## Death of Mr Geo Hillier, Senr.

Mr Geo Hillier, senr., an old and well-known identity of the Tatiara, passed away at the residence of his son-in-law, (Mr Jas Gillies) on Thursday night. The deceased was in his 81st year. The remains are to be interred at the Mundalla cemetery to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon, leaving the residence at 2 o'clock and arriving at the cemetery at about 3.

A combined meeting of the Bordertown men's and women's branches of the Liberal Union is called for Saturday afternoon, to consider arrangements for social to Hon A. H. Peake and Mr. Geo Bodey, late members for the Victoria district.

Seven sheep were sold at the abattoirs on Wednesday, five of which brought £4 per head. The seven averaged £3 10/- each. It was generally admitted that these were the biggest sheep ever sold in the metropolitan markets. They were bred and fattened by Mr A. Bowman, of Tatiara, Meningie.

Mr Keith Wylie, who has been doing duty at Torrens Island, in connection with the military forces, entered the examination for corporal a few days ago. His examiners congratulated him upon his work, and instead of awarding him the stripes of a corporal, he was promoted the position of sergeant. He returns to duty at Torrens Island on Saturday.

The monthly meeting of the Bordertown branch of the Women's Temperance Union was held in the Congregational Church on Wednesday afternoon There was a good attendance, and after the usual business was transacted, a very encouraging address was given by Pastor Edwards. The meetings will

Pastor Edwards. The meetings will be held the first Wednesday in the month in future. Arrangements were made for a public meeting to be held about May 26, in conjunction with the Gospel Temperance Union.