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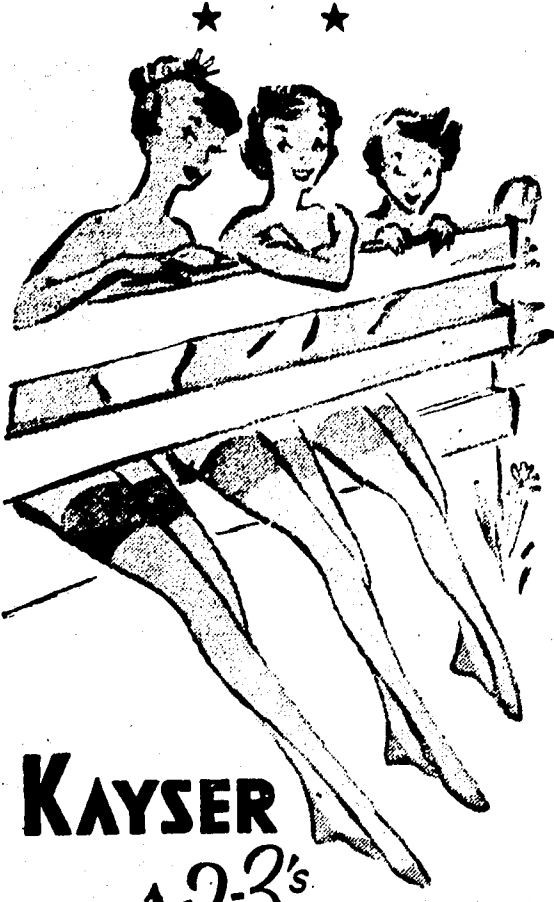
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£12,000 Water Loan Applied For

WATER TRUST MONTHLY MEETING

Business of importance came before the Beaufort Water Works Trust at the monthly meeting on Tuesday night, 24th March.

Com. M. E. L. Watkin (acting chairman) presided, and Coms. R. C. Hodgetts, H. V. Martin, and H. J. Buchanan attended, together with the engineer, Mr R. Linston.

Com. Watkin was elected Chairman of the Trust, on motion of Coms. Martin and Buchanan.

Mr N. B. Acton was elected secretary, and Mr R. Linston engineer.

Mr J. K. Finlin was elected treasurer, and the Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney was appointed as the Trust's Bank.

The salaries of engineer and secretary were fixed at 30/- a week each, subject to revision annually, the engineer being entitled to a commission on all new works, on motion of Coms. Buchanan and Hodgetts.

It was decided to get a ruling from the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission on what constitutes maintenance and new works, for purposes of payment of engineer's commission, on motion of Coms. Buchanan and Martin.

Com. Hodgetts moved that the rating by-law be adopted, subject to approval of the Commission. Seconded by Mr Martin and carried.

The statement of receipts and expenditure to Feb, 1953, was recommended to the Commission.

It was decided that a seal be ordered, on motion of Coms. Martin and Hodgetts.

Routine correspondence was read from the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission in regard to loan application. The engineer recommended that application be made for £12,000 loan money for metering, reticulation and sewerage works. Adopted, on motion of Coms. Buchanan and Martin.

Accounts totalling £1204/7/6 were passed for payment.

Apologies were received for the absence of Coms. Schlicht and Blay.

The engineer submitted a lengthy report in regard to headworks, storage, and other matters, which will be published in a later issue.

Com. Hodgetts moved and Com. Buchanan seconded—that the Trust views with alarm the inadequate Beaufort storage, and thinks that early submission of this report on storages should be made, and asked the engineer to expedite the report on head works and storages. Carried.

On the motion of Coms. Buchanan and Hodgetts, a contract was let for trenching—£144 for 46 chains, plus cost of insurance; the contractors being Messrs. S. and M. George and J. Rutherford.

It was decided that existing mains be cleaned by air compressor in the winter, after the new mains were laid.

The engineer's report was adopted, on motion of Coms. Hodgetts and Buchanan.

Com. Hodgetts referred to the tremendous drain on the supply by water carts.

The engineer said a number had drawn on it by authority, including the Langi Kai Kai Training Centre.

Com. Martin—Most of the water was carted in the evening, and he doubted whether it was all by permission.

Com. Martin said the water should not be taken from the town supply for burning off when it could be got at the Lake and Baths.

Com. Hodgetts suggested that in view of the serious storage position, the Brigade be asked to get the water for burning off from other than the pipes; the position to be considered early next year. Noted by engineer.

Mr Linston was thanked by the chairman for preparing such an illuminating report.

The next meeting is on the fourth Tuesday of April.

R.S.L. BOWLING CLUB

Beaufort R.S.L. Bowling Club held the following competitions:

Saturday, March 21.—Pairs: W. Morcombe and E. Vowles.

Wednesday, March 25.—Rinks: Fletcher, Morcombe, P. Trengove, and Cuthbertson.

Saturday, 28th March.—Rinks: A. Lewell, G. George, W. Morcombe, W. Glenister.

DISTRICT HOSPITAL
The list of donations to the Beaufort District Hospital garden party is as follows:—Anon., 1/-; Mrs K. Collins, 5/-; Pam George, 5/-; Loghill, 5/-; C. Smith, 19/-; Anon., 10/-; H. Dunn, J. McEwale, Miss H. Troy, Miss M. Ward, Mr and Mrs Mathews, £1 each; J. Kirkpatrick, £1/1/-; Mrs M. C. B. Beggs, £2; Walter J. Roberts and family, £4. Total receipts to date, £91/6/6.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS

Waterloo and Chute

EASTER SATURDAY SPORTS
Much interest and activity in the Waterloo sports should prove to make it one of the best meetings. Entries in events are very good.

Approval of the Recreation Reserve Committee to procure 20 bags of cement to use in improving the ground was furthered by the Sports Committee at a working bee when the kitchen, barrooms, and booths floors were cemented, which is a great improvement, and will be greatly appreciated by the ladies working there on the day of sports.

Mr W. Jones, the active secretary canvassed Waterloo and Chute district, where he received good support. Many gave donations, while some promised cakes and sandwiches for the tea-rooms.

The cycle track is to receive attention under Mr J. McEwale's supervision. This track is believed to be one of the fastest in the State.

CYCLE CLUB SOCIAL
An enjoyable euchre and dance conducted by the Beaufort Cycle Club was held at the Waterloo Hall. Euchre winners were Mrs J. McEwale and Mr Torney. A tasty supper was served.

EARLY FROST
The frost on Wednesday night, 25th inst., blackened the vegetables in many gardens.

RAINFALL
The rainfall for March was 35 points.

Middle Creek
SEASONAL NOTES
After a few hot days earlier in the week, a nice change was experienced on Saturday, 20th, when about 30 points of rain fell. This was welcomed, especially by householders, as in some cases supplies of water for domestic purposes were getting low. Farmers and graziers would be pleased to see more, as the ground is still very hard and difficult to work for cropping, and a good fall now would bring green feed for lambing ewes, which will be general next month.

WOOL PRICES
Some good prices for wool have been obtained locally; the fine fleeces bringing 210d and lambs' wool up to 410d. Skirtings also sold exceptionally well, and although the clip generally was a little lighter than usual, which was due to the very cold and wet winter and spring, the returns have been very satisfactory.

Skipton Round-up
EUCHRE AND DANCE
Members of St. John's Tennis Club held a dance and euchre tournament on Monday, 9th March. A good crowd was present and dancing to Hayward's Band was enjoyed. A novelty dance was won by Miss Celia Kearns, and Mr Les. Gardiner, and the winner in the euchre section was Mr Ron Cairns.

GOLF CLUB
The annual meeting of the Golf Club was held on 11th March. It was reported that the Club had a successful season during 1952, and further improvements had been made to the links. Office-bearers for 1953 were elected as follows:—President, Mr J. G. Ferguson; vice-president, Mr J. Wilkinson; captain, Mr F. Gleadall; secretary, Mr J. Caulfield; treasurer, Mr T. Conlon; auditor, Mr R. Loudon; committee, Messrs. H. Smith, I. Walker, A. H. Walker, S. Waldron, and W. Dowling.

STATE SCHOOL
Children of the senior grades of Skipton and Bradvale schools visited Camperdown on Friday, 27th February, to attend the meeting of the Hampden Shire Council. The children were officially welcomed by the Shire President, Cr. Cole. The business of the Council proved most interesting to the children and will be of great educational value to them. Following the meeting, the children were taken on a tour of the surrounding district, including a trip to the top of Mt. Leura.

FOOTBALL
A meeting of delegates to the Linton-Carngham Football Association was held recently at Linton. It was decided to adjourn the meeting for a few weeks, when it was reported that the Vite Vite team had disbanded; that Skipton team wished to gain admittance to Western Plains League; that Smythesdale were doubtful if they could field a team, and that Carngham would not play if there were only three teams left. Skipton delegates then attended a meeting of the Western Plains League on 10th March, and by a unanimous vote were admitted to that League, subject to a clearance being granted from the Linton-Carngham Association.

A later meeting of the latter Association, then granted the clearance as requested.

YOUNGER SET
The Younger Set held a successful dance on Friday evening, 13th March. A most enjoyable time was spent by the young people; several novelty dances being conducted to the strains of Hayward's popular band.

AUTUMN FLOWER SHOW
The ladies of the School Mothers' Club held their annual flower show on Saturday, 21st March. The show, which was a success both socially and financially, was opened by the Hon. R. C. Guthrie. The prize for the champion Gladiolus was won by Mrs J. R. Donald, and the champion Dahlia was exhibited by Mrs W. Graham. A dance and euchre tournament took place in the evening, when competitions were won as follows:—Lady's bed-jacket, Frances Thomas; bag of flour, G. Wise; gift set, Miss Audrey Osborn; cake, Mr Denis Fishon.

TENNIS
St. Andrew's Tennis team was unlucky on Saturday, 14th March, when they were defeated by Carngham Whites by only two games. They are now excluded from the finals, but feel confident that they will provide more competition for teams of the surrounding district next year.

RAINFALL
Only 25 points of rain have been recorded for the month of March.

PERSONAL
Mr George Grant is leaving the outdoor staff of the Shire of Ripon to go into business.

The engagement is announced of Mary Isabel, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs J. D. Kneebone, "Sunnyside," Middle Creek, to John Maxwell, elder son of Mr and Mrs W. J. Roberts, "Twechar," Middle Creek.

FAREWELL SOCIAL AND PRESENTATION
JOHN SIMPSON GUEST OF PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

John Simpson, the Trawalla lad who has been chosen to represent Ripon Shire in the "Sun" Youth Travel Coronation tour was entertained at a farewell social on Friday night, 27th March, at the Fire Station by the Beaufort Progress Association.

Mr R. G. Hodgetts (vice-president) was an efficient chairman. Rev. A. L. Mills (president of the Progress Association) presented John with a camera from the Association in a congratulatory speech. Messrs. A. H. Ruxton and G. Price spoke in support on behalf of the H.E. School. Cr. H. J. Buchanan (shire president) handed John a special diary with the good wishes of the Ripon Shire Council, and Mrs A. G. Vowles presented him with a box of handkerchiefs from the Beaufort Mothers' Club. John Simpson and his father both suitably responded. Rev. A. L. Mills made presentations from the Progress Association to the four other semi-finalists—James Bending, Geoff Wilson (Beaufort), Brendon Howman (Snake Valey), and Keith Alexander (Skipton). Mrs J. Duke handed John Simpson a cake inscribed "bon voyage." During the evening songs were given by Miss June Lewis, Mrs N. Smith and Pam George; Miss Tulloch and Miss Jackson acting as accompanists. The artists and ladies were accorded a hearty vote of thanks, on the motion of Mr W. L. Jackson, and the Rev. A. L. Mills, and the latter also moved a vote of thanks to the chairman, which was carried by acclamation. The function concluded with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

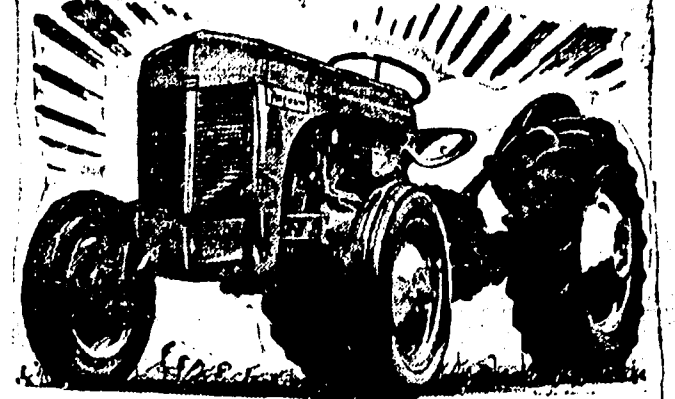
EUCHRE SOCIAL
The Beaufort F.E. Ladies' Club held a euchre social on Saturday night. In Section 1 Mrs Houston was first and Mrs Rutherford second. In Section 2 Miss L. Dalgleish was the winner and Mr A. Vowles was second.

SCHOOL COOKERY ROOM
Mr E. Morton, M.L.A. for Ripon (Chairman of Committees, Parliament House), has received the following letter from the Hon. A. E. Shephard, Minister for education:—With reference to your representations on behalf of the Beaufort School Committee concerning the supply of cookery room equipment, I am pleased to inform you that the cookery equipment has now been ordered for urgent delivery and should be supplied to the school without any further delay.

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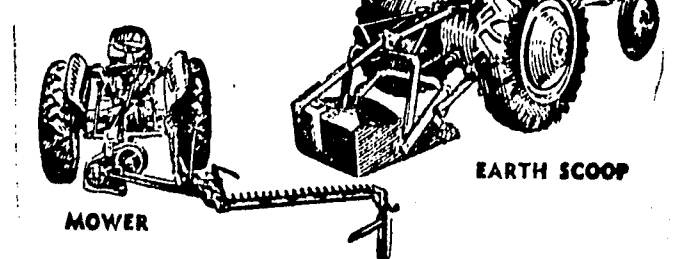
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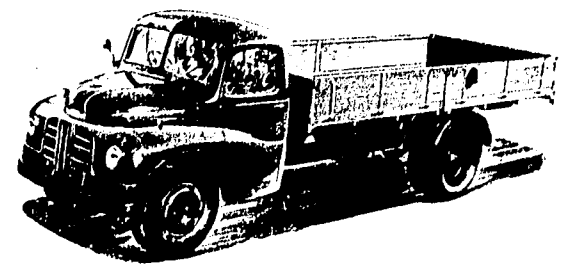
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A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY. Those who find pleasure in their work never labour in vain. LOCAL NEWS & NOTES. COMPETITION WON.

KAL KAL ESCAPE. At 11 a.m. on Monday Leonard Edward Finch, escaped from the Langi Kal Training Centre, but thought the better of it, and gave himself up at the Beaufort Police Station at 3 p.m.

R.S.L. BOWLING CLUB. THE ASSOCIATES. R.S.L. Bowling Club Associates held a rinks match on Wednesday afternoon.

GOLF CLUB. ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of the Beaufort Golf Club on Tuesday night gave great promise for the success of the coming season.

BEAUFORT C.C. HALF MILE. ONE MILE HANDICAP. 1st, £6 and Ribbon donated by H. Lewis, Esq.

SCHOOLS' SPORTS. TRAWALLA WRESTLING SHIELD. Trawalla won the Thistle Club Shield at the Combined Beaufort and School Sports on Friday, 27th March.

'17th SECURITY LOAN affects all Victorian Primary Producers' says President, Australian Dairy Farmers' Federation.

Mr. J. P. Norton sees good years ahead for primary producers. 'Australia must expand her primary industries to meet the ever-increasing demand from local and overseas markets.'

THESE ARE THE BASIC INVESTMENT FACTS ABOUT THE COMMONWEALTH (17th SECURITY) LOAN. AMOUNT SOUGHT: £27,000,000 in new cash and in conversions of Two per cent. Commonwealth Securities maturing on April 15, 1953.

PERSONAL. Mr and Mrs A. Ringin of Chesbrow, are spending the Easter holidays with their daughter and son-in-law in Sydney.

BEAUFORT RAINFALL. 1946 - January, 93; February, 477; March, 10; April, 64; May, 120; June, 204; July, 190; August, 355; September, 156; October, 222; November, 254; December, 64; total for year, 2054.

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BALLARAT MARKET. LEADING DISTRICT SALES. Leading district sales at the Ballarat market on 24th March were: AVERAGES. 3 cattle, Mr Wm. Lynch, Ruradene, Beaufort, av. £32/2/6.

DIGBY MORTON ENSEMBLE IN DONEGAL TWEED. This brown wool tweed dress and jacket is very new, featuring a soft, nigger brown knitted yoke and cuffs.

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OBITUARY. MRS JANE A. PEARCE. Mrs Jane Ann Pearce, 65, an old and respected resident of Southern Cross, Beaufort, died suddenly on March 29.

SOIL CONSERVATION IN PYRENEES AREA. RABBIT MENACE REDUCED. HANSLON CUP WON BY MR J. BAIN, OF NAVARRIE. Rabbits have been definitely thinned out in the Pyrenees District of Victoria.

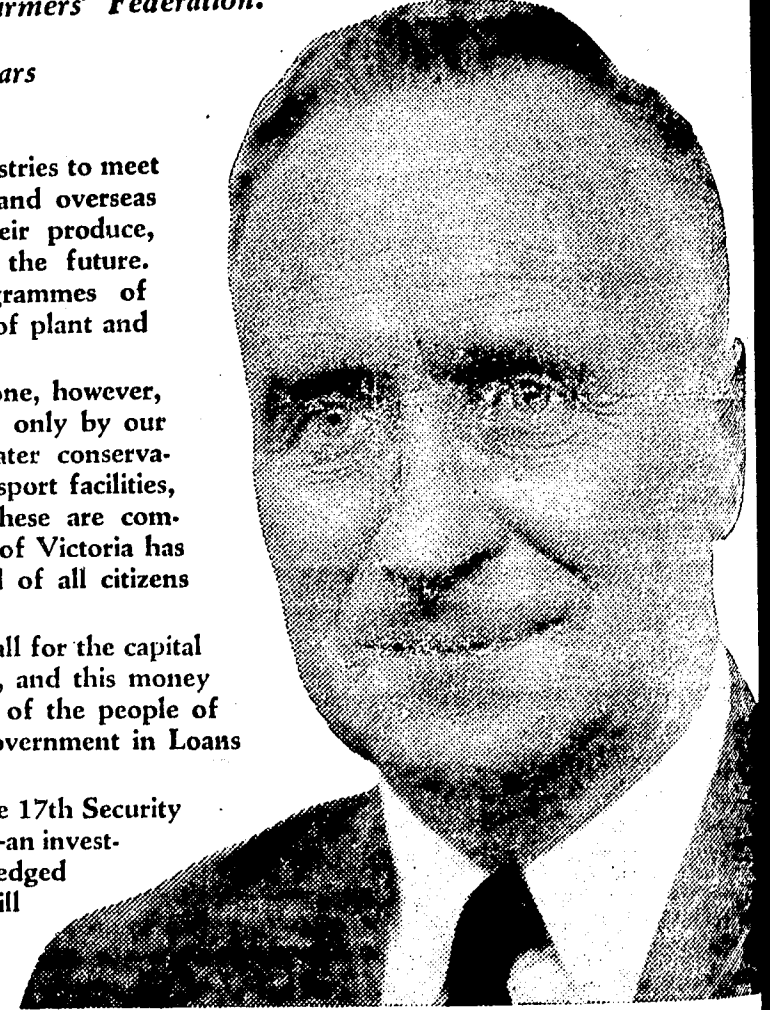
LATE ADVERTISEMENTS. BIRTHS. McERVALE (nee Tiley). On March 26th, at Beaufort District Hospital, to Dot and Don — a daughter, Jennifer Joy (pre-nature), sister for Gary.

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CHURCH SERVICES - EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5.

Catholic Church. - Beaufort 9.30. Church of England. - Beaufort 9.45. Wauobra H.C. 11. Beaufort 7. Rev. A. L. Mills.

SHIRE OF RIPON - THE ORDINARY MEETING of the Council, to have been held on WEDNESDAY, 8th APRIL, 1953, has been POSTPONED to WEDNESDAY, 15th APRIL, 1953.

SHIRE OF RIPON - NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that interest will be charged on all General Rates remaining unpaid after 10th APRIL, 1953.

SHIRE OF RIPON - TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock noon of TUESDAY, 14th APRIL, 1953, at the Shire Office, Beaufort, for construction of a Kitchen at the Beaufort Park - Materials and Labor.

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CORRESPONDENCE

AN IMPORTANT MATTER

Editor "Riponshire Advocate," Dear Sir.-May I, through the courtesy of your columns, refer to what all will agree is an important matter; that is the necessity of Beaufort maintaining an active Progress Association.

A glance at the achievements of this Association in a brief two years of existence shows that it well merits its name, and for your readers' information a brief list is given.

Traffic Speed Signs. Deputation to Housing Commission. School Crossing Safety Flags. Raising of £110 for Park Kitchen Fund. Planting of 50 Trees, Camp Hill. Arrangement and guarantee for Public Telephone (2) Two. Endeavours for Daily Rail Service to Melbourne. "Sun" Youth Travel. Extended Postal Deliveries. Improvement to School Bus Service.

They are some of the things which have been done. There are many, many more waiting for attention which is long overdue, and some of these plans are of vital importance to Beaufort, such as main road traffic control, extension of educational facilities, better lighting in streets, more and better gardens and parks, and a worthwhile tree-planting scheme, to name a few.

It is therefore of paramount importance that Beaufort residents realize that they must do something to help themselves, and they can do that by becoming a member of the Beaufort Progress Association, or, if already a member, renewing their subscriptions. This is 10/- per annum, and represents your contribution to the future of Beaufort. Subscriptions may be left with Mrs. Day, Mr. Roy Crick, Mr. R. C. Hodgkiss, or Mr. Freestun-Neville, or the Treasurer, Mr. Larkins. The Association has every confidence that with your support, another memorable year of active progress may be recorded, and recommends its past record of service to you as serious consideration.

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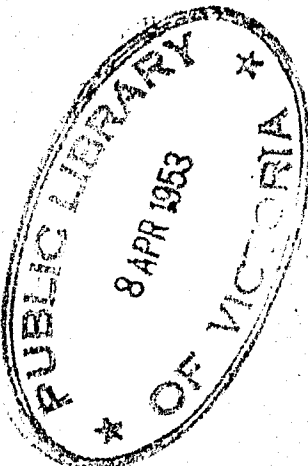
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THE LEGION ENJOYABLE SMOKE NIGHT

There was a goodly gathering of ex-servicemen at the Picture Theatre on Friday night, 27th March, at the annual smoke night of the Beaufort Sub-branch of the Legion.

Mr Basil Nell officiated as chairman and Mr Stan McCracken as toastmaster.

Musical items were given by Mr Gilbey.

The proceedings opened with a minute of silence in memory of fallen comrades, followed by the loyal toast.

DADS' ASSOCIATION MONTHLY MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Ripon Sub-branch of the Dads' Association, held at the Shire Hall on Monday night, dealt with several matters of interest.

Mr J. K. Finnin (president) presided, and five members were present.

Correspondence: Circular from State Branch, re-opening of cemetery, dated April and Shrine service of Remembrance. The agenda paper was forwarded to a meeting of Sub-branch secretaries and treasurers.

A Cr. balance of £42/1/3 was reported.

It was decided to procure a wreath to be placed on the local Shrine on Anzac Day.

Messrs. A. J. Hughes and E. Charles were appointed delegates to the conference, and it was understood that Mr Charles would attend if necessary.

The conference agenda paper was received.

Next meeting was arranged for Monday, 4th May, at the president's residence.

CAR THEFTS ALLEGED: Three youths, two aged 16 and one 17, are alleged to have stolen a car, from Sunshine on Saturday night. They got as far as Beaufort where they were caught.

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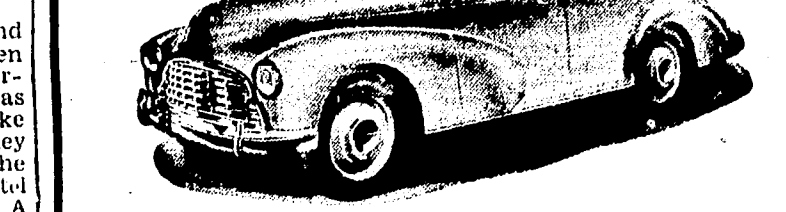
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The programme provided a good racing at Beaufort Park on Saturday, 28th March.

The public's booth was conducted by Mr W. Rowe, of the Railway Hotel, the Fire Brigade ladies were in charge of the afternoon tea booth.

Officials: Presidents: Messrs. W. Torney, J. Doyle.

Secretaries: Messrs. L. Smythe, D. McNeill.

Referer: Mr E. Negri. Starter: Mr G. Lotts.

Track stewards: Messrs. Alan Torney, W. Dickman.

Handicappers: Messrs. N. Lamb, E. Negri.

Judges: Messrs. R. Crick, J. Ralph, G. Lotts, J. Charles, C. Handicapper.

Announcer: Mr Les Burton. Timekeeper: Mr N. Lamb.

Appendix: The results of the Beaufort Club Thousand-Metre Championship Sprint Match Race.

1. D. McNeill, 2. Time, 1:15.00. 3. D. McNeill, 4. Time, 1:15.00. 5. D. McNeill, 6. Time, 1:15.00.

Half-mile Cycling Stakes: First Heat: 1. D. Grant, 105 yds., 2. P. Eastick, 100 yds., 3. Time, 1:30.00.

One Mile Wheel Race: First Heat: 1. D. Grant, 30 yds., 2. P. Eastick, 180 yds., 3. Time, 2:14.80.

Boys' and Girls' Three Wheel: 1. Ian Pitt, 2. Robt. Henderson, 3. Three starters.

Beaufort Local B Grade Championship: 1. G. Foreman, 140 yds., 2. G. Foreman, 80 yds., 3. Time, 2:15.00.

Beaufort Local A Grade Championship: 1. G. Foreman, 140 yds., 2. G. Foreman, 80 yds., 3. Time, 2:15.00.

Beaufort Local C Grade Championship: 1. G. Foreman, 140 yds., 2. G. Foreman, 80 yds., 3. Time, 2:15.00.

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4. APPLICATION FOR GOVERNMENT LOAN: Application for Government Loan should be made for £12,000, as provided for in the Act.

5. HEADWORKS CONSUMPTION: Consumption figures for the last ten summers are as follows: 1941/42 - 4.7, 7.0, 3.0, 3.2, 0.4, 18.3, 6.21 in.

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BEAUFORT C.W.A. ANNUAL MEETING

Many items of interest came before the recent conference of the Beaufort C.W.A. Group.

The Group annual meeting was held at Linton on March 31. The hall was nicely decorated for the birthday meeting.

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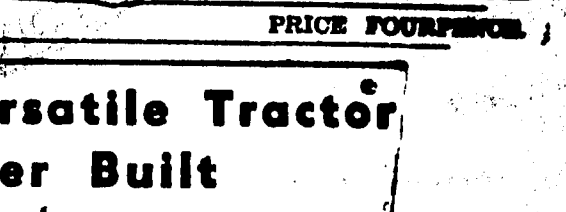
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DAVIES. - In loving memory of my dear brother Jack, who passed away on 13th April, 1953. Remembered always. - Inserted by his loving sister, Reta.

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DAVIES. - In memory of our loving son and brother Jack, who passed away on the 13th April, 1953. Time passes but memory stays for ever. - Inserted by mother, father, sisters and brother.

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A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

He who overcomes his misfortunes finds himself made better by them.

LOCAL NEWS & NOTES

BAND SOCIAL. At the Beaufort Town Band social on Tuesday night, Mrs. J. Rayner Mrs. S. Coles, and Mrs. McGreger, division 2 in Section 1, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. L. Stephens, and Mr. S. Coles divided 1 and 2 in Section 2.

EUCHE TOWNSHIP. At the Beaufort J.P. Ladies' Club euchre tournament on Thursday night, Mr. J. Jaensch was the winner in Section 1, and Mrs. L. Stephens, second. In Section 2 Mesdames C. Harp, S. Coles, W. Gillingham, and A. M. Parker divided 1 and 2.

GRASS FIRE. Beaufort and Bungor Rural Brigades, together with many other Brigade and private units, turned out on Thursday afternoon to a grass fire on the Theodore Berg property at Furambreen. The fire was extinguished after burning 30 acres of grass.

STREATHAM SCHOOL SPORTS. At the Streatham and district combined schools sports, Carol aged 11 years, daughter of Mr and Mrs P. Cuthbertson, was successful in winning five firsts and two seconds. She also won the Senior Girls' Championship, and was presented with a silver cup and blue sash.

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WATERLOO SPORTS CLUB CARNIVAL

SUCCESSFUL EASTER SATURDAY MEETING

Although the weather was showery on Easter Saturday, the Waterloo Sports Club's annual carnival passed off very successfully. More than 150 cars and several gate receipts were 250 compared with 1100 the previous year. One hundred members' tickets were also sold.

The Maryborough Pipe Band, which entertained the proceedings with a good programme of Scottish airs, was welcomed by the President, Mr Norman Gardner, who said he was pleased to see the Band among them once again, and members of the Club were highly delighted to have them.

Bookmakers were present, and a fair amount of betting was done on the Melbourne races and local events. Seventy-five per cent of the profit on the sports went to the Beaufort District Hospital and the remainder to the funds of the Waterloo Recreation Reserve.

The publican's booth was in charge of Mr E. W. Warren, of the Hotel Beaufort, and the ladies of the Beaufort District Hospital Committee and the Waterloo ladies, conducted the luncheon and afternoon tea booths: the Waterloo ladies also running the ice cream and soft drinks booth. The ladies who assisted were: Mesdames Stowell, G. Lotts, H. Lewis, C. Jones, J. McEwale, Mac Smith, Tim Gardner, and Miss A. Gardner at the luncheon and afternoon tea booth, and they were helped by Mr J. Stoker.

At the stall Mrs P. McEwale and Mr Gardner presented Mr J. Trengrove, David Armstrong, Mr Reg. Little, and Mr Trengrove, who donated the Plumb Axe Co. Messrs J. Stokes and P. Trengrove did brisk business with the stall.

The programme of cycle races, footraces, and woodchops was an excellent one, and there were many close and exciting finishes. The Beaufort Cycle Club One Mile Handicap was won by D. Grant by a length and a half. J. Lewis had two blows to spare at the finish of the Underhand Wood chop. B. Long got home by inches in the final of the half-mile Cycling Stakes. I. McIntosh gained a victory by 220 yds. Footrace, D. McDonald, only gained the honour by inches. The programme of cycle races, footraces, and woodchops was an excellent one, and there were many close and exciting finishes.

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During an interval between events, Mr N. Gardner (president) thanked everyone for coming to the sports, all who attended the working bees, and the secretary, Mr W. J. Jones. He hoped the result would leave a very substantial sum for the hospital.

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Radius Events outside radius of 25 miles Melbourn G.P.O. Prizes 12/6, 7/6, 5/6 each event.

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Prizes 7/6, 5/6, 2/6 each event.

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Championship Ribbon Ivy Ladner.

DISTRICT NEWS ITEMS

Waterloo and Chute

FORMER RESIDENTS RETURN. Among old residents noticed at the Easter Saturday sports and dance were Mr and Mrs A. Kewley and daughter, Mrs D. Carmichael, Mrs E. Rockliffe, Mrs F. Ball and son, Mr and Mrs Stewart, Mr and Mrs W. Russell, Mr and Mrs G. Russell, junr., Mr and Mrs W. Edwards, Messrs Alex and Bill Saddler, Mr W. Sharp, Mr and Mrs Les Wainger, Mrs Boronoe, Mrs Osborne, Mr and Mrs McNish, Mr C. Dunn, and Mr Duncan MacPhie.

USEFUL RAIN. On Good Friday night 84 points of rain fell.

CLEARING SALE BY AUCTION

ON THE PREMISES, CORNER NEILL & MARKET STREETS BEAUFORT

Thursday, April 16, 1953, at 2 p.m.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE & EFFECTS

DENNYS, LASCELLES LTD. have been favoured with instructions from Mr. C. S. GILLINGHAM, who is leaving the District, to sell by Auction as under.

3 piece Lounge Suite, Sideboard, Cedar Lounge Chair, Bedstead Suite (including Double Bedstead, Large Wardrobe, Gent's Wardrobe, Dressing Table, Stool), Cane Chair, Cedar Chest Drawers, Chest Drawers, 4 piece Bedroom Suite (including Double Bedstead, Wardrobe, Dressing Table, Cabinet), Single Folding Bed, Double Bedstead, Bedroom Cabinet, Corner Wardrobe, Kitchen Table, Leather Couch, Oval Extension Dining Table, 7 Kitchen Chairs, 2 Rocking Chairs, Set Canisters, Silent Knight Kero. Refrigerator, 5 valve Heating and Hot Water Radiator, Gas or Electric Stove, Singer Sewing Machine (as new), Roden W. Electric Stove, Brass Fire Screen, Fender, Card Table, Hall Table, Wringer, Clothes Basket, Writing Desk, Shaving Cabinet, Mirror, Electric Jug, Electric Iron, Carpet Square, 10 ft. x 9 ft., 18 in. Mats Curtains, Hall Runner, Kitchen Utensils and Sun-ropes, 32 volt Battery Charger, Bunicle Brick-making Machine, Ladder, 18 ft., Gent's Bicycle, Lady's Bicycle, Step Ladder, Saw Bench, with "M" Model Ford Engine, Fire Pump, Wincebarrow, Lawn Mowers, Scythes, quantity, Galv. Iron, Tools, Garden Hose, Camp Oven 30 in. Circular Saw (new), 2 1/2 gallons Gaubman's Super Paint, six volt Battery.

ADDITIONAL ENTRIES

9 ft. Caravan, 2-berth, 15 gal. Water Tank, 2-burner Blue Flame Stove, and necessary Cupboards, etc.; 18 yds. 6 ft. Burdett Fellex; 1 11 x 9 Carpet square (new).

All the above articles are in Good Order. Full particulars apply—DENNYS, LASCELLES LTD. Beaufort and Branches. H. V. MARTIN, Beaufort.

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A.A. CHIROPODIST Mrs MILLS wishes to advise patients that she will be away during April.

A CREAM and Cherry KITCHEN TEA will be tendered to Miss Margaret Fay in Middle Creek Hall on APRIL 14th. Ladies a basket.

BLUE-LINED Envelopes now available at THIS OFFICE at Reasonable Prices.

BEREAVEMENT. Noticelets in varying styles printed to your order at 'Advocate' Office. Beaufort. Phone 47.

C.W.A. — A General Meeting to discuss the forthcoming BALL will be held in the C.W.A. Hall at 3 p.m. on MONDAY, 12th APRIL. EVA NEWBY, Ball Secretary.

DON'T MISS READING WORTH. SPOONS STORE NEWS in This Issue.

ENVELOPES. Good Quality For Sale in Box or Broken Lots at 12/6, 15/6, 17/6 for 500. 'Advocate', Beaufort. Phone 47.

EUCHRE and SOCIAL EVENING to be held every Tuesday Night at the Home of Mr E. Drew for Urban Queen. A. GILLINGHAM, Secretary.

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FOR SALE, Young Pigs. Phone, Waterloo 4.

FOR SALE, 25 gags graded Algerian Oats, 7/6 bushel; 80 gags Cape Seed Barley, 15/ bushel. I. LOFTS, Beaufort. Phone Mena Park 46.

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1938 FORD V8 De Luxe Sedan, in very good order. This car is well worth your inspection. WOTHERSPOON MOTORS Beaufort.

BEAUFORT TENNIS CLUB CLOSING DAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 18th.

Mixed Doubles Draw. Entries (2/6) close 6 p.m. APRIL 17th. LLOYD WILLIAMS, EDNA CUTHBERTSON, Joint Secs.

FOOTBALL. BEAUFORT PARK, APRIL 11th. Beaufort v. Ararat at 2.15.

ON THE 18th, THE LEXTON LEAGUE STARTS. Beaufort v. Natte Yallock at Beaufort.

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL TEAM FOR 1953. DAVE SNEEDON, President. FRANK ALLEN, Secretary. CROWN LANDS AVAILABLE.

The undermentioned allotment is available under Section 44 of the Land Act 1923, and all applications received on or before WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1953, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made. Section 2. ALLOTMENT 10, Parish of Haglan, County of Ripon, containing 44 acres more or less, 3rd class land at £1 per acre. Survey No. 113/2/6. Suitable for grazing. H. H. DODD, Land Officer. Ballarat, 11/4/53.

McMILLAN MOTORS. Watch this for details for ANZAC DAY. BUS to Melbourn. A. TORNEY, Phone 189. ROTARY HOEING.

HAVE your Garden dug by Modern, Quick Method. Normal Household Blocks ready for Planting in 2 hours. Hoeing done at 11 per hour. Ring PHIL HARRIS, Beaufort 2.

CHURCH SERVICES. SUNDAY, 12th APRIL, 1953. Catholic Church. — Buangor 9, Beaufort 10.30.

Church of England. — Beaufort 8, Leamouth 11, Wauhora 2, Beaufort 7. — Right Rev. Dr. James.

Presbyterian Church. — Beaufort 11 and 7, Buangor 3. — Rev. H. A. Harris.

Methodist Church. — Beaufort 11 and 7, Waterloo 3. — Pastor A. M. Poppel, Main Lead 2, Russian 3.15. — Mr E. R. Dunn, Salvation Army. — Public Meetings will be held each Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Children's Meetings, 2.30 p.m. — Lieut. Matthews.

SHIRE OF RIPON. TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on TUESDAY, 14th APRIL, 1953, at the Shire Office, Beaufort, for construction of a Kitchen at the Beaufort Park — Materials and Labor. Plans and Specifications at Shire Office, Beaufort. Deposit of 1 per cent. to accompany each tender. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. N. B. ACTON, Shire Secretary. Beaufort, 31/3/53.

SHIRE OF RIPON. NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Council of the Shire of Ripon, held on 11th March, 1953, the Council did agree to the following resolution, that is to say:— "That the By-law for fixing fees and conditions for Caravan Parking at the Beaufort Park, be adopted."

Notice is further given that a meeting of the Council will be held at the Shire Hall, Beaufort, on WEDNESDAY, 15th APRIL, 1953, at 9.30 in the forenoon, when the said Resolution (for passing the above-mentioned By-law will be submitted for confirmation.

Notice is also given that a copy of the above-mentioned By-law has been deposited at the Shire Offices, Beaufort, and is open for inspection of any person interested during office hours. N. B. ACTON, Shire Secretary. Beaufort, 5/4/53.

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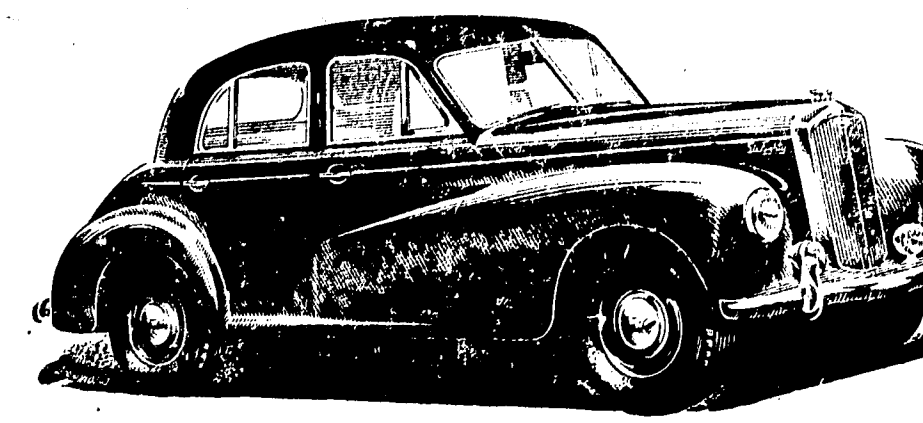
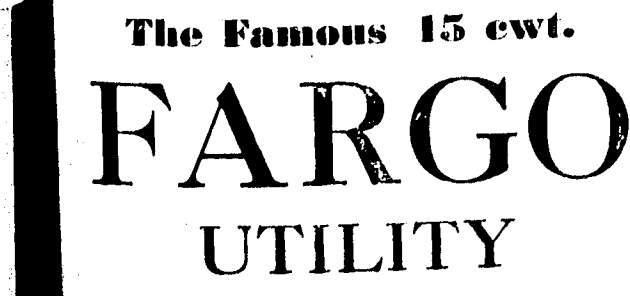
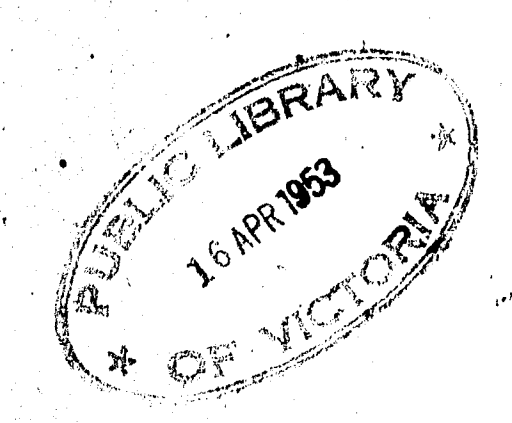
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DEATH. ROBERTS (Anderson) on 15th April, at Beaufort District Hospital, after a long illness, Mrs. Annie Roberts, nee Stanley, Lindsay and Alice. Aged 78 years. 'Rest After Toil'.

BEREAVEMENT CARD. The family of the late Mr. Frank Drew desire to thank all friends and relatives for expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement. Special thanks to Mr. C. A. Hearn and Miss Fisher.

IN MEMORIAM. PEARCE In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, Thomas passed away April 18, 1953. A beautiful memory is all that is left of the affection which we loved and can never forget. His wife and family.

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LOCAL NEWS & NOTES. IN HOSPITAL. Mrs. A. E. Herbertson of Lexington is a patient at the Beaufort District Hospital. Mrs. A. E. Crick, of Beaufort, and Mrs. E. J. Crick, of Beaufort, have had to undergo operations in the same institution.

CARD SOCIAL. Beaufort P. B. Ladies' Club held a card social on Thursday night, 17th April, at the home of Mrs. A. M. Parker, 1; Mrs. J. Martin, 2; Section 2—Mr. F. Hainz, 1; Mr. C. Broadbent and Mrs. W. Gillingham divided 2.

SERIOUSLY INJURED. Mr. Ivan Crick, of Beaufort, who with his fiancée, Mrs. E. J. Crick, was driving a motor car on the road between Burrambeen and Strathmore, on Thursday night, April 16th, received serious injuries. On examination at the Beaufort Hospital, it was discovered that his back was severely injured and his spine fractured. He is progressing as well as can be expected.

TRAINES ESCAPE. Robert Cox, 19, and Leonard Edward Finch, 18, both inmates of the Langkai Kai Training Centre, Traralgon, escaped at 1.50 p.m. on Thursday. They took a car belonging to the superintendent (Mr. H. C. Mathew), after sawing open the back door and escaping a capsule reserved for them. They were followed by Beaufort police, but escaped out of the district. They were still missing on Thursday night.

POSTAL VOTES. Electors are invited to vote by post at the alternate elections for those outside their State, those more than five miles from polling place, travelling under conditions preventing them from attending a booth, or prevented by illness, military or other duties. Necessary application forms at post offices. Electors leaving for overseas before May 1 should request forms before they embark. Votes can be obtained and recorded at any Divisional Returning Officers' office.

ALP. SENATE CAMPAIGN. HEAR THE HON. F. J. KENNELLY, Labor Candidate, SUPPORTED BY HON. J. J. JONES, M.L.C. Mr. EARN MORITON, M.L.A. (Chairman of Committees), who will address the meeting.

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BRIEF COUNCIL NOTES. APRIL MEETING. At the commencement of the Riponshire Council meeting on Wednesday, 12th April, the Mayor, Mr. William Lynch, presided. The Mayor, Mr. Lynch, presided. The Mayor, Mr. Lynch, presided.

STONELEIGH ROADS. A letter was read from the S.S. Stoneleigh Roads Committee to the Council. The Council to adhere to its former resolution regarding the sale of the land.

NEKRIN NEKRIN ROAD. It was decided to agree to a proposal by Ararat Shire which would incur the spending of an additional £125 on Nerrin Nerrin Road.

ELECTRICITY EXTENSIONS. The State Electricity Commission wrote in regard to extension of supply to Snake Valley, Carnham, etc. It was stated that the extension to Beaufort, it was understood that the extension to Snake Valley would be considered this year. It was decided that Dr. H. H. Roddick call a public meeting at Snake Valley to give a basis to work on.

SKIPTON REQUESTS. Several requests for work at Skipton were received by the Progress Association of that town, and an inspection is to be made by the Engineer, High Inspector and councillors on 14th May.

REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL. At the request of the Progress Association a member of committee was appointed to represent the Council; President Buchanan being chosen.

HEALTH REPORTS. Dr. G. Little reported two cases of rubella at Beaufort, and Dr. J. S. Premananda a case of rubella and one of scarlet fever at Skipton.

CAMERON'S BRIDGE. It was announced that Cameron's Bridge cost £220 (£500 over the estimate prepared four years ago). Several councillors praised the engineer for the excellent job. It was decided that Cr. J. Kirkpatrick perform the opening ceremony on Wednesday next at 4 p.m., and to invite the shire men to attend.

OTHER MATTERS. In regard to the Park Kitchen, the tenders received were 1155 for the building. The tender was accepted. It was decided to write to the Progress Association and ask for their views.

MRS ANNIE ROBERTS. Mrs. Annie Roberts, widow of the late Mr. W. P. Roberts, of Middle Creek, passed away at the Beaufort District Hospital on Thursday afternoon at 4.15 p.m. She had lived in her home at Middle Creek, and was a well-respected resident of Beaufort for more than 65 years. She was of a retiring character, and her interests were centred in the home. She enjoyed good health until a few weeks ago, when she was stricken with illness. Her husband preceded her by a few years, and she was buried in the Beaufort Cemetery on Thursday afternoon at 11 a.m.

MRS MARGARET COUGLE. At the advanced age of nearly 95 years, the death occurred late on Thursday afternoon at Beaufort, of Mrs. Margaret Cougle, wife of the late Mr. George H. Cougle. The late Mrs. Cougle was a well-respected resident of Beaufort for more than 65 years. She was of a retiring character, and her interests were centred in the home. She enjoyed good health until a few weeks ago, when she was stricken with illness. Her husband preceded her by a few years, and she was buried in the Beaufort Cemetery on Thursday afternoon at 11 a.m.

MISS ANNE FLANNAGAN. A well-known and respected resident of Burrambeen, Miss Anne Flannagan died at her home, the Lambton Arms Hotel, on April 14. She was 85, and the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. Flannagan, of Evanston. She leaves a husband, Mr. Conway, two nephews and a niece. Her remains were interred at Learmonth on Thursday.

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DISTRICT HOSPITAL. MONTHLY MEETING. The April meeting of the Beaufort District Hospital Committee held at the Shire on Wednesday, 12th April, was attended by eleven members and the secretary (Mrs. J. Stowell), and Mr. A. R. Beggs (president) presided.

CREDIT BALANCE. The secretary (Mr. A. R. Beggs) reported a credit balance of £644 10/6. Accounts totalling £8509 were passed for payment. The secretary said £7000 in rates had yet to be collected.

ALTERED COUNTRY PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE. Commencing Monday, April 13, the following alterations to the Melbourne-Ballarat-Horsesham Dimboola-Service will be in effect.

FIELD DAY. THURSDAY, 30th APRIL, 1.30 p.m. ON THE PROPERTY OF MR. J. BAIN - NAVARE. 1933 PYRENEES DISTRICT SOIL CONSERVATION. Interesting examples of soil conservation practices may be seen on this farm.

R.S.L. BOWLING CLUB. RINK COMPETITION. Beaufort R.S.L. Bowling Club held a rinks competition on Saturday which was won by A. Higgins, F. Smith, and H. E. Cuthbertson.

AGRICULTURAL NEWS OF INTEREST. Mr. J. P. Barrett, Research Officer of the Division of Animal Health and Production for the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation, is in charge of the Regional Laboratory at Ararat.

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CHURCH SERVICES. Catholic Church.—Beaufort 9, Bunger 10.30. Church of England.—Beaufort 8, Learmonth 11, Warralong 2.30, Beaufort 7—Bishop James. Presbyterian Church.—Middle Creek 2.30, Bunger 3.30, Beaufort 7—Rev. H. A. Harris. Methodist Church.—Beaufort 8, Bunger 3.30, Beaufort 7—Pastor A. M. Poppel.

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DISTRICT NEWS. Lake Goldsmith Events. SEASONAL NOTES. After a dry spell from early in the previous steady rain commenced on Wednesday, 11th April, and continued to fall on Good Friday evening and local registrations ranged from 60 to 100 points, making it sufficient to start the grass growing and was of great value in replenishing the soil.

SHIRE OF RIPON. I HEREBY CONVEY A PUBLIC MEETING to be held in the Shire of Ripon on FRIDAY, 24th APRIL, 1953, at 8 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of discussing and arranging for the celebration of the Coronation of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, on 2nd JUNE, 1953.

SHIRE OF RIPON. CAMERON'S BRIDGE. With the completion of the construction of the deck of Cameron's Bridge and a start being made with the erection of handrails, it seems likely that the bridge which has been closed since August 1951 will soon be opened to traffic.

PERSONAL. The marriage of John Phillip, only son of Mr and Mrs G. North, of the Coronation Hotel, to Valerie Bernice, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs B. Seymour, of Prahran, East St. Kilda, to-day (April 18), at 4.30 p.m.

PERSONAL. Messrs. R. Pascoe and M. Cook, of Mensa Park have returned after an enjoyable motor trip to Adelaide and Mildura. Mrs. J. Freeman, who has been staying with her parents Mr and Mrs A. Kirkpatrick, of the Coronation Hotel, has returned to her home in New South Wales.

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COMMITTEE MEETING

Arrangements were made for the Anzac Day march and service at the monthly committee meeting of the Ripon Sub-Branch, R.S.L., held at the Shire Hall on Saturday night.

The business sheet was a brief one. Mr. C. H. McKay (State Country Vice - president and Sub-Branch president) presided, and 11 members attended. The secretary (Mr. F. J. Webster) said the Anzac Day tokens were not yet to hand.

CORRESPONDENCE

From State Branch re charter received and to be framed by Mr. Webster.

Circular from R.S.L. Land Settlement Committee re nominations. - President nominated.

Circular from State Branch concerning subscribers for "Muti", preference to ex-serve-ment engagements for entertainments, re Salvation Army and Y.M.C.A. Korean Tea Appeal, welcome to Korean members of Belles Competition for Victoria at District Board balls; re War Veterans' Association; re War Veterans' Association; re War Veterans' Association.

Reference to Anzac Day observance, which would be discussed at annual conference in July; visits to aged and infirm 1st A.I.P. men; re tram transport restrictions as affecting members of sub-branch visit of New Zealanders to Victoria for Anzac Day.

Coronation tributes by R.S.L. at social and R.S.L. taking part in local Coronation Day celebrations; election of representatives of District Council on State Council. - Received.

From Mrs. Campbell and family, returning thanks for letter of sympathy and the large attendance at the funeral of the late Andrew Campbell of R.S.L. members.

Invitation to Snake Valley R.S.L. smoke social on 18th April, Waubra social on the same date and Avoca smoke night on 17th April. - Representatives to attend.

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Balance-sheet showed receipts totalling £27/10/0 and expenditure amounting to £18/17/6, leaving a Cr. balance of £10/12/6.

Annual Report We have pleasure in presenting to you the fifth annual report of the Local Association of the Girl Guides of Beaufort.

Our year has been quite an active one, and we feel sure very successful. During the year Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Gregory, and Mrs. M. Watkins went to Melbourne to attend a conference of the Local Associations, which we found most instructive.

We hope we can manage to send delegates again this year. Mrs. Gregory and Mrs. Watkins were the guides to their annual meeting. Miss Peg Barr showed colour films of her trip to America.

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Discussion on New Valuation

From Shire of Ararat, re Middle Creek. - Received. From Central Highlands Regional Committee, concerning two riparian committees, re Gullible - He had never been able to find out what the Commission did, and thought it was time they considered nominating a representative. Cr. Guthrie was nominated as representative on motion of Crs. Roddis and Hinton. Cr. Guthrie - He was not asking for a writ of prohibition, but would accept a writ.

From Municipal Association re business for annual conference. - Motions to be brought before the Council on 25th April, in reference to naturalization of New Australians for municipal purposes. From Municipal Association, in reference to naturalization of New Australians for municipal purposes. From Municipal Association, in reference to naturalization of New Australians for municipal purposes.

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ENGINEER'S REPORT

Action taken at the Ripon Shire Council meeting on April 15 in regard to the engineer's report published in last issue was as follows:

Clause 1 — Grant Works. — The President (Cr. Buchanan) suggested that the opening of the bridge which was the biggest job done for some time, very satisfactory, and a credit to the engineer.

Cr. Schlicht — He was greatly impressed by the quality of the work.

The engineer — He had hopes that the traffic would be going over it on Tuesday, 21st May.

Cr. Guthrie — He agreed it was a very good job.

The engineer said that the timber that came out of it was being stacked and used on other bridge repairs.

The engineer added that the original estimate of the bridge was £4946, and the cost was £5289, £400 over the estimate prepared four years ago. The Council was only up for £1000 to-day.

Cr. Guthrie moved that Cr. Kirkpatrick be asked to perform the ceremony. Seconded by Cr. Hinton, and carried.

The opening ceremony was fixed for Wednesday, 22nd April, at 4 p.m.

The engineer recommended that the shire men be invited. — Agreed to.

The engineer paid a tribute to Lexton Shire for making their plant available on the Beaufort-Lexton Road.

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The secretary — The revenue was £40,000.

Approved on motion of Crs. Hinton and Mackinnon.

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Clause 4 — Fire Brigade Track and Drainage Reserves, Beaufort. — Adopted.

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Clause 11 — Closing of Raglan - Elmhurst Road in June, July, August and September, 1953. — Clause approved, and action to be taken on motion of Crs. Hinton and Mackinnon.

Clause 12. — The engineer suggested that another man on the staff be elevated to the position of Mr. G. Grant as truck driver, and that two additional men be engaged — one to be permanent operator of the front loader. Cr. Guthrie — Was it necessary to put on more men, as other Councils were retrenching? The engineer, in reply, pointed out that there was money there to be spent and plant to be used. They had retrenched by not replacing men who left.

Cr. Mackinnon moved that the matter be left in the engineer's hands. Seconded by Cr. Guthrie and carried.

Cr. Watkin moved that Mr. Grant's resignation be received with regret, and a minute placed on the books in appreciation of his seven years' service, and a letter of appreciation sent to him. — Seconded by Cr. Hinton, and carried.

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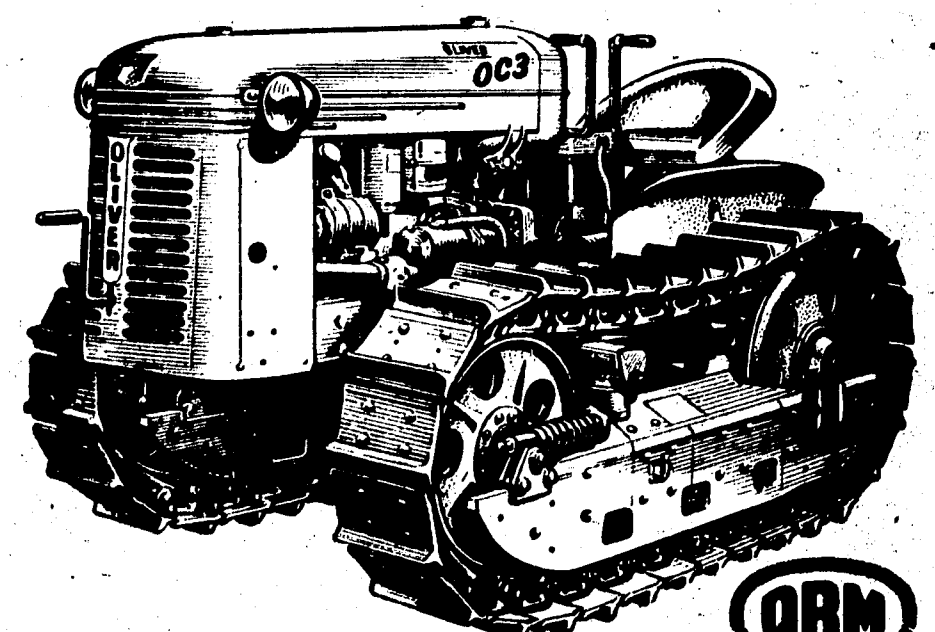
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