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TEATRO DE LA OPERA—Empresa A. Ferrari...

PRECIOS DE LAS LOCALIDADES...

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THE CRITERION

BREAKFAST TO-DAY

Soups...

Leek soup...

Whitebait...

Stewed frogs...

Porridge and cream...

Stewed kidneys & the Swiss...

Lamb's outlets, sautéed potatoes...

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A LADY desires pupils for English...

PALERMO—To let two bedrooms...

BIOCYLES (two), one high grade...

BELGRANO—To let, furnished, a fine...

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TO LET in Temperley a quinta-house...

PRIVATE LESSONS in Spanish and...

BISOP'S COUNCIL, River Plate Section...

TO LET furnished and unfurnished...

TO LET a large and comfortable house...

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HOUSE TO LET—A 7-roomed quinta...

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TO LET a nice furnished room with...

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TO LET a well furnished room, with...

A RESPECTABLE GIRL, with good...

FURNISHED HOUSE of 7 rooms to rent...

SOCIO comerciante 0 ingeniero con...

BALIA LANCA—The residents of this...

SE NECESITA una buena mucama...

TO LET—A comfortably furnished to...

AUD & CO. have just received a...

TO LADIES—Al Buen Gusto, Calle...

FURNISHED APARTMENTS, with good...

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TO LET a large and comfortable house...

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CASA QUINTA se alquila con contrato...

TO LET a room, with or without...

TO LET furnished and unfurnished...

TO LET a large and comfortable house...

ALQUILASE en casa particular una...

TO LET furnished and unfurnished...

TO LET a large and comfortable house...

TO LET furnished and unfurnished...

EN BELGRANO se alquila una casa...

TO LET in Bernal, English Villa known...

TO LET a room suitable for a single...

A LARGE, well-furnished room, with...

FLAT TO LET, first floor—A nice flat...

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6 p.m.	76	18	8	13
8 p.m.	76	18	8	13

**Special Telegrams.**  
 TO  
 STANDARD.

Montevideo, 24th.  
 The following is the substance of the  
 detailed report, furnished by General  
 Muñoz to the Minister of War, General  
 Perez, of the battle of Cerro Largo.  
 "Esteemed friend I have the honour to  
 lay before you the detailed report of the  
 battle of Cerro Largo, in which I com-  
 pelled the enemy to retire. On the 12th I  
 was encamped in the Puntas de Polanco,  
 when I heard that the enemy was at the  
 Paso del Rey de Cebollati, and that their  
 vanguard was skirmishing with Col. Ver-  
 gara who was on his way to join me.  
 I immediately started for Hilesas where  
 I knew the enemy was retreating to-  
 wards the Sierras de Sosa.  
 However, they escaped me by marching  
 all night and swam the Mensevillogra  
 Arroyo, 100 fathoms down the river on the  
 near side.  
 On the 14th my vanguard came up with  
 the enemy and firing lasted till 5 p. m.,  
 my forces losing one wounded and one  
 prisoner and several horses. The enemy  
 lost 5 killed and several wounded whom  
 they carried with them.  
 On the night of the 14th my army en-  
 camped on the positions abandoned by  
 the Blancos, but it was all that the horses  
 could do as they were completely tired.  
 During the night the enemy again march-  
 ed, without my knowledge, and arrived  
 at dawn on the 16th at the Santa Lucia  
 gate. Their flight was precipitate and  
 they left many tired horses by the way.  
 On the night of the 15th the enemy en-  
 camped on the land of Miguel Robledo  
 having buried two officers by the way.  
 I rested for two hours and my vanguard  
 again caught up the Blancos on the morn-  
 ing of the 16th. Fighting ensued on the  
 17th, the enemy losing 70 wounded and  
 15 killed besides others, presumably of-  
 ficers, whom they carried away with them  
 in their continued flight.

I salute you, *Meliton Muñoz*.  
 The following despatches were received  
 to-day by the President.  
 Yaguaron, April 23rd (10.25 a.m.)  
 The Blanco officers Baraldo, Larriero  
 and others embarked to-day in the s.s.  
 Juncal de Artigas. Nuñez said that he  
 only awaited the receipt of some custom-  
 dues to leave for Buenos Aires, with all  
 who might wish to accompany him, in a  
 steamer that he intended to charter.  
 Martina and others have left for the  
 Rio Negro to join some Blanco force. The  
 rebel leaders are at variance with one  
 another, and their forces are dishearten-  
 ed. They are emigrating in small parties  
 by the Paso de las Piedras and other  
 points. Velasquez passed through here  
 yesterday from Rio Grande, they tell me,  
 also very disheartened. I will keep your  
 Excellency informed of all that I can as-  
 certain.  
*Eduardo Bustamante*,  
 Yaguaron, April 22nd., (2.20 p.m.)  
 To the President of the Republic.  
 I congratulate your Excellency on the  
 triumph obtained at Cerro Largo. Col.  
 Galardo yesterday dispersed the rebel

bands that had gathered in this neigh-  
 bourhood.  
 I salute your Excellency  
*Santos Arribo*,  
 Commander in-chief of the  
 Southern frontiers.  
 Yaguaron, April 23rd. (6.47 p.m.)  
 To the Minister for Foreign Affairs.  
 In the steamer which left to-day for Rio  
 Grande went five Orientals who had been  
 serving with Nuñez and to whom I granted  
 safe-conduct. Two Argentine officers,  
 who had been fighting under Nuñez,  
 also presented themselves, asking for  
 funds to return to their country.  
 I salute your Excellency  
*Asina Alvarez*,  
 Consul.

Last night or rather early this morning  
 Gen. Vasquez left here to take his post in  
 the field.  
 "LATER."  
 The following letter written by Aroztegui  
 to Marquez has been intercepted by  
 the Government.  
 Buenos Aires,  
 April 16th, 1897.  
 Señor Abelardo Marquez, Bagé.  
 Dear friend,  
 I arrived here several days ago to the  
 great surprise of everyone. The papers  
 insist on interviewing me. The utmost  
 ignorance prevails regarding the where-  
 abouts of Lamas, and I do everything  
 possible to increase the mystification.  
 Terra has informed the Committee that  
 he is leaving for Porto Alegre.  
 I am going to take for the army all the  
 funds available and will go by Rio Grande,  
 returning hither subsequently to arrange  
 the political question which has been  
 much neglected as no one has approached  
 the Argentine Government. I shall also  
 endeavour to collect more "alarms" to  
 the Committee will authorize me to this  
 effect and I shall be the bearer of letters  
 to Saravia and Lamas.  
 I have spoken with several friends from  
 the frontier and they were very contented  
 with the mission. Will Terra succeed?  
 We shall see. It is sincerely to be hoped  
 that he will not make a mess of it.  
 Your friend,  
*Abdon Aroztegui*.

Bestamante to-day at 7.11 p.m. tele-  
 graphs, from Yaguaron to the President,  
 stating that the Government troops have  
 arrived near Artigas having routed the  
 revolutionists.  
 Another telegram sent from Yaguaron  
 states that Arribo with 2000 men is be-  
 fore Artigas. It is added that the re-  
 mainants of the forces of Saravia and Lamas  
 are being hotly pursued by Government  
 troops.  
*Stand-by O'Gorman*.

**THE WAR.**  
 Varying Success.  
**Turkey and Bulgaria.**  
 London, 24th.—The Bulgarian Govern-  
 ment has refused to listen to the propo-  
 sals for the Sublime Porte, as the Sultan  
 wished that Government to break off  
 diplomatic relations with Greece. Mean-  
 while the seat of the war is spreading over  
 a large expanse of country, and will soon  
 embrace the entire Gulf of Arta coast.  
 Athens, 24th.—Four regiments of Al-  
 banese troops have mutinied against their  
 Turkish officers, and joined the ranks of  
 the Greek army.

London, 24th.—Telegrams from a Tur-  
 kish source report that the Sultan's troops  
 have surrounded the Greek troops in  
 Thessaly.  
 Madrid, 24th.—Perez Escrich, the  
 novelist, died here this morning.  
 Vienna, 24th.—Rumours are again cur-  
 rent referring to the Turks occupying  
 Turnovo, and that the Greek troops have  
 picked their quarters in Kyria, between  
 Elassona and Platamonas. The Greek  
 squadron continues bombarding the coast  
 of the Pirous.  
 Vienna, 24th.—Prince Constantine an-  
 nounces by telegram that his army has  
 got to the rear of Edehem Pacha's  
 army at Ellassona, and will try and en-  
 circle the Ottoman troops, in combina-  
 tion with the Greek forces on the other side.  
 Constantinople, 24th.—The Turkish  
 troops are in possession of the Pass of  
 Mati, which the Greeks defended so hero-  
 ically, until finally driven out, falling back  
 on Turnovo. Edehem Pacha is now try-  
 ing to cut off their retreat.

Sofia, 24th.—Diplomatic relations with  
 Turkey are very strained because the  
 Bulgarian Government has refused to  
 give the Greek Minister his passport at  
 the request of the Sublime Porte.  
 Madrid, 24th.—It is asserted in financial  
 circles that a Syndicate of Bankers has of-  
 fered Government a loan to defray the  
 expenses of the Philippine campaign.  
 Constantinople, 24th.—The public and  
 Government have great confidence in Gen-  
 eral Osman Pacha the new Commander-  
 in-Chief of the Turkish Army. It is  
 reported that Osman Pacha will con-  
 centrate at Turnovo under his command  
 on Turnovo and deal the Greek Army a  
 decisive blow, by attacking their centre  
 and by taking Larissa and their im-  
 portant forts in the north of Thessaly.

Athens, 24th.—The "Prois" an official  
 organ states that the Greek forces are  
 concentrating on the line to Pharisalia in  
 the centre of Thessaly.  
 Paris, 24th.—Telegrams from Sophia  
 report that the Government organs deny  
 the rumour referring to the Bulgarian  
 Government concentrating troops on the  
 Turkish frontier. Bulgaria has, in spite of  
 this denial, some idea of entering into the  
 present conflict between Greece and Tur-  
 key.  
 Arta, 24th.—The Greek Fleet continues  
 bombarding Agion and the fort of Se-  
 renta both of which are a mass of ruins.  
 A quantity of arms, ammunition and provi-  
 sions have fallen into the hands of the  
 Greek marines.

**THIS MORNING'S TELEGRAMS.**  
 (Received after Midnight.)  
 Athens, 24th.—General Ricciotti Garibaldi, who arrived here yesterday, is pre-  
 paring to leave to-night for Larissa to  
 join the Italian volunteers fighting against  
 the Turkish troops.  
 All day General Garibaldi has been re-  
 ceiving a perfect ovation.  
 Rome, 24th.—Gudini, aged 16, and a  
 friend of Accriti who attempted to as-  
 sassinate the King, was arrested here to-  
 day. The witnesses examined to-day  
 believe in the existence of a plot against  
 King Humbert. The life and chat Gudini is  
 one of the conspirators.

Paris, 24th.—Telegraphic communi-  
 cation is interrupted between Athens and  
 Larissa, a state of affairs which has  
 alarmed the city.  
 Buda Pesth, 24th.—The Minister of the  
 Interior has just signed a decree prohib-  
 iting street-meetings on the 1st May. The  
 cause for this resolution is the report that  
 riots were being organized to take place  
 on that day.  
 Rome, 24th.—The movement in favour  
 of Greece is on the increase throughout  
 Italy. Several expeditions of volunteers to  
 fight in the Greek ranks were to-day pre-  
 pared by the police from embarking for  
 Athens.

**THE LA PLATA DEBT SETTLEMENT.**  
 Poor province of Buenos Ayres! She  
 once had the best managed and perhaps  
 most valuable railway in South America.  
 Her bank once ranked third in the finan-  
 cial world, after the Bank of England,  
 after the Banque de France. Once she  
 was in the unique position of a State free  
 from debt, and her inhabitants might have  
 lived free from taxation. To-day her rail-  
 ways are sold, her banks smashed, her  
 inhabitants crushed with taxes, her debt  
 dishonoured! For six years she has now  
 stood as a financial Niobe weeping over  
 her lost treasures and her past glories:  
 with her weep the crowd of deceived and  
 disappointed bond-holders who have been  
 praying and begging for some crumbs of  
 the old banquet tables of the years from  
 orgy. In the constellation of Argentine  
 States there is no greater eclipse than that  
 of poor Buenos Ayres.

Last week the Governor of the Pro-  
 vince, Dr. Don Guillermo Uzaondo, placed  
 in the hands of the Minister of Finance  
 of the Nation, Dr. Escalante, the agreement  
 made by the La Plata Government with  
 the representatives of the foreign bond-  
 holders of the province. In this lachry-  
 mose document one reads the self-sacrifice  
 and abnegation of the unfortunate credi-  
 tors, but with the strongest financial  
 glasses, we regret to say, we see no effort  
 on the part of the Government to save  
 appearances by making some show of for-  
 cible retrenchment. The bondholders lay  
 claim to say 50,000,000 gold in round  
 numbers; let us rate this amount at  
 75%, and put down 37,500,000 gold  
 as the amount that the creditors may  
 reckon as cash due to them. The bond-  
 holders are satisfied with the proposal of  
 the La Plata Government which offers to  
 settle capital and service up to July 1897,  
 with 35,000,000 of National Bonds bearing  
 4% interest and 1/2% sinking fund.  
 The market value of these bonds would  
 be about 25,000,000: in other words the  
 bondholders are willing to sacrifice at  
 least 12,000,000 of their claims against  
 the Province.

So far we see that the settlement in-  
 volves a large sacrifice on the part of the  
 creditors and a heavy burden on the na-  
 tional tax-payer. But what does the Pro-  
 vince of Buenos Ayres offer? What  
 does she suffer in this settlement? And  
 here we see the laughable side of this  
 extraordinary arrangement. The debtor,  
 that is to say, the Provincial Government,  
 offers:—

1st.—To deposit every month in a bank  
 and to the order of the National  
 Government the funds required for  
 the quarterly service on the  
 35,000,000 of National Bonds handed  
 to the bondholders in settlement of  
 the debt.  
 2nd.—To give as guarantee the La Plata  
 port, the revenue from that port,  
 and also the revenue of some provin-  
 cial tax that the National Govern-  
 ment may choose.

We beg to remark that the La Plata port  
 is mortgaged under the foreign loans of  
 the province—thus the La Plata Govern-  
 ment makes no concession in offering the  
 port as guarantee of good faith to the  
 nation. The only redeeming point in all  
 this business is that the La Plata authori-  
 ties are willing to forego the returns of  
 one of the local taxes.  
 Would it not be far more honourable  
 for La Plata to say to the Nation "Our  
 creditors are willing to accept 35,000,000  
 of National 4% bonds in settlement of  
 the Provincial Debt; give us these bonds  
 and we give you our port for what it has  
 cost us; whatever balance remains again  
 as you can take out of one of our  
 taxes." This would be above-board  
 and statesmanlike, but the proffer of  
 the port as a guarantee sounds suspicious  
 and open to doubt. We are convinced  
 that the province, in political or financial  
 emergencies, would give trouble to the  
 nation, for the door is left open for all  
 such eventualities. The men in the Na-  
 tional Government evidently take the  
 same view of this La Plata proposition,  
 and do not look on it with favour.

At best, the settlement of the province  
 is nothing short of humiliation, and there  
 is even some barefacedness in it. Six years  
 of reputation has evidently changed the  
 Portefo character, or they would make  
 some more heroic effort to regain their  
 credit and status. If the proper men  
 were in the La Plata finance-offices and  
 not tolerate any increase in the Budget  
 unless that increase went to pay the  
 creditors; we should not see the expendi-  
 ture of the province rise from  
 13,000,000 in 1893 to 18,000,000 in  
 1897 without a single dollar  
 going to pay service on the London  
 loans. There is something "broad-minded"  
 in this repudiation—very "narrow-minded"

in this faint attempt at an honourable  
 settlement. The bondholders in London  
 wince: the Argentine National Govern-  
 ment pulls a wry face at a dubious propo-  
 sition: and La Plata is radiant,  
 hoping to continue in its career  
 of extravagance. We devoutly hope  
 that President Uriburu and his Min-  
 ister of Finance will reject the settle-  
 ment, unless the La Plata port is handed  
 over to the nation free from all claims  
 whether of the bondholders, or of the La  
 Plata Government. The port is worth  
 35,000,000 to the Nation—not to-day,  
 perhaps, but in the near future it will be  
 worth even more politically and finan-  
 cially: we believe that the very bondhold-  
 ers would take it at that price, but this is  
 quite out of the question owing to consid-  
 erations that need not be discussed.

**THE WAR IN EUROPE.**  
 The appointment of Osman Pasha, the  
 hero of Plewna, to the command of the  
 Turkish troops will no doubt impart a  
 greater degree of vigor to the campaign  
 begun by Edehem Pasha. The Turks on  
 the frontier are not more than 40,000  
 strong. They should be at least 150,000,  
 but we may take it that it would be im-  
 possible to feed so large a number, owing,  
 no doubt, to the terrible corruption of  
 Turkish administration.

Before we proceed to sum up the salient  
 events of the last 24 hours, we shall give  
 some biographical particulars of the Tur-  
 kish hero. He was born in Amasia, Asia  
 Minor, in 1837. At the age of 19 he dis-  
 tinguished himself in the Crimean War.  
 In 1867 he was made Brigadier-General,  
 and in 1876 General of Division. In that  
 year he directed victoriously the operations  
 against the Servians.

When the war with Russia broke out,  
 he was at Widdan at the head of 35,000  
 men. He attacked the flank of the Rus-  
 sian army and brilliantly secured Plewna,  
 where he gathered 60,000 men. He forti-  
 fied this stronghold and made it seemingly  
 impregnable. In this way he succeeded  
 in keeping the Russian army from march-  
 ing on Sophia. In vain the Russians and  
 Servians attacked the stronghold. On  
 each occasion they were brilliantly re-  
 pulsed. Osman Pasha held Plewna from  
 Sept. 1st to Dec. 10, after which, the pro-  
 visions having given out, he was compelled  
 to make a desperate sortie. He was  
 severely wounded and his army obliged  
 to surrender. The Turkish general was  
 conquered by famine, not by the Czar's  
 soldiers. After the war he became Min-  
 ister of War and subsequently was at-  
 tached to the Sultan's household. He is  
 a noted hater of the Giaour and when he  
 takes command he will send about their  
 business all the foreign officers under  
 Edehem Pacha.

Osman Pasha's appointment marks a  
 serious phase in the campaign, for it points  
 to a desire of the Porte to push things  
 at once to an extreme. Fifty thousand  
 men are to be immediately sent to re-  
 inforce the troops on the frontier.  
 Turkey's standing army comprises 282  
 battalions of infantry, 197 squadrons of  
 cavalry, 231 batteries of artillery, 23 com-  
 panies of engineers—in all 200,000 men.  
 In time of war Turkey can put 1,400,000  
 men in the field. The infantry are armed  
 with Mausers and Martini-Henry. The  
 artillery is excellent, comprising Krupp  
 guns. In Turkey military service is com-  
 pulsory and extends from the age of 21  
 to that of 41.

With regard to the military operations  
 in Macedonia and Thessaly, very little of  
 note is to be recorded. In fact it has rained  
 so heavily within the last two days  
 that the plains are flooded, and the  
 fair Greek province is threatened with  
 a repetition of that famous flood of  
 which Thessaly was the scene in the  
 age of Deucalion. Prince Constantine  
 on Friday telegraphed to King George  
 that the Turks could no longer advance  
 and that they seemed demoralized by the  
 brilliant resistance of the Greek forces.  
 The latter destroyed a Turkish battery at  
 Liguria. The Ottoman troops have re-  
 turned towards Nezeros and Rapsarri.

The Greek fleet is not idle. Santa Quaranta  
 has been bombarded and taken, the  
 Turkish garrison having fled. The fleet  
 will soon begin to bombard Salada. We  
 may put a note of interrogation after the  
 last-named locality, for we do not find it  
 on the map. We presume that it  
 must be some village on the coast near  
 Santa Quaranta.

Bulgaria's threatening attitude is a  
 significant feature. Again the Minister  
 Resident in Constantinople has approach-  
 ed the Sultan, this time with an ultima-  
 tum allowing the Porte one week to  
 grant the reforms demanded by the Bul-  
 garian Government. On the expiration of  
 the week, Bulgaria will mobilize her army.  
 In the meantime it is said that Russia  
 will not allow Bulgaria to move. It is  
 difficult to sound the situation, so complex  
 has it become with the multitude of con-  
 flicting interests at stake.

A telegram received last evening states  
 that Turkish diplomacy has been intri-  
 guing to cause a rupture between Greece  
 and Bulgaria. Another telegram says that  
 the Turkish troops in Thessaly are ar-  
 ranged in the form of a horse-shoe, with  
 the Greek forces in the centre.  
 A telegram received last evening states  
 that Edehem Pasha attacked Larissa but  
 was repulsed, leaving an enormous number

of killed and wounded on the field. On  
 the other hand, the Greeks, after 17 hours  
 fighting, were driven from Nezeros to-  
 wards Derkios. The same telegram adds  
 that the Greek forces at Larissa number  
 110,000 men.

**LONDON LETTER.**  
 (From our own Correspondent.)  
 GENERAL TOPICS.

March, 25th.  
 By an error another letter of this date  
 was despatched per French mail instead  
 of this steamer. It is of small consequence,  
 as there is absolutely nothing to write  
 about in home or foreign affairs. All we  
 are told to-night is that Lord Salisbury  
 is to have an interview with M. Hanoteaux  
 in Paris to-morrow. It was still  
 doubtful when I wrote a few hours ago.  
 As for the rumour that Germany is to  
 send 3000 men to S.W. Africa next month,  
 it is only part of the reigning enigmistic  
 position of affairs. There is no doubt as  
 to the strained relations between the Ce-  
 lonial Office and President Kruger, and it  
 is not denied that this country is quietly  
 preparing for whatever may happen in  
 South Africa. Mr. Chamberlain is anno-  
 uncying at the Transvaal exorbitant claim  
 for damages for the Jameson raid, and  
 looks upon the powers of confiscation of  
 property assumed or usurped by the  
 Volksraad as a contravention of the Lon-  
 don convention, coupled with the sup-  
 pression of newspapers in the Uitlander  
 interest in Johannesburg and other rather  
 high handed proceedings on the part of  
 President Kruger which are not charac-  
 teristic of his usual rough, good sense.  
 We cannot complain of him and his fel-  
 low countrymen being incensed at the  
 disloyalty of Mr. Rhodes as prime Minister  
 of the Cape Colony, and at the mad and  
 sinful act of his subordinate Dr. Jameson;  
 nor can we complain of the President  
 fortifying and arming his country and  
 entering into a bond of political union of  
 some nature with his neighbour  
 the Orange Republic, if he has any  
 reason to fear an attack by the Brit-  
 ish Government. What we want to  
 know is what reason was there for  
 any fears of the kind? Then we  
 ask further—Is not he the traitor,  
 and is he not secretly depending upon a  
 foreign power? If so, the British Govern-  
 ment will not wait for developments, but  
 take measures that will make South Africa  
 secure from all machinations. The ques-  
 tion then becomes in some sort a portion  
 of the European imbroglio seriously af-  
 fecting British policy in Crete and Egypt,  
 and must either isolate this country un-  
 der considerable difficulties, or lead to a  
 new distribution of alliances, as it has been  
 said more than once before. Lord Salis-  
 bury's interview with M. Hanoteaux  
 may mean anything or nothing but  
 whatever it means, the subjects dis-  
 cussed by the two foreign ministers will  
 not be confined to the Cretan question, now  
 fast receding into secondary importance,  
 for, as far as Great Britain is concerned,  
 the sooner Macedonia is a light the better,  
 as it will give the other powers some-  
 thing to think about. Lord Salisbury  
 may have discovered that the "Peace"  
 he puts forward as the foundation of his  
 policy may be bought too dearly—that he  
 has too many irons in the fire, and that  
 after two years not one of them is hot  
 enough to use. They have ruffled rather  
 than smoothed the foreign relations of  
 the country. Berlin has just been engaged  
 in thanksgiving in honour of the centen-  
 nary of the birth of William the Great.  
 St. Petersburg is to follow with a great  
 fête to be attended by 700 millions of sovereigns,  
 and then comes the turn of London in  
 June. Peace must be preserved. Lord  
 Salisbury's influence has hurried his de-  
 parture to the Riviera. He did not intend  
 to go before Easter.

A sad and still amusing fact in connec-  
 tion with the longest Reign Commemora-  
 tion is that Mr. Harry Marks, a Conserva-  
 tive member for a London Constituency,  
 is to ask leave to bring in a short Bill  
 in Parliament to prevent house owners  
 and tenants in Southwark from  
 evicting tenants until after the 23rd of  
 June next. The object is to prevent  
 covetous landlords from turning out  
 tenants of rooms and houses overlooking  
 the route of the royal procession. People  
 wondered why the Queen had been asked  
 to gratify her poorer subjects in the  
 Borough road by passing through such a  
 place. Lo! a Bill from the City authori-  
 ties appeared to incorporate Southwark  
 into the precincts of the City of London.  
 Thanks to the rising Liberalism on both  
 sides of the House, the Bill was thrown  
 out in spite of its passive patronage by  
 Mr. Chaplin and the Government. It is  
 quite tantalising to hear of the good for-  
 tune of some of one's friends who by ac-  
 cident have taken rooms or houses in the  
 route of the procession, and have let them  
 for a few hours at prices that will pay  
 their rents for four or five years. Is  
 not this unearned increment? And are  
 you not surprised to hear that there are  
 fools in existence who, to be in fashion  
 and entertain their lady friends, will pay  
 £100 or £200 and even £500 for a single  
 day's rent.

Do you know Mr. Alfred Smith, stock  
 broker? He is well known in the 'house'  
 and is very popular. He is married. Or

was so a few hours ago. Mrs. Smith seems to over-indulge, and is apt to slander her husband in abusive terms, and is of a jealous disposition. She discovered Mr. Smith in a restaurant in Portland Street in company with a young lady, a Miss Nower, the daughter of a clergyman. It also transpired that the young lady, who was an old playmate of Mrs. Smith's, was in the habit of visiting him at his rooms. Mrs. Smith brings an action for divorce which has occupied the gossip for two or three days. It was settled this afternoon. The lady received no mercy at the hands of Mr. Justice Barnes, who could of course judge by the style and matter of the evidence what manner of woman Mrs. Smith was. Part of her evidence he characterized as an "unmitigated lie," and not only condemned her in costs, but had the documents impounded in view of subsequent prosecution. Mr. Smith and Miss Isabel Maria Nower left the court with out a stain on their reputation. The judge quite took to them. Moreover, Mr. Smith got a judicial separation from his wife and the custody of the children. Some one will have to look after the children.

The debate on Financial Relations between Great Britain and Ireland comes off on the 29th, and Mr. Balfour agrees to give the following day if the discussion is not complete. There are knotty points to settle in this question, and we look forward to the debate with considerable interest. Those who take part in it will on both sides be first rate men of all parties and nationalities common to these islands. Islands of the best "Amigo!" Cursed be he who divides them. Those who most divide us are those who oppose home rule under rational tariff and excise regulations suited to the three Kingdoms.

MONTEVIDEO.

April 23rd 1897. To the Editor of the Standard, Dear Sir,

Whether the Blanco cause triumph or not; whether the present detested Government persists in over-riding the rights of the people, and reduces them and the country to utter ruin, or whether the destroying angel, through the Government's instrumentality, has resolved to annihilate the whole republic, cede it to a mightier power, or bury for ever in the darkest oblivion the name of the "República Oriental del Uruguay"; the name of Lamas has now become a household word, and his military tactics and achievements have won for him the sympathy and admiration of all who are interested in the welfare of the land we live in.

Since the day on which Lamas and his heroes invaded Uruguayan soil, they heralded "peace and good will" to all who have at heart the salvation of the country, and the welfare of its inhabitants; and in vindication of the cause of assaulting and murdering Mr. Castro, it should be borne in mind, and recorded in the history of the present revolution, that neither Lamas nor Saravia knew anything about the perpetration of the crime until one of the criminals was seen mounted on the victim's horse, which created suspicion, and led to the discovery of the crime; the perpetrators, who were four of Saravia's men, were at once shot, and all buried together in one common grave on the spot, which leads us to confess that we are entirely at a loss to know why the opposition papers here would have asserted that the rebel Commanders had sullied their cause, inasmuch that the crime cannot be laid at their doors.

Rumours, like prophecies, often become facts, and Madam They Say, who has won much popularity lately for her accuracy, most positively and emphatically informs us this morning during her usual rounds, that in view of the Blanco's approximation to the citadel, (Fort "Carro"), our Gele del Estado will not arm the National Guards, preferring the lesser evil, of only accepting the services of "Voluntarios Colorados", which very one here is at a loss to know from where they will spring, as the majority of our conscientious "ciudadanos enroscados", prefer to cast in their lot with the Blancos, hence the enormous demand for white satin rosettes.

Things in general here, including the city continue to wear a very "see-be-gone" appearance, and financial disaster and desolation have invaded the capital; and if coming events cast their shadows before them, we may predict for this patient, and long suffering population one of the most embarrassing winters experienced for many years.

Madam They Say persists in informing us also, that should Argentina be detected "tirando la piedra y escondiendo la mano", in the present political and military struggle, Borda, with the allied forces of Brazil and Chile, will declare war against her, which means commercial ruin for the Plate.

Parents who had their sons pressed into military service may be seen at the C. R. Station in a state of the wildest excitement, either anxiously enquiring the results of the last battle, or the fate that might have befallen their loved ones, while the overgrown youngsters who are under age for service, and who possess some of the intelligence and all the vices of humanity, are roaming about armed with daggers and revolvers, frequenting

cafés, or other nightly rendezvous, either seeking political quarrels, or whom they may devour.

To attempt to send you news concerning the present military struggle would be like sending coals to Newcastle; inasmuch that the most reliable information which we receive is obtained from the STANDARD; while the Spanish reading population have to content themselves with smuggled news, through your Argentine journals.

Yours truly Frederick R. Beard.

NOTES FROM CHIVILCOY.

Chivilcoy, April 20th 1897. To the Editor of the Standard. Dear Sir, Though my last communication to the Standard was written from Mercedes, my name did not figure in the list of "permanent residents" of that portion of fair Argentina: I was only on a visiting trip there "y nada mas."

"En passant," after a twelve years' absence from the charming and stirring district of Chivilcoy, I again find myself safely and happily moored among old "conocidos" in the delightful vicinity of Cañada Rica.

I have much pleasure in saying that the camps of this district and those of Mercedes and Suipacha are very good indeed, and that the animals thereon are in fairly good condition. Therefore, it is, most of our worthy stock-owners are anticipating a successful lambing season this year.

It need scarcely be said that, for several years past, the renowned sons of the fertile valley of classic Calabria had considered maize-picking as one of their most congenial and lucrative employments, and that during every maize season we had seen them, with their ungainly "lingeras" slung to their backs, marching in noisy companies from place to place in the camps of our glorious Queen Province, reminding us of the refrain—"Sherman's dashing Yankee boys will never reach the coast!" But many of those venturesome Naps will, I regret to say, have to forego the "aguja" this year, and turn their hands to labour less congenial and perhaps less lucrative than that of "juntando maiz."

In no part of the country can we perceive a necessity for anything like the "clish, clash and rash" of former years in the corn fields this season. The partial failure in the maize crops is, of course, justly and sadly ascribed to the locusts. Indeed, "the hopping devils" were very nearly superseding all manual labour in the line of maize picking. The natural sequence to this state of affairs is, that the chacareros themselves have "turned to," and are to be seen busily engaged in the monotonous occupation of picking, husking and loading maize every day. The few "peones" engaged as "juntadores" are paid from 40 cents to 50 cents per fanega, with food; and from 55 cents to 60 cents per fanega, without food.

With regard to the city of Chivilcoy I have only to say that, so far as shop-keeping business is concerned, it is certainly most remarkable for its dullness. Go where you will, from the most respectable hotel to the dispensary most famous for "Cape smoke" and "chain lightning", and you will hear nothing but complaints in the direction of the slackness of trade and the astounding scarcity of Argentine skinplasters.

Now, Mr. Editor, you will, I am sure, permit me to say a few words about the ladies. Very well. Here is all I desire to say: if, for beauty and courtesy, the English-speaking Chivilcoyans were pitted against the English-speaking ladies of any other district in the Argentine Republic, they would triumphantly hold their own. So much for the beautiful Chivilcoyans.

As I am only a very short time here, you will, I am persuaded, kindly excuse the brevity of this my first letter from Chivilcoy to the STANDARD. My next shall be more lengthy and newsy.

W. H. G.

WESTWARD HO! (Conclusion)

The most wonderful natural sight on the Cordillera is undoubtedly the so-called Puente del Inca. This bridge has been formed by the action of the waters of the stream Las Cuevas, which has perforated a channel through a mass of spongy calcareous matter. The roof of the bridge is about 60 feet above the water, and forms a natural, irregular arch, 120 feet long by 30 broad. It is studded with stalactites of all shapes and sizes, some white, in which the calcareous deposits predominate, and others yellow, from the action of the sulphurous filtrations.

On the right bank of the stream are several natural springs, of various temperatures, the warmest registering a constant heat of 33° centigrade. These baths have been known for many centuries; but lately they have been utilized by Dr. Cotton, an English doctor, who has built a sanatorium and hotel near them. This establishment is managed for him by Mr. F. Simmonds, whose courtesy and attentions have served lately to popularize the baths.

There are altogether about seven baths, which come under three distinct heads, and the principal ones are known popularly as the Venus, the Champana, and the Mercury baths.

All these waters are rich in carbonates; the Venus also contains sulphates, chlorine and soda; in the Champana there is also a large proportion of carbonates and gas; while in the Mercury we find the smallest amount of Carbonates. The most agreeable of all is the Venus Bath; it springs out by a perpetual flow from the side of the rock, and by its constant rush has worked out a large natural basin, about fifteen feet long with a permanent depth of over two feet. The effects are most invigorating. The salts in solution are slightly over 17 grammes per cubic litre. It is proved to be especially beneficial in all cases of arthritic rheumatism. The Mercury and the Champana, while good for rheumatism, are more especially adapted for scrofulous ulcers and diphtheric sores.

Hitherto the Chilians have been the principal visitors to these baths, as they are only distant a day and a half's journey from Santiago or Valparaiso. But it is to be expected that the Porteños will now gradually recognise them, on account of the facilities, every day increasing, of access from B. Ayres.

The Sanatorium is set yet on a small scale. It consists of two long low-built houses of stone, completely protected from the west, and only open to the east. The accommodation is simple, but good and sound. The cuisine is very fair, considering the difficulties inherent to the catering for many visitors at such a distance from any centre of civilization. Dr. Cotton is about to build further accommodation, including a large dining-room. The whole establishment stands on the sloping barranca, overlooking the whole valley to the east. The only possible inconvenience arises from the strong winds which rush down the valley with tremendous force, generally for several hours during the afternoon.

The visitor, besides the advantages of these incomparable baths, has every convenience for excursions in the neighbourhood, either for hunting, shooting, or pic-nics. Mules can be had at a moment's notice. Great care has to be taken at first, to avoid any over-fatigue, otherwise an attack of the mountain "puna" is the usual consequence. This is an uncomfortable sickness, caused by the rarefied state of the atmosphere, producing different effects in different natures; in some causing painful headaches, in others bleeding of the nose and mouth, and in others violent vomiting. But with proper precautions during the first few days these inconveniences can be overcome.

The Puente del Inca is situated in latitude 32° 43' S and 50° S; the approximate longitude is 69° 45' S. It has a national importance, as its name indicates, and served its purpose as a bridge even in the days of the Peruvian Incas, whose armies crossed by this pass to conquer parts of Chile as far as the Rio Nayú. The imperial road which, starting from Cuzco southwards, led through the Humahuaca passes, through the valley of the Calchaquís, and by the sandy travesía of La Rioja, reached as far as this bridge and so over the Cordillera. In these stupendous valleys, where bridges built by the most consummate skill of man have rotted but every day, to be swept away by the rush of a swelling stream, or a falling avalanche, this grand phenomenon of nature's work has stood, defying the baneful attacks of centuries, and promises to live on to the end of time.

J. H. G. S.

NEW CHURCH ORGAN.

Yesterday we had occasion to inspect the organ built by Mr. Walter Wainwright and destined for the parish church of Goya. The organ, which is a magnificent instrument, looked at from every point of view, took 5 1/2 months of a day, to be swept away by the rush of a swelling stream, or a falling avalanche, this grand phenomenon of nature's work has stood, defying the baneful attacks of centuries, and promises to live on to the end of time.

It has furthermore good solo stops, like Vox Humana, Clarinet, Vox Celeste, etc., and Tremulant acting on Vox Humana. There are also drums and cymbals.

The following details are interesting:—Great organ, diapason 8 ft., tone, harmonic flute 8 ft., dulciana 8 ft., boundon 8 ft., principal 4 ft., clarinet flute 4 ft., octavin 2 ft., Small organ: double boundon 16 ft., diapason 8 ft., flauta dulce 8 ft., gemshorn 4 ft., vox celeste 8 ft., gamma 8 ft., vox humana 8 ft., trumpet 8 ft., piccolo 2 ft. Mixture variations; Pedals:—double open diapason 16 ft. tone, 4 pneumatic buttons, 8 combination pedals, 3 complex stops, drum, kettledrum, cymbals.

The instrument is painted white, tastefully picked out in gold, while nearly all the materials of which it is made are Argentine. The organ will be taken to pieces to-morrow, and sent up to Goya in a week's time. Mr. Wainwright has had a number of years' experience in the planning and construction of organs in England and out in this country. The first he made in this country was for Rosario. The organ in the English church in Flores is similar to the instrument for Goya, although smaller. We cannot do less than warmly congratulate Mr. Wainwright on the organ, which is a masterpiece of design and workmanship, and which would do credit to the best organ building firm in Europe.

SPORT.

NOTES AND ANTICIPATIONS.

If not a very brilliant card, that for today's meeting at the Park should give us some very fair racing, though the Classic with its \$4,000 dollars does not bring out anything very flashy in the way of form. Balcara and Addio, Loney, 25 de Mayo, Pepina, Pellito and Abrojo are about all that we shall have to select from; and of these, in spite of Loney's very consistent display, the pair of the Petite Eclair should prove the pick. Malakoff will be a big favourite in the long distance, but will hardly be able to give the offspring of Harp 4 kilos on the latter's last show. Tralantes should have no difficulty in pulling off the first event, nor Devona the second, though Alarite will prove a tough nut to crack, as also the improving Argelia. In the 1400 metres

Regalona will go as fast as anything else, but we doubt if she can give Flecha II or Cartajo a lump of weight. Piebicha, if she will only run honest, we fancy for the mile, and Ortegá or Laurel in the final. Our selections, therefore, are:— Cristiana Stakes.—Tralantes. Youngsters.—Devona. La Madrid " Petite Eclair. Malvina " Violin. Tanger " Flecha II or Cartajo. Lautaro " Piebicha or Independiente. Violin " Ortegá or Laurel.

DIAMOND JUBILEE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD: Dear Sir, I have read with interest the letter of Mr. Geo Watts, who, as the "Children's friend," wishes that the boys and girls of English parents should be specially remembered in any festivities organised in connection with the approaching Jubilee.

Far from ridiculing being thrown on this proposal of Mr. Watts, it should be supported to the utmost. The parents are British and know it, and, if they are worth anything at all, they are proud of it. With the children born here it is different. Many of them refuse to be called British and call themselves (Except when the drums begin to roll) Argentines.

Something should be done to let all British children here feel that the Jubilee of the Queen is an event that concerns them, to make them remember the event as a universal British rejoicing in which they took part. I am sure that, quite apart from any more ambitious and permanent mode of celebrating the Jubilee, none would be more universally popular and more lastingly remembered than a great "children's festival" in which the children of all British parents rich and poor alike, might take part and feel, if only for a day, that they have a personal interest in England and her Queen.

Yours faithfully P.

RAILWAY AND OTHER ITEMS.

The Pacific Railway Company yesterday forwarded to the Minister of the Interior the plans of the company's concession for a line from Rufino to Italó. The opening of this line to public traffic will be of immense benefit to the districts through which it runs. The company are of opinion that this line can, later on, be extended to the Esperanza Colony.

Government has authorized the Engineers' Department to spend \$35,000 monthly in dredging the port and Riachuelo channel.

Government has accepted the proposal of Messrs. Sprento to erect the river defence works for the city of Catamarca, for \$4,714.

Government has approved the contract made by the Engineers' Department with Mr. Emilio Jerry for the construction of a railway from Villa Mercedes (San Luis) to the frontier of Chile, passing through San Rafael, 25 de Mayo, and the Atuel Valley.

LA PLATA.

(From our own correspondent.)

April 24th. A most shocking tragedy occurred in Ensenada last night resulting in the death of five children and their mother. It appears that Amalia Soderó Gorriñi, the wife of the stationmaster of Hernandez Station, P.C.O., bought a large can of kerosene at a neighbouring almacen and soaked her children's beds, clothes they wore and all the furniture of her humble little wooden shanty, where she resided, with it and put a lighted match to them. It was not long before smoke was seen coming out of one of the windows of the "casilla," and the police rushed in but were driven back by a thick volume of smoke.

The Ensenada Volunteer Fire Brigade was quickly summoned and managed to put out the flames; on examining the still smouldering remains of the shanty they discovered the unfortunate mother and her children completely carbonized. Mrs. Gorriñi had previously strangled the children in order that they should not escape. It appears that the unfortunate woman suffered from periodical attacks of madness and had at one time been confined in a lunatic asylum. The corpses of the mother and children were buried this afternoon. The victims were aged 26, 8, 6, 5, 3 and 1 respectively. Tortini, a neighbour, fell dead at the horrible sight which the bodies presented.

A fire broke out at daybreak this morning in the café "El Sol." The flames were fortunately put out before the building was destroyed. The losses are estimated by the owner at \$5,000.

The manager of La Plata port has forwarded the report on the commercial movement in the port during the year 1896. The receipts amounted to \$388,524, whilst the number of steamers which entered during the same period was 659, and 51 sailing vessels with a tonnage of 1,174,573 tons. The number of steers exported was 45,836 and 292,703 wethers and 1756 horses. The total number of kilos of produce shipped was 429,821,054 kilos, while the goods imported amounted to 152,719,454.

THEATRES AND AMUSEMENTS.

GIARA. This opera, the work of Gracioso Pazienza, the Argentine composer, was successfully produced at the Odéon last night. The work, throughout, treats of the loves of Clara, daughter of the governor of Granada, and Aben-Hamet, a Moorish prince. In the first act, which is not at all remarkable from a musical point of view, Aben declares his love for Clara, who, influenced by the difference in creed at first refuses his advances; but overcome by his impetuosity, at length gives way, and in the end they swear eternal fidelity. The act is principally remarkable for the

Aral legend "Romanza degli Abenserraggi" and "L' Angelo della pace" both beautifully sung by Sra. Sinco.

The second act witnesses the return of Don Carlo, son of the governor, from the wars, in which he has been victorious, and in which he eulogises the bravery of his friend Don Sanchez who has saved his life, and who he desires shall have Clara for his bride. Aben appears, bringing costly presents for Clara, which are spurned by her brother, who deems it an insult that an infidel should aspire to the hand of a christian maid. Musically, this is the most important act in the Opera, and contains some excellent numbers, amongst which may be mentioned "Sanguigno il sol" well sung by Sr. Aranzogh, the duet and chorus "Gloria, Gloria" a splendid quintet and a sweet solo for Clara "Un bel martirio."

In the third act the Governor offers the hand of his daughter to Aben, provided the latter changes his faith. This he refuses to do, and Clara eventually takes refuge in a convent. In this act the opening song "Tu del cielo," a splendid piece of writing, was beautifully sung by Sr. Vilalta.

As Clara, Sra. Sinco, certainly was the heroine of the opera, singing splendidly throughout, and she was well supported by Sr. Vilalta as Aben, Sr. Aranzogh as Don Carlo, and Sr. Rotoli as the Governor of Granada.

At the conclusion of the second and third acts the composer and principals were called for amidst a great scene of enthusiasm.

To-night they give "La Boheme" for the eighth and last time.

An especially grand concert is to be given to-morrow night in Prince George's Hall at 8.30 in aid of the Oriental Red Cross Society. The orchestra will be composed of no less than 250 performers under the batons of Messrs Cattelan and Forino. Tickets at \$5 each may be obtained at the Hall on the night and at Defensa 111 during the day. The object is a most worthy one and those who love good music should have a treat if they patronize the concert.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

You know what's before you to-day, readers, in the way of piety and sport, and if you don't, we refer you to our Church, Sport, and Theatre columns. The thermometer took such a flop yesterday that it was almost a top-coat and red-nose day; and to-day will probably be the same, giving the ladies a chance of showing their paces in those grand furs to which our fair contributor Parisine refers in another column. Please remember also to keep your umbrellas and waterproofs well within reach, as Mr. Campos, the La Plata Wiggins, has predicted a storm for the 26th, and he has not as yet missed a single one of his numerous meteorological shots.

The war in Europe still holds the fort of public attention, and nobody cares a rap on the best hall-door in town about Cuba, Cabinet crisis or Congress, the War Office muddle, the Budget, or the homecoming of the N. G.'s. The latest telegrams show that the plucky Greeks, who are really fighting in a way to provoke the admiration of the whole world, have turned the tables on the followers of the Prophet and his bit of green carpet. A Division of the Greek army, aided by the swarms of insurgents, has destroyed the railway between Salonica and Elisona, the Head Quarters of the Turks, and their supplies; and as Prince Constantine has now 110,000 men in Larissa, the Turkish army is in danger of a fatal reverse, and is retreating, but in order, before a general advance of the whole Greek army. Meanwhile the Grecian ironclads are knocking Salonica about the ears of its inhabitants, and will, no doubt, capture all the Turkish supplies of food and ammunition stored there. After all, the brains of that great German soldier Baron von Goltz do not appear to have been of much use to the Moslems in this opening campaign. The appointment of Osman Pasha, Turkey's foremost soldier, to the command in chief has caused a bad impression in Berlin, where it is considered a sure sign of Turkey's weakness.

There will be the highest of high jinks for the young N. G.'s at the Donnelly encampment to-day, as the neighbours are giving them a grand "carne con cenero vino" breakfast, with sundry other toothsome dishes for General Palacios and all the big-wigs, military and civil, for legions around.

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The latest army news is that all the Enlistment Offices in the republic are to be closed. Well and good, they are useless. But what is the meaning of the refusal of a decree to appear in a day or two that citizens are to draw lots to serve in the army? Rubbish! There is no law of Congress authorizing any such thing. It is rumoured that there is a large section of Congress inclined to suppress the yearly mobilization of the National Guard, and to adopt General Rubeand, Roca's plan of drafting the young citizens into the Line every year as they reach 18 years of age.

Two well known thieves—one only 16 years of age—were caught yesterday through the instrumentality of a little boy who was roused from his sleep on Friday night by hearing a noise in the house—that of Señor Matta, Cochabamba 453. The little fellow ran out and the burglars took to flight followed by the youngster, who stopped to pick up

some jewellery they had let fall. Later on in the day both lads who had committed the theft were captured. Lopez, alias "El Nato," now 16; at 12 years of age was the leader of a gang of thieves which worked under the guidance of a famous ill-doer called "La Nena."

Mr. Lawrence Christie's new school, to which we wish every success, will be opened to-morrow week, May 3rd. It is situated at 1809 Calle Defensa, or Calle Patricios as that part of the old street is now called, and will be styled, "Waterloo House," a nice truly-British-sounding name.

There is evidently going to be a flare-up in South Africa when the Capetown Premier, Sir Gordon Sprigg, at the opening of Parliament there on Friday, warned that untruthful gentleman Uncle Paul that England meant to maintain all her Protectorate rights in South Africa, and, if war came of it, he and his precious republic must take the consequences. This is a pretty broad hint for Paul.

Our friends of the Anglican persuasion are again reminded of the meeting in Prince George's Hall on Tuesday night, and are requested to hold themselves disengaged for the occasion. See advertisement in another column.

The gay and gallant Humbert has received 20,000 telegrams of congratulation on his escape from the Anarchist's knife. The attempt has given him a new lease of his popularity, which was seriously impaired by the blunders in Africa. Only a few weeks ago, when going to open Parliament, he was received with freezing silence by the populace; and now all fields Italy is shouting itself hoarse for him. Such is the "vox populi."

Our London friends who hold the foreign Bonds of the Queen Province must not strike up a Hallelujah chorus till they are out of the wood, and they are in the middle of it still. The President of the Republic and the Finance Minister do not enthuse a cent over Governor Udaondo's plan for getting his province out of its maze of debt. At the interview yesterday between the Governor and the Minister the latter hemmed and hawed in a rather ominous way for the Q. P.'s foreign creditors, and politely hinted that, with the full-payment programme on its hands, the nation had no more stomach for fresh liabilities at present, especially as pecuniary arrangements between the nation and the provinces are generally taken by the latter in a purely family and Pickwickian sense, and never, or hardly ever, fulfilled by them, the National Treasury being left in the lurch. That's about it.

There seems to be another outbreak of suspicious "amor fraternal" between our Chilian and Brazilian republican cousins. While the latter are preparing to receive Admiral Goni and his fleet, the former have got up a big pov-wow in honor of the Brazilian People, to come off in Santiago to-day. The what, the why, and the wherefore of all this we are in blissful ignorance of.

Great news from fair, gay and festive France. Bazin's wonderful steamer on wheels was tried for the first time on the open sea at Havre, on Friday, and proved a great success. The great thing about this new vessel is that in a seaway she is as steady as a church—no pitching or rolling whatever.

The Greeks here are stirring and have formed a Red Cross Society to send funds to the Greek R. C. on the classic plains of Thessaly. To-morrow a grand concert in aid of the funds of the Society is to be given in St. George's Hall at 8.30 p.m. A Greek sailor on board an English steamer in port that arrived three days ago from Liverpool, plumped down all his savings (£3) as a contribution the moment he landed and heard that war had broken out between his country and the hated Moslem.

Tulips are most cultivated in Constantinople, and there is a tulip festival there once a year, in spring. Every palace room, gallery, and garden is decorated, with tulips of every kind. At night they are all lit by coloured lamps and Bengal fires, and the Sultan sits in their midst whilst women sing around him, and his odalisques dance before him.

Our two leading colleagues printed in Spanish are now engaged in an amusing polemic as to which of them has the best telegraph service from Europe, and are politely you're-anothering each other on the subject. They have both good services, but the *Prensa* is entirely too long. Neither of the disputants may be aware that voluminous as their telegram columns are, in London and Paris they often caught at some of the telegrams sent from Europe to the Press of this city in general, and frequently ask "How the D— do those South American fellows get hold of such nonsensical news. A great part of the telegraphic rubbish sent to the Editorial Bus here seems to be quite unknown in Europe till the papers from this city reach there; and then there is a laugh, which is a very unpleasant return for all the money the weary travellers in the E. B. are forced to disburse for telegrams.

La Mejor Agua Purgante Natural. Bajo una supervigilancia científica. APENTA. Se vende en todas las Farmacias.

FASHION AND ACTUALITIES.

One of my good friends is in real despair; she wants to feel her fingers numb and her ears red with cold...

We do so much better understand the grief of this friend—is it not so, my dear readers?—since we are all more or less in the same case...

Do you know why I insist so much on the little red boxes of Mr. A. Never? It is that notwithstanding the fame achieved by what they contain...

It is not the collars of our dresses are tempted always to go up to Heaven; just a little bit more in front, and they will see only the tip of our nose...

Special Notice.

We are requested to state that, in connection with the Public Meeting which is to be held in Prince George's Hall...

St. Peter's Flores, do E. G. Cooks. All Saints Quijines, do Rev. J. T. Stevenson, do E. G. Cooks.

We would recommend estancieros to use the Nicotina Real, which is the most effective remedy yet discovered against scab.

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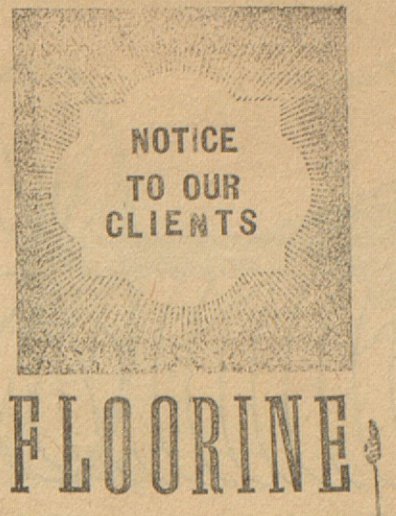
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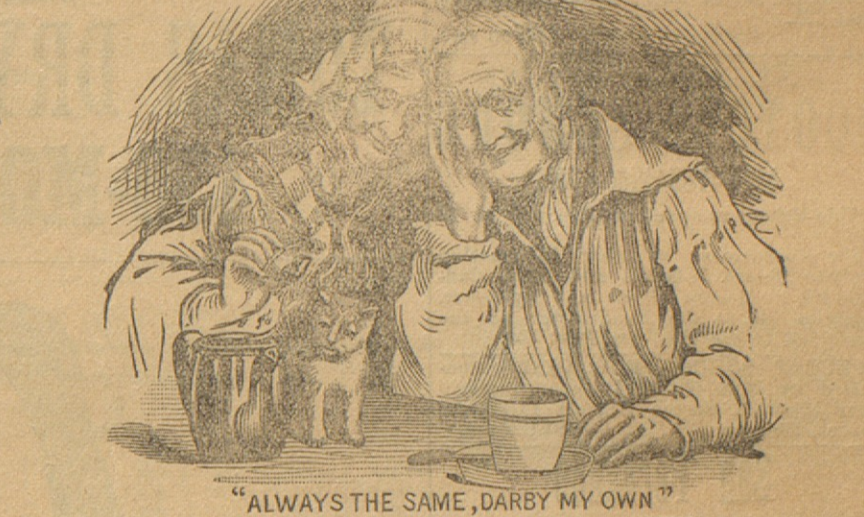
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The annual general meeting will be held on Thursday, 30th May at 4.30 p.m. at the offices of Sport and Pastime, 559 Piedad.

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By Order H. MALLISON Chairman. 1054 23 24

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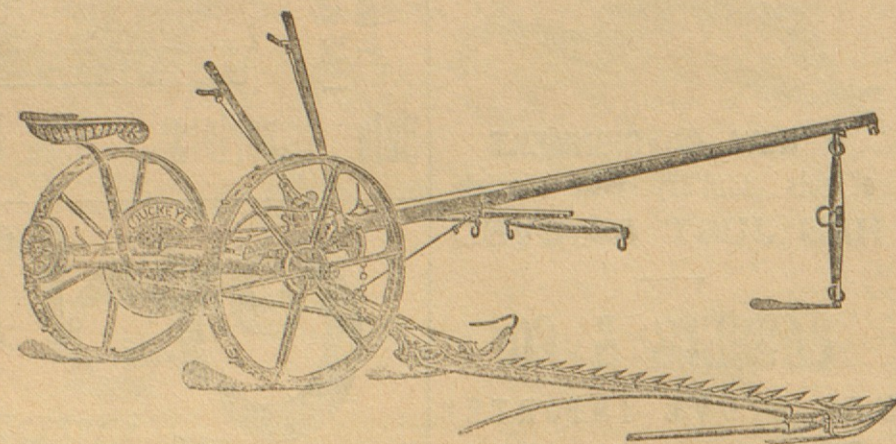
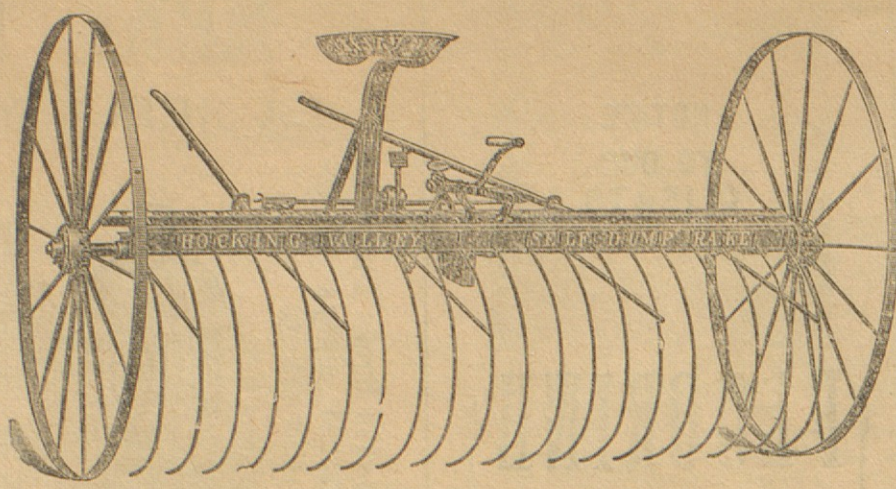
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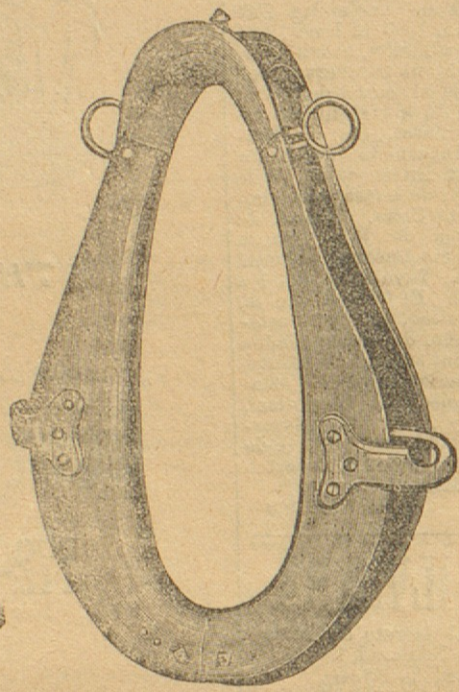
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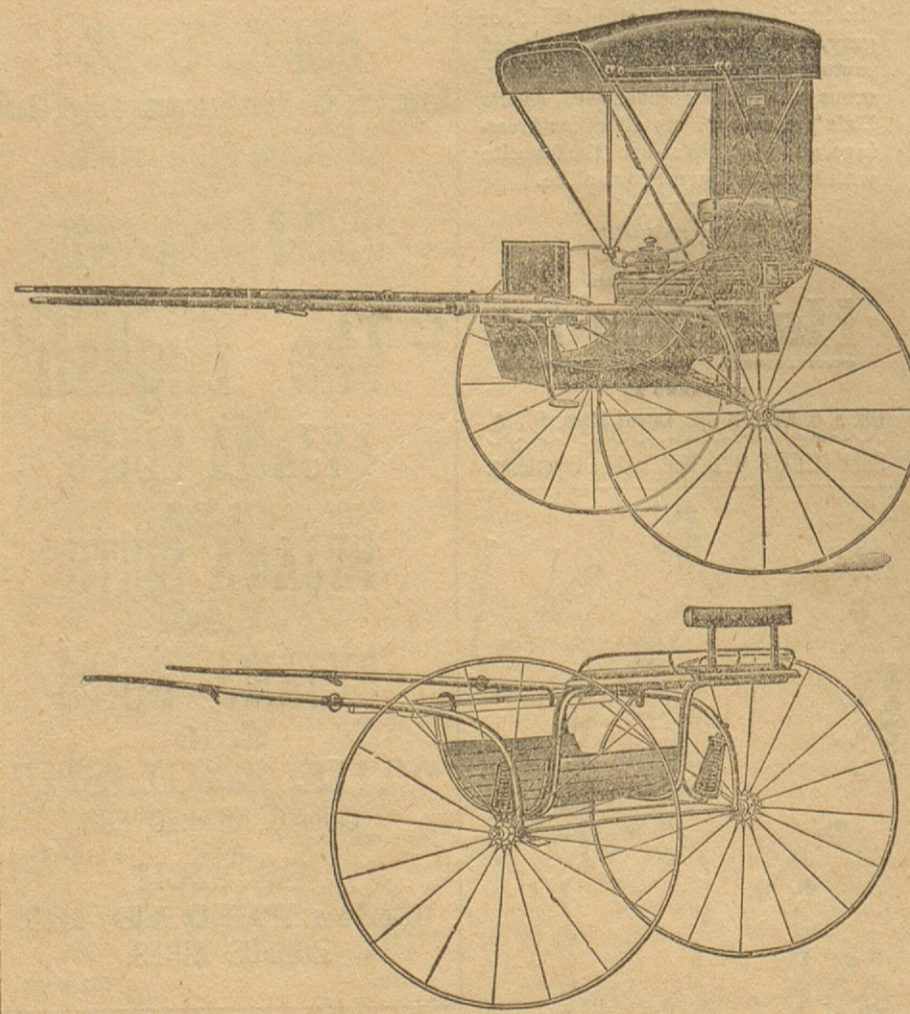
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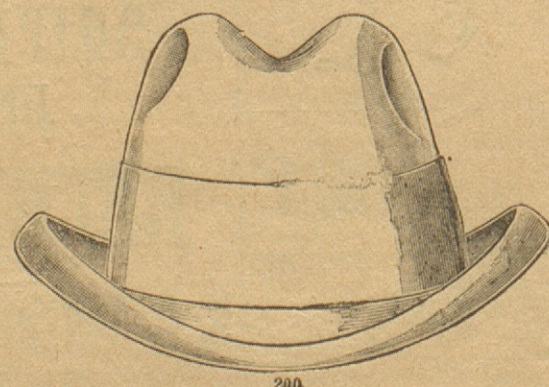
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### ON 'CHANGE.

Saturday, April 24th, 1897.  
 Gold Premium

First Ring..... 202.00  
 Second Ring..... 201.80

The market is still in full swing with mental gymnastics, that is if it has not given up altogether trying to grasp a wholly abnormal situation, as the quotation, like unto that famous King who made the celebrated military demonstration on the big hill, climbs up dispiritedly a few points, only to sway back again immediately, betraying complete indifference, alike to the efforts of the bulls and aspirations of the bears. This is very satisfactory of course, but will it last? That it will run over the month is now pretty certain, as there is no speculation, and consequently no shortage, so that there will be no squeeze to cover; but how about May? and June? and July? and August? How will the market pull through these four months with the crisis gathering and credit at a standstill? If there were any hopes of Europe tiding us over the winter, they are now at an end, and there is not much likelihood either of the future clip or crops being discounted, which means that the market has to dree its weird as best it may. With all this staring us in the face, we have gold superlatively weak--weak in this, that the bulls cannot move it a peg, which forces the conviction that we have reached the pivot point at 300. There is no other solution to the problem, and the very fact that opinion in general does not accept that price, looking daily, hourly, for the spurt that never comes, is proof that it cannot be far wide of the mark. However that may be, the gold market is absolutely at a standstill. There seems to be no gold requirements, at least what there are, the supply from the produce markets is ample to cover, so that the fluctuations are mere oscillations. The outlook is very distinctly for a rise, but the market is weak.

The business in gold at the first hour was very much below the average, the aggregate being a bare 1/4 of a million, which for a settlement day is meagre, especially with the cash business running to nearly 1/4 a million dollars. It is simply due to a lack of speculation, but, strange to say, brokers reported to-day that there were lots of first rate sellers on time, a feature novel to the market. Prices shewed little or no change; they opened for cash at 302.50 and closed at 302, with a 2 points pass for May. Stocks were dull, and the only item of news in this line was the confirmation of the rumour about the Government lawyer moving in the Catalinas business, to effect some disporge of lands. It was said in this regard that during Dr. Pellegrini's term of office a decree annulling the permutation was issued, but not acted upon.

The following is a summary of the business effected at the first ring to-day--  
 \$ 460,100 cash at 302.50-302.501.80-302.801.80-302.20-30-30-302-302-50.40-30-50-20-40-20-40-20-302.  
 \$ 210,000 April 30th at 302.302.50-302.50-30-30-70-50-303-302.50-80-60-30-303-302.70-80-303-302.70-80-90-303-302.80-70-303.50.  
 \$ 4,000 May 1st at 302.80.  
 \$ 55,000 May 31st at 304.50-305-304.50-344.50.  
 \$ 25,000 June 30th at 306.  
 \$ 5,000 April 28th at 302.50.  
 \$ 759,100

Provincial Hypothecary Cédulas--  
 For cash... 8% 24,100 at 17.20-30-20-  
 May 10... 30,000 at 17.40  
 May 15... 50,000 at 17.50  
 Oblig aciones Constructor--  
 For cash... 500 at 6.80%  
 Spanish Bank--  
 For cash... 30 at 128.00  
 Depositors' Bonds of the Prov. Bank--  
 For cash... 2,568 at 33.30.  
 Catalinas Motes--  
 For cash... 200 at 7.20.  
 May 31... 300 at 7.60-70-60.  
 April 30... 400 at 7.30.

As a sign of the times we may report that the Banco de la Nacion is not discounting--no funds whatever. It seems that a leading firm was about to submit an application, and mentioned it to a director, who told one of the partners that it would be quite useless, as the bank had no money, and the "solicitud" would simply stand over. Of course, the application was not tendered, and capital is made out of this to support pleas for a fresh emission, in order to oil the springs. The car is not swinging along easily certainly, but that kind of oiling will not improve things much, especially as it is the difficulties of the road that are causing the jolts and snag-up. But no matter what is at fault, the first idea is always to try a salve of shimplasters as sovereign cure.

The National Government is going the right way about putting the patient on his legs. Instead of idling with palliatives it is conscientiously studying a contraction of the expenditure which will have the desired effect if Congress will only lend a helping hand. The Government certainly deserves a word of encouragement for its efforts and intentions, but it is very disappointing, year after year, to see projected economies swollen into increased expenditure. However, there is always hope to go upon, and as a basis this year the saving in the military department from the Guarano being called out. Financially it seems that things will go very well with the Plate, but economically it is just the reverse. When one side is up, the other is down.

The amount withdrawn from liquidation to-day was \$550,000 gold. There was no auction.  
 The following sale of live-stock is reported: 300 steers at \$40 and 94 at \$37 all from Mr. Salazar's estancia "Los Gal-



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Passionist Fathers' Chapel, Calle Cardad y E-tdos Unidos. Hours of Services on Sundays and Festivals. October 1st to April 1st—Mass at 5:30, 6:30, 8 and 10 a.m., April 1st to Oct 1st Mass at 6:30, 7, 8, 9 and 10 a.m. Week days—Sept. 1st to Mar. 1st—Mass at 5:30, 6:30 and 7 a.m. May 1st to Sept. 1st, Mass at 6:30, 7 and 8 a.m. Holy Sacrifice (Sermon on Sunday) and Benediction at 8 p.m. Confessions every day from sunrise to sunset. The Passionist Fathers attend sick-calls of English-speaking Catholics in all parts of the city and suburbs. 5:30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Boca Mission Hall, 1040 General Brown, Boca. 11 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class. Sunday Evening Service at 7 p.m. French Rev. A. W. Gagnier, pastor. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Tuesday Evening at 8 o'clock. Gospel Temperance Society meetings, on 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month, commencing at 8:15 p.m. English Day School for Boys and Girls. Very low fees. For poor children free.

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Do do Marienburg from Dock 1 for Bremen with produce. Austrian by Vitez O from Riachuelo in ballast for the Roads, fo. RIVER STEAMERS. Helios, Cosmos and Venus from Montevideo, and San Martín from Asunción will arrive to-morrow at the South Darsena. Helios and Cosmos for Salto and intermediate ports and Saturno for Asunción will leave to-morrow.

The Rivadavia from Salto and intermediate ports is expected here on Monday. She will leave on the same day for Montevideo. The Venus will also leave on Monday for Montevideo. The river steamer Eolo will not arrive here until next Monday or Tuesday owing to having met with an accident which caused the breakage of one of her paddle wheels.

CHARTERS AND FIXTURES. Deck of the British ss. Navarra to load (May-June) in this port live stock for Depford. Steers at \$5.10s and wethers at 10s. Italian by Giulio M. 850 tons burden prompt to load in this port products for Genoa or Trieste for the total sum of 10,000 francs.

Swedish by Sirius 750 tons burden, prompt to load in La Plata ashes for Falkland, channel f.o. at 12s. The freight market continues unchanged which means that rates are steadily falling in spite of the scarcity of tonnage. The only brisk movement noticed is in the chartering of the decks of steamer to load live stock.

GENERAL. The English mail-boat Magdalena on route for La Plata and intermediate ports from Southampton is expected to-morrow. Her mails will be received in this city the same day. The Italian ss Alacritia from Genoa left Santos for this port yesterday at 5 p.m.

The Port authorities granted sailing permits to the following vessels to-day. Messapia for Genoa, Cordillera for Havre, Lindgate for New York, Peliciana for St. Vincent, Vilna for Victoria, Antonina and Bianca Casanova for Hamburg.

The following steamers are expected to leave this port to-morrow. Eversley for Dunquerque and Paranaguá for Rosario to finish discharging. The following vessels are expected here to-morrow: Antonio Lopez from Cadiz with passengers and mails; Ethelaida from Sunderland with cargo and Oceano from Rosario to fill up.

The following were the vessels wrecked from March 10th to March 17th 1917 according to Lloyd's Loss Book. British by Hannah while on her way to Gloucester. Norwegian by Vaarena 217 tons, wrecked. British ss. Minerva 428 tons wrecked while going from Lisbon to Glasgow.

Norwegian ss. by Teranova, abandoned while going from Tanger to Newcastle. Norwegian by Elisabeth 815 tons, abandoned. English by Emma L. Shaw, 567 tons grounded while going from Turk's Island to Philadelphia. Norwegian steamer Raylton Dixon 1,111 tons, grounded.

British ss. Blowden 1945 tons grounded while on her way from Port Said to Constantinople. British ss. Resolute 1290 tons, grounded. British by Athlona 1908 tons, grounded while going from Newport to Dunquerque.

La Plata Port. Saturday, April 24th ENTERED. None.

GENERAL. The R.M.S. Magdalena is expected here to-morrow from Southampton and intermediate ports with passengers, mails and cargo. The British ss Port Melbourne has left for Madero Port in ballast. The water in the Docks and Channel to-day reached a height of 29 feet 2 inches.

No arrival of produce by steamer was reported to-day. Movement in port continues on a very limited scale indeed. Montevideo Port. April 24th ENTERED. Spanish ss. Antonio Lopez from Cadiz. British do Magdalena from Southampton and intermediate ports. Norw. by Bessie Hamilton from Ship Island with lumber.

DEPARTURE. British gunboat Egéria for Straits of Magellan. U. S. gunboat Yantic for North America. The British gunboat Beagle left for the East coast to manœuvre. MAILS. 30th. Magdalena for Brazil and Europe. Mails close at 1 p.m. 1st. Orión for Europe. Mails close at 1 p.m. 2nd. A. Lopez for Tenerife and Cadiz. Mails close at 1 p.m.

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Por los Mismos. BAY RUM, hijo de Phoenix y Acogolita, de 6 años de edad, anotado en varios primos oficiales. El Miércoles 28 de Abril, a las 2 p.m., rematamos por disolucion de sociedad. Este conocido caballo de carrera que se encuentra actualmente en "entrenamiento" y que es ganador de varias carreras, podrá verse el día antes del remate en nuestra casa, San Martín 153. 1074 ad 23

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Por los Mismos. HACIENDAS Y PLANTALES VACUNOS Polled Angus, puros y mestizos, Lanar Lincoln, puros y mestizos, caballos tiro liviano y tiro pesado del establecimiento del Sr. D. Enrique Guerrero en la Estación Guerrero, Ferro Carril del Sud. El Domingo 26 de Abril, a las 12 m., en el mencionado establecimiento en la Estación Guerrero, procederemos a la venta al mejor precio de las haciendas mencionadas. Venia para desalojar el campo con el objeto de arrendarlo para tambos. El detalle es el siguiente: Polled Angus, mestizo y puro, 1600 vacas mestizas y muy mestizas al corte, 300 vacas mestizas Durban y Holandesas al corte, 280 novillos de 3 años arriba, 117 id de 2 a 14, 250 id de 1 a 14, 84 id de 3 a 14, 80 id de 3 a 14, yeguas y terneros Polled Angus, 56 toros puros y puros por cruzamiento, 3 pedregos puros Polled Angus, pedregos puros Oldenburgh, yeguas, potrillos y padillos en numero de 500 piezas más ó menos. Animales de primer orden de la cría más acreditada. Trofills Lincoln puros, con 2 crías en pie, pedregos 140 piezas. Majada cruce Lincoln 880 piezas, carneros y borregos Lincoln, etc. Los catálogos detallados de esta venta importantísima pueden pedirse en nuestra casa, San Martín 153. Las haciendas de Sr. Guerrero se recomiendan por sí solas. Es lo mejor en Polled Angus que existe en el país. Los criadores que concen las ventajas positivas de esta raza fuerte y sana, de gran progreso y de fácil enganche, no deben faltar a este rodeo. En la Estación Guerrero quedarán los wagonos dormitorios que son necesarios para el regreso de la comenjería, por el nocturno. Los interesados pueden ir por el tren nocturno del Sábado ó por el ordinario del Domingo. Para ambos habrá carruajes en la estación. El remate dará principio después de un almuerzo campeste. El tren ordinario sale de Constitución el Domingo a las 6:35 a.m. Por otros datos a nuestra casa, San Martín 153. 7 apl 15

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Por los Mismos. Notabilísimas yuntas de padillos y caballos Morgan y Hackney, procedentes del conocido establecimiento San Martín, en Oavarría, propiedad del Sr. D. Vicente L. Oñate, perfectamente bien adiestrados al tiro. En nuestra casa, San Martín 153. El Jueves 6 de Mayo, a las 2 de la tarde, las yuntas del establecimiento San Martín son muy concidas y reputadas como de primer orden, y es por estos que nos permitimos recomendarlas a las personas de buen gusto que necesitan animales para sus carruajes. Oportunamente publicamos el catálogo con todos los detalles. 757 ad m5

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Por los Mismos. 8 espléndidas yuntas y 10 caballos de tiro solo y en yunta, de las crías más afamadas del país. Animales de educación perfecta en el tiro, adiestrados en el establecimiento La María, en Mitana. El Sábado 10 de Mayo, a las 2 p.m., en nuestro Tattersall, San Martín 153. Estos espléndidos animales pueden verse y probarse en nuestro patio tres días antes del remate. 894 ad 21 m1

Por los Mismos. BAY RUM, hijo de Phoenix y Acogolita, de 6 años de edad, anotado en varios primos oficiales. El Miércoles 28 de Abril, a las 2 p.m., rematamos por disolucion de sociedad. Este conocido caballo de carrera que se encuentra actualmente en "entrenamiento" y que es ganador de varias carreras, podrá verse el día antes del remate en nuestra casa, San Martín 153. 1074 ad 23

Por los Mismos. 700 VACAS AL CORTE mestizas Durban con un 15 por ciento de novillos, más bien mas que mojos. El establecimiento La Margarita dista solamente 3 leguas de Pehuayá, distante 8 leguas de la estación del ferro carril. Por destinar el campo a la agricultura. En nuestra casa, San Martín 153. 956 ad 21 m

Por los Mismos. 2800 VACAS mestizas Durban al corte, con mucha novillada, 2000 conejos, un 20 por ciento de novillos y 80 novillos excelentes, en el establecimiento Nueva Aurora, de propiedad del Sr. Adolfo Fauzon, a solo 2 leguas del 9 de Julio. El Miércoles 28 de Abril, a las 2 p.m., en nuestra casa, San Martín 153, procederemos a la venta en remate de las haciendas mencionadas, cuyo detalle es el siguiente: 2300 animales vacunos, al corte, incluyendo 400 novillos de 3 a 5 años y 250 de 3 años, hacienda mestiza Durban de buena clase y en buen estado; 50 buyes, 1000 conejos mestizos Lincoln y 4200 vacas Ramboulet. La venta se hará en lotes ó por rodeos, al gusto de los interesados. El establecimiento dista solo dos leguas del 9 de Julio. Los interesados pueden revisar las haciendas cualquier día antes del remate. El rodeo se parará los días Jueves y Domingos, para que los interesados que vayan por los trenes nocturnos puedan revisar la hacienda en el día. Por otros datos