

AULD NEW YEAR'S NIGHT.

The Highland Society's celebration of the New Year was not sufficient to satisfy the love of Scotch music and a number of performers, at the direction of Mr. R. Miller, gave a second concert last evening in the Protestant Hall, which was very largely attended.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

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STEWARDS OF THE ENGLISH JOCKEY CLUB.

The stewards of the English Jockey Club have given notice that, for the future, licenses will only be granted to jockeys on condition that they are not owners, or part owners, of any racehorse.

INTERCOLONIAL ITEMS.

The annual yield of gold in Victoria for 1885 is given as 783,000 ounces, more than any year since 1853.

CRICKET.

DERWENT V. SCHOONER ELLEN CALLOW.—These teams met at Forest Lodge on Saturday, resulting in a win for the former by 9 runs.

WOLLSALES.—MONDAY.

By Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin Limited.—Wool: PR 100's at 9d 1/2; 110's at 9d 1/4; 120's at 9d 1/2.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Sale of 2100 bales, from Sydney and Queensland, by Henry B. Gwynne, Wistow Hall, Merker, Warragee, Perth, and

CRUISE OF H.M.S. DIAMOND.

PUNISHMENT OF SOUTH SEA ISLANDERS.

H.M.S. Diamond, which left here on the 17th of last September, returned to her moorings in Farm Cove yesterday, after a cruise rather full of incidents of an exciting nature.

LADY CARRINGTON'S RECEPTION.

The second reception of the Hon. Lady Carrington was held at Government House yesterday afternoon. The arrangements made were very similar to those of her ladyship's first reception.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Prince of Wales and Oil Poverty Company, No Liability. January 9: The upper portion of the mine is constructed

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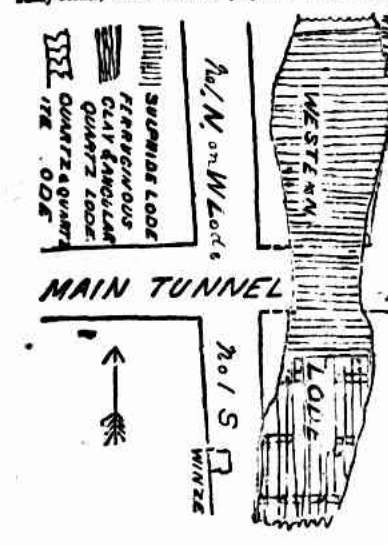
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SILVER MINES OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

II.—NEVADA.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

Taking the mines in order north, along the line of reef, the Silver King should have formed the subject of my second article, but from various reasons I deemed it advisable to postpone my visit there for a day, and in order to see the intervening time I decided to go in to the Nevada property.



CROSS SECTION SHOWING CARBONATE LORE JOINING WESTERN SULPHIDE LORE

There are two ways of reaching the Nevada mine, which lies about a mile and a half due north of the Sunny Corner ground. One is by following the main road along the crest of the spur, and the other by keeping on a narrow track which winds along Daylight Creek.

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