

MAUA BANK, 101-103 CALLE CANGALLO

The Office of this Bank having been removed to the above specified building in order to increase the flow of business...

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For balances in favor of Customers 12 per cent. For balances in favor of Customers 12 per cent.

ROYAL MAIL STEAMPACKET COMPANY

The Royal Mail Steampacket DOURO, 2,816 tons, 1,000 horse-power, Commander THOMAS...

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON

ESTABLISHED 1803. CAPITAL: £1,000,000. The undersigned are duly authorized to transact a General Fire Insurance Business in this country.

THE QUEEN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Capital, £2,000,000. Income, £160,000. Insurances against loss or damage by fire may be effected with this Company...

RIVER PLATE TELEGRAPH COMPANY (LIMITED)

Chief Offices: CALLE LAS PIEDRAS, MONTEVIDEO. Central Station: 77 CALLE CANGALLO, BUENOS AYRES.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH

Plaza Constitución, Montevideo. South Barracas, Montevideo. Lomas de Zamora, Buenos Aires.

NORTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH

Retiro, Montevideo. San Fernando, Montevideo. Olivos, Montevideo.

MAIN LINE TARIFF

Ten Words, exclusive of Address, 50m/c. For every additional Ten Words, 25m/c. or 12c.

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Authorized Capital £2,000,000 sterling. Reserves Fund Jan. 1888 £1,150,000 do.

PROVINCIAL BANK OF BUENOS AYRES

Deposits of not less than \$100 m/c and \$10 received. These deposits will not be entitled to interest if returned before the expiration of sixty days...

RATES OF INTEREST

On deposits in both currencies (in case of current account) 4 per cent. On deposits subject to seven days' notice 4 1/2 per cent.

THE ARGENTINE MARINE INSURANCE CO.

Established in this City. Insure at Moderate Premiums all Risks by Sea. Office: 118 CALLE PIEDRA.

GENERAL CAMP AGENCY

JOHN C. ESBENS, Public Agent and Accountant, 73 CALLE VICTORIA-73.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

338-RIVADAVIA 338. Mens' Clothing for Summer very cheap, boys' do, mens' doublets, \$2.00 each; boys' do, \$1.20; boys' doublet suits, \$5.00 each; best quality, \$5.00 pair; gentlemen's woolen singlets, best \$3.50; pair; gentlemen's woolen suits, \$5.00 per dozen; unbleached cotton hose for men, \$5.00 per dozen; ladies' bleached cotton hose, \$5.00, and many other articles of said branches in town.

ALUMINUM

At all the accessories to the Toilet, none is more enjoyable than a rich fragrant perfume. What can be more pleasing to the senses than the aroma of blooming flowers, not only pleasing, but actually healthful?

REFRESHING AND INVIGORATING

Both the body and the mind. It is adapted equally for the Handkerchief, the Toilet, and the Bath. For the first-mentioned nothing can be more exquisitely delicate, yet full-bodied; for the second, it is equally refreshing and invigorating.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS

Always ask for the Florida Water prepared by LANZMAN and KEHE. New York, who are the sole Proprietors of the genuine article.

WANKLYN & CO., 108-CALLE SAN MARTIN-108

From 6th February until further Notice, the rates of interest allowed and charged will be as follows: Allowed in account current, 6 per cent.

ARGENTINE BANK, 31, 33, and 35 San Martin

BANKING HOURS FROM 10 A.M. TO 4 P.M. PRESIDENT: RICARDO OSHIEA. DIRECTOR-GENERAL: D. ANCARIS LANUS.

CARABASSA'S BANK, 127-CALLE CANGALLO-127

From this date the rate of Interest will be as follows: In Account Current, 6 per cent. per an. On a fixed term 30 days, 7 per cent.

LADIES' DRESS NOVELTIES

THOMAS HOLMES and CO., AUTUMN SEASON. Beg to announce the arrival of their extensive purchases of DRESS NOVELTIES for the Season, comprising a choice selection of SILKS, TARTAN, POPLINS, WINCEYS, REPPES, AND CHAM, SERGES, WOOL TARTANS, BRAYS, SATTARS.

MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES

IMPERIAL FRENCH MAIL-STEAMERS. The Mail Steamer Captain MAY, 20th, BUENOS AYRES, FOR BORDEAUX, At 4 p.m., Calling at Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Dakar, and Lisbon, and taking Passengers and Cargo.

THE HOTEL ARGENTINO

Has newly furnished Bed and Sitting-rooms, Bath, and spacious well-appointed Saloons, with Balconies on the 1st floor. The view of the Port and Shipping is commanding.

PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO

91-CALLE SAN MARTIN-91. Opposite the Exchange (Bolsa). In the Studio of the Undersigned, Likenesses of every description are taken daily, at very moderate rates.

FRESH NOVELTIES

THOMAS HOLMES and CO., AUTUMN AND WINTER GOODS. To which they respectfully invite the attention of their Friends and the Public.

ROSEHILL ALMAGRO

REMOVAL OF SCHOOL. On account of the very delicate state of health of his wife is obliged to move into the country, and has taken the above premises on lease from J. P. BOYD, Esq., for the purpose of establishing a HIGH SCHOOL.

J. P. WELLS

Wool and Produce Broker, and Commission Agent. No. 6-CALLE DEFENSA-6, 26, July 14.

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MONTEVIDEO. ANTIGUA FOTOGRAFIA. BATEYCA

This popular Establishment continues to maintain its well-earned reputation of being the first Photographic and Fine Art Gallery in the River Plate. Its Proprietor, during a recent visit to Europe and North America, has spared no effort or expense to secure the best artistic skill, and the latest and most approved inventions applicable to the art.

PHOTO-DRAWINGS

This new style of picture, introduced by Mr. S. L. Reichenow, of London, makes the finest and most effective style of Portraiture known at the present day. Their purity of coloring and delicacy of tone is such that some of the first English artists have been unable to determine whether they are Photographs, or simply and purely Water Color Drawings.

THE PORCELAIN PICTURE

All styles and sizes, plain and colored, of the popular novelty, in prices ranging from five to twenty-five patterns each.

THE REMBRANDT STYLE

This is a recent American invention, and has created a furore in the States which bids fair to revolutionize the Photographic Portraiture. Its peculiarity is, that it makes a Portrait stand out in bold relief from a black background, like a statue done in marble.

NOTICE TO ALL CAPTAINS OF MERCHANT VESSELS

John Lawes Agent and correspondent for the Association of Protection of wrecked and damaged property, Office at Lloyd's, according to Charter does hereby make Ship Masters of British Vessels and also of all other Nations aware of that they are not to be accepted by incompetent persons.

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ENGLISH CATHOLIC COLLEGE, MONTEVIDEO

The Rev. J. D. Davis has engaged Premises in Montevideo, and will shortly open his College for the reception of 40 Boys.

PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO

OHUTE and BROOKS, 278-CALLE 25 DE MAYO-278. This new and well-known Establishment is fast becoming renowned for the quality of its Portraits, the superiority of which can easily be seen by comparing them with others produced in the River Plate.

ADAM J. MOFFAT, Standard Agent, CALLE CHACABUCCO, CORDOVA

The splendid Steamers of this Line leave the above-named Ports on the 13th of each month, calling at BORDEAUX, LISBON, RIO DE JANEIRO, and MONTEVIDEO.

RATES OF PASSAGE FROM MONTEVIDEO

1st Class, 2nd Class, 3rd Class. Valparaiso... 40 225 416. Rio de Janeiro... 12 8 4. Bahia... 36 25 12. Bordeaux... 36 25 12. Liverpool... 36 25 12.

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AUCTION.

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help our evening contemporary in justifying this edict. Our readers all recollect the memorable Schleswig-Holstein war, which then and now, and even hereafter, will puzzle Europe, Asia, Africa and America to understand: What led to hostilities? what produced a struggle so enigmatical, that even a Dundreary publicly pronounced his inability to comprehend why the army correspondence in the papers. Had that celebrated correspondence which first appeared in the German press, and subsequently found its way into the English papers been shut off by an edict such as Gainza's, the world would have been spared a useless struggle, and poor Holstein would be herself again.

But why limit us to such a place as Schleswig-Holstein. Let us open up history, let us look to the past, and read of the leaders of men and the struggles which have immortalized their names. Julius Caesar and Brian Borohme two of the greatest generals that antiquity can afford. To what did they owe their success, if not to the fact that in those days there were no army correspondents whatever, and none but themselves (and some times not even themselves) had the slightest intimation of their own movements. Think you, gentle reader, had there been a 'Sinbad' in Gaul, or a Pallegas at Clontarf, to write home how things stood, that either of those heroes of the past would have ever on one single occasion won the day. The very idea is preposterous, and, as we come down to later periods, do we not find Washington crossing the Delaware without a newspaper in the whole of the United States knowing one word about it. La Fayette confessed himself that he might have saved the lives of Luis and Marie Antoinette had not the Versailles correspondent of the Times written over to London about it. The Arch Duke Charles drove back the French republicans across the Meuse owing to a lusty paragraph in a Paris paper. Larochefoucauld lost rounded through the ceaseless activity of the republican newspaper correspondents—Jourdan (who apropos was no relative whatever of the Rich. L. Jordan now in Entre Rios) took the great forest of Ardenne and united his forces with the army on the Sambre all through a fictitious advertisement in a Berlin paper.

Berthier, one of Napoleon's greatest generals, owed his promotion to always having pen, ink and paper in his pocket; his father was a geographical artist, who knew the shortest way to send a letter to any part of Europe. Look at Napoleon! Where did he achieve his greatest glory? Why, in Egypt, because the Mamelukes could not read one word of French, and when Sir Sydney Smith brought him to a stand at Acre, it was all due to an Irish lieutenant in the army, who wrote regularly once a week to the London papers. Think you, readers, that Napoleon would have been defeated at Waterloo had old Blucher allowed an army correspondent to travel with him. We have shown, therefore, that the military history of the world is diametrically opposed to army correspondents, and that from the days of Romulus and Remus, Col. Gainza's edict was ever military law.

To our own army correspondents we have but to add that any communication they think proper to send us about sheep, cattle and wool shall always find a place in our columns, but that for war news, in order to save them from the awkward dilemma of a drum-head court-martial, henceforward our sole authority in such matters shall be our much esteemed friend and colleague Mr. Craufurd.

ADUANA CHICA.

The Committee appointed by the depositors of goods in the Aduana Chica, at the meetings held on the 10th March and 1st April, in accordance with a resolution passed on the latter date have now to present the following REPORT of their proceedings.

The first step of the Committee was to seek permission from the Collector of Customs to remove at once the goods damaged by the inundation of the 9th March. The Committee asked for a special deposit store to which to remove the goods, for the purpose of opening the packages and revising their contents, in the belief that this plan would expedite the work of removal and at the same time afford greater security to the Custom-house. The Collector replied that it was impossible to grant the request, as there was no deposit store available at the moment which could be set apart for that purpose. It was then agreed that the Custom-house should allow the damaged goods to be removed under a simple receipt given by the owners; that the Custom-house valuation should be based either upon an auctioneer's account sales or upon a valuation to be arranged with the 'Vista' after inspecting the goods.

The operation of removing the goods damaged on 9th March was scarcely completed when the second inundation took place. This happened on the night of the 31st March, the water reaching to a greater height than on the previous occasion. In view of this second disaster the Committee, persuaded of the impossibility of continuing to deposit goods in that locality, waited upon the Collector, accompanied by several other interested parties, and requested that Custom-house deposit stores should be found them, to

which the goods in the Aduana Chica might be removed. The Collector having no sufficient accommodation available for this purpose, the Minister of Finance, Dr. Gorostiaga, was immediately waited upon, at an interview with whom the Collector was authorized to use as a Custom-house deposit store part of a building in course of construction known as 'Lanus'.

The Committee then proceeded to call a general meeting of the depositors, which took place in the saloons of the Foreign Club on the 1st April, for the purpose of obtaining the necessary authorization to transfer the goods, as recorded in the minutes of the meeting of that date. The transfer commenced on Saturday the 2nd April, and continued without interruption till the 15th—Good Friday, and was finally concluded on the 20th of the same month. Although in an operation of this magnitude some of the contents may have been lost through the breaking of the packages, the Committee believe that whilst the removal of the goods was effected with the utmost possible despatch, every precaution was taken for the security of the interests confided to their care. The Committee have in their possession receipts of all the packages removed, in case it should be necessary to refer to them. The number of packages removed is 9720, a distinction being made between the sound packages and those damaged by rain from the roof, which have been kept separate to admit of inspection. In addition, 5512 damaged packages had been taken out by their respective owners.

The Committee, on its first appointment, had an interview with Dr. Frigoyen, who counselled that a protest should be entered against Mrs. Sanguier and Gondra, holding them responsible for the injury caused by the inundation, to which these parties answered by a request that a term of nine days should be fixed for claims to be presented. The Committee objected that it was not possible for the interested parties to present themselves in so short a time, and demanded an extension, which was granted. On the same date the Committee extended a further protest respecting the second inundation. It is open, therefore, to any depositor who may consider he has sufficient grounds, to proceed against Mrs. Sanguier and Gondra.

The opinions of Drs. Yrigoyen and Roque Perez on this point, as also on the rain damage, accompany this report. At the request of the Committee Dr. Yrigoyen had an interview with the National Minister of Finance, Dr. Gorostiaga, for the purpose of soliciting the remission of the Custom-house duties on the damaged goods. The Minister observed that it was not possible for him to dictate any general measure with respect to the duties, but if the parties interested would present themselves with their Custom-house papers duly liquidated, they would be favorably received by the Government. Up to this date no one has been in a position to do so. Doctor Yrigoyen only waits the necessary documents to enable him to draw up a petition.

The Committee think it their duty to make mention of the attention with which they were received by the Finance Minister Dr. Gorostiaga, and of the good will manifested towards them on all occasions, by the Collector, in providing for the removal of the goods on Saturdays and feast days, and on the extra hours of working days, suspending the ordinary Custom House forms and co-operating in every possible way to aid the Committee in their work.

Buenos Ayres, 4th May 1870.

[Signed] H. A. Wyatt Smith—A. Coquetaux—II. Geyffert—Robert Barclay.

COUNSEL'S OPINION.

Gentlemen, In reference to the subject on which you have asked my opinion, as to goods placed in deposit, Art. 727 of the Commercial Code lays down the following:

The owner of the deposit is not liable for losses caused by unforeseen accidents, unless:

1st. There has been delay or neglect in the fulfilment of a stipulated agreement.

2nd. The article deposited consists of money, and he has made use of same (Art. 724).

3rd. The owner of the deposit has assumed the responsibility arising from unforeseen accidents, or that the loss has been caused by his neglect.

From the foregoing Article it is my opinion that the owners of the deposit cannot be held responsible for losses caused by unforeseen accidents, unless he has expressly assumed such responsibility, and I am unaware if in the agreement between you and the owners of the deposit such a stipulation has been made.

If such has not been expressly agreed upon, then it is my opinion that you cannot hold Messrs. Gondra & Sanguier responsible for the damage, as the law is explicit upon the point. The inundation, or flood, is in every sense an unforeseen accident—all such accidents are so called when they happen unexpectedly, and can

neither be foreseen nor prevented (Law, 11 tit 33, part 7th); and undoubtedly the rush, or current of water which lately occurred could not be foreseen, since it had never happened before in this city, and took by surprise all its inhabitants and public authorities, flooding a great number of houses, where water had never before reached. It has therefore been an unforeseen occurrence, the causes of which are not known to this day with precision, although it cannot but be attributed to the want of foresight in the construction of the street-pavements and other public works done under the direction of the Municipality. I do not think the owner of the stores can be made responsible for the consequences, since I cannot find that any blame whatever attached to him. He has not incurred in any delay or neglect, since I suppose if you left any goods in the stores, it was because it did not suit you to take them away. He has not made himself responsible, as I understand, for unforeseen accidents beyond his control. The only three circumstances are, therefore, wanting, which according to the above quoted Article of the Code, impose responsibility on the owner of the deposit.

Even viewing the case as a question of landlord and tenant, we shall arrive at the same result, since the damage is due to the above-stated causes. With regard to the damage suffered, on account of the breakage of the panes of glass, I have informed you that there may be more grounds for a claim. Hail is not an unforeseen event, and the necessity of putting a network to prevent breakage has been recognised in this country. I think, therefore, that blame attaches to Messrs. Gondra & Sanguier, for not having taken this precaution with reference to the sky-lights.

In conclusion, I must repeat to you that since this point, on which you have been pleased to consult me, is a delicate one, I think it would be advisable to elicit the opinion of other counsel, Buenos Ayres, April 28, 1870.

BERNARDO DE LINGOVEN.

I fully agree with the preceding opinion, and go even further in what concerns the want of protection to the panes of glass, since, in my opinion, not even in this regard is any responsibility thrown upon the landlords, seeing that with a full knowledge of this defect, and not giving it any importance, the tenants deposited their goods without requiring, or in any way alluding to this precaution.

If there has been any shortcoming it has been common to both sides, and it can never be exacted that in a contract one party to it shall be expected to use more foresight than the other, more particularly, when the occupiers of the deposit had not claimed the necessity of a network to protect the said sky-lights.

JOSE R. PEREZ.

THE UNITED CLUB.

At a General Meeting held at the British School-room on Friday last, Mr. F. W. Moore as chairman, explained that the object of this meeting was to take into consideration final steps with regard to the formation of the Club proposed in September last. After stating the dimensions the Club had assumed, and the amount of capital subscribed, he proceeded to consider a few of the leading rules. Mr. F. Cooper proposed, and Mr. Macrae seconded, that this Club be named 'The United Club,' which after much discussion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Dowdall proposed, and Mr. Lacey seconded, that all members must be British subjects, North American subjects or their sons. Carried 'nem con'.

Mr. Ramsay proposed, Mr. T. Hogg seconded, that the entrance fee shall be \$500 mpc, payable on admittance. Carried.

After some discussion it was agreed that each candidate for admission, shall be proposed by one and seconded by two other members, and his name with those of proposer and seconders shall be posted on the notice boards, at least one month prior to day of election.

Mr. Dowdall proposed, Mr. Lacey seconded, that all members shall be elected by ballot, and one black ball shall exclude him. Carried 'nem con'.

The monthly subscription was then fixed at \$100 mpc, payable on the first of each month. It was unanimously agreed that the guarantors advance should be secured by mortgage on the Club property. It was resolved that a committee should be chosen numbering seven members (with three substitutes), who should elect their own officers, five to form a quorum.

The following gentlemen were then elected— Mr. F. W. Moore, " H. W. Goodhall, " James Macrae, " F. Davis, " B. Lacey, " Robert M. Ramsay, " A. Dowdall, Messrs. Heald, Thomas Hogg, G. Warden, substitutes.

The above Committee, were empowered to make such rules and regulations as they should think necessary, and to select suitable premises &c. Mr. Macrae proposed, seconded by Mr. Domiwick, that a vote of thanks be accorded to the outgoing Committee, more especially to Mr. Goodhall, for the strenuous efforts he made to bring the Club to its present state of organization. Carried. After a vote of thanks to the chairman, the meeting adjourned.

LATEST FROM ENTRE-RIOS.

ARMY ABOUT TO MARCH.

GREAT FLOODS.

We take the following items of intelligence respecting the rebellion from a bulletin published yesterday by the 'Verdad.'

The heavy rain has prevented the advance of General Mitre's army, which if the weather clears up will march in a day or so.

The Cacique Orjio, who joined Almadra's forces, has been killed in a brawl. The Guneyan and other streams are so swollen that people had to be taken off in boats from the roofs of their ranchos near the banks.

The health of the army is excellent, and rations abundant. The 'Libertad' of Gualeguaychu on the 10th, says—

The army of General Mitre will march to-morrow; the troops are full of enthusiasm, and are all Paraguayan veterans accustomed to every kind of warfare. A battalion of these men could beat two or three thousand of the best Paraguayan cavalry.

Montaño, the murderer of Waldino and Justo Urquiza, was captured on his arrival at Santa Rosa, whither he had come from Federación. Some important letters from Lopez Jordau were found on his person.

Colonel Barragan with the 5th division, has joined General Mitre. The soldier who killed the Cacique Criato gave himself up to General Mitre.

There are 2000 troops in Rosario ready to start for Sta Fé and Paraná. It is supposed that Jordau's force is very small, as he is seeking evidently to avoid an encounter with General Conesa.

General Galarza has ordered all his soldiers to wear crapes during the campaign, as an expression of the grief every good Entre-Riano should feel at the barbarous murder of General Urquiza.

GOV. CASTRO'S MESSAGE TO THE LEGISLATURE OF BUENOS AYRES.

REPORT OF THE PROVINCIAL CONSTITUTION.

Since the time when Buenos Ayres became incorporated with the Republic, and accepted the Reformed Constitution, it was deemed necessary to revise the Provincial Charter which had formed as an independent State.

Several changes and modifications were called for, to make the Provincial Constitution harmonize with the National, as well as to regulate our internal system of administration and meet the demands of public convenience. This was admitted both by the Government and Legislature when Article 140 was reformed, whereby a Convention 'ad hoc' should be convened; and it was in this sense I addressed you last May, urging the immediate necessity of such reform.

