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De som van £835 voor het Solicitor-Generaal...

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2. Dat de zaken van het Civiële Commissaris Kantoor...

3. Dat de uitgaven voor het dagraan van getuigen...

4. De verdrager Z. E. de Gouverneur verzoekt...

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THE Suid Afrikaan.

Cape Town, November 26, 1896

THE EXECUTIVE AND THE PARLIAMENT.

There is nothing easier than to criticise the acts of others...

From one end of the Colony to the other, retrenchment of the present Governmental expenditure is the universal cry.

But what surprise is it to see those, who profess to be actuated by feelings of the most genuine patriotism...

A Tiger Killed.—On Monday week Mr. George Gilbert went out with his dogs and gun with a view to shoot a buck or two...

ADDRESS TO MR. JUSTICE FITZPATRICK.—A few of our townsmen, feeling that an address of welcome should be presented to Mr. Justice Fitzpatrick on his recent and first visit to this port...

There can be no difference of opinion about the unseemly and uncomfortable relations that at present exist between our Executive and our Parliament...

In all public meetings, it is found to be not only convenient but absolutely necessary, that a preliminary meeting of the principal leaders in the movement should be held...

in measures emanating purely from the Government. The public like to have a finger in the pie, and feel aggrieved if such is not conceded to them.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. M. Theunissen, as postmaster at Somerset West, vice Langschmidt; Mr. H. Vorster, as field-cornet of the ward Rheinstenberg, division of Middelburg, vice du Toit.

SEQUESTRATION.—The estates of: Joseph Garrison Henneman, laborer, first and final meeting at the Master's Office, 5th Dec.; Julius Wilhelm Ramon Volcker, commission agent, ditto at ditto, 12th Dec.

WELLINGTON AND WYBERG RAILWAYS.—The total earnings on both lines for the month of October, have amounted to £334. 7. 5.

S. A. COLLEGE.—An examination of candidates for two vacant Queen's scholarships will be held at the College on the 12th January next.

ANGORA RAMS.—By advertisement it which appears in our columns elsewhere, Mr. Charles Barry offers for sale a few of his choicely selected fine Colonial-bred Angoras.

A FARMER CHARGED WITH STEALING STOCK.—J. Burnett, Esq., Resident Magistrate of Alwal North, announces in the Gazette that a farmer named Stephanus Adrian Nel, formerly residing in the district of Bedford or Stockenström, is in custody at that place on the charge of stealing three horses from the neighbourhood of Dor-drecht.

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THE UNFORTUNATE MAN VOLKKEK, who in his distress attempted suicide last week, has obtained an appointment in the night police.—G. B. Herald.

Mr. Justice Fitzpatrick has given unmitigated satisfaction here. We have heard the criticisms of down-country, up-country, and all round the country papers; but deferring to our own opinion, we have no doubt that all those criticisms which were favourable were correct.

When first the annexation of Kaffraria was commanded we thought that we should have all the "inhabitants" of Kaffraria thrown upon us. It may be that we have harboured doubts, where we should have found bees; but into this category Judge Fitzpatrick does not come.

THE LAST.—On Saturday morning a somewhat exciting scene took place within the walls of the goal. The prisoners sentenced by Mr. Justice Fitzpatrick were marched out, and received their reward in the shape of a sound application of the cat. The men, generally, stood the infliction manfully, although the dreaded instrument was wielded with no gentle hand.

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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY. WEDNESDAY, NOV. 21.—Petitions were presented by Mr. Neethling, from 293 inhabitants of St. Lubbech, against the amalgamation of that division with the Paarl; by Mr. Darnell, from the divisional Council of Queenstown, for a grant of land.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE. PARIS, OCT. 8, 1896. According to the treaty concluded between the King of Prussia and the Elector of Hesse, the latter is to receive a capital of 600,000 thalers, to keep the revenues of the family treasury, which originated by the Prussian troops sent to America, and moreover the prince is to keep his private fortune and the revenues derived from the lands, castles, &c. belonging to the electoral house of the electoral house.

THE HOUSE, in committee, resumed the consideration of the Estimates. Under the head "Registrar of Deeds," the item £210 was allowed; but the committee recommended that a reduction, equivalent to that recommended by the select committee, should be effected, and to request the Governor to consider whether the Registrar of Deeds should not also act as Registrar of Deeds. The items under the head "Surveyor General," £255 6 8, were passed.

THURSDAY, 22ND.—The House, in committee, resumed the consideration of the Estimates. The following items were passed: Railway department, £1520; Port department, £4950, 18; Keeper, public buildings, £236; Crown Agents, £250; Post office, £11,273, 8.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.—That this department should be abolished as soon as possible, and that the supervision of railways should be part of the duties of the chief of the public works department; all charges in respect of railways in future to be included in the construction accounts of the same.

POST OFFICE.—That the economic changes suggested in the establishment charges of this office may be adopted, mainly in terms of the Retrenchment Committee's report. Also, that the salaries of the postmasters generally should be reconsidered by the Government, with a view to reduce such as may appear to be disproportionately high.

FRIDAY, 23.—The House, in committee, resumed the consideration of the Estimates. Under the head "Post office," the following further resolutions were adopted: 1. That the facilities afforded by the Book post should be strictly confined to printed matter and patterns; 2. That the Government should direct its attention to the question whether or not a saving may be effected in rearrangements of postal routes.

THE ITEMS under the head "High Sheriff" were agreed to, and the following resolutions were adopted: That the offices of High Sheriff and Master of the Supreme Court might be effected in the manner suggested in the report of the select committee, without offering any opinion as to salaries; 2. That the present cost of circuit transport for judges should be reduced, and that it is expedient that in future the transport of judges should be provided for by tenders.

THE ITEMS under the head "Attorney General" were agreed to, and the following resolutions were adopted: That the offices of Attorney General might be dispensed with. The items under the head "Solicitor General" were agreed to. The items under the head "Divisional Courts," £13975, 0, 10, were agreed to, and the following resolutions adopted: 1. That the periodical courts may in many instances be discontinued; 2. That the business of Civil Commissioner's office in Cape Town should be transferred to the Treasury; 3. That the Governor be requested to consider and decide whether, any what magistracies should be abolished or united to one or more magistracies and how many clerks should be dispensed with in the various country departments.

THE ITEMS under the head "Education" £1645, were agreed to, and the committee expressed its opinion: That the grants for Education should be limited in all to the sum of £20,000, as soon as existing engagements will permit. Mr. Foster's motion to abolish the Law Lectureship was negatived. Progress was then reported, with leave to sit again on Monday.

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balls carrying the machine which sets a heavy steel hammer in motion by which the material is broken into pieces of the required dimensions.

A FIGHT WITH PIRATES.—Hong-Kong papers contain an account of a very successful encounter with Chinese pirates, which has just taken place. A severe blow, says the account, has been struck at the pirates by the gunboats Osprey and Opossum.

THE EXPEDITION was planned by concert with the master of the Osprey, and the pilot which the gunboats were to employ was Quong-chow-wang, but when this place was reached the Quongs were found to have disappeared. In point of fact, news of the expedition had in some way leaked out, and several gunboats co-operate in a way with the mandarins.

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A THIEVES' COLONY IN LIVERPOOL.—There is in Liverpool an establishment known to the initiated as "The Liverpool College for the Education of Thieves." This seminary, which is composed of many institutions, is situated at the north end of Ben Johnson street of Scotland road, and is called "Upper Canada," and here juveniles of both sexes are trained and inducted into all the mysteries of thieving, from the petty larceny of picking a pocket to the grand felonies of burglary, forgery, and highway robbery.

