The Standard
AND RIVER PLATE NEWS.

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MAUA BANK,
101-103 CALLE CANGALLO

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 or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta Fé, Salto Oriental, Paysandu, Rio Janeiro, and other places in the Braxils, 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 10 a.m. till 3 p.m.

P. P. Maua & Co.
M. A. de FREITAS AMORIM.

January 1st, 1868.

MAUA BANK,
101-103 CALLE CANGALLO.

INTEREST FOR CURRENT MONTH.

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, SPECIE.

For balances in our favor,	.. 12	per cent.
For balances in favor of Customers	6	"

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY

For balances in our favor ..	.. 12	per cent.
For balances in favor of Customers	6	"
Deposits on 15 days' notice, paper		"
Do. do. do. gold		"
Do. 30 days' do. paper		"
Do. do. do. gold		"
Fixed deposits from		"

P. P. Maua & Co.,
M. A. de FREITAS AMORIM.

an. 1, 1868.

ROYAL MAIL STEAMPACKET COMPANY.

REDUCTION OF FARES.

The Royal Mail Steampacket
"ARNO,"
J. BRUCE, Commander,

Will leave this Port for Montevideo and Rio de Janeiro,

ON SUNDAY 22nd NOVEMBER, 1868.

At Rio de Janeiro, the "Arno" will meet with and will transfer to ore of the Company's Transatlantic Packets Passengers and Freight for the following Ports, viz.:—Bahia, Pernambuco, St. Vincent [Cape de Verd Islands], Lisbon, and Southampton.

☞ Passengers by this Vessel are requested to embark before FOUR, p.m., on the abovenamed Day, as the "Arno" will leave precisely at that hour.

*** CARGO will, in future, be Received on Board the "Arno" for Rio, Bahia, and Pernambuco.

The Royal Mail Steampacket Company have made the following REDUCTIONS in their Rates of Passage:—

FARES:

First-class to Southampton,...£35 and upwards,
Ditto, „ Lisbon, ...£35, Ditto.
Specie: One-Half per Cent.

RETURN TICKETS granted at the above Rates available for TWELVE Months.

A Deduction of ONE-SIXTH made to Families Paying the Higher Rates, when such equal or exceed Four Adult Passages.

☞ RETURN TICKETS are now Issued to RIO DE JANEIRO, available for THREE Months, with an Abatement of 25 per Cent.

For further particulars, apply to
ABRAHAM ROBINSON,
104,xp,a14 No. 77, Calle 25 de Mayo.

RIVER PLATE TELEGRAPH COMPANY
(LIMITED).

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

MAIN LINE:

Buenos Ayres,	San José,
Colonia,	Montevideo,

Rosario, B. O.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH:

Plaza Constitucion,	Donselaar,
South Barracas,	Ferrari,
Lomas de Zamora,	Jeppener,
Glew,	Altamirano,
San Vicente,	Gándara,

Chascomus.

NORTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH:

Retiro,	San Isidro,
Belgrano,	San Fernando,
Olivos,	Tigre.

MAIN LINE TARIFF:—
Ten Words, exclusive of Address, $50 m/c., or $f.2.
For every additional Ten Words, $25 m/c., or $f.1.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH TARIFF:—
Ten Words, exclusive of Address, from Central Telegraph Station, 87 Calle Cangallo, to Plaza Constitucion..... $10 m/c.
From Central Telegraph Station to the South Barracas..... $15 m/c.
From Central Telegraph Station to the other Stations on the Line..... $25 m/c.
☞ Half of the Original Rates for every additional Ten Words.

Messages delivered Free within Three Squares from the Plaza Constitucion, and Six Squares from South Barracas, and for every square beyond this distance One Paper Dollar. Special Delivery Rates for other Stations to be fixed upon at the time of receiving for transmission.

The above Rates will be added to the Company's Charges made for Telegrams to or from the Banda Oriental; also to Stations on the Northern Railway.

NORTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH TARIFF:
From Buenos Ayres to the Tigre, &c., and vice versa, Ten Words ..... $20 m/c.
Every additional Ten Words..... $10 m/c.
From the Tigre, or other Stations on the Northern Railway, to Montevideo, or Stations in the Banda Oriental, Ten Words ..... $70 m/c.
Every additional Ten Words ..... $35 m/c.

HOURS OF BUSINESS:
Week-Days (including Feast), ..8 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Sundays, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Messages for Mail Steamers taken on the Morning of the departure of the Mails from Montevideo for Rio and Europe.

By Order,
JOHN OLDHAM,
Superintendent and Engineer.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE; SIGHT DRAFTS.

Drafts at Sight, for Large or Small Amounts, can be obtained from WANKLYN & CO., 104 SAN MARTIN, on the following places:—
LONDON,
UNITED STATES,
ANTWERP,
PARIS,
GENOA,
AND ALL BRANCHES OF NATIONAL BANK, IRELAND.
WANKLYN & CO.,
104 San Martin.
Buenos Ayres, Dec. 2, 1864. 20,xp,d8

LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK (LIMITED.)

80—CALLE DE LA PIEDAD—80

Authorised Capital .....£2,000,000 sterling.
Subscribed Capital .....£1,500,000 do.
Reserve Fund Jan. 1868.....£145,000 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 obtaining loans upon negotiable securities—of depositing 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,	Hamburg,
Dublin,	Genoa,
Liverpool,	Rio de Janeiro,
Paris,	Montevideo,
Antwerp,	Rosario & Cordoba.

All Branches of the National Bank of Scotland.
H. GREEN.
Manager.

Buenos Ayres, Sept. 1, 1868.

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 deposits in both currencies in account current,	4 per cent.
On do. do. for 90 days fixed,	6 "
On do. do. subject to 30 days notice of withdrawal,	6 "

CHARGED.

For Discounts a minimum of 9 per cent.	
On debit balances in account current in both currencies,	12 per cent.

J. H. GREEN,
Manager.

Buenos Ayres, Sept. 1, 1868.

THE ARGENTINE MARINE INSURANCE CO.,
Established in this City,
Insure at Moderate Premiums all Risks by Sea or on the River.

Office—118 CALLE PIEDAD.

DIRECTORS—
Thomas Armstrong, President.
Jacob Parraviani, Vice-President.
Francisco F. Moreno, Manager.
Ambrosio P. Lezica.
Enrique Tomkinson.
Mariano Casares.
Bernardo Yturraspe.
Antonio Demarchi.

TORRES Y SCHICKEDANTZ—Comisionistas de hacienda vacuna, yeguariza y lanar para saladero y matadero, Corrales del Sud, Calle de Estados Unidos 211, idem Defensa 179. 25 xp a5

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS

Port, Very Old: something quite superior.
Sherries, Do., and of the finest flavour.
Clarets: the best imported: in Quarts and Pints.
☞ A Trial is requested.
HENDERSON and MURDOCK,
108, Calle Venezuela.

MARTELL'S BRANDY, Eight Years in Wood, considered the finest in town. Bottled by and only to be had from HENDERSON and MURDOCK, 108, Calle Venezuela.
66,xp,a13

A NOVELTY IN BUENOS AYRES.

Clarets, in Pint Bottles, at No. 108, CALLE VENEZUELA.

ALES and PORTERS.—Ind, Coope, and Co.'s Pale Ale, in Quarts and Pints; Bass and Co.'s Pale Ale, in Quarts and Pints; Guinness's Extra Stout, in Quarts and Pints; Barclay, Perkin's; and Co.'s Imperial Stout, in Quarts and Pints, London Stout, in Quarts and Pints.

HENDERSON AND MURDOCK,
108, CALLE VENEZUELA.
67,xp, s13

SAILMAKER—CALLE CANGALLO, 36.

In the above Establishment a first-class selection of toldos, sails, valdo sin fondo, covers for carts, water buckets, &c. Carpets can always be made to order at the shortest notice, and at a moderate price.
FRANCIS QUINTIN,
Proprietor. 326,xpo27

RIVER PLATE HANDBOOK, FOR 1869.

☞ ADVERTISEMENTS Received at this Office

CARLOS F. ACKERLEY,
Consignatario de Frutos del Pais,
Wool and Produce Broker.
Casa Amarilla, Camino de la Boca,
Buenos Ayres. 312,1m,o27

BOHM & CO.
65——SAN MARTIN——65

Gran deposito de vinos portugueses finos y regulares.
Venta por mayor.
En este deposito se hallan siempre en venta por mayor. los superiores genuinos y puros vinos de Portugal como sean:
Labradio, Bucellas, Carcavelhos,
Etramadura y otros tantos Blanco, como Tinto
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Los vines superiores y genuinos de—
Oporto
Madera
Jorez
Jenerife.
Estos vinos son de las mejores y mas acreditadas marcas introducijas en el pais.
Aceite Portugues en cascos y en tarros
Vinagre puro de vino de la misma procedencia.
Muchos articulos del Portugal y Brazil; Conservas de Lisboa de todas clases.
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65— SAN MARTIN—65.
357 1m n1

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A Quarter-Pound sample may be had for Four Dollars.
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THE
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OF BUENOS AYRES.

BUSINESS HOURS FROM 10 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

Deposits of not less than $400 m/c. and $f.16 received. These deposits will not be entitled to interest if retired before the expiration of sixty days from the date of such deposit; after sixty days they will be entitled to interest from the date of the deposit. All interests not collected shall at the end of each year be capitalized. All deposits at interest shall be entered in a book which the Bank will deliver to the depositors, in which all payments of interest and capital shall be entered, and all interest shall be payable after the first of the month or on retiring the deposit.

The Bank discounts bills with two signatures having from seven to ninety days to run; it also discounts mercantile bills of from seven days to six months, on the condition that at maturity they are paid in full.

The Bank draws at sight upon the following branches:—

DOLORES,	CHIVILCOY,
SAN NICOLAS,	MERCEDES,
LOBOS.	BARADERO,
SALTO.	AZUL.

The Bank pays commission to Brokers on the first discounting of bills and promissory notes.

LOANS TO THE WORKING CLASSES.

The Bank lends to artizans and operatives sums from THREE to TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS on their own signature, taking as security a document with any well-known signature

CREDITS IN ACCOUNT CURRENT.

1st. The Bank opens accounts current for commercial houses.

2nd. The security to be either personal, or with documentary values.

3rd. In each case the Bank shall fix the amount of credit.

4th. The Directory shall from time to time arrange the interest chargeable *pro* and *contra*.

5th. Each account shall be liquidated every 60 days.

6th. A pass-book will be given to parties opening accounts current, for entry of cheques and sums deposited.

Till further notice the rates shall be as follows—

Balances in our favor,	6 per cent.
" favor of customers,	2 "

RATES OF INTEREST.

ALLOWS—

To private depositors, 6 per cent. per annum m/c.
Do., do., 6 do., do., specie.
To private depositors, in account current, 2 per cent. per annum do.
Do., do., 2 do., do., cur.

CHARGES—

Discounts in currency, 8 per cent. per annum.
Do., specie, 8 do., do.,
E. V. ZAMUDIO,
Secretary.

Buenos Ayres, March 28, 1867.

NOTICE.—Whereas, it having come under my notice that some foolish or evil-disposed parties have deformed the new notes, by cutting or otherwise obliterating the effigy, and thereby rendering falsification more easy, the Public are hereby warned not to accept such Bills, as the Bank will not receive them.
E. V. ZAMUDIO,
Secretary.
Buenos Ayres, Oct. 9, 1867. 183 | xp,m29

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ARGENTINE COMPANY FOR INSURANCE AGAINST FIRE, AT FIXED PREMIUM.

CAPITAL, ... 2,000,000 HARD DOLLARS

[Sanctioned by Decree of National Government, October 24th, 1865. Also by the Provincial Executive, dated 23rd of same Month and Year.]

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Don Antonio Demarchi.
VICE-PRESIDENT:
Don Enrique Achon.
DIRECTORS:
Señor Don Tomas Armstrong.
" " Eduardo Lumb.
" " José Martinez de Hoz.
" " Francisco Bustamante.
" " Manuel S. de Zumaran.
DIRECTOR-GENERAL:
Don Francisco F. Moreno.
INSPECTOR
Guillermo Schnidber.

The Company Insures against Fire on very small Premiums. Every class of Buildings and Goods, whether private or industrial.

Goods in Customs Deposit may be likewise Insured.

Insurers in this Company contract no othe obligation than the payment of the stipulater Premium on the Policies, the Company being only responsible for such injuries as they may suffer from Fire.

Among the general conditions of the Policy, there is one of particular advantage to Mortgage Creditors.

The Company offers the following Rewards:—

$f.40	To the first Hose ready to lend assistance.
$f.20	To the second do. do.
$f.20	To the first pipe of water,
$f.4	To each of the five succeeding pipes

Which run to the Fire of any Edifice or Property Insured in THE ESTRELLA, on making known his choice of the Reward, or a Certificate issued by the Police authorities to such as shall have assisted at the mishap.

The Company will also give a Reward of $f.4 to whoever shall present themselves at their Office, to give Notice of any Fire within the Municipal

POLICIES Issued, and all further particulars to behad, at the Head Office, No. 118, PIEDAD; or at any of the Country Agents.

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OFFICE:
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POSITION OF THE COMPANY,
MARCH 1st, 1868.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL:
Hard Dollars, 2,730,865·59.
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THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA receives Deposits of from Five Patacones per Annum up to any amount in Weekly, Monthly, or Yearly Instalments.

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EL MARTES 8 de DICIEMCRE.
1ª Carrera a las 4 de la tarde una vuelta.
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2ª Carrera a las 4 y media de la tarde, media vuelta.
Carrera 'Velocidad'—para todo caballo. Entrada 300 pesos, premio 2500 pesos, 150 libras.
Carrera 'Estimulo.'—Para caballos que no hayan corrido en reuniones anteriores. Entrada 300 pesos, premio 3000 pesos, peso 150 libras.
4ª Carrera a las 5 y media de la tarde, una vuelta.
Carrera 'Belgrano'—Para todo caballo. Entrada 500 pesos, premio 3000, peso 145 libras.
5ª Carrera a las 6 de la tarde, tres vueltas.
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Carrera 'La Estrangera'—Para todo caballo con cinco saltos, entrada 200 pesos, premio 2,500 pesos, peso 160 libras.
Las entradas de los caballos serán hechas el 1º de Diciembre, hasta las ocho de la noche, en casa del Presidente, Suipacha No. , en la forma de practica.
Los caballos de raza pura, llevarán doce libras extra, menos en la carrera de tres vueltas, en la que podrán correr con el peso establecido en ella.
Se observarán los reglamentos en la Asociacion Argentina.
LA COMISION.
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21 CALLE PIEDRAS.
Allowed on Deposits in Account Current—
Gold or Paper, ...6 per cent. per annum.
Do., 90 days ..8 do., do.
Do., 6 months..9 do., do.
Do., 12 months 10 do., do.
Money advanced on Hypothetical or Collateral Securities, Transfers, Stocks, &c., on conventional terms, according to the money market.
The Directors reserve the power of refusing objectionable moneys.
P. DE MONTRAVEL, Manager.
Buenos Ayres, August 1, 1867. 276,xp,nI

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1868.

THE SALE OF FRAYLE MUERTO.

THE sale of an Argentine town, townsland, and district to an English farmer is an event significant of the times we live in, indicative of the great change that is working through the country, and characteristic of British enterprise in South America. Mr. 'Steam-Plough' Melrose is the 'lord of the manor' of Frayle Muerto. He merits a seat in Congress, and a voice in the administration of public affairs.

Hitherto, foreigners with capital have limited their rural investments to estancia lands and stock; Frayle Muerto itself sprung into existence owing to the indomitable enterprise of a few English sheep farmers, who stocked, at immense expense, its wild estancia lands with fine sheep from Buenos Ayres.

After a few years' trial, sheepfarming at Frayle Muerto was found not to pay, and the hardy pioneers of industry, nothing disheartened, at once turned their attention to agriculture. Last year, notwithstanding all the drawbacks, the crops at Frayle Muerto gave a better return than in any other part of the Republic. The settlers were satisfied. Frayle Muerto wheat took the only prize known in these countries for agricultural products: namely, the highest price; and farming at Frayle Muerto received a fresh impetus.

The destinies of this rising spot were in good hands, men of energy, capital, intelligence, and perseverance were the owners of the soil; they saw that the scarcity of labour was the real difficulty which surrounded agricultural industry in this country,—and Mr. Melrose at once started for England and brought out his steam plough. The success of this labour saving machine could not be doubted for one moment; the wild prairies of Frayle Muerto have been ploughed up at the rate of ten squares per day, and in a few short months the stunted pasturages have been converted into smiling fields of wheat, corn, beans, &c.

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We have yet to see the yield per acre of the Frayle Muerto land, but last year, we understand, the average was thirty bushels of wheat to the acre.

As regards climate, we think, all will admit, that Cordova has the advantage of Nebraska and Illinois. The severities of the winter season, which are so much felt by squatters in the Western States are unknown here. No land possesses a more genial climate than Cordova, and the heats of summer are less intense than in the States.

Although the Government price of lands in the United States is, as we have stated, $1 25 per acre, it is right to observe that no good farm lands—no oak openings are to be had at this price; on the contrary, Gen. Sherman's land warrant the other day, which he located in some extremely remote western spot, near the Rocky Mountains, but on the line of the Pacific Railway, 160 acres was valued at five thousands dollars gold.

Fifty pounds sterling will to-day buy in fee a farm of five hundred acres of land in the district of Frayle Muerto and within ten miles of the station. The land is ready for the plough, and the settler needs only enough to build a house and secure a few months provision to make a start.

The only real drawback on Frayle Muerto is the Government. The frontier has been left in the most unprotected state, and although the Indians cannot well walk off with a crop of wheat or a field of maize, yet foreigners dislike settling in a district which is so exposed to invasion.

Frayle Muerto, like every place else in this country that shows any signs of progress, has gone ahead in spite of the Government, and in spite of the Indians; let us hope now that the Indians will be pushed back and the Government pushed on. Mr. 'steam-plough' Melrose has a right to expect that the Government will do something for Frayle Muerto: station a respectable force on the frontier, and give free passages to laborers and mechanics, who think proper to settle there. We think also, it would be a move in the right direction to change the name of the place, and instead of calling it the Dead Friar, dub it with some title more in harmony with its rising fortunes.

THE WAR IN THE NORTH.

ANOTHER FIGHT.

TERRIBLE STORMS.

The news from Paraguay has become important; the elements seem again to have come to the aid of Mr. Lopez and his army. There has been one day's hard fighting, but we have no reliable information as to the result It seems that Osorio found the river Paraguay rising so rapidly that the very Chaco began to slip from under him. He struck at once for the highest bank of the river, found himself far above the ironclads, and with the heroism of a Cæsar crossed the Paraguay river in a few canoes, determined to effect a landing on what he regarded the mainland, for the Chaco at best seems but an island. The Paraguayans seem to be ever on the alert; they disputed the landing—a severe fight ensued—one of our colleagues states that Osorio was obliged to recross the river and face the Chaco again, minus 300 men, but we have no advices to authenticate this; all we know for a fact is that there has been a very sanguinary fight above Villeta.

Paraguay has been visited with a terrific storm; half the houses in Humaita blown down; tents blown in every direction. The damage done to stores and other property in Humaita is estimated at 40,000 pats. At the island Cerrito we lament to say that a marine hospital has been blown down, killing 6 and wounding some 50 others of the unfortunate occupants. This terrible storm has caused very serious loss to the Allies, and to the Proveedores.

On the 15th a general reconnoisance was ordered. The squadron opened fire, and the Paraguayan batteries replied. A strong expeditionary force was despatched to reconnoitre the Paraguayan lines. This force returned at night fall having had a sharp rub with the enemy in the woods.

The real position of the belligerents seems to be about the same; and but that the river is rising so rapidly, and the Chaco division is more or less inconvenienced thereby, there is nothing to justify the supposition that Caxias has been in the least compelled to change his tactics.

At the leaving of the steamer it was currently rumoured that the Allies had determined upon a simultaneous attack on the enemy's position: but this news must be received *cum grano salis.*

From the correspondence published we extract the following:

The Parana, strange to say, at this period of the year, is again on the rise; already Cerrito is flooded, to the great detriment of the marine stores, which were so conveniently placed there, by Admiral Tamandare, that even through the various stages of the campaign, it was not found advisable to remove them from that barren mud bank, on which they had been located by that great naval commander, who first blockaded those rivers.

The position of the expeditionary force in the Chaco was considered so critical, that if they could not cut a way through the Chaco, it was thought the river must be recrossed, unable to cope with the element, and yet unwilling to incur the ignominy of a retreat, Gen. Osorio determined to try a diversion on the enemy's rear. Advancing as far as possible by the river bank, for the brush-wood impeded their advance by the interior, they gained a small promontory above the hostile position which frowned over them from the opposite bank. The foremost of the iron fleet were far down stream, and the passage of the river had to be effected in small boats, the enemy all the time keeping up a galling fire from the land batteries. The landing was well effected, though stubbornly contested by the enemy during the whole day.

Many must have fallen on both sides, though neither the exact numbers nor result are yet known here; by next mail full particulars are expected. It is believed that the troopers were driven back to the river with loss. The daring act merited better success, for could Osorio have but held his ground, Lopez's retreat would have been cut off, and he must have stood or fallen by Villeta. This is the only way the campaign can be brought to a speedy conclusion, as otherwise we only drive him from one stronghold to another. How long this can last is not for me to say, but if something to conclude the war be not soon done, the war will likely conclude us.

Campaigning in Paraguay, above all parts of the world, requires a supply of men and money, and the day these are not forthcoming peace must be made. If we do not make a move soon 'stationery' will become the order of the day, when those who have been unable to effect anything by guns, drums, and swords, will have a fair chance of trying their hands at the more peaceful weapons. Latest accounts from your capital state that the Americans are coming up to demand satisfaction of Lopez.

The Allied commanders ridicule the idea of the Americans doing the Paraguayans any harm—they have got no ships. I scarcely think it probable they will have any cause.

We have been daily expecting the return of the Corrientes expedition; it seems however it is not to come back. This loss is irreparable, for though few in number the veterans are worth any amount of raw recruits.

For some inexplicable reason it is believed the enemy is vacating Villeta. Gelly observed 30 heavily laden bullock carts move off in the direction of the mountains. All are glad at the idea of taking glorious and bloodless possession of the frowning heights.

To-morrow is named for a formal reconnaisance of the enemy's lines—it may be merely a "ruse de guerre" to induce us to attack the trenches; if so we shall soon know, for the preparations are concluded, and we only wait the word to charge.

The other day a small division of Brazilians fell in with one of the Paraguayan advances. A sharp encounter with the cold steel and the natives fell back, some on the ground, others escaped across the swamps. Some who followed up the retreat got lost in the bogs. Thus, no prisoners were taken to inform us of the enemy's strength or intentions.

THE PACIFIC MAILS.

Valparaiso, 24th October 1868.

The following note, dated Caranqui, September 3, 1868, has been addressed by Don G. Garcia Moreno to the Minister of the Interior of Ecuador: "I returned yesterday morning from my excursion to the villages and towns on the left bank of the Ambí. Ruins and death, terrible convulsions of the ground, mourning and misery, is all that is to be seen in Urenqui, Tumbabiro, and Salinas. Cahuasqui only has suffered little, it being worthy of note that it is situated on the heights and nearer to the Cotacachí than the places mentioned above. I distributed the articles I took with me among the unfortunate people; I ordered cattle to be taken for the use of the sick and indigent; I pushed forward the timber required for building a bridge over the Ambí, and I offered to send medical men, medicine, and clothes, which promise I fulfilled as soon as I returned to this place. The state of incommunication in which those places have remained owing to the destruction of the bridge over the Cabuyal, caused by a frightful rush of water and mud that was left on the shores evident signs of it having risen, at least fifteen metres above the ordinary level of the Ambí, and prolonged the sufferings of the inhabitants, still deprived of drinking-water, which they are compelled to look for in the deep ravines of Piguinchuela and Chusquizaica.

I believe the time has arrived for rectifying the multitude of inaccuracies and false statements that have circulated in Quito respecting the cause of the frightful earthquake of the 16th August, which was preceded by that of the 15th at 3 p.m., and which, tho' slightly felt in Quito, destroyed the districts of Angel, and Concepcion de Coajara. This convulsion of nature has been generally attributed, but without any reason, to the Cotacachi, by those who, confounding earthquakes with eruptions, imagine that the former are always the result of the latter.

In support of this erroneous idea, it was stated that in Piñan, situated on the western slope of that snow-capped height, the destruction had been tremendous; that the town of Intag no longer existed; that in the lands of Ocampo a new crater had appeared which continued to send forth gases, and even liquid, bituminous matter; that the two enormous rocks in the centre of the lake of Cuicocha had been submerged, &c. All that, however, is false. On the contrary, although the fatal shock was felt at Intag, Piñan, and all along the western slope of the Cotacachi, they have not suffered at all, and even the ruined towns situated on the western slope, have suffered relatively less than Otavalo and Atuntaqui, for in the former some buildings although in a ruinous state have remained standing, while in the latter nothing, absolutely nothing, has remained standing, and the streets have completely disappeared beneath the ruins. It is true there have been horrible landslips, mountains that, divided by the earthquake, have descended upon the valleys in formidable torrents of earth, sand, stone, water, and mud; but this destruction of mountains and hills, the effect but not the cause of the movement, is not only seen in the fragile hills of sand and ashes that form the slopes of the Cotacachi, but also in all boundinh the deep valley of the Chota, and that extended to Angel and Mira.

It is very evident, that the greatest destruction caused by the earthquake has been in the central part of the delightful valley of Otanalo and Ibarra; that its direction was from north to south from Guaitara in New Granada to Quito, and that the commotion has been much more violent in the western than in the eastern Cordillera. If I might be allowed to venture my opinion on the real cause of the castrophe that has destroyed this populous and advanced province of Imbabura, leaving from 15,000 to 20,000 unburied corpses, and sinking in misery upwards of 50,000 of the survivors, I should say it was caused by an immense wave of compressed gases that exploded in the internal regions of the globe and forced their way through the hollows and subterranean caverns of the Andes, sowing with ruins and corpses the line along which they passed; and it is very probable this great commotion, perhaps the greatest recorded in history, has extended from the south of Chile to the western coast of North America laying waste entire tracts of country.

The greater part of the salt works in this district have been spared, but as the manufacture of that article has barely recommenced, I beg the government will remit a sufficient supply, along with all kinds of clothing for the use of the inhabitants of this province, who are reduced to mendicity." A medical commission in a report to the Minister of the Interior states that the surviving inhabitants of the ruined town of Otavalo have been removed to Calpaqui, at which latter place the nucleus of a town is being rapidly formed, a hospital, church, and several buildings having been already erected. The report referred to adds, that it is a moving and sad spectacle to witness every evening some hundreds of persons who were disinterred alive at Otavalo, and still trembling with terror, congregated in the church and offering up thanks to God for their miraculous preservation from an almost certain death.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

From passengers come from Corrientes we learn that General E. Mitre with the national forces is still at Curuzu Cuatiá, preparing to march to Goya. The elections of electors for Governor took place on the 16th, and were in some departments severely contested. There are two candidates for the Governorship, Colonel Baibrene and Don Vicente Pampin.—They both belong to the Liberal party, but the former is decidedly the most popular, and is backed by the most advanced and enlightened part of the Correntino society. The returns of the election have only been received from six departments, and in four of them Bailrine's party obtained the victory. In the departments of Mercedes, Lavalle, Esquina, and Goya, there was some fighting, but no lives were lost, only a few wounds inflicted. There does not appear to be much room to doubt that Colonel Baibiene will be the successful candidate.

We received yesterday the Pacific mails, with our usual exchanges from Chile and the provinces of the interior. Dates from Valparaiso are to the 31st ult., but we have only received the "Valparaiso and West Coast Mail" of the 24th: We regret to receive this interesting paper with so much irregularity, for which we believe the postal authorities are solely to be blamed. The news from the sister Republics is not of general importance. Some extracts will be found in another column.

The Athletic Club had a meeting on Monday night, when Mr J. H. Green was elected chairman. Apropos of these sports we learn that a gentleman recently arrived from England, who states he has had great experience in such matters both in England and at Paris, has a project to get up a Gymnasium, provided he can find a partner with some capital to join in the enterprise.

From the United States of Colombia we learn that Panama, for the moment, is quiet, but it is feared that troubles have occurred, or will occur, in the interior. At Chiriqui much discontent prevailed, notwithstanding a commission with the view to treat for the establishment of peace left on the 25th September.

An action has been brought against our colleague the 'Republica' by Sor. Calvari, who has thought himself injuriously alluded to in two articles that appeared in its columns, by the pen of Dn. Florentino Gonzalez, in which some severe strictures are made on the system of recruiting in Europe for the Argentine army. Dr. Gonzalez, who will be naturally entrusted with the defence will have a fine opportunity of displaying his very high forensic abilities.

Yesterday our friend Major Rickard, left by the 'Lujan' for Rosario. He is charged by the National Government with a commission to examine and fully report upon the different mining districts and mineral products of the Republic, particularly in the provinces of Mendoza, San Juan, Cordova, Catamarca, Salta, and Jujuy. We believe it is the intention of Sor. Sarmiento, to propose to Congress some measures tending to develop the mineral industry of the country, and Major Rickards, practical acquaintance acquired during his long residence in the mining districts of San Juan and Chile, besides his scientific knowledge of the subject fully qualify him for the important mission entrusted to him. We doubt not that his report will be both useful and interesting. Captain Burton and the Hon. W. C. Maxwell, who left with him will probably accompany him as far as Mendoza, and thence cross the Andes to Chile.

We were favored yesterday with a visit from Mr. Krause, the indefatigable and intelligent poineer of progress and education in Chivilcoy—of which he may be said to have been the earliest founder. Mr. Krause has conceived the idea of forming a joint Stock Company for the erection of a Club and Theatre in Chivilcoy, and is actively engaged in getting shares subscribed. The ideas that form the basis of the new society deserve the most warm support. We shall to-morrow enter more fully into the subject.

The Collector of the Custom-house Sr Aguiere in a note addressed to the Minister of Finance informs having discoved a fraud in the ships papers of the French vessel Porta Cœli with a cargo of salt consigned to D. Bernardo Delfino. The culprit appears to be the lighterman Cayetano Dahi who in translating said papers changed the figure of one hundred and eighty fanegas of salt for one hundred and fifty. The offence being of a common nature the affair has been referred to the sectional judge,

Our active reporter from the South Plaza, Mr. Ezcurra brought yesterday morning to our office at an early hour a sample of the magnificent lot of wool sold at the remarkable price of $82 the arroba—the highest price obtained this year up to now. The wool belongs to Mr. Richard Simons of Magdalena.

On the occasion of the pic-nic on board the America, Messrs Rubio and Foley had fixed a large placard on the bank nearly opposite to where the America was moored, pointing out the exact spot where the terminus station of the Floresta and Lujan Branch Railway is to be erected. Apropos of this, we understand that the Northern Railway Campany consider that the proposed new branch railway is an infringement of their concession, and intend to oppose it very strenuously.

A Gualeguaychcu correspondent says—"Nothing doing here as yet in wools, buyers being shy in opening the market. Some good lots are being sent home on growers' account." We hear also great complaints of the scarcity of hands for shearing, a number of peons being constantly taken up for soldiers.

In the latest papers to hand from Cordoba we learn that Minister Caceres had left for Buenos Ayres on a mission to the National Government. The object of his mission is merely in connection with the expropriation of lands for the Central Argentine Railway.

The National Government has under consideration an important proposal for the construction of the railway decreed by Congress between Concordia and Mercedes in the provinces of Entre Rios and Corrientes, on account of the State, and to be paid by public funds issued at 80 per cent. With reference to this our influential colleague the "Tribuna" warmly advocates the suggestion that has already appeared in the columns of the "Standard" for the adoption of the narrow gauge for all railways to be built in future, on the very plausible ground that railways with a gauge of 3ft. 6in. cost one half less than those with a gauge of 5ft. and some inches, which is adopted on all our railways at present.

A communicated article in the "Tribuna" complains very bitterly of the injustice that is prevalent in the appointments and promotions in the Custom House. The writer is particularly severe against the Gefe de Alcadia, D. Fratos Martin, who, according to him, is most unpopular with all those who have the misfortune to serve under his orders.

The Naposta steamer has been purchased by Messrs. Drabble, Bros. for 30,000 patacons, and is to run between this port and Colonia, in the Banda Oriental.

The Provincial Senate was to have elected last night a new member of the High Court of Justice, in the room of Dr. Carrasco Dr Boneo was the favorite candidate of several senators, and we hope it may be our pleasing duty to congratulate this distinguished magistrate on obtaining a promotion he so highly deserves.

We are pleased to observe that our friend Mr. Phillips has been appointed by Mr. Banfield as sole agent to the Great Southern Railway, for booking parcels and luggage to be conveyed from the owner's house to any station on the line. This will be a great advantage to everyone, and, but for the hole on the mole, we might imagine ourselves in London, with a Railway Parcels Delivery Company.

We publish in another column a letter from our talented friend Mr. Arenales, in reply to some remarks we made on his objections to the use of the word 'tramway,' or 'trenway.' We regret we cannot agree with him in thinking 'Ferro Carril Urbano,' or even 'Carros' preferable; the first on account of its length, and the latter because it might lead to confusion, since the word means carts and not cars. What would our friend say to coining a new word, and call a tramway a 'tren-carril.'

The work of laying the water pipes is being pushed on with great activity through town. They now come high up in Calle Florida, and will soon be laid throughout the whole of Calle Bolivar.

Mr Riestra's charming quinta near Flores is now to be rented for the season—it is one of the sweetest places about town, and the advantage of a domestic dairy on the premises.

The American Minister, the Hon Mr Worthington, has removed from the Hotel La Paz to Calle Juncal, 109, close to where the late General Asboth formerly had the Legation.

Farmers complain of the way in which their wool is knocked about and trampled upon in the Western Railway Station. The place is so full of wool that the fleeces are trampled upon by brokers, &c.

We call special attention to an advertisement in another column, by which a magnificent property is offered for sale, situated in the most fashionable part of our suburbs. The picturesqueness of its situation, with a commanding view of the Palermo road and the broad waters of the Plate, recommends it as a most charming residence, and the steady rise in the value of property in the neighborhood ensure its being a most eligible investment. The property consists of a comfortable mansion and an extensive piece of ground covered with large trees most appropriate for park and gardens.

Last night the mail for the Panama was sent down to Montevideo. It is expected that the Panama will beat the mail.

We salute M. Giebert, of Fray Bentos, on his arrival from the Uruguay. He will probably learn with satisfaction that during his absence the Patent office, which fined him, has been done away with.

CENTRAL ARGENTINE RAILWAY AND THE HOME OFFICE.

The resident Director of the Central Argentine Railway, to his Excellency the Minister of the Interior.

Buenos Ayres, Oct. 20, 1868

Having informed Y.E., under date 12th August last, of the reopening of the works on the Central Argentine Railway, between Villa Nueva and Cordoba, and the time allowed for their completion being about to expire, I have now the honor to submit to Y.E. the various causes which have prevented the Company from finishing this important work within the contract time, and beg at the hands of Y.E. a prolongation of the time allowed, in view of the weighty reasons, which, as representative of the Company, it becomes my duty to enumerate for Y.E.'s consideration.

Unforeseen accidents, beyond our control, such as the rising of the river Carcaraña, which caused a suspension of the works on the bridge for a period of six months, from the 23rd October, 1864, to the 15th April, 1865, when the receding of the waters allowed them to be resumed; the loss of various ships laden with materials, as the Rosetta, lost off this port, with the machinery for the bridge over the Rio Segundo, causing a delay of nine months before it could be replaced; that of the Onward, off Maldonado, with the rails for the completion of the permanent way to Villa Nueva; the prolonged delay in the arrival of others, as in the case of the Maria, the which has been duly registered in the English Consulate at Rosario; the non-conveyance to the Company of the ground conceded by the contract, so that in Santa Fé they are not yet in legal possession of any, and in Cordoba that part of the line between Tortugas to within a short distance of Frayle Muerto is the only land as yet legally made over to them, the delay in the payment for the 15,000 shares, which Congress authorised Government to take in order to have the work finished, the scarcity of laborers caused by the war, in consequence of the recruiting agents refusing to recognise the immunity from service legally granted to the men working on the railway; the cholera, which twice prevailed along the whole extent of the line, principally at Villa Nueva, where, on one occasion, out of 12 master carpenters, working at the station, 9 died in a few days; the revolutions in Santa Fé and Cordoba, which left us without laborers, and prevented us bringing from Cordoba the lime indispensable for the construction of stations and bridges;—all these, Y.E., are the general and publicly notorious reasons for our not being able to complete our contract within the appointed time, and give us a right to the prolongation of time which I have already asked for.

Although our contract was not signed until the 26th of May, 1863, the earthworks had already been commenced in April of the same year, and were continued until July, 1866, having then reached Villa Nueva, when they were discontinued, for reasons hereafter to be mentioned. The permanent way was commenced in Oct., 1864, on the arrival of the first cargo of rails; but its construction was interrupted towards the end of the year, through the delay in the arrival of the Maria with sleepers—a delay which was, in due course, made known to the Minister of the Interior.

In the record published by the Home Office in 1865 we find the following reference to the works in progress on this railway:—

"The works, begun with creditable activity and economy, have for some time been progressing but slowly, for reasons which could neither be foreseen nor avoided. The difficulty in freighting ships in European ports in consequence of the wars in the United States and Denmark, caused a scarcity in Rosario of the most essential part of the materials for the construction of the line—viz., the iron sleepers on which the rails rest; and a delay of many months occurred, for the reason assigned, and from the difficulties attending their manufacture."

The construction of the permanent way was recommenced in June, 1865, and continued until August, 1866, having then reached Fraile Muerto, when it was stopped, in consequence of the Government failing to deliver up the land to the Company, for which reason the earthworks had also to be suspended at Villa Nueva.

The lands ceded to the Company should, according to Art. 12 of the deed of contract, be delivered to them as the works proceeded; and the contractors having agreed to take, as part payment, half of these lands, when the works reached Fraile Muerto, called on the Company to fulfil this part of their contract; but the Government having failed to assign them to the Company, the latter could not do so, and the works were brought to a standstill, due notice having been given to the Government.

The Chairman of the Board of Directors, Sr. Zoegan, addressed, on the 23rd July, 1866, a letter to the Minister of the Interior, urging on him the necessity of legally conveying to the Company all lands, at least those up to the point to which the line had been completed, in order to utilise them for the benefit of the Company and the country. On the 2nd of August of the same year, the Minister of the Interior answered that before the end of the year all the lands in Santa Fé, and in a relatively short space of time those in Cordoba would be delivered to the Company.

Elated with this hope, the Company ordered, in March, 1867, that the construction of the permanent way should be continued from Fraile Muerto to Villa Nueva, to which point it was completed in the end of August of same year.

Notwithstanding this, the lands comprised in the Province of Santa Fé, which should have been delivered in 1866, have not as yet been handed over to the Company, this delay injuring, to a considerable extent, the credit of the Company, affecting the price of their shares, and rendering it impossible for them to fulfil their engagements with the contractors.

The only lands conveyed to the Company were those in the province of Cordova from Tortugas to Frayle Muerto, [less by two leagues and a half not yet delivered up,] in Sept. 1867. Those between Fraile Muerto and Villa Nueva have not yet been received by the Company, although this part of the line has been opened to public traffic for more than a year. This delay in the conveyance of the lands on which the Directors counted to enable them to place the 30,000 shares which had remained unissued since ehe foundation of the company, the Paraguayan war, the continual revolutions in the Interior, the monetary crisis in Europe in 1866, the depreciation in the value of railway shares; all rendered it impossible for the Directors to raise the £600,000 necessary for the completion of the line from Villa Nueva to Cordova, and on the 23rd February 1867, application was made to Government for their co-operation in procuring half this amount.

The Government fully convinced of the importance of pushing on the works, and of the justice of the reasons put forward by the Directors, applied to Congress, and obtained permission to subscribe for fifteen thousand shares, by the law of 12th Sept 1867, and on the 25th Sept. it was agreed between the Government and the undersigned, that the amount of the fifteen thousand shares, £300,000 stg. should be paid, one half in London in National Bonds, issued by virtue of the law of 27th May 1865, the other half here in monthly payments of £10,000. The same law which authorized the Government to subscribe for fifteen thousand shares, prorogued the time for the completion of the line till the 31st October this year, in other words, five months more than the time fixed by the original contract.

Senor Riestra having been ordered by the Argentine Government to redeem those bonds, informed the chairman of the company in December last that it would be impossible for him to do so, until he should have effected the borrowing of another million stg. negotiations for which were impending, as out of the million already raised nothing remained.

This resolution of Sr. Riestra has been very prejudicial to the interests of the Company, as the Government were informed in March of this year. The Company counting on this money for the continuation of the works, as they had informed the Government when asking for their assistance, saw themselves obliged to suspend the purchase and transport of materials until July of this year, when the funds were received from Senor Riestra.

From the foregoing Y. E. will easily perceive that the extension of time granted by the law of September, viz, 5 months, is by no means sufficient; for the funds having only come to hand in July, there has not been the necessary time for the purchase, transport, and reception of the materials, or construction of the line, the date fixed expiring this present month, October.

The Company were always under the impression that when the Government subscribed for the fifteen thousand shares for the continuing of the works to 'Villa Nueva;' the additional time granted would be until October, next year [1869] and also that they would receive the funds immediately, This would have been a fair date to fix, and would have left ample time for the purchase and transmission of materials and the construction of the line.

So strong was this impression on the part of the Company, that on referring to the law of the 12th September, extending the time to 31st October this year, they believed it to be an error in the printing of the date, this latter being a prolongation so entirely insufficient, During the three months which intervened between the payment for the shares subscribed for, and the expiration of the time allowed, there was no time for the purchase, transport, or laying down of even a yard of rails, and for this reason the Company, always thought, there had been a mistake made in fixing the date.

The statement which I have now had the honor of laying before Y. E. refers to the earthworks and permanent way; respecting the Stations I crave Y. E's. permission to say a few words.

The Government were asked for the ground necessary for the erection of the station at Rosario in 1864, In October 1865 a commission whose duty it was to arrange this matter, was named, but not until the 23rd of May 1867 was it handed over to the Company. The day following the surrendering of the ground the work of leveling was commenced, a most laborious work in consequence of the enormous quantity of earth which had to be removed, and notwithstanding the ravages of cholera and the Revolution in Rosario the works were vigorously pushed forward.

The ground for the station at Fraile Muerto was asked from Government in April 1866, and in June 1867 provisional possession of it was obtained, up to the present the deed of conveyance has not been signed; although the station is almost finished, and is well built and commodious.

The ground for the station at Villa Nueva was asked for in September 1866, and only came into the company's possession in June 1867. The deed of conveyance has not yet been signed. The works on this station had to be suspended in consequence of the cholera, which carried off the greater number of the master workmen, and caused all the labourers to flee. Afterwards came the revolution in Luengo, which prevented the contractors from obtaining the lime necessary for continuing the works, and rendered it impossible for us to hire labourers, the recruiting agents taking away our people in direct violation of Article 6 of the deed, of contract.

Notwithstanding, a large goods store and offices for the employés have been erected, and the work will be finished in a short time.

The intermediate stations in the Province of Santa Fé have not yet been erected, for as I have already informed Y.E., the necessary lands in this province have not as yet been handed over to the company, and the contractors cannot commence working on ground which does not belong to them.

The ground for the station at Cordoba was asked for in October, 1866, and on the 2nd of this present month the order for its delivery was signed.

Approaching Cordova there is an incline of four kilometres in length, where it will be necessary to remove three hundred thousand metres of earth. The land through which the line passes is private property, and the company cannot commence levelling this incline until put in possession of the ground. Y.E. will perceive how much the works will be delayed unless the ground be as soon as possible delivered to the company, in order that advantage may be taken of the fine season, and the works at this point commenced as soon as possible.

I have taken the liberty of laying before Y.E. this succinct 'resumé' of the state of our works, and the various causes which have impeded their progress, with the object of showing Y.E. how serious, and how completely beyond our control, have been the difficulties with which we have had to contend, and, at the same time, to ask you, in conformity with that sense of justice which has always characterised your public acts, to grant us the extension of time necessary for the completion of this work, destined to produce the best results in the Provinces of the Interior, where railways are so much required for the transport of their products.

Happily, the bridge over Rio 2°, the most important work on the line, is nearly finished, and as soon as the ground in Cordova has been delivered to us, the works will immediately be commenced, in order that when the plant and rails arrive the inclined plane may be ready for their reception. The works will be commenced at all points simultaneously, and if, as I hope, the materials already bought in London, arrive in due course, this great and important undertaking will be brought to a conclusion during the coming year, on the date which I have the honor to ask Y.E. to fix for that purpose.

As regards the conveyance of the lands, we believe efforts are being duly made to facilitate the necessary forms in the Province of Santa Fé; and the Government of Cordova is doing all in its power to remove the difficulties attending the delivery of those in that Province.

The company, as well as the contractors, have named Special Commissioners for the sending out of agricultural settlers, and only await the legal conveyance of the lands to form a definite plan for colonising them. Y.E. will probably think with me that the day is not far distant when on both sides of the Central Argentine industrious settlements will spring up, which will serve as a practical school of agriculture for the entire Republic, an inexhaustible source of commerce for the foreigner, which will increase not only our population, but the national wealth, and add to the resources of the Republic.

God preserve Y.E. many years.

THOMAS ARMSTRONG.

B. Ayres, Oct. 21, 1868.

Referred to the Solicitor of the Treasury.

LUIS V. VARELA.

October 24, 1868.

The reasons put forward by the Director in support of his request for an extension of time, subject to the approval of Congress, appear to me to be well-founded, if they so seem to you.

R. FERREIRA.

B. Ayres, Nov. 2, 1868.

Having taken the opinion of the Solicitor of the Treasury, and taking into consideration the weighty reasons advanced by the representative of the Central Argentine Railway Company, the date fixed for the completion of the line to Cordoba is hereby postponed until December 31, 1869.

Let this be made known, submitted in due course to Congress for approval, published, and handed to the National Registrar.

SARMIENTO.
D. VELEZ SARSFIELD.

TELEGRAFIC COMMUNICATION With SOUTH AMERICA.

North America has for some time had the benefit of an ocean wire and of daily intercourse with Europe through its instrumentality. The East enjoys a similar advantage, but South America has yet to be reached by this modern agency, the question being as to the most desirable rout. As we remarked in our last number, but for the stupidity of the Portuguese Chambers is refusing to ratify a contract entered into with their own Government, a cable would by this time have been laid from Falmouth direct to Portugal, of which both that country and ourselves would now be reaping the benefit; and it was also intended to continue it on to the Azores Islands, from thence to one of the West India Islands, and eventually to be extended to the South American coast.

Lisbon has hitherto been a useful link in connection with Brazil and River Plate, as the news by the mail steamers calling there is telegraphed on, and messages are sent to overtake them at Lisbon on their way out, thus saving a few days both ways. This facility is stopped for the present, owing to the revolution in Spain, through which country the wires have to pass on their way to Lisbon, and much inconvenience will be felt from the stoppage, which only renders it the more annoying that Portugal should have so stultified itself in not availing of the opportunity to possess an independent telegraphic communication with this country. The working of the wires through Spain has always been tedious and uncertain, but for the present even this modicum of facility is neutralized. It is to be hoped the question of telegraphic communication with South America will soon be mooted and a project organized for carrying it into operation. It was rumored that the Atlantic Telegraph Company had it in contemplation to connect Panama with their system, and to go down the West Coast to Lima and Valparaiso, from whence it would be quite practicable to carry a line over the Andes to meet the wires coming on from Buenos Ayres by means of the Central Argentine Railway. This would at once place Buenos Ayres and Montevideo in the telegraphic relation with Europe; and it is only 1,000 miles from Montevideo to Rio de Janeiro; so the whole South American coast would by this means enjoy the greatest benefit of modern times. Of one thing we are very sure that the Government of Brazil and the Argentine Republic would deal liberally with parties who migh come forward with a practical measure for establishing a line to reach them through some channel, whether it be a direct ocean cable starting from Falmouth and Lisbon, or by the way of Panama, as already mentioned. Our extensive and increasing commerce with Brazil and the River Plate, as well as the importance of those countries, renders it a necessity that they should from part of the great telegraphic system that is now being carried over the civilized world, both old and new.

ASTRONOMERS.

FLAMSTEED.

The Rev. John Flamsteed was born at Denby, near Derby, August 19, 1864. He began his mathematical and astronomical studies at a very early age, and showed talents for constructing astronomical instruments. He took orders in 1675. In consequence of the grave errors to which astronomical tables were then subject, Charles II. determined to establish an observatory, and Flamsteed, who was then in correspondence with many scientific men, but more especially with the learned Sir John Moore, was appointed first Astronomer Royal, or as the warrant ran, 'Astronomical Observer,' which office he held until his death, and carried on his observation in the Queen's house, in Greenwich Park, until the observatory was ready, which was in July 1676. From the establishment of the observatory Mr. Baily dates the commencement of modern astronomy; nor can such chronology be disputed, if we consider that we now return to Flamsteed's observations as the earliest with which it is desirable to compare those of our day, and also that Flamsteed's catalogue is the first which attained a precision comparable to that of later times. Flamsteed was in fact Tycho Brahe, with a telescope: there was the same capability of adapting instrumental means, the same sense of the inadequacy of existing tables, the same long-continued perseverance in actual observation. But Tycho Brahe, a rich noble, found his exchequer in a king's purse; while Flamsteed, a poor clergyman, defrayed the expenses of his instruments himself, upon an ill-paid salary of £100 a year. Flamsteed died in 1725, at the age of 56. His public career is described, when we say he discovered the real causes of the equation of time, that he collected an enormous mass of observations which furnished the first trustworthy catalogue of the fixed stars; that he made those lunar observations, on which Newton depended for the illustration and verification of his lunar theory; and that he originated and practiced methods of observing, which may be said to form the basis of those employed at the present time. The private life of Flamsteed was deficient in incident, if we except a fierce quarrel which he had with Sir Isaac Newton, which has raised a question in the scientific world as to the originators of certain astronomical theories,

OUR LADY OF MERCY'S HOME FOR IMMIGRANTS.

The Sisters of Mercy have taken a house in Calle Chacabuco, No. 248, for the purposes specified below, and they will feel very grateful to those who will kindly aid them in the good work by their charitable donations. As the house is greatly out of repair, and they will require to build a few additional rooms, their expenses will at first be heavy, but after that the establishment will nearly, if not entirely, support itself.

It will have for its object the benefit and consolation, spiritual and temporal, of the poor immigrant girls of good character, on their first arrival in this country, affording them a secure and peaceful home until their friends claim them, or until they are provided with suitable situations. It will also afford a safe home to those who may have to leave their situations, until they get others.

The Sisters also intend opening an English day-school in the same house.

Since the circulars were sent round last month, the Sisters gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the above charitable object:

Mr. James Macquire, Mercedes	$500
Mr. Thomas Cunningham and puesteros, Lujan	400

SISTER M. E.,
Convent of Mercy.
November 21, 1868.

CITY TRAMWAYS.

141, Perú, Buenos Ayres,
Nov. 24, 1868.

To the Editors of the "Standard".

Gentlemen,

In your to-day's edition I perceive you wrongly state something I did not say, in the "Nacion," in regard to the "Ferró Carriles Urbanos," otherwise the tramways, or the city railways.

I said—

"Ahora la nueva Compañia bautiza estos caminos con el nombre de trenways," &c.

This does not mean that you are the "fathers" of the name "trenway." Is it English? Is it Spanish?

And why should we call "tramways" to what has a Castilian name—viz., Ferro Carril urbano?

The Yankee name is "city railroad," and yet, speaking, nobody says—"I am going to take the city railroad to the Central Park". Every body will shortly say—"I am going to take the 'cars,' &c. But the word "cars" is English, and hence in Havana the name "Ferro Carril urbano" was replaced by "Los Carros," "Los Carritos, but the company's firm is "Compañia de los Ferro Carriles urbanos de la ciudad de la Habana."

If you think that "tramway" or "trenway" is shorter than "Ferro Carril de sangre," surely also "Los Carros" would be shorter and more appropriate, this word being true Castilian.

I remain, Gentlemen,
Yours truly,
A. M. ALVAREZ DE ARENALES.

ON CHANGE

	Nov. 24, 1868.
Ounces	400.
Sovereigns	122½.
Patacons	25.
Nat. Bonds	48¾

There was very little done in Bonds to-day—the market rules extremely firm, and closed with an upward tendency. It was very freely stated on 'Change to-day that there are probabilities of peace being concluded with Lopez through the mediation of General MacMahon—in fact, parties who are supposed to possess superior information on such matters state that it entirely rests with Lopez himself as to whether the Argentine Republic continues with the war or not. Any disposition on the part of Lopez to bring about peace will be met by the Argentine Republic in the most honorable manner, and the annulling of the articles of the protocol to the Triple Alliance, by Congress, shows that both houses will support President Sarmiento in the adoption of a peace policy. This rumor of peace, apparently with some foundation, had a marked effect on the Bond market; the bears failed to drive prices down, and are now leaving the market to itself. Should the Argentine Republic withdraw from the contest, and leave Brazil and Paraguay to settle between themselves, Bonds will, as a natural consequence, rebound, and an improvement of from 10 to 12 per cent in prices may be looked for.

The debt of the country is after all a trifle, if the exchequer had not to attend to the enormous drain for the army. The revenue is amply sufficient to meet all demands and work out every necessary reform, when once peace is concluded; bond-holders therefore look forward with hope to the happy conclusion of Minister McMahon's mission.

There was some exchange done to-day at 49½ and 5,20 on France: we heard of some French exchange done to-day at 5.25.

The 'Proveedor' from Paraguay; arrived, she brought nothing of much importance, the rain storms have caused immense loss to the military stores; the river is still rising, and the position of Osorio in the Chaco is represented as critical. A private letter states that the attack on Villeta, was arranged for to-day or to-morrow.

Messrs. Muir and Co. have sold the steamer 'Naposta' to run on the Colonia line, for $f.25,000.

It is rumored that a very fine lot of Banda Oriental wool has been sold to an American firm the price is reserved.

The Saladero of Lopez is commencing to work. A contract for cattle has been concluded with Sor. Casalités, for novillos, $175; cows, $100.

The Saladero La Francesa, Messrs. Selges and Ferrando, also commences working. The price of saladero cattle in the corrales to-day was 160 to 170 for novillos, and 85 to 100 for cows.

In the wool markets there is great animation, and heavy sales in both markets. Messrs. Unzue sold largely in the Once; in fact, they sold all they had in the station, and nearly all they have in the Plaza, over 10,000 ar., at current prices.

Our special reporter of the North Plaza gives the following sales:—

600 ar	Robbio	52
200 ar	do	50
200 ar	do	54
100 ar	do	48
15 carts,	Aramburu	50, 52
200 ar	Saenz	52
900 ar	Nunez	53
2000 ar	Diaz	50, 52
4000 ar	Raffo	47, 54
600 ar	Ghiraldo	54
500 ar	do	48
200 ar	Risso	45
1500 ar	Duggan	56
2000 ar	do	55
1000 ar	do	54
5000 ar	do	51
2000 ar.	do	52
1000 ar	do	56, 57

Mr Burmeister, South Plaza, made the following sales:

350 ar good wool	58½
400 do. do.	57
250 do do	55
700 do do	52
200 do do	50

Our active reporter early this morning brought us a sample of the prime Magdalena wool from Mr. Simons. It is fine, clean, light and in good condition.

Wool sales.

2400 ar. in 4 lots at 51, 54, and 57.
1680 ar sold at 54 and 58.

640 ar. at	51½
750 ar.	53
815 ar.	68

1400 ar. 56, 58, and 60.

930 ar. at	55
744 ar.	63

3455 ar. in 5 lots at 54, 57 and 58.
1200 ar. from Magadalena, the best seen this year, sold at 82.

Dry hides—1300 sold at 122, and 125.
600 at 124.
400 good matadero 12$.
13 lots at the Plaza and Station at 105, 112, 115, 122, and 124.

Sheepskins—very important sales, from 68 up to 155, according to class and condition.

Horse hides—one large lot al barrer 25.

Other lots at 28, 30, and 30½ each.

Horse hair—several lots at 148, 150 and 152.

Grease and tallow—100 bord. in shipping order 14½ rls. silver.
Another lot at 14¼.
320 ar. in panzas at 34.

Capones—very fat with wool, 4 troops at Barracas and Corrales 30, 33, and 36 each.

Sales by Donovan and Bentham:

Wool 1200 ar. [R Simons Magdalena]	82
„ 400 ar. [with bellies, Michael Hussy]	65
„ 750 ar. [mixed]	49½
1240 capones & sheep	37½
250 doz. sheep skins	155
Santillan & Leguineche:	
700 ar.	at 58
800	52
400	49
1100	54
350	60

Pipas and bordalesas 43 per ar.
Pansas 35–36.

BIRTH.

November 24, at 184 Calle Suipacha, Malvina, wife of Commander G. Cilley, U.S. Navy, of a son.

PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER.

Genoa, December 16, 1865.

Dear Sir—Accept thanks for this third supply of Davis' Pain Killer. This medicine has often relieved me of serious indisposition, and I would not on any account consent to be without it both for myself and family.

I have recommended it to my late colleagues and friends in Tunis and Genoa, and at my request one of the largest druggists in this city has sent an order to New York to meet the demand in this place.

Yours truly, G. A. TULNI,
Ex-Consul General of Sweden and Norway and of Prussia in Tunis.

STEAMBOAT AGENCY OF MATTI AND PIERA, 36½ CALLE CUYO.

The steamer Rio Negro on Friday, at 10 a.m., for Salto and ports.

The Tala To-day at 10 a.m., for Zarate Baradero, Rosario, and ports. From the Rail, way Station, Retiro.

The steamer Lujan To-morrow at 10 a.m., for Gualeguay, Rosario, Parana, and Santa Fe, From the Railway Station, Retiro.

The Rio Uruguay on Saturday, at 6 p.m., for Montevideo. Passages reduced.

STEAMBOAT AGENCY OF H. DOWSE, 67, CALLE 25 DE MAYO.

The steamer Beauly, every Wednesday and Saturday, at 10 a.m., for Colonia.

The steamer Estrella, every Thursday, for San Pedro and ports, at half-past 12 p.m. From the Retiro.

The steamer Estrella, for Rosario, on every Saturday. From the Railway Station, Retiro, at 10 a.m.

MR. S. J. NORTON, Teacher of the Pianoforte. For terms, address 261 CALLE VICTORIA. 213,1mn25

GENERAL POST-OFFICE.

Mails for Brazil, North America, and Europe, will be forwarded, per Steamship Flamsteed hence for Rio de Janeiro and Liverpool, on, Thursday, 26th inst., correspondence being received on said day up to Half-past One, at the Central Office, and up to Two o'Clock at the Branch Office, in Calle 25 de Mayo.

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 24, 1868.

206,2pn,25 F. P. HANSEN, Secretary.

PROVINCIAL BANK.

The public are hereby informed that the issue of $200 notes, bearing date 12th April, 1867, has been extensively counterfeited, the principal points of difference between the good and false notes being—

1st. The signature of Almeira y Don, badly imitated.

2d. The quality of the paper quite different from that of the good notes.

3d. The clean blue color in the centre of the good notes is badly brought out in the false ones.

November 23, 1868.

204,8p,n25 E. V. ZAMUDIO.

THE Friends and Relations of the late Mr. John O'Rourke, are requested to attend a Mass, which will be celebrated for the eternal Repose of his Soul, on the 19th of DECEMBER, in St. James's Church, Barradero.

205,6pd,&1pw,n25

PIANOFORTE TUNING.

MR. S. J. NORTON, late of Collard an, Collard, and Chappell's, London. Pianofortes tuned and repaired in a first-class manner. 261—CALLE VICTORIA—261.

214,1m,n25

CAN be obtained at RUSHTON and TRILLIA'S, Calle Cuyo, 57 and 57½, price $60 m/c. Orders from Montevideo, or towns on the Uruguay or Paraná, attended to with despatch. ☞ 20 per cent. reduction if more than Ten Copies. 116,1m,n25

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The Public are informed that on and after the 1st December Parcels and Luggage can be booked for any Station on the Line at 35 m/c per ar., at

"THE CENTRAL PARCELS OFFICE,"
MINERAL WATER ESTABLISHMENT.
23—RIVADAVIA—23.

Company's Agent,
A. PHILLIPS. 209,6pn25

THERE will shortly be opened a Coffee House, situated in the Calle 25 de Mayo, No. 66. 201,6pn24

ATTENTION!—For Sale, a fine Estancia, 35 leagues from town to the west, one league postage by one league long, will be sold very cheap. Any person wishing to obtain this Establishment, will please apply to No. 470 Calle Parque. 202,6p,n24

MR. EDWARD HAYNE

A Case addressed as above, per Steamer Union, has been laying at the Office of the undersigned for one month.

WOODGATE, Brothers,
Shipbrokers,
42—SAN MARTIN—42.

200,6p,n24

FOR LONDON, now loading in port, the fine British clipper Brigantine,
JULIA LINGLEY,
298 Tons,
PRATT, Master,
Can still receive a few Bales or other light freight. Apply to GREEN, LE ROSSIGNOL, and Co., No. 85, Reconquista. 202,19pn24

TO SHIPPERS OF WOOL.—An Englishman wishes to meet with an engagement to classify wool, or to superintend the baling and shipping of wool for merchants. Address M., Standard Office. 182,6p,n22

THE MINERAL WATER ESTABLISHMENT.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS:

"What everybody says must be true."

I have visited the Model Club, and consider it perfection.—Special Reporter to the London *Times*.

"Yes, Sir, I went, and more than once, you bet."—Special Reporter to the *New York Herald*.

I go—we go—they all go.—Special Reporter to the *Liverpool Mercury*.

About the nicest place in the world.—Special Reporter to the *Manchester Guardian*.

What has long been wished for, and is now most ably and effectually carried out by our friend, Mr. Phillips, is "The Mineral Water Establishment," combining as it does everything that assists to make life happy and pleasant. —*Buenos Ayres Standard*. 193,22p,n22

RICHARD E. LETT, of Kilgibbin, County Wexford, will oblige by sending his address to Walter Thomas, of Liverpool. Office of this paper. 195,6p,n22

RE-OPENED, THE BOWLING-ALLEY No. 70 Calle 25 de Agosto, Montevideo. 179,1m,n20

NEW ENGLISH AND AMERICAN BOARDING-HOUSE AND BILLIARD SALOON, No. 66 CALLE CORRIENTES.

The undersigned notifies his friends and customers that he has removed from No. 7 Pasoo Julio to the above more commodious premises, where good board and all kinds of choice drinks can be had at moderate rates.

180,12p,n20 WILLIAM BROWNE.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned beg to give Notice to the Commercial Community, that Mr. Edmund Napp has entered from this date as Partner in our Barraca Business.

November 19, 1868.

182,6p,n20 G. JEPPENER & CO.

HEALTH! QUINTA! HEALTH! — On the Lomas de Zamora, distant about two squares from the Burraco Station, there is now to be sold the well-known House and its adjoining Lands, called the Almacen del Vapor. The land comprises twenty squares, with five squares of frontage to the main road and Railway. The house is a solidly-built brick edifice, built like a town residence, and contains six rooms, kitchen, and closet. A part of the land is under wire-fencing, alfalfa, and choice fruit trees. For further particulars apply at No. 95 Calle Potosi. 192,1m,n20

COLISEUM.

Se previene á las accionistas que la reunion general tendra lugar en los Salones del edificio, el Jueves 26 Noviembre, 1868.

A las 7½ de la noche. 172,6p,n20

ST. PATRICK'S LIBRARY, SALTO.

The members of the above (including members of the Literary Society) are requested to attend the General Meeting, to be held on Sunday, the 13th of December, 1868, to audit accounts and consult on an important question, bearing on the interests of the Society. 116,6p,n17

INTERESTING—A splendid cattle breeding Establishment, situated within three leagues of the town of Patagones, on the Rio Negro, will be given in exchange for a Plot of Ground [on the north side of this city], with 15 yards frontage and average depth. The Establishment consists of a suerte of estancia, two wooden houses, corrales, &c., situated 100 yards from the river. For further particulars apply at Corrientes, No. 447. 156,6p,n19

SECOND-HAND FURNITURE bought—Pianos, Carpets, Books, &c. Apply at Calle Rivadavia, 573 (down stairs.) English spoken. 136,6p,n17

REMATE,

POR PABLO ESCALANTE—JUDICIAL—De la propiedad perteneciente a Don Juan Vauquer sita en la Calle de Cochabamba entre San Jose y Lorea frente al colejio y capilla de las Hermanas de Caridad y próximo á la plaza del hueco de los Sauces y mercado Constitucion por mandato del Sr. Juez de primera Instancia en lo civil.

El Domingo 29 del corriente á las 6 en punto de la tarde se procederá á la venta al mas alto precio y dinero de contado dela espresada propiedad dividido del moda siguiente.

1er. Lote. Una casa edificada en el terreno compuesto de 24 varas de frente al Sud por 35 y media de fondo al Norte, con 10 piezas de material una con armazon y mostrador como para almacen, 2 piezas de madera, un pozo de rica agua y demas oficinas necesarias, un gran parral frutal é infinidad de árboles frutales y de jardin.

La tasacion de esta finca es muy baja, siendo en todos sus ramos la de 119,463$ m/c. no admitiendose oferta que bajo de las 2 terceras partes de su valor que son 79,642$ m/c.

2° Lote. Un terreno lindando con el anterior compuesto de 18 varas de frente al Sud con 53 y média de fondo al Norte, todo poblado de árboles frutales; como parras, naranjos, higueras de España etc., asi como una hermosa magnolia é infinidad de plantas de jardin.

La tasacion de este terreno es por la cantidad de 37,360$ m/c no admitiendose óferta que baje de las 2 terceras partes de su valor que son 24,907 pesos m/c.

Inutil es recomendar a los que se interesen en la adquisicion de esta propiedad de un porvenir incalculable por su posicion topográfica y solo recomendamos la puntualid en la hora indicada pues tiene que venderse inmediatamente.

Para mas pormenores San Martin 118.

210,xp,n25

POR TOMAS AYRES—En las Lomas de Zamora.

De un precioso terreno contiguo a la estacion, recien cercado de pared, con un gran porton de fierro y barandas de id, donde estará la bandera.

El Domingo 29 del corriente á las 10 y media en punto de la mañana en el acto de llegado el tren se rematará a la mas alta postura y dinero de contado el terreno y arboleda arriba espresado, compuesto de 63 varas de frente a la via, por 70 de fondo al Norte formando ángulo de esquina, con multitud de plantas de flores, venidas espresamente de Europa para dicha propiedad, 1 magnífico porton de fierro, dicho terreno está todo blanqueado, pudiendo edificar una linda casa de recreo con poco dinero, dista de la estacion 40 varas, los edificios linderos y por el frente son a la moderna, en suma, los hombres de gusto tienen una brillante oportunidad para comprar un terreno que quizá es el mejor situado en aquel pueblo por su situacion y estension, previniéndose que la venta será indispensable el dia y hora arriba indicado.

Por mas pormenores, Victoria 91.

11,3p,n25

CANARIES—A few only remain, and in order to close accounts, I have resolved to sell them at the lowest possible price.—Adolfo Reiche, Calle Artes, Las Artes, 200¼. 126,6p,n17

ROOMS—Wanted immediately, for a foreign gentleman, a Sala and two Rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with attendance. An English house would be very desirable. Apply at Calle Peru, No. 185. 170,6p,n19

TO WOOL SAMPLERS. — Strong Blue Wrapping Paper for Wool Samples.—Mackern, Brothers, 44 Calle San Martin. 159,10p,n19

AGENCIA DE HENRY DOWSE 67 CALLE MAYO.

For Rosario, the National Steamer Estrella, every Saturday, from the Tigre, leaving the Retiro Station at 10 a.m.

For San Pedro y Baradero, the Steamer Estrella, every Wednesday, from the Tigre, leaving the Retiro Station, at 12.25. 165,xp,n19

FOR COLONIA, every MONDAY, at 10 a.m., the British Steamer WHITEINCH, From the Agency of Henry Dowse, Calle 25 de Mayo, No. 67. 163,xpn19

ROSARIO AND PORTS, THE NACIONAL STEAMER ESTRELLA, Captain EDWARD DAVIS, Will leave every Saturday for Rosario and intermediate Ports, from the Tigre, leaving the Retiro Station at 10 a.m., and for San Pedro and Barradero every Wednesday, at 12:25, from the Retiro Station. 164,xp,n19

NEW GAS COMPANY.

PROSPECTUS.

CAPITAL:
500,000 hard dollars, in 5,000 Shares of 100 hard dollars each.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
President—Sr. Dn. Federico Terrero.
Vice-President—Dn. Carlos Saguier.
Srs. Dn Yrigoyen, Don Manricio Pennanio, and Don Juan Antonio Areco.
Manager—Sr. Dn. Diego Bell.
Bankers—Banco Argentino.

Company's Offices:
35—CALLE PERU—35.

This Company has been formed with the object of supplying a want generally felt throughout this great city, a considerable portion of which is still without gaslight, a fact which can scarcely be believed, since it is well known that in many cities of less importance, two and sometes three, Companies are supported, to the advantage of the shareholders and great benefit of the public.

The proposed capital is 500,000 hard dollars, divided into 500 shares of 100 hard dollars each, payable as follows:—10 per cent. on application, and 10 per cent. every three months, till all be paid.

Form of Application for Shares:

To the Manager of the New Gas Company.

Be good enough to allot me —— Shares in the New Gas Company of 100 hard dollars each, and I hereby undertake to comply with all the conditions contained in the Deed of Association.

Signature————
Residence————

199,1m,2n4

FOR SALE, the fast-sailing A 1 1/2 New York built ship CARLOS (formerly Wisconsin), of 950 tons register, built of hard wood, coppered and copper-fastened, thoroughly repaired in New York in July last. Has a complete inventory, with two suits of sails, and in every way well found, and in perfect condition to undertake any voyage.

For terms and further particulars apply to her consignees, ZIMMERMANN, FAIR, and CO., 7 Calle Bolivar, Plaza Victoria. 165,6p,n19

HORSE TO BE SOLD.—To be Sold, a fine Horse, Alezan, good and safe, and very strong. Apply to the Caballerize del Plata, Calle 25 de Mayo; or to the Proprietor, H Rodoman, Cangallo, 47. 188,6pn19

NOTICE.—By mutual agreement Mr Frederic Rothe has withdrawn, since the 1st of October of the present year, from my Barraca Business, which I now carry on for my sole account.

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 16, 1868.

IVAN C. MOHR.

In reference to the above advertisement, I beg to notify the Commercial Public of Buenos Ayres that I have established for my sole account a Barraca Business in the Plaza Constitucion, corner of Calles Brazil and Tacuari.

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 16, 1868.

143,5p,n18 FREDERIC ROTH.

GENERAL CAMP AGENCY

JOHN C. ESBENS.

Public Agent and Accoutant, &c.
73—CALLE VICTORIA—73

Begs to inform his numerous friends in Town and in the Camp, that he is in a position to give the fullest satisfaction to all who may favor him with their commands. He undertakes the collection of accounts, and arrangement of same; also the entire management of testamentaria affairs, which he is thoroughly acquainted with. A quick and honorable despatch may be counted on. Security given if required.

73—VICTORIA—73. 36,xp,o8

AMERICAN PERIODICALS FOR SEPTEMBER, 1868.

Single Copies sold at the Agency, 91 Piedad. (English spoken.) 154,6p,n19

CORRALES AND WEHMANN
Consignatorios de Frutos del País,
AND
Agencia en General de la Campaña,
Wool and Produce Brokers.
OFFICE:
No. 154 CALLE LIMA.
161,xpn19

THE greatest luxury at this time of year is a sea-water bath in your own room.
TIDMAN'S SEA SALT,
a perfect substitute for sea-bathing, may be obtained at—
GRANWELL'S,
Chemist,
30—RIVADAVIA—30.
191,12,pn22

$200 REWARD.

LOST, an Engineer's second-class Certificate for competency, in the name of John McKinnon. The finder is earnestly requested to return it to Mr. Brown, Almacen, Calle 25 de Mayo, corner of Cangallo. 167,6p,n19

ENGLISH MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT.
71—CALLE BOLIVAR—71.

Mrs. M'Dougall begs to announce to the Ladies of Buenos Ayres and neighborhood that she has just received a large and very choice assortment of Summer Goods, embracing all the newest styles in French and English bonnets, English straw and English enamelled straw, chip and crinoline hats, trimmed and untrimmed, in great variety, boys and childrens' do.; parasols shawls, fancy and white skirts, Honiton lace collars, cuffs, and handkerchiefs, infants' sewed robes, merino cloaks and hoods, childrens' dresses and pinafores, ladies and childrens' hose, stays, underclothing, and baby linen, belt buckles, back combs, chignons, and jet chains, sewed cushions and slippers, stockings, and Berlin wools. 331,1m,o30

BARATILLO PORTEÑO
91—CALLE PIEDAD—91.

Silk cloth hats for boys, last novelty, $30, silk plush hats for men $50, fine white calico $70 the piece of 20 yards, crinolines, colored ones, $20 fine muslin $5 per yard, French calicoes for dresses and coverlets, $4 per yard, muslin dresses of 11 yards, $40 do., imperial $46, cloth, pure wool, double width, $34 per yard, white straw hats $20, boots for women, $50, for men $90, do for boys, $30 and 50, good writing paper $25 the ream.—English spoken. 160,6pn19

HOME WASHING MACHINES.—A few of these celebrated Washing Machines for family use, just received from New York, are still on hand.—A. Bailey and Co., 186 Parque. 144,1m,n19

AUCTION SALE,
By MARIANO BILLINGHURST,
At the Tigre, of the Iron Steamer Zenobia, by order of the Court.

On Monday, the 30th inst., at One o'Clock, p.m., will be sold for the highest bid, the above-mentioned Steamer, of 823 tons burden, 238 feet long, 26 in breadth, and 17 in depth.

For further particulars, apply to the Auctioneer, Potosi, No. 70. 33,xp,n4

ANOTHER,

AT the PASEO JULIO, fronting Messrs. Llavallol, of the British Brig Ocean Belle, by order of the Court.

On Friday, the 27th inst., at 11 o'clock, a.m., will be sold for the highest bid, the above-mentioned British brig Ocean Belle, ready for sea, of 124 tons register.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, at Potosi, No. 70. 34,xp,n4

FRESH LAID EGGS and New Milk every morning, at Palermo Station.—F. C. Norte. 64,1m,n17.

FOR SALE—A Mansion, situate in extensive and parklike ground, in the most fashionable quarter of the town, and in close proximity to paved streets. The trees and avenue are full grown. The view of the River Plate is unrivalled. This Property combines not only present advantages, but a certain rise in its value within a few years. For further particulars apply to Mr. Jackson, Bolsa de Comercio. 218,6p,n25

SE ALQUILA una casa quinta sita en el pueblo de Belgrano a tres cuadras de la estacion tiene 8 piezas y demas oficinas necesarias, mas de 800 árboles frutales para mas formenores ocurrir a la Calle Esmeralda No. 317 en los altos. 197,6p,n24

TO LET, a Furnished Bedroom, in a newly-furnished House; also a Coach-house, suitable for a carriage or gig, with stalls for one or two horses. Apply at 175 Maipu. 198,6pn24

TO LET, BIRCH COTTAGE, containing eight rooms, coach-house, stables, galpon, and hen-house, with all other necessaries, situated in the Calle Santiago del Estero, between San Juan and Cochabamba, No. 307. A spacious Quinta attached to the same. Apply at Calle 25 de Mayo, No. 7. 184,6p,22

HOUSE TO BE SOLD CHEAP—A modern and commodious Dwelling-house, situated in Calle del Paraguay, No. 158, with a parlour six rooms, two yards, and garden, tank, well, kitchen, illuminated with gas, &c. For particulars apply at the same House at any hour. 208,3p,n25

HOUSE—A large family residence, comprising 22 rooms, with 3 patios, is at present vacant in one of the central streets. A contract for five years will be given. Address 'House,' at this Office. 104,3p,n22

AN AMERICAN TILBURY is wanted for two or four persons, with Four Wheels, and for one horse. It is required to be in good use. Apply at 74 Calle Venezuela, from Eleven to Four. 178,6p,n20

A Young Man, who can produce first-class recommendations, wants a situation to wait on a gentleman, or as Steward with a respectable family. Address Steward, at this Office. 176,6p,n20

A Young Man, wants a situation as Cook, either in town or camp. Has good recommendations. Apply at No. 70 Paseo de Julio. 212,3p,n25

GOVERNESS—A Lady, just arrived from England, who teaches English, French, Italian, and Music, seeks an engagement in a respectable family. Good references. Address Governess, at this Office. 190,10p,n22

SIRVIENTA—Se necesita una en la Calle de la Esmeralda No. 317 [altos] es envano que se presente sin tener buenas recomendaciones. 196, 6p,n24

PEON WANTED, a strong, active, sober Man; and a Boy also. Aply at the Office of the Standard, or 528 Calle Tacuari. 148,6p,n18

TEACHERS WANTED—One who can teach English, French, and Spanish. Also, a German Teacher. Both are wanted for places outside of the city. A knowledge of music would be a very desirable additional qualification. Good references will be required. Address "Scholastic," at the Office of the Standard. 144,6p,n18

THE Advertiser would be glad to meet with any lady requiring the services of a young Woman on the voyage home to England, and would give her services for a free passage. Apply to E. B., Standard Office. 173,6p,n20

WANTED—A Gentleman, 28 years' of age who has had 13 years' experience of business both in England and South America, wishes to meet with an engagement. Is thoroughly acquainted with the dry goods business, counting, house arrangements, correspondence and finance and has a knowledge of several languages. References can be given. Address A.B.C., at the Office of the Standard. 207,6pn25

WANTED, a female Cook, for an Estancia, One giving references as to conduct, &c. will be paid well and kindly treated. Apply at 184 Calle San Martin. 181,6p,n20

WANTED, a General Servant, for a small family, consisting of a lady and gentleman only. Apply at 82 Calle Parque. 174,6p,n20

WANTED, a female Cook. Apply at 68 Calle Maipu, altos. 160,6p,n19

WANTED, a good female Cook. Apply at 189 San Martin. 171,6p,n19

WANTED, in a small English family, a young active Girl, English preferred, with good recommendations. Apply at Calle Defensa, 609. 153,6p,n19

WANTED—A Plain Cook, for two persons. Apply at No. 211, Estados Unidos. 152,6p,n19

WANTED, a Female Cook and a Maid.—Apply at No. 8 Calle Piedras. 149,6p,n19

WANTED, Twenty Ironers, for extra fine and plain work. Good wages. With or without board and lodging. Apply at the American Laundry, front of Calle Esmeralda, one square above the Northern Railway Station. 139,6p,n18

WANTED, in the vicinity of Plaza Parque, lessons in Spanish, and also to hire a

THE NORTHERN RAILWAY.

On and after 1st of October, 1868, and until further notice, the Trains will run as under:—

UP TRAINS.

WEEK DAYS AND FEAST DAYS.

STATIONS.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.
25 de Mayo ..... Depar.	7 20	8 30	9 40	10 50	12	1 10	2 20	3 30	4 40	5 50	6 60	8 15
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San Fernando ..... "	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Isidro ..... "	7 30	7 45	9 55	11 5	12 15	1 25	2 35	3 45	4 55	6 5	7 15	8 30
Olivos ..... "	7 45	8 0	10 10	11 20	12 30	1 40	2 50	4 0	5 10	6 20	7 30	8 45
Rivadavia* ..... "	8 0	8 15	10 25	11 35	12 45	1 55	3 5	4 15	5 25	6 35	7 45	9 0
Belgrano ..... "	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Palermo* ..... "	8 15	8 30	10 40	11 50	1 0	2 10	3 20	4 30	5 40	6 50	8 0	9 15
San Isidro ..... "	.....	.....	10 55	12 5	1 15	2 25	3 35	4 45	5 55	7 5	8 15	9 30
San Fernando ..... "	8 30	8 45	11 10	12 20	1 30	2 40	3 50	5 0	6 10	7 20	8 30	9 45
Tigre ..... Ar.	8 45	9 0	11 20	.....	1 40	2 55	4 5	5 15	6 25	7 35	8 45	10 0
	Days only.			Feast Days only.								

DOWN TRAINS.

WEEK DAYS AND FEAST DAYS.

STATIONS.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 A. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.	1 & 2 P. M.
Buenos Ayres	6 25	7 30	8 30	9 25	10 30	11 30	12 30	1 30	2 0	2 30	3 30	4 25
Plaza Constitucion	6 30	7 42	8 42	9 46	10 42	11 42	12 42	1 42	2 12	2 42	3 42	4 46
North Barracas	6 50	7 50	8 50	9 52	10 50	11 50	12 50	1 50	2 20	2 50	3 50	4 52
South Barracas	6 0	7 53	8 53	9 53	10 53	11 53	12 53	1 53	2 23	2 53	3 53	4 53
Lanus	6 13	8 5	9 5	10 13	11 13	.....	.....	.....	2 35	.....	.....	.....
Lomas de Zamora	6 30	.....	.....	10 30	11 30	.....	.....	.....	2 47	.....	.....	.....
Burzaco	6 47	8 20	.....	10 47	11 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 30	4 50	5 47
Glew	6 55	.....	.....	10 55	11 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 40	5 0	5 57
San Vicente	7 25	.....	.....	11 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 0	5 20	6 25
Donselaar	7 45	.....	.....	12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 20	5 40	6 45
Ferrari	8 6	.....	.....	12 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 50	6 10	7 15
Jeppener	8 38	.....	.....	12 57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 25	6 45	7 50
Altamirano	8 50	.....	.....	1 22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 50	7 20	8 25
Gandara	9 15	.....	.....	1 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 20	7 55	8 55
Chascomus	9 45	.....	.....	2 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 55	8 30	9 25
							Sundays and Feast Days only.					

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Buenos Ayres	6 25	7 30	8 30	9 25	10 30	11 30	12 30	1 30	2 0	2 30	3 30	4 25
Plaza Constitucion	6 42	8 42	9 42	10 46	11 42	12 42	1 42	2 12	2 42	3 42	4 46	5 42
North Barracas	6 50	7 50	8 50	9 52	10 50	11 50	12 50	1 50	2 20	2 50	3 50	4 52
South Barracas	6 53	7 53	8 53	9 53	10 53	11 53	12 53	1 53	2 23	2 53	3 53	4 53
Lanus	6 13	8 5	9 5	10 13	11 13	.....	.....	.....	2 35	.....	.....	.....
Lomas de Zamora	6 30	.....	.....	10 30	11 30	.....	.....	.....	2 47	.....	.....	.....
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Glew	6 55	.....	.....	10 55	11 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 40	5 0	5 57
San Vicente	7 25	.....	.....	11 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 0	5 20	6 25
Donselaar	7 45	.....	.....	12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 20	5 40	6 45
Ferrari	8 6	.....	.....	12 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 50	6 10	7 15
Jeppener	8 38	.....	.....	12 57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 25	6 45	7 50
Altamirano	8 50	.....	.....	1 22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 50	7 20	8 25
Gandara	9 15	.....	.....	1 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 20	7 55	8 55
Chascomus	9 45	.....	.....	2 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 55	8 30	9 25
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Stations.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Chascomus	3 30	4 25	5 30	6 45	7 10	7 35	8 30	9 32	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gandara	4 0	4 46	5 42	6 57	7 20	7 45	8 42	9 42	.....	.....	.....	.....
Altamirano	4 27	5 27	6 20	7 5	.....	8 5	9 50	9 50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jeppener	4 54	5 54	6 50	7 8	.....	8 53	9 53	9 53	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ferrari	5 25	6 20	7 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Donselaar	5 50	6 55	7 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Vicente	6 20	7 20	8 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Glew	6 35	7 35	8 35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burzaco	6 50	7 50	8 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lomas de Zamora	7 5	8 5	9 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lanus	7 20	8 20	9 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Barracas	7 23	8 23	9 23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Barracas	7 33	8 33	9 33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plaza Constitucion	7 41	8 41	9 41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Buenos Ayres	7 53	8 53	9 53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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Stations.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Buenos Ayres	6 25	7 30	8 30	9 25	10 30	11 30	12 30	1 30	2 0	2 30	3 30	4 25
Plaza Constitucion	6 30	7 42	8 42	9 46	10 42	11 42	12 42	1 42	2 12	2 42	3 42	4 46
North Barracas	6 50	7 50	8 50	9 52	10 50	11 50	12 50	1 50	2 20	2 50	3 50	4 52
South Barracas	6 53	7 53	8 53	9 53	10 53	11 53	12 53	1 53	2 23	2 53	3 53	4 53
Lanus	6 13	8 5	9 5	10 13	11 13	.....	.....	.....	2 35	.....	.....	.....
Lomas de Zamora	6 30	.....	.....	10 30	11 30	.....	.....	.....	2 47	.....	.....	.....
Burzaco	6 47	8 20	.....	10 47	11 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 30	4 50	5 47
Glew	6 55	.....	.....	10 55	11 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 40	5 0	5 57
San Vicente	7 25	.....	.....	11 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 0	5 20	6 25
Donselaar	7 45	.....	.....	12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 20	5 40	6 45
Ferrari	8 6	.....	.....	12 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 50	6 10	7 15
Jeppener	8 38	.....	.....	12 57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 25	6 45	7 50
Altamirano	8 50	.....	.....	1 22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 50	7 20	8 25
Gandara	9 15	.....	.....	1 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 20	7 55	8 55
Chascomus	9 45	.....	.....	2 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 55	8 30	9 25
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RETURNS.

Stations.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Chascomus	3 30	4 25	5 30	6 45	7 10	7 35	8 30	9 32	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gandara	4 0	4 46	5 42	6 57	7 20	7 45	8 42	9 42	.....	.....	.....	.....
Altamirano	4 27	5 27	6 20	7 5	.....	8 5	9 50	9 50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jeppener	4 54	5 54	6 50	7 8	.....	8 53	9 53	9 53	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ferrari	5 25	6 20	7 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Donselaar	5 50	6 55	7 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Vicente	6 20	7 20	8 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Glew	6 35	7 35	8 35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burzaco	6 50	7 50	8 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lomas de Zamora	7 5	8 5	9 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lanus	7 20	8 20	9 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Barracas	7 23	8 23	9 23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North Barracas	7 33	8 33	9 33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plaza Constitucion	7 41	8 41	9 41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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No tickets will be issued or parcels received at the Barracas, except for Calle Lima, Plaza Constitucion, Barracas al Sud, and Lomas.

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Barracas	5 3— 7	5
Lanus	10 7— 15	10
Lomas de Zamora	15 10— 25	15
Bursaco	20 15— 35	25
Glew	25 20— 40	30
San Vicente	40 30— 60	45
Donselaar	50 40— 75	60
Ferrari	65 50—100	75
Jeppener	75 60—115	90
Altamirano	90 70—135	105
Gandara	110 80—165	120
Chascomus	110 90—165	135

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From Rosario, at	8 ..	A.M.
" Roldan,	8 55	
" Cacaranal,	10 5	
" Cañada Gomez,	11 5	
" Tortugas,	12 45	
" Leones,	2 15	P.M.
" Frayle Muerto,	3 50	
" Ballusteres,	4 50	
" Villa Nuova,	6 ..	
From Villa Nuova,	7 ..	A.M.
" Ballusteres,	8 ..	
" Frayle Muerto,	9 20	
" Leones,	10 55	
" Tortugas,	12 55	
" Cañada Gomez,	2 15	P.M.
" Cacaranal,	3 15	
" Roldan,	4 15	
" Rosario,	5 ..	

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