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#### SHOW ANNUAL

#### BEAUFORT AGRICULTUR-AL SOCIETY SCORES ANOTHER SUCCESS.

ALL-ROUND IMPROVEMENT IN EXHIBITION.

INCREASED ENTRIES AND GATE RECEIPTS.

Saturday, the occasion of the Beaufort Agricultural Society's 66th annual show, was decidedly warm in the morning, although a cool change was experienced in the afternoon. The grounds were looking their best in the garb of spring, and the picturesque setting of the show was freely commented on by many visitors. There was a large attendance of residents of the district and neighboring towns, and over 150 motor cars lined the arena or were parked in the The gate receipts totalled vicinity. which represented an in-£61/18/, crease of £3/8/3 on the previous show. There was an all-round improvement in the exhibition, and the totalled 1190. Sixteen fat sheep of good quality were shown, and keen interest was taken in the which attributed fleece competition, six entries. The winning fleece was grown by Mr T. Topper, and was a merino one weighing 26 lb., and valued at £2/9/10. The second prize fleece (also merino) weighed 20 lb., and was valued at £2/1/8. It was grown by the same exhibitor. Fiftyone splendid Clydesdales kept up the reputation of the Beaufort Agricultural Society for a worth-while exhibition of horseflesh, and this was solidly backed by the number and quality of light horses shown—no less than 134. The hunting and jumping competitions were very attractive, and musical chairs on horseback added an entertaining humorous touch. All the ring events, many of which were well-filled, were got off punctually, thanks to the assistance rendered by the broadcasting equipment hired from - Mr T. H. King, of Clunes, which was a great acquisition to the management. The only accident for the afternoon was a minor fall in one of the trots; the rider and horse escaping injury. The exhibits of grain, roots, and hay totalled 38, and of fruit and vegetables 9; both being excellent classes in regard to quality. The class for dairy proentries, and that duce attracted 26 the exhibits being for poultry 92: standard of previous well up to the shows Cookery (166 entries) and fancy work (36) were the most interesting classes to the ladies, and flowers (52 exhibits) also had a large quota of admirers. Fifty-five dogs of and utility breeds various sporting and 10 head of cattle. were shown, In the educational class 400 creditable samples of the work of district school children were on view, and it proved one of the most attractive features of the show. Mr R. T. Macdonald had charge of the luncheon booth, and the menu was the best provided

within the recollection of the oldest

members, and a credit to the lessee.

Mr R. Taylor, of Ballarat, conducted

the publican's booth, and Mr A. Lew-

many requests from constituents, which he duly noted. There was a greater number of sideshows than usual, which included an exhibition of live snakes, a boxing booth, a merrygo-round, an aboriginal expert with the stockwhip, and several others. The grand parade of prize winners took place at 3.30 p.m., and was a very impressive one, in which horses predominated. During the afternoon, the Beaufort Town Band played a lively programme of music, under the baton of Bandmaster A. E. Collins.

Business firms also took advantage of the occasion to display some of their lines for advertising purposes, among which were the following:-Messrs. J. R. Wotherspoon & Co.-Treelite wind-driven electric lighting plants, Fordson Tractor, Ford cars, wireless and car batteries, and wireless sets. Beaurepaire's—Motor car Advanx (Craig Bros.)-Motor car tyres. Burrumbeet and Farmers' Co-operative Windermere wind-driven electric Co.—Dunlite lighting plants.

Altogether the exhibition was well worth patronising, and the society provided a very enjoyable day's outing for all who attended. The various judges and stewards carried out their duties efficiently, although the major portion of the work fell upon the officials in the horse sections. Mr W. Lynch, who occupied the position of president, did justice to the post by his energy and enthusiasm, and had two good lieutenants in the vicepresidents (Messrs, Geo. Topper and J. P. Fraser). Mr J. J. Dunn was in charge of the hurdles, etc. No show could be successful without an experienced and painstaking secretary and the Beaufort society has an ideal man for the job in Mr. Geo. Pringle, whose energy and organising ability are worthy of the highest praise, as well as the courtesy and consideration with which he treats both the public and exhibitors. To his efforts is due the fact that the tide is definitely rising in regard to both the achievements and popularity of the Beaufort Agricultural Society.

The trotters were handicapped by Messrs. W. O'Sullivan and A. Mac-

Appended are the awards:— SHEEP.

Judge: Mr C. Slee. Steward: Mr T. W. Hannah.

Prizes in each section, 15/ and 5/. Three fat Long-woolled or Crossbred Wethers-R. J. Millar, 1.

Three fat Merino Wethers-R. J. Millar, 1; R. Ward, 2.

Three fat Long-woolled or Crossbred Ewes-R. J. Millar, 1.

Three fat Merino Ewes - Wm McErvale, 1; Misses A. E. and E D. Schlicht, 2.

Three fat Lambs-Miss D. Ward, ; H. H., Hooke, 2.

Judging Live Weight of Fat Sheep -£1.-G. Coster. (Stewards, Messrs. R. C. Hodgetts and A. R. Beggs).

Competition-Most Wool Fleece valuable fleece—10/ and valuable cup (to be won three times, not necessarily in succession-donated by Mr Huntly Grant), and 5/; fleeces to be unskirted). Judge: Mr R. G. and 10/-Mrs Hal. Laidlaw, 1; N. E. Beggs.-Thos. Topper, 26 points and Watchorn, 2.

ell the fruit and sweets stall. Mr P. 20 points, 1 and 2. The first prize L. Denigan, M.L.A. for Allandale, fleece (merino) weighed 26 lb., and dius, 20 miles 32 and 11-N. E. was among the visitors, and received its value was £2/9/10; second prize Watchorff, 1; W. Lynch & Sons, 2. merino fleece-weight, 20 lb.; value, £2/1/8.

#### HORSES.

Judges: Ciydesdales, Mr Jorgenson. Light horses, Mr Matheson. Stewards: Clydesdales, Messrs. A. Campbell and R. Ward. Light horses, Messrs. D. R. Hannah and G. Topper.

Clydesdale Stallion, over 3 yearsent," 1; J. P. Fraser's "Inverness Flash Laddie," 2.

Filly, 3 Clydesdale Gelding or years—£1 and 10/—W. Lynch & Sons, 1; J. P. Fraser, 2.

Clydesdale Gelding or Filly, 2 years—£1 and 10/.—J. P. Fraser, 1; John Kirkpatrick, 2.

Clydesdale Gelding or Filly, one year-£1 and 10/-H. E. Ward, 1; R. L. Henderson, 2.

Clydesdale Colt, one year-£1 and 10/-W. Lynch & Sons, 1.

Pair of Farm Mares or Geldings-£1 and 10/—II. E. Ward, 1 and 2.

Clydesdale Dray Mare or Gelding (driven)—£1 and 10/—H. E. Ward, 1; Robt. Ward, 2.

Clydcsdale Mare-£1 and 10/-H. E. Ward, 1; Jas. Henderson, 2.

Clydesdale Mare, in foal or with foal at foot-£1 and 10/-H. E. Wand, 1; J. P. Fraser, 2.

Clydesdale Foal-£1 and 10/-J. P. Fraser, 1; H. E. Ward, 2.

Best Foal in show, progeny of "Dalradient"-£1 (gift of Mr James Fraser)-J. P. Fraser, 1.

Best Feal in show, progeny of 'King Favour"-£1 (gift of Mr W. Linke)-Geo. Topper, 1.

Champion Clydescale Entire, any age, for society's blue ribbon-J. P. Fraser's "Dalradient."

Champion Clydesdale Mare, any age, for society's blue ribbon-H. E. Ward's "Pearl the Second."

14-st. Remount Mare or Gelding-£1 and 10/-Mrs A. A. Laidlaw, 1; L. Lindsay, 2.

Hackney Mare or Gelding (radius of 20 miles)-£1 and 10/-Alex. Russell, 1 and 2.

Hackney Mare or Gelding (open)-£1 and 10/-Mrs Hal. Laidlaw, 1; Mrs A. A. Laidlaw, 2.

Pony, 14 h. and not over 14.2 (driven)-£1 and 10/-L. Lindsay, 1; J. Delima, 2.

Delivery Horse, light (driven)-£1 and 10/-L. Lindsay, 1; Mrs A. A. Laidl**aw**, 2.

Delivery Horse, heavy (driven)-£1 and 10/-Arthur Broadbent, 1.

Pany, 12 h.a.u., ridden by boy or girl; radius of 20 miles-£1 and 10/ -John O'Brien, 1; Marjory McEr-

Pony, 14.2 h.a.u. (ridden); radius, 20 miles—£1 and 10/—Mrs A. A. Laidlaw, 1; W. Lynch & Sons, 2.

Best Boy Rider, under 14-10/ and 2/6-L. Mudge, 1; Bob O'Brien, 2. Best Girl Rider, under 14-10/ and 2/6-Julia Norman-Bail, 1; Rubina Russell, 2.

Pony, 14.2 h.a.u. (driven); radius, 20 miles-20/ and 10/-W. Dowler, 1; W. Ellis, 2.

Pony, 14 h. and not over 14.2 (ridden)—£1 and 10/—Mrs A. A. Laidlaw, 1; Mrs Hal. Laidlaw, 2. Lady's Hunter over hurdles—30/

10-st. Mentet, over stiff fences; ra-Pony, h.a.y. (dayen)—£1 and

10/-L. Lindsay, 1; Alex. Russell, 2. Buggy Horse, over 14.2 h. (driven)-£1 and 10/-L. Lindsay, 1; J. Delima, 2.

10-st. Hunter, over stiff fences-£2 and £1-Mrs Hal. Laidlaw, 1; J. Delima, 2.

Handicap Trot for Horses, a mile £2 and £1-J. P. Frascr's "Dalradi- and a half-30/ and 10/-A. Brown's Epohruo, 23 yds. bhd. scr., 1; W. Smith's Blue Ribbon, 10 yds. bhd. ser., 2. Won by three lengths. Three starters. The rider of G. Anderson's Storm (Lakey) fell, but was unhurt.

> Pony Hunter, 14.2 h.a.u., to carry 9 st—30/ and 10/—Mrs Hal. Laidlaw, 1; J. Delima, 2.

> 10-st. Hackney over hurdles—30/ and 10/-Mrs Hal. Laidlaw, 1; N. E. Watchorn, 2.

> Lady's Hackney (ridden by lady)— 15/ and 5/—Mrs A. A. Laidlaw, 1; Mrs Hal. Laidlaw, 2.

Best Lady Rider—15/ and 5/—Mrs H. Lardner, 1; Mrs A. A. Laidlaw,

Musical Chairs on Horseback-Prize, 75 per. cent. of entrance fees -Bryan Lynch, 1; Mrs H. Lardner, 2. The age of chivalry is not dead. A competitor in one heat narrowly defeated a lady competitor, and retired in her favor.

Handican Trot for Ponies, one mile -W. Smith's Blue Ribbon, 70 yds. bhd. scr., 1; Osborne's Sandy, 30 yds. bhd., 2. Won easily by a dozen lengths. Three starters.

Sheaf-tossing Competition -- Cup, valued at £1/1/ (gift of Mr J. Bickart, Ballarat) and 10/-G. Riddock, 1: W. Walton, 2. Height, 36 ft. Nine entries. Stewards: Messrs. P. T. Stevenson and A. Campbell.

GRAIN, ROOTS, AND HAY. Judge: Mr Theo. W. Schlicht, Steward: Mr W. Ellis.

Bushel Wheat, any variety—Bag of superphosphate (gift of Commonwealth Fertilizers Co.) and 5/-John Kirkpatrick, 1; R. J. Millar, 2.

Bushel White Oats—12/6 and 5/— R. J. Millar, 1; Ron. Dunn, 2.

Bushel Algerian Oats-Bag of superphosphate (gift of Cresco Fertilizers Co.) and 5/-John Ellis, 1; R. J. Millar, 2.

Bushel Algerian Oats, grown by Trawalla soldier settler-Bag of superphosphate (gift of Commonwealth Fertilizer Co.) and 5/—John Ellis. 1; R. J. Millar, 2.

Oats, grown on Bushel of White Trawalla settlement-12/6 and 5/-R. J. Millar, 1 and 2.

Bushel Cape Barley-12/6 and 5/-John Kirkpatrick, 1 and 2.

2-cwt. Sheaf Hay (oaten)—Bag of superphosphate (gift of Commonwealth Fertilizer Co.) and 5/-Robt. Ward, 1; R. J. Millar, 2.

2-cwt. Sheaf Hay (wheaten)—Bag of superphosphate (gift of Commonwealth Fertilizers Co.) and 5/-No

Bag of Hay Chaff, grown and cut by exhibitor-R. J. Millar, 1; Robt. Ward, 2.,

Cwt. of Potatoes—Bag of superphosphate (gift of Cresco Fertilizers Co.) and 5/-Wm. Hutton, 1; W. T. Hutton, 2.

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#### BEAUFORT

## AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNUAL SHOW

(Continued from Page 1.) Four bushels Perennial Rye Grass -10/-Ron. Dunn, 1; John Kirkpat-

rick, 2. FRUIT AND VEGETABLES. Judge: Mr Theo. W. Schlicht. Ste

ward: Mr W. Ellis. Collection of Vegetables—Bag los superphosphate (gift of Cresco Fertilizer Co., Geelong) and 5/-Robt. Ward, 1; R. J. Millar, 2. .

Collection of Fruit-10/ and 5/-Miss D. Ward, 1; Mrs R. J. Millar,

#### DAIRY PRODUCE.

Judge: Mr A., M. Elder. Stewards: Messrs, F. Ellis and John El-

2 lb. Separated Butter—5/ and 2/6-Mrs Ron. Dunn, 1; Miss Sheila Lynch, 1; Mrs G. George, 2. Lynch, 2.

1; Mrs S. Boyle, 2. Dozen Hen Eggs, single yolk-3/

and 2/—Mrs A. Stowell, 1; Mrs R. J. Millar, 2. Dozen Duck Eggs, single yolk-3/ and 2/-John Carland, 1; Miss D.

#### POULTRY.

Ward, 2.

Judge: Mr Kenworthy. Steward: Mr C. Cushing, i

Prizes in each section, 5/ and 2/6. Radius of 25 miles Buff Orpington, cock-A.

Hughes, 1; G. George, 2. Buff Orpington, hen-V. Dunn, 1;

G. George, 2. Black Orpington, cock-V. Dunn, and 2.

Black Orpington, hen-V. Dunn, 1 and 2. Indian Game, cock-A. J. Hughes,

1; A. Lewell, 2. Indian Game, hen-A. Lewell, 1

A. J. Hughes, 2. Minorca, cock-V. Dunn, 1 and 2 Minorca, hen-V. Dunn, 1 and 2. Leghorn, white, cock-V. Dunn, 1

and 2. Leghorn, white, hen-A. Lewell, 1; V. Dunn, 2.

Leghorn, brown, cock-V. Dunn, 1 A. Lewell, 2.

Leghorn, brown, hen-V. Dunn, and 2. Pair common Ducks-A. J. Hu-

ghes, 1. Pair Muscovy Ducks-Miss G.

Packham, 1. Rhode Island, cock-A. Lewell, 1; V. Dunn, 2.

Rhode Island, hen-A. Lewell, 1; G. George, 2.

Wyandotte, hen, silver-V. Dunn, 1 and champion; A. Lewell, 2.

Wyandotte, cock, silver-A. Lewell, 1. Wyandotte, cock, golden-A. Lew-

ell, 1; V. Dunn, 2. Wyandotte, hen, golden—A. Lew- D. Ward, 2. ell. 1; V. Dunn, 2.

Light Sussex, cock-V. Dunn, 1; A. J. Hughes, 2.

Light Sussex, hen-V. Dunn, 1; A. J. Hughes, 2. Bantam, cock-A. Lewell, 1; L.

Lindsay, 2. Bantam, hen-A. Lewell, 1 and 2.

Silver hen-V. Dunn. COOKERY.

Judges: Messrs. C. Rose and J. J Wright. Stewards: Messrs. L. Smith and 2; Miss H. Grattan, special.

Six pots Jam-5/ and 2/6-Mrs R. J. Millar, 1 and 2.

ties—5/ and 2/6—Miss A. Kirkpat- Manson, 1; Miss Jean Ward, 2.

Six bottles Preserved Fruits; six varieties-5/ and 2/6-Mrs R. J. Millar, 1; Mrs J. Kirkpatrick, 2.

Home-made Bread, 4 lb. loaf, and not over 41 lb-150 lb. bag of flour (gift of Messrs. W. C. Thomas & 1; Lois Buchanan, 2. Co.), valued at £1/1/, and 5/-Mrs. W. Linke, 1; Mrs Mills, 2.

Six Wholemeal Scones-5/ and 2/6-Mrs R. J. Millar, 1; Mrs R.

Dozen Scones, made with cream or butter and McAlpin's Self-raising Flour; for girls under 16-7/6 and 3/ (gifts of McAlpin's S.R. Flour Co.) -Miss R. Boyle, 1; Miss Mary Cush-

Plate of Scones (open)-7/6 (gift of Mrs J. Exell) and 3/—Mrs G. George, 1; Mrs A. Trengove, 2. Plain Cake, baked in meat dish;

suitable for children's luncheon-5/ and 2/6-Miss Sheila Lynch, 1; Miss Nellie Meek, 2.

Fruit Cake, baked in meat dish; suitable for children's luncheon-5/ and 2/6-Mrs R. J. Millar, 1; Miss Alma Kirkpatrick, 2.

Swiss Roll—5/ and 2/6—Miss E. Smith, 1; Mrs A. E. Exell, 2. Shortbread—5/ and 2/6— Mrs

Kneebone, 1; Miss J. Hannah, 2. Gingerbread—5/ and 2/6—Miss S.

Collection of Biscuits-5/ and 2/6 Ham-5/ and 2/6-R. J. Millar, -Miss A. Kirkpatrick, 1; Mrs A. Kneebone, 2.

Pound Cake-7/6 and 2/6 (gifts of Miss E. Lewis)—Mrs R. J. Millar, 1; Miss Meek, 2.

Sponge Sandwich-5/ and 2/6-Mrs A. E. Exell, 1; Miss D. Ward, 2 Sponge Sandwich; girls under 15-5/ and 2/6 (gifts of Mrs Francis Oddie)-Miss Joyce George, 1; Miss M.

Plate of Puff Pastry-5/ and 2/6-Mrs H. Brown, 1; Miss A. Kirkpat

Cornish Pasties-5/ and 2/6-Miss A. Kirkpatrick, 1; Mrs S. Boyle, 2. Plate of Cream Puffs, girls under 15—Decorated cake, valued at 7/6, and 2/6-Miss Hayward, 1; Miss P. Baker, 2.

Fruit Cake, for girls under 20-5/ and 2/6 (gifts of Mrs Francis Oddie)-Miss P. Baker, 1; Miss M. Cushing, 2.

Box or Basket of Home-made Sweets; four distinct varieties-5/ and 2/6-Mrs A. Kneebone, 1; Miss A. Kirkpatrick, 2. Xmas. Cake, undecorated (own re-

cipe)—7/6 and 2/6—Miss M. Hannah, 1; Mrs S. Boyle, 2. Plate of small, dainty cakes; four varieties-5/ and 2/6-Miss A. Kirk-

patrick, 1; Mrs Gordon George, 2. FANCYWORK. Judges: Mrs Barnaby and Miss Morrison. Stewards: Messrs. W. J.

Stevenson and J. Kelly. Collection of varieties of Fancy Work (six articles—10/ (gift of Mrs Geo. Pringle) and 5/-Mrs J. McErvale, 1; Miss Evelyn Morvell, 2.

Tray Cloth, 18 in. x 27 in., Montmellac-5/ and 2/6 (gifts of Mrs Tainsh)-Mrs John McErvale, 1. Supper Cloth, colored embroidery

5/ and 2/6—Miss D. Ward, 1. Supper Cloth, crochet work-5/ and 2/6-Miss Elsie Smith, 1; Miss

Three Crochet Doyleys-5/ and 2/6-Mrs G. E. Vertigan, 1; Miss D. Ward, 2

Three Doyleys, other than crochet-5/ (gift of Mrs D. Jackson) and 2/6 (gift of Mrs E. R. Martin)—Mrs A. R. Beggs, 1.

Champion bird in show—Wyandotte 2/6—Miss Cushing, 1; Miss Evelyn Morvell, 2.

Best pair Knitted Socks (woollen) -5/ and 2/6-Miss C. Manson, 1 Best Fancy Knitted Jumper-5/ and 2/6-Miss C. Manson, 1.

Three bottles Sauce; three varie- Mrs T. Trafford) and 2/6-Miss C. Apron, made by boy or girl under

16-5/ (gift of Mrs John McErvale) and 2/6—Joyce George, 1; Lois Buchanan, 2. Colored Embroidery, for girls under 16-5/ and 2/6-Theodora Beggs,

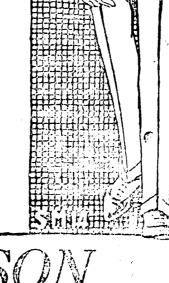
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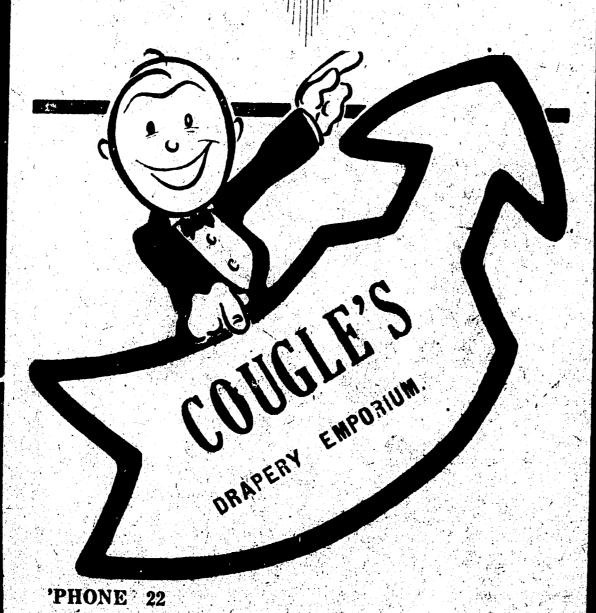
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# DISTRICT NEWS

#### RAGLAN.

THE MINSTRELS.

"Wake up, you colored coons; Open your eyes!" The old chorus has been ringing out in the local hall two or three times a week for some time now, in preparation for the great concert, to be given to-night (Saturday, Decr. 5th): Old members and new are all keen, and heartily at work, and it is expected that the funds of the Swimming Club will be nefit largely. The generosity of the local ladies in providing supper makes it possible for the one price to cover the concert, the short dance to follow, and the supper. It was rumored that the Hall Committee was considering putting in elastic walls for this one entertainment at least. All roads lead to Raglan this night. SWIMMING CLUB.

The annual meeting of the Swimming Club was called for last Monday week, Novr. 23rd. Only four attended, and the meeting had to be postponed. The hot days last week and this week have brought out an outcry that the pool was not readybut where were the swimmers that night?

HALL COMMITTEE.

Six members attended a meeting of the Hall Committee on Thursday, 26th ult.; the president (Mr K. W. Lewis) presiding. It was decided to defer the matters of repairs to the piano and erection of an ante-room till after the New Year, when the finances should be a little better. The scale of charges and the caretaker's duties were fixed. Mr G. Gillingham was appointed caretaker, and authorised to get minor repairs done.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE. The school committee held its last meeting for the year on Wednesday, Novr. 25th. Five members and the head teacher were present; the chairman (Mr E. J. Tiley) presiding. A letter from the Back to Beaufort Committee was read, in connection with the proposed back to school on Boxing Day. It was decided to fall in with the suggestion, and the necessary arrangements were made. It was decided to renew the subscription to "Pictorial Education" for the next year. In connection with the annual break-up function, it was decided to call a mothers' meeting for

Tuesday, 1st inst. It was felt that

more general interest might be shown

in the function, and the arrangements

RICKETY KATES AT STREA-THAM. — A packed house greeted the Rickety Kates when they made their first public appearance in the 3-act comedy, "Marry for Money" in Streatham last Wednesday night. All the players excelled themselves, and the comedy was continuously held up while the hall rocked with laughter and handclapping as the crowd demonstrated in no uncertain manner their appreciation of this outstanding comedy. The unanimous verdict of all present was that "Marry for Money" was the most humorous and entertaining comedy that has been staged in this district. Mr F. Sheehan's singing was greatly admired, and Blay's Orchestra of four instruments supplied pleasing incidental music throughout.

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tive sheds, and the express arrived in

Beaufort an hour late.

MURCHISON. — In loving memory of our dear brother and uncle, near Trawalla. Another engine was James Murchison, who passed away despatched from the Ballarat locomoon 30th November, 1935.

-Inserted by his loving sister (Mrs. W. Bennett), nephews, and nieces.

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A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

"Practical education implies the art of making active and useful what we learn."

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1936. Paradimination of the control of the

LASTING THINGS. "APE no greatness, be content to pass for what you are," is an old saving that appears to have gone out of fashion nowadays. It is true today, as it has always been, that the greatest people are the simplest in their ways. Presumption and affectation always come from the lesser make the impression that he is the for their brother and sister, whom hill, Minyip, at 19/9; 12, woolly, Mr product of a great public school rarely succeeds in doing so. He would be better liked if he were not ham notified Senior-constable J. Har- 23/1; 4, Mr H. Ellwood, Wallace, to ashamed of his real training ground. greaves, of Beaufort, of the where- 22/7; 2, Messrs. Ellwood Bros., Wal-The woman who spent her early abouts of Sam and Irene, and told him lace, to 25/1. years as a domestic help and makes he would go to the camp and see if The following district sales are relife a burden for her maid of all the two children were there. He ported by other auctioneers:-40 work in order to convince her did so, and found the two wanderers comeback wethers, Mr W. H. Waldfriends of her gentle upbringing only safe and sound asleep with their fa- ron. Carranballac, to 20/1, averaging provokes the contempt she deserves. ther. They had told their father that 19/3; 35 lambs, Mr Theo. W. Sch-We only impress discerning people their mother was not well, and had licht, Beaufort, 20/; 35 lambs, Mr D. and make lasting friendships when sent them to the camp to be out of S. Murray, Wongan, Beaufort, 26/11: we are content to pass through life as her way. The father was not alarm- 14 lambs, Mr F. L. Ball, Raglan, our real selves—not a cheap imita- ed, and kept the children there, as it 23/; 10 lambs, shorn, Mr L. H. tion of somebody far above us in so- had been their practice to go there oc- Tucker, Raglan, 21/7; 6 lambs, Mr J. cial standing and intellectual capac- casionally. At about 11 p.m. Senior- O'Brien, Middle Creek, 21/3; 10

staches, in imitation of Herr Hitler escapade.

and Charlie Chaplin? Their appear-

ance is thereby not improved, and

these toothbrushes must be very in-

seems to have a great charm for

these young people, and they de-

ness, and honesty.

convenient. The word "modern"

#### SWIMMING CLUB.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

way which is not only inartistic, but children were taken home by their fa-

painfully crude. Why do modern ther on Wednesday. None of the

nounce everything that appears to | At the Shire Hall on Thursday them to be old-fashioned. When night, a meeting of the Beaufort they are past 40 they will probably Swimming Club Committee was realise that there is nothing new held; Mr J. F. Wotherspoon (presiunder the sun. The young men of dent) presiding. Fourteen members to-day may live to see their sons were present. Accounts amounting wearing beards or mutton-chop to £1/15/9 were passed for payment. whiskers, and the young women who A circular was read from the organiwill be the daughters of the "mod- sers of the "Herald" Learn to Swim ern" miss may possibly go back to Campaign, asking for the club's supthe crinoline and long hair. Fashions port. Apologies were received for the change, men and women change, and absence of Messrs. Duncan, P. Harthe only lasting things that wear ris, and J. Kelly. The secretary (Mr well in all times are sincerity, sim- W. M. Fitzpatrick) reported that Open Diving Competition. Men's plicity, good taste, courtesy, kind- Mr A. C. Welsh was unable to Mr A. C. Welsh was unable to carry on as the caretaker of the baths. The president and secretary ming Under Water. Open Breast or MIDDLE CREEK v. TRAWALLA B. FORTUNATE ESCAPE. — Miss were authorised to interview Mr A. Pearce and offer him the post of. Junior Diving Compatition Topics Neill street, Beaufort, on Tuesday caretaker of the baths. Two boys evening, when she was accidentally were appointed to sell members' are to be given as first and second and the match resulted in a win for knocked down by a motor truck, with tickets on commission. The presiwhich she collided. She escaped under said he had not yet received an to charge non-members 1/ admission; Creek players mentioned first):—J. dent said he had not yet received an estimate of the cost of the work at the baths. The secretary said he un-FIRE AT MT. COLE. - During the baths. The secretary said he unthe bush fire at Mt. Cole at the week- derstood it would not cost over £40. Sested that the Raglan and Skipton, and A. Jess v. L. Williams and C. end, which covered 1200 acres, including the catchment areas of the Middle and Fiery creeks, the debris Middle and Fiery creeks, the debri left by the thinning gangs of relief the baths. The engineer and councilworkers was cleaned up. The outbreak lors were thanked for their work, on attend the carnival and speak. Mes. J. Broadbent, 6—0; J. Bowd and workers was cleaned up. The outbreak lors were thanked for their work, on did quite a lot of good. Very little the motion of Mesdames R. T. Mac- srs. Don Jackson, W. J. B. John- Miss S. Fay v. E. Vowles and Mrs. standard pile or pole timber was dedonald and J. E. Day. It was decid-stroyed, and rumors that the picnic ed to pay £25 of the amount owing that some suggested that suggested the sugg

COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co. re-A LOCAL COMPOSER. — By the port:—Cattle—1 cow, Mr M. Maher, request of a number of residents, Minyip, at £5/7/6. Calves-3, Mr L Blay's Dance Band will play two mu- Lindsay, Ballarat; 1, Mr A. Dunnet, sical selections next Wednesday Snake Valley. Sheep: 300 merino night at the Rickety Kates' entertain- ewes, Mr A. L. Stevenson, Lismore; ment at Beaufort. The music and 142 merino wethers, Mr D. J. words of both have been composed by O'Brien, Crowlands, to 16/10, averag-Mr Geo. Quigley, of Main Lead, and ing 15/10; 71 crossbred 2-tooth ewes, leading district musicians speak in from Tatyoon, at 22/1; 64 comeback glowing terms of their musical qual- 2-tooth wethers, same place, to 20/8; 64 comeback 2-tooth ewes, Mr R. J. LOST AND FOUND. - Irene Langley, Willaura, to 18/11; 46 mer-Phillips, aged seven, and her brother ino wethers, Mr H. J. Walker. Vite Sam, aged six, were sent by their Vite North, 18/2 to 16/4, averaging mother, a Beaufort resident, at about 17/3; 43 merino wethers, Mr R. J. 6 p.m. on Tuesday, to look round the Hannah, Clitheroe, Skipton: 40 mertown for their elder brother and ino ewes, Mr Jas. Jolly, Alfredton: younger sister, who had been missing 28 comeback and crossbred 2-tooths. from home for the greater part of Mr D. Lyons, Navigators, to 21/10: the day. Sam and Irene started off 37 comeback ewes, Messrs. E. T. with the intention of going to their and S. R. Lay, Ballan: 7 ewes and father's camp, near Buangor and up wethers, Mr D. M. McPherson. Wertowards Mt. Cole forest. At about ona; 2 4-tooths, Mr R. J. Hemphill. 8.30 p.m. they were picked Minyip, 18/2. Lambs: 119 shorn. Mr up by a motorist on the Western D. Lyons, Navigators; 81 shorn, Mr Highway, about five miles west of D. McPherson, Werona; 79 shorn. Beaufort, and brought to the Buan- from Tatyoon, at 17/8; 32, shorn. gor police station at about 9.15 p.m. Mr R. R. Walker, Vite Vite North. They informed First-constable A. J. at 17/11; 25, woolly, same owner. Felmingham that they were looking at 21/; 20, shorn, Mr R. J. Hemp they thought would be at their fath- T. J. Torpy, Bungaree, 15/1: 9. er's camp. First-constable Felming- woolly, Mr J. Jolly, Alfredton, at

ity. Why do modern young women constable Hargreaves and Mrs Phil- lambs, Miss Russell, Middle Creek,

INSPECTOR APPOINTED. — Mi young men grow little, ugly mou- children are any the worse for their A. S. Duncan has been appointed by the Ripon Shire Council as an inspector to curtail the wastage of water in Beaufort.

he hoped the children would leave the

lights alone. A donation of 10/ was received from Mrs J. A. Harris, and a gift of a rose bowl from Miss Beth Schlicht. Cr. Troy, in answer to a question, said a special effort was to be made to clean up the town for Xmas., and the Council might put on some of the sustenance men to clean up the baths. It was resolved to have the seats painted. The programme of the swimming carnival on Boxing Day, which is as follows, was adopted:-Girls, under 12, 25 yds. Boys, under 12, 25 yds. Men's Handicap, 110 yds. Ladies' Handicap, 55 yds. Cigarette Race, Girls' Race, under Junior Diving Competition. Trophies at home to Trawalla B on 21st Novr.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not in any way identify durselves with opinions expressed by our correspondents.

Editor, "Riponshire Advocate," Sir,—Your article concerning the Bush Fire Brigade has proved to be both apt and timely, as on the date of issue we had the spectacle of the police and the forestry officials seeking in vain for volunteers after the firebell rang the alarm for Mt. Cole. There was no response, save from the despised sustenance workers, who were taken from their work ont to the fire. We may have grumbled, but none of us refused to go. Beaufort has the good fortune. evidently. to possess three fire brigades—the town brigade, the bush fire brigade composed of sustenance workers, etc.. and the grass fire brigade to save the stations and farms. Why one leading member of the late bush fire brigade did not accompany us because it was "outside their district." Beaufort reveals a woeful lack of civic pride in that from the busy streets on that day, and from the farmers we met on our way out, none thought enough of their forests to forego a few hours from the show. The common view expressed by more than one person to the writer was-as it menaced nobody's property, let it burn. Moreover, as we unemployed received the immediate benefits in the form of relief work thereat, we were the only folk who should go out fire-fighting. Very well, the station hands and farm hands around us should be left to fight their own fires if that premise be fair and reasonable. The shopkeepers have reaped more benefits from relief forestry works than have the unemployed, but no counter hands were sent out to join us. This is the first town I know of where firemake arrangements before they left estry Department finished up by repaint their faces and lips? They de- lips came by car to the Buangor polieving us of the cost thereof, it cerpaint their faces and hips? They de- lips came by car to the Buangor po- ceive no one by this practice. Indeed lice station, and took Sam and Irene dle Creek, 21/4; 97 lambs, Mr E. A. had the decency to be interested in our safe return (save our families) was Mr T. Bailes. We did not expect much more, as we are only "susso" workers.

Concerning our liability to attend all fires, and our supposed liability to. be the shock troops at every peal of the firebell, we are enquiring of the sustenance authorities in Melbourne. Until then, we claim that, apart from our working hours, we are no more liable than our fellow-citizens; and, that, unless any one of our members refused point blank upon a personal, official call, none of us should be either intimidated or penalised. Yours, etc.,

H. W. DRAKE.

[Criticism of a police officer has been deleted from this letter, as there is a proper channel through which to ventilate a grievance, if the writer has one. — Ed. R.A.]

The Middle Creek tennis team was and camping grounds at Fern Tree to the Council. Cr. Troy said Mr that some posts be erected with a bell, 4—6; W. Torney and Miss G. Gully and Richards' side were burnt Hall had gone over the electric rope to keep the spectators back off McNeil y. C. Broadbent and Miss Broadbent, 6-1; A. Jess and Miss A.

# Jess v. E. Vowles and Miss Broad-

bent, 2-6. Totals:-Middle Creek, 6 sets 42 games; Trawalla B, 2 sets 16

MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT.

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A mixed doubles tournament, which resulted in a win for B. Lynch and Miss A. Jess, was played at the Middle Creek court on Novr. 22nd. Re-

First Round .- B. O'Loughlan and Miss M. Jess v. J. Franc and Miss A. Jess, 6-1; G. McNeil and Miss F. Shaw v. Miss L. Fay and Miss S. Lynch, 6-4; J. Bowd and Miss Franc v. A. Jess and Miss G. McNeil, 6-1; W. Torney and Mrs Torney v. J. Jess and Miss W. Fay, 6-5;; B Lynch and Miss A. Jess v. D. Lynch and Miss S. Fay, 6-5; J. Ahern and Miss S. Lynch v. W. Hunt and Miss G. McNeil, 6-3.

Second Round.-G. McNeil and Miss Shaw v. B. O'Loughlan and Miss Jess, 6-3; B. Lynch and Miss A. Jess v. W. Torney and Mrs Torney, 6-1; J. Bowd and Miss Franc v. J. Ahern and Miss Lynch, 6-0.

Semi-finals.—B. Lynch and Miss A. Jess v. G. McNeil and Miss Shaw 6-3; J. Bowd and Miss Franc, a bye.

Final.—B. Lynch and Miss A Jess v. J. Bowd and Miss Franc,

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WANTED to Buy, Turkey Goblers. HAROLD GEORGE, Beaufort.

XMAS. Tree and Sale of Gifts, to be .held in Methodist . School Hall, Thursday, December 10th, at 3 p.m. Social in Evening. M. WILLATON, Guild Secretary.

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AT 2 P.M.

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190 COMEBACK EWES, 4 year old, hand shorn

130 MERINO EWES, 4 and 5 year old, hand shorn. 100 MERINO EWES, 4 and 5 year old, hand shorn.

30 MERINO EWES, 2 and 3 year old, hand shorn.

30 MERINO WETHERS, 4 and 6 tooth, hand shorn.

100 MERINO EWES, full mouth, fat, hand shorn. 30 MERINO EWES, 3 and 4 year old, hand shorn.

20 MERINO WETHERS, 2 and 4-tooth, hand shorn.

40 MERINO WETHERS, 4 year old, hand shorn.

40 MERINO WETHERS, 1 and 2 year old, hand shorn.

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BEAUFORT PICTURE THEATRE DECEMBER 9th. See "Rickety Kates" in 3-act Comedy, "MARRY FOR MONEY."

Australian Natives' Association.

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

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, 6th DECEMBER, 1936.

Church of England. -Beaufort, 8, 11, and 7; Middle Creek, 3-Rev. W. J. Tame

Methodist Church. -- Beaufort, 11 and 7; Raglan, 3-Rev. G. E. H. Vertigan, L.Th. Chute, 11-Mr. J. Nothnagel. Waterloo, 3-Mr. R. Dunn. Raglan, 7.30-Mr. L. Wal-

Presbyterian Church.—Lexton, 11; Trawalla, 3; Beaufort, 7—Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A.

Salvation Army.—Sunday, 11, Holiness Meeting; 2.30, Sunday School; . ', Salvation Meeting; Thursday, 8 p.m. Waterloo — Every Wednesday, at 8 p.m.-Lieut. Stone.

### SHIRE OF RIPON.

BEAUFORT WATER SUPPLY.

MR. A. S. DUNCAN has been appointed as Inspector to curtail Wastage of Water in the Town of Beaufort. NORMAN B. ACTON, Shire Sec-

Beaufort, 4/12/36

TENDERS.

# SHIRE OF RIPON.

SALE BY TENDER.

TENDERS are invited, closing 11 a.m., MONDAY, 14th DECR., for Purchase of Surplus Machinery and Stores, comprising:-

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## SHIRE OF RIPON.

#### TENDERS.

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been-Streatham Road Contract 7/37, West Riding. -350 c. yds. Gravel, on Beaufort-Carranballac Road

Contract 8/37, Relief Works. — Re-shaping 10 chains on Beaufort-Carranballac Road.

Contract 9/37, West Riding. -250 c. yds. Gravel, on Wills' Road, Car-

TENDERS are invited for pur-BACK AND MERINO chase of surplus. Machinery and Stores, as separately advertised. TENDERS are also invited for purchase of aged chestnut Gelding, on a/c. North Riding.

Deposit, 5 per cent. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Specifications may be viewed at Snake Valley Mechanics' Institute. Skipton Mechanics' Institute, and E. S. CROUCH, C.E., L.S.,

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### BUSH FIRE BRIGADE.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING

Engineer-commander H. P. Mackenzie (president) was in the chair at the adjourned annual meeting of Association's bulletin were distribthe Beaufort Bush Fire Brigade, held uted. at the Shire Hall on Tuesday night. There was an attendance of nine should have a list of members. members and officers.

Correspondence was read from the ply typewritten lists. Bush Fire Brigades' Association, re ision of the western districts into two Lake Goldsmith brigade had joined areas. It was stated that the brigades in the area around Ballarat would be brought into a new southwestern district, which would be entitled to two additional delegates.

From Cameron & Sutherland, re supplies of equipment, sprayers, etc. -Deferred for the present until financial position considered.

From É. S. Crouch, shire engineer, stating that the tank and pump had been prepared for use.—The secretary (Mr A. J. Hughes) reported that it had been tested.

J. Duke, Beaufort, wrote, apologising for his absence, stating he would like the position of captain to go round, and urging that some shoulder pumps be procured, as they had been proved efficient by the Forestry Department. He mentioned that the bell was rung for some time last Saturday without any volunteers coming forward, and the sustenance men had to be obtained, for which he understood they were to be paid. They would have to do something to alter this state of affairs.-Mr Topper: They should have a couple of sprays F. Webster, J. Irving, D. Stevento experiment with.

Chief Secretary, re representation at conferences.

elected captain Mr H. J. Buchanan said that peo-

ple would come to a fire if their prothe forest.

Mr P. Trengove: They could not expect volunteers to go to a fire that had been started by burning off. The Elmhurst people agreed with him on day morning the Beaufort firebell was Saturday about that.

ter dropped.

reported a credit balance of £10/8/2, late at night. On Sunday the fire was and presented a balance-sheet, certi- still burning on the Raglan side of fied to as correct by Mr P. T. Ste- the mount. It is understood that the venson.—The balance-sheet was ad- outbreak was confined to the forest

funds were available.

On the motion of Messrs. Campbell and Topper, it was decided to SUPERIOR SERVICE. procure two knapsack spray pumps.

ed as, follow:-President, Engineercommander H. P. Mackenzie; lieu- TENDER GRILLS. tenants, Messrs. P. Trengove, G. Cuthbertson, A. Campbell, H. J. TIP-TOP JOINTS. Buchanan, and G. Topper; secretary and treasurer, Mr A. J. Hughes.

Mr Trengove suggested a drive for members' subscriptions.

The president drew attention to the proposed accident relief fund, controlled by the Country Fire Brigades' Association, and touched on the salient points. He said the annual subscription was 6d per member, with a minimum of £1/1/.

The secretary reported that there were 22 financial members last year. It was resolved that each member get as many as possible to join the

brigade. It was mentioned that the minimum subscription was 5/, and the

On the motion of Messrs. Campbell and H. J. Buchanan. it was decided to subscribe to the Association's Accident Fund.

It was decided that the secretary GRILLS, LIGHT LUNCHEON, AND ascertain when nominations for re- SANDWICHES CUT TO ORDER.

mation came to hand, a meeting of the committee would be held.

Copies of the Bush Fire Brigades'

The secretary said he would sup-

In answer to the president, the election of officers, and also the div- secretary said he had heard that the with the Skipton one.

The president reported on a meeting of the Bush Fire Brigades' Association he had attended as a represcntative of the Graziers' Associa-

It was decided to write, thanking Miss Nellie Jaensch and Mrs J. Parker for supplying refreshments for the volunteers at the recent bush fire at Beaufort; also Mrs R. T. Macdonald, on the motion of Messrs. Campbell and P. Trengove.

#### BOWLS.

COLOR COMPETITION.

Last Saturday (show day) a few bowlers put in an appearance, and rink practice was indulged in.

On Tuesday night the Reds and Blues had another enjoyable tussle, and the Blues managed to win their first game of the first series by 3 points. Scores:-

REDS-33. 

A letter was also read from the L. McMahon, F. Somerville, C. BLUES-36.

Mr J. Duke was unanimously re- L. Hobart, G. Green, E. J. Muntz, 14 S. Jacobs, G. Wilding, T. M. Bowe, H. Collier ..... 22

For to-day (Saturday) a handicap perty or anyone else's was in danger. | pairs tournament has been arranged Mr Campbell: It was unneces- to commence at 2.45 p.m. All playsary; this fire being 10 miles away in ers available are requested to be on the green at 2.30 p.m.

FIRE AT MT. COLE. — On Saturrung for a forest fire at Mt. Cole, No action was taken, and the mat- and a motor truck load of about 20 sustenance workers was sent out to The secretary (Mr A. J. Hughes) combat the flames. The men returned area thinned during the past year or The matter of a second tank was two by relief gangs. At Shirley pordiscussed, and held over till the tion of Mr Haig's fencing is reported to have been burnt.

The remaining officers were elect-

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NONE BUT THE BEST.

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monstrated the greater need for mechanical perfection in every part of Eleven members attended a meet- the motor car. Narrow escapes from ing of the committee of the Beaufort death or serious injury, are everyday Thistle Club, held in Mr R. T. Mac- occurrences. The surest way to avoid donald's cafe on Tuesday night. Mr catastrophe in all spheres is clear and H. Miller (chieftain) was in the balanced vision. Consult W. S. chair. The secretary (Mr W. Man- Whineray, Geelong and Western Disson) reported that he had not yet tricts' leading optometrist, on his received any notification in regard to next visit to Beaufort, Thursday, 10th the V.S.U. championship medal for Deer., at Mechanics' Institute, from dancers. The sub-committee reported 10 a.m. till 4 p.m. Appointments

"A Night Out" were the pictures | ANGLEES' CLUB. — Members of chosen for exhibition on the night of the Beaufert Anglers' Club turned

MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

AGE SEVEN

Mr James Boyce, stating that he things tougher than the Somme, and would be present at the sports, and did not catch even a yabbie. Stan intimating that two presentation Jacobs sat on a hard stone all the axes were to be given to woodchop- morning and longed for a Mills bomb pers during the homecoming celebra- (they used to catch 'em that way

Mr James Stewart wrote, accepting the position of judge at the in the afternoon. Bill Goodie let off

The secretary said that one of the tin of fat worms that Max and he

It was thereupon decided to give was a very enjoyable one. the axe to the winner of the Underhand Woodchop. It was resolved to recommend to

the sub-committee that the sheaftossing event be handicapped. Sports officials and doorkeepers and ticket-sellers for the pictures and

dance were appointed. The secretary's action in advertising the sports booths for sale was endorsed, and after some discussion, it was decided to sell them under the

usual conditions. Prices for the social on New Year's Eve were fixed as follow:-Nonmembers, 2/; members, 1/6; euchre and supper, 1/6.

It was decided to buy the supper, and to ask the ladies to serve it. Euchre prizes are to be given to the value of 10/ each, with two smaller secret table prizes.

The secretary was instructed to send an invitation to the officers of the Victorian Scottish Union to attend the sports.

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BEAUFORT THISTLE CLUB CATASTROPHE AVERTED. -Modern high-speed travelling has dethat "Three Kids and a Queen" and with Mr Williams, newsagent.

the sports (28th Deer.); that Mr J. out bright and early on Sunday Stewart and Miss G. Oliver had been morning for an excursion to Lake engaged as dancing judge and piper Burrumbeet; assembling at the Band respectively at the sports; that Mr Rotunda at 7 o'clock. "Zane Grey" E. Wilson's band of three players had (Evelyn Whitfield) arrived in good been engaged to play for the dance time in his motor truck, and took the after the pictures, and that the Al- expectant fishermen on board. In the bert Dance Band, from Ballarat, had course of the morning, "Zane Grey" been secured for the New Year's Eve caught 30 fish, and smoked three dance. On the motion of Messrs. R. packets of tobacco, while the rest of Ward and W. Thompson, the actions the team looked on. Stewart Whitof the sub-committee were endorsed. field landed the biggest fish, a three-Correspondence was received from pounder, while brother Charlie found around Corby), but although he had no luck before lunch, he hooked eight a lot of hot air about the bush fire From editor Scottish Year Book, sat quietly round the point for a long intimating that the publication was time at the lake. Suddenly, he let

An appeal for help was received a wild dive, broke his rod, and pulled from the Royal Hospital for Sick up a perch weighing about one-eighth of a pound. Then he started to talk An invitation was received from in about ten foreign languages at the Ballarat Caledonian Society to once. Secretary Jack Cole landed his usual minnow at the cost of a large presentation axes had been allotted spent all the previous afternoon colby the Back to Beaufort Committee lecting. Altogether the members of to the Thistle Club, and one to the the club caught 110 fish; about 30 being over 1 lb. in weight. The outing

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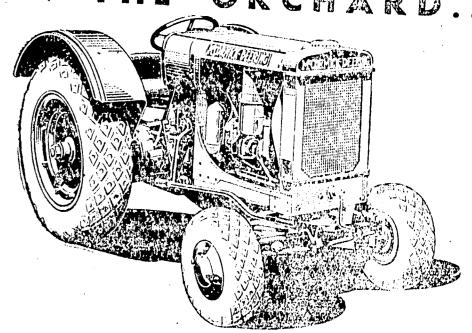
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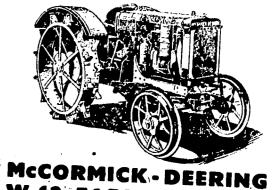
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School Work Book, Grade IV-Joan McNeil, 1: P. O'Sullivan, 2. School Work Book, Grade III.-Edwin Martin, 1; R. Crick, 2. School Work Book, Grade II. (lead

School Work Book, Grade I. (lead Decorative Basket Flowers-5/ pencil work)-Robt. Broadbent, 1; trict Wildflowers."-Norman Croc-Colin Stoddart, 2.

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VI.—Ian MKay, 1; Joyce Nunn, 2. Pastel Drawing, Grades III. and MacPhie, 1; Ivy Thomson, 2.

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ces Gleeson, 1: Verna Wilson, 2. Essay up to C Form, "Australia's E. French Home Work Book (pri-

Drake, 1; Eunice Johnson, 2. Essay, Grades VII. and VIII., or F. Algebra (prizes donated by Mr

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ker, 1; Marjory Sutherland, 2. Scrap Book, Grades V. and VI.-

Lorraine Nicholls, 1 and 2. Writing, Grade VI.—Veronica Nu- Hobby Work, or Hand Work, Grades —R. Dawson, 1 and 2, for Rhode Is-VII. and VIII. (boys).—Ivan Cuth-land cock and hen. Writing, Grade V.—Myrtle West, bertson, 1; Tom Mills, 2. Hobby Work, or Hand Work, Grades Writing, Grade IV.—Lesley Hay- VII. and VIII. (girls)—Peggy Rog- ("Affew")—R. E. Larkens, Warrak, ers. 1; Betty McErvale, 2.

> Hobby Work, or Hand Work, leades V. and VI. (boys)—Walter ward, certificate. Wort, 1: Trevor Cuthbertson, 2. Hobby Work, or Hand Work, Grades V. and VI. (girls)—Nancy Crocker,

; Marjory Sutherland, 2. Mobby Work, or Hand Work. VIII. or Forms F and E-Lloyd Grades III. and IV. (boys)-Alan Cutlibertson, 1; L. Nunn, 2. Grades III. and IV. (girls)-Nellie Lofts, 1; K. Liston, 2; W. Clough.

IV .- Edwin Martin, 1; Alan McKay, Selection of School Hand Work, reparating second and third. Four Grade II.—Enid Buchanan, 1: Nonie starters. Time, 2 min. 22 sec.

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# **COMING EVENTS**

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TAKE A NOTE OF THEM

Paragraphs are only inserted in this column simultaneously with advertisements.

Raglan Red Bow Minstrels' Concert and Dance, Saturday, Decr. 5th. Free 'bus from Beaufort picks up en

breeders.

and crusher.

on Monday, 14th December, Messrs. Dennys, Lascelles Ltd. will offer 3000 Corriedale and merino sheep, direct shorn, aged Polwarth ewes, which fort branch. A very interesting let-

Rickety Kates' Comedy Co. will wool prices could be seen in the pri- Green member. present the 3-act comedy, "Marry for ces of various lines of sheep, such as . Pretty bouquets were then present it the candles on the birthday cake, Money," at the Beaufort Picture the Endfield 2-year Polwarth ewes ted to the representatives of Will- and Mrs Quayle cut it; each lady pre-Theatre on Wednesday evening, 9th (including a few 3 years) at 25/, and aura, Streatham, Elmhurst, Skipton, sent receiving a piece.

M. Parker's to-night at 8.30.

Salvation Army young people's anniversary, Sunday and Monday.

to Beaufort sports will be held in the This year their size and condition ing. The president then conveyed Syne." local Park on Monday, 28th Decr. brought them the highest price for An attractive programme of High- wethers. The sale commenced on abland dancing, woodchopping, cycling, out a dozen pens of crossbred and footracing, and novelty events has comeback ewes, 1 to 3 years, which been arranged. There will also be a were keenly sought after. Of the fancy dress procession. There is a 3673 offered,, the average was 24/5 good prize list. At night there will per head. Details of the highest pribe a picture show and dance in cas realised in various classes of sheep the Picture Theatre. sold, and the averages are given here out W/Bds.,

Fire Brigade euchre, Tuesday under:-Young crossbred ewes, 1 to night. £4 in prizes.

Xmas. tree and Sale of gifts, Methodist School Hall, Thursday, Decr. 10th, at 3 p.m.

even, fat and fairly strong 1-year At their second Lismore off-shears sale on Friday, 11th Decr., Messrs. Dalgety & Co. Ltd. will offer 25/4, 25/1, to about , 20/. Young 10,000 crossbred, comeback, and mercrossbred wethers averaged 20/7; the top price of 22/9 being secured by

RAINFALL. - On Thursday night sold well, averaging 22/3 for about 22 points of rain fell at Beaufort. CORRECTION.

In the educational class, section 2 Endfield, obtained 22/7 for his 2-year (map of South America), at the Brau- wethers. Merino wethers averaged fort show on Saturday, a mistake was 15/8 for 1273, 2 to 5 years old. A line made in stating that the first prize was of 350 4-year wethers from Colullah, awarded to John Jebb. It should were bought by the trade for 18/10 have been Walter West. The ticket and were also sought after by grazwas placed on the wrong exhibit. iers. The 600 Stonehenge 4-year wethers, machine shorn, and in good

SHOW DONATIONS. The secretary of the Beaufort Agri | store condition, made 14/6. As usual. cultural Society (Mr. Geo Pringle) the Titanga 2 and 6-year blade shorn acknowledges with thanks the following merino ewes commanded attention. donations and trophies for the recent and Dr. Lang sold them for 21/3 and show: -Major Alex. Russell, £5; 15/3 respectively. In the section of Hon. Theo. Beggs, £1/1; Mr. R. G. older comeback ewes, Mr Rupert Beggs, £1/1/; Mr. Jas. Fraser, £1; Lehmann easily topped the sale for Mr. W. Linke, £1; Mrs. E. A. Oddie, his 250 full mouth Polwarth blade 15/; Messrs. Jago & Co., 10/6; shorn ewes at 19/5; his 4-year ewes Messrs. McAlpine & Co., 10/6; Miss making 20/. There were not many Lewis, 10/; Mrs. A. E. Exell, 10/; more than 1200 store lambs submit-Mrs. Geo. Pringle, 10/; Mr. V. Jenkin, ted for sale, and the top price and av-9/; Mrs. Trafford, 7/6; Mrs. Tainsh, erage went to Mr E. Graham, the 7/6; Mrs. John McErvale, 5/; Mrs. Ranch, for his 400 Corriedale cbk. H. O. Collier, 5/; Mrs. D. Jaskson, cross lambs which made 16/1. Mespatrick, 5/; Mr. W. Lynch, 4/6; Mrs. srs. Dalgety & Co. Ltd. will hold E. R. Martin, 2/6; Messrs. W. C. the second of their Lismore off-shears Thomas & Co, 150 lb. bag flour; Mr. sales on Friday, 11th Decr., when J. Bickart, E.P.N.S. cup; Common. they will offer a further yarding of · wealth Fertilizers, 3 bags superphos- about 10,000 sheep, which will include phate; Cresco & Co, 2 bags super- many ewes held back until the lambs phosphate; Bushell's Tea Co., E.P.S. have been fit to sell to the freezer, vase; Mr. L. Williams, seeds, 5/; and store lambs. Messrs. Gill & Searle, seeds, 10/; Messrs. Railton & Co., seeds. 7/6; proprietors "Argus" and "Australasian," 12 months' free copy "Aus. The December issue of the "Austral-tralasian" and a valuable book; Mr. ian Journal" contains many bright Huntly Grant, valuable cup, to be stories and popular features. Price, won three times, fleece competition. sixpence, all newsagents.

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ewes of Mr E. Evans', Yeungroon,

Mr A. G. Cairns. Comeback wethers

1000. Besides Mr Joe Borbidge's men-

tioned above, Mr W. McDowall, of

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on Friday, 27th Novr., when they of- Cushing (president) and decorated A curiosity on exhibition was an fered a large selection of very fine by Miss Alma Kirkpatrick (secre-ornamental fish, made from a ram's sheep in their yarding of 15,381. tary). There was a very large at- horn, and brought by Engineer-At their Beaufort stock sale on Taken throughout, the yarding was tendance; representatives from all commander H. P. Mackenzie from Thursday, 10th December, Messrs outstanding, and this was reflected by branches of the group being present. Paris. Dalgety & Co. Ltd. and T. W. Sch- the keen competition from start to The new president (Miss A. Cushlicht (in conjunction) will offer for finish, and the high prices realised. A ing) was in the chair for the first sale 3000 comeback, crossbred, and cleraance of 95.5 per cent of the time. merino sheer, direct from district sheep offered was effected, at an av- Miss Lewis opened the proceedings erage price of 18/12 all over. Prices by reading the Collect, and the Nat-Tenders, closing 14th Decr., are in- generally showed an advance of 2/ to ional Anthem was sung. vited by the Shire of Ripon for pur- 3/ in comparison with recent sales in | An apology was received from Mrs chase of surplus machinery and the district of similar sheep. The Watchorn and a congratulatory telestores, including a traction engine quality of the yarding attracted buy- gram from the Stawell branch. The ers from all over the State. All class- State president sent Xmas. greet-At their Streatham off-shears sale es of sheep were sought after, and ingr, and also the president of the many buyers were unable to fill their Sutton Green link in England. requirements. Perhaps the most out- latter also stated that a Xmas, parstanding sale was for a line of blade cel had been despatched to the Beau-

the Titanga 2-year merino ewes at Avoca, and Snake Valley branches.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

riedales of Mr Joe Borbidge were sold who is leaving the district, every she would give a talk in January. at 25/1. These wethers come into Dal- success in the future. She thanked Community singing was then in-

her best wishes to the members and the Younger Set; also sending a cheerio to the sick and old, and wishing everyone a very happy Xmas. The Beaufort branch, C.W.A., held She appealed to all to be kind one to a party in the Club Rooms on Thurs- the other, and especially to those day afternoon, to celebrate the 10th who were not so comfortable or well birthday of the branch. A feature of off as themselves. One of the aims of the afternoon was a cake, beauti- the C.W.A. was to help all women fully decorated in the C.W.A. col- and children. She quoted the poem, ors, which was made by Miss A. "Ships That Pass in the Night."

The remainder of the afternoon was taken up by an exceedingly well rendered musical programme, supplied by well-known local artists. Mrs S. E. Humphreys played the accompaniments, and solos were given by Mesdames R. Woodall and G. E. Vertigan, and Mr Noel Wotherspoon These items were much appreciated by everyone, as was testified by the encores given. At the conclusion of the programme, Miss Lewis thanked the performers, and Mrs Quayle endorsed her remarks.

made 19/5. Reflections of recent high ter was also read from a Sutton After a tasty afternoon tea had been partaken of, Miss Cushing

Miss Cushing extended a hearty Beaufort old scholars meet at A. 21/3. A phenomenal sale for wethers In the course of an address, Miss welcome to Miss Denise Stowell, a was witnessed when the 2-year Cor- Cushing wished Mrs W. R. Glover, visitor from England, and stated that

gety's yards at Lismore every year, Mr Wm. Fitzpatrick, who had con-dulged in,, and the meeting closed The Beaufort Thistle Club's Back and always command a high value. creted a path in front of the build- with the singing of "Aud Lang

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Messrs, R. A. D. Sinclair, D. F. Troy, and L. Smith, J's.P., occupied

Court on Monday. SECONDHAND DEALER'S LICENCE.

Stanley F. Wallis applied for a secondhand dealer's licence, and upon the police offering no objection, the application was granted.

UNREGISTERED AND NOISY MOTOR CYCLE.

First-constable J. Duke proceeded tor cycle at Beaufort on 24th Octo- cine and Surgery. ber.

Lightfoot was also charged with failing to have an effective silencer pon, and Stawell Health Group, has affixed to the machine.

conducted the prosecution.

both charges. .

greaves, he was on duty in Gregory centrally situated. Street, Beaufort, when he saw the Miss Ellen Macguire has been nomthe Skipton road. Whilst the motor Beaufort. cycle was travelling along Gregory Mrs W. Holdsworth, who has been heard coming from the machine. Wit- bourne, has returned to Beaufort. ness came to the police station, got his motor cycle, and travelled along ENGAGEMENT. — Ivy May, eldhad come to Beaufort with the inten- ing, of Canadian. tion of registering the motor cycle, CARD SOCIAL. — The Beaufort

the motor cycle had not been altered had won three times. She was also Railway Department.

Witness: If I had heard the noise of the machine previously, you would have been in court long before this. Defendant, in answer to the Bench, said that the eyidence of the witness was quite correct.

In reply to Lightfoot, First-constable Duke said he was sure that defendant was the rider of the cycle.

Ronald Henry Lightfoot, sworn, stated that he intended to come to Beaufort to register the cycle, but had a breakdown about five miles along the road, and didenot arrive in the town until late. He was told that if he went to the police station on a Saturday afternoon to register a motor cycle he would get abused. The motor cycle in question was not registered.

Cross-examined by Senior-constable J. Hargreaves, Lightfoot said the cycle had never been registered in his name. He knew the motor cycle was unregistered, but did not know that the number plates had not been re- TENDERS. - Tenders are invited turned. On his way to the rifle range, by the Shire of Ripon for several defendant said, he passed fairly close road contracts, and also for purchase shal. to the police station, but was fright- of surplus machinery and stores and It was decided to give prizes for would get abused.

defendant if anyone had told him that day to obtain work, and that the mo- drawn)), poster costume, and decorhe would get abused by the police, tor cycle was at home when First- ated bicycle. It was decided, on an

telling the constable in charge that ped in the country as well as the city. feated.

# **SOCIAL NOTES**

NEWS ABOUT PEOPLE AND EVENTS.

Mr Jim Anderson, who is employthe Bench at the Beaufort Police ed in Melbourne, came home to Beaufort for the week-end.

> Mr Wm. C. Pedder, of Melbourne, is spending a holiday at Beaufort with his daughters, Mesdames W. Ellis and G. Pringle. Mr Pedder is 84 hearty.

Mr Theo. Schlicht, son of Mr and Mrs T. W. Schlicht, of Beaufort, has passed his final examinations at the against Ronald Henry Lightfoot on a Melbourne University, entitling him charge of riding an unregistered mo- to the degree of Bachelor of Medi- wrote, stating they were prepared to

nointed inspector to the Ararat, Riarrived in Ararat and commenced Senior-constable J. Hargreaves duty. Mr Hooker, before his arrival in Ararat, was notified by the secre-Defendant pleaded not guilty to tary of the group that it was not compulsory for him to reside in Ar-First-constable J. Duke stated on arat, but after looking into the looath that on October 24th, in com- cality to be worked, he decided to repany with Senior-constable J. Har- side in Ararat, which was the most

defendant ride from the rifle range inated for transfer to an advertised along Gregory street, thence on to vacancy in the primary school at

Street, a very loud noise could be undergoing medical treatment in Mel-

the Western Highway, to where he est daughter of Mr. and Mrs Wm. saw defendant stop at a house. In Russell, of Trawalla, to Albert James,

but owing to a breakdown on the Mothers' Guild held a card social at write, thanking the Ripon Shire close the loan at any time before 11th road, was late in reaching the town. Miss Nickols' studio on Tuesday evand was told not to go to the police Wilson, and J. Hughes divided the lighting and decorations. station to register a motor cycle on euchre and consolation prizes. Mrs It was decided to hand to the local pears in this issue.

> BENEFIT SOCIAL. - There was committee had an approximate crea large attendance at the Waterloo dit balance. He had arranged for two Mechanics' Hall on Saturday night, trucks for the picnic to Mt. Cole. when a benefit social, organised by Another truck could be obtained for local electrical engineer (Mr J. Hall). the Rickety Kates' Dramatic Co., 30/. was held. Novelty dances were won It was resolved to hire the third ember 120 points of rain were regisby Mr W. M. Fitzpatrick and Mrs truck conditionally. A. Pearce, and Mr J. Carmichael and It was mentioned by several mem-months to 2385 points. Six inches phens and Mrs J. J. Wright. The correct]. winner of the men's cuchre tourna- The secretary reported an interment was Mr W. Smith. Mr T. Ryan view with Mr J. Whelan in regard to

trophies for the novelty dance. stations.

Arrangements for the fancy dress procession on Monday, Decr. 28th, were made.

Mr A. Lewell was appointed mar- Oil, etc.

## **HOMECOMING** BACK TO BEAUFORT.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

of the committee, held at the Shire being defeated. Hall on Wednesday night, and pre- The judges' decision is to be anided over by the vice-president (Mr nounced at the Park. A. M. Parker) until the arrival of Mesdames R. Woodall and A. S.

reported that Crocker's were sending for Thursday night at the Shire Hall. a quotation in regard to supplying decorations and beds.

The Raglan School Committee carry out the back to school function Mr A. H. Hooker, who was ap- at Raglan, and that the ladies would provide morning tea for the visitors. They asked that the committee arrange for Mr Boyce (a former teacher) and others to get out to Rag-

A letter was read from the Ripon Snire Council, stating they had no objection to flags and welcome home or, including the gain of capital on resigns being hung across the main demption, is £3/19/4 per cent. The street, but would not allow any sign loan therefore should prove specially to be placed on the band rotunda. attractive to the small investor, who The Council would make arrange- at the present time is receiving proments to light the committee rooms.

that posters advertising the celebra- loan offers. tions had been printed, and 10 copies forwarded. The remainder would 15th May and 15th November in each be displayed on suburban and metropolitan stations, as well as stations in the Beaufort district from 1st De-

It was resolved to comply with the answer to witness, Lightfoot said he eldest son of Mr and Mrs J. Down- request to convey Mr Boyce and oth- bank, Savings Bank, money order,

He went to a garage, defendant said, ening. Mesdames A. M. Parker, E. the committee in regard to vised. Council for granting the requests of December, early application is ad-

L. Stephens was presented by Mrs S.M. a cheque for £1/17/6; being Lightfoot asked witness if he knew Saph with the aggregate prize she half-cost of posters supplied by the

ments in the souvenir booklet. The for employed by the Postal Depart-

Miss R. Le Varna. Mr F. Blay's or- bers that the picnic grounds on both will need to fall during December to chestra supplied the music, and Mr sides of Mt. Cole had been badly maintain the average registered for W. Kay acted as M.C. The euchre damaged by the recent bush fire.— the past 10 years. In 1930 and 1933 tournament resulted in a tie in the [An enquiry at the local forester's of- six inches were registered in Decemladies' section between Mrs L. Ste- fice elicited the fact that this is not ber.

(secretary) thanked the public for arrangements at the Melbourne end their patronage, and Mr Blay's Or- in connection with the celebrations. chestra for giving their services free Mrs J. Hughes suggested that a of charge. A good profit resulted. message about the celebrations be Mr G. H. Cougle donated one of the broadcasted by one of the wireless

the best sustained character, best group (four or more), couple, decor-Senior-constable Hargreaves asked he wished to go to Korumburra that ated conveyance (horse or motor and Lightfoot replied that he had constable J. Duke went out the fol- amendment by Mesdames Saph and lowing day. A straight-through ex- Brown, that prizes be £1 for group, Street, Melbourne. Defendant added that he did not haust was fixed to the machine. 10/ for couple or decorated vehicle, know the hours of the motor registra- In answer to the Bench, Lightfoot and 5/ for individual costumes or bisaid the cycle was not his, but he was cycle; a motion by Mr Lewell and Senior-constable Hargreaves: Did riding it on the day in question. Mrs Saph, that the prizes be 15/, 10/, the defendant think the police should The Bench took a lenient view of and 5/ for group, couple, and indivsit up all night to register motor ve- the cases, and fined defendant 10/ on iduals respectively, and a further Defendant admitted going to Lin- Mr Sinclair said these offensive donald and Lewell that the first ded Chinese Herbalist; successamendment by Messrs, R. T. Mac- Recently returned from China; Qualiton on Sunday, 25th October, and re- noises made by motor cycles were prizes be £1, 10/, and 5/, and that fully treats all long-standing gistering the motor cycle, and also very annoying, and should be stop- second prizes be given, being both de-

It was resolved to ask the following to act as, judges:-Cr. D. F. Troy, Mr S. Young, Mesdames S. E. Humphreys, and L. Watkin.

Headed by the Town Band, the procession is to assemble at the Band Rotunda, and march down Neill Further details in connection with street to the Park, and once round the the Back to Beaufort celebrations oval; an amendment that it march were finalised at the weekly meeting round the block en route to the Park

years of age, and still hale and the president (Mr A. J. Hughes). Duncan were added to the committee. The secretary (Mr A. S. Duncan) The next meeting was arranged

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> The interest will be payable on year, and it will be exempt from State Income Tax, and will not be subject to Commonwealth taxation at a

greater rate than imposed in 1930. Applications will be received by any ers to the Raglan back to school func- post office, or member of any recognised stock exchange.

Advertisement of the new Loan ap-

VISIT OF RADIO INSPECTOR. for six years, and that the same ex- handed a bouquet by Mrs Hughes. The secretary reported that £39 by users of electric wireless users The latter acted as organiser of the 2/6 would be collected for advertise- of a disturbing noise, a radio inspecment visited Beaufort last week and tested the various electric motors used in the town, accompanied by the

> WEATHER NOTES. - For Novtered; bringing the total for 11

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Country Fire Beard's Policy Shows Great Progress in To Years.

# FIRE BRIGADE

ANNUAL MEETING.

tion on Monday night, was attended tain J. Duke presided. Night.—Representative to be sent. little ones. Circulars were read from Captains Those present remained standing thought it wrong to have to pay toria. Country Fire Board election as candi- bute of respect to the deceased. dates.—Captains Sinclair and Brown The loyal toast was honored.

to Beaufort Committee, stating that term had been changed from one to time. The Victorian system was the Wells and F. J. Webster responded. the committee did not now need the two years. With the right type of greatest volunteer one in the world. The captain extended the compli-C.W.A. Hall on the night of the officer, the system should be a good Deputy-chief-officer Daw also rements of the season to the Ballarat 28th Decr., and handing the right to one, in order to get the maximum of sponded to the toast. He said he was visitors, who left at this stage. use it back to the brigade.—It was efficiency. Captain Sinclair had step-pleased and surprised at the work Mr W. M. Fitzpatrick proposed decided to hold a social, to be run by ped aside to give him this honor. The done in the last 10 years by the "The Beaufort Mechanics' Institute," a sub-committee. The Country Fire Deputy-chief-officer addressed a few board. Brain and finance were re- and Messrs V. C. Jenkin and R. Board wrote, accepting the resigna- words of advice and encouragement quired to do it. They had a motor Johnson responded. tion of Fireman A. Dunstan. Fire- to the captain and officers. He urged pump here now equal to doing the "The Visitors" was proposed by Mr man R. Pringle was granted a fort- the firemen to give full support to work of a town three times the size.

They would be amazed at the structure of the struc welcomed Deputy-chief-officer Daw. Captain Duke responded on behalf tures newly erected in the last 10 The captain proposed "The Press," In responding, Deputy-chief-officer of the officers, and said there were years. The policy of the present and the representative present re-Daw said he came with the object of three changes in the personnel this instructing them in practical and com- year, and he was sure those defeated The time was not far distant when "The Chairman" was proposed by

petition work, and was a great be- would continue their support. He the improvements would be greater Captain Sinclair, and responded to by liever in discipline. Whatever he had a staunch mate in Lieut. Smith. could do for the betterment of the The brigade hoped to bring home a service would be a pleasure to him. prize from the next demonstration. He would endeavor to give them some Captain Duke proposed "The Counwork to take an interest in each time try Fire Board" (coupled with the he came here. Accounts amounting names of Captain Sinclair and Depto £2/14/ were passed for payment. uty-chief-officer Daw). He said that The captain said in regard to the the Deputy-chief-officer was an old; fours competition on Xmas, morn-colleague of his in the Ballarat City The Ripon Shire Council and Water well carried out by Mesdames Bates ched up. Eleven firemen signified fort brigade new drill, which would their intention of taking part. The be appreciated. The brigade went in captain said the first run in the ladder for the drill competition two years ways treated the brigade very fairly. competition came off next practice ago, and the members were very ways treated the brigade very lairly.

Beaufort could pride itself on having night. Fireman W. M. Fitzpatrick keen. They had to give it up when moved that a letter be sent to Lieut. they got to the demonstration, as good a water supply as any moved that a letter be sent to Lieut. they got to the demonstration, as Victoria, which was dubbed Cr. W. F. Smith, sympathising with him they had not a leader out of their Victoria, which was dubbed Cr. in the death of his brother, the late own brigade. The Deputy-chief- dashed good baby. —[A voice: And a dashed good baby.]—The water onded by Firemen R. Macdonald, and place in any branch of the work in scheme had proved very beneficial to carried. Reserve-member John Fitz- the Ballarat City Brigade. In regard the town. patrick was added to the active list. to Captain Sinclair, he thought it for following were appointed as a would be a crying shame if he were sub-committee for the euchre tournal defeated for the board. They had not ment and social, to be held on 26th had a more active man on the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement on their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement of their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement of the firement of their choice for the euchre tournal defeated for the board of the firement of th and 28th Decr.:—Messrs. W. Brid. than Captain Sinclair. The members of Mr Duke as captain as he had Perfer. ges, W. M. Fitzpatrick, K. Hyde, of the board were all gentlemen, and done a lot for the brigade. As long and R. Hancock. Firemen W. Brid- it was a pleasure to work with them. as they could get municipal lepro BUANGOR SCHOOL. — At a parges and W. Day were appointed for The board realised that hook and lad-sentatives like Crs. Si pump duty for the month, and Fire- der companies were out of date, and McKay, they would get a good deal. it was decided to hold the annual pic-

An enjoyable smoke social was af- his longer experience, and for Cap- objective of the water frust was to Stokes'.—Noted. Cr. Smith asked improve the mains, but they had to that a little metal be placed on road terwards held, at which visitors were tain Daw as deputy-chief. They were present from the Ripon R.S.L., the fortunate in their present chief Beaufort Mechanics' Institute, and officer, deputy-chief, and secretary. first. The pressure had been increastended to. Cr. Gordon drew attenthe Ballarat City Fire Brigade. The They could not have a better board of the ballarat City Fire Brigade. The They could not have a better board of the ballarat City Fire Brigade. Country Fire Board was represented than at the present time. The Hon. brigade's requests to the Trust would should be widened and painted white. board member) and Deputy-chief- board, was at present very ill in hos- always receive a sympathetic hear- Cr. Smith said he noticed that the officer Daw. The old Beaufort Vol. pital. He (Captain Sinclair) had the ing.

or W. Stevens.

ENJOYABLE SMOKE SOCIAL.

the company joined in the choruses, the buildings and equipment. He Day responded in a reminiscent

by 14 active and reserve members. Cr. Sinclair apologised with re- ery brigade in Victoria would eventually also giving an old Scottish song. Captain J. Duke presided. Corres- gret for the absence of Lieut. W. ally have the means of conveying "Visiting Firemen" (coupled with pondence was received from the F. Smith, whose brother, Mr Percy men to a fire, if only a secondhand the names of Captain McLoughlin, Country Fire Board, re inspection by Smith, had died. The deceased was car. It was costing the board a lot of Lieut. W. E. Allan, Firemen S. Al-Deputy-chief-officer Daw. The Beau- a returned soldier, and they much de- money to house and equip the brig- lan and Scott, of the Ballarat City fort Town Band forwarded an invita- plored the sad event. They deeply ades. There were some brigades in Brigade), was proposed by Captain

Joy and Brown, soliciting support for in silence for a minute as a last tri- £1000 to the board, against Geelong's £700, but the position was different

Ballarat had two of the finest fire serto be supported. From Western and Deputy-chief-officer Daw then in vices in Victoria. Geelong required Wimmera Fire Brigades' Associa- stalled the officers for the coming something more permanent in the lief. Tague, and proposed a toast in tion, re meeting of same. From Back two years. He mentioned that the way of a brigade than at the present their honor, to which Messrs S.

keen believer in discipline. He had

men A. J. Hughes and J. Fitzpat- a good water supply and a motor

rick for hall-cleaning duty. The fol- pump were what was required. lowing officers were elected for the Captain Sinclair hoped it would not fective plugs were to be remedied. of events was adopted. The annual ensuing two years:—Captain, J. be his last opportunity of respond- They had an efficient motor pump picnic to the Ballarat gardens on New Duke; lieutenant, W. F. Smith; fore- ing on behalf of the board. He could and water service, and the ratepay- Year's Day will again take place. Duke; lieutenant, W. F. Smith; foreing on behalf of the board. He could ler's were indebted to Cr. Sinclair for
the pump. They had a deplorable At the Lexton Shire Council meeting M. Fitzpatrick; secretary, T. Trez- other man they could put there. Cap- the pump. They had a deplorable At the Lexton Shire Council meeting water supply a few years ago. They on Wednesday, 2nd inst., Cr L. by Mr Daw for the board, was now had a lot of trouble to get their new Smith referred to the bad state of chief officer, and that was rather remarkable. He voted for Captain McPherson as chief officer because of put them £400 or £500 behind. The at Horseshoe Crossing and near

as good a water supply as any in

unteer Fire Brigade was not forgot- honor of representing the bone and Firence, W. Bridges proposed ten; two veteran captains (Messrs. sinew of the service, and hoped the "Extraptains" (coupled with the H. M. Stuart and W. Humphries) would have the honor again. The names of Messrs. H. M. Stuart, W. attending. Several songs were con-board had always given him a good Humphries, and C. Day). tributed by Fireman W. Bridges, and hearing. The board was improving Messrs. Stuart, Humphries, and

The annual meeting of the Beaufort Messrs. V. C. Jenkin and E. Wil- was the only country member on the strain; the first-named (who is 87 Fire Brigade, held at the Fire Sta- son played the accompaniments. Cap- board, and that was a great compli- years of age) claiming to be one of ment to this township. He hoped ev- the oldest firemen in the State, and

tion to their re-union on Boxing sympathised with his wife and four towns that were deteriorating that Duke, who asserted that the Ballarat. would have to go out. Ballarat City Brigade was the best in Vic-

Lieut. Allan and Fireman S. Allan responded.

Fireman Trezise welcomed the re-

bolled was nothing but advancement. sponded.

than now. The members of the board Captain Duke, who appealed to the and the chief officer were doing their firemen to put their best into the brijobs well. As to his own work, he gade, and foster the spirit of comwould at least be a trier. He was a radeship.

An apology was received for the had many years' practical experience, absence of Cr. C. H. McKay. and he appealed to the firemen to The singing of "Auld Lang Syne"

take a keen interest in the brigade. terminated an enjoyable function. Supply Commission (coupled with and Dunstan. The tables were pretthe names of Crs. Troy and Sin-tily decorated with flowers from the clair). He said the Council had al- captain's garden.

### BOWLING CLUB.

PAIRS COMPETITION.

Ten pairs competed in a match for Mr G. Green's trophy on the Beau-

iclair and ents' meeting held at Buangor school. The brigade helped the Council great- nic and Xmas. tree for the children ly by testing the water supply. De- on Decr. 17th. The usual programme

water scheme, and afterwards raised several roads. The one near Briody's the bank 6 ft. out of revenue, which required attention; also the roads wipe out the debt on the scheme near the Bittern Swamp. To be atfirst. The pressure had been increas-tended to. Cr. Gordon drew attenbridge was rather narrow.

#### COMMERCIAL.

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Tuesday. 291 head in the Ballarat stock mar- 3rd inst. Bros. C. Meredith, N.G., ket. About 80 bullocks were offered, A. Crick, V.G., C. Stewart, I.P.G. principally good, medium-weight E. Trengove (warden), Crick (guartrade quality. The demand lacked dian), and 17 members were present. animation, and values receded 10/ a Bros. A. Priver and W. Humphries. head all round. Quotations:-Prime P.G's., gave an interesting report of medium-weight bullocks. £9/10/ to the half-yearly conference in Bal-£10/5/; good, £8 to £9; useful, £6 to £7; best cows, to £7; good, £5 to £6; the lodge magazine and a 1937 calenuseful, £3 to £4. Calves totalled 200 dar were issued to each member. The head; prime quality being scarce. Best made to £5/18/6. Sheep had a ported that he had received several decreased penning of 5173, including enquiries from intending members about 1400 stores. Trade sheep were about the new rates of contribuonly moderately supplied, but there tions. It was resolved that the childwas a steady demand at firm values. Quotations:-Prime crossbred wethers, 21/ to 22/9; good, 18/ to 20/: prime crossbred ewes, 17/ to 19/; prime merino wethers, 17/ to 18/; gaged. All Oddfellows' children are good, 14/ to 16/. Lambs had the heaviest penning for the season; total- free ice cream, and soft drinks, and ling 13,890 head. Quality was par- an excellent supper. All members ticularly good; including many heavy were requested to bring a basket, and lambs from local districts. Trade and lady members and men were asked to export competition was keen, but recent high values were not maintained; best quality being about 1/ below It was decided that anyone who paid last week's rates, although the market closed very strong. Graziers' sorts met with good competition at the Oddfellows' re-union, to be held lambs made from 22/ to 24/; extra. on Tuesday, December 29th, and to 25/ to 27/; superior, to 28/1; good, engage Mr W. Day's band for the 19/ to 21/; useful, 15/ to 17/6.

Messrs, D. R. Hannah & Co. report:-Sheep: 293 merino ewes from Skipton, to 9/10; 110 merino wethers, Messrs. Franc Bros., Middle Creek, to 15/1; 92 merino ewes, from Willaura, to 11/11; 60 comeback nightly meeting of the Beaufort ewes, Mr Gordon Jolly, Smythes branch, A.N.A.,, at the Mechanics' road; 20 merino ewes, Mr R. Ellis, Institute on Tuesday night. Mr J. B. Napoleons; 20 wethers, Mr H. Bas- Hewitt (president) was in the chair, Smythes road, at 20/10. Lambs: 258 to the death of Mr Percy Smith, of shorn, from Stockyard Hill; 103 Streatham, a member of the Beauwoolly, from Willaura, to 21/4; 60, fort branch. The members remained woolly, Mr Jas. Hinton, Vite Vite, to standing for a minute as a tribute of 21/4, averaging 20/7; 50, woolly, Mr respect to the memory of the de-A. E. Jolly, Smythes road, 24/7 to ceased. The treasurer (Mr N. S.

ported by other auctioneers:—Four re efforts being made in Melbourne comeback ewes, Mr J. M. Power, to raise funds. The Board of Direc-Mena Park, 14/4; 122 lambs, Mr D. tors forwarded a circular in regard S. Murray, Wongan, Beaufort, 23/10 to the proposed mortuary scheme. to 22/4, averaging 22/11; 34 lambs, An invitation was received to the Mr Les. Close, Burrumbeet, 26/10 Beaufort Town Band's re-union on to 22/1, averaging 23/2; 14 shorn Boxing Night.—Representative to lambs, Mr F. L. Ball, Raglan, 19/; attend. The general secretary (Mr 2 lambs, Mrs J. M. Power, Mena J. Parker) forwarded suggestions Park, 21/4; 2 bullocks, Messrs. Bren- for the proposed programme of the nan Bros., Buangor, at £7 and £6/ branch's jubilee smoke social on Ap-7/6; 2 cows, same owners, at £3/10/ ril 6th.—Referred to sub-commitand £3; 4 calves, same owner, to 21/; tee. Mr H. P. Gillingham was el-11 shorn wethers, Mr F. Drew, Rag- ected as a full benefit member. Aclan, at 16/4; 1 lamb, same owner, at counts and sick-pay amounting to 15/1; 4 shorn ewes, Mr E. Nunn, \$26/15/4 were passed for payment. Chepstowe, at 15/1; 20 lambs, wool- The secretary's action in sending a ly, same owner, 18/1, shorn, 15/1; wreath to Mrs P. Smith was endors-2 lambs, Mr Walter West, Trawalla, ed, and it was also understood that at 24/5; 115 comeback wethers, St. letters of sympathy would be sent Enoch's Estate, 15/ to 17/10, averagto Mrs Smith and the Messrs. Smith ing 15/9; 11 lambs, Mr J. H. Cuth-Bros. It was decided that should the bertson, Raglan, 22/4.

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## BEAUFORT ODDFELLOWS

## FORTNIGHTLY MEETING.

A well-attended meeting of the Beaufort Oddfellows' Lodge was held Cattle had a decreased supply of in the C.W.A. Hall on Thursday, larat, which they attended. Copies of secretary (Bro. W. A. Skene) reren's Xmas. tree, to be held in the Picture Theatre on Monday, 21st December, be followed by a dance. Mr Eric Wilson's orchestra is to be ento be given a free gift off the tree, meet at the Theatre at 2.30 p.m. on Monday, 21st inst., to cut sandwiches. 1/ could attend; Oddfellows and their families to be entirely free. It was arranged to give substantial cash prizes for the euchre tournament at

A sad note was struck at the fort 22/3, averaging 23/6; 26, shorn, Mr McLeod) reported a credit balance of E. Lightfoot, Mena Park, at 19/. £47/0/1. Correspondence was read The following district sales are re- from the League of Nations' Union, meeting falling on Xmas. week lapse, the president and secretary be BRUCE SUTTON, Cash Buyer empowered to disburse sick-pay. A committee meeting was afterwards

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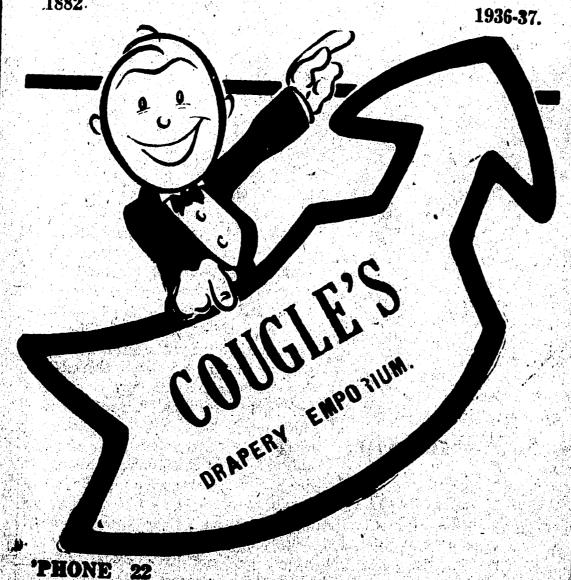
Ghristmas and New Year 

# CHOOSE WOURS AND sett, Mannibadar; 13 ewes, same owner; 3 wethers, Mr A. E. Jolly, Smythes road, at 20/10. Lambs: 258 to the death of Mr Percy Smith of

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#### PAGE THREE. ENGINEER'S REPORT.

#### DECEMBER, 1936.

The following report by the engin-eer (Mr E. S. Crouch, C.E., L.S.) will be dealt with at the meeting of the Ripon Shire Council on Tuesday: 1. Department of Lands and Sur-

vey. - E. A. Davis, South street, Beaufort: I see no objection to the proposed licence being granted. 2. Department of Lands and Sur-

vey. - M. E. Davis, Carngham: Providing one chain width is maintained for road purposes, and provision made for a creek reserve, if at any time it is intended to alienate this ground, I see no objection to the proposed lease being granted.

3. Department of Lands and Survey. - Janet Pearce, Main Lead: I see no objection to the proposed

4. Ballarat-Carngham Road. This road is maintained at the expense of all ridings, and an annual amount up to £200 is set aside for same. Without increasing the amout of the vote, it is desired to extend this length of road to link up with the all ridings road at Mt. Emu; the road being then known as the Ballarat-Carngham-Mt. Emu road

#### ARARAT SHIRE COUNCIL

At the December meeting of the Ararat Shire Council, a letter was received from J. Jones, Bendigo, stating he had arranged with the shire engineer to have the Buangor sports ground graded, and was sent an account for £3/12/, which was paid over to the shire secretary on 30th October. As the grader used in the first place did not make a satisfactory job, and the shire engineer was well aware of that, he sent along another grader to complete the work. He had received an account for £32 14/5 which he considered excessive. He worked on the estimate supplied in the first place by the engineer. It seemed most unreasonable to make such a charge for a small area of ground; considering that the ground was in such good order for grading purposes. Surely the council did not expect him to pay such a large amount as shown on the account? He never anticipated the amount would be so high. A telegram was also received, emphasising the source of dissatisfaction at the big difference between the estimate given and the amount charged. He would appreciate an inspection by councillors. -The engineer: The work Mr Jones asked for and what was finally want ed were two very different things Subsequent to the first works, Messrs. McRae and Dunn, representing the Buangor Sorts Club, rang him up, and represented to him what work was required. He suggested the account be sent to the Buangor Sports Club. The charge was not excessive for the work done. Cr. Kneebone moved that the action of the engineer be confirmed, and a copy of the letter be forwarded to the club. Seconded by Cr. Vanstan, and carried. -"Advertiser."

HEARSE BURNT. — When returning from a funeral with his motor hearse, Mr J. Dunn, of Ararat, had a blow-out on the Bolac road The hearse overturned, caught fire, and was destroyed. Messrs. Dunn and Ridgwell both received a severe shaking

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ADDRESS: LAWRENCE STREET, BEAUFORT.

SMITH. - On the 7th December, Beaufort on Wednesday night. at Private Hospital, Ballarat, Frederick George Percy, loving husband of Daisy; devoted father of Olga, Joan, Ivan, and Roy; aged 44 years.

DEATH.

SMITH. - On the 7th December. at Ballarat, Frederick George Percy, stated that first prize for French Society's store, Beaufort. eldest son of the late Frederick and Elizabeth Smith, of Beaufort; loving change, whereas the winner was ward VIII, has abdicated, and the new The chief object of the Junior Red brother of Eva (Mrs. A. Skene), Al- Douglas Kay. ice (Mrs. P. Trengove), Holly (Mrs. E. Dunn), Lilian, Ella (Mrs. W. and Charles. Late of 8th Light

#### RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE. Published every Saturday morning.

at the "Riponshire Advocate" Office, of the three football championship cycle, and to receive severe injuries collecting 141 doz. The infants colat the corner of Pratt and Lawrence prizes, and one of the three cricket to his left knee. Streets, Beaufort.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

"Regret is useful and virtuous when it tends to amendment of

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1936. FORESIGHT AND PROPHECY.

his less judicious contemporaries. Not day, January 2nd. so with the prophet—if he does not put his predictions into words, the world would never know he was a prophet. Many so-called experts who ment on the English cricketers' perthat they had not talked so emphatic- limited. ally too carly in the piece. Likewise, the gossips in high places who have so often predicted the engagement of FOUND. — A boy and a bicycle at the racecourse. It has been newly the Empire that they knew nothing fort on Tuesday. The boy, lent order. 100 years have false prophets foreseen the decline and fall of the Brit- Court.

of rain fell on Wednesday night, stall, Mr A. Lewell, £1/10/. making 82 points for the month to date, and 2467 points for the year.

judgment.

FORESTRY WORK. - From the Ballarat bureau a gang of men is to

tre of the road.

Mr. W. L. Williams, news agent. ort was a really magnificent one.

RAINFALL. - Following several | warm days, 43 points of rain fell at A. Lewell, of Beaufort, have suffer-

TENNIS. - Buangor defeated Mt. their infant son. Cole Creek on Saturday last by 64 games to 44.

home work was awarded to Lois Bu- KING ABDICATES. - King Ed- Margaret McDonald the secretary.

of Chute, was struck on the face by a ing a butcher's knife during the pocket money to buy 1d bricks for ball, and very severely bruised about week, Mr J. Liston, of Beaufort, sev- the Children's Ministering League one of his eyes and the forehead.

ST. PATRICK'S COLLEGE. — At stitches had to be inserted. championship prizes.

lision near Harcourt. They were un- McKay, of Carngham. injured. The driver of the other car

clear foresight and rash prophecy. lished on Thursday, 24th Decr., and vember), instead of annually. The man who shows foresight gener- to give our employees' a week's holi-

visited Ararat on Sunday last. In Co., loan of wireless set. have been passing premature judg- the afternoon they held a recital in BEAUFORT RACES. — Excellent Alexandra Park, when there was a entries for the Beaufort Jockey formances in the preliminary mat- fair attendance. The band gave a Club's races on Boxing Day, Decr. ches must be wishing, since the deconcert in the Town Hall in the ev26th, have been received by the secreMacDougall has his usual position as plorable Australian batting collapse, cning, but the attendance was very tary (Mr W. A. Skene) for all the

ish Empire? Yet that ancient power | SALE OF BOOTHS. — On Satur- Misses M. E. Daly and A. Stewart | DEPARTMENTAL APPRECIAnot only goes on living but consolid- day Mr T. W. Schlicht sold the ating, and even expanding! All this rights to the booths at the Beaufort goes to demonstrate that the wise- Thistle Club's sports on Decr. 28th. acres of the world are not infalli- and the Jockey Club's races on able, and it is very unsafe for the ord- Decr. 26th. The following prices inary man to set up as a prophet, were realised:—Thistle Club's booths even of so commonplace a thing as | -Publican's booth, Mr A . Kelly, the weather. if he desires to retain Buangor, £10/10/; fruit, lollies, and a reputation in his own limited cir- soft drinks stall, Mr A. Lewell, Beaucle for commonsense and sound fort, £5; luncheon booth, Mrs R. T. was held at Beaufort to consider the appreciation of "the valuable aid Macdonald, Beaufort, 15/. Jockey advisability of forming an old schol- given to the schol by the local com-Club's booths-Publican's booth, Mr ars' association in connection with munity."

RAINFALL. - Forty-five points A. Kelly, £10/10/; fruit and sweets the local school. There was a fair at-CRICKET MATCH. — The Sail- voted to the chair. On the motion of at the school during the year. These ors' Home team (writes the "Ararat it was decided to form the association. are in January and in June. It would RAINFALL. — Twelve points of Advertiser") continue their victorious The following office-bearers were ap- help the school considerably if parrain fell at Beaufort on Friday career, and this week-end at Buan-pointed:—President pro tem, Mr A. ents who intend enrolling their chilnight, 4th inst., making a total of gor accounted for a Buangor combinM. Parker; vice-presidents, Messrs. dren in January, 1937, would let the ation, organised by Mr A. Kelly, the H. J. Buchanan and H. Glenister; head teacher know the names and new licensee of the Buangor hotel, a committee (with power to add), Mes- ages of these children before the Ballarat bureau a gang of men is to gor, in their innings, made 67 runs, Hughes, Mesdames G. Wilson, A. There are also vacancies in the of which J. Anthony knocked to- M. Parker, and Miss L. Stuart. It H.E.S. for children from the surgether 29, M. Whykes 12, and Q. was resolved to organise the Back to rounding schools. If the heat teach-FLOOD LIGHT. - A flood light Farish 11. Sailors' Home responded has been installed by the Ripon Shire with a total of 119. Ike Richards bat-Council near Mr Cougle's shop in ted vigorously for 37, and C. Jobe's Havelock street, Beaufort, which il- 25 included three fours. Edgar Warluminates the island lawn in the cen- ren played well for his 21, whilst Les. Pearlman batted carefully for 13. PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED. - After the game, the visitors were en-We have received copies of the De- tertained by Mr and Mrs Kelly at dincember issue of the "Golf and Tennis ner, after which the Ararat team and mal application to Mr. R. G. Scott There will be a short open air func-Magazine" and the "Wide World supporters enthusiastically honored for the use of the school. The next tion at the school, and all parents and Magazine." Both are obtainable from the health of their guests, whose eff- meeting was arranged for Wednes- friends are cordially invited to at-

BEREAVEMENT. - Mr and Mrs ed a bereavement by the death of

PETROL STOLEN. - On Wednesday night 22 gallons of petrol was A CORRECTION. - In. our re- stolen from the bowser at the Burport of the Beaufort show, it was rumbeet & Windermere Co-operative Elementary School are represented.

king is AlbertI., formerly Duke of Cross is the promotion of health and A NASTY BLOW. - When play- York. The former Duchess of York happiness of others, especially by ing cricket with the Mt. Lonarch will now be Queen Elizabeth. | self-sacrifice. With this object in team on Saturday, Mr P. Trengove, THUMB GASHED. - Whilst us- view, members used their own

the Ballarat St. Patrick's College KNEE INJURED. - On Wednesspeech night, J. Rodgers (formerly day Mr Frank Brown, of Beaufort, spicuous in the collection of eggs for Printed by Arthur Morris Parker, of Trawalla) was presented with one had the misfortune to fall from a bi- Ballarat institutions; one member

> FARM SOLD. — Mrs Gebble's CAR ACCIDENT. - Returning to farm, which includes the Chepstowe Eaglehawk from Ballarat recently, post office, was sold by Chas. Walker Mr and Mrs E. J. Emery had their & Co., auctioneers, of Ballarat. The car considerably damaged in a col- property was purchased by Mr

OUR FEDERAL MEMBER. is being proceeded against by the po- Through representations made by Col- Red Cross members and other childonel G. A. Street, M.H.R. for Cor- ren have been bringing used clothing PUBLISHING ARRANGEMENTS, argamite, the Postal Department is to school. A large box of clothing -The last issue of the "Riponshire now issuing country telephone direc- was sent to the Melbourne City Mis-THERE is a vast difference between Advocate" for the year will be publicities twice a year (in May and No- sion, to be distributed among poor

ally does not talk about it, and his day in accordance with the Factories' \_\_The secretary of the Beaufort Fund. Some of the toys were almost gift is only discovered afterwards by Act, there will be no issue on Satur- Jockey Club acknowledges, with new, showing that the children must thanks, receipt of the following dona- have made quite a big sacrifice. Here TOWN BAND AT ARARAT. \_ tions:-Messrs Allchin Bros., dou- again the infants showed their gener-The Beaufort Town Band, under the ble-reined bridle; Mr Bickart, a silver osity by bringing many good and conductorship of Mr A. E. Collins, cup; Messrs. J. R. Wotherspoon & useful toys.

horse events and woodchops. Great MISSING BOY AND BICYCLE improvements have been carried out King Edward VIII. with some foreign missing from Sebastopol were found fenced, new outbuildings have been princess have shown the people of by First-constable J. Duke at Beau-erected, and the track put in excel-

monial intentions. This is amply sell the bicycle to a local dealer, and deputy group president of the fort school who obtained their certiborne out by the sensational news was unable to satisfactorily answer C.W.A., attended the annual meet- ficates. The successful pupils are from overseas that has recently been the questions put to him by the first- ing of the Skipton branch, and con- Lois Buchanan, Irene Duncan, Valda featured on the front pages of the constable, who detained him. He was ducted the election of officers. There Prowse, Peggy Rogers, Lorna Scott, newspapers. How often in the past afterwards sent to Ballarat, where he are 43 members, and the branch has a Joy Vowles, Jack Bates, Jack Duke. will appear before the Children's credit balance of £12/17/. Mrs A. Douglas Kay, Keith Mackay, Geoff. Campbell was elected president, and Wells, and John Williams. vice-presidents, with Miss H. Daly as | TION OF LOCAL EFFORTS. secretary. To show appreciation of The Education Department recentthe services of Miss Stewart (whose ly asked for a list of the school eqterm as president for two years had uipment which had been purchased expired) and Mrs Campbell as secre- with local funds, in order that such tary, beautiful posies made by Mrs property should be insured. In a let-

> tendance, and Mr A. M. Parker was srs. A. Driver, I. Lowe, A. J. close of this school year. former local teachers to assist:-Mrs tion would be appreciated. Harmer, Miss N. Tulloch, Messrs, T. day, 16th Decr.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Beaufort School has a membership of 42 for the present year. Both the Higher Elementary School and the Miss J. J. Walsh is the leader, and erely gashed his thumb, and four Appeal for the home for convalescent children; 8/8 being collected. Junior Red Cross members were con-| collected some 'money which will later be used for clothing. The final activity of the vear was the collection of clothing, and toys for poor

TOYS AND CLOTHING COLLECT-ED BY SCHOOL CHILDREN.

For the past two months Junior children. Toys and books were also DONATIONS ACKNOWLEDGED | collected and sent to the "Sun" Toy

try candidates.

whatever about His Majesty's matri- it is alleged, tried to SKIPTON C.W.A. — Mrs Mills, 12 out of 16 candidates of the Beau-

Anderson were presented to them. ter to the head teacher, acknowledg-OLD SCHOLARS' ASSOCIATION. ing the receipt of this list, the secre-- On Saturday night a meeting tary for the Department expressed

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES. Willams and John Tilley; also any The distribution of school prizes former teachers who happened to be will take place next Wednesday, Depresent. It was decided to make for cember 16th, commencing at 3 p.m.

#### SCHOOL NOTES.

The Junior Red Cross Circle at the

INTERMEDIATE CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS.

The intermediate certificate examinations are at present being held at supervisor, and he has six candidates under his care, four Beaufort pupils. three girls and a boy, and two coun-

MERIT RESULTS.

The results of the merit examinations are now to hand. There were

SCHOOL ENROLMENTS.

Except in special circumstances.

School function on the morning of ers or parents were to forward the Boxing Day, and to ask the following names of intending pupils, such ac-

#### WOOL SALES

PAGE FIVE.

At the Melbourne wool sales on 13th. 'Bus leaves Rotunda at 8 a.m. Tuesday, JW/Trawalla (Snake Valley), an fice. sold at 231d.

#### BOWLS.

COLOR COMPETITION.

decisive game in the first test match points. Scores:-REDS-37.

McMahon, Somerville, H. Troy, Cuthbertson ..... 21

Prowse, Vertigan, Irving, Dowling, 16 BLUES-34.

Hodder, Jacobs, Collier, D. F. Troy ..... 16 Wilding, Bewry, Green, Muntz, 18

again successful in the first game of the second test match. The fairly heavy rain of the morning made the green very heavy. The Blues maintained an early lead, but the Reds STOCKYARD HILL AND LAKE SALES of STOCK at their Yards. came away towards the end to snatch a victory. Scores:-

REDS-25. Prowse, Somerville, McMahon. Cuthbertson ..... 25 BLUES—21

Jacobs, Muntz, Collier, D. F. Troy, 21 NOTICE is hereby given that after Ballarat Central will visit Beaufort to-day (Saturday) with four from the publication hereof, applicarinks. All players are requested to tion will be made to the Supreme be at the green by 2.30 p.m. to en- Court of the State of Victoria, in its sure a punctual start.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY. — Monday next has been proclaimed a public holiday owing to King Albert's birthday and his being proclaimed king of England. All public offices and shops are to be closed.

GAME SANCTUARY. — Under the Game Acts, a sanctuary for native | ber, 1936. Horseshoe lagoon and surrounding tor for the Applicant. lands, near Trawalla. It includes all intersecting roads of the area known as the Horseshoe lagoon.

REAUFORT THISTLE CLUB. Entries for Cycling and Woodchopping Events close To-day.

MEETING (under auspices Beaufort, Jockey Club), at Beaufort Racecourse on SATURDAY, DECEM-BER 26th, 1936. Musical Programme Pony Race, £5; Flying Mile Handicap Trot, £5 and Silver Cup; Beaufort Handicap Trot, £7 and Bridle; lars. Consolation Trot, £5; Underhand Woodchop, £5; Standing Block Chop, £2/10/; also special racing axes as trophies for Woodchops. Novelty Events and Children's Races. Entries close Monday, 14th Decr. Admission: Gents., 2/; Ladies, 1/. Free Buses to Racecourse. W. A. SKENE, Sec- Friday, at Mr. McLEAN'S, retary.

MIDDLE CREEK School Christmas Break-up, Friday Evening, Decr. 18th. E. A. FAY, Correspondent.

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THE ANNUAL BREAK-UP of the Lake Goldsmith School will take place on Friday, 18th Decr., at 2 p.m. The Memorial Gates to the late Cr. Donald Stewart will be opened the same afternoon at 4 o'clock | HENRY DAWSON (deceased), of by Miss A. Stewart.

WALLET lost outside W. F. Smith's shop, Thursday, 10th De-Secretaries.

∆NGLERS' Club Excursion to Lake

Burrumbeet, Sunday, December

Club will be held in the Picture Tame. Theatre on Monday, 14th Decr., at 8 Methodist Church.-Beaufort, 11; p.m. Final arrangements for Races. Waterloo, 3-Mr. J. V. Nothnagel. W. A. Skene, Secretary.

On Tuesday night the Reds won the A GOOD XMAS. PRESENT TO Beaufort, 7-Mr. L. S. Waldron. DISTANT FRIENDS—a copy of after a well-balanced game by three the Back to Beaufort Historical Souvenir Booklet. Price, 6d. at Macdonald's, Day's, and W. L. Williams'

> al Meeting will be held in Mech-nesday, at 8 p.m.-Lieut. Stone. anics' Institute on Tuesday, 15th De-

On Thursday night the Reds were FOR SALE, good, secondhand Stove; all cast-iron. Apply this Office.

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the expiration of Fourteen days Probate Jurisdiction, that Letters of MONDAY. 14th DECEMBER, 1936. Administration of the Estate of LOYAL JAMES FRENCH, late of Beaufort, in the said State, Clerk, 3000 deceased, intestate, may be granted to Bella Sinclair French, of Beaufort aforesaid, the widow of the said deceased.

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Church of England.—Beaufort, 11 A MEETING of the Beaufort Jockey and 7; Brewster, 3-Rev. W. J.

> Chute, 11; Raglan, 3-Mr. R. Dunn. Presbyterian Church .- Beaufort, 11 and 7; Buangor, 3-Rev. J. P.

MacDougall, M.A. Salvation Army.—Sunday, 11, Holiness Meeting; 2.30, Sunday School; 7. ', Salvation Meeting; Thursday, 8 REAUFORT CYCLE CLUB. Annu- p.m. Waterloo - Every Wed-

# cember, at 8 p.m. W. MANSON, BEAUFORT STOCK SALE.

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TENDERS.

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chase of aged chestnut Gelding, on a/c. North Riding. Deposit, 5 per cent. Lowest or any tender not neces-

sarily accepted. bon. Additional Events: Under 10- Snake Valley Mechanics' Institute. Highland Fling and Sheantruis; 15/ Skipton Mechanics' Institute, and

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Rev. F. J. Thomas said they had intended to hold the fete in the Church grounds, but as the weather was unpromising. Messrs. Cushing Bros. had generously offered the use of their hall, and their warmest thanks was due to them. To Mesdames Harris and Notman and Mr McKay they also offered their best ald. thanks. The fete was being run partly in aid of the Church funds, junr. and partly in aid of the funds of the P.W.M.U. The ladies had had a good deal to do in preparing for and organising the function. Some of the men had also given a lot of time. They thanked all these people. Mrs Alex. Russell was declaring the fete open, and they were deeply indebted to her for coming and helping with her presence.

handed Mrs Russell a beautiful bou-

because it was so well run. There were a great many things worth buyhoped those present would all go round and buy a few Xmas. presents. EUCHRE SOCIAL AND DANCE. always back them up. It was aston- Being the last of the series, the ag- Willaton. ishing, when they were always hear- gregate was decided. The successing that the Church was losing ful player in the ladies' division was caste. In a situation like this, they Mrs J. Kirkpatrick, and in the men's realised that the Church was not do- section Mr G. Gellie; the aggregate ing so in any way. The whole of the prizes going to Miss E. Ward and British Dominions were backing up Mr W. Manson. In a few, wellthe Church in the position it had chosen words, Mr R. J. Millar pretaken up. All through the history of sented the trophies to the winners. their national life they had always Mr F. Blay's orchestra supplied the been helped and upheld against op- music for the dance, and Mr W. pression by the Church, and she felt Thompson capably carried out the that all their efforts should go to- duties of M.C. A spot dance was wards helping the Church, which was won by Mr A. Lynch and Miss S. the one thing in this world to-day Martin, whilst the winners of the that seemed to be working for peace. card dance were Mr R. Macdonald She again congratulated the ladies on and Miss G. Ward. During the evtheir effort, and declared the fete ening Mr L. Drew gave several se-

ers and officials:-Produce stall: Mrs King and R. Scarfe also contributed John Kirkpatrick. Jumble stall: Miss harmony. Supper was served at mid-D. Ward. Sweets stall: Misses Ath- night by the local ladies, and dancole and Lalla 'Stewart. Cake stall: ing continued till the early hours of Miss Alma Kirkpatrick. Doorkeeper. the morning. Mr A. Bain, senr. Secretary: Miss Athole Stewart. Afternoon tea stall: Mesdames J. Exell, D. Stewart, A. Bain, Misses B. Kirkpatrick, M. Ward, and E. Ward. Soft drinks: WHAT more practical and enduring Mr Max Bain. Men's events: Messrs. gift than one which ends the pains Alex., Norman, and Max Bain, T., of agonising rheumatism, lumbago,

A fleece competition proved very back guarantee certificate? Ask J. attractive to the men, and there were R., WOTHERSPOON & CO., Local judge, and Messrs. Alex. Bain, senr. full particulars.

(weight, 9 lb. skirted; value, 28d per lb.); Mrs D. Stewart, 2 (weight, 8 lb. skirted; value, 26d per lb.) Comeback fleece: R. Ward, 1 (weight, 94 lb.; value, 23d per lb.); J. A Hinton, 2 (weight, 7 lb.; value, 26d

ell, 1; Miss M. Ward, 2. Orange E. Vertigan. cake: Miss A. Stewart, 1; Mrs Millar. 2. Shortbread: Mrs Exell, 1; Miss J. Hannah, 2.

Bowling at Wicket: Alex. Bain.

Quoits Competition: Rex McDon-

#### LAKE GOLDSMITH.

SHEARERS' BICYCLE RACE. The shearers working at Mr W. had to fire two barrels of a breach- open. loading gun before the field got away. It is alleged that in so doing he ing, and a wonderful range for so killed two willy-wagtails. The riders scattered a district. They were very put up a fair performance for amaunfortunate in not having a sunny teurs by covering a mile in 3 min. day, as they should be able to bank 36 sec., and there was a close finon the weather now. She supposed ish; B. Lynch getting home by inthe farmesr would be pleased at the ches, with King filling second place,

lections on his piano-accordeon, and The following acted as stallhold- was loudly applauded. Messrs. A.

A CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR MUM.

Hannah, George and Jim Kirkpat- sciatica, or neuritis—a packet of R. U.R., sold with genuine money-14 entries. Mr McKay acted as Stockist, for a FREE booklet, giving

#### **METHODIST CHURCH**

FETE AND CHRISTMAS TREE.

The Beaufort Methodist Sunday

School took on a festive appearance on Thursday afternoon, on the occasion of the Ladies' Guild's annual fete and Christmas tree. The The sections in the cookery compedecorations were tastefully carried tition were well filled; Mesdames out in autumn tonings; Iceland pop-Notman and Harris adjudicating. pies adorning the afternoon tea tab- selves with opinions expressed by Awards as follow:—Pastry: Mrs Mil- les. This gay color scheme was re- our correspondents. lar, 1. Swiss roll: Miss D. Ward, 1. peated in the streamers with which Sponge sandwich: Mrs Thomas, 1; the ceilings and doorways were fes-Mrs A. E. Exell, 2. Gingerbread: tooned. The stage from which Mrs Drake, writing in your paper dated Miss M. Ward, 1; Mrs A. Bain and H. P. Mackenzie, of Trawalla Es-Miss Athole Stewart, equal 2. Nut- tate, delivered her opening address, Bush Fire Brigade and a fire at Mt. ties: Miss J. Hannah, 1; Miss Athole was set with palms and pot plants. Cole, should not be taken seriously by Stewart, 2. Fruit cake: Mrs A. Ex- She was welcomed by the Rev. G. your readers. He makes much of be-

Little Gwen Blay then presented a pretty posy to Mrs Mackenzie.

A musical programme was con-Solos, Gwen Blay, Mesdames Kelly son acting as accompaniste.

Drake, and Miss S. Jackson.

To-day there was one subject they a largely attended eachie could not help thinking about—the and dance took place at Lake Gold—Cakes: Mesdames Jacobs and Wells. age, and relieve the poor taxpayer of the could be a specific to the could be at the could be a specific to the could be a specif present difficult situation in Engsmith school on Friday, Novr. 20th,
Fancy goods: Mesdames Cuthbertinstead of writing such a letter that land. They must be thankful again and was the wind-up function for the son, Morvell, and Waldron. Xmas instead of writing such a letter that to the Church for managing to overyear. Many visitors were present tree: Mrs Brown and Misses L. displays nothing but ignorance. to the Church for managing to over- year. Many come that difficult and delicate situ- from Beaufort and the surrounding Woodall and B. Brown. Messrs. Yours, etc., ation. The Archbishops had had to districts. The euchre tournament, as Nothnagel and Waldron acted as do what they had done about the usual, proved very popular, and doorkeepers, and the secretarial duties were capably carried out by Mrs Cheaply on grease-proof paper,

At night a successful social was held. Four selections were played by Mr E. Wilson's orchestra. Leon Wilson gave a recitation, and by special request Neal Wilson sang 'The Sunset Trail." Games were in-

#### CORRESPONDENCE

We do not in any way identify our-

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ing a "susso" worker, and no doubt is Mrs Mackenzie said that, since such by his own choice. The depresreading the works of John Wesley, sion responsible for sustenance is long she had gained the deepest respect past, and men who are willing to Other events resulted as follow:- for Methodism. She thought that work can easily get a job these Kicking Football: Rex. McDon- England owed Wesley a great debt days. In your paper, dated 21/11/36, of gratitude for his work in the 18th work is offered to men. Did Mr century, and the nobility of his life. Drake answer this advertisement, Any student of English history could get work, and go off the "susso," sce that through time there had al- thereby relieving the taxpayer of ways been renewal, decay, and sub-supporting him and his family, and sequent revival in the Churches. She thereby being under no obligation to felt that at present a fresh moral ef- the taxpayer? The forests are the fort was needed, and that greater property of the taxpayer and the earnestness and purity were called people in general. "Susso" workers for, to help the world through these are indirectly maintained by the peodark days. The next generation ple, and it is only reasonable that they would feel this, and perhaps en-should endeavor to save the people's Lynch's shed at Lake Goldsmith re- mity would pass away. Xmas. was property, in return for favors alcently had a bicycle race for a wager, here again, and many lovely gifts ready received, and 15/ per day in which G. Caulfield, B. Lynch, A. would be found on the stalls which thrown in. Drake, in his miserable King, and Meek competed. Mr Arch. the ladies were supervising She had way, attacks everybody-farmers, Kirkpatrick acted as starter and great pleasure in declaring the fete tradesmen, etc., and apparently the police, people who in the past and in the future, too, will still maintain him on his beloved "susso." These men were not asked to save private protributed by the following artists:— he and others cannot assist in this and G. E. Vertigan; Miss S. Jack- the pen before it gets him into trouble, and go off the taxpayers' pay-roll. rain, owing to its decreasing the risk and Caulfield third. They were all A tasty afternoon tea was then Hawking stinking fish is no credit to of fires. She congratulated the lad- just about exhausted, and voted cycle served by the following ladies:—Mes- any person. Drake appears to revel ies on their splendid effort, and racing harder work than a day's dames Willaton, Woodall, Lardner, in it by means of letter-writing to the Press. It is a pity that after be-Well-stocked stalls and a Xmas, ing maintained by the taxpayer for To-day there was one subject they A largely attended euchre social tree were also conducted by the fol- about three years, he could not util-

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#### CRICKET.

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FOOTBALLERS v. BREWSTER.

Brewster met at the local Park on W. Mathews, c. Symons, b. Jenkin, 0 Saturday; Brewster winning by a J. Meadows, c. Symons, b. I. Colmargin of 27 runs. Brewster scored 25, H. Jeffries 16, and K. McIntyre Q. Farish, c. Marshall, b. Martin, 13 12. The bowling honors were shared A. Kelly, c. Marshall, b. Martin, by L. Lowe (4/19), N. Hobson (3/2), C. Petrie, b. Jenkin ...... and E. Trengove (2/22). The Foot- A. Ryan, b. I. Collins ..... ballers were dismissed for a total of J. Clough, not out ...... 42; M. Cole, A. Day, and E. Trengove contributing five each. N. Hobson was 6 (not out). D. Dawturing 7 wickets for 13 runs.

Scores:-BREWSTER P. Hamilton, b. Trengove, c. McCracken ......... D. Dawson, b. Lowe ......

R. Dunn, b. Lowe ...... M. Dawson, b. Hobson ..... W. Russell, b. Lowe .. .... H. McIntyre, b. Hobson ..... L. Close, not out ..... R. Anderson, b. Hobson ....

Total .. . . . . 69 Bowling-L. Lowe, 4/19; N. Hobson, 3/2; E. Trengove, 2/22; R. Phillips, 1/10; M. Cole, 0/7; A. dows, 2/19; A. Ryan, 3/9; J. Mur-BEAUFORT FOOTBALLERS.

Sundries .....

F. O'Connell, b. D. Dawson .. R. Johnson, b. D. Dawson .... L. Lowe, b. P. Hamilton .... S. McCracken, c. Jeffries, b. D. Dawson .. .. .. .....

M. Cole, c. Close, b. Russell . . . . N. Hobson, not out ..... A. Day, b. D. Dawson ..... R. Phillips, run out .....

E. Trengove, b. D. Dawson . . . . A. Crick, b. D. Dawson . . . . . . J. Irving, b. D. Dawson ..... Sundries .....

#### BUANGOR v. NERRING.

following batsmen reaching double McDermott. The coffin-bearers were figures:—E. Mathews, 17; P. Ord, Messrs. E. A. Fay, R. Purcell, F. 16; J. Murray and Q. Farish, 13 White, L. Irving, W. Burke, junr., each. W. V. C. Jenkin took 4 wick- and B. Young. ets for 31 runs, I. Collins 3 for 36, and H. V. Martin 2 for 1. Nerring's total was 65; H. Collins being the top scorer with 38. The wickets were taken by A. Ryan (3/9), C. Petrie (2/15), J. Meadows (2/10), J. 14 ARMSTRONG STREET SOUTH, (1/0). Owing to the death of his father, the Nerring captain (T. Stewart) has decided not to play for some time. The team has selected another

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captain; that good "sport," H. V Martin having consented to take th position. Scores:-

BUANGOR P. Ord, l.b.w., b. Jenkin ..... W. Meadows, b. I. Collins .... Beaufort Footballers and E. Mathews, b. Jenkin .....

Bowling-V. C. Jenkin, 4/31; I Collins, 3/36; H. V. Martin, 2/1. NERRING M. Hamilton, l.b.w., b. Phillips, 25 H. V. Martin, c. Clough, b. Petrie, 4

I. Collins, c. Farish, b. Petrie .. L. Symons, c. W. Mathews, b. J Meadows ..... V. C. Jenkin, b. J. Meadows .. K. McIntyre, std., b. Lowe . . . 12 H. Collins, c. Ord, b. Farish . . 38

E. Dawson, b. A. Ryan ..... A. Lynch, b. J. Murray ..... EP. Doull, c. Kelly, b. Murray .. 0 A. Marshall, c. W. Meadows, b. A. Ryan ......... H. Dawson, c. E. Mathews, b. A. Ryan .....

A. Collins, not out .....

ray, 2/20; Q. Farish, 1/0.

To-day (Saturday) the Footballers will be at home to Buangor, and Ner-2 ring will visit Brewster.

DEATH OF MR. W. J. O'SHEA .-Mr William James O'Shea, who died on 27th Novr., was a former resident or Weatherboard. The deceased was born at Trawalla 74 years ago, and was a retired policeman. The sad event occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs T. G. Fay, of Lake Bolac. Mr O'Shea's wife predeceased Total ..... 42 him a short while ago. He was a bro-Bowling-D. Dawson, 7/13; W. ther of Mrs P. Russell, of Skipton. Russell, 1/4; P. Hamilton, 1/10; M. The remains of the late Mr O'Shea were interred at Learmonth on November 29th; the funeral being attended by many friends from Lake Bolac, Streatham, Skipton Beaufort, Buangor had a victory over Ner- Weatherboard, and Learmonth. The ring by only seven runs. Buangor service at the graveside was conput together a total of 72 runs; the ducted by the Rev. Father B.

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were interred in the Beaufort Ceme-

tery. The cortege, which comprised

about 30 motor cars, moved from the

residence of deceased's brother (Mr

### DAYS THAT ARE GONE.

Twenty-five years ago it was decided to revive the Beaufort Cricket Club, and at a well-attended meeting, presided over by Mr E. W. Hughes, that gentleman was elected president; Messrs Lindsay and Hetherington vice-presidents, Messrs. P. Stevenson, H. Baker, C. Lowe, and Messrs. E. Kelly, Lilley and Lowe as a match committee, and Mr Kelly as

For the purpose of taking steps to prevent the proposed alienation of Mount Emu and other lands adjacent, a public meeting was held at the Man of Kent hotel, Snake Valley, 70 years ago. A numerously signed petition was prepared to be presented to the Department.

Seventy years ago the Hope Company, Beaufort, obtained 24 oz. 13 dwt. of gold from dirt in the main

On Feby. 26, 1861, the following appeared in the "Ararat Advertiser" from the Fiery Creek correspondent: -A public meeting was held at the Camp hotel to take into consideration the propriety of memorialising the Chief Secretary to grant us two new magistrates. The names of George Beggs, Esq., of Mount Cole station, and James Manson, Esq., of the Bank of Victoria, were inserted in the memorial.

Some young men, who were on a visit here from Back Creek, got up a party for a kangaroo hunt. For some time they did not see any game, and at length parted into two divisions; the dogs remaining with the Back Creekers. The Beaufort boys had not ridden far before they started an "old man" a few miles to the mountainward of the village of Raglan. After a fine run of about three miles. they fairly rode him down and despatched him. But, alas, one of the young bushmen was injured by the hard riding. He was at once taken to the Raglan hotel, and Dr. White, of Beaufort, sent for. He at once pronounced it to be a case of hernia. As the remedies applied seemed of no avail. Dr. Girdlestone, of Ararat, was sent for. He performed an operation, but it was too late, and the unfortunate youth expired. The following day his remains were conveyed to the burial ground at Lexton; about 30 of the neighbors following the corpse in buggies and on horseback.



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#### **COMING EVENTS**

TAKE A NOTE OF THEM

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vited by the Shire of Ripon for pur- Mrs W. G. Pickford, Buangor Park, chase of surplus machinery and Buangor, to Richard, son of Mrs Mt. Lonarch for about 50 years, and stores, including a traction engine Rowe and the late Mr R. Rowe, of of latter years had been living in and crusher.

on Monday, 14th December, Messrs. of Waterloo, now employed on the and had lived in Victoria for 80 years. Dennys, Lascelles Ltd. will offer 3000 Melbourne tramways, has been She resided at Beaufort 70 years ago; Corriedale and merino sheep, direct spending a holiday with friends at her father, the late Mr Hugh Lynch, from local graziers.

fancy dress procession. There is a Beaufort. good prize list. At night there will Messrs. C. H. McKay (Euram- C. J. Callister (Ballarat). One son the Picture Theatre.

Burrumbeet, Sunday, Decr. 13th. led on the Mildura express last night of the late Mrs Forte were laid to Bus leaves Rotunda at 8 a.m. sharp. en route to his old 'circuit, Went- rest in the Beaufort Cemetery; the Mr Allen H. Duckworth, B.D.Sc., worth, N.S.W., where he will open funeral being attended by many rela-L.D.S., dentist, will visit Beaufort a new Church at Curlwaa on Sunday. tives and old friends. The coffin, on Tuesday and Friday at Mr McLean's pharmacy.

Town Band recital at Rotunda, on Sunday next, 13th inst.

Meeting Beaufort Jockey Club at Picture Theatre, Monday night, 14th inst., to make final arrangements for first prize at a fancy dress parade srs. Harry, Jack, Frank, Hugh, and races.

Younger Set Xmas, party at C.W.A. Hall, Wednesday night, December 16th. Everyone invited.

Annual break-up, Lake Goldsmith School. Friday, 18th Decr., at 2 p.m. The memorial gates to the late Cr. Donald Stewart will be opened trict tennis player. the same afternoon at 4 o'clock by Miss A. Stewart.

The Beaufort Jockey Club has arranged an attractive programme of novelty events, and children's races from Geelong. for the Back to Beaufort race meeting at the local Racecourse on Saturenjoyable afternoon's sport is as- ed her with a box of cutlery. sured.

office, Beaufort, Mr T. W. Schlicht have been visiting Mr and Mrs A. gret at Beaufort, where deceased will sell 40 acres of Trawalla land, a Craig, of Beaufort. house, etc., on account of the executors of the late Mr Henry Dawson.

Owing to Monday, 14th Decr., having been proclaimed a public holiday, the meeting of the Ripon Shire Council will now be held on Tuesday, Valley on a fishing trip. 15th Decr., at 11 a.m.

Middle Creek school Xmas. breakup, Friday evening, Decr. 18th. Entries for the cycling and wood-

Thistle Club's sports close to-day. Annual meeting Beaufort Cycling the 21st birthday of Mr and Mrs chased a store at Streatham, which Club at Mechanics' Institute, Tues- Stewart's daughter Nellie. Many he has since carried on in company day evening, 15th Decr.

Lake Goldsmith Bush Fire Brigade, gratulatory telegrams. Among the of Mrs F. G. Smith and the late Mr at Lake Goldsmith school, Wednes- gifts was a gold key, set in a spray F. G. Smith. A quiet, unassuming day evening, 16th Decr.

#### SINEWS OF COUNTRY JOURNALISM.

gers, hillheads, letterheads, envel- the tune of "Home, Sweet Home." ren. His widowed mother resides at excute. The newspaper man needs Cour town. The time may come when and pool was won by Miss S. Willis; Trengove) lives at Chute, and a bro- Pen and Pencil, 1/3 the lot. revenue obtained from advertising divided by Mrs W. Linke and Mr M. tham) ard subscriptions, but no ordinary George. An aggregate prize for four newspaper in any ordinary town can nights was divided by Mrs A. M. exist without the auxiliary support Parker and Miss S. Willis. derived from job printing.

# **SOCIAL NOTES** NEWS ABOUT PEOPLE

AND EVENTS.

The engagement is announced Tenders, closing 14th Decr., are in- Ann, daughter of the late Mr and

to Reaufort sports will be held in the the district, and has been an active and her husband predeceased her ablocal Park on Monday, 28th Decr. Church worker, was on Sunday pre- out two years back. She leaves nine An attractive programme of High- sented with a valuable dinner set, as sons and two daughters. The sons are land dancing, woodchopping, cycling, a token of esteem and appreciation Messrs. Harry, Jack, Frank, Hugh, footracing, and novelty events has from the congregation of St. John Alfred, Wilson, Norman, Loyal, and been arranged. There will also be a the Baptist Roman Catholic Church, William Forte, and the daughters

be a picture show and dance in been East) and A. Barber (Stone- the late Mr Geo. Forte) and one leigh) have been visiting Canberra. daughter (the late Mrs Kinleyside)

for being the best-dressed girl. Mr Don Laney, who has been in the

for a number of years, has secured a position in Hamilton and left for that

town. He was well-known as a dis-Senior-constable J.

On retiring from business at Buangor. Mrs Petrie was presented by day, Decr. 26th. There will be free her friends with a lounge chair. buses to the course, and a thoroughly Friends from Middle Creek present-

On Wednesday, 23rd Decr., at his Geelong and their three children

Mr and Mrs Ern Stewart, of Nyora, have been spending a holiday of the first local men to enlist, the with relatives at Beaufort.

spent a few days in the Goulburn 8th Light Horse at Lone Pine, Galli-

visiting Beaufort relatives.

it, and it helps him to pay his print Beaufort Fire Brigade held a very and three sisters (Mesdames E. ers for setting up the thousand and successful card social on Tuesday Dunn, W. Gillingham, and Miss Ella che free notices he gives you and night. The ladies' euchre tournament Smith). Another sister (Mrs P. pkt, or 2/ for 250. the other euchre prize and pool being ther (Mr Albert Smith) at Strea-

#### **OBITUARY**.

..... MRS. CATHERINE FORTE.

We regret to record the death o Mrs Catherine Forte, widow of the late Mr Wm. Jas. Forte; the sad event occurring in Ballarat, at her residence, "Lonarch," on Saturday. Deceased, who was 87 years of age, was a highly respected resident of Beaufort and Ballarat. Mrs Forte At their Streatham off-shears sale | Mr W. Turner, a former resident | was born at Burra, South Australia, Stockyard Hill and Lake Goldsmith. having stores both here and at Ar-The Beaufort Thistle Club's Back Mrs W. R. Glover, who has left arat. She was married 66 years ago, Mesdames J. French (Beaufort) and Anglers' Club's excursion to Lake The Rev. G. E. Vertigan travel- are deceased. On Sunday the remains Joan, the elder daughter of Mr and which was covered with many beau-Mrs H. McCracken, of Dartmoor, and tiful floral tributes of sympathy, was a former scholar at the Beaufort borne to the grave by Messrs. A. C. H.E. School, was successful in ob- and H. Forte, K. and C. G. Callistaining her merit certificate at the ter (grandsons). In addition to the annual examinations, and also won above, the chief mourners were Mes-Alfred Forte (sons), Mesdames J. French and C. J. Callister (daughters), Messrs. J. French and C. J employ of Messrs. J. R. Wother-Callister (sons-in-law), Messrs. K. spoon & Co. at Beaufort as a clerk Callister and Gordon Callister (grandsons). and Mrs . W. Holdsworth (niece). Special wreaths were sent by the Ballarat Anglers' Club and the Melbourne Telegraph Branch Hargreaves of the Postal Department. Rev. J. left Beaufort for Melbourne this P. MacDougall, M.A., conducted the week, and First-constable J. Duke is Presbyterian burial service. Messrs. in charge of the local police station F. W. Barnes & Son, of Ballarat and trots, a novelty pony race, woodchops, until First-constable Roach arrives Beaufort, carried out the funeral ar-

The sad news of the death in the Ballarat Hospital of Mr F. G. P. Mr and Mrs J. T. Wise, of West Smith, of Streatham, at the age of 44 years, was received with deep respent the greater part of his life, and was very highly respected. One late Mr Smith was one of the sur-Messrs. Jack and Ern Stewart vivors of the famous attack by the ter months only). poli, and subsequently served with Mrs J. Deans, of Ballarat, has been that regiment throughout the Palestine campaign. For many years be-A social evening was held at the fore and after the Great War, he residence of Mr and Mrs F. J. was in the employ of Messrs. J. R. chopping 'events at the Beaufort Stewart, of Beaufort, last Saturday Wotherspoon & Co. at Beaufort as a by friends and relatives to celebrate grocer, and a few years ago purnice and useful presents were re- with his brother. He was a native of Annual meeting, Stockyard Hill and ceived; also floral greetings and con- Waterloo South, and the eldest son of pearls, from Miss Stewart's un- man of sterling character, he was cle. After a tasty supper, a very greatly esteemed by a wide circle of nice birthday cake, set in pink icing friends. A fortnight ago he contractwith 21 candles, was cut and handed ed pneumonia and pleurisy, and had The best support you can give your round. After a few musical items, made considerable progress towards newspaper is your job printing. If "She's a Jolly Good Lassie" and recovery, when complications arose you do not feel able to run an adver- "Auld Lang Syne" were sung. Ac- and caused his death. Deep sympathy sisement, surely you can afford to companied by Miss Stewart at the is felt for the bereaved relatives. He give the newspaper your cards, dod- piano, the happy crowd dispersed to leaves a widow and four little child-Beaufort, and also two brothers FIRE BRIGADE SOCIAL. — The (Messrs W. F. and Chas. Smith),

MR. F. G. P. SMITH.

W. F. Smith), and the hearse was preceded by members of the Ripon sub-branch of the Returned Soldiers' League to the number of about 30, and members of the Beaufort branch, A.N.A. The casket, which was covered with many beautiful floral tributes of sympathy (including special wreaths from the Streatham Cricket Club, Streatham School Committee, Streatham School children. Ripon sub-branch, R.S.L., Beaufort A.N.A., and Beaufort Methodist Ladies' Guild) was borne to the grave by Messrs. Gil. Smith (cousin), N. S. McLeod (workmate for many years), McNeil, and J. Kinnersley. The chief mourners at the graveside were Mrs Smith (widow), Mesdames Alex. Skene, E. Dunn, W. G. Gillingham (brothers-in-law), Gil, and A. Smith (cousins), Mesdames Alblaw). Mr G. Backhouse (brother-inlaw). The Presbyterian burial ser-Young, who also referred in an address to the fine war record and sterling personal qualities of the deceased. Bandsman A. Cowell soundarrangements were carried out by Messrs. J. C. Feltham & Co., of Ballarat.

#### LOCAL FIXTURES.

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

Mechanics' Institute.—First Mon-Fire Brigade.—First Monday Bush Nursing Hospital Commit-

cee.—Second Monday in the month. C.W.A.—First Thursday in the

C.Y.M.S.—Second Monday i Fiery Creek Lodge.-Second Wed-

nesday in the month. Mark Lodge.-Fourth Thursday in every second month. A.N.A.—Every alternate Tuescay.

Motners' Guild meets alternate Tuesday to A.N.A. Oddfellows. — Every alternate

Thursday to Rechabites. Rechabites. — Every alternate Thrsday to Oddfellows. Literary and Debating Society. -Alternate Tuesdays to A.N.A (win-

Mechanics' Bridge Evening .-- Last Monday in each month. Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in

each month. Committee Ripon Sub-branch. R.S.L.—Second Saturday evening of

School Committee.—Third Monday in each month.

Fire Brigade Ladies' Social Club-First and Third Tuesdays of month. Thistle Club Committee. — First

Tuesday in each month. Younger Set. — Third Monday in

Swimming Club Committee. — First Thursday in each month. Beaufort Anglers' Club. — Fire Station, second Wednesday evening in month.

#### STATIONERY BARGAINS

AT "RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE" OFFICE, BEAUFORT.

Large Writing Pads, 9d. Scribbling Tabs. 3d. Duplex Secretive Envelopes, 3d per

Writing Pad, Packet of Envelopes, Good quality British Eagle Lend On Wednesday afternoon the re- Pencils, 3d each.

mains of the late Mr F. G. P. Smith Billheads (blank), 50 in book, cheap

#### BEAUFORT C.Y.M.S.

ENTERTAINMENT BY RICKETY KATES' COMEDY CO.

"MARRY FOR MONEY."

After successful tries-out at Streatham and Learmonth, the Beaufort Rickety Kates' company scored competition commenced on Satur- Swimming Club last Saturday night, an unqualified success when they pre- day; the Blues defeating the Reds by passed off in good style. There was a sented the 3-act comedy, "Marry for 4 points to 3. Results (the Reds be- good audience, including many visit- Beaufort details was effected at the Money," at the local Picture Theatre ing named first in each instance):— ors from surrounding districts, and weekly meeting of the committee on on Wednesday night. The house was oughly appreciative one. The tak- (7) lost to W. W. Ashley and Mrs The jokes, having mostly a local Fourteen members were present. ings were about £35, and the profit McLaughlin (8); W. L. Williams flavor, were well appreciated. Mem- The president cordially welcomed about £25.

The performance was a very credoutbursts of both laughter and aptings Hussell, J.P., and added fresh laurels to his already high local renutation as an amateur actor in humorous pieces. As Randolph Dearborn, a gallant lover, Mr Jack Lis-Stiggins, a gold cure practitioner) and sulted as follow:er, a real estate millionaire. To the game. with the audience.

songs were acceptably rendered by ries and Miss C. McIntyre, 6-1. Mr F. Sheehan. The members of Misses B. Macdonald and M. Kew-Mr F. Blay's Orchestra supplied the ley d. Misses S. Abbott and D. Hay-

Flynn, who acted as chairman, wel- and S. Newey, 6-2. Misses M. for the break-up, as in past years. A. Lewell, who had suffered bercomed all present on behalf of the Kewley and M. Pope lost to Misses Arrangements for the Back to School Roman Catholic Church. He men- M. Grant and C. McIntyre, 5-7. on Boxing Day were also discussed. tioned that this dramatic company To-day (Saturday) the matches had been organised by the Catholic are:-Trawalla A v. Middle Creek; The roses in the school garden Young Men's Society. It was their Raglan v. Trawalla B; Methodist B have been much admired lately, and first appearance in Beaufort, and it v. Methodist A; C.Y.M.S. v. Brew- have found their way into many local would be their greatest endeavor to ster. entertain.

At the conclusion of the enter- Middle Creek (6 sets 44 games) d. tainment, Mr Flynn thanked the Beaufort C.Y.M.S. (2 sets 27 members of the audience one and all games) at Middle Creek. Results for their attendance, and for the fine (Middle Creek players mentioned manner in which they had received first):-J. Bowd and B. Lynch v. the performers. There was no doubt J. Rush and C. Flynn, 6-3; G. that they had enjoyed themselves. McNeil and W. Torney v. J. O'Sul-He sincerely thanked the Dramatic livan and W. Fitzpatrick, 4-6; Miss Club for the great amount of work S. Fay and Mrs T. Jess v. Misses D. October 24,—Footballers v. Buanthey had put into this play. To Mr O'Neil and S. Lynch, 6-2; Misses gor; Brewster v. Nerring. Ryan, the leader, their thanks was M. and A. Jess v. Misses Donnellan October 31.—Buangor v. Brewster: due in a great measure. When he and K. Liston, 6-3; J. Bowd and Nerring v. Footballers. took anything on, Mr Ryan did not Miss S. Fay v. J. O'Sullivan and ballers; Buangor v. Nerring. spare himself, and he had had the Miss M. Donnellan, 6-3; B. Lynch loyal support of the company.

of the local C.Y.M.S., said the per- S. Lynch, 6-2. formance had meant some sacrifice of time and energy, but the large at appreciative hearing. tendance and cordial reception had An eminently enjoyable entertain- ster; Nerring v. Footballers. more than rewarded them for their ment terminated with the playing of January 9.—Brewster v. Footballefforts. Many people had helped and the National Anthem. he heartily thanked Messrs. J. R. After the performance, a flashlight Wotherspoon & Co., Mr Cougle, Mr group photograph of the company ballers; Nerring v. Brewster. F. Webster, and all who had as- was taken by Mr M. Johnson, sisted in any way to make the show a The dance that followed was well gor; Footballers v. Nerring. success. Their greatest thanks was attended; the music being supplied ster; Nerring v. Buangor. due to their organiser, president, and by Mr Blay's orchestra. secretary, Mr Ryan, who had been It is understood that the performvery patient when training the per- ance will be repeated at other places gor; Brewster v. Nerring. formers. They hoped to show their in the district, and the residents ster; Nerring v. Footbellers. He thanked the audience for their a treat.

# TENNIS

#### BEAUFORT CLUB.

COLOR COMPETITION.

MIXED DOUBLES. points; Reds, 3 points.

#### BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

young lady represented by Mr Miss S. Newey, 6-2. R. T. Macdon-expenses were a little heavy, owing Rooms were available for the use of O'Sullivan was the most popular ald and Miss B. Macdonald d. W. to long practices, there should be a Anderson and Miss M. Grant, 7-5. profit of a little less than £7 for the During the evening a couple of E. Charles and Mrs Dunn d. C. Jeff- Ewimming Club. ward, 6-1. Mrs Dunn and Miss B. the school on Tuesday, 1st inst., it Prior to the first act, Mr C. M. Macdonald d. Misses D. Hayward was decided to have a Christmas tree pathy to Messrs. W. F. Smith and

and Mrs T. Jess v. J. Rush and Miss Mr Flynn then handed pretty bou- K. Liston, 6-2; G. McNeil and Miss ballers; Nerring v. Brewster. quets to each member of the com- M. Jess v. C. Flynn and Miss D. gor; Footballers v. Nerring. O'Neil, 4-6; W. Torney and Miss November 28.—Footballers Responding, Mr J. Rush, president A. Jess v. W. Fitzpatrick and Miss Brewster; Nerring v. Buangor.

#### DISTRICT NEWS HOMECOMING

RAGLAN.

MINSTREL CONCERT.

The concert given by the Raglan The Beaufort Tennis Club's color Red Bow Minstrels, in aid of the the members of the troupe had every | Thursday night; Mr A. J. Hughes E. S. Crouch and Miss Christie encouragement to give of their best. (president) occupying the chair. and Miss Norman (8) d. L. Hobart bers of the troupe were:—Messrs. R. Mesdames A. S. Duncan and R. and Miss Lowe (7); J. Somerville Crocker, A. Johnston, V. Welsh, and Woodall, new members of the comand Miss Nickols (7) lost to H. L. Tucker (cornermen), K. W. mittee. The secretary reported that Norman and Mrs Parker (8); J. Lewis (centre man), I. Grant. L. Miss Lewis was willing to assist in players "put it over" so well that McLaughlin and Miss D. Parker Welsh, E. J. Tiley, J. Madex, J. judging the fancy dress costumes in there were frequent and spontaneous (4) lost to McLean and Miss Schlicht Cuthbertson, A. Crocker, and two the procession, in lieu of Mrs S. E. (8); J. Harris and Miss Stevens (8) picaninnies, George Pitcher and Bob Humphreys, who would be away. plause. The story was a ludicrous d. L. Hobart and Mrs Pearce (7); J. Johnston. A short dance was held afone and gave many opportunities for Mc Laughlin and Miss M. Parker (2) ter the concert; music being supplied from a Melbourne resident about the clever fooling, which the members of lost to H. Norman and Mrs Ashley by Messrs. B. Spicer and Baird, arrangements at that end. The secthe company were not slow to take (8); J. Somerville and Miss J. Day from Ararat, with accordeons (they retary of the Beaufort-in-Melbourne advantage of. The leader, Mr Tom (8) d. W. W. Ashley and Mrs also gave an item in the concert), Ryan, capably filled the role of Has- McLaughlin (7). Totals:—Blues, 4 Geo. Gillingham (violin), and the list of 91 former Beaufort residents pianist for the concert and dance was Mr H. D. Panther. Mr W. Kav he had read with interest the souwas M.C. A novelty dance was won by Mr A. Crocker and partner. Supper was handed round at midnight to ton acquitted himself well, as did also Tennis matches in the Beaufort the large number remaining. The Mr Jack Fitzpatrick (Rev. Ezra district competition on Saturday re- minstrels are much indebted to Mr V. Welsh (organiser). Mr Panther Mr Frank Sheehan as Guy McGuffin, Raglan (4 sets 36 games) d. Beau- (pianist), Messrs. G. H. Cuthbertthe county constable. Mr Des. Lynch fort Methodist A (4 sets 35 games) con, and G. S. Star (ticketseller and V. Tiley (who "boiled pots"), and

was a great success as General Boom- in a closely contested match by one doorkeeper), G. Tiley (doorkeeper), female impersonators must be given Methodist B (6 sets 45 games) d. particularly to those ladies under high praise. These were Mr Fred. Brewster (2 sets 28 games) at Brew- the leadership of Mrs A. Johnston, Webster, junr., as Flora Boomer (in ster. Results (Methodist B players who, on finding something of a love with Randolph Dearborn), Mr mentioned first):-J. B. Hewitt and shortage in the amount of supper Jack Rush as Birdie Sweetlove (Stig-R. T. Macdonald lost to C. Jeffries provided for an unexpectedly large gins' housekeeper), and Mr Jack and R. Buchan, 3-6. E. Charles and number of people, threw themselves O'Sullivan as Lucretia Spriggins, a R. Macdonald d. W. Anderson and into the breach, and after only a prudent school ma'am. Each provok-S. Abbott, 6-4. J. B. Hewitt and short wait, had sufficient food ready ed great mirth, and the "charming" Miss M. Pope d. R. Buchan and to satisfy everybody. Although the It was mentioned that the C.W.A.

THE SCHOOL—MOTHERS'

At a meeting of mothers, held in SCHOOL GARDEN ROSES.

#### RIPON CRICKET ASSOCIATION.

FIXTURES.

FIRST ROUND. All matches on ground of first November 7.—Brewster v. Foot-

November 14.—Buangor v. Foot-

THIRD ROUND. December 12.—Footballers v. Bu angor; Brewster v. Nerring. December 19.—Buangor v. Brewers; Buangor v. Nerring FOURTH ROUND.

January 16.—Buangor v. Foot-January 23.—Brewster v. Buan-January 30.—Footballers v. Brew-FIFTH ROUND

February 6 .- Footballers v. Buan-Lticles, it is desirable to enquire at a February 18.—Buangor v. Brewappreciation of his services later on. thereof can certainly look forward to February 20.—Brewster v. Foot-| ballers; Buangor v. Nerring.

BACK TO BEAUFORT.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

The finalisation of further Back to Club (Mr G. Ellingsen) forwarded a now in Melbourne, and stated that venir booklet.—The secretary (Mr Duncan) said he had received another list of 33 names from Mr S. Young. It was decided that the secretary write, thanking Mr Ellingsen and forwarding him a programme and some dodgers. The secretary reported that he had arranged for the welcome back signs to be put up at each end of the town, in the main street, and at the railway station. The ladics of the committee agreed to hem the signs. It was decided to hire card tables and forms from the Fire Brigade for the euchre tournament on Xmas. night. It was resolved to approach local business people in regard to closing their esthe committee as a rest room, if someone suitable were placed in charge. -C.W.A. to be written to and thanked for this kind offer, and Miss Allen to be placed in charge of the rest room. The secretary was ineavements. The ladies had a conference, and made arrangements for the supper at the Xmas. Night social. The matter of hiring decorations and stretchers was left to the subcommittee to finalise. An apology was received for the absence of Mr W. J. Gray.

Tell Your Friends About THE BACK TO BEAUFORT CENTENARY HOMECOMING, Xmas. Week-end, 1936.

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BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1936.

Last Meeting of Ripon Shire Council for Sear.

ENGINEER'S REPORT.

Crs. Roddis and McDonald.

Crs. Sinclair and McKay.

This road is maintained at the ex- had been paying for had been spent ton. E.R.: Insertion of culvert. Pitpense of all ridings, and an annual in the North and West Ridings, and tong-Snake Valley, E.R., joint BEAUFORT STOCK SALE. amount up to £200 is set aside for not 6d in the East Riding. The Grenville: Attention to scour in table same. Without increasing the am- North Riding had practically scooped drain, and shouldering. Nunn's Lane, 2000 SHEEP AVERAGE 14/9 out of the vote, it is desired to ex- the pool. The motion was carried. E.R.: Patching. Main street, Snake tend this length of road to link up It was resolved that the inspection be Valley: Erection of guard fence at with the all ridings road at Mt. Emu; made by councillors before next meet- culvert. Snake Valley-Chepstowe,

a year on this road should be considered for a re-shuffle of payments. of works for the five weeks ending 10/12/36:— C.R.B. Works.—Skipried in the Council was £400 a year. Cr. Roddis: The idea was a good one. The traffic was going towards the Ballarat market. They had the road in a good state now, and the road:

Skipton road:

Skipton, furnished a report re the lambs, machine shorn, 17/; 85 Corriedale X. road in a good state now, and the time had come when they should con- D.L., realignment work from 0.66 diphtheria immunization campaign lambs, shorn, 15/; 190 comeback tinue it. The Council would not be Balarat-Hamilton road:—D.L., pat. Goldsmith, and Skipton State schools, old mering m.s., h.s., 16/1; 79 6-tooth spending more than their allotted rol maintenance and blinding from There were no ill effects in any in
were, with 79 B.L. X. lambs at foot,

25/2. 120 mering away 4 and 5-vegrmoney. Cr. Hinton: It was putting a 6.29 to 8.06 miles. Shire Works. stance; 96 completed. fresh road on to the West Riding.

The president. The engineer should Eurambeen-Streatham: W. H. Wil- Cr. Roddis: The sooner the doctor old, h.s., 11/3; 130 merino ewes, 2 wears machine shown 17/. 110 may The president: The engineer should liams, 6/36; let Feby., finish April; got to the other places the better. years, machine shorn, 17/; 110 merbe asked to report on the mileage being handfield in each riding by call235/17/; paid, £28; no reply to re- The secretary: He would be coming ino ewes, 4 and 5 years old, h.s., ing these roads shire roads from 1937 | quest for production of clearance. in the New Year. | 11/1; 100 merino ewes, 2 years, maconward. Cr. Wills: Before he comonward. Cr. Wills: Before he comlet June, to finish June (extended Oc- Skipton, stating, in reply to a queswethers he sold like to see let June, to finish June (extended Oc- Skipton, stating, in reply to a queswethers he sold like to see let June, to finish June (extended Oc- Skipton, stating, in reply to a queswethers he sold like to see let June, to finish June (extended Oc- Skipton, stating, in reply to a queswethers he sold like to see let June, to finish June (extended Oc- Skipton, stating, in reply to a queswethers he sold like to see let June, to finish June (extended Oc- Skipton, stating, in reply to a quesmitted himself, he would like to see tober); £21/19/; paid, £19/6/2; com- tion asked by Cr. Hinton at last wethers, h.s., 6/; 90 merino wethers, the road, independent of what had pleted Novr. 6th. Trawalla Lane and meeting of the Council, that the case 4 years ,h.s., 15/; 66 merino wethbeen said. Cr. Kirkpatrick: It should Gates' road: J. E. Wallish, 1/37; let of scarlet fever attended to at Car- ers, 3 years, h.s., 18/; 84 merino wethers 4 years h s 16/. 56 merino be deferred for a time for discussion Sept., to finish October; £83/6/8; ranballac was confined to bed at the wethers, 4 years, h.s., 18/; 84 merino at a future meeting. The East Rid-Inaid £30. completed other than outset of the ettech received at the level. 5 years old mr 0/6, 20 week ing members had spent the money maintenance. Kayley's Lane: Alf. the strictest isolation, and would re
ly fat lambs, 19/4; 30 merino ewes, wisely there. Cr. McDonald: He ag- Nunn, 2/37; let Sept., to finish Nov- main so until the period of infectivity h.s., 3 and 4 years, 15/; 20 merino reed with the president that anything ember; £51/13/; paid, £46/8/10; com- ceased. Contacts were allowed to redone was worthy of enquiry, and the pleted Decr. . 7th. Geelong road: sume school after 14 days in quaran-merino ewes, 6 years, 6/8; 48 merino East Riding members welcomed it. Broadbent Bros., 4/37; let October, tine He thought it would be a good thing to finish Decr.; £57/10/; paid, £55 Cr. Hinton: At last meeting he 2-tooth, h.s., 13/; about 100 sheep, to allow the East Riding members to 8/3; completed Decr. 3rd. Euram- merely asked would the child be alextend their grant to this road for been-Streatham: Broadbent Bros., lowed to go to school within 14 days. for old crackers. this year only, as it was not wanted 5/37; let Novr., to finish Decr; £21 It was a misunderstanding. for the road it was granted for. Cr. 15/; paid, £41/6/6; completed Decr. Dr. C. C. Reid, M.O.H., West PENSIONS. — War pensions due McKay agreed that the whole thing 3rd. Shire Works, other than con-Riding, reported for November that on 24th inst. will be paid on Tueswanted thought and revision. No-tract.—Weighbridges, various rid-infections of the respiratory tract day, 22nd inst. Old age pensions due thing should be done till the road ings: Inspection and testing of all were very prevalent, and that occa- on 31st inst. will be paid on 30th fect. Cr. Kirkpatrick seconded the ridings: Attention to culverts east of still occurring. motion. Cr. Roddis related the story McLean's and on Cemetery Hill. Received. of how this became an all-ridings Crusher Plant, all ridings: Removal Dr. J. B. Donaldson, M.O.H., road to compensate the East Riding of plant from scoria pit, part to East Riding, reported for November for having to contribute to other main roads in the shire that their ratepayers did not use. The road from Mt. Emu was not as good as they would like it to be, and they were asking that they be allowed to Eurambeen-Streatham, W. in N.; dents, spend part of the £200 further in Insertion of 3 pipe culverts and pat- Received.

through traffic from Streatham to verts. Beaufort Baths, N.R.: Con-ber:-Whooping Cough: Still many Ballarat on that road. The presi-struction of reinforced concrete cross fresh cases; a number of adults affthe secretary said he understood the south of Cross Roads, W.R.: Re-January. Re Immunization against Lake Goldsmith and Stockyard Hill tion to road shoulders. Niauwanda jection whenever they like to bring Clause 3—Adopted, on motion of ratepayers using the road referred Lane, W.R.: Maintenance patching. them in.—Adopted, on motion of to in the East Riding. Cr. McDon- Various roads, W.R.: Patrol main- Crs. Hinton and McDonald. 4. Ballarat-Carngham Road. — ald: All the construction money they tenance grading. Stock road, Skip-

reported as follows on the progress ton road: 141 M/133, Broadbent Bros., £33/15/; £39/9/3 passed; dealt with at the Ripon Shire Coun- showed a distinct rise of 2/ per bridges. Ballarat-Carngham road, all sional cases of chicken-pox were inst. Pensioners are asked to collect

Ballarat-Carngham-Mt. Emu road.

Cr. Sinclair took the chair temhair and reshaping. Trawalla-Carngport holding their description for the chair temhair and Matthew's Lane, N. and sale on 10th first, when they yarded

HEALTH REPORTS.

All of productions was about a superior to the control of the cont

their territory to give it a better out- ching. Road to baths, N.R.: New ap- Dr. S. E. Humphreys, M.O.H., Friday, at Mr. McLEANS, Set. Cr. Minton: There was a lot of proach to Beaufort baths, with cul- North viding, reported for Novem- Chemist.

dent: In 1937 they would make the wall at 55 yds.; extension to 61 yds. ected. Chicken Pox: Several cases in The following report by the engin- final payment to the C.R.B. The and concreting between above dis- the district—none in Bentfort. Ineer (Mr E. S. Crouch, C.E., L.S.) was request of Crs. Roddis and McDon-tances. Township paths, Beaufort, fective sore throats with revere condealt with at the Ripon Shire Council ald was a reasonable one. With the N.R.: Grass cutting, chipping and stitutional disturbance prevalent in 1. Department of Lands and Surto the C.R.B., it would be ridiculous Forming, east end. Beaufort-Carran- seases (asthma, hay fever, hives, eczvey. — E. A. Davis, South street, to give the East Riding £200 a year. ballac road, W.R.: Scarifying and recommand of this time of the year. Beaufort: I see no objection to the Cr. McDonald: The Council would shaping from Mt. William road, cornumerous at this time of the year, still have to pay the C.R.B. main-ner to rock cutting. Eurambeen- but never more so than at present. 2. Department of Lands and Surwas on construction. Cr. Roddis: shaping near St. Marnocks. Euram- from fainting and abdominal pains, vey. — M. E. Davis, Carngham: Pro- They did not want to spend the £200 been-Streatham, W.R., joint with almost certainly allergic response to viding one chain width is maintained where it was unnecessary to spend Ararat: Searifying and reshaping clover in cow's milk. Fifty-two atfor road purposes, and provision it. Cr. Wills: Who put it into the and attention to culverts south of Mt. tendances at Infant Welfare Clinic made for a creek reserve, if at any engineer's head to do this? Cr. Rod- William road corner. Banongil road, at B.N. Hospital. Immunization agtime it is intended to alienate this dis: The wise men of the East. Cr. W.R.: Maintenance blinding over ainst Diphtheria: Second last treatground, I see no objection to the pro- McDonald: That did not include him. metal. Geelong road, W.R.: Regrad- ment carried out in six district He first saw it in the engineer's re- ing ahead of gravelling and patrol schools in North Riding. Final in De-Clause 2—Adopted, on motion of port. In answer to Cr. Kirkpatrick, grading, attention to culverts. Lane cember. Detailed report of these in 3. Department of Lands and Sur- £6000 C.R.B. indebtedness was to be grading of offlet drain, patching road. Diphtheria: I should like parents of vey. — Janet Pearce, Main Lead: I wiped off. Cr. Kirkpatrick said the Vite Vite Road, W.R.: Attention to any child who missed a dose at see no objection to the proposed position had changed in regard to scour, west side, south end, and attent school to know they can have the in-

PER HEAD.

Ballarat-Carngnam-Mit. Emu road.

Cr. Sinciair took the chair tent-than and Matthew's Lane, N. and sale on 1007 mstr, when the following to Cr. Troy being E.R.: Maintenance patching, with 3000 district sheep, and sold 2000 at an average of 14/9 per head. Owing to the uncertain conditions at the time prevailing, bidding was not so brisk as usual, but prices for sheep The following health reports were sold were very satisfactory, and

at the Beaufort post office on those

MR. ALLEN H. DUCKWORTH

B.D.Sc., L.D.S., DENTIST. Will visit Beaufort on Tuesday and

#### RIPON SHIRE COUNCIL.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1936.

Present: Crs. D. F. Troy (president), R. A. D. Sinclair, C. H. McKay, J. Kirkpatrick, T. Wills, J. A. Hinton, A. dis, and D. McDonald.

Cr. Roddis apologised for the absence of Cr. Russell, who was away at the wool sales.

The president explained that the postponement of the meeting from the previous day was owing to the crisis in regard to the monarchy in similar requests as in previous letter. the Old Country. He referred to the abdication of King Edward VIII., complimentary in regard to the way tained. the crisis had been faced and overcome by the people of Great Britain. reign." Long live the King.

Cr Sinclair seconded the motion, and referred to the wonderful work deviation at Woods' corner. in the crisis of the Prime Minister | From Country Roads Board, re re (Mr Baldwin) and the Queen Mother. lief of payment of £1000, being por-

singing the National Anthem.

were taken as read and confirmed. Correspondence.

From Department of Lands and Survey, asking if road in parish of better off this financial year than an-Lillirie, applied for by A. Bruty, ticipated. Councillors expressed satcannot be closed without injury to isfaction at this good news. shire interests.

common funds on erection of fenc-in-Council. ing, etc., on Beaufort Common.

Received. From same, asking to be notified as to annual amount paid to herdsman

for duties performed in respect of Common. Received.

From P. L. Denigan, M.L.A., promising to have enquiries made re Beaufort Common regulation, and to advise council of result.

Received. From Department of Lands and Southern and Western Bailiwicks of Survey (per Mr P. L. Denigan, the State of Victoria. M.L.A.), stating in reference to per- Received. The president congratusonal representations and to letter lated Cr. McKay on the honor, and presented on behalf of Council of hoped he would have a long and hap-Shire of Ripon, in regard to funds py experience. Cr. McKay respondheld in respect of the Beaufort Com- ed, and said he would do his best in mon, it was desired to inform him the interests of justice. He apprecithat the Governor-in-Council, in ac- ated what a person had to surrender cordance with provisions of section in taking up these positions. 144 of the Land Act, 1908, may direct From Municipal Association of Victhe manner in which the fees im- toria, forwarding memorandum re posed, paid, collected, and recovered Local Government (Rates) Bill. for depasturing on a common shall be disposed of. It would appear from the abstract of accounts forwarded to that office that, in addition to the wages paid to the herdsman by the North riding of the Council, the usual percentage was paid from the Common funds, so that the herdsman, for the year 1935, actually received an amount of £79/15/, whilst the agistment fees amounted to £78 only, and similarly for the year 1934. the salary and percentage paid to the herdsman on this basis woud Bill. amount to £83/7/6, whilst the amount

of this common was justified. Referred to North Riding members, on motion of Crs. Roddis and carried. Kirkpatrick.

onable doubt if the future retention

proving of Council's recommendation bury v. Shire of Swan Hill. for acceptance of G. Rickey's ten-

der of £198/3/ for supply and delivery of 550 c. yds. gravel on Skipton road; also asking that amendments to plans and specifications be effectted before being signed by contractor; that amended record copy of plans and specifications be submitted; and that in future that same be forwarded prior to submission of tenders.

From same, approving of Council's recommendation for acceptance of C. E. Brown's tender at £566 for supply and delivery of 1000 c. yds. gravel on Ballarat-Hamilton road, with

From same, stating that a report which was carried out with smooth- on proposal to provide a stock route ness and great judgment on the part at Box's cutting on Ballarat-Ararat of all concerned. Even Berlin was road, west of Beaufort, was being ob-

From same, intimating that the He moved: "That the Council of the new Ballarat-Ararat road through Shire of Ripon humbly tender its al- Crown allots. 10, section 1 and 1 seclegiance to His Most Gracious Maj-tion 2, parish of Beaufort, has been esty, King George VI., and respect- declared part of the main road, enfully assure him of their loyalty to closing gazettal relating thereto, and his person, and unanimously wish asking that route be marked on copy him a long, happy, and prosperous of map required to be kept by Council.—Engineer to note.

The secretary: That referred to the

The motion was unanimously car-tion of liability for year ending ried; the councillors standing and June, 1937, under Hyland plan, for C.R.B. and developmental roads. The minutes of the previous meet. The secretary: They would have to ing, as typewritten and circulated pay £390 in April, and the following year nothing. The balance formerly owing was £6000 on permanent works. The Council would be £1000

From State Rivers and Water Sup-To lie on table for a month and en-ply Commission, approving of stategineer to report, on motion of Cr. ment of receipts and expenditure submitted by Council for 1936 and From Department of Lands and 1937, and requesting that rating by-Survey, forwarding authority for ex- law be passed at next meeting and penditure of £78/19/1 from surplus submitted for approval of Governor

Received.

From Department of Public Health. forwarding copy of regulations re cleanliness and sterilization of packages in which tobacco prepared for smoking may be packed; also of stream pollution regulations. Received.

From Law Department, intimating that Cr. Chas. H. McKay, of Eurambeen East, had been appointed to the commission of the peace for the

Received.

From same, forwarding copies of annual reports of conference and executive committee, legal opinions,

Received.

From same, advising that Association will act for Council re Health Inspectors' Association, and be represented in Arbitration Court.

Received. From same, re Country Roads

Received. Cr. Roddis: They apfor agistment was £88/5/, which was pear to be stepping into our work. unsatisfactory, and provided a reas- He moved that they write and ask their representative in the Legislative Council to support the amendment. Seconded by Cr. Hinton, and

From Shire of Swan Hill, re ap-From Country, Roads Beard, ap- peal to High Court in case of Brad-

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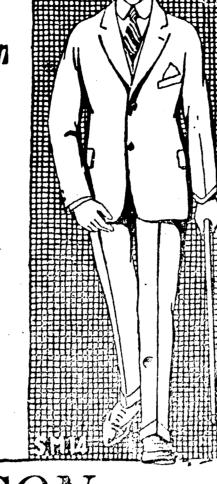
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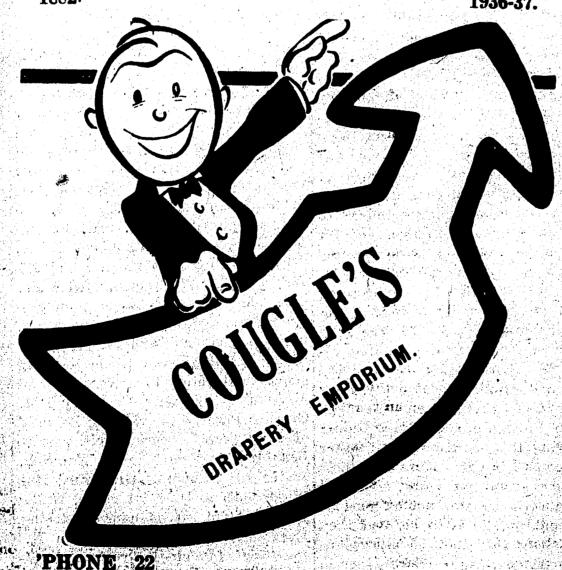
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Xmas. and New Year Greetings to all.



# RIPON SHIRE COUNCIL.

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PAGE THREE.

The president: They made a limit. Cr. Sinclair: No single council should take up a case like that, but leave it to the Municipal Association. Cr. Wills: They should not encourage them to go to the High Court. Cr. Roddis moved that no further action be taken. Seconded by Cr. McDonald, and carried.

From Inspector S. McKenzie, directing notice to bad state of rabbits in rock cutting between Messrs. McIntyre's and Liston's properties on Carranballac road, and requesting that action be taken without any further delay to clean this place of the vermin.-The engineer reported that this matter had received attention, though further work would be desirable. The delay, which was regretted, on this section was caused through time occupied in giving thorough attention to the section to the north' (Watkin's hill) and the sickness of one of the outdoor staff -The president: He was getting a bit back. Cr. McKay moved that the work be carried out. Seconded by Cr. McDonald, and carried. The engineer: Two days' work had been done since, but the netting had not yet been cov-

From Mrs Peter Johnston, Raglan, applying to have water re-connected to her house. Received.

From Herbert N. A. Pitcher, Raglan, applying to have water connected to his house off the main which goes down Drew's lane.

The president moved that both applications be referred to the North Riding members for consideration. They were getting to the limit now as far as Raglan drawing on the pipe line was concerned. Seconded by Cr. Kirkpatrick, and carried.

From Geo. Pringle, secretary tending the show.

Received, on motion of Crs. Roddis nd Kirkpatrick.

From W. Manson, secretary Beaufort Thistle Club, applying for use of Park on Monday, 28th Decr., with right to charge admission and conduct the usual booths

Granted, on motion of Crs. Sinclair and Kirkpatrick, under the usual conditions. The track had been chipped. It was decided, on the suggestion of the secretary, to insist on the use of tax tickets for members.

From Percy T. Stevenson (for combined Sunday Schools' picnic com- ations, flags, etc., across main street emittee), asking permission for use of and on band rotunda during the home-Beaufort Park for children's picnic coming celebrations; also that elecon Saturday, January 30th, and ask- tric light be put on to office free. ing that boats be locked up during Replied to by shire secretary to effthe afternoon as usual.

clair and Hinton.

From J. and F. L. Ball, Raglan, on band rotunda. The Council would drawing attention to state of Dunn's make arrangements for lighting restroad leading to their ground at room and office for four weeks. Chute, and asking that something be | -Cr. Roddis moved that the action done to make it more fit for traffic .- be endorsed. Seconded by Cr. Sin-The engineer reported that patch- clair, and carried. In answer to Cr. ing had been effected on this road- Kirkpatrick, the president said the obone day only, but further work was jection to signs being put on the rodesirable.

Referred to North Riding mem- the late Queen Victoria. bers, on motion of Crs. Roddis and McKay.

From A. S. Duncan, hon. secy. school children, Back to Beaufort centenary movement, conveying thanks and appreciation of committee for installation Beaufort, applying for right to erect of electric light and current at secretary's office, and accepting with McIntosh's corner on Beaufortthanks council's kind offer for use of Stockyard Hill road.-Permission back room at shire building as a rest granted by president for work to be room during the celebrations, and done under supervision of engineer. also thanking council for assistance Action of president endorsed, on in advancing the movement.

Received. From same, asking permission to Put "welcome" signs and other decor-

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ect that Council offered no objection Granted, on motion of Crs. Sin- to signs being placed across main street, but would not allow any sign

I tunda was that it was a memorial to

From Bassano Ltd., London, re supplying Coronation souvenirs for

Received.

Barber, Stoneleigh, telephone line from Stoneleigh to the motion of Crs. Sinclair and Kirk-

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-The Beaufort Old Scholars' Associ-

of 12 members. A letter was read

from Miss N. Tulloch, Ballarat (a

ility to attend the Back to School

function on Boxing Day. It was re-

solved that the old scholars line up

and march into school, to the accom-

paniment of drums and bugles. Mr

POLICE COURT. — Messrs. R. A.

IN MEMORIAM.

PARKER. - In loving memory of ation again met on Wednesday night; our dear wife and mother, Ida Grace Mr A. M. Parker (acting-president) Parker, who passed away on 19th De- presiding. There was an attendance cember, 1935.

Fond memories. -Inserted by her husband and sons former teacher), regretting her inaband daughter.

"THE

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#### A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

"Whatever you dislike in another person, take care to reform in yourself."

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1936.

EIGHT 'PLANES. — Eight aeroplanes, flying in formation, passed man, Miss Ethel Holdsworth. The over Beaufort on Wednesday at mid- local head teacher (Mr R. G. Scott) day, going towards Adelaide.

PUBLISHING ARRANGEMENTS | school drums and bugle for the day. —The last issue of the "Riponshire Advocate" for the year will be publish | D. Sinclair and D. F. Troy, J's.P., ed on Thursday, 24th Decr., and to occupied the Bench at the Beaufort give our employees' a week's holiday Police Court on Monday. Arthur

Williamstown, was travelling in a garet Frances Irving proceeded ag- ganiser. Vauxhall Sedan car on the Western ainst Colin Winton Irving on a Highway, near Beaufort, when the car charge of leaving complainant and crashed into a tree. Mr. Jenkins suf- her four children without means of fered from a broken shoulder and severe lacerations, and was admitted Margaret Frances Irving stated on being a very good attendance. A

of rain fell at Beaufort on Saturday, April last, and stated that he would arrival of Santa Claus with toys for Monday evening. There was a good Sunday and Monday; 30 points being not be coming back. He had sent her all the dancers caused much merri- attendance. Captain and Mrs Hender recorded on Wednesday night. Heavy no money direct, and the children and ment, and supplied the finishing touch and Captain and Mrs Robertson, of showers fell on Thursday night; 78 she were without means of support. to the Xmas. effect. Many novel Ballarat, were present; the latter two points being registered. Early in the Mr S. Young, who appeared for Mrs games and dances were held; numer- attending on the Monday evening. evening a heavy thunderstorm was Irving, stated that he wrote to de- ous little gifts being awarded as On Sunday morning solos were renthreatening, but passed over. The fendant, and received £1/10/ from prizes. Mrs A. J. Saph won a dered by Mrs R. Davis, and several roads at Waterloo were flooded on him. That was the only money Irv- guessing competition for a cake (do- songs were given by the children. Friday, and heavy rain fell at Beau- ing had paid for the maintenance of nated by Miss Cushing). The senior Captain Hender delivered an address;

was some excitement in Beaufort on made an application for 10/ per Wilson acted as pianist, Mr Geo. Cou- ternoon, when Nancy Davis gave a Thursday when the firebell rang for an week for her own support, and 5/ per | gle as M.C., and Misses D. and M. | solo, and Elsie Broadbent a recitaoutbreak at the B. & W. Co-operative week for each child. The Bench made Parker as joint secretaries. The lat- tion; the children again rendering ap-Society's store. It appears that a youth an order for the amount claimed, with ter were assisted by Miss Rene Mac propriate songs. Mrs Hender, who named Andrew Baker went down the £2/7/6 costs; the first payment to be donald (president). Mr W. A. Skene was the speaker, based her address cellar and struck a match, which caus- made to the Clerk of Courts at Beau- kindly acted as understudy for Santa on the life story of Samuel. ed an explosion and a great sheet of fort, on December 21st, 1936. flame. He was severely burnt about the fire is thought to be seepage from the tank of a nearby petrol Bowser. The Fire Brigade turned out promptly with the motor pump under Capt. I flames could not spread.

JOCKEY CLUB. — Mr A. Lewell large loaves of bread for the Xmas. pressed pleasure at Mrs Holdsworth ers. Items were rendered as follow:— (president of the Beaufort Jockey party on Monday night. Lady mem- being able to attend again. Corres- Company songs, children; solo, Nancy Club) presided at a meeting of that bers and brethren are to meet at the pondence was received from the Cen- Davis; recitation, Irene Phillips: body at the Picture Theatre on Mon- Picture Theatre at 3 p.m. on Mon- tral Council, and a donation of £1/1/ songs, primary scholars; solo, Betty day night; seven members attending. day to cut sandwiches. Soft drinks from the E.S. & A. Bank. Accounts Davis; recitation, Bobbie Broadbent; The secretary (Mr W. A. Skene) and cordials and 2 gal. of ice cream amounting to £20/6/7 were passed mouth organ solo, Pearl Crick; recisaid that Messrs. Allchin Bros., Bal. are to be purchased. W. Day's band for payment, on the motion of the tation, Clarice Broadbent; duet, Rita larat, had presented a bridle to the was engaged for the dance. For the president and Mr W. W. Ashley. The Boyd and Bobbie Broadbent; recitaclub as a trophy. A donation of £1/1/ re-union to be held on Tuesday, Decr. following donations were received for tion, Max Cleary; recitation, Elsie had been received from Engineer- 29th, it was decided to give 25/ first the month:—Mrs M. Drew, cakes; Broadbent; solo, Ken Boyd; recitacommander H. P. Mackenzie. The prize and 5/ second as euchre prizes Mrs A. Stowell, cream and eggs; Mr tion, Elsie Cleary; recitation, Betty tender of Mr E. Anderson for logs, both for ladies and men. Bro. W. C. Lowe, flowers; C.W.A., milk; Crick; tableau, "Youth." Lieut. for the woodchop at 4/3 for 12 m. I Skene donated the two secret table Mrs Les. Scott, flowers, lettuce; Mrs Stone played the accompaniments on and 4/7 for 14 in. logs was accepted. prizes. The catering is to be given Gordon, lettuce; Mr J. Holdsworth, the organ. The secretary said Mr A Kelly had to Mr McDonald, who will also supply cream and lettuce; Miss Cushing, The school prizes were then distribought the publican's booth for £10 the ice-cream for the children's vegetables; Miss E. Holdsworth, flo-buted to the senior scholars; the chil-10/ and Mr A. Lewell the fruit stall party. Bro. I. Lowe was appointed wers; Miss B. Schlicht, flowers; Mrs dren of the primary classes having refor £1/10/. It was ... decided to have to represent the lodge at the Bands- McLeod, lettuce and flowers. Mrs ceived their books the previous Sunthe counters of the booths repaired, men's reunion. The ... N.G. asked all Beggs was thanked for making inday.

and to have other minor repairs made, present to do their best to make the quiries re carpet for the hospital, and Lieut. Stone concluded by thankGatekeepers, ticket-sellers, and a Xmas, party and also the reunion of further arrangements for purchase ing all who had helped in any way, scout were appointed.

SOCIAL NOTES

#### NEWS ABOUT PEOPLE AND EVENTS.

has been re-elected as one of the fire- was held at the Shire Hall on Wedmen's representatives on the Country Fire Board, and also as vice-president of the Victorian Athletic League. appointed to deliver an address of Mr and Mrs T. W. Schlicht, of Beau-R. Davey. A satisfactory report was

cent's Hospital, Melbourne. former teachers to assist, as well as ies' Hotel.

had to undergo an operation during an old bandmaster and adjudicator. those previously written to:-Miss the week at the Beaufort B.N. Hos- It was decided, on the motion of the Stevens, Mr W. Milne, Mrs McIntyre, Mrs Doug. Rogers, Mrs B. Sutton, and Mr R. G. Tilley. The

following were added to the committee:-Miss E. DeBaere, Mr H. Nor-Beaufort Bowling Club.

is to be asked for the loan of the from Tasmania to Point Cook.

in accordance with the Factories' Act, Hector Broadbent, Edward Victor Mothers' Guild held a card social in plied the liquid refreshments free of there will be no issue on Saturday, Jan | Broadbent, Jas. A. Harris, Richard | Miss Nickols' studio on Tuesday cost. The evening is to take the form J. Vowles, Arthur Hayward, Chas. night. The euchre tournament was of a smoke social, interspersed with CAR CRASHES INTO TREE. Ward, and Whitfield Bros. made ap- won by Mesdames W. Willis and L. musical items. It is anticipated that On Thursday afternoon, Mr. Wm. plication for carriers' licences. The Stephens, and the consolation prizes the attendance will be 80 to 100. Lewis lenkins, a representative of the police offered no objection, and all by Mesdames J. E. Day and A. S. Shell Oil Co., Ballarat, a resident of the applications were granted. Mar- Duncan. Mrs J. Hughes was the or-

XMAS. PARTY. - The Beaufort branch of the C.W.A. Younger Set held a jolly Xmas, party in the Club support. Defendant did not appear. Rooms on Wednesday evening; there to the Beaufort B. N. Hospital. The oath that she was married to the de- large decorated tree and colored ball- ducted the annual children's anniverfendant at Beaufort on 29th March, oons, streamers, and flowers gave sary services in the Army Hall on RAINFALL. — Thirty-two points 1930. Her husband left home on 18th the hall a festive appearance, and the Sunday afternoon and evening and fort, following a thunderstorm; 27 his wife and children since April. Mr branch was represented by Miss A. choosing as his text, "Be strong in Young read letters in court that de- Cushing (president) and several Christ Jesus." FIRE AT B. & W. STORE.—There fendant had written. Complainant members of the committee. Mr E. A service was again held in the af-Claus.

meeting of the committee of the Stone delivered the sermon. A record meeting of the Beaufort Beaufort B.N. Hospital was held at Oddfellows' Lodge was held in the the Shire Hall on / Monday night. cert was given by the boys and girls. C.W.A. Hall on Thursday night. Mr R. G. Beggs (president) presided. The night being a special one for Duke and Lieut. W. F. Smith, but the Bro. C. Meredith, N.G., presided., and there was an attendance of 11 them, they were present in full employees had the fire already beaten, and was assisted by the other offic- members. Apologies were received force, and acquitted themselves very having smothered it by closing the door ers; 25 members attending. The bal- for the absence of Mrs T. Beggs, creditably, which testified to the exof the bricked-in cellar, in which the ance-sheet for the past year was ad- Miss Cushing, Mr C. H. McKay, and cellent training given them by Lieut. opted. It was resolved to cut up eight Mr A. R. Beggs. The president ex- Stone and the Sunday School teach-

TOWN BAND.

MONTHLY MEETING.

The monthly meeting of the com-Cr. R. A. D. Sinclair, of Beaufort, mittee of the Beaufort Town Band nesday night, and was attended by 12 members. In the absence of the pre-Dr. Theo. Schlicht, eldest son of sident, the chair was occupied by Mr welcome to former teachers and old fort, has received an appointment as submitted by Bandmaster A. E. Colat the "Riponshire Advocate" Office, welcome to former teachers and old fort, has received all appointments of the scholars; responses by former teach- a resident medical officer at St. Vin- lins, in which he commented upon the Major and Mrs Philip Russell, of tioned that musical progress was bealso announce their names. The an- Carngham, have been staying at the ing well maintained. He stated that nual subscription was fixed at 2/6. Hotel Windsor, Melbourne, and Sir at the recent recitals in Ararat the It was decided to invite the following Brudenell and Lady White at Menz- bandsmen had excelled themselves, Mr T. G. Beggs, of St. Marnocks, competent a critic than Mr R. Quinn, secretary and Mr L. Hobart, to write Before leaving for Ballarat, Mr T. thanking Mr Donnellan, of the Rail-M. Bowe was the recipient of a pre- way hotel, for a substantial donation sentation from the member's of the towards the re-union. Mr Jas. A. Harris is to be written to and asked Mrs S. Jacobs, of Beaufort, has to reconsider his resignation as a had her brother, Mr John Wise, of trustee. Cr. Sinclair is to be asked "Home Vale," Longford, Tasmania, to act as chairman at the recital on as a guest. He travelled by aeroplane Xmas. Sunday. The sub-committee reported that all arrangements for the reunion were well in hand. Carl-CARD SOCIAL. — The Beaufort ton and Ballarat breweries had sup-

#### **SALVATION ARMY**

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVER-SARY.

The Beaufort Salvation Army con-

On Sunday evening Betty Davis the hair and the arms, and had to re- BEAUFORT ODDFELLOWS B.N. HOSPITAL. —The monthly (Drake, Johnston, and Cleary). Lieut.

On Monday evening a good con-

and also the people who had attended.

## HOMECOMING BACK TO BEAUFORT.

MAGE FIVE.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE.

reed to close at 11.30 a.m. on Mon- Keith Mackay, Geoff. Wells, John day, 28th Decr.

ing full recognition to the Back to years, to enable them to carry on VICTORIAN RAILWAYS. Beaufort celebrations. As well as two with a secondary education. He also special services at 11 a.m. and 7 thanked the staff of the school for CHRISTMAS-NEW YEAR ARRANp.m., respectively, there will be a their help during the year, and refer-Pleasant Sunday Afternoon at 3 red with regret to the fact that o'clock, when the speaker will be Col- Misses Christie and Walsh had been onel G. A. Street, M.H.R. A fuller transferred elsewhere. announcement, including the names of vocal artists for this service, will be made in next week's issue of the merit certificates, and the Rev. W. "Riponshire Advocate."

#### BOWLS.

BALLARAT CENTRAL v. BEAU-FORT.

Beaufort on Saturday and played a members attending. Mr P. Hains 4-rink match with the local team. (president) presided. The club has a The visitors won by 15 points. The credit balance of £8. After a converusual hospitality was extended to the sational discussion, it was decided to cember 25; 1.35 p.m., Sunday, Jany. Ballarat players, and speeches of postpone the meeting till about the 3. welcome and responses made. middle of January, on the motion of Scores:-

BALLARAT CENTRAL-76. Edwards, Crocker, Moodie, McDonald ..... 21

BEAUFORT-61. Jacobs, Beggs, Muntz, Cuthbertson, 16 val, at local Baths, Boxing Day, Loop), Decr. 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 28, Prowse, Hodder, Green, Stevenson, 22 Deer. 26th. Good Programme of Ev- Jany. 1, 2, 4; 6.0 p.m. (Express, BEAUFORT PARK, MONDAY, 28th Dunn, Watkin, Collier, Dowling, 13 ents; Afternoon tea. Members ad- via Geelong Loop), Decr. 23, 24, Irving, Wilding, McMahon, Troy, 10 mitted free, others 1/. Entries close Jany. 2, 4; 7.55 p.m., Decr. 26,

#### COLOR COMPETITION.

Rain interrupted play in the Reds and Blues competition during the BACK TO BEAUFORT RACE week, and as no decisive results were arrived at, the games were not counted fort Jockey Club), at Beaufort Racein the round.

singles competition (12 ends) will be by Beaufort Brass Band. Novelty

Beaufort. All the men were severe- Gents., 2/; Ladies, 1/. Free Buses Envelope containing tender to be ly breised, but escaped serious in- to Racecourse. W. A. SKENE, Sec- marked-"Tender for

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

for the distribution of prizes at the shops. Beaufort school, proved wet, and the The final meeting of the Back to distribution, which was to have taken BACK to Beaufort Committee has a guarantee. Ask J. R. WOTHER-Beaufort Committee was held at the place out-of-doors, had to be made Shire Hall on Thursday night; 15 in relays in the school rooms. There members attending. Mr A. J. was an excellent attendance of par-Hughes (president) occupied the ents and friends, though, of course, chair. The secretary (Mr A. S. they were nearly all ladies. Cr. D. Duncan) reported on the matter of F. Troy (shire president) was the THANK my customers for patronthe business people closing on Mon-chairman, and handed over the prizes. day, 28th Decr. They had decided to As each class assembled in turn, QUIGLEY, Upholsterer. open till 12.30 p.m. On the motion Christmas carols were sung. Followof Cr. C. H. McKay and Mr Duncan, ing is the list of prize-winners:-Kinit was decided to wait on the business dergarten: Julie Broadbent, 1; Richpeople and ask them to close at 11.30 ard Stowell, 2. Lower 1st: Verna resolved to keep the C.W.A. Rooms 1; Robert Broadbent, 2. Grade II.: open daily from 3 till 5 p.m. The Valerie Hancock, 1; Peggy Vowles, from Decr. 25th to Monday, 4th Jany. stretchers, mattresses, and bolsters | Sandlant, 2. Grade IV.: Patricia | BROS. on hire from Tunbridge's at 5/6 the Sullivan, 1; Douglas McCracken, 2. set, and that flags and decorations Grade V.: Jack Glenister, 1; Beryl SIX Personal Xmas. and New Year were being borrowed from the sold- Crick, 2. Grade VI.: Max Buchanan, iers' league in Melbourne. He would 1; Judith Wotherspoon, 2. Form F: like anyone requiring stretchers to Florence Waldron, 1; Bernard Parlet him know before Monday. It was ker, 2. Form E: Peggy Rogers, 1; decided to order 50 stretchers, with Lois Buchanan, 2. Form C: Eunice CAPITOL CHEV. for Sale. HIGHthe option of taking 50 more. Minor Johnson, dux. Special prizes awarddetails in connection with the Xmas. ed by the school committee for the fort. 'Phone 64. night social were arranged. The lad- boy and girl showing the best school ies were authorised to deal with any- spirit for the year were gained by COME TO LEWELL'S for all Xmas. thing that cropped up in connection Douglas Kay and Irene Duncan. The with their arrangements for the so- following children obtained their ties. Buy your Presents now, and cial, and the executive committee is merit certificates:—Lois Buchanan, have them ready for the Festive Seato deal with any emergencies that Irene Duncan, Peggy Rogers, Joy son. Vowles, Lorna Scott, Valda Prowse, FOR SALE, Lady's Cycle, good or-The business people have since ag- Jack Bates, Jack Duke, Douglas Kay, Williams, and Gordon Nunn.

Before the conclusion of the funcents to leave their children at school Beaufort. The Methodist Church will be giv- after they had attained the age of 14

Cr. Troy congratulated the staff upon the scholars securing so many J. Tame endorsed his remarks.

The proceedings terminated with

the singing of the National Anthem.

BEAUFORT CYCLING CLUB. -The annual meeting of the Beaufort Cycling Club was called for Tuesday The Ballarat Central Club visited night at the Shire Hall; only six Messrs. W. Manson and E. R. Martin. A good entry for the club's ra-Shaw, Bowman, Ward, Webb .. 22 reported—12 for the local mile, 9 for 4.0 p.m., Sunday, Jany 3. Maher, Cooke, Yephson, Kerr .. 17 the district mile, and 12 for the local half-mile.

> J. F. WOTHERSPOON, Presi- urban connections not assured). dent; W. M. FITZPATRICK, Secy.

MEETING (under auspices Beaucourse on SATURDAY, DECEM-Weather permitting, a handicap BER 26th, 1936. Musical Programme

played to-day (Satutday); to start at Pony Race, £5; Flying Mile Handi-2.15 sharp. Individual players will cap Trot, £5 and Silver Cup; Beaucommence play upon arrival. . fort Handicap- Trot, £7 and Bridle; TENDERS will be received until 10 Consolation . Trot, £5; . Underhand ACCIDENT TO MINERS! - At Woodchop, £5; Standing, Block Chop, painting, State School, WINDERthe Caralulup mine on Saturday, a £2/10/; also special racing axes as MERE. Particulars at Public Works truckle ot away down an incline and trophies for Woodchops. Novelty Ev- Office, and at Inspector of Works Ofslighty injured several miners, one ents and Children's Races. Entries fice, Ballarat; Police Station, Beauof whom was Mr Robt. Hare, of close Monday, 14th Decr. Admission: fort.

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cember 24, 25; 11.15 p.m. Decr. 24, arrive Melbourne 7.20 a.m., De-

From HORSHAM, 12.2 a.m., De-

From ARARAT, 2.35 a.m., Decr. 25; 3.55 p.m. (Express), Decr. 21 22, 23, 24, 26, 28, Jany. 1, 2, 4,; 4.8 Farmer, Wray, Hoskin, Clarkson, 16 ces at the Thistle Club's sports was p.m. (stopping train), Daily; also

From BALLARAT, 5.10 a.m. (Express), Decr. 23, 24, 25; 12.10 p.m. (Express), Decr. 23, Jany. 2, BACK to Beaufort Swimming Carni- 4; 5.35 p.m. (Express, via Geelong with Secretary, Wednesday, Decr. 23. Jany. 2; 9.10 p.m., Decr. 24 (Sub- FANCY Dress Procession, leaving

> Melbourne:-On Decr. 22 and 23 .. 17/4 13/10 Highland Fling and Sheantruis: 15/ On other days to Jany, 2, 23/ 18/5 and 5/ each. Woodchops, £15/10/

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DECEMBER, 1936.

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Cr. CHAS. H. McKAY, Chief. W. MANSON, Secy.

CALL COME OF CHARLES IN COME OF THE PARTY OF

pointed. fare to be made.

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wind up the Estate.

secretary said he had the offer of 100 2. Grade III.: Rose Crick, 1; Jean J. B. HEWITT, BUCHANAN 11; Waterloo, 3; Beaufort, 7-Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A.

CHURCH SERVICES. SUNDAY, 20th DECR., 1936.

Methodist Church. - Beaufort, 11 a.m. The president said it had been Wilson. Upper 1st: Frances Gleeson, OUR Blacksmithing Premises will be and 7; Chute, 2; Raglan, 3.15—Rev.

nesday, at 8 p.m.-Lieut. Stone.

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1936, at 3 p.m.,

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## RIPON SHIRE COUNCIL.

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thanked members of the club for their | done this year. comments. The letter was received.

gate to the late Cr. D. Stewart, at hurt the other road. Lake Goldsmith school.—To be at-

From P.M.G's. Department, giving notice that it was intended to lop trees interfering with telephone line to Main Lead, as far as Mr H. McDougall's property.—The engineer: He had suggested putting the line closer to the shoulders of the road, rather than lop the trees. The president: The suggestion was a good one. The matter was left in the engineer's hands to confer with the Postal Department, on motion of Crs. Kirkpatrick (who said he was against slaughtering trees on roadsides) and Roddis.

From Carngham Gymkhana Club, asking permission to use recreation reserve on 1st Jany., and conduct publican's booth.—Granted, under usual conditions. Cr. Roddis referred to a tank at the reserve being in disrepair, Cr. McDonald drew attention to water lying in the gateway.—Both these matters were referred to the engineer.

#### General Business.

Cr. Roddis: The Carngham Cricket Club wanted the grass on the reserve cut.-Referred to East Riding mem-Crs. Sinclair and Kirkpatrick.

The president: Mr Dunn had re- carried. ported that a number of trees on the Waterloo-Chute road had been blown Cr. Sinclair, that no meeting be held partly to increased revenue, particudown and cut off, and were a danger to traffic. The president also referred ing members pay accounts and deal also to reduced expenditure on reto a dead tree at the Methodist with tenders. Church (which had been attended to), and to the excessive noise outside that Church from motor cars and motor cycles on Sundays. He did not think the Council could do anywould not be taken heed of.

Cr. Sinclair directed attention to ports; Beltings, Pulleys, Shafting, complaints about the bright light Stocks and Dies, Water Cart, Drays, from the street lamp near the Golden Horse Rollers, Travelling Houses, and Age hotel. This was referred to the Sundries. North Riding members, on the motion of Crs. Sinclair and Kirkpatrick.

Cr. McKay asked that action be taken to continue the street lighting for a reasonable time after the people at entertainments dispersed. He moved that the matter be referred to the Cr. Hinton, and carried.

Cr. Kirkpatrick said he had been asked why they allowed their shire c. yds. Gravel, on Beaufort-Carrancrusher to come in on the Lake Gold- ballac Road. smith bitumen road, which was there- H. and L. Lavery, £61/5/ (accep- ] by damaged. Ratepayers said the ted); Alf. Nunn, £67/6/8; W. S. Council was not consistent. The plant Grigg, £65/11/7; Broadbent Bros., should have come in on the Stock- 271/9/4. yard Hill road. He moved that, in future, any action contemplated ag- Re-shaping 10 chains on Beaufortainst other people in this connection | Carranballac Road. come before the Council for consideration before being taken. Seconded by Cr. Wills, who said this had c. yds. Gravel, on Wills' Road, Cartaken him in the rear a bit, as he had ranballac. strongly advised farmers to be care-

Cr. McDonald: Any damage on a Lavery, 225. bitumen road was paid for by the The statement of receipts and ex-

contractor did not want to go on with the work of removing them from the pit, owing to the cost. He (the engineer) came to the conclusion that From W. M. Fitzpatrick, hon. the cost of removal would reflect to secy. Beaufort and District Swim- the disadvantage of tenders they ming Club, sincerely thanking coun- were inviting. They had brought the cillors, and particularly Mr Crouch, bins and plant to Beaufort at half the

THE RIPONSHIPE ADVOCATE

for the wonderful work that had been cost anticipated. They had travelled carried out at the baths. To show the bitumen road, because of the two their appreciation, it was decided at bad grades on the Stockyard Hill last meeting to pay £25 off their ac- road. The damage to the bitumen was chiefly on one section, which was The president: That was very satis- on the schedule for resealing this factory. The engineer: The price year. About £3 worth of damage was should be between £42 and £44. He done, over and above what had to be

Cr. Hinton: Before anything like From Mrs E. Daniels, asking that that was done, it should be referred gravel be placed at the new memorial to the Council. It would not have

The engineer: If they had to wait tended to, on motion of Cr. Kirkpat- for a meeting, they would lose oppor- This has been reduced, as compared

damage worth easily £50.

Country Roads Board. Had the writing these payments off to the Council not always considered prosecutions before taking them?

bogged on a shire road had paid the the amounts recovered from the Gov- ted." damages asked for.

hoped it had travelled on their roads counts, and I recommend accordingly. would have a successful year—the for the last time in its present state. Cr. Wills moved that Ararat Shire ount paid on account of redemption of (Laughter). be written to and asked for the cost

bers, with power to act, on motion of of grading per mile with a power preciation of plant, etc., your electric grader. Seconded by Cr. Roddis, and light undertaking shows a surplus of It was decided, on the motion of last year. This improvement is due

in January, and that the North Rid- larly from the trading activities, and that no amounts were owing to cre-

Tenders. Tenders were received for pur- ditors at 30th September, 1936; it, of chase of surplus plant and stores

comprising: Foden Compound Traction Engine, thing but put up a notice, which Jaques 16 x 10 R.J. Crusher, Elevator, Screen, and Bins, on Trans-

Aged chestnut gelding.

Prices received considered too low, and not disclosed. Contract. 6/37, West Riding-Joint

Ararat. 225 c. yds. Gravel, Eurambeen-Streatham Road.

W. S. Grigg, £37/9/9 (accepted); North Riding members. Seconded by H. and L. Lavery, £42; Broadbent Bros., £49/12/6.

Contract 7/37, West Riding .- 350

Contract 8/37, Relief Works. -

No tenderer. Contract '9/37, West Riding .- 250

Broadbent Bros., £24/12/8 (ac-) ful about carting on the Skipton cepted); W. S. Grigg, £29/17/21; Alf. Nunn, 286/10/; H. and L.

whole thire. It said little for the penditure for the year ending 30th Council's policy in regard to main September showed that the receipts amounted to £12,785/10/4, and the

The engineer: They had an oppor- expenditure to £14,987/11/4; the bank course, being essential, particularly tunity to hire out the bins, and the overdraft being £2227/15/11 and a now trading operations are being carcheque outstanding of £24/5/1.

pal auditor, advised that he had completed his audit of the accounts of the shire for the 12 months ended 30th September, 1936, and reported thereon as follows: Arreans of conthereon as follows:-Arrears of general rates, £1383/16/. This item shows an increase, as compared with the amount of £1162/5/6 owing at 30th September, 1935; the figure, a reduction of the amounts outstandhowever, still being reasonable in relation to the total amount of the rate. I have checked and certified a list of outstanding rates and sanitary charges prepared by the shire clerk for submission to the council, and have since sent out verification notices to the ratepayers owing the largest amounts; replies received thereto indicating these to be correct. Bank overdraft, £2252/1/.with the overdraft of £2867/0/5 at Cr. Sinclair: He was told by a the previous balancing period, due layman that £50 worth of damage mainly to lessened expenditure on was done, but the engineer said only contracts and day labor. Infectious Diseases Payment.—No application Cr. Kirkpatrick congratulated the Cr. Kirkpatrick: Were they con- fund of the half-share of this item, lighting and power scheme. sistent, making fish of one and flesh payable by the Government, and I recommend that such application be municipal fund with the other health ernment and the patients; any am- Seconded by Cr. . McDonald, and Cr. Kirkpatrick: If this had been ounts deemed irrecoverable from the carried a private individual who damaged the latter being formally abandoned each A matter in regard to the ownerbitumen, he would have moved that year. Sustenance Payments. — The ship of a horse impounded and re-Public Works Department requires leased was dealt with in committee. The engineer: It was a lesson that these items to be passed for payment The president wished the councilthe plant should not be allowed to through the finance book in similar lors the compliments of the season.

loan, and without allowance for de-

£731/17/8, compared with £166/0/11

pairs and renewals. I am informed

ried on, that all amounts owing for W. M. Scott, Government munici- goods purchased or charges incurred In connection with the trading operand the amounts of the charges entered through the consumers' register. This will ensure regular rendering of accounts, and should result in ing on trading accounts, which are high in relation to the amount owing for power and lighting; the accounts for these items being in splendid order, and the arrears negligible. General.—The accounts generally were in excellent order, and I desire to thank the secretary for his courtesy and attention throughout the audit.

> The secretary said he always waited till the year was up to send in the infectious diseases accounts to the

> The president said the report was satisfactory, and reflected credit on

Cr. Hinton: He considered the appears to have been made to the North Riding members on the sound Public Health Department for re-state of the finances of the electric

Cr. Sinclair moved that the accounts. as audited and finally exam-Cr. McDonald: They could not con- made immediately. I also recom- ined, be allowed as just and true. trol the actions against people by the mend that the present practice of Seconded by Cr. Wills, and carried. Motion by Notice.

Pursuant to notice, Cr. McKay expenses be discontinued, and that moved—"That the rating by-law for In answer to Cr. Wills, the engin- the amounts be debited to a separate the Shire of Ripon water supply diseer said a man whose straw press was account, to which would be credited trict for the year 1936-37 be adop-

continue in its present condition. He fashion to the ordinary shire ac- and hoped the farmers and graziers Electric Light.—Including the am- rest of them would hope for the best.

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#### RIPON SHIRE REPORTS.

with at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on Monday:-Secretary's Financial Statement.

Mr N. B. Acton (secretary) reported that £674/18/10 had been received and banked during the month. Cheques paid totalled £1314, leaving a Dr. balance of \£3175/16/, as ag-ported that they met on 25/11/36. ainst £2536/14/10 at last report. Rid- Crs. Kirkpatrick, Wills, and Hinton ings account:-North, Dr. £1342 attending. It was resolved to expend charge was received.-Adopted, on 13/6; East Dr., £1001/1/6; West, £100 each shire, joint Ararat. Eur-Dr., £505/3/11; Beaufort water sup- ambeen-Streatham road. Ripon Shire ply, Dr., £356/3/9; Snake Valley wa- attend:—Reshaping 24 chains and 2 ter supply, Dr. £69/6/11: Trust, Cr. culverts by Mt. William road: re-\$7/9/9.—The secretary said the in-shape 8 chains and 1 culvert further crease of the North riding debit bal- south; realign 7 chains and 4 chains ance was due to the purchase of the and put in culvert and 3 chains blindtruck. Summonses had been issued ing. Ararat Shire attend:-Culvert to defaulting ratepayers, and would near Wongan gate; attend to length come on in Jany. Accounts amounting to £209 for infectious diseases hospital payments had been sent out. and £12 or £13 received. Cr. Roddis: The ridings should go into the matter of infectious diseases payments separately. He moved to that effect. Seconded by Cr. Sinclair, and car-

ed for payment on the recommendation of the finance committee :cash, £15; S. T. Roberts, £3/15/; charge provisionally against grant. ser Settlement Board, £75/17/5; Ballarat-Mt. Emu road. Treasury, £415/6/11; State Accident Insurance, £7/19/1; secretary, £2 10/; Municipal Association, £6/6/; P.M.G., £1; Electricity Supply, 6/; ed that at a meeting on 9/11/36, i Returned Soldiers' League, £1/1/; C. was resolved to inspect fire plugs on 8/4; Whitfield Bros., £8/14/; Brown be put on for one month, commenc-Spring Pty. Ltd., £2/14/7; B. & W. ing 14th Decr., for water supply. Co-op. Society, £3/12/6; Forby & Refer main drain, Beaufort, at next Co., £14/13/8; Gray's Iron and meeting. Tidy up town before Xmas. Steel, £25/11/8; J. G. Kirkpatrick, Resurface margins, Neill street. Wotherspoon & Co., £12/11/10; State within seven days. Insurance Co., 14/9; F. Webster, £8/10/7: Wilson's Motors, £13; Armstrong Holland, £4/2/8; Buchanan Bros., £9/3/1; J. Nothnagel, £3/14/; O. Gray, 6/9; Alf. Nunn, £66/5/ Broadbent Bros., £102/4/9; Alf. Nunn, £3/13/; C. W. Broadbent £40/5/; J. E. Wallish, £49/5/9; vouchers, £372/14/10; total, £1534/19/9 Country Roads Board payments:-Broadbent Bros., £39/9/3; Yeoman Bros., 1/3; Shire of Ripon, £6/13/6; Buchanan Bros., 3/6; J. R. Wotherspoon & Co., 2/6; vouchers, £74 18/9; Whitfield Bros., £5/17/6; Alf.

Nunn, £3/10/; voucher, £25/9/8; total, £156/5/11. Sustenance payments—£242/13/.

The secretary, in reply to Cr. Sinclair, said he had to act now as a sort of Santa Claus for the unemployed. He did not object to paying the local sustenance men, but to hand out Xmas. kifts to all the unemployed as too much altogether. Cr. Roddis: Will the councillors

et anything from Santa Claus? Laughter). Cr. Wills asked how Cr. Sinclair got on the Ladies' Benevolent Com-

ttee. (Laughter). Cr. Sinclair: They put me on as reasurer.

Report of West Riding Members. ported that on 9/11/36, at a meeting clair, and McKay, it was decided, on attended by Crs. Kirkpatrick, Wills, the motion of Crs. McKay and Sinand Hinton, it was resolved to call clair, that the following accounts be tenders for relief grant work, Car, passed for payment:—Railway Deranballac-Beaufort road, December partment, £14/15/; C.O.R., £61 meeting Reconstruct piece of road 3/2; Loan a/c., £171/8/1; J. B. north of rock cutting to Mt, William Hewitt, 6/; Adams & Co., 27/12/6; 

The West riding councillors resouth near boundary; nower grade throughout. Extend work Meadows' Lane, £20, to complete easterly from Niauwanda Lane. Gravel Wills' road Extend Carranballac tip one chain east, and put in gate at south end and also sign.

#### Report of East Riding Members.

The East Riding members reported The following accounts were pass- that at a meeting on 9/11/36, at tended by Crs. Russell and Roddis, i Norman Bros., 18/11; Arnall & was resolved to agree to patching at Jackson, £13/13/3; Skipton "Stand- Alexander's, £3. Carngham-Trawalla ard," £1/11/6; A. M. Parker, £8 Lane: Turn water off hill north of 1/1; salaries, £83/5/; engineer's car netted gate. Ballarat-Carngham allowance, £8/6/8; secretary's petty Road: Culverts east of McLean's: E. Charles, £1; A. G. Hayward, £6; Linton-Snake Valley Road: Re-shape W. C. Cheeseman, £3/13/6; Colon- south of Dawson's dam. Approach ial Mutual, £4/15/10; Dr. Reid, £22 Council with view of extending Bal-0/3; Dr. Humphreys, £28/18/; Clo- larat-Carngham road to beyond

#### Adopted.

North Riding Members' Reports. The North Riding members report Morvell, £26/17/6; G. E. Millist, £13 Wednesday, 11/11/36. Inspector to 19/; R. Morcombe, £2/1/9; Martin | Danger signs, Eurambeen-Streatham Pipe Co., £2/17/9; A. MacPhie, £1; road. Allow fishing at Jonathan's re-A. Nunn, £20/19/2; W. O'Sullivan, servoir to end of January, 1937. Cut £4/1/6; R. Ward, £1/0/9; C. Ward, off water supply to consumer on pipe 6/; Yeoman Bros., £8/3/8; J. R. line, unless arrears of rates are paid

At a further meeting of the North riding members on 23/11/36, attended by Crs. Troy, Sinclair, and McKay, it was resolved to drain and shape lane at rear of Halpin and Speke streets. Put in 3-inch main Willoby street from 8 in. wood main; connect to main. Lawrence street, and put in fire plug. Clean main in Lawrence street, and existing main, Pratt street. Trim hedge in Memorial Park, Wiloby street, westerly from turnstile. Havelock street: Improve drain and footpath. Apply for grant from C.R.B. for tourist road to Ferntree at Mt. Cole. Pitch Graveyard Hill road. Tenders: Recommend acceptance of tender of C. Rickey, £198/3/. for contract No. 141M/134, and tender of C. E. Brown, £566, for contract No. 141M/135 to C.R.B. \_Cr. Sinclair asked that the alteration of mains be held over, as the Fire Brigade captain was to interview them to-day. Report adopted, excepting clause in relation to water supply, on motion of Crs. Kirkpatrick and Wills.

#### Report of Electricity Supply Committee.

The Electricity Supply Committee reported that at a meeting on The West Riding councillors re- 9/11/36, attended by Crs. Troy, Sin-

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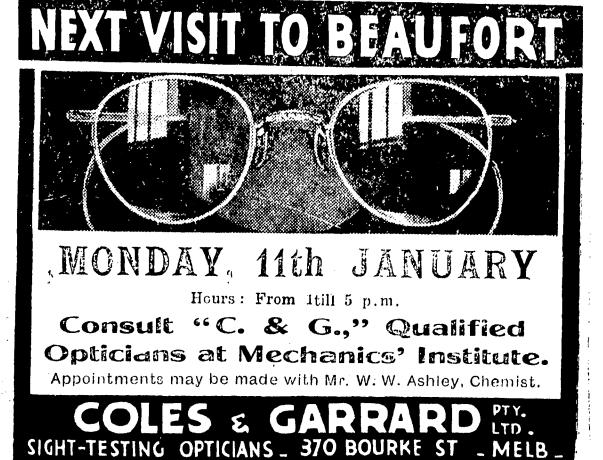
THE RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE road; tenders. Inspect Eurambeen- Joseph & Co., £26/10/; Australian Screatham road, 23rd Novr. Attend General Electric, £9/18/; wages, £36 The following reports were dealt to windmill, Dooley's road. East and 8/; petty cash, £1; total, £329/0/9. West boundary road: Patch and re- On the motion of Crs. Sinclair and fer again at February meeting. In- McKay, the action of the chairman spect and see if culverts can be re- in appointing A. Roffey to the power newed on road back of W. A. Wil- house staff at rate of £2/10/ per week was endorsed, and also purchase of voltmeter. Resolved that all sales of materials and lamps other than house wiring, be cash on delivery. The report of the engineer-in-

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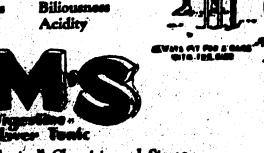
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### THE DIGGERS RETURNED SOLDIERS' LEAGUE.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE OF RIPON SUB-BRANCH.

The president of the Ripon subbranch of the Returned Soldiers' League (Cr. C. II. McKay) was in the chair at the monthly meeting of the committee on Saturday night at the Shire Hall. There was an attendance of 12 members. The president said that in view of the crisis the Empire had weathered through the abdication of Edward VIII. and the ascension of George VI., although it seemed unnecessary for a body of returned soldiers to affirm their loyalty to the ruling House, he moved that this meeting affirm its loyalty to the new sovereign, King George VI. Seconded by Mr R. Mackay, and carried unanimously. The president reported that the secretary and he had attended the annual smoke night of the Ararat sub-branch, which was very enjoyable. He also reported on the appointment of a returned soldier as inspector of the Ararat Health Group. Correspondence was read from the State branch, re Geo. W. Holland Testimonial Fund; stating that league secretaries could now witness repatriation forms; informing sub-branch of sale of Anzac House, to provide better accommodation, as the league had outgrown the present building.—The president stated that Mr Holland had been appointed to lead the Australian delegation to the biennial conference in London. An invitation to the Beaufort Town Band re-union on Boxing Night was received.—Secretary to represent subbranch. Circular re Bailleau Educational Trust for assistance in educating dependants of returned, incapacitated, and deceased soldiers.—The president said this fund had made the work of the Legacy Club and the subbranches of the league 100 per cent easier. Their great friend, General White, was the chairman of the trust, and Mr G. Holland one of its members. Accounts amounting to 14/6 were passed for payment. The secretary (Mr Wells) reported a membership of 93, and a credit balance of £52/18/7. It was decided to invite Mr Reeves to give the Anzac Day address at Beaufort. The matter of having a committee fully representative of the group system was discussed. The annual meeting of the sub-branch was fixed for Saturday, 23rd January, on the motion of Messrs. Jacobs and Saph. The president reported briefly on the work of the local committee in regard to the 1937 re-valuation. It was resolved to hand over to a soldier's son who is a member of the band the sub-branches's bugle, in order that he may learn to play it on occasions when required. The president expressed appreciation of the large attendance of members at the funeral of the late Mr Percy Smith. It was also decided to send a letter of condolence to Mrs Smith and family, on the motion of the president and Mr Webster. The president thanked Mrs Webster for making a wreath on this and other occasions. The president informed Mr Pascoe that the District Board's Scholarship Fund would be in work-

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## TENNIS BEAUFORT CLUB.

ODDIE MIXED DOUBLES.

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The Beaufort Tennis Club made a start with the Oddie Mixed Doubles Chepstowe, as eaw 24½d; CT/T (Tra- from Beaufort, Lake Goldsmith, and

Nickols, owe ½ 15, d. W. L. Willicom. sold at 20 d; WP/Buangor, sup. The dance music was supplied by F. ams and Miss Norman, owe 2 30, com. passed in, sup. lms. 29d, 1st com. Blay's orchestra, of which the mem-9-6; R. C. Hodgetts and Mrs J. h 2834d, bkn. 2534d; JGB/Willow-bers gave a donation towards the child. day, Deer. 26th. There will be free and Miss Hillman, owe 15, 9-8; H. gliesh Bros./Trawalla, maaf 26d; HR/ Norman and Mrs Parker, owe 1 30, MCK (Middle Creek), f 261d; WJR/ d. H. V. Martin and Miss Lowe, owe MCK (Middle Creek), sup com. 253d; 30, 9-8; Rev. J. P. MacDougall and TBELL/BFT (Beaufort), in f 243/4d; Miss D'Helin, owe ½ 40, d. P. T. JK/Wattlegrove (Waterloo), e and w Miss D'Helin, owe ½ 40, d. P. T. J. Valuegrove (waterloo), e and w Stevenson and Mrs Hall, owe ½ 30, 24½d; WJR/Waterloo, aaa m 24½d; P.W.M.U. held their last meeting for the year on December 9th, Mrs. the year on December 9th, Mrs. The members tors of the late Mr Henry Dawson. Stevenson and Mrs Ran, owe 2 oo, 9—3; E. S. Crouch and Miss D. Parker, owe 30, d. Williams and Mrs McLaughlin, owe ½ 30, 9—5; M. E. Moorong (Beaufort), sup. lms.' 24½d; GFO/Moorong (Beaufort), sup. com. 27d, fete organised in conjunction with the congregation in aid of church funds owe 15, 9-3; W. W. Ashley and nesday, R/EMU (Chepstowe), sup. amounted to £14. The sum of £14 Miss Christie, owe 30, d. Somerville com. and 1st com. sold at 27d; AMC/ has been sent to the general fund, and

Second Round.—Rev. J. P. Mac-Dougall and Miss D'Helin d. H. Norman and Mrs Parker. 9—7: E. S. Cahirblonig (Middle Creek), sup. com. gregation held a working bee in the Bros. are closing their blacksmith's Crouch and Miss D. Parker d. M. 274d, bkn. 24d; MC/L/Br 1 (Deau of the meeting they joined the mem-Watkin and Mrs Wright, 9-2; W. ck. fice. 234d; merino lambs—Blyth- bers at afternoon tea. W. Ashley and Miss Christie d. vale (Streatham), ex sup. lans.' 30d; McLaughlin and Mrs Ashley, 9-5; Cahirblonig (Middle Creek), sup. lms. H. Stowell and Miss Nickols v. R. C. 24 1/2 d; Yerabin (Buangor), lms.' 24d

#### BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

In the Beaufort district tennis competition on Saturday, the Beaufort Methodist A and B teams played a drawn match; taking two points each. Details (B players mentioned first):-Misses S. Willis and M. Kewley d. Misses Er Hobson and E. Sheep: 160 2-tooth crossbred ewes, Little Abbey Morvell, 6-3; Mrs H. Dunn and Miss Mr. E. O'Brien, Tatyoon, at 27/6; 116 Holtway B. Macdonald d. Misses R. Macdon-comeback wethers, Mr. J. Richards, Duke Alto ald and Edna Hobson, 6-3; J. B. Willaura, to 18/2; 111 merino weth- Sunsets Hewitt and R. Macdonald lost to H. ers, Mr. L. J. Lanpley, Staveley, to 18/ Ginger Dunn and A. Laney, 2-6; R. T. 11; 100 merino ewes and wethers, Storm Macdonald and Miss B. Macdonald Messrs. J. and R. Richardson, Moree, Bell . lost to M. Cuthbertson and Miss E. and Miss E. Morvell, 0-6; J. B. Hewitt and Miss S. Willis d. H. ers from Skipton; 71 2-tooth crossbred 9 st.; The Scout, 9.6. Dunn and Miss R. Macdonald, 6-2. Totals: Methodist B, 3 sets 21 Mount Rowan; 20 merino ewes, Mr. Two matches were not played.

lan d. Misses Carter and Dawson, tyre, 6-1; J. O'Sullivan and C. Woolly from Blowhard, at 20/1. 6-3; W. Fitzpatrick and F. Web-

Tell Your Friends About THE BACK TO BEAUFORT CENTENARY HOMECOMING, Xmas. Week-end, 1936.

#### WOOL SALES.

At the Ballarat wool sales on Friday. 11th inst., JR conj./Chepstowe, ane w and h brought 25 ld; Mr/Chepstowe, aae w and h, 25½d; ED/Trawalla, sup. com. 25 4d, 1st lambs' 24 d; WRP/ T (Trawalla), sup. com. 24d; JR/ walla), aa m 24½d; TR (Trawalla), Trawalla. Miss N. Dalgliesh won the try, and the 2nd round was almost as 234d, as 23d; WTL/Beaufort, and ladies' euchre prize, and Mr. P. Doull First Round.—H. Stowell and Miss day, JE/Brewster, from Trawalla, and Misses Shiela Martin and E. Collins.

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ers, Mr, F. Fenton, Snake Valley, at Beaufort C.Y.M.S., easily de- 16/1. Lambs: 121 shorn, Mr. D. feated Brewster at Beaufort. Scores White, Linton, at 16/7; 66 shorn, Mr. (C.Y.M.S. players mentioned first). A. J. Edwards, Lexton, to 17/10, aver-Misses K. Liston and M. Donnel- aging 17/1; 50 shorn, Mr. John McKenzie. Mt. Rowan; 50 woolly, Mr. 6-3; Misses D. O'Neil and S. R. Walker, Vite Vite North; 48 woolly, Blight d. Misses Grant and McIn- Mr. C. M. Kay, Lismore; 9 woolly, Mr. IN A SMART, WELL-TAILORED Blight d. Misses Grant and McIn-Arch. Clark, Waubra, at 23/10; 11

The following district sales are rester d. B. Anderson and J. Grant, ocks, Major Alex. Russell, Mawallok, 6-2; J. O'Sullivan and Miss S. Beaufort, £9/17/6 to £8/5/, averaging Blight d. R. Buchan and Miss Car- £9/2/3; 6 comeback ewes, Mr. J. M. ter, 7-5; C. Flynn and Miss D. Power, Mena Park, to 17/3; 37 lambs, O'Neil d. C. Jeffries and Miss Daw- Mr. L. G. Close, Burrumbeet, 23/4 and son, 6-3; W. M. Fitzpatrick and 21/4, averaging 22/5; 14 shorn lambs, WELL-TAILORED, HAND-FIN- ORDERSIPROMPTLY EXECUTED Miss M. Donnellan d. B. Anderson Mr. F. L. Ball, Raglan, 21/1; 5 wethand Miss McIntyre, 6-3; F. Webster ers, Mr. J. O'Brien, Middle Creek, 16/; and Miss K. Liston d. J. Grant and 31 lambs, Mr. H. Hooke, Yerabin, Miss McIntyre, 6-2. Totals:—Beau-Buangor, 23/11; 16 lambs, Mr. J. R. fort C.Y.M.S., 8 sets 49 games; O'Brien, Middle Creek, 21/1; 38 lambs, Brewster, 0 sets 22 games Mr. W. Ahern, Shirley, 16/10; 110 The matches for to-day (Saturday) 22/10; 26 lambs, Messrs. Liston Bros. lambs, Mr. J. P. Fay. Middle Creek, are: Middle Creek v. Methodist B; Middle Creek, 17/; 85 lambs, Mr. P Methodist A. v. Brewster; Trawalla Hamilton. Burrumbeet, 25/7 and 25/4, A v. Raglan; C.Y.M.S. v. Trawalla averaging 25/6; 29 lambs, Mr. A. Wilkinson, Raglan, at 18/10.

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# DISTRICT NEWS COMING EVENTS

NERRING.

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TAKE A NOTE OF THEM. A well attended euchre and dance was held in the Nerring school on Paragraphs are only inserted in this column simultaneously with advertisements.

The Beaufort Jockey Club has arranged an attractive programme of trots, a novelty pony race, woodchops, novelty events, and children's races for the Back to Beaufort race meetren's Xmas, tree. Mr. L. Symons actbuses to the course, and a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon's sport is as-

On Wednesday, 23rd Decr., at his

The Beaufort Thistle Club's Back to Reaufort sports will be held in the congregation in aid of church funds local Park on Monday, 28th Decr. An attractive programme of Highland dancing, woodchopping, cycling, and Miss Schlicht, owe 15, 9—8; Chepstowe, sup. aa 27d; RMC/ChepMcLaughlin and Mrs Ashley, owe between sup. aa 25\frac{3}{4}d; JLS/Trawalla, four Xmas. cakes were packed and fancy dress procession. There is a 15, d. T. Tame and Miss J. Day, sup. com. 25 1/2d; DAC/I rawalla, cbk. sent to Erskine Mission. An inspiring good prize list. At night there will f 251/4d; Blythvale (Streatham). 1st address on the Assembly meeting at be a picture show and dance in com. 291/4d; Yangerahwil (Beaufort), Geelong was given by our president the Picture Theatre.

> 27\frac{3}{4}d, bkn. 24d; MC/L/BFT (Beau- Church grounds. At the conclusion shops from Decr. 25th to 4th Jany. At the Beaufort Swimming Club's Back to Beaufort carnival on Boxing Day, 26th Decr., a good programme BEAUFORT JOCKEY CLUB of aquatic events will be run. Entries close Decr. 23rd with Mr W.

M. Fitzpatrick, secretary. The following are the handicaps for Messrs. J. R. Wotherspoon & the Trots and the Pony Race at the Co's, Xmas. fair is now in full Beaufort Jockey Club's Boxing Day swing, and the firm's attractivelydressed windows contain a wide range of dainty. and useful presents to suit all tastes.

Tenders, closing on Jany 14th, are invited by the Public Works Department for repairs and painting, State School, Windermere.

The Railway Department advertises additional and altered trains for Xmas, and New Year holidays at greatly reduced fares.

MEMORIAL GATEWAY. — An Hobson, 1-6; R. Macdonald and 10/7; 87 merino ewes, Mr. C. M. Kay, Bony Race, four furlongs.—Royal the Lake Goldsmith State School on Lismore; 77 merino ewes, Mr. D. M. Baron, Nelly, Lady Beatrice, 8 st.; Friday afternoon, when a large num-McPherson, Werona; 38 merino weth- Coal King, Royalty, 8.6; Nancy Lee, ber of people from Beaufort and district assembled to honor the memory H. DUNN, / Handiof the late Cr. Donald Stewart, of H. HOVEY, cappers. Monmot. A memorial gateway, which had been erected at the entrance to HELD OVER. — Several news the school, was opened by Miss Lalla items from correspondents are held Stewart. Cr. Sinclair presided, and Crs. Troy and Kirkpatrick, Rev. Mr Thomas (Skipton), Mr Wilson (Geelong), Mr W. Lynch (Lake Gold-LOOK YOUR BEST FOR THE smith), and Mr D. R. Hannah (Ballarat) also spoke. A fuller report will appear in our next issue.

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Mails for Melbourne close 10.36 a.m., Monday to Saturday; 4.30 p.m., Monday to Friday; 6 p.m., Monday to Friday (via Ballarat); 1.10 p.m., Saturday.

Mails for Ararat and Middle Creek, close 11.45 a.m., Monday to Saturday.

Mails for Ballarat close 10.30 a.m. Monday to Saturday; 4.30 p.m. Monday to Friday; 1.10 p.m., Saturday (via Melbourne).

Mails for Buangor and Dobie close 11.45 a.m., Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.

Mails for Nerring close 9.40 a.m. Tuesday and Friday. Mails for Trawalla close 4.30 p.m.

Monday to Friday; 12.30 p.m. Satur-Mails to Raglan close 9.30 a.m.

Saturday. Mails for Waterloo and Chute close

12.30 p.m., Monday to Friday.

p.m., Tuesday and Friday. Mails for Lake Goldsmith close 12.30 p.m., Monday to Saturday.

Mails for Eurambeen close 12.30 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 2/21. Scores:-Friday.

Mails for Shirley, F.B., close 12.30 p.m., Tuesday and Friday.

Lake Goldsmith private bag service closes 12.30 p.m. Monday to Saturday.

Waterloo private bag service closes 12.30 p.m. Monday to Fridzy; M. Cole, c. J. Mathews, b. Murray, 19 Saturday, 9.30 a.m.

Work and Plan for BACK TO BEAUFORT CENTENARY HOMECOMING. Xmas. Week-end, 1936.

LOCAL FIXTURES.

Regular Local Mectings.

Ripon Shire Council.—Second Monday in the month. Police Court.—Every Monday (except holidays). Mechanics' Institute.—First Mcn- | Q. Farish, not out ..... cey in the month.

Fire Brigade.—First Monday the month. Bush Nursing Hospital Commit vec. Second Monday in the month. C.W.A.—First Thursday in the

month. C.Y.M.S.—Second Monday

Fiery Creek Lodge.-Second Wednesday in the month. Mark Lodge.—Fourth Thursday in every second month.

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Oddfellows. — Every Thursday to Rechabites. Rechabites. — Every alternate

Thraday to Oddfellows. ter months only).

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each month. Committee Ripon

R.S.L.—Second Saturday evening of Scores:the month. School Committee.—Third Monday

in each month. Fire Brigade Ledies' Social Club-

First and Third Tuesdays of month Thistle Club Committee. - First Tuesday in each month.

Younger Set. - Third Monday in each month. Swimming Club Committee. First Thursday in each month. Beaufort Anglers' Club. - Fire

Station, second Wednesday evening

in month.

#### CRICKET.

BUANGOR v. BEAUFORT FOOT-

With a weak team in which several Saturday, and played the Footballers. R. Johnson captained the home team. During the game there were occasionballers batted first for 85 runs; A. Day making 27, M. Cole 19, and S. McCracken 13. J. Murray, senr., was in good bowling form, and took 5 wickets for 21 runs. He was well supported by J. Meadows (4/28). There was a close finish to the match; Buangor winning by 2 wickets and one run right on the expiration of time. Ten runs were wanted. with only a few minutes to go, and the veteran, Q. Farish, was chiefly responsible for the victory of his side. Buangor scored 86 runs for the Mails for Mena Park close 12.30 loss of eight wickets. W. Meadows who batted nicely, contributed 23. W. Mathews 18, and J. Meadows 12. A Crick (3/9) had the best bowling average in the local team; G. Grant taking 3 for 19, and P. Trengove

FOOTBALLERS.

R. Johnson, b. J. Meadows ..... 7. O'Connell, c. W. Mathews, b. J. A. Day, b. Murray ..... S. McCracken, c. J. Murray, junr., J. Rush, b. Murray .....

G. Grant, run out ..... N. Hobson, b. Murray .. .. .. Fitzpatrick, b. Meadows ..... A. Crick, c. and b. J. Murray. E. Trengove, not out .....

Total ..... 85 Bowling-J. Meadows, 4/28; Q. Farish, 0/21; J. Murray, 5/21.

BUANGOR. E. Mathews, c. Trengove, b. Grant, 8

C. Mathews, b. Trengove ..... J. Murray, senr., b. Trengove ... W. Mathews, b. Grant ..... W. Meadows. b. Crick ..... Meadows, b. Crick ..... J. Murray, junr., b. Crick ..... in G. Baker, l.b.w., b. Grant ... E. White, not out ......

Total .. .. 8 for 86 Bowling—G. Grant, 3/19: P. Trengove, 2/21; Hobson, 0/16; A Crick, 3/9; Rush, 0/0; Cole, 0/8.

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BREWSTER v. NERRING.

Nerring visited Brewster on the 12th inst., and the match resulted in a win for the home team. Nerring ballers; Nerring v. Brewster. were without the services of their captain (H. V. Martin) and V. C. Jenkin. Brewster obtained 74 runs, Literary and Debating Society. — of which K. McIntyre made 23 (not Alternate Tuesdays to A.N.A (win-out) and S. Abbott 18. The bowling of which K. McIntyre made 28 (not honors were shared by I. Collins gor; Brewster v. Nerring. (4/32), H. Collins (3/19), and L. Symons (2/19). Nerring responded February 20.—Brewster v. Foot-Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in with 42; H. Collins being top scorer ballers; Buangor v. Nerring. with 15. L. Close took 4 wickets for Sub-branch, 11 runs, and D. Dawson 3 for 17.

RIPON COMPETITION.

. Hamilton, c. Symons, b. H. Collins .. .. .. .. .. places were filled by boys and new R. Dunn, c. Symons, b. I. Collins, 2 players, Buangor visited Beaufort on K. McIntyre, not out ..... 28 R. Dawson, I.b.w., b. H. Collins, M. Dawson, b. I. Collins .... 6 and J. Murray, senr., the visitors. S. Abbott, b. L. Symons .... 18 L. Close, c. Campbell, b. L. Symons, 5 al light showers of rain. The Foot-D. Anderson, c. A. Collins, b. H. Collins .. .. .. .. .. Sundries ..... 3 ins, 3/19; L. Symons, 2/19. NERRING.

Bowling-I. Collins, 4/32; H. Col-Collins, c. McIntyre, b. D Dawson .. .. .. .. .. .. Collins. c. M. Hamilton, b. D.

BREWSTER. Hamilton, c. E. Dawson, b. I. Collins .. .. .. .. ..

H. Jeffries, l.b.w., b. I. Collins,

D. Dawson, std. Marshall, b. H.

Sewart, l.b.w., b. L. Close ... Lynch, run out ...... Marshall, b. D. Dawson ... Campbell, run out Dawson, bowled L. Close ... Collins, run out ..... Symons, b. L. Close ..... Dawson, not out ..... Doull, c. D. Dawson, b. L. Close Sundries .....

Total .. .. .. 42 Bowling-D. Dawson, 3/17; P. Hamilton, 0/9; L. Close, 4/11. To-day (Saturday) Buangor will be at home to Brewster, and the

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SECOND ROUND. November 14.—Buangor v. Footballers; Nerring v. Brewster. November 21.—Brewster v. Buangor; Footballers v. Nerring. November 28.—Footballers Brewster; Nerring v. Buangor.

THIRD ROUND. December 12.-Footballers v. Buangor; Brewster v. Nerring, December 19.—Buangor v. Brewster; Nerring v. Footballers. January 9.—Brewster v. Footballers; Buangor v. Nerring.

FOURTH ROUND. January 16.—Buangor v. Foot-January 23.—Brewster v. Buangor; Footballers v. Nerring. January 30. - Footballers v. Brew-

ster; Nerring v. Buangor. FIFTH ROUND February 6.—Footballers v. Buan-February 13.—Buangor v. Brew-

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BEAUFORT, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1936.

Back to Beaufort Centenary Celebrations Round of Festivities

#### CRICKET

RIPON COMPETITION.

BEAUFORT FOOTBALLERS NERRING.

A closely-contested cricket match was played at Nerring on Saturday between the Beaufort Footballers and that club; the Footballers winning by the narrow margin of six runs. The visitors batted first for the total of 78 runs, of which R. Johnson made 19 (not out), F. O'Connell 17, and A. Day 14. H. Collins bowled well; taking 6 wickets for 20 runs. Nerring responded with 72 runs; H. Dawson being top scorer with 33. T. Stewart made 13, and L. Symons 11. The bowling honors were shared by G. Grant (with the excellent average of 6 for 17) and E. Trengove (3/14)

Scores:-BEAUFORT FOOTBALLERS. G. Grant, run out ..... 5 A. Day. run out .. ..... 14 S. McCracken, c. A. Lynch, b. H. F. O'Connell, c. and b. H. Collins, 1 R. Johnson, not out ...... 19 M. Cole, c. A. Lynch, b. H. Col-W. Hobson, c. H. V. Martin, b. H.

Gring, c. Martin, b. H. Spirit Trengove, b. H. Collins J. Fitzpatrick, run out Sundries .....

\* Total ..... 78 Bowling-H. V. Martin, 1/24; I. Collins, 0/11; L. Symons, 0/19; H. Collins, 6/20.

NERRING. H. V. Martin, c. J. Fitzpatrick, b. **G**. Grant ............ I. Collins, b. G. Grant .. .. .. T. Ryan, b. Grant ..... T. Stewart, b. Grant .. .. 13 H. Collins, b. E. Trengove .... A. Lynch, b. G. Grant .. .. E. Dawson, b. S. McCracken .. H. Dawson, c. J. Irving, b. Grant, 33

A. Marshall, c. Grant, b. Trengove, ( L. Symons, b. Trengove .... 1 A. Collins, not out v. ..... Sundries ..... Total ..... 72 Bowling-G. Grant, 6/17; E. Trengove, 3/14: S. McCracken, 1/19; N.

Hobson, 0/15; A. Day, 0/12. Buangor and Brewster also played

a well-contested game, which was won by Buangor by nine runs. On Saturday, January 9th, the

blunt axe, which they were throwing McMahon, 12-1. across a clothes-line. The axe rebounded and struck young Prowse on

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three stitches had to be inserted.

DENTIST, Will visit Beaufort on Tuesday and BUTTER WKAPPERS, Friday, at Mr. McLEAN'S,

#### PROGIEANINE.

FRIDAY, 25th DECEMBER, 1936,

Beaufort Gun Club's Shoot at Grounds at 10 a.m.

Beaufort Cycle Club's Road Race at 10.30 a.m.

Fire Brigade's Scratch Fours Competition, 11 a.m.

Official Welcome at Railway Station to Beaufort-in-Melbourne Committee on arrival of train

Official Welcome to all at the Band Rotunda at 3.30 p.m.

Old-time Dance and Social Evening. given by the Back to Beaufort Committee, in the Picture Theatre, at 8.30 p.m. All Comebacks free; others—Ladies, 1/: Gents.

SATURDAY, 26th DECEMBER, 1936

Beaufort Gun Club's Shoot at Grounds at iva.m. Back to School at Beaufort and Ragian

at 10.30 a.m. Beaufort Race Club's Meeting. First race to start at 2 p.m. Free buses leaving Lewell's corner at 1 p.m., 1.30 p.m., and 2 p.m.

Beaufort Swimming Club's Carnival. to start at 2.30 p.m.

Band Re-union, C.W.A. Hall, 8 m.m. Fire Brigade's Euchre, in Fire Brigade Hall, to start at 8.30 p.m.

Basket Ball Club's Re-union Tea and Open-air Dance, to start at 8 30 SUNDAY, 27th DECEMBER, 1936.

Back to the Churches in the morning.

Pleasant Sunday Afternoon in the Methodist Church. Optional Picnic to Mount Cole, given

by the Back to Beaufort Committee. Free buses will leave the Band Rotunda at 2 p.m.

Beaufort Town Band's Recital in the Park at 3 p.m. Collection taken up Evening Service, Methodist Church.

Beaufort Town Band's Sacred Concert in the Picture Theatre at 8.30 p.m. Collection will be taken up.

MONDAY, 28th DECEMBER, 1936.

Fancy Dress Procession from the Town to the Park, leaving the Town at 12.30 p.m., led by the Beaufort Town Band. Prizes for the best-dressed groups etc., will be given by the Back to Beaufort Committee.

Beaufort Thistle Club's Sports, to be held in the Park, commencing at 1.30 p.m.

Beaufort Thistle Club's Talkies in the Picture Theatre at 8 p.m. Dance in the Theatre after the Pictures.

TUESDAY, 29th DECEMBER, 1936

M.U.I.O.O.F.'S Euchre and Dance in the Picture Theatre, to start at 8

GENERAL REMARKS.

Beaufort Tennis Courts, Bowling Green. Croquet Lawn, and Swimming Pool will be open to all visitors free of charge during the celebrations, and matches will be arranged.

#### BOWLING CLUB

SINGLES COMPETITION.

The local Bowling Club held a singles competition on Saturday, which Valley, will be en fete to receive a was won by D. Stevenson, with H. E. large influx of former residents re-Cuthbertson as runner-up. The tro- turning for Back-to-Murchison Celephy (valued at £1/1/) was presented brations, which are to be held at Eas-

by Mr G. H. Green. Results:- ter, 1937. A varied programme of en-First Round-E. J. Muntz d. G. tertainments has been drawn up, in-Wilding; H. J. Troy d. H. O. Col- cluding a sports meeting, race meet- ly. Footballers will visit Brewster, and lier; D. Stevenson d. S. Jacobs, 13— ing, Back-to-School, motor tours and Buangor will be at home to Nerring. 12; G. H. Green d. D. F. Troy, picnics, and visitors to the town dur-17-5; A. Dunn d. C. Dowling, 17-ing that period are assured of a most HEAD GASHED. — On Sunday 3: W. J. Stevenson d. Dr. S. E. pleasent week. A feature of the celetwo Beaufort boys named Norman Humphreys; L. Watkin d. J. Irving, brations is the official opening of Day and Prowse were playing with a 12-9; H. E. Cuthbertson d. L. new steel single span bridge over the Goulburn River at Murchison, which

Second Round-Muntz d. H. J. His Excellency Lord Huntingfield has Troy, 11-6; D. Stevenson d. Green, accepted an invitation to perform. the head; inflicting a gash into which 11-10; W. J. Stevenson d. Dunn, Those interested in the home-coming 20-5: Cuthbertson d. Watkin, 12- movement are requested to forward Semi-finals—D. Stevenson d. W. Furphy) to facilitate sending in-

Muntz. 12-10; Cuthbertson d. W. J. vitations. The secretary's address is Stevenson, 16-10. Final-D. Stevenson d. Cuthbertson. 12-6.

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## BEAUFORT CLUB.

ued the Oddie Mixed Doubles on Saturday, which resulted in a win for E. Jess, owe 15, d. F. Webster and Miss S. Crouch and Miss D. Parker. Re-S. Lynch, owe 15, 5-2; J. Bowd and

Hodgetts and Mrs J. Pearce, owe 2 owe 15, d. J. Bowd and Miss K. 15, 9-5

Semi-finals—H. A. Stowell and Miss E. Nickols d. Rev. J. P. Mac-ther Callaghan and Miss N. Flynn, Dougall and Miss J. D'Helin, owe 30, 11 games. No.2.: W. Fitzpatrick walkover; E. S. Crouch and Miss D. and Miss S. Fay, 10. No. 3: D. Parker, owe 30, d. W. W. Ashley Lynch and Miss M. Jess, 9. and Miss R. Christie, owe 30, 6-1, 5-6, 6-5.

Parker d. H. A. Stowell and Miss which was keenly contested and high-E. Nickols, 6-1, 6-5.

BEAUFORT DISTRICT COMPETITION.

Brewster forfeited to Beaufort Me-

sets to 3. feated Beaufort Methodist B (2 sets in perpetuity a cash prize of £5 per 27 games). Scores (Methodist B annum for the winner of a special players mentioned first):-J. B. prize to be competed for by students Hewitt and R. T. Macdonald lost to The chairman of the College Coun-J. Bowd and B. Lynch, 3-6; A. cil (Rev. Dr. C. N. Button) said the H. Dunn and Miss B. Macdonald lost one of the great pioneers and explorto Misses L. Franc and G. McNeil, ers of Australia, and the object was 3-6; Missse S. Willis and E. Hob- that the boys growing up in the colson defeated Misses S. Fay and M. lege would have a good knowledge of Jess, 6-2; J. B. Hewitt and Mrs the lives of those men who did the Dunn lost to J. McNeil and Miss G. spade work in establishing this coun-McNeil, 3-6; R. T. Macdonald and try in its earliest days. Thus in some Miss E. Hobson lost to W. Torney small measure the essay would help and Miss L. Franc, 0-6; A. Laney to keep alive the memory of these and Miss E. Willis lost to J. Bowd men. It might be added that to en-

Trawalla A; Trawalla B v. Methodist up by the principal of the college A v. C.Y.M.S.

In the Beaufort district tennis com- will be announced. Engineer-competition on Saturday, the Beaufort mander and Mrs Mackenzie were C.Y.M.S. team (7 sets 40 games) warmly thanked for their latest dedefeated Trawalla B (1 set 30 monstration of practical interest in games) at Beaufort. Results (C.Y.M. the college. players mentioned first):-J. O'Sullivan and J. Rush d. L. Williams and S. Pascoe, 6-0; C. Flynn and W. Fitzpatrick d. M. Broadbent and W. Halpin, 6-2; Misses S. Blight and D. O'Neil d. Misses J. Broadbent and E. Campbell, 6-3; Misses K. Liston and M. Donnellan d. Misses E. Smith and J. Broadbent, 6-2; J. O'Sullivan and Miss S. Blight d. S. Pascoe and Miss E. Campbell, 6-0; J. Rush and Miss K. Liston d. L. Williams and Miss J. Broadbent, 6-4; C. Flynn and Miss D. O'Neil lost to M. Broadbent and Miss E. Smith, 6-4. W. Fitzpatrick and Miss M. Donnellan d. W. Halpin and Miss E. Campbell, 6-3.

C.Y.M.S. CLUB.

MIXED DOUBLES TOURNAMENT.

The Beaufort C.Y.M.S. Tennis Club held an enjoyable tournament at their courts on Sunday, which was won by W. M. Fitzpatrick and Miss S. Fay. Results:-

Section 1.—Rev. Father Callaghan and Miss N. Flynn, owe 30, d. W. Halpin and Miss K. Liston, owe 15 5-2; J. Flynn and Miss D. O'Neil, owe 30, d. C. Flynn and Miss M. Donnellan, owe 30, 4-3; W. Halpin and Miss K. Liston, owe 15, d. C. Flynn and Miss M. Donnellan, owe 30, 4-3; Rev. Father Callaghan and Miss N. Flynn, owe 30, d. J. Flynn and Miss D. O'Neil, owe 30, 6-1.

Section 2.-W. Fitzpatrick and Miss S. Fay, owe 15, d. T. Sullivan and Miss A. Jess, scr., 5-2; B. Phone 29.

Lynch and Mrs J. Pearce, owe 30, d. J. Rush and Miss C. Lynch, owe 30 4-3; W. Fitzpatrick and Miss S. Fay, owe 15, d. J. Rush and Miss C Lynch, owe 30, 5-2; B. Lynch and Mrs J. Pearce, owe 30, d. Miss A Jess and Miss A. Jess, scr., 5-2.

Section 3.—D. Lynch and Miss M. Miss K. Flynn, owe 36, d. F. Web-Second Round-H. A. Stowell and ster and Miss S. Lynch, owe 15, Miss E. Nickols, owe ½ 15, d. R. C. 4-3; D. Lynch and Miss M. Jess,

Section Winners .-- No. 1: Rev. Fa-

Final.—W. Fitzpatrick and Miss S. Fay d. Rev. Father Callaghan Final-E. S. Crouch and Miss D. and Miss N. Flynn, 9-8. The final, capably umpired by Mr W. I. Hal-

PRIZE FOR ESSAY. — It was announced at the speech - night of the Trawalla A defeated Raglan by 5 Ballarat College that Mrs H. P. Mackenzie, of Trawalla, had invested Middle Creek (6 sets 38 games) de- a sum of money which would ensure Laney and H. Dunn defeated J. prize would be for an essay each year McNeil and W. Torney, 6-0; Mrs on the subject of the life and work of Jany. 9th, as follow:—Brewster v. conditions of the essay will be drawn B; Raglan v. Middle Creek; Methodist (Mr R. E. Thwaites) in due course, and the rsult of the first competition



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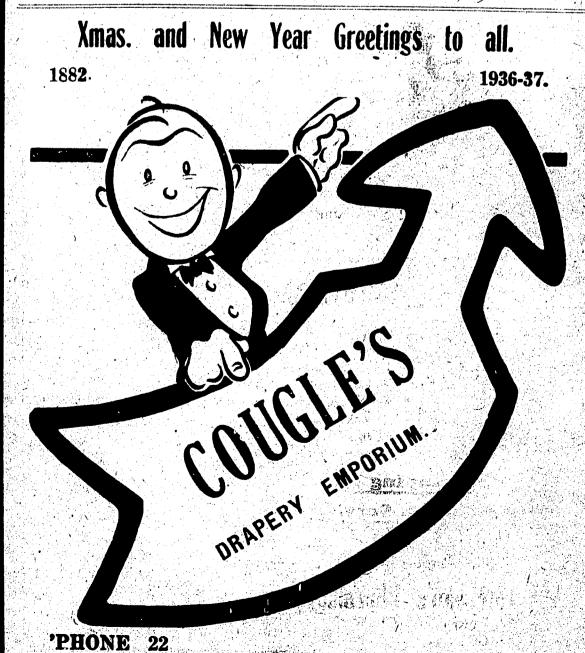
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#### BEAUFORT C.Y.M.S.

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With an attendance of 21 members the monthly meeting of the Beaufort C.Y.M.S. was held in the Mechanics' Institute on Monday, 14th inst. Mr J. Rush, who occupied the presidential chair, congratulated the members on their fine performance at the Ballarat district C.Y.M.S. sports in gaining second place, and also on the renewed interest they were taking in the affairs of the society. Correspondence was read from St. Patrick's College, Ballarat, re a cricket match to be held early in the New Year. Accounts amounting to £14 were passed for payment. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr and Mrs Donnellan, who so kindly provided supper for the members who took part in the play, "Marry for Money," on the 9th inst. The halfyearly balance-sheet, as read by the secretary, was adopted, subject to audit. It was resolved to erect a shelter at the society's tennis court. which is to be asphalted during the Christmas period. The following members were elected as office-bearers:-President, Mr J. M. Rush; vice-president, Mr W. M. Fitzpatrick; secretary, Mr B. Lynch; assistant-secretary, Mr J. Liston; treasurer, Mr F. P. Sheehan; warden . Mr K. Liston; librarian, Mr C. Flynn; press correspondent, Mr F. J. Webster; editor of magazine, Mr A. King; committee, Messrs. W. Lynch, D. Lynch, T. Ryan, T. Mulcahy, J. O'Sullivan, and J. Fitzpatrick; auditors, Messrs. C./Flynn and J. Collins. The officers were installed by Mr D. Lynch. The syllabus item for the evening was a debate, "Should hotels be open till 10 p.m., instead of p.m.?" With three members a side. the debate proved very interesting; the affirmative side winning by a narrow margin of points.

POLICE COURT. — Messrs. R. A D. Sinclair, L. Smith, and C. H McKay, J's.P., occupied the Bench at the Beaufort Police Court on Monday. Richard Duggan applied for a collector's licence, which was granted. Secondhand dealers' licences were granted to Skene & Dunstan, E. R. Martin, S. F. Wallis, and J. R. Wotherspoon & Co. Wm. H. Williams applied for two carriers' licences, which were granted. Harry Victor Martin made application for a real estate sub-agent's licence and a business sub-agent's licence. Both were granted. Hawkers' licences were granted to Frank McGivern and D Smith. Mr Sinclair congratulated Mr C. H. McKay on his appointment as a J.P., and was supported by Messrs. L. Smith and C. Reddie. Mr McKay returned thanks. The season's greetings were extended to the police, clerk of courts, and the Press by Mr Sinclair on behalf of the Bench. The Press was complimented by the presiding justice on the attention given to the reporting of all court proceedings.



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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1936. THE FESTIVE SEASON.

THE festive season, with its long train of time-honored associations, is upon us. Although we in Australia do not celebrate Christmas under the same conditions as those in the Old Land, with snow outside and the blazing Yule log shedding its warmth indoors, our marking of the event of the 1936th anniversary of the birth of the Master is none the

committee and the committees of tralian Red Corss. takable signs of the progress that other members of the lodge. has taken place here in the past 15 to 20 years. Prospects for a prosperous New Year for Australia were never brighter. The depression is gradually being left behind, and wheat and wool are now being produced at payable prices. The British Empire starts 1937 at the beginning of a new reign, and its people are un-

#### OURSELVES.

of the new proprietorship, we take lodgings. the oppportunity of heartily thanking our subscribsrs for the continued interest they have shown in the paper, and the various local clubs and busi-

"THE RIPONSHIRE ADVOCATE." -There will be no issue of the "Riponshire Advocate" on Saturday, 2nd January, 1937. A sheet calendar is given to subscribers with this issue.

DOGS WORRY SHEEP. - - Messrs. -- Inserted by father, mother, bro- H. J. Buchanan, E. R. Martin, and J. P. Rogers, of Beaufort, had dogs during the past week or so.

VANDALISM. — Some destructive and caused other damage at the Revival mine, Beaufort. A reward is of- best quality; values being 15/ to 20/ and in the evening at 8 o'clock a simfered to anyone giving information

Christmas homecoming. The footpaths in all the principal side streets stores. Trade sheep were lightly sup- "The League of Nations." Mr Ncel have been scraped and the grass cut plied, although there was a better Wotherspoon and Mrs G. E. Vertiwith a horse-drawn mower.

BUSINESS CHANGE. — An oldestablished Beaufort business that has been conducted by the one family for over 60 years, is likely to change hands early in the New Year. It is highly probable that Messrs. Buchanan Bros, will lease their blacksmithing business to Mr Haddon, of Glenthompson.

less sincere and hearty, even though work has been done during the year iers' sorts; many being in forward trots, a novelty pony race, woodchops, we may be sweltering in a tempera- by the children of the Middle Creek condition. Exporters again competed novelty events, and children's races ture of from 85 to 90 degrees in the Junior Red Cross, whose leader is Mrs freely; the market being very strong, for the Back to Beaufort race meetshade. We do our best to live up to M. E. McNeil. The society has the showing a rise of 1/. Graziers bid ing at the local Racecourse on Saturthe traditions of an English Christ- laudable aim of inculcating unselfish- strongly for turning out sorts. Prime day, Decr. 26th. There will be free mas, so deeply impressed on our ness in its young workers. The so- woolly, 24/ to 26/; extra, 27/ to 29; buses to the course, and a thoroughly minds by the great storyteller, Charciety sent 42 doz. eggs to the Balla- good, 21/ to 23/; useful, 17/ to 19/; enjoyable afternoon's sport is asles Dickens. This year the Christ- rat Base Hospital, and Phyllis Dunn prime shorn, 21/ to 22/7; good, 18/ sured. mas season coincides with an import- won a 10/ prize given by the Hos- to 20/; useful, 14/ to 16/. ant event in the history of this town | pital. Knitted singlets, toys, and | the second Back to Beaufort move- books were sent to the Children's port:—Cattle: 10 head, from Mar- Theatre on New Year's Eve. ment, and the celebration of the cen- Hospital, a case of jam and pickles, oona. Calves: 4, Mr G. Jolly, Balla- On New Year's Night the Raglan

various clubs have been hard at work ODDFELLOWS' XMAS. SOCIAL. 106 merino wethers, Mr T. Moyne, for three months making prepara- A large number of Beaufort child- Staveley, to 17/10; 94 merino ewes tions, in order that our homecoming ren turned up at the local Picture and wethers, Mr J. Creed, Scarsdale; visitors may have as happy and plea- Theatre on Monday night, when the 70 crossbred wethers, Mr L. Manton, sant a time as possible during their members of the Oddfellows' Lodge Staveley, to 21/7; 64 ewes, Mr D. M. stay with us. If only the clerk of the held their annual Xmas. party. A de- McPherson, Werona; 51 merino ewes, weather will be kind, the celebra- corated Xmas. tree occupied pride of Mr D. J. Williams, Avoca, 50 cometions should be crowned with unquali- place in the hall, and Father Xmas. back wethers, Mr W. H. Waldron, fied success, which will be ample re- personally handed each child a nice Carranballac, 25/1 to 21/10, averagward for those who have given their gift. Supper was served, and the ing 24/, being top price and average time and energy in organising the young folk romped until 10 p.m., for wethers; 39 comeback ewes and Park, Sunday, Decr. 27th; also sacmovement. We hope that the Christ- when their elders took the floor for a wethers, Messrs. L. Watkin & Son, red concert in Picture Theatre, at mas season of 1936 will be a memor- dance; Messrs. Eric Wilson and W. Main Lead, wethers to 16/10, averag- 8.30. able one in Beaufort, and that the Day supplying the music. The secre- ing 16/5; 25 merino wethers, Mr John comebacks will carry away with them tarial duties were carried out by McKenzie, Mt. Rowan. Lambs: 138 happy recollections of their visit to Bro. W. A. Skene, who was assist- shorn, from Mingay, to 17/6; 55 the scenes of their youth, and that ed by Past-grands Driver and Hum- woolly, Mesdames Coutts and Brewthey will be pleased with the unmis- phries, Sister E. Holdsworth, and ster, Avondale, Waubra, to 23/4, av-

> BACK TO BEAUFORT. WELCOME AT STATION.

MOTOR CAR OWNERS ASKED TO HELP.

When the members of the Beaufort- E. Mares, Sebastopol, at 17/4. animous in their loyalty to and good in-Melbourne Club are welcomed at wishes for the future of Their the Beaufort railway station by the

BACK TO TALLANGATTA. tions. We assure all our patrons that ranged. Former residents who desire we will do our utmost to merit con- to return should communicate with tinuance of their confidence and trust. Mr G. E. Briggs, hon. secretary and

BALLARAT LIVE STOCK MARKET.

COMMERCIAL

Tuesday.

For the final market of the year at a number of their sheep worried by Ballarat on Tuesday, cattle totalled advertisements. 167—an exceptionally light offering. Bullocks were scarce, most of the persons have broken all the windows yarding comprising cows and heif-TOWN TIDIED UP. — This year Prime cows sold from £6/10/ to £7 union services at 11 a.m. and 7 a great deal of work has been done by 2/6; good, £5 to £6; and useful, £3 to p.m. in the Beaufort Church. At 3 the Ripon Shire Council in tidying 4. There was a yarding of 144 cal- p.m. there will be a P.S.A., at up the town of Beaufort for the ves, and best made to £7/6/. Sheep which the speaker will be Colonel G. totalled 5014, including about 1900 A. Street, M.H.R., and his subject proportion of wethers. Competition gan are to be the soloists. At & p.m., was spirited; best quality being fully after the Church service, there will 25/2; good, 19/ to 22/; prime cross- opportunity given for old friends to bred ewes, 18/ to 20/; extra, to 23/4; meet and converse in an informal good, 15/ to 17/; prime merino weth- way. The Methodist people of Beauers, 18/ to 20/; extra, to 23/11; good, fort extend a very warm invitation to 15/ to 17/. Lambs totalled 4592, be- locals and all homecomers to be preing a substantial reduction. There sent at these services. was a fair supply of prime quality. | The Beaufort Jockey Club has ar-MIDDLE CREEK J.R.C. — Good A large proportion consisted of graz- ranged an attractive programme of

> thers, Mr D. J. Glenton, Cape Clear; Public Hall. eraging 22/7; 49 shorn, Mr John El-20/1; 48 shorn, Mr John McKenzie, Mt. Rowan; 45 woolly, Mr Robt. Simpson, Trawalla, to 23/10, averaging 23/2; 16 shorn, Mr D. M. McPherson, Werona; 15 woolly, Mr J. Geo. McIvor, Ascot, to 25/10; 1, Mr

The following district sales are re-Majesties, King George VI. and president of the Back to Beaufort cow, Mrs Johnson, Beaufort, £6/12/ ported by other auctioneers:—One Committee (Mr A. J. Hughes) on 6; 3 merino wethers, Mr L. Smith, the arrival of the mid-day train on Trawalla, 20/2; 6 lambs, Mrs Smith, Xmas. Day, any residents owning Tawalla, 20/; 40 merino wethers and motor cars are asked to place them at ewes, Messrs. A. McIntyre & Sons, AS this issue of the "Riponshire Ad- the disposal of the committee for the Pretty Tower N., Beaufort; 6 comevocate" terminates the first year purpose of conveying visitors to their back ewes, Mr H. J. Smith, Stockyard Hil, 17/1; 123 shorn lambs, same al department of the Y.A.L., are due owner, 22/1 to 19/1, averaging 20/4; to reach Beaufort on Tuesday, 5th 45 lambs, Mr W. L. Fay, Carran- January. In the evening at the Picballac, 18/3; 43 lambs, Mr D. S. ture Theatre they will stage the re-Tallangatta, which has been re- Murray, Wongan, Beaufort, 23/2; 14 vue, "Sailors Don't Care," a presenness houses for the valued support prieved from the threat of submergshorn lambs, Mr F. L. Ball, Raglan, tation in a nautical setting that is they have given to the job-printing ence by the Hume Weir waters, will 18/10; 10 lambs, Mr G. Cuthbertson, and advertising branches of our busi- celebrate with a Back to Tallangatta Raglan, 23/11; 12 merino ewes, Mr ous dialogue, interspersed with pleasand advertising prancies of our publication of the land District, to be held from 10th to P. Hamilton, Burrumbeet, 13/4; 77 ing vocal and instrumental items and

## **COMING EVENTS**

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1936

TAKE A NOTE OF THEM.

Paragraphs are only inserted in this column simultaneously with

METHODIST CHURCH VICES. — A short service will be held in the Beaufort Methodist Church ers. There was a brisk demand for on Christmas morning at 8 o'clock, dearer. Prime medium-weight bul- ilar service will be held at Raglan, to good, £8 to £9; and useful, £6 to £7. 27th inst., there will be special re-1/ dearer. Other grades were firmer. be a social hour in the school hall. Prime crossbred wethers, 23/ to Refreshments are to be served, and

Messrs. D. R. Hannah & Co. re- a euchre and dance at the Picture

rat; 4, from Maroona. Sheep: 167 we- Athletic Club will hold a dance in the

Mr Eric Thomas visits Beaufort on Thursday, Jany. 7th.

Dance at C.W.A. Hall on Monday night, in aid of Fire Brigade. Music

School Hall, Thursday, Feby. 25th.

of aquatic events will be run.

The Beaufort Thistle Club's Back to Beaufort sports will be held in the

#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

Y.A.L. BOYS WILL STAGE SPARKLING REVUE.

Forty boys, known as the "White Minstrels," selected from the musicness. To our correspondents in the and District, to be more and District, to be more and outlying places we also offer our 17th March, 1937. A comprehensive lambs, same owner, 24/1 to 25/7, av- skilful dancing. The contributors are all boys ranging in age from 10 to 15 and their abiity as entertainers.... We wish all residents of the town and organiser. Tallangatta, and all ar- £34/4/ was cleared at the recent fete vices of professional tutors for their district a Merry Christmas and a rangements will be made for their re- at Stockyard Hill, instead of £14, as trainings Quite a number of the boys could be depended upon to hold their

The Beaufort Thistle Club will hold

Fire Brigade's big euchre for big cash prizes, Saturday night.

by Bay's Orchestra. Wee Scotch fair, Presbyterian

Back to Beaufort band recital in

At the Beaufort Swimming Club's Back to Beaufort carnival on Boxing Day, Decr. 26th, a good programme

lis, Brewster, to 21/7, averaging local Park on Monday, 28th Decr. An attractive programme of Highland dancing, woodchopping, cycling, footracing, and novelty events has been arranged. There will also be a fancy dress procession. There is a good A. Harris, Beaufort, to 23/; 9, Mr prize list and 102 entries have been received for the 29 athletic events. At night there will be a picture show and dance in the Picture Theatre.

#### March 13 and 20.—Final. SINEWS OF COUNTRY

JOURNALISM.

February 20.—Brewster v. Foot-

SEMI-FINALS AND FINAL.

RIPON CRICKET

ASSOCIATION.

FIXTURES.

October 24.—Footballers v. Buan-

November 7.—Brewster v. Foot-

SECOND ROUND.

November 28.—Footballers

THIRD ROUND.

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FOURTH ROUND

FIFTH ROUND.

January 16.—Buangor v. Foot-

ers; Buangor v. Nerring.

FIRST ROUND.

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Nerring v. Footballers.

named club.

you do not feel able to run an adver- so to receive a wedding gift from the disement, surely you can afford to give the newspaper your cards, dodgers, billheads, letterheads, envelopes, and all business printing to execute. The newspaper man needs it, and it helps him to pay his print-1 ers for setting up the thousand and derived from job printing.

persons or boys breaking all the postage are as follow:-Windows at the Revival Mine: also For delivery within the Commonother damage done.

# SOCIAL NOTES

NEWS ABOUT PEOPLE AND EVENTS. ment value of the presentations as a The marriage of Hazel Phyllis,

that given by these boys. Without Smith, of Ararat, with Mr Thomas 31st, 1936. exception, the quality of the work Williams, son of Mr and Mrs J. Wilwas altogether out of proportion to liams, "Kirkaldy," Main Lead, Beau- BACK TO BEAUFORT Band Recittheir youth, and reflects the extent fort, was celebrated at Holy Trinity al in Park on Sunday, December to which the natural talent has been Church of England, Ararat, on Sat- 27th, at 3 p.m., by Beaufort Town

ticularly noteworthy were the splen-ber and assistant-secretary of the lection. A. COWELL, Secretary. did voices of the boys. Other attrac- Beaufort Tennis Club, has been transtive features were the eccentric dan- ferred to Maffra, and on Saturday afcing and splendid dressing. The show ternoon the members presented her moves at a gay tempo throughout. with a neat bridge set as a token of Seats may be reserved at Ashley's, appreciation and esteem. Mr W. W. The final arrangements for the Ashley (president) made the presen-Y.A.L. Boys' visit on 5th Jany. were tation in a few well-chosen words. made by Mr Day on Wednesday. Mrs A. M. Parker was appointed as-The boys will arrive at the Shire Hall sistant-secretary.

an the Tuesday at noon, when they Sunday, Jany. 3rd, 1937, will be MEETING (under auspices Beauwil be received by Cr. D. F. Troy the 25th anniversary of the weddings fort Jockey Club), at Beaufort Race- Thursday, February 25th. (shire president). The hosts will of Mr and Mrs A. M. Parker and Mr | course on SATURDAY, DECEMthen be introduced to the boys. A and Mrs A. E. Crick, of Beaufort. BER 26th, 1936. Musical Programme THE Promoters of the Donald Stetrip for the afternoon will possibly be Both couples were married at St. by Beaufort Brass Band. Novelty arranged. It is claimed by the produ- Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Beau- Pony Race, £5; Flying Mile Handicer, Mr Courtney Ford, that these are fort, on the same day; the ceremon- cap Trot, £5 and Silver Cup; Beauthe best lot of boys he has ever ies being performed by the Rev. fort Handicap Trot, £7 and Bridle; trained. Mr W. Skene is in charge of Chas. Neville, now of Melbourne. the arrangements at Beaufort, and At the annual meeting of share- Woodchop, £5; Standing Block Chop, will supply particulars.

pointed chairman of directors.

Mr Sykes, special ganger at Beaufort, and Mrs Sykes, are going away for their Christmas holidays. All matches on ground of first-

First-constable Roche, of Geelong, has taken charge of the Beaufort Police Station, as successor to Sen-October 31.—Buangor v. Brewster; ior-constable J. Hargreaves.

Mr Lonie, father of Mrs D. Man-

November 14.—Buangor v. Foot-Among the graduates of the University of Melbourne, on whom de-November 21.—Brewster v. Buan-grees in medicine and surgery were conferred on Monday, and who were registered and admitted to practice at a special meeting of the Medical December 12.—Footballers v. Bu-Board on Wednesday, was Dr. Theo. dore Schlicht, eldest son of Mr and December 19.—Buangor v. Brew-Mrs T. W. Schlicht, of Beaufort. January 9.—Brewster v. Football-Misses M., A., and C. Norman, of

Beaufort, are going to Tasmania for the Xmas, holidays. Misses A. E. and B. Schlicht will

January 30.—Footballers v. Brew-Dr. and Mrs Humphreys, of Beau-

fort, are going away for the Xmas. February 6.-Footballers v. Buan-

February 13.—Buangor v. Brew-C.W.A. YOUNGER SET. — Twelve-members were present at the December meeting of the Beaufort branch, C.W.A. Younger Set, held February 27 and March 6. - Semi- at the Club Rooms on Monday evening. The secretaries reported a good profit on the Xmas. party, 25/ of which it was decided to donate to the senior branch's Building Fund. A gift evening is to be tendered to The best support you can give your Miss Ivy Macdonald, in honor of her newspaper is your job printing. If approaching marriage, and she is al-Younger Set.

#### RATES OF POSTAGE ON NEWSPAPERS.

The Deputy Director of Posts and one free notices he gives you and Telegraphs (Mr R. Lawson) desires Your town. The time may come when to point out that newspapers print-I newspaper can live simply upon the ed outside the Commonwealth, or revenue obtained from advertising those not registered at a General and subscriptions, but no ordinary Post Office for transmission through newspaper in any ordinary town can the post as newspapers, are, when exist without the auxiliary support posted in the Commonwealth, classified as printed matter, and corsequently the conditions relating to REWARD to Anyone who saw the printed matter apply. The rates of

wealth .. .. .. 1d per 4 oz.

BALL will be held by the Raglan A GOOD XMAS. PRESENT TO Supper provided, G. H. CUTH- donald's, Day's, and W. L. Williams' BERTSON, Secretary.

BEAUFORT Thistle Club's Euchre DANCE at the C.W.A. Palais de whole been of such high standard as daughter of Mr and Mrs J. H. New Year's Eve, Thursday, Deer. till 2 a.m. Swing Music by Blay's

Theatre, at 8.30 p.m. Excellent Mu-

BACK to Beaufort Swimming Carni-Decr. 26th. Good Programme of Evmitted free, others 1/.

dent; W. M. FITZPATRICK, Secy. BACK TO BEAUFORT RACE NOTE THIS! A Wee Scotch Fair in

Consolation Trot, £5; Underhand Co. N.L. on Saturday, Messrs. R. trophies for Woodchops. Novelty Ev-A. D. Sinclair (Beaufort) and T. ents and Children's Races. Entries Big Euchre, for Big Cash Prizes, and McNish (Raglan) were elected as di- close Monday, 14th Decr. Admission: only 1/6 admission. rectors, and Mr Sinclair was then ap- Gents., 2/; Ladies, 1/. Free 'Buses

BEAUFORT THISTLE CLUB'S

# **BACK TO BEAUFORT**

DECEMBER, 1936.

FANCY Dress Procession, leaving tion is extended to all homecomers. Rotunda at 12.30. £3 in prizes. Highland Dancing, £16 and Blue Ribbon. Additional Events: Under 10-Highland Fling and Sheantruis; 15/ and 5/ each. Woodchops, £15/10/ and Blue Ribbon. Open Amateur Cycle Races, orders to value of £16. Lo-Rev. W. J. Tame. ue of £3/12/6. District Clubs' Bicycle Race, £6/7/6 and Silver Cup. January 23.—Brewster v. Buan-spend the Xmas. holidays at Lakes Competition, £1. Novelty Events. Admission, 1/6; Children, 9d.

Motor Cars, free. PICTURE SHOW IN PICTURE THEATRE, AT NIGHT.

DANCE TO FOLLOW. Cr. CHAS. H. McKAY, Chief. W. MANSON, Secy.

Athletic Club in the Public Hall on New Year's Night, 1st January, the Back to Beaufort Historical Sou-1937. Good Music. Efficient M.C. venir Booklet. Price, 6d, at Mac-

Orchestra. In aid of Fire Brigade,

exploited by leading professional pro- urday, 19th Decr. A reception fol- Band. Sacred Concert in Picture BONE, Middle Creek. good order. Apply J. KNEEthe keynote of the entire show. Par- Miss R. Christie, an active mem- sic. Good Variety Programme. Col- HONEY! Order through G. QUIG-

LEY, Agent, Main Lead P.O. Enclose stamp for reply. val, at local Baths, Boxing Day, MR. ERIC L. THOMAS, L.D.S., ents; Afternoon tea. Members ad- Pharmacy, Beaufort, every first (Melb. Univ.), visits Ashley's

J. F. WOTHERSPOON, Presi- THURSDAY, 7th JANUARY. Thursday in month. Next visit-

the Presbyterian School Hall wart Memorial wish to sincerely thank all donors and those who assisted in any way; especially thanking Mr R. Ward, Misses E. M. and D. Ward, and Miss Alma Kirkpatholders of the Linton Gold Mining £2/10/; also special racing axes as WHERE TO GO SATURDAY

to Racecourse. W. A. SKENE, Sec- METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES

CHRISTMAS DAY: 8 a.m., Beaufort; 8 p.m., Raglan-Rev. G. E. Vertigan. SUNDAY, DECR. 27th: 11 a.m.—Rev. G. E. Vertigan. 3 p.m.-P.S.A. Speaker: Colonel G. A. Street, M.H.R. Subject, "The League of Nations." Soloists, Mr. son, of Beaufort, has been very iil of BEAUFORT PARK, MONDAY, 28th tigan. 7 p.m.—Rev. G. E. Vertigan. 8 p.m.—Social Hour in School Hall. A cordial Welcome and Invita-

CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, 27th DECEMBER, 1936.

Church of England.—Beaufort, 11 and 7; Main Lead, 2; Waterloo, 3-

Methodist Church.—Beaufort, 11 and 7; Chute, 2; Raglan, 3.15-Rev. Footraces, £2/10/. Sheep Guessing fort, 3—Colonel G. A. Street, M.H.R.

Presbyterian Church .- Buangor, 11; Middle Creek, 3; Beaufort, 7-Rev. J. P. MacDougall, M.A. Salvation Army.—Sunday, 11, Holiness Meeting; 2.30, Sunday School; 7 . Salvation Meeting; Thursday, 8 p.m. Waterloo — Every Wed-

#### nesday, at 8 p.m.—Lieut. Stone. AUSTRALIA'S LEADING JUVENILE ENTERTAINERS.

# 40 - Y.A.L. WHITE MINSTRELS - 40.

At the PICTURE THEATRE, BEAUFORT. TUESDAY, 5th JANUARY. Present their Scintillating Success, "SAILORS DON'T CARE." PRESS OPINIONS:

"Nothing finer has been seen in this town than this revue, given by boys trained to the minute, and with the assurance of the professional . . sparkling wit flashed across the stage from start to finish; there was not a dull moment . . . the audience rose to talented cleverness." -"Murray Pioneer, " Renmark, S.A.

"A large audience went to the theatre sympathetically inclined, but left convinced that many of the company possess talents which should provide them with bright futures.".

\_\_\_ Ballarat.

SEE THE KIDS-THEY'RE GOOD. Prices: 3/ (reserved), 2/. Booking at W. Ashley's. Children. half-price.

BREWSTER.

SCHOOL CONCERT AND BREAK-UP.

On Wednesday night, Decr. 15th, the school children of Brewster staged their annual concert, which was a great success. The acting of the children surpassed even that of last year's concert, and reflected credit on and the audience was a very appreciative one. Mr McIntyre was chairtyre thanked all those who helped to nection with their little school: make the concert a success. Mr Buchan responded. During the last item former Ripon Shire councillor and Father Christmas arrived and dis- associate of Cr. Stewart, spoke in tributed toys, ice-cream, and lollies culogistic terms of the work and charto every boy and girl in the district. acter of the late Cr. Stewart. faces as they shook hands, it was the Ballarat Caledonian Society. easily seen that it was a memorable event in their young lives. The programme was contributed as fol-Thomas Morcombe; "Mechanical sincere thanks of everyone. ior boys; "My Dolly," junior girls; Goldsmith. The late Wm. Lewis, o

#### LAKE GOLDSMITH.

school children.

MEMORY OF LATE CR. DONALD STEWART HONORED.

of Lake Goldsmith took place at the ated the kindly remarks which the school on Friday afternoon, 18th speakers had made, and hoped that inst., when a large number of peo- the school would long continue to be ple from Beaufort and district gath- a training ground for the children of ered to do honor to the memory of the the district. late Cr. Donald Stewart, of Monmot. Miss Stewart then unveiled the tab-Miss Lalla Stewart opened the mem- let, which bore the inscription, "Erorial gateway, dedicated to her late ected to the everlasting memory of father. It consists of a fine set of en- the late Donald Stewart, a loving trance gates, situated in front of friend to children, by public subscripthe school, and is a truly fitting mem- 1 tion, 1936." orial to one who was so interested in Mrs Stewart and her two daughthe welfare of the children, as the ters passed through the gates, folwords inscribed on the brass tablet lowed by the school children. indicate. Cr. R. A. D. Sinclair, one Floral sprays were presented to the of the late Cr. Stewart's oldest following ladies:-Mrs. D. Stewart,

friends, presided. Cr. D. F. Troy (president of Ri- art, Mrs Coutts, Mrs Exell, Mrs Thopon Shire) was the first speaker. He mas, Mrs D. F. Troy, Miss Lewis, said, on behalf of his fellow council. Mrs Humphreys, Mrs Young; the lors and the shire officers and em- undermentioned girls making the ployees, he was pleased to see that a presentations:-Joyce George, Doromemorial had been erected to perpet- thy Hayward, Daphne Daniels, Norma uate the memory of the late Cr. Sie- George, Ruth Boyle, Nancy Boyle, wart, who was so highly esteemed by Ailcen Kirkpatrick, and Mary Cush-

gates had been erected in memory of iels, and Messrs. G. George, and G. the late Cr. Stewart, who had done Hayward, with the first-named as or-

DISTRICT NEWS so much for the children of Lake ganising secretary.

Goldsmith.

A tasty afternoon

that the late Cr. Stewart had been a real friend, whom all would remember. He had been an honest, generous, and friendly man. The gates were a symbol—as a school gateway led to a fuller life for the children, after they had partaken of the advantages of education.

personal loss.

Mr D. R. Hannah, of Ballarat,

The tiny believers were marshalled | Cr. Sinclair announced that apoloon the stage for the purpose of per- | gies had been received from Colonel sonally meeting Santa Claus, and G. Street, M.H.R., Mr P. L. Denijudging by the expression on their gan, M.L.A., and Mrs Denigan, and

Messrs J. P. Turnbull and

Young also sent anologies. Cr. Sinclair then introduced Miss lows:-Piano duet, Nancy Mathews | Lalla Stewart. In doing so, he said and Naney Hamilton; song, "Old that Mrs N. Daniels had formed a Faithful," school children; "Piggy committee, and carried out the work Wig," Lindsay Campbell, Ron Lakey, of raising the funds for the gates Charlie Callow, Georgie Morcombe, successfully, and she deserved the Jane," senior girls (Mona Newey, friends were best," and the late Cr. McIntyre, Maisie Grant); Stewart had been one of his greatest "Soldiers' Song," senior boys; song, friends. He had been one of the "Lilac Tree," Beth Hamilton and Mol- kindest men in the district, and a lie Morcombe; "Big, Bad Wolf," jun- great friend to the children of Lake play, "Good Little Girl," senior boys Stoneleigh, and the late Donald Steand girls; recitation, Miss Enid wart, had been two men who had Campbell; song, "Easter Parade," never turned down a charitable apsenior boys and girls; sketch, "One peal, and had done an enormous am-Round Robin," senior boys; pianoforte out of good. He was glad to see that duet, Nancy and Beth Hamilton; their respective daughters were en-"Niigger Boys," senior boys; song, dcavoring to carry out the work of "Sunset Trail," Ian Grant and Lind- their fathers. Cr. Stewart had besay Campbell; "Minstrels," sen- longed to the Ballarat Caledonian Soior boys and girls (Ted Dawson, con- ciety, and had been a great friend to ductor); pianoforte solo, Mollie Mor- the Ballarat Orphanage and Ballarat combe; "Paddle Steamer," senior and Hospital. He knew that he would junior girls; song, "Santa Claus," have been very sad if he had lived to see King Edward VIII. addicate, as he had been a great upholder of King Edward, but he was sure that he would have been glad to welcome a little Scotch lassie as Queen.

Miss Stewart, on behalf of her mother, sister, and herself, thanked all OPENING OF MEMORIAL GATE- who had helped to establish the gates in memory of her father, for his work in connection with the Lake Gold-A gathering unique in the history smith school. She greatly appreci-

Miss A. Stewart, Miss Athole Stew-

Cr. J. Kirkpatrick said that the The promoters wers Mrs N. Nan-

Rev. Mr Thomas, of Skipton, said after the ceremony.

BUANGOR. PRESENTATIONS TO MRS. PETRIE.

A very pleasant evening was re-Mr Wilson, of Dennys, Lascelles cently spent at Mrs Petrie's private living privately now, Mrs Petrie Ltd., Geelong, said that he had been residence, when her friends of Buanan old personal friend of the late gor and district gathered together to friends, and would still do what she year's concert, and reflected credit on both teachers for the work that was Cr. Stewart's, and there had been no wish her the best of health and make could to help the district along. She necessary to produce a concert of better citizen or all-round man than her a presentation of a beautiful the late Donald Stewart. When he lounge chair. Some little time before, hoped to spend many a restful hour had been cut off so suddenly, all who a fine box of cutlery had been pre- in the chair given her that night. Afhad known him had felt a sense of sented to Mrs Petrie by her Middle ter a coffee supper was partaken of, Creek friends. Mrs Petrie, who re- all joined in singing "Auld Lang" MrWm. Lynch spoke on behalf of cently transferred her interest in the Syne."—"Ararat Advertiser." presided at the piano, while Mr the residents of the surrounding dis- Buangor hotel, was so good to all and Buchan had the arduous task of or- trict. He said he was glad that the such a staunch supporter of all local ganising the different items. At the people had shown their appreciation interests and sporting bodies that it Superior Service. conclusion of the concert, Mr McIn- of the work of Cr. Stewart in con- was felt by her friends that they could not let her relinquish her busi- TI NEQUALIED QUALITY. ness without some slight recognition being made of her good services, and being made of her good services, and leave the services. of the esteem in which she and her family are held. A very happy evening was spent with cards, singing, etc; Mrs Petrie playing the music at the piano. Mr J. Clough called a halt late in the evening, and after a very happy speech, called on Mr J. K. Pickford to make the presentation. After Mr Pickford had spoken of the regard felt in the district for Mrs Petrie and her family, various speakers spoke in a similar strain. Mr Pickford then made the presentation,

conducting Mrs Petrie to the chair!

lamid applause, and wished her the A tasty afternoon tea was served best of health and prosperity in her new home. He asked her to accept Mrs N. Daniels acted as organiser the gift, not for its tangible value, but as a token of esteem and friendship. "For She's a Jolly Good Lassie" was then sung by the company. Mr Q. Farish, in responding on behalf of Mrs Petrie and family, assured the various speakers that they greatly appreciated the very kind remarks made that evening. Although would always be pleased to see her

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BANONGILL YARDING AVER-AGES 13/11.

OFF-SHEARS SALES.

Thursday, 3rd Dccr. Owing to the custom in the past few years, we held late season and suberabundance of our second off-shears sale a fortnight feed in the district causing many after our first sale, in order to give owners to hold sheep they would usu- clients an opportunity to offer their GRILLS, LIGHT LUNCHEON, AND ally wish to get off, the yarding was sheep which were not ready for our not up to the usual numbers. Most first sale. We yarded 13,980 sheep of of the sheep were in good condition, all descriptions, which did not combut the yarding comprised a consider- prise the quality of sheep offered at able percentage of aged sheep, and our first sale. In spite of this, we in view of this fact, we consider the sold 8125 sheep at an average price competition and prices were as good of just over 14/3 per head. The maas at any off-shears sale held up to jority of sheep not sold were lambs date. Spirited bidding was a feature During the week prior to our sale, of the sale, and starting with an at- fat lambs in Newmarket eased in tractive line of Banongill 2-year-old price from 3/ to 4/, and this had a comeback ewes sold at 22/1, contin- detrimental effect on the buyers, ued without a break to the finish. whereas vendors did not feel dispos-Only one line was passed at auction, ed to meet the lower prices ruling. and they were sold before the sale Owing to an unfortunate clash of was completed, making a total of ev- dates, our sale coincided with ones ery sheep yarded at the very satis- held by our company at Barnoolut factory average of 13/11. The fol- and Narracoorte, and we were therelowing are some of the prices real- fore without our usual competition ised:—Banongill comeback ewes, 2 from the Wimmera. Altogether 32 vears, 22/1; A. H. Walker's come- sheepvans were loaded the night of back ewes and wethers, 1 year, 20/7; the sale, and the balance of sheen H. R. Walker's Corriedale cross were either bought locally or walked ewes and wethers, 20/3; A. R. Wal- to their destination. The highest ker's merino ewes. 2 years, 20/3; U. price was secured by Mr B. Ingles. O. Thomas' crossbred ewes and we- of Berrybank, for his 2 and 3-vear thers, 1 year, 21/; Banongill merino crossbred ewes, which made 25/8. ewes, 2 years, 18/5, 19/4; Banongill These were closely followed by Mr merino ewes, 2 years, 17/1; Mt. Ele- Archie Walker's 2-year strong crossphant Corriedale-merino cross weth- bred ewes, which made 25/6. Mr ers, 1 year, 17/; Carranballac merino David Cairns, "Hazelwood," Lismore. ewes, 2 years, 16/3; Morallah mer- sold his 1 and 2-year crossbred ewes ino wethers, 2 years, 15/2; A. H. for 24/6, and other similar, young Walker's merino ewes and wethers, 1 ewes made down to 20/. A pen of 5year, 15/9; Mt. Elephant Corriedale year crossbred ewes of Mr A. G. merino cross wethers, 1 year, 13/4; Cairns' made 19/6. The executors of H. Smith's comeback ewes, 5 and 6 J. M. Hetherington, "Walbrook." years, 13/1; J. Sefton's merino ewes Lismore, sold a line of one-year Poland wethers, 1 year, 13/11; Carran- warth ewes, somewhat small, for ballac merino ewes, 2 years, 13/10; 18/11. Young wethers were still in Banongill comeback ewes, 7 years old, 12/11: Banongill merino ewes. studs cast for age. 10/9; Banongill merino ewes, 7 years, 9/9; Mt. Elephant merino ewes, 5 years, 8/9; Morallah merino ewes, 7 years, 8/6; Carranballac merino ewes, 7 years, 8/5; J. A. Hinton's merino ewes. 5 years. 8/ to 8/11; H. Smith's Corriedale cross lambs, 16/9; Border Leicester rams, 3½ to 5 gns. Small lots of

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HOSPITAL FEES.—Ordinary Ca- ble sale at Lismore about the middle Los-Members, £2/10/ per Non-members £4/15/ per week; Members' Children, £1/10/ per week; lected, and they are receiving partic-Non-members' Children, £3 per week, ulars preparatory to advertising. Maternity Cases-Members, £6/10/ They expect to offer about 6000 up to 14 days; Non-members, 210 up to 14 days; Soldier Members, 45/10/ up to 14 days. Maternity cases must arrange with

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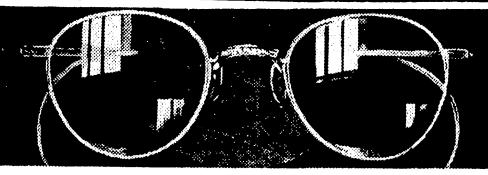
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Servants' Agency, where a lady was it.

terviewing a maid, and the latter was

putting her prospective mistro-

The lady having answered for a

through a lengthy cross-examination.

while to the best of her ability, the

maid asked: "Who Means the win

dows?" and the mistress replied about

fully, "That I do myself, of course

course I do that." "Who helps in

the cleaning?" "My husband and I

that, too And now, will you ploned

answer a few questions. Do you know

"Can you play the pinno?" "No a course not." "Can you assist my chill

"Then, my good girl, I shall have to

do without you, for if I have to de

your work for you you would have to

THE GERMAN BRIDE

she is called "bride" by her love: who

Immediately on betrockal the lover-

exchange rings, which are intended to

be worn by both for the rest of their

The woman wears her ring on he

left hand during her engagement, and

on her right afterwards. The man con-

tinues to wear his as his wife did when

she was a "bride," and thus one car

tell at a glance whether a man be free

Adversity sometimes brings out

Indigestion causes more suffering

The rising generation owes much to

Who thinks as little as possible of

Happy is the man who never knows

There is just as much sense in crying

for what we have lost as there is in

A family jar isn't usually much good

man's good points by the roots.

the inventor of the alarum clock.

when he has got the worst of it.

crying for what we never had.

these days than conscience.

any but pleasant things.

continues to call her so until she he

As soon as a German, girl is engaged

French?" "French? No. 1 dogs.

Who polishes the floors?"

Who does the manney?"

dren with their lessons?"

Course not "

do mine."

comes his wife.

to marry or not.

A good story illustrating the idea

'the biter bit," comes from le

It happened at the West 1

THE VOICE OF THE DIGGER.

We'e sitting round the camp-fire, Beneath a big gum-tree, Far from homes of childhood, But happy lads are we.

We crossed the deep, blue ocean To this fair, sunny land, And to any digger in distress We'll lend a helping hand.

And through the hills and valleys For precious gold we seek; With fifty thousand diggers We're camped at Fiery Creek.

Men from many countries-Sons of Erin's isle, Englishmen from London, Scotties from Argyll.

Their tents are gleaming white, While the glow from many a camp

And clustered round about Camp Hill,

Lights up the darkening night.

But, hark! the sound of gaiety From shanty bars and halls, All bright with song and dancing-And light the footstep falls.

The red flag gaily waves aloft, O'er many a digger's claim, For they have struck the golden

That'll bring them wealth and fame The clatter of the buckets,

As up and down they go, The rattle of the cradles, And the diggers' cry below.

And when we make our fortunes, Back home again we'll go, And bid farewell to windlasses, And the cry, "Look out, below!"

But where are those old diggers now? They're nearly all laid low; For many sleep in foreign lands, Beneath the Klondyke's snow:

And some in West Australia rest Beneath the burning sand— They followed after Bayley to that Dreadful, desert land.

And some are on the Yam-Hole Hill: Beneath the pines they lie, Leaving behind their monuments, ' In heaps of stone and clay. Remember, then, Australian lads,

For you can truly say, That those old diggers made your

The power she is to-day. R.H.P.

Beaufort, 9/12/36.

ARARAT DISTRICT A.N.A. COUNCIL. — At a meeting of the Ararat District A.N.A. Council on Decr. 3rd, Mr J. Pickford presided, and Middle Creek, Willaura, Ararat, and Stawell branches were represented. It was decided to inform the Board of Directors that the Beaufort branch had not yet joined the council because the main interest in the association was being taken by memhers who were widely dispersed, and for whom it would be inconvenient to attend meetings. Among matters discussed were the advisability of establishing secondary industries in Stawell and Ararat, limiting the number of branch delegates to conferences to one (which was rejected, and against which the Middle Creek delegates spoke), payment by the State of hospital charges for infectious diseases patients, monetary reform, and buying Australian products. It was decided that the quarterly meetings be held at Ararat.

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£4; 2nd, £1. Nom., 5/. Starts at St. lb. 1. G. Coster's THE SCOUT .. 9.6 | 7. C. Kay .. .. .. 3. B. A. Kavanagh's ROYALTY, 8.6 4. F. Finch ..... 4. H. McKinnis' COAL KING, 8.6 | 6. C. Stewart ..... 5. W. Holloway's ROYAL BARON ..... 8.0 5, K. Liston ..... 7. W. Stewart's LADY BEATRICE 11. J. Martin ................. 170 each month.

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4. F. Brown's GINGER .... 10 11. F. Crocker ..... 50 5. J. L. McErvale's SUNSET, 30 6. W. Smith's DUKE ALTO .. 30 7. A. Lewell's HALTAWAY .. 35 8. S. McKay's LITTLE ABBEY, 35 13. B. Goodie ..... 9. W. Lewell's EXACTLY .. 10. J. O'Brien's HAPPY PRINCE, 50

11. A. Loft's PADDY DILLON, 55 12. A. Nunn's AUSTRAL DIRECT 13. A. Brown's EPOHRUO .. 100 H. DUNN, / Handi

H. HOVEY, \ capper. Following are the handicaps for 4. F. Finch ...... 80 the woodchops: UNDERHAND. 

D. Crick ..... 5 sec. in front E. Stevens .... 5 sec. in front STANDING BLOCK. E. Glenister .. .. . 6 sec. bhd. 14. T. W. Ahern, red .. . . . 15 H. Broadbent .. .. 6 sec. bhd. 2. M. E. Martin, pink .. .. . 11 E. V. Broadbent .. 2 sec. bhd. 8. E. Glenister, red ..... W. Anderson .. . 2 sec. bhd. 9. A. Biessert, pink .. ..

W. CONNOR, Handicapper. BEAUFORT THISTLE CLUB 11. Joe Lamb, green ..... HANDICAPS FOR ANNUAL

Following are the handicaps for 18. E. Anderson, green ... scr. the Beaufort Thistle Club's annual sports on Monday, Decr. 28th, 1936:- 19. E. Stevens, brown, 5 sec. in front Amateur Half-mile Wheel Race. 1. J. Dowling ..... scr. 10. H. A. Hyatt, red ..... 15

7. E. T. Simmons ..... scr. 5. Joe Lamb, red ..... 10 2. C. Poletti ..... 15 1. M. E. Martin, red ..... 8. J. H. Hardy ..... 15 2. T. Pearce, pink ..... 9. W. Guyatt ..... 30 6. E. Glenister, pink ..... 17. E. A. Ahpee . . . . . . . 40 7. A. Biessert, white . . . . . . 10. B. Poletti ...... 45 12. J. Lyttle, white ..... 4. T. J. Wyld ...... 50 3. T. W. Ahern, white ..... 2 11. F. A. Armadeld ..... 50 8. E. V. Broadbent, blue .... 2 14. A. R. Hughes ..... 50, 4. W. Hains, blue, 2 sec. in front 5. T. Hardy ...... 55 9. P. Hains, green, 4 sec. in front Merry captain of the "Sailors Don't 12. E. Saitchell ...... 55 13. F. Hains, blue ..... scr. Care"

15. R. G. Gipp ..... 75 Amateur 1-mile Wheel Race. 1. J. Dowling ..... scr. 7. E. T. Simmons ..... 8. J. H. Molloy ..... 17. E. A. Ahpee .. .. .. 3. J. L. Kerr .. .. .. .. 9. W. Guyatt .. .. .. 10. B. Poletti .. .. .. .. .. 14. A. R. Hughes .. .. .. 11. F. A. Armfield .....

15. R. G. Gipp .. . . . . . 140 C. J. GRAY, Handicapper. One-mile District Wheel Race.

4. T. J. Wyld .. .. .. ..

1. W. Stewart ..... scr. 2. F. Schmidt .. .. .. .. 3. G. Lofts .. .. .. .. 9. W. Clough .....

Half-mile District Wheel Race.

1. C. Stewart ..... 20 the month. 3. C. Kay ..... 35 9. D. Crick ..... 35 4. W. Clough .. . . . . . . 45 12. A. Pedder .. .. .. .. 7. W. Hains .. .. .. .. 14. J. Martin ..... 80

Local Mile Wheel Race. 8. W. Stewart .. . . . . scr. 1. F. Schmidt ..... 40

10. C. Kay .. .. .. .. .. 2. D. Crick ..... 70 3. G. Lofts ..... 70 9. C. Stewart .. .. .. .. 30 11. W. Clough .. . . . . . . . 85 E. V. Broadbent . . . 7 sec. bhd. 12. F. Crocker . . . . . . . . . . . 100 H. Broadbent ..... scr. 6. E. Crocker ..... 120 E. Anderson . . . . . . . scr. 7. B. Goodie . . . . . . . . 160 F. S. LATCH, Handicapper. Underhand Woodchop.

1. H. A. Hyatt, red ..... 20

E. Anderson ..... 2 sec in front 3. T. Pearce, white ..... E. Stevens .. .. 5 sec. in front 15. E. V. Broadbent, pink .. .. D. Crick .. . . 5 sec. in front 10. W. Hains, blue .. . . . 1st ..... 2nd ..... Time ... 4. W. Anderson, blue ..... 16. F. Hains, white ..... 17. J. Lyttle, blue .....

> 5. T. Pickering, green .... scr. 6. F. W. Ahern, brown .. . scr 13. H. Broadbent, white .... scr 7. P. Hains, purple, 4 sec. in front Standing Block Chop.

12. G. Oakley, brown ..... 2

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C.Y.M.S.—Second Monday 5. T. Hardy .. .. .. 100 Fiery Creek Lodge.-Second Wed-12. E. Satchell .. .. .. .. 100 esday in the month. 6. L. J. Bell .. .. . . . . 140 Mark Lodge.-Fourth Thursday in

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100 Monday in each morth. Brass Band.—Third Wednesday in

Committee Ripon Sub-branch, Yds. R.S.L.—Second Saturday evening of

8. F. Schmidt ..... 25 School Committee.—Third Monday

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First Thursday in each month. Beaufort Anglers' Club. - Fire for preserving the peace. Station, second Wednesday evening in month.

> WIT AND HUMOUR. "They tell me young Featherstone has lost all his money in poultryfarming." "Oh, I heard he'd been playing ducks and drakes with it."

"Pa, they tell us about the angry ocean. What makes the ocean "Oh, it has been crossed so aften "

Yeast: "What makes you think he lost his political job?" Crimsonbeak : "He told me he was going to work next week."

Podkins: "So you think Jones capable of deceiving a triend?" Dockins: "No; none of his friends believe a word he says."

Swatter: "I see you are mentioned in one of the books just published."
Primly: "Indeed! What book?" Swatter: "The directory."

"Is your husband tond of fiction?" asked the literary woman. 'Yes, indeed,' replied Mrs. Gayboy. "His tavourite is the 'detainedat-the-onice' narratives with the 'sick-friend' story a close second."

Little Mabel, aged five, who was visiting her aunt in the country, had developed a great fondness for milk. One day, having drank as much as her anut thought good for her, she was told that she could not have any more "I don't see why: there's two whole cowsful out in the barn.'

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"Follow the usual method," answered the experienced editor. "Make it so long that people will take it for granted rather than try to read it

The man who is shrewd enough to keep busy all the time is able to dodge a lot of work.

Mrs. Henpeck: "This paper says that married women live longer than Mr. Henpeck: "Heavens, woman! Can't you think of something pleasant to talk about?"

Alice: "Herbert says be is a self made man." Kitty: "How he must suffer from

