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Waterloo Sports Club Drafts Programme for Easter Saturday.

WATERLOO SPORTS CLUB

ANNUAL MEETING.

Mr J. J. Dunn (president) was in the chair at the annual meeting of the members of the Waterloo Sports Club, held at the Mechanics' Institute on Saturday night, and attended by eleven members. The president welcomed Mr Gilbert Smith (a former president), and apologised for the absence of Messrs. G. Vowles and G. Boyd. The secretary (Mr W. A. Skene) apologised for the non-attendance of Mr R. Wangler.

The secretary reported that there was a loss of £2/19/2 on last year's sports and dance, and that the club had £10 in hand.

A letter was read from the Ballarat Amateur Cycle Club, asking if patronage was desired.—Received.

An account for 7/6 was passed for payment to Mr W. Jones, of Ballarat.

Mr T. Ryan moved that the Easter Saturday sports gathering for the year 1935 be held. Seconded by Mr J. McErvale, and carried.

Mr J. J. Dunn thanked the officers for the loyal support they had given him in the past.

Mr Dunn was nominated for re-election as president by Mr T. Ryan in very eulogistic terms.

Mr Dunn said the vice-presidents should have a turn. He nominated Mr H. Stewart for the position.

Mr Stewart declined nomination.

Mr Dunn accepted the position, and said he was working a long way from home at present, and the vice-presidents would have to help him.

The remaining office-bearers and sports officials were elected as follows:—Vice-presidents, Messrs. H. Stewart and G. Boyd; treasurer, Mr H. Stewart; starter, Mr G. Boyd; handicappers, Messrs. W. R. Glover and W. J. Scriven (footracing), G. Boyd and J. J. Dunn (woodchops), C. M. Flynn, and G. Russell (children's races); timekeeper, Mr Geo. Smith; referee, Mr J. McErvale; bellman, Mr R. Wangler; blackboard stewards, Messrs. J. Broidy and T. Ryan; judges, Messrs. G. Russell, G. Vowles, C. M. Flynn, J. McErvale, W. Kay, and H. Dunn; ticket sellers and collectors, Messrs. D. and A. Loney, and A. C. Smith; official checker, Mr H. Stewart; colour stewards, Messrs. H. Lewis and Joe Lamb; protest committee, Messrs. Dunn, Skene, Boyd, McErvale, and L. Smith; secretary, Mr W. A. Skene.

After a lengthy discussion, Mr Skene moved that the proceeds of the sports go to the club. Seconded by Mr Gil. Smith.

Mr T. Ryan moved, as an amendment, that the proceeds be divided equally between the Sports Club, and the Ballarat Hospital. Seconded by Mr G. Russell.

The motion was carried.

Mr R. Guyatt moved that the salary of the secretary be £7/10/. Seconded by Mr Stewart.

Mr Ryan moved, as an amendment, that Mr Skene act as secretary in an honorary capacity. He considered he did more work in a season as honorary secretary of the Cricket Club than Mr Skene did for the Sports Club. Seconded by Mr R. Gardiner.

The amendment was lost.

Mr Gil. Smith moved, as a further amendment, that the salary of the secretary be £5/5/. Seconded by Mr Gardiner.

The further amendment was lost, and the motion carried.

Mr Skene said he would donate 30/ to the club for a local footrace.

Mr Ryan moved that all other paid officials receive the same salaries as last year. Seconded by Mr Gardiner, and carried.

The matter of appointing a sub-committee to draft the programme for submission to a general meeting was discussed, but no action taken.

A programme was then drafted, consisting of two woodchops, local and open footraces, local, Beaufort Club, and open cycling events. The prize money was reduced to £26. A tug-of-war on cleats, an old buffers' bicycle race, and a number of other novelty events were added to the programme.

It was resolved that special officials be appointed for each novelty event.

All present formed themselves into an executive committee to carry out the sports, with power to add.

A meeting was arranged for that night fortnight.

The president referred with regret to the death of the late Mr Herbert Smith, an old member, and expressed sympathy with the family.

On the motion of Messrs. Stewart and Russell, it was decided to place a minute on the books, in appreciation of the late Mr Smith's services to the club.

Mr Ryan said the school children desired to improve the sports ground by planting trees. He asked for the assistance and backing of the club in holding an arbour day. At present the sports ground was a barren place with very little shelter. The children could plant the trees this winter.

Mr Skene commended the idea, and said Mr Ryan would have to interview the trustees.

BOWLS.

Eleven pairs competed in a handicap pairs competition for a trophy on the Beaufort Bowling Club's green on Saturday afternoon. H. J. Troy and R. Mackay beat N. B. Acton and G. Ellis in the final by 16 to 5.

Owing to the lack of interest in the colour competition, it was decided to terminate it; the Reds leading the Blues by 92.

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SWIMMING.

At the Ballarat Swimming Club carnival at the City baths on Saturday, Lloyd Jelbart (Ballarat) won the 100 yds. district championship from P. Harris (Beaufort). The latter was first up, but failed to touch and was disqualified. In the third heat of the 70 yds. district maiden handicap, the winner was J. Harris (Beaufort), 12 sec. In the first heat of the 35 yds. boys' (under 13) handicap, K. MacMahon (Beaufort) was second. The second heat of the men's 105 yds. handicap was won by J. Bowe (Beaufort), 17 sec; P. Harris, 3 sec., being equal second. Bowe and Bowe (Beaufort), 9 sec., were second in the first heat of the pairs' relay race (70 yds.), and Jackson and Harris (Beaufort), 11 sec., won the second heat, and finished equal third with Bryden and Miss Suffren in the final. D. Jackson (Beaufort), 10 sec., was second in the boys', under 16, association handicap, 70 yds. P. Harris (Beaufort), 9 sec., won the men's association handicap, 105 yds., in 73 4-5 sec. Beaufort was third in the district teams' race. J. MacMahon (Beaufort) was equal third in the men's diving competition.

COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday.

Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co. report:—Sheep—127 comeback wethers, Mr Jas. Jolly, Alfredton, to 15/8; 125 comeback ewes, Mr Thos. W. Hannah, Lamonde, Stockyard Hill; 81 merino wethers, Mr Jas. Ford, Blowhard, to 17/, averaging 16/3; 68 comeback ewes, Mr Jas. Jolly, Alfredton; 2 crossbred 2-tooths, same owner; 62 2-tooths, Mr Robt. Simpson, Beaufort, merino ewes and wethers to 14/4; Ryeland cross, at 17/10; 34 merino ewes, same owner, at 12/1; 38 comeback wethers and ewes, Mr J. R. Dawson, Dunnstown; 41 ewes and 2-tooths, Mr Jas. Ford, Blowhard, to 14/7.

The following district sales are reported by other auctioneers:—90 merino wethers and ewes, Mr C. S. Young, Lake Goldsmith, wethers 11/, ewes to 7/10; 32 merino wethers and ewes, Mr J. T. McErvale, Brewster, wethers 17/2, ewes to 13/10; 100 comeback ewes, Mr Wm. Lynch, "Ruradene," Lake Goldsmith, to 12/; 30 comeback wethers, Mr A. Lofts, Lake Goldsmith, 13/1; 97 merinos, Mr S. Hamilton, Mena Park, wethers 13/8 to 16/3, ewes 8/.

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DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

TRAWALLA.

SEND-OFF TO MR. AND MRS. L. TOLLIDAY.

On Friday evening last, 22nd ult., residents of all the districts surrounding Trawalla, assembled in the school for the purpose of farewelling Mr and Mrs L. Tolliday, who had been stationed there for five years. Mr Tolliday, who is the local stationmaster, has received promotion, and will be transferred.

Mrs A. Campbell, Mr R. Weston, Mr E. Vowles, Mr H. James (Ballarat), Mr E. Wilson, and Miss T. Martin supplied music for a large number of dancers.

Before supper, Mr E. Dawson called upon Mr and Mrs Tolliday and family, as the guests of honour, to come forward. Mrs Tolliday and Margaret received bouquets from Maurice Vowles and Lindsay Campbell, and Miss Beryl Tolliday another from Joan Broadbent.

Mr A. Campbell was called upon to make a presentation to Mr Tolliday, on behalf of the residents of Trawalla and district, and in a short address, referred to Mr Tolliday as the "settlers' friend." Mr Tolliday was the recipient of a handsome clock.

Mr Star. Pascoe, president of the Trawalla Tennis Club, referred to Mr Tolliday's untiring work as the secretary of the club, on whose behalf he presented him with a silver coffee service.

Mr H. McIntyre, on behalf of railway users, said that the settlers had been fortunate in having obliging and efficient stationmasters from the beginning, but Mr Tolliday was "the best of a good lot," and his services were highly appreciated.

Mr M. Welsh, president of the Settlers' Hall Committee, referred again to Mr Tolliday's courtesy and energy. As a member of the hall committee, he had thrown his customary zeal into its work.

Mr A. J. Hughes, an ex-president of the Tennis Club, said that the condition of the splendid courts at Trawalla was a monument to Mr Tolliday's energy.


In replying, Mr Tolliday thanked the speakers for the kind sentiments expressed, and for the gifts. He said that he had enjoyed his many associations with the people of Trawalla, and that he had taken pleasure in any work that he had done. It would give him great pleasure, he said, to hear that Trawalla had won the tennis shield. Mr Tolliday expressed the hope that he could come back some day to Trawalla, and perhaps enjoy a function in the Settlers' Hall.

The singing of "For They are Jolly Good Fellows" (with gusto) concluded a happy ceremony.

After the presentation, an excellent supper, supplied and prepared by the ladies, was enjoyed. A musical treat was enjoyed when Mr H. James, of Ballarat, gave a violin solo, and Mr H. Stuart evoked much laughter with a humorous Irish (or was it Scotch?) song.

The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" concluded a very happy and memorable evening.

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CRICKET.

RIPON COMPETITION.

BREWSTER v. BEAUFORT.
At the local Park on Saturday, Beaufort had an easy victory over Brewster. The visitors batted first, but could only manage 29 runs. R. Dunn (11) was the only batsman who reached double figures. V. Jenkin, who was bowling well, captured 4 wickets for 17 runs; R. Davis taking 2 for 12. Beaufort responded with 156 runs, at the cost of four wickets. H. V. Martin put together a score of 57 in good style, and was well supported by V. Jenkin (37). This partnership was not broken till 104 runs were on the board, and when the third wicket fell, the total was 127. Others who reached double figures were:—M. Cole, 15 (not out); N. H. Oddie, 14; and R. Davis, 10. The most successful Brewster bowler was A. McPhie (2/47). Scores:—

BREWSTER.

A. McPhie, b. Davis	2
M. Jeffrie, b. Jenkin	3
H. Jeffrie, b. Jenkin	2
D. Dawson, b. Jenkin	0
J. Hamilton, b. Davis	1
K. McIntyre, b. Jenkin	3
D. McCann, run out	3
P. Hamilton, b. Jenkin	0
W. Russell, b. Jenkin	3
R. Dunn, c. Oddie, b. Jenkin	11
J. Dawson, not out	1
Total	29

Bowling—V. Jenkin, 7/17; R. Davis, 2/12.

BEAUFORT.

H. V. Martin, c. McIntyre, b. Russell	57
N. H. Oddie, b. D. Dawson	14
V. Jenkin, c. P. Hamilton, b. McPhie	37
K. Davis, c. D. Dawson, b. McPhie	10
M. Cole, not out	15
E. Hunt, not out	7
Sundries	16
Total	160

Bowling—D. Dawson, 1/29; A. McPhie, 2/47; J. Dawson, 0/6; W. Russell, 1/12; H. Jeffrie, 0/15; P. Hamilton, 0/13; M. Hamilton, 0/8; McCann, 0/12.

FOOTBALLERS v. NERRING.
The Beaufort Footballers visited Nerring on Saturday, and defeated that team. Nerring scored 89, of which I. Collins was responsible for 34, and A. Lynch for 11. L. Lowe had the creditable bowling average of 6 for 42, and T. Trezise took 4 for 23. The Footballers compiled a score of 167 for the loss of eight wickets. T. Trezise (77) and L. Lowe (55) were the principal contributors to the score. They gave an excellent exhibition of batting; the partnership being responsible for 115 runs. In 52 minutes, the Footballers scored 100 runs. Both Trezise and Lowe were caught off successive balls, sent down by L. Symons. The fielding of the Nerring team was very good. The only other batsman who reached double figures was R. Pringle (19). H. Collins (4/59) and T. Stewart (2/28) shared the bowling honours. Scores:—

NERRING.

I. Collins, b. Lowe	34
H. Collins, c. Lowe, b. Trezise	8
P. Doull, b. Trezise	0
A. Marshall, b. Lowe	7
E. Dawson, b. Lowe	1
T. Stewart, c. McCracken, b. Lowe	6
F. Collins, not out	6
A. Lynch, c. Cowell, b. Lowe	11
L. Symons, b. Lowe	1
A. Collins, c. Pringle, b. Trezise	5
M. Campbell, b. Trezise	0
Sundries	8
Total	89

Bowling—L. Lowe, 6/42; T. Trezise, 4/36.

FOOTBALLERS.

T. Trezise, c. I. Collins, b. H. Collins	77
S. McCracken, b. L. Symons	4
L. Lowe, c. Symons, b. H. Collins	55
J. Irving, run out	1
R. Pringle, c. Symons, b. T. Stewart	19
A. Cowell, c. Campbell, b. H. Collins	0
H. Collins	1
H. Collins, b. H. Collins	1
J. Fitzpatrick, not out	3
W. Fitzpatrick, b. T. Stewart	0
Sundries	7
Total	8 for 167

Bowling—I. Collins, 0/58; L. Symons, 1/13; H. Collins, 4/59; T. Stewart, 2/28.

BUANGOR v. WATERLOO.

Buangor was at home to Waterloo, and the visitors won easily. Buangor made 67; W. Bailey (22) and Jack Murray (10, not out) being the best performers with the bat. J. Rush captured 3 wickets for 9 runs, T. Rutherford 3 for 10, and A. Laney 2 for 7. Waterloo hit up the good score of 181 for eight wickets. J. Flynn (53, not out) was the top scorer; Jack Lamb contributing 30 (not out), C. Flynn 22, N. Dromey (15 not out), and J. McLaughlan 13. J. Meadows (2/21) and W. Bailey (2/37) shared the bowling honours. Scores:—

BUANGOR.

W. Murray, l.b.v., b. Vowles	5
W. Bailey, c. C. Lamb, b. Rutherford	22
H. Green, c. C. Lamb, b. Rutherford	0
J. Murray, c. and b. Laney	0
C. Petrie, c. C. Flynn, b. C. Lamb	4
Jack Murray, not out	16
M. Murray, c. McLaughlan, b. Rutherford	0
J. Meadows, std. Flynn, b. Rush	1
B. Nairn, c. C. Lamb, b. J. Rush	0
B. Morley, b. J. Rush	2
L. Murray, c. Dromey, b. McLaughlan	3
Sundries	4
Total	57

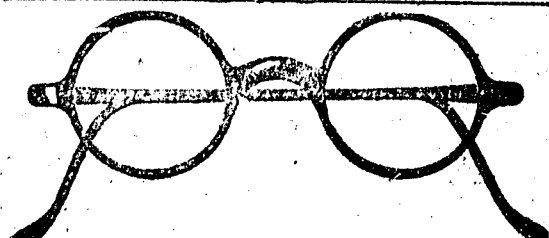
Bowling—A. Laney, 2/7; R. Vowles, 0/18; T. Rutherford, 3/10; C. Lamb, 1/4; J. Rush, 3/9; J. McLaughlan, 1/3; J. Flynn, 0/2.

WATERLOO.

Joe Lamb, l.b.v., b. Green	5
J. Flynn, not out	53
R. Vowles, b. Bailey	4
C. Lamb, c. and b. Bailey	8
J. Rutherford, c. and b. J. Murray	2
J. McLaughlan, c. and b. Meadows	13
C. Flynn, b. Morley	22
J. Rush, c. and b. Meadows	3
A. Laney, c. and b. Morley	4
N. Dromey, not out	15
Jack Lamb, not out	30
Sundries	22
Total	8 for 181

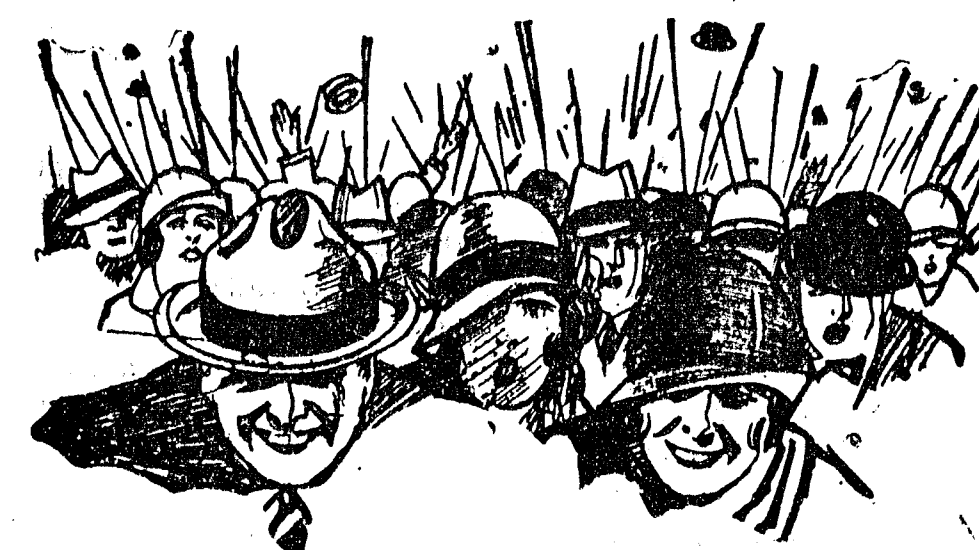
Bowling—C. Petrie, 0/26; W. Bailey, 2/37; H. Green, 1/32; J. Murray, 1/19; Morley, 1/16; J. Meadows, 2/21.

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MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Flowers on the table and mantel-shelf gave a homely appearance to the meeting room at the Beaufort Mechanics' Institute on Tuesday night, when 14 subscribers gathered for the annual meeting. Dr. S. E. Humphreys (president) was in the chair.

The balance-sheet for the past year showed receipts totalling £204/12/2, and expenditure amounting to £183 8/7, leaving a credit balance of £21 3/7. Mr T. M. Bowe certified to the correctness of accounts. The following annual report was presented by the secretary (Mr H. V. Martin):— It is with pleasure that we are able to report the most satisfactory year for the Institute for a number of years; and it is almost certain that even this year will be eclipsed, if the present enthusiasm is maintained. The gross receipts for the year increased to the extent of £20, due mainly to the bridge evenings, which brought in £26/12/3—an increase of about £20. The subscriptions are almost the same as last year, and it is in this direction that the new committee may look for an improvement, especially if they can maintain a fresh supply of new books. Hall rent increased to the extent of £4, which is quite satisfactory. The billiard receipts are just a little better, and should be improved by a little organisation in the club room. The flower show was again successful, and showed a profit of £23, as against £21 for the previous year. We also had an increase in the expenditure, but it is pleasing to note that the principal increase may be found in the purchase of new books. The total expended in new books is £32/14/9, as against £34/5/5 for books and papers combined. As previously mentioned, the total of £32 for new books is a record, and this expenditure was only possible through the hard work of the committee in organising bridge evenings, and the loyal support of the players who so regularly came along to play. The receipts from the club

room have risen in recent years to less than half what they were some years ago, due mainly to lack of new members; and the new committee would be wise to make an effort to secure new members for this room.

The president, in moving the adoption of the annual report and balance-sheet, said they had had a satisfactory year, and due to the increased interest of everybody, improvements had been made. The amount spent on books was a record for many years.

Mr R. A. D. Sinclair, as an old member, congratulated the committee, and said he was glad to see so much new blood in the Institute, although he regretted the absence of some of the members of pioneer families. He seconded the motion.

Mr Hodggets added his congratulations, and said the Institute had been improved socially, intellectually, and financially. If the present committee were returned to power, he was sure the Institute would continue to prosper.

Mr Finney moved that the committee consist of the same number of members as at present. Seconded by Mr Hodggets, and carried.

In vacating the chair, the president said he had been very pleased with his term of office. He had had a very happy time, and would be pleased if one of the other members would take over the position.

Mr Jenkin (vice-president) took the chair during the election of officers, but made it plain that he did not intend to accept nomination as president.

Mr Sinclair nominated Dr. Humphreys for re-election. This was seconded by Mr Finney, and supported by Messrs. Joyce and Jenkin.

Dr. Humphreys was unanimously re-elected, amidst applause. Dr. Humphreys accepted the position and returned thanks. He assured them that he would do his best in the interests of the Mechanics'. An apology was received for the absence of Mr C. H. McKay; and the non-attendance of Mrs. Hughes, Miss H. Wotherspoon, and Mr A. Parker was also apologised for.

The remaining office-bearers were elected as follows:—Vice-presidents, Messrs. W. V. C. Jenkin and G. Beggs; secretary, Mr H. V. Martin; committee, Messrs. W. W. Ashley, J. R. Joyce, Finney, R. C. Hodggets, and E. S. Crouch; auditor, Mr T. M. Bowe.

Mr Martin moved that no book committee be elected. Seconded by Mr Finney.

Mr Joyce moved, as an amendment, that a book committee be elected. Seconded by Mr Hodggets.

The amendment was carried. Mr Crouch moved that the matter of selection of the book committee be left in the hands of the committee.

Seconded by Mr Ashley, and carried. The president said the librarian had been unable to carry on since Christmas, and had been granted sick leave for a month on full pay.

Mr Sinclair moved that the action of the committee in that matter be endorsed. Seconded by Miss Lewis, and carried.

A letter was received from Miss McNaughton thanking the committee for their action.

The president referred to the valuable past work of Mr Martin as secretary, and to his generosity in returning part of his bonus as a donation for a number of years.

Mr Joyce moved that Mr Martin be voted the usual bonus of £10. Seconded by Mr Jenkin, and carried by acclamation.

Mr Martin returned thanks, and said he would return £5 of the bonus to the committee to spend as they thought fit.

Mr Sinclair moved that a minute be placed on the books, in appreciation of the valuable services to the Mechanics' Institute of Mr A. Parker, who was the last of the pioneer committee; and also that a letter of thanks be sent to him. Seconded by Dr. Humphreys (who made a few, eulogistic remarks), and carried.

Mr Sinclair moved a hearty vote of thanks to the retiring committee for their work during the year. Seconded by Mr Hodggets, and carried by acclamation.

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LOCAL FIXTURES.

Regular Local Meetings.
Riponshire Council.—Second Monday in the month.
Police Court.—Every Monday (except holidays).
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.
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 Evening.—Last Monday in each month.
School Committee.—Fourth Monday in each month.
Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in the month.

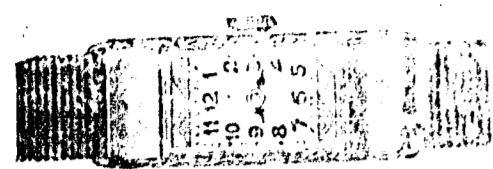
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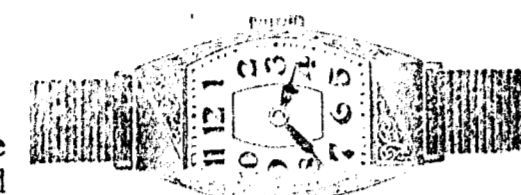
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DIVERSIFIED FARMING.

SYSTEMATIC CROP ROTATIONS.

(By "AGRONOMY.")

Much has been written recently regarding the use of nitrogenous manures for "stubble" sown cereals. The nitrogen experiments at the Waite Institute and Werribee Research Farm have opened up a very interesting subject, namely, the economy of the "fallow" cropping system. Just when, and to what extent, should the "stubble crop" enter the cereal rotation?

The answer is probably to be found in defining wheat as the "fallow" crop, and oats and barley as the "stubble" crops. There appears to be evidence in favour of a wider rotation and more diverse production for our wheat areas, as well as for the better rainfall, mixed farming districts.

The system of "stubble" cropping has come into the realm of practical politics only in the past year or so. Before the discovery of the value of nitrogenous fertilisers in improving yields of stubble sown crops, there appeared to be an ever-increasing necessity for preceding all cereal crops by a large fallow on all except certain fertile soils. Now, however, stubble cropping in the form of a mixed rotation of say fallow, wheat, oats, barley, in that order, appears to be a more economical practice than the old fallow-wheat rotation of the cereal belt. The adoption of such a rotation means more diversified farming, which is all to the good.

Barley, if not marketed, can be utilised as a pig and poultry feed on the farm, and oats serve a most useful means of storing up reserves of fodder, either as hay or grain. In the form of grain, both oats and barley, if stored in galvanised iron tanks, can be kept indefinitely, and are invaluable for feeding sheep, either in the winter period, or during summer or droughty seasons.

During the last few years, the popularity of the oat crop, for sowing on wheat stubble, has been waning; in fact, in a number of districts farmers have found it necessary to fallow for oats as well as for wheat, and are continuing to do so even despite the cost of the non-producing fallow year.

The inconsistent production of the stubble oat crop has undoubtedly been due to lack of that important plant food, nitrogen. Nitrogen generally is just as deficient in stubble soils, as it is well supplied after a bare fallow. Autumn soil analyses of bare "fallows" show 40-50 parts of nitrogen (per million of soil) while similar analyses of stubble are as low as 4 parts.

There can be no doubt that stubble-sown oats can be sown with security if provision is made for supplying them with nitrogen as well as phosphates. This is achieved by using a suitable mixed manure. Judging from the State Research Farm, Werribee, the most suitable application consists of 1-2 cwt. per acre of the 1 and 1 super and ammonia mixed fertiliser. By utilising such a mixture for all the "stubble" crops, and superphosphate for the "fallow" crop, a rotation of wheat, oats, and barley should certainly be profitable and valuable in diversifying production in the cereal belt.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

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Dr. Humphreys briefly responded. Arrangements were then made in connection with the forthcoming flower show.

Mr Finney moved that all present be elected to the flower show committee, with power to add. Seconded by Mr Beggs, and carried.

Mr Ashley said Mr Jenkin and he had revised the prize-list, but could not go further till they knew the amount of money allotted.

Mrs McKay suggested a competition for decorated tables, a decorated bowl, table centre, or mantelpiece. She was afraid there would not be enough room for decorated tables.

Mrs McKay's suggestion was recommended to the committee for consideration.

Miss Lewis said she understood Mrs Hughes had arranged for Mr Hatley to bring his display.

Mr Martin informed Mr Finney that £14/2/ was paid in prizes last year.

Mr Finney moved that £21 be the limit of the amount allotted in prizes. Seconded by Mr Crouch, and carried.

Donations of 10/ to the flower show by Miss Lewis, Mr Finney, Mr Sinclair, Mr E. S. Crouch, Miss B. Schlicht, Mr Jenkin, Mr Hodgetts, Mr Ashley, Mesdames Hodgetts and McKay, Mr A. M. Parker, and Mr H. V. Martin. These donations totalled £6/10/.

Mr G. Beggs donated £2/2/ for an aggregate prize for flowers and vegetables, in the amateur section (to be won three times).

It was understood that the ladies would obtain donations of cakes for the afternoon tea.

The president said Mrs Theodore Beggs had agreed to open the flower show.

Mr Jenkin said that members of the committee should approach people and ask them to exhibit.

The prices of admission were fixed at 1/ for adults and 3d for children in the afternoon, with half-price for adults at night.

It was decided to charge 6d per entry under 10, and 5/ for 10 or over; entries for school children to be free in their own section.

It was resolved that the matter of appointing stallholders be referred to the lady members of the committee, and that the ladies also run tea, and that the ladies also run the following judges were appointed:—Mr Sievewright, Mrs S. E. Humphreys, Miss E. Nickols, Mr R. G. Beggs, Mr Crocker, Mrs Excell, Mrs Young, Miss H. Miller, Mr Scott, Mrs Ashley, Mrs Jenkin.

Stewards were appointed as follows:—Mr Joyce, Mr Hodgetts, Mrs Jenkin, Mr Ashley, and Mr Crouch.

The appointment of a flower show secretary was left in the hands of Dr. Humphreys and Mr Martin.

Mr Ashley said that Mr Lee, a big Ballarat exhibitor, would be competing this year.

The matter of having a marquee along the side of the hall was considered.

Presbyterian Church.

The annual congregational meeting of the Beaufort Presbyterian Church, to have been held on Monday night, was postponed till Monday evening, 18th March, when it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

Finger Severed.

Philip, the little son of Mr and Mrs Bruce Sutton, of Beaufort, met with a painful accident on Monday. He got his right hand caught in a sausage machine, and the index finger was severed at the second joint.

BEAUFORT RIFLE CLUB.

V.R.A. MEDAL COMPETITION.

The Beaufort Rifle Club concluded the annual match for the V.R.A. medal and other events on Saturday. Following are the leading scores:—

SENIOR SERIES.

V.R.A. medal—10 shots at 300, 500, and 600 yds. This event was previously won by W. J. Bruce Johnson, T. G. Beggs, Roy Dunn, J. P. Fraser, and the late C. McCook. Holders of the medal are ineligible to win again; the highest scorer, if a medalist, winning a clasp and bar. The medal was won by T. E. Lightfoot, and a bar and clasp by Roy Dunn. Previous winners of a clasp and bar were W. J. Bruce Johnson and T. G. Beggs. Leading scores (300, 500, 600 yds. and total):—R. Dunn, 48-46-40-134; W. J. Bruce Johnson, 42-45-45-132; T. E. Lightfoot, 40-46-36-122; Moreton Bruce Johnson, 43-39-30-112; J. Finch, 37-37-30-104.

Scratch Aggregate, for trophy valued at 10/ (gift of Mr Ron Lightfoot). Eight shots at 300, 500, and 600 yds. Won by Roy Dunn. Leading scores (300, 500, 600 yds. and total):—Roy Dunn, 39-38-32-109; W. J. Bruce Johnson, 33-38-35-106; J. T. Oddie, 32-39-34-105; Moreton Bruce Johnson, 34-32-25-91; T. E. Lightfoot, 32-36-22-90.

Handicap Aggregate, for 10/ trophy (presented by Mr Ron Lightfoot); 8 shots at 300, 500, and 600 yds. (Leading scores:—J. T. Oddie, 105-15-120; Roy Dunn, 109-6-115; W. J. Bruce Johnson, 106-6-112; Moreton Bruce Johnson, 91-21-112; T. E. Lightfoot, 90-12-102.

Lightfoot Gold Medal (presented by Mr T. E. Lightfoot), to be won twice. The winner of the handicap aggregate (J. T. Oddie) secured a leg-in; previous winners being Ron Lightfoot and Moreton Bruce Johnson, who each have a leg-in.

JUNIOR SERIES.

These matches were for the encouragement of shooters who have never won a trophy. Three trophies were donated by the captain (Mr W. J. Bruce Johnson) for range prizes; the aggregate prize being membership of the V.R.A., which entitles the winner to compete for the V.R.A. medal without entry of affiliation fee. J. Finch won all the events. Following are the leading scores:—

300 yds.—J. Finch, 37; Max Johnston, 31; N. Watchorn, 31; H. Cains, 21; S. Whiting, 19.

500 yds.—J. Finch, 37 (two inner finish); H. Cains, 37 (two magpie finish); Max Johnston, 36; N. Watchorn, 26; S. Whiting, 11.

600 yds.—J. Finch, 30; Max Johnston, 24 (one bull finish); N. Watchorn, 24 (one inner finish).

Aggregate.—J. Finch, 104; Max Johnston, 95; H. Cains, 82; N. Watchorn, 81.

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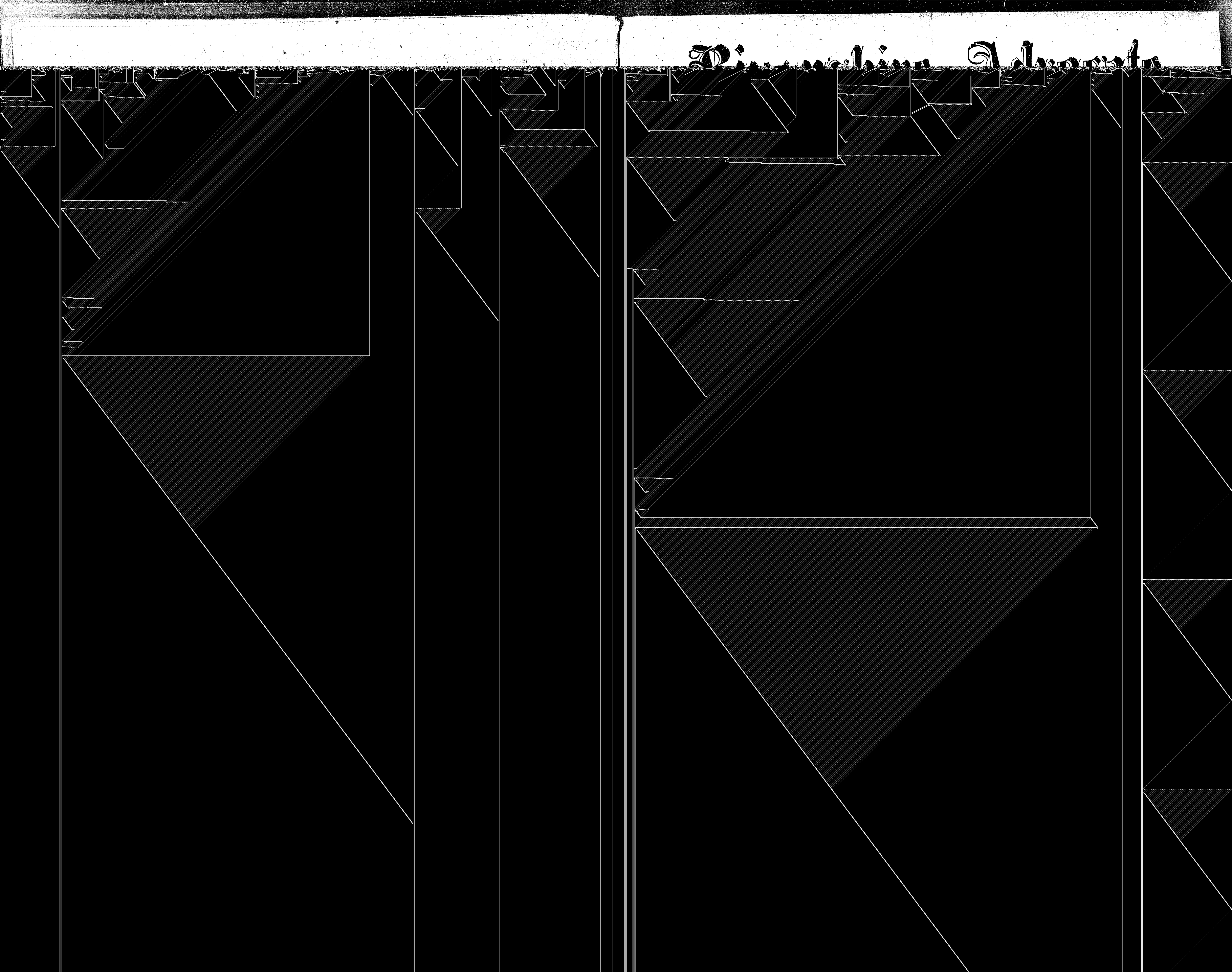
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TENNIS.

BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

THE FINAL.

TRAWALLA v. METHODIST A.

The final match of the Beaufort district tennis competition was played at Trawalla on Saturday, between the Trawalla A and Beaufort Methodist A teams.

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BEAUFORT CLUB.

COMPETITION FOR ATHOLE STEWART ROSE BOWL.

The Beaufort Tennis Club's annual ladies' singles tournament for the Athole Stewart rose bowl was commenced on Saturday. There were 21 competitors, and some well-contested matches were witnessed.

First Round. Miss E. Nickols, owe .2, d. Mrs Parker, owe .2, 6-5, 6-3. Miss A. Norman, owe .2, d. Mrs Ashley, owe .2, 6-5, 6-5.

Second Round. Mrs Finney, owe .3, d. Mrs McLellan, owe 30.1, walk over. Mrs Stowell, owe .1, d. Mrs Mor-

Third Round. Miss Christie d. Miss M. Parker, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3. Mrs Stowell d. Mrs Finney, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Half-a-Century Ago. The Beaufort District Rifle Club is 50 years old. Newspaper files show that it had a most prosperous first half-year in shooting as well as in finance.

TRAWALLA-BURRUMBEET TOURNAMENT. The Burrumbeet and Trawalla tennis clubs held a mixed doubles tournament at Trawalla, which proved very enjoyable.

First Round. Mrs Carey and K. Hyde d. Mrs Collins and L. H. Tolliday, 6-4. Miss A. Leech and A. Campbell d. Mrs Parker and M. Broadbent, 6-4.

Second Round. Miss A. Leech and A. Campbell d. Mrs Carey and K. Hyde, 6-3. Mrs Wilson and J. Fisher d. Mrs Scott and L. L. Pateman, 6-3.

Third Round. F. C. Hall and Miss D. Parker d. Campbell and Miss A. Leech, 6-3. Mrs Vowles and C. Stevenson d. Mrs Wilson and J. Fisher, 6-3.

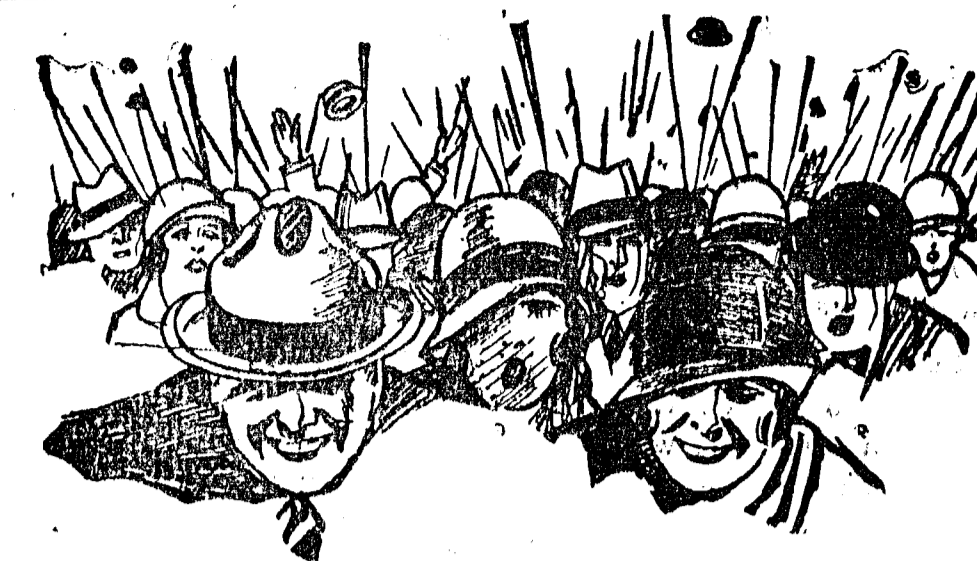
Final. F. C. Hall and Miss D. Parker d. Mrs Vowles and C. Stevenson, 8-6. The trophies were presented to the winners in a neat speech by Mr L. H. Tolliday.

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BEAUFORT THISTLE CLUB

The monthly meeting of the committee of the Beaufort Thistle Club was held at the Aussie Cafe on Tuesday night; 15 members attending, and Mr C. H. McKay (chief) presiding.

were not cleaned out earlier was not the fault of the caretaker. He (the chief) was emphatic that no blame was attachable to the council. The method of collecting a percentage of the money promised by guarantors was then discussed, and it was resolved that the secretary write for it.

ENGINEER'S REPORT.

The following report by the engineer (Mr E. S. Crouch, C.E., L.S.) will be dealt with at the meeting of the Ripon Shire Council on Monday: 1. Preston Hill Intersection.—This intersection of the Carnham—Linton and Chestowe—Preston Hill roads, though not considered dangerous, should, I think, be improved.

CRICKET.

RIPON COMPETITION.

NERRING — BREWSTER SEMI-FINAL.

Nerring visited Brewster to play the B grade semi-final. Nerring won the toss and batted, but found D. Dawson in his best form with the ball.

ted hat trick; taking the last three wickets with successive balls. L. Symons captured 2 for 40. Scores:—

Table with 2 columns listing bowlers and their scores, including I. Collins, b. D. Dawson, A. Marshall, b. McPhie, etc.

Total ... 86. Bowling—D. Dawson, 8/28; A. McPhie, 1/33; W. Russell, 0/12.

BREWSTER.

Table with 2 columns listing bowlers and their scores, including A. McPhie, c. Symons, b. I. Collins, M. Jeffrie, b. I. Collins, etc.

Total ... 115. Bowling—I. Collins, 6/28 (including the hat trick); L. Symons, 2/40; T. Stewart, 1/20; H. Collins, 1/20.

Proposed Visit of Officers. Mr Colin H. Campbell, of Queenscliff, is bringing a party of permanent officers from that town to visit the Beaufort unit of the 8th Battalion, when their commanding officer says it is convenient.

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WATCH FOR NEXT WEEK'S LIST. BRUCE SUTTON, Cash Buyer, Skins, Hides, and Tallow. Opticians' Visit. Messrs. Coles & Garrard, Melbourne's master opticians, visit Beaufort, at the Mechanics' Institute, between 1 and 6, on Monday, 11th March.

FIXTURES RIPON CRICKET ASSOCIATION, 1934-1935.

First Round. Oct. 20—Waterloo v. Beaufort; Brewster v. Nerring; Footballers v. Buangor.

Oct. 27—Beaufort v. Buangor; Nerring v. Waterloo; Brewster v. Footballers.

Novr. 3—Footballers v. Beaufort; Buangor v. Nerring; Waterloo v. Brewster.

Novr. 10—Nerring v. Beaufort; Footballers v. Waterloo; Brewster v. Buangor.

Novr. 17—Beaufort v. Brewster; Buangor v. Waterloo; Nerring v. Footballers.

Novr. 24—Beaufort v. Waterloo; Nerring v. Brewster; Buangor v. Footballers.

Decr. 8—Buangor v. Beaufort; Waterloo v. Nerring; Footballers v. Brewster.

Decr. 15—Beaufort v. Footballers; Nerring v. Buangor; Brewster v. Waterloo.

Decr. 22—Beaufort v. Nerring; Waterloo v. Footballers; Buangor v. Brewster.

Jan. 12—Brewster v. Beaufort; Waterloo v. Buangor; Footballers v. Nerring.

Jan. 19—Waterloo v. Beaufort; Brewster v. Nerring; Footballers v. Buangor.

Feb. 2—Buangor v. Beaufort; Nerring v. Waterloo; Brewster v. Footballers.

Feb. 9—Footballers v. Beaufort; Buangor v. Nerring; Waterloo v. Brewster.

Feb. 16—Nerring v. Beaufort; Footballers v. Waterloo; Brewster v. Buangor.

Feb. 23—Beaufort v. Brewster; Buangor v. Waterloo; Nerring v. Footballers.

Jan. 26 and March 23—Inter-association matches, if arranged.

March 2nd—Semi-finals on grounds of second and fifth clubs. March 9th and 16th—Final on leading club's ground.

All matches to be played on the first-named club's ground.

The Month's Rainfall. The rainfall at Beaufort for February was 133 points, compared with 187 points for the corresponding month last year.

HOST HOLBROOK says: The Holbrook Olives are grown in the sunny Olive groves of Spain. Packed in Australia.

BEAUFORT BUSH NURSING HOSPITAL.

ANNUAL GARDEN PARTY AND FETE.

In keeping with the ideal weather, there was a good attendance of ladies in gay summer frocks, and a sprinkling of men, at the Beaufort Bush Nursing Hospital garden party and fete, held in the Hospital grounds on Thursday afternoon.

Mr R. G. Beggs (president) performed the opening ceremony. He said that it was his pleasing duty to open the fete, and he extended a hearty welcome to all present. By the good attendance, he could see that the people were more than usually interested in the Hospital.

The ladies in charge of the various stalls were:—Cakes—Mesdames J. W. Harris, L. McMahon, and L. Watkin; Jumble—Mesdames McKay, Hodgetts, J. F. Wotherspoon, and Jenkin; flowers—Mrs M. Watkin, and Misses Helen and Barbara Beggs; ice-cream—Miss Lewis, and Mesdames Crouch and Brent; afternoon tea—Mesdames S. E. Humphreys, N. B. Acton, R. T. Macdonald, W. Holdsworth, Brown, Buchanan, Sister Grenda, Nurse Conlon, and others.

Messrs C. H. McKay, J. B. Roderrick, J. F. Wotherspoon, Geo. Beggs, and A. J. Saph were in charge of the novelties and side-shows.

A competition for the best lady's spray, for which a prize was donated by Mrs Watkin, drew a record entry; many beautiful and artistic efforts being the result.

Guessing competitions were got off by Misses A. Cushing and B. Schlicht.

There was a large attendance at night, when the Town Band played an enjoyable programme of music under the baton of Bandmaster J. D'Alhora. Committee members and others conducted the sideshows and stalls were run by the ladies. A bridge tournament in the Hospital was won by Mr D. Stevenson and Miss A. E. Schlicht. A dance palais in the C.W.A. Hall was in charge of Messrs. R. C. Hodgetts and G. Beggs. Supper was provided for all. Mr G. Allnutt acted as gatekeeper. The proceeds amounted to about £50.

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CRICKET.

RIPON COMPETITION. SEMI-FINALS. BEAUFORT V. BUANGOR.

Mr J. T. Glover (president) presided at a meeting of the Beaufort Jockey Club, held on Monday night at the Picture Theatre; nine members attending. Correspondence was read from a number of owners of horses, asking for programmes, and forwarding nominations for the gymkhana on March 23rd.

COLLISION AT INTERSECTION.

At about 9.30 a.m. on Saturday, two motor cars collided at the intersection of Neill and Lawrence streets, Beaufort. Mr Henry Crick was driving a Sedan car, owned by Mr V. Wilson, in a southerly direction, across the intersection from Lawrence street (with his mother as a passenger), and Mr Sheppard, of Ballarat, was driving a car westerly along Neill street on the main Western Highway, when the mishap occurred.

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An interesting finish, in which the junior members of the Beaufort team carried their side to victory, was witnessed when one of the Ripon cricket semi-finals was played by Beaufort and Buangor at the local Park on Saturday. The winners missed the services of H. V. Martin. Buangor batted first for a total of 93 runs for five wickets. W. Bailey topped the score with a well-made 48; W. Murray, junr., contributing 23 and W. Murray, senr., 11, not out. C. Morvell captured 4 wickets for 12 runs. Beaufort's total was 105 for the loss of 7 wickets, and double figures were reached by V. Hunt (29, not out), N. Oddie (21), C. Lowe (21, not out), and E. S. Crouch (18). W. Bailey captured 6 wickets for 46 runs (including two wickets for one run in one over). Crouch and Oddie's partnership ended when the score was 4 for 45. Davis took Crouch's place. Oddie (21) was out on an l.b.w. decision to Bailey when the total was 5 for 50. V. Hunt then went in. Davis fell a victim to J. Murray's bowling when he had made 10—6 for 50. Max Cole was the next in, but he was bowled by Bailey soon after opening his account—7 for 59. C. Lowe filled the gap, and Hunt and he made a meritorious stand that pulled the chestnuts out of the fire for Beaufort, whose prospects up to this stage were anything but promising. They batted steadily, making runs at a rate that was just sufficient to keep the result in doubt, and add a little spice to the play for the spectators. With five minutes to go, four runs were wanted. Soon after the tallies were level. Hunt made the winning hit (a single) with a minute or two to go. When the game ended, the boys had taken the total to 105 for seven wickets; Lowe (21) and Hunt (29) being undefeated. They were carried off the field shoulder high by their team mates. Scores:—

Table with 2 columns: Player Name and Score. Includes W. Bailey, W. Murray, J. W. Meadows, W. Murray, C. Petrie, H. Green, W. Murray, Sunries, Total, Bowling, and BEAUFORT scores.

BEAUFORT. A. Spear, b. Bailey 4 N. Oddie, l.b.w., b. Bailey 21 R. Ellis, b. Bailey 1 V. Jenkin, b. Bailey 0 R. Davis, b. J. Murray 4 E. S. Crouch, b. Bailey 18 V. Hunt, not out 29 M. Cole, b. Bailey 1 C. Lowe, not out 21 Sunries 6

Total 7 for 105 Bowling—C. Petrie, 0/11; W. Bailey, 6/46; H. Green, 0/9; J. Murray, 1/3.

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POLICE COURT.

TRAFFIC AND DEBT CASES.

The occupants of the Bench at the Beaufort Police Court on Monday were Messrs. R. A. D. Sinclair, L. Smith, and C. H. McKay. Senior-constable R. McCormick proceeded against John Henry Joynson on a charge of being, on 15th Decr., the driver of a motor car on the Western Highway, between sunset and sunrise, and that he failed to carry attached thereto, two headlights of approximately equal candle power. Defendant did not appear. Senior-constable R. McCormick, Beaufort, gave evidence that at about 9.45 p.m. on the 15th Decr. of last year, he was on duty in Neil street, Beaufort, and saw defendant driving a motor truck in an easterly direction. The truck had no light on the left-hand side, and witness pulled defendant up. He asked defendant his name and address, which he gave. He asked why defendant had only one light, and defendant said that early that morning he was driving near Beulah, and from some cause the lamp had fallen off, and the glass had fallen out and broken; the bulb also breaking. Defendant said he could not get another glass or globe. Witness asked what towns and garages he had visited, and defendant said he did not bother about going to a garage because he knew country garages did not stock that class of lamp. Witness inspected defendant's motor driver's licence, which was in order. To Mr Sinclair—The glass of the lamp was out when witness inspected it. It was a big, International truck. It appeared to be a standard lamp, and he did not consider defendant's explanation was correct. The other light was alright, and was burning brightly. The regulation was brought in to be a warning or guide to other motorists. He had no reason to doubt that defendant was speaking the truth in regard to the lamp breaking, but when he asked defendant why he did not go to a garage, he said he did not think they stocked them. He had received a letter from defendant's father, but that had no bearing on the case. Mr Sinclair said the Bench had decided to fine defendant \$1. Stevenson Bros. proceeded against R. M. Brain for the recovery of £20/12/9 owing for goods sold and delivered. No notice of defence had been filed, and defendant did not appear. The Bench gave a verdict against defendant for the amount claimed, with 8/- costs. Another debt case that had been settled out of court was withdrawn.

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CAR AND TRUCK COLLIDE NEAR TRAWALLA.

A collision between a motor truck and car, that was fortunately unattended by serious consequences, took place on Saturday, at about 9 p.m., on the Western Highway, about 3 1/2 miles on the Trawalla side of Beaufort, near Mr W. Packham's residence. The truck (a Studebaker) was being driven in a westerly direction towards Beaufort by Mr Maurice Tracy, of Landsborough, who had his father, mother, and two children in the cabin with him. The driver and owner of the car (a practically new Terraplane) was Mr John Gibb, of Lake Goldsmith, and his brother-in-law, Mr Frank Nicholson, was with him. He was travelling eastward towards Ballarat. Apparently a front wheel of one vehicle struck a front wheel of the other. The truck had gone about 20 yds. uphill after the impact on three wheels, only the hub of one front wheel being left, and the vehicle stopped partly across the road. Mr Gibb's car, with a badly-buckled front wheel, had skidded downhill along the bitumen for about 50 yds., and then left the road, and gone another 10 or 12 yds. before coming to rest in a side drain. No one was injured in either vehicle, although Mr Nicholson complained of a severe knock on the head. The car was towed to Ballarat on a breakdown truck, and the damaged truck was brought to Beaufort by Mr V. Wilson's breakdown outfit. Senior-constable McCormick and First-constable J. Duke, of Beaufort, visited the scene of the accident, and made enquiries.

Mr. Bernard O'Dowd Retires.
Mr Bernard Patrick O'Dowd, a distinguished poet who has been the Victorian Parliamentary draftsman for many years, retires from the civil service on March 11. He was born at Beaufort in 1866, and spent his youthful years in this town and district.

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Ripon Shire Council Donates £50 to Ballarat Children's Ward Appeal.

BALLARAT HOSPITAL HEALTH REPORTS.

SPECIAL APPEAL FOR CHILDREN'S WARD.

£50 TO BE DONATED.

The Ripon Shire Council on Monday received a letter from the Ballarat District Base Hospital, re special appeal for £5000 for children's ward, and asking the council to receive a deputation.

Standing orders were suspended to hear Mr Rusden (vice-president) and Mr Eddy (secretary), who represented the Ballarat Hospital Committee as a deputation. They were introduced by Cr. Sinclair, and welcomed by the president (Cr. McKay).

Mr Rusden (vice-president) appealed for help to clear the children's ward of debt. Considering the number of patients they got from this part, they could approach the council hopefully. They were anxious to start the children's ward, clear of debt. That was the main concern of their lady president. The hospitals felt the loss of the Government Endowment Fund, and had not recovered since. They hoped the council would join with the rest of the countryside and help them in this appeal. Their hospital was the third for economical working, and the top country hospital for subscriptions of £1 and over. The length of stay of patients was on a par with any other country hospital.

Mr Eddy (secretary of the Hospital), said they had two ladies on the committee, whose greatest aim was to provide for the children. They incorporated the children's ward in the central block, and were enabled to do so by borrowing £40,000. The Charities' Board undertook to pay 50 per cent. for the public services provided. They were making provision for an intermediate wing in connection with the central block. They were spending a little over £50,000 and wanted to raise £5000 to finance the scheme. The health of the children was the wealth of the State. They felt the children should be restored to health, so as not to be an encumbrance on the State. They had one child there, who had been there six years. They had infantile paralysis and tubercular patients under treatment. He knew they would say they could not afford much, but what father thought of the cost if he had a sick child? They felt the councillors would help them with that great work of providing for the children, even if it were difficult. They should not have to come and beg. They were not unmindful of the work done for them in the district four years ago. The financial position was not quite so good this year, owing to a recent shortage of medical officers, and the employment of a technician. They were the only council in the district who did not assist them annually by a grant. There were a number of people in the district who could ill afford to pay for treatment, and they appealed to them to help these people. The Hospital had never progressed more than under the influence of the two lady members of the committee. He asked the president to get the local people interested to help, and the Hospital Committee would provide entertainments, etc.

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

From Dr. S. E. Humphreys, Beaufort, reporting five cases of scarlet fever at Brewster.—Received. The secretary said the cases were very mild, and all at home.

Dr. C. C. Reid, Skipton, reported for February that several cases of whooping cough had been met with; that gastritis and intestinal disturbances had been very frequent; diseases of the respiratory tract having also been frequent and severe (bronchitis, pneumonia, etc.).—Received.

A. Henderson, health inspector, Beaufort, reported.—The medical officer requested an inspection of premises where a case of diphtheria was reported. Upon examination, I found that the household water was distributed over the back yard and garden, and that there were no drains to carry waste water to the right of way. The vacant allotment adjoining is only occupied periodically. The buildings are left in a very unsanitary condition; there being no lavatory, and only an old shed used for the purpose. He had written to the trustee over this matter, which he considered very important.

The trustee replied that he was waiting for authority from Probate Office, and as soon as it came, he would go to Beaufort and see what could be done in the matter.

A further report by Mr Henderson stated that during the past fortnight he had been engaged with the medical officer in helping with the requirements of the school children, etc., whilst the immunisation scheme was being carried out. A reply from the trustee, as previously reported on, has been handed to the shire secretary for the council's perusal, as they were implicated with the improvements asked for. An inspection had been made of Mr Williams' new slaughteryard, etc., and he would require to be a bit further advanced before he could recommend the premises to be licensed, as once the license was issued, there was always a difficulty to get premises satisfactorily completed.

In answer to Cr. Troy, the secretary said an application was not in for the new slaughterhouse.

Cr. Troy—The location should be mentioned, as they did not want them on public highways.

The president (Cr. McKay)—It was the applicant's responsibility, if it were in the wrong place.

The president (Cr. McKay) said that as individual members they were greatly interested, and would do all they could as individuals to further the worthy effort. He invited the members of the deputation to lunch.

Mr Rusden thanked the council, and invited questions.

Mr Eddy answered several questions, asked by Crs. Troy, Sinclair, and McDonald.

The matter was lengthily discussed in committee by the council; and it was decided, on the motion of Crs. Troy and Roddis, that £50 be donated, spread over two years, if necessary.

PROVISION OF MORTUARY.

Local Suggestion Not Favoured By Crown Law Department.

The Ripon Shire Council on Monday received a letter from the Chief Secretary's office, stating that as the matter of mortuary arrangements made at Beaufort in connection with two recent motor accidents, is within the jurisdiction of the Law Department, to which the shire's communication has accordingly been transferred.—Received.

From Secretary Law Department, stating that suggestion that a room at Court House, Beaufort, be set aside for use as a mortuary pending view by the coroner or deputy coroner as impracticable, as inquiries indicate that there are but four rooms which would be deemed suitable, so these are in occupation by court officials, and the forest officer for the district. If, as suggested, the present practice of using a garage is objected to, then it is suggested that full effect should be given to section 214 of the Licensing Act 1928. The laying out of bodies was, in his opinion, a matter for the undertakers, and certainly not a matter for this Department.

The president (Cr. McKay) said he could not see that it was a definite answer, for the reason that the police station was within two miles of the hotels. It was the Department's right to deal with it.

Cr. Troy agreed. He asked why the forestry officer should have prior right to the room. He moved that the council ask the Department why they should not have prior right over the Forestry Department to that room at the Court House. Seconded by Cr. Roddis, and carried.

On the suggestion of Cr. Sinclair, it was decided that Mr T. Parkin, M.L.A., be asked to make representations in the matter, on behalf of the council.

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LIMITING LOADS ON ROADS.

West Riding Members to Report.

At the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday, Cr. Kirkpatrick, in accordance with notice, moved—"That it be an order of the day for next meeting to discuss the advisability of closing certain roads in the West riding against certain kinds of traffic during the winter months, or fixing load limits for certain roads." He said he had discussed the matter with West riding ratepayers. They had seen considerable damage done to roads and formations in the West riding after heavy rain. Ratepayers were agreeable to loads being limited. He thought of moving that the matter be deferred, and that they take no action unless any more damage was done. He would not like any hardship inflicted. He suggested that action be deferred.

In answer to Cr. Russell, Cr. Kirkpatrick said he meant any road.

Cr. Wills said he thought something should be done. He saw a road damaged by tractors last year in the shire. If controlled, these men could not go on the road without a permit. Heavy loads of posts and firewood had also been carted that had churned up roads. Only a permit for a load limit was necessary. He seconded the motion.

Cr. Troy—He thought Cr. Wills' and Kirkpatrick's motion a confession of weakness that their road construction with gravel was not strong enough to carry loads.

Cr. Sinclair suggested that it be carried for the whole shire.

Cr. Troy—No fear; we don't want our roads closed.


Doubt was expressed by several councillors whether the matter should be discussed at this or next meeting.

Cr. Kirkpatrick—Last year it was deferred to the February or March meeting.

The motion was carried.

Cr. McDonald—They should get the West riding members to bring up a recommendation to the council to get it put through.

Cr. Kirkpatrick moved that it be referred to the West riding members to bring up a report. Seconded by Cr. McDonald, and carried.



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GRAZIER'S COMPLAINTS.

Rabbits, Cut Fence, Surface Damage.

The Ripon Shire Council at Monday's meeting received a letter from Smith & Emmerton, solicitors for the trustees of Stoneleigh Estate, asking that rabbits on shire property be destroyed.—Cr. Kirkpatrick moved that the cuttings be dealt with, and that the adjoining land be kept clear of rabbits and noxious weeds by the owner. The president (Cr. McKay) supported the motion, which was later withdrawn. The engineer said the old stone culverts should be replaced by pipe culverts. The matter was referred to the West riding members, on the motion of Crs. Sinclair and Roddis. A further letter was read from the same firm of solicitors, complaining of damaged done to a rabbit-proof fence and the surface of a paddock by an employee removing gravel and cutting the fence, and claiming 25/2 damages from the shire.—The president said that Mr Barber had had a lot of trouble with this paddock. The contractors had no right or authority to cut a rabbit-proof fence and leave it. He did not think Mr Barber had any cause for complaint in regard to removal of gravel. Cr. Wills said they were not justified in leaving the fence open. Cr. McDonald—Mr Barber might have something on the contractor, but not on the council. The engineer reported on the matter, and said that the contractor went into Stoneleigh without an order, and without notifying Stoneleigh. He would have got an order if he had applied for it, but would have been told to notify the landholder. It was a case of extreme annoyance by lack of courtesy, at least. Cr. Russell—He thought the shire was not responsible, and that it was a matter between the owners of Stoneleigh and the contractor. Cr. Kirkpatrick—The man was not a servant of the council, but a contractor. Cr. Sinclair—He did not think the council was liable. The president—They were morally more or less responsible for their contractor. They should take disciplinary action with the contractor. Cr. McDonald—They might be able to stop it from the deposit, but should not accept any responsibility. Cr. Roddis—Any expense should fall on the contractor, and they should claim on him. Cr. Kirkpatrick—They should find out if the gate were miles away, if they could cut a rabbit-fence near a deposit. Cr. Wills—There should be a gate on this property every mile, where there were sectional roads. The contractor should have applied to have a gate put on it. Cr. Wills, after discussion, moved that the letter be referred to the contractor. If they deducted the amount from the contractor's deposit, they accepted the responsibility. Cr. McDonald seconded the motion, and suggested that the solicitors be informed that the council disclaimed responsibility be included in it. Cr. Wills agreed to the inclusion of this, and the motion was carried. Cr. Kirkpatrick asked the officers to go into the matter, and see where the council stood in regard to access to deposits. He moved to that effect. Seconded by Cr. Russell, and carried. Cr. Russell—Another great source of complaint was contractors ploughing up a strip of gravel, and leaving it. The engineer—The remedy was in the Act. Cr. Wills—He had the best rabbit warren in the Western District—500 acres with a fence all round it, and they would never get the last rabbit in it. He would give the engineer a certificate for the last man who was in, and the excellent way he left the fence.

RECENT ACCIDENT AT INTERSECTION.

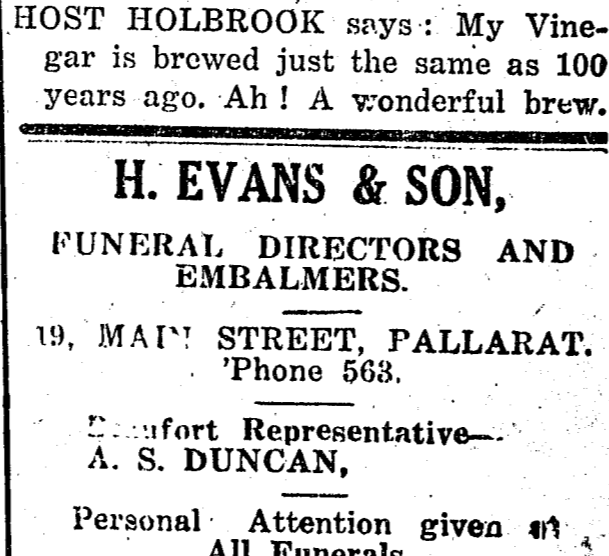
Requests By Shire Council.

At the March meeting of the Ripon Shire Council on Monday, a copy of a letter sent by the shire engineer to the Country Roads Board, re traffic accident on Ballarat—Ararat road was read, and stated that his attention was drawn by a witness of the accident to a canvas verandah blind situated on the east side of Lawrence-St., immediately north of Neill street. It was considered this blind partially obscured the view at the N.E. corner. He requested the occupier to use the blind as little as possible, and would refer the matter to the council for direction. Cr. Troy—His attention was repeatedly drawn to the blind, and if the shopkeeper hung the blind on the window, it would answer the purpose just as well. Exception was also taken to Mr Lewell parking his truck round the corner and obscuring the view. He moved that the occupier be asked to hang the blind on the window, and park the truck further down the street. The engineer said that if the blind were not the full length, it might answer the purpose. Cr. Troy—The blind on the window would answer the same purpose. Cr. Sinclair said something should be done on the corner, but it was wickered the way motorists went through, the town at 40 to 60 miles an hour. Cr. Russell supported the motion, and said the view of the cross roads should not be obscured. Cr. Kirkpatrick seconded the motion, and said they had notices up to go 15 m.p.h. through the town, and they should take some action to stop speeding. The president (Cr. McKay)—They could draw the attention of the police to it. Cr. Troy said the police in every other town had taken action against people in cars for driving to the danger of the public. Cr. Sinclair—Something should be done, or there would be a big smash at the corner. The motion was carried. Cr. Sinclair moved that the local police be written to, and asked if anything could be done to stop speeding in the town. Seconded by Cr. Kirkpatrick, and carried. The latter said that it should be mentioned that ratepayers had brought the matter up.

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RIPON SHIRE COUNCIL.

MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1935.

Present—Crs. C. H. McKay (president), R. A. D. Sinclair, D. F. Troy, P. Russell, D. McDonald, A. C. Roddis, J. Kirkpatrick, and T. Wills.

The minutes of the previous meeting, as typewritten and circulated, were taken as read and confirmed.

An apology was received for the absence of Cr. D. Stewart, who was away on a holiday at Queenscliff.

Correspondence.

From Country Roads Board, approving of acceptance of tender of A. Nunn for supply of 1100 c. yds. of gravel on Ballarat—Hamilton road for £139/15/.—Received.

From Chief Secretary's Office, notifying, in compliance with request, appointment of 5th March, 1935, as a public half-holiday throughout the Shire of Ripon.—Received. Cr. Sinclair—They did not take any notice of it either.

From Public Health Department, asking for health and analyst's reports for 1934.—Acknowledgment received on 1st inst.

From Shire of Grenville, stating that engineer's letter in regard to the reconstruction of the joint section of the Pitlong—Snake Valley road will be attended to as soon as possible.—Received.

From T. Parkin, R. L. Denigan, and O. H. Glenn, candidates at the recent State election, expressing support to the making of rates on closer settlement property being made a first charge on the land.—Received. Cr. Sinclair—He would not have been going to meetings, and putting it to the candidates, if he thought the secretary had written to them.

From Skipton Progress Association, asking if any money was available from unemployed grant for work in Skipton Cemetery.—Cr. Roddis said a little had been done in Carn-

ham Cemetery with sustenance men. Cr. Sinclair said the Beaufort Cemetery had been improved out of sight. The people should look after their own cemetery. Cr. Troy moved that the association be informed that there was no unemployment grant. This was agreed to.

From Robt. G. Beggs, Buln Gherin, Beaufort, applying for permission to move his fence to the outside of the creek at the Cross Roads, as inspected by engineer on 5th inst., and the engineer would explain the position.—The engineer reported that at the Cross Roads, there was a creek on the eastern side of the Eurambien—Streatham road, that ran badly round the corner. The fencing required to be continued, and an area of an acre of road was probably required. The president—A width of about 5 yds. was what Mr Beggs required. He could not make the creek rabbit-proof at present. It would not interfere with the road. The engineer—He was prepared to recommend it. Only two ratepayers were affected, and they were agreeable. Cr. Roddis moved that the letter lie on the table for a month. Seconded by Cr. Kirkpatrick, and carried.

From J. O'Sullivan and J. Rush, hon. secretaries, applying, on behalf of the Beaufort District Schools' Sports Association, for use of Beaufort Park for children's sports on Friday, 22nd inst.—Granted, under usual conditions, on motion of Crs. Troy and Kirkpatrick.

From J. F. O'Brien, Beaufort, applying for approval of council to his occupancy of a garage in Neill street.—Granted, on motion of Crs. Sinclair and Roddis.

First-constable C. E. Newton, Skipton, reported re removal and burial of dead horse from Carranballac gate, and submitted account for 15/. The horse had been wandering on the roads for some weeks, but he was unable to ascertain to whom it belonged.—Received. Cr. McDonald

—It was very hard to name a man who owned a dead horse. Cr. Russell—They should request the police to deal with an old horse before it died. The police had to get an order to slaughter an animal, and should do so when horses were turned out on the roads to die. Cr. Roddis—The ranger could impound a horse, and get an order to shoot it, if it were of no value. Cr. Russell moved that the police be written to and asked to get an order to destroy such animals. Cr. Roddis—Rangers should be empowered to have such horses destroyed. Cr. Sinclair said it was absurd for rangers to do it. Cr. Troy seconded Cr. Russell's motion, which was carried.

Letters were read from a resident of Gerang and a Beaufort resident, regretting that they were unable at present to contribute anything towards their accounts for hospital fees.—The Gerang resident is to be informed that monthly contributions should be made from next month, at the rate of 30/ a month, and the Beaufort resident is to be asked to pay 10/ a month.

From Carngham Turf Club, asking for permission to use Carngham reserve on Easter Saturday, and charge admission.—Granted, under usual conditions, on motion of Cr. Roddis.

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LOCAL FEATURES.

Regular Local Meetings.

Ripon Shire Council.—Second Monday in the month.
Police Court.—Every Monday (except holidays).
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.

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' Bidge Evening.—Last Monday in each month.
School Committee.—Fourth Monday in each month.
Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in the month.

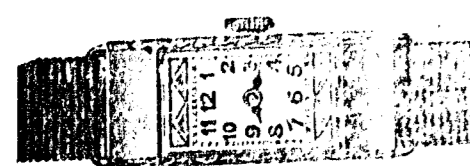
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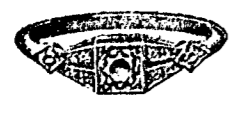


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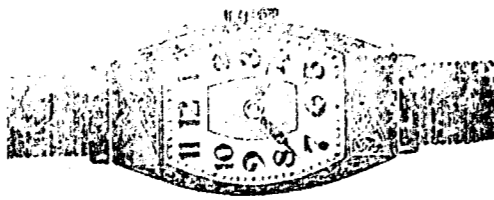
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Tenders.
The following tenders were dealt with:—

Contract 13/35, all Ridings.—650 cub. yds. Gravel, on Trawalla and Trawalla East roads.

Whitfield Bros., £80, (accepted); Alf. Nunn, £97/4/6; C. E. Brown, £102/19/6; Broadbent Bros., £107/19/; W. H. Williams, £107/8/2.

Contract 14/35, East Riding.—750 cub. yds. Gravel, on various roads. Alf. Nunn, £29 (accepted); C. E. Brown, £99/10/3.

Contract 15/35, East Riding.—350 cub. yds. Gravel, on various roads. Alf. Nunn, £39/7/6 (accepted); C. E. Brown, £61/15/.

Quotations.—(A) Fencing at Dam in Skipton. (B) Moving of Pump House from Park to Depot. in Beaufort.

(A)—Alf. Nunn, £15/8/; A. E. Stoddart, £12/12/ (accepted). (B)—Stevenson Bros., £4/18/ (accepted); Alf. Nunn, £8/10/; H. T. Brown, £16.

In regard to the first quotation, the engineer said it had been suggested that there was no need to fence the dam. They might consider whether a guard fence on the northern side was sufficient.

Cr. Troy moved that it be referred to the East riding members, with power to act. Seconded by Cr. Sinclair, and carried.

Cr. Wills—He thought it would be better fenced.

Cr. Roddis moved that the dam be fenced, and the lowest tender accepted.

This was agreed to. It was decided, on the motion of Crs. Troy and Sinclair, that contractors lodge a declaration that they had paid award wages to employees.

General Business.
Cr. Sinclair referred to an article in the local Press in regard to the attractions of Mt. Cole, and asked if the secretary had written to the Tourist Bureau about a road grant recently discussed.

The secretary—He had done so.

Cr. Sinclair moved that Cr. A. Thomas (whose father was a former Ripon councillor) be written to and congratulated on his election to the Melbourne City Council. Seconded by Cr. Roddis, and carried.

Cr. Troy moved that all the pictures in the Shire Hall be taken down and cleaned, and assistance to

do so provided for the caretaker. Seconded by Cr. Sinclair, and carried.

Cr. Russell asked if any repair work had been done at the eastern bridge at Lillirie.

The engineer—It had been under-pinned.

Cr. Russell drew attention to the state of the north and south by-road from Carngham to the water reserve.

It needed immediate attention.—Noted by engineer.

Cr. Kirkpatrick said that on the southern side of Lake Goldsmith the ratepayers were agreeable to have the bad road bends straightened. The West riding members would discuss the matter with the engineer.

In answer to Cr. Wills, the engineer said the shire got £1 a day rent for the traction engine, when let out. It was lighter than the standard rate, but it was better to have it moved occasionally than let it rust up.

Cr. McDonald—He knew another man who hired a shire engine, and it cost double that. Another thing to be considered was whether the engine was working 14 or eight hours a day.

The engineer—Their engine had not been hired for some years other than by Mr Brown.

Cr. McDonald—A bridge over the creek between McCook's and Ring-in's, Mortchup, needed attention.

The engineer—It had been repaired 18 months ago on one side.

Cr. McDonald—The other end of the bridge wanted repairing now.

Mr Wooley was appointed as dog inspector for the East riding, on the motion of Crs. Roddis and McDonald.

WATERLOO SPORTS CLUB

A general meeting of the Waterloo Sports Club was held at the Mechanics' Hall on Saturday night; Mr J. J. Dunn presiding, and 12 members attending. An apology was received for the absence of Mr C. Flynn, who, the president said, would act as an official on sports day. Officials for the post entry events were appointed as follows:—Stepping the Distance, Mr T. Ryan; Basket Ball Competition, Misses Joyce Laney, Elma Jay, and Belle Kay; Old Buffers' Bicycle Race, Mr W. A. Skene; Tug-of-War, Messrs T. Ryan and W. Kay. Arrangements in connection with running the tug-of-war were finalised. It was resolved to sell the rights to the luncheon, soft drinks and ice-cream, fruit, and publican's booths. It was decided to invite tenders for doing up the cycling and running tracks, on the motion of Messrs H. Stewart and J. McErvalle. The president and Messrs. Ryan and McErvalle were appointed to draw up specifications for the work on the tracks, on the motion of Messrs G. Smith and Stewart. Messrs. E. R. Martin and F. Latch were appointed to handicap the open bicycle race. It was decided to call tenders for logs for the woodchops. It was resolved to dye the competitors' coloured jackets afresh. It was also decided that the club avail itself of the offer of the Beaufort Thistle Club to lend two sets of colours. Mr N. Dringey promised to supply pegs for several events. Messrs. Stewart, G. Russell, and Flynn were appointed as a tender committee. Next meeting was left in the hands of the secretary and president to arrange. It was decided to engage the band at the same fee as last year (£2/10/). It was arranged to secure the same music as last year for the dance. It was decided that the boothholder must provide his own copper. The matter of insuring the sports against rain was held over till next meeting. Messrs. W. Kay, R. Vowles, N. Dringey, and G. Vowles were added to the committee.

ENGINEER'S REPORT.

The following report by the engineer (Mr E. S. Crouch, C.E., L.S.) was dealt with at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday:—

1. Preston Hill Intersection.—This intersection of the Carngham—Linton and Chepstow—Preston Hill roads, though not considered dangerous, should, I think, be improved. The approaches are in cutting from the east, and in embankment from north, south, and west sides. The fences westerly follow the top edges of the embankment, and are supported partly by gorse bushes, 5 feet high. The positions of these fences are well outside the allotment boundaries. The fences should, I think, be moved to not closer than 8 feet from the toe of the banks, guard posts erected at intervals along the bank top, and slight widenings of the embankments effected. Other than the private fences the cost should not exceed £10.

Clause 1—Referred to the East riding members, on motion of Crs. McDonald and Russell. It was understood that the re-alignment of the fences would be gone into by the engineer and the East riding councillors.

2. Application T. W. Broadbent, to Lease Road.—The applicant, from information received, appears, is deceased, and it is unlikely his successors will proceed with the application. It is recommended the Lands Department be informed accordingly.

Clause 2.—The engineer—He had since heard that it had been decided to go on with the application, if necessary. He suggested that the matter be deferred for a month. The president (Cr. McKay)—The Lands Department had written for a report. Cr. Sinclair moved that the matter be deferred for a month. Seconded by Cr. McDonald, and carried.

The engineer (Mr E. S. Crouch) reported as follows in regard to progress of works for the month ending 7/3/1935:—Skipton Road—Day Labour—141M/125 — Completion of bitumen sealing works for season, patrol maintenance. Alf. Nunn, 126; amount, £272/15/6; amount paid, £294/11/4; completed. Ballarat — Hamilton—Alf. Nunn, 125; patrol maintenance Alf. Nunn, 126, included in above, completed. Skipton road, —Day labour, 125, scarifying in, re-shaping 8 chains, near 5 1-9 miles. The above are C.R.B. works. Shire Works—Wills' Road—D. A. Carmichael, 12/34, let March; date of completion, 8 weeks; amount contract, £45/10/; amount passed, £54; complete; enters maintenance period. Wills' Road — Broadbent Bros., 22/34; date let, August; amount, £47/19/; amount passed, £45; work finished. Mt. William Road — Alf. Nunn, 33/34; let, August; date completion, 8 weeks; amount contract, £84/15/; amount passed, £76/14/10; completed. Beaufort — Carranballac—Road — Alf. Nunn, 1/35; let, October; date completion, 8 weeks; amount, £59/10/; amount passed, £45/10/; work finished. Eurambeen — Streatham—Whitfield Bros., 2/35; let, Novr.; date completion, 6 weeks; amount contract, £33; starting after 4/35 (in progress). Broadbent Bros., 3/35; let, Decr.; date completion, 8 weeks; amount, £36/2/4; amount passed, £20; nearing completion. Whitfield Bros., 4/35; let Decr.; date completion, 10 weeks; amount contract, £24; amount passed, £30; nearing completion. Dooley's Road—W. Cheeseman, 5/35; let Decr.; date completion, 10 weeks; amount, £41/5/; passed, £33; work finished. Stockyard Hill, Kirkpatrick's, Frog Hollow—Broadbent Bros., 6/35; let January; date completion, 8 weeks; amount, £45/5/; passed, £45/3/; completed. Stockyard Hill—W. H. Williams, 7/35; let Jan.; date completion, 4 weeks; amount, £48/5/; not

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yet started. Carngham — Stockyard Hill — Broadbent Bros., 8/35; let Feb.; date completion, 8 weeks; amount, £25/6/; not yet started. Stockyard Hill Road — Broadbent Bros., 9/35; let, Feb.; date completion, 10 weeks; amount contract, £38/10/8; not yet started. Beaufort — Carngham and Carngham—Stockyard Hill roads—C. E. Brown, 10/35, let Feb.; amount, £104/2/6; starting, 19/3/35. Wangan — Mt. William roads—Broadbent Bros., 11/35; let Feb.; date completion, 8 weeks; amount, £71/6/8; started. Mortchup—Mt. Emu—Alf. Nunn, 12/35; let Feb.; date completion, 6 weeks; amount, £45/10/; starting, 11/3/35. Shire Works, other than Contract—Ballarat — Carngham road—Patrol and tabling near McKay's, and painting, Cemetery bridge. Neill street—Channelling, and attention turn at Sinclair street intersection. Gould's Lane—Attention to McQueen's bridge The Glut—Replacement of Richard's bridge by 36 in. reinforced pipe culvert. Brennan's—Repairs, attention to scours. Musical—Shouldering and repairs. Main Lead, Waterloo, Smith's road, Trawalla—Patrol patching. Back to Raglan—Start made on replacement of culvert with concrete. Bell's Bridge—Re-sheeting abutments and wings in concrete. Sanitary depot—Replacement of tank and stand, and repairs to building. Waterloo Road—Repairs joint section bridge (decking) at Waterloo. Cheeseman's—Patrol patching and grading, and replacement culvert at Flannery's road. Stockyard Hill — Scarifying and re-shaping south of Sheoak Hill. Frog Hollow road—Forming ahead of gravelling. Boundary road, N. and W.—Patrol work and shouldering. Stockyard Hill road—Attention to curves on Bell's Hill and shouldering. Various roads—Grader patrol maintenance. Eurambeen — Streatham (joint Ararat)—Forming and scarifying and re-snapping various sections. Geelong road—Attention west of Cross Roads. Skipton Township—Insertion of culverts; attention footbridge at swimming pool, etc. Mortchup—Mt. Emu—Forming ahead of gravelling. Trawalla Lane—Shouldering and patrol work, and insertion of culvert. Hope's Lane, Chepstow—Preston Hill, Ripley's road, Mortchup—Snake Valley —Re-forming ahead of gravel. Bopeep roads—Patchwork.

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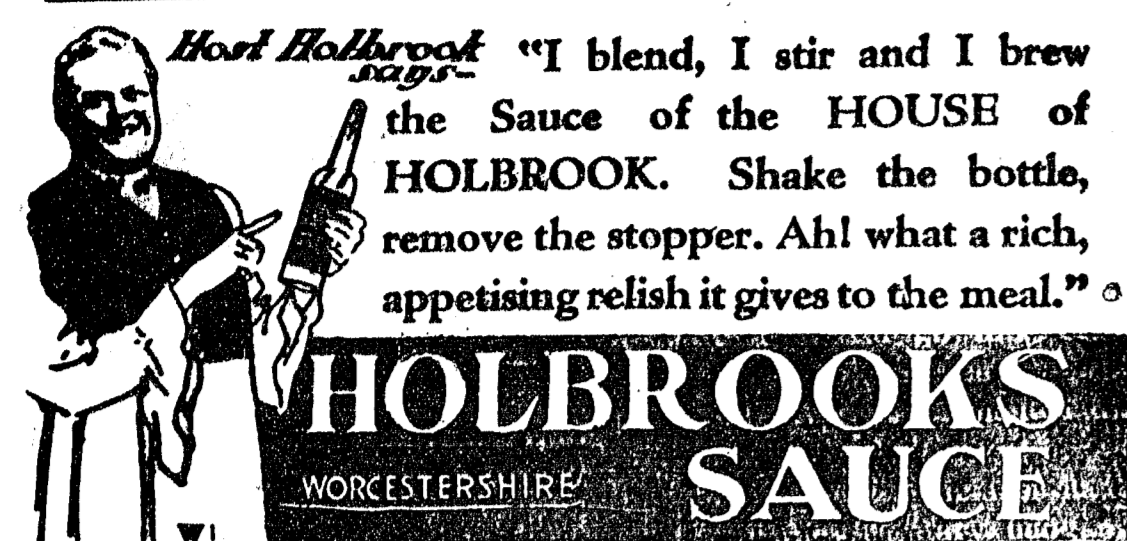
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ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING.

The annual congregational meeting of the members and adherents of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Beaufort, was held on Monday night at the Church; Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A., presiding. There was a fair attendance.

An apology was received for the absence of Mr A. L. Wotherspoon.

Mr T. McNaughton (clerk of the Kirk Session) reported that the sacrament had been administered half-yearly. The Sunday school work had been satisfactorily carried on. Appreciation was expressed of the good work of the ladies, Mr W. Stevens (choirmaster), and Miss H. Wotherspoon (organist). The continued illness of Mrs J. P. MacDougall was referred to with regret.—Adopted, on the motion of Miss W. Wotherspoon, and Mr N. S. McLeod.

The moderator (Rev. J. P. MacDougall) reported that the Sunday school had the sum of £6/11/ in hand. The P.W.M.U. had had a very successful year, and in accordance with their usual practice, had kept nothing in hand. They were to be congratulated on their work.

Miss W. Wotherspoon said they had a very small Sunday school. She thought it was owing to families having grown up, and there being no kindergarten children coming on. Thirty-three was the largest attendance for some time.

The balance-sheet of the Beaufort Presbyterian Church and charges for the year ending December 31st, as presented by Mr H. J. Miller (secretary) showed receipts totalling £122/7/8, and expenditure amounting to £571/7/6; leaving a debit balance of £138/19/10. There was an outstanding cheque for £3/18/. The year commenced with a debit balance of £121/10/2. Mr W. Stevens certified to the correctness of accounts.

In answer to Mr Bowe, the Rev. J. P. MacDougall said there were about 40 communicants in Beaufort. He could not say from memory how many adherents there were.

Mr W. L. Williams said that where he came from, they found the envelope system of contributing very satisfactory. They should try and interest the young people. It was the duty of the Church to help them. Their financial loss was not unique. He moved the adoption of the balance-sheet. Seconded by Miss H. Wotherspoon, and carried.

In answer to Mr Scott, Mr Bowe said they had gone back £17 for the year.

Mr Stevens said they had a debit balance of about £100 every year.

Mr R. G. Scott said that it was a pity there were not more in attendance at Sunday service. It seemed strange to him that in a town of this size there were not two Sunday services.

The Rev. J. P. MacDougall said that it was because the district was so large, with only one man to cover it.

Mr Bowe (treasurer) reported that there was a bank overdraft of £176, and said that the night's accounts would bring it up to the limit. They should have a special appeal and a few socials shortly. They should have something going in order to pay their way.

Mr Scott said that 20 or 30 extra churchgoers would make up their quota. Could they not have some special drive to get people, and particularly young people, to attend?

After further discussion, Mr Bowe moved that another special appeal be made shortly, and that a few socials be held in the Sunday school. Seconded by Miss Wotherspoon, and carried.

Miss Lewis moved that Mr W. Stevens be asked to act as auditor. Seconded by Mr W. J. Stevenson, and carried.

A suggestion that there be more singing in the services was adopted.

The Rev. J. P. MacDougall sincerely thanked all the Church officers-leaders and Sunday school teachers for their services, and hoped Miss McNaughton would be soon restored to health. He specially thanked the choir-master (Mr Stevens), organist (Miss Wotherspoon), and secretary (Mr H. J. Miller).

On behalf of the congregation, Miss H. Wotherspoon expressed the hope that Mrs MacDougall would be soon restored to good health.

The Rev. J. P. MacDougall thanked her, and stated that Mrs MacDougall's progress was as expected by the doctor, and they hoped to have her back with them in three months.

Surface Cultivation.

In the April issue of the "Commonwealth Agriculturist" is a picture of surface cultivation (1932) of virgin paddock on Mr H. J. Smith's property at Stockyard Hill, near Beaufort; buckshot loam, two strokes with combine, 4 lb. Subterranean Clover, 12 lb. rye grass; top-dressed with 186 lb. superphosphate in 1933, and 112 lb. superphosphate in 1934. The grass reaches half-way to the knees of two men in the picture.

Beaufort A.N.A.

Mr J. E. Pearce (president) was in the chair at the fortnightly meeting of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A., on Tuesday night; five members being in attendance. It was reported that at the previous meeting endowment bonuses of £20 each were received from the Board of Directors for Messrs. H. Smith and S. George, sen.; that Messrs. R. A. Ross and J. C. Johnston were elected as full benefit members; that the president presented to Mr George his endowment bonus, with a few congratulatory remarks; and that owing to Mr W. Fitzpatrick being unable to attend the A.N.A. conference at Queenscliff, Mr E. Wilson was appointed to accompany the secretary (Mr W. Gray) as co-delegate. Routine correspondence was dealt with. Sick-pay and accounts were then passed for payment.

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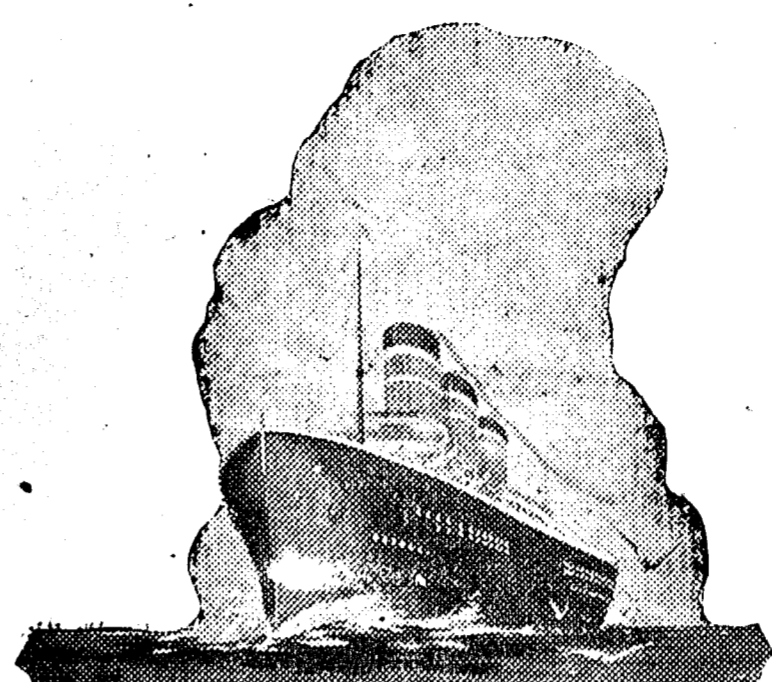
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TENNIS.

BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

B GRADE FINAL WON BY RAGLAN.

In the B grade final of the Beaufort district tennis competition, played at Trawalla on the 9th inst., Raglan was victorious. Results (Raglan players mentioned first):—

J. Hutton and K. W. Lewis lost to J. Bowd and C. Fothergill, 6-1, 3-6, 0-6.

E. Drew and I. Grant d. G. J. McNeil and J. Franc, 6-3, 6-5.

Miss A. Wilkinson and Mrs E. Drew d. Misses E. Franc and S. Trengove d. Misses N. and A. Jess, 6-3 6-3.

J. Hutton and Miss A. Wilkinson lost to J. Bowd and Miss E. Franc, 3-6, 5-6.

K. W. Lewis and Mrs E. Drew lost to C. Fothergill and Miss S. Fay, 5-6, 6-3, 2-6.

E. Drew and Miss A. Wilkinson d. G. J. McNeil and Miss M. Jess, 6-3, 6-3.

I. Grant and Miss E. Trengove d. J. Franc and Miss A. Jess, 6-3, 6-1.

Totals:—Raglan, 5 rubbers, 12 sets, 90 games; Middle Creek, 3 rubbers, 6 sets, 72 games.

The winners received a handsome cup (the gift of Mr J. Hutton). Mr Hutton afterwards entertained the players at the Aussie Cafe.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

STOCKYARD HILL.

At the Stockyard Hill Presbyterian Church, a very successful harvest festival service was held on Sunday, 17th inst. Rev. F. Thomas preached to a large congregation. The Skip-ton choir rendered special anthems; the solo parts being taken by Mrs Peart, Mrs Wilson, and Mr Claude Notman. Mrs Worrall presided at the organ. The Church was nicely decorated for the occasion with

thanksgiving gifts, and these were disposed of for £17/7/7. The money is to go to the funds of the P.W.M.U. After the service, the annual congregational meeting was held. Mr Robt. Ward carried out the secretarial duties.

MIDDLE CREEK.

Grain carting to the Middle Creek railway station has been completed, and farmers are now busily engaged working up the fallow for the next sowing. Slightly over 4000 bags of wheat were despatched. The bulk of this was consigned to John Darling & Son, Geelong, and was passed as f.a.q. Not a great lot of wheat has been stored; most farmers having sold on delivery. The price of the year ruling at the same time last year, and with the bounty on acreage payment by the Government, will bring the return to about 3/ per bushel. Just on 7000 bags of oats have been sent away to date for this season; a fair proportion of this being railled direct to Gippsland and other country stations. The price up to about a fortnight ago was good, but recently the demand has slackened, and prices have receded. It is difficult to effect sales now, even at the reduced price.

Camel Train in Beaufort.

An unusual sight was witnessed in Beaufort late on Wednesday afternoon, when a train of seven camels and a young one arrived in the town. Two men and two women rode four of the animals, and the others were loaded with baggage. A man on a fast-moving camel rode in front, and when he reached Pratt street, tethered the beast to a tree. The camel was soon making a meal of the leaves. The party camped on Camp Hill; hobbling the camels and turning them loose. The animals were soon being followed by a mob of small boys. The people with the beasts had been to the Melbourne Centenary celebrations, and were returning to Central Australia. On Thursday the school children were given camel rides at 6d a time.

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A MANURE OF "STUBBLE" CROPS.

FURTHER INTERESTING EXPERIMENTS.

By "Agronomy."

The quest for a manure more suited to "stubble" crops in general, and oats and barley in particular, appears to be reaching successful finality. Results of experiments throughout the country districts again support the combination of superphosphate and sulphate of ammonia (in equal proportions) and this mixture might well be termed "the stubble crop manure."

Experiments just concluded have been conducted in many districts, from Sale in the east to Hamilton in the west. The series of trials has extended as far north as Numurkah, Victoria, and Henty and Wagga Wagga in the Riverina. All have compared super, alone with the various mixtures of super, and ammonia on stubble-sown oats and winter, and the very dry autumn and winter, and the effects of heavy, late spring downpours and rust infestations (conditions against the complete effectiveness of nitrogenous manures), the manure has easily been the most profitable application. In a number of cases, almost complete crop failure resulted where no nitrogen (ammonia) was applied.

At Sale, on the property of J. Cobain, Esq., and W. Lawless, Esq., the yield with 2 cwts. per acre of the 1 & 1 mixture was 5.3 cwt. oaten hay, compared with 4.3 cwt. (1 cwt. 1 & 1 mixture) and only 3.3 cwt. hay with 1 cwt. super, alone. At Henty (G. F. Hutchings, Esq.), in the Riverina, the use of 1 cwt. 1 & 1 mixture compared with 1 cwt. super, raised the yield from 3.8 cwt. to 4.8 cwt. hay per acre. Similar results have been obtained elsewhere, and an average increase of 1 1/2 cwt. hay has been obtained for 1 1/2 cwt. of 1 cwt. sulphate of ammonia.

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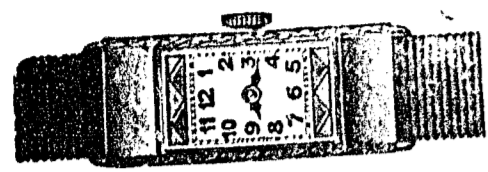
BUTTER WRAPPERS, printed cheaply on grease-proof paper, obtainable at "RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE" OFFICE, Beaufort.

LOCAL FIXTURES.

Regular Local Meetings.

Ripon Shire Council.—Second Monday in the month.
Police Court.—Every Monday (except holidays).
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.
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 Tuesdays 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 Evening.—Last Monday in each month.
School Committee.—Fourth Monday in each month.
Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in the month.
Committee Ripon Sub-branch, R.S.L.—Second Saturday evening of each month.

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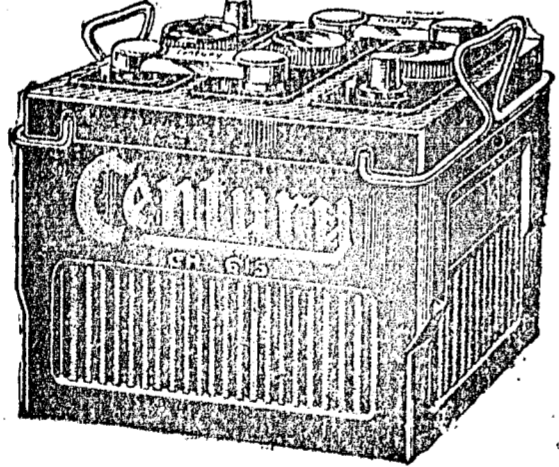
The following handicaps and weights have been allotted for the various events at the Beaufort Jockey Club's gymkhana, to be held on Saturday, 23rd inst:—

Table with columns for race type (One-mile Trot, 14-mile, Hack Race, Pony Race), horse name, and weight (St. lb.).

OBITUARY.

MR. E. G. G. ROGERS.

The death occurred in Melbourne last week of Mr Errol George Graham Rogers, a son of the late Mr and Mrs Edwin Rogers, of Beaufort. The deceased was about 37 years of age, and leaves a widow and daughter. He was a solicitor by profession, and served with the 58th Bn., A.I.F., in France, during the Great War; being one of seven brothers who enlisted. While on active service, he received a severe leg wound, which necessitated the amputation of the limb after his return to Australia. From the effects of this war injury, he never fully recovered. In pre-war days he took a keen interest in the Beaufort branch, A.N.A., and also in the local militia, under the compulsory training defence scheme. His remains were interred in the New Melbourne Cemetery, Fawkner, on Friday, 15th inst.



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Militiamen in Camp. Twenty-five members of the Beaufort Detachment of the 8th Battalion have been attending the annual training camp at Broadmeadows this week.

Death of Mrs W. Trompf. A former resident of Middle Creek died in Melbourne, on the 17th March, in the person of Mrs Jessie M. Trompf, widow of the late Mr William Trompf. She leaves a grown-up family.

HOST HOLBROOK says: I have a variety of Olives, called small Queens. They are economical and tasty.

Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club.

The Ladies' Social Club of the Beaufort Fire Brigade held an enjoyable euchre tournament on Tuesday night. Messrs. W. H. Williams and H. Featherston divided the men's euchre and consolation prizes, and the ladies' prizes were divided by Mrs E. Wilson and Miss Nothnagel. Mrs A. J. Saph was the organiser.

COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday. Cattle had a moderate yarding of 190 head at the Ballarat cattle sales; more than half consisting of bullocks and steers. There was a better demand throughout, and values improved 10/ to 15/ a head. Quotations:—Prime bullocks, £9 to £9/17/6; good, £7/10/ to £8/10/; prime cows, £6 to £6/10/; good, £4/10/ to £5/10/; useful, £3 to £4. Cows numbered 128, with a noticeable absence of prime sorts. There was a good demand, and values showed an improvement. Best made to 20/20/. A heavier penning of sheep was forward, numbering 5001, and included about 1000 stores. Competition was brisk, and values were firm for all grades. Quotations:—Prime crossbred wethers, 18/ to 20/; extra, to 21/3; good, 10/ to 17/; prime crossbred ewes, 15/6 to 17/; extra, to 19/10; good, 13/ to 15/; prime merino wethers, 17/ to 19/; extra, to 21/5; good, 14/ to 16/. Lambs had a decreased supply of 2318, with only a small percentage of prime types. Best descriptions met with a brisk demand, and values were firm. Secondary sorts, however, were not quite equal to last week's rates. Quotations:—Prime, 17/ to 19/; extra, 20/ to 21/10; good, 14/ to 16/; useful, 9/ to 12/.

Messrs. D. R. Hauman & Co. report:—Cattle—3 cows, Mr L. Lindsay, Wendouree; 3 cows, Mr H. V. Martin, Beaufort, to £4/10/; 2 cows and bull, from Touvello; 1 cow, Mrs J. W. Miller, Beaufort, at £3/10/.

Calves—4, Mrs J. W. Miller, Beaufort, to £4/12/; 3, Mr H. V. Martin, Beaufort, to £4/12/; 2, ex City Pound; 1, Mr L. Lindsay, Wendouree. Sheep—100 merino wethers, Mr H. A. Stevens, Maroona, 21/5 to 15/10, averaging 18/6, being top price and average for wethers; 84 crossbred ewes, Mr Jas. Creelman, Learmonth, at 16/; 81 comeback ewes, Mr R. Dawson, Trawalla, to 10/11; 67 comeback ewes, Mr Chas. W. Sewell, Kooroocheang, to 9/7; 61 comeback ewes and wethers, Mr F. Collins, Burrumbet, to 11/4, wethers at 13/10; 30 comeback ewes, Mr A. Loftis, Lake Goldsmith; 19 2-tooth wethers, Mr Geo. Fraser, Addington, at 15/4; 2 wethers, same owner, at 13/2; 14 merino wethers, Mr S. G. Atkins, Vite Vite North, at 21/4. Lambs—55 shorn, Mr J. J. Howard, "The Pines," Dunstownton, to 14/4; 44, Mr Chas. W. Sewell, Kooroocheang, to 15/1; 32, Mr R. Dawson, Trawalla, at 13/; 18, Mr Lyle Gilbert, Du-lham Lead; 1, Mr Geo. Fraser, Addington.

The following district sales were effected by other auctioneers:—101 comeback wethers and ewes, Mr R. A. Ross, Beaufort, to 14/10; 96 comeback wethers and ewes, Mr M. O'Loughlan, "Spring Hill," Ballyrogan, wethers 16/7 to 14/9, averaging 15/6; 37 merino wethers, Mr W. Liston, Beaufort, 13/7 and 12/2; 32 merino wethers, Mr A. M. Matthews, Burrumbet, 16/9; 84 merino wethers and ewes, Messrs. A. McCook & Sons, wethers at 15/1, ewes to 14/6.

Police Court.

At the Beaufort Police Court on Monday, John Francis O'Brien sued L. W. Baker for the recovery of £5 16/, owing for goods sold and delivered. The summons had not been served, and it was extended by the clerk of courts (Senior-constable R. McCormick) to the 15th April.

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BEAUFORT H.E. SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL.

There was a good attendance at the Beaufort Higher Elementary School swimming carnival, held at the local baths, on Wednesday, 13th inst. The various events were got off by the head teacher (Mr R. G. Scott), assisted by members of the teaching staff and the school committee. Following are results:—

Boys, Grades III and IV, 25 yds.—V. McCormick (Sturt), 1; R. Finney (Sturt), 2; A. Newey (Sturt), 3. Boys, Grades V and VI, 25 yds.—A. McMahon (Sturt), 1; A. Crook (Mitchell), 2; H. Ward (Sturt), 3. Girls, Grades V and VI, 25 yds.—J. Finney (Sturt), 1; J. Hall (Sturt), 2; G. Humphreys (Mitchell), 3.

Boys' Cork Hunt—R. McMahon (Mitchell), 1; H. Ward (Sturt), 2; G. Lyons (Sturt), 3. Boys' Cork Hunt—V. McCormick (Sturt), 1; A. Crick (Mitchell), 2. Girls' Walking Race—J. Finney (Sturt), 1; S. Macdonald (Sturt), 2, A. Johnson (Mitchell), 3.

Boys' Wheelbarrow Race (non-swimming)—A. McMahon and H. Ward (Sturt), 1; V. McCormick and R. Finney (Sturt), 2; S. Crick and R. Davis (Mitchell), 3. Girls' Egg and Spoon Race (non-swimming)—S. Macdonald (Sturt), 1; J. Finney (Sturt), 2; B. Crick (Mitchell), 3.

Boys, 12 to 13, 25 yds.—M. Calaby (Mackenzie), 1; G. Davis (Mackenzie), 2; B. McCormick (Mackenzie), 3. Boys, 13 to 14, 25 yds.—P. Stevens (Lewis), 1; M. Cole (Mackenzie), 2; R. Lyons (Lewis), 3. Girls, under 13, 25 yds.—O. Ward (Mackenzie), 1; F. Ramsay (Lewis), 2; N. Cole (Mackenzie), 3. Girls, 13 to 14, 25 yds.—B. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; J. McDonald (Lewis), 2; L. Woodall (Lewis), 3. Boys, under 12, Cork Hunt—G. Davis (Mackenzie), 1; B. McCormick (Mackenzie), 2; K. Mackay and T. McCormick (Mackenzie), equal 3. Boys, over 13, Cork Hunt—E. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; L. Holdsworth (Mackenzie), 2; M. Cole (Mackenzie), 3. Girls' Walking Race—P. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; L. Buchanan (Lewis), 2; F. Ramsay (Lewis), 3. Boys (open), 50 yds.—M. Calaby (Mackenzie), 1; E. Rogers (Mackenzie), 2; G. Davis (Mackenzie), 3. Girls (open), 25 yds.—O. Ward (Mackenzie), 1; F. Ramsay (Lewis), 2; M. McDonald (Lewis), 3. Boys' Wheelbarrow Race (swimming)—P. Stevens and R. Lyons (Lewis), 1; G. Davis and M. Cole (Mackenzie), 2; L. Holdsworth and K. Mackay (Mackenzie), 3. Girls' Egg and Spoon Race (non-swimming)—P. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; L. Buchanan (Lewis), 2; F. Ramsay (Lewis), 3. Boys' (open) Breast Stroke, 25 yds.—E. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; P. Stevens (Lewis), 2; M. Calaby (Mackenzie), 3. Girls' (open) Breast Stroke, 25 yds.—B. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; O. Ward (Mackenzie), 2; M. McDonald (Lewis), 3.

Boys' (open) Breast Stroke, 25 yds.—E. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; P. Stevens (Lewis), 2; M. Calaby (Mackenzie), 3. Girls' (open) Breast Stroke, 25 yds.—B. Rogers (Mackenzie), 1; O. Ward (Mackenzie), 2; N. McDonald (Lewis), 3. Boys' Barrel Climbing—N. Hobson (Lewis), 1; E. Rogers (Mackenzie), 2; K. Kelly (Lewis), 3. Girls' Balloon Race (swimming)—N. McDonald (Lewis), 1; O. Ward (Mackenzie), 2; B. Rogers (Mackenzie), 3. Girls' Balloon Race (non-swimming)—L. Buchanan (Lewis), 1; D. Lake (Mackenzie), 2; N. Simper (Mackenzie), 3. Boys' Diving—J. Lyons (Lewis), 1; E. Weinert (Lewis), 2; B. Roderick (Mackenzie), 3. Girls' Relay Race, 100 yds.—Lewis House. Boys' Relay Race, 100 yds.—Mackenzie House. Aggregate—Mackenzie House, 87½ points; Lewis House, 55½ points. Old Scholars—Boys, 50 yds (handicapped)—D. Jackson and V. Wilson, equal 1; J. Kelly, 3. Old Scholars—Girls, 25 yds.—B. Allen, 1; A. Ramsay, 2. HOST HOLBROOK says: Many Dainty Savouries can be made with Holbrook's Anchovy Paste. In 1½ or 3 oz. jars. H. EVANS & SON, FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS. 19, MAIN STREET, PALLARAT. Phone 563. Beaufort Representative: A. S. DUNCAN. Personal Attention given at All Funerals.

No. 3. A Walt Disney all-color cartoon—"Santa's Workshop."

RETURNED SOLDIERS' LEAGUE.

MONTHLY MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

The president of the Ripon sub-branch of the Returned Soldiers' League (Mr. C. H. McKay) was in the chair at the monthly meeting of the committee, held at the Shire Hall on Saturday night, and attended by 13 members.

Circulars were read from the secretary of the State Branch, relative to Anzac Day celebrations, and free fares to Melbourne for the march on the 20th anniversary of the landing at Anzac; fortnightly broadcasting for soldiers by 3UZ; help for disabled soldiers; a soldiers' cemetery; appeal for non-members to join; membership drive over whole State, and suggestions for organisation of same.

The State secretary also forwarded particulars of the Anzac Day appeal by sale of tokens.

From editor "Mufti," asking that a district representative be appointed.

Mrs McCook and family, Chesh-towe, wrote, thanking the sub-branch for a letter of sympathy received in their recent sad bereavement.

From Repatriation Department, re headstones on graves of returned soldiers.

C. H. Campbell, Queenscliff, wrote, stating that it was intended to repeat the Services' demonstration at Queenscliff at Easter, and asking for sub-branch's co-operation.

The secretary (Mr J. B. Roderick) said the 3UZ broadcast talk to soldiers was given fortnightly on Fridays, when the speaker would answer any questions.

The president said the matter of a soldiers' cemetery would come up at the sub-branch conference. He thought it was too late to establish such a cemetery now.

In regard to the membership drive, the president said Mr Roderick and he intended to make a personal canvass, and wanted members to co-operate.

It was decided to circulate the folders provided by the league in connection with the membership drive, on the motion of Messrs. R. McErvale and F. Webster.

It was decided, on the motion of Messrs. Saph and Dooley, to make the usual collection for the relief fund on Anzac Day, and not sell tokens.

A number of members gave their names to the secretary as subscribers to "Mufti," and the secretary said he would get in touch with other members.

The president said that an attempt was being made to get Dr. McAdam to speak here on Anzac Day.

Several other probable speakers were mentioned, and it was decided that, failing Dr. McAdam, it would be left in the hands of the president and secretary to get a speaker, on the motion of Messrs. Webster and Collier.

The secretary suggested that if any of the members went to Melbourne, they get their wives to come in to the local service on Anzac Day. He also asked that wives of committee men provide afternoon tea on Anzac Day.

The secretary reported a credit balance of 6/8 on the recent smoke night.

Accounts amounting to £1/10/10 were passed for payment.

It was mentioned that the general impression was that the smoke-night was an enjoyable function.

Apologies were received for the absence of Messrs. Hodgetts, Jacobs, Ringin, and L. R. Septt.

Mr Roderick reported on the district board meeting a fortnight ago. The main business, he said, was the

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Salvation Army. We take the following from the "War Cry":—During the month of February Home League meetings were re-commenced, under the direction of Mrs Stevens, wife of Captain Stevens. Week-night meetings are proving of particular interest to the people, as they are the only week-in to the local service on Anzac Day, night religious meetings held for the He also asked that wives of committee men provide afternoon tea on Anzac Day.

The secretary reported a credit balance of 6/8 on the recent smoke night.

Accounts amounting to £1/10/10 were passed for payment.

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COMING EVENTS

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On account of Mr Jas. Flannery, who is leaving the district, Mr T. W. Schlicht will hold an unreserved sale of horses, cattle, farming implements, and furniture, on Wednesday, 27th March, at Lake Goldsmith.

Town Band Gymkhana and Cycling Carnival, at Beaufort Park, Easter Monday.

At their Streatham sheep sale on Thursday, 28th March, the Commonwealth Wool & Produce Co. Ltd and Messrs, T. H. Laidlaw & Co. Ltd. (in conjunction) will auction 3000 fat and store sheep.

Waterloo sports booths will be sold at Mr T. W. Schlicht's office, Beaufort, at 12.30 on Saturday, 30th inst.

Tenders (closing Saturday, 6th April) are invited by Waterloo Sports Club to supply logs and prepare cycling and running tracks.

The annual re-union of the old boys of the Public Schools of Victoria, will be held on the 30th inst., at Claringbold's hotel, A'arat.

Mechanics' bridge evening, Monday, March 25th.

Annual tennis ball, Middle Creek Hall, Wednesday, March 27th.

At the Beaufort C.W.A. meeting on April 4th, Mr J. H. Davey, of Ballarat, will give hints on daffodil growing, and a mannequin parade, arranged by "Monica," of Melbourne, will be held. At night there will also be musical items, a social, and supper.

Tenders close on Tuesday 9th April for conveyance of the Beaufort-Stockyard Hill mail.

Right to publican's booth at the band sports on Easter Monday, will be sold at Mr T. W. Schlicht's office, on Saturday, March 20th.

Marche Creek Catholic ball, Wednesday, May 1st.

Buangor Sports. The entries for the Buangor sports on Saturday, 13th April, close on Saturday, 6th April.

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PERSONAL.

Captain J. W. W. Bridges, son of the late Admiral Bridges, who owned Trawalla station for many years, will arrive in Melbourne on Monday in the Orient liner, "Orama."

Mrs Theo. Beggs, of Erambeen, Beaufort., on Wednesday afternoon officiated at the opening of the Ballarat Horticultural Society's autumn show.

Mrs J. Gibb, of Stockyard Hill, has suffered a bereavement by the death of her father.

Mr and Mrs J. Duke, of Beaufort, have been away on holidays.

Mr and Mrs W. Smith and Mrs J. George, of Beaufort, are likely to go to Ballarat to reside in the near future.

The Beaufort branch, A.N.A., was represented at the annual conference of the association, held at Queenscliff this week, by Messrs W. J. Gray (secretary) and E. Wilson (an ex-president).

Mrs V. Wilson, of Beaufort, who recently had to undergo a serious operation in Melbourne, is progressing favourably.

Mrs V. W. Pringle, of Melbourne, has been very ill.

Mr L. Smith, of Trawalla, has been on the sick list.

Mrs W. J. Scriven, of Beaufort, has had her father and mother (Mr and Mrs Dong) and aunt (Mrs Johnston) as guests during the week.

Mrs R. G. Beggs, of Buln Gherin, gave a dance on Friday night, 15th inst., for Misses Helen and Barbara Beggs, who left for England on Tuesday, in the "Strathaird." The guests included members of families of many local and Western District pastoralists.

Mr Jack White (Kew) and Miss Gwen Stewart (East Warburton) have been visiting Beaufort, as the guest of their aunt, Mrs A. S. Duncan.

In Thursday's "Sun" appeared a picture of Pte. John Bowe, of the Beaufort Detachment of 8th B.N., eating his lunch at the B. on head-ows camp.

Miss Beggs is spending a holiday at Beaufort with her sister, Mrs E. Whitfield.

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The Quail Season.

The quail season opened auspiciously around Beaufort; many sportsmen obtaining the regulation bag. A party consisting of Messrs. Scales (ex-superintendent of police), Hedger, Sands, Drier, and Saph obtained the full bag of 150 birds before 1.30 on Wednesday. Messrs. Ellis Bros. and Harris obtained a full bag, Messrs. Saph, Dooley, and McLellan 51, and Messrs. Marsh and Dolan 53.

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WATERLOO SURPRISES BEAUFORT AND CAPTURES 7 WICKETS FOR 33 RUNS.

When play in the final match was continued on Saturday, Beaufort appeared to be in a safe position with 8 wickets in hand, and 48 runs wanted to win. Martin and Spear resumed batting to the bowling of Dromey and Lamb. Five runs came off the first, over from Lamb, but Dromey was more successful when he bowled Martin with his fifth ball. The score was then 33 for three wickets. Oddie joined Spear, and again the batsmen took 4 runs off Lamb, but further disaster was in store for Beaufort, as Oddie was out l.b.w. to Dromey off his first ball of his next over. Jenkin filled the vacancy, and played the remainder of the over, and the batsmen took the score to 41 off Lamb's bowling. Dromey then bowled to Jenkin, and with the fifth ball, got his wicket nicely, making the total 5 for 41. Dromey was bowling particularly well; having taken 3 wickets for 1 run at this stage. Davis was the next man in, and after making a risky stroke for a single off Dromey, he was caught in the slips off Lamb—6 for 42. Spear was playing both the bowlers with confidence, but he found it difficult to retain the strike. Cole was his next partner, and after this pair had added eight runs to the score, Spear was trying to force the pace, and in going for a big hit off Lamb, was well caught at mid-on by McLaughlin for a nicely-made 14. Beaufort's position at this stage was anything but bright. Ellis partnered Cole, and with the addition of only three runs, Cole was caught behind the wicket in trying to turn a ball to leg. Lowe was the next man in, and with Ellis took the score to 61, before he was caught by Dromey in the slips off Lamb. Both these lads batted well, and with only 14 runs required, looked like making them.

It was an exceptional match throughout, as first one side and then the other appeared to have the game in hand. It was a match in which the bowlers always had control. The best performance was that of R. Davis (Beaufort), with 8 for 34 and 6 for 32. Jenkin also bowled well; capturing five wickets. Dromey (4 for 28 and 4 for 26) was Waterloo's most successful bowler; J. Lamb, with 5 for 22 in the second innings, also played his part.

There was great rejoicing among the Waterloo supporters over the result; this being the first time Waterloo had defeated Beaufort in a final. Dromey was carried off the field shoulder high.

Following are the scores:—
First Innings.
Waterloo 96
Beaufort 88
Second Innings.
Waterloo 66

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E. S. Crouch, c. McLaughlin, b. Dromey	11
V. Hunt, c. Laney, b. Lamb	3
A. Spear, c. McLaughlin, b. Lamb	14
H. V. Martin, b. Dromey	10
N. H. Oddie, l.b.w., b. Dromey, 3	3
V. C. Jenkin, b. Dromey	0
R. Davis, c. C. Lamb, b. J. Lamb, 1	1
M. Cole, c. Flynn, b. Lamb	3
R. Ellis, not out	4
C. Lowe, c. Dromey, b. Lamb	5
C. Morvell, absent	0
Sundries	7
Total	61

Bowling—N. Dromey, 4/28; J. Lamb, 5/22; J. McLaughlin, 0/5.

After the match, Mr H. V. Martin (the Beaufort captain) congratulated Waterloo on winning the final this year. He said he was very pleased to know that there was no bad feeling existing between the clubs, and that the match was played as cricket should be played. He had thought when Beaufort arrived there that afternoon, that his side would have an easy victory, but they had reckoned without his friend, Mr Dromey. He would like to congratulate Mr Dromey, on his excellent bowling performance for Waterloo.

Cheers were then given by the Beaufort team for Waterloo.

Mr T. Ryan (captain of the premier team) responded on behalf of Waterloo, and said that he had achieved his ambition, as some people thought, that Beaufort was invincible. He was pleased to think that he had led his team to victory, and he was also sure that Mr Martin was pleased that his side had lost. He congratulated the umpires upon the very efficient and able manner in which they had carried out their duties. The Waterloo Club had no complaints to make about their decisions. He would also like to thank the Waterloo ladies for the way in which they had provided afternoon tea during this match, and at other matches during the season. He specially thanked all the members of the Centenary premiership side for the very happy manner in which they had pulled together and helped to win the premiership.

Three cheers were then given for the Beaufort Club and also for the umpires.

Mr R. C. Hodgetts said that as the president of the Ripon Cricket Association, it gave him very great pleasure to congratulate Waterloo upon winning the premiership, and he also thought that Beaufort deserved praise for their great fight. On behalf of his colleague, he could say that it was a pleasure to umpire such a match. He could never hope to witness another match so close in the scores, or one in which the fortune of war swayed so much. He thought the cricket in this district had vastly improved. He was very pleased with the performance of local players at the Ballarat Country Week, and he hoped that in the future more trouble would be taken to send a more representative side. Personally, he would not have missed today's match for anything.

COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday.
Cattle totalled 193 at the Ballarat sales; about 80 being bullocks and steers. Quality was good. There were a few prime cows and heifers, but the yarding was mostly good and useful. In the late sales competition became dull and values were slightly lower, especially for bullocks. Quotations:—Best bullocks, £8/10/ to £9/10/; good, £6/15/ to £7/15/; prime cows, £6 to £7; extra, to £8/10/; good, £4/10/ to £5/10/; useful, £3 to £4. There was another heavy yarding of calves, with a few pens of choice quality. Best quality commanded keen competition, and sold to £6. A reduced offering of sheep totalled 1684. Wethers were fairly well represented, and were chiefly of good quality. A brisk demand existed for best quality, and values were 1/ dearer. Other grades were firm. Quotations:—Prime crossbred wethers, 19/ to 21/; extra, to 23/1; good, 16/ to 18/; prime crossbred ewes, 16/ to 18/; extra, to 20/1; good, 12/ to 15/; prime merino wethers, 17/ to 19/; good, 14/ to 16/. Lambs totalled 3256. Quality showed an improvement, and there was a larger proportion of good trade quality. Values were barely equal to last week's rates. Prime sold from 17/ to 18/6, with extra 19/ to 22/1; good, 14/ to 16/; and useful, 10/ to 12/.

Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co report:—Cattle—10 cows, from Beac, to £12/6, topping the market; 4 cows, Mr A. G. Ben, Sebastopol, to £4/12/6; 1 cow, Mr W. Frank, Warrenheip. Calves—2; Mr W. Townrow, Minersrest; 1, Mr W. Frank, Warrenheip; 2, Mr L. Lindsay, Wendouree. Sheep—110 comeback ewes, from Skipton; 54 comeback and merino wethers, from Bradvale; 39 merino ewes, Mr D. Davis, Ross'

Creek, to 8/10; 32 comeback ewes and wethers, Mr J. Jolly, Smythes road, wethers, to 13/10; 21 comeback wethers and ewes, Mr H. C. Bassett, Mambibadar, wethers to 14/10, ewes 11/1; 14 merino wethers, Mr W. G. Atkins, Vite Vite North, at 24/4, topping the market; 7 comeback wethers, Mr A. Vagg, Ross' Creek, at 20/10; 1 ram, Mr E. Vowles, Travalla. Lambs—37, from Bradvale; 33, Mr E. G. Vowles, Travalla, 17/10 to 16/4, averaging 17/; 25, Mr G. Fraser, Addington, to 14/4; 1, Mr Vagg, Ross' Creek. The following district sale are reported by other auctioneers:—12 merino wethers and ewe, Mr A. Campbell, Trawalla, wethers 15/7, ewe 11/; 72 lambs, same owner, 16/4 to 12/4, averaging 15/6; 32 comeback wethers, Mr A. M. Matthews, Burrumbeet, 16/7 to 16/10; 5 bullocks, Messrs A. and G. Maher, Raglan, to £7/2/6.

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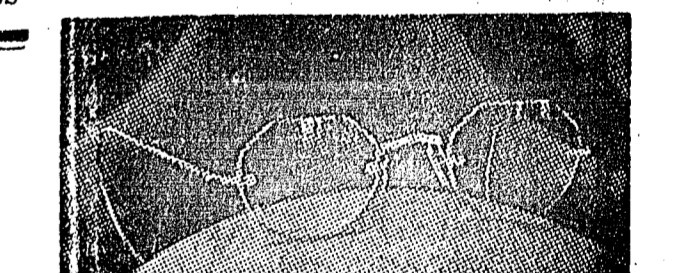
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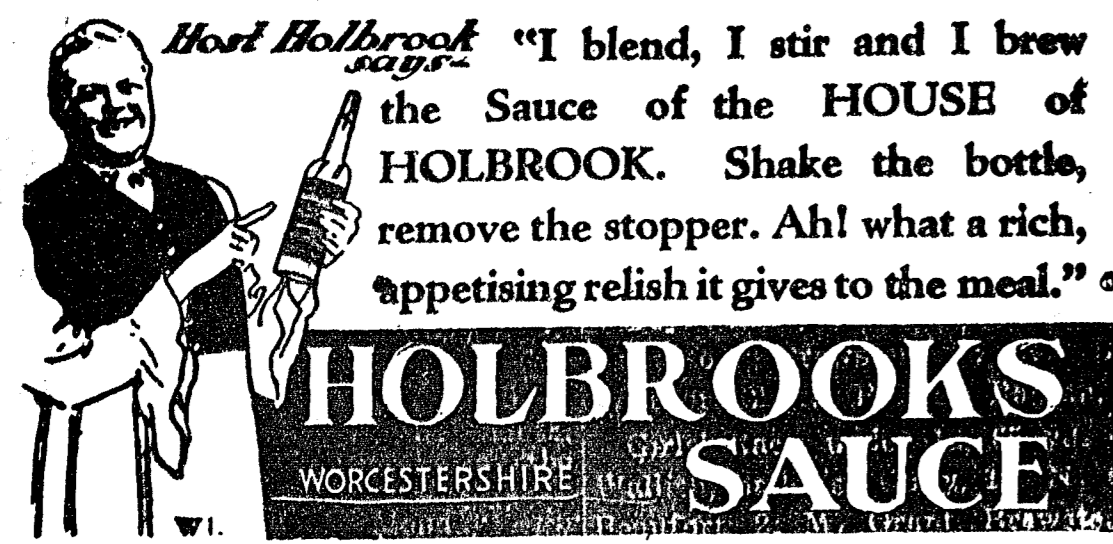
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BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL GYMKHANA.

Although somewhat threatening, the weather remained fine for the Beaufort Jockey Club's annual gymkhana, held at the local Racecourse on Saturday afternoon. There was a fair attendance; the gate receipts amounting to £17/19/6, compared with £11 last year. The programme was very enjoyable; there being good fields and close finishes in the horse and cycling events. An unusual novelty was a camel race; the mounts being hired out by a party of men and women travelling by camel train to Alice Springs in Central Australia. The publican's booth was in charge of Mr R. Taylor, of Ballarat, and Mr Irwin, of the same city, conducted the fruit and ice-cream stall. There was a side-show on the course. A couple of bookmakers were operating on both the local events and the Melbourne races. The officials worked well under the leadership of Messrs. J. T. Glover (president) and W. A. Skene (secretary); both of whom did their utmost to ensure the success of the meeting, and oblige the patrons of the club. Following is the full list of officials:—President, Mr J. T. Glover; vice-presidents, Messrs. A. Lewell and J. King; committee, Messrs. H. Smith, A. Lofts, W. McCurdy, W. Ellis, G. Foreman, W. R. Glover, W. Goodie, J. J. Dunn, J. T. Glover, A. J. Saph, D. Sivewright, W. O'Sullivan, H. McCracken, F. Brown, D. Ringin, P. Murphy, C. R. Vowles; judges, Messrs. J. T. Glover and H. Smith; starter, Mr C. R. Vowles; assistant starters, Messrs. H. Smith and W. Goodie; clerk of course, Mr N. Smith; clerk of scales, Mr W. O'Sullivan; saddle cloth steward, Mr W. Ellis; scratching steward, Mr H. McCracken; pony measurers, Messrs. G. and C. R. Vowles; supervisor of woodchops, Mr J. J. Dunn; timekeeper, Mr W. R. Glover; secretary and treasurer, Mr W. A. Skene; stewards, Messrs. H. Smith, W. O'Sullivan, W. Ellis, W. R. Glover, C. R. Vowles, and A. Lewell.

W. Nugent had a length and a half to spare at the finish of the Two-mile Bicycle Race; C. O'Brien being second. W. Dean's Lord Stanley won the Pony Race by a length from W. Broadbent's Nelly. E. Kelly had a victory in the Half-mile Bicycle Race by a couple of lengths; the second man being W. Cleary. In the Flying Mile Trot, P. Nunn's Hansom Chimes gained the judges' verdict by only half-a-neck; W. McCartney's Silver Shoe being second. There was also a close finish to the Underhand Woodchop; F. Hains beating E. Glenister by a blow for first place. The Hack Race resulted in a three-length win for J. Ford's Bill Potoa; the second place being filled by M. Reynolds's Cumora. The winner of the Flag Race was P. McCallum. In the Beaufort Handicap Trot, S. George's Flapper finished two lengths in front of the second horse (P. Nunn's Hansom Chimes).

Appended are details of the various events:— Two-mile Bicycle Race, for members of Beaufort Cycle Club—£2 and 10/. W. Nugent, 95 yds. ... 1 C. O'Brien, 190 yds. ... 2 W. Stewart, 190 yds. ... 3 A good finish. Won by a length and a half, with about three lengths between second and third. Ten starters. Time, 5.36.

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THE Fortnightly Meeting of the Beaufort Branch, A.N.A., will be held in the Mechanics' Institute, on TUESDAY Evening Next, at 8 o'clock sharp. W. J. GRAY, Secy.

Handicap Pony Race, 4 furlongs—£4 and £1. W. Dean's Lord Stanley, 8.10 (W. Lee) ... 1 W. Broadbent's Nelly, 8.0, ed. 10.7 (owner) ... 2 H. McKinnis' Coal King, 9.0, ed. 10.7 (S. McKinnis) ... 3 Nelly led a field of four from the start, with Red Nib and Coal King next in order. Nelly was still leading at the turn, with Lord Stanley coming up fast into second position. In the straight Lord Stanley and Nelly ran a great race; Lord Stanley winning by a length, with Coal King a length behind Nelly, third. Time, 54 sec.

Other starter: Red Nib. Betting: 2 to 1 Coal King, Lord Stanley, and Nelly; 5 to 1 Red Nib. Half-mile Bicycle Race, for members Beaufort Cycle Club who raced in 2-mile event—£1 and 10/. E. Kelly, 70 yds. ... 1 W. Cleary, 50 yds. ... 2 C. Stewart, 50 yds. ... 3 Won by two lengths, with about 5 to 6 lengths separating second and third. Eight starters. Time, 1.12. Flying Mile Trot—£4 and £1. P. Nunn's Hansom Chimes, 30 yds. bhd. scr. (G. Brown) ... 1 W. McCartney's Silver Shoe, 30 yds. bhd. (J. McCartney) ... 2 P. Nunn's Alto Chimes, 40 yds. bhd. (F. Brown) ... 3 The field of ten got away well, and Silver Shoe led from the start to the turn, with Hansom Chimes and Alto Choice next in sequence. The winner challenged Silver Shoe in the straight, and a thrilling finish resulted in Hansom Chimes gaining the judges' verdict by half-a-neck, with Silver Shoe a close second, and Alto Choice two lengths away third. Time, 2.33.

Elaine, Billy, Bazilda, Alto Choice, My Huon, and Epohruo also started. Betting: Evens Flapper and Locust; 2 to 1 Hansom Chimes and Silver Shoe; 10 to 1 others. Underhand Woodchop, 14-inch logs—£4, £1, and 10/. First heat—W. Hains, scr., 1; Joe Lamb, 4 sec. bhd., 2. Won by four blows. Five competitors. No time taken. Second heat—F. Hains, 1 sec. bhd. scr., 1; E. Glenister, 9 sec. bhd., 2. Won by four blows. Time, 1.8. Five competitors. Final—F. Hains, 1; E. Glenister, 2; W. Hains, 3. Won by a blow; four or five blows separating second and third. Time, 64 sec. Four competitors.

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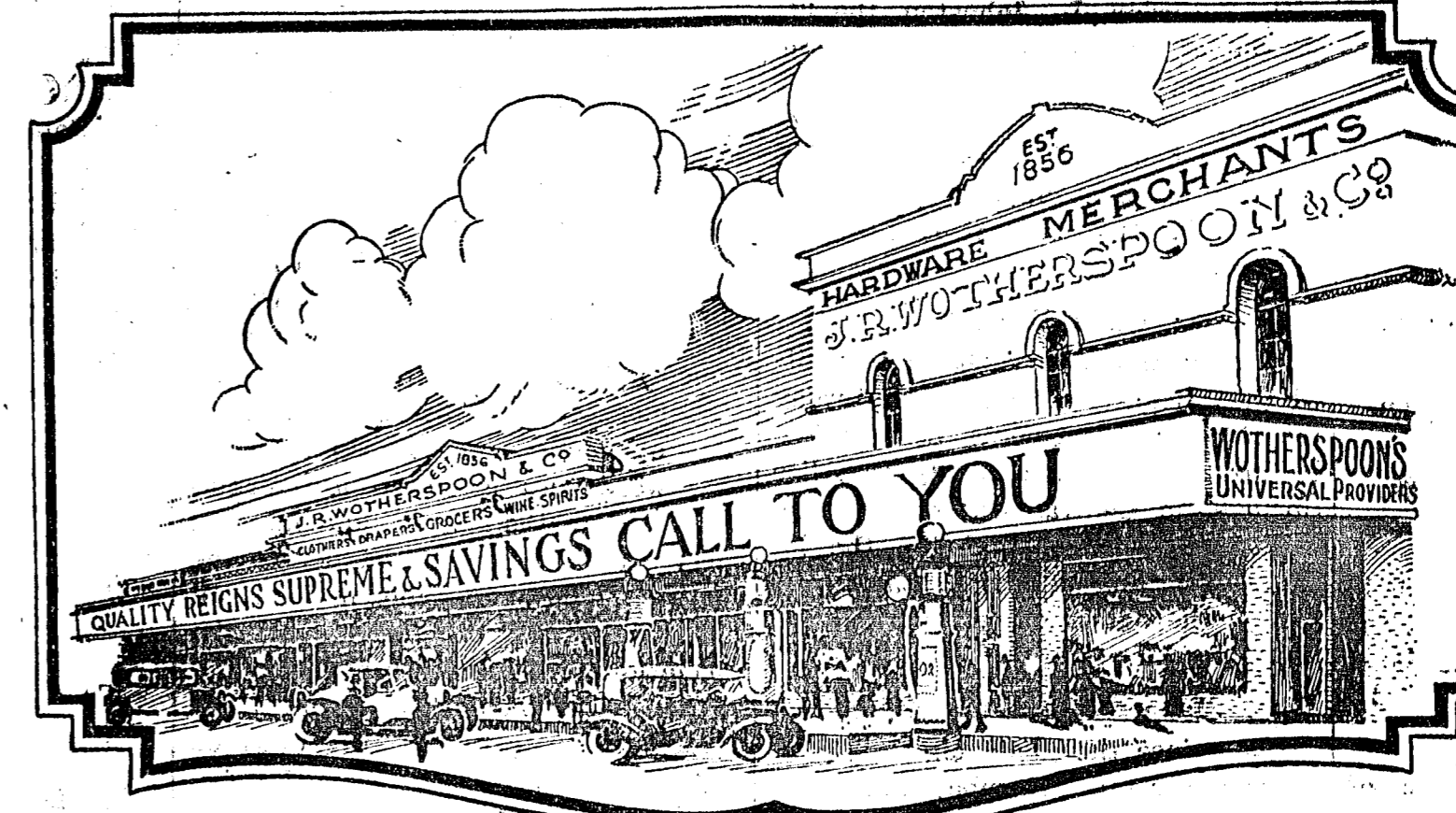
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(Continued from Page 2). Hack Race, 5 furlongs—£4 and £1. J. Ford's Bill Potoa, 9.7 (Hoel-son) ... 1 M. Reynolds's Cumora, 9.0 (D. Kohl) ... 2 F. Brooks' Field Artillery, 9.2 (F. Brooks) ... 3 There were six starters, and Bill Potoa came to the front early in the race, and led at the turn and into the straight; winning by three lengths, with a length and a half between second and third. Time, 64 sec. Betting: 2 to 1 Bill Potoa and Cumora, 3 to 1 Field Artillery. Dolly Baron, Bob Star, and Nelly also started. Flag Race—15/ and 5/-P. McCallum, 1; H. Cairns, 2. Four competitors. Beaufort Handicap Trot, a mile and a quarter—£6 and £1. S. George's Flapper, scr. (M. George) ... 1 P. Nunn's Hansom Chimes, 40 yds. bhd. scr. (G. Brown) ... 2 L. Welsh's Locust, 20 yds. bhd (owner) ... 3 Flapper led early in the race with Locust in second position. At the turn and in the straight, the order was Flapper, Locust, and Hansom Chimes. Nearing the finish, Hansom Chimes moved up into second place. Flapper won by a couple of lengths, with a length separating Hansom Chimes (second) and Locust (third). Time, 3.8. Eight starters. Other starters: Elaine, Billy, Silver Shoe, My Huon, and Epohruo. Betting: Evens Locust, 2 to 1 Flapper and Epohruo. Camel Race—P. McCallum, 1; E. Bennett, 2. E. Kelly and J. McErvale also started. The riders were unable to keep the camels on the track.

STOCKYARD HILL. The Work of the P.W.M.U. Miss A. Stewart, hon. secretary of the Stockyard Hill P.W.M.U., reports:—The year just completed has proved a very successful one, and the keen interest of members has been well sustained. Fifteen members enrolled for 1935. Mrs Thomas was elected president for the ensuing year, Misses Ward and Hannah vice-presidents, Miss A. Stewart hon. secretary and treasurer, and Miss D. Ward "Chronicle" secretary. The sum of 13/ was donated to the Jewish Fund, and £1/7/7 was realised from the harvest gifts. Mrs Thomas gave a brief, but most interesting talk on the progress of mission work in Korea during the past 50 years.

MIDDLE CREEK. The annual ball in connection with the Middle Creek Tennis Club, was held in the local Public Hall, on Wednesday evening, 27th inst, and was a great success, both socially and financially. A large gathering was present; being representative of Ararat, Beaufort, Lake Goldsmith, Buangor, Raglan, and the surrounding

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS.

WATERLOO. Children's Effort for Ballarat Hospital. The Waterloo school children have decided on an annual effort for the children's ward of the Ballarat Hospital. Their effort for this year will be made on Saturday night, May 18, in the Waterloo Hall. Further particulars of this worthy effort will be published from time to time in the "Riponshire Advocate." Centenary Premiership. To celebrate the winning of the Centenary cricket premiership, a banquet and dance will be given to the Waterloo cricketers, on Saturday night, April 6th. Admission to the banquet is by invitation, but the dance, which will commence at 8.45 p.m., will be open to the public.

TENNIS. BALLARAT Y.M.C.A. LADIES DEFEAT BEAUFORT LADIES. On Wednesday a team of lady tennis players from the Ballarat Y.M.C.A. Club met and defeated a team of ladies representing the Beaufort Club. The match was played on the Beaufort courts. Results (the Y.M.C.A. players being mentioned first):— Mrs Titheridge and Miss Brookman d. Mrs Bossence and Miss A. Stewart, 6-0, 6-4. Misses Coutts and Rowen d. Misses A. Pickford and D. Parker, 6-5, 6-4. Mrs Titheridge and Miss Brookman d. Misses Pickford and D. Parker, 6-2, 6-2. Misses Coutts and Rowen lost to Mrs Bossence and Miss A. Stewart, 5-6, 5-6. Totals:—Y.M.C.A., 3 rubbers, 6 sets, 46 games; Beaufort, 1 rubber, 2 sets, 28 games.

Hand Crushed. When at work, Mr Richard Phillips, of Beaufort, severely crushed his hand, and has since been unable to follow his occupation.

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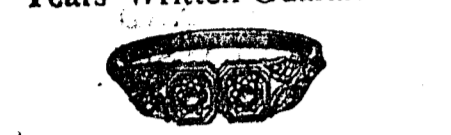
MR. J. E. WHITTAKER.

The funeral of the late Mr James Edward Whittaker, of Mt. Emu Estate, Chepstowe, took place at the Ballarat New Cemetery on Monday, 25th March, and was largely attended by residents of the surrounding districts, in which he was well-known and respected, as well as representatives of various business firms in Ballarat. The deceased was the son of the late James Whittaker, of "Walbundrie" Estate, New South Wales, and was born at Harrow (Victoria), 72 years ago. After completing his education at the Melbourne Grammar School, he spent his early life in New South Wales and Queensland. On coming to Victoria, he was engaged as manager of the Mt. Emu Estate, at Chepstowe, where he had remained during the past 28 years. Mr Whittaker was a follower of sport, and was a member of the Skipton Golf and Anglers' Clubs. His wife died in 1918, and also a son who was on active service abroad with the A.I.F. About eight years ago, he lost a daughter. He leaves a grown-up family of three daughters and one son. Having been a member of the Skipton Masonic Lodge, the deceased was accorded a Masonic burial; the service being conducted by the Rev. H. E. Noltenius (chaplain), assisted by brethren of the Skipton and sister lodges of Ballarat and district. The chief family mourners present at the interment were Messrs Philip Whittaker (son), Jack Whittaker (brother), Archie Walker (brother-in-law), David Walker (grandson), and James Reggs (nephew); whilst the casket, on which were placed many beautiful floral tributes (including wreaths from the Skipton Masonic Lodge and employees of Mt. Emu Estate), was carried by Messrs G. Davis, B. Camp, J. Quilliam, J. Howlett, A. Dunnet, and T. Hanahan (from the estate). The Rev. H. E. Noltenius officiated, and the funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs. F. W. Barnes & Son, of Ballarat.

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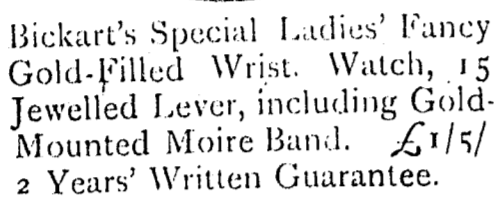


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COMING EVENTS

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On Thursday, 11th April, at Becker Street, Beaufort, Mr Theo. W. Schlicht will sell, on account of Mr W. G. Gillingham, a house, galvanised iron sheds (for removal), an engine and saw bench, chaffcutter and dray; and also sundry furniture for other vendors.

At the Beaufort C.W.A. meeting on April 4th, Mr J. H. Davey, of Ballarat, will give hints on daffodil growing, and a mannequin parade, arranged by "Monica," of Melbourne, will be held. At night there will also be musical items, a social, and supper.

On Tuesday evening next at 7.30 Miss E. Nickols resumes the health and breath classes, at the studio, Neill street, Beaufort.

Annual Catholic ball at Middle Creek, Wednesday, 8th May.

Band gala day and fancy dress procession, at Beaufort, Easter Monday. Entries close with secretary on April 15th. Late entries not accepted.

At their Lismore sheep sale on Wednesday, 3rd April, Messrs. Dalgety & Co. Ltd. will offer 8500 crossbred, merino, and comeback sheep, cattle, and sundries.

Cut on Leg.

While using an axe, Mr H. Collins, of Nerring, cut his leg; the wound requiring surgical attention.

Government Defeated.

By 40 votes to 23, the Argyle Ministry was defeated in the Legislative Assembly, on the motion of no-confidence, moved by the leader of the Country party (Mr Dunstan). The Country party was supported by the Labor party, and the three Independent members. It was expected that the Ministry would resign on Friday, and that Mr Dunstan would be summoned to form a Ministry.

Agricultural Outlook at Snake Valley.

Good rains have fallen at Snake Valley; about three inches having been registered during the past fortnight. The rain will do untold good to pastures, which are beginning to grow nicely. Young lambs are to be seen in many paddocks. Grasshoppers are plentiful in the district, but have not reached the winged stage. Farmers are busily ploughing stubble paddocks, which, after the rain, are working up well.

School Committee.

There was an attendance of six members of the Beaufort School Committee at the monthly meeting, held at the Shire Hall, on Monday night. Mr J. T. Glover was voted to the chair. Later, Mr J. T. Glover was elected as permanent chairman, in succession to Mr J. B. Roderick, who recently resigned. Mr Glover suitably returned thanks. The matter of filling a vacancy on the committee was deferred till next meeting. The head teacher (Mr R. G. Scott) reported in regard to a proposed sloyd class for local and district children one day a week. In conjunction with Messrs. Glover and Cole, the head teacher reported on the attitude of the members of the Mothers' Guild towards a Centenary commemoration effort at the school. The matter of placing memorial ornamental trees at the entrance to the school plantation was discussed, and it was decided to do so on Arbor Day. The head teacher reported on the cleaning up of the school sports ground, top-dressing it, and regularly cutting the tufts of grass. It was decided to meet regularly on the third Monday of each month.

Motor Cyclist Fractures Skull.

At the Middle Creek Hall on Wednesday night, a dance was in progress, and two motor cyclists came into collision when one was turning off the Western Highway close to the building. One of the cyclists, Mr Jones, of Ararat, was taken to the Ararat Hospital, suffering from a fractured skull.

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DISTRICT SCHOOLS.

ANNUAL COMBINED SPORTS.

SAILOR'S GULLY WINS THISTLE CLUB SHIELD.

In spite of the very unpromising weather conditions on Friday morning, 22nd inst., the afternoon proved fine for the annual sports of the Beaufort and district school children, held in the local Park. There was a good attendance of parents from all parts of the district, and the children gave a fine display of athletics, marching and physical exercises. There were many close finishes, but defeats and successes were all taken in the same sportsmanlike spirit, which it is hoped will always characterise the Australian youth and adult. Sailor's Gully was again successful in winning the Thistle Club shield, with Waterloo and Brewster running second and third respectively.

During the afternoon, Captain T. Parkin, M.L.A. for Allandale (who was introduced by Mr J. T. Glover, president of the District Schools' Sports Association), addressed the assembled school children; his main topic being "Better Farming." He said that he was delighted to be present. This afternoon he had seen more running than he had for years, and he congratulated the children on their fine performance. He wished that the head teachers and school committees would organise some better farming clubs in the district, and the Ballarat Agricultural Society would do all it could to help them. He knew that they had a Young Farmers' Club at Brewster, and if any others could be formed, they would have a hearty welcome at the Ballarat show in November. He thanked them for the opportunity to be present. When he was a boy, he always took great interest in all sports. He must say that the girls here could run very well, too. In closing, he impressed upon them the advisability of trying to form Young Farmers' Clubs in the district.

The children gave three cheers for Captain Parkin.

Mr Heathcote, district inspector, then made a few remarks. He said that he was afraid the children really saw too much of him, so he would not inflict himself upon them for long this afternoon. He congratulated them upon their great day's sport, and also added a glowing word of praise for the organisers and joint secretaries, Messrs. J. O'Sullivan and J. Rush. He was very pleased to see the great team spirit which everyone had shown; all battling for their schools, and not for self-glorification. He hoped that they would remember this through life. It was good to be ambitious, but they must always remember that there were others in the world, and pull together. He thanked them for the pleasurable afternoon he had spent. Three cheers were given for Mr Heathcote.

At the conclusion of the events, Captain Parkin presented Jack Martin, captain of the Sailor's Gully team, with the shield his school had won; Jack responding and the head teacher supporting his remarks. Mr S. Young was the judge of the physical exercises and marching.

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Members of the Beaufort Mothers' Guild (Mesdames J. Hughes, A. J. Saph, F. Green, A. M. Parker, J. Cole, W. Gillingham, and A. Duncan) were in charge of the ice-cream and soft drinks stalls, and did a brisk trade with the youngsters. Before dispersing, each child received a bag of sweets. Camel rides were very popular; Mr Russell's camel-train (which is returning to Alice Springs, Central Australia) being present.

Appended are details of the various events:—

Boys' High Jump, under 12—A. Anderson, Brewster, 1; V. Dickman, Main Lead; and A. Ross, Sailor's Gully, equal 2.

Height, 3 ft. 9 1/2 in. Boys' High Jump, under 14 1/2—N. Waldron, Raglan, 1; K. Stevens, Beaufort, and D. Anderson, Brewster, equal 2.

Height, 4 ft. 1 1/2 in. Boys' Broad Jump, under 12—D. Anderson, Brewster, 1; V. Dickman, Main Lead, 2; G. Davies, Waterloo, 3. Distance, 12 ft. 5 in.

Boys' Broad Jump, under 14 1/2—N. Hobson, Beaufort, 1; A. Matthews, Brewster, 2; A. Dickman, Main Lead, 3. Distance, 14 ft. 9 in.

Girls' Race, under 6, 30 yds.—D. Tiley, Waterloo, 1; Stevens, Mena Park, 2; B. Davis, Beaufort, 3.

Boys' Race, under 6, 30 yds.—D. McGregor, Sailor's Gully, 1; I. Tiley, Raglan, 2; C. Goode, Waterloo, 3.

Girls' Race, under 7, 40 yds.—A. Thacker, Main Lead, 1; M. Carland, Sailor's Gully, 2; B. Russell, Waterloo, 3.

Boys' Race, under 7, 40 yds.—B. Herbert, Waterloo, 1; M. Darling, Beaufort; and T. Pascoe, Mena Park, equal 2.

Girls' Race, under 8, 40 yds.—M. Carland, Sailor's Gully, 1; J. Sandilant, Beaufort, 2; P. McKenzie, Waterloo, 3.

Boys' Race, under 8, 50 yds.—A. McKay, Mena Park, 1; P. Finney, Beaufort, 2; T. McGregor, Sailor's Gully, 3.

Girls' Race, under 9, 40 yds.—K. Lamb, Waterloo, 1; N. McPhee, Chute, 2; M. Sutherland, Mena Park, 3.

Boys' Race, under 9, 50 yds.—J. Glenister, Beaufort, 1; J. Carland, Sailor's Gully, 2; J. Pascoe, Mena Park, 3.

Girls' Race, under 10, 50 yds.—V. Martin, Beaufort, 1; K. Lamb, Waterloo, 2; J. McIntyre, Brewster, 3.

Boys' Race, under 10, 60 yds.—D. McKay, Mena Park, 1; V. McCormick, Beaufort, 2; D. McGregor, Sailor's Gully, 3.

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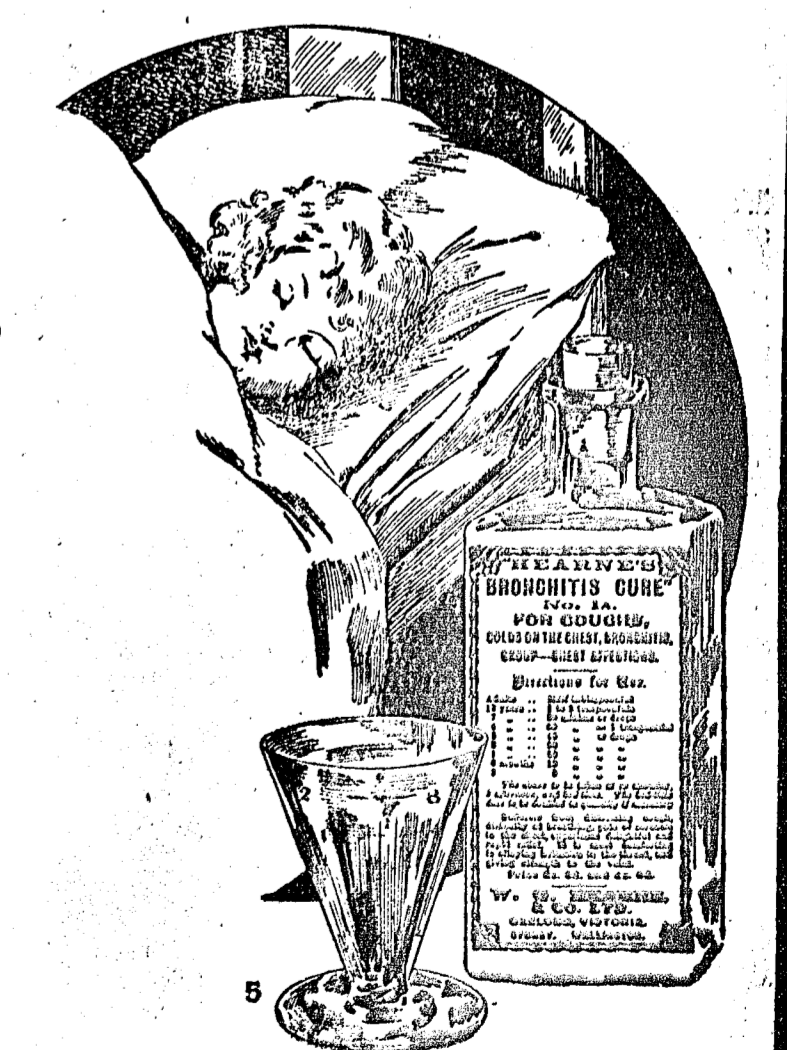
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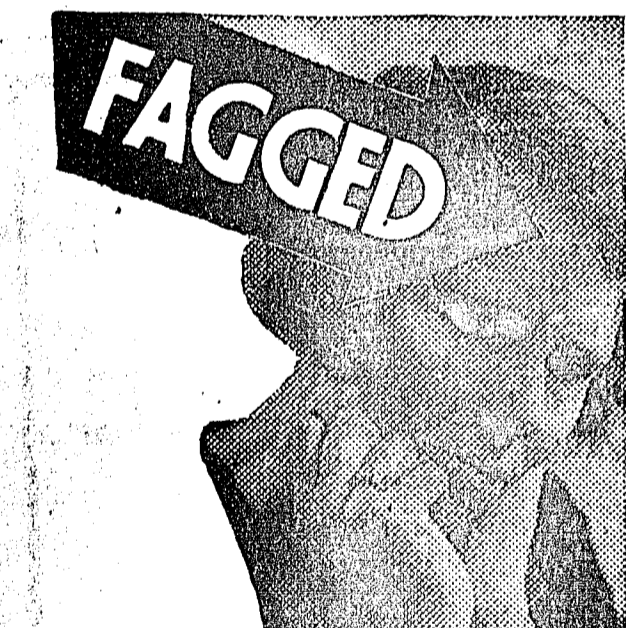
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Girls' Race, under 11, 55 yds.—I. Wallish, Sailor's Gully, 1; A. Kirkpatrick, Lake Goldsmith, 2; J. McIntyre, Brewster, 3.
 Boys' Race, under 11, 65 yds.—K. Anderson, Brewster, 1; R. Lowe, Beaufort, 2; G. Pitcher, Raglan, 3.
 Girls' Race, under 12, 65 yds.—N. Wallish, Sailor's Gully, 1; N. Cole, Beaufort, 2; M. Grant, Brewster, 3.
 Boys' Race, under 12, 75 yds.—A. McMahon, Beaufort, 1; A. Anderson, Brewster, 2; L. Forrest, Mena Park, 3.
 Girls' Race, under 13, 70 yds.—J. Ringin, Mena Park, 1; N. Wallish, Sailors' Gully, 2; A. Duncan, Beaufort, 3.
 Boys' Race, under 13, 90 yds.—G. Davis, Beaufort, 1; T. Dawson, Brewster, 2; A. McGregor, Sailor's Gully, 3.
 Girls' Championship Race, under 14, 75 yds.—S. McGregor, Sailor's Gully, 1; J. Ringin, Mena Park, 2; J. Drake, Beaufort, 3.
 Boys' Championship, under 14, 100 yds.—A. Spicer, Raglan, 1; D. Boyle, Lake Goldsmith, 2; D. Anderson, Brewster, 3.
 Skipping Race, girls under 14, 75 yds.—A. Lamb (Waterloo) and T. McGregor (Sailor's Gully), equal 1; B. Fallon, Mena Park, 3.
 Relay Race, under 12, 65 yds.—Beaufort, 1; Sailor's Gully, 2; Brewster, 3.
 Marching Competition—Beaufort and Waterloo (55 points each), equal 1; Chute (42 points), 3; Brewster (41 points), 4.
 Physical Exercises—Beaufort and Waterloo (47 points each), equal 1; Brewster (45 points), 3. Others: Main Lead, 42; Raglan, 42; Chute, 41; Sailor's Gully, 40.
 Open Challenge Relay Race—Beaufort, 1; Mena Park, 2; Raglan, 3.

FINAL POINTS.

	Pts.	Rec.	hdcp.
Sailor's Gully	76	30	
Waterloo	64	30	
Brewster	62	30	
Beaufort	60	scr.	
Mena Park	57	30	
Chute	49	45	
Main Lead	49	38	
Lake Goldsmith	46	40	
Trawalla	45	45	
Raglan	44	30	

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