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## MARYSVILLE AT THE TURN OF THE CENTURY

This panoramic shot of Marysville was taken by an unknown photographer and comes courtesy of Peter & Aileen Tossol of Thornton. We would appreciate it if someone could identify the photographer and any further details regarding their works as it is extremely rare to find this style of image at the turn of the century. The Keppels Hotel is easily identified on the left and piles of wood signify the needs of a growing town.



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## LOCALS BUY NEW STUDEBAKER

Jack Tossol, sister Lucy & Thomas Tossol of Thornton next to their new 1925 Studebaker they purchased for family transport. The car was mainly used for Church trips and journeys to cattle sales to Alexandra and Mansfield.

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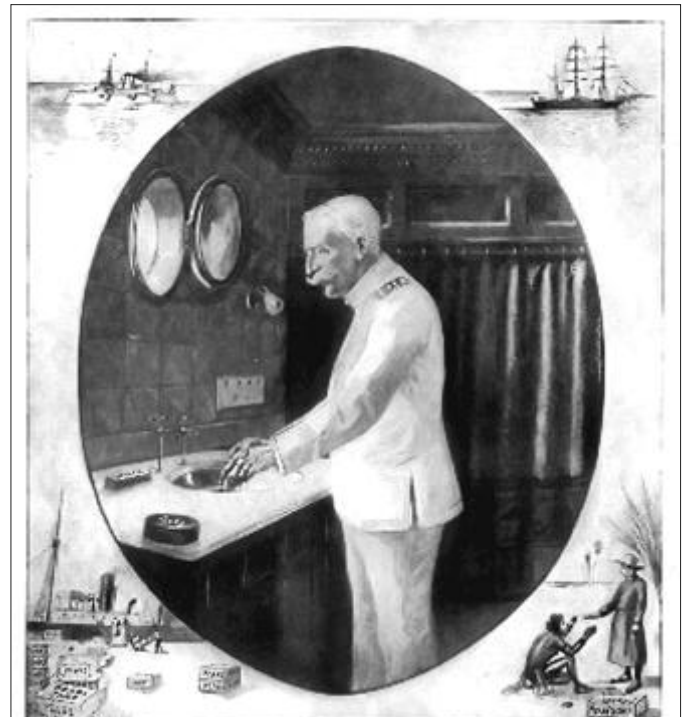
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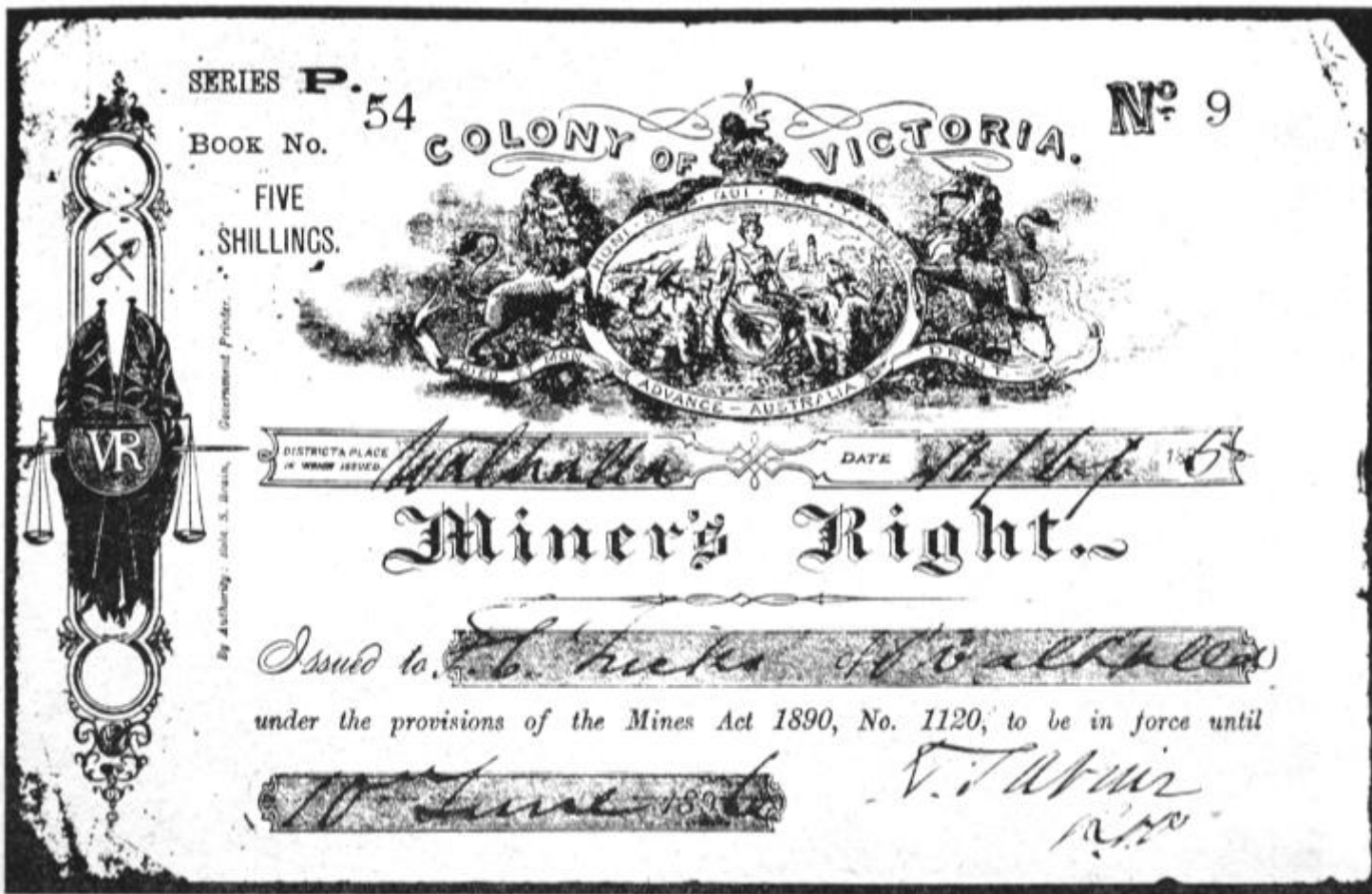
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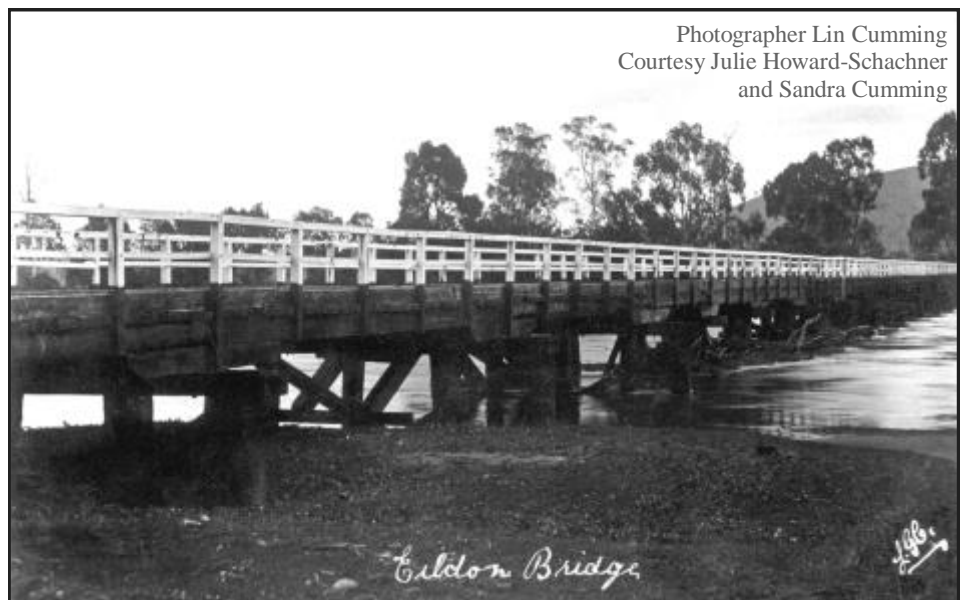
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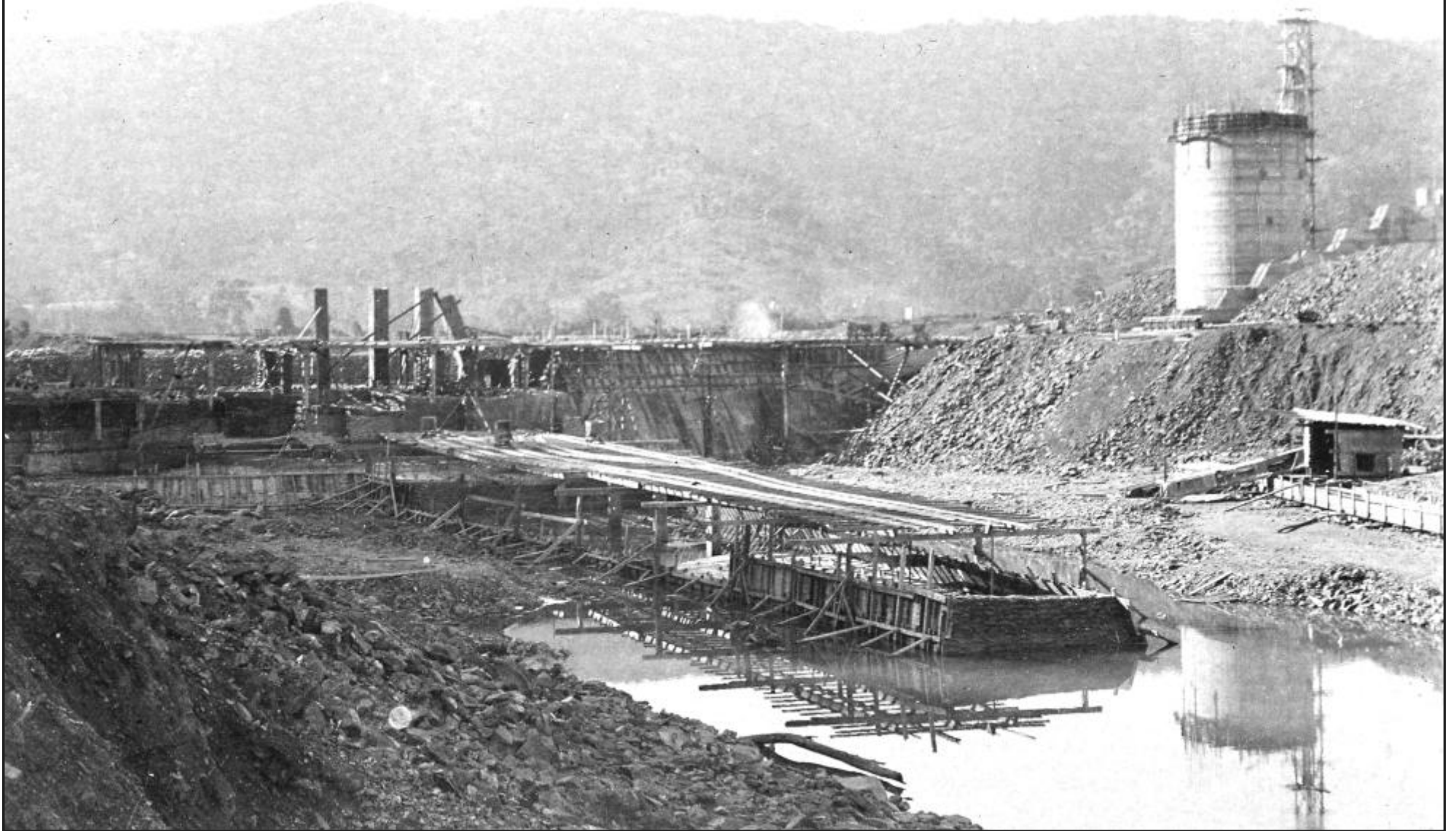
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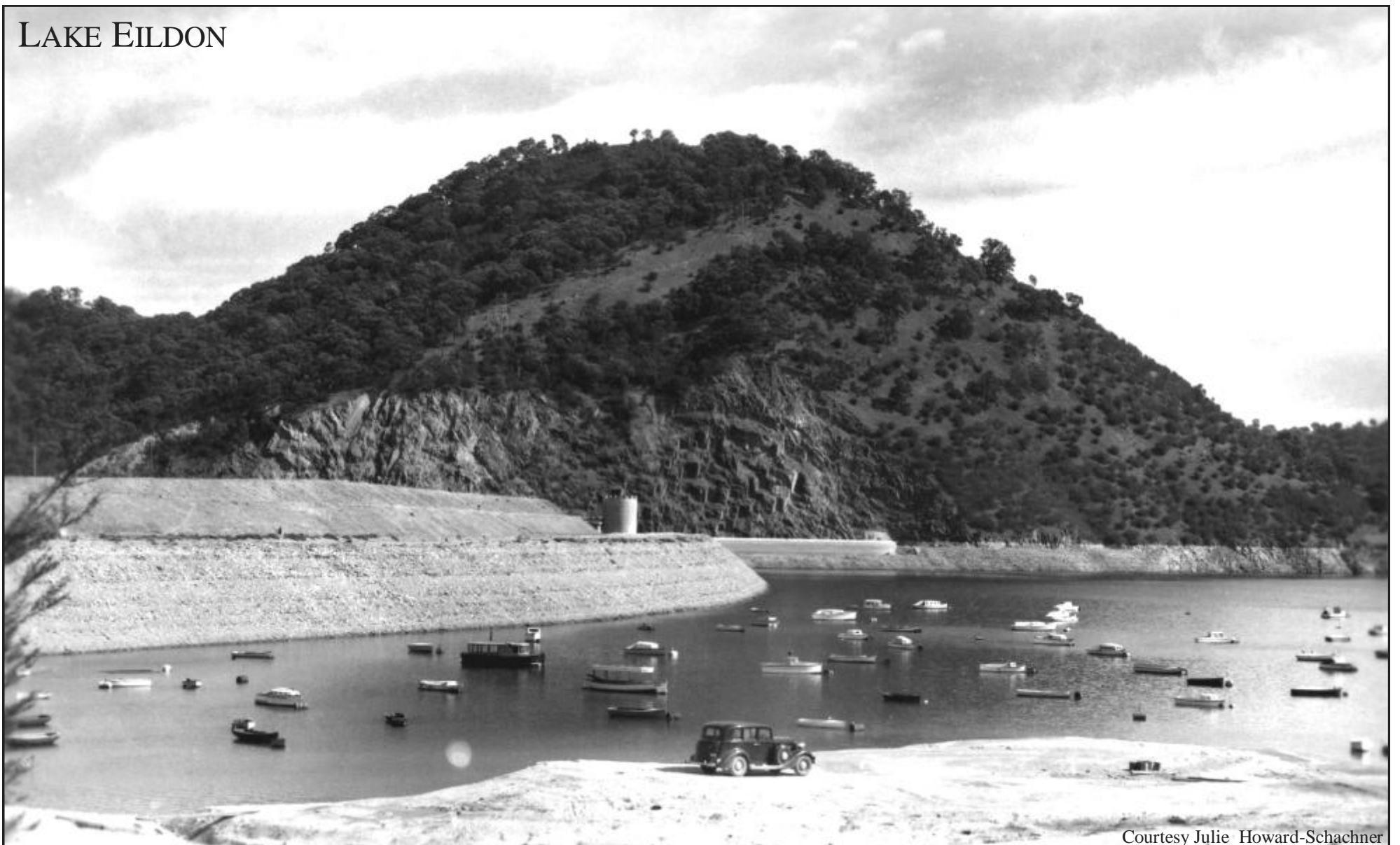
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## FLOODS ON THE RUBICON

## EROSION AND SILTATION

## Settlers' Intolerable Position

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER)

ALEXANDRA, Monday. — Recently an article appeared in "The Argus" describing the heavy losses which farmers along the Goulburn River are suffering as a result of the rapid erosion of their land. The cause, it was explained, was the interference with the waters of the Goulburn which followed the construction of the Eildon weir and the installation of facilities for the generation of electricity. Somewhat similar trouble is being experienced by settlers on the alluvial flats along the Rubicon River, where, in some instances, good farming has been made impossible.

Winding continually on itself the Rubicon runs through deep black soil. Properly managed, this splendid country will grow the highest type of permanent pasture without the addition of fertiliser. This is rye-grass and white clover, with which large areas are covered. Some years ago the hydro-electric plant was constructed on the head waters of the river in the mountains. Works were built in such a manner that large quantities of soil were washed down the river. Aided by snags, many of which also were borne down, deposition of silt has occurred along the river. The result is that its depth has been decreased to such an extent that serious flooding occurs.

An example of the manner in which settlers are being affected is given on the property of Mr. F. H. Wightman. This farm comprises 200 acres, and when the Rubicon floods its banks an area of only 20 acres is left above water. Furthermore, about 50 acres of this property has not been productive for the last five years. There is only one system by which such country can be managed successfully. Naturally it grows rushes and scrub. The normal method by which it is brought into production is by ploughing and perhaps growing a crop of potatoes. Permanent pasture is then sown, and the splendid soil supports rye-grass and white clover without difficulty, giving the best possible feed for cattle. At present settlers are unable to plough because of the fear of flooding which carries the soil away.

The daily rise and fall which occurs now in the river as a result of the control which is exercised in generating electricity is affecting the Rubicon in a similar manner to the Goulburn. The banks are undermined. They fall in, and continued erosion takes place. A great amount of work has been done by settlers in an attempt to keep the river in its original course. Banks have been strengthened by carting soil only to fall at another spot. Large drains have been constructed to take away the flood waters. Snagging has been done along large stretches of the river. Indeed, this has given remarkably good results, for the river has deepened itself by removing the silt. Huge trunks of white gum trees have been removed or swung to the banks and fastened there. But in some sections this work would be most expensive for farmers to undertake. Furthermore, at one bend it seems likely that the banks will break at any time, with the result that the river will cut a fresh course for itself through the flats.

Though representatives of the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission and interested Government departments have visited the area nothing has been done. It is admitted that only by straightening the river, by making a cut, and snagging can the trouble be dealt with satisfactorily. At present consideration is being given to a report made on the area. Meanwhile settlers are in an intolerable position.

## HOLIDAY RESORTS

Alexandra. - Ideal for  
camping out

The caravan holiday maker, the camper out or the one who prefers the comfort of good accommodation all find Alexandra an ideal place for the spending of an outdoor vacation. The drive over the Blacks' Spur is one of the attractions of a trip that is rich in scenic offerings. Alexandra is one of the oldest townships in Victoria and has for many years been regarded as a hill resort. Artists by the score have derived inspiration and material from the expansive views and fascinating glimpses obtained at the numerous eminences or along the banks of the rivers Goulburn and Acheron.

The walker, whether a long-distance enthusiast or one who prefers to dawdle by the way, does not exhaust the possibilities of this neighbourhood with one visit.

The nearest points from which commanding views of a wonderful countryside are obtained are Reservoir Hill, only a mile from the township, and McKenzie's Hill, less than two miles distant. From Brooks's Cutting, which also involves a walk of two miles, one of the most arresting views of the Goulburn and Acheron valleys, with the dominating Cathedral Peak in the distance, is obtained. To scale Mount Prospect is a more laborious undertaking, but one within the capacity of most people, and from this height the tourist looks out over the Cathedral Mount, beyond which opens up a vista of range after range seemingly interminable, and certainly impressive to the man whose normal vision is restricted to one block of a city's buildings.

Farther afield are the falls of the Snobs Creek, fourteen miles from the township, and attainable, except for the last two miles, by car. These are higher and sometimes exceed in volume to the famous Rubicon Falls, although in the mind of most visitors the latter are the more beautiful.

The Rubicon Falls are reached through the Rubicon Forest, and a tour to them makes one of the best outings among a wealth of attractions. After a drive of fifteen miles it is necessary to walk along the east branch of the tempestuous river.

On this walk the tourist passes through one of the most famous beauty spots in Victoria - the fern glade of surpassing loveliness, shaded by the massive elephant rock, a huge monolith. The falls complete a picture which for sheer natural beauty is not exceeded.

Drives along the valley of the Goulburn River or along the course of the Acheron, fishing in any of the numerous pools and streams, shooting and aimless rambling make up the holiday of the visitor to Alexandra. Many camping grounds have been reserved along the banks of the rivers, and these are freely used by holiday makers who seek a few days or weeks of the real outdoor life amid the prettiest surroundings conceivable.

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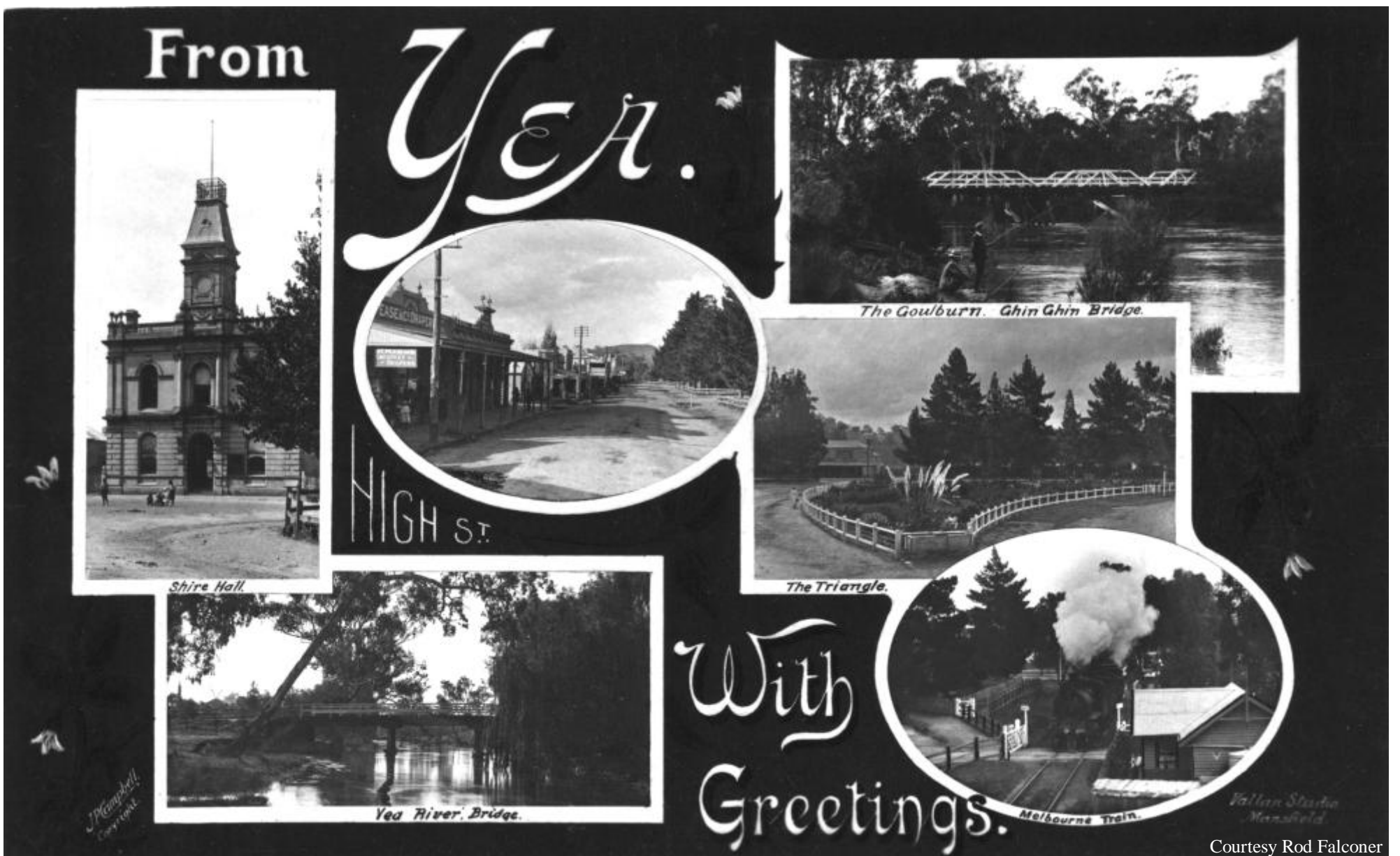
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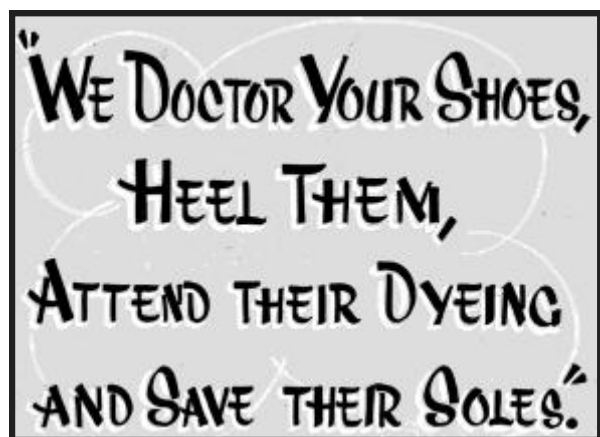
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## THE PROPOSED RAILWAY LINE TO ALEXANDRA,

[BY WIRE — FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT

ALEXANDRA, Thursday.

The committee — consisting of Mr. Carison (the president of the shire council), and Crs. Lade, Wightman and McKinnon — appointed to meet the Railway Commissioners, left that place this morning *en route* for Alexandra. On the way they pointed out the site upon which the residents of Molesworth desired a station to be located, the situation on the Balham Hill estate, opposite the James Hotel, which the commissioners agreed to. Upon nearing the Yeag-road school, the locality proposed for the deviation of the branch line into Alexandra was indicated to the commissioners, who promised to give their wishes every consideration. The party arrived at Alexandra at four o'clock this afternoon, and they were entertained by the local council in the shire hall. About fifty gentlemen sat down. The only toast proposed was that of The Queen. An inspection was then made of the township after which the commissioners were driven down to the Goulburn Gate, accompanied by a number of townspeople in conveyance. The commissioners will leave at five to-morrow morning for Mansfield via Yarok. At Merton, a deputation will meet the party at Goodear's Hotel, Yarok, to ask for a station at that place. The party will breakfast at Stodart's Kanumbra station.

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## The Mushroom Patch



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The ladies are wearing their outing best to keep their men happy and to feel good about themselves. Their wide brimmed hats create a great and healthy barrier from the sun which is able to burn their fair skin quickly, causing discomfort and an uncomfortable situation for sure!



Courtesy Jeanie Webb





DECEMBER 12, 1925

## 48 YEARS IN EDUCATION DEPT.

## Retirement of Mr C. R. Long

In its true and proper sense, the title "Public Servant" is the most honorable that any man can claim. And in its true and proper sense, the title belongs honorably to Mr Charles R. Long, as the fruit of 48 years of full and beneficent work for the Department of Education.

Mr Long is a senior inspector and the editor of The School Paper, The Teachers' Gazette, and other publications of the department. Stern regulations decree that retirement must come with the sixty-fifth milestone of a man's life, and Mr Long accordingly retires this year, having continued his work, at the Cabinet's request, for several months after his allotted time of service had elapsed.

His career in the department began in 1877, when he entered the Alexandra State School as a pupil teacher. His parents, Londoners both, were lured to Victoria by the dream of gold in the late fifties, and Charles was born at Wallan in 1880. The family moved on to Enoch's Point three years later, and to Alexandra when Charles was about 11.

He was a pupil teacher for two years, head teacher of a country school for the same period, then a student in a training college for about a year, and during most of the 'eighties he was assistant in the Central Richmond Training School.

It was then that the foundation for much of his future work was laid. The life he led at the time was an extraordinary one. He was a young married man, teaching from nine in the morning until four in the afternoon. Directly school was over he hastened to the laboratory at Trinity College, and put in a few hours at chemistry. In the evenings he studied classics at the college, working for his University degree.

This he took triumphantly, in spite of all handicaps, in 1888, and capped his performance a year later by winning the Shakespeare Scholarship, then the blue ribbon of University scholarships.

**Helped to Make History**  
He was a Training College lecturer from 1890 to 1893, then an inspector. He became Editor of the School Paper on its foundation in 1896, and added the Teachers' Gazette to his responsibilities four years later, when it first saw the light. During the 30 years since his work as editor began, he has seen through the press every number of the papers under his charge—a tribute to his splendid health, not less than to the strict devotion to duty which has always marked his work.

The position he occupied enabled him to act as a right-hand man to the Director, Mr Frank Tate, in the great work of reorganising and enlarging the Department which has gone on throughout this century, since Mr Tate took office in 1902.

When Mr Long entered the Department, the Education Act of 1872 was just under way. His early chiefs were the first generation of officials under that Act. He saw the passing of these men, and the coming of the next generation in the 'eighties, and he worked through the difficult and harassing 'nineties, when financial stringency was pressing back the hopes and activities of himself and the other eager young men who were anxious to push forward to better things.

He was a regular member of the Congresses which met annually in Melbourne, discussing and debating their ideas, in hopes of better days, keeping alive public interest in education, and leading, finally, to the appointment of the Fink Commission (of which Mr Long himself was a member), and to the triumphant issue of its labors.

Every recommendation of this Commission was adopted, and the bad old days of the Department had gone for ever. Under Mr Tate as permanent head, the work of broadening and liberalising the Primary curriculum was pressed forward, and the Department's activities grew slowly, but steadily, and without a backward look, in the field of Secondary education.

The Editor of the School Paper was a "key man" in all this seed-time and harvesting. Through the pages of the paper, the new ideas directly reached both teachers and children, and through the Education Gazette the big men at the top spread their doctrines and methods throughout the rank and file officers of the Department, holding its activities firmly together, and preserving the unity of aim which was so necessary for their work.

## Man of Ideas

In the field of the teaching of History Mr Long, as editor, and as an independent author, had a special part to play. It goes without saying that he was, and is, a man of ideas.

No routine performance could have yielded the results which have followed upon Mr Long's efforts. And one of his ideas was that Australian history should be taught to Australian children if a true and instructed patriotism was to be the outcome.

Himself a man with a very deep reverence for the past, and a founder of the Historical Society, Mr Long soon made his ideas felt through the School Paper. In addition, he produced the set of manuals and texts of Australian history which are today known and read throughout the Commonwealth, and which have been one of the main factors in bringing Australian history to the front throughout the educational system, from infant classes to the University. "Stories of Australian Exploration" was his first essay in this field. The well-known map of Australian exploration was the second. A set of historical pictures—still widely used—was the third.

A history of the foundation of the States and New Zealand came next, then a more detailed account, especially for Victorian children, of the origin and development of this State.

During the war, and after, in collaboration with his assistant editor, Mr G. M. Wallace, he wrote two books to bring its salient features, and especially the deeds of the Australians, prominently before the minds of children.

But History is not his only love, nor his only field of authorship. His very first book, "Scientific Work Simplified," did much to improve the teaching of science in the State schools, which, at the time, stood sadly in need of bettering in this respect. And later he produced the "Aim and Method" series, a number of handbooks for the guidance of teachers, based on his own experience as a Teachers' College lecturer.

**Still Work to Do**  
There can be few men with so wide an experience, or so great a range of activities as citizens, as Mr Long. He has passed through every main grade of departmental work, but more than this, (as this brief sketch shows) he has those keen interests in the growth, life and literature of his country which vivify and vitalise a man's daily work in his chosen sphere.

Founder of the Australian Literature Society and the Historical Society, an early and always a prominent member of the Shakespeare Society and the old Geographical Society, leading spirit in the Home Reading Union, author, and lecturer, Mr Long is still at work for his ideals in his persistent advocacy of historical memorials, to famous Australians; typical of his "live-wire" up-to-date-ness are the lectures on Australian history which he has recently broadcast through 3LO.

In a photograph which we publish in this issue, Mr Long is shown with his own "memorial"—on his right hand a pile of volumes as high as himself. Flittingly enough, the foundation is the report of the Education Commission. Then come departmental reports which he has edited, with 25 years of "Teachers' Gazettes" and thirty years of "School Papers." On his left are his own volumes—with his monumental record of the Education Department war work at the foot, and at the head the history of State Education in Victoria, of which he was part author.

About his plans for the future, Mr Long is reticent. But, naturally, they cover further work for education, and they will be carried out in Victoria. Only two things will he speak of—one is his continued efforts in the cause of Australian history, and the other his intention to undertake Church work, particularly in connection with religious instruction in the State schools.

In those two plans the discerning eye will see the key to the nature of the man. A profound feeling for the beauty and value of the past, and an even deeper sentiment for the deepest things of life—these two things are the strong inner forces which have burgeoned into the life-time of splendid service, one chapter of which is to close in a few days' time.

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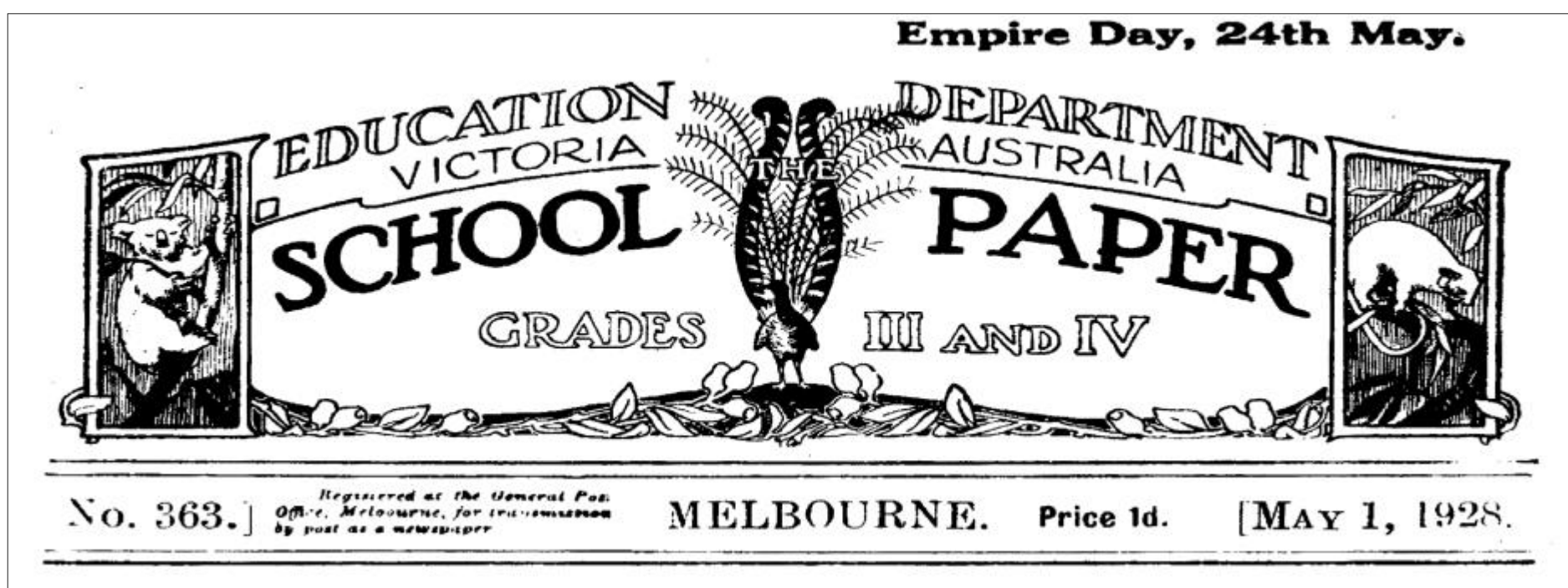
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### SCHOOL PAPER BORN THANKS TO LOCAL IDENTITY CHARLES R. LONG

Charles was born at Wallan on the 31st of August 1860 to Henry Samuel Long and Sarah (nee Sayers). Both of Charles parents were migrants from England who ventured to Australia in the year 1857.

As a child, Charles was educated at multiple schools. These included a common school at Wallan as well as schools at, Woods Point, Gaffney's Creek, Enoch's Point and Alexandra.

Charles' parents tried their hand at mining, though a failure to make a healthy living and the harshness of the mining life saw them settle in Alexandra where Henry ran a Shoe makers Shop. Here Henry became very involved in the local community as he raised his many children. Henry was a member of a number of organizations that included the Masons and Odd fellows as well as the local drama and debating group.

In 1877 a young and shy Charles started a long connection with education in Victoria when he became a student teacher at Alexandra. Later he spent some time as a relief Head Teacher at Thornton, then a head teacher at the Upper Thornton school (located in what is now known as Snobs Creek). Charles moved to Melbourne and between 1880 and 1881 Charles studied at the University of Melbourne. He then spent most of his teaching time at the Richmond State School (No 1567) where he also met his wife to be - Louisa Catherine. Charles and Louisa married in 1886 and together brought eight children into the world before Louisa died in 1905.

During this early part of his career he continued to study at the University of Melbourne and successfully gained his B.A. by 1887 and his M.A by 1889.

Those in a position of authority in the Education Department saw the potential in Charles and as a result he was raised to the position of "Inspector of Schools" in 1890. During his time as an inspector he also acted as a lecturer to new trainee teachers at the training college.

In 1895 Charles was central to the development of a new publication called the "School Paper". Charles had been dissatisfied with the quality of literary material for students and acted to change that with the "School

Paper". This was a publication for Victorian schools and was designed to raise the bar on what was previously available.

The first issue of the "School Paper" arrived in 1896 and Charles was quickly appointed as the publication's Editor by the Department. He functioned in the editorial role until 1929 when the "School Paper" was replaced by the "Victorian Readers".

Charles was a strong believer in self, the mother country England, as well as Australian Nationalism and his Christian Faith. All these elements that helped make the Charles who he was were also reflected in the "School Paper". In one issue from 1928 a chart lists what students priorities should be in life. At the centre of the chart is "ME", followed by "AUSTRALIA", "MOTHER ENGLAND" and finally "OTHER NATIONS".

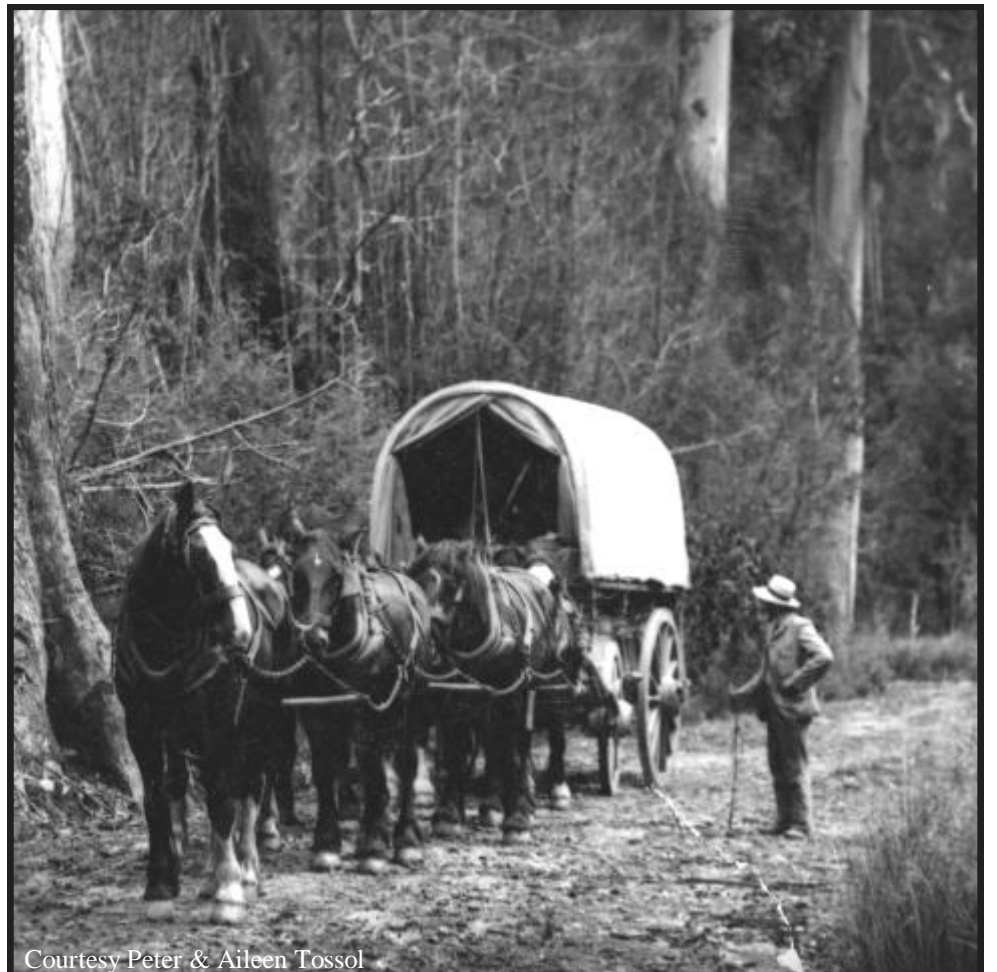
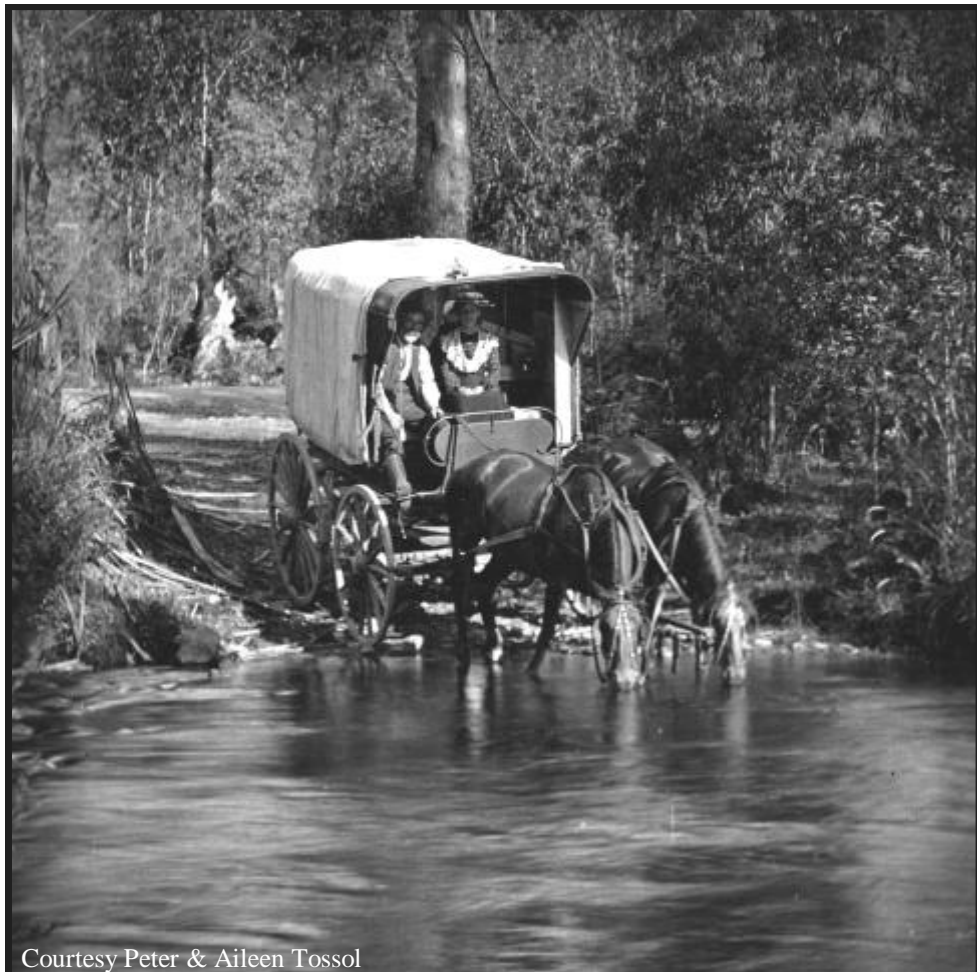
The "School Paper" helped literature to become a serious part of the education system and helped children to see literature as fun, creative, challenging, informative and educational. In part it also helped to make public many works from the like of Banjo Patterson and Henry Lawson amongst many others.

Charles's other achievements include being the founder of the "Education Gazette and Teachers Aid" of which he was also the editor.

Today Charles Long is honoured at the Alexandra Secondary College as one of the School Houses, a recognition of his service and influence in early Education and literature in Victoria during his career.



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He was born in Balham Hall, Clapham Common in London on the 17th of December 1801 and died on the 15th of December 1849 three days short of his 48th birthday. His widow died in 1852.



John was educated at the University of Oxford and studied law. He then served his articles with a local legal firm. In 1835 he published a book titled "*The Song Birds of Great Britain*", an outcome he achieved in his spare time which included over 30 of his own images.

John migrated to Australia in 1843 with his wife Susannah Edwards and their 9 children. Once here, they spent the first months at his brother Edward's station at Ballam Hill, Molesworth in the Goulburn River Valley. This was in the Port Phillip District in New South Wales, now known as Victoria. In 1843 he took over a station of J.H. Campbell's at Doogalook Station along the Goulburn River at Yea.

The station was over 26,000 acres from where he ran over 1,800 sheep and 400 cattle. In 1844 he extended his agricultural interests by acquiring the Maintongoon Station of J.M. Matson which was 28,000 acres on the Delatite River. By 1846 his holdings were over 60 square miles (96.5 square kilometres) of country with over 10,000 sheep to shear.

The property that John leased encompassed much of what is now known at the Shire of Murrindindi. It was here that their tenth child was born.

John's passion for drawing and writing culminated in his books - *Journal of a voyage in the Barque "Parkfield"* and "*Birds of Port Phillip*". His love of ornithology led him to collect a large number of birds and prepared them in such a way that they could be stored for research purposes later on. This project was sadly a failure due to competition from John Gould and his book called the *Handbook of the Birds of Australia*.

A far larger and ambitious multiple volume project that saw the market for John's work dwindle. John's work remained unpublished and failed to catch the public's attention until in 1974 when a limited edition book of his works was published by his Granddaughter Mae Casey entitled "*John Cotton's Birds of the Port Phillip District of New South Wales (1843-1849)*". The book was authored by Allen McEvey and some of John's works were included for the reader to see. Only 850 books were published at this time and no reprint has occurred since. In 2010, two second hand copies of the book appeared on Amazon Books. Both were priced over \$200 Australian dollars.



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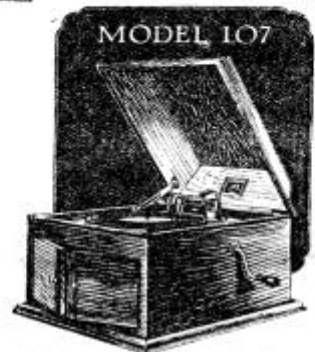
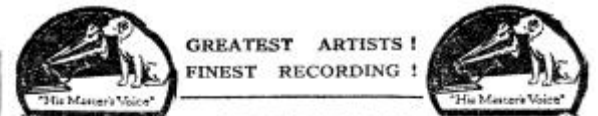
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Born in 1845, Princess Alexandra enjoyed 80 full years before succumbing to a heart attack in 1925 just before her Birthday.

The historic Princess Alexandra Statue located in Jack Shiel Gardens (Leckie Park) is the work of English Sculptor Charles Summers and was commissioned in 1878 by Sir W. J. Clarke.

Originally located in the grounds of the Melbourne State Library, the statue was re-located to Alexandra in 1939. In 1994 it was unveiled under a new Colonnade (which was financed under the Centennial Awards, and unveiled by the last President of the Shire of Alexandra before amalgamation to Murrindindi Shire).

Enjoy Jack Shiel Gardens that surround Princess Alexandra. The gardens are professionally maintained and include a wooden bridge across the Ultima Thule Creek, a creek setting with sloped grassed banks for enjoying some time out and seating for those times when too wet.



## ALEXANDRA SCHOOL BADGE

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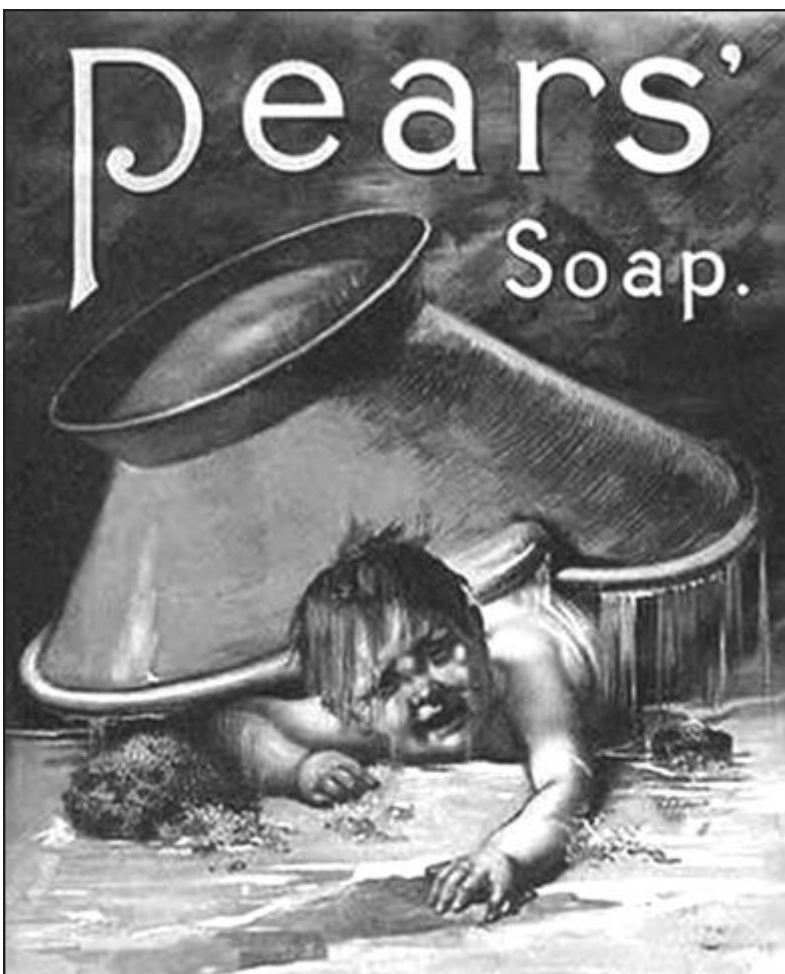
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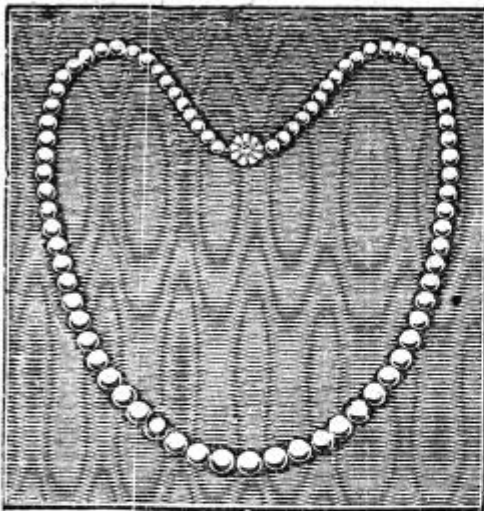
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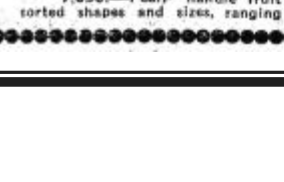
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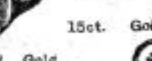
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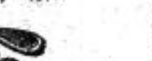
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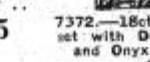
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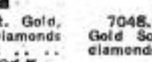
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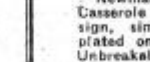
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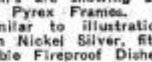
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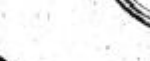
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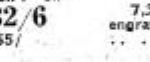
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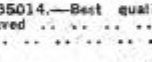
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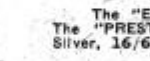
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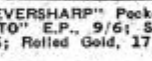
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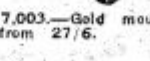
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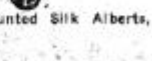
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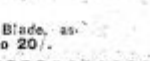
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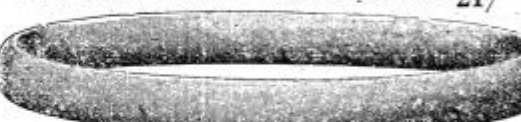
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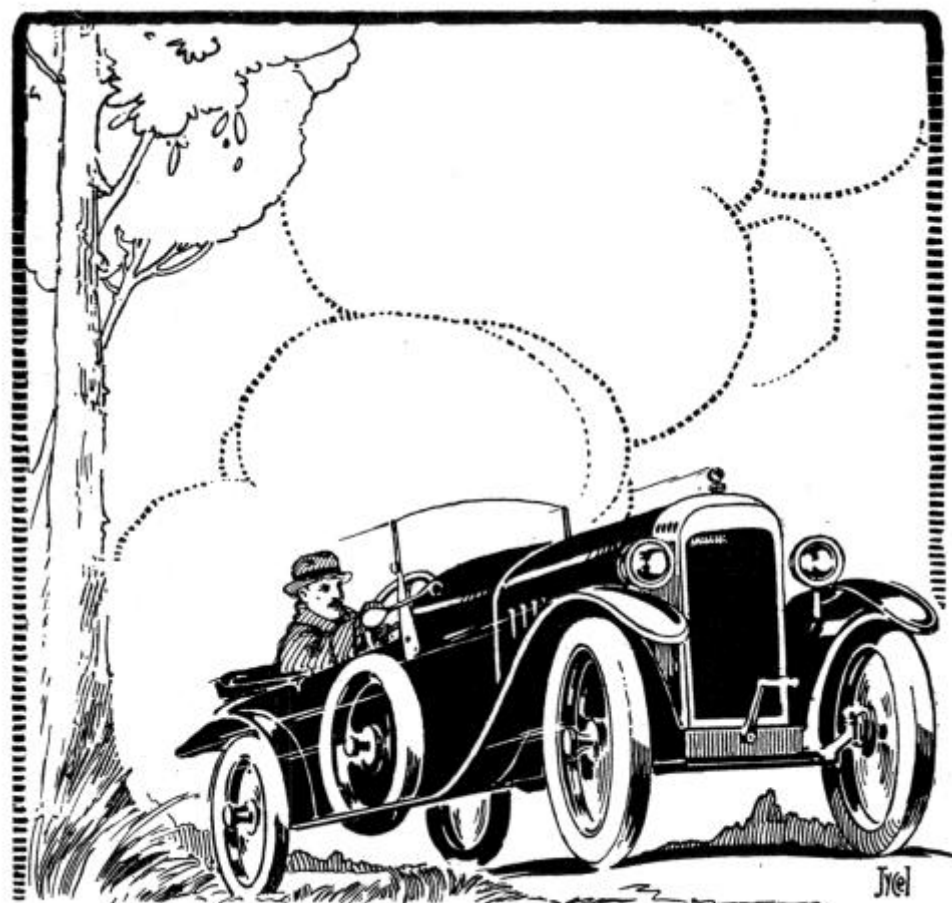
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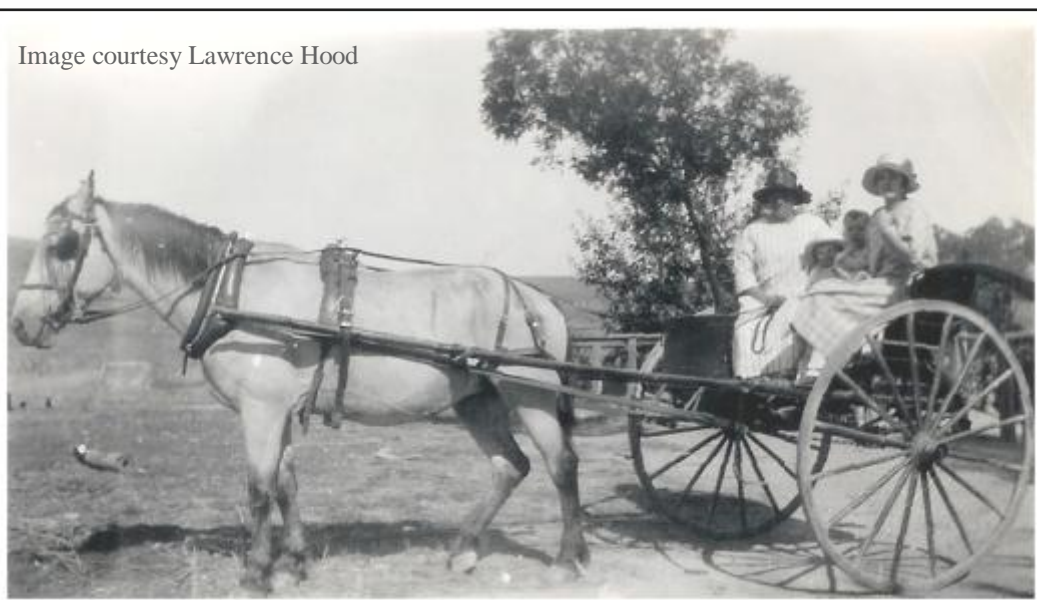
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### THE MOLESWORTH'S & THE JEFFERY'S

A family that can trace its ancestry back to the 15th century and whose family tree includes a Lord Mayor of London is the Jeffery family of Molesworth.

It is appropriate that members of the Jeffery family have had a long association

with Molesworth, as it is the linking of the Molesworth and Jeffery family trees that can be held indirectly responsible for the naming of the Hamlet. (It was called after Judge Molesworth, a judge of the state of Victoria).

The Molesworth's claim a long lineage in England - it is on record that Sir Walter De Molesworth accompanied Edward the 1st on the 7th Crusade to the Holy Land in 1270. On the other side, Sir Robert Jeffery was the Lord Mayor of London in 1686.

Viscount Molesworth's daughter Lady Wilhelmina Molesworth, and Bartholomew Jeffery were united in marriage, and a son Molesworth Jeffery migrated to New Norfolk in Van Diemen's Land about 1830.

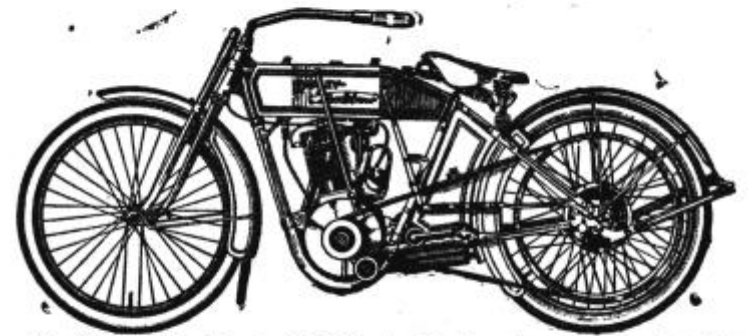
This is where the local Jeffery's families originated from. Molesworth Jeffery's son Walter was the grandfather of the senior ones still around here. Their respective fathers, Robert, Walter and Sydney were grandsons of the Molesworth Jeffery who came from Tunbridge Kent to New Norfolk. His son lived at Kobyboyn and the next generation selected land at Dropmore about 1870.

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OWING to dissolution of partnership, that splendid estate, known as "Killingworth," is offered for sale. It comprises some 15,000 acres, and is situated on the Yea and Goulburn rivers, is distant from Melbourne 58 miles by road, and 79 by rail; has 36 miles of river frontage, and is subdivided by substantial post-and rail and seven wire fences into 24 paddocks; has a woolshed for 17 shearers, large new brick house with water laid on, brick stabling, men's houses, sheep and cattle yards. The estate is highly improved and thickly grassed. The river flats (rich alluvial soil), are nearly all covered with English grasses.

The railroad to Mansfield intersects the estate, and there are two stations on it—one at each boundary. The Yea Creamery and Butter factory is only half a mile off, and another smaller creamery is on the place. The river flats, about 6,000 acres, will grow all kinds of roots, and as much as 20 tons of potatoes have been taken off an acre and a quarter. The rainfall is about 32 inches per year, but a large portion can be irrigated from the rivers if needed.

The property carries, in its present condition 30,000 crossbred sheep, 1,000 head of cattle, and 100 horses, and can be made to carry much more, for one summer it carried over 60,000 sheep—some of the best judges consider it equal to anything in Victoria. If desired, could be cut up and sold in small farms and vineyards.

Plan of the property is attached, showing divisions, extent and nearness to Yea town.

Gold, silver and tin have been found on the estate. Has been occupied and improved for the last 40 years, and is almost certain to double its present value in a few years, when prosperity returns to the colony.

The following description is from the *Yea Chronicle*, published in the neighborhood. The *Yea Chronicle* says:—"When our representative visited Killingworth last week, the double-furrow plough was turning up a black mould on the flat near the homestead that is capable of producing enormous root crops, and would probably prove very suitable and profitable for onion culture, as it is both light and friable. This would be the very land to produce succulent fodder for ensilage, and a dairy farmer with a few hundred acres and a couple of good pits could sleep easily as regards the condition of his cattle in long periods of drought. The straw of oats grown on it a few years ago reached a height of 10 to 12 feet.

"Mr. Fox, of Kanumbra, who started the creamery there, and is one of the oldest dairymen in Victoria, rode over the station

last week, and expressed astonishment, saying he did not consider there was such land to be found in any part of the district. Nor is that very wonderful, for Mr. James Kenworthy, a New Zealand journalist, who lives in Patea, the centre of the most fertile grazing district in New Zealand, was equally surprised when he went to Killingworth to see the Wolseley sheep-shearing machines at work, and said he considered it equal to the best land in his own district, if it had the same regular rainfall in the summer and autumn months. And yet Killingworth is by no means deficient in that respect, as the following figures will show:—In 1885, 32.11 inches of rain fell; in 1886, 33.17 inches; and in 1887, 41.70 inches.

"'Bruni,' the well-known writer of the *Australasian*, one of the best judges of cattle or sheep stations or farms in Australia, gave his opinion of it a few years ago:—"I found at Killingworth one of the most attractive and extensive sheep pastures I ever saw, which carried last year 27,000 sheep, 770 cattle, and 60 horses. The soil breaks up as fine as an onion bed, and has the quality of retaining moisture. When I first looked on the Killingworth Estate, I was struck with the great advantages the locality presented for irrigation. And it would be difficult to find, except in a few of the older worked lands of the Western District, a property possessing so many advantages as Killingworth."

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"The capacity of Killingworth for grain-growing was amply proved by Mr. Ker, a former owner, who had a yield of 60 bushels of wheat per acre off a hill near the spot where the sheep-yards now stand.

"At present the Killingworth Estate (roughly speaking, about 15,000 acres) carries 20,000 sheep, 300 head of cattle, horses and working bullocks; but its capabilities are fully up to 30,000 sheep and 1,000 head of cattle. In fact, during the time that Mr. Scott managed the station, Killingworth carried an average of 45,000 sheep, besides cattle and horses; and, as readers of the *Chronicle* may, perchance, remember, when a description was given about 18 months ago of the Wolseley sheep-shearing machines, no less than 56,000 sheep were shorn, and these had been on the estate for at least two or three months."

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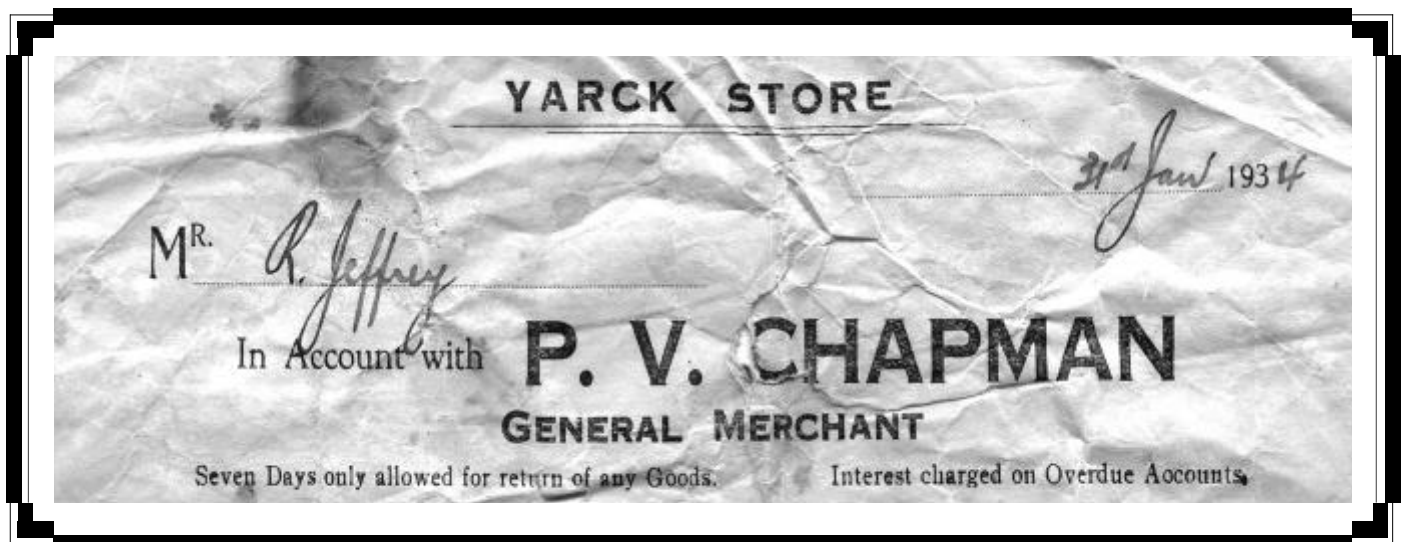
LOCAL BUTTER PRICES FALL DUE TO LONDON BUTTER MARKET INSTABILITY



Alexandra Butter Factory — Courtesy Noel Reichman

BUTTER PRICE FALLS

The unsatisfactory condition of the London butter market has been responsible for another fall in the price of butter. On Monday the wholesale price was reduced from 154/ to 150/ a cwt. (approximately 1/4 lb.). It is recommended by the Butter Retailers' Central Committee that the retail price of choicest butter should be 1/7 (bulk) and 1/8 (prints).



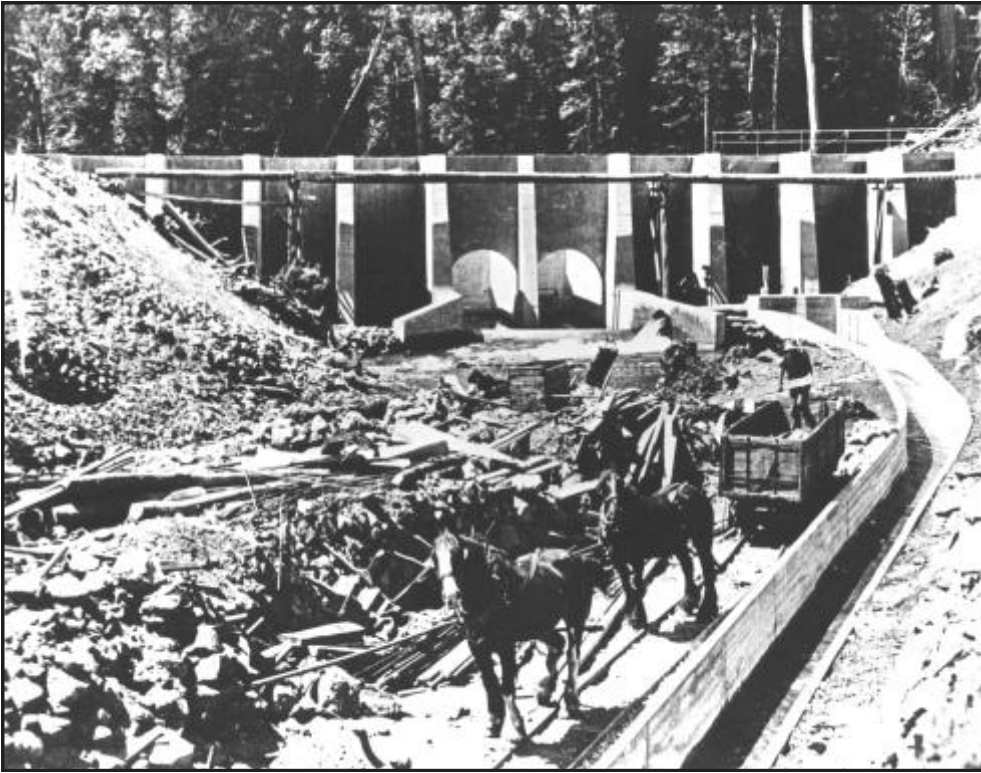
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RUBICON RANGES HYDRO CONSTRUCTION

The Rubicon Ranges is full of activity as construction continues at both ends of the range. Top left shows the progress at Royston Dam and race, while directly under that photograph is the photograph of the Rubicon Dam. The construction of one of the pipelines is exposed bottom right whilst Rubicon Power Station is seen from a high vantage point at the bottom left. The top right photograph shows the Royston Power Station along with the Royston Trestle Bridge and race bridge on the right of the building.

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# The Beekeeper

## PLACING THE FRAMES

### Details Worth Noting

In a state of nature bees make their homes in trees, boxes, rock cavities, or other suitable places. They build a set of combs according to the strength of the colony and the capacity of the hive or nest. In the centre part, states an expert, the queen lays and brood is raised. Honey is stored above, below and around the brood.

Bee bread (pollen) is generally stored next the brood, with honey round it. When movable frames were invented, the shape of them was determined as being the best way to allow the bees to still stick to their own way to a very large extent, but to store surplus honey in boxes on top.

A certain amount of manipulation is required to gain this end after the bottom hive becomes full. With a small colony of bees, shallow hive bodies (supers) are put on top and some honey is stored in the outside frames of these supers, but that is only a rough way of managing a colony of bees.

### Double Brood Chamber

If the locality is a good one, it is best to use two hive bodies for the brood. A strong colony, with a prolific young queen, should fill two Langstroth hive bodies with brood in spring.

When combs are completed in the first body and occupied by the bees, it is time to put on the second body with a set of frames. Take a frame of brood and one of honey from below and put them in the upper body. Close up the frames below and add an empty one at each side. The "raised" frame of brood acts as a "bait," and the queen follows up when there are more cells for her to lay in.

When the second body is full, the hive will contain a double brood nest. There will be honey between the two lots of brood, and there are ways of making the bees shift it. Do not bother about that honey. In ordin-

ary cases only two or three frames in the upper brood nest will contain brood. The two adjoining them will have some pollen and the balance honey.

If the hive is prosperous, add a super. It is usual to use shallower hive-bodies for supers. If a frame of honey can be procured to act as a bait in the super it will entice the bees up. Often they are very slow going aloft. A good plan is to give only three or four frames at first, and add more as the work progresses.

To begin with, the queen may be an old one, and never get past the first hive body with her egg laying. She, perhaps, was caught in a very large swarm from some prosperous hive. Her numerous children soon begin to die off, and she cannot lay enough eggs to keep up a continual supply of young bees. If very old she may be gradually turning into a drone egg layer. The male element she received at mating time is required to enable her to lay "worker" eggs, and the supply must run out in time.

### Raising a New Queen

When the bees find their queen mother failing, it is usual for them to raise queen cells over some of her young larvae and produce another queen to take her place. This new queen when mated starts laying, and often the old mother is allowed to "do her bit" for a week or so and then she disappears.

But while all this is going on one of several other events may happen. There may be a dearth of honey or pollen or both. The bee-moth may have found an entrance, and suddenly a host of moth grub may appear and eat their way through the comb, leaving a mass of web and corruption in their wake and destroy the bees.

When the hive or hives have gone through the winter in two or more hive bodies, the bees gradually move their winter cluster to the top or warmest part, and consume the stores as they go upwards.

In spring they work downwards till they reach the bottom again, but very often they only get as far down as the second storey and stay there. This is often due to the lower set of comb being old. When such a state of affairs is found in spring or early summer, remove all the old black combs and crooked ones.

Change places with the two hive bodies, or move all the brood to the lower one. In fact, rearrange the whole concern so that not more than three or four frames of pollen and honey are on the outside of the brood combs. Fill up banks with new frames.

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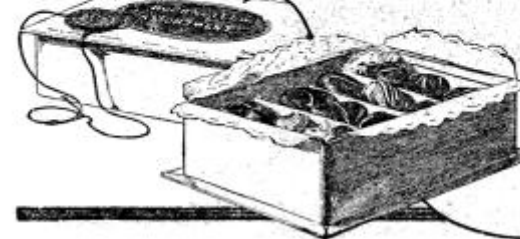
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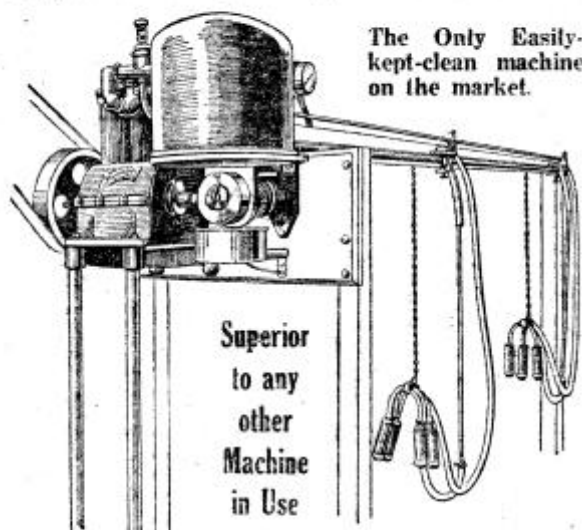


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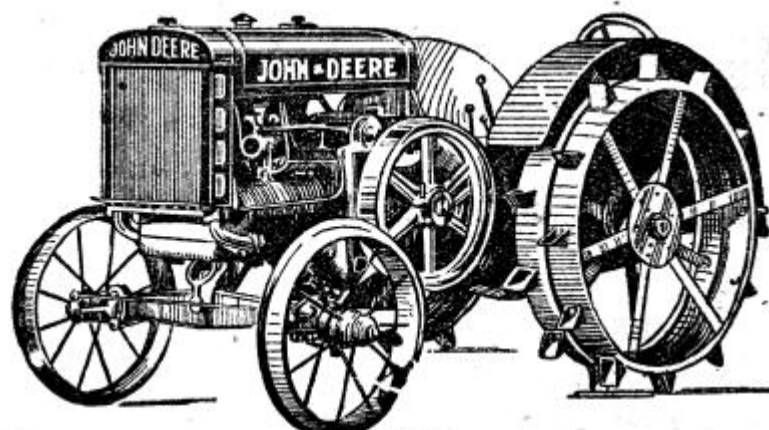
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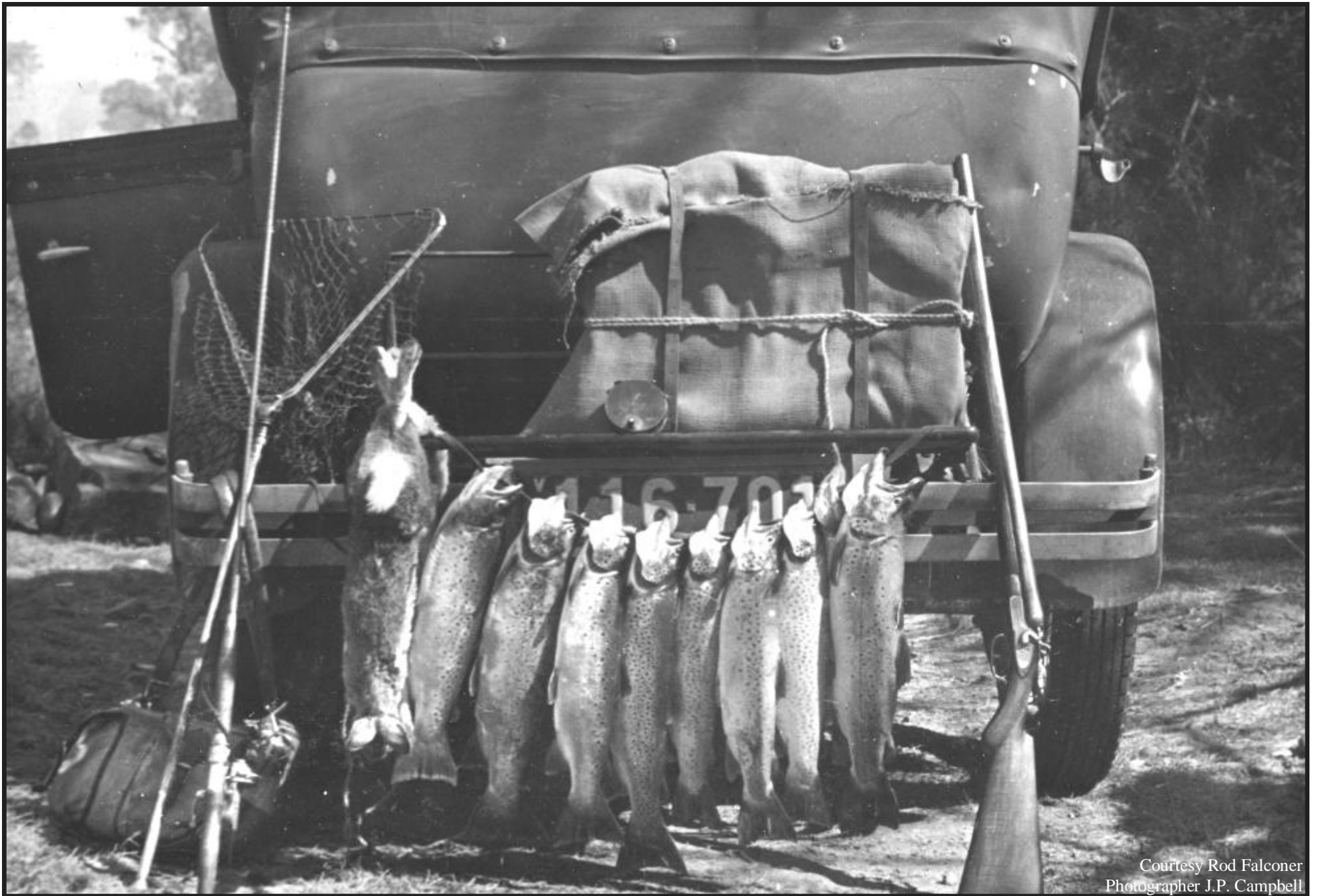


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*Sport*

*A leisurely Saturday afternoon's catch  
and a pair of bunnies for the stew!*



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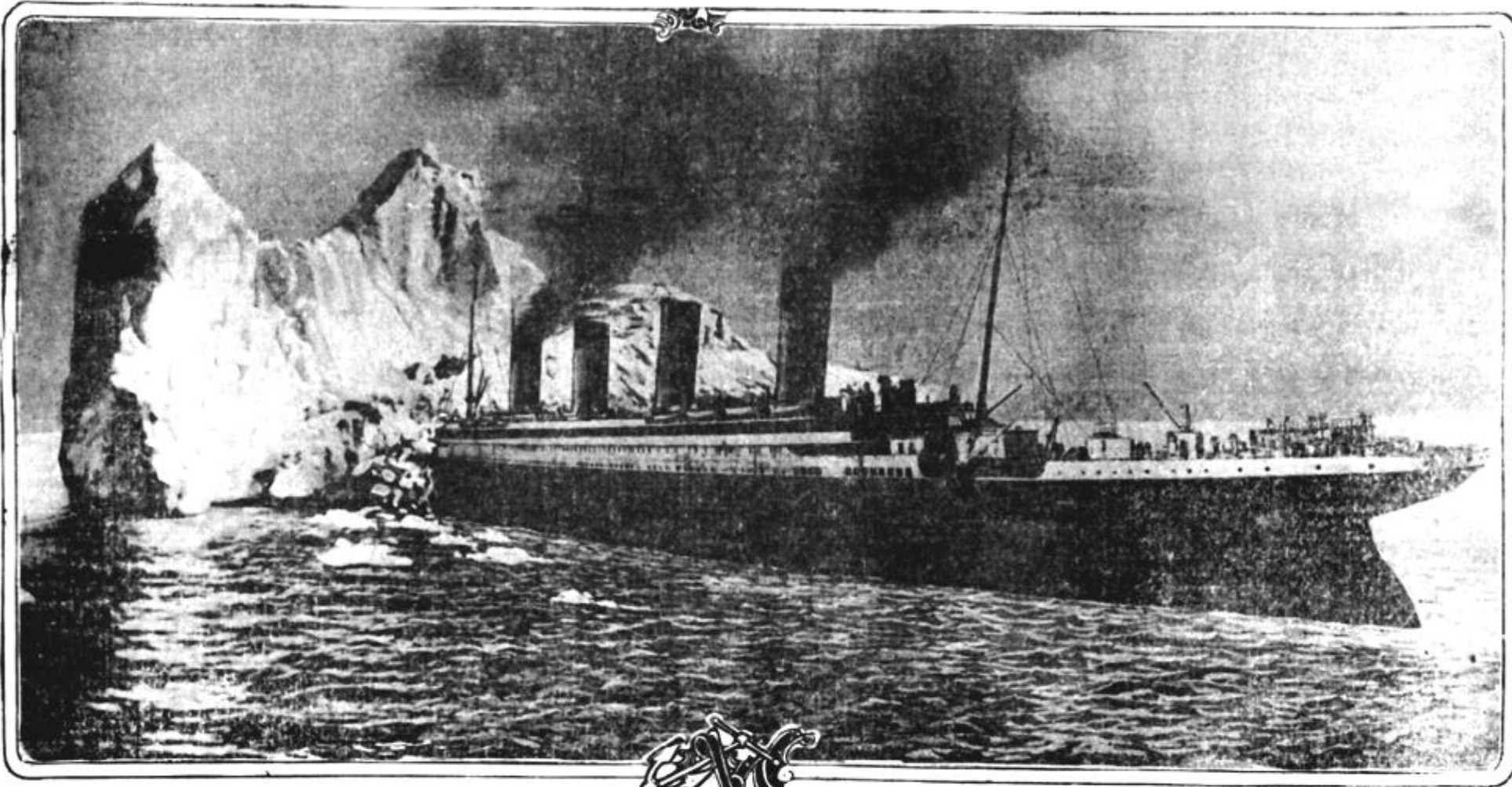
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## J. J. ASTOR LOST ON TITANIC 1,500 TO 1,800 DEAD

John Jacob Astor was among the passengers who went down with the ship, according to a wireless dispatch received by Bradstreets last night from the liner Olympic. Mrs. Astor was saved and is being brought to shore by the Carpathia.

The Wireless Operator at Cape Race, Newfoundland, Flashes: "Eighteen Hundred Lives Have Been Lost in the Wreck of the Titanic."



The Titanic as she rammed the iceberg. Drawn from the wireless reports of the disaster.

More than 1,500 persons, passengers and crew, perished yesterday when the "unsinkable" Titanic, the \$10,000,000 White Star liner, went to the bottom of the sea.

So report the steamers which, in answer to the Titanic's wireless shrieks for help, "Hurry! hurry!" rushed to her aid. There is little hope that the dread report is not true.

Of the 2,200 souls who were aboard the once mighty ship 675 were saved.

As The New York American told yesterday, the Titanic, the largest, most luxurious—vaunted as the safest—steamer that ever sailed the seas, collided with an iceberg at 10:45 P. M., Sunday, in about latitude 41.46 North and longitude 50.14 West.

That is, the ill-fated boat was about 1,200 miles east of Sandy Hook and about 900 miles southeast of Halifax, N. S.

Vice-President P. A. S. Franklin, of the White Star Line, said:

"We have heard the rumor from Halifax that the three steamers—the Virginian, Parisian and Carpathia—stood by the Titanic.

"We have received a wireless from Captain Haddock, of the Olympic, that the Titanic went down at 2.20 a. m.

"We have also heard indirectly that the Carpathia has 675 survivors aboard.

"The total passengers and crew on the Titanic numbered 2,000.

"It is very difficult to say whether the Virginian and the Parisian have any survivors aboard until we get a direct report. We have asked for that report from our Halifax agent and from others.

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*Dorothy Davies*  
American Actress.

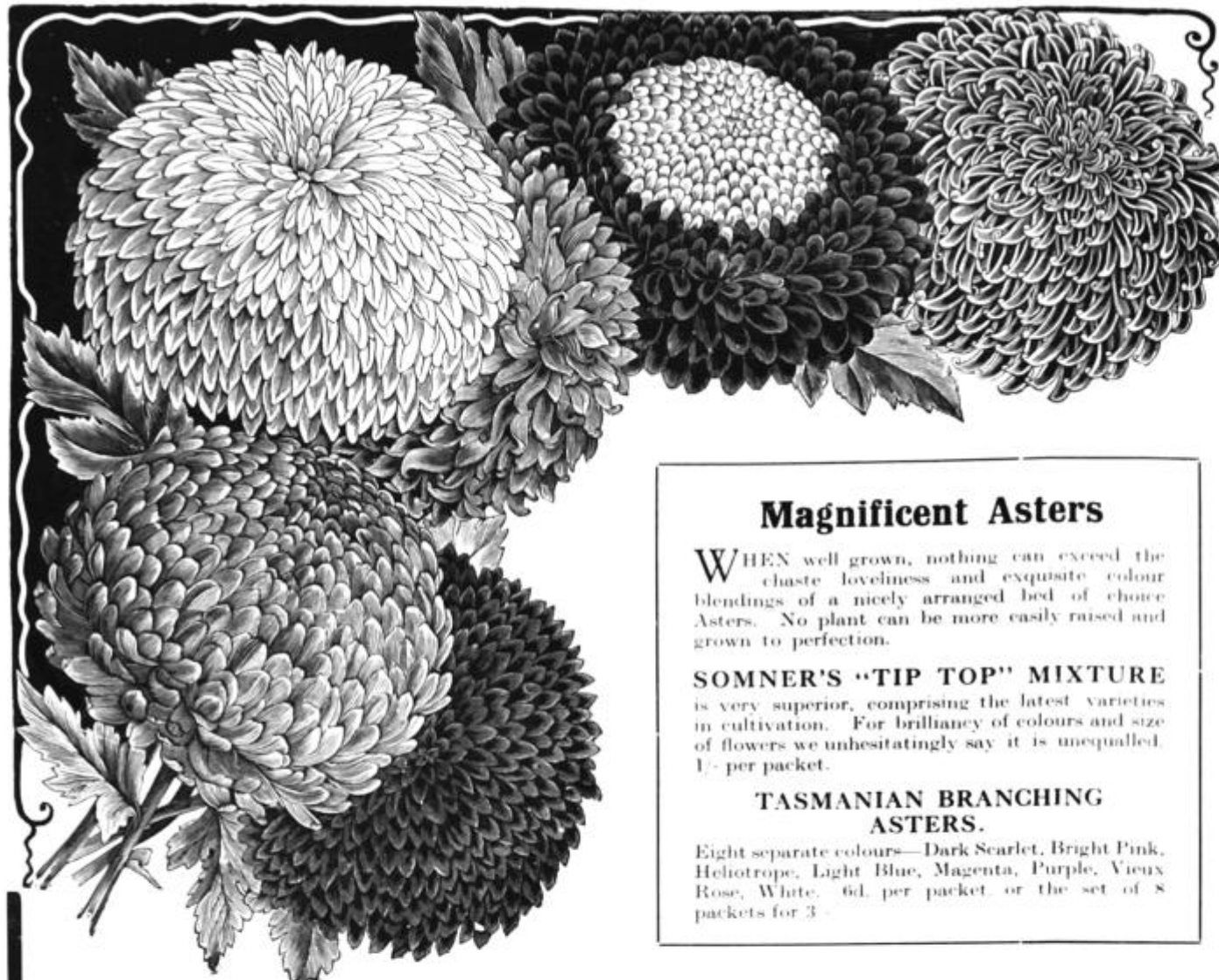
*John H. Hoyle*  
Sec. Eight-Hour Com., Sydney.

*Jean Clyde*  
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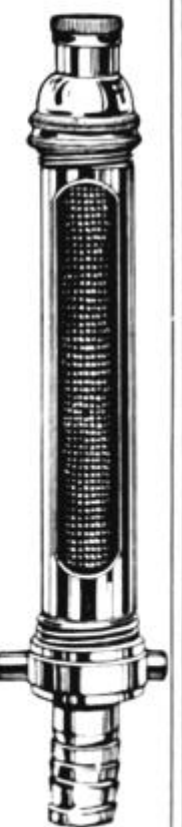
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## DISTRICT POLICE COURT.

JULY 17TH, 1845.

On the bench—T. J. Payne, Esq., and Jas. Cain, Esq., J.P.

## MASTERS AND SERVANTS.

William Fyans claimed £23 3s. as wages, due to him by Mr. Wheeler, of the Goulburn, which sum he swore Mr. Wheeler admitted he owed him, he having been hired by the quarter, and having served six quarters, at the expiration of which he left having demanded his wages. Mr. Wheeler admitted his having hired the man, and the time he served was eighteen months, but denied his having admitted the amount of wages to be the sum stated, or any other, nor could he then say what it was, his books being up at the station, and stated the prisoner left him at great fault, without any notice. Postponed for a fortnight.

John Crow, Merri Creek, sworn, stated, that Peter Sinclair, his hired servant, as per agreement handed in, bearing date September, 1844, had on the 25th June absconded from his service, without his consent, thereby putting him (Mr. Crow) to great loss and inconvenience. Decision—agreement cancelled and wages forfeited, the balance being £6 6s., of wages due Sinclair, Mr. Crow handed the amount into court, directing that after expenses of court had been paid the residue should go to the Stranger's Friend's Society, the donation being £6. This is the part of a truly good man, and plainly evinces the gentleman. The tree is known by its fruits.

**IMPOUNDED** at Melbourne, on July 5th 1845,—

One red sided short horned cow, white back belly, and hind legs, near rump WE or WB

One red bull calf, white belly and two white spots on the back

One red yearling heifer, white belly, back of the off shoulder JM

One brown sided heifer, white back, belly, and grey face, branded with a heart and line under off ribs

One dun coloured brindle cow, top off the right ear, M off rump, P BS off ribs, S off shoulder, DL

M M or M H near shoulder, a brindle yearling bull by her side, no perceivable brand

One red cow, a piece off the front of the right ear, near thigh WK, off rump AL, off ribs supposed JN

JN  
If not claimed and expenses paid, on or before the 29th day of July, to be sold at the Pound Yard, according to the act of council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
Poundkeeper.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney, 15th May, 1845.

## SPIRITS—BELFAST.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, that in pursuance of the powers vested in him by the Acts of the Governor and Council, 2 Victoria, No. 18, and 3 Victoria, No. 13, he has been pleased to declare *Belfast*, at *Port Fairy*, in the District of *Port Phillip*, to come within the operation of the 2nd clause of the first mentioned act, so as to constitute it a place at which *Spirits* may be sold in quantities not less than two gallons.

By his Excellency's command.

E. DEAS THOMSON.

**IMPOUNDED** at the Deep Creek Pound, on the 4th day of July, 1845, viz.

On red and white cow, branded X v off hip, and H

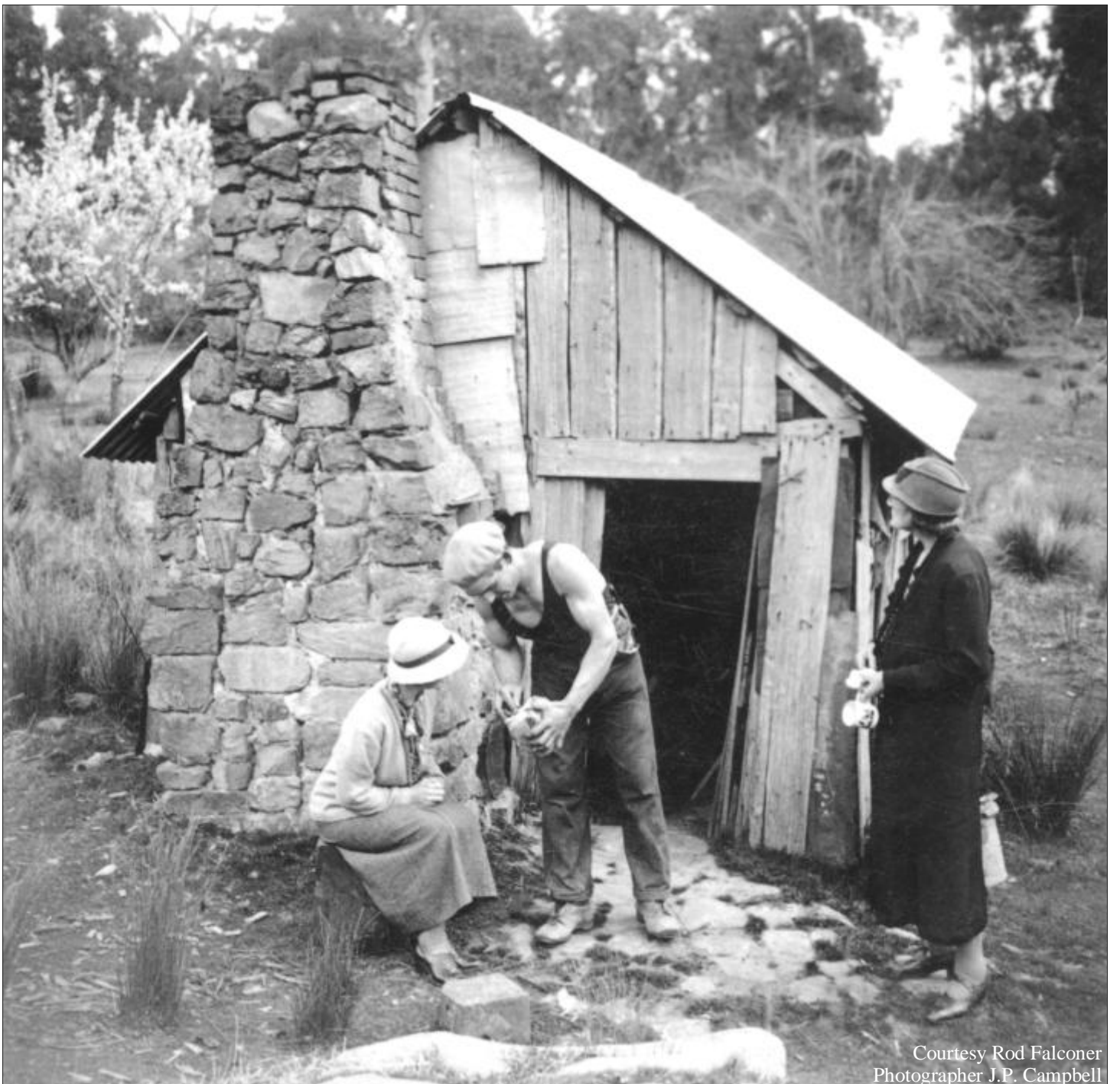
HZ off ribs, large notch on the off ear, in calf.

If not claimed and released on or before the 28th day of July next, it will be sold according to Act of Council.

W. WRIGHT,  
Poundkeeper.

OLD MINERS MAKE SETTLEMENT  
IN THE VICTORIAN BUSH

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A MINER SHOWING THE LADIES  
SOME OF HIS FINDINGSCourtesy Rod Falconer  
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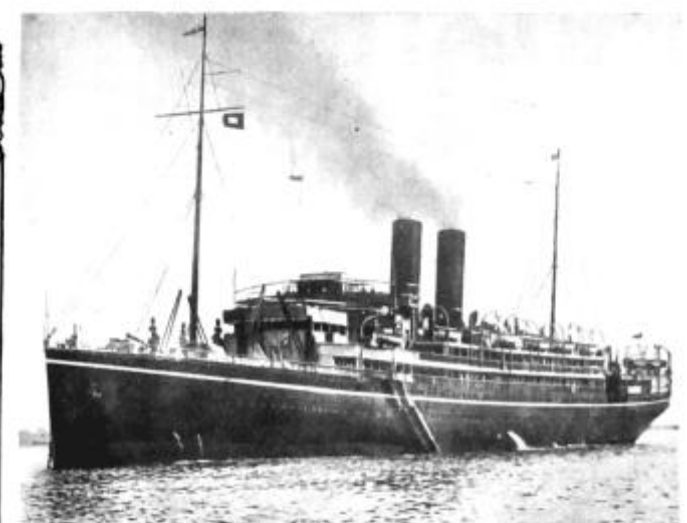
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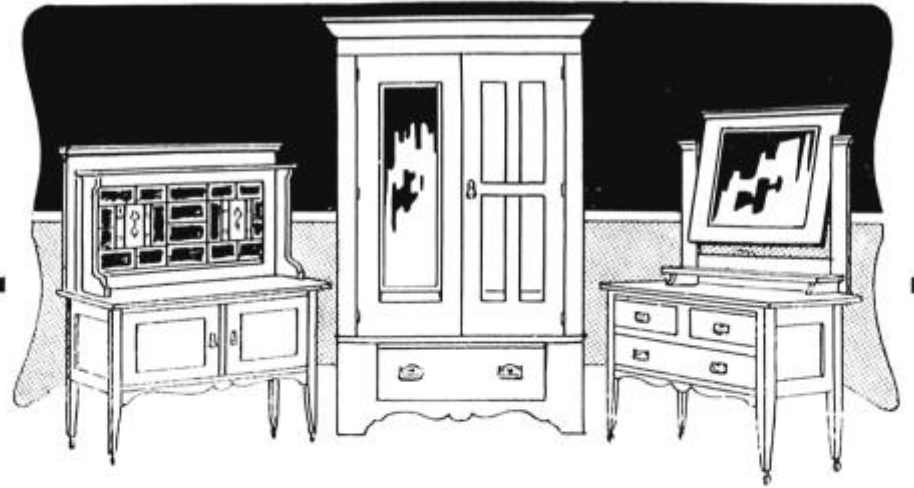
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