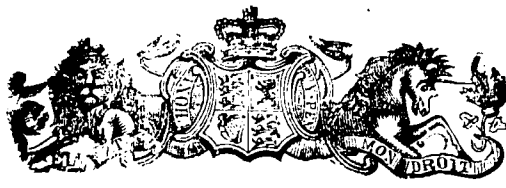


Northcote



Leader.

Largest Circulation and Best Advertising Medium in the Northern Suburbs.

CIRCULATING IN

NORTHCOTE, PRESTON, THOMASTOWN, EPPING, WHITTLESEA, FAIRFIELD, HEIDELBERG, CLIFTON HILL.

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1897.

Produce Merchants.

John A. Bostock,
CORNER OF
HIGH ST. & GLADSONE AVENUE,
NORTHCOTE.

**HAY, CORN, WOOD, COAL,
AND COKE MERCHANT.**
Wishes to inform the inhabitants of
Northcote that he is now selling best North-
Eastern BOX BLOCKS and SPLIT
BOX by the ton, half-ton, or smaller
quantities.

Also Gippsland BROWN COAL,
Ostrim & Newcastle BLACK COAL,
and all kinds of PRODUCE at lowest
Melbourne prices.

Chris. Fry,
Late Jas. Blair
PRODUCE MERCHANT & SEEDS-
MAN,
HIGH STREET, NORTHCOTE
(near Clifton Hill).

WISHES to notify that he has
on Sale—Hay, Straw, Oats,
Beans, Pollard, Peas, Maize, Wheat,
Barley, Onions, Potatoes, Carrots,
Prairie Grass, Rye, White Clover,
Red Clover, Cow Grass, Lucerne,
Alskeye, and all kinds of farm and
garden seeds in great variety.

Prime Chaff, Oats, Potatoes, and
Low Chaff specialties.

WOOD, COAL, & COKE
At Lowest Rates.

TIMBER YARD.

T. H. LIGHTFOOT
(late Law Oldfield & Son),
HIGH STREET, PRESTON.

Building Material
Of every description always on hand
and supplied at the lowest town rates
FREE CARTAGE.

Firewood,

BELL ST. RAILWAY SIDING.
T. H. L. has much pleasure in in-
forming the public that he has opened
the above siding for the supply of
Firewood and Coal and trusts to receive
a fair share of support, as he is pre-
pared to supply WOOD, COAL, and
COKE of the best quality at the low-
est prices.

DIMMICK

IS SELLING—

Glance Shoes, leather innersoles, 3/11,
ask for them.

Leather Shoes, leather innersoles, 3/11,
guaranteed good wear.

His Ladies' 5/6 Bal. is unequalled.

The latest American style of Glance
Kid Button and Lace Boots kept
in stock; also in Button and
Lace Shoes.

Men's Balmorals for best wear, guar-
anteed sound and solid, toe caps
double, 4/6.

A Variety from 6/6 to 12/6 always on
hand.

Youths' Strong Bals, 4/6; Boys' do.,
3/9; Children's School Boots,
wax thread sewers, 1/9 to 3/—
These lines are made only by one
firm, and acknowledged to be the
best quality in all Melbourne.

Any style of Boot or Shoe, Ladies or
Gents', made to measure at ordi-
nary selling price. Gents' Call
Gol. Bal., to measure, 10/6.

All REPAIRS done on the premises
by DIMMICK.

Dimmick's Stock has increased con-
siderably during the last six months.
Owing to increase of trade you cannot
get everything at Dimmick's, but there
is very little but what you CAN get
If you don't wear his Boots give him a
Trial.

DIMMICK, HIGH ST., NORTHCOTE.

MINISTERING CHILDREN'S LEAGUE.

COTTAGE BY THE SEA, QUEENSLIFFE.
Opened by Lady Brassey,
December 7th, 1896.

For poor and weak children from
any part of Victoria Children ad-
mitted through any M.C.L. Branch or
an Associate Member. Supported by
voluntary contributions of money or
provisions.

Managing Committee:—Mrs R.
Harper, "Myoora" Lorak; Mrs.
Morris "Intern," University, Mel-
bourne; Mrs. Hitchcock, "Roslyn,"
Geelong.

M.C.L. and Cottage by the Sea liter-
ature can be obtained at 272 Little
Collins street Melbourne.

THE ELECTRA CYCLES

Beauty
Stability AND
Speed

INSPECTION INVITED. TWO YEARS' GUARANTEE GIVEN.

EXCELSIOR TYRES!

UNEQUALLED FOR RESILIENCE, PACE, AND WEAR.

Riding Taught Free of Charge to every Purchaser.

THE ELECTRA CYCLE DEPOT,
259 COLLINS STREET, MELBOURNE.
W. KUX, Manager.

SUMMER SUITINGS

IN GREAT VARIETY AND AT ALMOST EVERY PRICE, AT

INCE BROS.

All Goods Shrink through Water.

The usual standard of EXCELLENCE in Fit and STYLE Guaranteed.

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LADIES' COLUMN.

HEALTH AND HOME. "BEAUTIFUL MANNERS." "A friend of a very thoughtful person..."

WIT AND HUMOR.

"She's a sensation!" "Excellent!" "No wonder!" "You know a month will pass..."

News from all Sources.

No fewer than 100,000 Greeks under the protection of the consular authorities...

ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

The police station is calm tonight, and when you walk down the street...

A COLOSSAL TRICYCLE.

More than one hundred years ago, when London had not expanded into the suburbs...

CEGLI RHODES.

The manager of the council, Mr. Cegli Rhodes, is a man of high standing...

EPPING SHIRE COUNCIL.

Present—Mrs. McCormick (president), Morgan, Blyden, McDonnell, and Butler.

THE INDIAN FAMINE.

The above, which was opened by the Chief Justice Sir John Madden on the 13th March...

GREAT INCREASE ON RELIEF WORKS.

The following general summary has been issued by the Bengal Government...

THE SUTTON RELIEF FUND.

Northote C.C. report not to hand. Presbyterians Association. Northote v. Abbotford.

CHILDREN'S EXCURSION!

Under the patronage of the Mayor of Northote, a party of children...

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24.

Under the patronage of the Mayor of Northote, a party of children...

SHIRE OF PRESTON.

To the RATEPAYERS of the SHIRE OF PRESTON. Ladies and Gentlemen—

LAUNDERS' WIFE'S TALK.

"These ladies are so fortunate as to have 'sewers' in their gardens..."

INSUBSTITUTABLE THING.

A lady writes to a friend in a letter that she has a very valuable thing...

DR. J. H. BENTON'S REMEDY.

In the treatment of a patient in a hospital, it is found that the patient has a very valuable thing...

SMITH'S ARCHERBOW.

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