The Standard AND RIVER PLATE NEWS.

No. 2175—NINTH YEAR. BUENOS AYRES, TUESDAY, MAY 18, 1869. CIRCULATION 3000

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 Brazils, 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.

Jan. 1, 1868.

ROYAL MAIL STEAMPACKET COMPANY.

REDUCTION OF FARES.

The Royal Mail Steampacket "ARNO," J. THWAITES, COMMANDER, Will leave this Port for Montevideo and Rio de Janeiro,

ON 27th MAY

At Rio de Janeiro, the "ARNO" will meet with and will transfer to the ... ure 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, ... £32, 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.

Persons desirous of prepaying the cost of Passage, from Europe to this port, of their respective relatives or friends, can make arrangement to that effect, if agreeable to them, at this Agency.

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

For further particulars, apply to

ABRAHAM ROBINSON,
Calle Parque 88.

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 .... $16 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.

NOTICE.

For the present, and until further notice, messages for the Northern Railway line will not be received at the head-office, owing to interruption on that line.

BY ORDER,
JOHN OLDHAM,
Superintendent and Engineer.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned being about to leave for Europe, requests that all parties having claims against him will present same before the 20th inst.

Buenos Ayres, May 1, 1869.
G. D. STEWART,
13 Cangallo.

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LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK (LIMITED.)

CALLE DE LA PIEDAD,
(Corner of Calle de la Reconquista.)

Authorised Capital ....£2,000,000 sterling.
Subscribed Capital ....£1,500,000 do.
Reserve Fund Jan. 1868 ......£155,000 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 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 Banks of Scotland.

Buenos Ayres, March, 1859.

London and River Plate Bank (LIMITED

CALLE DE LA PIEDAD.
(Corner of Calle de la Reconquista.)

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, } 3 per cent.
On do, subject to seven days' notice of withdrawal at present, } 3½ "
On do. do. for 90 days fixed, 5 "
On do. do. subject to 30 days notice of withdrawal, at present } 5 "

CHARGED.

For Discounts conventional according to circumstances.
On debit balances in account current in both currencies, } 10 per cent.

J. H. GREEN,
MANAGER.

Buenos Ayres, March 1, 1869

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 Parravicini, Vice-President.
Francisco F. Moreno, Manager.
Ambrosio P. Lezica.
Enrique Tomkinson.
Mariano Casares.
Bernardo Yturraspe.
Eduardo Lumb.

LOUDET, PHOTOGRAPHER,

344—CALLE PIEDAD—344.
Mons. LOUDET,

Begs to inform the Public of Buenos Ayres and the Argentine Republic, that he continues to take Photographs for the Carte de Visite, full length, and in every other style.

Mons. Loudet visited the Great Exhibition of Paris in 1867, in order to make himself, thoroughly and practically acquainted with every improvement in the above important art; and, since his return from Europe, he has placed his Establishment on precisely the same footing as those of the first Photographers in Paris, London, and the principal cities of Europe. The Apparatus, has been selected from the most approved of those in the Paris Exhibition, several of the inventions having received Prize Medals, among which may be mentioned those of Dallmeyer, of London, &c.

Voigtlander e Sohn. The saloons [in which may be included the Atelier] are handsomely furnished and commodious.

Mons. LOUDET feels the most perfect confidence in saying he can produce likenesses in every aspect, infinitely superior to those which have already met with such unbounded approbation from the distinguished Public of Buenos Ayres.

The Public are respectfully invited to inspect the Gallery. 98,f16

WATER SUPPLY

EXTENSION OF THE PIPING.

The Commission, desirous to extend to the whole City the advantages of the Water Supply, has determined on reducing the cost of laying pipes in the streets not yet provided with them, to eight thousand dollars currency per square, which is the nett cost of laying the main pipes, without branches.

In exchange for the advance of that sum, the Commission will declare 'vales,' which will be available for paying for the water in any part of the city.

In this way, by an advance of a sum equivalent to three hundred dollars currency, for a house of ten varas frontage, the inhabitants will obtain—

1. The advantage of a supply in their houses (they paying the cost of the service pipe), at a very cheap rate, namely, three per cent. on the rent of the house.

2. Security against fires, which will be insured by placing at every half-square a fire-cock, which will command an unlimited supply of water.

3. The means of watering the streets.

Every information required on the subject of the Water Supply, will be given at the Office of the Commission, 106 Bolivar. 163,1m,a21

ELECTRIC BELLS

ARGENTINE PLUMBERY,
27 and 29 CALLE MAIPU.

EUGENE PICARD, Proprietor.

In this new Establishment will be found every Electric Apparatus, such as Electric Wire of all kinds, suitable for Electric Telegraph · Electric Dials, and all Scientific Instruments; Magnesium Light, Electric Light, Acoustic Tubes, and Surgical Instruments of every kind; Plunge Baths, &c.

Great reduction in Rolls.

186,f19

WATER SUPPLY

Alterations and additions to the Scale of Charges.

BAKERIES.

Instead of $300 will be charged $40, for each oven per month.

WATER FOR BRICK WORK IN BUILDINGS.

$2 per square vara of floor.

FIRE SERVICES FOR BANKS, STORES, PRIVATE HOUSES, &c.

$20 per month for each cock.

GARDENS.

For an area less than 500 square varas, $10 per month.

Do.	From 500 to 1,000,	do.	$20	do.
Over	1,000 do.	15 per 1,000		do.
Do.	10,000 do	12	do	do.

Calle Bolivar 106

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CORRALES AND WEHMANN

Consignatorios de Frutos del País,
AND
Agencia en General de la Campaña,
Wool and Produce Brokers.
OFFICE:
No. 377 CALLE LIMA.

161,xpn19

JOHN THOMSON, & CO.

SHIPBROKER,
SURVEYOR AND ADJUSTER OF GENERAL AVERAGES.
OFFICE—20 CALLE LA BAJADO
ROSARIO.

17,xpF5

THE PROVINCIAL BANK 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.

RATES OF INTEREST.

ALLOWS—
private depositors, 5 per cent. per annum m/c.
Do., do, 5 do., do., specie.
To private depositors,
in account current, 2 per cent. per annum d.,
Do., do., 2 do., do., cur.

CHARGES—
Discounts in currency, 7 per cent. per annum.
Do., specie, 7 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.

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JAMES S. HILL AND CO.

43—DEFENSA—43
Custom House and Commission Agents 141,a15

CUNNINGHAM & PEARSON,

Commission Agents,
Wine and Spirit Merchants,
General Grocers, &c.
44 and 46 Calle Aduana, and 80 and 82 Calle Santa Fé,
ROSARIO.

44.xpo

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LONDON.

Instituted in 1803.

Subscribed and invested capital, £1,600,000.
One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

The Company insures Houses or other Buildings, Goods or Merchandise, deposited in Private Stores, or Custom-house, Manufacturing and Training Stock, Ships in Port, and the Cargoes of such Ships, and almost every description of Property against loss and damage by Fire.

Rates of Premium varying according to the nature of the Risks, and will be found as moderate as any other first-class Company.

The Company's large Capital, as well as the Board of Directors, composed of Members of the highest standing in the United Kingdom, offers the greatest possible solidity and confidence to the Assured.

The undersigned, Agents of this Company for the River Plate, and duly authorised by Power of Attorney to issue Policies and to settle in Buenos Ayres all losses that may occur from Fire and Lightning, with the usual liberality and promptitude for which this Company is so favorably known.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Company's Agents,

MANTELS & PFEIFFER,
Calle Chacabuco, No 19 & 21

272,1m,my2

HORSES OF ENGLISH BLOOD,

Members of the Jockey Club, and others who desire to possess Half or Three-quarter-bred Horses or Mares, for racing, hurdle racing, trotting, saddle, or harness; also a few Entires, calculated to get good racing stock, can be suited on application to Charles Lewi, Esq. Address 'Standard' Office, or Chacra de los Alamos, Quilmes.

N.B. On the 6th of May Mr. Lewis will be on the Belgrano Race Course, and will be able to give any information regarding the Stud under his charge at present, and can engage to train these horses far any of the above purposes.

259,xpa30

APPARATUS POUSSART

For the Extraction of Grease, by Steam at high pressure.

ERNEST POUSSART, Grasero,

Being granted a Patent by the Governments of Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, places himself at the service of Proprietors of Saladeros, Graserias, and Estancias, that they might apply to him for information on the new system; also for the erecting and placing in working order this same apparatus.

Gentlemen who wish to see this Machine in working order, can apply at the Saladero, "Santa Isabel, Arroyo Negro," where they can judge for themselves of the force, simplicity, and economy united in this same Machine.

For further information apply at No. 43 Calle Cangallo, Buenos Ayres.

30,1m,my9 E. POUSSART.

HENDERSON AND MURDOCK,

Besides our famed Porters, Ales, Brandies, &c., we direct the attention of our customers and the Public to the undernoted list of celebrated Brands of Wines we have just received:—

Romanee Conti,
Clos de Vougeot,
Chambertin,
Richebourg,
Corton,
Volney-Santenot,
Pomard,
Vosnes,
Moulin A-Vent,
Fleurie,
Chateau Lachaise,
Meursault,
Haut Santerne,
Liebfraumilch,
Rudeheimer,
Chateau Margaux,
St. Julien,
St. Estephe,
St. Georges,
Clicquot Champagne, Moet, do, Menet Jeune and Co, do.

29,1m,my

FOR SALE,

the Interest of a Boarding House, with all necessaries and Fixtures; containing also a good Billiard Table. Paseo de Julio 52.

98,5p,my14

SANTILLAN AND LEGJINECHA,

Wool Brokers,
90—CALLE PERU—90

141xpa15

WANKLYN & CO.,

108—CALLE SAN MARTIN—108

From 31st March, until further Notice, the rates of interest allowed and charged will be as follows:—

Allowed in account current, 5% per an. } On both cur.
" 60 & 90 days fixed 7% "
" 30 days' notice .. 7% "
" 7 days' notice .. 6% "

Charged in Account Current 12 per cent. per an., both currencies.

BILLS DISCOUNTED at conventional rates.

BILLS of EXCHANGE purchased at current rates, and

BILLS of EXCHANGE issued on—
The NATIONAL BANK, London, and all its BRANCHES in IRELAND.
The BRITISH LINEN COMPANY BANK, Edinburgh, and all its BRANCHES in SCOTLAND; or payable in LONDON.
LUMB, WANKLYN, & CO., our London Agents.
MALLET, FRERES, & CIE., PARIS.
GRANET, BROWN, & CIE., GENOA.
VIDAL, QUADRAS, & CIE., BARCELONA.
MENDEZ & BARCENA, VIGO.
BANCO NAVIA & CO., and LUMB, BROTHERS & CO., MONTEVIDEO.
E. F. DAVISON & CO., NEW YORK.

WANKLYN AND CO.,

Are authorised to issue the CIRCULAR NOTES of the NATIONAL BANK, London, which are payable on presentation in all the principal Towns of Europe and America. Travellers will find that these Notes form the most eligible mode of carrying money.

LETTERS of CREDIT are issued by WANKLYN & CO., on their London Agents, which are payable in LONDON, PARIS, GENOA, NEW YORK, or by any of the abovementioned Banks and Firms.

COMMISSION is charged only on amount used.

LETTERS of CREDIT in EUROPE can be obtained by persons desiring to remit or bring money to this country, and which are payable here at the current rate of Exchange (without any charge.)

These Credits can be obtained on application from

The NATIONAL BANK, LONDON, and all its BRANCHES in IRELAND.
LUMB, WANKLYN, and CO., LONDON
MALLET, FRERES, & CIE., PARIS.

The names of the Branches of the National Bank and the British Linen Company Bank, may be seen at the Office of

WANKLYN AND CO.

Buenos Ayres, March 30, 1869.

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GENERAL CAMP AGENCY,

JOHN C. ESBEN,

Public Agent and Accountant, &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

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WILLIAM ANNESLEY BAILIE,

of Montevideo, South America, a Letter addressed to you (care of Mr Charles Parsons, Montevideo), April 2d last, by Maut, Maue, Mr Robertson, Solicitors, Bath. The Notice appeared in the 'Times,' March 15.

Copied from 'European Mail,' of 19th March, 1869

DENTAL OFFICE FOR SALE IN MONTEVIDEO,

82—CALLE RINCON—82

The undersigned, about to leave for the United States, offers for Sale the Goodwill of his Establishment, Furniture, Instruments, and Office Fixtures, including Lease of the House, patent for the current year, and every facility for entering immediately upon lucrative practice. Instructions in the art will be given if required.

Address 'Dentist,' Standard Office, 74 Calle Belgrano; or Dr. N. O. Cornwall, No. 82 Calle Rincon, Montevideo, who will continue as usual, until furtuer notice, to attend personally to those who may need his professional services.

82,12p,m12

GUINNESS'S Celebrated Extra Stout

in quarts and pints at
BARRY & WALKER'S,
Sole Agents,
97—Calle Defensa—97.

155—xp m26

GERMAN BURMEISTER,

Consignatario de Frutos del País,
Wool and Produce Broker,
105—CALLE VENEZUELA—105.

LIEBIG'S EXTRACT OF MEAT

Prepared by Liebig's Extract of Meat Company, Limited, Fray Bentos. The only Extract of Meat analysed, and warranted to be genuine, by Baron Liebig, the inventor, and authorised by him to be called Liebig's Extract of Meat, is to be had at Sassenborg and Co.', 144 Calle Reconquista.

Every Jar of the Company's Extract bears Baron Liebig's certificate.

N. B. Several imitations have appeared in the market, some of them very deficient in quality

151,121

THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

SPLENDID INVESTMENT
FOR THE
CAPITALISATION OF SMALL INCOMES, PENSIONS, RENTS, &c.

GOVERNMENT DELEGATE:
Sr. Don José Maria Cantilo.

COMMITTEE.
Señor Don Victor Martinez.
" " Eduardo T. Mulhall.
" " Francisco Alcobenaas.
" " Hugo Brunge.
" " Estanislao Frias.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL:
Don Francisco F. Moreno.

OFFICE:
118, CALLE PIEDAD (Upstairs).

POSITION OF THE COMPANY, MARCH 1st, 1868.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL:
Hard Dollars, 2,803,772·59.
No. of Policies, .. 2,716 | Securities, $f.947,002·41

It being an admitted fact, that "Money makes money," the object of LA BIENHECHORA could not be better, since it opens a vast Savings Bank for the surplus or savings of the Public, so that, by the proper employment of these small gains, a moderate capital, or even annuity, may be secured in a short time. By this means a provident, though helpless, family can husband their small means, and, in the end, attain a competency.

It being proved that the accumulation of interest is the most powerful means of augmenting the capital, THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA—an Argentine Company, whose only investments are in the country—holds out to Subscribers greater advantages than any other Institution, by reason of all its dealings being in the River Plate, where are current as large interests as in any part of the world.

THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA receives Deposits of from Five Patacones per Annum up to any amount in Weekly, Monthly, or Yearly Instalments.

☞ Subscribers enrolled and all necessary information given at the Head Offices of the Company, 118, Calle Piedad, Buenos Ayres.

AMATEUR CONCERT, IN CHASCOMUS.

A few residents of this Partido have determined to give a Concert for the Benefit of the British Hospital, in the HOTEL PROVENCAL, to commence precisely at Eight p.m.

James Dodds, Esq, has kindly consented to preside on the occasion

Tickets of Admission, $30 m|c.
To be had of Messrs. Ferguson, Donaldson, Auld, and Pettigrew.

N.B. A Ball will afterwards be held in the same place. Tickets, $100 m|c. my13

ON SALE,

GEORGE PRICE'S Treble Patent Fire and Burglar-proof Safes.

E. M. POWELL & CO.,
Calle Rivadavia, 180. 6p,6pm13

TO ENGLISH TRAVELLERS.

Englishmen, and others visiting Buenos Ayres, will find every home comfort at the Hotel de la Paix, which is the largest and best in this city.

Charges are most Moderate.
Wines Superb.
Table d'Hote on European Style.
Board, with Room, Gas-lights, and Attendance.
HOTEL DE LA PAIX.
Corner of Calles Cangallo and Reconquista.

ENGLISH CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT.

40½—CALLE SAN MARTIN—40½

PER LA PLATA,

I received 40 classes winter socks in Shetland Lambs' Wool, Tweed, Derby Ribbed, brown, unbleached, white and striped cotton, cotton with colored merino feet.

Marking ink, latest style of sponge bags, shepherd's plaid Crimean shirts, best quality of cambric pocket handkerchiefs.

PER RIO JANEYRO.

English walking sticks in oak, black and white thorn, holly and hazelwood, photograph picture frames in oak.

Gentlemens' linen cuffs.

ON SALE, WINTER CLOTHING.

Prices as follows:—

Stout tweed pants from	$100
Vests	45
Coats—present fashion—from	160
Complete suit	350
English great coats from	180

ATTENTION.

COMPLETE SUIT OF BLACK CLOTH.......... $600 m|c

Being pants, vest, and choice of coats, either a surtout or frock coat, silk lined, or a winter morning jacket, of celebrated maker, Goutard.

Black cloth coats from	$400
Vests	90
Pants	140
English boots, guaranteed for four months	100

PILOT CLOTH OR PEA JACKETS.

Pilot cloth or pea jackets	120
Do. English	150
Do. Extra stout, suited for Camp or River wear	250
Do. Velvet collar and braided, for City use	250

A most complete assortment in merino cotton and other under shirts, varying from $20 to $130 m|c each; drawers in merino, cotton, and flannels gentlemens' night shirts.

White Lawn Pocket Handerchiefs, per dozen, $30; Fancy Bordered, do full size per dozen, $50; Black and Coloured Silk Neckties, from $5 each, Evening Dress, White Muslin, $6.

CLEARING OUT

For Winter Suits Crimeans and other Goods, expected per City of Buenos Ayres.

DURING MAY

I shall sell at following reduced prices:

Paper collars, per dozen, $5 m|c; soaps, in boxes containing three tablets, one Honey, one Glycerine, one Brown Windsor, formerly $12 m|c, now $10.

English white shirts without collars, hitherto $760 mc per dozen, now $650.

Woollen Crimean Shirts, each $30.
Do. do. per dozen, $350.

Marine Caps ('Chaser Cutters') hitherto $56 m|c, now $35.

Boy's best cloth caps, at cost price, $15.
Boys' Winter Suits, 'Axe-Brand,' $250.
A few English Shirts, at $45 each.
Childrens' White Cotton Socks, $25 per doz.
Handsome and strong Horn Drinking Mugs, $20 each.
Tooth-brushes, $5 each.
Do Childrens' 12 reales.
Buckskin Gloves.
Rich Cashmere Scarfs and Mufflers.

CHARLES J. FLOWER,
40½—San Martin—40½
N.B. Prices marked in plain figures.

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ST. ALOYSIUS' SCHOOL,

Under the care of the Sisters of Mercy,
248—CALLE CHACABUCO—248.

Offers an English Education, comprising Reading, Writing, Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, and Composition.

Morning Classes from 9½ to 12½......	$50
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HENRY CRABTREE,
General Manager.

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1. Coro para hombres.
2. Fa tasia variada sobre motivos de la opera Norma ejecutada en el Saxophone, por el Señor C. major. Hernandez. por la
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5. La Capilla, coro para hombres. C. KREUTZER
6. a. El Rey de Los Olmos (Der Erlkœnig).
   b. La Joven y La Muerte (Der Tod und das Maedched). Canciones Alemanes por la Sra. Uberti. F. SCHUBERT

Segunda Parte :

7. Aria variada sobre un tema original compuesto y ejecutado por el Sr. Hernandez.
8. a. Romanza Española GASTAMBIDE
   b. The Fishermaiden. Cancion inglesa por Sra. Uberti. MEYERBEER
9. Variaciones sobre, un tema de Ernani, compuesto y ejecutado por el Señor O. Pfeiffer.
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The Standard.

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CICERO.

TUESDAY, MAY 18, 1869.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FOR "STANDARD"

Montevideo, May 17,
6.30 P.M.

The French steamer Poitou arrived this day, and brings European dates per La Place from Rio up to the 17th ult.

Nothing politically fresh transpired in Europe.

Spain.

Fears of fresh insurrections in favor of Republicanism.

The United States Senators leave the President to use his own discretion in Cuban affairs.

Havre, April 10.

Cotton Market—Little or no alteration.

London, April 15.

Consols, 93⅜.

Liverpool, April 11.

Middling Orleans quoted at 12⅜ to 12½.

Rio, May 11.

Exchange, 18⅝ to 18¾.

Sovereigns, 13$050, with tendency upwards.

Montevideo, 7 p.m.

General Osorio arrived, en route for Paraguay.

Camaras now sitting.

Things drifting fast towards a national Bank.

Paper declining.

Business done at 10¼ dis.

Weather unsettled and cold.

THE PRESS OF BUENOS AYRES.

It has long been the custom here to hold the Government responsible for all the evils which afflict the nation.—Blow up the Government, is the common cant panacea for all our woes—pitch into Sarmiento—attack Castro, and show up Congress,—are the instructions which we receive daily from indignant subscribers, but it occurs to no one to blow up the newspapers,—and yet with the power which the papers in this city wield, we believe we may safely assert that the newspapers, and not the Government, are to blame for half the abuses which exist.

The influence of the "Tribuna" in this city when properly directed is second to none. Everyone reads that journal; it finds its way into every nook and corner of Buenos Ayres; its editors and proprietors are men of high position and acknowledged talent. The "Nacional" is the Father of the Press, and boasts of as severe and select a reading public as ourselves.—The "Nacion Argentina" is the acknowledged opposition paper; its chief editor writes with a brilliancy sufficient to support any paper, no matter how badly managed, whilst the columns of the "Nacion" are invariably filled with communicated articles emanating from the first pens of Buenos Ayres. The "Republica" has the advantage of being linked with no party. The success of this young journal is the very best proof of the talent of its editors and the ability of its management. The "Verdad" we suppose may be regarded as a quasi-Provincial Government organ. Mr Cantilo is an excellent painstaking man; he has the ear of the Governor, and can effect much good.

Now, with all these excellent, able, and well-printed newspapers, not to speak of our foreign colleagues, will it be credited the town, country, and nation are tottering under abuses which would not survive a week if the newspaper editors here only did their duty.

Hector Varela and José Maria Gutierrez should both be held responsible to the public for the seven prisoners who escaped from the public prison last week; for if the "Tribuna" and "Nacion Argentina" had occupied their columns with systematically attacking the Government on the subject of the rascally prison system of Buenos Ayres, these constant escapes of prisoners would not occur. Society, after all, has some claims, and the bird that can sing and won't sing ought to be made to sing. The "Tribuna" and "Nacion" are to blame for the escape of the prisoners. These organs have neglected their duties more than the sentries or turnkeys, who winked at the prisoner's escape—and the editors should be held answerable for the consequences.

The escape of a gang of prisoners from a city prison, guarded night and day by soldiers, &c., is too serious a subject to be passed over in silence; and yet, beyond a local event of five lines, neither of these influential organs has thought fit to advert to the matter. Hector Varela can both speak and write well; he has the advantage over his colleague Gutierrez, having travelled abroad for many years—now we ask, why, instead of two columns of COSAS in Sunday's paper, did he not treat his readers to a thundering phillipic on the scandalous state of the prisons of Buenos Ayres. Mr. Gutierrez, who writes for an opposition party, never by any chance stumbles upon any topics where the Government is really vulnerable. What a splendid opportunity for Gutierrez to show up the hollow farce of Government when, even in the very heart of the Capital of the Republic, with the President, Ministers, and Congressmen within a stone's throw of the prison doors, seven convicted felon's escape from their cells in broad daylight; Here is subject matter for an opposition paper, and the public would be a gainer by such well-directed opposition—but no; some nonsense or foolery about the color of Sarmiento's slippers, or Sarmiento's coachman, or Sarmiento's hat, are the dreary subjects for attack. Give up such nonsense, colleague, and join heart and hand with us in attacking real abuses. Your talents will be then properly directed, and your journal supported and read by an independent public.

If, however, the interests of society demand the immediate arrest of the editors of the 'Tribuna' and 'Nacion' for winking at an abuse which is a disgrace to Buenos Ayres, so also victimised trade and commerce inexorably call for the most condign punishment on the editors of the 'Republica,' 'Nacional,' and 'Verdad' for so utterly neglecting their duties as editors that the whole camp is ruined, estancieros beggared, and commerce all but destroyed. The influence of these journals has been prostrated to the uses of party purposes, and the editors have winked at the outrage inflicted on the farmer, the merchant, and the shepherd by the tyranny of the Buenos Ayres Custom-House.

Merino wool, the best that Buenos Ayres can produce, has no higher price in the Antwerp market than 1.17 equal to $35 m/c per arrobe here, whilst the tax man at the Custom-house of this city values the wool at $50, for the purpose of levying the eight per cent export tax on the article; thus, in fact, although the law only prrscribes eight per cent export tax on wools, which the ruined staple is unable to bear, farmers have virtually to pay 16 per cent.; and who's to blame? Not the Government, for they want all they can get; not the Custom-house officer, whose duty is to obey his instructions. Stand forward, Messrs. Piñero, Bilbao, and Cantilo; the unjustifiable Custom-house shave has been winked at by your journals, and you, and you only, should be held responsible. Will any one pretend to say that, if the "Nacional," "Republica," and "Verdad," systematically called attention to this great abuse, that it would still be tolerated? The public, in supporting these organs, has placed a trust in the respective editors, which has been shamefully violated; and it is our unpleasant duty to point to the guilty parties. With the verdict of our public in our favor, we come forward now to accuse our colleagues of their utter and total dereliction of duty. A foreign organ, published in a foreign tongue, can effect little good in blowing up a Government which never will understand English; we may write and write for years on such matters, but it does not suit the Government people to understand English; and, although President Sarmiento can speak English, and read English, and write English fluently, and Governor Castro has positively a Scotch brogue, still in such matters as unfair valuations and escape of prisoners, they must be addressed in their vernacular. To remedy these abuses we must now attack the press. There is nothing else for it. Hector Varela and José Maria Gutierrez should be held responsible for the escaped prisoners, whilst Cantilo, Bilbao, and Piñero should be made to feel the real consequences of their neglect, and compelled to refund to the ruined sheepfarmers the extra tax which has been levied on their wools, owing to the scandalous culpability of these journalists.

The Press of Buenos Ayres, after all, may be said to amount to nothing in its influence as regards the material interests of the country; we have new newspapers every day, new editors, and new writers, but our colleagues seem to be all tarred with the same brush—politics, and nothing but politics. No wonder that the River Plate is going down, down, down.

"STANDARD" ABROAD.

AN EXCURSION TO LAKE MINI.

2nd day—Arroyo Vejiga to the River Cebollati.

May 1st—En route at 5 o'clock; the moon is going down, and the first rays of morning struggle faintly with a thick fog that envelopes hill and dale. To day is the anniversary of the "Standard," and my comrades greet it with a 'hip, hip, hurrah!' Another troop of cattle passed us, near the Azotea de Piris. Sunrise. Behold the Santa Lucia river, which we ford at Paso Roldan; two of our party have a refreshing bath in the Santa Lucia. Ascending the next slope, we descry the Sierra de Minas; we are now in the department of that name, one of the wildest, most lawless, and least populated districts in the country. At the estancia de Muñoz there is one of those wayside crosses so suggestive of gloomy thoughts to the traveller. Another herd of cattle, about 1,500 head, for the saladeros.

7·15—We have made 5 leagues, and change horses at the Posta del Soldado; the post house looks well at a distance, the house being of 'altos,' with an 'ombú' close by. In a 'ramada' used as a kitchen, we find the whole family sitting in squalid laziness around some embers taking máte; we cross the Arroyo del Soldado at 8 o'clock, and enter on open camps: to the right is the estancia of Don José Ramos, where Medina had a skirmish with Flores in the war of 1863: Flores was routed, but took to the adjacent Sierra de Minas, and defied the aged Blanco veteran to pursue him. The town of Minas lies three or four leagues south; there are ostriches hereabout.

9·20—Change horses at Puntas del Soldado, four leagues from the last post, and get some broth for breakfast. The view from this table land is very fine. At half-past ten we cross the Casupá, and the next slope gives us a view of the Cuchilla Grande, or great mountain range that traverses the Banda Oriental: we are now getting into the 'Sierras;' the country becomes wild, rocky, and uninhabited: two more wayside crosses occur as we approach the Arroyo de Espuelitas, close to which is an old dwelling called the Tapera de la Boyada.

11·30—Change horses at Posta Laureles, after a hard gallop of 4 leagues. The post house is neat, and so is the landlady: Before us is the Sierra Polanco, which for wild sterility and irregular outline resembles the Sierra Morena in Spain: it is not, however, of equal elevation. For two hours we traverse this bleak desert of rocks, and the crosses on the highroad number five or six. It is reckoned the worst locality in the Republic; not a house, and hardly a head of cattle to be seen; at times the rocks look like ranchos on eminences here and there, but there is no sign of life or habitation in this howling wilderness. The views at times are grand and even fantastic.

2 p.m.—The first dwelling we meet is the establishment of Larrechea, an industrious Basque, who keeps a post house, general store, and inn; this is seven leagues from Posta Laureles, and goes by the name of Barriga Negra, on the Arroyo Polanco; the house is fortified, and nearly one hundred years old: we get an excellent dinner, and start again at three o'clock. A mile further is the fine estancia of a Frenchman, M. Bouvet, son-in-law to M. Duplessis; there are three square leagues of land, stocked with 16,000 sheep, and the proprietor has expended over £6,000 sterling in importing prize rams from Germany; the estancia house and 'galpones' are spacious and well built, but the place has suffered greatly from sheep stealing. M. Bouvet began the establishment in 1863; he resides in Montevideo, and the estancia is managed by one of his countrymen. The next house on the road is near the Malo, and belongs to an Italian.

4·15—Las Talas, 3 leagues, change horses: this is on the estancia of Don Juan Miguel Martinez, a vast tract of uninhabited country, separated by a wide valley from the estancia of Dr. Vidal, formerly President of the Republic. Deer and ostriches. By sunset we get a view of the woods that skirt the Cebollati. Yonder is the spot where Carabajal, five years ago, surprised Dionisio and his men sleeping: we cross the river Cebollati without difficulty, and halt for the night at the comfortable wayside inn of Juan Pedro Corvo, which is reckoned 50 leagues from the capital.

INDUSTRIAL PROSPECTS.

I have read with great interest the articles which have lately appeared in your paper on the industrial prospects of this country, and although agreeing with you in the aggregate as to the lamentable condition of the farming interests, the chief, if not the only, source of wealth to this province, yet differing with you as to some of the causes of this prostration, and the means to be applied to its relief, I would beg to obtrude a few remarks which are dictated by the experience and observation acquired during a residence of several years in the camp.

These remarks may not be of importance in themselves, but if they should have the effect of directing the minds of wiser men to this all important subject, and in so doing suggest the means by which relief may be given to a very important industry, my object will have been attained.

Everybody must have observed how all branches of business have of late fallen off—the importing houses complain that they cannot make sales, their goods are accumulating in deposit and recoveries are extremely hard, and the same story is now repeated through the various grades of commercial society.

It is not my present purpose to follow out the connection between the distressed sheepfarmer, through the pulpero and tendero, the almacenero and registro, to the importing house. Any one who gives a moment of thought to the subject will say that it is the natural consequence of "epidemia" and low prices of produce under which the sheepfarmer has now been suffering for some years, and to overtrading during a period of fictitious prosperity; nor is it my intention to write a dissertation on the unwieldiness of the Federal system of government in a vast and thinly populated country like this, nor on the relative disproportion here of what Buckle in his "History of Civilization" distinguishes as the labouring and non-labouring, or in other words, the producing and the consuming classes—nor yet on the gradual growth of luxury and extravagance, both social and administrative, from that simple and unostentatious period before the Crimean war gave the first impulse to the estancia business, and when American cane bottomed chairs formed the staple furniture of the best drawing-rooms, with whitewashed walls and Indian matting for carpet, up to the present time.

These are questions of political economy which I will leave for more able pens than mine, and I will endeavour to confine myself to what immediately concerns the matter in hand—viz., the means by which sheepfarming and agriculture can be carried on so as to meet the low prices caused by overproduction.

And before proceeding further, let me say a few words on behalf of that much abused class, the shepherds or puesteros, whom you indirectly accuse of being partly the cause of the decline of sheepfarming.

I would make a distinction between the true shepherd or small sheepowner and that rather large class of amateur shepherds composed of gentlemen's sons who have never done any work in their lives, and of every grade of society down to runaway sailors.

I also premise that my remarks apply to this province exclusively

In the Banda Oriental I am told that owing to the stony nature of the soil, and the natural shelter afforded by the montes, &c., sheep give much less trouble than here where the ground is soft and easily converted into mud, rendering it almost impossible to shut the flocks into the corrales for six months in the year, and where for the same reason foot rot is very prevalent and the sheeps' hoofs have to be constantly pared and looked to.

The life of a shepherd bears a strong resemblance to that of a sailor—in fine weather he has little to do, but yet day and night he must be constantly on the watch; he must sleep, if not with one eye open, at least with his ears open and be ready to get up at any hour, and in any weather. if the sheep are disturbed or leave the rodea. An artizan or a saladero peon no doubt works harder for a certain number of hours in the day, but then he is well paid, well fed, and can get a good night's rest to prepare him for the labour of the following day—those who are so ready to abuse the shepherds are generally those who pass eight or ten hours out of the twenty-four in comfortable beds, about six hours at their work and the rest in enjoying themselves—they forget that the poor shepherd is so badly paid that he can scarcely afford himself the luxury of biscuits or tea, and as for dress he is lucky if he has a change for a wet day, that whilst they are in their comfortable beds listening to the storm without, the shepherd has to be out with his flock, and that very often he has to be two or three days and nights consecutively with his flock, without being able to take off his wet clothes, and if he is a single man it not unfrequently happens that everything, even the 'leña,' is so damp that he is unable to cook his food; then in the summer when his work is lightest he has to be out with his sheep before five o'clock in the morning, so that they may feed before the heat of the day obliges them to 'siestear' and if he has to draw water for them he has not much time to spare. It is not to be wondered at if the native peons are lazy and of wandering habits; who would not be so if, when by dint of work and perseverance he had got together a few animals and household Gods, he was liable to be torn from his home at the caprice of some Comandante or even Capitan, and sent to the frontier, very often without an hour's notice to enable him to arrange for the protection of his family and goods, The Comandantes as a rule have to supply a given number of men, and as the 'mansos y trabajadores' are much easier to lay their hands on than the "matreros," they are pretty certain to have more than their share of frontier duty. Until this obnoxious system is abolished, and the Guardia Nacional replaced by troops of the line on the frontier, no improvement can be looked for in the social condition or habits of the 'gaucho,' or if this cannot yet be accomplished, I ask why is it that the poor "paisano" alone is obliged to render this service to his country? Why are not the wealthier classes also compelled to go to the frontier or to pay for "personeros?" Why are not all classe subjected to a general conscription, so that everyone might know when his hour of duty was coming and make his arrangements accordingly? This is a most important question and deserving the attention of Government in preference to any other.

Sheepfarming, as everyone knows, is at present at a very low ebb; the landowner may still make a living out of it, and by buying flocks of sheep when they are at a low price, and making up troops for the saladeros, can even make money; but for this he must have a disposable capital. The majority of sheepowners, however, who rent land at the present ridiculously high figures are literally as a body in a state of bankruptcy. Most of them owe money either in town or to the camp pulperos; many of these debts have been going on since the epidemic of 1864, and have been gradually increasing, until, I firmly believe that if all the sheepfarmers were sold up to-day, four-fifths of them would not be able to pay their debts. A good many men who, a few years ago, were thriving and independent farmers, have already been sold up by the pulperos, who generally take advantage of the moment when sheep are at their lowest to enforce execution; and many more must follow their fate, and enter as peons where before they were patrons. The consequence of this is that the sheep are now passing from the hands of the small farmers to those of the pulperos and landowners; and as those are anxious to realise, they send what they can to the graserias—consequently, not only the capones, but the best ewes also, are sent to the vats. The effect of this wholesale slaughtering, coupled with the neglect of the flocks, consequent on the depression of the business, and the insufficient supply of good rams, which farmers can no longer pay for, will be that there will be a check to the increase for some time, and a serious falling off in the quality of the wool.

Amongst the various suggéstions made for improving the value of our staple is washing: and one writer recommends washing with hot water. He forgets that the country is almost destitute of running water and fuel, and that in the summer the dust is so easily raised by the lightest wind that the sheep would probably get dirty again before they are shorn. No, this could not be done except in very favored localities. But, admitting its practicability, for the sake of argument, then how are we to get rid of the 'carretilla,' which is more prejudicial than the grease or dirt?—this, as every one knows, is the seed of the yellow clover, and is to be found all over the camp. To eradicate the plant is impossible, and, unless some easy and inexpensive chemical process is discovered by which the seeds and other vegetable matter can be destroyed without prejudice to the staple, I do not think it will pay to wash our wool; on the contrary, my experience and that of many of my friends goes to show that our efforts to improve the condition of our wool were never met by a corresponding advance on the part of the buyers, and that those whose sheep were not so well looked after, and whose wool was consequently heavier, got a better money return per sheep. My opinion is, that we shall never be able to compete with Australia, New Zealand, or even the Banda Oriental, as a fine wool-growing country; simply because, not having shade for our sheep in the summer as they have, our wool gets burnt at the points, and having carretillas all over the country, which they have not, we can never compete with them as regards condition.

But, if we cannot compete with the Banda Oriental in wool-growing, we can at any rate produce fatter sheep than there. I am told that eight to ten pounds of grease per sheep is a high average yield in the saladeros of the Banda Oriental, whereas here, sixteen pounds is a low average—twenty to twenty-five pounds are frequently obtained, and I have known a large troop of picked capones in the camp yield an average of thirty-four pounds.

My advice then to sheepfarmers is, not to try for the unattainable; leave off breeding small-carcassed sheep exclusively for wool, and cultivate a larger breed, which will yield more grease, even though to the detriment of the quality of the wool, as the difference of weight will more than compensate for any reduction in price; and let them as an auxiliary also combine dairy-farming; it will always pay them for their trouble; there is at present a very large demand at remunerative rates for butter and cheese for home consumption, and I see no earthly reason why we should not compete with England, France, and Switzerland, in supplying the Brazils and other South American countries with these commodities. The farmers of Tucuman can already do so, why should not we?

I think that if sheepfarmers would adopt these suggestions, assisted by reduced rents and taxes, they would still be able to weather the storm.

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[To be continued.]

AGRICULTURE IN SAN ANTONIO DE ARECO.

San Antonio de Areco,
April 7, 1869.

On the 23rd of October last year, I told you the means I had adopted for sowing my wheat crop last winter, and promised to let you know how the harvest resulted, a promise I am now about to redeem. Perhaps I should first refer to what I said to you about sowing it.

That sown on the 7th, 8th, and 9th of June, thin as it appeared at first, had to be sown again; it flowered to such an extent as to cover the entire field, but all the stalks did not produce ears, and those that did did not ripen at the same time.

This crop being thin and allowed to run amongst the shrubs, was free from thistles, it was easily cleaned, which could not be done with that which was sown thick.

That sown on the 9th, with No. 2 drill, also grew so thickly that it gave us a great deal of trouble to cut; the machine could not cut through it, and at every eight or ten yards had to be stopped; and, although I have not been able to ascertain the exact result as regards quantity, I don't think it was much better than that sown with No. 25 and a small drill.

As regards that sown with Nos. 25 and 19, although it looked well in the beginning, it flowered to such an extent that those who saw it declared it to be too thick, the majority of the stalks having forty buds: but, like those already mentioned, they did not all give ears, or ripen at the same time.

At the end of November it began to flower, and shortly afterwards the grain was formed. On December 8 I went over the ground and examined attentively the condition of the plants—I found the stalks very unequal: one of marianopolis barley which I found showed 18 ears, others in pulp, others fructifying, 14 in flower, and 12 without any sign of flowering; 12 of the flowers showed no signs of ears. I did not select these samples, but pulled them as I went along.

Seeing such a difference, I asked myself how can the wheat possibly ripen at the same time?

Part of it will be ripe while the remainder is unripe. It appears to me that it will be difficult to decide on a day on which to begin reaping. I flattered myself with the hope of a good harvest. The hail storm of the 1st November, that did such damage in the neighbourhood, injured my wheat to but a slight extent; 'bizoca' and locusts did me little harm, and so harvest time (the end of the month) approached.

Of the four classes of wheat which I had sown, the white ripened first; it flowered to an average extent, but not so much as the others.

At the end of December, when reaping had commenced on the coast, and on other parts nearer the river and city, my wheat seen from the 'mirador' of my house was still green; the white was the only one beginning to change colour.

I had asked Mr. Coffin to sell me whatever reaping machine he thought the best. He recommended me Brinkerhoff's, assuring me that it could cut three squares a day. This was just what I wanted, as I had thirty-three squares to reap, and I wished to finish all in ten or fifteen days, knowing that once the wheat is ripe unless it is immediately cut, every breath of wind and every movement it makes shells it, and after the first few days it all becomes scattered.

The machine being ready, I began on the 31st December with about twelve men. We had scarcely got twenty yards when the sheaf-binder broke. In order not to lose time, I set the men to work with the sickle. When the binder was mended we set to work again, but it smashed hopelessly; but while I sent to Areco for a new one, I placed a man on the machine to do duty for the binder.

Not till the 2nd did we finish the white with the sickle, although it was only 8 10ths of a square. On the 4th of January we brought it to the barn, on the 5th it was threshed, and we covered it with thick sailcloth, as there was a storm blowing.

During the night it rained heavily, and on the 8th we returned to work. We dried what was wet, and winnowed it, but could not finish.

On the nights of the 9th and 10th it rained, on the 11th the threshing floor was damp, and on the 12th we finished the first lot.

The machine kept on reaping whenever the weather permitted, but every day some mishap occurred. On the 5th the binder worked well for a few hours but towards evening it broke; we tried to mend it, but could not; we had to send for another new one; in the meantime we had to fall back on the same man for binding, in order not to delay the reaping, and so we went on till the end of February, having to stop work for some hours every day to repair the machine.

I will not tire you by an account of 'contretemps' of the weeks following these first few days; it will be sufficient to say that I worked constantly without losing an hour of fine weather, reaping, binding, threshing and winnowing; but the first 15 days, the time when the chief work has to be done, if a good result is to be had, were passed in securing a small plot of eight-tenths of a square, and the wheat which had not before been scattered, became so in the transport to the threshing floors, and at last seeing how little the corn already threshed produced, I left the last 8 or 10 squares uncut, as it would not pay the expenses to reap it.

I reaped and threshed about 26 squares, which gave me about 105 fanegas, which bears out my opinion that after the first few days from the ripening of the grain, it scatters and barely pays the expense of reaping.

For this reason it is necessary to have everything ready for reaping, threshing, and winnowing all you have sown, within fifteen days, and without depreciating the advantage of threshing with mares, I think it much better to use a machine. Threshing with mares, you must bring the grain to a barn, the floor of which has been previously hardened. I had two, but for four kinds of wheat this was not enough, as I had to leave one kind in the stacks until the other was finished Even, if I had no more than one class of wheat, I cannot throw so much grain in a single heap working with a machine. The wheat might be brought to the reaping-machine according as it was cut, or sheafs might be made in the stubble, and the machine brought to each, and after finishing them, pass on to the rest, and so on. This might be done with a good machine, but not with Brinkerhoff's, whose workmanship, if it is at all similar to the machine sold me by Coffin, I can in no ways recommend as being good for threshing. I might have been able to have an average crop, if I had not, in consequence of the weather, to wait so often for the drying of the threshing floors. I have written to England, France, and the States, for information as to where I can get the best threshing machine, and I hope with its assistance to do better next year.

Very sincerely yours,
L. DE CHAPEAUROUGE.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

The Saturno came up from Montevideo on Sunday morning. There is no change in the aspect of affairs; paper still looking downwards, and business paralysed.

The Upper House met on Saturday at 1 o'clock p.m.: twenty-three Senators were present. The minutes of the last sitting having been read, and the petition of Colonel Palacios referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, the House passed to the order of the day, which comprised the discussion of a bill enacting that: "during the sitting of the Chambers, any bill that had only received the assent of one Chamber, the consent of the other House remaining pending, should be considered as thrown out." After a short debate, in which Senators Arauz, Frias, Navarro, Piñero, and others took part, the bill was approved of, and the House rose at 2 p.m.

In our remarks in Sunday's issue on the discussion of the Contribucion Directa tax in the Provincial Chambers, we erroneously stated that it had been fixed at four per cent, instead of four per mil.

Notwithstanding the change in the weather on Sunday, the usual crowd of pleasure seekers availed themselves of the different railways and places of amusement to an average extent. The theatres were all full in the evening and at the Colon, Faust continues to draw good houses. The thermometer

fell during Sunday night to 35, but in the country and exposed places freezing point was reached. The present weather is, however, everything that can be desired in a sanitary point of view.

On Saturday and Sunday nights Faust was repeated at the Opera House, before houses almost as full as on the night of our new prima donna's debut. Mdlle. Siebs had shaken off to a great extent her nervousness, and more than fulfilled the favorable anticipations formed on the night of her first appearance. She has, independent of her superior powers as a singer and an actress, the inestimable advantage for a young 'debutante,' of being of attractive appearance, and graceful in every movement to a most striking degree. She has won the hearts of her audience, a feat which some of the greatest stars that ever trod the boards have been unable to accomplish. In time Mdlle. Siebs is certainly destined to reach the very highest rank in her profession.

The latest police reports published show that since the 14th inst. there have been but two fatal cases of cholera in the city. This is a very small proportion, and the cold weather will probably put an end for the present to any case whatever of this disease.

The late benefit to Mons. D'Hote has given rise to a controversy of a very unpleasant nature, as to whether the benefit was required, or should have been given. It *has* been given, however, and as it proved such a decided success, we are sorry that the present question has been so prominently brought forward, the money being certain to be charitably applied in any case.

We find in our latest Rio exchanges a list of the various supplies forwarded to the inavding Brazilian army in Paraguay from Rio, since the beginning of the year. We recapitulate them as they may be of interest to our mercantile readers:—viz., 16,454 tents, of which 200 were for the sick and 284 for officers; 57,900 tunics, 25,000 shakos, 35,500 pair of trousers, 50,000 shirts, 900 overcoats, 26,000 pair of boots and shoes, 9,400 muskets, swords, pistols, &c.; 9,700 belts, 1,250 complete outfits and 6000 schabracks, 56 baggage waggons with the necessary horses wind up the list. The full service complement of horses required for the entire invading army is put down at 21,365, of which number 2,304 have been cast; mules 6,595, 1,236 of them being unserviceable; and oxen, 2,043, 753 of them being worn out. From the 22nd of April, 1867, to the present date 47,400 overcoats and 17,280 'ponchos' have been forwarded to the army. This list is signed by the Quartermaster General of the Brazilian army, General F. A. Roposo.

To-day is expected to arrive in our port, in the steam transport Gerente, the veteran soldier, who justly merits the title of the bravest of the brave men on either side who have been engaged in the bloody Paraguayan struggle. We cordially salute and welcome to our city General Osorio, and while we rejoice at his recovery from his wounds, we wish him long life and health to continue to his country and the allied cause the brilliant services that have won for him his great reputation.

Our Rosario colleagues publish the text of the impeachment made against ex-Governor Zaballa by the Legislature of San-Juan. His two Ministers are also included, and the three summoned to appear at the bar of the Chambers on the 15th of next month to answer the charges of infringement of the Constitution, malversation of public moneys, and abuse of power. We shall give a translation of this curious document in our tomorrow's issue.

Mme. Uberti's farewell concert takes place definitely to-morrow (Wednesday) in the Coliseum. We are glad to hear that the demand for tickets has almost exceeded the supply, and we augur that the benefit of this popular artiste will be such as her merits deserve, and that the assemblage in the Coliseum to-morrow night will be both numerous and select.

We are unavoidably prevented from publishing to-day the official program of the supplemental race-meeting fixed by the Committee of the Jockey Club for Tuesday, 25th inst., in Belgrano. More or less, however, it will be as follows:—

1st. Match of $5,000 a side between Mr. Casares' Pegasus and Mr. Welchman's Quien Sabe?—once round

2nd. Sweepstakes for caballeriza horses, shod, and ridden by gentlemen; entrance, $100, with $1,000 added from the funds of the Jockey Club—once round.

3rd. Match between Mr. Anderson's Rabioso, and Mr. Welchman's Old Warden—half round.

4th. Hurdle race open to all horses, gentlemen riders, $200 entrance, with $2,000 added—once and a half round, with eight flights of hurdles.

We were yesterday informed that we may soon expect a considerable influx of immigrants to these shores from East London, where a gentleman who has been for a long time in this country is at present engaged in making preparations for sending them here. We will gladly welcome the newcomers to the Argentine Republic, though except in agriculture, we do not see how they can be profitably employed at present.

The Provincial Government of Tucuman have discovered a new way of "making things look pleasant" in a financial sense. The budget, or rather we should say, one side of it, the Debit, of that province for the present year, has been published, and we find the expenditure estimated at 78,213 hard dollars, but what can be put down as against these figures we have been unable to find out, as no estimate of income has seen the light, or if it has, we have not been fortunate enough to see it. The Provincial Chancellor of the Exchequer probably thinks like many others, that "where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise."

The brokers in Montevideo are about to establish a regular list for the publication of all gold transactions that take place. This looks as if money dealers in the sister city did not consider the end of the crisis to be near.

It appears that the Argentine rising generation are thinking of learning how to box—a much better pastime and more manly accomplishment than using the knife. Boxing, fencing, single-stick, &c., can all now be learned at the new "Boxing Academy," in Calle Reconquista, opposite the English Bank.

Mr. Christopherson, the Norwegian Consul, had the flag of that country flying all day yesterday to commemorate the anniversary of the declaration of the Norwegian Constitution in 1814.

Whenever an unusually large number of murderers and robbers escape from our prisons, we are sure to hear of plans and projects for building new prisons, or patching up old ones. We now hear that the late wholesale jail delivery has induced some of the authorities to think of doing something, but by the time the 'thinking' has been got through, and the 'something' decided on, and then the planning and projecting and contracting managed, the present generation of criminals will have been apprehended, and have escaped several hundred times. Anything like prison reform is almost irrevocably connected in our mind with the words 'Tib's eve.'

A friend from the neighbourhood of Pilar informs us that the storms of last week have destroyed an immense number of fine young lambs, in some flocks nearly half of them having died from exposure to the rain and storm. We are sorry to hear this, for it is more than likely that other parts have suffered equally, and the poor sheep-farmer has enough to contend with without losing the benefit of the increase in his flocks. Our informant also called our attention to the fact of the frequent changes made in the office of Juez de Paz of that partido for some time past. Frequently superseding an official of such importance is very prejudicial to the interests of any neighbourhood, and we hope the practice will be discontinued at Pilar.

We are obliged to hold over the report of the Athletic Society meeting, which took place on Friday last, until to-morrow, as it reached us too late on yesterday evening to permit of its being published to day.

We find in the 'Telegrafo Maritimo' the sad news of the loss by fire of one of the most magnificent clippers that ever cut the waves. The Blue Jacket, on her late voyage from Liverpool to Australia, with a full cargo, passengers, and specie, took fire at sea and was totally destroyed. An open boat had arrived at Stanley, with £15,000 in specie, and the news that H.M.S. Megera would soon arrive with the passengers and the rest of the money. It is presumed her cargo was entirely lost.

The following steamers leave this port to-day:—

The Rio Uruguay at 10 a.m., for Salto and intermediate ports.

The Capitan at 10 a.m., from the Retiro for Rosario and intermediate ports.

On to-morrow:—

The Rio de la Plata at 5 p.m. for Montevideo.

The Naposta for Colonia at 10 p.m.

The Whiteinch, do., do., at 2 p.m.

THE BRITISH HOSPITAL.

The Committee for the year 1869, organised as follows—

H. A. Green, chairman;
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W. L. Jordan, secretary;
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Have to acknowledge the receipt of the following subscriptions, and hereby give notice that further subscriptions from those who are desirous of supporting the institution will be received by the different members of the committee, or at the London and River Plate Bank:—

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Wanklyn and Co	250	
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John Smith	100	
Best Brothers	100	
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Zimmermann, Fair, and Co	100	
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Kerr and Greirson	20	
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Mackern Brothers	14	
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Rev. Mr Smith	12	
C Twyford	12	
J Shaw, sen	10	
J Shaw, jun	10	
C H Flower	10	
A Bousefield	10	
Thomas Holms	10	
E Powoll and Co	8	
George Bell	8	
Thomas Gowland	8	
J G Barton	8	
A Fulton	8	
Galbraith and Hunter	8	
J G Russell	8	
W Anderson	8	
J H Miles	8	
Mrs Miller	8	
D Fleming	6	
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L She	4	
J Tallafano	4	
Wm Murdoch	4	
Wm Leslie	4	
T Torres	4	
W Allinson	4	
R Hudson	2	
James Weston	2	
J Mackintosh	2	
J Macarthur	2	
A Powell	2	
J Brown	2	
Donation per Rev Mr Smith	80	
Do per Mr Drysdale	33	40
Do per Messrs Moore, Punch and Tudor	16	80

Buenos Ayres, May 13, 1869.

ON 'CHANGE.

May 17, 1869.

Ounces,	490
Sovereigns,	122½
Patacones,	25
National Bonds	54½

National Bonds continue firm, although some of the principal bears sell freely on time. In the liquidation on Saturday bonds were found to be scarce and some brokers in order to meet their contracts were obliged to borrow bonds in the street. Even to-day although 400,000 were sold for the end of May and June, only 17,000 were sold cash. Prices opened at 54⅜, and closed at 54½, buyers. For end of May the sales amounted to 175,000 at 54⅜, and for the end of June 255,000 at 54¾. There is still great speculation for the end of this quarter; the general impression is however that bonds have been immensely oversold both for May and June, the bulls there are watch the market keenly. The condition of trade and the prospects of the country are not of a character to favor high prices at present in the bond market, but what with the plethora of money, and the over speculation of the bears, the market has assumed an unlooked for firmness, which it is thought will last to the expiration of the quarter.

There was much said to-day respecting the recent emission of Provincial Bonds for railway purposes, it being currently rumored that the Government purposed sending this new loan to be offered in London, but on enquiry we learned that it is probable the Bonds will be negotiated here, the London and River Plate Bank having, it is said, offered to take the whole loan, one hundred millions, at 80, conditioned that the interest of the Bonds be payable in London, and at a charge of one per cent commission for the Bank. These Bonds bear *six* per cent. interest, and according to law cannot be negotiated under eighty.

It is also rumored that there is a majority in the Chambers for the sale of the Western Railway, but respecting this the matter has to be first discussed.

The Peitou's news was not known on 'Change up to the closing hour. It was stated that one or two telegrams had come up, announcing further unfavorable advices from the Havre wool market, but these messages were kept very private. Mr. Bonnemason had no advices, and could not even say if she would be in port in the morning, owing to the high sea on in the Bay of Montevideo.

The firm of Hughes & Lazarus went into liquidation to-day. The business operations of the firm were of so limited a nature that the firm was little known on the Bolsa. There is some talk of an auctioneer having stopped last week, but no name is given.

In the produce markets very little doing. Lambs' wool has given in two or three dollars per arroba, and only for the very best qualities of mestiza is there the slightest enquiry. The sales in the Once are so small that we may say there is nothing doing in the article. Dry hides are also neglected, and prices falling.

The arrival of the Gerente with Gen. Osorio on board was announced by telegraph; also of a new steamer from Hamburg the Bio-Bio—respecting this steamer there is nothing known. Some parties say that there is talk of a new line of steamers from Hamburg to Rio and the Plate.

The following were the sales reported in Montevideo:

50 barrels sheep tallow.
500 hides, 60 cts. gold.
2,000 ar. wool, 23 rls.

It was announced on 'Change to-day that the Special Committee of Congress to whom the San Juan question had been referred had fully approved of all the acts of the National Government in the matter, and there was increased significance attached to this, owing to ex-President Mitre being a member of the committee.

Advices received yesterday from Paraguay are unimportant. No new move has been made. It is believed, however, that on Saturday last the Allied Army advanced on the position of Lopez.

Nothing done in exchange as yet—the rate however is quoted at 49.

Messrs Donovan & Bentham report the following sales:

200 fanegas wheat,		per fan.	$195
50 do	do	do	170
100 do	maize	do	69
2000 ar. wool, much carretilla,		per ar.	42
60 bordalesas grease			14¾ rls. f
20 dozen sheepskins,		per doz.	$71

The Saturno and America took in their last trips to Montevideo ten thousand patacons, but to-day the demand for gold for Montevideo is most trifling.

Owing to the tenor of the articles published in the 'Tribuna' of Montevideo, which is regarded as the Government organ, it was freely said on Change to-day that at last the Government of the Banda Oriental is about to come to a definite understanding with the Mauá Bank, as the Government not only finds itself unable to go on for the want of funds, but utterly unable to make good its guarantee for the paper money in circulation in view of the fearful decline in the value of every description of property; a meeting of a private nature is said to have been held the other night by the legislators, with a view to bring about an arrangement. It is said that the possible solution of the difficulty will be the conversion of the Maua Bank into a National bank on sound and safe bases, and that the Baron Maua is unwilling to depart from a general liquidation owing to the heavy outstandings due the bank, and the great uncertainty of the future. The conversion of the bank into a National bank however, it is said, meets his views, and to effect which he is willing to lend the fullest co-operation. It is impossible to divine the real solution of this chronic bank crisis: it is possible there may be some foundation for the above rumours, but few in this market are correctly informed as to the real bona fide condition of Montevideo.

The export of specie by the Tycho Brahe caused little notice, but the export of gold continues as will be seen by the shipments per French mail steamer Aunis—

For Rio Janeyro.	
By Rocha Faria, francs	16,087
" P. Pereyra "	8,825
" A. Sosa "	37,500
For Bahia.	
By O. Tyay, francs	6,000
For Lisbon.	
By F. Bolf, francs	16,250
For Bordeaux.	
By M. Antela francs	2,000
" Chapman Callender "	12.000
" Sundries "	5.640
	104,782
For London.	
Fiscal Bank Committee	187,500
Francs	292,282

Owing to the great business now done in Montevideo in gold sales, it is proposed to open a special office at a certain hour at the offices of R. Arocena, for the exclusive sale of specie. This is a veritable sign of the times.

The Foam which has arrived from the Falkland Islands brought news of the total loss of the British clipper Blue Jacket, burnt to the waters edge en route from Australia to London: a boat escaped from the ship, and reached Stanley with £15,000 in gold.

The Junta of Montevideo have notified the holders of their loan, that on the 1st prox. it pays the amortization due last year on that debt. This is a sign of returning prosperity.

May 17.

Very few transactions to-day—as usual on Monday.

We know of heavy sales of wool, dry hides and tallow. We will inform our readers to-morrow.

Arrival of produces during last week up to date:—

By Railway.	
Wool	32,402 arr.
Grease	653 "
Tallow	598 "
Sheepskins	4600
Dry hides	2895
By Carts.	
Wool	4902 arr.
Horse hair	64 "
Sheepskins	376 doz.
Dry hides	122

BIRTHS.

May 13, in this city, the wife of Mr. John Groves, of a daughter.

May 17, the wife of Mr. James P. Stanfield of a daughter.

STEAMBOATS TO LEAVE.

To-day—For Salto and intermediate ports, at ten, a.m., from port, the steamer Rio Uruguay.
To-day—For Rosario, San Nicolas, and intermediate ports, at ten a.m., the station, Retiro, the steamer Capitan. Prices Reduced, and railway ticket gratis.
Friday—For Rossario, Parana, Santa Fe, and intermediate ports, at ten, a.m., from the Station Retiro, the steamer Lujan. Prices reduced, and railway ticket gratis.
Saturday—For Zarate, Baradero, San Pedro, at ten a.m., from the station, Retiro, the Steamer Tala.
Agents—A. MATTI AND PIERA, Cuyo, 36½

STEAMBOATS TO LEAVE.—For Rosario and intermedia e ports—The Soli on Mondays and Fridays, by the 9.30 a.m. train.—Rubio and Foley, Agents.

STEAMPACKET TO LEAVE.
Every Thursday for Montevideo, at 5 p.m. the British steampacket Saturno.
Every Sunday for Salto and intermediate ports at 10 a.m., the British steampacket Saturno.
Mensagerias Fluvia'es Reconquista, No 99.

EXTRA STOUT
A few Barrels of the Mark,
XXX
MP AND T.
On Sale by
MOORE, PUNCH, & TUDOR,
72—Reconquista—72
119,3pmy18

LOST,
ON Saturday Evening, the 15th inst, a Pocket-book containing a Letter and Power of Attorney, in the English Language. These Documents are of no value to any one but the owner, who will reward the finder upon his restoring them at Calle Defensa, No. 11.
121,3p,my18

HOUSE COAL
Of Superior Quality,
Is now being received at
60 — CALLE MEJICO — 60
GEORGE BELL AND SON.
124,6p,my18

FAMILIES wishing to dedicate themselves to agriculture will find a chance, by applying to Calle Potosi 194. 123 3p,my18

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY
Manufactured by
RANSOMES, SIMS, & HEAD,
ORWELL WORKS,
Ipswich,
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George Suarez and Co., Agents and Representative throughout the Argentine Republic, of Messrs. Ransomes, Sims, and Head, of Ipswich, England, Engineers, and Manufacturers of all kinds of Steam and Hand-machinery used in Agriculture, renowned for the recognised superiority of their Patent Threshing Machines, for which they obtained the First Prize at the Paris Exhibition of 1867, also Prizes from the Royal Agricultural Society of England, and in many other European countries; have in Stock and offer to the Public—

Portable steam engines, steam and horse power, thrashing machines, elevators, portable mills, ploughs of various kinds, reaping machines, horse rakes, dressing and winnowing machines, and Indian corn shellers.

Also they are prepared to take orders for stationary engines, self-moving steam engines, steam ploughs on Fowley's patent system, circular and horizontal saw, centrifugal pumps, harrows, grubbers, field rollers, crushing rollers, horse shoe portable mills, lawn and rolling machine, water and feeding pans, hog and pig through, and everything necessary for agriculture.

Catalogues, drawing, price lists, &c., can be had free on application at Messrs. George Suarez and Co., Calle San Miguel, Parana; and Mr. Felipe Schwartz, Engineers, 6 Calle San Luis, near La Casa Amarilla, Buenos Ayres.
102,xp,my18

NOTICE.

IF Joseph Collins does not call for his Clothes, which was left at 190 Calle Mayo, and now at 68 Tucuman, they will be sold according to law, three days from this date.
122,3p,my18

COMMERCIAL NOTICE.

THE Undersigned gives Notice that the Partnership formerly known as that of 'Hughes and Lazarus,' of this city, is from this date dissolved, and the undersigned will not acknowledge any transactions, monetary or otherwise, that may be transacted by Mr. Selim S. Lazarus in the name of the Firm, the undersigned remaining the Active and Passive Partner in the before mentioned Firm.
JOHN E. HUGHES.
Buenos Ayres, May 17, 1869.
127,6p,my19

THE Creditors of Messrs. Hughes and Lazarus are hereby cautioned that the steps taken by Mr. John E. Hughes are without Mr. Lazarus's consent, and it is advisable to convoke a meeting of creditors, so that they may see in what plight the Firm now stands.
SELIM S. LAZARUS.
The Meeting to be convened for Friday, 21st inst., at Eleven o'Clock.
129,3p,my18

PARA TAPALQUE
La Invariable Porteña.
CORREO DEL ESTADO.
Administracion Rivadavia 441 y 443.
Para Tapalquen, los dias........ 6, 15 y 24
Y de Tapalque para B. Ayres.. 2, 11 y 20
NOTA—Los equipajes y encomiendas, se reciben hasta 4 de la tarde de la vispera de la salida.
Empresario,
MIGUEL M. LUPO.
m15—xp.

PARA CAÑUELAS, MONTE Y LAS FLORES
LA INVARIABLE PORTEÑA.
Correo Nacional
Administracion Calle Rivadavia 441 y 443.
PARA LAS FLORES
Por el Tren del Sud.
Estacion Jeppener, Puento Terrero, La Castorina, y 11 de Setiembre, los dias...... 3, 9, 15, 21 y 27

CAÑUELAS, MONTE Y LAS FLORES
Por el Tren del Oeste, Estacion Moron.
Las Dias.................. 6, 12, 18, 22 y 30
De las Flores para B. Ayres.. 3, 9, 15, 31 y 27
NOTA—Los equipages y encomiendas se reciben hasta las 4 de la tarde de la vispera de las las salidas.
Emprosario,
MIGUEL M. LUPO.

EDUARDO OLTMANN.
DENTISTA ALEMAN.
245—Calle Cangallo (en los altos)—245.
Tiene el honor de avisar al publico que acaba de recibir un rico surtido de dientes, instrumentos y utiles de la mas moderna construccion. Aprovecha esta occasion de ofrecer otra vez al publico sus servicios en todo el ramo de su arte, que son bastant conocidos por su larga permanencia en esta ciudad.
105..2p m16

SALIDA DE VAPORES.
PARA MONTEVIDEO—El Lunes á las 5 de la tarde el vapor Villa del Salto.
ALVAREZ Y RISO,
99½—Reconquista—99½.

FOR SALE.

ENGLISH ESTANCIA IN ENTRE RIOS.
To be Sold, in consequence of one of the Proprietors returning to England, the Estancia "LA LLAVE."
Situated in the well-known district of the Clé Gualeguay.
The Estancia comprises two square leagues of fine pasture land, well watered; a most comfortable brick House, with outhouses, and every accommodation for a family; also four puestos.
The Stock will also be Sold consisting of about 1,200 cattle, 250 mares and saddle horses, and from 5,000 to 12,000 good sheep, at the option of purchasers.
The live stock is in good order, and all the Plant in excellent repair.
The titles of the Estancia are unexceptional.
Persons desirous to purchase the stock and rent the Estancia under Contract, may also be treated with.
Apply on the Estancia; or to
JOHN P. BOYD,
Calle San Martin, No. 56
108,1m,my16

LOST,
AT the Athletic Sports, Palermo, on the 6th inst., a Lilac Morocco Leather Pocket-book, containing a British Protection, a Note-book, and a few other papers, of no value except to the owner. Any person leaving same at Calle Reconquista, 72, will receive $100 Reward.
111,3p,my16

ATTENTION
Travelling Rugs, various patterns, $190.
Grenadier Boots, fine quality, $200.
Mens' Crimean Shirts, all wool, $35.
Linen Table Cloth, double width, $16 vara.
Ladies and Gentlemens' English Saddles, and Boys' do., from $250 to $700.
Bagging, yd. 2$4.
A general assortment of sundry other articles, at very low prices.
29—CALLE DEFENSA—29
117,8p,my16

FINE OLD PORT,
In Cases and in Cuarterolas.
9—Maipu—9
G. MALM.
116,5p,my16

TEMPERANCE MEETING.
A Meeting on the above subject will be held at the "Seaman's Mission," 26 Calle Cangallo, on Tuesday Evening, 18th inst., at 7.30. Friends of the Cause are invited to attend.
105,3p,my16

SECOND-HAND CLOTHES Bought and Sold, at 85½ Calle Parque.
100,6p,my16

On the 1st of June,
MISS GATES, who has lived five years as Governess, in the best families of Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, proposes opening a School for Young Ladies, at 143 Calle Parque.
English in all its branches. French, Music, and Needlework.
Extras—German, Drawing, and advanced Music. 120 6p,my16

NOTICE.
THE Dancing Classes at 96 Calle Independencia, will commence on Tuesday, June 2d. For Children, at Six o'Clock. For Adults at Eight.
Early application respectfully requested.
99,6p,my14

THE BEST LIQUOR,
OLD KIRSCH
From Switzerland,
Very Fine and quite natural, is sold cheap in
137—CALLE PIEDAD—137
94,6p, my14

PHARMACEUTICAL HALL,
30—RIVADAVIA—30

WILL RESTORE GREY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR.	ROSSETER'S HAIR RESTORER.	ROSSETER'S HAIR RESTORER.	IS THE CHEAPEST AND BEST RESTORER EVER USED.
IT IS NOT A DYE			IT CONTAINS NO OIL.
It removes Dandruff and all impurities from the head, and prevents the hair falling off.			It promotes the growth & strength of the Hair, giving it the lustre and health of youth.

CRANWELL, Chemist,
30—Rivadavia—30
Montevideo:
W. CRANWELL & CO.,
139 25 de Mayo.
69,1m,my9

ENGLISH AND FRENCH SCHOOL
135—CALLE SUIPACHE—135
(Between Corrientes and Parque.)
Mr. BRENAN has opened a School for Young Gentlemen at the above address, joined by Mr. Mulcahy, who also has much experience in Teaching.
COURSE OF INSTRUCTION:
English in all its branches; French, Spanish, and German; Sacred and Universal History, Geography, Grammar, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, Writing, Literature, &c.
For Cards of Terms apply at the School; or at 182 Calle Parque. 250,xp,my7

GREAT REDUCTION OF FARES
FOR ROSARIO.
NEW ARRANGEMENT.
Passengers and Freight.

THE SPLENDID AMERICAN STEAMER

EDWARD EVERETT.
Captain JOHN O. MORSE.
Will leave the Inner Roads for Rosario, via Las Palmas, touching at San Nicolas every Sunday, at Ten a.m. Returning, will leave Rosario every Wednesday at Four p.m., arriving at Buenos Ayres on Thursday, at Eight a.m. Passenger accommodations unsurpassed.
Fare to SAN NICOLAS .... f $4
Do. ROSARIO 6
Do. FREIGHT 6
Forward Passage Half Price.
For further particulars apply to the Agency, HENRY DOWS 76 Calle 25 de Mayo. a2

Shipping Intelligence.

PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIVERPOOL AND VALPARISO LINE.

The (New) S.S. MAGELLAN,
3,000 Tons,
600 Horse-power,
Lieut. C. H. SIVELL, R.N.R.,
Commander,
Is expected to arrive in Montevideo, from Valparaiso, on the 15th of May, and will be despatched shortly after her arrival, taking Passengers, Specie, Parcels, &c, for Rio de Janeiro, St. Vincent, Lisbon, St. Nazaire, and Liverpool.
This magnificent and commodious Screw Steamer, fitted with all the latest improvements, is now on her first voyage, and being the largest and fastest steamer on the route between Europe and South America, presents unequalled accommodation and advantages for First, Second, and Third-class Passengers.

RATES OF FARES:

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class
Rio de Janeiro	£12	£ 8	£ 5 10
St. Vincent ..	32	25	17 10
Lisbon	35	25	17 10
St. Nazaire ..	35	25	17 10
Liverpool	35	25	17 10

The usual reduction made for Children and Servants of Passengers.
Return Tickets available for Twelve Calendar Months from date, will be issued to First-class passengers only, at a reduction of 25 per cent. on Passage Money.
Freight on Specie, One-half per Cent.
From the month of June proximo, one of the Company's Steamers, under Contract with the Chilian Government, will be despatched monthly (instead of Bi-monthly, as formerly) for Liverpool, Valparaiso, and intermediate ports of the route; and for this Monthly Service there are now in course of completion the Patagonia, Andes, and Cordillera, Screw Steamers of the same class and description as the Magellan.
The next steamer due in Montevideo is the new Screw Steamship "Patagonia," to sail for Valparaiso on or about the 10th June.
For further particulars, please apply to the Consignee, Messrs. Bates Stokes, and Co.; or to the Brokers:
HUMPHREYS and CLARKE,
Calle Zavala, No. 30,
Montevideo.
93,12p,my14

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LIVERPOOL, BRAZIL AND RIVER PLATE MAIL STEAMERS.
Messrs. Lamport and Holt's Line, under Postal Contract with Her Majesty's Government and that of Brazil.

Tycho Brahe 1818 tons.	Humboldt ..1346 to
Hipparchus..1840 "	Flamsteed ..1376 "
Kepler .....1499 "	Copernicus ..1397 "
Galileo......1525 "	Saladin ....510 "
Newton .....1074 "	La Plata ....1393 "
Ptolemy ....1115 "	La Place ....1194 "
Halley......1347 "	Donati .....1182 "
Memnon.....1209 "	Pascal (new) 1876 "

Biela, Olbers (building.)

The S.S. LAPLACE,
1194 Tons,
Captain HUDSON.
Will be despatched from Buenos Ayres for Antwerp, calling at Montevideo, Santos, and Rio de Janeyro, on or about FRIDAY, the 21st May.
The "LAPLACE" will proceed to, and take cargo for, Havre, should sufficient inducement offer.
At Santos she will meet and will tranship passengers for Lisbon to the Steamer "Donati," of the same Line.
Passengers for England will be landed at Southampton.

The new S.S. PASCAL,
1876 Tons,
Captain JOHNSON,
Will be despatched from Buenos Ayres for Liverpool, calling at Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro, and Bahia, on or about MONDAY, the 24th MAY.

Cargo will be Received on Board until Noon on the Day of Sailing.
Wool will be taken via Liverpool for London, at 35/ per 40 cubic feet.
Parcels and Specie at the Office of the Undersigned until ONE P.M., of said Day.
Freight on Specie: One-half per Cent.
Letters to be sent through the Post-office only.

These Steamers have excellent accommodation for Passengers, and carry Surgeons and Stewardesses.

REDUCTION IN RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY.

First-class to Liverpool	£ 35	sterling
Southampton	35	"
Do. Lisbon	30	"

The usual allowance made to families.
Steerage Passages: One-Half.

FIRST-CLASS RETURN TICKETS, available for TWELVE MONTHS, issued to all parts on favorable terms.
Apply to the Agents
Messrs. DARBYSHIRE KRABBE, and CO.; or the
Brokers,
JOHN P. BOYD and CO., San Martin 56
The LAPLACE is intended to leave Montevideo on the 22d, and the PASCAL, on the 25th May. 56,15p,m9

FOR LIVERPOOL,
The beautiful new clipper Barque
JANE AND DOROTHY,
349 Tons Register, A 1 at Lloyd's,
And is one of the fastest vessels in Port. Has three-fourths of her cargo engaged, and will have immediate despatch.
Apply to Green, Le Rossignol, and Co.
86,1w,my12

STEAMBOAT AGENCY OF SCIURANO AND CARREGA,
30 CALLE CANGALLO.
For Montevideo, the splendid Oriental Steamer
AMERICA,
Captain BOSSI.
Will leave this port every Tuesday and Saturday, at five p.m., carrying passengers and cargo, returning on Tuesdays and Fridays.
9,xp

STEAMBOAT AGENCY OF RUBIO AND FOLEY.
CALLE 25 DE MAYO, No. 12.
The Steamer Solis, will leave for Rosario and intermediate ports, from the Tigre, on Mondays and Fridays, by the 9.30 train, returning on Thursdays and Mondays.
She has splendid accommodation for passengers, cabin and steerage, and we offer first-rate treatment.
The Steamer Aguila will leave for Victoria every week, carrying cargo and passengers. The cargo is received at the sailing vessel prices.
For further particulars apply to the Agents, Rubio and Foley, 12 Calle Mayo 180 xp,a4

STEAMBOAT TO LEAVE
For Colonia, the British Steamer NAPOSTA, every Wednesday and Saturday, at 10 a.m.
Agents: Luis Maclean and Co., Paseo de Julio 35. 285,xp my1

TWICE A WEEK.
BRITISH STEAMER
WHITEINCH.
FOR COLONIA.
ARRIVES in this port every Sunday at 12 a.m., leaving this on Monday at 10 a.m.; returning here on Wednesday at 12 a.m., and leaving the same day at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, arriving in the Colonia at 6 p.m., and leaving the following Thursday for Montevideo.
TARIFF.
Colonia.................. $4,
Small parcels (encomiendas). &c., received in the Agency of
HENRY DOWES,
67—25 MAYO—67.
21 | xp a3

FOR HAMBURG
The fine Hamburg Barque,
TAI LEE, 200 Tons,
STEHR, Master.
Now discharging in Port, will load for the above destination. Has still room for light freight.
Apply to GREEN, LE ROSSIGNOL, & CO., 85 Reconquista. 48,15pmy6

CONSTANTINE'S
PERSIAN HEALING
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PINE TAR SOAP.
For the Toilet this Soap has no equal. It preserves the complexion fair, the skin soft, flexible, and healthy.
It removes all Dandruff, preserves the hair soft and silky, and prevents it from falling off or prematurely turning grey.
It cures pimples on the face, cracked or chapped hands, salt rheum, frosted feet, burns, fresh cuts or wounds of all kinds, all diseases of the scalp and skin, and is a good Shaving Soap.
CRANWELL AND MURRAY,
Pharmaceutical Chemists,
66—CALLE RECONQUISTA—66
159,xp,a20

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PAIN STOPPED,
NERVE DESTROYED,
TOOTH PRESERVED,
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Which Immediately Cures the TOOTHACHE, And destroys The Sensitive	MURRAY'S NERVONE.	Nerves of DECAYED TEETH, Rendering Extraction Seldom necessary.

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Pharmaceutical Chemists,
66 — CALLE RECONQUISTA — 66
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Wine and Spirit Merchant,
77—CALLE TREINTA, Y TRES—77,
MONTEVIDEO.
Monthly supplies of CIGARS direct from Havannah. 165xp, f25

TO LET, a Furnished Room. Apply to 158 Calle Parque. 114.5p16

TO LET, for Single Gentlemen, Two Furnished Rooms, Windows to the Street, in a private family. Calle Cerito, No. 183. Terms moderate 95,3p,my16

TO LET, two nice-furnished Rooms, at 175 Calle Maipu. 85,6p,my13

TO LET, some very comfortable, newly-furnished Bedrooms. The principal Bedrooms have all fire-places and gas-lights, and are nicely carpeted; also a comfortable Sala, just preparing. Board and attendance if required. Calle Temple, up stairs and down. The square between Mayo and Reconquista, in the house of an English family. 75,6p my11

THE Parents of James Martin, Whitesmith who left England for Paraguay, in the year 1864, would be glad to hear of his well being. Their address is still Ben y-stree: Birkenhead, England. 55,14p,my8

RESIDENT GOVERNESS—A young Lady is desirous of engaging as Teacher, in a respectable family, where the children are young. For information concerning branches taught, and other references, please apply to Miss J., care of the Rev. Samuel Adams; or of A. J. Towers, Montevideo. 54,16p,my8

A LADY [moving in the best circles] lately arrived from England, and about to return, wishes to take home a few young ladies to educate with her own daughters, under the care and superintendence of a Governess, assisted by the first Masters. Inclusive terms for young ladies above twelve years of age, £100 per annum. Under twelve, from £60 to £80. Satisfactory references. Address E. G. B., Standard Office.
101,3p,my15

GOOD PLAIN COOK and HOUSEMAID Wanted. Apply at No 9 Calle Cuyo up stairs. 132,6p,my18

WANTED, a Servant for a small family Apply upstairs, at No. 36 Calle Potosi.
130,3p,my48

WANTED, a good Woman Cook and an active Lad, who understands waiting at table, and doing general work through the house. None need apply without good recommendations. Apply at 73 Calle Temple.
112,6p,my16

WANTED, an English Girl for a Children a German family. Apply at 350 Calle Esmeralda. 79,8p,my11

WANTED, a Plain Cook, for a small family to go a short distance from the Southern Railway; also a married couple for general work about the place. Apply at 194 Calle Potosi.
76,3p,m11

WANTED, a Man Cook, for an Estancia in the Banda Oriental. Apply at 196 Calle Piedad. 43,6p,my4

WANTED, a Housemaid, Apply at No 8 Calle Piedras. 71,9p,my0

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

From the 23rd Day of MARCH, 1869, the Trains will run as follows:—

DEPARTS.

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.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Buenos Ayres	7 30	8 0	8 30	9 20	10 30	11 30	12 30	1 30	2 30	3 0	3 30	4 30	5 30	6 30	7 30	8 30
Plaza Constitucion	7 42	8 20	8 42	9 30	10 42	11 42	12 42	1 42	2 42	3 20	3 42	4 42	5 42	6 42	7 42	8 42
North Barracas	7 50	8 27	8 50	9 44	10 50	11 50	12 50	1 50	2 50	3 27	3 50	4 50	5 50	6 50	7 50	8 50
South Barracas	7 53	8 32	8 53	9 47	10 53	11 53	12 53	1 53	2 53	3 32	3 53	4 53	5 53	6 53	7 53	8 53
Lanus	....	8 45	....	....	....	....	....	2 4	....	3 48	....	5 4	....	....	....	....
Lomas de Zamora	....	9 0	....	....	....	....	....	2 17	....	4 5	....	5 17	....	....	....	....
Burzaco	....	9 20	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4 22	....	5 34	....	....	....	....
Glew	....	9 40	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4 40	....	5 55	....	....	....	....
San Vicente	....	10 8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5 8	....	6 20	....	....	....	....
Domselaar	....	10 40	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5 40	....	....	....	....	....	....
Ferrari	....	11 13	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6 13	....	....	....	....	....	....
Jeppener	....	11 40	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6 40	....	....	....	....	....	....
Altamirano	....	12 5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7 5	....	....	....	....	....	....
puuGara	....	12 30	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7 30	....	....	....	....	....	....
Chascomus	....	1 0	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8 0	....	....	....	....	....	....

RETURNS.

Stations	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Chascomus	....	....	....	....	....	....	8 25	....	....	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Gàndara	....	....	....	....	....	....	8 55	....	....	....	....	....	....	3 22
Altamirano	....	....	....	....	....	....	9 22	....	....	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Jeppener	....	....	....	....	....	....	9 49	....	....	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Ferrari	....	....	....	....	....	....	10 17	....	....	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Domselaar	....	....	....	....	....	....	10 45	....	....	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
San Vicente	....	....	8 0	....	....	....	11 20	....	....	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Glew	....	....	8 28	....	....	....	11 55	....	....	....	....	....	....	[illegible]
Bursaco	....	....	8 43	....	....	....	12 10	....	....	....	4 30	....	....	[illegible]
Lomas de Zamora	....	....	9 0	....	....	....	12 25	....	....	....	4 41	....	....	[illegible]
Lanús	....	....	9 10	....	....	....	12 40	....	....	....	4 53	....	....	[illegible]
South Barracas	7 0	8 0	9 25	10 0	11 0	12 0	1 0	2 0	3 0	4 0	5 0	6 0	7 0	[illegible]
North Barracas	7 3	8 3	9 28	10 3	11 3	12 3	1 3	2 3	3 3	4 3	5 3	6 3	7 3	[illegible]
Plaza Constitucion	7 15	8 11	9 35	10 11	11 11	12 11	1 15	2 11	3 11	4 10	5 11	6 11	7 11	[illegible]
Buenos Ayres	7 25	8 23	9 45	10 23	11 23	12 23	1 25	2 23	3 23	4 20	5 23	6 23	7 23	8 10

Sundays and Holydays the Trains will run half hours, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., between Buenos Ayres and Barracas only.

These are the Holydays:—All Saints, San Martin, Concepcion, Christmas, New Year's Day, Adoration, and Holy Week.

No tickets will be issued or parcels received at the Barracas, except for Calle Lima, Plaza Constitucion, Barracas al Sud, and Lomas

No extra charge will be made for the Tramway for passengers, per Railway, provided with proper tickets.

Passengers can procure tickets for any Station on the Line at the Lima Terminus.

Passengers travelling on the Tramway without a railway ticket, must pay $5 first-class, and $3 second.

The Tramway may also be used as Omnibus from Lima to Plaza Constitucion, people getting up and down at any point, except when full of passengers for train.

The cars will stop at any moment between Lima and Constitucion, to take up passengers.

Passengers for Barracas may get up at any point between the Stations above-mentioned, at the following tariff:—

Single—First Class	$5
Second Do	3
Return—First Class	$7
Second Do	5

Monthly tickets issued for the Tramway, Barracas, Bursaco, and Glew.

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From 15th October, 1868, until further notice.

	1 Cls. Single.	2 Cls. Single.	1 Cls. Return.	2 Cls. Return.
Buenos Ayres, Boleteria Central, 117 Calle Lima, Plaza Constitution	$3	$....	—$....	$....
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	13
Jeppener	75	60	—115	17
Altamirano	90	70	—135	501
Gandara	110	80	—165	500
Chascomus	110	90	—165	925

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UP TRAINS.

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

DOWN TRAINS

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

* Trains stop at Palermo, Rivadavia, and Olivos, when there are Passengers for these Stations Passengers wishing to alight at either of these Stations must inform the Guard at the preceding Station on entering the carriages. Without this notice the Trains do not stop.

HENRY CRABTREE,
General Manager.
Retiro Station, 4th February, 1869.
34,xp,o2

Boca, Barracas, and Ensenada Railway,

Between Venezuela and Barracas Bridge.

From and after THURSDAY, July 9, inclusive, the Trains will Run as follows:—

DEPARTURE.

Stations.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Venezuela	6 0	7 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	1 0	2 0	3 0	4 0	5 0	6 0	7 0
Boca	6 10	7 10	8 10	9 10	10 10	11 10	12 10	1 10	2 10	3 10	4 10	5 10	6 10	7 10
Tres Esquinas	6 20	7 20	8 20	9 20	10 20	11 20	12 20	1 20	2 20	3 20	4 20	5 20	6 20	7 20
Barracas Bridge	6 25	7 25	8 25	9 25	10 25	11 25	12 25	1 25	2 25	3 25	4 25	5 25	6 25	7 25

RETURN.

Stations.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Barracas Bridge	6 30	7 30	8 30	9 30	10 30	11 30	12 30	1 30	2 30	3 30	4 30	5 30	6 30	7 30
Tres Esquinas	6 33	7 33	8 33	9 33	10 33	11 33	12 33	1 33	2 33	3 33	4 33	5 33	6 33	7 33
Boca	6 43	7 43	8 43	9 43	10 43	11 43	12 43	1 43	2 43	3 43	4 43	5 43	6 43	7 43
Venezuela	6 55	7 55	8 55	9 55	10 55	11 55	12 55	1 55	2 55	3 55	4 55	5 55	6 55	7 55

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GENOVA	" " "	6150 246	" " "	4250 170	" " "	2000 80

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The Central Argentine Railway.

On and after the 1st December, 1868, the Trains will run as follows —

From Rosario, at	8 .. A.M.	
" Roldan,	8 45	
" Cacaranal,	9 50	
" Cañada Gomez,	10 40	
" Tortugas,	12 25	
" Leones,	2 15	
" Frayle Muerto,	3 25	4 0 P.M.
" Ballusteres,	4 55	
" Villa Nueva,	6 0	
From Villa Nueva,	7 .. A.M.	
" Ballusteres,	7 55	
" Frayle Muerto,	8 55	9 20 P.M
" Leones,	10 25	
" Tortugas,	12 5	
" Cañada Gomez,	2 10	
" Cacaranal,	3 5	
" Roldan,	4 10	
" Rosario,	5 ..	

Trains meet and cross each other at Tortugas.

GEORGE COOPER
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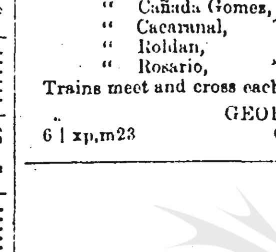

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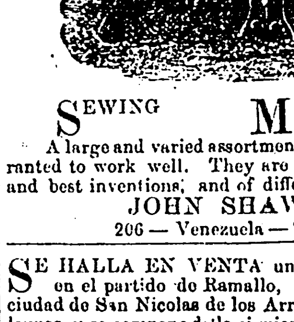

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STARTER,
W. Wheatly.

SECRETARY AND TREASURER,
J. S. Cunningham, Esq.

FIRST RACE.
Twelve o Clock, Noon.

The Rosario Cup, a Silver Cup, value, $100 bol, with $50 Bol. added to a Sweepstakes of $20 Bol. each. The winner to pay $20 Bol. to the fund. 10st. each. Ten squares. Gentlemen riders.

SECOND RACE.
Half-past Twelve p.m.

The Great Argentine Stakes. Entrance, $30 Bol. each, with $300 Bol. added. Open to all riders. No penalties. Weight, 11st. 7lbs. each. Thirty squares.

THIRD RACE.
One o'Clock p.m.

The Santa Fé Hurdle Race. Entrance, $15 Bol. each, with $100 Bol. added. The winner to pay $20 Bol. to the Fund. Eight hurdles four feet. Weight, 12st. Twenty squares.

FOURTH RACE.
Half-past One, p.m.

The Rosario Stakes of $200 Bol., to a Sweepstake of $25 Bol. each added. No penalties. Winner pays $30 Bol. to the Fund. Weight, 11st 7lbs. Twenty squares flat. Gentlemen riders.

FIFTH RACE.
Two o'Clock, p.m.

A Sweepstakes of $10 Bol. each, with $150 Bol. added. Winner to pay $20 Bol. to the Fund. Weight, 10st 10lbs. Seven squares.

CONDITIONS.

1st. All intending Gentlemen Riders must forward their names to the Secretary on or before the 15th May next, when a meeting of the Stewards will be held to decide whether they are qualified to ride or not.

2d. All disputes to be referred to the Stewards, whose decision will be final in every case.

3d. Jockeys are obliged to ride in topboots, white breeches, silk jacket, and cap.

4th. The winner of any Hurdle Race, value £100 Bol, to carry 7lbs extra.

5th. Winners of any English race, nett value $200 Bol, or of two, value $100 Bol, to carry 7lbs extra, of one, value $100 Bol, 4lbs extra.

6th. Entries to be made in writing, addressed to the Secretary of the Santa Fé Racing Club, at Messrs Cunningham and Pearson, Calle Aduana, Rosario, enclosing the Entrance Money, and giving full particulars of the colors and marks of the horses, as well as the colors of the riders, on or before Eight o'Clock p.m. of the 15th of May.

7th. Unless three horses start, no added money will be given in any of the above races.

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Claret,	Port.

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Claret,	Port,
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Buenos Ayres, 2nd January, 1867.

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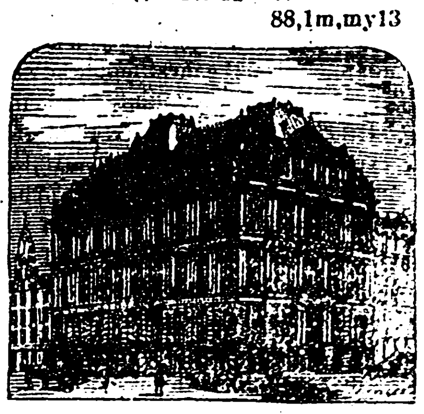

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For the information of those persons who may be desirous of exhibiting their Products or Manufactures, the following articles, taken from the General Instructions issued, are herewith transcribed:

ARTICLE 3d.

Exhibitors are specially recommended to send to the Board of Directors, before the 1st of September, 1869, a detailed list of all the article which they purpose exhibiting, and state the space more or less which these may occupy in metres or square yards.

ARTICLE 5th.

It will be convenient for exhibitioners of Machinery, as far as may be in their power, to determine their motive power, the average price, their approximate cost of conveyance to Buenos Ayres or Rosario, with any other detail which it may be convenient to know for the furthering of the industry to which they are to be applied.

ARTICLE 7th.

All the articles must be despatched, addressed to the National Commissioners of the Exhibition or to the Provincial Commissioners in Rosario, in which case the latter will have instructions to receive them. These articles must arrive in the City of Cordoba on or before the 1st of FEBRUARY, 1870, the opening of the Exhibition being fixed for the 17th of APRIL of the same year.

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