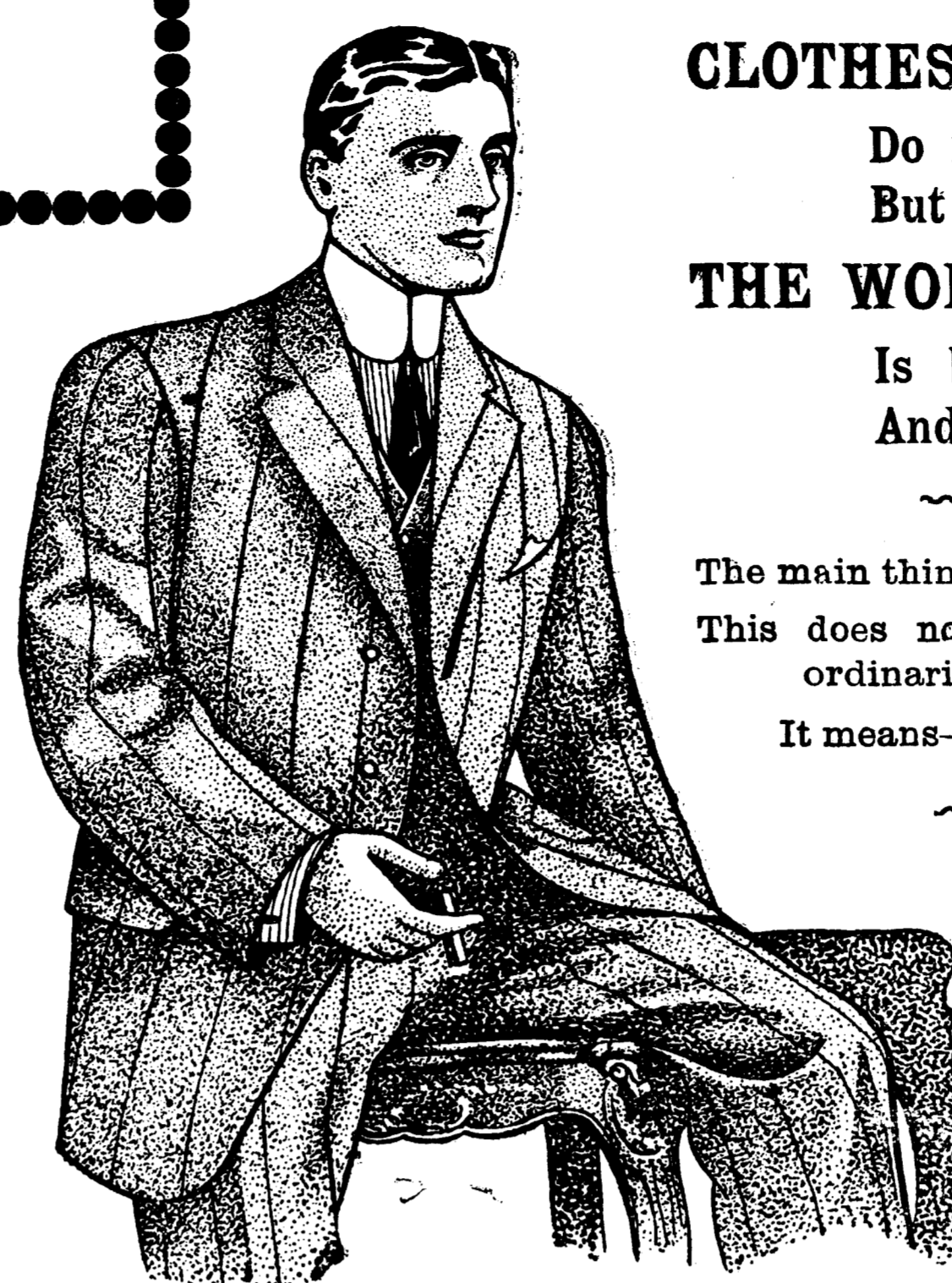
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OVER THE BACK FENCE. The Labor party's proposals for the alteration of the constitution... DAD COMMENTS UPON TOPICAL SUBJECTS. The Labor party's proposals for the alteration of the constitution...

Everyone does not hold with your opinions of pipe music. But he was not to be silenced. "Shure," he continued with a wobble...

THE REFERENDA. HOW THE VOTING STANDS. The following are the latest figures in connection with the referenda in the several States...

CLOTHES. Do not make the man, perhaps, But if he's poor in dress, THE WORLD Is bound to notice it, And somehow love him less. The main thing in dressing is to DRESS WELL. This does not mean extravagantly or extraordinarily. It means—ABREAST OF THE TIMES.



Our long experience and buying facilities, backed up as they are by the good taste of our buyers, have been the secret of our success in this department. We confidently invite inspection. Remember, nobody is pressed to buy. Suits to order from 50s to £6 6s (six guineas). Ready-made tailor garments from open stock, from 27s 6d to 45s. Always at your Service. Ready, Anxious and Able to Suit All Tastes.

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Australian Natives' Association

The fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort Branch, A.N.A., will be held in the Mechanics' Institute on TUESDAY Evening next, at 8 o'clock sharp.

Religious Services. SUNDAY, MAY 14TH, 1911.

BEREAVEMENT CARDS. MR. AND MRS. A. DALGLEISH and Family desire to tender their sincere thanks to their many kind friends for the sympathy shown them in their recent sad bereavement.

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BEAUFORT METHODIST CHURCH. JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS.

It has been written of the individual, "The years of old age disturb us, yet few attain it." But what applies to the individual is not applicable to the religious institution.

The jubilee celebrations, which are to be continued for a fortnight, commenced on Sunday morning, when an impressive service was conducted in the Beaufort Methodist Church.

There was a clean charge sheet at the Beaufort Police Court on Tuesday. Mr E. W. Hughes, J.P., was the only magistrate in attendance.

Mr E. W. Hughes, manager of the Beaufort branch of the Bank of Victoria, left yesterday on a three weeks' holiday to Sydney and the Blue Mountains. During his absence Mr S. Smith, accountant, will be in charge of the bank.

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TEA AND PUBLIC MEETING.

A tea-meeting in the schoolroom on Tuesday evening was well patronised. The tables were heavily laden with the choicest confections and pastry, supplied by the ladies.

The Rev. T. Copeland said he would always retain pleasant memories of the prayers of God's people that showers of blessing may come upon this and the other churches with many precious souls.

The Chairman announced that the new illuminated text above the pulpit was put there through a special collection being made by a member of the congregation.

BUANGOR. The first school of Buangor, was opened on Monday evening, May 8th, by Mr. W. C. Jones, of Beaufort.

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A CELEBRATED LADY TRAVELLER

Her Remarkable Career. One of the most interesting, perhaps, because of her travels was Lady Hester Stanhope, the niece of William Pitt, over whose house she presided at the death of her uncle, and of her own relatives left the lady free to indulge in any whim, fancy which a natural hatred of conventionalities might suggest to her. This took the form of an adventurous life of travel in Eastern lands.

AMUSING INCIDENTS.

There was a wild shriek from passers by as the scaffolding gave way, and a man fell from a great height. He cannoned on the third storey cornice, struck the telegraph wire in front of the second storey windows, and fell on the pavement with a sickening thud. Strong men turned away their faces as he fell.

CONSTIPATION.

The most persistent and troublesome human ailment known, and the forerunner of many other diseases, is now most effectively cured with Chamberlain's Tablets, and then most of the other ailments vanish because nature has a free chance to work.

VARIETIES.

First Paterfamilias: Beg pardon for intruding, but the fact is your son has proposed for the hand of my daughter, and as the two families are almost strangers, you knowing nothing of my daughter, and I nothing of your son, I thought it would be a sensible thing to come round and compare notes.

RUINED RELICS.

In a book entitled "Adventures of Uncle Sam's Soldiers," there is an amusing story of a young soldier who was a determined collector of war relics. One day he found several unexploded shells, most of them very large. To carry them all into camp was impossible, but he had them to a spot in a wood, laid them in a row on the ground, and covered them with brushwood.

Amusing Incident on an Electric Tramcar.

The top of an electric tramcar was the scene of an amusing exchange of words the other day, when the wind was high. An easy-going sort of a chap was sitting, smoking his pipe contentedly, when a gust of wind blew suddenly, taking off his bowler hat, and sending it whirling along the road on its edge.

In a Music Hall.

A trained ostrich recently disconcerted its exhibitor at a music hall by continually endeavoring to break away from all restraint and to climb over the footlights into the orchestra. The widely-advertised act came to a sudden end when the professor emerged from behind the curtain and apologized for the actions of his pet.

Why He Chose.

"And what, dear little boy," asked the minister, "do you intend to do when you grow up?" "A farmer, sir," replied the child. "Very good indeed! To supply the natural food of most good men."

Then She Believed.

Jack had just come home from a long voyage, and his grandpa wanted to hear some of the wonders of the deep. "Well, grandpa," said Jack, "the first thing that surprised me was the flying fish."

Gallant.

Returning from an autumn sale a lady entered a tramcar which was nearly empty. In one corner, however, was a man who had evidently been indulging a little too freely.

She Told Him a Lie.

He had been dining well, but not wisely, and the next morning his conscience, as well as his head, smote him pretty considerably. Yet he managed to struggle down to breakfast and to make an attempt to toy with the big, palatable kidney and sliced rabbit, which his dear little wife had thoughtfully provided.

Hedging.

A worthy professor was invited to dine at the house of a lady of fashion. When the company rose from the table, the professor noticed, to his great consternation, that he was unsteady on his feet.

NEURALGIA.

If the affected parts are bathed freely with Chamberlain's Pain Balm those stabbing burning aching pains will soon disappear. Rub the Balm well in several times during the day, keeping the patient warm and out of the cold wind. Dozens of people suffering from neuralgia have been cured by the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Sold by J. K. Wotherspoon and Co., Beaufort.

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The Famous Remedy for Coughs, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Pleurisy, Asthma & Consumption

Those who have taken this medicine are amazed at its splendid healing power. Sufferers from Bronchitis, Cough, Asthma, Difficulty of Breathing, Hoarseness, Pain or Soreness in the Chest, experience delightful and rapid relief. It is most comforting in the Throat and giving Strength to the Voice, and it neither allows a Cough nor Asthma to become chronic.

Small Size, 2/6; Large Size, 4/6 Sold by all Chemists and Medicine Vendors, and by W. G. HEARNE & Co., Ltd., Geelong, Victoria. Forwarded to any Address, when not obtainable locally.

SOLE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL BY J. W. HARRIS, CHEMIST, BEAUFORT

BEAUFORT PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL.

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TO THE GYPSIES.

EVERY DAY I find myself wondering how it is that you gypsies, who are so nomadic and so free, should be so much interested in the things of this world. You are so free, so free, that you are not bound by the things of this world.

For Eleven Years Pastor

of the Woolloongabba Congregational Church, Brisbane, and Principal of the Theological School founded there, the Revd. John Williams, a strong, intellectual pastor and a fine and forceful preacher, well remembered in Brisbane for his splendid occasional sermons and lectures, writes the following letter to the merits of a great medicine which is creating wonderful cures of Nervous Breakdown, Insomnia, Weakness, Brain-lag, and Stomach and Liver Ailments.

Clements Tonic Cured

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"Prompted by a spirit of gratitude, I write to let you know that Clements Tonic did for me what I have learnt from several sources it has done so effectively for others. I suffered from nervous breakdown, consequent upon the strain of overwork, and was for a time at quite a loss to find an effective recuperative. Happily my choice fell on Clements Tonic, which restored me to my wonted self with surprising speed and surety. On subsequent occasions, when I have felt the same condition of nerves arising, I have promptly checked the trouble by a timely use of the same remedy. Above all, I find Clements Tonic induces a natural and refreshing sleep where in Nature has opportunity to work her cures in her own way; and what could be better said of a remedy than that? You may use this as you think fit."

I am, yours faithfully, REVD. J. WILLIAMS.

The medicine that saves and lengthens human life, as this one does; that brings back the health so long despaired of by a wasted vigor and mental energy, so that out of years of pain and suffering, men and women recover and enjoy life, surely this is the medicine for the people in every rank and walk of life. People who are ill, sickly, weak, nervous, with strength, vigor, energy undermined, or who cannot get strong after long or sudden illness or attacks of fever, etc., should read these tributes to this great medicine, and send for it without delay. All Chemists and Stores sell it everywhere.

Advertisement for Clements Tonic with various notices and testimonials. Includes text: 'Clements Tonic Ltd.', 'For Eleven Years Pastor', and 'The medicine that saves and lengthens human life...'.

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POST AND TELEGRAPH RATES. ORDINARY TELEGRAMS. Town and suburban within prescribed limits...

BEAUFORT RAINFALL. We are indebted to Mr Jas. McKee for the following interesting information as to the rainfall at Beaufort since 1892.

Table of rainfall data for Beaufort from 1892 to 1910, showing monthly and yearly totals.

A Safe Ready for all Skin and Blood Diseases. If you suffer from any disease due to an impure state of the blood...

CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. THE FINEST BLOOD PURIFIER EVER DISCOVERED. IT IS WARRANTED TO CLEANSE THE BLOOD FROM ALL impurities...

Robertson & Moffat Pty. Ltd. New Season's MANTLES. We are now showing an exceptionally smart range of Autumn and Winter MANTLES...

SUPPORT LOCAL INDUSTRY AND SUBSCRIBE TO THE LOCAL PAPER. THE RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE.

Make your District Known. Concerning some parts of the district news comes but seldom. This is not entirely our fault...

Write the names of persons very distinctly. Don't bother about grammar or spelling; it's the editor's work to look after those trifles.

J. Holdsworth, Wholesale and Retail BUTCHER, BEAUFORT. AUTIONEERS, Auditors, Accountants, House, Land, Insurance and Financial Agents...

THIRD MANY THINGS WITHOUT BENEFIT UNTIL I TOOK CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. Mr F. E. Lewis, 48 Bridge Street, Row...

Railway Time-Table. The following is the local railway time-table: A mixed train leaves Beaufort at 12.10 p.m.

The Man Who Does Not Advertise. Breathes there a man with soul so dead, That himself he hath not said...

3- per Quarter. It is obtainable direct from the office regularly.

Too Well Known to Need an "Ad." This idea that you have lived so long in town that everybody knows you and you don't need to advertise is a mistake.

Write your name and address on some corner—not for publication, but to prove good faith.

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ANOTHER PERMANENT CURE OF BAD LEGS AND ANKLES. Mr James Wainwright, 111, Witherspoon Street, Glasgow...

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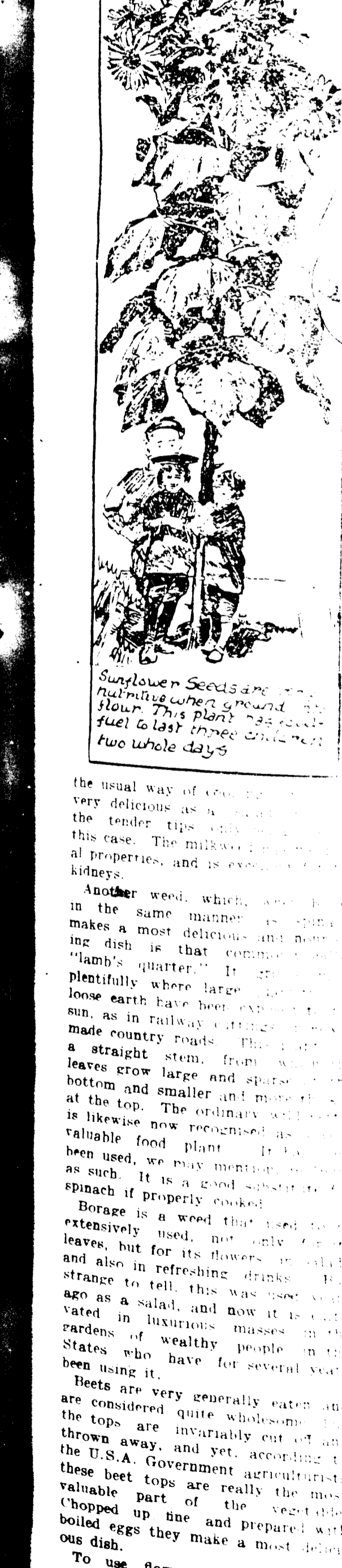
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CORRESPONDENCE.

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RATING REFORM.

To the Editor, "Riponshire Advocate." Sir, Mr. C. Beggs puts forward a rather extraordinary argument in support of the consolidated revenue and are used for various purposes. Municipal rates are paid into the municipal revenue, and are used for all sorts of purposes pertaining to the government of the municipality.

OVER THE BACK FENCE.

The Methodist jubilee celebrations are still going strong, and will reach their climax on the third week.

It is a common saying that "the church people only go gay once in 50 years." Mr. J. R. Hughes, who presided at the evening of the 13th inst., said that the church people only "go gay" once in 50 years.

BEAUFORT METHODIST CHURCH.

JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS.

The jubilee celebrations were continued at the Beaufort Methodist church on Sunday, when the morning and evening services were conducted by Mr. A. Buley, of Ballarat.

SKIPTON.

Rev. F. Stillwell conducted the service of the church of England in the Mechanics' Hall on Sunday night, and the Holy Communion was administered at the close.

MR. HANS IRVINE, M.H.R.

Mr. Hans Irvine, M.H.R., was entertained at a smoke concert on Thursday night at a smoke concert, which was attended by 200 citizens of the district.

NURSE URE SAYS YOU WANT

In a recent letter from the Lake Hotel, Ballarat, Vic., Nurse Ure writes "You can't beat Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for children. It is absolutely the best I have used in my professional career."



CLOTHES Do not make the man, perhaps, But if he's poor in dress, THE WORLD Is bound to notice it, And somehow love him less.

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SHIRE OF RIPON. PAYMENT OF RATES.

Notice is hereby given that no person will be entitled to be enrolled in respect of any property unless on or before the Tenth day of June, 1911, all sums payable in respect of any rates made three months before such day in respect of such property have been paid.

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Australian Natives' Association. THE FORGOTTEN MEETING of the Beaufort and district on TUESDAY evening next, at 8 o'clock sharp. J. FULLERTON Secretary.

Religious Services.

SUNDAY, MAY 28th, 1911. CHURCH OF ENGLAND—Beaufort, 8 a.m.—Rev. F. Stillwell. Waterloo, 3 p.m.—Rev. F. Stillwell. Main Lead, 3 p.m.—Waterloo, 7 p.m.—Student.

IN MEMORIAM.

MR. A. J. CHEESEMAN and Family for letters, visits, and floral tributes of sympathy received during their recent sad bereavement.

The Riponshire Advocate.

Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, MAY 27, 1911. In another column Mr. W. S. Smith, baker and confectioner, Beaufort, has been appointed their patronage during the past two years, and intimates that it is still his intention to continue the business and to merit a continuance of the same liberal support.

W. C. JONES, PHONO. DEPOT, BEAUFORT.

MINING NEWS. The following are the local mining yields for the week ending Friday, May 26th—Dickman and party, 8oz. 4dwt.; Beaufort Deep Leads, 14oz. 8dwt.; Morris and party, 25oz. 17dwt.; Gundrys, 3dwt. 19gr.

LINSEED COMPOUND, for Coughs and Colds. Lenses plugging, always irritation.

OVER THE BACK FENCE.

What have the local Methodists done to arouse the antagonism of the clerk of the weather? For a whole fortnight, right through the jubilee celebrations, that inconsiderate personage sent a super-abundance of rain on almost every occasion on which a function in celebration of the jubilee was to be held.

BEAUFORT POLICE COURT.

TUESDAY, MAY 23rd, 1911. (Before Mr. W. E. Goldsmith, P.M.) VACCINATION.

Sergeant Nicholson was the prosecutor in a number of vaccination cases. In the first case the defendant was Alwyn Williams, the sergeant said defendant had made several appearances, but was not present that day.

"PUT THE BOOTS INTO HIM."

Many Ann Dromey was charged by Constable Lovitt with being found drunk in a public place at Waterloo on 21st April.

DRIVING WITHOUT A LIGHT.

William Crick, of Waterloo, was charged by Sergeant Nicholson, summoning officer of the Shire of Ripon, for driving a vehicle without a light on the 29th March.

DEBT.

Henry Cuthbertson sued John and Geo. Mills, jointly, for the recovery of a debt amounting to £11 17s. 6d. The complainant, asked for a verdict against one defendant, John Mills.

OLD AGE PENSIONS.

The P.M. subsequently sat as an old age pensions' commissioner, and heard several applications.

IN OTHER LANDS.

It is rumored that the Turkish Department of the Telegraph service in Jerusalem. The Turkish authorities have put up a telephone to another in the Syrian matter of progress—this is a matter of progress—this is a matter of progress—this is a matter of progress.

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CONTRIBUTORS.

What is the purpose of the Beaufort and district on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock sharp. J. Fullerton Secretary.

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Indirectly the missionaries account for the Transvaal and Orange River frontiers, our latest acquisitions. For, though we had to pay £200,000,000 for the war of conquest, in contrast to the inexpensiveness of missionary labour, it was nevertheless the latter that the great Boer Trek of 1836 was due, which resulted in the founding of the Republics.

Some Great Scotsmen. Of the great achievements of Livingstone it is unnecessary to speak; but we must not forget that they opened the country to successive incursions of Englishmen, and that John Mackenzie, the missionary, was one of the first to follow him.

LISTEN TO RHODES AND STEAD. Basutoland, also, now known as North West Rhodesia, is due to the French missionaries. Though it is as big as the German Empire it did not cost us a single line. Colliard advised Lewanika, the king, to put himself under the protection of some European nation, and with great disinterestedness recommended the British.

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roulette table at a time when the players had suffered a persistent run of bad luck. The superstitious gamblers exchanged covert glances, and searched their pockets for money with which to stake.

EMPIRE BUILDERS. It may not be generally known, but it is none the less a fact that we owe several of our recent acquisitions of territory to the work of influence of missionaries, says "The Bits."

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LOVE-MAKING.

Two young fellows were after a blonde. Number 1 could play eight-holes in a bogey and ride any jumper that ever wore a saddle.

Therefore, to avoid making too many breaks he would go to the blonde and confidentially ask her to be his true friend and steer him through the shoals. Number 1 would be sent out on the links, but Number 2 would be under cover, and usually a lost he did not know a sheet from a sail.

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ALLIGATOR HUNTING.

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SLIDING STALL PARTITION.

The sliding partition shown in the accompanying illustration provides a safe way to approach the head of a kicking horse to feed it or put on the harness.



The horse cannot kick you.

February 6th is called Black Thursday, the day when the great earthquake and heat waves which raged over Victoria in 1851. It was a day the memory of which was never effaced from the minds of those early colonists who witnessed it, and who spoke of it with a shudder.

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COSTLY INTERVIEWS.

WHAT REPORTERS HAVE BEEN PAID FOR SPECIAL "COPY." There is, perhaps, no man more widely discussed than Mr. John D. Rockefeller, the world's richest millionaire, and no celebrity is more difficult to interview.

LARGEST SUM EVER GIVEN. Just before the treaty of Peace between Russia and Japan was signed a prominent American journal paid a well-known Washington official £200 for a short conversation respecting the doings of President Roosevelt at Portsmouth, N.Y.

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IF WOMEN DRESSED TO PLEASE MEN.

Would dressmakers' bills be reduced? Would fashions be sane? Would women have more health and fewer nerves? Or would the passing show lose its charm and life become a sartorial desert if women dressed to please men?

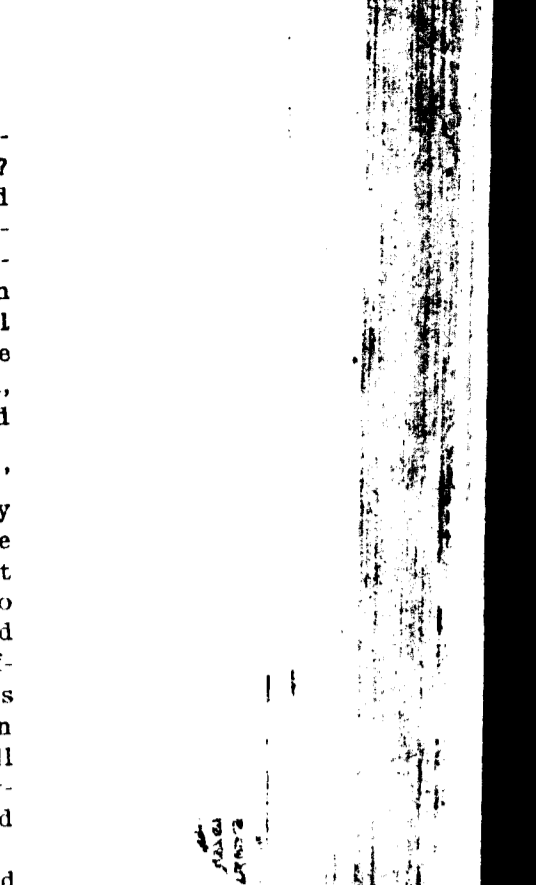
Now, a very great man started this discussion no less a personage than Pope Pius X. He sent a request to all bishops of the Catholic Church that they publish pastoral letters denouncing prevailing fashions for women.

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And how the men have scurried to cover! Right willing they are to hurl invitations at hoarse skirts and milder-pot hats; but what period of fashions they substitute for the prevailing styles? Hoopskirts? The chignon? The Elizabethan ruff? The bustle? A chorus of masculine "Noes" wells up in response.

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EMPIRE DAY.

On account of the close proximity of the Empire Day...

BEAUFORT.

Empire Day was observed at the Beaufort State school on Wednesday...

Mr. Sinclair then introduced Cr. Sinclair...

There is a subtle attraction about the personality of Cr. Sinclair...

Cr. Sinclair said that of course the committee had had the first...

Cr. Sinclair—Yes it would not have been a graceful act to observe Empire Day...

Cr. Sinclair—That is the reason why the big gathering of children in the Park today...

Cr. Sinclair—Before many years—there will be ten millions of people...

So they would see that the Japanese population was growing so largely...

There was a momentary silence, but at last one boy mustered all his self-confidence...

Cr. Sinclair, continuing, said that the spirit of the British race...

As a fitting memorial of the jubilee of the Beaufort M. thodist Church...

A public meeting was held at the Skipton Mechanics' Hall on Saturday night...

Mr. A. Angus argued that not only was the Berrbank connection unreasonable...

Mr. H. Elder thought it inadvisable to make any change in the route...

and one asserted that when a couple were married 25 years it was their silver wedding...

As an entertainer, Mr. Tregear stands as it were, in a class of his own...

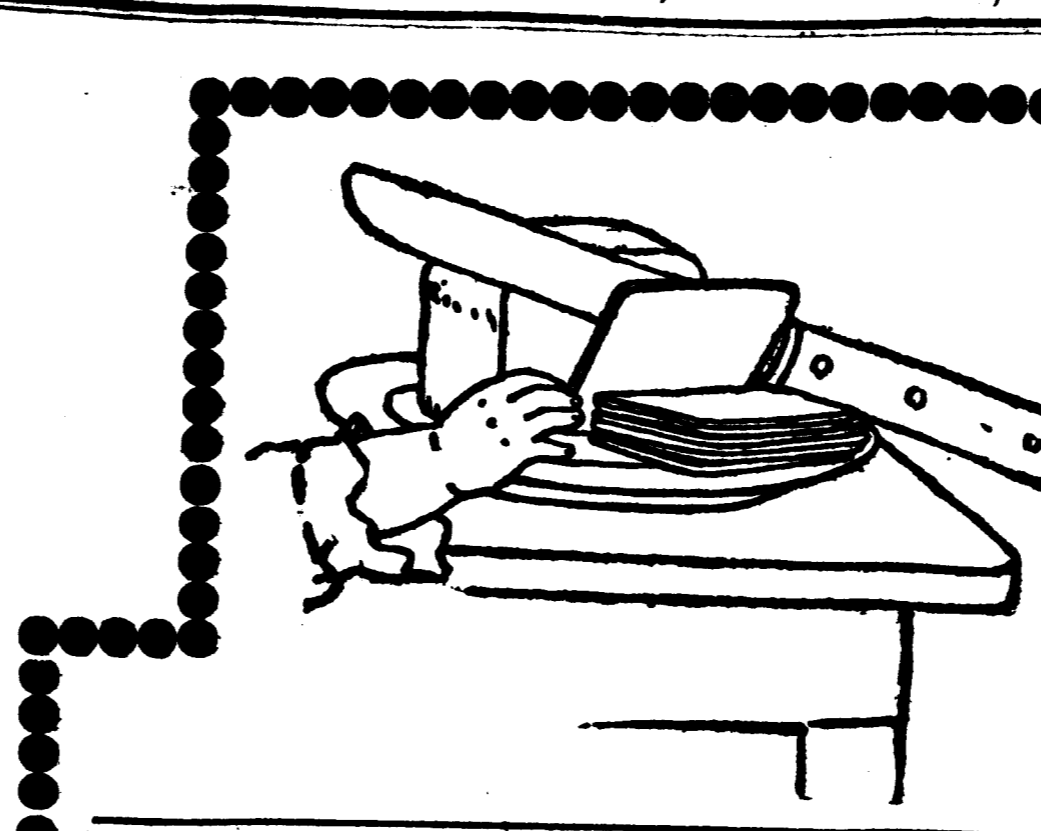
This versatile entertainer is a great lover of the little ones...

Mr. J. H. Gardiner said that a war of routes at this juncture would be a very serious matter...

Mr. D. Walters, of Ballarat, said he was pleased to hear the discussion...

Mr. H. Thompson favored connection with the Gheringhap-Maroona line...

Mr. Robert Cairns said that the Commissioners had always favored the connection...



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