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MAUA BANK,

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos 101—103

The Offices of this Bank having been removed to the above spacious building, in order to suit the increasing flow of business, the public is informed that the following transactions are carried on in currency and specie in this Bank:—
First—Bills and obligations with good signatures are discounted on conventional terms.
Second—Money is advanced on mercantile and other securities approved of by the Manager.
Third—Accounts current are opened with Merchants or other parties who may prefer depositing endorsed and transferable securities, against which they may draw up to an amount previously convened under conditions established for such class of operations.
Fourth—Money is received in account current, bearing interest from day of deposit, which is accumulated in favor of the parties every three months, the depositors being allowed to retire at any time, by means of cheques, part or the full amount at their wish, save when the quantity exceeds three hundred doubloons or one hundred thousand dollars currency, in which case forty-eight hours previous notice is required to be given at the Treasury of the Bank.
Fifth—Bills of exchange are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta Fé, Salto Oriental, Paysandú, Rio Janeiro, and other places in the Brazil, England and France, as also on other places, of which notice will be given hereafter.
Finally, the Bank undertakes and executes all legitimate transactions within the orbit of banking operations.
The establishment is always open from 9 a.m. till 3 p.m.
P. P. MAUA & Co.
WILLIAM LESLIE.

MAUA BANK,

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos. 101—103.

INTEREST FOR CURRENT MONTH.
IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, SPECIE.
For balances in our favor, 18 per cent.
For balances in favor of Customers 7
IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY.
For balances in our favor, 18 per cent.
For balances in favor of Customers 8
Deposits for a fixed term in specie or currency, at conventional interest.
P. P. MAUA & Co.
WILLIAM LESLIE.
Jan. 1st, 1866.

British & Medical General (Incorporated with the Unity General) Life Assurance Association
Capital—3,000,000. Sterling.
Proposals for Life Assurances are received, and immediate attention paid to the same. A Prospectus of rates and other particulars will be furnished on application to the Company's Agents in this City.
GEORGE WILKS,
7 Calle Mayo.

The Argentine Marine Insurance Company.
Established in this City, insure at moderate premiums all risks by sea or on the river.
Office—118 CALLE PIEDAD.

DIRECTORS.
Sr. Don Tomas Armstrong, President.
" Jacob Parmanian, Vice-President.
" Eduardo Lumb.
" Ambrosio P. Lesica.
" Enrique Tomkinson.
" Mariano Casares.
" Bernado Yaurape.
" Francisco F. Moreno, Gerente.

For Rosario and Intermediate Ports
British Steamer IRON KING,
Captain R. H. WERKS.
The Iron King leaves this port every Wednesday, and arrives here on Monday.
Fares, Cabin, 16 Pata.
Rosario 12 "
S. Nicolas 12 "
Las Hermanas 12 "
Obligado 10 "
San Pedro 8 "
Storage half price.
Apply at the Agency Calle Mayo No. 67.
Parcels delivered at the Agency the day before sailing by 6 p.m.
HENRY DOWSE, Agent.
129—xp 23.

To Importers and Exporters.
The undersigned take charge of shipments from England and are also in a position to obtain the highest market-rates for produce of any kind, imported from the River Plate, &c. First-class references.
ALFRED HILL & Co.,
Shipping, Insurance and Forwarding Agents,
64 & 65 The Albany, Liverpool.
35 Milk Street, London. 126—3m 27.

English Store,
33 & 35 Calle 25 de Agosto,
MONTEVIDEO,
NEWNHAM & CO.,
Proprietors.

Provisions Oilsman Stores and General Groceries, large assortments of the very finest quality now landing on the following ships, S.S. Leda and Malloy, Barquo Hawthorn.
Also to arrive by different vessels Martell's Brandy direct from France, a special article direct to our order much finer quality than that usually imported.
Bass's Bulk and Bottled Ale, Guinness's and London extra Stout, Amonillado and Dry Sherries direct from Port St. Mary's, Bay of Cadix, York and Belfast Hams, Belly Bacon and Jokers, Cork Butter, Truckle, Stilton, and Gloucester Cheese, First brands of Scotch, Irish and Bourbon Whiskey, Mocha Coffee, &c. and the finest Teas ever imported here.
All these first-class goods are offered to the public at a price to defy competition.
104—2m 22

On Sale,
The first-class Sherries "Cordon Club" and "Palma" in small casks, at 148 Calle Piedad.
80—1m 15

To Rent.
A large and very commodious quinta near the Plaza 11 de Septiembre, so far occupied by Mr. Mohr will be discontinued at the end of this month. For particulars apply to
DEETJEN & Co.,
Calle Piedad 108.
80—6p 15

LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK (LIMITED.)

80—CALLE DE LA PIEDAD—80

Authorized Capital £2,000,000 sterling.
Subscribed Capital £1,500,000 do.
Reserve Fund Jan. 1866 £100,000 do.
Current accounts opened with parties properly introduced and interest allowed on credit balances.
Customers have the advantage of drawing cheques—of having approved bills discounted—of depositing loans upon negotiable securities—of obtaining bills, coupons, &c. for collection—and of lodging with the Bank valuable property in the fire proof strong rooms for safe custody.
Deposit Accounts—Deposits received from the public generally—either for fixed periods or subject to seven or thirty days notice of withdrawal—interest on which is regulated by the market value of money, the bank notifying any change in the rate by advertisement in the principal daily papers.
Bill of Exchange—issued on the following places:
London,
Paris,
Dresden,
Antwerp,
Hamburg,
Genoa,
Rio de Janeiro,
Montevideo.
J. H. GREEN,
Manager.
Buenos Ayres—March 15, 1866.

LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK (LIMITED.)

80—CALLE DE LA PIEDAD—80

The rates of interest allowed and charged by the Bank will be as follows, till further notice:—
ALLOWED
On specie deposits on account current, 8 per cent.
On do. do. for ninety days fixed 12 "
On do. do. subject to thirty days 12 "
notice of withdrawal,
On currency deposits in account current 8 per cent.
On do. do. for ninety days fixed 12 "
On do. do. subject to thirty days 12 "
days notice of withdrawal.
CHARGED
On specie debit balances in account current 18 "
On Currency do. 24 "
J. H. GREEN,
Manager.
Buenos Ayres, Feb. 1, 1866.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE—SIGHT DRAFTS.

Drafts at Sight, for large or small amounts, can be obtained from
WANKLYN & Co.
No. 104 Calle de San Martin,
On the following places:—
LONDON.
LIVERPOOL.
ALL branches of the National Bank
IRELAND,
Antwerp,
Hamburg,
Paris
Genoa,
Cadiz,
Bayonne,
Buenos Ayres, Dec. 2, 1864.
WANKLYN & Co.
104—Calle San Martin—104.
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Diligencias
Para la Ensenada, Magdalena, Tranches, Chascomus, Dolores, Moro, Laguna de los Padres, Azul, Tandil, Calle de las Piedras 82.

Real Hollands.
And a small consignment of Genuine Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps just received by
J. S. WYLLIE & Co.
Chascomus
74—xp d11

WATSON'S HOTEL,
Belgrano.

The proprietor begs to return thanks to the public and friends in particular for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him since the opening of the above-named establishment, and hopes to gain a continuance of their favors where no pains will be spared to make his numerous visitors comfortable, &c.
Furnished apartments, Baths, Amusements of every description, hot and cold Suppers, Balls and Picnics supplied at the shortest notice.
Over two hundred drinks (newest improvements) in addition to his celebrated "up and down stairs." Ice and Ice Creams, &c.
91—1m 20

NEW IRISH GROCERY,

IN THE
ONCE SETTEMBRE

PEELY, LEDWITH & CO.
Call the attention of their Friends and the Public in general to their well assorted stock of
TEAS, SUGARS, WINES, &c., &c.
IND COOP ALE,
suitable for Town and Camp purchasers, which we will dispose of at moderate prices.
Purchasers may at all times rely upon receiving good, sound articles, and also a large assortment to select from.
N.B.—Goods delivered free of charge at all Railway Stations and Boat Agencies in town.
145—xp 29

Hungarian Wine.
A new lot of the choicest qualities of Hungarian wine in casks and bottles, for sale at the deposit No. 162 Calle Trinita y Tres, Montevideo, entrance Turner's shop
32—3m 28

Office of Public Lands.
Parties renting Public Lands are hereby advised that if they fail to pay the rent before March 31st, they will incur the fine in such cases provided by law.
Xp.

Dressmaker and Milliner
Mrs. W. Wise begs to inform her friends and the public that she has commenced business, (as above) at 16 Calle Corrientes.
N.B.—A servant required.
49—2m 28

MONTEVIDEAN BANK.

CAPITAL 1,000,000 DOLLARS.
In 2,000 Shares of 500 Dollars each.
(With power to increase it)
Office, corner of Calle Corrientes, in the new house of Dr. Juan Miguel Martinez, Montevideo.

CHAIRMAN,
Francis J. Roguard, Esq.
DIRECTORS,
Sr. D. Pedro Borelli.
" Joaquin Belgrano.
" John McCall, Esq.
" Antonio Marques.

The undersigned hereby makes known to the Commercial public of Montevideo that from this date the Bank is in a position to commence operations, will receive proposals and enter into arrangements for every class of banking operations.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS.
Money is received or advanced on current accounts bearing interest. The Depositors may withdraw the whole or part of their Deposits by cheques at sight. Cheque and Pass Books will be supplied to its customers by the Banks.
DEPOSITS FOR FIXED PERIODS.
Sums of 50 dollars and upwards are received for fixed periods, say from one to 12 months, at rates of interest to be agreed upon with reference to the amount and term of the Deposits.
DISCOUNTS.
Bills of Exchange and Promissory notes will be discounted subject to the manager's approbation.
LOANS.
Advances will be made on Promissory Notes and other securities on private terms.
The Bank will be open on all working days from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. with the exception of Saturdays when it will close at 4 p.m.
The rate of interest for the current month and until further notice will be as follows:—
On balances against the Bank, 10 per cent. per ann. " in favor of " 10 " " " " "
Fixed Deposits—as especially agreed.
Those who desire to open Current Accounts with the Bank will be so good as to address themselves to the Undersigned.
PEDRO VARELA,
MANAGER.
Montevideo, Nov. 1, 1865.
171—xp o 1

On and after the 3rd day of February, 1866, the Trains will run as follows:

DEPARTS.		RETURNS.	
Stations.	Time.	Stations.	Time.
Buenos Ayres	7:30 A.M.	Montevideo	7:30 P.M.
Plaza Constitucion	7:50	Plaza Constitucion	7:50
Barreras	8:10	Barreras	8:10
Zamora	8:30	Zamora	8:30
San Vincente	8:50	San Vincente	8:50
Donsabier	9:10	Donsabier	9:10
Puerto	9:30	Puerto	9:30
Fedon	9:50	Fedon	9:50
Chascomus	10:10	Chascomus	10:10
Montevideo	10:30	Montevideo	10:30

Ferro-Carril de la Boca, Barracas y Ensenada.

Desde el 1º de Marzo de 1866, inclusive, el servicio de los trenes será como sigue:
DIAS DE PERIADOS.

SALIDAS		REGRESOS.	
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Montevideo	7:30	Buenos Ayres	7:30
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 CICERO.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1866.

EUROPEAN POLITICS AND GOSSIP.

(From the Havas correspondence.)

Paris, Feb. 7th, 1866.

The first session of the Legislature have been occupied examining the election papers of the new Deputies. To-day the project of a sinking-fund will be discussed, and the committee for the Budget appointed. The presence of M. Thiers at Count Walewski's soirée is commented on, as he never attended the Duke de Morny's parties, and has not before entered an official saloon for 14 years. The 'blue' book, shewing the state of the Empire, and the 'yellow' book, with official despatches, have been distributed among the high dignitaries and functionaries.

The question between Spain and Chile has alarmed commercial interests, and the Imperial Government, without interfering in Spanish grievances, offered its mediation at the outset and is at present arranging with Great Britain to oblige the Republic of Chile to accept an amicable settlement, the terms of which have already been agreed to by Spain. The 'yellow' book also shows that France has vindicated the free navigation of the River Plate and its tributaries in the present war against Paraguay, according to the treaty of 1853.

It is rumored the Empress will be named President of the Exhibition Committee.

Spain continues in a critical condition, although Prim's revolt is crushed: the state of siege is not yet suspended, and O'Donnell has presented two projects of law, one against the liberty of the press, the other against meetings or associations. On the 24th, at 11:30 p.m., a salvo of 25 guns announced to the citizens of Madrid that Queen Isabella had just given birth to a prince: the King and Queen of Belgium have acted as sponsors. The war with Chile has now assumed a new phase, several Chilean privateers having left English ports for the Atlantic and Mediterranean, in quest of Spanish merchant-vessels: the Government is taking measures of protection, but it is plain that Spain must abandon her aggressive policy towards South America. The first of these corsairs is called the Eagle; a second, the Blunscar, left Liverpool on Jan. 22nd, having on board the crew of the Shenandoah, and several Armstrong pivot guns, under the command of Capt. Salcedo. Two others are being equipped in Glasgow, and all these are screw-steamers of 1,200 tons, which can run 15 knots an hour.

General Prim remains quietly at Lisbon, the guest of Marquis de Niza, and popular sympathy is mostly in his favor.

The English Parliament opened on the 1st to hold its preparatory sessions, and Mr. Denison was unanimously re-elected Speaker of the House of Commons. It is very doubtful whether the Russell Cabinet will be able to stand. The Reform Bill will not come on till after Easter, but the Opposition will meantime take the Ministry to task on three questions: the Fenians, the Jamaica riots, and the cattle-plague. The 'Times' says that the experiments of vaccinating the cattle have turned out fruitless. A bill is about to be presented against building foreign war-vessels in English ports. Lord Malmesbury, chairman of the Floating station Company, which proposes to carry across railway trains from Dover to Calais in an hour, is at present here, consulting with Baron Rothschild, chairman of the Railway 'du Nord': he has had an interview with the Emperor, and it seems the

whole capital (one million sterling) has been taken up in London. The Queen's Speech, containing 1235 words, was telegraphed on the 6th, in eleven minutes, by means of five wires: the document is lengthy, and only makes a vague allusion to the Reform Bill.

Despatches from Grand Cairo, 5th instant, state the convention has been signed between the Viceroy and the Suez Company. All pending questions have been arranged by the arbitration of the Emperor Napoleon. The French and English Ministers paid a complimentary visit to Ismael Pasha: the Viceroy has ordered a railway to be constructed from Ismailia to Grand Cairo.

Dates from Copenhagen, 2nd inst. say the Folkething has passed a bill for making a railway from Copenhagen to the German mainland.

The rumors of negotiations between the Danish and American Governments to cede the islands of St. Thomas and Santa Cruz to the United States are officially contradicted, but the public opinion is that there is something in it.

Great popular agitation prevails at Berlin, owing to a decision of the Supreme Tribunal that the Deputies are not exempt from arrest. Mr. Bismark has little reason to rejoice at such a triumph, which augments the ill-feeling both within and without the Chambers against the Government.

TELEGRAMS.

Cairo, Feb. 5.

The convention between the Viceroy of Egypt and the Suez Canal Company relating to all the hitherto pending questions in connection with the construction of the canal, was signed to-day. The decision of the Emperor Napoleon, as arbitrator in the Suez Canal question, has been strictly adhered to by the Viceroy, and his Highness has been congratulated by representatives of France and England on the definitive solution of the question. His Highness has ordered the construction of a railway between Jemmaila and Cairo.

Madrid 7, Evening.

The members of the moderate party in the Chamber of Deputies have held a private meeting, at which it was decided to support the amendment proposed by Señor Mayano.

The amendment is as follows:—
 "Our financial difficulties increasing from day to day will cause the ruin of agriculture and manufactures. It is necessary to balance expenditure with revenue, but as it is impossible to raise the taxes, already too heavy, we must make reductions to the amount of 300,000,000 reals. It is only by this means that we shall re-establish our credit and avert the dangers which threaten us."

DIARY AT HEAD-QUARTERS

(By Colonel Palleja, in camp at San Cosme.)

Feb. 28th. Drill. Orders to march on the 2nd prox.: it is rumored the fleet will move up to Tres Bocas on the 5th, and begin to carry the troops across at Paso la Patria; but this is doubtful, as we have not yet got horses and the whole allied army is afoot. To the regret of our 'corps' of the vanguard, Gen. Osorio has removed Col. Kelly from command of the Brazilian brigade, but when General Flores returns he will, we trust, induce Osorio to restore the gallant old officer. Captain Vasquez who went home, has returned to his post; not so his comrades Captains Ramirez and Garmen-dez. The weather keeps cool, 31 cent., but the river is falling, and we are losing valuable time.

March. 1st. We had Mass to-day at the house where the Virgin's statue of Itati is temporarily placed. Major Caballero, who was sent to Paso los Libres for the ammunition we left there has arrived here leaving the waggons with the ammunition on the road. The beef is good now, and our men much improving in health.

March. 2nd. At 6 a. m. marched towards San Cosme, through a pleasant country of woods and quintas. At 8.30, having marched 2½ leagues, we reached the old ground, Quinta Mesa, and had dinner. Orders to push on a league to-morrow, to Sto. Domingo. The allied army is drawn up in a line of 2½ leagues, abreast of Paso la Patria, some 2 leagues from the river. It is

not known whether the attempt to cross will be made here, but we hope not, as this would be against all the rules of warfare, the enemy having made all his preparations at this point. We must, however, confide in the wisdom of our Generals, and hope for the best. Therm. 31.

March 3rd. Marched at 5¼ a.m., two leagues, to Santo Domingo, and encamped, the concentration of the whole allied army, around San Cosme, being now complete. Gen. Mitre orders that no division shall make any other movement till the word is given to 'cross over.' We are to have biscuits and soap-rations when we invade Paraguay, and a change of clothing; but what we want most is 'knapsacks.' It is rumored that General Flores, with the vanguard, Paucero's division, and 4,000 Brazilians, will be the first to set foot in Paraguay. The 1st Division of the fleet was to move up to-dorrow to the Tres Bocas, but we now find the river is too low, and the Amazonas and 3 other vessels cannot go up. The river continues falling, and our worst apprehensions are realized: the high tide has been let slip, and something is always wrong with this Brazilian fleet.

March 4th. No Mass to-day, the troops being allowed to rest. We can hear the Brazilians at rifle-practice. Killed beef for 2 days, and got rations of yerba, tobacco, paper, soap; with biscuits and rice for the sick, although, God knows, the strong men need this sustenance too.

March 5th. Drill in battalions. Waggons sent to Corrientes to-day, with such heavy baggage and ammunition as they do not require: these waggons will bring back the new uniforms we expect. Nothing is known about the intended movement of the fleet up to the Tres Bocas: probably they have changed their mind. Another day of awful heat, 38 cent.

March 6th. Killed beef for two days. What shocking beef! Some battalions would not touch the carcasses, which when killed gave forth a green, slimy, liquid, with nothing but skin and bones, the animals being reduced to this state by disease. Persons arrived from Corrientes say the fleet has not yet moved, but intends to do so on the 14th. Drill in battalions this evening. Day very hot, but thermometer fell from 35 to 31, owing to rain-storm not far off.

March 7th. Drill: We have received a part of the new uniforms from Corrientes, and the rest will arrive to-morrow. The fleet cannot go up the river for want of water, and if the March floods pass we shall have to remain here all the winter. So true is it, that, "in love and in war" we must take the ball on the hop. All preparations at Corrientes are now concluded and nothing is wanting but for the fleet to go up to the Tres Bocas and Gen. Mitre to give the word 'cross over.' It is said that we cannot stir, until the Brazilian Minister, Octaviano, arrives, to take part in the conference. Meantime General Flores is going to visit Pres. Mitre and the Brazilian Admiral, but, as there is not enough of water in the river we must only pray Heaven to come to our relief. Next mail the news may be better.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

The steamer Pavon left yesterday for Corrientes, with soldiers and ammunition.

Admiral Elliot, the British Admiral on this station, has ordered the Consul to supply him with a list of every steamer and sailing vessel in port. Commander O'Connor, at the Captain of the Port's, was busy all day yesterday making out the list. It caused quite a stir down on the beach, as with the exception of the editors of this paper, few ever take any trouble to get a correct list of our shipping. We suppose the gallant Admiral has received instructions from home relative to this matter.

Private letters we received yesterday from Montevideo, state that the Chilean privateer, said to be at the mouth of the river, has cleared out. Many deny that there was any such vessel at all there; but the pilots are firm in their assertion, and hint that when some Spanish vessels are missing

probably people will believe their statement. At Mr. Evans' store in Montevideo the matter is warmly discussed. Most captains seem to think that the privateer is a sister steamer of the Hercules, a 19 knot sailer, and able to elude all the Spanish men-of-war on the ocean. It is not probable that she will show fight should a Spanish man-of-war haul in sight.

The Proveedor leaves to-day for Corrientes. She took a number of passengers: amongst others we notice D. J. M. Cullen of Rosario, and Mr. J. A. Fernandes (one of our leading brokers) and family for a short trip to Santa Fé. The Felix Colon, the new Government steamer, will shortly be finished. She is in Marshall's hands, and will run with the Corrientes mails in a few days.

The non-arrival of the Rio de la Plata on Wednesday has caused much wonder. The supplementary mail for the French packet we believe was forwarded by the Recife to Montevideo. We cannot omit to testify to the great attention of the Brazilian commander in sending down gunboats with the supplementary mails whenever the regular steamers miss. The Rio de la Plata we hear is aground a little above Paysandú. She is not in such a bad way as the unfortunate steamer Paysandú, with her bows in the trees, but the river is so low that it may be some days before she is got off.

People in Montevideo invariably know more about the war than in Buenos Ayres. Yesterday, letters from Montevideo stated that the Paraguayan force which was sent to fight the River at the Tranquera de Loreto, and a regular pitched battle between the Paraguayans and Brazilians is therefore imminent. Lopez's object is to cut off the Brazilians before they get any assistance from the main army.

The annual examination at the Commercial College, Santa Lucia, Director Dr. P. Pongerald, will take place on Monday next. Sr. Estrada, the Government Inspector of Schools, Sr. Peña, of the National College, and also other eminent professors will attend on the occasion.

A steamer from Corrientes is hourly expected in port with important news. The Libertad or the Uruguay is looked for; the latter is now running under a Brazilian charter.

Mr. and Mrs. Washbourne, who left in the Paysandú for Paraguay, are supposed to be ashore, probably at the Barradero, waiting for the steamer to get afloat.

The Iron King, in her last trip from Rosario, brought down a splendid consignment of copper, 360 bars, which we suppose will be shipped to-day per Kepler.

Exchange on England is at present at such a ruinous rate for parties coming to this country that we think it our duty to advise all parties leaving Europe for the Plate to bring gold with them instead of bills of exchange. One thousand pounds in gold paid in London for bills at the present rate only gives here £224 5s., which is a very severe loss.

The great lawsuit of the Bank against Cornac, although commenced more than a month ago, is still as far as ever from trial. We understand that Mr. Cornac denies the jurisdiction of the Judge and demands a jury. This question, therefore, goes up on appeal to the Supreme Court, and from thence Mr. Cornac being a Frenchman, he has the right to appeal to the Federal Court, so there is little probability of the case being decided before next spring.

The sentry at the Vice-President's house seems rather shabbily dressed of late. Every morning he may be seen standing in his short-sleeves at the hall-door of the Vice-President's house. Some of our subscribers say this is pushing Republicanism a little too far, and the soldier should wear his uniform.

Mr. Billingham left per first train yesterday morning for the south to sell the Cacique Negra Estancia. We fear, owing to the state of the money market, there will be few buyers.

The last rain reached as far south as Tandil, and was a great Godsend for our friends in the camp.

OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

London, Feb. 7th.

Notwithstanding the war with Paraguay, there does now appear to be a chance of a finale before long as the armies are getting to close quarters and master Lopez will find himself brought to bay.

The country is prospering spite of the war and the large expenditure of money, as on all similar occasions is good for all, but those who have to provide the needful. Brazil in this respect has to hear the brunt as the failure of the Argentine loan here will cripple that Government. Captain Harrison has had very up hill work, rendered more so—from the want of advices from the Government to an extension of time for his concession otherwise he could have sent off a fleet of steamers by this time and he still hopes to be able too do so. It is to be feared that the Government is exerting themselves to benefit the country which does not appreciate what is done for it, and at least the governing body does not as instanced in the case of the Southern Railway Co. where so much trouble was experienced in getting it accepted and open for traffic. They will get no more railways made for a long time and never again with a seven per cent. guarantee.

Some of our friends, I see, have been making a great flash at the termination of the railway, £750,000 unsaleable property.

P. P.

MONTEVIDEO

The recent duel—Chilian privateer—Departure of the Almanza—Strike among green-grocers—New bank-notes—Nina Figari &c.

People have not yet recovered from the sensation caused by the barbarous duel of Sunday evening. Everybody condemns the seconds even more than the principals, as no serious offence had taken place and the whole thing might have been settled. Colonel Bustamante and Capt. Servando Martinez were brother-officers and bosom friends, but in a moment of impatience, at the meeting in San Felipe theatre on Sunday, the former told the latter to shut up, produced a challenge. Drs. Patiño and Perez were seconds for Bustamante; young Flores and Dr. Ramirez for Martinez. At 5 p. m. same evening they proceeded in a coach to the Cerro, it being arranged they were to fire 10 shots each, at 15 paces. M. fell by the first shot, saying 'I'm wounded' and died instantly, the ball entering his right side and coming out at his left elbow. They then put his remains in a vehicle and took them to town, at the same time surrendering to the Police, who placed all under arrest. Martinez was a fine young man, aged 28 years, and leaves a widow and 3 orphan children. On Monday evening the funeral took place and was attended by numbers of citizens, but the ecclesiastical authorities (as usual in such cases) denied the rites of Christian burial. The 'Siglo', next morning, appeared in mourning, and the 'Opinion' much censures the seconds; it is believed all parties will receive [nominal] sentence of banishment.

The papers now publish the statement of the pilots, as to the strange steamer seen cruising off Maldonado, but nothing fresh is known about her. The Spanish frigate Almanza was to leave port on Tuesday night, but did not.

The green-grocers have made a 'strike,' leaving the market entirely without vegetables; these strikes are becoming quite contagious.

On Sunday an omnibus from Union capsized, breaking a lady's leg and injuring other passengers. Taffurelli's concert came off well on Sunday evening. The body of a foreigner was found on a rock near the Gas-works, on Monday, and it is supposed the poor fellow had died from a sudden fit in the water. The Portuguese minister Baron Souza, is still rusticiating at Mercedes. The American war-steamers Juniath and Brooklyn have arrived from Rio. The Nina Figari from Genoa arrived on Tuesday and was put in quarantine, 4 of her passengers having died.

Dr. Minelli sold off his traps and books, and leaves for Italy in the war-

steamer Principe Umberto. Admiral Riecard had a grand To Deum on Wednesday on board the Regina, at which several Italians assisted. The 'Banco Montevideo' has received its new notes by the packet: they are described as of superior quality.

The Placida Bujareo arrived on Monday from Barcelona, but has no news of Chilian corsairs.

LATEST FROM LA PAZ.

BERON AT LARGE.

La Paz, March 10, 1866.
 To the Editors of the 'Standard.'

Gentlemen,
 We were in great glee, as the 'Standard' is seldom misinformed, at a passage in it stating that Beron was taken prisoner. This, however, is not the case; he is still at large, it is believed in the Chaco. But where-ever he is, he continues to be a bug-bear to La Paz.

Report says the division La Paz will be mustered and sent to La Paz. Whether this is true or not, Urquiza only knows. We believe it will be no easy matter to do so.

The new Gefé Politico, accompanied by Major Denis and a large partido, are patrolling the district; God grant it may tend to some good, and relieve us of the many imposts we suffer from Partidos, rogues, and passengers of all classes.

It has not rained for some time, and although the camps are good, water is becoming scarce in the small rivers.

Notwithstanding the disturbed state of the camp, the town of La Paz is, without exception, the most stirring in the Province; it is filling with azotea houses, new stores, and a large foreign population. This is owing to the superiority of its harbor, and a large timber trade; joined to the large quantities of cheese made in the department. The hides here are of a large size, as the cattle grow larger than generally in Montiel and its vicinity.

This Province is a favorite amongst the English, and we expect a few more families shortly, who either have, or are about to, purchase land in the neighborhood.

Vessels and steamers are daily passing up and down the river. The scene from the town is most enlivening. Nothing is more common than to hear of a Brazilian steamer stuck upon the bank.

CENTRAL ARGENTINE RAILWAY.

The second ordinary meeting of this company was held yesterday at the office, Gracechurch-street; Mr. J. Hogan in the chair.

Mr. Woolcott, the secretary, having read the notice convening the meeting, the report, an abstract of which has appeared in the 'Times,' was taken as read.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report, said that the balance-sheet to the 31st of December showed that 425,000l. had been called up on the shares, and that a further call of 2l. per share had been made on the 15th of January on the 50,000 shares, making together 525,000l. called up to the present time, of which only 5,142l. was outstanding, and of this amount 3,593l. was due on the last call. This showed that their shares were well held. They would have to go on making the calls, as the Board was anxious to push on the construction of the works as rapidly as possible. Seventy-two vessels had taken out 30,000 tons of rails to Rosario, and the progress made with laying them was about two miles per week, so that about the end of the summer half the length of the line would be completed. They would have a large instalment of traffic on opening to that point from the adjoining provinces. They had secured the services as general manager of Mr. R. Ogilvie, who had had considerable railway experience, and was otherwise well qualified for that important position. The trade at the port of Rosario had greatly increased since the commencement of the railway, which, when completed, would, from its central position, accommodate 11 out of the 14 provinces in the Republic, and he thought the railway must therefore be a success.

Mr. H. Brockett, deputy-chairman, seconded the motion for the adoption of the report, and in doing so congratulated the shareholders on the posi-

tion of the company and the progress of the works. From late accounts it appeared that 40 miles of line had been completed, and by allowing the same rate of progress he had no doubt that 70 miles in length of permanent way were now completed; and it was probable that the line would be extended to Frayle Muerto, 124 miles from Rosario, in the course of next summer, when the line would be opened for passengers and goods traffic. The materials for 115 miles of permanent way had been shipped, and he believed, had arrived; and a further quantity of materials for 20 or 30 miles more would shortly be sent out. They continued to receive most favourable accounts as to the construction and prospects of the railway. The Government had given them a large piece of land with a river frontage of 3,300 feet for the terminal station at Rosario, where vessels could come alongside, and discharge and ship their cargoes close to the railway. The value of the exports and imports of Rosario had increased from 744,000, in 1864 to 1,026,000, in 1865, showing an increase of 281,000.

The report was then unanimously adopted. The retiring directors, Mr. E. Johnson, Mr. A. S. Kennard, and Mr. E. W. Nix were re-elected; and also Mr. R. P. Harding and Mr. W. T. Linford, the retiring auditors.

On the motion of the Chairman to authorize the directors to take the necessary steps to sell, let on lease, mortgage, or otherwise dispose of the lands, a discussion ensued, in the course of which it was stated that the company had not yet obtained legal possession of the lands from the Government, and that Messrs. Brassey and Co., the contractors, would be entitled under the contract to a moiety of those lands, and the company to the other moiety.

Lord Abinger, in seconding the motion respecting the disposal of the lands, pointed out the way in which he thought the whole business with regard to the lands should be conducted and managed abroad. The motion was adopted, and the directors were authorized to raise 10,000, on debentures for developing the resources of the lands granted to the company.

The proceedings concluded with a vote of thanks to the chairman and directors.

MR. GUSTAVUS VAUGHAN BROOKE.
Gustavus Vasa—or, as he was called, Gustavus Vaughan—Brooke, a tragedian of wide note and popularity, who was drowned in the London on the 11th January, was a member of a highly respectable Irish family—that of the Brookes of Droevana—to which belonged Henry Brooke, the author of the play 'Gustavus Vasa.' G. Vaughan Brooke, the subject of this notice, was born in Dublin, in 1815, and was educated for the bar, but abandoned that profession for the stage. His first appearance on any stage was as Wm. Tell, in 1833, when he was 18 years of age. His 'debut' in London was as Virginius, at the Victoria Theatre, in 1837. He was successful, and till 1847 played in most of the great provincial cities. In 1848 he came again to London, and appeared as Othello in the Olympic Theatre. Two years after he caused a great sensation in the same character in New York. In 1853 he was back in London, whence, after an extended professional tour, he returned to America, and thence to California and Australia. He, in these extensive wanderings, met with varied fortune, but he finally won a high reputation in Australia. Having come back to the old country, he was induced once more to accept an engagement at Melbourne. He died bravely, giving every assistance in his power to save the ship.

IMPORTANT LINEN REPORT.
Messrs. Clark and Malm, merchants of this city, have favored us with the following interesting review of the Linen Market for 1865.
Belfast, 1st January, 1866.
At the end of 1864 the prospects of the trade were undeniably gloomy. The American Market having been almost closed to our manufacturers, consequent upon the excessive duties and unfavorable exchanges, and it being further

ascertained that the stock of Cotton in Liverpool was about 200,000 Bales. In excess of what had been calculated upon. The feeling of uncertainty was increased by both of these circumstances and prices of Yarns and Goods consequently gave way and fell continually until the end of May.

The cessation of hostilities in the United States coupled with the great fall in the price of Gold in New York, produced the very opposite effect to what had been expected, and in place of an over supply of Cotton from the Southern Ports, we received very little in comparison with the great demand from all quarters for manufactured Goods of every description in the South.

The Southern States where Linens had always been a favorite fabric, had been without supplies for several years a great gap had to be filled up, and the demand for the United States was so unprecedentedly large, that all the warehouses here were cleared out and immense profits realized upon consignments to New York.

The demand for that quarter has now continued above six months, and no accumulation of Stocks has taken place. The flax crop of 1865 has proved quite insufficient, and the value of Flax has advanced 50 to 70 0/0, and as labour in all branches of the trade has also risen from 15 to 30 0/0 it is therefore not surprising that prices should rule as high as they do. If the demand continues as at present a further advance seems certain, Stocks being lower now than they have been for many years past.

New Factories are being erected on all sides and the change from hand weaving to weaving by steam loom seems almost on the eve of being accomplished.

The prospects of the Trade for the coming year are very cheering, the high price of material, and the scarcity of hands constituting almost the only causes of apprehension.

SR. TERRERO'S HORSES.
Yesterday we had the pleasure of inspecting the English stallion and two mares which Mr. Terrero has imported by Kepler; they are magnificent animals, and we advise our readers to call and see them at Sr. Terrero's house in calle Potosi before they are sent to the estancia. We have received the following particulars respecting their pedigree.
Prince Arthur, a pure-bred coaching stallion.

Prince Arthur is 3 year old, stands 16 hands high, a beautiful blood bay with black legs, clear of white, perfectly sound, clear of all blemishes, and magnificent action.
Prince Arthur was bred in the North, and is considered by Judges to be one of the finest specimens of a Coach Horse that has been bred in that neighbourhood for many years. He has immense bone, and all the quality that is required in a Coach Horse for the present day.

Prince Arthur is well descended, being by Wonderful Lad, dam by Marquis of Roseberry (two of the best coaching sires in England), gr. dam by Master George, gr. gr. dam by magnificent, gr. gr. dam by Old Forester, &c. &c.
Wonderful Lad, by Cleveland Lad, dam by Old Wonderful, gr. dam by Old Luck's All, gr. gr. dam by Old Summercock.

Wonderful Lad obtained the Premium at the Cleveland Show, held at Stokesley, 1856, for the best Cleveland Coaching Stallion, open to all England nine competitors. He also obtained the Premium at the Cleveland Show, held at Middlesbrough in 1860, for the best Cleveland Coaching Stallion. At the same Show the Silver Medal was awarded to him as the sire of the best foal of the Cleveland Bay Breed. The Silver Medal was awarded to him at the Cleveland Show, held at Yarm, 1861, as the sire of the best foal of the Cleveland Bay Breed, second and third prizes were also awarded to his stock.

Master George was got by Henderson's King George, dam by Old Barnaby, who serves mares by subscription at Two Guineas each.
My Lady, 6 years old, with foal—Got by Young Forester, dam by Rainbow, grandam by Venture, great

grandam by Drillhnt, the winner of the late prize at the Royal Agricultural Society, held at Windsor, as the best coaching stallion for England.
G. Holmes.

The Duchess, 5 years old, in foal to a thorough-bred horse, called Bondholder, by Flycatcher. *Duchess* is by Chetton, dam by Barnaby, grandam by Admiral, great grandam by Victory, &c.
G. Holmes.

THE WELSH PATAGONIAN COLONY.

The bark *Dorothy*, which has arrived from Buenos Ayres, brings a dreadful account of the new Welsh Colony in Patagonia. In April last 150 Welshmen left Liverpool for the banks of the Chupat, in Patagonia, intending to establish there a purely Welsh Colony to speak the Welsh language, or rather a Welsh Republic. By the last English mail, which arrived three months ago, it was stated that the agent of the society in Liverpool, Mr. Jervis Jones, had arranged very efficiently the reception of the colonists. By the *Dorothy* we learn that one-third of the colony had fallen a prey to famine and drought. The colony is entirely dependent for support from Buenos Ayres, which is nearly 1,000 miles distant. A treaty existed between the colonists and the Argentine Republic, the latter agreeing to supply the colonists with corn, &c., but apparently no provisions were to be obtained. The society in Liverpool are taken by surprise, and the second batch of intending emigrants will await further advices before sailing. A limited liability company has recently been formed for trading with the Welsh colony and the coasts of Patagonia generally; and it is said that the promoters of this company hurried the colonists off without proper preparations.

Liverpool Albion.

THE WEST COAST OF AFRICA.

(Reuter's telegram.)
Liverpool, Feb. 7.
The Royal Mail Company's steamship Calabar, Captain Smart, has arrived here from the West Coast of Africa after a very rapid passage.
Her dates are:—Benin, Dec. 25th, and Madeira, Feb. 1.
The King of Ashantee had sent two ambassadors down to Cape Coast on the subject of the late disturbances. A grand palaver had taken place, but the result was not known when the Calabar sailed.
The ambassadors, on reaching Cape Coast Castle, were greatly astonished. They had never looked on the sea before, and had never seen a ship, and on being invited on board the Calabar to dinner they manifested great excitement. It was generally understood that the Governor of Cape Coast Castle had urged upon the ambassadors the propriety of putting a stop to the constant strife between their King and the adjoining native tribes.

ON 'CHANGE.

Paper price of ounces	March 15, 1866.	54162
Do. Sovereigns		127
First price of pistons		26 05
Second		26 10
Last do.		26 05
Cash sales		72,505.

This was a dull day on the Bolsa. Specie opened firm and even went up five centimos, but closed weak. Things rule rather dull on 'Change. Advices from Corrientes are so slow in arriving that it is the general belief that active operations must have at last commenced, and the steamers and sailing vessels embargoed, and therefore no news can be looked for until Tuesday per Esmeralda. It is said that one of the army contractors, Sr. Benites, has received large orders from the Brazilian Admiral. Some brokers have received letters stating that General Flores, with the vanguard and 4,000 Brazilians, is to cross the river on the 12th, but of this nothing certain can be known until Tuesday. The extreme stringency in the money market is now so much felt that Bank every day renews bills, collecting only 25 to 30 0/0, but for the last few days there have been rumors current of several bills having been protested, which in a measure disturbs confidence, although the houses referred to still carry on business the same as ever.

In National Bonds there were three sales, viz.:
7,000 Cash, 391
18,000 for 2nd inst., 392
8,000 24th " 392
These securities hold remarkably firm, and it is said on 'Change that some orders have come out in the packet to buy. It is the general impression that when the busy season terminates the National Bonds will go up, as they will be called into demand as a convenient mode of temporarily employing money.

The time sales were as follows:—

For Friday	9,000	26 05
Saturday	30,500	26 05
March 31	66,000	27 10
Aug. 31	1,000	27 20
April 30	5,000	25 45
March 24	6,000	25 10

For the end of July there were many buyers at 27, but no sellers.
Gold was lent out to-day to first-class parties at 1 1/2, which shows a decided improvement. Paper money is still as scarce as ever. Some bills discounted to-day at 2 1/2 per month.

One of the largest native estancieros in the Partido de la Magdalena has arrived. He informed his barruquero that it has not rained out there, and that the sheep and cattle are dying from pure starvation. In San Vicente and Ranchos the camps are in such a miserable state that excellent sheep, but in very poor condition, can be bought out there at 510 mcp per.
The steamer Castor, with two flat lighters, has left for the Baradero, in the hopes of being able to save the cargo and passengers and get off the steamer. Owing to the non-arrival of the *Ris do de la Plata* the supplemental mail for the French packet would have been late but for the urbanity of the Brazilian Minister, who at once despatched the Recife with the mails. She left at seven o'clock in the evening.
The steamer Pollux, Captain Davis, leaves for Corrientes on Saturday morning.

Mr. S. Puente leaves to-morrow Friday in the *Proveedor* for Corrientes.
There was something said on 'Change about the project for tramways before the Municipality. Two lines are mooted, one from the Barraca bridge to the Retiro, and the other from the Plaza 25 de Mayo to the Plaza 11 de Septiembre. It is believed that these most necessary steps will meet with no opposition and be at once passed. Samples of the new tramway rail are at Mr. H. A. Green's office.

The news from Europe about wool is of so good a nature that we thought in the plazas there would be great activity, but money is so tight and dear that only choice lots met with enquiry.

SALES SOUTH PLAZA.	
4 Cuts, good mestiza,	70
5 do do	62
8 do mixed,	54
1 do native owner,	72
400 dry hides, camp, per pesada	95
300 do matadero,	110
200 dozen sheepskins,	140
50 do peludos,	28
NORTH PLAZA.	
300 @ mestiza buena	60
900 do lambs	42
150 do do	40
200 pansas grease	41 per @
150 do	42
160 @ sebo pesado	30

Wheat—About 2,000 fanegas Chilitey, from 120 to 170.
Maiz—100 fanegas new, 95.
By advices received from Montevideo, we learn that General Urquiza sold, previous to the arrival of the packet, the hides [10,000] and tallow of his saladero, Santa Candida, at reserved prices. The tallow, 500 pipes, we heard on the Bolsa, is sold for 19 rls. old currency.

New York, January 26, 1866.
In general trade we have to record another month of dullness and inactivity. Early in the month the fall of gold, and its uncertain position, had a paralyzing influence on trade generally, and disappointed the anticipations of those who looked for an active business with the commencement of the new year.

The bill reported by Mr. Morrill, from the Committee of Ways and Means, to consolidate the public debt, with unlimited discretionary powers conferred on the Secretary of the Treasury, has given rise to considerable discussion in financial circles. It being the most important financial measure of the session, it will, no doubt, be thoroughly discussed and considerably modified, before it is passed and becomes law. The Wool Growers and Manufacturers' Convention are agitating the question as to what legislative action is needed to foster their interests, and we may look for a revision of the tariff and an increased duty on wool and woollen goods. Trade generally is in an unsettled condition, and business will be done on a limited scale while the present uncertain state of our financial affairs is pending.

Unwashed Mestiza Wool—On the opening of the new year there was considerable movement in mestiza; holders were buoyant with the hope of their anticipations of an active market being realized, which was suddenly checked by the decline in gold; still, fine wools being scarce and inquired after, quite a respectable business has been done compared to the last three months. The sales of mestiza wool foot up 1961 bales, at prices varying as to fineness and condition, viz., 20, 22, 23, 27, 28, 30, and 37, and 40 cts. currency. The importations amount to 1415 bales. The stock in first hands is light. Advices from Buenos Ayres, however, report large shipments for this market, mostly for manufacturers' account. The market may be considered as firm and in good position. The shortness of the Australian clip, it is believed, will cause an increased demand for the better classes of Montevideo and Buenos Ayres mestiza wools, and any notable decline in this market would induce shipments hence.

Notice
Any person having received or bought any of the following articles:—A gold pin attached by a small chain to a small gold pin with a green stone set on the screw side, the other side plain; 1 gold carbuncle pin and collar stud, 1 set of gold studs white stones, 1 pair of gold shirt links, 1 pair silver shirt links, 1 pair silver shirt links, 1 pair black brooch with Freemason's arms in gold, 1 pair of silver links and 1 pair silk neckties each will please return them at the 'Standard' office as they were stolen from a wardrobe in the Calle Florida, and means are being taken to bring the delinquent to Justice, or if the party who got them will return them with an apology no further steps will be taken.
83-6p m16

TEATRO COLON

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A beneficio de
OSCAR PFEIFFER.
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Para el Sábado 17 de Marzo de 1866.
PROGRAMA.
PRIMERA PARTE.
1. Sinfonia por toda la orquesta.
2. Gran fantasia sobre motivos de la ópera 'Lucrécia Borgia' de Donizetti, compuesta y ejecutada por M. Oscar Pfeiffer.
3. Bolero de la ópera 'Las Vespers Siciliana' (Merici, jeunes amis) de Verdi, cantado por Mmo. Altieri Pfeiffer.
4. Introducción y variaciones sobre la cavatina de 'Normani', de Verdi, compuesta y ejecutada por Mr. Oscar Pfeiffer.
5. Himno guerrero; palabras de un poeta argentino, compuesto para coro y orquesta por O. Pfeiffer, cantado por caballeros alemanes aficionados.
SEGUNDA PARTE.
1. Sinfonia por la Orquesta.
2. Kathleen Mavourneen, 'Balada Irlandesa' cantada por Mmo. Altieri Pfeiffer.
3. Variaciones del 'Profeta', de Meyerbeer gran fantasia compuesta por Franz Liszt, ejecutada por Oscar Pfeiffer.
4. Escena y coro Dei Soldati, de la celebre ópera 'Furto de la Gioconda', cantado por cala liebos alemanes aficionados.
5. 'Perche non vici ancora,' vals, libremente transcrita para canto per E. Buvignani, cantado por Mmo. Altieri Pfeiffer.
6. El 'Carnaval de Venecia' introducción y variaciones brillantes compuestas y ejecutadas por Mr. Oscar Pfeiffer.
Agradecemos a los caballeros alemanes que nos acompañan en nuestro concierto, la espontanea generosidad con que se han ofrecido para coronar la funcion.
El público no debe olvidar tampoco que el Sr. Guion ha puesto a disposicion del beneficiado, un piano Erard de primer orden.

General Post-office.
Registered Letters per British Mail Steamer, March 14th, 1866.
One for David Richards.
One for Percy Durall, C. E.
FORD! WHITNEY!
Notice.—A trunk and a box, both full of miscellaneous accounts and other papers, belonging to the estate of John Ford, deceased, and a bundle of clothing addressed to John H. Whitney, have been in the United States Consulate—the trunk and the box for many years, and the bundle for several months, awaiting the application of the parties interested. Unless these things are called for within three months from to-day, the papers will be burnt, the clothing given to the poor, and the trunk sold for the benefit of the United States.
R. H. HELPER, }
U. S. Consul }
Buenos Ayres, March 15, 1866. } 72-6p m16

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His office | Su Escritorio
Temporarily | Temporalmente
To No. 5 Calle Defensa | Al No. 5 Calle la Defensa
March 15, 1866. | Marzo 15, 1866. } 90-15p m16

Al Comercio.
Avisamos al Comercio que en esta fecha, y por conclusion de contrato, ha cesado de ser Socio de nuestra Casa el Sr. Don Juan Enrique Denby. Buenos Ayres, 30 de Setiembre de 1865. THOMAS DUGUID & Co. 98-9p m16.
REMATE
POR MARIANO BILLINGHURST.
De la finca situada en la calle de Chacabuco N.º 305, perteneciente a la Testamentaria de Doña Leopoldina Jardón de orden del Sr. Juez de 1.ª Instancia en lo Civil Dr. Don Jorge Echeverria.
El Viernes 23 del corriente, a las 3 en punto de la tarde se ha de rematar sin falta alguna dicha finca, remate en ley, según se puede ver en el expediente testamentario en la Escribania de Don Julio Mendez cuya venta condicional no fue aprobada por no haber alcanzado a las dos tercetas partes de su tasacion. Tiene 11 piezas, 3 patios, arboles frutales &c. Para otros pormenores concurrir a casa del rematador calle Potosi num. 70. 72-xpm13

POR EL MISMO.
En la casa-habitacion del Sr. Don Ivan C. Mohr, conocida por la del Sr. Alcohendas, Calle Moreno, a la altura del 11 de Setiembre.
El Viernes 23 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 todos los muebles y demas menaje de dicha casa-quinta cuya pormenorada dará mañana. 79-1m m15

E. MEDLICOTT & CO.,
ENGLISH FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS,
Beg to announce the receipt of a large assortment of fine Spanish and Portuguese wines, by the steamer Kepler.
Also a select lot of champagne, and a favorite Portuguese wine called Colares, for which Messrs. M. and Co. have been several times solicited, as it is the purest vintage of the vintage without any admixture of brandy or alcohol.
Also, a very superior Port, direct from Oporto, the trial of which we strongly recommend.
In addition to the above there is constantly on hand a choice selection, comprising the following renowned wines:
Sherry Duval & Gordon. Port Sandiman and Co.
Lisbon Dry Mellist and Co.
Bordeaux, Medlicott and Co.
Star Champagne, in Cases of Pints and Quarts—James Violet and Co., Bordeaux.
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Chateau la Rose.
Chateau Leoville.
Chateau Margaux.
Chateau Lafite.
And many others.
Messrs. M. and Co. have now made arrangements to receive at regular intervals from their agents, invoices of the above superior vintages of France, Spain, and Portugal. It is expressly understood that any customer, in case of the wine not being in his opinion equal to the sample, can have the same changed. Orders will be promptly attended to, even though amounting only to one or two bottles.
Bottles, preserved fruits, jams, jellies, vinegar, &c. regularly received by each steamer. 87 xp-m15

CHANGE OF TIME FOR MONTEVIDEO,

The splendid new American Steamer **PORTENA.**
Captain SCHILLANO.
This first class steamer will sail for MONTEVIDEO every TUESDAY and SATURDAY evening at 6 o'clock p.m., and will have Montevideo such MONDAY and THURSDAY. This Steamer expressly built for this route offers the most unequalled accommodation to passengers.
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Will be despatched for Liverpool via Montevideo, Brazil, and Lisbon on
FRIDAY 16th inst.
Cargo will be received on board until the evening of the 15th inst.
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To Let.
The "Albert quinta," the property of Dr. Lealic, corner of Calle de Caceres and Asencog, the house is in excellent repair and would suit a moderately sized family; it can be seen at any hour during the day; it can be taken on lease, and the owner take all material improvements at a valuation on its expiration. 14-1m m4
To Let,
Furnished Apartments, Calle Parque No. 90. 65-3p m11

On Sale.
The right to one or three leagues of Land well situated and good for Sheep; also 50 leagues of private property in different parishes; also to rent in single puestos or leagues. 3 splendid estancias to the South, stock on sale and Land to Let; also 2 leagues of Land on sale near Rosario, Reconquista 46. 83-3p m16
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A maid servant to accompany a family to England in April. Apply at 13 Calle Chacabuco. 92-3p m16

Wanted.
In Chascomus a respectable woman as household and to attend to children; also a steady boy for general work. For particulars &c. apply at this office. 94-10p m16
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To let, in the residence of an English family together or separately, a very comfortably furnished double bedded, and a single bedded room. Apply 86 Calle Parque. 91-3p m16

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A Clerk in an English house, who can write a good hand and is quick at accounts. Apply 116 Calle Piedad. 81-6p m15
Wanted,
A Book-keeper for an English house in Montevideo. Apply at No. 65 Calle Piedad. 82-3p m15

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As assistant in an English school a young Lady having a knowledge of French. Apply X at this office. 88-3p m15
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The Woman as cook and the Man as general servant, for an Estancia in the Banda Oriental. Apply Maipu No. 12. 62-12p m11

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At the Beech Bakery, one mile below Rosario. 20 LABOURERS.
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Real Hollands!
Just received another lot of the famous fine "mark of the Key" in stone jars, in beautiful condition, & despatched or in deposit. 66-Piedad-8. 79-1m m15

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La Diligencia para el Carmen de Arceco y Arceco, sale por el primer tren del Ferro-carril del Oeste, todos los dias "nones" y regresará todos los pares.

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Saldrá de Buenos Ayres, Todos los JUEVES.
Regresa del 25... los DOMIGOS
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