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Defendants did not desire to give evidence.

Senior-constable McCormick charged Mac Gillies with having driven a jinker on the Waterloo road, Beaufort, on the night of the 7th May, 1934, without a light.

Defendant pleaded guilty.

Senior-constable McCormick gave evidence that he intercepted the defendant in a jinker, with a companion. Defendant had a load of rabbits on. His companion said they had been out the Waterloo road rabbiting, and the ferrets stuck them up; otherwise, they would have been home before dark. It was the first offence, and witness had since seen defendant with a light.

Mr Sinclair—What did he mean by saying the ferrets stuck him up?

Mr Wotherspoon—In the burrows.

Mr Sinclair—I thought he was referring to the police. (Laughter).

Senior-constable McCormick said there was 7/ costs altogether in Stewart's and Meredith's cases.

In answer to the Bench, the senior-constable said the police did not wish to press for heavy penalties, but just to give a warning to the public. They were agreeably surprised at the small number of cases during the week's campaign, despite the heavy traffic on the Western Highway.

Mr Sinclair said the practice of cycling and driving without lights should be stopped.

Mr Wotherspoon said it was a very dangerous practice with the motor traffic nowadays for cyclists to ride without lights. The Bench had decided to impose small fines, as these were the first cases for some time. The fine would be 2/6 in each case. There would be no costs in the other cases, but in the cases of G. A. Stewart and C. J. Meredith, the costs would be 3/6 each.

Debt Case.

E. D. Brassey sued H. Boyd for the recovery of £3/9/4, due for goods sold and delivered. The summons had not been served. Senior-constable McCormick asked for an adjournment to 11th June, which was granted.

CYCLE CLUB.

ROAD RACE WON BY W. HAINS.

Hains Also Wins Aggregate.

There were 12 starters in a 13-mile road race held by the Beaufort Cycle Club on Saturday on the Trawalla road. There was a good finish. Results:—

W. Hains, 90 sec. 1
E. Stevens, 100 sec. 2
J. Nugent, 110 sec. 3

J. E. Pearce (100 sec.) finished fourth, and W. Stewart (40 sec.) fifth. The latter also secured fastest unplaced time (34 min. 7 sec.)

The race was won by two lengths, with about 20 lengths between second and third.

On the outward journey, W. Nugent's machine came in contact with another rider's wheel, and he (Nugent) was thrown heavily to the roadway. He was brought to Beaufort, and treated at the local Bush Nursing Hospital for a severe shaking and abrasions.

The aggregate competition for a silver cup has been won by W. Hains.

HOST HOLBROOK says: I brew my Pure Malt Vinegar from Australian barley and mature it for one year.

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DAVID THE FOSSICKER.

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I noticed a strong rope and a pair of hobbles under the seat of the buggy, but they really seemed out of place, for by this time Absalom did not seem to fit the harness at all well, and even David suspected that he was going into a decline. However, we reached the course just in time to miss the second race, but we saw enough, and stayed on till the bitter end. During the first half of our tedious journey homeward, we had ample time to review the afternoon's sport from various angles. It seemed that David had mingled mostly with only two classes of people, whom he termed the needy and the greedy, and they left him with neither money, marbles, nor chalk to make a line with, but they failed to rob him of a resolution he made, and faithfully adhered to. The latter part of our journey was spent mostly in quiet and sober reflection. Goid is a fickle jade, and all too soon she failed to respond to David's wooing. Like old Jim White's lead, it developed two bad faults—"firstly, too narrow, boy, and secondly, not wide enough." It petered out, and about the same time the old horse died. David's kind heart grieved over the death of Absalom, and he strove to hide a few, silent tears, as we gently slid him into an old shaft in Jonathan's Gully. David's glass began to fall rapidly from now on, and he resorted to puddling old mullock-heaps, sluicing tailings, or searching for blocks that may have been overlooked among the old diggings. The buggy was towed into the town behind a merchant's delivery cart, and came to rest under the heading of contra Cr. The stable and shed were sold for removal, and a small, weekly rent was required for the home, which was no longer his own. Thus David's misfortunes were merely an episode in the life of a miner. The glass still kept falling, and soon began to flicker ominously between foul weather and zero. About this time there seemed good inducement for able and willing hands to succeed in Melbourne, and many Beaufort folk migrated thither. So David shook the Ding-Dong pipeclay from his boots, and departed from his native town. The barometer rose again, with a few spasms, to set fair, and has since remained almost stationary. Whilst David was cutting the end off another cigar, I happened to mention that I knew where there was some shallow gold, still untouched, nearby the old town, and back went the clock of time 40 years, with a bang. His eyes lit up with the sparkle of youth, and his hands seemed to grasp an imaginary pick. Gone, forgotten, were those years of bitter and unprofitable toil that dragged him into the depths of penury, and cast him off. This lure of gold enthralled him still. "When you are ready," he said, "I'll go back with you." Just then, a venerable lady—she, who, in the old days, never doubted that he would one day return with a nugget, and had watched and tended him through all the vicissitudes of a miner's life—hailed him for home. I watched him down the neatly-gravelled pathway, between the green lawns, over which the trees threw their long shadows. His shortened step and bowed frame showed that the old aches and pains had returned again, and the burden of years was upon him, as they quietly headed for the nearest tram to take them to their suburban home. Meantime, the little trail of gold on the hillside at his old home town, like some alluring siren, keeps ever beckoning, and awaits the coming of David.



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THIRTY YEARS AGO.

ITEMS FROM OUR FILES. MAY 14, 1904.

Mr Walter Johnston, of Raglan, who was driving a young horse, which bolted, met with an accident, and had two of his ribs broken, and was bruised about the head.

Constable Stevenson, of Waterloo, was appointed to relieve Constable Wall at Warrenheip, and Constable Felsenthal, from Russell Street, was to take charge of the Waterloo station.

Owing to the unsatisfactory state of his health, Mr J. M. Carroll, shire secretary, was granted three months' leave of absence.

The death of Mr Joel Tompkins, a well-known Beaufort public man and ex-councillor, was reported.

Messrs. Black (district surveyor) and C. J. Joy (land officer) sat as a local land board at the Beaufort Court House for five days. The land made available for selection comprised some 7000 acres on the Beaufort common, and land in the parish of Langi-Kal-Kal, for which there were 380 applications.

MAY 21, 1904.

In the stud flocks on some of the stations in the Skipton district, percentages of between 90 and 96 have been recorded.

On the eve of his departure from Waterloo to Warrenheip, Constable Stevenson was farewelled at an impromptu gathering of his friends at Vowles' Albion hotel. The chairman was Mr T. D. Martin, and the other speakers were Messrs. McNaughton, Cochrane, Newey, and Ballantyne. Mr Stevenson had been stationed at Waterloo for 12 1/2 years.

Bro. T. E. Sands, A.D., presided over the half-yearly meeting of the Beaufort Druids' Lodge. The principal officers for the ensuing six months were elected as follows:—A.D., Bro. D. McDonald; V.A., Bro. G. Whitehead; secretary, Bro. L. Jaensch (at a remuneration of £15 per annum).

The annual ball of the Beaufort Fire Brigade was attended by 93 persons. The organisers were, Messrs. R. A. D. Sinclair (captain) and L. Hains (secretary). The music was supplied by Jackson's String Band, and Mr J. R. Hughes was the caterer.

At Dixon Bros. & Halpin's monthly stock sale (conducted by Mr. W. H. Halpin), sheep sold from 17/9 to 18/-. The Beaufort footballers beat Waukra by 52 points to nil. The 26th dividend of 6d per share was declared by the Sons of Freedom Central Co.

The district mining yields for the week totalled 219 oz.

Messrs. Humphreys, Flynn, and Browne attended the meeting of the managers of the Beaufort United Common. A credit of £43/10/2 was reported. Mr D. Cameron (herdsman) reported that 1300 sheep and 57 head of cattle had passed through the common since last meeting.

The death of Rev. Father Meade, who had been in charge of the Ararat parish for 25 years, and was 62 years of age, was reported.

The tender of E. Doherty, at £160, was accepted for the erection of a public hall at Buangor.

An advertisement by Messrs. J. R. Wotherspoon & Co. asks: "Does farming pay with oats at 1/ a bushel?" The firm asserted that with C. S. & Co.'s manures, 60 bushels to the acre could be got, and it was the quantity that paid.

Mrs Prince, of Raglan, entertained a large number of friends on the occasion of the coming of age of her youngest son, Charles Albert.

Mr C. H. Taylor (president) presided over the fortnightly meeting of the Middle Creek branch, A.N.A.

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FOOTBALL.

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With Raglan only seven points in the lead, a good finish was anticipated by the Beaufort supporters. Raglan, however, finished much better than their opponents; scoring again on five occasions to Beaufort's one. Beaufort attacked at once, but did not score. A free to E. Drew resulted in that player raising two flags for Raglan. A free to L. Lyttle, and it looked as if another major point would be scored, but L. Fitzpatrick (who is showing great improvement this season) came to Beaufort's aid and nullified the shot. Hopkins was given a free, and added a behind to Beaufort's tally. Welsh (who had played very meritoriously throughout the match) forwarded the leather to I. Grant, and he scored a goal for Raglan. The ball was twice forced out of play near Raglan's objective. Raglan failed to drive home a third attack. Then A. Finch registered a single for Raglan at an almost impossible angle. I. Grant marked in position, and scored the maximum points for the home team. Beaufort forced the ball to their end, but the Raglan back line stood the strain. G. Grant secured a behind for the home side with an angle shot, after which Beaufort made another futile attack; the turning point of which was a magnificent mark by M. Drew. Beaufort twice attacked without result, and when the bell rang the were 26 points in arrears. Final scores:—Raglan, 11 goals, 8 behinds (74 points); Beaufort, 7 goals, 6 behinds (48 points).

The goal-kickers were:—Raglan—E. Drew (6), I. Grant (3), A. Finch, and J. Cuthbertson. Beaufort—T. Trezise (2), H. Lardner (2), Jim O'Brien, F. Wilson, and N. Lardner. The best players on the winning side were C. Waldron, L. Welsh, G. Grant, I. Grant, E. Drew, and K. McErvale, who were well supported at times by R. Tiley, L. Lyttle, A. Finch, N. Maher, C. Irving, R. Smith, and M. Drew.

For Beaufort good form was shown by H. Lardner, H. Green, N. Lardner, E. Turner, L. Fitzpatrick, Jim O'Brien, Joe Lamb, and W. Clark. Occasionally T. Trezise, E. Hopkins, J. O'Sullivan, and R. Phillips were prominent.

Learmonth (6-3) defeated Burrumbet (3-9) at Burrumbet.

To-day (Saturday) Burrumbet will visit Beaufort; Raglan having the bye.

BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB.

SATURDAY'S EVENTS WON BY MRS. ASHLEY AND L. YOUNG.

The Beaufort Golf Club held a couple of competitions on Saturday, for which there was a big entry. The Women's Four-ball competition against bogey was won by Mrs W. W. Ashley, and L. Young was the winner of the Men's Singles. The leading scores were:— Women's Four-ball Competition, 18 holes.

Mrs W. W. Ashley 3 up Miss H. Beggs 1 up Mrs P. J. Kelly, sq; Mrs A. M. Parker, sq; Mrs J. E. Day, 1 down; Miss D. Ward, 2 down; Mrs S. Young, 2 down; Mrs T. M. Bowe, 2 down; Mrs L. McMahon, 2 down; Miss J. Stevenson, 3 down; Mrs A. Dunn, 3 down; and Miss B. Beggs, 3 down.

Men's Singles, 18 holes. L. Young 92-26-66 T. M. Bowe 91-23-68 N. B. Acton, 88-19-69; J. W. Glover, 85-15-70; N. H. Oddie, 84-14-70; M. Watkin, 82-10-72; L. McMahon, 96-24-72; G. Beggs, 87-15-72; D. F. Troy, 93-20-73; H. E. Cuthbertson, 95-21-74; H. J. Troy, 89-15-74; R. T. Macdonald, 87-13-74; S. Young, 88-1-74; A. Dunn, 97-23-74; G. Ellis, 87-12-75.

COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday.

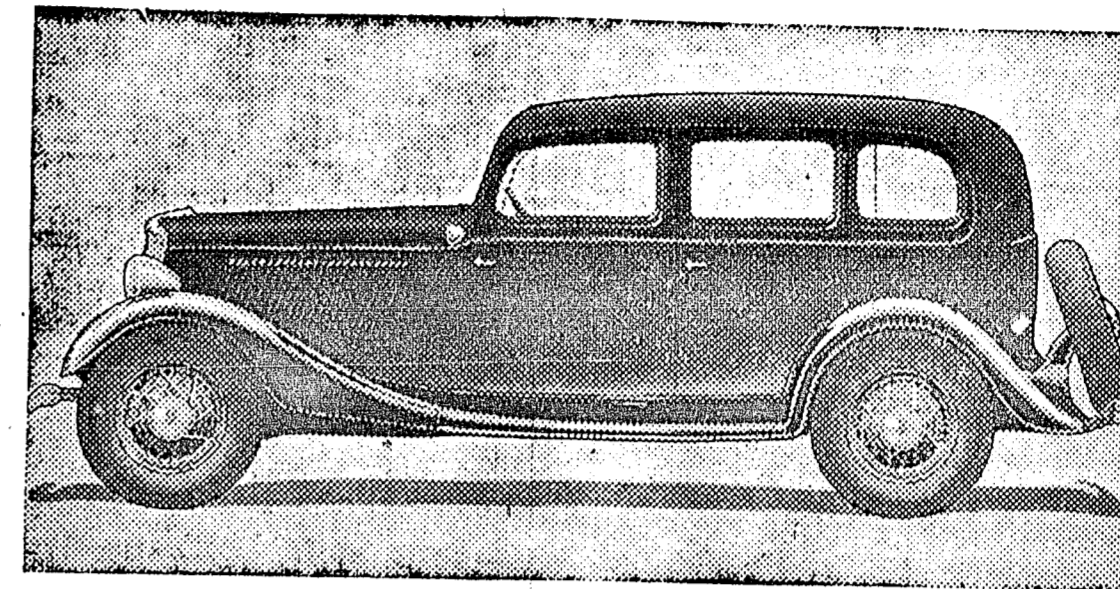
Cattle—216 yarded; being 40 more than last week. Slightly less than half consisted of bullocks, a fair number of which were good and prime quality; the majority being light and medium weights, with a few pens of heavier sorts. The remainder consisted of steers, cows, and heifers. The cow beef consisted principally of middling and inferior descriptions. A steady demand existed throughout at firm values for all grades. Quotations:—Prime medium-weight bullocks, 29/10/ to 210 5/; heavy, to 211/5/; good, 28 to 29; prime lightweight bullocks, 27 to 28; prime cows, 27 to 28/15/; good, 25 10/ to 26/10/; useful, 24 to 25. Calves—Another good yarding of calves came forward, comprising 115 head. Quality was fairly well represented; competition being good throughout. Best made 27/19/. Sheep—A decreased number of sheep offered: the total being 2195. Trade sorts were lightly supplied; the quality being inferior to last week. There were several nice drafts of good and prime wethers, but the bulk were secondary descriptions. Sales were well attended by the trade and exporters, and competition was keen from the outset; values showing an increase of 1/ to 1/6 on the reduced prices of last week; the market closing strong. Quotations:—Prime crossbred wethers, 23/6 to 25/; extra, to 26/10/; good, 20 to 22/; prime crossbred ewes, 20 to 22/; extra, to 24/11/; good, 16 to 18/; prime merino wethers, 21 to 23/; extra, to 24/10/; good, 18 to 20/. Lambs—1862 penned—more than 1000 below last week's numbers. There was only a moderate number of prime quality lambs; the majority consisting of secondary and indifferent sorts. There was a keen demand for all killable quality at advanced rates. Quotations:—Prime, 21 to 23/; extra, 24 to 26/4; good, 17 to 19/; useful, 13 to 15/.

Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co. report:—Cattle—7 cows, from Tourallo, to 27/2/6; 4 cows, Mr S. Gordon Spittle, Mount Cavern, Ascot, to 28 15/; topping the market. Calves—10 steers and heifers, Mr S. Gordon Spittle, Ascot, steers to 26/3/, heifers to 24/19/. Sheep—104 merino ewes, from Trawalla; 64 comeback ewes, Mr S. Gordon Spittle, Ascot, to 17/1, averaging 15/2; 53 merino ewes, Mr W. Trainor, Lexton; 13 merino and crossbred ewes, Messrs. Maher Bros., Raglan, 2-tooths at 18/1, ewes to 14/10; 3 comeback wethers, Mr R. Dawson, Trawalla, at 19/6; 3 B.L. rams, same owner, at 15/4; 2 2-tooths, Mr J. Boyle, Lake Goldsmith, at 21/1. Lambs—93 from Linton; 43, Mr R. Dawson, Trawalla, at 16/7; 36, from Tourello; 18, Messrs. Maher Bros., Raglan, 19/1 to 18/7, averaging 18/9; 1, Mr J. Boyle, Lake Goldsmith, at 24/4.

The following district sales are reported by other auctioneers:—55 merino wethers, Mr Daniel Daly, Skipton, 24/10 to 21/4, averaging 22/11; 53 comeback wethers and ewes, Mr H. J. Smith, Stockyard Hill, wethers, 21/4 to 19/7, averaging 20/4, ewes 22/1 to 15/1; 27 lambs, same owner, 23/1 to 20/1, averaging 21/7; 30 lambs, Messrs. Ball Bros., Raglan, 20/4 to 18/9, averaging 19/10; 6 lambs, Miss Dorothy Ward, Derry Farm, Lake Goldsmith, to 25/4; 9 comeback ewes, Mr A. Campbell, Trawalla, at 10/10; 117 lambs, same owner, to 16/4, averaging 14/2; 96 comeback wethers, St. Enoch's Estate, Stockyard Hill, 21/7 to 25/1, averaging 23/6; 36 crossbred ewes, Mr J. R. Gibb, Skipton, to 15/4; 67 lambs, Messrs. W. R. and F. Alexander, Skipton, to 20/10, averaging 18/9; 2 lambs, Miss Lorna Alexander, Skipton, at 25/4.

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Violet Sandilant, a Mt. Cole girl, fell and broke her arm.

Claude Pearce, a groom at Trawalla Station, was thrown from a horse, and his left shoulder dislocated.

Mr John Fraser, farmer, of Lake Goldsmith, a colonist of 40 years' standing, died at the age of 77 years.

Mr G. Ellingsen, of Buangor, was appointed a second lieutenant of the Victorian Rangers (D Company).

A carnival and concert were held by the Beaufort Church of England, at which the takings were £100. Admiral Bridges performed the opening ceremony, and the secretary was Mr E. J. Muntz.

At the fortnightly meeting of the Middle Creek A.N.A., an ex-president's certificate was presented to Mr H. Dunn.

Mr J. M. Carroll was elected president of the Beaufort A.N.A., with Mr M. J. N. Breen as vice-president, Mr A. H. Sands as treasurer, Mr W. T. Hill as secretary, and Mr J. M. Prentice as assistant-secretary.

Speeches by Messrs. Hans W. H. Irvine, S. G. Black, J. D. Brown, and R. Richardson, candidates for the Nelson Province seat in the Legislative Council are reported, together with addresses by Messrs. D. S. Oman and T. R. Ashworth, candidates for the Hampden seat in the Legislative Assembly.

Mining yields for the week in Beaufort and district totalled 262 oz.

Late Mrs. Buchanan's Estate. Mrs Margaret Gordon Buchanan, of East Mount Mitchell Station, Lexton, widow, who died on November 11, 1933, left by will dated March 9, 1933, personal property of a gross value of £38,777. Testatrix left her property to her nephews and other relatives, subject to gifts to friends and £100 to the Kildonan Home in association with Scots' Church.

MEETING OF BEAUFORT FOOTBALL CLUB.

Question in Regard to Confirmation of Committee's Minutes.

A meeting of the Beaufort Football Club was held on Wednesday evening. Mr R. McCormick, senr., was in the chair, and 11 members were present. A letter was read from the Burrumbet Association, stating that a delegates' meeting would be held on Friday, 1st June, and that an appeal by a Burrumbet player against his club refusing him a clearance was to be dealt with.—It was decided to allow the delegates a free hand. The minutes of a committee meeting of the club were refused confirmation, on the grounds that they should not come before a general meeting. Mr R. T. Macdonald stated that they could only be confirmed by the next committee meeting, and also that the two meetings were of an entirely different nature, and it was no concern of the general meeting what was done at the committee meeting. He added that the minutes should not have been read. Mr Hewitt said he had never heard of a society, the actions of whose committee were not brought before the general meeting for confirmation. Mr Macdonald said there quite a lot of things Mr Hewitt did not know. Mr Hewitt moved that the minutes of the committee meeting be confirmed, and the motion was lost by 4 votes to 6. Arrangements for the Saturday night dance were left in the secretary's hands. It was decided to lodge a complaint to the association regarding the umpire in charge of the recent Learmonth-Beaufort match. It was resolved that the secretary see in future that teams, as selected, be played. It was asserted that several alterations were made last week that caused some dissatisfaction.

Donations Acknowledged. The secretary of the Beaufort Football Club (Mr Ivan Lowe) acknowledges, with thanks, receipt of the following donations:—Mr A. R. Luker, £1/1/; Mr W. Liston, £1.

BALLARAT ORPHANAGE CHILDREN'S CONCERT.

A Disappointing Attendance.

Despite the deserving cause, there was a disappointing attendance at a concert, given at the Picture Theatre, Beaufort, on Wednesday night, by the Ballarat Orphanage children, assisted by Miss Perle Reed and other artists. The programme was a varied and very entertaining one of songs, recitations, folk dances, rod exercises, etc., and the items were enthusiastically applauded. Mr J. Duke (local organiser) presided. The programme was as follows:—Opening chorus, the company; song, Gladys Walker; plume drill, junior girls; tap dance, Evie Hutchins and Madge Turner; "The Gay Seaside," senior girls; action song, "Chesapeake Bay," junior girls; recital (humorous), Miss Perle Reed; country dance, senior girls; song and dance, "Young and Healthy," Madge Turner; action song, "Jack Tar," junior girls; recitation, Aysia Mahomed; tap dance, Evie Hutchins; rod exercises, junior girls; "Pride of the Peer," senior girls and babies; duet, "You Shan't Play in Our Yard," Esma Trigg and Ivy Fitt; tap dance, Madge Turner; figure march, girls; acrobatic turn, Ivy Fitt and Pat Watman; character sketch (humorous), Miss Perle Reed; free arm exercises, junior girls; song, May Ramsay; song and chorus, "Lucky," Gladys Walker and girls. Many items were encored, and the performers responded. An apology was received for the absence of the orphanage superintendent (Mr Ludbrook). Mr Duke sincerely thanked all those who had attended. The children had been splendid, and he was sorry to see so few people present. Prizes (donated by Messrs. Cougle and Williams) for selling the greatest number of tickets, were awarded to Eric Weinert and Merna Simper.

Train Kills Cow. Last week a cow, owned by a resident of the town, was killed on the railway line at Beaufort by a passing train, near Mr Geo. Wilson's residence.

BEAUFORT POSTAL STATISTICS FOR YEAR.

Over Half-a-million Articles Handled. Only Three Complaints.

The postmaster (Mr R. McKay) has supplied the following figures for the year ended May, 1934, during which postal articles were dealt with at the Beaufort post office, as follows:—Posted at Beaufort—Letters, 138,495; papers, 57,018; packets, 10,309; parcels, 832. Received at Beaufort—Letters, 192,569; papers, 48,737; packets, 11,401; parcels, 1722. Handled for district offices—Articles, 60,508. Total articles handled, 521,591. In this total of over half-a-million articles, only three complaints were received for delayed or non-delivery. The percentage of non-delivery is remarkably low. Telephone.—For the same period there were 55,200 local calls, and 36,600 trunk line calls were connected. Total, 91,800.

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BEAUFORT A.N.A.
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Director Ritchie was received with applause on rising to respond. He gave a fine address, and illustrated many of his points with apt and humorous anecdotes. He said that he was proud to come to Beaufort. He suggested to the members of the branch that they have a visit from a board member more frequently, as that helped to keep the board and branches in contact. The board members told the branches what was happening from a managerial standpoint. Australia had made more progress in 100 years than any other nation, and the A.N.A. in half-a-century than any other friendly society. They were still working for the good of their country, and to perpetuate the ideals of their forefathers. The pioneers of the association had done great work. But for the foresight and energy of the board, the members would not be enjoying the benefits they were to-day. Their benefits could be greater, and he was always fighting for that. The association during the war had paid the contributions of soldier members, despite which they made a profit. Their profits for the past 15 years had been great, and at the last quinquennial report, over £100,000. They should be getting greater benefits, or paying less in contributions. Either the Government actuaries in the other States were wrong, or their man in Victoria was right, or vice versa. It was probable in the future that they would get increased benefits. Of recent years the benefits had been increased by granting increased endowment at 65 years of age, and a greater funeral allowance. He touched on the A.N.A. scheme for a hospital levy of 2/6 a year, compared with the proposal to provide much smaller benefits by taking money from the workers' wages by a hospital tax. They would be able to claim exemption for the A.N.A. members because their members were paying a hospital levy. In Victoria they were worse off than any State for hospital accommodation and benefits. The friendly societies would long ago have established hospitals, but could not do so without doctors. He was one who had always fought the agreement with the medical association. As long as they were within the limit, they should be treated by the doctor, whether in hospital or out. In Victoria they had the contract and pooling systems. Under the pooling system there would be no such thing as being a lodge patient. He advocated that they substitute the pooling for the contract system. It would not, of course, embrace a specialist's fees, although it would be put up at next conference that the association should employ specialists. Because of the experience in New South Wales, they claimed that the doctors had no right to say that they were working for the lodges for a charity rate. He believed the pooling system would be brought in before long. The friendly societies had far more than needed to pay for anything they promised, and the members would get it, if entitled to it. Everyone should be in a friendly society. In Victoria friendly societies had four million pounds invested, and in the Commonwealth, £15,000,000. In Australia more people owned their own houses than in any other country, in proportion to population. He asserted that the local tobacco-growing industry should be encouraged, and referred to the unemployment problem and advanced education. If they could afford a State Governor, there was no need to increase the fees for education. The highest position in Australia should be open to a citizen of Australia. For the first time in Victoria they now had an Australian-born Governor. Other dominions did not feel compelled to have imported governors. They were

proud that the first Australian-born Governor-General, Sir Isaac Isaacs, was a member of the A.N.A. for many years. The film industry could well be carried on here. If they could keep the money for films and tobacco from going out of the country, it would decrease their indebtedness. Japan bought their wool because they had the article she wanted at the price she was prepared to pay. If they threw down their tariff walls, they would quickly reduce their wage level to Japan's. The reduction of the tariff meant that many more thousands of men would be thrown out of work. Not one primary industry in Australia could be carried on without the support of protection. It was no use growing wool, if they could not sell their meat. The flour tax was to subsidise the wheat grower, and the fruit-growing industry was established under protection. Protection also helped the production of rice and butter. If they were going to throw their markets open to the world, what chance would they have of keeping those in employment they now had at work. He believed in a system of reciprocity of trade between the dominions of the Empire. Argentine sold more meat and Denmark more butter to Britain than Australia did. It was reasonable, as Britain's second largest customer, for Australia to say that Britain should buy more from her. The Ottawa agreement had not reacted to the benefit of Australia. They should provide work here for their children that was being given to other countries at the present time. He urged them to be Australian in sentiment, and to buy Australian goods. (Applause).

Mr Sinclair congratulated Mr Ritchie on his speech. Replying to Mr Sinclair, Mr Ritchie touched on the excessive cost of Government and Government administration in Australia, compared with other countries, and pointed out that the trend was going toward unification. How could they hope to go on year after year budgeting for a loss, as the State Parliaments were doing? If unification were brought about, it would be due to the extravagance of the State Governments. He asserted that the branches could discuss non-party political questions, but could not take a vote on them. The attitude of the Medical Association in regard to what a man should earn before being accepted as a member of a friendly society was driving the A.N.A. into a Trade Hall party. Answering further questions, Mr Ritchie said the next A.N.A. benefits proposed were an increase on the £10 funeral allowance for a member's wife, and the termination of payment of members' contributions when they reached the age of 65 years. They were also working on plans for running their own undertaker's business.

The president moved a hearty vote of thanks to Director Ritchie for his fine address, which had been enjoyed by all the members. He also welcomed Mr G. Taylor, a representative of the I.O.R. The function terminated with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne." Mr L. Smith thanked Mesdames W. Gray and N. S. McLeod for helping with the supper arrangements.

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MOTOR SHOW.

DISPLAY BY GENERAL MOTORS AT BEAUFORT.

General Motors' fine display of 11 cars and two trucks attracted a great deal of notice on Saturday, when a visit was made to Beaufort by the travelling motor show. After having been driven around the town in procession, the 13 vehicles were drawn up in an imposing line in front of Mr V. Wilson's new garage in Neill street. Mr Wilson is the local agent for General Motors, and it is understood that several cars were sold as a result of the visit. Many motorists closely inspected the cars and trucks, and the various up-to-date improvements were pointed out by the salesmen present, who also gave much interesting general information. Prospective buyers were taken for trial runs. Among the cars displayed were the Standard Chevrolet, sports roadster and sedan; Master Chevrolet, touring coupe and sedan; Vauxhall Light Six, roadster and sedan; Oldsmobile six sedan, Pontiac Straight Eight sedan, Buick sedan, Chevrolet British-built Trucks 2-ton model, and Bedford Trucks, 2 to 2½ tons capacity. The models exhibited ranged from an economy six at £280 to the most modern 8-cylinder luxury cars. The motor show moved on to Ararat late in the afternoon, and it is understood that it will go as far north-west as Mildura.

FOOTBALL.

BURRUMBEET DISTRICT COMPETITION.

BURRUMBEET v. BEAUFORT.

An interesting match was witnessed at the Beaufort Park on Saturday between the local team and Burrumbeet. There was a fair attendance, and the gate receipts exceeded £6. H. Dunstan gave satisfaction as central umpire, and the other officials were:—Goal umpires, Messrs. J. Hewitt and E. Wilmot; boundary umpires, Messrs. W. Fitzpatrick and B. Watson; timekeepers, Messrs. W. O'Sullivan and H. Dunn. Beaufort had the better of the play in the first half of the game; having 10 scoring shots to one in the first quarter, and eight to three in the second. Burrumbeet asserted themselves in the third term, in which they had four scoring shots to one. The visitors put in a good finish by playing a great closing quarter, in which they scored ten times, and Beaufort thrice. Beaufort were 46 points to the good when the last term commenced, and Burrumbeet wiped 26 points off their deficit; Beaufort winning the game by 20 points. There were several notable absentees from the visiting team.

THE TEAMS.

Beaufort.—T. Trezise (captain), H. Lardner, N. Lardner, H. Green, B. Fitzpatrick, W. Clark, E. Turner, R. Hancock, J. Cole, E. Hopkins, F. Wilson, I. Cheeseman, J. Lamb, K. Hyde, J. O'Sullivan, R. Phillips, G. O'Neil, and W. Cleary; 19th man, R. Dunn.

Burrumbeet.—W. Wall (captain), M. Draffin, G. Draffin, W. Walton, D. Rowell, T. Grundy, A. Grundy, H. Thomas, J. Stride, J. Dowler, L. Leach, G. Arnott, M. Hamilton, H. Charles, J. Ellis, R. Thomas, W. Nunn, and G. Riddock; 19th man, A. Watson.

Shortly after the bounce, Beaufort scored their first goal, kicked by Hopkins. It was not long before Hopkins had again scored the maximum points for Beaufort. Hopkins then marked, and accounted for the home team's third goal, in short order. Charles, Draffin, and Thomas forwarded the ball for the visitors, and Cleary checked them. Hopkins passed to Lardner, who scored a single for Beaufort. Trezise booted the leather well into Beaufort's forward area, where Walton marked and saved the situation for Burrumbeet. Cheeseman again drove the leather to Beaufort's forward line, and registered a behind for them. Beaufort moved forward once more, but a fine mark by Grundy checked them. W. Walton held up the next Beaufort attack with a well-timed mark, but soon after H. Lardner snapped a goal for Beaufort. Burrumbeet's attack reached the forward area, but Turner relieved. A magnificent, long-range kick by Trezise raised one flag for Beaufort. Wilson then passed to H. Lardner, who obtained a goal for the home side. G. Dowler was given a free, and got a single for Burrumbeet. Another long-distance shot by Trezise sent the ball out of bounds near the Beaufort objective. A snapshot by H. Lardner hit the goal-post, and only one flag was raised for Beaufort. Not long after, H. Lardner nicely registered a goal for the home team. In this term Beaufort forced the play, and kept their op-

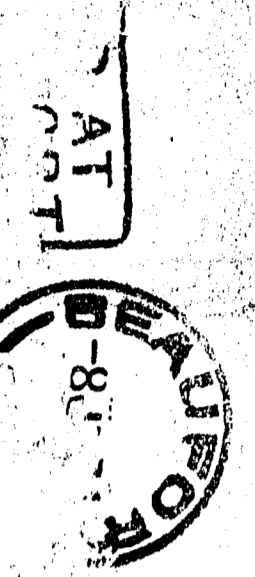
ponents almost incessantly on the defensive. Quarter-time scores:—Beaufort, 6-4; Burrumbeet, 0-1. Beaufort at once seized the initiative in the second term, and N. Lardner passed to G. O'Neil, who scored "sixer" for them. N. Lardner's shot went over the boundary. R. Hancock marked the kick-off, but sent the ball out of play. After crowded, strenuous play in Beaufort's forward area, E. Turner got a free, and registered a single for them. Green added another behind to the Beaufort tally. Beaufort then twice forced the ball over the boundary, and soon Turner snapped a minor point for them. Green, Cole, and H. Lardner forwarded the ball for Beaufort, but H. Lardner drove it out of play near goal. Then Cole passed to H. Lardner, and a single for Beaufort was the outcome. Arnott sent the ball close to the visitors' goal, and Fitzpatrick held up the attack just in front of the sticks. G. Draffin passed to Hamilton, who registered a single for Burrumbeet. Draffin next passed to Hamilton, and that player registered Burrumbeet's first goal. Hyde and Trezise forwarded the ball for Beaufort, and Grundy administered a check. Charles and Wall formed the spear-point of the next Burrumbeet attack, but the ball went out of play close to the objective. Burrumbeet again forced the leather over the boundary. Charles drove the ball goalwards with a splendid kick, but Hyde marked it just in front of the uprights, and relieved for Beaufort. Cole and Trezise placed Hopkins in possession, and that player accounted for Beaufort's eighth goal. Arnott passed to Hamilton, and Burrumbeet's second goal was the outcome. N. Lardner gave Trezise an opportunity, and he responded with a behind for Beaufort. H. Lardner then found the opening, but the ball was touched, and only a single recorded in favour of the home team. Half-time scores:—Beaufort, 8-10; Burrumbeet, 2-6.

Beaufort had a lead of 42 points when the third term started. Wall and Charles forwarded the ball for the visitors, and G. Draffin was given a free and passed to Charles, who raised one flag for Burrumbeet. Cole and Trezise made a forward move for Beaufort, which failed to penetrate their opponents' back line. Beaufort again attacked without result. Next Wall forwarded the leather for Burrumbeet, and Hamilton got a free and registered a behind for them. G. Draffin was given a free, and drove the ball close to the Burrumbeet goal, but Turner relieved. Trezise and H. Lardner forwarded the ball for Beaufort, but that team failed to score. M. Hamilton, then secured a single for Burrumbeet. Beaufort made another futile attack. Arnott passed to Riddock, who obtained a minor point for the visitors. Beaufort continuously attacked, but the strong Burrumbeet back line held them up many times. Burrumbeet then repeatedly forwarded the ball, but appeared to be weak on the forward line. Eventually, L. Fitzpatrick registered a goal for Beaufort. Letch, Hamilton, and Charles took the ball to Burrumbeet's forward area, and L. Fitzpatrick relieved with a timely mark. T. Grundy and J. Stride rendered yeoman service in this term on the Burrumbeet back line, and the honours for the quarter were with that team. Scores at three-quarter-time were:—Beaufort, 9-10; Burrumbeet, 2-6.

With a lead of 46 points at the outset of the closing term, Beaufort were inclined to steady down. Early in the quarter, N. Lardner marked in position, and raised one flag for home side. Cole then passed to Lardner, who registered an eleventh goal from a few yards in front of the sticks. Burrumbeet scored a behind. Green (whose fine play was a feature of the match) was very prominent in an unsuccessful Beaufort attack. Draffin passed to Hamilton in position, and he accounted for the visitors' third goal. Burrumbeet then started to pile on the points; Nunn marking, and kicking another goal. Nunn secured his next goal with a lucky "grubber." Thomas drove the ball into position with a nice kick, and Draffin scored a goal for Burrumbeet—the fourth within a few minutes. Draffin got a free, and his shot found the opening, but the ball was touched, and the visitors only scored a single. Burrumbeet kept attacking for a while without success, and eventually Draffin passed to Hamilton, who raised one flag for them. A kick by Wall sent the ball up a tree, and held the game up for a while. Then Draffin smartly snapped a goal for Burrumbeet. Green, Hopkins, and H. Lardner gave Turner an opportunity, and he obtained a single for Beaufort. A shot by Charles was marked by Phillips just in front of the sticks. J. Ellis passed to G. Draffin, whose shot hit the goal-post, and Burrumbeet were only credited with a behind. The visitors' last effort drove the ball over the boundary. They had the better of the encounter in this term, and put an interesting finish on the game. Final scores:—Beaufort, 10 goals, 12 behinds (72 points); Burrumbeet, 7 goals 10 behinds (62 points).

The goal-kickers were:—Beaufort—E. Hopkins (4), H. Lardner (4), G. O'Neil, and L. Fitzpatrick. Burrumbeet—M. Hamilton (3), W. Nunn (2), and Draffin (2). Beaufort's best players were H. Green, H. Lardner, T. Trezise, N. Lardner, L. Fitzpatrick, E. Turner, E. Hopkins, J. Cole, I. Cheeseman, J. Lamb, and K. Hyde. For Burrumbeet valuable service was rendered by W. Wall, G. Draffin, T. Grundy, J. Stride, G. Arnott, M. Hamilton and H. Charles. They were well supported at times by M. Draffin and A. Grundy.

To-day (Saturday) Beaufort will visit Waubra, and Raglan will be at home to Burrumbeet.



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SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1904.

A football match, between the Beaufort and Waterloo schoolboys, which was won by Beaufort, was umpired by Mr M. J. N. Breen.

The Stockyard Hill Football Club elected Mr D. Stewart president, Messrs W. Lynch and G. A. Dunnet vice-presidents, Mr D. R. Hannah captain, Mr A. Kirkpatrick vice-captain, and Mr W. W. Anderson secretary and treasurer.

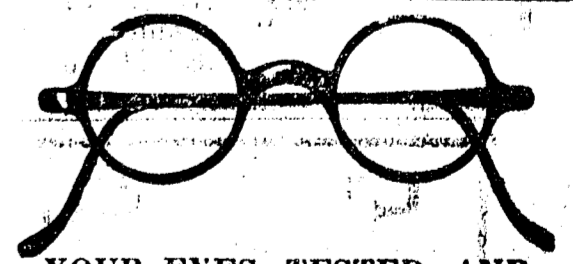
Beaufort defeated Amphitheatre in a football match 4-7 to 0-1. Hardy, Robertson, Holdsworth, Hannah, Cheeseman, and Tyrrell were prominent for Beaufort; the goal-kickers being Young, Hardy, and Welsh.

Mr D. S. Oman was re-elected as member of the Legislative Assembly for Hampden by a majority of 775; the defeated candidate being Mr T. R. Ashworth.

Mining yields for the week in Beaufort and district totalled 226 oz. As local representatives, Messrs. John Humphreys and J. W. Browne, of Beaufort, were present at the meeting of the Ararat and Stavell Mining Board, held at Stavell.

The military cantata, "Freddy's Button," was given at the Metchup Presbyterian Church. Rev. J. S. Drummond, Mrs Drummond, Miss Bertha Drummond, and Messrs. C. B. Williams, V. Wendt, and Mr J. S. Drummond took part.

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BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB.

FOUR-BALL COMPETITIONS.

Two four-ball, best ball competitions, against bogey, were held by the Beaufort Golf Club on Saturday; the men's event being won by H. E. Cuthbertson and P. T. Stevenson (6 up). In the women's competition, there was a tie between Mrs L. Watkin and Miss E. Nickols (9 up), and Mesdames W. W. Ashley and E. S. Crouch (9 up). The leading scores were:—

Men's Four-ball, Best Ball, Against Bogey.

H. E. Cuthbertson and P. T. Stevenson 6 up
 A. Barber and J. Kelly 4 up
 H. Carmichael and W. W. Ashley 4 up

S. Young and G. F. Ellis, 2 up; Dr. S. E. Humphreys and A. Dunn, 1 up; T. M. Bowe and H. J. Troy, 1 up; M. E. L. Watkin and J. F. Martin, 1 up; R. C. Hodgetts and G. Beggs, sq.; J. A. Harris and A. L. Witherspoon, sq.; H. V. Martin and N. H. Oddie, 1 down; Leo Young and P. George, 1 down.

Women's Four-ball, Best Ball Against Bogey.

Mrs L. Watkin and Miss E. Nickols 9 up
 Mesdames W. W. Ashley and E. S. Crouch 9 up
 Mrs M. E. L. Watkin and Miss M. Wilson 6 up

Mesdames T. M. Bowe and J. E. Day, 5 up; Mesdames A. W. Bossence and W. Broad, 5 up; Mrs S. Young and Miss A. Norman, 3 up; Mrs P. J. Kelly and Miss H. Beggs, 2 up; Miss M. Oddie and Mrs P. George, 2 up; Mrs R. C. Hodgetts and Miss B. Beggs, 1 up; Misses E. Lewis and Laird-Browne, 1 up; Mesdames A. M. Parker and A. Dunn, sq.; Misses A. Stewart and B. Schlicht, sq.; Misses J. Stevenson and D. Ward, 1 down.

KING'S BIRTHDAY COMPETITIONS.

Beaufort golfers spent an enjoyable time on the links on Monday (King's Birthday), when three competitions were got off, for which a large entry was received. In the morning the Men's Handicap was won by L. Young, with a net score of 62; the winner of the Women's Handicap being Miss E. Nickols (71 net). The Mixed Foursomes in the afternoon was won by Mrs McKay and C. H. McKay (97 net). Following are the leading scores:—

Men's Handicap, 18 holes.
 (Trophy, gift of Mrs A. Guyatt)

L. Young 87—25—62
 G. Beggs 86—15—71
 J. Kelly, 83—11—72; D. F. Troy, 94—20—74; H. J. Troy, 90—15—75; G. F. Ellis, 87—12—75; A. Barber, 87—12—75; R. C. Hodgetts, 92—16—76; J. A. Harris, 92—16—76; H. E. Cuthbertson, 98—21—77; J. W. Glover, 92—15—77; and K. M. Bowe, 96—18—78.

Women's Handicap, 18 holes.
 (Trophy presented by Mr C. H. Campbell).

Mrs E. Nickols 107—36—71
 Miss E. Ward 108—36—72
 Mrs W. W. Ashley, 96—23—73; Mrs W. Broad, 110—36—74; Mrs S. Young, 97—22—75; Mrs R. C. Hodgetts, 105—27—78; Mrs T. M. Bowe, 109—31—78; Miss B. Schlicht, 98—20—78; Mrs T. Beggs, 116—36—80; Mrs P. J. Kelly, 119—29—81; Mrs C. H. McKay, 118—36—82; Miss A. Stewart, 101—18—83.

Mixed Foursomes, 18 holes.
 (Trophies presented by Miss E. Lewis).

Mrs McKay and C. H. McKay 92—25—67
 Mrs Watkin and M. E. L. Watkin 90—21—69
 Miss H. Beggs and A. Barber, 93—23—70; Mrs P. J. Kelly and J. L. Kelly, 92—20—72; Mrs L. Watkin and H. J. Miller, 99—26—73; Mrs A. W. Bossence and H. V. Martin,

Mrs McKay and C. H. McKay 98—25—73; Mrs Ashley and W. W. Ashley, 97—23—74; Mrs Young and L. Young, 96—21—75; Mrs Broad and H. J. Troy, 101—26—75; Mrs George and P. J. George, 101—26—75; Miss B. Schlicht and P. T. Stevenson, 94—18—76; Mrs A. M. Parker and R. T. Macdonald, 99—23—76; Miss M. Oddie and N. H. Oddie, 96—20—76.

BEAUFORT GUN CLUB.

KING'S BIRTHDAY MEETING.

Teams' Match Won by Ballarat Sloggers.

There was a good attendance of shooters from various parts of the Ballarat district, Avoca, and Clyde, at the Beaufort Gun Club's King's Birthday meeting on Monday, when a lengthy programme of 10 events was got off. Messrs. T. E. Sands and L. Trahair shared the duties of referee, and Mr A. J. Saph acted as secretary, Messrs. W. I. Halpin and J. Duke as scorers, and Mr W. Gleeson as blackboard steward. The teams' match was won by the Ballarat Sloggers, and a £10 Starling Handicap was divided by P. Nunn, G. Jongbloed, and A. J. Saph. Afternoon tea was provided by the club, and dispensed by Mesdames A. J. Saph and W. Chibnall. Following are results of the various events:—

Four-bird Sparrow Sweepstake, of 5/ for a ham and a turkey.—There were ten nominations, and the ham was won by Davis on the sixth round. Reynolds and Whitrick divided the poultry.

Four-bird Sweepstake, of 5/ (sparrows), for a ham and a turkey.—There were 10 competitors. Graham won the turkey, and Leach the ham on the sixth round.

Starling Sweepstake of 5/ for four birds.—Divided by Whitrick, Jongbloed, and P. Nunn, on the eighth round. Twelve competitors.

Starling 4-bird Sweepstake of 5/—Ten competitors. Divided by T. E. Sands and Graham, on the fourth round.

Starling Handicap, of £10.—Eighteen double nominations and ten star nominations were received. Only four shooters—Jongbloed, Saph, Nunn, and Trahair—with one nomination each, were left in at the end of the seventh round. Trahair dropped out in the next round, and Nunn, Jongbloed, and Saph divided on the eighth round.

Starling Sweepstake, of 5/ for four birds.—There were 15 nominations. Divided by Vickery, Michell, and Sands, on the fourth round.

Teams' Match (four men each) for four cases of cutlery; fired from 23 yds. mark.—Five teams competed. Scores:—Ballarat Sloggers (G. Davis, B. Reynolds, L. Trahair, and F. Graham), 14/16.

Avoca (G. Jongbloed, C. Squires, M. Squires, and A. J. Saph), 13/16. Ballarat No. 1 (R. Vickery, V. Michell, I. Abrahams, and H. Richardson), 13/16.

Beaufort (J. Ellis, F. Ellis, A. J. Saph, and W. Ellis), 8/12. Snake Valley (P. Nunn, G. Whitrick, E. Leach, and F. Graham), 7/10.

Won by Ballarat Sloggers, who killed 14 birds out of 16.

Starling Sweepstake, of 5/ for four birds.—There were 14 nominators. Divided by Abrahams, Nunn, Trahair, and Sands, on the fourth round.

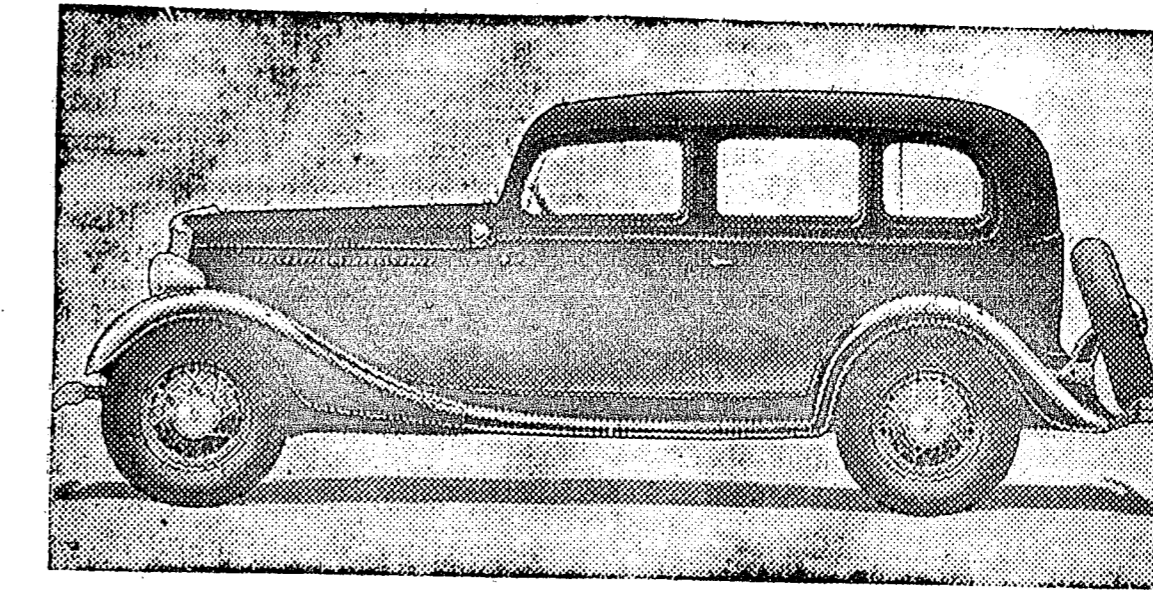
Pigeon Sweepstake, of 10/; first miss out.—Thirteen competitors. Richardson, C. Squires, Reynolds, and Trahair took 10/ each at the end of the sixth round. Shooting on Squires and Richardson missed, and dropped out in the seventh round, and Reynolds and Trahair killed, and divided the balance.

Pit-shooting (pigeons), off 20 yds. mark; 5/ sweepstake.—There were C. H. McKay, 118—36—82; Miss A. Stewart, 101—18—83.

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Messrs. Beggs and Croker, J's.P., presided over the Beaufort Police Court.

Mr McLeod was elected chairman, and Mr Humphreys secretary of the Beaufort Board of Advice for the ensuing year. The Education Department notified the board that tenders had been accepted for a new school at Eurimbeen. It was decided to urge the enlargement of the Beaufort school.

The Ripon Shire Athletic Club compiled a lengthy programme of sports for the annual gathering at Watkin's public gardens, Main Lead. The judges were Messrs. Wm. Smith and Geo. Carver, the handicappers Messrs. C. Symes, J. T. Harris, E. Ingram, and T. Witherden, the starter Mr C. Symes, the secretary Mr P. Newling, and the treasurer Mr J. F. Watkin.

A lad named G. Lennon was kicked by a horse at Main Lead, and his skull fractured.

A Government subsidy was granted to the Ripon Shire Council for making 105 chains of main road from Beaufort to Kelly's hotel on the Ararat road.

The question of opening the Beaufort Mechanics' reading room on Sunday was postponed on the casting vote of the president.

A letter appeared in which "Sentinel" criticised the proposed Larrick Bill.

At a conference of members of the Ripon and Ballarat shire councils, it was decided to take preliminary steps to have a weir erected at the outlet of Lake Burrumbeet, to cost £1500 or £1700.

Several cases were dealt with at the Beaufort County Court, presided over by His Honour Judge Skinner.

A general meeting of the New Golden Lake Co., Waterloo, was held, a company having been formed with capital of £2000 (£3 a share).

WEATHER FORECASTS FOR 1934.

"Giddon's Commonwealth Weather Forecast and Almanac for 1934" has been published, and the following meteorological forecast will be used with interest:—

VICTORIA.
 February opens showery; end of month fine and warm.

March, beginning of month fine and warm; remainder chiefly wind and showers.

April, chiefly winds and rains.

May, opens fine; rest of month squally rains.

June, cold winds and rains first part; fine and frosty latter part.

July, cold and wet, snow in mountains, some frosts in places.

August, first part fine and frosty; latter part cold, stormy rains, and snow.

September, chiefly fine.

October, first part showery; latter part fine and warm.

November, chiefly fine and warm.

December, beginning and end of month chiefly fine and warm; middle, little rain and wind. Drought year.

OBITUARY.

MR. JOHN CARMICHAEL.

The many friends of Mr John Carmichael, of Beaufort, learned with deep regret of his sudden death on Monday afternoon, at the residence of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Gordon George, of Lake Goldsmith. The late Mr Carmichael had recently been ill, but was about the town as usual on Saturday morning. He was 74 years of age, and a lifelong resident of Main Lead and Beaufort. A man of cheerful disposition and industrious habits, he was well liked and highly respected throughout the district. For many years he followed the occupations of the mining and road contracting. He took a keen interest in the Beaufort Bowling Club, of which he was a member for some years. He was also a very old member and former com-

mitteeman of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A., and often attended the meetings.

His wife pre-deceased him nearly seven months ago, and he leaves four sons and one daughter, besides a number of grandchildren. The sons are Messrs. James, John, David, and Donald Carmichael; the latter two residing in this district. The daughter is Mrs Gordon George, of Lake Goldsmith. Much sympathy is felt for them in their sad bereavement. Three of the sons served in the Great War, and one (the late Pte. Archie Carmichael) was killed in action in Belgium. The funeral of the late Mr John Carmichael took place on Wednesday; his remains being interred in the Beaufort Cemetery. A very large number of sorrowing relatives and sympathising friends showed deceased the last token of respect by attending. The hearse was preceded by about 30 members of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A. (of which deceased had been one of the oldest members).

The coffin was covered with beautiful floral tributes of sympathy, and was borne to the grave by four sons (Messrs. James, John, David, and Donald Carmichael), a son-in-law (Mr Gordon George), and a relative by marriage (Mr R. J. Millar). In addition to these, were present as chief mourners Mesdames G. George (daughter), James, John, and Don Carmichael (daughters-in-law). The Presbyterian burial service was read by the Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A.

Rev. Mr MacDougall also conducted a service at the house.

Messrs. H. Evans & Son, of Ballarat and Beaufort, carried out the funeral arrangements.

Oddfellows' Social.

The Beaufort Oddfellows held a successful euchre tournament and dance on Thursday night; Mr W. A. Skeite acting as secretary. The men's prize in the euchre tournament was won by Mr G. Wilson, and the ladies' prize was divided by Mrs C. Whitfield and Miss N. Stewart. The prizes at the secret table were awarded to Mrs A. M. Parker and Mr A Driver. The dance music was supplied by Mrs E. Whitfield. A biscuit supper was handed round.

FOOTBALL FIXTURES.

BURRUMBEET DISTRICT FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

The Draw.

Following is the draw for the Burrumbeet and District Football Association's competition (matches on the grounds of the clubs first named):—

May 5th—Beaufort v. Waubra; Burrumbeet v. Raglan; Learmonth, a bye.

May 12th—Raglan v. Learmonth; Waubra v. Burrumbeet; Beaufort, a bye.

May 19th—Learmonth v. Beaufort; Waubra v. Raglan; Burrumbeet, a bye.

May 26th—Burrumbeet v. Learmonth; Raglan v. Beaufort; Waubra, a bye.

June 2nd—Learmonth v. Waubra; Beaufort v. Burrumbeet; Raglan, a bye.

The second round will be the same as the first, with the grounds reversed, and the third round will be the same as the first in regard to teams and grounds.

The 21st July is to be kept open for Ballarat Country Week.

BEAUFORT TOWN BAND GIVES RECITAL.

Programme from Rotunda.

On Sunday afternoon the Beaufort Town Band gave a very enjoyable recital from the Neill-street rotunda. The weather was ideal, and a fair crowd gathered around. Bandmaster J. D'Albora was the conductor, and Messrs. K. Casoy, R. Jerrem, P. Richardson, G. Callinan, J. Ratcliffe, and A. Pike, of the Ballarat Soldiers' Memorial Band, were present to assist the local bandmen. A very pleasing programme, comprising the following selections, was effectively given:—March, "St. Kilda"; sacred selections, "Lavina" and "Shipley"; cornet solo (with band accompaniment), "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes"; Mr Roy Jerrem; selection, "Dawn of Spring"; march, "Coon's Birthday"; selection, "The Diamond Cross."

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COMMERCIAL. BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET. Tuesday. At the cattle market values were lower by 10/ a head. Quotations: Prime medium-weight bullocks, £9 to £10/10/; heavy, to £10/15/; good, £7/10/ to £8/10/; prime light-weight bullocks, £6/10/ to £7/10/; prime cows, £7 to £8; good, £5 to £6. Calves—Best, £6/13/6. Sheep—Prime crossbred wethers, 22/ to 25/; extra, to 26/4; good, 20/ to 22/; prime crossbred ewes, 20/ to 22/; extra, to 23/10; good, 16/ to 18/; prime merino wethers, 21/ to 22/10; good, 18/ to 20/.

BASKET BALL. BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION. BEAUFORT GOLDS v. NERRING. At Nerring on Saturday, the Beaufort Golds (19 goals) defeated Nerring (11 goals). The scores at the end of each term were:—First quarter—Golds, 4 goals; Nerring, 4 goals. Second quarter—Golds, 10 goals; Nerring, 9 goals. Third quarter—Golds, 14 goals; Nerring, 10 goals. Fourth quarter (final scores)—Beaufort Golds, 19 goals; Nerring, 11 goals.

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Ripon Council Given Two Months' Notice to Appoint Qualified Health Inspector

HEALTH INSPECTOR. APPOINTMENT MUST BE MADE WITHIN TWO MONTHS. The Ripon Shire Council on Monday received a letter from the Public Health Department, stating that it was decided by the Commission of Public Health that the council be advised that it must within two months from 31st May appoint a qualified health inspector, either as a full-time officer, or employed in conjunction with another municipality or municipalities; adding that the commission would favorably consider the formation of a group, embracing the Shires of Bungaree, Buninyong, Leigh, Lexton, Ripon, and the Boroughs of Clunes and Sebastopol.

From Shire of Ararat, asking if council could consider, the formation of a health group, consisting of the Shires of Ararat, Ripon, Lexton, and the Borough of Ararat. They had a qualified health inspector, and he would be relieved of all other shire work, and would be available as a full-time inspector. The salary would be payable in proportion to the municipal revenue.—Received. From Shire of Buninyong, convening a conference of all municipalities interested in the appointment of a qualified health inspector for Friday, 22nd June, at City Hall, Ballarat, to decide what action should be taken jointly or otherwise. Cr. Sinclair—They should get in touch with Ararat. The conference in Ballarat would be the same old thing. He thought they would get more satisfaction from Ararat than Ballarat. The secretary read a letter from the district health inspector, Mr. Straghan, who stated that he thought the commission would sanction Ripon joining the same group as Ararat. Ripon's share of the salary would be £74/1/8. The net salary was £265 1/. The secretary added that Ripon's share in the former group proposed was £74/14/8 salary and £45 travelling allowance. The president (Cr. Russell) said the difference in favour of Ararat was £9/14/.

Cr. Troy said the payment on a revenue basis was wrong. It should be on a population basis. It was ridiculous Ararat Borough getting off cheaper than Ripon Shire. Cr. Wills—That was one of the disadvantages of living in the country. They should all live in the town. Cr. Russell—The health of the shire could be looked after very well without an extra expense of about £150. Cr. Kirkpatrick—They should be represented at the Ballarat conference. Cr. Troy—We will send you. Cr. Sinclair—The Department would put on their own inspector, and charge them what they liked. They had to face it. Cr. McKay—Why could Ararat not include more municipalities? The secretary—He understood Stewart might come in later on. Cr. Roddis—If they took in Stawell and Ararat, they would not get the same satisfaction. They would still require their own health inspectors. Cr. McKay, in reply to Cr. Roddis, said that for all the beasts that died on the road, one man could do the whole of Victoria. (Laughter).

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Cr. Kirkpatrick — Ratepayers seemed to fall into line, as long as the council did not prohibit going on the road together. A good load was something like 9 cwt. to the tyre inch, and the limit of a load should be 5 cwt. to the inch. Any heavy load damaged the roads to a great extent. He was not in favour of closing roads altogether. He knew of 100 tons of straw that could not be pressed and carted in Ararat Shire, owing to a road being closed. He also knew of a man who cut some props some years ago, and was prohibited from going on the road to cart them, and they were still there. They should limit certain loads on certain roads the secretary had a list of. He suggested that the matter be deferred, and the West riding members discuss it after lunch. Cr. McDonald — They had the Width of Tyres Act, and if they carried that out, what more did they want? Cr. Kirkpatrick gave notice to move that the matter be an order of the day for next meeting; the West riding members to discuss it in the meantime. HAVE WE TURNED THE CORNER? The Politicians Say So. At the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday, the secretary reported that in four weeks £212/4/6 had been passed in sustenance here, representing £168 a unit. They also had 13 prospectors, who had had orders representing £5/5/ a week. Cr. Sinclair—And politicians say we have turned the corner. Cr. Wills—They would be quite keen over it, till they found out what the expenditure was going to be. Cr. Sinclair—They would not get a water scheme there without floating a loan. Cr. Sinclair moved that some of the councillors and the engineer attend the public meeting. Seconded by Cr. McDonald, and carried. It was understood that the secretary would notify the East and West riding councillors when the meeting was to be held. Bruce Sutton, CASH BUYER—Skins, Hides, Tallow, Wool.

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RIPON SHIRE REPORTS.

The following reports were dealt with at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday:-

Secretary's Report. Secretary's Financial Statement.—Receipts, £605/18/4; paid to bank, £605/18/4. Bank account credit balance last report, £916/12/4; cheques paid, £694/18/3; paid to bank as above, £605/18/4; Cr. balance, £827 12/5; total, £1522/19/8. Ridings account.—North, Dr. £410 18/4; East, Dr. £131/13/1; West, Cr. £1430/15/7; B.W.S., Dr. £264/17/1; Trust, Cr. £155/0/4.—Adopted, on motion of Crs. Roddis and Wills. The secretary said the East riding members would have to go slowly with their expenditure, and the West riding had a number of contracts let, which would reduce their credit balance.

Finance.

The following accounts were passed for payment on the recommendation of the finance committee:—A. Parker, £5/12/3; "Skipton Standard," £2/10/6; salaries, £74/18/6; engineer's car allowance, £8/6/8; E. Duncan, £3; G. V. Slater, £2/5/1; J. T. Glover, £11/10/1; W. F. Woolley, £1; E. Kelly, £3/7/3; Closer Settlement Board, £78/9/6; Treasury (water loan a/c.), £454/19/6; Victorian Insurance Co., 18/1; C. Morvell, £21 10/1; T. G. Millist, £6/14/8; Siemen's Ltd., £1/12/6; Electric Supply, £15 6/10; Northern Assurance Co., £1 7/9; T. E. Millist, £5; N. B. Acton, £2; R. Tiley, 12/1; Ryan & Stevens, £1/11/4; J. Nothnagel, 14/6; Whitfield Bros., 19/1; R. Ward, £2/9/6; A. Corbett, £2/1/8; J. A. Harris, £2 2/3; Yeoman Bros., £5/2/7; A. W. Dunstan, £5/1/6; H. Norman, £8 17/6; F. J. Webster, £1/9/6; Victorian Insurance Co., £5/14/9; Shire of Aarat (joint works), £145/6/10; Sands & Johnson, £2/19/10; Broadbent Bros., £2/17/1; Whitfield Bros., £7/10/1; Alf. Nunn, £79/18/2; Whitfield Bros., £97/17/11; Alf. Nunn, £25; vouchers, £247/0/2; Lyons Bros., £7/18/8; R. T. Peacock, £15; total, £1392/3/6. C.R.B. payments—Voucher, £19/12/1; W. S. Grigg, £80; voucher, £26/5/1; Whitfield Bros., £11/14/1; Shire of Ripon, £41 19/6; Shire of Ripon, £13/19/10; vouchers, £199/5/4; T. Fowler, £3 16/8; total, £396/11/5. The secretary—that would wipe out their credit balance. He could not give a statement of rates-to-day, as it was the last day for payment of rates to ensure enrolment.

Report of Electricity Supply Committee.

The electricity supply committee reported that at a meeting on 14/5/1934, attended by Crs. Troy (chairman), Sinclair, and McKay, a letter was read from the school committee, asking for a flat rate for power for heating purposes at the school.—Resolved that a flat rate of 7/6 per week be fixed, 6 hours daily, 5 days per week, for two radiators, power only. A letter was also read from R. G. Scott, re lighting. The following accounts were passed for payment, on the motion of Crs. McKay and Sinclair:—Wages, £58 2/; Loan a/c., £167/15/10; W. Adams & Co., £2/4/1; Railway Department, £14/14/1; Shell Co., £73/6/2; Noyes Bros., £2/12/6; Siemen's Pty. Ltd., £1/2/1; British General Electric Co., £25/19/10; total, £345 16/7. The report of the engineer-in-charge was received.—Adopted, on motion of Cr. Stewart.

Report of East Riding Members.

The East riding councillors reported that at a meeting on 14/5/34, attended by Crs. Russell, McDonald, and Roddis, it was resolved—that engineer inspect road at L. J. Greenbank's. That Greville Shire be informed that council was doing temporary work, Pitlong—Snake Valley road, without half-cost to them; and also that they had done temporary repairs, Linton-Mortchup road, without half-cost to them; and also let a

contract for Chepstowe—Pitlong road, below Guthrie's, without half-cost to them. That Sustenance Department be advised that East riding will provide supervision free, and could spend £150, 50 per cent. of which would be for extra sustenance labour, and 50 per cent. cartage and supply of materials on the following roads:—Beaufort-Carnham; Chepstowe—Snake Valley, Mena Park, Carnham—Stockyard Hill, Mortchup—Snake Valley, and Smythesdale roads. Re-form 20 chains from gate of L. Greenbank, senr's, south-erly. Re-form six to ten chains, Preston Hill—Raccourse road. Attend to about 13 chains boundary road, Bo-peeep, at Ripon's cost; Ballarat Shire to be advised. Attend to culvert at turn, north of Miss Fraser's, Bo-peeep, and also gorse at culverts, west of Morton's. Attend to patching, N. and S. road, near Bignall's corner. Attend to scour on hill, above gate near Baillie's Bridge, Trawalla lane. Paint fence, Snake Valley de-posit.—Adopted.

West Riding Members' Report.

The West riding councillors reported that at a meeting on 14/5/34, attended by Crs. Stewart, Kirkpatrick, and Wills, it was resolved that tenders be called for supply of material for Beaufort—Carnballac road, Mavallok road, and Carnham—Stockyard Hill road, near Exell's. At- tend to patching near Stockyard Hill Church. That culvert be put in, Wills road.—Adopted.

Report of Machinery Committee.

The machinery committee reported the purchase of a S.H. Clyde grader, 6 ft. blade, £15.—Adopted.

North Riding Members' Report.

The North riding members reported that at a meeting on 16/5/34, at- tended by Crs. Sinclair, Troy, and McKay, it was resolved to attend to drainage Ding Dong and at Heag- ney's. That new hand gate be put at Jackson's reservoir, and re-condition fencing around bank with existing fence. That trees be planted, Park road, and near Stare school. That three extra barrows be purchased. That swimming pool be deepened. That work, as agreed upon, be for- warded to Sustenance Department for approval. That trough at Trawalla be moved to more convenient site. That Ball's bridge be referred to the estimates. That back Raglan road, near Miller's, be attended to. That pressure level be investigated, Park road. Scour main rear of Rogers' and McNaughton's, and Stewart street at J. Stewart's. Mains, Burke and Wil- loby streets, to be cleaned. Scour at corner of Halpin's and Church of England Vicarage to be attended to. Jonathan's reservoir, fencing to be wire-netted, at cost of £25. Lop blue gun trees at rear of Rogers' and McNaughton's.—Adopted.

Meeting of Tenders Committee.

At a meeting held on 28/5/34, to deal with tenders, attended by Crs. Sinclair and Kirkpatrick, it was resolved to recommend to the council that the following tenders be ac- cepted.—No. 28/34—Alf. Nunn, £107. No. 29/34—Whitfield Bros., £33/10/1. No. 30/34—W. H. Williams, £15.—Adopted, on motion of Crs. McDon- ald, and Roddis.

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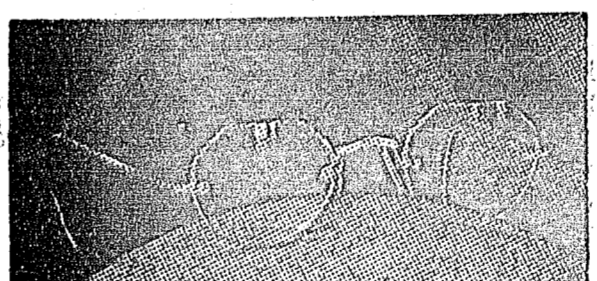
BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

BEAUFORT GREENS v. BEAUFORT GOLDS. In connection with the Beaufort district basket-ball competition, the Beaufort Greens (10 goals) defeated the Beaufort Golds (11 goals) at the local court on Saturday; the match being closely-contested, and one of the best for the season. The scores at the end of each term were:—First quarter—Greens, 4 goals; Golds, 1 goal. Second quarter—Greens, 10 goals; Golds, 4 goals. Third quarter—Greens, 14 goals; Golds, 9 goals. Fourth quarter (final scores)—Beaufort Greens, 16 goals; Beaufort Golds, 11 goals. Dulcie Parker captained the Greens, and Jean Day the Golds. The umpire was Clarice Pope. There was a good attendance of spectators, and afternoon tea was provided by the club.

RAGLAN v. WATERLOO.

At Waterloo on Saturday, Water- loo (20 goals) defeated Raglan (6 goals). The captains were Edna Rus- sell (Waterloo), and Gwen Thomson (Raglan). The umpire was Nancy Flynn.

To-day (Saturday) the Beaufort Greens will play Nerring at Beau- fort, and the Beaufort Golds will play Raglan at Raglan.



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BEAUFORT A.N.A.

PRESENTATION OF ENDOWMENT BONUS.

Mr W. M. Fitzpatrick (president) was in the chair at the fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A., on Tuesday night, at the Mechanics' Institute; 12 members being in attendance. Copies of the quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors were laid on the table. Mr N. S. McLeod (treasurer) reported a credit balance of £58/0/3. A letter was received from the Board of Directors, stating that Mr R. Ritchie (ex-chief-president) had reported favourably on his recent visit to the branch. A circular was read from the board, relative to the combined syl- labus. The Palais Dance Band wrote, seeking an engagement for the A.N.A. ball in July.—Referred to ball committee. A cheque was re- ceived from the board for £20, being Mr W. Packham's endowment bonus. Accounts and sick-pay amounting to £39/13/1 were passed for payment. Mr McLeod moved that the secre- tary's action in sending a letter of sympathy to the relatives of the late Mr John Carmichael be endorsed. Seconded by Mr L. Smith, and car- ried in silence, while the members remained standing. It was mention- ed that a goodly number of members had attended the funeral. Mr L. Smith presented Mr Walter Packham with a cheque for his endowment bon- us of £20. He said that Mr Packham had been a neighbour of his for over 30 years, and it was characteristic of him that he was always doing some- one a good turn. He congratulated him on participating in the increas- ed benefits given by the association to old members on attaining the age of 65 years. He hoped he would long be a member of the branch, and would be in even better health at his 75th birthday. Mr N. S. McLeod and the president spoke in support. Mr Packham, in responding, thanked the speakers sincerely for their kind remarks, and the nice 65th birthday present. He had always been proud of the association, and more so re- cently, since he had seen what it had done for its members in the way of increased benefits. Mr McLeod re- minded members of the fortnightly card socials and the A.N.A. ball. A committee meeting was arranged for Monday night next.

Cold Weather.

There was a severe frost at Beau- fort on Tuesday morning; the shad- temperature at 9 o'clock being 36 de- grees.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

EFFORT FOR FORTHCOMING BAZAAR.

Something in the nature of a mu- sical treat was given by the Beaufort ladies on Thursday afternoon, when well-known Ballarat artists supplied an excellent programme at a cafe chautauq, organised by Mrs Richard O'Neil, in aid of the produce stall at the forthcoming Catholic bazaar. The musical programme was arranged by Mrs L. O'Neil and Miss Russo, of Ballarat, and con- sisted of pianoforte selections by Mrs L. O'Neil, solos by Mesdames Inglis, Ritchie, and Miss Barnes, cornet solos by Mr Roy Jerram, and recita- tions by Mrs Thompson. Every item was greatly appreciated, and the artists had to respond to many encores. There was also some community singing, which all enjoyed greatly. Mrs L. O'Neil acted as accompaniste for the afternoon.

Mrs Darling, Mayoress of Balla- rat, was the guest of honour, and performed the opening ceremony. She said that she was delighted to be present for two reasons. One was to help such a worthy cause as the Church, and the other that she was in the Beaufort C.W.A. building, and could see what fine work that branch had done. The association was very dear to her heart. She hoped that this effort would be crowned with success. Mrs O'Neil was well-known in Balla- rat, and was always ready to help anyone, so that it had been a pleas- ure to come and help her to-day. Bal- larat artists had proved that they were able to give a concert second to none, and she was very proud of them. She had much pleasure in de- clarating the cafe chautauq opened.

Miss Dossie O'Neil presented a beautiful bouquet to Mrs Darling. During an interval a tasty after- noon tea was served, and at the con- clusion of the musical items, the Mayoress, on behalf of Mrs O'Neil, moved a hearty vote of thanks to the performers. This was carried by ac- clamamation, and they were each pre- sented with a box of home-made sweets.

A well-stocked stall was looked af- ter by the younger members of the congregation. Guessing competitions were won by Mrs Darling and Mrs T. Ryan.

The function concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.

Rainfall. On Wednesday night 16 points of rain fell at Beaufort.

FOOTBALL FIXTURES.

BURRUMBEET DISTRICT FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

The Draw. Following is the draw for the Bur- rumbeet and District Football Asso- ciation's competition (matches on the grounds of the clubs first named):— May 5th—Beaufort v. Waubra; Burrumbeet v. Raglan; Learmonth, a bye. May 12th—Raglan v. Learmonth; Waubra v. Burrumbeet; Beaufort, a bye. May 19th—Learmonth v. Beau- fort; Waubra v. Raglan; Burrum- beet, a bye. May 26th—Burrumbeet v. Lear- month; Raglan v. Beaufort; Waubra, a bye. June 2nd—Learmonth v. Waubra; Beaufort v. Burrumbeet; Raglan, a bye. The second round will be the same as the first, with the grounds re- versed, and the third round will be the same as the first in regard to teams and grounds. The 21st July is to be kept open for Ballarat Country Week.

VOLUNTARY MILITARY SERVICE.

Captain L. G. Binns and regiment- al staff of the 8th Battalion will visit Beaufort on Tuesday next for the issue of uniform, arms, and ac- countments by the local militia de- tachment. Enlisted members are re- quested to report at the C.W.A. Hall, Havlock street, from 7.30 p.m. onwards. Additional recruits desir- ing to enlist will be accepted for the Beaufort Detachment.

The Divisional Commander, Brig- adier J. T. McCoy O.B.E., M.C., has notified Regimental Headquarters, Ballarat, that he will visit Beau- fort and make an inspection of the militia at an early date.

The 76th birthday of the Ballarat Regiment ("The Victorian Rangers") will be honored by a military ball, to be held in the Civic Hall on 1st Aug- ust. It is anticipated that many members of the old regiment will be present on the occasion. Applications for invitations should be made to the Adjutant, Drill Hall, Ballarat.

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Bishop of Ballarat Holds Dedication Service.

A large congregation, representative of the various Anglican Churches in the parish and of other denominations, was present at St. John's Church of England, Beaufort, on Sunday morning, when two memorials were impressively dedicated by the Right Rev. Dr. Crick, Bishop of Ballarat, at the termination of a communion service. A bronze tablet has been affixed to the eastern wall of the building behind the pulpit in memory of the late Canon W. C. Wood, and bears the following inscription:—"To the glory of God, in affectionate remembrance of Rev. Walter Charles Wood, honorary Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, Ballarat, and vicar of this Church, 1916-1927. Erected by worshippers." Altar curtains and a small bronze tablet have been provided by the Girls' Friendly Society, in memory of the late Mrs Gertrude Sands, wife of Mr A. H. Sands, and an earnest Church worker for many years; the tablet being inscribed as follows:—"To the glory of God, and in loving memory of Gertrude Sands, these curtains are a grateful tribute from the G.F.S."

An impressive and appropriate address was given by the Right Rev. Dr. Crick, as the text of which he chose the following words from St. John:—"This victory has overcome the world in our faith." They were uttered, the Bishop said, in joy and assurance by the most beloved and marked special friend of Jesus Christ. They might say that perhaps in 100 years, Christianity would overcome the world, but St. John said the victory had overcome the world—the matter was settled, the conquest was over. What did St. John really mean by faith? St. John looked on the faith and thought of Christ as only a symbol, when contemplating the age-long battle between good and evil. They all had the haunting feeling of imperfection and incompleteness, and the Christ was the finest symbol of that contest. Young people asked what was the good of doctrine, and why was the Church always fighting over doctrine. Doctrine was not a kind of barrier to the tabernacle of the Church, but was merely what they tried to see it through. There must have been a wonderful riot of joy in Christianity in the early days, even when the early Christians reached the great bogey, death, which was just like passing through a door into another room. They got the idea of missions by what they believed to be the Holy Catholic Church. The rock on which Christ built was just a few men and women who were prepared to give up all they had, and believe what He told them was true—that He was the Son of God. The world, when the Church was built, was not entirely sinful. Their Lord said its ideals could not be relieved unless they were brought into conformity with the Christ—unless the ideal of love was made the dominant power of the world. The Church of God, in good and evil report, had stood. They should each do something more to make this more like the kingdom of God. Christianity was not merely a kind of hope, but

really a great world power—the great spiritual power of the world. They should be more conscious of what the Church of God meant to them. Parents in these days were seeing more than before the need to lead and bring their children up in the faith of God, to lead them to the Church, and not merely to send them. They had the weapons with which this battle would be finally settled—the weapons of prayer and love. They had to realise that they had to go to God to have their ideals made clean again. This morning he looked back on the Church of God, and thought of the early martyrs. Then they had the peculiar class, the priests of the Church, whom they called the clergy. They had the same temptations and weaknesses as the people. They were ordained because they could not resist the call of God, and must obey. They were the officers in the army of God, but they did not give orders to the Church of God, of which they were the servants. They were trying to show Christ, work them with love, and give them a fuller knowledge of God. Their position was chiefly in a pastoral sense. This was a very holy connection, and more wonderful when they thought of a priest who served God in their town. This morning he was here to dedicate a memorial erected to the memory of Walter Charles Wood, vicar of Beaufort. They knew what he was. They knew his qualities, and the mark he left on this Church. Representatives had come from the different Churches and other denominations to think of him, and thank God for his work. He was only one of the great army of witnesses to God. May they be more faithful and more understanding about the Church of God, when they thought of the life work of their late vicar, and when they remembered the wonderful certainty of St. John when he spoke of the faith which overcame the world. Men like the late Walter Charles Wood knew God, and showed how they, too, could be quite secure in the faith.

Holy Communion having been celebrated, the Bishop impressively dedicated the memorial tablet to the late Canon W. C. Wood (after it had been unveiled by his eldest son, Mr Graham Wood), and subsequently dedicated the curtains and tablet erected to the memory of Mrs Gertrude Sands. The service closed with the singing of "For All the Saints Who From Their Labours Rest," and the benediction was pronounced by Dr. Crick. Miss Eva Nickols was the organist.

C.W.A. NOTES.

The Streatham branch of the C.W.A. celebrated their third birthday on Tuesday, 12th inst. Miss Lewis (group president) presided. Visitors were present from Beaufort, Skipton, and Willaura. Rev. A. G. Roy gave a patriotic address, which was much enjoyed. Musical items were given by Mrs Cox and Miss Fraser. Beautiful bouquets were presented to the visitors. A dainty afternoon tea was served in the adjoining supper-room. In addition to this, each visitor received a piece of birthday cake, which was made by Mrs Thomson, and decorated by Miss Forbes.

OBITUARY.

MR. EDWIN ROGERS.

Mr Edwin Rogers, a very old and highly respected former resident of Beaufort, and for the past seven years a resident of Coburg, died in a private hospital in Melbourne on Saturday at the age of 74 years. He spent the greater part of his life—about 67 years—in the Beaufort district, where he was for many years employed as a carpenter on various station properties, and also on the staff of Messrs. Stevenson Bros., the local builders. He was of a quiet disposition, and was well liked by all who knew him. His wife predeceased him some years ago, and he leaves a family of nine sons and three daughters to mourn their loss. The sons are Messrs. Keith Rogers (Red Cliffs), Roy Rogers (Swan Hill), Eddie Rogers (Ballarat), Bruce Rogers (Red Cliffs), Alex. Rogers (Red Cliffs), Doug. Rogers (Melbourne), Archie Rogers (Melbourne), Graham Rogers (Melbourne), and David Rogers (Ballarat); the daughters being Miss Annabel Rogers and Mesdames Kerr and Montflore, all of Melbourne. There are also 13 grandchildren. Seven sons of the deceased served with the A.I.F. in the Great War.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon; the remains of the late Mr Rogers being laid to rest in the Beaufort Cemetery; many sorrowing relatives and sympathising friends attending. The coffin was borne to the grave by six sons of the deceased, namely, Messrs. Keith, Roy, Bruce, Eddie, Douglas, and Alex. Rogers; the pall-bearers being Messrs. Archie and David Rogers (sons), Philip, James P., and Albert Rogers (brothers), Ray Rogers (nephew), R. A. D. Sinclair, and W. J. Stevenson. In addition to the relatives mentioned as coffin and pall-bearers, the following were the chief mourners:—Mrs E. Kerr, Mrs Montflore (daughters), Mrs J. Simpson (sister), Mr Harold Rogers (brother), Mr and Mrs A. Fraser (brother-in-law and sister-in-law), Mr J. Fraser (nephew), Mr and Mrs W. Anderson (brother-in-law and sister-in-law), Miss B. Rogers (sister), and Messrs. Montflore and Kerr (sons-in-law of deceased). The Presbyterian burial service was conducted by the Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A. A number of floral tributes was received. The funeral arrangements were carried out by Mr John Allison (Mr Roy V. Allison), of Brunswick.

MRS. EMILY HOSKEN.

The funeral of the late Mrs Emily Hosken, widow of the late Rev. Richard Hosken, who was in charge of the Church of England Parishes of Talbot, Beaufort, Buninyong, and St. Stephen's, Ballarat East, took place on Wednesday, 13th June. The deceased lady was widely esteemed for her kind and sympathetic disposition and Christian character. The remains were removed from St. John's Anglican Church, where service was conducted by the Rev. G. E. Menlove. At the close of the service, the cortege proceeded to the Buninyong Cemetery, where the remains were interred in the family grave. Numerous floral tributes were placed on the coffin. The coffin-bearers at the Church were Messrs. T. R. Smith, W. Hawker, W. Lovett, and E. G.

BASKET BALL.

BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

NERRING v. BEAUFORT.

NEW COURT OPENED.

In connection with the Beaufort district basket ball competition, Nerring visited Beaufort on Saturday afternoon, and played the local Greens on the new court in the Fire Brigade reserve. The Beaufort girls also wore their new uniform for the first time. The court was officially opened by Mrs S. E. Humphreys (president of the Beaufort branch, C.W.A.)

Mrs Humphreys said she was sorry the president of the Basket-Ball Association (Miss E. Lewis) was not here, but she sent her good wishes. It was a nice site for a basket-ball court, and they were thankful to the Shire Council for granting permission to use it. It would improve the reserve, and also be an improvement to the appearance of the town. She was very envious of the girls in being able to take part in organised sport. The previous generation of girls did not have this privilege. Sport served them in three ways. It was restful for the mind, provided exercise for the body, and developed character. She hoped they would have many pleasant hours of sport, and derive great benefit from it. She had pleasure in declaring the new basket-ball court open for 1934.

Mrs Humphreys then cut the ribbon, and bounced the ball.

Beaufort Greens (17 goals) defeated Nerring (7 goals). The scores at the end of each term were:—First quarter—Greens, 4 goals; Nerring, nil. Second quarter—Greens, 7 goals; Nerring, 3 goals. Third quarter—Greens, 12 goals; Nerring, 5 goals. Fourth quarter (final scores)—Beaufort Greens, 17 goals; Nerring, 7 goals. The captains were Mrs L. James (Nerring) and Dulcie Parker (Beaufort). The umpire was Clarice Pope. The visitors were entertained at afternoon tea at the C.W.A. Hall.

BEAUFORT GREENS v. RAGLAN.

At Raglan the Beaufort Goids (15 goals) defeated Raglan (13 goals), in a well-contested match. The captains were Jean Day (Goids) and Gwen Thomson (Raglan); the umpire being Mrs E. Drew.

To-day (Saturday) Raglan and the Beaufort Greens play at Beaufort. Waterloo and Nerring will meet at Nerring. Beaufort Goids have the bye.

HOST HOLBROOK says: For the Bridge Party, prepare a plate of nice, dainty sandwiches, made with Holbrook's Anchovy Paste.

Waldrey, and at the cemetery Messrs. S. Walsh, W. Lovett, Geo. Boreham, and A. Hickey. The chief mourners were the Rev. W. H. and Mrs Macfarlan (son-in-law and daughter), Miss McVitty (sister), Mr and Mrs Welsh, Mrs Nettleton, and the Rev. F. W. Ramsay. They were accompanied by representatives of the vestry of St. John's Church. The Bishop and the Diocesan Council were represented by the Vicar of St. John's Church. Many prominent citizens were present. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Messrs. G. Ludbrook and Son.

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COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday.
Only 166 cattle were yarded. About half consisted of bullocks, including some prime station-bred bullocks. A steady demand for the best quality at late rates. Cows were cheaper for all grades. Prime medium-weight bullocks sold at £9/10/ to £10/10/; heavy, to £11/10/; good, £8 to £9; light-weight bullocks, £7 to £8; prime cows, £7 to £8; good, £5 to £6; useful, £3 10/ to £4/10/. There were 99 calves penned, chiefly useful. Best made £6 11/. Sheep had an increased penning of 3470. Trade quality was lightly supplied. With a keen demand from the trade and exporters, values became fully 1/ a head dearer as the sales proceeded; the market closing strong. Prime crossbred wethers, 23/ to 26/4; good, 20/ to 22/; prime crossbred ewes, 20/ to 22/; extra, 24/ to 26/10; good, 16/ to 18/; prime merino wethers, 22/ to 24/; extra to 25/8; good, 18/ to 20/. A decreased offering of lambs totalled 1590. There was a fair selection of trade quality. The trade demand was keen. Values remained steady throughout. Prime, 21/ to 23/; extra, 24/ to 26/1; good, 17/6 to 19/6; useful, 14/ to 16/.

Messrs. D. R. Hannah and Co. report:—Cattle—6 steers, Mr J. R. Thomas, Ascot, to £6/15/; 5 cows, Mrs F. Thomas, Smythes road, to £6/7/6; 1 cow, Mr L. Lindsay, Wendouree; 1 cow, Mr W. Frank, Warracknabeal. Calves—5, Mr J. R. Thomas, Ascot, to £4/4/. Sheep—134 merino ewes, Messrs. Phillips Bros., Staveley; 88 comeback wethers, Mr Thos. W. Hannah, Lamonde, Stockyard Hill, 24/4 to 22/4, averaging 23/3; 47 comeback wethers, Major Alex. Russell, Mawallok Estate, Beaufort, 24/4 to 22/10, averaging 23/6; 2 rams, Mr Jas. Gordon, Learmonth; 1 ewe, same owner. Lambs—91, Messrs. Phillips Bros., Staveley, to 24/4, averaging 22/1; 42, Mr Jas. Gordon, Learmonth, to 17/4; 40, Mr W. Waldron, Carranballac, 19/7 to 17/7, averaging 18/6; 1, Miss Winnie Sewell, Kooroocheang, at 26/7.

The following district sales are reported by other auctioneers:—30 comeback wethers, Mr H. Hayward, Skipton, to 20/, averaging 19/7; 10 bullocks, Major Alex. Russell, Mawallok, Beaufort, £11/10/ to £10/7/6, averaging £10/17/9, top price and average of the market; 47 merino wethers, same owner, 24/10 to 23/7, averaging 24/5, top price and average; 101 crossbred and comeback wethers and ewes, Mr H. Briody, Lexton, wethers to 20/3, ewes to 17/4; 10 comeback wethers, Mr J. H. Walker, Skipton, 21/7 to 15/; 15 lambs, Mrs E. Whitfield, Beaufort, 19/7; 1 lamb, Miss Betty Ball, Raglan, 24/; 50 merino wethers, Mr C. M. Chase, Skipton, to 22/4; 48 crossbred and comeback ewes, Mr J. R. Gibb, Skipton, to 18/10; 1 comeback wether, same owner, 20/4; 12 merino wethers, Mr A. H. Kay, Chepstove, to 22/1, averaging 18/4; 100 comeback wethers, Mr Jos. Broidy, Lexton, 22/10 to 25/4, averaging 23/10.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

CARRANBALLAC.

In the Minnera and district football competition on Saturday, Carranballac were at home to the Rovers, and defeated them by 29 points. As usual when the Rovers are playing, the game was rough and crowded. A strong wind blowing at an angle across the ground made scoring difficult. The home team fielded their best side, but the visitors were without the services of three of their regular players. However, they have plenty of reserves, and fielded a good, even side. The first quarter was evenly contested, but the visitors made the better use of their chances, scoring 3-1 to 0-4. In the second quarter the home team prevailed, and adding 2-3 to 0-2, were only two points behind. In the third quarter, with a slight advantage from the wind, the visitors could only manage five points, while the home team added 2-6. The home team held a lead of 11 points at the commencement of the last term, and adding 3-7 to 1-1, won rather easily. Final scores:—Carranballac, 7-20; Rovers, 4-9. Some very easy shots for goal were missed by both sides. The goal-post was hit on three occasions, twice by W. Waldron for the home side, and once by Davidson for the visitors. W. Waldron scored six goals for the home side, and A. Kelly one. For the visitors the goal-kickers were J. Knight (2), W. Holdsworth, and F. Marney. W. Waldron has kicked 33 goals for his side in six matches, and is proving a clever and reliable forward.

Streatham (10-10) defeated Tatyoon (8-8).

This is the end of the first round of home and home matches, and the positions of the clubs are:—Carranballac, 20 points; Tatyoon, 12; Rovers, 8; and Streatham, 8.

A grand ball, run by the ladies in aid of the hall funds, was very successful. Over £15 was taken, and a good credit balance shown. The music was supplied by the Beaufort Orchestra, and was very much appreciated by the dancers. Supper was provided by the local ladies, to whom the best thanks of the hall committee is due.

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Mechanics' Institute.—First Monday in the month.
Fire Brigade.—First Monday in the month.
Bush Nursing Hospital Committee.—Second Monday in the month.
C.W.A.—First Thursday in the month.
C.Y.M.S.—Second Monday in the month.
Brass Band.—First Wednesday in the month.
Fiery Creek Lodge.—Second Wednesday in the month.
Mark Lodge.—Fourth Thursday in every second month.
A.N.A.—Every alternate Tuesday. Mothers' Guild meets alternate Tuesday to A.N.A.
Oddfellows.—Every alternate Thursday to Rechabites.
Rechabites.—Every alternate Thursday to Oddfellows.
School Committee.—Monthly.
Literary and Debating Society.—Alternate Tuesdays to A.N.A. (winter months only).
Mechanics Bridge.—Fourth Monday in month.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

RAGLAN.
School Plantation.
The Raglan plantation tree-planting was carried out over last weekend. Over 300 pinus insignis were planted out. The weather was fine, and the planting was carried out expeditiously. The five acres of land is now nearly half-planted, and the first trees, now five years old, present a fine sight.

School Football.
The return match between Raglan and Main Lead took place on Friday, 15th inst., at Raglan. The boys had a good game, though the strong wind rather spoilt their kicking. Raglan had a load of five points at half-time, but the Main Lead boys tired, and Raglan ran away, and won with the scores:—Raglan, 14—27 (111 points); Main Lead, 8—7 (55 points).
The Raglan ladies provided a tasty afternoon tea, which the boys enjoyed, perhaps as much as the game.

CYCLE CLUB.

ROAD RACE WON BY W. STEWART.
Same Rider Registers Fastest Time.
Thirteen riders lined up for a 13-mile road race, held on the Trawalla road on Saturday by the Beaufort Cycling Club, and there was a good finish. The officials were Messrs. E. R. Martin (president), D. R. Brent (secretary), P. Hains, A. Cougle, and F. Latch. Results:—
W. Stewart, 35 sec. ... 1
F. Schmidt, 100 sec. ... 2
C. Kay, 140 sec. ... 3
E. Stevens finished fourth, C. Stewart fifth, L. Wangler sixth, J. Hains seventh, and J. Pearce eighth.
The winner (W. Stewart) covered the distance in 36 min. 11 sec, which was the fastest time recorded.
Fastest unplaced time was obtained by E. Stevens (75 sec.), who accomplished the journey in 37 min. 1 sec.
At the finish of the race, the winner had about a dozen lengths to spare, and approximately the same distance separated second and third.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTION.

Nelson Province Poll.
Mr. Currie on Mining Development.
The returning officer (Lieut.-Colonel H. W. Dunkley) declared the Nelson Province poll in the St. Arnould Town Hall on Saturday. The result was:—
Currie (U.A.P.) ... 3265
Hucker (U.C.P.) ... 1863
Majority for Currie ... 1392
Returning thanks, Mr Currie said that the financial plight of farmers was partly the result of high taxation. Mining required more encouragement. Duties on machinery and chemicals for mining should be removed. The charge of 5/ an acre for leases, and the royalty on timber for mining, were too high. He proposed to have all those matters reviewed in Parliament.
Speaking on behalf of Mr Hucker, Mr E. N. Barton said that the candidates had been grieved at the state of the rolls. Many electors were not enrolled, while the names of many dead persons were on the rolls.
Mr A. O. Lawrence, who was forest officer stationed at Ballarat, and is well-known in Beaufort, and left to attend the Forestry School at Oxford University as the holder of a Russell Grimwade scholarship, has returned to Melbourne. Mr Lawrence spent 15 months at Oxford, and did a brilliant course there.

Removal of Hall.

Steps were taken recently to remove the Mount Cole hall to what was considered to be a more central position, on the Warrak memorial reserve, at the intersection of Mt. Cole and Buangor roads. Blocks for the building had been put in, when a vigorous protest was made, and a Supreme Court writ was issued.

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Record Attendance.

The Beaufort Catholic Centenary ball, held at the Picture Theatre on Wednesday night, easily eclipsed its many brilliant predecessors. There was a record attendance of from 150 to 160 couples, and the takings exceeded £53. The result reflects great credit upon the organising committee and the energetic secretaries (Messrs. W. M. Fitzpatrick and T. Ryan). Dancers were present from Ballarat, Ararat, Skipton, Burrumbeet, and all parts of the Beaufort district, and the gathering was an outstanding success from a social point of view. Rev. Father C. Mulcahy represented the clergy. The ballroom had been tastefully decorated with black and tango streamers, and the many pretty frocks in evidence lent colour to the gay scene. The music supplied by Mr Allan Payne's orchestra from Ballarat was much appreciated, and Mr Wyn Bryce was a capable and energetic M.C. During the evening a couple of songs were nicely given by Miss Marge Wellington, of Ballarat. A card dance was won by Mr Robt. Dunn and Miss E. Philby, and a novelty dance by Mr T. Kelly and Miss Jean Ward. A very tasty supper was handed round by the members of the C.Y.M.S. and the ladies; the catering arrangements being in the hands of the latter, and being highly creditable to them. After the supper interval, the music for an extra dance was supplied by Mr E. Wilson and Miss Connie Baker.

Following is a description of many of the dresses worn:—
Miss Annie Briody, pink satin, black cape.
Miss Alice Heffernan, white georgette.
Miss Dorrie Goodie, blue pan velvet, silver kid shoes.
Miss Rene O'Loughlan, lemon silk velvet, silver relief.
Miss Connie Baker, apricot crinkle crepe, with shoes and coat to tone.
Miss Julie Curran (Burrumbeet), blue georgette.
Miss Kath McDonald (Streatham), lemon georgette.
Miss M. Cameron, wind-blown satin, apple-green.
Miss Olive Pearce, shell-pink lace, silver lame trimmings.
Miss Dulcie Hill, maize crinkle crepe, shoes to match.
Miss K. O'Neil, pale pink flat crepe, silver lame cape.
Miss Doss O'Neil, midnight blue, wind-swept crepe.
Miss Marge O'Neil, shell pink satin.
Mrs W. Gleason, green wind-swept satin, coatee to match.
Miss Norrie Fitzpatrick, black krinkle crepe.
Miss Joan Daniels, white krinkle crepe, black cape.
Miss Joan Rogers, pink georgette, broadcaded cape.
Miss Jean Ward, green satin, sequin cape.
Miss Constance Kinnersly (Learmonth), pink krinkle crepe, with pink and green platted trimmings.
Miss W. McCormick, blue georgette, with pink trimmings, shoes, etc., to match.
Miss Irene Fay, pink georgette.
Miss Louie Molloy, red satin.
Miss Doris Fay, white georgette.
Miss Claire Flynn, green lace.
Miss Sheila Lynch, white crepe ro-maine, charmin effect.
Miss Mary McCormick, silk blue velvet and pink georgette.
Miss Aloysia O'Brien (Skipton), almond green georgette.
Miss Dorothy Elliott (Skipton), saxe blue wind-swept satin.
Miss D. O'Brien, red satin and coatee.
Miss Elsie Eames, shell pink satin.
Miss M. Ransome, Ballarat, black satin, slippers to tone.
Miss Sylvia Gillingham, red satin, slippers to tone.

Miss Lorna Cole, blue georgette.
Mrs C. Wellington, black lace.
Miss Marge Wellington, wine georgette, white cape.
Miss Clarice Pope, pink pebble crepe.
Miss Kath Stapleton (Ararat), apricot flat crepe, lame coatee.
Miss Thelma Flynn (Ballarat), apple green sink net, cherry velvet trimmings.
Miss Bessie Flynn (Ballarat), green lace and georgette.
Miss Margaret Collins (Ballarat), flame frock, relieved with gold lame.
Miss Reidy Leyden (Skipton), violet morocain.
Miss Brenda Bagnall (Carranballac), red sand crepe.
Miss Sheila Day (Skipton), white organdie.
Miss Doreen Bagnall (Carranballac), green organdie.
Miss Peggy Leyden (Skipton), blue, wind-swept satin.
Miss K. Liston, green pebble crepe and gold lame.
Miss V. O'Loughlan, green French-embroidered organdie.
Miss M. O'Loughlan, canary frock.
Miss N. Fay, red frock.
Miss E. Camm, black satin.
Miss K. Donaher, black velvet and lace.
Miss P. Brennan (Ararat), black and white crepe satin, lame coatee to match.
Miss M. Kelley.
Miss Jean Gray, black lace.
Miss Alice Burnett (Ballarat), blue silk morocain.
Miss Elsie Harbridge, black morocain.
Mrs Clyde Jaensch, krinkle satin and velvet, relieved with silver, silver shoes.
Miss Jean Claffey, pink georgette.
Miss Phyllis McKinnis, red satin.
Miss Jessie McDonald, lemon satin, blue shoes.
Miss Jean McDonald, white satin, red shoes.
Miss May Dickman, pink crush velvet.
Miss Sheila Fay, vieux rose krinkle crepe, silver lame trimmings.
Miss Dulcie Parker, pink pebble crepe and gold lame, worn with black velvet cape, and shoes en suite.
Miss Marj. Parker, apple-green crinkle crepe, green velvet shoes, and black coatee to tone.

FOOTBALL FIXTURES.

BURRUMBEET DISTRICT FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

The Draw.

Following is the draw for the Burrumbeet and District Football Association's competition (matches on the grounds of the clubs first named):—
May 5th—Beaufort v. Waubra; Burrumbeet v. Raglan; Learmonth, a bye.
May 12th—Raglan v. Learmonth; Waubra v. Burrumbeet; Beaufort, a bye.
May 19th—Learmonth v. Beaufort; Waubra v. Raglan; Burrumbeet, a bye.
May 26th—Burrumbeet v. Learmonth; Raglan v. Beaufort; Waubra, a bye.
June 2nd—Learmonth v. Waubra; Beaufort v. Burrumbeet; Raglan, a bye.
The second round will be the same as the first, with the grounds reversed, and the third round will be the same as the first in regard to teams and grounds.
The 21st July is to be kept open for Ballarat Country Week.

Raglan School.
A contract for repairs to the Raglan school has been let to Mr L. Donald, of Ballarat, at £27/12/6.

FOOTBALL.

BURRUMBEET DISTRICT COMPETITION.

LEARMONTH v. RAGLAN.

(Contributed).

Raglan visited Learmonth last Saturday with a team that was not at full strength. W. Bryce and Joe Jess replaced R. Smith (at work) and Ted Kelly (heavy cold) from the team which defeated Burrumbeet the week before. In addition, Col. Irving played under difficulties with a bad attack of neuralgia, and J. Lyttille, after receiving a kick in the knee in the first quarter, had to continue as the nineteenth man, and was in nearly as bad a state. The players found the ground strange; its great width in comparison with the length favouring a type of wing play which is not often exploited in this competition. The Learmonth team played a fine game of football; their marking, pace, and anticipation being good. Both sides found the decisions of the central umpire hard to follow, and his exhibition was not first-class.

In the first half, the Raglan team, outmarked, outpaced and outgeneral-ed, floundered badly, and it was only the good exhibition of several players, coupled with the fact that Learmonth were inclined to overdo the wing play, that kept the Raglan team in a respectable position at all. At the end of the first quarter, Learmonth led by 2-1 to 1-2.

With the wind in the second quarter, Learmonth added 3-1, while holding Raglan to two points, and Raglan faced a deficit of 22 points at half-time—5-2 to 1-4.

The Raglan team listened to a severe lecture from their coach (W. Bryce) at half-time, and came out to play a more determined game. Holding the ascendancy in the ruck, and with the forwards scouting well, Raglan attacked constantly, and with a little more steadiness in front of goal, would have been in a good position. All the behinds scored were from comparatively easy shots, while Learmonth in a few attacks, added 2-1, and still led by 7-3 to 4-7 at the last change.

Raglan strengthened up the attacking division in the last quarter. Several times they were within striking distance, but the goals still eluded the forwards, and with the back men of each side in the ascendancy, 1-3 was added to both scores, and Learmonth won, with the final scores, 8-6 (54 points) to 5-10 (40 points).

Goal-kickers:—Learmonth—J. Donovan (5), J. Ryan, Hender, and Kenn. Raglan—E. Drew (3), L. Lyttille, and Waldron.

On the Learmonth side, perhaps Grills, P. Donovan, Tutty, J. Donovan, Berry, McIntyre, and Blain stood out a little from a strong, even side.

For Raglan, C. Waldron roved in great style. Others to do well were Jack Jess, I. Grant, R. Tiley, G. Grant, K. McErvale, T. Tiley and E. Drew. Occasionally L. Welsh, W. Bryce, L. Lyttille, Joe Jess, and C. Irving did well.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' LEAGUE.

The quarterly meeting of the Ripon branch, R.S.L., was held at the Shire Hall on Saturday, 16th June. Mr S. Young (president) occupied the chair, and 36 members were present. Proceedings were opened with two minutes' silence, in memory of fallen comrades. The president welcomed Mr A. Johns, a visitor from the Cobden branch, R.S.L. The report of the committee for the quarter was received, on the motion of Mr F. J. Martin, seconded by Mr E. Buchanan, and adopted on the motion of Mr J. R. McErvale, seconded by Mr A. Bruty. Lengthy correspondence from the State Council, relating to retiring State councillors, district board meetings, broadcast licence, health bureau, soldier settlers' fighting fund, Centenary accommodation and proposed issue of a council magazine, was received. In reply to a query from Mr J. E. Wallish, the president stated that the committee had not received any correspondence from the Settlers' Protection League, a body formed in the irrigation areas. Messrs. J. B. Roderick and S. Pascoe gave a report of the last meeting of the district board, and the delegates were instructed to support the candidature of Mr C. H. McKay for renewal of his office as a State councillor. Messrs. J. B. Roderick and S. Pascoe were appointed delegates to the general conference in Melbourne in July. On the motion of Mr J. E. Wallish, seconded by the president, it was decided that when the committee was unable to supply a speaker on Anze Day to outlying schools in the district, a circular address be prepared for the teacher in charge to read to the scholars. A suggestion by the secretary (Mr J. B. Roderick) that the children from all district schools be brought to Beaufort to hear the wireless broadcast of the Legacy Club service, was held over for consideration at a later date. It was resolved that on the decease of any district Digger, the flag in the Memorial Park should be flown at half-mast. A discussion took place on the methods of the Assessment Boards, but action was held over until receipt of agenda paper, which would be considered by the committee, and an instruction given to delegates. Very interesting quarter of an hour addresses were given by Dr S. E. Humphreys on vitamins, Mr R. C. Hodgetts on the preparation of wool for market, Mr C. H. McKay on the work of the Legacy Club, and Mr J. B. Roderick on the use of electricity for broadcasting purposes. Each speaker being a specialist on his own subject was listened to with keen attention by the members, and at the conclusion answered questions relating to the subject matter. On the motion of Mr L. Scott, seconded by Mr N. S. McLeod, a vote of thanks was carried by acclamation to the speakers, and the meeting terminated.

WEATHER FORECASTS FOR 1934.

"Giddon's Commonwealth Weather Forecast and Almanac for 1934" has been published, and the following meteorological forecast will be perceived with interest:—
VICTORIA.
June, cold winds and rains first part; fine and frosty latter part.
July, cold and wet, snow in mountains, some frosts in places.
August, first part fine and frosty; latter part cold, stormy rains, and snow.
September, chiefly fine.
October, first part showery; latter part fine and warm.
November, chiefly fine and warm.
December, beginning and end of month chiefly fine and warm; middle, little rain and wind. Drought year.

THIRTY YEARS AGO.

ITEMS FROM OUR FILES.

JUNE 11, 1904.

Messrs. Hans W. H. Irvine and J. Drysdale Brown were returned as representatives of Nelson Province in the Legislative Council.

The application of James Cuthbertson for the forfeiture of the lease of the Sons of Freedom Extended G.M.Co. was refused, and it was recommended that the lease be held by the Central Co.

At the annual meeting of the Beaufort Brass Band, a credit balance of £11 was reported. Dr. G. A. Eadie was elected president, Messrs. D. F. Troy, E. W. Hughes, and A. McDougall vice-presidents, and Mr C. W. Jones secretary.

The reporting of seven cases of typhoid fever in Beaufort led to some letters by local correspondents in regard to "those dirty gutters."

Mining yields in Beaufort and district for the week totalled 223 oz.

In a football match at Beaufort, the local team defeated Ararat by 7 goals 17 behinds to 2 goals. W. Cheeseman was mentioned as the best man on the ground. Beaufort defeated Warrak by 11-11 to 1 behind. The Beaufort Juniors defeated Waterloo by 38 points to 22. Skipton '8-6) defeated Stockyard Hill (3-1).

JUNE 18, 1904.

Mr J. A. Harris, of Beaufort, won the 25 ladies' bracelet at the Burrumbeet sparrow match, grassing 11 birds out of 16. He also divided the prize money with others in two pigeon matches.

Mr John Matlock, a bass singer of considerable merit, died at South Melbourne, aged 57. He was closely identified with the Christy Minstrels.

Messrs. W. G. Davis, C. Sutherland, W. D. Smith, E. Cordy, J. Sergeant, W. Millar, F. Padfield, A. McNish, and A. Stevenson were present at a meeting of the Raglan A.M.A.

Three Indian hawkers were arrested at Beaufort by Senior-constable Nicholson for drunkenness.

At St. Mary's Catholic Church, Ararat, the solemn office for the dead, followed by Requiem High Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Very Rev. R. Meade, was celebrated.

A farewell gathering took place at Inglewood, on the departure of the Very Rev. Father O'Hare for Ararat. Hundreds of persons were burned to death and drowned when an excursion steamer caught fire on the East river, New York.

At Port Adams the Japanese defeated the Russians. The latter lost 800 killed and wounded.

Admiral Bridges and Mr J. R. Wotherspoon, J.S.P., presided over the Beaufort Police Court.

Rev. J. S. Drummond, Presbyterial minister at Carrngaham for 20 years, resigned, preparatory to visiting Scotland.

The Beaufort Druids held a social. Mr H. Flowers was the caterer, Mr H. M. Stuart M.C., and the music was supplied by Jackson's String Band. Songs were given by Mr C. W. Jones, Miss Thomas, and Mr H. Stuart, junr.

A meeting of the Beaufort Mechanics' Institute committee was attended by Messrs. S. Young, C. J. Baker, H. H. Menzies, J. Jackson, M. J. N. Breen, D. F. Troy, and Dr. Eadie. A credit balance of £30 was reported. It was decided to obtain an enlarged photograph of the former librarian (the late Mr Joel Tompkins), one of the founders of the institute, and hang it in the building. Mr H. Schofield was appointed to the committee.

Messrs. Humphreys, Flynn, and Browne attended a meeting of the managers of the Beaufort United Common, together with Mr D. Cam-

LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY.

Mr Joyce acted as chairman at the usual meeting of the Beaufort Literary and Debating Society on Tuesday night, and the business transacted was mainly of a routine nature. As the Rev. J. P. MacDougall has become an honorary member, Mr W. W. Ashley was elected to the vacancy on the members' roll. Twenty-two members were present. The syllabus item was a debate, "That the Jury System Should be Abolished," and it proved to be a very interesting one. Mr E. S. Crouch led the affirmative side, and was supported by Messrs. J. B. Hall, N. H. Oddie, and A. Barber. The leader of the negative side was Mr H. V. Martin, and the members of his team were Messrs. A. R. Baggs, H. Hodder, and G. F. Ellis. Several good speeches were made, and many sound arguments advanced. The duties of adjudicator were ably carried out by Mr R. C. Hodgetts, a member of the society, whose verdict was in favour of the affirmative side by 134 points to 1203. Mr Martin moved a hearty vote of thanks to the adjudicator, who congratulated Mr Hodgetts on the efficient way in which he had discharged his task. He also congratulated the winning team, and thanked his own team for the support they had given him. Mr Crouch seconded the vote of thanks, and endorsed the remarks of Mr Martin in regard to the adjudicator, who briefly responded. The president (Dr. S. E. Humphreys) welcomed Mr Ashley as a new member. The president appointed Mr M. Watkin as chairman for next meeting. The syllabus for next meeting is an historical evening, and Mr W. V. C. Jenkin is the leader.

Fifty Eagles Captured.

In the Mount Lonareh district eagles have proved troublesome during the lambing season. Messrs. J. H. and D. Keith used crows' traps, and results were highly successful, as 50 of the huge birds of prey were trapped.

At the annual meeting of the Beaufort Town Band 25 years ago, the following officers were elected:—President, Mr L. Jaensch; vice-president, Mr H. J. Buchanan; secretary and treasurer, Mr A. M. Nicholson; committee, Messrs. Eastwood, Jones, E. H. Welsh, and T. Tyrrell; assistant-secretary, Mr Geo. Cuthbertson; auditors, Messrs. Kimlin and Troy.

A referendum decided against any alteration of the secular character of the Education Act.

At the half-yearly meeting of the Barton Quartz Co., Beaufort, presided over by Mr D. F. Troy, it was reported that there was every indication that the good stone (9 dwt. to the ton) worked at 155 ft. would be met with at the lower levels. For the six months £98 was received from the sale of gold. Messrs. J. Freeman and E. H. Welsh and Dr. Eadie were re-elected directors.

The Sons of Freedom Central Co. declared a 1/ dividend, making a total of 17/6 per share in dividends.


Mining yields for the week at Beaufort, Raglan, and Waterloo totalled 187 oz.

A football match arranged between Beaufort and Ballarat Central did not eventuate, and Messrs. Frank and Lloyd Briad resigned from the Ballarat Central Club to show their disapproval.

Sheep-stealing was reported at Snake Valley from Carrngaham Estate.

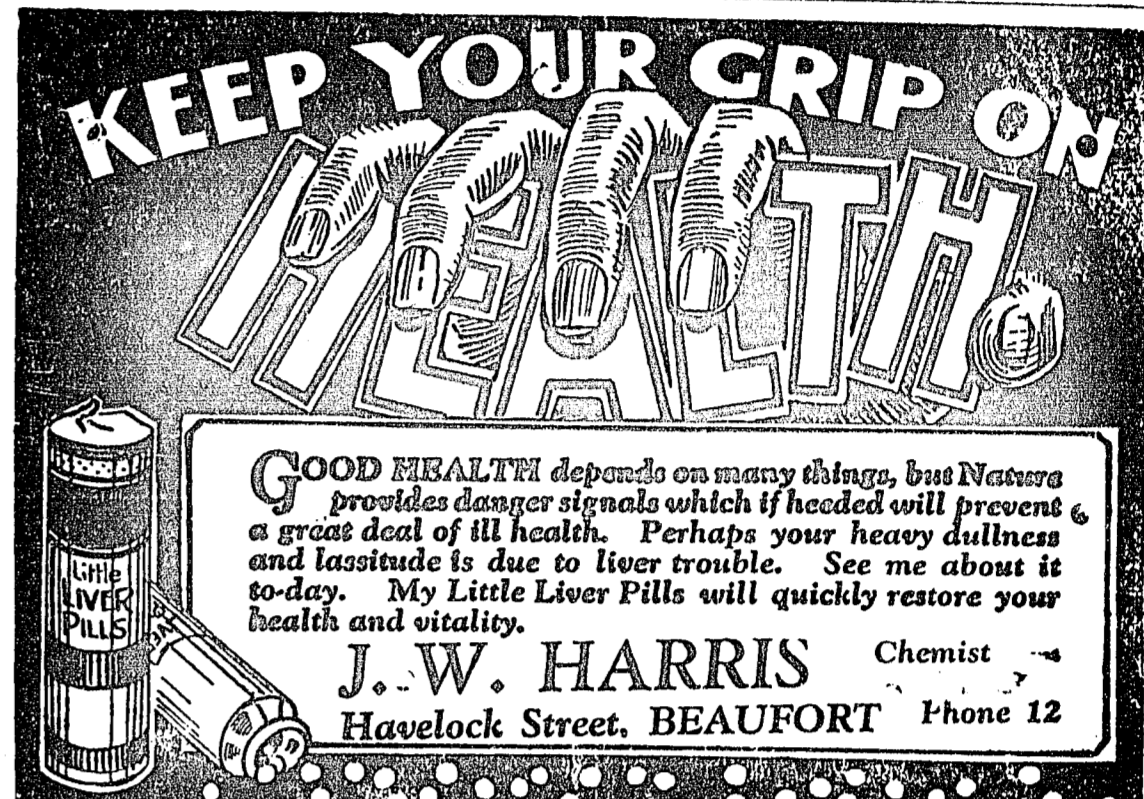
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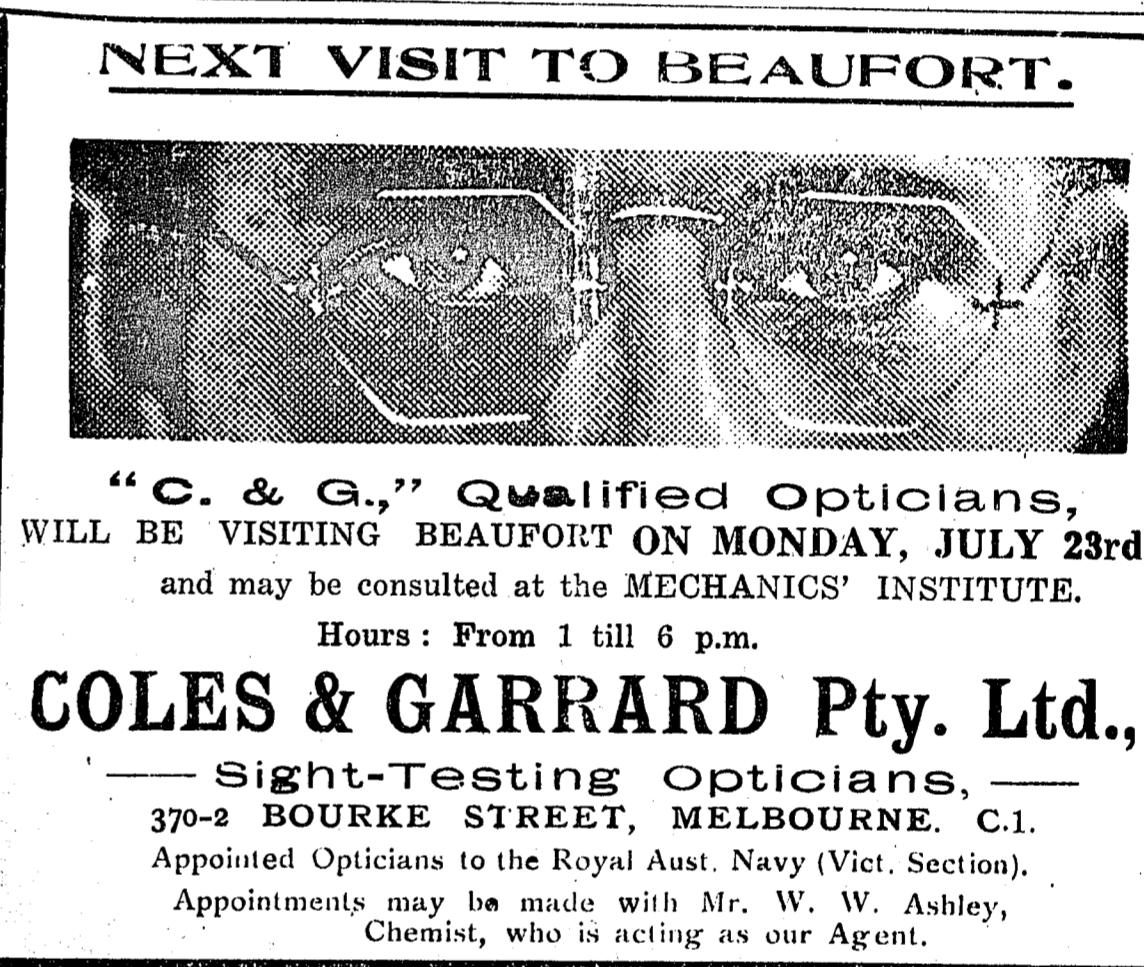
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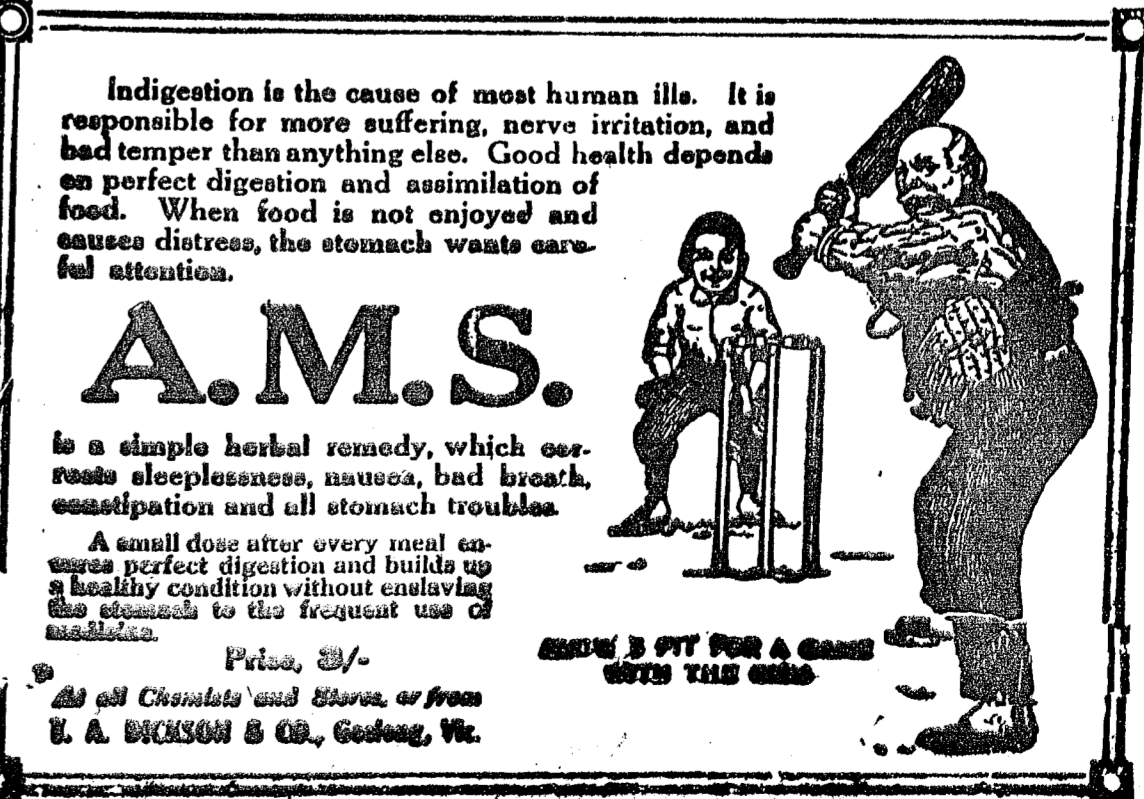
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FIFTY-NINE YEARS AGO.

GLEANINGS FROM "ADVOCATE" FILES
DECEMBER 19, 1874.

Tenders are invited by the Shire of Ripon for the leasing of the Stonyford toll-gate.

Boxing Day sports were arranged to take place at Mr Prince's hotel, Raglan.

A truck containing five tons of quartz was forwarded by rail from Beaufort to Ballarat to be crushed. The quartz came from a claim situated on the top of Mt. Cole.

Mr S. Wilson, of Eccildoune, donated £30,000 to the Melbourne University.

The railway line has been completed from Ararat as far as Dobies Bridge, and three or four miles were down from the Beaufort end.

The Flogging Bill, which had caused great difference of opinion throughout the country, was abandoned.

A successful entertainment was given by the Beaufort Choral Society, at which the principal performers were Miss Stewart, Messrs. Michel, Flowers, W. W. Hill, Anyon, Miss Farley, Mr D. G. Stewart, Mr A. C. Wilson, Mr Prentice, and Miss Baker.

In a letter a correspondent advocated that swimming baths be established in Beaufort.

At the Beaufort Licensing Court, before Messrs. P. C. Crespiigny, P.M., and W. A. Jennings, J.P., William Loft was granted a publican's licence for the Railway hotel. At the time, there were 22 other licensed hotels in Beaufort and district.

In a cricket match, Crowlands defeated Buangor by 103 runs to 45.

At the annual meeting of the members of the Beaufort Mechanics' Institute, presided over by Mr John Watherspoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mr H. H. Jackson; vice-presidents, Messrs. J. Watherspoon and W. C. Thomas; committee, Messrs. B. H. Stuart, Henningsen, G. Wilson, T. Lewis, T. Howard, J. Tompkins, D. G. Stewart, and John Tulloch; treasurer, Mr W. A. Jennings; auditors, Messrs. Watson and Harris. After a lengthy discussion, it was decided to take no action in the matter of opening the Institute on Sundays; one speaker satirically asserting that if the Institute were open on Sundays, the two most powerful institutions in Beaufort—the churches and public houses—would be deserted, and it was highly necessary that both of them should be kept afloat.

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BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB.

CANADIAN FOURSOMES.

There was a good entry on Saturday for Canadian Foursomes, held by the Beaufort Golf Club. The men's event was won by D. F. and H. J. Troy (73 net); the winners of the women's competition being Mrs R. E. Halpin and Miss A. Stewart, with a net score of 80. Following are the leading scores:—

Men's Canadian Foursomes.
18 holes.

D. F. Troy and H. J. Troy 84—11—73
S. Young and R. McKey, 85—11—74
M. E. L. Watkin and J. A. Harris 85—9—74

J. L. Kelly and N. H. Oddie, 83—8—75; Dr. S. E. Humphreys and F. J. Martin, 90—12—78; N. B. Acton and T. M. Bove, 92—14—78; E. S. Crouch and J. R. Joyce, 94—14—80; J. W. Glover and H. Carmichael, 91—11—80; P. T. Stevenson and P. J. George, 92—11—81; R. T. Macdonald and H. E. Cuthbertson, 92—11—81; J. F. Watherspoon and A. Dunn, 95—14—81.

Women's Canadian Foursomes.
18 holes.

Mrs R. E. Halpin and Miss A. Stewart 98—19—80
Mrs A. Dunn and Miss B. Schlicht 104—19—85
Mrs E. S. Crouch and Miss A. Norman 107—22—85

Mesdames W. W. Ashley and M. E. L. Watkin, 103—17—86; Mesdames J. A. Harris and W. A. Bossence, 106—20—86; Mesdames P. J. Kelly and H. Hodder, 108—21—87; Mrs P. George and Miss G. Fox, 105—22—87; Misses Stewart and E. Nickols, 111—24—87; Misses M. Oddie and W. Watherspoon, 108—21—87; Mrs A. M. Parker and Miss J. Stevenson, 109—21—88; Mesdames J. E. Day and R. C. Hodgetts, 105—15—90; Mrs J. B. Hall and Miss R. Christie, 115—24—91.

Nurse Alfreda Roddis, of Melbourne, has been spending three weeks' vacation with her parents, Cr. and Mrs A. C. Roddis, "Emohruo," Carngham. For the past 18 months, Nurse Roddis has been at the Jessie McPherson Community Wing and Queen Victoria Hospital. She has passed several examinations, and will go to the Alfred Hospital for further training.

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Beaufort Methodist Church Celebrates 73rd Anniversary.

METHODIST CHURCH.

73rd ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED.

To mark the 73rd anniversary of the Beaufort Methodist Church, special services were held on Sunday, and were well attended. The interior of the Church has recently been redecorated, and is looking spick and span. The pulpit, has been removed to the left-hand side, and the choir platform re-modelled, with a small vestry at the right. Bowls of beautiful pink and white heath were placed in front of the choir railings.

The morning service, which was of a bright and inspiring character, was conducted by the Rev. A. W. Pedrick.

A pleasant Sunday afternoon service was held; Miss M. Jackson presiding at the organ. Suitable hymns were sung by the congregation. The choir pleasingly rendered the anthem, "We Bless Thy Holy Name." Mr Noel Watherspoon nicely sang "How Do I Know that Jesus is My Saviour?" Misses S. Jackson and D. Grace, excellently gave a quartette. Another solo was well given by Mr Noel Watherspoon.

Rev. A. W. Pedrick, in a short address to the children, told them a story of a little girl named Gladys, who had a very unpleasant dream relating to the words, "I can't be bothered." If the boys and girls were good, they would not use words like those.

At a later stage, the Rev. Mr Pedrick referred to the efforts of the trustees to beautify this old building put here by the old pioneers nearly 50 years ago.

History of Beaufort Church.

Rev. A. W. Pedrick gave an outline of the history of the Methodist Church in Beaufort, which, he said, was first known as the Primitive Methodist mission, and commenced its work here in 1861, just 73 years ago.

The first chapel was erected at a cost of £150, and it was not lined till 10 years later. It was their present Sunday school building, and not till 1889 was the roof covered with iron. The original trustees were Messrs. John Hosking, Wm. Chellew, Jas. Prentice, W. Noles, Wm. Stevens, Wm. Cobden, W. C. Thomas, and David Owens. The property was improved until it was worth £450. Later, it was agreed to buy a bell, which was still in use and cost £17. The belfry demolished only last week was 63 years old. The smaller bell first used was sold for £12/10/, and went to St. Enoch's Station. When the Church was 10 years of age, the trustees bought a harmonium. Four years later efforts were organised to purchase an organ. This was built by Mr Grenfell, of Ballarat, and cost £70, and in 1920 nearly £50 was spent on renovating it. Seat rents were early abolished. In June, 1866, the trustees (Messrs. W. C. Thomas, J. B. Cochrane, Elliott, J. Prentice, W. Chellew, John Cochrane, and T. W. Dungey) agreed to build a new Church on the present site. The architect (whose price was £25, and who gave a donation of £5/5/ to the funds) was Mr Archard. The trustees in the early days, they would see, were shrewd enough to make a good bargain. The tender of Messrs. Taylor and Ellis at £815 was accepted

FIFTY-NINE YEARS AGO.

GLEANINGS FROM "ADVOCATE" FILES
DECR. 24th, 1874.

The Charlton (Chute) school children were given a Xmas picnic. Mr H. Stephens was the teacher.

Arrangements were made for the Beaufort Societies' Hall to be open on Boxing Day for dancing.

During a cricket match at Raglan, between Raglan and Beaufort, an old man kangaroo took up a position between the wickets, and the bats had to be thrown at it before it hopped away.

Bro. Jas. Prentice was elected N.G. of the Beaufort Oddfellows' Lodge, Bro. Jas. Adams G.M., and Bro. H. Barnes secretary.

In a cricket match, Beaufort beat Raglan by 55 and 73 runs to 67 and 53. J. Lord, of Raglan (47) was top scorer for the day.

A correspondent advocated the opening of a good road from Beaufort to Elmhurst.

A meeting of the Beaufort Agricultural Society was attended by Messrs. Chapman, Cushing, Evans, McDonald, and Cameron. It was decided to add £20 to the prize-list at the show for sheep.

Mr J. Watkin was making great preparations for the annual fête at his Main Lead gardens.

A destructive gale caused loss of life in London and the English provinces.

An English paragon recalls that in the 18th century the tavern-keepers, on their signboards, invited people to "come and get drunk for a penny."

Three Deaths at Skipton Within a Week.

Three deaths within a week caused much sorrow in Skipton families. First, Mrs Donnelly died, aged 82 years. Her passing was very sudden, and occurred at the home of one of her married daughters in Melbourne.

Then Mrs Wilkie, widow of the late Mr Wm. Wilkie, of "Hillside," died after a lingering illness. The demise of Mr Rod Sutherland was the third. He had been in indifferent health for some considerable time.

What were the common things of their lives? He was wondering whether their religion was something they hushed up, or allowed to colour the whole of their lives. Wherever they saw Christ, He was the same Jesus, Who was none other than the Son of God Who lived in a common setting. He went about doing good, and touching the lives of men with the divine magic. Were they any better for the Church services they attended on Sunday, and did they carry their religion into the business life of Monday morning?

This Church had stood here for 73 years, and many people had prayed for it. Was this Church fulfilling Christ's purpose for it in Beaufort to-day? It could only do that when it became the meeting place of men and women filled with the spirit of God, and whose lives were a witness for Him in the common things of life.

He prayed that they would examine themselves this night, remembering that the Church of God was judged by the lives of those who met for worship therein.

THIRTY YEARS AGO.

ITEMS FROM OUR FILES.
JUNE 25, 1904.

A leading article dealt with the increasing use by farmers of artificial fertilisers.

Inspector Jackson commented on the satisfactory results obtained by Snake Valley school at the annual examinations.

At the half-yearly meeting of the Beaufort I.O.R., Bro. Geo. Taylor, P.C.R., installed the following officers:—P.C.R., Bro. C. Wright, Junr.; C.R., Bro. J. R. Hughes; D.R., Bro. W. Stevens; writing steward, Bro. H. Cheeseman; money steward, Bro. H. Buchanan; levites, Bro. A. Freeman and Sister Elsie Andrews; guard, Sister E. Mitchell. About 120 attended the social that followed.

At the fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort A.N.A., Mr E. J. Muntz was presented by Mr J. M. Carroll (president) with an ex-president's certificate.

A plague of mice was reported in Northern Victoria.

Correspondents referred to the methods used by the Shire Council in destroying rabbits at Lake Goldsmith, one writer alluding to the "ruthless waste" of what many a poor person would be glad to get, these hard times.

Constance and Mrs Stevenson were entertained by the residents of Waterloo on their departure for Warrneheip.

The marriage took place at the Presbyterian Church, Beaufort, of Miss Mabel Wightwick and Mr T. C. W. Deeley; Rev. J. A. Barber officiating.

In a football match, Beaufort school (2-9) defeated Waterloo school (0-1). Beaufort's best players were P. Baker, A. Davis, P. Whitfield, and W. Glenister, and Waterloo's J. Flynn, A. Kewley, and J. Trainor. Waterloo's Seniors (5-5) defeated Elmhurst (3-8).

"Mining yields" for the week at Beaufort, Waterloo, and Raglan totalled 170 oz.

Cr. M. Flynn presided at an Arbor Day gathering at the Waterloo school.

The steamer "Australia" was wrecked at Point Nepean, and the 300 people on board saved.

The Board of Advice (Messrs. A. Parker, J. W. Browne, G. Topper, and D. D. Cameron) met. Truant-officer McMahon reporting the following attendances at district schools:—Beaufort, 216; Waterloo, 171; Raglan, 118; Middle Creek, 44; Main Lead, 38; Chute, 37; Trawalla, 37; Mt. Cole Flat, 21; Sailor's Gully, 18.

At the half-yearly meeting of the Carngham Brass Band, Mr Geo. Krick was elected bandmaster, Cr. J. S. Douglas president, and Mr A. Baxter secretary.

The death occurred suddenly of William May, an employee of Carranville Station for 15 years.

Lambing percentages reported were:—Mount Widdier, 804; Borriy-ahook, 843; Springbank, 72; St. Enoch's, 92.

Police Court.

There was a clean charge-sheet at the Beaufort Police Court on Monday; Mr L. Smith, J.P., being in attendance.



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FOOTBALL.

BURRUMBEET DISTRICT FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

LEARMONTH v. BEAUFORT.

A falling-off in the attendance was noticeable when Learmonth and Beaufort met at the local Park on Saturday afternoon. For the first half of the game, Beaufort outplayed their opponents, and at half-time had a lead of 26 points. When the third term was about half-finished, Learmonth's play improved a great deal. They were marking well, and attacking systematically during the remainder of the game, and although Beaufort won by a margin of 42 points, the game was more evenly contested than indicated by the scores. Beaufort's goal-shooting was very inaccurate. The central umpire was G. Kent, and the other officials were:—Boundary umpires, W. M. Fitzpatrick and J. Armstrong; goal-umpires, Messrs. J. T. Glover and James; timekeepers, Messrs. W. O'Sullivan and Connolly.

THE TEAMS.

Beaufort.—T. Trezise (captain), H. Lardner, N. Lardner, E. Hopkins, J. Rush, J. Lamb, J. Cole, H. Green, E. Turner, L. Fitzpatrick, W. Clark, R. Hancock, A. Dunstan, R. Phillips, J. O'Sullivan, E. Broadbent, F. Wilson, and W. Cleary; 19th man, R. Dunn.

Learmonth.—F. Tutty (captain), R. McIntyre, W. Casey, E. Blain, J. Donovan, R. Heenan, P. Donovan, E. Donovan, R. Walker, A. Dean, L. Dean, E. O'Neil, F. Berry, W. Kean, J. Ryan, G. Barnes, F. Vincombe, and E. Hender; 19th man, G. Thomas.

Learmonth attacked from the bounce, and a mark by Turner checked them. Shortly after, Learmonth forced the ball out of play near goal. Cleary got a free in position, and passed to Cole, who raised one flag for Beaufort. Trezise marked and passed to H. Lardner, who scored a single for the home team. Then E. Broadbent smartly stamped a goal for Beaufort. H. Lardner placed Trezise in possession, and a goal for Beaufort was the outcome. Barnes forwarded the ball, and Learmonth rushed a single. E. Blain checked two Beaufort attacks with timely marks. H. Lardner drove the ball forward, and Beaufort rushed a single. Learmonth attacked, and sent the ball across the front of the sticks without scoring. Trezise booted the leather to H. Lardner, who registered a goal for Beaufort. Learmonth moved forward, and J. Donovan scored a single for them. Casey had a long kick, and Learmonth got another single. Cole was playing well for Beaufort, and taking some difficult marks. Tutty was doing exceedingly well in the centre for Learmonth. Quarter-time scores.—Beaufort, 2-4; Learmonth, 0-3.

Beaufort had a lead of 13 points when the second term commenced, and scored a behind early. Clarke forwarded the ball for Beaufort, and a single was rushed; J. Cole scoring another behind soon after, and H. Lardner duplicating it. Hancock and N. Lardner placed H. Lardner in possession, and he added a single to Beaufort's score. Green got a minor point for Beaufort with a long kick. Learmonth made several attacks, and R. Walker had a shot close to the opening, but only registered a single. A. Dean passed to Walker, who again raised one flag for Learmonth. H. Lardner with a long-range shot, got a behind for Beaufort; Trezise scoring another immediately after. Beaufort kept attacking, without result. Fitzpatrick in front of the sticks, and he scored a goal for Beaufort after the bell rang. Scores at half-time were:—Beaufort, 3-13; Learmonth, 0-5.

At the outset of the third term Beaufort was 26 points ahead. Hancock, Cole, and H. Lardner gave Tre-

zise an opportunity in position, and he registered a goal for Beaufort. After give and take play, Wilson got a behind for Beaufort with a snapshot. A shot by Donovan for Learmonth went out of bounds near goal. Dean forwarded the ball, and J. Donovan scored Learmonth's first goal. Learmonth were now putting more pep into the game, and marking well. Walker scored another single for the visitors. Ryan and Berry forwarded the ball, and Learmonth rushed a single. Tutty and Ryan gave Heenan a chance, and a single for Learmonth was the result. H. Lardner passed to Trezise, who raised two flags for Beaufort. Beaufort soon after scored another goal, kicked by Wilson. Three-quarter-time scores:—Beaufort, 6-14; Learmonth, 1-8.

At the last change-over, Beaufort was 36 points to the good. H. Lardner passed to Green, who got a goal for Beaufort with a good kick. Hender passed to Donovan, who registered a "sixer" for Learmonth. Dean placed Donovan in possession again, and the latter got another goal for Learmonth. A good snapshot by Wilson gave Beaufort another major point. Wilson, marking brilliantly, then added a goal to the Beaufort score. Another Beaufort thrust was neatly countered by L. Dean. A splendid high mark by Casey (Learmonth) was the prelude to the ball being forced out of play half-forward. Berry forwarded the leather, and J. Donovan marked smartly, and scored a goal for the visitors. Learmonth were now playing with more dash and zest. A free to Green near the centre, and he registered a goal for Beaufort with a splendid kick. It was a much better game than indicated by the scores. After further give and take play, the game finished with the scores:—Beaufort, 10 goals, 14 behinds (74 points); Learmonth, 4 goals 8 behinds (32 points).

The goal-kickers were:—Beaufort, T. Trezise (3), F. Wilson (3), H. Green (2), E. Broadbent, and L. Fitzpatrick. Learmonth—J. Donovan (4).

The best players on the winning side were T. Trezise, H. Lardner, J. Rush, J. Lamb, J. Cole, H. Green, W. Clark, and F. Wilson. At times good work was done by L. Fitzpatrick and E. Turner.

On the Learmonth side good form was shown by F. Tutty (the best man on the ground), E. Blain, R. Walker, F. Berry, and J. Ryan. Occasionally W. Casey did well.

At Raglan, Waukra (8-6) was defeated by Raglan (10-16).

To-day (Saturday) Raglan and Beaufort will play at Beaufort, and Burrumbeet and Learmonth will meet at Learmonth.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

BREWSTER.

A cuche tournament and dance, in aid of the school funds, took place in the Brewster school on Friday, 15th June. Success again attended the efforts of the committee, and an enjoyable night resulted. The cuche prizes were won by Miss B. Foreman and Mr W. Russell. Hayward's orchestra supplied music for the enjoyable dance that followed. Another function will be held shortly. These efforts are providing funds for the many excellent improvements that are being made at the school by the committee.

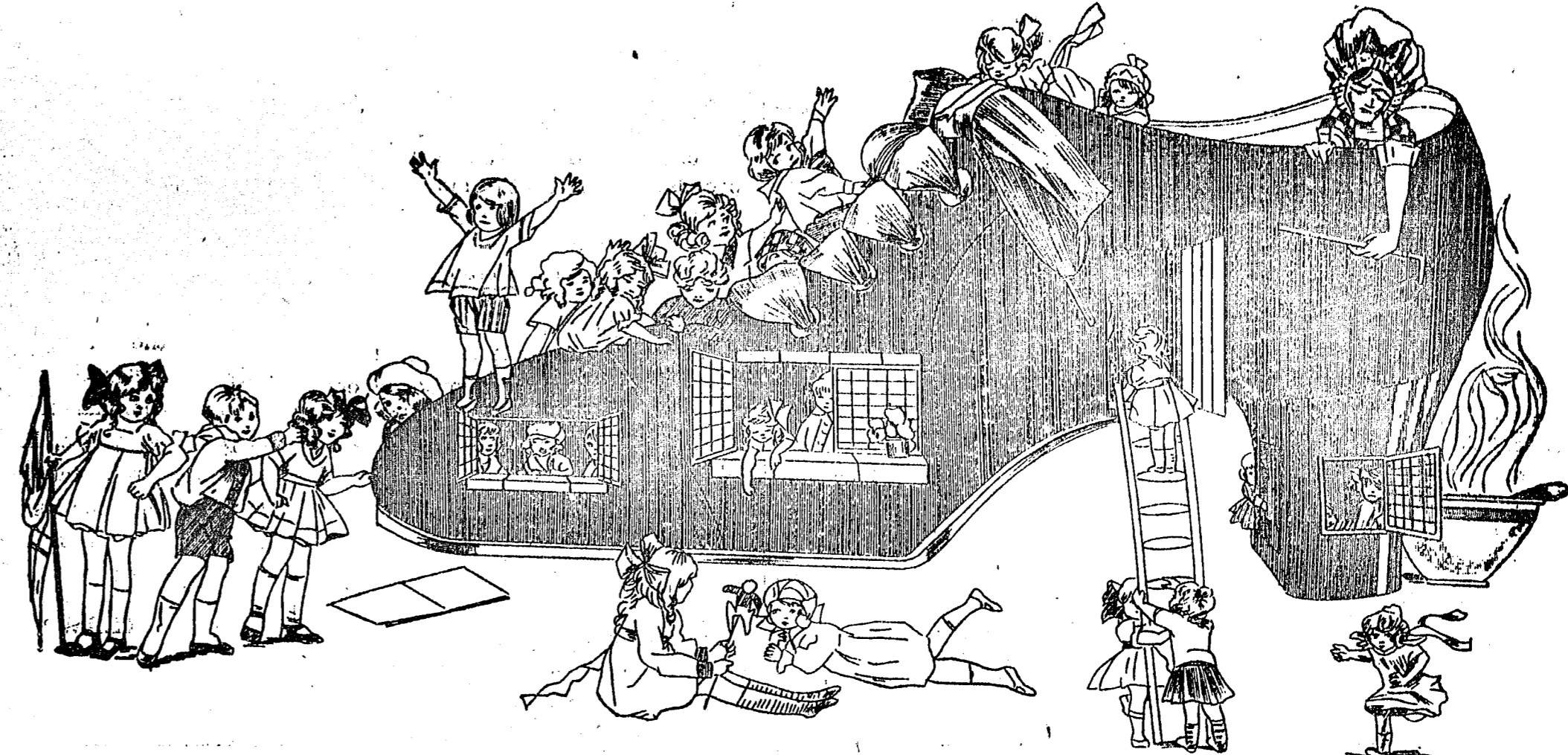
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Surely we could show a much better way,
With so many children to dress to look nice,
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HEALTH INSPECTOR.

DISTRICT HEALTH GROUP.

Report of Conference Received by Ararat Town Council.

At the meeting of the Ararat Town Council, held on Monday night, the following report was received from the conference, which was held at Ararat in reference to the formation of a district health group:—

There were present:—Crs. Troy, Sinclair, and Mr Acton (shire secretary), representing the Ripon Shire Council; Cr. A. Laidlaw and Mr C. C. Murray (Town Clerk), from the Ararat Town Council; and Crs. S. L. Calvert and G. Vanstan, and Mr R. Anderson (shire secretary), of the Ararat Shire Council. Cr. Calvert was appointed as chairman, and a long discussion ensued, in which councillors spoke freely, and Mr L. H. Strahle, of the Public Health Department, who was present by request, answered many questions and gave numerous figures in support of the formation of a health group of the three councils represented. It was decided, after a long discussion, to invite Mr O. Henderson into the room, and ask him if he would be prepared to accept the position of health inspector at £255 per annum, plus £82 per annum for travelling allowances. Mr Henderson stated that he would be pleased to accept the position. Cr. Sinclair moved, Cr. Laidlaw seconded—"That a health group of the three municipalities be formed, and Mr O. Henderson be appointed as health inspector, subject to the appointment being ratified by each council." Carried. Cr. Troy moved, Cr. Laidlaw seconded—"That a licence fee for noxious trades, slaughteryards, and salyards be fixed at £2 each; ice cream manufacturers, 5/; eating houses, 10/ each; dairies, 5/ each (milk vendors only); boarding-houses, 10/ each, with a view to making the charges uniform throughout the three municipalities." Carried. Cr. Laidlaw moved, Cr. Troy seconded—"That Mr E. Anderson be appointed as secretary of the group." Carried. Cr. Troy moved, Cr. Laid-

law seconded—"That each council pay monthly, the cheques to be forwarded to the group secretary, the first cheque to be sent at the August meeting." Carried. Cr. Sinclair moved, Cr. Laidlaw seconded—"That the representatives of the councils meet once each year at least." Carried. The contributions as submitted by Mr Strahle had to be amended on account of Lexton Shire not joining the group, and the contributions for each municipality will be as follows:—Ararat Town Council—Travelling allowance, £10; salary, £60/17/9. Ararat Shire Council—Travelling allowance, £52; salary, £125/13/11. Ripon Shire Council—Travelling allowance, £20; salary, £78/8/4. Total travelling allowance, £82; total salary, £265. The small increase in the proportion of salary is due to apportioning Lexton's share of salary, £24, amongst the other three councils.

In reply to a question, the Town Clerk said they were paying £40 previously, and now it was proposed to charge them £70.

Cr. Blackie—If any other municipality joins up, will it reduce the cost?

The Mayor—Yes.

Cr. Brewster moved—"That the recommendations be accepted." Seconded by Cr. Hayes, and carried.—"Advertiser."

Income Tax Returns.

The Ballarat branch of the A.L.P. has decided to write to the State Labor leader (Mr Tunncliffe) in regard to what is considered the harassing of invalid pensioners and unemployed workers in respect of neglect to send in income tax returns, or in demanding payment under penalty of trifling sums of taxation, based on the average income of past years. It was stated by Mr J. S. Miller (secretary of the Ballarat Trades and Labor Council) that it was a hopeless pursuit in the case of many people so situated, and that if the department, instead of pursuing the small fry so relentlessly, went after the big fish in the same manner, results would be better in every way.

OBITUARY.

MRS. C. M. WILKIE.

Mrs Catherine McLachlan Wilkie, a respected resident of Skipton, and relict of the late William Wilkie, farmer, of "Hillside," Skipton, died on 20th inst. The deceased was born at Skipton 70 years ago, and leaves a grown-up family to mourn their loss. The funeral took place on Thursday, 21st inst., and was largely attended. The remains were interred in the Skipton Cemetery. The coffin was borne to the grave by Messrs. Henderson, William, and Dave Wilkie (sons), D. Wilkie (nephew), W. Blackburn (brother), T. Osborne (son-in-law). The Rev. J. T. Thomas conducted services at the house and graveside. Messrs. Nelson Bros., of Linton, carried out the funeral arrangements. A large collection of floral tributes was placed on the coffin.

MR. RODERICK SUTHERLAND.

After a fairly long illness, Mr Roderick Sutherland, of Skipton, died at his residence on Thursday, 21st inst. The deceased, who was manager of Captain Chirnside's Carranballe Estate, was highly respected. He leaves a widow, son, and daughter to mourn their loss. He was aged 67 years. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon, 22nd inst., and was very largely attended; the remains being interred in the Skipton Cemetery. Many floral tributes were placed on the coffin. The Rev. J. T. Thomas (Presbyterian) conducted services at the house and graveside. The coffin-bearers were Captain G. Chirnside, Messrs. J. Simper, C. Suttie, T. Armstrong, T. Fleming, and A. McCook. Nelson Bros. were the undertakers.

Work at Skipton School.

Mr G. Waller, of Ballarat, was the successful tenderer for work at Skipton State school, to be carried out under direction of the Board of Works.

BEAUFORT CYCLING CLUB.

NOTES.

A field of 16 riders started in No. 12 road race on Saturday last, and we expect 20 or more to start in our next race on Saturday next.

A few ladies interested in the welfare of the club have arranged to supply oranges to the riders in future races. This was very much appreciated on Saturday last.

W. Stewart and C. Kay are level on points in the aggregate competition, with 28 each.

In response to many requests, a boys' race, under 15 years, will be run on Saturday next, on completion of the senior race. There is no entry fee, the distance is about 1 1/2 miles, and there are good prizes.

Four more members joined the club last week.

Bridge Social.

A bridge social held at the Beaufort Mechanics' Institute on Monday night for the book fund was well attended. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs L. Watkin, and the men's by Mr H. Miller. The men's trophy was donated by Mr M. Watkin. A dainty supper was provided by the ladies.

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CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.

AMERICAN TEA.

The Beaufort Methodist Sunday School presented an attractive appearance on Thursday afternoon...

Rev. A. W. Pederick said that he was pleased to see so many present, and had great pleasure in welcoming the visitors...

Mrs Cross and Miss Cox gave several solos in excellent style, and Miss Angwin gave home recitations.

Little Leon Pederick presented each artist with a pretty posy, made by Mrs J. George.

Rev. A. W. Pederick later moved a hearty vote of thanks to the Ballarat ladies, and this was carried by acclamation.

The stallholders were:—Fancy goods—Mesdames C. Morvell, J. George, and H. E. Cuthbertson.

THE CONCERT.

The Sunday school building (which, by the way, is the original Church built in 1861 by the local pioneers of Methodism) was crowded with an appreciative audience on Thursday night...

Rev. A. W. Pederick heartily welcomed the magnificent concert party from Burnbank street Church, and the minister, Rev. Mr Bondy, who briefly responded.

The programme was as follows:—Anthem, "Gloria," Burnbank street choir; solo, "In the Gloaming," Mr P. Carne (encore number, "The Dear Little Girl"); recitation, "Hodge and the Vicar," Miss Nancy Angwin (encore number, "Where's My Hat?"); duet, "A.B.C.," Miss M. Billyeald and Mr J. Higginson; anthem, "O Saviour Friend," choir (Mrs Cross very pleasingly taking the solo part, and the anthem being very meritoriously rendered by the choristers); solo, "Dan Cupid," Miss Doris Cox (encored and responded); male quartette, "Don't You Cry My Honey," Messrs. Higginson, Wallis, Barker, and Carne; concerted item, "My Depression," eight ladies; mouth organ solo, Mr Geo. Furlong (encored and responded); concerted item, "The Oars are Flashing," five ladies; solo,

"How Do I Know That Jesus is My Saviour?" Mr B. Sweatman; anthem, "By Babylon's Wave," choir; concerted item, "Forty-seven Ginger-headed Sailors," eight ladies (encore number, "He Played His Kneele as the Ship Went Down"); solo, Mr Roy Reed (encored and responded); anthem, "Hark, Hark, My Soul!" choir (the solo parts being taken by Mr Carne and Miss M. Angwin); solo, Miss M. Billyeald (encored and responded); duet, "The Two Beggars," Messrs P. Carne and J. Higginson; part song, "Sleep, Gentle Lady," choir; mouth organ solo, Mr George Furlong; song, "A Little Farm, Well Tilled," male trio; anthem, "Worthy is the Lamb," choir.

Rev. A. W. Pederick expressed the appreciation of the local folk of the wonderful programme, which had been greatly enjoyed. He conveyed their thanks to the performers, and also to Mr Reed, who had arranged the concert. He thanked Mr Boundy for acting as chairman, the Ballarat ladies who had entertained them at the afternoon function, those who had lent cars, the local people, the choir, Miss Jackson, and the ladies. Miss Ruby Morvell had sold 5 doz. tickets, and he thanked her, together with the other ticket-sellers. He also spoke in appreciation of the work of the ladies who had decorated the schoolroom, and also of the trustees for standing in so well with the work of the Church.

Mr Roy Reed, in responding, said the choir appreciated the kind remarks. He congratulated the Beaufort congregation on their enthusiastic leader, Rev. A. W. Pederick, to help whom was a pleasure. He thanked Mr Higginson, the choir-master, and all who had lent cars.

Rev. Mr Boundy also responded, and said he was very proud of the choir, who were pleased to know they were contributing towards improving the Church property.

A tasty supper, provided by the ladies, was afterwards served.

NATIONALISED BANKING

Lesson From Germany.

Any illusions regarding the consequences of rationalised banking and "social credit" have been rudely shattered by the reminiscences of Xavier O'Reilly, writing in the "Adelaide Advertiser" recently.

O'Reilly was in Germany during the post-war inflation period, and paints a graphic picture of the horrors that accompanied the depreciation of the mark.

He points out that the banks at that time were politically controlled and "socialised." The Government decided to realise credits, just as extremists in Australia now propose, and promised that note inflation was not their objective. However, the Government found that credit could not be created by any possible means without printing notes. As this was done, prices rose, the paper marks became valueless, banks and insurance companies closed their doors, and in the period of disorganisation that followed, 2,000,000 people starved to death.

The savings of the people, represented by bank deposits and investments, were irrevocably swept away, and for five years during the restoration period, primary producers were taxed to the extent of half their incomes.

The writer asserts that the proposals of the Australian extremists to socialise banking and credit are analogous to the measures so fatally applied in Germany, and that their adoption would have the same calamitous results.

Rainfall.

On Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday 26 points of rain fell at Beaufort. A good downpour is needed.

C.W.A. NOTES.

VICTORIAN STATE PRESIDENT'S IMPRESSIONS OF ROCKHAMPTON CONFERENCE.

Mrs R. G. Beggs, of Buln Gherin Station, who is the Victorian State president of the C.W.A., has recorded her impressions of her recent visit to Rockhampton, Queensland, as follows:—"As I look back upon my visit to the C.W.A. conference in Rockhampton, I find myself thinking of a colour scheme—blue and white. Not only are they the colours of the Queensland Country Women's Association, but the country itself seemed to have taken on those colours as well. Blue lagoons, blue water lilies, white ibis and herons, soft white clouds, blue hills—even some gateposts had streamers of blue and white tied to them; showing that loyal C.W.A. members dwelt therein. It was my good fortune to have a room overlooking the lovely river, with the Berserker Range in the background, and whenever I had a chance to look out, the beauty made me breathless, so lovely was the view. It was a strange experience to be wakened in the night by the sound of maybe 1000 head of cattle crossing the nearby bridge, and passing below my window on the way to the freezing works. It would be interesting reading could one look into the letters those 554 delegates wrote to home and friends. Were they full of business only? True, time was precious, and many had only time for a hurried cup of tea during the luncheon interval. On two evenings most of us tried to see the excellent arts and crafts exhibition, though un-der difficulties, as the whole of Rockhampton seemed desirous of seeing the exhibits also. Tribute should be paid to the Rockhampton people, hotel-keepers, salespeople, bus and tram conductors, taxi-drivers, post and telegraph officials—all seemed to vie with each other to make our stay a happy one, and I am sure we were sorry that our visit could be but a brief one. The Botanical Gardens are far-famed, and great was my delight when it was announced that we were all expected to attend an afternoon party there on the Friday. Boarding a brightly-painted steam-driven tram that reminded me of childhood days, added to our enjoyment. When I arrived at the gardens, words failed me. The "gate to the tropics!" Picture to yourself groves of coconuts, feathery palms, golden bamboos, crotons in purples, crimson, yellows, and greens, giant stag-horns, elk-horns, maidenhair ferns from the finest misty variety to the large-leaved ones, with exquisite new fronds of soft pink. To my delight, I found that the curator, Mr Simmons, was also a lover of our native trees, plants, and names. We have planned to exchange seeds. Gladly would I have forgone my tea, and stayed longer, gazing at the sacred Chaulmoogra, with its huge seeds like Boulogne sausages, and one which I am hoping will help us with our dyeing. I think it is called the Anatto tree, but more about it anon. We were having our tea under the wonderful palms, when I chanced to look up a winding path, and for a moment, my belief in fairies had come true. A troop of small, pale yellow and soft pink clad sprites were dancing towards us, but, no, they were just little girls, coming to charm us with their curhythmic dancing. Our happiness was shared by a flock of birds high up in the bamboos—kookaburra and butcherbirds, which laughed hilariously most of the time. But all things end, and it was quite a sad train that left at noon on the Saturday with about 250 delegates bound for the south again. Impressions of blue and white! Everyone had streamers—even the guard, who, as he tied some to his buttonhole, assured us he was one with the country women. Many are

PERSONAL.

Mrs Belcher, of Portland, has been spending a few days with Mrs and Miss DeBaere, of Beaufort. Mrs Belcher is a daughter of Mr C. Vowles, of Lismore, and well-known to the older residents of Beaufort.

Mr E. Hedge, son of Mr W. H. Hedge, well-known as an auctioneer throughout the Western district, has joined the staff of the Ararat office of Messrs. T. H. Laidlaw & Co. Mr Hedge was for four years with Pearson, Rowe, Smith & Co., six years with Grant, Hedge & Biggar, and recently with the Commonwealth Wool and Produce Co., Ltd., wielding the hammer for the latter firm at Newmarket.

Mr and Mrs Frank Taylor, of Ballarat, visited Beaufort for the Methodist Church anniversary on Sunday. Rev. T. D. Martin, of the Ouyen Church of England (formerly of Waterloo), has been made rural dean of Midura. The appointment does not mean that he will leave Ouyen.

Mr P. T. Stevenson, of Beaufort, and his cousin, Mr Ron Stevenson, of Gordons, propose to take a winter cruise of the South Sea Islands.

Mrs Fred. Day, of Ballarat, has been spending a few days with Mr and Mrs Geo. Wilson, at Beaufort.

Sister E. Francis, who has been in charge of the Bush Nursing Hospital at Beaufort for over two years, has been promoted by the Victorian Bush Nursing Association, and is to take charge of the Yacandandah B. N. Hospital in a month's time. During her stay in Beaufort Sister Francis has proved herself to be a very capable and sympathetic general and infirmarian nurse, and has made many friends throughout the town and district. She will carry with her the best wishes of everyone in the community for her future happiness and prosperity. The local Hospital has made great progress under her management, and the members of the committee are very sorry to lose her valuable services. Apart from her professional duties, Sister Francis showed a keen interest in the local C.W.A. Younger Set, of which she was the first president.

Miss E. Bywater, of Beaufort, has been in indifferent health of late.

Mrs J. P. MacDougall, of Beaufort, and her daughter Margaret have been ill, and Miss Shiela MacDougall, who came home from Melbourne to nurse them, has also been on the sick-list.

Mr and Mrs C. Petersen have been visiting Mrs Petersen's parents, Mr and Mrs W. J. Stevenson, of Beaufort.

Mr W. H. Waldron, of Carranballac, has been suffering from an attack of pleurisy during the week.

Sister Grenda is to succeed Sister E. Francis as sister-in-charge of the Beaufort Bush Nursing Hospital.

The friendships that were begun during that wonderful week, and many will be the talks at home about what we did and tried to do. Surely the fact of over 550 women making the effort this must have necessitated will have benefited them in no small measure by contact with other women. Viewpoints must have been altered, ideas enlarged, and the understanding that makes for friendship become a real thing. The president (Mrs Mylne) and members of the council were at the train to see us off. They had to remain behind for a council meeting. A very lovely thought was shown by Mrs Mylne, who gave to many of the members a little fiesian bulb to plant and think of her as they watched it grow. Not that we shall need reminding. To see the gracious, calm and sweet way in which she conducted that large conference was a thing never to be forgotten. May this year bring her more strength and courage to carry on her wonderful work."

BASKET BALL.

BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

BEAUFORT GREENS v. RAGLAN.

At the local basket-ball court on Saturday, the Beaufort Greens (28 goals) defeated Raglan (3 goals). The scores at the end of each term were:—First quarter—Greens, 4 goals; Raglan, nil. Second quarter—Greens, 9 goals; Raglan, 3 goals. Third quarter—Greens, 16 goals; Raglan, 3 goals. Fourth quarter (final scores)—Beaufort Greens, 28 goals; Raglan, 3 goals. The captains were Gwen Thompson (Raglan) and Dulcie Parker (Beaufort). The umpire was Miss Clarice Pope. There was a good attendance of spectators, and the members of the visiting team were entertained at afternoon tea at the C.W.A. Hall.

WATERLOO v. NERRING.

Waterloo visited Nerring on Saturday, and defeated the local team by 27 goals to 8. The umpire was L. James. Edna Russell captained Waterloo and Mrs James had charge of the Uerring girls.

To-day (Saturday) Waterloo and Beaufort Golds meet at Beaufort, and Nerring will visit Raglan. The Beaufort Greens will play Dana street students at Ballarat.

BEAUFORT GOLF CLUB.

SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

On Saturday afternoon the Beaufort Golf Club held Men's Singles against bogey, and a Singles Handicap for women. The men's event was won by M. Watkin (1 up), and the winner of the women's competition (A-division) was Miss A. Stewart, with a net score of 69. Mrs P. J. George (75 net) won in B division. The leading scores were:—Men's Singles, Against Bogey: 18 holes.

M. E. L. Watkin 1 up
E. S. Crouch 1 down
P. T. Stevenson, J. L. Kelly, F. J. Martin, 2 down; S. Young, T. M. Bowe, G. F. Ellis, G. Beggs, H. E. Cuthbertson, 3 down; C. H. McKay, N. B. Acton, R. F. Macdonald, and H. J. Troy, 4 down.

G. Beggs, with his tee-shot from the third hole (308 yds.) finished on the far side of the bunker.

Women's Singles, 18 holes.
A Division.
Miss A. Stewart 87—18—69
Miss B. Schlicht 94—20—74
Mrs S. Young 96—2—74
Mrs J. E. Day, 92—17—75; Mrs P. J. Kelly, 103—27—76; Mrs A. M. Parker, 108—28—80; Mrs A. W. Bossence, 114—34—80.

B Division.
Mrs P. J. George 111—36—75
Mrs E. S. Crouch 112—36—76
Miss W. Wotherspoon, 113—36—77; Mrs T. Beggs, 114—36—78; Mrs A. Dunn, 114—36—78.

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CYCLING.

ROAD RACE WON BY L. WANGLER.

On Saturday afternoon the Beaufort Cycling Club held a 15-mile road race on the Trawalla-Beaufort road, and 15 riders faced the starter. Results:—L. Wangler, 125 sec. 1
J. E. Pearce, 125 sec. 2
C. Stewart, 3 min. 30 sec. 3
Won by a wheel, with 100 yds. separating second and third.

J. Hains finished fourth, G. Wilson fifth, W. Nugent sixth, and F. Schmidt seventh.

The prize for fastest unplaced time was won by G. Wilson (30 sec.), who covered the distance in 41 min. 58 sec.

The winner's time was 42 min. 55 sec.

The following acted as officials:—Messrs. E. R. Martin (president), D. R. Brent (secretary), F. Latch, A. Levell, A. Cogle, and P. Hains.

BEAUFORT H.E. SCHOOL.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

Mr J. B. Roderick (chairman) presided at the monthly meeting of the Beaufort School Committee, held on Monday night. Four members and the head teacher (Mr R. G. Scott) attended, and apologies were received for the absence of Messrs. D. Jackson and J. Cole. The chairman reported that £1/19/ raised on Empire Day had been forwarded to Mr Holt, secretary of the Empire Day movement, for the funds of the Children's Hospital. He had also interviewed Mrs Hughes in regard to a Picture Night for the piano fund, and the matter had been held over. A letter was read from the Education Department, authorising the committee to instal a 4-inch tap at the teacher's residence. The erection of an addition to the garage was also authorised, at a cost not to exceed £2/10/. The head teacher reported that the public works inspector (Mr Cameron) had visited the school that day. The correspondent (Mr Buchanan) stated that the blackboards at the school had been renovated. It was decided to again request the Department to instal a power point at the teacher's residence. The matter of making further enquiries into the proposal of heating the science room at the school was left in the hands of the chairman, and the correspondent is to write and ask the permission of the Department to the installation of a wood-burning stove. Details in connection with the proposed bicycle shed at the school were also discussed, and it is likely that a working-bee will be held to erect it. Mr Roderick was thanked for his gift to the Mothers' Guild for the piano fund.

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COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday.

A slightly increased penning of 181 cattle in to-day's market. More than half the supply bullocks and steers, including several trucks of good and prime quality. Prime medium bullocks, £9/10/ to £10/17/6; good, £8 to £9; prime light-weight bullocks, £7 to £8; good, £5/10/ to £6/10/; prime cows, £7 to £8; good, £5 to £6; useful, £3/10/ to £4/10/. The number of calves was 169. Prime quality was scarce, and the demand dull. Best made £5/11/. Sheep had a smaller yarding of 3263. Trade sheep were again only moderately supplied. The demand for best quality was brisk. Middling and inferior were easier. Prime crossbred ewes, 20/ to 22/1; good, 16/ to 13; prime crossbred wethers, 22/ to 24/; extra, to 25/10; good, 18/ to 20/. Lambs, while light, had an increased penning of 2230, with a shortage of best trade quality. The demand was good. Values remained firm. Prime, 21/ to 23; extra, 24/ to 26/7; good, 17/6 to 19/6; useful, 13/ to 15/.

Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co. report:—Cattle—5 heifers, Mr S. Gordon Spittle, Mount Cavern, Ascot, to £4/17/6; 1 steer, Mr W. Townrow, Minersrest, at £4/5/; 1 cow, Mr F. Finch, Smythes road. Calves—7. Mr S. Gordon Spittle, Ascot, to £6/16/; 6, Mr A. G. Bell, Cherrytree; 5, Mr W. Townrow, Minersrest; 4, from Pootilla. Sheep—123 comeback ewes, from Trawalla, to 13/6; 57 merino ewes, Mr T. W. Hannah, Lamonde, Stockyard Hill, to 17/7; 26 comeback wethers, same owner, to 21/1, averaging 18/6; 46 merino wethers, Major A. Russell, Mawallok Estate, Beaufort, 23/10 to £2/10, averaging 23/5; 31 merino wethers, Mr G. Oddie, Moorong, Lake Goldsmith, 23/2 to 20/5, averaging 22/3; 34 comeback ewes, from Linton, at 10/3; 23 crossbred 2-tooths, Mr S. Boyle, Lake Goldsmith, 17/4 to 16/8, averaging 17/; 21 crossbred ewes, from Tourello, at 14/11. Lambs—102, Mr A. J. Logan, Mena Park, to 16/1; 78, Mr S. Boyle, Lake Goldsmith, to 15/1; 43, from Tourello.

The following district sales are reported by other auctioneers:—100 crossbred wethers, Mr. Jos. Briody, Lexton, 21/7 to 25/7, averaging 23/6; 92 comeback wethers, St. Enoch's Estate, Stockyard Hill, 22/7 to 25/4, averaging 24/6; 19 comeback ewes, Mr A. M. Matthews, Burrumbeet to 17/10; 7 lambs, same owner, 17/10; 10 bullocks, Major Alex. Russell, Mawallok, Beaufort, £10/17/6 to £10 2/6, averaging £10/12/5, top price and average of the market; 98 merino wethers, Messrs. Alex. McIntyre & Sons, Pretty Tower North, Beaufort, 25/10 to 24/4, averaging 25/; top price and average of the market for merino wethers; 46 merino wethers, Mr Alex. Russell, Mawallok, Beaufort, 24/8 to 22/11, averaging 23/11; 11 bullocks, Mr Donald Stewart, Monmot, Skipton, to £8/15/, averaging £8/2/6; 9 cows, same owner, £6/15/; 3 comeback ewes, Mrs M. J. Millar, Beaufort, at 22/7; 2 comeback wethers, same owner, at 25/10; 35 lambs, same owner, to 22/4, averaging 20/.

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BEAUFORT A.N.A.

FORTNIGHTLY MEETING.

The usual fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A., held at the Mechanics' Institute on Tuesday night, was presided over by Mr W. M. Fitzpatrick (president), and 12 members were present. The minutes of a recent committee meeting, dealing with unfinancial members, and at which details in connection with the A.N.A. ball on 18th July were arranged, were read. The treasurer (Mr N. S. McLeod) reported a credit balance of £29/18/3. Correspondence of a routine nature was dealt with. Accounts and sick-pay amounting to £14/11/7 were passed for payment. The secretary (Mr W. Gray) presented the balance-sheets for the half-year, which showed a Dr. balance of £44/19/6 in the sick fund, and Cr. balances of £57/9/11 in the medical and management fund, and £7 4/6 in the contingency fund; the total credit balance being £19/14/11. The statement of assets and liabilities showed a balance of £442/19/9 in favour of assets. The total membership is 146; only eight being unfinancial. The auditors (Messrs. H. V. Martin and A. H. Cogle) certified to the correctness of accounts, and congratulated the secretary (Mr W. Gray) on his accurate book-keeping. The balance-sheet was adopted, on the motion of Messrs. L. Smith and W. Gillingham. Mr I. Smith moved that a letter be sent to Mr Martin Fitzpatrick, senr., expressing the members' sympathy with him in his protracted illness. Seconded by Mr A. M. Parker, and carried.

Successful Skipton Golfer.

Mrs C. O. Fairbairn, who was paired with Mrs Alex. Russell, scored her third win during the Marrum Cup meeting of the Barwon Heads Golf Club, when she won the women's handicap foursomes event. Mrs Fairbairn won the Brammerton Cup, and followed this victory by taking second honors after a count-back in the Captain's Cup. Her consistent play was partly responsible for the victory of the Gala team, which, for the second successive year, won the title of the meeting, the Marrum Cup. Mrs Fairbairn, who plays most of her golf with the Gala Club, was regarded as the "discovery" of the meeting. She brought home no fewer than three cups, in recognition of her performances.

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