









to the determination of Prince Bismarck to overrule the opposition of the Prussian House of Peers to the District Administration bill.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

Well! Did you ever? On the 27th of last month the receipts at the Custom House of Buenos Ayres reached the enormous total of NINETEEN SEVEN THOUSAND PATACOS!!

The passengers by the steamer Olbers obtained free passage yesterday morning and landed rather early.

A Merry Christmas for the Plate! General Mitre, with all his recently-won diplomatic laurels fresh upon him, is to leave Rio for home on the 20th inst.

Poor Paraguay! We hear there is a complete financial burst-up in Asuncion. There is not a copper in the Treasury.

The young ladies then received their prize-merits, which entitle them to prizes when the annual distribution takes place.

The following is the lady's age problem which we referred to yesterday:

We hear that Mr. Bailey, of Liverpool, has gone up to Paraguay. It is now turning his hand to live immigrant import.

The Port and Niger have brought a much cheater's consignment to the Plate, 251 cooks of all ages and both sexes.

By the way the said Oficina obtained employment for 700 persons (not counting all the colonists) in the month of November.

The program of the amateur concert to come off this evening in aid of the "incidental" fund of the American M.E. Church is most attractive.

A new tramway at the Boca is spoken of to go at round through and over that part of the town, and back again by the old route.

We hear that the grapes are in the most flourishing condition this year, and the yield is expected to be the largest ever known in the Plate.

The Superior of the Convent of "Las Hermanas de Caridad" will shortly leave for Rome to bring out 20 Sisters of the Order to this city.

Mr. Goodison, the Brothers Ridgway of London and other performers appear to-night at the Victoria Theatre.

On Friday last the examination at the Minerva College took place. After the invited guests had taken their seats in the tastefully decorated room.

The Examiner, Mr. Ryan of the English school, after a careful examination of the pupils in the various scholastic branches declared their proficiency to be highly satisfactory.

Desiring to see fair play done to the Guards of the Great Southern Railway and to kindly insert the following few lines in your daily journal.

twice to your humble servant) it is time some alteration was made, or say at once we do not care for passengers traffic.

FAIR PLAY.

DREDGING TOSCA.

To the Editors of the STANDARD. Gentlemen, As dredging operations and dredging power seem to be leading questions of the day in Buenos Ayres, any information likely to conduce to a just appreciation of this important question will probably merit acceptance at the present moment.

Practically I have seen dredges working successfully for lengthened periods upon very hard and refractory material which, to the eye, appeared a much harder strata than Tosca. I here refer to the geological formation by some termed diluvium and by others glacial drift, boulder clay, northern drift, erratic blocks, &c. (vide Lyell, James, &c.).

This formation is found abundantly in the valley of the Clyde. It there assumes the form of a remarkably hard, cold, blue mass, interstratified with stones of all sizes, from the size of the fist to that of a boulder of the most formidable size.

In memory of such work, and in immediate sight of the Tosca, I should very much doubt the inability of a good dredge to work in that formation. At all events, scientific observations, forming their estimate of the powers of the dredge, would do well to free their minds from any bias contracted from leaving the squabbles of jealous engineers and excited land-jobbers thrust between their judgment and the observation of a few simple mechanical facts.

For, if Tosca in depth resembles the superficial sample, it will be no sufficient reason to say that it cannot be dredged because Mr. Huergo's dredger apparently fails to do so; in case of proved failure, some modification of the dredge-bucket or its angle of contact will, no doubt, sufficiently serve to effect the desired object.

Such is the opinion of an observer who is NOT AN ENGINEER.

ON CHANGE. Dec. 4th 1872. Omnibus 400, Salsas 1223, Pats 27, National Bonds 804.

Everything ruled fair on 'Change to-day, more came up from the Plaza than at the wool auction to-day the highest price paid was 65, even the money buyers felt the fall in wool, and it threw a damp over the stock market.

The Siles this morning brought up the Montecrista Macla, and the news is every way important. The letters per Niger and the advices from London are regarded as highly important.

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Among others, one lot from Mr. Grivel's, consigned to Messrs. Corrales and Wichmann. High offers refused.

The Contribution Directa Jury for the Cathedral del Norte closed their court at 133 Requena yesterday; there is now nothing more than pay up.

The Customs-house returns for 27th Nov. are perhaps the heaviest for one day since the Customs-house was built—97,000 pats. This shows the enormous stretch trade has made of late in Buenos Ayres.

The National Government has given to the German colonists of Santa Fe who suffered by the late storm 1,000 pats of donation.

Estancia lands are coming very favorably before the market, and prices look as if about to rise much. A large business of 16 leagues in the north was spoken of to-day, but it is not yet concluded.

The trade of the Boca is expressed in the fact that there are no less than 135 vessels at present taking in cargo there for the rivers; also one steamer, the Concordia; she loads for Concordia.

The Mercantile of this morning publishes a complete copy of the papers filed in the Tribunal d'Arbitraje in the case of the German Bank Comercio on the starting of the German Bank in this city.

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Some other lots were sold, according to class, more or less burly, &c.—1,000 ar. good mestiza, 75 per ar. Ramos, Otero & Co.

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Grand Announcement.

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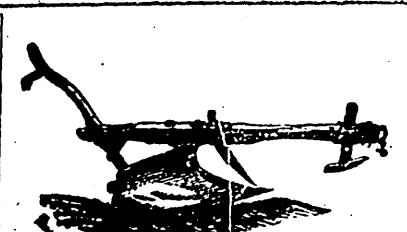
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REMATE HIDALGO y TORRES. No. 5445, JUDICIAL 100 MANZANAS.

En el pintoresco pueblo de las LOMAS DE ZAMORA A las 12 en punto de la Estación TEMPERLEY ADROGUE.

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