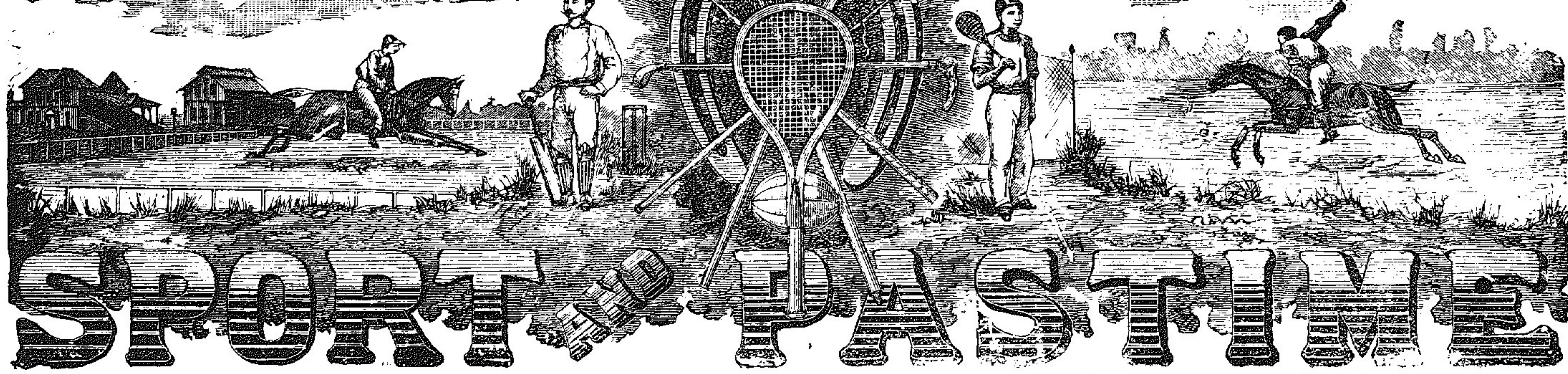


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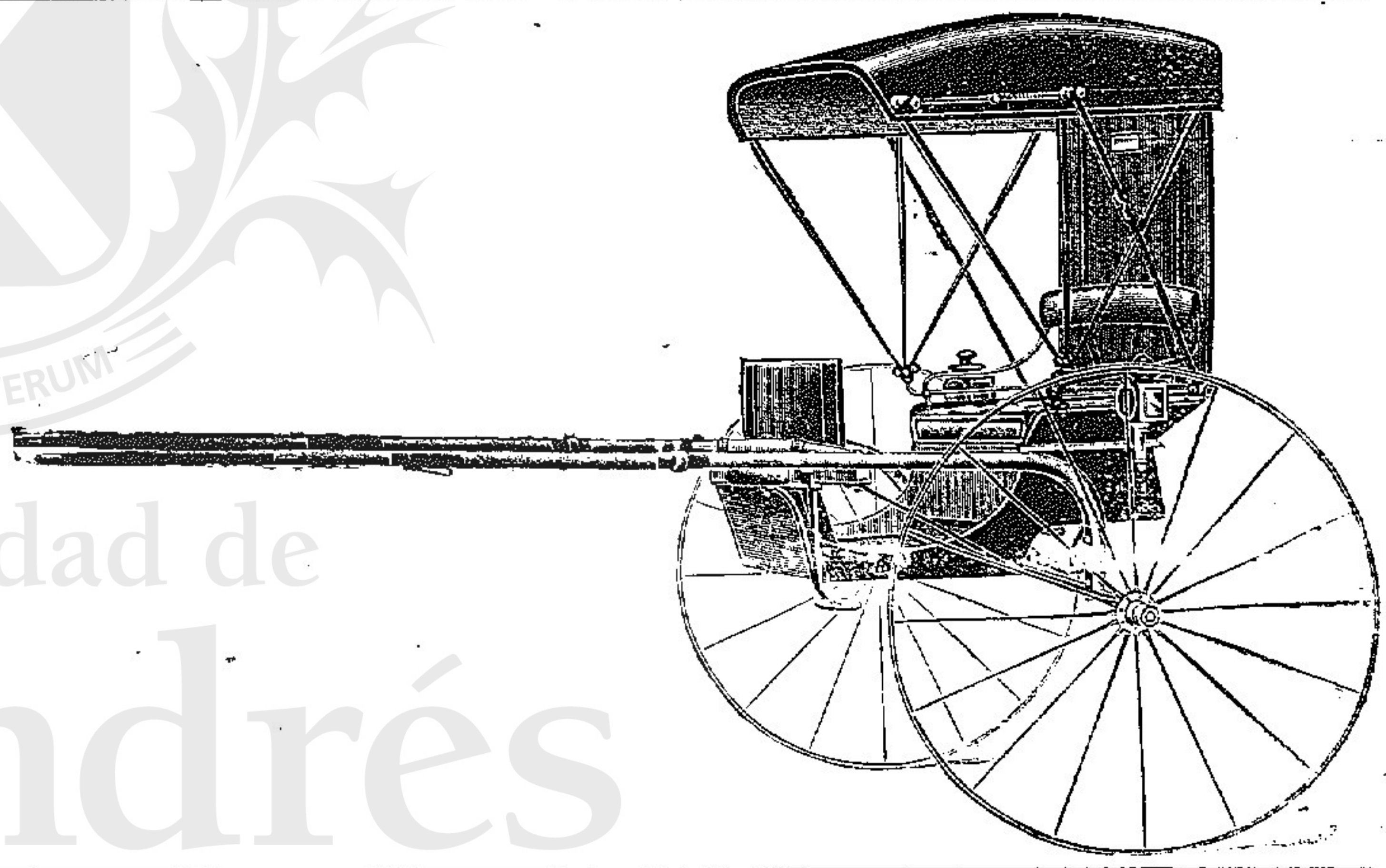
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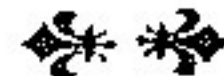
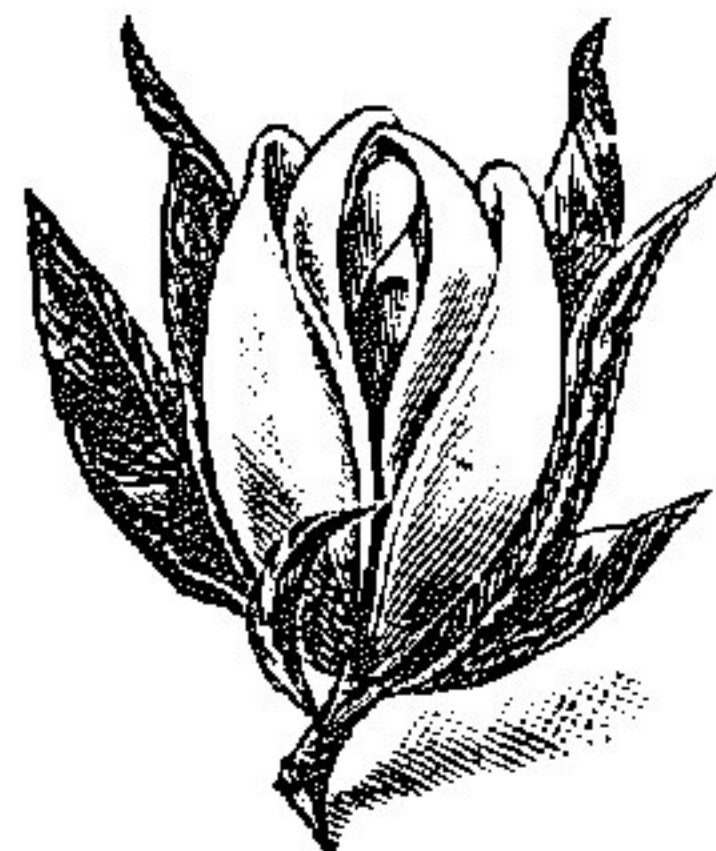


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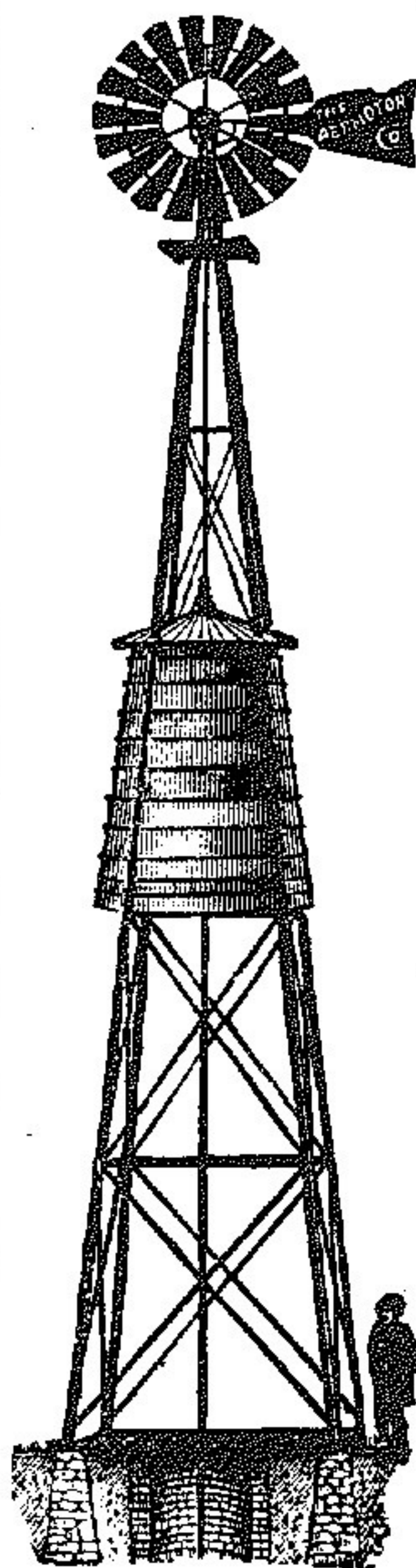
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PALERMO—AUGUST 15.

Although the weather in the early part of Sunday last gave very little promise of a fine day, contrary to general expectation the sun burst through towards midday and a capital day's sport was enjoyed, all the conditions being excellent. A change was made in the hour of starting, the first race being announced for one o'clock, which is half an hour later than the usual time, and we presume this hour will now be maintained to the close of the season. Great interest was manifested in the Gran Polla de Potrillos, and though Orange started a very warm favourite, both the Les Cardos pair and El Derby representatives had no lack of support.

The selling race opened the proceedings, for which only eight turned out, Policeman being in great demand. Voltigeur, however, was first home a little over half a length in front of Diosma, who had made most of the running to the paddock, and who at one time appeared to have the race fairly well in hand.

In the Premio Gay Hermit the public made no mistake, as Dobleto was installed a firm favourite and finished first, though Veneno very nearly got on terms at the last with a fine effort.

A large field of fifteen contested the sprint, and of these Oriente was much fancied, with Daine and Crucero next in demand. The last-named pair made no show at all, but the favourite, in spite of being the top weight romped home an easy winner by over a length from Extra.

This brought us to the great race of the day, the Gran Polla de Potrillos. Orange was quickly made first favourite and plenty of money was forthcoming for Kean, Pillito, and in a lesser degree for Balcarce, but the others were practically neglected. When the field first came in sight Balcarce was seen to have a strong lead, Orange and Kean being several lengths behind and Pillito still further in the rear. Entering the straight Orange and Kean began to creep up, but it was soon seen that they would have little to say regarding the final issue, but just as Balcarce appeared to have one of the easiest of wins in store, Pillito, with a tremendous rush, almost got on terms, the magnificent effort being greatly appreciated by those present. A short head was the final verdict, while Orange was only a moderate third, and Kean fourth.

Both Mariano and Juncal were well backed for the Premio Acheron out of a field of ten, and the race provided an easy win for the first-named in spite of the amount of weight he was giving all round.

The Premio Orbit produced one of those unpleasant surprises which do occur at times, Tanger, a rank outsider, quite contrary to previous form, running prominently throughout and winning easily by a couple of lengths. His backers were rewarded with a dividend of \$77.60

The Premio Neapolis brought a pleasant day to a close. Eleven of the sixteen that coloured on the card put in an appearance, and of these Oriol's chances were considered the most rosy. Ataque, cleverly ridden by S. Gomez, just won on the post, getting the verdict by a neck from Orleans.

The following are the details:—

**PREMIO REMATE**, for four-year-olds and upwards. Weight for age. A penalty of 4 kilos for winners of one selling race, of 6 kilos to winners of two or more races. The winner to be sold for \$2500. Those entered to be sold for less to receive an allowance of 3 kilos for each \$500 reduction. \$1800 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1800 metres.

La Petite Ecurie's br h Voltigeur, by Gay Hermit

Sissy, 4 y, 57 1/2 k.	R. Bastiani	1
Stud America's Diosma, 4 y, 52 1/2 k.	R. Garrido	2
Ecurie Belgrano's Oriol, 5 y, 56 1/2 k.	P. Aguilera	3
Stud Las Armas' Policeman, 6 y, 56 1/2 k.	I. Diaz	0
Stud Floresta's Helecho, 5 y, 53 1/2 k.	N. Sosa	0
Stud Calchin's Calchiner, 4 y, 52 1/2 k.	J. Gongora	0
Stud Palmar's Beaujeu, 4 y, 51 1/2 k.	C. Cardoso	0
Ecurie Titan's Oncativo, 6 y, 50 1/2 k.	J. Paez	0

Diosma and Oriol were the first to show in front, but at the bend Policeman came through and led the field till collared by Diosma, who took command of affairs to the paddock, where Voltigeur came to the front and went on to win by half a length, a similar distance separating the second and third.

Tickets—Voltigeur with 555 win and 541 place, Diosma 692—732, Oriol 799—845, Policeman 1538—1229, Helecho 575—492, Calchiner 926—951, Beaujeu 102—123, Oncativo 463—498. Totals 5650—5111.

Dividends—Voltigeur \$18.90 win and 5.40 place Diosma 4.50 place, Oriol 4.15 place.

**PREMIO GAY HERMIT**, for three-year-olds, colts 52 kilos, fillies 50 kilos. A penalty of 3 kilos to winners of one race, 5 kilos to winners of two, and 7 kilos to winners

of three or more. \$2000 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1500 metres.

La Petite Ecurie's br c Dobleto, by Royal Rose.

Disoluta, 55 k.	R. Garrido	1
Stud Yuqueri's Veneno, 57 k.	I. Diaz	2
Stud Paris' Plaisanterie, 53 k.	P. Aguilera	3
Stud A. Lincoln's Virey, 55 k.	G. Palacios	0
Stud Manantiales' Anilina, 50 k.	N. Sosa	0
Stud Manantiales' Queen of Scotland, 50 k.	J. Olmos	0
Ecurie Chantilly's Ancora, 50 k.	J. Gomez	0
Ecurie Argentino's Tula, 50 k.	J. Insauralde	0
Ecurie Radames' Gavotte, 50 k.	J. Olivero	0
Stud Argos' Hilda, 50 k.	M. Valdez	0
Stud Calchin's Ameliana, 50 k.	M. Tissera	0
Stud Calchin' Etoile d'Or, 50 k.	J. Gongora	0

Gavotte led the field to the paddock where Dobleto assumed command, Plaisanterie failed to get on terms with the leader, but Veneno coming up at the finish with a rush, only suffered defeat by half a length, with Plaisanterie a length behind.

Tickets—Dobleto with 3751 win and 3614 place, Veneno 1315—1155, Plaisanterie 1045—1135, Virey 1441—1308, Anilina and Queen of Scotland 165—243, Ancora 79—139, Tula 331—417, Gavotte 323—364, Hilda 42—67, Ameliana and Etoile d'Or 194—239. Totals 8686—8681.

Dividends—Dobleto \$4.15 win and 2.35 place, Veneno 3.10 place, Plaisanterie 3.10 place.

**PREMIO SAINT GALL**, an open handicap for horses that have not won \$6000. \$1800 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1200 metres.

Stud Magna Domus' ch h Oriente, by Orbit—

Adriana, 4 y, 59 1/2 k.	P. Aguirre	1
Ecurie Azur's Extra, 4 y, 47 k.	C. Bustos	2
Stud La Noria's Partisan, 4 y, 44 k.	M. Valdez	3
Mr Ypso's Derby, 4 y, 55 k.	P. Aguilera	0
Stud Los Cardos' Crucero, 4 y, 53 k.	R. Bastiani	0
Ecurie Chantilly's Tic-Tac, 5 y, 53 k.	J. Rivero	0
Stud A. Lincoln's Cristiana, 4 y, 51 k.	J. Weyer	0
Ecurie Nautilus' Daine, 4 y, 50 k.	I. Diaz	0
La Petite Ecurie's Tetrarca, 4 y, 50 k.	J. Olmos	0
Stud Amianto's Dante, 4 y, 48 k.	J. Paez	0
J. B. Zubiaurre's Blandengue, 3 y, 46 k.	J. Gomez	0
Stud Red Lancer's Sorpresa, 4 y, 45 k.	J. Felin	0
Ecurie Indecis' Gipsy, 4 y, 45 k.	F. Rodriguez	0
Stud Winchester's Galatea, 4 y, 43 k.	J. Rivas	0
Stud Floresta's Fallstaff, 4 y, 43 k.	J. Rodriguez	0

Extra got the best of a good start, and retained the lead to in front of the paddock, where she was easily passed by Oriente, who won by over a length, Partisan finishing third half a length behind Extra.

Tickets—Oriente with 2793 win and 1957 place, Extra 414—493, Partisan 475—423, Derby 289—159, Crucero 1132—1184, Tic-Tac 175—216, Cristiana 424—537, Daine 1363—1397, Tetrarca 1034—1093, Dante 418—327, Blandengue 285—311, Sorpresa 139—181, Gipsy and Galatea 663—693, Fallstaff 132—113. Totals 9736—9089.

Dividends—Oriente \$6.25 win and 3.80 place, Extra 9.15 place, Partisan 10.25 place.

**GRAN PULLA DE POTRILLOS**, for colts born since August 1st, 1894, 57 kilos. \$14,480 to the 1st, 2620 to the 2nd, and the 3rd saves stakes, 1600 metres.

La Petite Ecurie's br c Balcarce, by Gay Hermit—

Maria Louisa	R. Garrido	1
Stud El Derby's Pillito	P. Aguilera	2
Gral. San Martin's Orange	I. Diaz	3
Stud A. Lincoln's Planeta	G. Palacios	0
Ecurie Juncal's Gonin	C. Cardoso	0
Stud El Derby's Alarife	J. Olmos	0
Stud La Noria's Mirabeau	L. Bellino	0
Stud Los Cardos' Kean	R. Bastiani	0
Stud Los Cardos' Yatagan	J. Paez	0
Stud Paris' Flageolet	N. Sosa	0

At the fall of the flag Yatagan and Alarife went off with a rattle and soon held a strong lead of twenty-five metres from the rest, who were headed by Kean and Orange. This position was maintained to in front of the Indecis stable where Yatagan was displaced by Alarife, while Orange came up to the fourth place. Between the two bends Balcarce, with a very fine effort, secured the lead. Meanwhile Pillito, with a formidable rush, closed up with the leader and a magnificent struggle ensued, a ding-dong race just ending in favour of Balcarce by a short head, Orange a length away third and Kean a poor fourth a couple of lengths behind Orange.

Tickets—Balcarce with 1862 win and 1431 place, Pillito and Alarife 3366—2159, Orange 6678—3612, Planeta 236—209, Gonin 470—465, Mirabeau 71—98, Kean and Yatagan 4201—3205, Flageolet 326—427. Totals 17,210—11,606.

Dividends—Balcarce \$16.65 win and 3.50 place, Pillito 3.00 place, Orange 2.60 place.

**PREMIO ACHERON**, an open handicap for all horses that have won \$6000. \$2000 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1600 metres.

Ecurie de las Cañitas' ch h Mariano, by Noé—

My Mary Anne, 5 y, 62 1/2 k.	I. Diaz	1
Stud Don Gonzalo's Don Gonzalo, 4 y, 57 k.	P. Aguilera	2
Stud La Noria's Meteoro, 6 y, 42 k.	J. Rivas	3
Stud Paris' Mundial, 6 y, 56 k.	S. Urutia	0
Stud Solitario's Esfinge, 5 y, 56 k.	H. Esteves	0
Ecurie Juncal's Juncal, 5 y, 54 k.	C. Cardoso	0
Stud Esperanza's Namuncura, 6 y, 52 k.	P. Lara	0
Ecurie Pergamino's Elaine, 5 y, 48 k.	J. Olmos	0
Stud Las Piedras' Balmaceda, 6 y, 42 k.	C. Bustos	0
Stud Floresta's Helecho, 5 y, 42 k.	M. Valdez	0

Meteoro led the field all round to opposite the stand where he was collared and passed by Mariano, who shaking off Don Gonzalo, won by a length, Meteoro finishing third another length behind.

Tickets—Mariano with 2356 win and 1528 place, Don Gonzalo 2116—1617, Meteoro 530—589, Mundial 483—

605, Esfinge 1044—758, Juncal 2328—1890, Namuncura 708—637, Elaine 835—592, Balmaceda 217—223, Helecho 787—705. Totals 11,404—9344.

Dividends—Mariano \$8.70 win and 3.95 place, Don Gonzalo 3.65 place, Meteoro 7.05 place.

**PREMIO ORBIT**, a handicap for all horses limited between 62 and 50 kilos. \$3000 to the 1st, 300 to the 2nd, 2200 metres.

Ecurie Argentino's br h Tanger, by Gay Hermit—

Smirna, 4 y, 50 k.	J. Gomez	1
J. B. Zubiaurre's Gral. Lavalle, 6 y, 54 k.	I. Diaz	2
Ecurie Pergamino's Salteador, 5 y, 53 k.	P. Aguirre	3
Stud Paris' Oriol, 6 y, 62 k.	P. Aguilera	0
La Petite Ecurie's Lautaro, 4 y, 54 k.	R. Garrido	0
Stud Magna Domus' Oriente, 4 y, 53 k.	R. Bastiani	0
Stud La Confianza's Regalona, 4 y, 52 k.	S. Gomez	0
Stud Amianto's Violin, 4 y, 51 k.	J. Paez	0
Ecurie Azur's Stamboul, 6 y, 50 k.	C. Bustos	0
Ecurie Juncal's Brandzen, 5 y, 50 k.	J. Olmos	0
Ecurie Belgrano's Rose Royale, 5 y, 50 k.	M. Valdez	0
Stud Yuqueri's Yerau, 4 y, 50 k.	J. Insauralde	0
Ecurie Gladiateur's Flambeau, 4 y, 50 k.	N. Sosa	0

General Lavalle was the first to show in front, but at the bend had to give way to Tanger, who was never afterwards headed, but drawing well clear at the paddock won by a couple of lengths from General Lavalle, who finished a length in front of Salteador, Rose Royale a good fourth.

Tickets—Tanger with 352 win and 320 place, Gral. Lavalle 2158—1631, Salteador 1268—957, Oriol 4349—3925, Lautaro 1215—1084, Oriente 1503—985, Regalona 419—302, Violin 958—853, Stamboul 394—461, Brandzen 107—87, Rose Royale 271—298, Yerau 376—395, Flambeau 1307—1036. Totals 15,177—12,334.

Dividends—Tanger \$77.60 win and 19.05 place, Gral. Lavalle 5.35 place, Salteador 7.70 place.

**PREMIO NEAPOLIS**, an open handicap. \$2000 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1800 metres.

Stud La Confianza's ch h Ataque, by Havre—

Curumalan, 4 y, 50 k.	S. Gomez	1
Stud La Redencion's Orleans, 4 y, 48 k.	G. Morales	2
Stud Temerario's Redoutable, 4 y, 52 k.	I. Diaz	3
Stud Monfi's Clandestino, 5 y, 59 k.	J. Insauralde	0
Ecurie Belgrano's Oriol, 5 y, 52 k.	P. Aguilera	0
Stud Floresta's Laurel, 5 y, 50 k.	C. Weher	0
Stud Estudiante's Estudiante, 6 y, 49 k.	J. Olmos	0
Ecurie Sans Fagon's Tiradentes, 4 y, 48 k.	N. Sosa	0
Stud Rio Tercero's Margot, 4 y, 47 k.	C. Bustos	0
Stud Red Lancer's Acero, 4 y, 47 k.	J. Felin	0
Stud Don Gonzalo's Milico, 5 y, 43 k.	J. Rivas	0

Acero jumped off with the lead which he retained to the bend, where Orleans took up the running and appeared to have the race in hand, but at the stand Ataque came up with a magnificent rush, and catching the leader on the post won by a head, a length separating the second and third.

Tickets—Ataque with 2150 win and 1460 place, Orleans 1441—1185, Redoutable 2189—1338, Clandestino 414—219, Oriol 2744—1819, Laurel 1051—509, Estudiante and Tiradentes 1792—1797, Margot 823—623, Acero 1014—571, Milico 214—229. Totals 13,832—9755.

Dividends—Ataque \$11.60 win and 4.20 place, Orleans 4.70 place, Redoutable 4.40 place.

PALERMO—AUGUST 22.

Premio Masques II—1600 metres

Kilos.		Kilos.	
Crucero	58	Lavalleja	55
Brandzen	58	El Pollo	55
Vandalo	58	Milico	55
Artois	58	Watherwich	53
Tic-Tac	58	Indecisa	53
Margot	56	Ambrugena	53
Gnomo	56		

Premio Palmiste—1200 metres.

Ail	54	Arlequin	51
Delfin	54	Gonin	51
Amambay	54	Saint Brise	51
Cotillon	54	Maceo	51
Busca Vida	54	Huapi	51
Guttemberg	54	General Hornos	51
Farola	52	Caseros	51
Atahualpa	52	Planeta	51
Tula	52	Tutora	49
Sirena II	52	La Gaité	49
Arberlia	52	Ancora	49
Victoria II	52	Lunlunta	49
Rubi	51	Hilda	49

Premio Doge—1200 metres.

Oriente	61	Avenir	48
Mignonnette	57	Orleans	49
Little Darling	49	Osmond	47
Don Gonzalo	56	Daine	48
Tanger	56	Tetrarca	48
Daza	56	Combate	48
Hipolito	53	Elaine	47
Derby	52	Extra	46
Bab	50	May Blossom	40
Namuncura	49	Sorpresa	41

Premio Congreso—1400 metres.

Blue Boat	59 1/2	Pergamino	59 1/2
Somaten	54	Daza	59 1/2
Verónica	52	Descubridor	59 1/2
General Lavalle	60	Crucero	59 1/2
General Hornos	54	Palmar	60
Blandengue	54	Ney	60
Limay	54	Fauvette	58
Distinguido II	59 1/2	Pas de Quatre	57 1/2
Argentino	59 1/2	Eclair	54
Juncal	60	Coronel	60
Mariano	60	Oscar	59 1/2
Brick	60		



Premio Galtee More—1500 metres.			
Pillito .. .. .	58	Amaranta .. .	49 1/2
Alarife .. .. .	56	Ail .. .. .	48
Pompeyo .. .. .	52	Efrain .. .. .	48
Rosalvina .. .. .	52	L'Hermite .. .	48
Opulencia .. .. .	50	Tirana .. .. .	48
Nobleza .. .. .	50	Gavotte .. .. .	48
Plaisanterie .. .	50	El Payo .. .. .	48
Tarantula .. .. .	50	Tula .. .. .	48

Premio Persimmon—3000 metres.			
Oriel .. .. .	62 1/2	Yerua .. .. .	49
Sebastopol .. .. .	60	Veneno .. .. .	49
Malakoff .. .. .	56	Policeman .. .	49
Lautaro .. .. .	54	Brandzen .. .	47
Thiers .. .. .	54	Diosma .. .. .	45
Rosemary .. .. .	52	Bettina .. .. .	40

Premio Solitaire—1800 metres.			
Eureka .. .. .	56	Duque .. .. .	49
Mundial .. .. .	56	Tiradentes .. .	46
Voltigeur .. .. .	53	Acero .. .. .	45
Redoutable .. .. .	53	Meteoro .. .. .	43
Rose Royale .. .. .	51	Viroflay .. .. .	42
Venero .. .. .	50	Rayon d'Or .. .	40
Stamboul .. .. .	50		

The classic for Sunday is the Premio Congreso, 1400 metres, Prize \$4900. The entries include such horses as Pergamino, Blue Boat, Argentino, Mariano, Daza, Palmar, Nev, etc, a list it would be difficult to choose from if the formidable Brick were not also in. On this year's form he will certainly give the field, and the Stud Paris need only be given with him in case he should not put in an appearance, as though the selection this week must be made with an eye to heavy going, the all conquering champion of the Ecurie Nautilus has shown himself equal to any course and any distance.

The opening mile may give the much promising Lavallega a chance to show us what he is made of unless Crucero can do better than he did last week.

Among the 26 candidates for the 1200 metres race for colts and fillies that have not yet won, the best opportunity to carry off the \$2000 seems to fall to Gonin, supposed to be a classic horse, or Huapi, who ran well a short while ago.

In the 1200 metre handicap there are several specialists for rough weather such as Hipolito, Extra, May Blossom, Little Darling, Daine, Avenir, of which the first and second may prove a good investment.

The 1500 metres, for three-year-olds, should again be good for Tarantula, and if she does not run, as on last Sunday, Pompeyo can do as well as any of the others.

The Premio Persimmon, 3000 metres, with a classic prize of \$2800, will produce a tough struggle in which Lautaro and Thiers may have the last word.

In the 1800 metre wind-up the heavy course might turn the luck of two unfortunates, Duque and Rayon d'Or.

- Premio Masqué II.—Lavallega or Crucero.
- Premio Palmiste—Gonin or Huapi.
- Premio Doge—Hipolito or Extra.
- Premio Congreso—Brick or Stud Paris.
- Premio Galtee More—Tarantula or Pompeyo.
- Premio Persimmon—Lautaro or Thiers.
- Premio Solitaire—Duque or Rayon d'Or.

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HOME RACING.

The concluding day of the Sandown Park Second Summer Meeting was the most successful of all, and again a large crowd was in attendance.

The National Breeders' Produce Stakes is the most valuable two-year-old prize of the meeting, but somehow it often fails to bring out any of the best class, though Chelandy won last year, and Cyllene, who took the prize on this occasion are head and shoulders above most previous winners of the race. Cyllene won his race under the most extraordinary difficulties, being completely shut in at the distance, where victory looked quite impossible, but Mr Rose's colt made up his ground in most extraordinary fashion and caught Ebba (who is a full sister to Ladas) in the last stride and won by a head.

Not much need be written about Leicester Summer Meeting, for the sport was poor, both in quality and quantity, and selling-platers were in the ascendant on either day.

The Prince of Wales' Plate was a little better as regards class, the four runners all having won fair races in their time. Opoponax made running, but gave way to Mackimmie below the distance, the latter scoring cleverly from Florist, with The Tinman in third place.

Of the three meetings held at Liverpool in the course of the season the summer fixture is the shortest, and, all things considered, the least important. The stakes decided are valuable enough, and the class of competitors always good, but it suffers somewhat from being immediately before Goodwood.

Seven of the eight coloured for the Molyneux Plate were announced. Amandier had most friends, but Melange had plenty of supporters, and, after a fine race home, the colt had the best of it. Odds of 5 to 2 were laid on Eager to beat his three opponents for the valuable St. George's Stakes, but Goletta, at the nice price of 100 to 30, came out in a wonderfully changed style from some of her recent displays, and she literally romped home from the favourite.

Only half a dozen Cup horses put in an appearance, the presence of Clwyd being rather a surprise, he having been industriously put down the day before as a certain absentee. Nothing seemed better than Brayhead in the paddock, or performed better in the race, as from the fall of the flag he had the result in hand, and, galloping from start to finish, won in brilliant style.

Esther Waters finished up a most disastrous day for backers by winning the Croxteth Plate from nine others, at the long odds of 100 to 8, from the favourite, Prosperous.

Below we give the particulars of a few of the more important events:

SANDOWN PARK SECOND SUMMER MEETING—JULY 17.

National Breeders' Produce Stakes of 5000 sovs, for two-year-olds; 5 furlongs.

Mr C. D. Rose's ch c Cyllene, by Bona Vista—	
Arcadia, 9st 4lb .. .. .	S. Loates 1
Lord Rosebery's Ebba, 8st 11lb .. .. .	C. Wood 2
Mr A. James's Dielytra, 9st .. .. .	J. Watts 3
Mr T. R. Dewar's Perthshire, 9st 5lb .. .. .	Bradford 0
Mr M. Griffith's Goldie, 9st .. .. .	N. Robinson 0
Mr Cresswell's Gurnington, 8st 5lb .. .. .	Madden 0
Mr F. V. Gooch's Lipsalve, 9st .. .. .	M. Cannon 0
Mr D. Baird's Simylla, 8st 11lb .. .. .	Rickaby 0
Mr J. M. Hanbury's Tears of Joy, 8st 11lb .. .	T. Loates 0
Mr H. J. Mill's Bonnie Doon, 8st 11lb .. .. .	Allsopp 0

Betting—6 to 5 on Cyllene, 9 to 2 agst Tears of Joy, 7 to 1 agst Perthshire, 10 to 1 agst Dielytra, 100 to 7 agst Bonnie Doon, 20 to 1 agst Simylla, and 25 to 1 agst any other.

Lipsalve and Bonnie Doon were in front for a short time, Tears of Joy then taking it up, Simylla, Perthshire, Ebba, Dielytra, and Cyllene all together close up. At three furlongs Dielytra was leading by quite half a length, and continued to do so to inside the distance. Then Cyllene and Ebba found openings, and raced away to the finish, Cyllene winning by a head; two lengths between second and third; Symylla was fourth, Perthshire fifth, and Tears of Joy sixth.

LEICESTER SUMMER MEETING—JULY 19.

Prince of Wales Plate (Handicap) of 300 sovs; Straight Mile.

Lord Ellesmere's br c Mackimmie, by FitzSimon—	
Windlass, 3 yrs, 7st 1lb .. .. .	H. Toon 1
Mr A. Day's Florist, 4 yrs, 8st 2lb .. .. .	C. Wood 2
Mr A. Knowles' The Tinman, aged, 8st, 13lb .. .	Calder 3
Mr B. S. Cooper's Opoponax, aged, 8st 4lb .. .	O. Madden 0

Betting—85 to 40 agst Opoponax, 5 to 2 agst Mackimmie, 3 to 1 agst Florist, and 4 to 1 agst The Tinman. The favourity cut out the running, followed by Mackimmie and Florist into the dip, when The Tinman closed with the leaders. Then some bumping occurred, and Mackimmie, getting the best of it, shook off the challenge of Florist, winning by half a length; while a length and a half separated the latter and The Tinman.

LIVERPOOL JULY MEETING—JULY 21.

Molyneux Plate of 600 sovs; about 6 furlongs.

Lord Stanley's b c Melange, by Melanion—	
Amalgam, 4 yrs, 8st .. .. .	C. Wood 1
Baron de Rothschild's Amandier, aged, 9st .. .	M. Cannon 2
Mr Vyner's Albinus, 3 yrs, 7st 1lb .. .. .	Robinson 3
Mr L. Pilkington's Glencally, 3 yrs, 7st 5lb .. .	F. Allsopp 0
Mr J. Bibby's Chin Chin, 6 yrs, 7st 5lb .. .	F. Finlay 0
Mr W. Wiston's Knockdon, 4 yrs, 6st 7lb .. .	Newton 0

Betting 2 to 1 agst Amandier, 5 to 2 agst Melange, 5 to 1 agst Albinus, 7 to 1 agst Chin Chin, 100 to 12 agst Knockdon, and 10 to 1 agst Glencally. Knockdon showed slightly in front of Melange, with Chin Chin next, and Glencally last, into the straight, were Melange assumed the lead, and came on from Knockdon, Amandier, and Glencally. At the distance Amandier went as second, but could never get on terms with Melange, who won by two lengths; three lengths between second and third; Chin Chin was fourth, and Glencally last.

St. George Stakes of 2000 sovs, for three-year-olds; 1 mile 3 furlongs.

Mr L. de Rothschild's b f Goletta, by Galopin—	
Biserta, 9st 7lb .. .. .	K. Cannon 1
Mr Fairie's Eager, 9st 6lb .. .. .	M. Cannon 2
Sir J. B. Maple's Royal Footman, 8st 7lb .. .	Calder 3
Lord Ellesmere's Rochdale, 8st 4lb .. .. .	F. Finlay 0

Betting 5 to 2 on Eager, 100 to 30 agst Goletta, and 100 to 8 each agst Royal Footman and Rochdale. Goletta took a slight lead from Royal Footman, with Eager last, for a quarter of a mile, when the favourite went on third, and directly after rounding the Canal turn he pulled his way into second place, with Rochdale now third. Before entering the straight Eager headed Goletta, but gave way again almost immediately to Mr Rothschild's mare, who came away and won by five lengths; a bad third.

July 22.

Liverpool Cup of 1200 sovs; 1 mile, 3 furlongs.

Mr Jersey's ch c Brayhead, by Arklow—	
Contour, 3 yrs, 6st 5lb (car. 6st 6lb) .. .	H. Jones 1
Mr A. F. Calvert's Clwyd, 6 yrs, 8st 7lb .. .	Rickaby 2
Duke of Westminster's Labrador, 4 yrs, 9st .. .	M. Cannon 3
Lord Ellesmere's Villiers, 5 yrs 7st 4lb .. .	S. Chandley 4
Mr R. Walker's Dinna Forget, 5 yrs, 8st 6lb .. .	F. Finlay 0
Lord Stanley's The Guide, 3 yrs, 7st 1lb .. .	N. Robinson 0

Betting—13 to 8 agst Dinna Forget, 3 to 1 agst Labrador, 4 to 1 agst Villiers, 6 to 1 agst Clwyd, 10 to 1 agst Brayhead, and 100 to 7 agst The Guide.

At the second attempt the flag was lowered to a capital start, Clwyd jumping away from Brayhead, Dinna Forget, and The Guide, but, on settling down at the road, Brayhead took command, followed by Villiers, Dinna Forget, Clwyd, and Labrador, to the Canal point, whence there was little change until entering the straight, where Brayhead still was leading in front of Villiers, Clwyd, and Dinna Forget, with Labrador drawing up. About quarter of a mile from home Villiers was done

with, and dropped back, Clwyd taking his place closely accompanied by Labrador, but neither could ever get fairly on terms with Brayhead, who held his own after practically making all the running, and won by a length and a half; two lengths between second and third; Villiers was placed fourth; Dinna Forget was fifth, and The Guide last.

Croxteth Plate of 500 sovs; 5 furlongs.

Lord Ellesmere's br f Esther Waters, by Lowland Chief—Clarissa, 3 yrs, 6st 5lb .. .. .	H. Jones 1
Mr Vale's Prosperous, 3 yrs, 6st 6lb .. .. .	H. Luke 2
Mr Vyner's Cunctator, 6 yrs, 7st 5lb .. .. .	F. Finlay 3
Mr L. de Rothschild's Little Bob, 4 yrs, 8st .. .	C. Wood 0
Mr MacLachlan's Lo Ben, 4 yrs, 7st 13lb .. .	S. Chandley 0
Mr L. Pilkington's Canonbury, 3 yrs, 7st 10lb .. .	F. Allsopp 0
Mr W. Brechin's Whittlebury, 6 yrs, 7st 9lb .. .	O. Madden 0
Mr J. Bibby's Chin Chin, 6 yrs, 7st 2lb .. .	K. Cannon 0
Mr H. Sandgate's King Tartar, 4 yrs, 6st 13lb .. .	Robinson 0
Sir R. W. Griffith's Princess Anne, 3 yrs, 6st 6lb .. .	Dalton 0

Betting—5 to 2 agst Prosperous, 5 to 1 agst Little Bob, 6 to 1 each agst Canonbury and Whittlebury, 8 to 1 agst King Tartar, 10 to 1 each agst Lo Ben, Cunctator, and Princess Anne, 100 to 8 agst Esther Waters, and 100 to 6 agst Chin Chin.

King Tartar made play from Canonbury, Chin Chin, Cunctator, and Whittlebury, in front of Princess Anne, until well in the straight, where Cunctator drew out with a good lead from Esther Waters and Prosperous to the half distance; but Lord Ellesmere's filly won cleverly by a length and a half; three-quarters of a length between second and third; King Tartar was fourth, Princess Anne fifth, Little Bob sixth, and Whittlebury last.

LATEST LONDON BETTING.

STEWARDS' CUP (run July 27)

7 to 1 agst Northern Farmer (t)	
8 to 1 — Imposition (t)	
100 to 9 — Royal Rose (t)	
100 to 9 — Ardesbir (t)	
100 to 9 — Count Schomberg (t)	
100 to 8 — Sirdar (t)	
100 to 7 — Amphora (t)	
100 to 6 — Diakka (t)	
20 to 1 — Yorker (t)	
20 to 1 — Royal Flush (t)	
20 to 1 — Maluma (t)	
20 to 1 — Field Day (t)	
25 to 1 — Clwyd (t)	
25 to 1 — Ardvoirie (t)	
25 to 1 — Shama (t)	
25 to 1 — Omladina (t)	
33 to 1 — Titare (t)	

CRICKET.

With the season so far advanced, it is surely time that Middlesex should win a match. Up to July 17th their record was nine matches played, four lost, and five drawn. The Middlesex batsmen are all of them first-class cricketers, but they have not done themselves justice so far, while J. T. Hearne has not been so successful of late, nor has Rawlin. With Cunliffe playing the bowling should be considerably stronger. Against Surrey a not too good display was given, but to go in against a score of 424 was rather disheartening. Holland, in the absence of W. W. Read, was again given a trial for Surrey, and he played a fine innings of 76, one with which could be found very little fault. Hayward was also quite at home with the Middlesex bowling, and his contribution of 82 was as attractive as could be hoped for. He is quite the most brilliant bat in the present eleven. Brockwell's 20 was more valuable than it looks, and Abel's 62 resulted from some steady and effective cricket. Key made a vigorous 76 in his best style, and Lees hit up 33 rapidly, and at the end of the innings was not out. Tom Richardson, who ought to develop into a free bat soon, ran up 20. Baldwin, Jephson, and Chinnery did not come off. The last-mentioned amateur has done rather badly of late, and it is about time that his luck should take a turn for the better. Altogether the Surrey men acquitted themselves well, as the score of 424 goes to show. Middlesex did not show to much advantage in either of their innings. Hayman and Warner made the usual start with scores of about 20, and then Stoddart for once made one of those beautiful scores which is looked for from him. He scored 91 in irreproachable style, and was unlucky in not reaching the century. In the second innings he put together 25. Rawlin scored 41—43, and Ford contributed 33. Other useful scores were 23 by Webbe, 27 by MacGregor, and 38 by Bromley-Davenport. Only wanting 57 runs to win, Surrey lost Brockwell and Baldwin, and thus won comfortably by 8 wickets. Richardson bowled finely, taking thirteen wickets for 193, and was well backed up by Lees and Hayward.

Yorkshire tried hard to spoil the unbeaten record of Notts, but time came to the rescue of the Midlanders, and the result was the eighth draw of the season. The Northerners at one time had all the worst of the game—but, plucky as they always are, they played a fine up; hill game, and when stumps were finally drawn had a good deal the better of the game. The Notts first innings realised 260 runs; and although the fate of scoring was not very brisk, yet the men played good, if careful cricket. Shrewsbury 33, Mason 32, Attewell 25



J. A. Dixon 53, Deitch 42, and A. O. Jones 20, were the principal scores for their side. The Yorkshiremen, with the exception of Brown 21, Tunnicliffe 23, and Denton 44, collapsed badly against the bowling of J. Gunn, who took six wickets for 22, and all were out for 139. Jackson, who was not well, did not get in till late, while Bairstow, who was injured, did not bat at all. It was satisfactory to note the success of young Gunn, who bowled remarkably well. Following on, the Yorkshiremen made up for their first failure, although starting badly. Jackson and Tunnicliffe made a brilliant stand, the amateur compiling a beautiful 77, and the Pudsey professional a valuable 58. Wainwright also rose to the occasion, scoring a beautiful 107 by admirable cricket. He was well supported by Hirst 23, and Milligan 55. With nine wickets down, the innings closed for 358, and Notts, to win, wanted 238 runs with just over three hours to get them in. The Notts men never attempted to force the play, but settled down to make a draw of it. Gunn's efforts averted a defeat, but at the close of the match eight wickets were down for 151. Gunn's share of the score was 86 (not out).

Essex at Leyton scored a brilliant victory over Warwickshire by an innings and 49 runs. The Midlanders are dreadfully weak in bowling, but in spite of this the 489 made by the home county was a great performance. Percy Perrin put together 153, his highest score in first-class cricket, and what is more made his runs by elegant and attractive cricket. His success was naturally popular with the crowd, which at Leyton is partisan in the extreme. F. L. Fane, the young Oxonian, also gave a capital exhibition, and his 67 resulted from some sterling play. McGeahy was also in good form, and his 81 was one of the features of a remarkable innings. Warwickshire had of course to play an uphill game with no chance of winning. Their only hope was for a draw. They made 274—166, and so were defeated as stated above.

Kent's second win of the present season was gained against Somerset at Blackheath, and was by 215 runs. J. R. Mason did much towards winning the game for his side, making 31—183, and taking five wickets for 20. In the second innings he went in first and was last man out, and only gave one difficult chance. He scored in beautiful style, and his display must be considered one of the best of the season. The Somerset totals were 253—151, and the principal scores were L. C. H. Palairt 16—32, R. B. Porch 29—13, H. T. Stanley 29, S. M. J. Woods 92—12, G. Fowler 35, and Tyler, 31. Besides Mason, Shine used the ball effectively, capturing six wickets for 100, and four for 82. Mrrtin took one wicket for 11.

The Sussex and Lancashire match at Old Trafford was remarkable for some very heavy scoring. After the first innings of Sussex it seemed inevitable that a draw should take place. Sussex made 476—254 for six wickets to Lancashire's 420. All the visitors batted brilliantly, and it is only necessary to say that Marlow made 61, G. Brann 69—107, Ranjitsinhji 87, Murdoch 77, Newham 61, Bean 64, and Parris 46. MacLaren made his first appearance for Lancashire, but only scored 19. Albert Ward played well for 67, but his effort was quite put in the shade by Tyldesley, who has made wonderful progress as a batsman. In four hours and three-quarters he put together a remarkably good score of 174, which, with his recent large innings, brings him well up in the averages. Baker contributed 53, and C. Smith 52. Bland bowled effectively for Sussex, and Mold for Lancashire.

W. G. Grace set a good example in putting the strongest Gloucestershire eleven available into the field against the Philadelphians. This was as it should be, as he not only paid a compliment to the visitors, who thus had every incentive to play for all they were worth. The county batted first and scored 363, thanks mainly to the doctor, who played a brilliant innings of 113, and to Jessop whose 101 was a dashing display, which was all the better because it was not characterised by entirely reckless hitting. Mc G. Hemmingway (28), Board (24), W. S. A. Brown (23), and E. C. Wright (30 not out), all helped to the big total. The Philadelphians were dismissed for 181—153. The biggest scores were 62 by J. A. Lester, 59 not out, 53 by G. S. Patterson, 25—19 by A. M. Wood, and 22 by F. H. Bates.

One of the most remarkable games of the season was that at Southampton between Surrey and Hampshire. The wicket played treacherously, and the bowlers having it all their own way, some lively and exciting cricket was seen. Surrey, on going in first, did fairly well, to put together 157 runs, of which Baldwin made 21, Holland 25, Hayes 21, Lees 19 (not out), and Marshall 20. Hill took two wickets for 43, Heseltine four for 43, and Steele three for 31. The Hampshire batsmen, except Captain Quinton, fared badly against Richardson's bowling, and were all out for 83, of which number Quinton scored exactly one half. Richardson never bowled better, and his seven wickets only cost 43 runs. In ten minutes Surrey lost Abel, Baldwin, and Holland for 10 runs, Abel, having the bad luck to be twice dismissed for 0. Two more wickets fell with the score board only showing 15 runs, and eight were down for 31. Jephson, with his usual pluck, came to the rescue of his side, and assisted by Richardson and Marshall the score was taken to 77 before the last man was out. Jephson saved his side from a complete collapse, and his 83 (not out) must rank as a very fine performance

indeed. Richardson, who never troubled himself about the state of the wicket, hit up 15, while Marshall stayed in some time for 5. The home eleven wanted 147 runs to win, and the first five men made a fair start, putting on 79 runs. Then Lees did the hat trick, getting rid of Quinton, Steele, and Heseltine. The young Surrey bowler kept a beautiful length, and was very hard to play. The game had to be abandoned on the Wednesday owing to rain, and a most interesting game thus ended in a draw greatly in favour of Surrey. Lees sent down 18-2 over, 8 maidens, and took six wickets for 27 runs.

Derbyshire, by putting together a first innings score of 423, practically put defeat by Essex entirely out of the question. The Midland men, set a good example by their captain, batted finely. Evershed made 112, his first century of the season, by a variety of capital strokes, and Davidson scored 97 in admirable style. Essex had the worst of the wicket, and did well to save the game. Their scores were 186 and 215 for five wickets. The first innings would have been a feeble exhibition had it not been for Kortright, who hit up sixty with some vigour. The draw, of course, favoured Derbyshire. Bull was the most successful Essex bowler, capturing six wickets for 137.

Warwickshire must be congratulated on beating Gloucestershire, although their win was only by the narrow margin of two wickets. The western team, well represented, batted first, and scored 152, a not very large total against the Warwickshire bowling. Thanks largely to a brilliant innings by W. Quaife, Warwickshire put together 222. Quaife's share of this was 101, which he obtained by stylish cricket. Gloucestershire looked like going out a second time for a small score, but Jessop gave another dashing exhibition of vigorous hitting, and in very little time compiled a dashing 126 which was faultless. The Warwickshire crowd were delighted with his innings, anything of the same kind having never before been seen on the Edgbaston enclosure. The Midlanders wanted 218 runs to win, and Bainbridge rising to the occasion, they were got for the loss of eight wickets. The Warwickshire captain made 101, Byrne 23, and Diver 31, the last-mentioned giving several chances.

Somerset scored 200 runs, and the Philadelphians 171 for five wickets, when the stumps were finally pulled up and the game abandoned as a draw.

Hunter was wise in choosing his county's match against Lancashire for his benefit. The crowd on each day was large, and the takings at the gate alone were £1,641. There is a good subscription list, so that altogether he will make a large sum. Yorkshire were the first to bat, and thanks to Lancashire refusing chance after chance, put together 345. The best played cricket was that of Moorhouse, who made a faultless 61. A. C. MacLaren was in great form for his county, contributing an almost faultless 152. He batted finely, and his display was altogether good considering it was only his second appearance in first-class cricket this season. The score realised 354 runs, or nine more than Yorkshire. Cuttell and Hallam then bowled remarkably, and Yorkshire lost eight wickets for 88, and as Peel could not bat, Lancashire had every chance of winning. Hunter and Haigh put on 28 runs for the ninth wicket, and as there was no time for Lancashire to get the 58 wanted to win, the game ended in a draw.

PIGEON RACING

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FIXTURES.

August 22nd, race from No Tenco or Lugones, 896 kilometres.

September 12th, race from La Banda, 1000 kilometres (Gran Premio de Honor).

Some remarkable flying by carrier pigeons took place on July 20 from Dover. Two thousand of these birds have been in crates on the Admiralty Pier since the 18th in charge of an agent of the German War Office, with the object of testing their flight. All the birds were flown shortly after five a.m. on the 21st, and at 11.15, about six hours afterwards, the agent received a telegram at Dover announcing that many of the birds had arrived at Düsseldorf, Germany, to which place they belong. It is stated that 100 of the birds are the property of the German Emperor.

A pigeon story, which is vouched for by the Premier of the colony, is going the rounds of the New Zealand papers. Mr Seddon's family received from relatives in Victoria a beautiful pair of Antwerp homing pigeons. One day the birds were out flying, but only one returned to the cot, and nothing more was heard of the other; but some time afterwards news was received from Victoria that the missing bird had arrived safely at its former home. To reach Victoria from New Zealand the bird must have accomplished the feat of flying something like 1000 miles without rest, and according to the dates it must have done the journey in less than three days, which would mean that it would have to fly at a speed of from eighteen to twenty miles an hour continuously,

ATHLETICS

LOMAS ACADEMY ATHLETIC SPORTS.

We give below a full list of the entries and handicaps for the above sports, which will take place at the New Ground of the Lomas Athletic Club on Saturday, 11th September.

Skipping Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to Girls).—E. Cowes, scr—E. Attwell, 1 yd—Mabel Cowes, 15 yds—H. Topolanski, 20 yds.

Flat Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to Girls under 12).—Mabel Cowes, scr—H. Rodman, 2 yds—G. Attwell, 8 yds—S. Cowes, 8 yds—H. Topolanski, 8 yds.

Flat Race, 220 yards, handicap (open to Boys of other Schools).

Throwing the Cricket Ball, handicap (open to School).—Walter Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 10 yds—T. Walker, 15 yds—E. Frommel, 20 yds—J. Pearson, 20 yds—W. Hunter, 20 yds—R. Green, 20 yds—J. Rodman, 23 yds—E. Gibson, 27 yds—H. Horton, 27 yds—R. Frommel, 27 yds—M. Bloomfield, 27 yds—M. Cowes, 30 yds—R. Stirling, 36 yds.

Flat Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to Boys under 9).—A. Cowes, scr—E. Attwell, 4 yds—J. Pastor, 6 yds—L. Pastor, 6 yds—R. Cowes, 6 yds—G. Nobili, 12 yds.

Flat Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to Boys under 11).—F. Gibson, scr—M. Frommel, 3 yds—R. Bloomfield, 6 yds—L. Opizzi, 6 yds—E. Gerrardt, 6 yds—E. Pastor, 6 yds—F. Coulon, 12 yds—J. Hopwood, 12 yds.

Flat Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to Boys under 14).—J. Rodman, scr—C. Stirling, scr—R. Frommel, 2 yds—E. Gibson, 5 yds—H. Horton, 8 yds—S. Pastor, 8 yds—A. Scofield, 8 yds—M. Cowes, 8 yds—R. Stirling, 14 yds—H. Bell, 14 yds—L. Burton, 16 yds—C. Attwell, 16 yds—F. Gibson, 16 yds.

Flat Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to School).—Walter Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 8 yds—R. Rodman, 9 yds—T. Walker, 12 yds—W. Hunter, 12 yds—E. Frommel, 16 yds—J. Pearson, 16 yds—R. Green, 16 yds—J. Rodman, 16 yds—R. Frommel, 16 yds—E. Gibson, 18 yds—H. Horton, 20 yds—M. Cowes, 20 yds.

Wheelbarrow Race.—R. Rodman and R. Stirling—E. Gibson and E. Pastor—H. Horton and W. Hunter—W. Stirling and J. Rodman—J. Pearson and H. Bell—C. Bovet and R. Kingsland—T. Walker and M. Cowes—F. Bernadet and L. Opizzi—J. Gibson and E. Horton.

High Jump, handicap (open to Boys under 12).—H. Bell, scr—R. Stirling, 1 in—F. Gibson, 1 in—R. Frommel, 1 in—E. Gerhardt, 2 in—F. Coulon, 4 in—J. Hopwood, 6 in.

Flat Race, 440 yards, handicap (open to Boys of 14 and over).—Walter Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 30 yds—R. Rodman, 32 yds—W. Hunter, 33 yds—T. Walker, 35 yds—E. Frommel, 40 yds—J. Pearson, 40 yds—R. Green, 40 yds—J. Rodman, 40 yds—C. Stirling, 47 yds—R. Frommel, 49 yds—E. Gibson, 50 yds—H. Horton, 55 yds—M. Cowes, 55 yds—H. Bell, 60 yds—R. Stirling, 60 yds—F. Gibson, 65 yds—L. Opizzi, 65 yds.

Egg and Spoon Race, handicap (open to Girls).—E. Cowes, scr—E. Attwell, 1 yd—H. Rodman, 15 yds—M. A. Cowes, 15 yds—Stella Cowes, 17 yds—H. Topolanski, 20 yds—E. Topolanski, 25 yds—H. Cowes, 25 yds.

Bicycle Race, handicap (open to School).—Walter Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 50 yds—W. Hunter, 100 yds—W. Cowes, 200 yds—E. Gibson, 200 yds—C. Stirling, 200 yds—F. Gibson, 300 yds.

Hurdle Race, handicap (open to Boys under 10).—J. Hopwood, scr—F. Coulon, scr—A. Cowes, 16 yds—E. Attwell, 12 yds—R. Cowes, 16 yds.

Hurdle Race, handicap (open to Boys under 13).—C. Stirling, scr—R. Frommel, 2 yds—E. Gibson, 4 yds—W. Cowes, 6 yds—H. Horton, 6 yds—H. Bell, 7 yds—R. Stirling, 8 yds—F. Gibson, 10 yds—R. Bloomfield, 14 yds—M. Cowes, 14 yds.

Long Jump, handicap (open to School).—T. Walker, scr—R. Rodman, scr—F. Bernadet, scr—W. Hunter, scr—E. Frommel, 6 in—R. Green, 6 in—E. Gibson, 18 in—R. Frommel, 18 in—M. Cowes, 18 in—H. Bell, 20 in—R. Stirling, 24 in—F. Gibson, 24 in.

Flat Race, 440 yards (open to Members of L.A.C.) Flat Race, 880 yards, handicap (open to Boys of 14 and over).—W. Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 55 yds—R. Rodman, 57 yds—W. Hunter, 58 yds—T. Walker, 60 yds—E. Frommel, 72 yds—J. Pearson, 72 yds—R. Green, 80 yds.

Skipping Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to Girls under 12).—M. Cowes, scr—H. Rodman, 2 yds—S. Cowes, 8 yds—H. Topolanski, 8 yds—E. St. John, 10 yds—R. Gibson, 14 yds—E. Topolanski, 14 yds—H. Cowes, 14 yds.

Hurdle Race, 120 yards, handicap (open to School).—W. Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 8 yds—R. Rodman, 10 yds—T. Walker, 12 yds—W. Hunter, 15 yds—E. Frommel, 18 yds—J. Pearson, 18 yds—R. Green, 18 yds—J. Rodman, 20 yds.

Flat Race, 100 yards, handicap (open to Girls under 9).—E. St. John, scr—R. Gibson, 12 yds—E. Topolanski, 12 yds—H. Cowes, 12 yds.

High Jump, handicap (open to School).—W. Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 3 1/2 in—R. Rodman, 3 1/2 in—T. Walker, 4 in—W. Hunter, 4 in—E. Frommel, 6 in—J. Pearson, 6 in—R. Green, 6 in—J. Rodman, 7 in—E. Gibson, 7 in—W. Cowes, 7 in—M. Cowes, 8 in.

Flat Race, 220 yards (open to former Pupils). Flat Race, one mile, handicap (open to Boys of 14 and over).—W. Stirling, scr—F. Bernadet, 68 yds—W. Hunter, 70 yds—R. Rodman, 75 yds—T. Walker, 80 yds—E. Frommel, 90 yds—J. Pearson, 90 yds—R. Green, 90 yds.

Consolation Race, 220 yards (Girls). Consolation Race, 220 yards (Boys).



## ROWING

### THE WINGFIELD SCULLS.

The annual race for the Wingfield Sculls, or Amateur Championship of the Thames, took place on the evening of July 21, from Putney to Mortlake, on a slack tide but with splendid water, there being hardly a ripple on the surface of the river.

The Sculls were instituted in 1830. Last year's holder, the Hon. Rupert Guinness, resigned his trophy, and five scullers entered. A well filled steamer accompanied the race, and a former holder, Mr. G. E. B. Kennedy (Kingston R. C.), umpired.

The result was as follows:—

Stations counting from Surrey:—No. 2 Station: H. T. Blackstaffe (Vesta R.C.), 1; No. 3 Station: B. H. Howell (Trinity Hall B.C., Cambridge), 2; No. 1 Station: A. F. G. Everitt (London R.C.), 3; R. K. Beaumont (Thames R.C.), 0; F. Beddington (Medway R.C.), 0.

Cutters were allowed, Barry showing up the winner; W. G. East, Howell; Tom Sullivan, Everitt; B. Phelps, Beaumont; and C. Gibson, Beddington. Blackstaffe got away badly, and Everitt led out. Before the London Rowing Club Beddington, at a very fast stroke went to the front, Blackstaffe, Howell, and Everitt being level, with Beaumont last. At Craven Steps Everitt went by Beddington (time, 3min. 10sec.), and all the scullers edged too far over to Surrey. Blackstaffe, however was going the fastest, and passing the mile post (time, 5min. 15sec.) he led Everitt by four seconds, or a little more than a length, for first place, with Beddington third, and Howell and Beaumont about level.

At the Crab Tree Blackstaffe led Everitt easily by two lengths, with the other three almost in a line, Beaumont closing up fast. Rounding the Old Soap Works, now Harrod's Wharf, Blackstaffe was three lengths in front of Everitt, with Beaumont third, and Howell by Beddington. The times of the three leaders to Hammesmith Bridge were:—Blackstaffe, 9min. 36secs.; Everitt, 9min. 42sec.; Beaumont, 9min. 56sec. Beddington gave up going by the Eyot, just previously Howell having passed Beaumont. At the top of the Eyot Howell went by Everitt, and the times to Chiswick Church were: Blackstaffe, 15min. 9sec.; Howell, 15min. 23sec.; Everitt, 15min. 23sec. From here to the finish the relative positions remained unchanged. The times to Barnes Bridge were:—Blackstaffe, 20min. 1sec.; Howell, 20min. 24sec.; Everitt, 20min. 39sec. Just below the White Hart Beaumont stopped when last, and then slowly paddled in. Finally Blackstaffe won very easily in 23min. 53sec., Howell being second in 24min. 6sec., and Everitt, a bad third in 24min. 30sec. Howell, for a comparative novice, a junior sculler, sculled a most plucky race, and has the makings of a good man with practice and coaching. He is a Cambridge blue. The prizes were presented on board the steamer returning to Putney. Ten Eyck, the Diamonds winner, was not eligible to compete, being a foreigner.

It is not often that the Kingston Rowing Club is represented at the Metropolitan Regatta, but this year it sent its victorious Henley eight and four, and succeeded in carrying off the Metropolitan Cup, for eights, which it had not done since 1866 and 1871; the four, however, was beaten by the London Rowing Club for the Thames Cup. There was only one claim for the umpires (Messrs F. Fenner and B. Horton, L.R.C.) to adjudicate upon, and then the latter disqualified the Thames Rowing Club crew in the final heat for the Metropolitan Challenge Cup, for juniors, for having persistently bored the Kensington Rowing Club over the greater part of the course. Additional interest was taken in the contests for the London Cup for scullers owing to the presence of W.S. McDowell, but the Chicago doctor, although he won his heat, succumbed in the final to Blackstaffe. The judge was Mr W. B. Richards, L.R.C.

The action of the Henley Committee in accepting the entry of Ten Eyck, the American sculler, has been very strongly condemned by all the home papers, sporting and otherwise. "The Field" of July 24 has a very strong article on the subject, from which we extract the following account of the American's behaviour during the races:

In the draw for heats at the competitors' meeting which was held after the secret session, and at which the committee's decision was made public, Ten Eyck was very lucky, inasmuch as he drew a bye, and had to stand out on the first day, while all his opponents had to row races. On the second day he sculled for the first time in the regatta, his opponent being Blussé, the Dutchman, who was no match for him, and was taken ill off Fawley Court and helped out of his boat—suffering, we believe, from sunstroke. He kept comfortably clear of the latter, and when Blussé caved in paddled the rest of the course at his leisure. On the third day he met Howell, of Trinity Hall, and, going to him, washed him from beginning to end of the course, dodging from side to side in the orthodox waterman's style as the Hall man made shots at him to bump him while out of his proper water. In the deciding heat towards the end of the day he was too fast and too clever for Blackstaffe—who had raced hard with McDowell, of Chicago, earlier in the day—and washed and bored the Vesta man just as he had done Howell, in a profound silence on the part of the spectators. His crowning performance, however, was after passing the post, for he promptly backed towards his defeated opponent, and in true professional fashion shook hands with him, just as the watermen have been and are in the habit of doing when they reach the Ship at Mortlake—an action which of itself speaks volumes, and upon which comment is quite superfluous.

## POLO.

### CANADA DE GOMEZ INTER-CLUB POLO TOURNAMENT, 1897.

We give below the entries and probable players for the above tournament, to be played on Friday next the 26th inst. and following days:

Venado Tuerto—C. Hay, L. Bury, C. Hinchliffe, F. Robinson.

Geebung—F. Pakenham, T. Jeffray, H. St. John, F. Hinchliffe.

Locusts—A. Macdonald, C. M. Watt, H. Foster, H. Bury.

Victoria I.—G. Chapman, F. White, F. Kinchant, M. Fea.

Victoria II.—Major Porteous, F. Chapman, T. Taylor, E. C. Hill.

Victoria III.—G. S. Lumsdaine, E. Bradney, F. Mathew, and another.

Media Luna—F. H. Leared, P. Talbot, R. Moncrieff, R. Leared.

Bellville—R. MacIntosh, A. D. Murray, J. C. M. Pinnell, and another.

### BELLVILLE POLO CLUB.

On the 15th inst. a practice game was played at the Estancia Basualdo, and several new members put in an appearance. The following were the sides:

1. A. D. Murray                      1. J. Lawrence  
2. J. C. M. Pinnell                  2. W. Vincent  
3. E. Rice                              3. F. Grube

R. MacIntosh (back)              J. Hearne (back)

Mr MacIntosh's team won by six goals to love.

### HURLINGHAM.

On Sunday the 15th there were plenty of players but rather a scarcity of ponies. However, a good fast game took place between the following sides: Waistcoats—Messrs Finlayson, Williamson, Thorold and Haig; Plain—Messrs E. Drabble, Challinor, Ott, S. Furber, and B. Bedford, the three last cutting in and out. The Waistcoats proved too strong for the latter and ran out easy winners by five goals to two, Finlayson being in particularly fine form.

On Thursday last another game was played, in which the following took part: Messrs S. Furber, A. Robin, Thorold, Haig, Drabble, Williamson, and Lacey. Some of the players were a bit slack after the ball of the previous night, and perhaps for this reason the game was not particularly brilliant, but doubtless none the less enjoyable.

We are sorry to hear that no Hurlingham team is going to the Canada Tournament, owing to the scarcity of ponies! Anyone who has watched the game here will not be surprised at this, as good trained ponies seem to be the exception, not the rule at present.

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## GOLF.

### AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE RIVER PLATE.

Those who intend to enter for this competition are reminded that names and entrance fees must be sent to the hon. sec., A. Williamson, Cuyo 429, on or before Thursday next, August 26.

### BUENOS AIRES GOLF CLUB.

On Sunday last the competitions for the prizes presented by members of the above club were played off at Catalinas. A large number of players competed, but many of the competitors failed to send in their returns. The competition was divided into two classes, those with a handicap of under eighteen constituting one class and those over eighteen the other. Mr Boadle secured an extremely popular and easy win in the first class, Mr Dickinson being second, and Mr C. Wibberley returned the best score in the second class, for which Mr H. W. Roberts was second.

Below we give a few of the scores:

First Class.	Gross	Handicap	Net.
T. S. Boadle ..	107	12	95
J. H. Dickinson ..	103	scr	103
Arch. Williamson ..	107	3	104
V. G. G. Scroggie ..	106	scr	106
G. T. Cripps ..	119	12	107
Robt. Paton ..	120	8	112
J. T. Darch ..	132	12	120
Second Class.	Gross	Handicap	Net.
C. Wibberley ..	131	12	119
H. W. Roberts ..	139	12	127
J. R. Moss ..	140	12	128
J. Rankin ..	132	2	130
H. B. Anderson ..	144	12	132

### LOMAS GOLF LINKS.

Ladies' Competition.—This took place on Thursday the 12th inst., over a shortened course of 18 holes. Of thirteen entries the following cards were handed in:

Name	1st round	2nd round	Total Gross	Han-dicap	Total net
Mrs. Marjoribanks	61	60	121	16	105
Miss Mohr Bell ..	62	66	128	16	112
Miss Mackern ..	66	60	126	8	118
Miss Alexander ..	70	64	134	8	126
Mrs. Goodfellow ..	74	83	157	30	127
Miss Smiles ..	78	68	146	12	134
Miss L.M. Alexander	68	73	141	scr	141
Miss E. Smiles ..	81	72	153	8	145
Miss Boadle ..	82	72	154	8	146

The silver medal was therefore won by Mrs Marjoribanks.

The President's Cup.—The semi-final and final matches were played off on Sunday last the 15th, when R. Smiles beat P. Cowper, 5 up and 3 to play, in the former, and shortly afterwards started off on his final journey against D. Leighton over a course of 27 holes, receiving from the latter a handicap of 16 strokes in the three rounds. He played a very plucky game, and was several times with two and even more holes to his credit. Mr Leighton soon discovered he had his work cut out to beat, and did his utmost to reduce the odds against him. Towards the latter part of the match a very close finish was evident. At the 26th hole scores were all even, and at the last hole both were the like near the hole, but Leighton lying dead, Smiles had to play, missed his putt for the half, leaving Leighton once more the winner of a club trophy. It will be remembered that he won the Bithell Medal and Championship of the Club.

The Gold Medal Competition, over a course of 36 holes, was also played off on the same day, Mr J. Marjoribanks being the winner with the fine score of 184 + 6 = 190. There were thirteen entries and the following scores were handed in:

Name	1st round	2nd round	3rd round	4th round	Tot. Gross	Han-dicap	Tot. net
J. Marjoribanks	43	48	46	47	184	+6	190
D. Leighton ..	49	47	47	48	191	+6	197
W. Higgins ..	51	48	47	51	197	+2	199
F. Carlisle ..	48	56	49	49	202	scr	202
M. G. Fortune ..	57	53	48	51	209	4	205
W. Flint ..	58	54	51	52	210	4	206
C. Alexander ..	52	57	57	59	225	16	209
F. J. Coombs ..	68	60	56	53	237	19	218
C. C. Alexander	59	57	71	56	243	21	222
R. Goodfellow ..	65	64	75	75	279	28	251

### AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE RIVER PLATE.

In accordance with the resolutions passed at a meeting held in Buenos Aires on July 16, the competition to decide the championship will take place on the Lomas links on Saturday the 23th, Sunday, the 29th, and Monday the 30th, of August. The competition is open to members of all recognised clubs who are bona fide residents in the River Plate, a residence of three months being necessary to qualify anyone to compete.

The competition will be decided by Match Play, 18 holes, the final 36 holes, under the by-laws of the Lomas Club. Competitors must send in their names, accompanied by entrance fee of \$10, on or before August 26, to A. Williamson, hon. sec., 429 Cuyo, Buenos Aires,



**ALBERDI GOLF CLUB.**

Below we give the result of the gentlemen's handicap played on the Alberdi Golf Links, Rosario, on August 8th, for a gold medal as first prize and a silver medal as second prize.

	Total.	Handicap.	Net.
Fleming ..	97	scr	97
Jeffries ..	111	10	101
Beaumont ..	124	10	114
Robb ..	122	12	110
Paul ..	141	15	126
Stetson ..	125	20	105
C. Mallet ..	130	20	110
Shimfield ..	144	20	124
Clarke ..	146	20	126
Bragg ..	155	20	135
Bowman ..	138	25	113
Macrae ..	147	25	122
Davison ..	157	25	132
Newell ..	178	25	153
Greene ..	146	30	116
Samson ..	147	30	117
Bart ..	153	30	123
Grant ..	158	30	128
Keenan ..	175	30	145
Boxall ..	169	35	134
H. Mallet ..	160	40	120
Goold ..	171	40	131
Burns ..	189	40	149
Ransdale ..	191	40	151
Tansley ..	165	45	120
Jenkins ..	167	45	122
Loveday ..	175	45	130
Le Bas ..	221	45	176

Talking of Ladies' Golf, Mr H. H. Hilton writes:

"I have often been asked what odds a first-class amateur could concede to the best of the lady golfers. I must acknowledge that I have never yet had the pleasure of playing a first-class lady golfer over a long links, but from observation I should say that about two-thirds would bring the two together. Of course, when saying this, I am referring to such a medal course as, say, Hoylake, for if the tees are in anyway shortened it would naturally tend to enhance the lady player, as it is in the question of power and length that they chiefly lose. On the other hand, it is noticeable that at Gullane, where the ladies played from the ordinary tees, the scores accomplished in the championship closely approximated the best scores made in local club competitions. In fact, had the round been completed in one or two of the heats, it is probable that a score of 80 would have been accomplished, and anything slightly under this generally suffices to win the scratch medal at Gullane, which tends to prove that on anything like an easy course the standard of golf displayed by the leading lady players is not far behind that of the ordinary club scratch player; though on any of the championship greens I would favour the chance of the male golfer at a difference of two-thirds."

**FIXTURES.**

**BUENOS AIRES GOLF CLUB.**

Aug. 28, 29, 30—Championship of the River Plate, at Lomas.

September (date not fixed)—Final for the Rigby Challenge Trophy and Medal (scratch).

**HURLINGHAM.**

Aug. 22—Competition for President's Cup (Championship) and Handicap Cup.

Aug. 28, 29, 30—Championship of the River Plate, at Lomas.

Sept. 5—Finals for President's Cup and Handicap Cup.

**LOMAS.**

Aug. 22—(Morning) Competition for the President's Cup; (Afternoon) Foursomes for President's Prize, first drawings. Entrance fee \$1.

Aug. 28, 29, 30—Championship of the River Plate.

Sept. 5—Reserved for competition for the President's Prize for Foursomes, unless provided for earlier.

Sept. 8—Lomas v. Flores, at Flores.

**FIXTURES**

**RACING.**

Sunday, August 22—Hipódromo Argentino, Palermo.

Thursday, August 26—Meeting at Cañada de Gomez.

Monday, August 30—Meeting at Hurlingham.

Wednesday, Sept. 8—Meeting at Hurlingham.

**FOOTBALL**

**ASSOCIATION.**

Sunday, August 22—Flores v. Belgrano B, at Flores.

Sunday, August 22—Banfield v. Palermo, at Banfield.

**RUGBY.**

Sunday, August 22—B.A.F.C. v. Belgrano, at Flores.

**POLO**

August 26, 27, 28, 29—Inter-Club Polo Tournament, at Cañada de Gomez.

**ATHLETICS.**

Monday, August 30—Rosario A.C. Sports, at Rosario.

Wednesday, Sept. 8—Championship Meeting, at Lomas.

Saturday, Sept. 11—Lomas Academy Athletic Sports.

**HUNTING.**

Sunday, Aug. 22—Hurlingham Draghounds will meet in the Club at 10.45 a.m. Final run of the season.

**PAVILION GOSSIP.**

Lanus, as was only to be expected, easily accounted for Banfield in the League fixture between these clubs last Sunday at Banfield, so that they now equal the leaders in points, with whom they play the final match. Palermo again gave proof of what an improved team they are by defeating the Belgrano B. representatives by four goals to one, this being their third success in this year's League. The only club that has not won a League match this season is Banfield, a drawn game with Belgrano B, accounting for the solitary point scored.

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The Rugby games between the B.A.F.C. and Lomas always create a great amount of interest, and invariably provide most peculiar results, one half frequently going entirely in favour of one side and the second half giving an exactly opposite result. The match last Sunday was no exception to the rule as after Lomas had run up the enormous score of thirty-three points in the first half, it was only with the greatest difficulty their opponents were prevented from doing likewise in the second portion of the game, the final scores being Lomas thirty-three points. B.A.F.C. sixteen.

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I am very sorry to say that after all it is extremely improbable that any team will be able to go from here to try conclusions with the Albion Club, Montevideo. This is much to be regretted, but is unavoidable. Next season I should propose that some fixtures be arranged with the Montevidean club before the League dates are definitely decided upon, so that there may be no danger of the matches clashing.

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I do not think our players here are altogether to blame for not going over for a game, at the same time I doubt if they quite realize the good that the Albion Club has done for football the other side. An old Buenos Aires footballer now in residence in Montevideo assures me that a large percentage of the players over there cannot speak a word of English, and that though a little excitable at times, they enter into their games with the utmost relish, all of which is due to the untiring efforts of the members of the above-mentioned club.

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The Rugby football match between the B.A.F.C. and the Old Bedfordians is now the chief topic of conversation among that branch of football players. The task set the Old Boys this year will be considerably more difficult than usual as the B.A.F.C. are determined to leave no stone unturned to raise the most powerful team possible. I would again remind any Old Bedford boys in the camp who can play, to send in their names to Mr L. Cory-Smith, Piedad 402, with as little delay as possible, so that the fifteen may be definitely decided upon.

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The British Bank athletes not satisfied with having defeated the London Bank representatives in the cricket field, have now determined to try conclusions with their old rivals on the football field, and a challenge has been issued for an Association football match. Nothing has been definitely decided yet, but the match will probably take place early in September on the ground of the Lomas Athletic Club. As each Bank numbers among its members some of our best known exponents of the game, the match should prove a close and interesting one.

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Many are wondering how it is no meeting has been called to settle matters regarding the coming cricket season. The meeting of secretaries is always held after the annual general meeting of the B.A.C.C., which this year has been postponed until the negotiations now in progress, with reference to the renewal of the ground at Palermo, have been finally settled. As soon as this question is decided, the annual general meeting will be called at once, and the meeting of secretaries will follow.

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Meanwhile a meeting of two representatives from each club will be held in these offices on Tuesday next, the 24th inst., at 5 p.m., when the question of the advisability of having a cricket championship may be thoroughly discussed. This meeting will enable the different club secretaries to attend their meeting with definite and official instructions from their respective committees.

This will be the only intimation given of the meeting, the importance of which, those interested will readily understand.

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According to the last mails, it had been definitely settled that the well-known English runner, E. C. Bredin, and the equally well-known American champion, C. H. Kilpatrick would meet. The three matches had been arranged to take place as follows:—The 600 yards at Rochdale, on July 31; the half-mile at the L.A.C. grounds, Stamford Bridge, August 9; and the 1000 yards at Blackburn in the latter part of this month.

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The week's play at home ending on July 17, gave cricket authorities an opening to comment on the exceedingly high scores registered all round. In the eleven first-class matches played, 10,472 runs were registered, and 354 wickets fell, giving an average of thirty runs per wicket. Only in one of the matches referred to was the aggregate of runs below 700, and in this exception 697 were made. Four of the matches went over 1000, and four exceeded 900. Figures such as these are seldom available, and indeed it would be difficult to look back to a parallel week in recent years.

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Among batsmen who have come well to the front this season is Tyldesley, the Lancashire professional. He started the season with a score of 35, and has since had such results as 45, 46, 49, 53, 54, whilst his three last and best performances up to July 24 were 106, 100 not out, and 174. The double figure scores were but preludes to the centuries, and the whole record is one of good solid cricket throughout the season. There is but one blot on the sheet—his duck at Old Trafford in the first innings against Surrey. His double century in one week is, however, a perfect atonement for this mishap.

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A good cricketing yarn which comes from Lancashire is told in the current "Windsor Magazine." A match was played in a country district, and in an emergency a local farmer's boy was put in to keep the score, the duties being carefully explained to him. When the last man on the side had been caught, the fielders darted in to see the score, and they found—the book blank! That was the condition, too, of the "scorer's" face. "The truth is," he said deliberately, "I was sae enteristed in the wee sport that I quite forgot tae mak the crosses. But it disna matter—that wee laddie wi' the red face is the smartest runner amang ye."

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## River Plate Sport and Pastime

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### SPORTING NOTES

A special meeting will be held at these offices on Tuesday next at 5 o'clock, when each club is requested to send two representatives, in order that the general opinion and wishes of our various clubs may be ascertained regarding the important question of organising a championship cricket competition.

The sixth annual general meeting of the Buenos Aires Lawn Tennis Club will be held in these offices on Wednesday next, the 25th inst., at 4.30 p.m., at which the business will be to receive a report and statement of accounts and to elect a new committee.

The annual general meeting of the members of the Banfield Athletic Club, will be held in the club pavilion on Sunday, September 5, at three o'clock in the afternoon, when as many members as possible are requested to attend.

I have been requested to call attention to the fact that the entries for the Hurlingham race meeting to be held on Monday, the 30th inst. close this afternoon at 5 o'clock. In another column will be foud a programme for the race meeting of September 8th.

One of the most attractive events of the racing season, the Gran Polla de Potrillos, took place last Sunday and the result proved a great disap-

pointment to the followers and backers of Orange. There were practically only three others in the race, namely Kean, Pillito, and Balcarce, but after his three successive wins in important classic races, Orange was naturally the most fancied, and considered by many as the crack of the year.

Nevertheless several remembered that both in the Premio Competencia and in the Premio Iniciacion, Orange had been run very close indeed by his rivals, and it was felt that under the same conditions, the most trifling incident during the race might easily reverse the results of June 13 and July 11. The fact that I. Diaz was in the saddle, however, went a long way to increase the confidence that the backers of Orange felt.

As to the race itself, it underwent many variations. Kean and Alarife obtained a very strong lead at the very commencement, followed by Balcarce, who led the rest. At the thousand metre post the favourite left the field and was soon close up to Balcarce. In front of the paddock Diaz called on Orange for his effort, and the favourite responding to the call almost got on terms with the Petite Ecurie's representative, but Balcarce resisted the challenge stoutly and again went away, and at the old stand Orange was beaten. The race was, however, by no means over, for Pillito coming up on the outside, provided a magnificent finish, the two colts disputing every inch of the last fifty metres, but thanks to the energy of Garrido, Balcarce just gained the verdict by a short head.

Of the four principal candidates, for this important race, the winner was the least fancied, while Pillito, who had been beaten by him in the Premio Luro, and who had failed to wrest the second place from him in the Premio Iniciacion, received almost double the amount of support. At the same time the winner had, by his previous successes, given evidence of his powers, and his excellent appearance on Sunday last did infinite credit to his trainer.

Judging from the large number of entries which may be found published in another column, the Cañada de Gomez polo tournament is evidently going to be a great success. On Thursday next the 26th inst., a race meeting will be held, and the tournament will be played off on the following three days, while on Friday evening a dance will be given. It is much to be regretted that Hurlingham have found it quite impossible to send up a team to compete.

It will be a great pity if a match cannot be arranged between those splendid horses Galtee More and Persimmon. The running of Velasquez in the Eclipse Stakes shows that there cannot be much between them, Lord Rosebery's colt having been beaten by the Irish horse two lengths in the Derby, and two lengths by the Prince of Wales horse last month. Whether a match will be made appears to be most uncertain, but so far everything goes to prove that both of these are far above the average Derby winner.

Though he was beaten as a two-year-old, and again last year, Persimmon can show a very fine record, and already he has won more than £35,000 in stake money, which is made up as follows:—

As a two-year-old.	
The Coventry Stakes at Ascot ..	£1,724
The Richmond Stakes at Goodwood ..	827
As a three-year-old.	
The Derby .. .. .	5,450
The St. Leger .. .. .	5,050
Jockey Club Stakes .. .. .	8,990
As a four-year-old.	
Ascot Cup .. .. .	3,880
Eclipse Stakes .. .. .	9,285
	£34,706

to which may be added the second money in the Princess of Wales' Stakes last year, which amounted to about £1,000.

The second place this year, has cost Lord Rosebery dearly, Velasquez having been second for the Two Thousand Guineas, of the value of £3700, the Derby £5,450, and the Eclipse Stakes of £9285. Chelandry was second for the Oaks,

value £4215, and Ebba second for the Sandown Two-Year-Old Stakes, £4993, or, roughly speaking, in all about £27,000.

A shooting party got together by Mr Loveday, and consisting of himself, Dr. Freund, and Messrs C. Mallet, Obré, and J. J. C. Daniel recently had two most enjoyable days sport at Rio Segundo, and although no records were broken, on the second day they secured a most respectable bag of four hundred and fifty pigeons.

At this shoot rather an amusing incident occurred. Two of the guns running out of cartridges took the opportunity of returning to the carriage, about a mile away, to lunch and to refill their cartridge bags. On returning to their shooting positions they noticed a large number of hawks on the ground, and on approaching the spot where they had left about seventy dead pigeons, they found nothing but feathers and carcasses! The hawks had been enjoying a good square meal!!

Intending competitors at the Lomas Athletic Sports are reminded that the entries close, without exception, on Wednesday next, the 25th inst., and may be sent to either the Hon. Secretary A. A. A. R. P., Pidad 475, or to the Hon. Secretary Lomas A. C., Casilla 1491. The track is rapidly being put into first-class order and is considerably wider than the old one, which will prevent the crush there used to be in such races as the 220 yards handicap.

As there remain but three weeks before the championship meeting athletes should be getting to work in real earnest. A few are steadily at work already, and an early morning visit to our athletic grounds may find a few energetic individuals training in various ways, some adopting one system and some another. Some of our younger athletes I would recommend to indulge in far more walking exercise than they do, and so acquire that all important and most necessary factor in racing, a strong "finish."

It has been definitely decided to close the entries for the Golf Championship of the River Plate at noon on Thursday next, the 26th inst. Arrangements are being made by the Lomas committee for a handicap competition to be held during the championship meeting, which besides being of interest to those who are unlucky enough to be put out in the early stages of the more important event, will provide a match for others who do not aspire to championship honours.

The President's Cup and the Gold Medal competitions were decided last Sunday on the Lomas golf links. The former was won by Mr D. Leighton after a capital struggle with Mr R. Smiles, who played a very plucky game against his formidable opponent. The Gold Medal was won by Mr J. Marjoribanks with the capital score of 184 - 6 = 190. To-morrow the President's Prize competition for foursomes will be played under handicap and match play, and will commence at 9.30 a.m.

The competitors for the special prizes presented by the members of the Buenos Aires Golf Club attracted a large number of golfers to the Catalinas links last Sunday. The competition was divided into two classes, the first of which was won by Mr T. S. Boadle, whose victory was welcomed with great satisfaction by the members of the club for which he has done so much, and the second class winner was Mr C. Wibberley. Only a small number returned their cards, but the scores of those that did so, may be found under "Golf."

The third annual International contest between the selected athletes of Ireland and Scotland ended in a victory for the former by seven points to four. Although Scotland were thus substantially beaten the contest was most exciting, honours being easy at the eighth event. Two new records were established in throwing the hammer, and the long jump, T. F. Keily, of Tipperary, throwing 137ft. 1in. and W. Newburn, of Dublin, jumping 22ft. 3in. The last-named is said to have cleared 23ft. 6in. so that he stands a good chance of beating the world's record,



## FOOTBALL

### LEAGUE FIXTURES.

AUGUST.

Sun. 22—Flores v. Belgrano B, at Flores.  
 Sun. 22—Banfield v. Palermo, at Banfield.  
 Sun. 29—Lomas v. Belgrano B, at Belgrano.  
 Mon. 30—Lomas v. Lanus, at Lomas.  
 Mon. 30—Belgrano A v. Belgrano B, at Belgrano.

### RUGBY FIXTURES.

AUGUST.

Sun. 22—B.A.F.C. v. Belgrano, at Flores.

SEPTEMBER.

Sun. 5—B.A.F.C. v. Old Bedfordians, at Lomas.

### ARGENTINE ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The following is the position of the League Clubs up to date:

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	GOALS		Points
					For	Agst.	
Lomas A.C.	10	8	0	2	46	7	18
Lanus A.C.	11	9	2	0	38	8	18
Belgrano "A"	11	8	2	1	44	13	17
Flores A.C.	11	5	5	1	41	22	11
Palermo A.C.	11	3	7	0	10	50	6
Belgrano "B"	9	1	7	1	7	41	3
Banfield A.C.	11	0	10	1	6	51	1

### PALERMO A.C. v. BANFIELD A.C.

The above League fixture will be decided to-morrow at Banfield. Train leaves Plaza Constitucion at 1.45 p.m.

The following are the teams:—

Palermo—  
 Goal—H. Lucas.  
 Backs—J. B. Campbell, A. J. Rugeroni.  
 Half backs—J. C. Lea, T. Mullaly, J. McCulloch.  
 Forwards—W. S. Stirling, A. Campbell, E. Potter, E. Curran, R. Levy.  
 Banfield A.C.—  
 Goal—H. Mackern.  
 Backs—J. D. Watson, J. W. A. Martin.  
 Half backs—M. Dunn, E. S. Rugeroni, T. Chamberlain.  
 Forwards—J. Hunter, R. Campbell, C. D. Moffatt, S. R. Wilson, F. R. Wilson.

### FLORES A.C. v. BELGRANO B.

This League match will be played at Flores to-morrow. Play to commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

The following are the teams:—

Flores.—  
 Goal—W. Brown.  
 Backs—J. Holtum, M. F. Gilderdale.  
 Half backs—S. Murphy, W. Goddard, J. C. Bellamy.  
 Forwards—W. Jordan, B. B. Syer, T. F. Allen, Ponce de Leon, G. F. Elliot.  
 Belgrano B.—  
 Goal—R. Barker.  
 Backs—W. Fowler, J. H. Boyd.  
 Half backs—G. L. S. Wood, J. R. Boyd, E. Davis.  
 Forwards—A. Brodie, E. Grimdsitch, H. Davis, E. Dickinson, N. Dickinson.  
 Referee—Mr C. W. Reynolds.

### RUGBY.

#### B.A.F.C. v. BELGRANO A.C.

The following have been selected to play for the B.A.F.C. in the above match at Flores to-morrow:—

Back—P. Grant.  
 Three-quarters—A. Anderson, G. F. Elliot, C. Romer, J. H. Webster.  
 Half backs—D. King, H. Mohr Bell.  
 Forwards—J. C. Bellamy, M. F. Gilderdale, E. Liverledge, S. Schwind, C. Smiles, S. Mohr Bell, A. Leslie.

### ASSOCIATION.

#### PALERMO A.C. v. BELGRANO B.

A large gathering of spectators were present to witness the return League match between the above clubs, which took place at Belgrano on Sunday last, Palermo proving victorious by four goals to one. The weather was exceedingly warm, and the stiff wind which blew, considerably marred the merit of the play. Each club had put their strongest team on the field and a good game was anticipated. The homesters won the toss and left their rivals to defend the station end goal with a strong wind against them. At 2.45 Potter set the ball in motion, and after the customary mid-field exchanges, N. Dickinson, for Belgrano, sent in a shot which went behind. Shortly afterwards a fine run by the brothers Dickinson down the Belgrano right wing was finally stopped by J. B. Campbell. The homesters, however, kept up the pressure, and a fine shot from the centre of the field only just went outside the posts. Following the kick out, Palermo sprinted away to mid-field where "hands" was given against Belgrano, from which nothing resulted. Belgrano now attacked, and the Palermo backs had to work tremendously hard to keep the goal clear. Following this a splendid shot was put

in from the Belgrano right wing, which Lucas saved at the expense of a corner. Shortly after this the scene was changed, and there was soon strong pressure on the Belgrano goal. J. Boyd cleared, and at once set in motion a fine passing effort in which the brothers Dickinson participated, but this again was well stopped by Rugeroni, who returned well down the field, were A. Campbell and Levy exchanged a few passes on the run taking the ball towards the goal, where Barker in attempting to save, had to concede a corner. The kick was taken by McCulloch, who sent in a neat shot, the result of which was another corner. Lea took this kick and sent in a magnificent shot, the ball coming down right in front of the goal mouth where Potter headed through, thus scoring the first goal of the day amid loud cheering. After the kick off Belgrano rushed it down, Palermo having to concede a corner. This proved unproductive, but directly after the kick out, E. Dickinson obtained possession, and sent in a neat shot, which Lucas in goal didn't attempt to save, thinking the ball was going over the bar, instead of which it fell just inside, and in this manner, Belgrano equalised matters. Play now became exceedingly fast, both sides striving their utmost to gain the advantage, but when the whistle sounded for half time the scores remained unaltered.

On resuming, Palermo almost immediately attacked, and Potter headed only just outside the posts, while directly afterwards, Levy finished up a fine run with a hot shot, which Barker had some difficulty in saving. Continuing to press, Palermo showed up in fine style, and the Belgrano defence was severely taxed on several occasions. At length the Palermo front rank broke away and Knaut, dashing down the right wing, sent the ball beautifully across to Campbell, who put through their second goal. Stirling next sent in a magnificent long shot from the centre of the field, for which he was deservedly cheered, and which Barker just managed to save. Levy now ran down the Palermo right wing, and finished up with a splendid shot across the goal mouth, but Knaut slipped just as he was about to head the ball through. Curiously enough Levy repeated the same run, leaving the ball very nearly in the same position, when Knaut atoned for his former mistake by sending the ball through the net, thus scoring the third goal for Palermo. The Belgrano forwards now broke away, and for the first and only time in the second half, Lucas was called upon to save. The ball was immediately returned to the Belgrano territory, where after some neat passing on the part of the Palermo forwards, A. Campbell scored their fourth goal, from a long low shot from the twenty-five yard line. Play now became very fast, Belgrano trying all they knew to increase their score, but it was very seldom they got within shooting range, and as a matter of fact only once did the ball go behind the Palermo goal line. As time drew near, the visitors tried hard to add to their score, but Belgrano were now wide awake and when the whistle sounded for cessation of play, Belgrano had to retire from the field defeated by four, goals to one.

Mr W. Jordan officiated as referee to the satisfaction of all concerned. Mrs Dickinson kindly presided at the tea-table.

The following were the teams:—

Palermo A.C.—  
 Goal—H. Lucas.  
 Backs—J. B. Campbell, A. J. Rugeroni.  
 Half backs—J. C. Lea, T. Mullaly, J. McCulloch.  
 Forwards—C. Knaut, W. S. Stirling, E. Potter, A. Campbell, R. Levy.  
 Belgrano B.—  
 Goal—R. Barker.  
 Backs—W. Fowler, J. H. Boyd.  
 Half backs—G. L. S. Wood, J. R. Boyd, E. Davis.  
 Forwards—N. Dickinson, E. Dickinson, H. Fraser, E. Grimdsitch, A. Brodie.

#### LANUS (F.C.S.) A.C. v. BANFIELD A.C.

The return League fixture between the above two clubs was played off on Sunday last at Banfield and resulted in an easy win for Lanus by six goals to nil. Banfield winning the toss elected the Lomas goal with a strong wind in their favour, G. Brown starting off for Lanus. The visitors commenced the game with two men short, and although some time was lost waiting for them to appear they were obliged to play without them, and only one substitute being found, played through the game with one man short. Immediately on the start, Banfield took possession, and taking the ball into their opponents' territory, commenced an attack, which, however, was well repulsed and nothing resulted. On several occasions Lanus broke away with the ball and taking it down the field, put in some very pretty shots, which, however, proved of no avail, until Comber sent in a beauty which the goal keeper fisted out, but Brown rushing in carried the ball through the posts and thus scored the first goal for Lanus. Banfield then tried hard to equalise matters, but the defence of the visitors was too sound, and each time the ball was returned to the centre. Play now remained in mid-field for some time, the exchanges being of a very even character. Lanus' left wing then took possession, and with the aid of Brown, got the ball down the field where the latter player sent in a beautiful centre which was put through by Munro, making the Lanus score two goals to nil, which was the state of affairs at half time.

Recommencing, Lanus started a strong attack, which practically lasted through the whole half, and only allowed their opposing forwards to break away a very few times. Shots at the Banfield goal were frequent and had it not been for the brilliant defence of the homesters, their defeat would have been much greater. Not long before the ball had been put in motion, Brown added another goal to the Lanus score, which he put

through in a general rush in front of the posts. Banfield then tried hard to open the score, and with Moffatt and Hunter forward made some very good rushes and sent in some pretty shots, all of which, however, were effectually treated with by Coste, in goal. Again resuming the attack, the Lanus forwards tried to increase their score, but were for some time stopped from doing so by Wilson and Watson at back. Martin played a sound game, but was not so good as usual owing to his bad leg, and consequently not so certain of his kicks. The Lanus forwards were, however, not to be denied, and from a neat centre from Comber on the left wing, Munro was able to add their fourth goal, a feat which he repeated a few minutes after from a clear run down the field. Towards the end, Banfield tried hard to keep their opponents out, and successfully put a stop to further scoring until just before the whistle blew for time when Miller scored their sixth goal. Lanus were thus left winners by six goals to nil.

Although the Banfield team played a plucky uphill game, we have seen them show better form before. Several of their players turned up with slight damages and were noticed limping about the field during the game.

Mr Morgan undertook the duties of referee to the complete satisfaction of all concerned.

The following were the teams:—

Lanus A.C.—  
 Goal—A. Coste.  
 Backs—T. Bridge, W. Buchanan.  
 Half backs—J. Laing, A. A. Miller, J. Holmes.  
 Forwards—G. Brooking, G. Brown, G. Munro, C. P. C. Comber.  
 Banfield A.C.—  
 Goal—H. Mackern.  
 Backs—J. D. Watson, J. W. Martin.  
 Half backs—A. Harriman, E. S. Rugeroni, A. Stocks.  
 Forwards—F. R. Wilson, C. D. Moffatt, J. Hunter, R. Campbell, S. R. Wilson.

### RUGBY.

#### B.A.F.C. v. LOMAS A.C.

This return fixture was decided last Sunday at Lomas in pleasant weather and before a very fair attendance of spectators. As is nearly always the case when these clubs meet the game underwent a complete change after half time, the visitors, who up to that period had been having all the worst of it, quite turning the tables on the home team, but were unable to get on terms with them and had to retire defeated by thirty-three points to sixteen.

The Buenos Aires captain having won the toss elected to defend the Banfield end goal, giving his opponents the benefit of the wind which was blowing from corner to corner across the ground. Liverledge set the ball in motion, and from rather a weak return, play settled down in the visitors' half. Playing up smartly the Lomas forwards took the ball well into their opponents' twenty-five and heeling in good style the ball was quickly passed out to the three-quarters, McMorran grounding the ball behind the posts, the same player converting. This proved to be the commencement of a long series of disasters for the B.A. team, as the Lomas team displaying good pace and fair combination were soon back in the B.A. quarters where Comber getting possession in some loose play, galloped round the opposing backs and scored behind the posts, McMorran again safely landing a goal. This second reverse had a good effect on the visiting team for a short time, and there were one or two dangerous rushes by the forwards, Gilderdale always being prominent in these, but the safe tackling of the three-quarters and of Grant at back held them well in check. Fifteen minutes from the start, however, found play once again transferred to the B.A. lines, where Romer, who was playing a hard game, plunged over for Lomas and scored some way out. J. O. Anderson took the kick, but failed to increase the points. From this time onward, the B.A. team were outplayed at every point and tries were scored with monotonous regularity. J. O. Anderson got in three times, and McMorran once, all the tries being scored under the posts, and all being successfully accounted for by McMorran, so that when half time arrived the score read, Lomas six goals and a try, or thirty-three points, B.A.F.C. nil. It is only fair to mention that up to this point B.A. had played two men short, and their three-quarters were nearly all new to the game in that position.

During half time, however, the visitors obtained the welcome services outside the scrum of R. E. H. Anderson and H. Webster, and a different complexion was soon put on the existing state of affairs. For ten minutes the game was very even and neither side could claim any advantage, but Lomas were unfortunate in losing the services of H. P. Wright, who hurt his ankle rather severely, an injury which it is feared may keep him from the field of play for some little time. This loss at once made a perceptible difference in the scrummages, which the B.A. pack at once began to carry and heeling excellently the pace became very fast. After some twelve minutes, Gilderdale broke away with a smart dribble and kicking over the back's head enabled Botting to come up and complete a try. Rumboll took the kick, a by no means easy one, and landed a splendid goal. Five minutes later Rumboll scored in a nice position and the same player added the major points. Just after this a further disaster overtook the home team their full back, who had been putting in some exceedingly brilliant work, had to retire and the pack was further weakened by a forward being called upon to take the vacant position at full back. Lomas now played up for all they were worth, but it was quite clear that they were slowly, but surely being worn down and fast play resulted in the home twenty-five where many brilliant pieces of defensive work were accomplished. At length Gilderdale



got a good opening and dashed over, but the kick proved too much for R. E. H. Anderson, so their score now read thirteen points. From now till the end B.A. kept up a strong attack, and try how they would, the home team could not clear their lines. An appeal for off side against a Lomas half back was allowed, but the kick at goal failed. Following this the B.A. team were soon back again and it says much for the Lomas players that only one more try was scored against them. This was just on time when J. O. Anderson trying to bring relief, punted across the ground with his left foot straight into Syer's hands, who ran in unopposed, the same player failing to improve. The final whistle then sounded, Lomas leaving the field victors by six goals and one try (thirty-three points) to two goals and two tries (sixteen points).

Mr Leslie Cory-Smith kindly officiated as referee.

The following were the teams:—

B.A.F.C.—

Back—R. W. Rudd

Three-quarters—B. B. Syer, R. E. H. Anderson, J. H. Webster.

Half backs—E. L. Rumbold, G. S. Campbell.

Forwards—J. C. Bellamy, M. F. Gilderdale, R. Blagden, G. Blagden, C. C. Mackenzie, H. W. Botting, W. D. Campbell, P. Rugeroni.

Lomas A.C.—

Back—P. Grant.

Three-quarters—G. M. Comber, J. O. Anderson, A. McMorran.

Half backs—A. Anderson, E. L. Wilson.

Forwards—C. Romer, E. Liversedge, H. P. Wright, C. Mohr Bell, S. Mohr Bell, W. Stirling, C. Smiles, L. Philippe.

#### ROSARIO ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

##### FIXTURES.

AUGUST.

Sun. 22—Cordoba and Rosario Ry. F.C. v. Rosario A.C.

The result of the League to date is as follows:

	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Points
Rosario Athletic Club	5	3	—	2	8
Robb's School (past and present)	6	3	1	2	8
Central Argentine Ry. A.C.	6	1	3	2	4
Cordoba and R. Ry. F.C.	5	1	4	—	2

#### CENTRAL ARGENTINE Ry. A.C. v. ROBB'S SCHOOL (PAST AND PRESENT.)

Teams representing the above clubs met at Plaza Jewell on Sunday last to fulfil their return League fixture, a pleasant and interesting game resulting in a win for the School by six goals to two. Notwithstanding the warmth of the temperature the play was very fast throughout and the form shown by both teams was somewhat above the average. The opening play was greatly in favour of the Railway representatives who, with the wind at their backs, gave the School defence plenty of work, and put on their two goals before the interval, but in the second half they were outplayed, and although they went very near on more than one occasion they failed to augment their score.

Mayne having won the toss elected to play with the wind and Robinson kicked off for the School, who immediately made tracks for the Central goal, the same player taking a shot which was well negotiated by Hollis and the backs returning well down the field enabled the Railway men to penetrate their opponents' defence, two corners following in quick succession which, however, were safely dealt with. Some sharp work was done by both sides, another corner soon falling to the Railway from which the School backs were unable to clear their lines, and from the mêlée which followed in front of goal, their custodian only partially stopped the ball, the Railway thus drawing first blood. After some fast play all over the field the School paid a visit to the other end of the ground, but the backs defended well and Wilkinson returned down the wing to Wortley, the latter after taking the leather a short distance, centred finely, and Hopper put in a "scorcher" which proved too much for the goal keeper. By some good passing between the brothers Knight and Robinson, the ball found its way to the C.A. goal. Angel, A. Knight, and Robinson in turn taking shots, neither of which came off, and Norman following suit soon afterwards went very near scoring. The Central men having relieved the pressure, for a brief period operations were carried on in the School quarters which were well defended by the brothers Middleton, and following up a strong kick by one of the backs, the School forwards were again enabled to renew the offensive and Angel scored from a pass by H. Knight, half time soon afterwards being called.

On resuming hostilities the School immediately commenced to press, keeping up a persistent attack, which looked dangerous for the Railway, and corners and goal kicks followed rapidly. Mayne, however, got well away, but his attempt at goal went over the bar. Robinson, Jewell, and Cooper, by good combination, then sorely tried the Railway defence, and the goal keeper was called upon to stop a dangerous shot. Hopper, Green, and Wortley, on the part of the C.A., then retaliated with a good break away, but the defence prevailed, H. Middleton returning the leather well up the field and A. Knight equalised. From this point the School representatives, with the strong breeze in their favour had the best of matters and although the Railway men broke away on several occasions it was only for a brief period and they were again forced back on the defensive and before the call of time four more goals were registered against them, the scorers being Jewell (2), Cooper, and Robinson.

Although from soon after the interval the result of the game was beyond doubt relaxed neither side their efforts, and the play was kept up with great spirit to the end. The School which was very strongly represented, played a good game, the forwards combining well together, and being well supported by E. Cooper at half, and the brothers Middleton at back, Jewell was a great acquisition to the team, his weight and dash doing much towards the result. In the first half the Railway men played with great vigour and seemed to have the game well in hand, but on the change of ends they were unaccountably unable to withstand the rushes of their opponents. The team as a whole played well together, but were conspicuously weak at half back.

Mr F. Martin, as referee gave general satisfaction.

The following were the teams:—

Central Argentine Ry. A.C.—

Goal—Hollis.

Backs—Wilkinson, Shimield.

Half backs—Levick, Gayleard, Lamb.

Forwards—Mayne (capt.), Gibbons, Hopper. Green, Wortley.

Robb's School (past and present.)—

Goal—Norman.

Backs—H. Middleton, G. Middleton.

Half backs—Cooper, Tudor, Norman.

Norwards—A. Knight, Jewell, Robinson, H. Knight, Angel.

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## HOME NOTES.

The features of this year's National Rifle Meeting at Bisley have been the perfect weather experienced almost every day, and the marvellous scoring in all the competitions where the Service Lee-Metford rifle has been the arm used, and it is now obvious that records will be established in them. The high scoring is naturally much discussed by all classes of competitors, and the view is almost universally expressed that some revision by the Council of the Association of the conditions under which firing is conducted will be needed before another National Rifle meeting is held. In several instances it has happened that "possibles" have been made in excess of the number of prizes awarded, and if something be not done to render full scores more difficult of attainment there will inevitably be a falling off next year in the entries for minor competitions, and even the Queen's Prize itself can hardly fail to be affected. There is every reason to believe that the Council of the Association are fully alive to the situation, and whatever decision they come to will be dictated by a desire to meet the views of the Volunteers, and to maintain the interest in the meeting at its present level. The latest idea brought forward is not the establishment of an inner bullseye or central, but a reduction in the size of the existing bull by one inch at 200 yards, and three inches at 500 and 600 yards, leaving the first-class targets, which are used only for 800 yards and distances beyond that, as they are at present.

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I am writing these notes on Friday, July the 23rd, and I have excellent authority for stating that at no period since Bisley came into existence as the scene of the National Rifle Meeting has so much interest been manifested in the second stage of the Queen's Prize. Usually those Volunteers who, through the operation of the first process of selection, have been debarred from further competition take little or no concern in the doings of their more fortunate comrades. Yesterday it was very different. Crowds of Volunteers and others thronged the ropes and watched the contest in a spirit of profound interest and keen criticism. This year of records has after all infused new life into the meeting, and whatever the future may have in store the year of her Majesty's Diamond Jubilee will be regarded as making a new and important epoch in connection with rifle shooting. Had the scoring been of an ordinary character the contestants for the Silver Medal would no doubt have been left to their own devices, but even Volunteers who have failed this year exhibit an interest in the shooting, which has been solely aroused by the remarkable results obtained by the new service rifle.

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A young American named M'Nally is at present training at Dover with the object of attempting to swim across the English Channel over the same course as that covered by Captain Webb. His trainer is Mr Charles W. Browne, of Boston. M'Nally, who has done some notable long-distance swimming in America, believes in short-distance training, and his daily swims cover about five miles in the Channel.

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You would doubtless notice the win of Mr C. D. Rose's Cortegar in the Dullingham Plate at Newmarket last week. None of the papers have remarked that the mare supplied the greatest surprise of the meeting from the fact of her having been fed, watered, and "done up," after morning exercise, as it was only Mr Rose's anxiety to please his guest, Sir Pertab Singh, that a messenger was despatched for her from the Heath just before the Dullingham Plate. She had done little or no work since Sandown Park, where she bustled up Galtee More in the Sandringham Cup, which the latter appeared to win so easily. Sir Pertab expressed great pleasure to Jarvis of a visit to his stable at Waterwitch House, where it is far from improbable the distinguished Indian may have a horse or two in training hereafter in conjunction with his friend, Mr C. D. Rose.

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Of the sales at Newmarket there is not much to notice except those of Worcester and Ste. Adresse, the former of whom was purchased by Joseph Cannon to stand at Lordship Farm, while the latter supplied further proof of the decreased value of high price yearlings when she declined from 2200 guineas Baron Hirsch gave for her at that age to 620 guineas without having earned a single shilling towards her original purchase



money. Worcester fetched five hundred guineas more than the price (2000 gs.) Barney Barnato gave for him some two years ago.

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Persimmon justified the confidence placed in him by carrying off the Eclipse Stakes on Friday last after a slight struggle with Velasquez, who showed himself undeserving of all that was said of him after his Two Thousand and Derby defeats. Persimmon looked as if he had been eased up a little since securing the Ascot Cup, and so his merits were consequently enhanced by a splendid triumph on the very worst course that could have been selected for the decision of such a valuable prize. The paucity of the competitors supplied strong proof of the declining popularity of mammoth engagements of the Eclipse class, which ought to be confined to an open course like Newmarket if continued, and if the renewal of the proposed engagement for 1900 fails to secure the 300 entries stipulated for "or the race may be void," it is to be hoped the latter fate awaits it, especially as all the money comes out of the pockets of owners, who, furthermore may be victimised for extensive deductions to nominators, to whom they may have paid large prices for yearlings. It is at present intended that Persimmon's next appearance shall be in the Goodwood Cup, after which, it is to be hoped, the Prince of Wales will not be pestered by uncalled for suggestions of matching his champion against Galtee More or any other temporary celebrities.

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This has not been a very interesting week of cricket, and perhaps the second meeting of the Philadelphians with M.C.C. at Lords is the most noteworthy match. Mr Jas. Gifford is in the M.C.C. eleven, and going in seventh wicket down on the first day, he scored 21 not out, he and Hearne hitting up 32 in the first innings and saving their side from being dismissed for a somewhat low score, the Philadelphian bowler, Clarke, performing wonderfully well with the ball on quite a batsman's wicket. At the end of last week Yorkshire led the County Championship, this county and Surrey having played an equal number of matches, fifteen, and each having won nine, though Yorkshire has only lost one to Surrey's three. Lancashire have played one match less, have won eight and only lost one. Mr Druce now heads the list of batting averages, Mr Dixon and Prince Ranjitsinhji having both fallen one or more places. The former has lost his place at the top of the list, and Ranjitsinhji now comes sixth.

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Mr H. S. Robson arrived last Saturday, and yesterday a Buenos Aires polo team which included a North American player, Mr W. McCreery, met Hurlingham and won a good match by five goals to two. The sides were: Buenos Aires—Messrs W. McCreery (1), F. J. Balfour (2), J. Ravenscroft (3), H. S. Robson (back); Hurlingham—Sir Ed. Stracey (1), Messrs Siltzen (2), Wheeler (3), and Lord Harrington (back). The Buenos Aires team did not play so well as I hope to see them when they have had a few more games together, and of course, Mr Robson was not in form, nor his ponies so good as they will be after a little more practice. The grounds both at Hurlingham and Ranelagh are now terribly cut up, and it is just as well perhaps that most players will journey up to Warwickshire next week for the Leamington and Rugby tournaments, as they will be quite unfit for play in a few days. But for the rough state of the ground our men would have scored a much easier win against Hurlingham yesterday.

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A pony race meeting was tried at Hurlingham last Saturday, and as the club is always fashionable there was, as a matter of course, a large crowd present though the races only numbered three, were not exciting, and only attracted small entries. The fixture may be described as a revival, since races of the kind were held at Hurlingham some years ago, but from various causes were not renewed until the present season. At Ranelagh pony races have always been held and there is a meeting to-morrow. Though it cannot be denied that these races serve to attract visitors, it is more than doubtful if they are calculated to advance the true interest of polo. Racing a good pony is very likely to teach it to pull. Moreover, genuine polo ponies of the best stamp rarely are successful in these contests; more often than not victory rests with some smartly-bred animal in whom a turn of speed constitutes its chief claim to rank as a polo pony—and pace without handiness is of little use at the game.

A Social Club's Tournament at Hurlingham was somewhat spoilt last week by the non-entry or scratching of the Service Clubs. The Naval and Military and the "Rag" were in the latter category, while the Cavalry Club, which might have been expected to furnish both a Bengal Cavalry and a British team, did not so much as enter. The issue was confined to White's, Boodle's, and the Raleigh, the first named proving successful on Saturday after a spirited contest. The experiment was of decided interest, and has worked out fairly well in spite of the poverty of entries; if it be repeated next year better support should be accorded by the clubs. This week there is a Hunt Cup tournament in progress at Ranelagh, which the Pytchley ought to win, and at Hurlingham a Consolation Cup will wind up the season most appropriately.

BOOTS.

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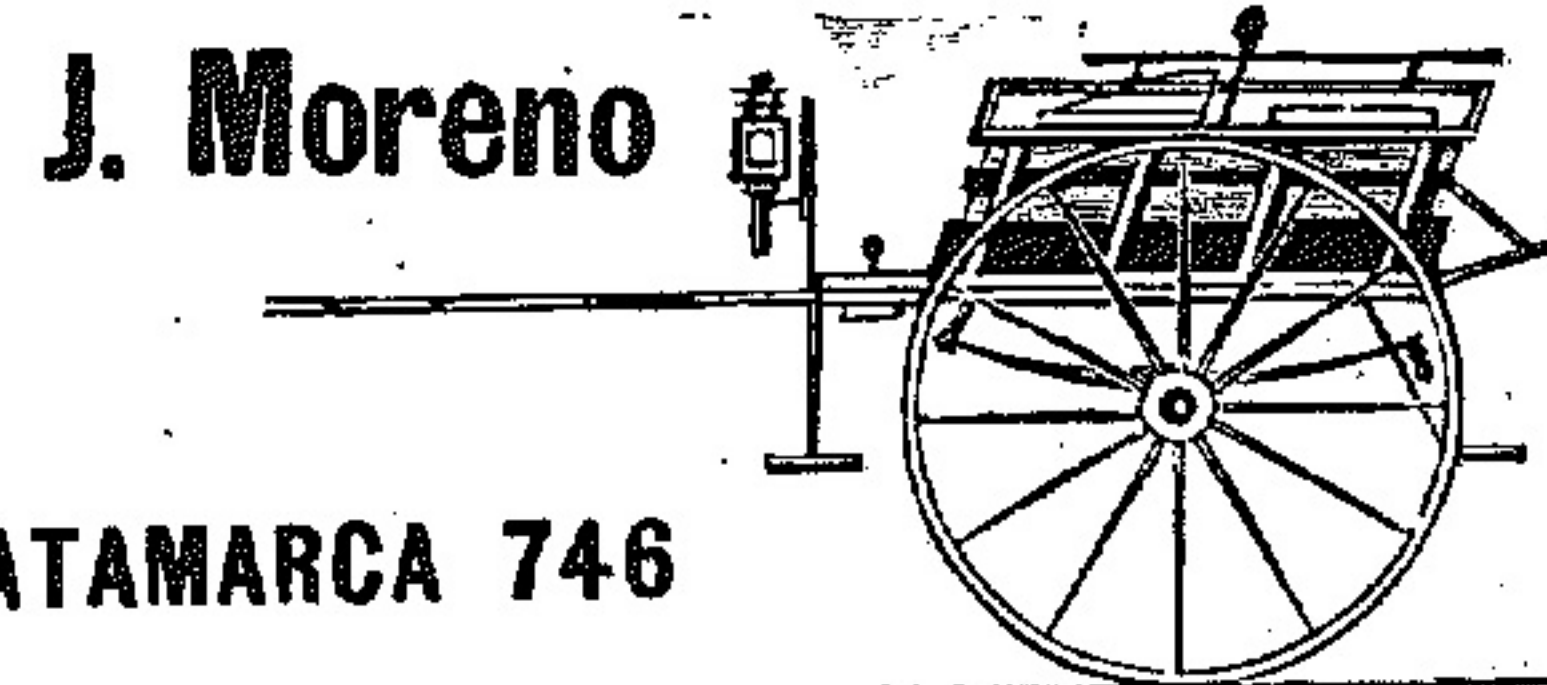
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Counterfeit ten dollar bills are in circulation in Montevideo.

General A. Donovan died on Sunday last at his estancia in Concordia.

Indians are raiding in the provinces of Salta, Santa Fé and Santiago del Estero.

Angliolillo, the assassin of Cánovas, has been sentenced to death by the garrote.

President Faure has left Dunkirk for Cronstadt on the much-talked-of visit to the Czar.

Fourteen motor-cars, driven by electricity, started running in London on Thursday last.

California, Utah, and Nebraska will produce 40,000 tons of sugar from beetroot this year.

In all the world there is in coin £716,521,000 of gold, £808,540,00 of silver, and £321,000,000 of copper.

Several New York firms intend to present tenders for the asphalt paving that is to be carried out here.

The Club Hipico of Santiago propose to publish a Stud Book of Chile and to issue the same every five years.

The Municipality is calling for public tenders to supply material for lighting the Paseo de Julio by electricity.

Brazil is sending General Carlos Eugenio to take command of the second division of the army in Canudos.

Dr. Nansen sold the old suit he wore when he met Mr Jackson in Franz Josef Land to Madame Tussaud for £1000.

The Duke of York and the Princess May received a brilliant reception on their arrival in Dublin on Wednesday last.

Members of the Foreign Club are invited to attend the general meeting which will be held on Thursday, 26th inst., at 9 p.m.

Dr. Pellegrini is to deliver a political lecture to the young men of the Roca party on Monday night in the Odeon Theatre.

All citizens between the ages of 17 and 44, in Fray Bentos, Uruguay, have been ordered to join the ranks of the National Guards.

The German subjects residing in this city are collecting funds to build an ironclad for presentation to the Imperial government.

The demonstration of last Sunday was not a success so far as numbers go. About 5000 people, sightseers and paraders, were there.

Sir John Charles Bucknell, M.D., the originator of the British National Volunteer Force, died on July 23 at Bournemouth, at the age of 79 years.

From the beginning of this year the Custom-house of this city has collected for import and export dues \$34,254,564.63 paper and \$6,030,602.50 gold.

Chilian fruit-growers are studying in California the best methods of drying fruits as practised in that state, with the view of starting the business in Chile.

Frank Brown left in the R.M.S. Nile for England, and we may expect to see him back in November with a troupe of the best artistes he can pick up in Europe.

The British Association, whose object is to unify the interest of Great Britain and her colonies, met in Toronto on Wednesday last. Six hundred delegates were present.

The sugar mills in Tucuman exported during June and July of this year 27,519,561 kilos of sugar, while for the same months of last year the export was 35,521,083 kilos.

The secretary of the Rural Society is complaining of the damage done to the buildings of the society at Palermo by the troops of the line who are quartered there.

The paving of the 150 squares in the city with asphalt will tell heavily against Cordoba, as nearly all the algarroba blocks used in the wood paving came from that province.

If President Borda of Uruguay will not sign a peace with the revolutionists he is to be threatened with two financial troubles—refusal to cash his Treasury Bills and not to accept the notes of the State Bank.

The two dry docks in connection with the Madero Port, although only some two months since their inauguration, have realised \$15,843.35 gold on the ten vessels that have entered them for repairs, etc.

The Chamber of Deputies has authorised the sale by public auction of the reclaimed land on the Paseo de Julio, between Calles Florida and Maipu, in lots of 50 by 80 metres, at the upset price of \$25 the square metre.

Mr Alfred Leigh Bunster has been appointed Governor of the Department of Osorno, Chile. The appointee was born in Valparaiso, but is of English stock on the side of both parents, and his education was finished in England.

The Chamber of Deputies, by 44 votes against 11, on Wednesday last, sanctioned the erection of a statue to Garibaldi in the Parque 3 de Febrero. The funds for this purpose have already been subscribed by Italians residing here.

Madame Sarah Bernhardt most emphatically contradicts the report that she has accepted an engagement to perform in Germany. Since she has been in London she has received a very tempting offer to appear in Berlin; but she says: "I was patriotic enough to refuse it. I will never play in Germany."

At the last General Election in New Zealand 76.44 per cent. of the women on the rolls voted, while the proportion of men was 75.90. The return appears to show that many women have tired of the privilege, 85.18 per cent. having voted in 1893 when the franchise was first conferred on women.

Undesirable immigrants—cattlemen, especially if they hail from Italy, Spain or Austria—are not wanted in South Africa. Captain Pritchard, of the steamer City of Lincoln, had to give free passages to eighteen men of that class on his return trip from Port Natal last week. He landed 1325 donkeys all right.

Lieut. Pini, of the Italian army, is not satisfied with the results of the Orleans-Turin duel. He declares that as soon as the wounds of the Prince are healed he will send his seconds, as the fight with the Count of Turin has not avenged the insults made against the Italian soldiers that were prisoners in Abyssinia.

Dr. Carlos A. Estrada, in a speech at the political meeting held last Sunday by the Civicos, said that from the year 1822 till October 1, 1880, the Argentine Republic had raised loans to the amount of \$76,000,000, and that during the six years of the presidency of General Roca the amount was increased to \$221,000,000.

A Sucre (Bolivia) paper says "the English Company Real Socavon de Potosi must be in good spirits, for the mine is in bonanza, an abundance of precious and fine ore having been discovered. If the company continues to take out ore at the same rate as at present it may produce upwards of half a million dollars monthly."

This evening the fine building known as the Barker Memorial School at Lomas, erected by the Southern Railway, will be formally opened and handed over to the School Committee. Proceedings will commence at 6.30 with a magic lantern entertainment, followed by inauguration addresses, and then comes the Children's Party at 8.30.

An interesting sporting appeal from New Zealand will come before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council next session. The New Zealand Appeal Court has given a decision excluding bookmakers from the Auckland racecourse, and the Bookmakers' Association of New Zealand has decided to carry the case to the Privy Council.

In twenty-five years Madame Sarah Bernhardt has, it is announced, been paid £270,340 for her exertions on the stage, and she is now fulfilling a comparatively short engagement which will add £80,000 to that large sum. In the last ten years her average gains have been £12,000 a year; in the last five, £20,000; yet in 1872, at the Odeon Theatre, she earned only £8 a month.

Among the Ambassadors at Constantinople the belief prevails that the Sultan paid for the late war out of his own pocket. Furthermore, whilst Turkey is supposed to be bankrupt, the Sultan, who has never lost an opportunity of enriching himself, is believed to be the richest man in Europe. One story is to the effect that he has forty millions sterling invested in France and Britain.

M. Etchegaray, the murderer of the late Mr John B. Wanklyn, has been ordered by the Criminal Judge, Dr. Veyga, to undergo a medical examination as to his mental capacity. There are eight medical men appointed for the examination, Drs. Cabral, Ayarragaray and Lagarde for the defence, Drs. Solari, Ramos Mejia and Podestá for the prosecution, and Drs. Drago and Hernandez for the Court.

The German Government contemplates the junction of the Frisian Islands belonging to Germany by artificial means. Most of these islands lie off the coast of Sleswig. Heligoland is another Frisian island, but is doubtless too far at sea to come within the scope of the plans. German naturalists are about to make a study of the flora and fauna of the islands before they are mixed with those of the mainland.

The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States claim a record in the prompt payment of insurance money. Of 3250 claims made during the past year 2319 were paid on the same day, 352 were paid within three days, 508 within sixty days, and the remaining 71, owing to negligence of the heirs in not advising the society, at later periods. The sum of \$21,937,439.45 gold was paid during 1896 to policy-holders.

The Mexican Government invites architects of all nations to send plans and drawings for a National Legislative Palace (to be received not later than Nov. 30 next), in accordance with certain specifications. All plans are to be submitted to a jury, which is to award 15,000 dollars in Mexican money to the author of the best, and smaller prizes to those of the second, third, fourth, and fifth respectively.

Last Sunday, in the Park of Vaucrisson, the duel between Prince Henry of Orleans and the Count of Turin took place. The Prince received two severe wounds, one in the right shoulder and the other in the abdomen, but all fears of serious complication have disappeared. The Count of Turin was wounded in the right hand. A London daily says that the effects of the duel was a lesson in good manners to Prince Henry.

The internal taxes produced during the first fortnight of August \$540,779.41 paper, as follows:

Alcohol, 1,088,315 litres	\$370,046.00
Beer, 172,204 litres	8,610.20
Wine, 54,261 litres	4,828.12
Sugar, 436,354 kilos	4,363.54
Tobacco	150,470.12
Playing cards, 4,536 packs	630.00
Matches, 32,000 boxes	320.00
Insurance companies	865.17
Fines and interest	646.26

The Tremendous, which, next to the Victory, was the oldest ship in the British navy, was broken up last month at Portsmouth. She was launched in 1784, and helped to gain Lord Howe's great victory on 1st June, 1784, and fought in other famous battles.

In addition to the remarkable things now manufactured out of paper, Krupp, the well-known German manufacturer of cannon, has lately completed a number of paper field-pieces for the use of the German infantry. They are intended for use in situations where the movement of field artillery would be impracticable.

The first of the Lomas Athletic Club Subscription Dances will take place in the Barker Memorial Hall on Monday next. We would remind intending subscribers who have not yet applied for tickets to do so to-day, otherwise they will probably be unable to obtain them. Tickets may be obtained from the Hon. Sec., Alsina 1169.

The British Post-Office officials are well forward in their efforts to form a departmental museum. A large number of old papers and records have been collected, as well as a number of uniforms, models of stage coaches, warrants, cables, and a carefully-arranged collection of all stamps issued since 1840. The Historical Record Museum will be a veritable history of British postal progress. The best national postal museum in Europe is at Rome.

"John Bull" allows the King of Greece £4000 a year, and has done so for the past 33 years, so that the entire sum of British money paid to that monarch amounts to £232,000. England has also lent Greece the large sum of a million and a half, for which it charges only ½ per cent. The Sultan of Turkey, too, received an immense sum of money from the British Government after the Crimean War, though it may be that it took its last look at it the day it left the Treasury.

Lieutenant Peary, the American Arctic explorer has been granted leave of absence from his naval duties for five years to enable him to attempt the North Pole. His plan is to go this summer to Whale Island, collect a party of Eskimo, men and women, and establish a colony further north. They will hunt for supplies of meat, furs, etc., and become the base of his sledging expeditions towards the Pole. Several scientific parties will accompany Peary as far as Melville Bay.

Brilliant as the previous dances have been this season many voted the Cinderella Ball last Wednesday night the most successful of all. The decorations were more beautiful than ever, and in spite of the large numbers present there never appeared to be a crush, a defect several complained of in the earlier dances of the season. It is rumoured that in addition to the final Cinderella next month, there will be a British Hospital Dance in October, full particulars of which we hope to publish later.

The entertainment given on Saturday evening last in the hall adjoining the Scotch Church, by the Palermo Christy Minstrels, was quite a success. The programme was a good one and was fully appreciated by those who attended. Among other good items we might mention "Cock-a-doodle-do," by C. Knaudt, "From de Ohio," by the troupe, "I see a poor Black Nigger," by J. Wood, as calling for special praise. Great credit is due to Mr King, to whose efforts the success of the concert was mainly responsible.

It is said that Ranjitsinhji is going home because he has been disinherited by his uncle, but the native princes are in favour of his claims. These are Ranji's own words on the question: "This matter is of great moment to me. It makes me, apart from the question of succession to a kingdom, fall from a high estate without adequate compensation; it reduces me from an independent gentleman, with a princely fortune in view, to a dependent upon the kindness and generosity of certain members of my family."

A sum of £10,000 for a mosquito bite has been awarded, in accordance with the decision of the Court of Appeals of Louisville, Kentucky, in an action brought by Mrs. Amberg against the United States Mutual Accident Insurance Company, the death of whose husband was caused by the mosquito bite in question. The Law Court which first tried the case decided that a mosquito bite is not an accident in the ordinary acceptance of the term as used by insurance companies, but Mrs. Amberg appealed, and the Superior Court has just decided in her favour.

The Duke of Cambridge, father of the present Duke, was remarkable for the habit of making loud responses of his own invention to the service in church. "Let us pray," said the clergyman. "By all means," said the Duke. The clergyman began the prayer for rain. "No good as long as the wind is in the east." "Zaccheus stood forth and said, 'Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor.'" "Too much; don't mind subscribing, but can't stand that." While to two of the Commandments which need not be indicated the responses were: "Quite right, but very difficult sometimes," and "No, no! It was my brother Ernest did that."

The Board of Trade issued on July 17 tables showing the progress of British merchant shipping during last year. The total tonnage of sailing and steam vessels entered and cleared at ports in the United Kingdom last year was 85,462,422, against 80,539,174 in 1895, thus beating all previous records by nearly five millions tons. The tonnage of steam vessels alone was 76,038,751, an increase of close upon six million tons over the preceding year, and a record in the history of shipping. The tonnage of sailing and steam vessels, employed in foreign trade alone was 71,182,887, and the tonnage of steam vessels alone 63,512,968, both returns constituting a record, and showing an increase of roughly, four million tons.]



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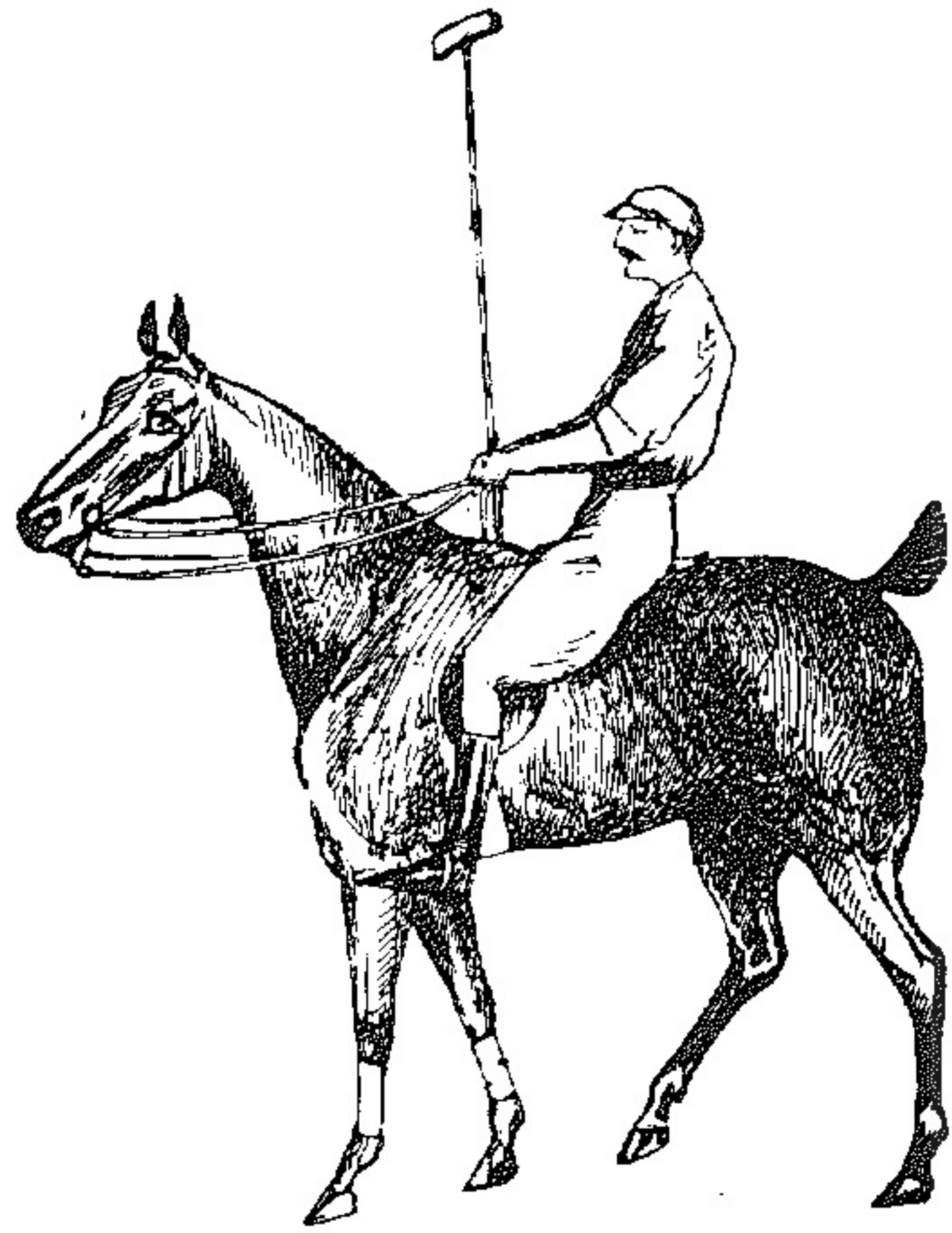
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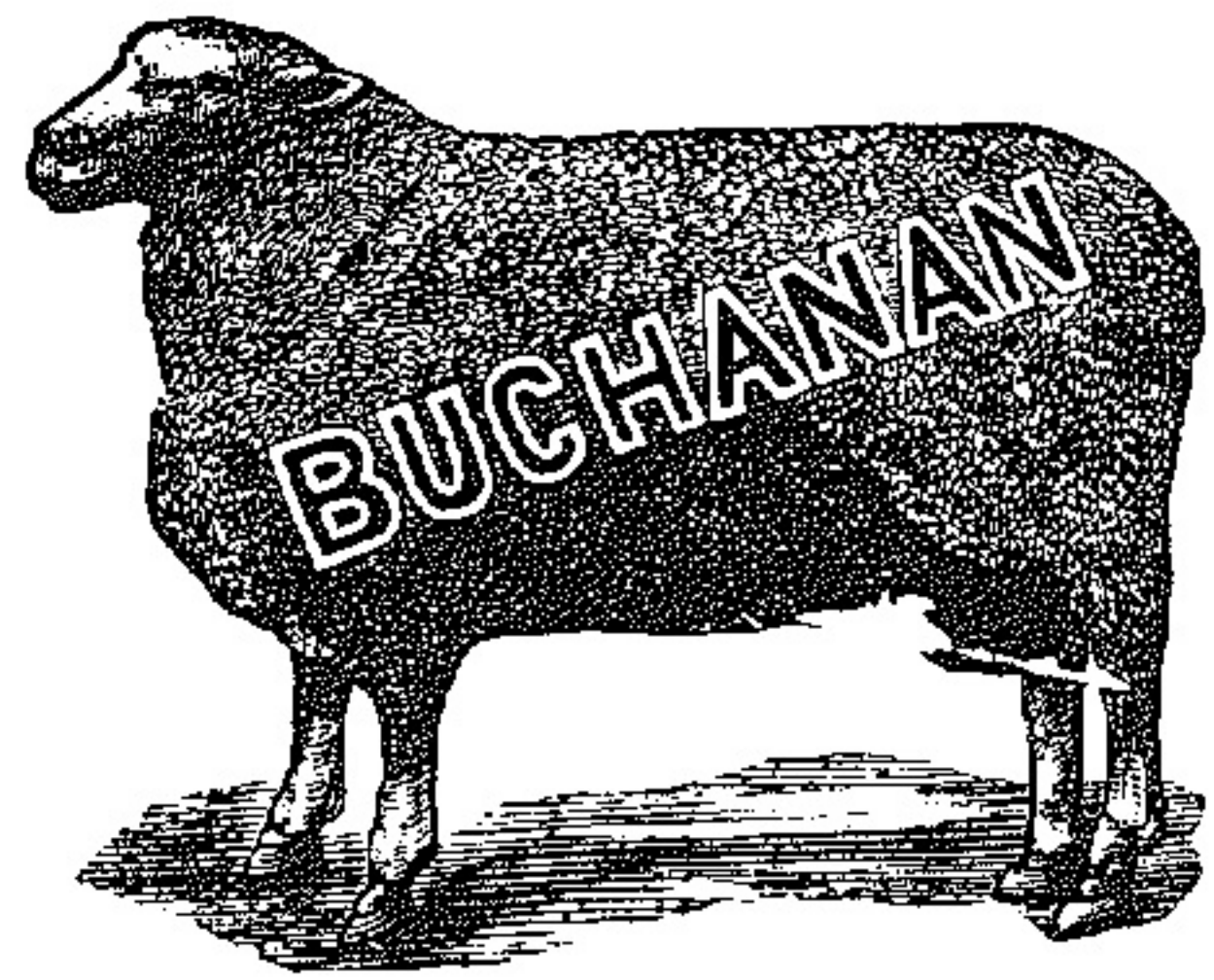
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On deposits at 3 months fixed . . . . .		2 "
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**ESTANCIA AND COLONY.**

Messrs Funes, Lagos and Co. sold on Monday the eight Durham bulls imported by Mr. F. Miller, at an average of \$1125, also a bull imported by Mr. J. Sidey for \$1100.

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The 22 Rambouillet rams imported from Baron F. von Homeyer's farm were sold on Monday by Messrs Bullrich, the highest price being \$2900, and the lowest \$250. The sale totalled \$17,300.

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The 15th annual fair and sale of the General Belgrano Rural Society will take place on the 4th, 5th, and 6th of next month.

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During the first fifteen days of this month export of live stock was as follows:—1486 cattle, 18,389 sheep, and 46 horses.

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Satisfactory news reaches us from Concordia, lambing has commenced in very favourable weather, the ewes are fat and in strong condition and very little scab in the flocks.

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Messrs Funes, Lagos and Co. sold on Thursday 30 Lincoln rams imported by Mr. F. Miller, at an average of \$371, and 7 imported by Mr. T. Murray at an average of \$300.

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The wool production of New Zealand last year amounted to 132,299,007lb., as against 132,632,901lb. for the previous year. Of last year's amount 3,989,934lb. were bought for local consumption, the remainder being exported.

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The arrivals of animals in England coming from the Argentine Republic during the first six months of the year, were 43,029 bullocks and 199,926 wethers, as against 44,491 bullocks, and 224,311 wethers in a corresponding time of last year, although the number this year has decreased, prices have improved, cattle bringing £15 19s. this year, and last year only £13 9s.; sheep also have gone up in value to the extent of two shillings a head.

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The entries of cattle into the Corrales last week was as follows:—11,172 head of which 7676 were slaughtered for consumption. The prices obtained were better than the previous week, and sales closed firm. There is a good demand for crossed animals for fattening.

The entries of sheep into the South Barracas markets were 50,321 head, of which were sold 35,860 for freezing, 9686 for slaughtering, 4187 for export, and 588 for fattening. Prices were satisfactory. For freezing 13½ cents a kilo, live weight was paid.

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A very nice lot of Durham bulls will shortly arrive here, they were shipped recently by Mr. H. Smith from the celebrated Castlebrack herd, they are very highly bred and are as follows:—

Prince of Westland, three years old, a rich red, bred by Mrs. Wise, Rochestown, Cahir, by Chancellor, dam Star of the Evening by Erin's Fame; Prince Patrick, rich roan, calved at Castlebrack, April 26, 1895, by Broughton Prince, dam Parody by Welcome Star; Rosedale Prince, roan, calved at Castlebrack, May 1st, 1895, by Broughton Prince, his dam being Rosy Maiden by Sir Roland Studley; Broughton Victor, roan, bred at Castlebrack Farm, May 29, 1895, by Broughton Prince, dam Victoria Stephenson 3rd by Brown Daisy; British Prince, red-and-little-white, calved at Castlebrack, May 30, 1895, by Broughton Prince, dam Britannia 18th by Victoria Aylesby; Broughton King, red, calved March 25, 1895, own brother to Rosedale Prince.

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The Chilean Chamber of Deputies has passed a Bill to impose the following duties on Argentine cattle and sheep, but as it has not yet passed the Senate it is not yet in force:

Cows—in 1898	.. ..	\$3 per head.
" 1899	.. ..	6 "
" 1900	.. ..	9 "
" 1901	.. ..	12 "
Oxen—in 1898	.. ..	\$4 per head.
" 1899	.. ..	8 "
" 1900	.. ..	12 "
" 1901	.. ..	16 "
Sheep—in 1898	.. ..	\$0.50 per head.
" 1899	.. ..	1.00 "
" 1900	.. ..	1.50 "
" 1901	.. ..	2.00 "

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We take the following from the "Live Stock Journal" of July 23rd.

"To-day sees the last in England of that well-known Hackney sire Rosencrantz 4695, the double champion-bred Rufus—Ophelia. He leaves Southampton in the Royal Mail steamer Nile for the Argentine, having been purchased by Mr. D. MacLennan at a very long price for Señor Dr. Santiago Luro, of Buenos Aires, from the Horsley Stud Company, Cobham. Dr. Luro when in England saw several of the best Hackney stallions, but none impressed him so much as Rosencrantz, and he

made up his mind to buy him in preference to any other. Rosencrantz can ill be spared, his incomparable breeding, magnificent shapes and action, and latterly, the success of his foals making him a most valuable sire. We understand the Horsley Stud Company were more than pleased with him since purchasing him at the last Hackney Show, where, it will be remembered, he was placed second to Rosador in the over 15 h. 2 in. class. He has served most of their best mares, and has had a big book at 10 gs., mares visiting him from all parts, including Ireland, Yorkshire, and the Eastern as well as Home counties. For a time no offer would tempt the Company to part with him, and at last Dr. Luro secured him at what we are informed is the biggest price ever paid for a Hackney stallion for South America. Mr. MacLennan has also shipped about twenty mares, mostly with foals, at foot, and a few yearlings for the Doctor. They were selected from the Prince of Wales's and other studs, and are sired by such well-known horses as Rufus 1343, Field Marshal 2986, Anconeus II. 1975, Vigorous 1215, Lord Derwent II. 1034, Fireaway of Callis Wold 1483, Danegelt 174, Prince Alfred 1325, Lord Rattler 2566, Lord Hamlet 3750, and others. Hackney breeding is a new venture with the Doctor, as he has already on his many estancias studs of thoroughbreds for racing, Clydesdales, Anglo-Normandos, Russian, Yorkshire Coaching, and others. His thoroughbreds are principally by Gay Hermit, whose "get" win a great part of the best races in Buenos Aires. We congratulate Dr. Luro on his purchases, and hope amongst the colts Rosencrantz leaves behind some may be found to worthily represent him and his illustrious sire and dam. Rosencrantz was bred by the Earl of Londesborough. We understand that Mr. MacLennan has also purchased some splendid bulls and rams for Dr. Luro.

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**Camps advertised for sale:**

- August—  
 26—In Cañuelas, between Monte Grande and Ezeiza, 40 squares, by Risco and Patron, Piedad 463.  
 27—In Quilmes, chacra, 37 hectares, base \$14,000, by F. P. Bollini, Bolivar 160.  
 27—In Lobos, 6 chacras, base \$62,905, by Hypothecary Bank, La Plata.  
 27—In Cordoba, 5000 hectares, base \$4.50 the hectare, by Collet and Lamby, Cangallo 474.  
 30—In General Pintos, 120 chacras, by order of Oficina de Tierras, La Plata.

- September—  
 1—In Entre Rios, Estancia San Martin, 5625 hectares, base \$46 the hectare, by R. Bravo, San Martin 326.  
 1—In Pampa Central, eight leagues from Gen. Acha, two fractions, base \$2 the hectare, by R. Bravo, San Martin 326.  
 1—In Corovel Dorrego, 13 chacras, in lots, by Hypothecary Bank, La Plata.  
 10—In Salado, San Pedro station, 995 hectares, base \$15 the hectare, by R. Bravo, San Martin 326.  
 10—In General Lavalle (Ajo), 2231 hectares, base \$64 the hectare, also 3 chacras, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.

**Live stock sales advertised:**

- August—  
 21—7 imported Durham bulls, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 23—17 Shorthorn bulls, imported by Messrs Rawes and Son, by Funes and Lagos, San Martin 153.  
 24—5 Durham bulls, from Mr. Thomas Bell's cabaña El Rincon, Villa Elisa, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 24—4 Durham bulls, from Estancia San Felipe, Ayacucho, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 24—34 Lincoln rams and 12 ewes, imported by Mr. McCormick, by Funes and Lagos, San Martin 153.  
 25—Rambouillet rams, from cabaña Plomer, Las Heras, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 25—14 Durham bulls, imported by Mr. D. MacLennan, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 26—Rambouillet rams, from cabaña Santa Ana, Pergamino, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 26—13 Shorthorn bulls, imported by H. and W. Nelson, by Funes and Lagos, San Martin 153.  
 27—Morroco - Rambouillet rams, from cabaña Las Acacias, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 27—7 Durham bulls and 7 cows, from cabaña San Blas, Saladillo, by Funes and Lagos, San Martin 153.  
 29—Live stock, in Merlo, by Erasquin and Cano.

- September—  
 9—Durham bulls, from Estancia La Peregrina, Mar del Plata, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 11—Live stock, in Estancia San Juan, Pereyra, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 16—Live stock, in Estancia Tatay, Carmen de Areco, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.  
 19—Live stock, in Estancia Yamahuida, Maipu, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.

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The following is a translation of the Treaty of Commerce and Navigation recently concluded between Chili and Brazil:

- I.—The vessels of either of the two nations signatories of this convention, shall be considered in the ports of the other as if under their own flag in order that they may enjoy all the privileges conceded to the national mercantile marine.  
 II.—Brazilian or Chilean vessels arriving at foreign ports where there may not be consular agents of their nationality, and there may be of the other, shall be attended to by them in conformity with the regulations of the country of the consular agent and subject to its customary consular fees.  
 III.—The two governments shall agree administratively on the manner of subsidising steamship companies and in the arrangement of their cargo and passenger rates.

IV.—In the ports of entry of Brazil the following Chilean products shall be admitted duty free:—

- (a) Cereals and flour, including malt, potatoes and other tubers used in the manufacture of starch and meals;
- (b) Common and table wines;
- (c) Dried, fresh and preserved fruit and vegetable, including walnuts, hazel nuts and almonds;
- (d) Pressed hay;
- (e) Guano, nitrate and borax.

V.—In the ports of entry of Chili the following Brazilian products shall be admitted duty free:—

- (a) Raw cotton;
- (b) Raw sugar;
- (c) Coffee;
- (d) India rubber;
- (e) Vegetable dyes;
- (f) Yerba-mate;
- (g) Tobacco, leaf or rolled;
- (h) Cocoa.

VI.—In the ports of entry of each of the two contracting nations the following products of the other shall be admitted duty free:—

- (a) Fur skins and feathers;
- (b) Coal and charcoal;
- (c) Silver, copper, iron, lead, tin and zinc, in ore or in bars, and their derivative products, such as rails, piping, paint, shot, etc.;
- (d) Beer and alcoholic products;
- (e) Cheese, butter, preserved milk, hams, sausages, poultry, and preserved shell fish;
- (f) Sulphur;
- (g) Roman cement.

VII.—The exemptions from duty prescribed in the preceding articles, do not include the charge for disembarkation and storage.

VIII.—The nationality of the products shall be accredited by means of certificates granted by the custom-house authorities at the ports of shipment and by the consuls of the country to which they are destined. Their dispatch shall be effected with the formalities and rules in use in each country for the examination and attestation of goods.

IX.—For the certificates referred to in the preceding article, the consuls shall receive the fees assigned in their respective tariffs only; but the governments reserve to themselves the right to impose a special fee on the certificates granted by their custom-house authorities;

X.—The present treaty shall continue in force for the term of five years counted from the date of the exchange of the ratifications, and at the expiration of that term it shall be understood to be prorogued until one year after one of the contracting parties shall notify the other of its intention to put an end to all or a part of its stipulations.

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