

BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1911. PRICE THREEPENCE

USEFUL HINTS. To wash the face...

BEAUFORT RAINFALL. We are indebted to Mr Jas. McKeich for the following interesting information...

POSTAL RATES. NEW SCHEDULE DETAILED. The new postage rates, which came into force on 1st May...

Make your District Known. Concerning some parts of the district news comes but seldom...

A Safe Remedy for all Skin and Blood Diseases. CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. If you suffer from any disease...

Robertson & Moffat Pty. Ltd. THE HOUSE OF QUALITY. BOLTON SHEETING. Mercerized Venetian Stripes. We have just received shipments...

SUPPORT LOCAL INDUSTRY AND SUBSCRIBE TO THE LOCAL PAPER, THE RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE. We ask that our efforts for the district's good...

Railway Time-Table. The following is the local railway time-table. A mixed train leaves Ballarat...

The Man Who Doesn't Advertise. Breathe there a man with soul so dead That he might break his drowsy sleep...

Postal Intelligence. LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS. MAILE TIME TABLE. DAILY. Closing Times...

FROOTOIDS. Cure Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and Biliousness. They are elegant in appearance...

THE BEST. A perfect medicine to take when any Congestion or Blood Poison is present...

MEDICINE. A dose taken once a week, at bedtime, is highly beneficial. They act splendidly on the Liver...

CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. Sold by all Chemists and Patent Medicines Vendors throughout the World.

TO OUR READERS AND PATRONS. THE PROSPERITY OF A DISTRICT DEPENDS chiefly upon the support and encouragement...

JOB PRINTING. OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. BALL TICKETS & PROGRAMMES. ADDRESS & BUSINESS CARDS...

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY CURES COUGHS COLDS AND INFLUENZA. The law of exchange was never satisfactory in its working...

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KATE HOWARTH'S DEVOTION.

By the Author of "The Heroine of the Mill," Etc.

PART 9.

CHAPTER X.—(Continued.) The expression on the viscount's face had been one of perplexity and gloom. Notwithstanding his glib politeness, his countenance began to brighten as the lady proceeded with her story, until at last he said: "You were right, as you always are. I do not know where the boy has been carried, but I have despatched a messenger to find out. I have discovered I shall send you, and what you propose will be most rigidly carried out."

Failing the French maid, who had not yet arrived, Lady Northenden had enlisted in her personal service a very smart upper housemaid. This girl, on this night, was instructed to bring her mistress information when his lordship went to his private apartments. At twelve o'clock the information was brought with the unsophisticated addendum, "And oh, ain't his lordship tipsy!"

"What for? Do you ask Father Redcap. You know to do the deed. What deed, Bluewing? A deed without a name, good Daddy Redcap. A deed without—no, no, he has no name. And if he has no name, he has no right to live, he must die! Ha, ha, ha! That's it! Die, die, die, and be—Hush, hush! Let me see!"

The listener stood like a stone statue watching her drink-maddened husband. By the light of her own knowledge, every word of her ravings was perfectly intelligible to her. All that she waited for then was the de-mentation.

CHAPTER XI. NELLY HOWARTH IS INSPIRED, AND SPEAKS. Lady Northenden never knew exactly how long she remained uncon-scious. When she came to herself, the boy, whose timely intervention had undoubtedly saved her life, was sleeping placidly, the illness consequent upon his injuries doubtless weighing him down to this enervated condition.

CHAPTER XII. THE DISCOVERER OF THE LAW OF GRAVITATION. Sir Isaac Newton, the great philosopher and discoverer of the law of gravitation, was born a wealthy and sickly infant. His talents were not apparently extraordinary until his twelfth year; for years he had kept a low place in his school at Grantham, until one day, having fought and beaten one of his schoolfellows, he became fired with the ambition to beat him equally thoroughly at scholarship. He succeeded so well that he became head of the school.

CHAPTER XIII. WHERE SNAKES ABOUND. New South Wales is infested with a great number of poisonous snakes. "I never was much afraid of snakes," observed a gentleman recently returned home after spending several years in that country, "but on one or two occasions in my life I have come in to a little closer contact with these venomous reptiles than I would care to go through again."

CHAPTER XIV. FROM FAR AND NEAR. Bricks made of coal-dust are used for paving in Russia. The coal-dust is combined with treacle and resin. It is estimated that to meet the demand of the new King George postage stamp 1,000,000 stamps will have to be printed every hour of the working day throughout the year.

HALF A MILLION FROM ONE SONG. E.S.D. OF THE MUSIC MARKET. It has been stated by Mr. Henry T. Finck, the well-known American critic, that in his opinion the most profitable song ever written was "Listen to the Mocking Bird," by which publishers in all parts of the world have realized £500,000 and which was bought in the first place from the composer for £7.

"QUEEN OF THE EARTH." The highest price ever paid for a song is the £2,240 which was paid a few years ago at an auction sale for the copyright of Mascaroni's "For All Eternity." This song had then nearly its full term of copyright to run, and its shares with "Queen of the Earth" the honour of being the most popular of modern compositions.

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ALL KINDS OF MECHANICAL INVENTIONS. windmills, water-clocks, even a carriage propelled by the person in it. These quiet amusements he varied by flying kites at night with lanterns attached to their tails, and thereby frightening the simple Lincolnshire country-folk. His stepfather dying, his mother recalled him from school when he was fifteen years of age to help in the house and on the land.

PROFITS OF WAGNER'S OPERAS. Talking of operas, it is interesting to note that Wagner's hits are said to make £28,000 annually from royalties from the great composer's works. Richard Strauss is estimated to have earned £25,000 in twelve months, while the late Sir Arthur Sullivan made £38,000 a year during the great run of the Gilbert-Sullivan operas at the Savoy.

INSECTS FORETELL THE WEATHER. A close observer might with safety foretell the conditions of the weather several days in advance by watching carefully the conduct of animals as they are very sensitive to barometrical variations. M. Fabre, a French entomologist gives several illustrations, one being a certain caterpillar.

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THE BROKEN HEART.

Every one must recollect the tragic story of young B., the Irish patriot; it was too touching to be soon forgotten. During the troubles in Ireland he was tried, condemned, and executed on a charge of treason.

They'll shine o'er sleep, like a smite from the west, from her own loved island of sorrow!

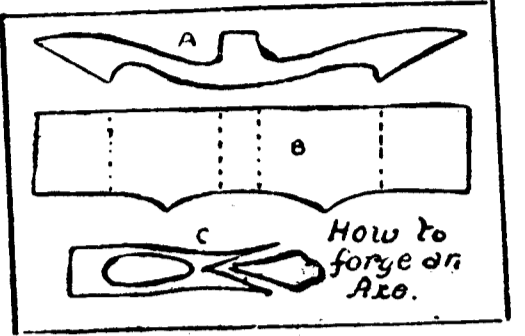
Washington Irving, in "The Sketch Book."

SHE NEVER CAME BACK.

The sun was just peeping over the hills, the leaves on the trees stirred gently, and a sleepy voice among the branches piped "Mother, I am so hungry. When may we have something to eat?"

HOW TO FORGE AN AXE.

An easy way to make an axe is to take a piece of 1-in. by 3/4-in. soft steel and forge to shape shown at A in the accompanying illustration.



The last hammering on the flat edge should be done at a low heat, with quick, light blows to pack the grain; the hammering should not be continued after the redness has disappeared.

FARMING NOTES.

A FORAGE MIXTURE.

At one time in England a combination of wheat and rye, known as maslin, used to be sown on light land which did not grow good crops of wheat alone.

OATS IN ROTATION.

Intelligent farmers in the drier areas are coming to the conclusion that oats must become an increasingly important factor in judicious farming.

A TIP FOR WALKERS.

WHY THEY SHOULD BEND THEIR LEGS.

There is no more important point in strenuous, long-distance walking than to keep your legs bent; but there is a right and a wrong way of doing this.

WORLD-WIDE NOTES.

PUT PLANTS OUTDOORS AT NIGHT.

In a recent paper, Dr. Robert H. M. Dawbarn tells why it is considered best not to keep flowers or growing plants in a sick room at night.

OYSTER-CULTURE AND DREDGING.

HOW THE BEDS ARE STOCKED.

Oysters were brought into fashion by the ancient Romans, who knew many varieties of them, although most people nowadays generally class them into "Natives" and "Blue-points."

MAN'S ORIGIN: WHEN WAS IT?

Man's origin is being assigned greater and greater antiquity, and the remarkable discoveries of the last few years in Western Europe

AERO WIRELESS OPERATED OVER WIDE RADIUS.

M. Henry Farman has successfully used wireless telegraph apparatus over an aeroplane over a radius of six miles.

MAN OF MANY JOBS.

BRITISH POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

The British Postmaster-General is what Londoners call a universal provider, a regular department store of public functions.

"WINDED."

AN EXPLANATION OF THE ACTUAL PHYSICAL CAUSES.

When a man has done a training spin over a mile at racing pace, he very often pulls up "winded," but he is not always aware of exactly what has been the cause of that uncomfortable condition.

A STICKY JOB.



THE LOST CHORD.

An old man was sitting in the parlour when his daughter entered and began to search in a cabinet for a piece of music.



WELL WORKED.

A well-known actor tells an amusing story of a man who entered a bar-parlour of a country inn on a cold day. A group of loungers were huddled about the fire, and the stranger could not get near enough to keep warm.

THE BROKEN HEART.

She is far from the land where her young hero sleeps, and loves around her are sighing; But coldly she turns from their gaze and weeps.

She sings the wild songs of her dear native plains. Every note which he loved awaking; Ah! little they think, who delight in her strains,

How the heart of the minstrel is breaking! He had lived for his love, for his country he died— They were all that to life had entwined him;

Nor soon shall the tears of his country be dried, Nor long will his love stay behind him! Oh, make her a grave where the sun beams rest, When they promise a glorious morning;

Nature's methods are slow and far from economical; the gardener's business is to reach the same end by a shorter route.—M. C. Davidson.

People who spend their time doing good work at such places as ragged schools are the people who hold society together.—Bishop Welldon.

A horse-couper was trying to sell a broken-winded, gasping horse, and was trotting him round for inspection.

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Lady—"For the better or for the worse?"

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He collects all the worn copper coins for the British Treasury.

He has factories for making his supplies, and an electric central station of his own in London for lighting his offices, bringing the current through his cable ducts.

He will sell you a license for a dog, a carriage, a motor-car, a private conveyance, a male servant, a gun, or a family coat-of-arms.

At dinner the other night the Postmaster-General confessed that he sometimes doubted whether he had any human personality at all.

In his official capacity he is responsible for more property than any body else in the United Kingdom.

Some time ago the engineering staff of the Post Office wanted to trim some trees down in Sussex.

When Sydney Buxton and the Postmaster-General got together on this matter, however, there was no difficulty, because at that time Sydney Buxton and the Postmaster-General were the same person.—"Telephone Review."

"Where am I?" the invalid exclaimed, waking from the long delirium of fever and feeling the comfort that loving hands had supplied.

"Where am I—in heaven?" "No, dear," cooed his wife; "I am still with you."

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AMERICA'S GREATEST DETECTIVE.

"Come right in."

The voice was unmistakably American. The owner of it was a tall, burly, broad-shouldered gentleman, with hair just tinged with grey.

"Guess I'm glad to see you, my man," said the other, and he stepped down. The interviewer breathed a sigh of relief.

"What were you doing in Scotland Yard?" "I was looking for a job," said the man, and he smiled at the interviewer.

"You're a detective, aren't you?" "That's right," said the man, and he looked at the interviewer with a steady gaze.

"What is your name?" "Patrick O'Reilly," said the man, and he looked at the interviewer with a steady gaze.

Weighting over a stone of whose tentacles were extended in length, was recently steered across the English Channel.

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WEDDING.

McCULLY-McERVALE.

A very pretty wedding took place in the Lexton Presbyterian Church on Wednesday afternoon, at 4 p.m. The contracting parties were Miss Effie McErvale, second daughter of Mr and Mrs James McErvale, of Chute, and Mr John McCully, son of the late Hugh McCully and Mrs McCully, of Evansford. The friends of the bride had the church nicely decorated for the occasion, and from the centre of a floral arch was suspended a large wedding bell, immediately above the bride and bridegroom at the altar. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. Neville. The bride was accompanied to the altar by her father, Mr James McErvale, whilst the large congregation present sang the marriage hymn, "How Welcome was the Call." The bride looked charming in a gown of cream satin charmesse, trimmed with heavy silk applique and lace. She wore a beautiful wreath of orange blossoms, and carried a handsome shower bouquet. She was attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Tottie McErvale, sister of the bride, and Miss Margaret McCully, sister of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were gowned in dresses of cream serge, with large picture hats on suits. The bride-

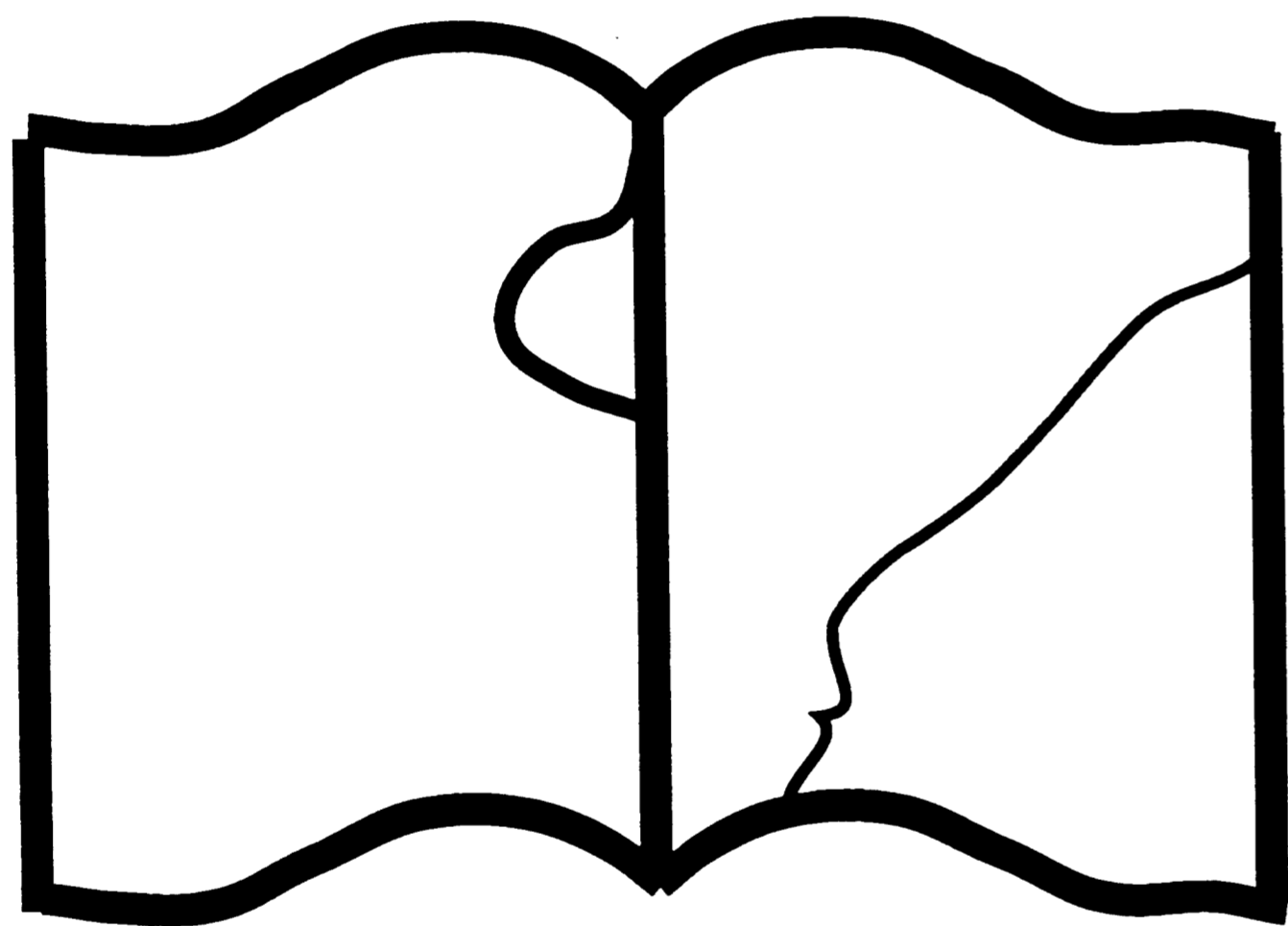
groom wore a dark suit, and the bridesmaids were dressed in light-colored gowns. The ceremony was a simple and beautiful one, and the wedding party was a most attractive one. The bride and groom were accompanied to the altar by their parents and other relatives. The church was filled with guests, and the atmosphere was one of joy and celebration. The wedding was a most successful one, and the bride and groom were united in the bonds of matrimony.

OVER THE BACK FENCE.

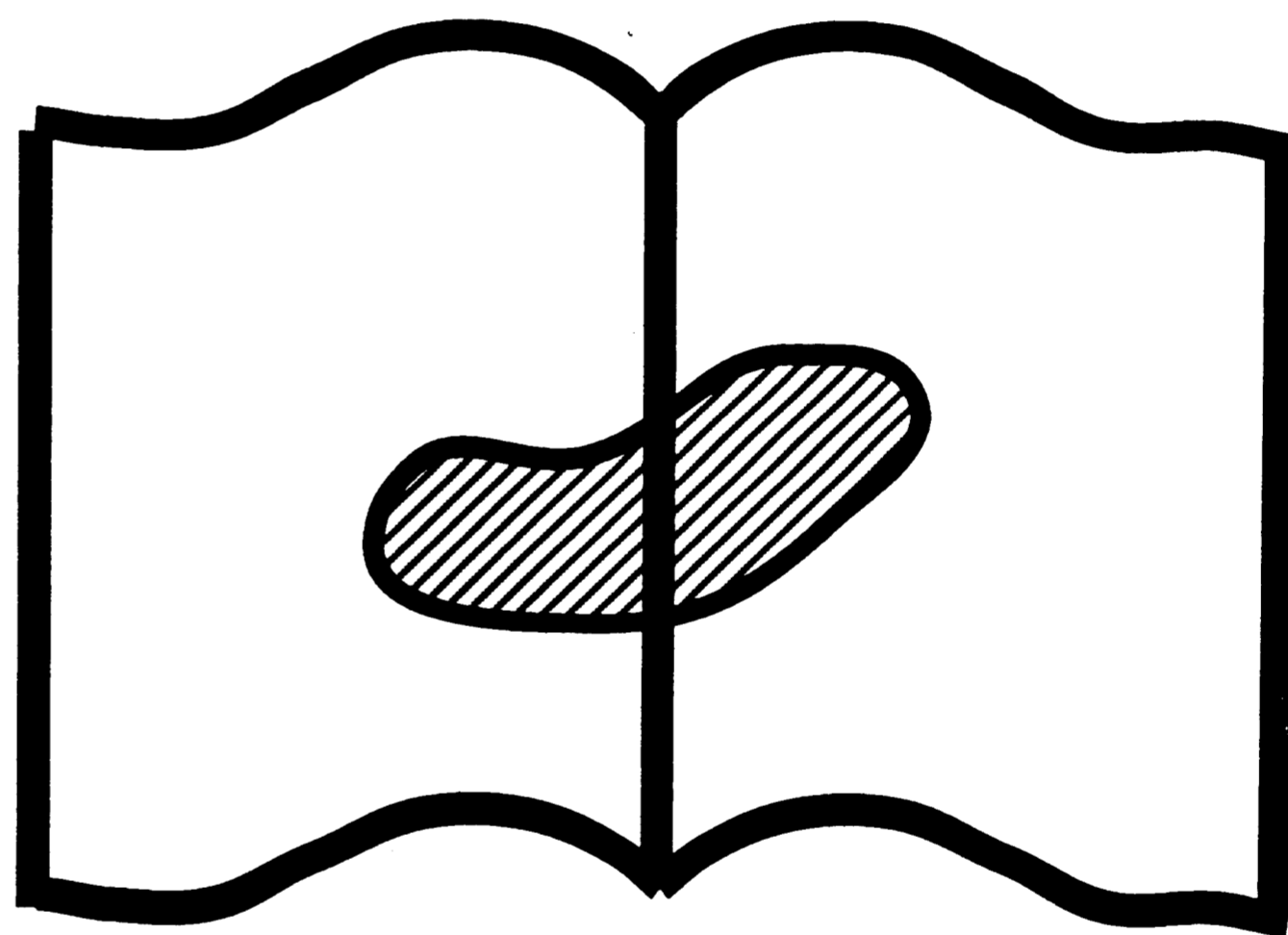
DAD COMMENTS UPON TOPICAL SUBJECTS.

A week or two ago the Beaufort Model Band paid a visit to Raglan. The printer's devil, who is a member of the band, posted me an account of the trip. His dainty note is appended:—  
"Dere Dad.—As you know their is two bands in this villige. Won is the Town Band and the other is the Modil band. Each on 'em calculates that it plays better than the hother, but like the advance ajint said when he stuk up the cirkus bill, that re-manes to be seen. I belong to the Modil Band kore I wasn't weaned when the Town Band was formed, and it was full hup long B4 I could skrape up henut gass to play a bass trombone. The Modil Band went to Raglan the hother Sunday, witch wood have been braking the Sabbath, only we went to play hat a church. The presydent went in a moter-kar, and the secretary in a benanark kart drawn by a won-poney power hinjun wet his palls calls 'the mouse.' Owing to a male getting inter the tire of the presy-dent's moter-kar and that gink-cussin' fit to make any foreman of a printing-house blash."

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.



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In cases where the nervous system is shattered through exhaustive business studies, fever, wasting illness, or brain-fag, this medicine regenerates nerve power. It is rich in health-creating properties that create bodily strength. It is health in a new guise. In cases of Sick Headache, Insomnia, Neuralgia, Brain-fag, Weak Nerves, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Bloating, and Constipation it is always reliable. All Chemists and Stores sell it.

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BEAUFORT ATHLETIC CLUB.  
A GENERAL MEETING of the above club will be held at 8 o'clock, on Tuesday, 17th inst., at 8 o'clock. Business—Appointed hand contest judge, arrange programme of sports, and general. A full attendance of members and intending members is requested.  
A. PARKER, Secretary.

BEAUFORT MECHANICS' INSTITUTE & FREE LIBRARY.  
MEMBERS are invited, and will be received up to 5 p.m. on TUESDAY, 24th inst., for the undermentioned work—Fencing round Mechanic's Institute. Particulars may be obtained at the Institute. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
ALAN R. FORDYCE, Hon. Secy.

BUANGOR PUBLIC HALL.  
THE annual grand BALL and SUPPER, in aid of the funds of the BUANGOR R.C. CHURCH, will be held on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 1911. Tickets, 5/6; extra lady, 1/1. Good music. Moplight.  
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WEDDING.

McCULLY-McERVALE.

A very pretty wedding took place in the Lexton Presbyterian Church on Wednesday afternoon, at 4 p.m. The contracting parties were Miss Effie McErvale, second daughter of Mr and Mrs James McErvale, of Chute, and Mr John McCully, son of the late Hugh McCully and Mrs McCully, of Evansford. The friends of the bride had the church nicely decorated for the occasion, and from the centre of a floral arch was suspended a large wedding bell, immediately above the bride and bridegroom at the altar. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. Neville. The bride was accompanied to the altar by her father, Mr James McErvale, whilst the large congregation present sang the marriage hymn, "How Welcome was the Call." The bride looked charming in a gown of cream satin, charmed with heavy silk and lace. She wore a beautiful wreath of orange blossoms, and a handsome shower bouquet. She was attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Tottie McErvale, sister of bride, and Miss Margaret McCully, sister of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were gowned in dresses of cream serge, with large picture hats on suite. The bridegroom wore a very handsome gold brooch. The bridegroom was attended by Mr John McErvale as groomsmen. After the marriage ceremony, the "Wedding March" (Mendelssohn) was played by Miss K. Gray, who presided at the organ. The wedding tea and reception were held at the residence of Mr and Mrs James McErvale, of Chute. There were present about 70 guests. The Rev. C. Neville presided at the festive board, which was heavily laden with all manner of dainties. The usual toasts incidental to such an occasion were honored. Dancing was kept up with enthusiasm until the early morning hours. The bride and bridegroom after a short holiday will reside at Evansford. The bride received a very large number of handsome presents.

OVER THE BACK FENCE.

DAD COMMENTS UPON TOPICAL SUBJECTS.

A week or two ago the Beaufort Model Band paid a visit to Raglan. The printer's devil, who is a member of the band, posted me an account of the trip. His dainty note is appended:—"Dere Dad.—As you know their is two bands in this village. Won is the Town Band and the other is the Modil band. Each on 'em calculates that it plays better than the hother, but like the advance ajint said when he stuk up the cirkus bill, that remains to be seen. I belong to the Modil Band kore I wasn't weaned when the Town Band was formed, and it was full hup long B-I could skrape up henuf gas to play a bass trombone. The Modil Band went to Raglan the hother Sunday, witch wood have been braking the Sabbath, only we went to play hat a church. The presydent went in a moter-kar, and the secretary in a benana-kart drawn by a woa-wooney-power hinjun wot his pallo calls "the mouse." Owing to a nase getting inter the tire of the presydent's moter-kar and that gnat cussin' fit to make any foreman of a printine-hoffus blush. "The mouse" and the benana-kart beat the hup-to-date turn-out by a strette. The blokes wot was in the moter-kar got hout and walked wif there instrumnts hunder there harms. They looked for hori the world like a lot of tramps wot had burgered a musick-shop or a cirkus band wot had gone on strike for more beer-money. They jist harroved hat the church when the parsin was chirpin' the benedickshun. But seeing as the bloke wot repents at the eleventh hour gits to Heaven as soon as the bloke wot starts good off scratch, I suppose the ticket-kollecter at the wicket-gait tole the rekording angel to wink at the okurens. When we was coming hoam three kind-hearted hansenm tride to drag a derlickit kow hout hof a puddle hole, witch was very foolish of them, for they only rooned there Sunday close, and the old kow died jist the same. When the chaps saw they was all over mud they said, "This good Samaratin business is no good when it comes to cattle." So I suppose the next time they sees a kow in difficulties they will act the part of the cold, wicked Pharisee wot the Sunday skool teacher used to tell me about."

LACK OF ENERGY.

If you lack energy, don't wish your food, feel dull and constipated, all you need is a box of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will make you feel like a new man and give you a healthy appetite. They will do you more good than a 24 bottle of tonic. Sold by J. R. Wooterspoon & Co.

SNAKE VALLEY.

A special flower and egg service was held in the Holy Trinity Church on Sunday evening. The service, which was largely attended, was conducted by the Rev. Greenwood. The eggs and flowers will be forwarded to the Ballarat Hospital.

Shearing operations at the surrounding stations have been somewhat retarded, in consequence of the broken weather. Shearers are very scarce again this year, nearly all the stations being short-handed. "Courier."

In a report forwarded on Wednesday through the Chief Secretary's department, the chief commissioner of police (Mr O'Callaghan) defends the police force, claiming that the Government and the people of the State are well served by it, and denying that it has deteriorated from the standard of other years.

GAVE UP HER BUSINESS BECAUSE POOR HEALTH FORCED HER TO.

CLEMENTS TONIC CURED HER.

There are many young women in Melbourne and Victoria who go to business and have to give it up because they have lost health and strength. Here is an instance in point where Miss Ada Maylor, Albert Park, had to give up her duties and but for Clements Tonic would perhaps be in ill-health still. She writes her story as follows to weak, run-down, nervous women who seek health. This medicine gives it.

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"Mother and I think it only right that we should let you know the great benefits I received from the use of your Clements Tonic. I was ill for upwards of six months, was wasting away to a shadow, with my nerves all unstrung and dyspepsia very bad, in fact, my people thought I was in a decline. I struggled on to keep to my business, but to no avail. I then took your Tonic, and thanks to it I am bright and happy again, and in the best of health. You are at liberty to publish this for the welfare of others."

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In cases where the nervous system is shattered through excessive business studies, fever, wasting illness, or brain-fag, this medicine regenerates nerve power. It is rich in health-creating properties that create bodily strength. It is health in a new guise. In cases of Sick Headache, Insomnia, Neuralgia, Brain-fag, Weak Nerves, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, and Constipation it is always reliable. All Chemists and Stores sell it.

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We are now busy opening up New Season's Goods of our own importing, ex S.S. Indrabarah and S.S. Essex, direct from the Manufacturers into our Store.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21st, At 8 o'clock.

MISS MULCAHY AND

Mrs. F. ANSTEE, M.H.R.

Will deliver ADDRESSES on the Political Situation.

Ladies specially invited. Everybody welcome. Don't miss these talented speakers.

LAND SALE, BEAUFORT.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1911, At 3 p.m.

DIXON BROS. & HALPIN have been favored with instructions from Mr. C. DUNN, Chute, to sell at their office, on above date, all his Chute property, comprising 411 acres. The improvements thereon consist of an 8-roomed House, Dairy, large Kitchen, beautiful Orchard, 8-stall Stable and Chaff-house, Men's Hut, Washhouse and Press, and large underground Tank. The property is well subdivided—mostly wire-netting fences—and almost the whole of it is laid down with English grasses each paddock being well watered. A more desirable farm, suitable for dairying, cultivation, or grazing, has not yet been offered in this district. The rich black flats which this property contains have yielded as high as 16 tons of potatoes in the season. Mr. Dunn has had on several occasions 3 and 4 tons of hay to the acre. As Mr. Dunn is retiring, the property is for sale on easy terms. On applying to the Auctioneers, arrangements will be made for inspection. Terms at Sale. W. H. HALPIN, Auctioneer.

W. O. JONES, STOCK AND SHARE BROKER, BEAUFORT.

All communications receive prompt attention.

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Loans arranged from Four per cent. Liberal Terms and Special Conditions when required. FARM and PASTORAL PROPERTIES FOR SALE.

BEAUFORT ATHLETIC CLUB. GENERAL MEETING of the above club will be held on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 1911, at 8 o'clock, at 27, Market Street, Beaufort. A full attendance of members and intending members is requested. A. PARKER, Secretary.

BEAUFORT MECHANICS' INSTITUTE & FREE LIBRARY. MEMBERS are invited, and will be received up to 8 p.m. on TUESDAY, 24th inst., for the undermentioned work:—Fencing round Mechanics' Institute. Particulars may be obtained at the Institute. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. ALAN R. FORDYCE, Sec. Secy.

BUNANGOR PUBLIC HALL. THE annual grand BALL and SUPPER, in aid of the funds of the BUNANGOR P.C. CHURCH, will be held on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 1911, at 8 o'clock, at the Public Hall, Bunangor. Tickets 1s. G. BRENNAN, (Joint) P. J. RUSSELL, (Secy.)

answered the practical joker, "you ought to ask for a big figure. He won't know what it's worth." In the afternoon the gun-dealer was seen at the club's ground wearing an expectant look on his countenance and keeping his eyes skinned. The afternoon wore on and there was no sign of Father Blank. Losing patience, our friend accosted the secretary, "Owen," he said, "have you seen a priest about here this afternoon?" "Yes," answered the ex-champion, promptly moving away to conceal a grin; "he was here a little while ago."

Half-an-hour later he touched his victim on the shoulder and asked him if he had yet seen the man of the cloth. The sparrow-shooter gave a negative reply. "Why, gave a negative reply," said the enterprising secretary, grinning, "He is standing alongside of you."

Mr. J. R. Wooterspoon, J.P., presided over the Beaufort Police Court on Tuesday. Troy Bros. proceeded against E. Gillingham for the recovery of a debt. Upon the application of the summons solicitor (Mr E. Kelly), the summons was extended to 24th inst. Mr D. F. Troy, J.P., was in attendance, but did not adjudicate.

"LINED COMPOUND" of 4 years' proven efficacy for Omaha Cattle, accompanied by Constable Rohan, accompanied by Constable Dawtry, arrested a young man named Arthur Greig at Beaufort on Wednesday night. Greig, whom was alleged to have stolen a pair of trousers from Mr. D. D. Sinker, J.P., at the police station on Thursday, and remanded to appear at the Magistrate's Court of Petty Sessions.

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LOWEST PRICES.

TAKEN SICK IN SYDNEY. When in Sydney... I had a very bad attack of indigestion with sickness, lasting for several hours.

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A THOROUGH FARMER. What makes a thorough farmer? Certainly it is not the number of acres he farms, for usually the more acres, the less thorough the operations on the farm.

USING THE CREAM SEPARATOR. Variations in the richness of separator cream may be caused by changes in the temperature of the milk, change of speed of separator bowl, variation of the amount of milk run through the separator in a given time, or the amount of milk or water used in separating.

CELLULOSE SUBSTITUTE FROM MILK. There is being built up a considerable industry in the manufacture of celluloid, or milk stone, which is cheaper than celluloid, and has the important advantage of being non-toxic.

ARE MILLIONAIRES HAPPY? Mr. Andrew Carnegie, speaking at a dinner of military telegraphists, inadvertently touched the subject of millionaires.

GOOD HORSES WANTED. Every observant man who is interested in live stock and has had an opportunity to travel about through the country, knows that good horses are exceedingly scarce, and consequently prices are high.

THE BEST YOU CAN TAKE. I had colds and influenza, and the pain was very bad. I had been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for some time, and it had done me a great deal of good.

HOW TO TELL A GOOD HORSE.

Points to be Looked For. Canadian farmers are advised in a recent Government bulletin to look for in a good horse.

WANT OF CARE IN BREEDING. In spite of precept and example groups of farmers over many parts of the country still persist in breeding from positively bad mongrel sires and weedy pure-bred ones.

THE BRITISH NEWSPAPERS EXPRESS REGRET at the news of the painful sudden death of Mr. E. R. Radcliffe, the Commonwealth Minister for External Affairs.

HIS DUTY TO SPEAK OF CLEMENTS TONIC

BECAUSE IT MADE A NEW MAN OF HIM. Many thousands of people suffer from stomach and liver troubles yearly, because they do not use Clements Tonic.

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BEAUFORT RAINFALL.

Table with columns for months (Jan to Dec) and rainfall amounts (in inches).

We are indebted to Mr. J. M. McKeich for following interesting information as to the rainfall at Beaufort since 1859.

POSTAL RATES.

NEW SCHEDULE DETAILED. The new postage rates, which came into force on 1st May...

A Safe Remedy for all Skin and Blood Diseases.

Clark's Blood Mixture. It is the only real specific for Gout and Rheumatic Pain...

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This idea that everybody knows you and you don't need to advertise is a mistake.

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For the whole year.—Tits, wild turkey, emu, white cranes, fantails, moorhens, laughing jackasses, birds, kangaroos, larks (all species), lyre birds, magpie larks, native hares, owls, platypus, robins, curlews, and swallows, wild pigeons and doves of all kinds, black swans.

ADVANTAGEOUS BUYING.

You have heard of the man who buys his ice in winter time and his coal in the summer time—such a purchaser invariably saves money.

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Advertisements being received after the appointed time, we beg to notify that unless ALTERATIONS TO STANDING ADVERTISEMENTS reach us by WEDNESDAY Morning, such alterations will not be made till the following issue.

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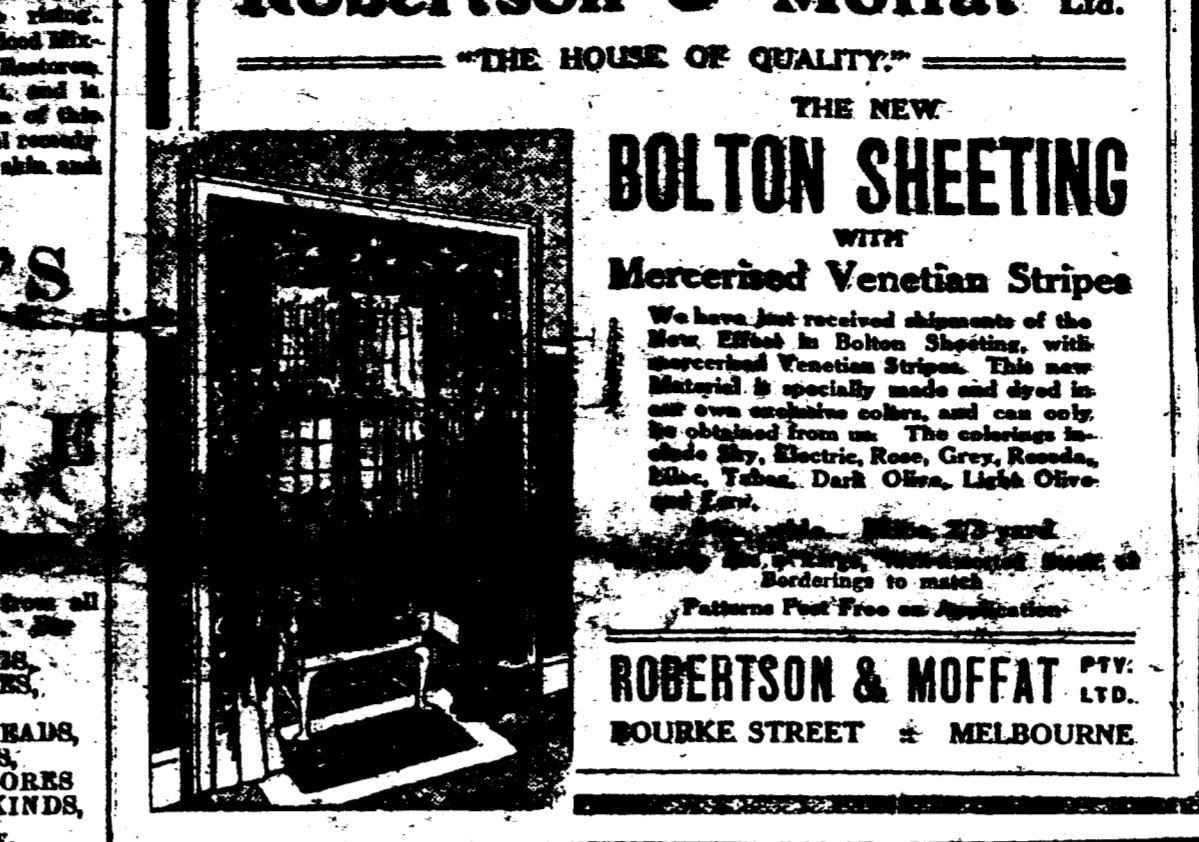
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RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

The following is the local railway timetable: A mixed train leaves Ballarat at 11.25 a.m., Traralgon at 12.10 p.m., reaching Beaufort at 12.30.

THE MAN WHO DOESN'T ADVERTISE.

Breathes there a man with soul so dead? For aught he knows how better he might have served his flock...

POSTAL INTELLIGENCE.

LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS. MAIL TIME TABLE. RAILWAY.

FROOTOIDS.

Cure Headache, Indigestion, Constipation and Biliousness. They are elegant in appearance and pleasant to take.

THE BEST.

Apertin medicine to take when any Congestion or Blood Poison is present or when Congestion of the Brain or Plethora is present or threatening.

TO OUR READERS AND PATRONS.

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CURES COUGHS AND INFLUENZA. The law of exchange was never satisfactory in its working; thus it was that the custom of buying and selling, using a standard currency, was introduced.



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THE AUSTRALIAN ESTATES AND MORTGAGE CO. LTD. WOOL WAREHOUSES. 573 to 579 COLLINS STREET, MELBOURNE. WOOL AND GRAIN AUCTION SALES OF WOOL, HIDES, SKINS, TALLOW AND GRAIN WEEKLY. LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES ON THE ENSUING CLIP OF WOOL. For Sale in Melbourne or Shipment to London. The Company act Strictly as Selling Brokers. ADVANCES ON GRAIN.

PUBLIC NOTICE. W. H. HALPIN. Desires to inform the Public that he is prepared to Sell Hay, Oats, Chaff, Bran, Pollard, &c., At Lowest Current Rates. Highest Cash Prices for all kinds of Produce. W. H. H. respectfully solicits a fair share of public patronage. Fencing and Barb Wire always on hand; also Galvanised Iron and other Hardware. Full supply of Cornsacks, New and Secondhand, including Full Size New, on hand. Oats at Lowest Rates. Hay Forks, Water Bags, and Corn Sacks, at Lowest Prices. A TRIAL SOLICITED.

CAMP HOTEL, BEAUFORT. The above Hotelier having changed hands, the present Proprietress wishes 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/- Minimum a Specialty, at any hour, 1/4. Refreshing Groom always in attendance. P. H. Free - Horses and Vehicles on hire. The Proprietress trusts that with every attention, combined with civility, she will receive a fair share of patronage. A TRIAL SOLICITED. M. HALPIN, Proprietress. MINING NEWS. The following are the local mining ventures for the week, ending Friday, October 20: - Hesperus Party, 60oz; Deen Deep, 10oz; Hesperus Party, 60oz; Hesperus Party, 60oz. RICHARDS & CO., 21 Sturt Street, BALLARAT.

Telephone 12. J. W. HARRIS, CHEMIST & DENTIST. POPULAR REMEDIES: Cough and Influenza Mixture, Anemia Mixture, Cholera Drops, Blood Red Blood Mixture, Rheumatic Powders, Indigestion Mixture, Tricase Ointment for Eczema and Skin Diseases, Little Liver Pills, Teething and Coughing Powders, Original Blisters Essence, Horse Condition Powders, Neuralgia Mixture, Victorian Hair Restorer, Infants Soothing Syrup. J. W. HARRIS, CHEMIST & DENTIST, HAVELOCK STREET, BEAUFORT. For Accuracy, Confidence, Satisfaction.

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Mr. SAMUEL YOUNG, Barrister and Solicitor, Proctor and Conveyancer, BEAUFORT. Commissioner for Affidavits, Supreme and High Courts. VISITS SKIPTON FRIDAYS. Locum tenens - Mr. E. C. W. Kelly, L.L.M. F. C. B. MINCHIN, A.C.P.A., PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, COMPANIES' AUDITOR (Licensed), GOVERNMENT MUNICIPAL AUDITOR, 43a, Chancery Lane, MELBOURNE.

United Ancient Order of Druids. THE ORDINARY MEETING will be held in the LODGE, BEAUFORT, on THURSDAY EVENING, Oct. 19th, at 8.00 o'clock sharp. By order of the Arch-Druid, L. A. JENSEN, D.P. Secy.

Religious Services. SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22ND, 1911. CHURCH OF ENGLAND - Beaufort, 8 (H.C.) and 7; Skipton, 3 - Rev. F. Stillwell, Beaufort, 11; Waterloo, 3 and 7 - Student, Main Road, 3 - Mr. T. Martin. METHODIST - Chute, 11 - Rev. G. Neville. Baptist - Beaufort, 7 - Mr. J. Barningham; Beaufort, 11 - Mr. J. H. Gassard; Raglan, 3 and 7 - Mr. J. Stringer. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - Beaufort, 11 and 7; Trawella, 3 - Rev. G. Neville. Middle Cross, 11; Raglan, 3; Chute, 7 - Rev. E. J. Throm.

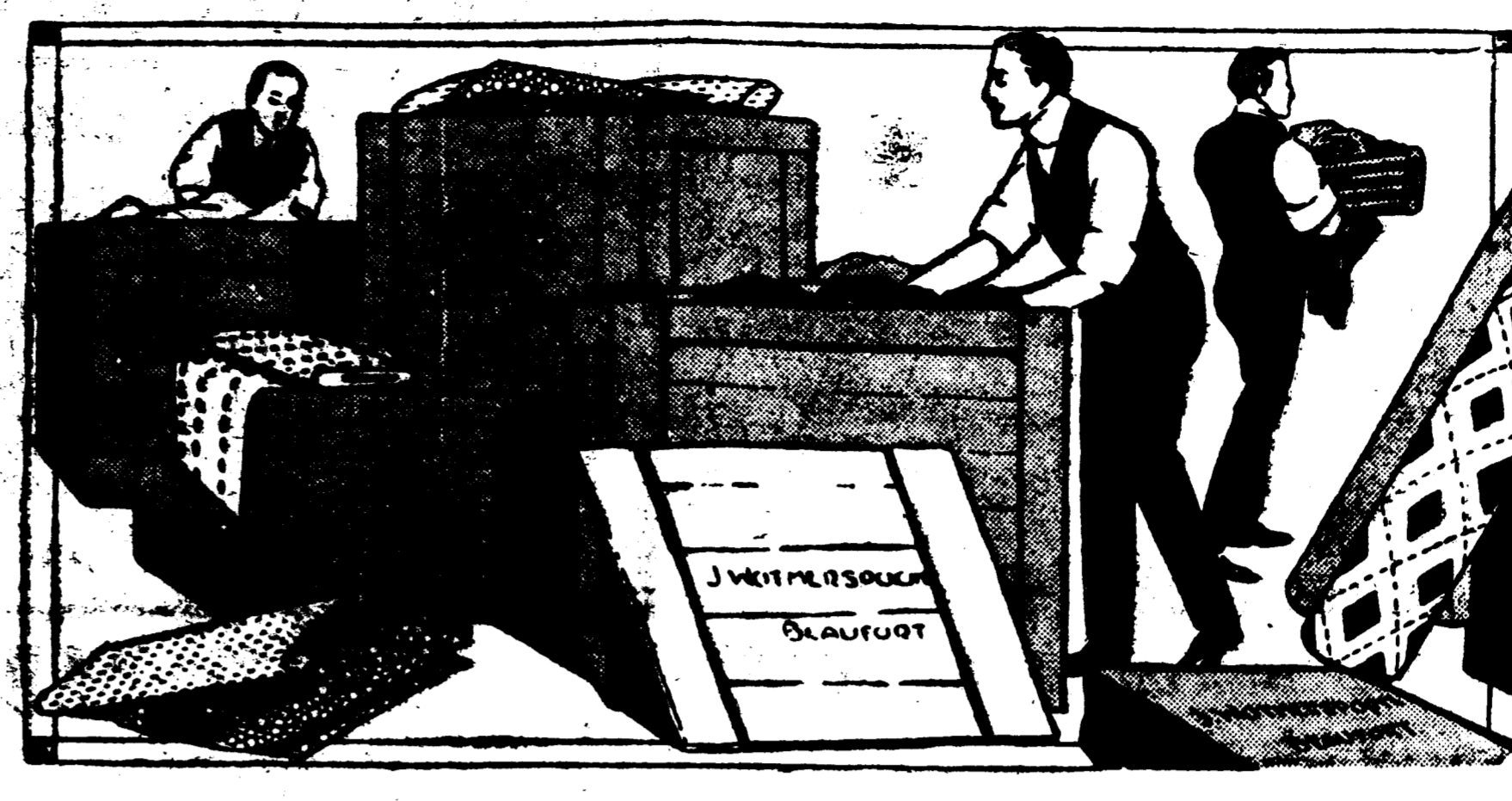
IN MEMORIAM. BROADBENT - In loving memory of my father, Charles Broadbent, who died October 19th, 1908. No loved ones stood around him, To bid a fond farewell, No words of comfort could we give. To him we loved so well. Not forgotten. - Inserted by his loving daughter, Alice Baker.

The Riponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1911. Mr Frank Moore, who was stationed as operating partner at Beaufort for some 15 months, and who has been transferred elsewhere, has been succeeded by Mr F. A. Whitaker, of Melbourne. The 'Riponshire' is published by the Riponshire Printing Co., of Melbourne. It is printed on the new Solid Art Wood Frame. Mail us your order! Satisfaction Guaranteed. RICHARDS & CO., 21 Sturt Street, BALLARAT.

MR. R. G. CHIRNSIDE HONOURED. PRESENTATION TO MR. D. R. HANNAH. Mr. R. G. Chirnside, the popular and enthusiastic President of the Stockyard Hill District Crowing Club, was entertained by the members at a complimentary dinner in the hands of the Club on Wednesday evening, October 18th, at the Clunes Hotel. The dinner was held in the Club's private dining room, which was elegantly furnished and the menu was most delicious. The guests were welcomed by the Hon. Secy, Mr. D. R. Hannah, who presided over the evening. The dinner was a most enjoyable one and the guests left with the warmest wishes from the Club. The Club has been very successful in its various achievements and the dinner was a fitting occasion to honor its President. Mr. Chirnside has been a most successful leader of the Club and has done much to improve the standard of the members. He has been a most successful leader of the Club and has done much to improve the standard of the members. He has been a most successful leader of the Club and has done much to improve the standard of the members.



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VICTORIA RACING CLUB. FLEMINGTON. CUP WEEK. CUP WEEK.

OBSEY DAY, SATURDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER. OAKS DAY, THURSDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER. CUP DAY, TUESDAY, 7TH NOVEMBER. STEEPLECHASE DAY, SATURDAY, 11TH NOVEMBER. RECORD ENTRIES. ACCOMMODATION FOR THOUSANDS. STABLES WILL BE OPENED. HOLIDAY EXCURSION FARES. H. BYRON MOORE, Secy.

BEAUFORT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. TENDERS will be received by the Secretary till 8 p.m., 29th Oct., for BAND MUSIC on 29th Nov., Show day and night. W. H. HALPIN, Secretary.

LAND SALE, BEAUFORT. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1911. At 3 p.m. DIXON BROS. & HALPIN have been favored with instructions from Mr. C. DUNN, Chate, to sell at their office, on above date, all his Chate property, comprising 411 acres.

W. O. JONES, STOCK AND SHARE BROKER, BEAUFORT. All commissions receive prompt attention.

THRO. W. SCHLICHT, Auctioneer, Stock and Station and Financial Agent, BEAUFORT & SKIPTON. Agent for GEORGE HAGUE & Co. Melbourne and Geelong. OFFICER & SMITH, 466 COLLINS STREET, MELBOURNE. ACCOUNTANTS, FINANCE AND ESTATE AGENTS. LOWEST PRICES. Loans arranged from Four per cent. Liberal Terms and Special Conditions when required. FARMS and PASTORAL PROPERTIES for SALE.

The toast of "The Agricultural Pastoral Industries" was proposed in a humorous vein by Dr. Barrett, and responded to by Mr. M. Notman (President) of the Skipton Progress Association, who dealt with railway matters, remarking that the movement to have the line extended from Linton had not met with a great deal of success. However, they were living in hope of seeing the iron horse in Skipton in the near future.

Other toasts honored were "The Chairman," humorously proposed by Mr. Chirnside and responded to by Mr. H. Elder; and "The Press," proposed by Mr. D. R. Hannah and responded to by Mr. H. Adams ("Granville Standard") and "Lisnore Advertiser" and A. M. Parker ("Riponsire Advocate").

BEAUFORT ATHLETIC CLUB.

A general meeting of the Beaufort Athletic Club was held at the Mechanics' Institute on Monday evening. Present—Messrs D. Stevenson (President), Sinclair, E. W. Hughes, O'Sullivan, W. R. Hellyer, W. J. Stevenson, W. R. and J. Glover, J. George, E. H. and R. Welsh, Lloyd, A. Halden, Worth, Cougle, Seager, J. R. Wotherspoon, Jno. Day, Parker (Secy.), Jones, Bravo, L. Jaensch, Sappin, and Halpin.

Correspondence.

From Secretary Victorian Band Association, forwarding names of registered judges and C grade bands, and stating that the patronage of the Association would be granted at next meeting (since done).—Received.

Handicapper.

From W. H. Troup, V.A.L. handicapper, Ballarat, thanking club for his appointment as handicapper of footraces.—Received.

LACK OF ENERGY.

If you lack energy, don't relax your feet, don't dull and constrict all you need is down Chamberlain's Tablets. They will make you feel like a new man and give you a healthy appetite. They will do you more good than a 50 bottle of tonics. Sold by J. R. Wotherspoon & Co.

GOLF.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY REV. C. NEVILLE. The golf season came to a close in the Beaufort Club on Wednesday afternoon. It had been arranged to play a return match with Ararat on that day, but the latter club were unable to send a team. It was therefore decided to play off the men's championship match, and a handicap match was also arranged for the ladies.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ST. ANDREW'S TENNIS CLUB.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ST. ANDREW'S TENNIS CLUB will be held in the MECHANICS' INSTITUTE on MONDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 23, 8.30 p.m. Business Session of Officers for coming year. Opening Day, Wednesday, 25th inst., 12.30 p.m. Members and intending members, kindly attend. I. W. HETHERINGTON, Secy. pro tem.







GENERAL HINTS
Wash clothes in plenty of soap...

BEAUFORT RAINFALL.
Table with columns for Year, Month, and Rainfall (inches).

Postal Rates.
The new postage rates, which came into force on 1st May...

CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE
It is the only real specific for Gout and Rheumatism...

FRISSE & ROSSMANN'S SEWING MACHINES
Illustration of a woman sewing and text describing the machines.

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Too Well Known to Need an Ad.
This idea that you have lived so long in town that everybody knows you...

THE CLOSE SEASON.
For the whole year—Tits, wild turkey, emu, white cranes, fantails...

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You have heard of the man who buys his ice in winter time and his coal in the summer time...

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BALL TICKETS & PROGRAMMES, ADDRESS & BUSINESS CARDS...

Postal Intelligence.
LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS.
MAIL TIME TABLE.

Man Who Does Not Advertise.
Breathes there a man with soul so dead that to himself he says no word...

14-Column Supplement.
Presented to Regular Subscribers.

ADVERTISING.
Business men should note that as the Local Paper is extensively read in the district...

Notice to Advertisers.
Owing to the inconvenience caused by advertisements being received after the advertised time...

Notice to Advertisers.
All casual advertisements (unless the advertiser has an account in our books) must be paid in advance.

Another Remarkable Cure of Bad Legs and Abscesses.
Mr James Waring, of Clay Cotton Lodge, near Evesham, Warwickshire...

Medicine.
A dose taken once a week, at bed-time, is highly beneficial.

Family.
Their beneficial effects are evident by the disappearance of headache...

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BEAUFORT POLICE COURT.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25TH, 1911.

(Before Mr. S. J. Gokhale, P.M.)

A vaccination case against Alwyn Williams was withdrawn, as his child had been successfully vaccinated.

INDECENT LANGUAGE.

Inspector Borsum (authorized by the Railway Department) proceeded against Robert Aldis using indecent language of a railway carriage between Beaufort and Ballarat on 21st August.

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LECTURE BY Mr. J. S. McFadden, on "Agriculture," delivered in the GAILEY HALL, BEAUFORT, on MONDAY evening, 30th OCTOBER, 1911, at 8 p.m.

GRAND SACRED CONCERT by St. Andrew's Church, Beaufort, on Wednesday, 1st November, 1911.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE. FARMERS' HOTEL & TOWNSHIP ALLOTMENTS, BEAUFORT.

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THE PLAGUE.

WHAT WE MAY DO TO AVERT IT.

In the House of Commons, some time ago, Mr. John Burns assured the members that everything possible was being done to minimise the danger of a plague epidemic in England.

For years the common brown ship rat has been held accountable for every fresh outbreak of plague, on which the rat, escaping by ship, carried the disease to the place of origin.

BREAD WITHOUT FLOUR.

FRENCH MACHINE TRANSFORMS THE WHEAT DIRECTLY INTO DOUGH.

In France bread has been made without flour in a machine that transforms the wheat directly into dough. This machine shows a large screw turning loosely in a case on the inner surface of which is a screw thread running in the opposite direction.

THE SOLDIER ANT.

Although the lion is the king of beasts, yet all his great strength and ferocity would avail him nothing when faced by a soldier ant.

PAPER TOWELS.

There is now on the market in England a paper towel, and for its many advantages are claimed. The paper towel is made of a tough soft, absorbent crepe tissue paper, made up in long strips which are rolled.

THE SOUTH SEA SWELLS.

We all remember with what frequency in the old narratives of experiences in the South Seas reference is made to the heavy swells of the ocean, which impressed the navigator with the idea of his remoteness from land.

THE PROPOSAL.

"Dear Clara," wrote the young man; "pardon me, but I'm getting so forgetful. I proposed to you last night, but really forget whether you said 'Yes' or 'No.'"

LOVELINESS.

Lady in the Bonnet: "If I'd a face like yours I'd go an' beg myself."

NO ONE KNOWS HOW MUCH GOOD HE MAY DO BY HIS OWN QUIET AND UNBOTHERED GOOD EXAMPLE.

—Turner.

LOST VOICES.

What causes politicians, public speakers, singers and others, to lose their voices? The secret will be found in some investigations by Dr. Marage, who has succeeded in demonstrating, by numerous ingenious experiments, that the voice results from an intermittent vibration of the larynx.

In the first of these living experiments, performed on a living person, Marage succeeded in nullifying the action of the mouth cavity by filling the mouth with "stout," a substance which is used by dentists for obtaining impressions of the mouth.

WORLD-WIDE NOTES.

CHEMICAL WATCHMAN.

To a bank cashier with a taste for chemistry is due the credit of a simple yet highly efficient cash protector and cracksmen tamer. Several years ago a cashier hit upon the idea that if he could place a bottle of some strong chemical between the outer and inner doors of the vault.

PATRIOT OF RAIN HWARD BY WIRELESS.

The officers of the French steamship "Niagara" declare that the wireless telegraph operator of the ship is able by wireless, to hear rain falling upon the sea at a great distance. The sound is like the pattering of rain on a zinc-covered deck.

INDUSTRIAL USE OF VOLCANIC ASH.

For some time past a company in Japan has been engaged in exploiting the use of volcanic ash in combination with Portland cement mortar.

ENTERING A STABLE.

How many men know how to enter a horse's stable properly? The following hints may be useful to some men who have newly entered into possession of an equine companion.

THE HUMAN FACE.

The human face—have you e'er mused and sighed Upon its power, this little round from brow to chin?

The human face—these lips that tell and feel All that the world can hold from fire to pole;

ROMANCE OF MEDICINE.

HOW GREAT MEN'S AILMENTS HAVE CHANGED HISTORY.

The fashion of wearing wigs, for instance, was due to a skin disease, which produced bald patches on the august head of Francis I of France.

THE WILY CUCKOO.

As is well known, the cuckoo makes no nest of its own, but utilises one built by some other bird, leaving the task of incubation to the future foster-parents.

THE ORIENTAL RUBY.

Ask nine people out of ten which is the most valuable precious stone, and they will say the diamond. The nine would be quite wrong. The Oriental ruby far transcends the diamond in value, weight for weight.

DOCTORING AN ELEPHANT.

"I was called upon when in London to treat an elephant for eye trouble," said a Japanese veterinary surgeon.

WHEN CORNERED.

You ought to remember— That a hard half-arm jab with your walking stick in a hooligan's 'wink' is often more telling than a punch with your fist on his jaw.

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KATE HOWARTH'S DEVOTION.

By the Author of "The Heroine of the Mill," Etc.

PART XV. CHAPTER XVI. THE DESTRUCTION OF THE CONSERVATORY DOOR. Polson had not been long closeted with Lord Northenden before her ladyship was sent for; but all that she could be certain of was that the business of her lordship's visit was of the utmost importance.

I must not hurt your feelings. Of course you are low-horn yourself, and more so besides you than that nefarious creature I can tell you. Be inquisitive, be careful, and you may know?—I may make you my fery own maid."

This inter-runder of the inter-der down had crashed through the out of the wall. We had a hard struggle with him, and the doctor says—

CHAPTER XVII. THE FIGHT AT THE BARRED WINDOW. A terrible storm was raging over London. The blackness of midnight was intensified by the dense masses of ink-coloured clouds that were careering over the great city.

FIGHTING BULLS OF SPAIN. RAISED IN ANDALUSIA AND BROUGHT UP FOR THE RING. The famous fighting bulls of Spain are one of the most interesting features of the Andalusian plains.

POPULAR POLITICAL PHRASES. THEIR REAL ORIGIN. A great many politicians are better remembered for expressions and catchwords they have coined or borrowed, and put into currency, than for any public work they have done.

"BRONCHO BUSTING." A really wild broncho is about the very wildest, toughest thing on the American Continent, says William Harvey, in "Broncho Busting."

No. 1770

USEFUL

To Wash Clothes with. Get down the pants and the collar of the shirt, and wash in cold water, then in hot water, and let it dry.