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The Standard.

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ARGENTINE BANKS.

Banking is not understood in Buenos Ayres. The nature of our beggarly paper-currency, the state of the public finances, the national Bonds (at 65 per cent discount), indicate the truth of the axiom as one of the many causes of our financial misery.

The Casa de Moneda, established soon after Independence, has been at best a bungling failure, and every effort to place it on a proper footing has only shown the rottenness of the fabric, the incapacity of the architects, and the manifold evils that arise from the influence of Government over our currency.

The first step in banking, here, may be said to have been the establishment of the house of Mauá and Co., and all the great improvements, all the important enterprises, date from that period. What was Buenos Ayres before then? What is Buenos Ayres to-day?

On two or three occasions when President Mitre's chair tottered between the dangers of rebellion and bankruptcy, when the Casa de Moneda refused to lend a dollar to the National Government, the Mauá Bank came to the rescue, and carried General Mitre's administration through a crisis while the jeers of the opposition already predicted disgraceful and inevitable ruin.

We have said that banking is not understood here, at least in the legitimate sense of the word. Perhaps we can attempt to define an Argentine Bank:—

A Bank, according to Buenos Ayrean ideas, should be a paper-factory where the signature must hold good for any number of dollars, where gold is not used and paper the essential element of the proper class of politicians may enjoy unbounded success, where funds may always be obtained for any filibustering expedition under the mask of Liberty.

The theme is tiresome. When Argentine statesmen knit their brows and affect superior philosophy, it will be easy to prove their title to "the cap and bells" of the votaries of Momus, by showing their patient submission to the abuses of the Casa de Moneda, and their hostility to a proper banking institution which, without any Government privilege, has arrived at unprecedented prosperity, which counteracts the evil effects of the Lottery by a Savings Bank, which supports the Argentine

Government in its hour of need, and, unmindful of the insults of editors and politicians, pursues its great work amid the envy of the few and the admiration of the many.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

Colonel Grenfell, who was formerly in Buenos Ayres, and who has been lately fighting for the South in the States, has been made prisoner by the victorious Sherman.

There is a rumor to the effect that President Mitre has offered to act as mediator between Brazil and Paraguay, and that there are good grounds for believing neither of the contending parties are opposed to the mediation.

We call attention to a very able communication which we have received from Ranchos. The writer takes up the cause of the poor 'gauchos' with much warmth and great reason. We are free to admit that the poor country people are suffering under heavy grievances, and that they, as a people, are kind and hospitable. But the local authorities want sadly to be reformed, policemen and judges: they are a class most disreputable, and one of the principal causes of all the crime committed in the camps.

The Provincial and National Governments received very severe censure from Mr. Julio Nunez, on last Sunday, for not attending at the Inauguration of the School of Arts in Palermo. The place was greatly crowded, and the masses were astonished that Don Julio came down so severely on the Government. We were invited but did not attend, since the alterations have so disfigured the building, that it has ceased to be anything else save an eyesore. We hope the school will succeed, but have grave doubts about it.

The Brazilian Admiral and Minister arrived back from Fray Bentos on Monday night: the Minister seems to have enjoyed the trip, and purposes shortly making another in a different direction.

In the attack on Coimbra our colleagues state that the whole Paraguayan squadron, consisting of seven large steamers, attacked the place. Such is however not the case, the squadron lay off at a distance from Coimbra, and the only vessels brought into action were two small row-boats carrying a rifle gun each: these boats ran right up to the fortress and did great execution.

The bands of cavalry which have left Montevideo for the avowed purpose of plundering and murdering the inhabitants should be treated as highwaymen, and shot down wherever found. Some six or seven hundred, we hear, are already scattered over the country, which owing to its woody and mountainous nature affords great protection. These fellows, when they left Montevideo, were to make a raid into Brazil, but it would appear that they prefer raiding nearer home; they have the whole country in a frightful state of alarm, and should at once be hunted down without mercy.

The little steamer, Gran Chaco, will shortly be sold at the Boca by auction. She is of Argentine construction and we fear ill suited for running the Montevidean blockade.

Our talented friend, Mr. Peter Beare of this city, is at present engaged in building two bridges over the Rio Tercero, one near the railway, and the other at Frayle Muerto. We have no doubt they will be of the greatest utility and be finished in a most workmanlike manner.

We hear nothing more of the left wing of the Brazilian army, which it was said a few days ago was crossing the country. A regiment of Brazilian cavalry arrived at Paysandú, which we suppose is the force which was expected.

The Foreign Amateur Racing Society will hold a meeting on Thursday night when a list for the autumn meeting will be formed.

In the district of the Laguna de los Padres we hear there is at present much sickness; something nearly approaching Asiatic cholera. Owing to the dearth of good doctors in that locality, nearly every case proves fatal.

The Montevidean Government despatched a special envoy to England, per Saintonge, Sr. Don Candido Juancico; Dn. Garcia acts as his secretary. He received \$20,000, on account of his salary: rather a good beginning. The object of the mission is to explain to the English people the lamentable condition of the country, and the scandalous state of things in the river Plate. It is supposed here that his Excellency will not land in Rio.

A friend called in yesterday to say that the great Brazilian commander was of a well-known Connaught family, called O'Barrett. The Brazilian General has, in order to make his name sound euphonious in Rio, simply misplaced the O, and converted O'Barrett into Barret-o.

On Monday night Mr. Hector Varela, the talented editor of the 'Tribuna,' arrived from Paysandú. We look forward to a graphic description of that ruined town in the columns of our great morning colleague.

Mr. Pongerard of the English Grammar-school, Barracas, requests us to contradict some absurd and malicious rumors circulated respecting his establishment by jealous parties. It is not true that he left for Rio Janeiro by last packet, or that a little boy fell from a fig-tree and broke his arm at the school, but at the boy's own house.

On Monday night, Paranhos, Tamarandá, D. Hector Varela, and other Brazilian celebrities, arrived from Fray Bentos, on board the Imperial war-steamer Recife. Secretary Bustamante passed through that place on Monday, en route for Flores's headquarters.

The Argentine official organ announced on the part of General Flores, that his rebel Excellency will not recognize the Mauá loan in Montevideo: Don Pedro will scarcely consult Gen. Flores's wishes.

The Paven will arrive to-day with mails from Rosario and the provinces: it is not likely the Chilean Minister will venture the overland route, owing to the Indians. Apropos of Sr. Lastarria, a Chilean paper has made the anagram 'A liar's art' out of his name, the letters exactly corresponding.

The "Nacional" talks of the Brazilians blockading Montevideo on the 20th inst. This must be incorrect, as we have not had 15 day's notice.

The Police-report shews that the two children supposed to be poisoned by eating meat impregnated with strychnine, for the dogs, were attacked with apoplexy!! The younger (17 months) died, the other recovered. We never heard of apoplectic infants before.

NEWS FROM MONTEVIDEO.

The Vesuvio (alias Pulaski) arrived in port yesterday with the 'Reforma' to Sunday morning. There is little news of importance: the following is from our agent—

Standard Office, Jan. 16, 1865.

The event that has happened at Montevideo within the last few days of the most importance as a sign of the times, is the departure of Don Candido Juancico, accompanied by his son and a secretary, who have sailed in the Saintonge, on a mission to Europe, carrying with them 20,000 dollars (we suppose for their expenses); the 'Reforma Pacifica' and 'Plata' are rather ironical on the subject, saying for instance that it is a very honorable and very safe post, that the market price of missions is 20,000 dollars, that the Government must have plenty of money to pay this price, that this sum would get up a battalion of volunteers, &c.; the 'Pais' also is very angry with Dn. Jacinto Sarriela (the recently-named Minister of War), saying that he makes a very good Senator but a most wretched Minister of War, and that if he has not the good sense to send in his resignation of that post, the President ought to turn him out and name another person in his place; it is but a few days since, that the Government was congratulated for having appointed this

gentleman to the post, but popular favor we know is somewhat fickle; perhaps Dr. Juancico's mission thought ostensibly to Europe, may have some connection with the belief that many persons who have the means of being well informed hold, that is to say, that the Government would not be sorry to enter into peaceable arrangements with Brazil, and that indeed some steps have been already taken in that sense. It is a pity that the great abuse that has been squandered on the Brazilians might now turn out an obstacle to a proper arrangement, but we have too much confidence in the prudence and good sense of that Government, to suspect that they would allow this to have any influence on their conduct.

The number of men now in Montevideo and under arms may be estimated at from four to five thousand. The newly promoted General Don Basilio Muñoz, with his division, that of Colonel Aparicio, and the forces of the Cerro Largo, are said to be marching on the province of Rio Grande, and, indeed, according to the calculations of their friends, are already there. A Brazilian detachment on the road from Rio Grande to join the Brazilian or Flores's army is also said to have been cut off and destroyed by these forces; if this be true, as it very probably is, this dance of war and death may become every day more complicated, dragging into its intoxicating whirl the inhabitants of both sides of the River Plate and its tributary streams, until they fall down giddy, breathless and powerless, cursing every one except themselves, for the ruin and desolation that will ensue around them.

Peace, peace at any risk, ought to be our motto. It is certain that whenever and wherever made, some party will be momentarily the loser by it. Some persons, and perhaps some nations, may have their ambition and political views thwarted by it, but this always has and always will happen under such circumstances, and absolute right and justice is hardly ever so exclusively on the side of one party in these sanguinary struggles, as to lead us to prefer the continuation of the war at all risks, to a peace however badly patched up it might be. The fortifications are strengthened and augmented every day, numerous trenches are made to prepare for a desperate defence should it come to the worst. The Brazilian forces are not expected till between the 20th and 25th of this month, and are, by well informed parties, supposed to amount to about 14,000 men.

THE BOLSA MEETING.

GREAT EXCITEMENT.

TRIUMPH OF THE BROKERS.

Yesterday the monotony of Bolsa life was disturbed by one of those monetary discussions popularly called Bolsa meetings.

The chair was taken by Mr. Desarnaud, the President of the Bolsa, and on either side of him sat the members of the committee—large benches provided for the occasion faced the table; here sat the brokers of all classes and descriptions. The coup d'oeil was we must say rather grotesque; there sat the anxious broker whose doom was about to be fixed, beside, beneath, above, around clustered merchants and barragueros, ship-captains (who did not understand one word of Spanish), and bank-managers with discounting looks.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman who in a brief but inaudible discourse tried to explain to the crowd the nature of the business, which was in plain words to reduce the brokerage fees on transactions effected in national securities from 3 per cent, the present rate, to 1 per mil. Scarcely had the chairman concluded when Mr. O'Shoela rose to oppose the measure; the noise and uproar however were so great that none but brokers could understand one sentence he uttered; he evidently flung himself into the question, for his gesticulation was grand, and his forensic passion unmistakable; carried away by the excitement of the moment he made a splendid speech: we could not well hear him, but suppose he spoke as follows—

Sir,—I rise to oppose this extraordinary measure, which has for its object the driving of every member of my profession into the poor house. I combat the foul effort to reduce to indifference the most respectable body in this

city, the brokers, (cheers), and I protest in the strongest possible manner against the right or power of the meeting to consider this question, inasmuch as the ordinary formalities in introducing this question have not been complied with. Who are those who have the audacity to think that brokers' commissions on selling National Bonds are too high? Let them step forward. Are they acquainted with the tedious negotiations, the constant running from street to street, the delays in finding the buyer in his office, and then the anxiety about getting the money? If there is any one who attempts to contravene what I say, then will I appeal to the boot and shoe makers of the city, who can testify to the wear and tear of shoe leather with us the brokers."

At this soul-touching peroration, some half-dozen brokers jumped up, but the chairman felt that the meeting was against him on the measure, and to the astonishment of the merchants who stood with their hands in their pockets looking on, coolly withdrew the motion. There was a mock attempt at a cheer when this was known, but it died out. Although expressly on the ground to report the proceedings, and occupying a very enviable position at the speculation rail, we confess that the noise was so great the only way we knew the result of the meeting was by the beaming countenance of Mr. Hart, and the joyful voices of the other leading brokers.

The meeting then proceeded to elect a new committee. The great order and regularity observed by the triumphant brokers in giving in their votes, merits our special approbation. The meeting then broke up.

THE PALLIERS ALBUM.

"El Gato, a gaucha dance." Here we have a most characteristic picture of gaucha life. In a large 'galpon' or shed some 20 men and women are seated around a ring in which a gaucha and rural danseuse are going through the figure to the music of two guitars which the players accompany with their voices. This dance is rather lascivious, but the present couple dance it with singular modesty. The musicians always exercise the Italian art of "improvisatore" and direct their complements to each of the party present, with witty personal allusions. One of the gauchos is handing round beer to the ladies, a proof alike of the polite attention of these people, and the introduction of English imports. The rest are taking *mité*, and the picture would be very pleasant, but for those murderous knives sticking out under the *pocho*, which remind us how tragically these pulperia dances often terminate.

"A Canoe in the Upper Uruguay." This view is somewhat like one already produced by the same artist, with only a difference of scenery. The group in the canoe, composed of two women and a child, has no interest, but the heap of fruit shews the richness of these islands in which the solitary expanse of the river and the hour of sunset impart a feeling of meditation not unmingled with grandeur. The smoke on the island perhaps indicates the home of the charcoal-burners, for such is mostly the occupation of the dwellers in these wilds. The upper Uruguay is famous for its delightful scenery.

"The maize-grinder." A gaucha-girl of attractive features and shape is pounding maize after the manner of the country with a double-headed pestle some 3 feet long, in a wooden mortar. Behind her stands a gaucha in mute admiration who, however, has not gallantry enough to relieve her of her arduous labor, and the poultry pecking up the grains of corn is a domestic trait in strong contrast with the horse and equipment of the man so emblematic of a nomadic life.

"The Cliffs of Valparaiso." This *tableau* takes in a part of the bay and the poorer tenements which occupy the overlooking cliff. There is no style of architecture or accessories to the picture which give an idea of the great port of Chile, and the artist has evidently copied a stray sketch from his note-book. Two mules in the foreground, laden with barrels, are intended either as a picture of water-carriers or to remind us of the 'arrieros' trading across the Cordillera, with the Argentine provinces.

THE RUINS OF PAYSANDU.

Photographs by Bate and Co., Montevideo.

No. 1. The Church in the Plaza—This edifice was not quite finished before the siege, as we see by the scaffolding still standing on the left wing. The whole front has been knocked down, with the exception of one pillar, and the entrance is impeded by a heap of debris. The side walls also suffered by the bombardment, and a sentry-box on the roof is record of the obstinate fight here maintained by the garrison, who made the building their barracks.

No. 2. Comandancia Militar—Only the front wall is standing, and it is so battered by cannon-shot, that we can only recognise it was once a house by the grated windows. It was the head-quarters of Leandro Gomez and Piris until reduced to a heap of ruins. The flag-staff broken in two is an emblem of 'the spirit that's broken but never would bend.' The very trees in front have been stripped of their leaves by bullets, and the picture of desolation is awfully suggestive of the horrors of war.

No. 3.—The Turret-fort—Here was the last stand of the heroic garrison. It is so ruined by shot and shell, that we cannot trace the original shape. One side is completely tumbled, and the bags of wool lying around, and in some places suspended over holes made by cannon-balls, show the tenacity with which this position was held. Near the seats in the plaza below is one of the few guns with which the defenders combated the overpowering odds of the assailants.

No. 4.—The Police Barrack—This was once a handsome structure, with a pretty facade, surmounted by allegorical figures and the national escutcheon. It is now riddled with balls, and the ground in front strewn with bags of wool.

No. 5.—Rivero's Garden—Here we have a sketch of the spot on which the valiant Leandro Gomez was barbarously murdered by Goyo Suarez, Major Belen, and other rebel officers, whose names ought to be held up to universal execration. In this thicket of wild grass and shrubs fell the Leonidas of South America: a correspondent says—"The manner of his death and atrocities committed on his person cannot be written." Posterity will consecrate the spot of martyrdom, as it has done that of Ney's, and pilgrims in future ages will come to Rivero's garden to visit the mausoleum of Leandro Gomez.

A WORD FOR THE GAUCHOS.

Ranchos, Jan. 12th, 1865.

To the Editors of the 'Standard.'

Gentlemen, In looking over some numbers of the "Standard," I saw under head of "Latest news from the Camp," "that a band of robbers have the town of Ranchos in a state of alarm, and that somebody has been killed, but whether one of the robbers or shopkeepers we cannot say."

Such news would lead the public to infer that Ranchos has been invaded by a band of marauding 'gauchos,' (as the peasantry of this country are generally styled by foreigners when speaking of them) than which nothing could be more untrue or unlikely. The fact of the matter is this, that two robberies of not at all a serious character have been committed by two Gallegos, and the sufferer in both instances has been your humble servant.

Your remarks with respect to the police force of these small towns are correct to the letter, and the proof of it is that having been advised of the elopement of these said delinquents, they took not the slightest trouble to apprehend them or recover the property stolen; in fact the great supineness or toleration on the part of Government or those in authority, is the cause of many grievances and loud complaints by almost all the respectable inhabitants of the country districts; abuses of all kinds pass quite unnoticed, or if noticed are left unpunished. I beg, gentlemen, you will here permit me to protest most decidedly against the wholesale abuse which is constantly sought to be heaped upon the peasantry of this country by the entire foreign press of Buenos Ayres, not a single member of which has perhaps ever had an opportunity of judging of the real character of the individual whom they

designate 'gaucho.' More than a quarter of a century's experience amongst those people has led the writer to form a very different opinion of them from that which a stranger would be led to infer by reading the publications above alluded to.

In no other country that I am aware of could strangers live in such security as they do here, scattered as their frail dwellings are over the wild pampas, which are hourly traversed by those gauchos, with no eye but heaven's to note their deeds, and yet we see these foreigners, through their industry, acquire large fortunes and enjoy them in almost perfect security.

Why guard with jealous care in town the doctor's skill, If country quacks whom e'er they please may kill. Or in Spanish, with something of greater freedom, it might run thus: "Del Templo de Esculapio en el pueblo, los Doctores guardan el portal con esmero."

Itly in hasty assertions, the result of immature experience, and, on the part of the powers that be, a morbid toleration which trenches but too closely on the limits of abuse.

I remain, yours respectfully, "RUSTICUS."

IRISH RACES IN NAVARRO.

On the 5th (Sunday), the Irishmen of Navarro got up their first races. Irish races in the camp being a thing unknown, a great many difficulties presented themselves when the subject was first broached; a few spirited fellows, however, overcame all objections, and last Sunday's races has been the result.

Sunday's meeting has surpassed the most sanguine expectations. I shall mention some of the principal races. First race at three o'clock. HORSES AND OWNERS. Bayo 'Animation'—J. Norris, sen. Saino 'Elephant'—J. Kenny. Malacara 'Repeater'—J. Fox. Colorado 'Arroyo'—B. Echepareborda.

Malacara 'Somersault'—A Basque Gentleman. Saino 'Carrero'—M. Austin. The distance was 15 squares. The 'saino' Balderdash, and the 'alazan' Kacket Scapegrace, were withdrawn; the latter horse is the property of Mr. McChusky (well known on the turf), and was the favorite, two and three to one being freely offered on him against the field.

The first race started at half-past three. Repeater, Arroyo, and Somersault taking the lead. Animation and Elephant last. They came into the winning-post as follows:— Repeater first; Elephant second; Somersault third. The bayo 'Animation' promised well to win the race, but on approaching the winning-post he bolted off the course with his rider.

The owner of Elephant challenges any horse in Navarro, belonging to an Irishman, for a longer race. We suppose he will run at the next meeting. Second race. Eight squares. Picaso 'Calidad'—B. Mannis. Malacara 'Corre tres Cuadras'—J. Kenny. Saino 'Balderdash'—C. Martins. Tostada 'Vinchuca'—J. Norris, sen. The 'malacara' took the lead, kept it all through, and came in winning easily by a couple of lengths.

The only other race worth noting was a challenge between the 'malacara,' the winner of the last race, and Tipperary. Tipperary won by half a length. The whole passed off with the greatest harmony, and all bets were paid on the ground. The Basques promise to be ardent supporters of the new race-course.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. 100 doz sheepskins... 100. 500 ar wool, mestiza, superior... 94. 600 do. mixed... 72. 800 do. do... 69. 500 do. do... 62. 4000 lb ostrich feathers... 38. 2000 salted ox hides... 33 s rls. 5000 do., Corrientes... 32. 3600 ar. wool, Corrientes without re-embarkation... 25.

On the 6th of January, in this city, Mr. John Crinnigan, aged 60 years, native of the County Westmeath, Ireland. Deceased had been for many years a resident of this country, and resided in the District of Lujan, where he was esteemed and revered by a large circle of friends. R.I.P.

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Bankers—The Provincial Bank. Condition on the 31st Dec. 1864. Capital subscribed, 50,550 hard dollars. Number of Policies, 395. Bonds purchased, 57,000 hard dollars. The Bienhechora offers three various modes of Insurance to its subscribers. 1st, with the loss of capital by the death of the Insured party; 2nd, without loss of capital in said event; 3rd, with mere compound interest. In the first form the Insured party has a right to: 1. To compound interest on the bonds purchased by the capitals received by the Company. 2. To a proportionate share of the capitals and interest of those who die in their respective sections. 3. To a proportionate share of the Capitals and Interests of forfeited subscriptions. 4. To a proportion of gains resulting from increased value of the National Bonds acquired by the inversion of funds.

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Merchants and Passengers for the Provinces will please take notice that the Agency for the above Diligences has been removed from 127 Calle 25 de Mayo, to the Steamboat Agency, No. 1 Calle Cuyo, and that in future Tickets for the Diligences that start from Rosario can be obtained there. Encmendas, &c., will be received up to 6 o'clock the evening before the sailing of the steamers for Rosario, and all parcels from the Provinces will be delivered at No. 1, Calle Cuyo. Buenos Ayres, January 17, 1865.

The following Parcels are on hand and the owners are requested to call for them, viz: Lynch & Yturru, Federacio Olivencia, (2) Priora de las Catalinas, Manuel Orampo, Mariano Molino, Benjamin Villegas, Luciano Angier, Marcos Paz, Santiago Zurrain & Co., Juan Robbio, Domingo Cordoba. 75. j18, 1m HENRY DOWSE. Southern Railway. On Sale, at a short distance from the Southern Railway, in the Lomas de Zamora, at the junction of the roads for S. Vicente, Ranchos, Tandil, Azul, Flores, Guardia del Monte, Cañuelas, a splendid building 46 varas by 18, with adjacent piece of ground, well suited for a large grocery store and dry goods warehouse. Office of D. A. Cornal, Exchange Broker, 67 San Martín (altos.) 102 3p. j18.

General Post-Office. Jan. 16, 1865. Registered letters—one for Constantine Cernusch, one for Dr. Healy. Estate of Alfred Horton, dec. Parties indebted to the estate of the late Mr. Alfred Horton, will please call at 197 Florida and arrange with the Executor without delay, otherwise legal proceedings will be adopted, and the names of the debtors will be published. Buenos Ayres, January 16, 1865. 99. 6p j18.

Notice. An Englishman in the Carmen de Areco, with a capital of \$80,000 mpc, is anxious to meet a countryman with the same sum, to join him in establishing an English Almaced in the above town. Parties interested will please address, for further particulars, Sor. Don Antonio Gonsales, Carmen de Areco. 97. 6p, 1w j18.

Money. Any sum is immediately given on mortgages. All demands without their accompanying property titles remain unattended to 67 calle San Martín (altos). 103. 3p j18.

Wanted a Cook. In an Estancia 18 leagues to the South, either a single man or man and wife; the wife to cook and man aid in the quinta or attend to carriage horses. 98. 15p j18.

Wanted a Clerk. A young man to act as Under Book-keeper and make himself generally useful is wanted in an English mercantile house. Address Clerk at this office. 88 3p. j15.

Nurse. A Lady returning to England between April and May, and in want of an experienced Nurse, will find a suitable person by addressing C. R., 67 Piedad. 85. 12p j15.

Tercero. A married man who has had 3 years experience in the camp as tercero, wishes to meet with a similar engagement, his term expiring in March next. Apply at Messrs. Claypole Bros. 3 18p i. 4.

Wanted. A Cook in an estancia 18 leagues from town, South. Good references required. Apply to No. 7 calle 25 de Mayo. 57 12p j12.

To Let. In an English family a Sala and Bedroom; also other bedrooms furnished. Apply 248 Calle Peru. 24. 10p j18.

For Sale. A Teak Wood Spar 32 feet long and a Topgallant mast; also several second hand Saddles. Apply at No. 77 Paseo de Julio. 100. 10p j18.

On Sale. On sale for \$160,000, a fine Quinta, five squares before the 11 Setiembre. Good buildings with seven rooms, flowers, fruit trees, etc. Houses—Calles Chacabuco, Montevideo, S. Martín, Piedad, Reconquista, 25 de Mayo, Buen Orden, Parque, Suipacha, Independencia, Arenales, Rivadavia, Florida, Plaza del Retiro, Paseo Julio, &c., of different dimensions and prices.

A Quinta in Barracas with all commodities, very suitable for a rich English family. A Chacra 14 squares, with houses, alfalfares, &c., in the bajo de San Francisco. 1 league of good Camp in Las Flores, cheap. An Estancia in Entre-Rios, 1 1/2 leagues, 6,000 sheep, cattle, mares, etc. Good buildings and chacra. 1 League of good camp in the partido de Navarro will be sold cheap. An Estancia 39 square leagues, another one 2 1/2, province de Cordova. Two Estancias in Rojas, 3 leagues. Right to 39 or 40 leagues of the best camps in Junin. An Estancia 1/2. Guardia del Monte. Money given, with guarantee of public stocks. 500,000 are to be given on mortgage. Public stocks and titles of the Foreign Debt are bought. Office of D. Alejandro Cornal, Exchange Broker, 67 San Martín (altos) front of the Bolsa, from 8 to 4. dl. X.

To Rent. A small Estancia containing a good house with 4 rooms, coach house, also 3 ranchos and corrals; the whole in the best order. From 2000 to 3000 sheep, a few cattle and horses. The stock will be sold and the land rented for ten years. Apply Reconquista No. 46. 95. 3p j15.

For Sale. The well-built House, No. 49 Calle Rio Bauba, containing 9 rooms recently constructed, with azotea roof, 17 yards front and 75 depth. Can be seen at all hours of the day. For further particulars apply to Mr. Geo. Wilks, No. 7 Calle Mayo. 75 9p. j13.

Estancia. Between Lobos and La Guardia del Monte, one Estancia of three-quarters of a league, excellent pasture, six Puestos, and an extensive House, built at great expense. Office of Alexander Cornal, 7 San Martín. 49 6p j12.

To Rent. Various leagues of camp situated in the partidos of Pila Marobiquita and Azul: price from \$600 to \$2000 mpc yearly per 100 square squares. For further particulars apply at 180 Calle Florida. d21. x

Casa en Barracas Aldea de las tres Esquinas. Se alquila la que ocupa el Sr. Temant Es ingeniero del Ferro Carril del Sud. Sus piezas principales en tablas, y empapeladas, tiene jardín y otras comodidades.—Para verla, en la Barraca del lado. Para tratar Cangallo n. 145 69. 9p j12.

Muy Barato. Cupones de la deuda extranjera Hay 6000 fuertes, pagados por terceras partes por la Tesoreria Nacional en Junio de 1866, 1867 y 1868, que se venden por la suma de 33000 de la misma moneda—Ocurranse Calle Bolivar n. 42. 107. 3p j18.

Case Quinta. Hay una en venta situada en la parte N. de la ciudad, Calle Arenales, distante de la Plaza Victoria 30 cuadras y 4 de la orilla del Rio. Tiene 35 v. de frente y 70 de fondo, haciendo esquina, 5 piezas de material en buen estado, toda cercada de pared, precio 80,000 mpc. Ocurranse Calle Bolivar n. 42. 108. 3p j18.

To Rent. Some excellent camp, 35 leagues from this city, on the side of the Salado, Partido 25 de Mayo, joining Mr. S. Quim's camp. Persons interested may rent enough for one flock, 3, 4 or a league. The camp is of the best kind for sheep. For particulars apply at the establishment to Mr. Esteples, or 257 Calle Belgrano, in town 132 1m d24.

On Contract—Rent, only \$500. A beautiful summer residence, or a good place to establish some kind of manufacturing business. An azotea house with high ceilings, having 7 rooms, with well, kitchen, coach-house and stable, a quinta of fruit trees and piece of ground attached, comprising in all nearly 1/2 of a square. Location, Calle Santa Fé, 12 squares from the Plaza Parque, corner of Calle Lorrea. Inquire at 396 Calle Temple, or 74 Calle Belgrano (over the 'Standard' Office.) 80 6p. j14.

REMATE. POR MARIANO BILLINGHURST. En su casa Calle Potosi No. 70. De objetos de adorno de agasa marmol y alavastro recientemente introducido de Italia. El Viernes 20 del corriente a las 11 en punto de la mañana se han de rematar sin falta alguna a la mas alta postura y dinero de contado. 10 Cajones obras, de artes Italianos en marmol, agasta y alabastro cuyos pormenores y detalles se darán tan pronto como esten desencajonados y en exhibicion. 91 j18.

POR EL MISMO. De dos cuadras, de terrenos situados con frente a la misma Plaza de la Estacion de la Villa de Lujan perteneciente a la Testamentaria de D. José Fernandez Coria. De orden de los herederos y albaceas con autorizacion Judicial el Domingo 22 del corriente a las 12 en punto del dia, despues de la misa mayor, se han de rematar sin falta alguna a la mas alta postura y dinero de contado. Las dos manzanas de terrenos arriba designados en solares de 1 1/2 varas de frente por 70 de fondo ó en mayores porciones al gusto de los compradores. Estos terrenos con su frente a la plazuela de la Estacion del Ferro Carril son 4 (4) aptables para establecer todo genero de negocio en un punto que por su especial situacion, tiene que ser indispensablemente el centro principal del trafico, de Giles, Areco, Arceife, Rojas, Pergamino y demas pueblitos del Norte, que buscarán con sus productos la cómoda via del Ferro Carril. 90. j15.

POR EL MISMO. De un Terreno situado en la Calle de Lorea cuadra y media antes de llegar a la Calle de Caseros donde estara la bandera. El jueves 19 del corriente, a las 6 en punto de la tarde se han de rematar sin falta alguna a la mas alta postura y dinero de contado. El terreno arriba designado es de 8 varas de frente por 49 de fondo. 92. j15.

Notice. We beg to advise the Commercial community that we have conferred upon Mr. John Turner full powers of Attorney, as duly registered in the Tribunal of Commerce, to manage our Firm in this city during the absence of our Manager Mr. Frederick W. H. Wells. Buenos Ayres, January 16, 1865. p. pro. EDWARD ASHWORTH & Co. F. W. WELLS. 101. 3p j17.

Notice. On and after the 18th inst. the offices of Messrs. Peto and Beto, contractors of the Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railway will be removed from No. 76 Calle de Lima to No. 183 Calle de Chacabuco. B. Ayres, Jan. 18, 1865. 104. 3p j17.

Commercial Notice. From January 1st, 1865, we beg to advise the public that we have opened our new Timber Yard and Agricultural Stores in the Calle Buen Orden No. 509 and Calle Lima 334, one square before arriving at the South Plaza. In this establishment a good assortment of wood will be always on hand. North American pine, Russian pine, &c., of all sizes. Also all classes of Agricultural Implements, Coal, &c. Many other articles at moderate prices. 68. 1p j15.

For Sale. A flock of 1600 fine merino sheep at the Estancia of the Troqueles camp with house, corrals, &c., present occupied by them can be leased by the purchaser if required. At the Estancia 11 leagues from and 1 1/2 leagues from the Scotch camp at St. Juan. Proprietor, Mr. Buchanan. 193 20p d21.

Sheep for Sale. Almost three thousand of different qualities fifteen leagues beyond Pardo. Likewise three or four medanos required on the same establishment. For further information apply from 8 to 11 a.m. and from 4 to 9 p.m. Calle Mexico 308. 96. 6p j15.

House Coal of Superior Quality. On sale at the Barraca No. 257 Calle Peru, delivered at the buyers house. 93. 4p j15.

FOREIGN AMATEUR RACING SOCIETY. In consequence of the non-attendance of a sufficient number to form a committee at the last committee meeting convened, the committee is hereby requested to attend for the purpose before-mentioned on Thursday inst at 8 p.m., No. 7 calle Mayo. The Secretary.

Ex "Omerland," from Hamburg. EXTRA FINE GIN. Marca de "la llave." In stone bottles. Will be found superior to any in the market. Hibernian House, 64, 66 & 68 PIEDAD. 83. 6p. j15.

Atkinson's Perfumery. Notice is hereby given that a German import house has introduced a fraudulent imitation of the extract and Eau de Cologne of these celebrated manufacturers, and the undersigned being the agent in this market of Messrs J. and E. Atkinson, thinks it his duty to guard the public against this fraud. The perfumery consigned to the undersigned by Messrs. J. and E. Atkinson, bears a label with the name of "L. J. ISAAC." 29 1m. j6.

To Capitalists. The beautiful Quinta, with building, etc., etc., of Don Luis Blennstein, situated in Moron, in front of the railway station, will be sold by auction without fail on Sunday the 16th inst, at 12 o'clock, as the owner is leaving for Europe. The auction will be conducted by Don Mariano Billinghurst, who will give all information. This Quinta is remarkable for its beautiful gardens, fruit-trees, and flowers, etc., also its comfortable buildings, and deserves the attention of capitalists. 84. 3p j15.

Down with the Empire. Hojas Historicas by the Citizen, Don Miguel Navarro. Vols. have now been published in one volume of 120 pages, and is on sale at 241 Calle Morano and all the principal libraries, price \$15 mpc. 86. 3p. j15.

Notice. We beg leave to notify to the mercantile community that we have opened a house in this city under the style of Heyworth & Co., as General Commission Merchants, and that thy business will be carried on pro. tem. by Mr. Balman, at No. 83 Calle Reconquista. HEYWORTH, PEARCE & BALMAN, of Liverpool. B. Ayres, Jan. 11, 1865. 72 6p. j12.

Just Received, ex "Omerland," almost a parcel of the celebrated extra fine Gin in stone jars. "Marca de la llave." Hibernian House, 64, 66, & 68 PIEDAD. 84. 3p j15.

BRITISH HOTEL. 96—CALLE PIEDAD. The undersigned, thinking many favours conferred on him by his commencing business, and to form his friends and the public in general that having purchased his partner's interest in the concern he becomes sole proprietor of the Hotel, and begs to request a favour him with a call that he will be spared to merit a continuance of that patronage conferred hitherto on the establishment. The strictest care will be taken in the purchase of meat, vegetables, &c., as likewise in the selection of wines, brandies, ales and posers. Private rooms for families. British Hotel, 96—CALLE PIEDAD—96. JOSEPH RIBERA, Sole Proprietor. 82. 15p j15.

For Antw 3p Direct. Will load in a few days for said destination, the fine clipper Prussian barque "Carl Steinorth," 33 dwt, 420 tons. Captain Steinhorn. This vessel can still engage salted hides, dry hides and bales. For further particulars please apply to the consignees, Messrs. STOCK & Co., Or to CHAS. WM. BENN & Co., Ship Brokers, 49 Calle 23 de Mayo. 89. 7p j15.

NORTHERN RAILWAY. RETURN TICKETS. On and after Monday, 16th inst., return tickets, only available for same day, will be given at the following prices, from the Mayo station:— Palermo and back... \$ 8. Belgrano... 15. San Isidro... 20. San Fernando... 24. Tigre... 30.

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57-Calle San Martin (altos) office, Exchange Broker, Money on Mortgages. All demands without their acknowledgment property titles remain un-affected to.

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Camps, Houses, Public Funds, Mortgages, etc.

D. Alejandro Corne, exchange broker, advises the public and his friends that he has opened his office at No. 67 (altos) calle San Martin, in front of the Bala, where all transactions of business will be undertaken, respecting camps, houses, public funds, mortgages, etc.

Office hours from 9 in the morning until 6 in the evening.

**Commercial Notice.**  
We beg to notify the public, that from the 1st inst., we have admitted Mr. John B. Wanklyn, of London, as partner in our firm; also that we have established a house in London, under the firm of Lamb, Wanklyn, and Co. (Signed)  
**LUMB, BROTHERS, & CO**  
Buenos Ayres, Dec. 24.

**BRITISH HOTEL,**  
96-Piedad-96. 1m d24

**Notice.**  
From the 2d inst., the undersigned, having opened an establishment in this city, will act as a General Commission Agent, receive special orders for Merchandise from Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, or England, facilitate sea-going ship Captains to obtain freights for England and the Continent, and in any other way in which the public may feel disposed to employ his services.  
**ROBERT FOULKES,**  
74-Calle de Comercio-74  
Rosario, January 3d, 1865.

**To Shipmasters and Others.**  
On sale at the French Bazaar,  
44-Calle de la Florida-44  
Double China, strong Glassware, Cutlery, etc., for mess and kitchen use.  
Mess and Dining Rooms supplied.  
All these goods are imported direct from the makers and manufactured expressly for ships' purposes.  
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**Murrah for Belgrano!**  
**SPLENDID HOTEL AND BAR.**  
Mr. CHAMPION begs to inform the public that on Saturday, the 24th December, he will open his new Hotel in Belgrano, alongside of the station.  
Elegantly-furnished rooms for families at most moderate charges.  
Breakfasts, Dinners, Suppers, and Refreshments at all hours.  
X. CHAMPION.  
Belgrano, Dec. 22, 1864.  
148 1m. d & w. d 23.

**PUBLIC NOTICE.**  
The Public is respectfully informed that the immense stock of the  
**ENGLISH DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT,**  
61-CORRIENTES  
which comprises the most extensive and valuable variety of  
ready-made goods,  
is now on hand, and is open to the inspection of  
all purchasers.  
**PURCHASERS.**  
IMMEDIATELY 61

**To English Travellers.**  
Englishmen, and others visiting Buenos Ayres, will find every home comfort at the Hotel de la Paix, which is the largest and best Hotel in this city.  
Charges are most moderate.  
White Supper  
Tables d'hôte on European style.  
Rooms with room, gas-light, and steam-heating, from 10 to 15 p.m. per day.  
**HOTEL DE LA PAIX.**  
(Corner of Calle Comercio and Calle Reconquista.)

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**BANK MAU AND CO.**  
No. 108-Calle de Cangallo,  
BUENOS AIRES.

The immense advantages of Accounts Current are now so generally felt and appreciated in the two great emporiums of the River Plate, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, that there are very few Merchants who fail to keep one at the bank in which they place the most confidence.  
The Bank of Mau and Co. in Montevideo has already provided for the working classes in that city a safe and profitable depository for their savings.  
The same is provided in that most important institution are daily increasing, and already reach a very large amount.  
These advantages have not hitherto been enjoyed in this city by an immense number of clerks, artisans, working men, and servants of all classes and conditions, who are equally interested in putting their savings out at interest, thus providing themselves with a reserve fund in case of need, sickness, or old age, instead of spending them in the immoral gambling, in lotteries, and other frivolities.  
The Bank of Mau and Co. of this city, following the noble example of their firm in Montevideo, now offer the same facilities in this city, and will open a Savings Bank at No. 108 Calle Cangallo, from Nine to Five on Week Days, and on Sundays and Holidays from Ten to Twelve noon, for the receipt of the savings of the classes already mentioned.  
The Bank will deliver to each depositor a pass book, in which will be entered the amount deposited and withdrawn.  
The depositor is permitted at any time to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited, in the former case the interest will be calculated up to date.  
The Bank of Mau and Co. is sufficiently known to the Public by the benefit derived from the course of its operations, which are regulated on the strictest and soundest principles, and always directed to promote the general welfare.  
The Bank of Mau and Co. are also persuaded that this new branch of their business will render immense service to the working classes of Buenos Ayres and its neighbourhood.  
Buenos Ayres, September 19, 1865.

P. P. Mau and Co.  
**WILLIAM LESLIE**

**CONDITIONS.**  
First-The Bank receives at interest any sum from Twenty-five Dollars currency Silver Dollar upwards.  
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Fourth-Once the money deposited exceeds twenty-five thousand dollars currency, or one thousand dollars silver, the depositor, if he wishes, can open an account current, according to the rules established by the Bank.  
Fifth-In case the depositor loses his pass book, it can be replaced by another on paying twelve dollars currency, and advertising the loss in the public newspapers.

**RIVER PLATE STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.**  
LIVERPOOL AND RIVER PLATE DIRECT.  
NAMES OF STEAMERS.  
LA PLATA,  
PARANA, PARAGUAY,  
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One of these Steamers will leave Liverpool for Montevideo and Buenos Ayres on the 1st of each month.  
Cargo will be received on board of the steamers 48 hours after their arrival, to be delivered in any part of the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, being forwarded by railway and steamer for account of the Company, the bills of lading being signed with these conditions.  
As the object of the Company is to extend and facilitate the existing traffic between Europe and the River Plate, the rates of freight will be very moderate.  
Specie and Parcels will be received until the day before the steamers leave.  
In order to facilitate immigration to these countries the rates have been reduced as follows—  
1st Class.....£35.  
2nd ".....£25.  
3rd ".....£16.  
Return Tickets will be issued for six months at the following rates—  
1st Class.....£65.  
2nd ".....£45.  
3rd ".....£30.  
These boats are excellent opportunities for families visiting Europe, more especially when consisting of Ladies and Children, having large ladies' cabin, and carrying an experienced steward.  
**H. A. GREEN & CO.,**  
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Through tickets given to all parts of the upper Provinces, and also to Chile and Bolivia. Parcels of all kinds, including remittances of money or valuable articles, despatched in like manner with the greatest safety.  
Leaves Rosario for Mendoza, San Juan, and Chile every Tuesday.  
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Leaves Cordoba for Rio Cuarto every Wednesday, in conjunction with the Rosario Coach for San Luis, Mendoza, San Juan, and the Pacific.  
The Office is open on all week days from 9 to 7, and on the evening preceding the sailing of the Paxon until 10 p.m., for receiving Parcels, &c. Any parcels delivered on the day of sailing of the Paxon will be detained till the following week. On Sundays and Holidays the Office will be open until Noon.

**NEWS FROM EUROPE!**  
The Undersigned, having just received from Europe a new and extensive assortment of China, Earthenware and Glass Goods, respectfully invite the public to call at  
**THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN CHINA, EARTHENWARE & GLASS STORE,**  
CORNER OF DEFENSA AND POTOSI,  
And inspect their stock of  
Dinner Sets for 12 persons.  
Do. do. for 18 do.  
Do. do. for 24 do.  
Tea and Coffee Sets, complete.  
Toilet sets of all sorts; besides their large collection of common and fancy articles.  
As these goods will be sold cheaply to make room for others now on the road, this is a good opportunity for families to supply themselves with all they may require for household purposes.  
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Cercos de hierro para rodeos, potreros corrales, chacaras etc.  
Corrales portátiles con postes de hierro y tablas.  
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**Notice.**  
The undersigned, Sole Agents in this city for the sale of the celebrated Brandy marked "JULUS ROBIN & Co." hereby caution the public that a spurious article in imitation of the genuine is now being offered on sale, the bottles of which are forged with the name of the aforesaid manufacturers, but are easily detected from the deficiency of their name being branded in the corks and ours as sole agents on each bottle.  
Buenos Ayres, July 4th, 1864.  
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Rings with or without Diamonds, &c., &c.  
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The undersigned wishes to acquaint his friends and the public in general that he has commenced in the above line, and hopes that by strict attention to business he will be enabled to merit a share of public patronage.  
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The classes comprehend the following:—  
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Will leave the Tigre (las Conchas) for San Pedro every Wednesday and Saturday, in connexion with the Northern Railroad.  
Special trains will leave the station 25 May at 10 a.m., on the days above mentioned, for the conveyance of passengers, luggage and parcels free of additional charge.  
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Cabin. Steerage.  
Zarate \$4 Zarate \$2  
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This steamer will leave San Pedro and Baradero every Monday and Thursday at 4 in the afternoon, arriving in Buenos Ayres by the half-past seven train on Tuesday and Friday mornings.  
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