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HUTUJIN FASHIONS. COUGLE'S. You are Invited to Inspect NEW SEASON'S GOODS. Which are being Displayed in all Departments. NEW MILLINERY, DRESS GOODS, COSTUMES, BLOUSES, GOLFERS & COATS. All the Latest Novelties for HUTUJIN & WINTER. G. H. COUGLE, THE STORE FOR GOOD VALUES, BEAUFORT.

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BRIDAL PORTRAITS OF RARE BEAUTY. ENLARGED PHOTOGRAPHS. An enlarged photograph of your Soldier Son or Brother would make an excellent memento.

STEVENSON BROS. BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS. BEAUFORT. A. H. SANDS, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer and Picture Framer. H. REHFISCH & CO., 223 MAIR STREET, P.O. Box 29, BALLARAT.

MARRIAGE. STEVENS-GILL. On 29th June, 1920, at Methodist Parsonage, Beaufort, Rev. E. H. McCallum, Minister of the Gospel, officiating.

IN MEMORIAM. KEWLEY. In loving memory of Thomas Kewley who passed away at his late residence, 'The Pines,' Waterloo, on July 1st, 1919.

The Riponshire Advocate. Published every Saturday Morning.

LOCAL INDUSTRIES. We have been told that around Beaufort there are no suitable grounds for carrying on the pottery industry.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS. Police Court. No cases were listed for hearing at the Beaufort police court on Monday.

THE CARTING MISTAKE. For many years a great mistake has been made by the business people of Beaufort, and as yet there are no signs of its being rectified.

Ripon War Memorial. Mr. J. G. Macdonald (president of the Ripon War Memorial committee) occupied the chair at a well-attended meeting of the executive, held at the Shire Hall, Beaufort, on Monday night.

THE TRAWALLA HOMESTEAD. Now that Trawalla Estate has been compulsorily acquired for soldier settlement, local people are attempting to solve the problem of what is to be done with the large two-storied brick homestead on the station.

Rabbit Skins. We have unlimited demand for the above, and are prepared to give prices equal to best Melbourne quotations.

Personal. During last week-end, Mr. S. Hancock, senior, of Beaufort, who has been ill for some time, was in a critical condition.

A Dangerous Railing. The Riponshire council recently put in a small culvert in front of Mr. W. R. Glover's shop in Havelock street.

A Big Team. The paragraph published in our last issue, stating that 36 horses were used in shifting the two-storied house at the corner of Neill and Lawrence streets

Billiards. The semi-final game in the Beaufort Mechanics Institute a division billiard tournament was played on Monday night between J. McDonald (23) and J. Nicholson (39).

Prevents Them Breaking. If you have chilblains, bathe your feet in water as hot as you can bear it, and then apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely.

Football. The Beaufort footballers were to have visited Burrumbeet on Saturday, but owing to the death of the president of the Burrumbeet Club (Mr. Jas. Flanagan), the match was postponed.

Never Neglect a Cold. Do not neglect a child's cold. The cold prevents the system from fighting and development of germs and other diseases.

Beaufort A.N.A. Nine members of the Beaufort branch A.N.A. were present at the fortnightly meeting on Tuesday night.

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INDISPUTABLE EVIDENCE. While not an ailment itself, instability is indisputable evidence of some disorder of the body...

CORRESPONDENCE.

W. E. THOMAS writes regarding dental work. He mentions the cost of artificial teeth and the benefits of experienced dentists.

W. E. THOMAS, Benefit by Experienced Dentist's Visit. Arrange Fee for Artificial Teeth, &c.

W. E. THOMAS, Full plates you made for me can set on well with condition with which I was afflicted.

RECENT TESTIMONIALS. (Many Others). Also Regards Painless Extractions.

Full plates you made for me can set on well with condition with which I was afflicted.

Plates made England; couldn't wear them. By W. E. Thomas, the new system can set as well as with natural teeth.

Full upper lower plates constructed your new system. Masticate paid for thickness elsewhere. Do use.

Full plates you made for me can set on well with condition with which I was afflicted.

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE. Address: W. E. THOMAS, Box G.P.O., Adelaide.

KAT'S "LINSBEE COMPOUND." Several local items are crowded out of this issue. The Challon Estate, which comprises about 19,000 acres of agricultural and grazing land...

SHIRE OF RIPON. A SPECIAL MEETING of the Council will be held in the Shire Hall, Beaufort, on MONDAY, 19th JULY, 1920, at 3 o'clock p.m.

BEAUFORT MOTOR GARAGE. COATES BROS. wish to notify the public that they have purchased the above Garage, and by moderate charges, civility, and strict attention to the business...

DESIGNS INVITED. Approximate cost \$200. To be erected on mound in Memorial Park. Figure subject preferred. Executive Committee will give \$250 for design selected and retained.

HOT PIES and CORNISH PASTIES. Baker and Caterer, Neill Street, Refreshment Rooms. Private room for parties if required. Light Refreshments, Hot Battered Toast, Toasted Crumpets, Pie and Tea or Coffee.

W. H. HALPIN, AUCTIONEER. HOUSE, LAND, STOCK, GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT & VALUATOR.

W. H. HALPIN & SON have been favoured with instructions from the Administratrix in the ESTATE late WALTER INGRAM to Sell, on above date, as follows:-

LAND FOR LEASE. All those pieces of Land, being Allotments 58N, 58B, and 58C, containing about 60 acres, local in the Parish of Beaufort, County of Ripon.

W. H. HALPIN, Auctioneer. For and on behalf of the Shire of Ripon, N. R. A. SINGLAIR, President.

SHIRE OF RIPON. VOTERS' AND SEPARATE VOTERS' LISTS. NOTICE is hereby given that the several Riders of the Shire of Ripon for the year 1920-21 will be open for inspection...

THE Council of the Municipality of the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Ripon hereby give notice of its intention to apply for an order under the provisions of the Electric Light and Power Act, 1915.

BEAUFORT THISTLE CLUB. THE postponed GENERAL MEETING of members of the above Club will be held at the Mechanics' Institute, Beaufort, on WEDNESDAY, 7th July, at 8 p.m.

THEO. W. SCHLICHT, AUCTIONEER. STOCK AND STATION AGENT. - BEAUFORT -

BEAUFORT STOCK SALE. THURSDAY, 8th JULY, 1920, At 2 p.m.

1500 CROSSBRED, COMEBACK & MERINO SHEEP. KELLY & McDONALD will offer by auction as above.

FOR THE COLD WEATHER. Hot Water Bags (North British Rubber Co., Edinburgh).

SEASONABLE SPECIALITIES. Thermos, Wunder-Wool, Nasal Fume, Nasal Balm, White Pine and Tar Cough Syrup...

Mr. R. BERNARD LURATI, RECORDED BY DENTAL BOARD, VIC. (Late Australian Imperial Force), VISITS BEAUFORT EVERY THURSDAY.

It has been said - Blessed is the woman who has lost her head, For she don't have to buy new Hats. Blessed is the man with long whiskers, For he don't have to buy Neckties.

Our Drapery Department carries a very large and well-assorted stock. The prices are lower than those ruling in the large cities, and the qualities are unsurpassed.

Our Groceries. We depend upon Quality to insure your good opinion of our Grocery Stock.

J. R. WOTHERSPOON & Co., BEAUFORT AND BUANGOR. Drapers, Outfitters, Boots and Shoes, Grocers, Ironmongers, Crockery Ware, Wines and Spirits, Produce Merchants.

THE STORE THAT SERVES YOU WELL. District Agents for Massey-Harris Co. Ltd., Cuming, Smith & Co. Pty. Ltd., the Northern Assurance Co. Ltd., the Ballarat Trustees Co. Ltd. Agents for the celebrated Ford Car.

Hawkes Bros., BEAUFORT. SEASONABLE GOODS. We desire to bring under your notice a few lines we have that are specially suitable for this season of the year. E.P. WARE, CARVERS, \* CLOCKS, etc., \* GLASSWARE & CROCKERY, BRUSHWARE (LADIES' & GENT'S), TOBACCO POUCHES, LETTER WALLETS, SCENTS & SOAPS, WATCHES ENAMEL BROOCHES, and PHOTO. FRAMES. Orders taken for Gold or Silver Watches and all classes of Jewellery. AGENTS FOR COOPER'S SHEEP DIPS, 'JONES' SEWING MACHINE, ROYAL INSURANCE CO., HUPMOBILE CARS, BARNET GLASS TYRES.

W. R. GLOVER. Late F. G. Prince, BUTCHER, HAVLOCK ST., BEAUFORT. ONLY PRIME MEAT KEPT. SMALL GOODS A SPECIALTY. My Motto - "Cleanliness, Quality, Civility." Customers Waited upon Daily for Orders. VICTORIAN PRODUCERS' CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED. Nominal Capital, £250,000; Subscribed Capital, £140,000; Paid-up Capital, £100,000; Reserve Fund, £50,000. Head Office: 589-605 Collins St., Melbourne. Branches and Agencies throughout the State. The Largest, the Strongest, the most Progressive Co-operative Company in the Southern Hemisphere. GOVERNMENT WHEAT AGENTS. WOOL-SELLING BROKERS, SHEEP & RABBIT SKIN AGENTS. LIVE STOCK, WOOL, GRAIN, HIDES, SKINS, FURS, GAME, POTATOES, AND ALL FARM PRODUCE SOLD ON CONSIGNMENT. EXPERT LAND SALESMEN. Highest Prices Obtained. Proceeds rendered promptly. Suppliers of all Farmers' Requisites. Agents for Farmers' and Settlers' Co-operative Insurance Co. of Australia Ltd. Last year Rebates paid Shareholders equalled 10% on the paid-up capital of the Company. Interview Local Agent or write Head Office for full particulars of benefits and how to become a Shareholder. GEO. FRINGLE, Local Agent.



# The Riponshire Advocate.

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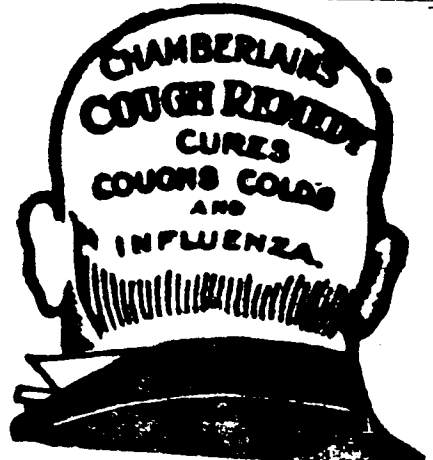
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PRICE, 3d

WHAT IS AN ACRE?—5 yds. by 200 yds. contain 1 acre. 10 yds. by 484 yds. contain 1 acre. 20 yds. by 242 yds. contain 1 acre. 40 yds. by 121 yds. contain 1 acre. 80 yds. by 60 1/2 yds. contain 1 acre. 160 yds. by 30 1/4 yds. contain 1 acre.

STAKE MEASUREMENT.—To find the contents of an oblong stack with perpendicular ends, multiply the length by the average width (between bottom and top) and the product by the height from the ground to the eaves. For the top multiply the area at the eaves by half the height to the ridge. The weight may be ascertained very accurately by measuring the cubic contents of a truss, and from this calculating the height of a cubic foot.



## Remarkable Recovery

From a Sick Bed of Mrs. MCGINLEY, Ultimo, N.S.W., through the use of Clements Tonic

This letter is vouched for by her husband, Mr. Wm. McGinley, who writes for his wife as follows: The original letter can be seen in proof

CLEMENTS TONIC LTD. "I write you relative to my wife, who has been taking Clements Tonic for some time. Her complaint is Chronic Nephritis, a most terrible malady. She was declared incurable and anointed for death by the parish priest. She was eight months in bed unable to move out of it. At the eleventh hour I tried Clements Tonic, and the first few bottles gave her relief, the only medicine that did."

At the meeting of the Hampden State electoral council held at Norrat on the 19th ult., it was decided to nominate a candidate in the interest of Labor for the Hampden division at the forthcoming State elections.

### Carpet Refineries

A ROOM WITH SHABBY RUGS

Is like a person in shabby shoes. No matter how fine the other furnishings or the other clothing may be, we always look down.

Now that people are beautifying their homes with new furniture, it would be a pity if they spoiled the effect by having old Rugs on the floor.

We have a fine show of Rugs, Mats, Carpets, Linos and Floor Coverings, the prices of which are very reasonable.

In Curtains our range of Cretonnes, Casement Cloths, Madras Mullins, etc., most complete, and every price represents a welcome saving.

Will you let us help you to select the new Rugs and Window Curtains? Call to-day.

Tunbridge's  
Complete Furnishing Arcade  
Sturt and Armstrong Streets  
BALLARAT

### CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

On Friday evening, 25th ult., the local branch of the A.N.A. entertained its returned soldier members at a dinner in the Mechanics' Institute. A fine speech was provided by the ladies, who also decorated the hall most tastefully, and waited on the tables. The following returned soldiers were present:—Messrs R. McEvrae, C. McDonald, W. Sutherland, H. Morcombe, W. Gardner and G. Hayward. Apologies were received from six others who were unable to be present.

### WEDNESDAY, 14th JULY, RAILWAY HOTEL, BEAUFORT.

## THOMAS DENTIST

Visiting Personally

Good Staff. Reliable Assistants.

Branches: BALLARAT, PORT PHILLIP, etc.

Studied Under Doctor of Dental Surgery of America, also Dr. and Dentist from Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland.

PAINLESS EXTRACTIONS 1/- (FORFEIT FIVE POUNDS IF ANY FAIL)

THE WORLD'S BEST!

An opportunity of consulting one who has built up some of the best practices in Australia. 20 years' experience in one of the largest Wholesale Dental Importing Companies.

### The Morse Resilient Tooth.

SOMETHING QUITE NEW.

Delightfully natural LIVE TOOTH FEELING. Proven experience during mastication most gratifying. Mounted on a new base known as collusium in strength.

During the last three weeks Mr. W. E. Thomas has been using an improved new discovery. No pain during and after teeth extraction (is). Quick healing. Live nerves removed without pain. No use of gold or artificial teeth. Strongest and most natural in the world. Will return money in full if not given utmost satisfaction after 10 days' use. These with unsuitable teeth, unable to enjoy good meals, should see Mr. Thomas. Methods perfect. Approved so by thousands of users throughout Australia. Hundreds posted direct without return. Made teeth for good people who have been informed that nothing could be done for them.

Mr. Harrison, P.M., conducted an electoral revision court for the Wickliffe division of Hampden at the Court House, Willaura, on Thursday, 1st inst. Eleven names objected to by the electoral inspector (Surgt. G. Lovitt, of Beaufort) were struck off the list of electors, and 31 new names added. After a number of alterations had been made to the roll, it was certified as correct by the P.M.

### BRIDAL PORTRAITS OF RARE BEAUTY.

WE produce the most perfect Bridal Portraits obtainable. This is a big thing to say, but when Brides from all parts of Australia come to us to be photographed, who are we to conclude that we are wrong? Our fame does not travel the length and breadth of the Commonwealth without sufficient reason—and that reason is the quality of our work. The latest styles in Bridal Veils, Wreaths, Bouquets, Buttonholes, always ready for the Sitters. Four large dressing rooms.

Every sitter is photographed in two positions, and a proof submitted from each. Studio open every Saturday afternoon.

ENLARGED PHOTOGRAPHS.

An enlarged photograph of your Soldier Son or Brother would make an excellent memento. Permanent enlarged portraits, any of the following sizes:—

Size of Photo.	Size of Mount.	Frame.	Price.
10 x 8	15 x 12	8 inch	£1/0/-
12 x 10	18 x 14	10 inch	£1/10/-
15 x 12	20 x 16	12 inch	£2
20 x 17	28 x 22	18 inch	£3/10/-

Mail us a photo. You will be satisfied. Our name guarantees that.

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Estimates submitted for all work in building line.

### A. H. SANDS, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer and Picture Framer.

A well-assorted stock of Softwood Furniture, Picture Framing, Paints, Oils, and Window Glass kept on hand.

### BEAUFORT RAINFALL.

Date	Rainfall
Jan. 181	112.255
Feb. 180	90.33
Mar. 274	407.158
Apr. 229	229.401
May 195	451.151
June 414	350.361
July 108	108.156
Aug. 277	403.289
Sep. 180	237.410
Oct. 281	131.974
Nov. 252	351.50
Dec. 10	81

For influenza colds, take Woods' Great Peppermint Cure.

To-night or to-morrow, maybe, you will lose something that you prize highly. Nearly everybody loses something at one time or other, but in Beaufort few things are lost that can not be recovered through a small ad. in the "Riponshire Advocate." It's easy to mail an ad. to the "Advocate," or just call at the office and tell us your trouble.

### The Health That Lasts

What can bring you greater satisfaction than the knowledge that your health rests upon a firm foundation? With this in view, it is well to bear in mind that care bestowed upon maintaining the vigor of the digestive organs always brings an ample reward, for the reason that their condition so largely influences the general health.

### Take Beecham's Pills.

Sold everywhere in boxes, labeled 10s., 1s. 1d. and 2s. 4d.

### Notice to Advertisers.

OWING to the inconvenience caused by 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.

### FUNERAL REFORM

Established 1860.

### A. H. SANDS (Ex-Workman)

UNDERTAKER

Opposite the State School, NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT.

Hearse and other requisites supplied in town or country.

Funerals of all classes furnished at the lowest possible charges.

Post, Telegraph, and Telephone Messages promptly attended to.

### CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE

THE WORLD'S BEST BLOOD PURIFIER. CURES ALL SKIN and BLOOD DISEASES.

OF ALL CHEMISTS AND STOREKEEPERS. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

### School Children

are very liable to catch cold. They have to go in all weathers—often having to sit in face with the risk from infection—especially when epidemics of Whooping Cough, Measles, Diphtheria, Influenza, etc., are about. Mothers of School Boys and Girls however can always FREE of ANIMBITY if they have a bottle of

## Hearne's Bronchitis Cure

in the house, as one dose of this Medicine at the first indication of a "cold" will at once "nip in the bud" what might otherwise prove to be a serious illness. Cork the bottle up—the rest will keep.

### For Coughs, Croup, Colds on the Chest

THE REMEDY with the REPUTATION.

From all CHEMISTS and STORES.

### W. G. HEARNE & CO. LTD., GEELEONG, VICTORIA.

Sydney, N.S.W., Wellington, N.Z.

2/6 Double Size 4/6

### "For the Blood is the Life."

## YOUR BLOOD WANTS PURIFYING.

IF YOU are troubled with Eczema, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Boils, Sores or Eruptions of any kind continually bursting through the Skin.

IF YOU are suffering from aches and Pains of Bad Legs, Abscesses, Ulcers, Scrofulous and Ulcerated Sores, Glandular Swellings or Blood Poison.

IF YOU have that constant itching and inflammation of Piles.

IF YOU are in the grip of Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, Gout, etc.

### Clarke's Blood Mixture

THE TRUE VALUE OF CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE is certified by a most remarkable collection of unsolicited testimonials from grateful patients of all classes—patients who have been cured after doctors and hospitals have given them up as incurable—patients who have been cured after trying many other treatments without success—patients who not only have been cured of the particular Skin or Blood Complaint from which they were suffering, but also have found great improvement in their general health. (See pamphlet round bottle.)

Clarke's Blood Mixture is pleasant to take and warranted free from anything injurious to the most delicate constitution of either sex, from infancy to old age.

OF ALL CHEMISTS AND STOREKEEPERS. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

## Rootoids

For Constipation, Biliousness, Bad Breath, Headache, Indigestion.

### Delightful Family Medicine



"Fouling Your Own Nest"

IS THE AUSTRALIAN GUILTY?

When Australia's soldiers were in Europe they carried the admiration of the world for their own country and the favour with which they were regarded...

There are those amongst us who are pictures of Australia that are far from pleasant. They portray the typical Australian as a dissolute, an inveterate pleasure-seeker, a shaker in duty, a cowardly and kind, and a weakling who has to be continuously guarded from the slightest temptations in default of personal degradation.

The drunkenness which we all deplore is largely the product of social and industrial conditions. When people are bred in slums, when they are compelled to labour hard for uncommensurate wages, when they are foully treated and when to an exceptional degree they are subjected to ill-health, repair, and sorrow, they seek relief in excessive drinking...

When a man is in possession of the means to do so, he will naturally turn to the pleasures of the bottle. It is not surprising that the consumption of beer per head in this country is so high...

Table showing Annual consumption of beer per head in various countries: Belgium (48.58 gals), United Kingdom (26.80 gals), United States (16.78 gals), Australia (12.33 gals).

These figures prove to any unbiased mind that reference to Australia as a hard-drinking people is the greatest of calumnies. Another revealing label on the more mischievous brands is inscribed on a deceptive half-truth, in which these astounding figures are published under the garish heading 'The Drink Issue'...

The prohibitionist talks as if the money spent on drink were thrown away as completely as if it were sunk in the Port Phillip Bay. Yet his own thousands of the expenditure supports districts, including land cultivation, to the benefit of the millions it pays...

It is a man who will see in the prohibitionist a wrong-headed, churlish, and a wrong-headed man. He is a man who will see in the prohibitionist a wrong-headed, churlish, and a wrong-headed man...

WATTS' "LINSSEP COMPOUND," for Coughs and Colds. Beware of cheap imitations. Beware of cheap imitations. Beware of cheap imitations.

FOOTBALL.

Although the Beaufort footballers have been beaten in all engagements to date by Burrumbet and Learmonth...

The local barrowers gave more rein to their feelings than usual. The air was full of excitement. In the last term Waubra and a Beaufort man, and on several occasions other players talked fight to one another...

Waubra good form was shown by T. Burke, Hunt, Jackson, Simpkin, Flynn, and a few others. King, Muntz, and Yates and Cleary, Goalkeepers—Beaufort—Muntz, (2), W. Haggis, Doug. Rogers, W. Skene, Waubra—Stan. Page. The visitors were entertained at the Commercial and Golden Age hotels.

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SHIRE OF RIPON. A PUBLIC MEETING of the residents of Beaufort and District will be held in the SHIRE HALL, BEAUFORT, on THURSDAY, 15th JULY, at 8 o'clock sharp.

W. H. HALPIN, AUCTIONEER. HOUSE, LAND, STOCK, GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT & VALUATOR. LAND AND CLEARING SALE, ALSO BUILDINGS (FOR REMOVAL). BEAUFORT, THURSDAY, 15th JULY, 1920, at 1.30 p.m.

W. H. HALPIN & SON have been favored with instructions from the Administratrix in the ESTATE late of WALTER INGRAM, to Sell, on account date, as follows: LAND FOR SALE—All that piece of Land, containing about 20 acres, being Allotment 10A, Parish of Eurambeen, County of Ripon, situated on Ararat road, about 3 miles from Beaufort. Title perfect.

THE STATE SAVINGS BANK OF VICTORIA. BEAUFORT. ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

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WATER AND ACRES. 5 yds. by 968...

BEAUFORT MECHANICS' INSTITUTE. Nine members of the Beaufort Mechanics' Institute committee...

BEAUFORT POLICE COURT. A few minutes sufficed to dispose of the cases which came up for hearing before Mr W. W. Harris, P.M., at the Beaufort Police Court on Monday, 5th inst.

REMEDY FOR HEADACHES, BACKACHE, NEURALGIA, Etc. Headaches, Backaches, and Neuralgia, and a hundred and one other ailments...

BEAUFORT RAINFALL. 1910-1920. 1910.-January, 141 points; February, 35; March, 518; April, 75; May, 261; June, 320; July, 321...

There is Nothing Better than HEARNE'S Bronchitis Cure. For COUGHS, COLDS on the CHEST, CROUP and WEAK LUNGS. This Medicine can be given with PERFECT SAFETY and the UTMOST CONFIDENCE to the YOUNGEST CHILD...

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WEDNESDAY, 28th JULY. RAILWAY HOTEL, BEAUFORT. Benefit by Experienced Dentist's Visit. W. E. THOMAS. Sell in stock, strongest, nicest looking teeth before the one leaving...

BEAUFORT FOOTBALL CLUB. A general meeting of members of the Beaufort Football Club, which was called to take steps to place the club on a sound footing financially...

RECENT TESTIMONIALS. Also Regards Painless Extractions. Twenty sets teeth my home, by South Australian, Victorian and English. Besides playing bridge, I could not eat. Several months ago Mr. Thomas made an upper and lower; can masticate anything.

Full plates you made for me can get on with. Couldn't get with others, which cost me guineas. (Signed) J. H. ERVIN, 1/11/1919. Woork, Vic.

Two supplied me sets of teeth; discarded them. Ones you fitted satisfactory from start. (Signed) A. SMITH, 2/10/1919. Miram.

Three sets of teeth, but could not eat. Cost several pounds. Plates from W. E. Thomas chew any food. (Signed) J. E. FARMER, 7/11/1919. Narricoorte.

YOUR BLOOD WANTS PURIFYING. IF YOU are troubled with Eczema, Blisters, Spots, Pimples, Boils, Sores or Eruptions of any kind continually bursting through the Skin. IF YOU are in the grip of Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, Gout, etc.

Urbains reformes arpets. A ROOM WITH SHABBY RUGS. It is like a person in shabby shoes. No matter how fine the other furnishings or the other clothing may be, we always look down on that person. Now that people are beautifying their homes with new furniture, it would be a pity if they spoiled the effect by having old Rugs on the floor.

Full sets your system. Can chew anything from start; others cost me ten guineas. (Signed) C. G. HOFFMAN, 18/11/1919. Victus South, Horsham.

Plates made England; couldn't wear them. By W. E. Thomas New System, can eat as well as with natural teeth. (Signed) S. J. H., November 13, 1919. Kaniwa.

Full upper lower plates constructed by my new system. Masticate well from commencement. Others paid ten guineas elsewhere; no use. (Signed) R. RYLE, 19/9/19. Dimboola.

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BRIDAL PORTRAITS OF RARE BEAUTY. ENLARGED PHOTOGRAPHS. RICHARDS & CO., WORLD-FAMED PHOTOGRAPHERS, STURT STREET, BALLARAT.

Four plates, could not wear them. Broke and hurt. Yours, more than satisfied from the start. (Signed) A. G. HAYDEN, 11/25/1919. Border Town.

I and members my family teeth from you. Your system different. We were able at our own. No trouble as in other cases. G. H. EVANS, Netherby, Nhill, 28/11/19. COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE. Address: W. E. THOMAS, W. Box G.P.O., Adelaide. Box G.P.O., Melbourne.

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THISTLE CLUB.

of the Beaufort Thistle Club... general meeting at the Thistle Club on Wednesday evening...

PREVENTS THEM BREAKING.

If you have chilblains, bathe your feet in water as hot as you can bear it, and then apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely...

Temperance: Not Prohibition

THOUGHTS FOR THINKERS

All rational teachers agree that there is only one way to insure the moral character and adequate intelligence of the people—to enable them to protect themselves from the results of intemperance...

Temperance has to do with your control of yourself; Prohibition has to do with someone else's control of you. Temperance is self-imposed and self-enforced. Prohibition is imposed by others against your will...

Because it cannot be reconciled with reason, Prohibition is wrong in principle. If it is right in principle, anything the use of which will prevent the abuse of which it will then money, free speech, smoking—indeed, everything—must be prohibited, even life itself...

FUNDS TRUST.

Issued by the Federal Trustee of the sum of £200,000 of the State have now administered out of the repatriation fund...

OVERLIES.

Extractions, and even dentals, have decided which an anaesthetic, nitrous oxide, or other...

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

At the Beaufort Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, 4th inst., Rev. A. H. Ross conducted a memorial service...

Scarlet Fever.

During the week one case of scarlet fever at Skipton has been reported to the Riponshire health authorities, Beaufort.

Destructive Dogs.

Mr Geo. Topper, of Beaufort, who had 25 of his sheep killed by a wandering dog five or six weeks ago, has again...

Obituary.

We regret to record the death of Mrs Johanna Boyd, wife of Mr C. Boyd, of Sheep Hills, and the eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Geo. Bell, Beaufort...

Bank Manager's Promotion.

Mr J. G. Macdonald, manager of the Beaufort branch of the London Bank for 2 1/2 years, has been promoted, and will be transferred to Stawell...

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FURTHER ENTRIES INVITED. Full particulars, KELLY & McDONALD, Auctioneer, Beaufort.

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IN MEMORIAM. CROCKER—In sad and loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, Charlotte Crocker, who passed away at her residence on 26th July, 1919; also our dear little sister Doris, daughter of above, who died 28th October, 1935, aged 10 years.

The Weather. Following a few days of fine, frosty weather, rain fell at Beaufort on Wednesday and Thursday; 2.2 points being recorded.

Resident's Departure. Mr Donald Manson, who came to Beaufort about 8 years ago from Leith (Scotland) and opened a tailoring establishment in the town, is opening a similar business in the progressive town of Donald. Mr Manson will be leaving for that place in the near future.

Methodist Circuit. The quarterly meeting of the Beaufort Methodist circuit was held at Raglan on 30th ult. There were four members present.

Mr Macdonald's Departure. There was a representative attendance of 22 townsmen at a meeting of Mr J. G. Macdonald's friends, held at Beaufort on Monday night, to organise a fitting send-off to him on the eve of his departure to Stawell.

Church of England. There was a record attendance at the annual meeting of the parishioners of the Church of England, Beaufort, held at the Parish Hall on Tuesday night—a fact which must have been very pleasing to the vicar (Rev. W. C. Wood), who presided.

Obituary. The death occurred at Seddon (Melbourne) on Sunday of Miss Elsie S. Mitchell, second eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Stewart Mitchell, who formerly resided in Beaufort for many years.

The Halls' Cup. On Saturday the handsome silver cup presented by Mr F. Hall, of Ballarat, as a trophy for the Leamonth district football competition was on view in Mr Geo. McCaughey's shop window at Beaufort.

Beaufort Public Cemetery. The quarterly meeting of the Beaufort Cemetery Trust was held at the Shire Hall on Monday evening. Present—Messrs J. R. Wetherston (chairman), W. O'Sullivan, E. J. Muntz, and A. Parker (secretary).

Beaufort Stock Sale. Kelly & McDonald report having held their monthly stock sale at Beaufort on Thursday, when they yarded 2000 sheep. There was a good attendance of buyers, but in many cases prices did not reach the reserve of the owners.

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Personal. We regret to learn that Mrs Holdsworth, senr., of Beaufort, has been seriously ill during the week ending Saturday and Sunday; 2.2 points being recorded.

Infectious Diseases. During the week the Ripon Shire health authorities, Beaufort, have been notified of a case of diphtheria at Beaufort and another at Main Leach. One case of scarlet fever at Skipton and one at Streatham have also been reported to them.

S.M. Transferred. Mr W. Fitzpatrick, stationmaster at Beaufort for the past seven months, is being transferred to Heidelberg in about a week's time.

Footballers Reported. Mr Smeaton, who umpired last Saturday's football match at Beaufort between the locals and Burrumbett, reported two of the Beaufort players to be ineligible.

Presentation to Mrs Haggis. A young lady named Mrs Haggis, of the Presbyterian congregation, Beaufort, assembled in the church vestry on Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of showing their appreciation of the services rendered by her for many years by Mrs E. Haggis, who is leaving for the metropolis with her husband and family.

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RIPON WAR MEMORIAL.

Mr J. G. Macdonald (president) occupied the chair at a meeting of the Ripon War Memorial executive committee at the Shire Hall, Beaufort, on Monday night; nine members being in attendance. Reference was made to an anonymous letter, which recently appeared in the local press, in regard to non-publication of the price at which the contract for fencing the memorial park was let. It was decided not to take any notice of an unsigned letter officially, but it was pointed out that any subscriber could get any information desired by asking the secretary for the price, and that he had not thought of giving the price, and it had not occurred to Mr Parker to ask him for it. Correspondence was read from Mr Linaker, re tree-planting, &c., in the memorial park—it was resolved not to cut out some of the trees in the plantation, as recommended; and that committee inspect park next morning and decide whether levelling is to be completed. [The committee have since decided to complete levelling.] A number of letters were received re designs for monument. The price of putting the required names on the monument in lead was estimated at £70. Accounts amounting to £13 were passed for payment. Mr W. H. Halpin pointed out that the ratepayers' money had not been spent on some work done in the memorial park by the shire laborers. The secretary reported that promises of donations amounting to £197/6 had been received, but the money had not come in yet. There was another £25 which was in doubt. There were 22 promised amounts outstanding, and 12 had promised donations to a hospital, but not to the park, and had paid nothing. The donations received to date totalled £322/8/4, and with the promised amount outstanding added there

was a distinct compliment, but he was averse to that kind of thing. He held that a president should be on the spot and should take an active part. Mr J. R. Wotherspoon—You are quite right, Mr Muntz said he agreed with Mr Johnson, but there was a good deal in what Mr Macdonald had said about an absentee president. He thought they were premature in accepting Mr Macdonald's resignation. Mr Wotherspoon then withdrew his motion, and it was resolved to hold the resignation over. Mr Halpin said four of their best citizens were leaving, three of whom were going in the next fortnight. The gentlemen referred to—Mr F. Moroney (postmaster), Mr W. Fitzpatrick (stationmaster), Mr Macdonald, and Sergt. Lovitt—were all first-class citizens and their places would be hard to fill. This night fortnight a presentation to Mr Moroney would be made at the Shire Hall. The president said they would have to get on with the working-bees quick and lively. The secretary was instructed to return the unsuccessful designs for the monument, and inform the competitors of the result of the competition.

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Image of a book with a profile on the cover. Text: 'Damaged text/wrong binding'.

seconds later on the ball went down... The ball went down... The ball went down...

THE A. COLLEGE. The cold... The cold... The cold...

INDIGENCE.

Identify ourselves with correspondents. matter concerning... matter concerning...

enforcement of the Prohibition laws is now awaiting his trial on the capital charge, it being alleged that he brutally murdered a man by smashing in his skull with a club. The accused is an ex-convict. And so the sorry farce goes on. The Prohibitionists are up against the psychological fact that human nature cannot be dragged into regarding as criminal that which individual conscience does not believe is criminal. (Contributed).

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was up to the mark, and the secretary kept everything as it ought to be kept. Mr Young moved that Mr Sinclair, as president of the shire, be appointed president of the committee. Seconded by Mr J. R. Wotherspoon. In moving that Mr Macdonald's resignation be accepted with regret, Mr Wotherspoon said the president would be a great loss to the committee, and they were sorry he was going. They could not shut their eyes to the fact that he was far too valuable a man to stay in Beaufort. They were pleased to see that he was being promoted to Stawell. Mr Johnson considered they could very well retain Mr Macdonald as president, and elect a vice-president to act in his stead. After all the work Mr Macdonald had done, it would be nice for him to come down to the opening ceremony as president. Mr Macdonald remarked that it PREVENTS THEM BREAKING. If you have chilblains, bathe your feet in water as hot as you can bear it, and then apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely. Chamberlain's Pain Balm will work wonders. It allays the itches, reduces the inflammation, and prevents chilblains breaking. Sold by J. R. Wotherspoon & Co.

WILL SUBSCRIBERS to the Testimonial to Mr P. J. MORONEY kindly note that the Presentation will be made on the evening of MONDAY, August 2nd, at 8 p.m., in the Shire Hall, Beaufort. Subscription list closes on Saturday, July 31st. W. H. HALPIN, J. K. WOTHERSPOON. NOTICE. I receive payment of all Accounts owing to him on or before 31st inst. D. MANSION, Beaufort. Religious Services. SUNDAY, JULY 25TH, 1920. CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Beaufort, 11 and 7, Main Road, Waterloo 3.30.—Rev. W. C. Wood. Waterloo 7.—Mr. D. Jackson. METHODIST CHURCH.—Beaufort, 11 and 7, Raglan 3.—Rev. E. H. Colman. Haglan, 7.—Mr. V. J. Parson. Colute, 3. Waterloo, 7.—Mr. G. Boyd. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Beaufort, 11 and 7; Buangor, 3.—Rev. A. H. Ross.

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A SENSATIONAL STORY OF MYSTERY, LOVE AND CRIME,

By FERGUS HUME.

Author of "The Mystery of a Hansom Cab," "The Nameless City," "The Dwarf's Chamber," &c., &c.

PART 2.

"Admit God's light into your tabernacle. Let not your heart be led astray by the gifts of a light woman."

Though he felt sick in mind and body, Johnson could not let this remark pass without a protest.

"Miss Arnott is one of our most devoted sisters," said he stiffly; "she was once in the bonds of sin as a singing woman, but she gave up the allurements of the world to serve humbly in our Zion."

"The old leaven is still in her brother. Such gay adornments savour of the world. Let me say a word in season—"

"This is not the season for words," interrupted Johnson impatiently. "I have to speak with you on other and more important matters."

"Nothing is more important than a man's soul," rebuked Korah, shaking his shaggy head. "But I suppose you desire to talk of the maiden Bithiah."

also have guessed that Buli had other views for her future. He has. This girl shall marry neither you nor Finland. But all you say in no way explains her disappearance. "I think it does, Brand. I told her that she must never see this sailor again; and I believe that she has gone that she may free herself from the prohibition."

"Do you think that she has gone away with Finland?" "If she went with him, they are not together now. Early this morning I saw him in the High Street, but I was not able to speak to him. It struck me that Bithiah might have sought out Shackel."

"Shackel! Who is he?" "Jacob Shackel," explained the minister, "the captain of the boat we came home in. He is a godless rum-drinking creature, but Tera— I mean Bithiah—was drawn to him, and she promised to visit him in London."

"Where does he live, brother?" "Somewhere near the docks, I believe. He gave Bithiah his address. Oh, I am sure she has gone to him, so that he may take her back to Koliau on his next voyage."

"Is he in London now?" "Yes, Bithiah received a letter from him only last week. He will help her to go away, as he has no law help for her, brother Korah."

"A mocker!" said Brand, sadly. "Bithiah cannot go away. She has no money."

"She has the pearls; and they are worth three thousand pounds at least."

"How do you know that she took them?"

troys his brother's body; but you, John Finland, shall not evade my enquiry about the destruction of a human soul. Tera, as you call her, is gone—and you have taken her from the fold."

"Tera gone!" Finland paled through his bronzed complexion. "Where has she gone?" "I ask that," said Brand, sternly. "Last night she left the fold at six o'clock and has not returned. She went to you, bearing precious jewels."

"I never saw her, I swear. Last time I met her was the evening before yesterday, when Johnson took her away. This comes of her being amongst your psalm-singing lot. You have made away with Tera for the sake of her pearls."

Finland was desperately in earnest, for he clenched his fists, spoke hoarsely, and looked wicked. Brand was sufficiently a judge of human nature to see that the speech was made in all honesty. Whosoever knew where Tera had gone, Jack was not the man. He was as astonished at her disappearance as Brand himself. "I see you are ignorant of her whereabouts," he said, in a disappointed tone. "We must seek elsewhere for Bithiah."

"Oh, I'll seek for her, I'll find her," said Jack, between his teeth, "and if any harm has come to her I'll wring that parson's neck. I know him—he loves Tera, and I shouldn't be surprised if he has carried her off. But I'll find her—if she is above ground."

"Above ground?" echoed Brand. "You—you don't think the girl is dead?"

should put on my bonnet again, since my hair attracts your attention."

"No, don't, Rachel. I like to see a woman make herself look as pretty as she can."

"Vanity, and vexation of spirit," Herbert.

"Nonsense, I think our people are far too severe. Wouldn't you like to wear dresses of a pretty colour, and a gold brooch and a hat with flowers in it?"

"What is the use of thinking of such things?" said Rachel, rather pettishly, for she had the true feminine instinct for fashion and colour. "Father would never let me dress gaily; besides, think of the scandal there would be if I appeared in Beth-gamul as you describe."

"That native girl, Tera, was gaily enough dressed, Rachel; and no one said anything in rebuke to her."

"You mean Bithiah," corrected Rachel, primly. "Don't call her by the name her heathen father gave her; you forget, Bithiah was a king's daughter—not an English girl. Mr. Johnson said that her father wished her to be dressed like a parrot. After all, Bithiah was only a poor heathen."

"Tera was; but Bithiah believed and was baptised like a good Christian."

"It did not do her much good, then," said Rachel, with jealousy, "seeing that she ran away from her good minister. They will never find her again."

"No, Mr. Mayne, I am not. How dare you say such a thing to me! I am in love with no one at present."

"Not with anyone?" whispered Mayne, looking directly at her.

"I refuse to answer questions which you have not the right to ask."

By her reply, Rachel hinted very plainly that Herbert could easily become possessed of that right by the simple procedure of a proposal. She quite expected him to do so, seeing that she had thus met him half-way, but to her surprise and secret anger he appeared in no way anxious to avail himself of the opportunity.

Making no reply, he walked on gloomily beside her, silent and ill-pleased. This behaviour both piqued and frightened her. So, determined not to say the first word in reconciliation of their tiff, she, too, held her tongue. And so they walked on.

By this time they had arrived nearly at the cornfield where the harvesting was going on, under the personal supervision of Farmer Carwell. The sturdy old man was no convert to the use of steam, and his corn was reaped with sickle and scythe in the style of his forefathers. A long line of men, whose bodies rose and fell in rhythmic movement, swept the glittering blades through the thick standing grain. At their heels scrambled a crowd of women and boys, binding the swathes into sheaves. After them came the gleaners, picking up what was left. The sun flamed hotly in a cloudless sky of soft blue, and the yellow plain glowed like a furnace. Carwell, with his coat off, was directing operations, and only desisted from shouting and

you maiden was clever for sure."

"And who did that, William Lee?" "No one was sufficiently speculative or daring to answer this question. Eyes looked upon eyes, heads were shaken at head, but the labourers could guess neither by whom, nor for what reason, the girl had been killed. Mayne alone made an attempt to solve the mystery as he escorted Rachel to her home."

"I wonder what Mr. Johnson knows of this?" said he, suddenly.

Rachel looked at him in surprise. "I don't see what he can know of it. Herbert: the poor girl left his house while he was out."

"Quite so; but he followed her!" "How do you know?" "I was coming up from Grimleigh on the night Bithiah disappeared. As I climbed that path which goes to the field, I met our pastor coming from it. He looked wild-like, and tore past me like a storm wind. I did not know then what he was after; now I make sure he was in search of Bithiah."

"Not to kill her, Herbert," cried Rachel, shuddering; "not to kill her!"

"No; I don't say that, Rachel."

"He had no reason to kill her, you know. He loved her. A man does not kill the woman he loves. A minister, set high as an example to the congregation, does not break the sixth commandment."

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

"Yes," said the traveller, "I had an amusing journey up to town. There were two Scotsmen in the carriage."

"How do you know they were Scotsmen?" asked the cashier curiously. "By their accent, I suppose?"

"No; you see, they both happened to take their pipes out together. Well, they filled them, and then each calmly waited for the other to strike a match."

"Well, what happened?" "Oh, I brought out my pipe, so both of them waited for my match!"

HIS PET OYSTER. At a mess dinner the conversation turned on animal training.

"Ah," said Major Binks, "I remember when I was at Boggleywah I tamed an oyster. He used to follow me all over the house like a dog. He would sit on the table at my side with his shell open and crack my nuts—most affectionate little creature."

"Have you still got him, major?" asked a doubting auditor.

"No, sir; he came to an untimely end. A friend of mine came into the dining-room in my absence, and saw the oyster with its shell open, and swallowed him! I shall never have another pet," said the major with a sigh.

"No doubt your friend found it easier to swallow the oyster," said the colonel, "than we do the story."

Tramp: "Could you spare a pig?"

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DEATH. HOLDSWORTH.—Passed peacefully away on the 27th July, 1920, at his residence, 15, St. John's Street, Beaufort.

IN MEMORIAM. DICKMAN.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Ellen Dickman, who passed away on the 30th, 1917, at Main Road.

IRVINE.—In loving memory of our dear sister, Florence Irvine, who departed this life August 24th, 1919; also her dear baby, Ellen, who died July 24th, 1919.

THE HOUSING PROBLEM. Although acute enough in the country, the housing problem in Melbourne seems to almost defy solution.

Man's inhumanity to man makes countless horrid deeds. Doubtless the selfish landlord forgets that the little boy to whom he is denying a roof-tree to-day will be the young man of the future, who will be called upon to shoulder a similar responsibility.

COUNTRY TOWNSPEOPLE'S LEAGUE. The adjourned public meeting convened by Mr. R. A. D. Sinclair, president of Ripon Shire, to form a branch of the Country Townspeople's League in Beaufort, has been fixed for Monday evening, 9th August.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS. Golf. A golf match played between Beaufort and Melbourne on the latter on Saturday resulted in a decisive victory for Avoca.

DOG POISONED. During the past week or two some individual with a heart of flint has been sneaking around the back yards of Beaufort and laying poisoned baits for dogs.

Girl Wields Razor. During the past week several customers at the local hairdressing saloon had the honor of being partly shaved by a lady.

15th Inf. Brig. Comforts Depot. At a meeting of the members of the Beaufort, Waterloo, and district 15th Infantry Brigade Comforts Depot, it was decided to entertain the district returned soldiers and their friends.

THE AUSTRALIAN FLAG. The recent agitation by the Beaufort A.N.A. to have the Australian flag flown at the Shire Hall will probably be brought to a satisfactory conclusion by the Council of the Natives to fly their own flag from the hand returned pole.

Successful Dance. The ball held at the Societies' Hall, Beaufort, on Tuesday night by the members of Miss M. W. Nicholson's dancing class was the most successful and enjoyable function of the kind held in the town in winter.

Second Peace Loan. Victoria's quota to the second peace loan is £8,200,000, of which Ripon Shire is required to raise £36,000.

Police Court. Messrs R. A. D. Sinclair, L. T. G. Smith, and A. H. Sands, J.P., were in attendance at the Beaufort Police Court on Monday, when their duties consisted of attaching their signatures to a blank charge-sheet.

The Pictures. There was a large audience at the Societies' Hall, Beaufort, on Saturday night, when the Amuse Picture Co. gave their first fortnightly entertainment.

Beaufort Gun Club. A most enjoyable afternoon's sport was provided at the Beaufort Gun Club's ground on Saturday afternoon, when a trophy (a tea set) was competed for.

Man Found Dead. On Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock a man named Thomas Scott, 55 years of age, was found dead in his tent at Poverty Point, about two miles from Beaufort.

Ripon Shire Revision Court. The annual Ripon Shire Revision Court was held at the Shire Hall, Beaufort, on Monday.

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Correspondence. "THE GOLDEN EGGS." To the Editor, Riponshire Advocate. Sir,—In a recent letter to the local press the clergyman of a certain denomination made reference to the question of large estates for settlement.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT. The annual meeting of the Raglan branch of the Farmers' Union took place on the 17th inst.

AGASSI. Beaufort, 28/7/20. At the present time the Beaufort mothers are not having too rosy a time as a fair number of children in the town are suffering from measles.

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OBITUARY.

MRS JANE HOLDSWORTH.

An old and highly respected identity and pioneer resident of the district passed away at Beaufort on Tuesday night.

The funeral was held at Beaufort on Tuesday night, and was attended by a large number of friends.

The deceased was born in 1840, and was a member of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

She was survived by several children and grandchildren.

BALLARAT STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday.

Cattle—The yarding to-day totalled 155. The majority of these consisted of stores, the balance representing a few trucks of useful quality.

The market was firm throughout, and late rates were realised for all trade sorts. Stores sold well.

Quotations—Prime 1/10, 1/11, 1/12, 1/13, 1/14, 1/15, 1/16, 1/17, 1/18, 1/19, 1/20, 1/21, 1/22, 1/23, 1/24, 1/25, 1/26, 1/27, 1/28, 1/29, 1/30, 1/31, 1/32, 1/33, 1/34, 1/35, 1/36, 1/37, 1/38, 1/39, 1/40.

INDISPUTABLE EVIDENCE.

While not an ailment itself, irritability is indubitable evidence of some disorder of the body, generally of the nervous system.

These "catches" are therefore of value, and recompense the angler for what would often be dull sport.

The Kaiser: "What is this I hear about my seaman protesting against 'boat duty'?"

A SURE INDICATION. A sore throat indicates there is some weakness in the bronchial tubes. If this is neglected it may develop into some chronic complaint.

Religious Services. SUNDAY, AUGUST 1st, 1920. CHURCH OF ENGLAND—Beaufort, 11 and 7; Middle Creek, 11 and 7.

WANT YOUR TRADE? NO - NOT UNLESS WE CAN GIVE YOU AS MUCH OR MORE FOR YOUR MONEY THAN ANY OTHER FELLOW. YOU ARE WELCOME TO MAKE THIS STORE YOUR STOPPING PLACE EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK. ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE. THE STORE THAT SERVES YOU WELL. J. R. WOTHERSPOON & Co., BEAUFORT. ALSO AT BUANGOR. Drapers, Clothiers, Milliners, Wines & Spirits, Grocers, Ironmongers, Produce Salesmen, Commission Agents, etc. AGENCIES - Cuming, Smith & Co's. Manures; Massey-Harris Machinery; Ford Motor Cars; Dunlop Motor Tyres; The Northern Assurance Co. Ltd.; The Ballarat Trustees Co. Ltd. SPECIAL NOTE - We are fighting Surplus Stock just now with the unfaltering sword of sincerity, for we are in our Stock-taking period. REMNANTS AT BARGAIN PRICES. Do not miss the opportunity of securing Bargain lots during the month of August, 1920.

FOR SALE, GIG, in good order. A. G. HAYWARD, Beaufort.

EGGS FOR SALE.—Black Oppington, Rhode Is. Reds, and White Leghorns, 7/6 per setting.

ANYONE found Trespassing on my Raglan will be prosecuted. RICHARD HALPIN.

BEAUFORT MOTOR GARAGE. PROPRIETORS—COATES BROS. (E. F. C. Coates, late A.I.F., and W. R. Coates).

W. H. HALPIN, AUCTIONEER. HOUSE, LAND, STOCK, GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT & VALUATOR.

STREATHAM SHEEP SALE. WEDNESDAY, 4th AUGUST, 1920, at 2 p.m.

2000 YOUNG CROSSBRED, COMEBACK, AND MERINO SHEEP. KELLY & McDONALD will offer by Auction as above.

Hawkes Bros., BEAUFORT. SEASONABLE GOODS. We desire to bring under your notice a few lines we have that are specially suitable for this season of the year. E.P. WARE, CARVERS, \* CLOCKS, etc., \* GLASSWARE & CROCKERY, BRUSHWARE (LADIES' & GENTS'), TOBACCO POUCHES, LETTER WALLETS, SCENTS & SOAPS, WATCHES ENAMEL BROOCHES, and PHOTO. FRAMES. Orders taken for Gold or Silver Watches and all classes of Jewellery. AGENTS FOR COOPER'S SHEEP DIPS, "JONES" SEWING MACHINE, ROYAL INSURANCE CO., HUPMOBILE CARS, BARNET GLASS TYRES. G. C. BENNETT, M.P.S.A., PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMIST, NEILL STREET, BEAUFORT, Phone 29.

is played a son on the by, in com- both district cup. The J. Glover, some terms s fine, with dition of the dative to a h open) d the play on a nice was not friendly approx- this set the contest time the the W. the good quick ca- and gained the first goal for the time the H. Beaufort, pointed out by E. the first spiritly and I only added truly be- and scores. A technical 3. The players for Page, and W. v. You were brilliant. Hish extra played a n. Hay, King, worked goalkick (2), T. Beaufort— as cent— game in outh visit (1 goal; 3 goals) postponed Wednesday, 9. Premier 9. lost 3. 6. lost 5. 6. lost 5. 2. lost 7. at against for rough age dur- t match 7th inst. n (J. T. onent on ed at a strict as- aring the exoner- of Wallis end again on. Both y their ending of ourneyed on, 23rd with the out by placed his for quite as who re- sing- of "dig- Beaufort for binds to his. Jack Beaufort atorio's m was dner, J. and Cole. Laney, Smith, seaman, atorio— rio lad- duality, for the (r.) Raglan on took following ansing h; vice- and A. T. Pringle; E. Lough- gressors J. delegate ce. Mr in- in Shire nsation- the solution salaries ticians. 2000- ed to general e. re. t Care.

VALDEICTORY.

Mr. J. G. Macdonald, manager of the London Bank, Beaufort, for 24 years, is being transferred to Stawell, and was the guest of the residents of the town and district at a farewell function at the Shire Hall on Friday night, 30th ult.

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

For many seasons now the Sloum Militia Football Team has been beaten by the lads from the rival regiment at Punkville.

CHAPTER VII.—THE MINISTER'S DEBTS.

Slade was present at the inquest. He was deeply interested in the proceedings, and every now and then he might have been seen to smile in a sardonic way.

CHAPTER VI.—CONSTABLE SLADE'S DISCOVERY.

There are policemen who in their own eyes are wholly irrefragable. In Grimleigh dwelt such a one. He was a lean, solemn, taciturn being, with red hair and moustache, a freckled face, and the coldest of blue eyes.

THE RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE, SATURDAY, JULY 31, 1920.

Vanishing of Tera.

A SENSATIONAL STORY OF MYSTERY, LOVE AND CRIME.

By PERGIE HUME.

Author of "The Mystery of a Hansom Cab," "The Nameless City," "The Dwarf's Chamber," &c., &c.

When he reached the field, Herbert found that Inspector Chard had arrived from Poldeve. By his directions the body of Tera was carried into Grimleigh, and there laid out in an empty building close to the police office.

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