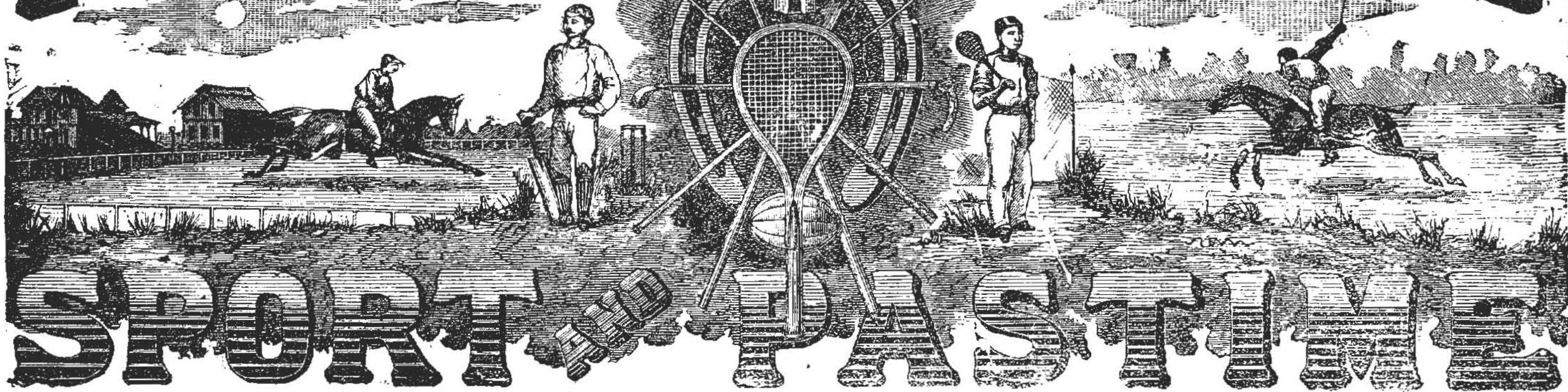


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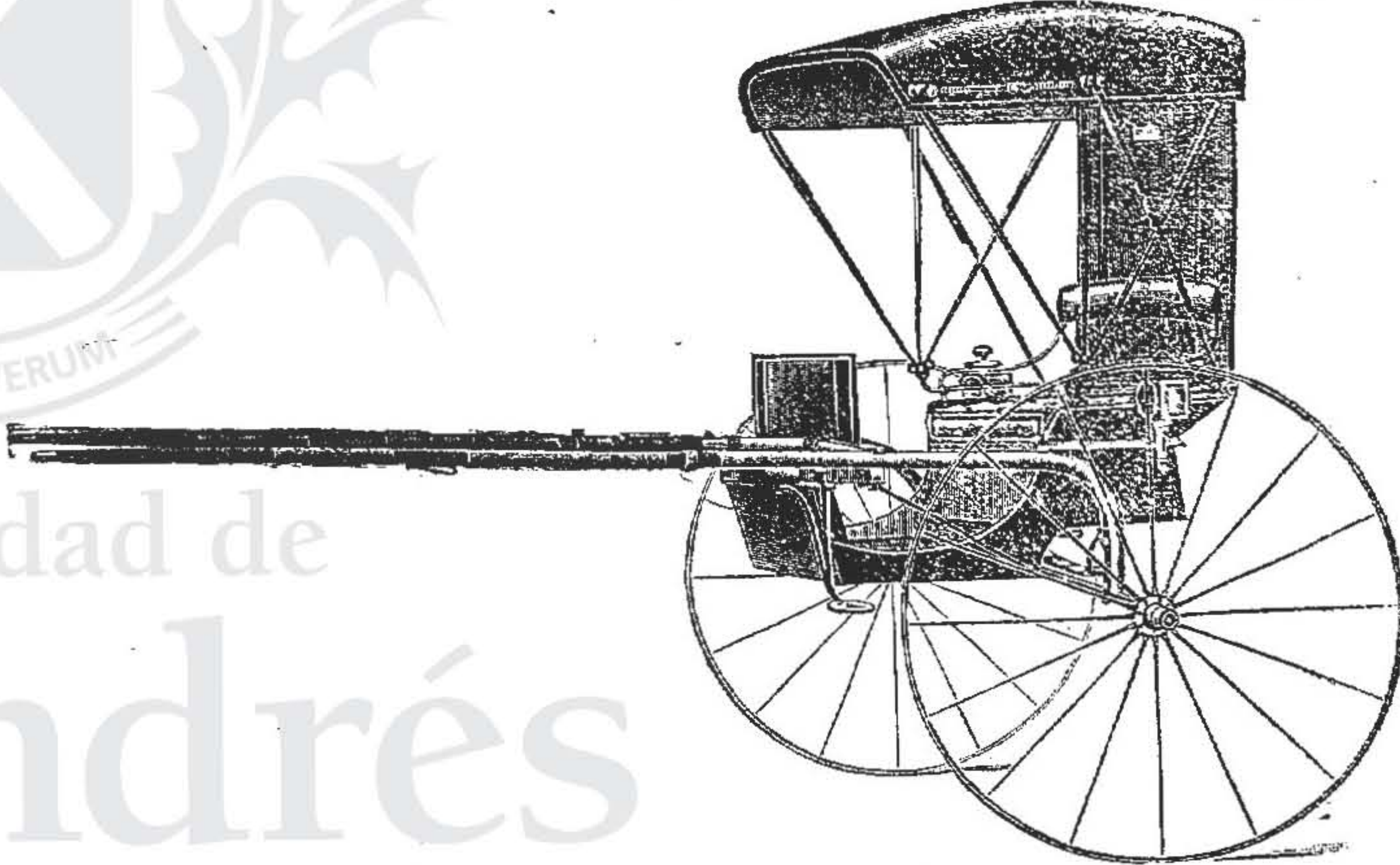
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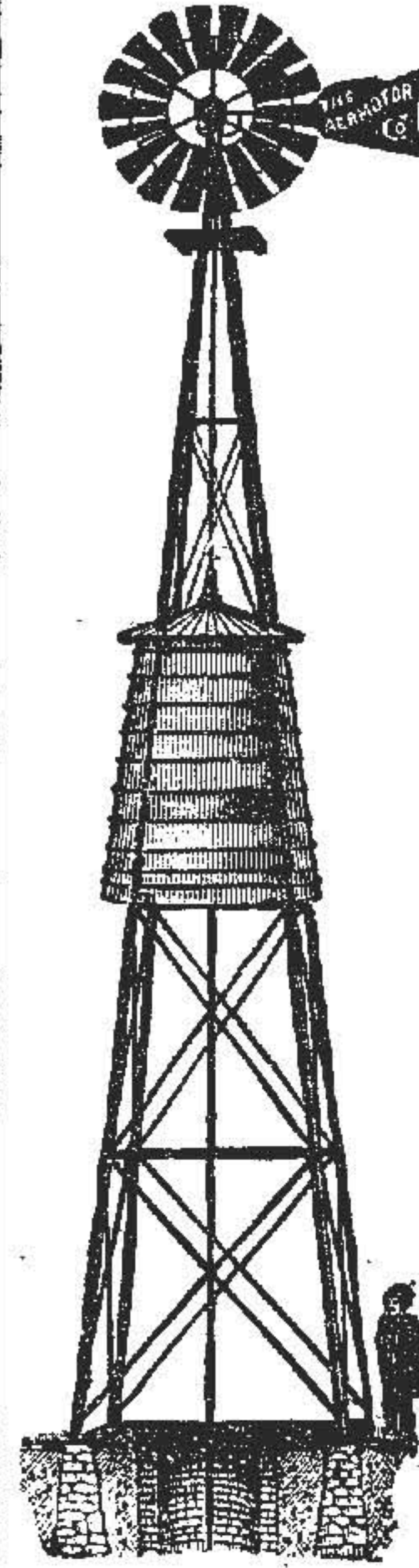
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RACING

PALERMO—AUGUST 29.

Sunday last provided another good day's sport for the race-going public, although, as at the previous meeting, backers certainly did not have matters all their own way.

The first disaster they met with was in the Premio Ecurie Indecis, with which the day's racing was opened. For this event the five entrants all came to scratch, Lavallega being in great command; but the favourite could only scrape into third place, Crucero getting home by half a length from Zafarrancho II.

A good field of sixteen turned out for the Premio Ecurie Prisonero, and of these Amambay was the most fancied, although there was a fair demand for Limay, who ultimately proved to be the winner, but by a head only, Gavotte very nearly getting home first.

The selling race produced a field of nine, of whom Oriente was made a very hot favourite with Fanciulla next in demand. Backers, however, made no mistake this time as Oriente came away in fine style and won cleverly from Salteador.

This brought us to the classic where another upset was in store, for Mariano and Pitanga both had a large number of followers, but neither were placed, Argentino, who was next in demand, winning easily from Don Gonzalo by nearly two lengths.

The long-distance brought out a field of seven, Láutaro, Malakoff, and Tanger being the most fancied in the order named. These three all secured places, but the Argentino stable again supplied the winner, so that the favourite and Malakoff had to be content with second and third places respectively.

All but four that figured on the card came to scratch for the Sprint, and backers had another chance of making up their losses, as the favourite, Alarife, won practically from post to post.

The last race of the day, the Premio Stud Los Cardos, again gave the favourite a win. Juncal carrying the weight of public money, and winning fairly easily by nearly a couple of lengths from Lince, who made a game effort to overhaul the winner.

The following are the details:—

PREMIO ECURIE INDECIS, for all four-year-olds and upwards, that have been a year in the country, and that having run more than twice, have not won more than one race. Four-year-olds 53 kilos, five-year-olds and upwards 55 kilos. A penalty of 3 kilos to winners. \$1700 to the 1st, 150 to the 2nd, 1800 metres.

Stud Los Cardos' br h Crucero, by Gay Hermit—Rada, 4 y, 56 k.....R. Bastiani 1 Stud Las Armas' Zafarrancho II., 4 y, 53 k.....I. Diaz 2 Ecurie Gladiateur's Lavallega 4 y, 53 k.....N. Sosa 3 Ecurie Juncal's Brandzen, 5 y, 58 k.....C. Cardoso 0 L. Menendez's Gnomo, 5 y, 55 k.....L. Calistro 0

Gnomo showed the way to the bend where he was passed by Brandzen, who led to in front of the members stand, here he was collared by Crucero, who went on to win by half a length from Zafarrancho II., who finished a length in front of Lavallega, Brandzen was fourth.

Tickets—Crucero with 910 win and 468 place, Zafarrancho II. 836—609, Lavallega 2240—1274, Brandzen 930—644, Gnomo 111—90. Totals 5027—3055.

Dividends—Crucero 9.95 win and 5.65 place, Zafarrancho II. 4.80 place.

PREMIO ECURIE PRISONERO, for three-year-olds that have not won, colts 57 kilos, fillies 55 kilos. \$1800 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1600 metres.

J. B. Zubiaurre's ch c Limay, by Amazon—Clara, 57 k.....I. Diaz 1 Ecurie Radames' Gavotte, 55 k.....A. Diaz 2 La Petite Ecurie's Amambay, 57 k.....R. Garrido 3 Ecurie Azur's El Payo, 57 k.....P. Aguilera 0 Ecurie Nautilus' Delfin, 57 k.....P. de Armas 0 Stud San Gregorio's Caseros, 57 k.....N. Sosa 0 Stud Las Armas' Atahualpa, 57 k.....L. Bellino 0 Stud La Confianza's Tantaló, 57 k.....S. Gomez 0 Ecurie 25 de Mayo's Efrain, 57 k.....P. Aguirre 0 Stud Amianto's 9 de Julio, 57 k.....G. Palacios 0 L. Menendez's Rubi, 57 k.....P. Lara 0 Stud Red Lancer's Hugo, 57 k.....J. Garcia 0 Stud Las Piedras' Resigné, 57 k.....S. Urutia 0 Gen. San Martin's Iliada, 55 k.....J. Gomez 0 Stud Revolucion's Flor del Pago, 55 k.....F. Alonso 0 Ecurie Juncal's Opuencia, 55 k.....C. Cardoso 0

Gavotte took the lead at the start, followed by Opuencia up to opposite the Ecurie Nautilus where Amambay took up the running and kept at the head of affairs to the paddock, where Limay and Gavotte came up with a rush, a fine race home ending in favour of the former by a head, Amambay a length behind third, and Opuencia close up fourth.

Tickets—Limay with 1936 win and 1949 place, Gavotte 402—468, Amambay 2710—1984, El Payo 809—881, Delfin 259—249, Caseros 200—269, Atahualpa 44—69, Tantaló 628—689, Efrain 121—90, 9 de Julio 174—140, Rubi 56—90, Hugo 33—63, Resigné 48—45, Iliada 480—529, Flor del Pago 27—26, Opuencia 1001—1087. Totals 8428—8218.

Dividends—Limay \$7.85 win and 8.00 place, Gavotte 7.25 place, Amambay 3.00 place.

PREMIO REMATE, for all horses, weight for age. Winner to be sold for \$5000. Those entered to be sold for less to receive an allowance of 3 kilos for each \$1000 reduction. A penalty of 3 kilos for winners of selling races. \$2000 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1500 metres.

Stud Magna Domus' ch h Oriente, by Orbit—Adriana, 4 y, 56 1/2 k.....P. Aguilera 1 Ecurie Pergamino's Salteador, 5 y, 54 k.....P. Aguirre 2 Stud Estudiante's Estudiante, 6 y, 48 k.....J. Olmos 3 Stud Temerario's Redoutable, 4 y, 56 1/2 k.....P. Lara 0 Stud La Redencion's Orleans, 4 y, 50 1/2 k.....S. Morales 0 Ecurie Indecis' El Pollo, 5 y, 48 k.....C. Bustos 0 Ecurie Titan's Oncativo, 6 y, 48 k.....J. Paez 0 Ecurie Juncal's Fanciulla, 3 y, 40 k.....J. Rivas 0 Stud Calchin's Calchinerá, 4 y, 45 1/2 k.....J. Insaualde 0

As soon as the flag fell, Oriente shot to the front, but this position was not maintained for long, both Fanciulla and Redoutable being allowed to pass and make the pace to the straight, here Oriente was given his head and came away in fine style to win easily by one and a half lengths from Salteador, who was a length in front of Estudiante.

Tickets—Oriente with 4350 win and 2838 place, Salteador 604—836, Estudiante 205—270, Redoutable 425 745—Orleans 125—120, El Pollo 564—537, Oncativo 806—956, Calchinerá 360—271, Fanciulla 1608—1541. Totals 9047—8164.

Dividends—Oriente \$3.75 win and 2.55 place, Salteador 3.05 place, Estudiante 4.70 place.

PREMIO OLAVARRIA, handicap for all horses, weight for age. A penalty of 3 kilos to the winner of the Premio Congreso. \$5000 to the 1st, 500 to the 2nd 1600 metres.

Ecurie Argentino's br h Argentino, by Solomon—Gardenia, 4 y, 60 1/2 k.....J. Rivero 1 Stud Don Gonzalo's Don Gonzalo, 4 y, 60 1/2 k.....P. Aguilera 2 M. T. de Alvear's Blue Boat, 4 y, 60 1/2 k.....J. Lacruz 3 J. B. Zubiaurre's Gral. Lavallega, 6 y, 62 1/2 k.....I. Diaz 0 Ecurie de las Cañitas' Mariano, 5 y, 62 1/2 k.....Meguenes 0 Ecurie Montevideo's Pitanga, 4 y, 58 1/2 k.....G. Palacios 0

Argentino made the running for the first 200 metres and was then passed by Blue Boat and Pitanga, and the last-named showed the way to the bend. Here, however, Argentino again came to the front, and running strongly won by a couple of lengths from Don Gonzalo, who finished a length in front of Blue Boat.

Tickets—Argentino with 2196 win and 1217 place, Don Gonzalo 984—724, Blue Boat 1263—806, General Lavallega 2124—1474, Mariano 2844—1957, Pitanga 2796—1543. Totals 12,207—7721.

Dividends—Argentino \$10 win and 6.10 place, Don Gonzalo 8.90 place.

PREMIO ECURIE GENERAL SAN MARTIN, an open handicap. \$2200 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 2200 metres.

Ecurie Argentino's br h Tanger, by Gay Hermit—Smyrna, 4 y, 59 k.....J. Rivero 1 La Petite Ecurie's Láutaro, 4 y, 58 k.....R. Garrido 2 J. B. Zubiaurre's Malakoff, aged, 62 1/2 k.....I. Diaz 3 Ecurie Azur's Rosemary, aged, 54 k.....P. Aguilera 0 Stud Las Armas' Policeman, 6 y, 52 k.....J. Olmos 0 Stud Floresta's Laurel, 5 y, 51 k.....H. Valdez 0 Ecurie Indecis' Rayon d'Or 5 y, 40 k.....A. Malarba 0

Tanger, who was always well up, eventually took command at the bend and was never afterwards troubled, winning easily by a couple of lengths from Láutaro, Malakoff a length behind third.

Tickets—Tanger with 1611 win and 1150 place, Láutaro 1843—1223, Malakoff 1714—1100, Rosemary 1370—1023, Policeman 1580—1187, Laurel 1108—821, Rayon d'Or 1273—826. Totals 10,499—7330.

Dividends—Tanger \$11.75 win and 5.65 place, Láutaro 5.45 place.

PREMIO STUD EL DERBY, an open handicap. \$1800 to the 1st, 150 to the 2nd, 1100 metres.

Stud El Derby's br c Alarife, by Avril—Inter-vention, 3 y, 56 k.....P. Aguilera 1 Stud La Redencion's Osmond, aged, 47 k.....L. Morales 2 Stud Amianto's Eléctrica, 5 y, 52 k.....J. Paez 3 Stud Paris' Fauvette, 6 y, 55 k.....P. Aguirre 0 Ecurie Lucullus' Bab, 5 y, 54 k.....N. Sosa 0 Stud Las Piedras' Hipolito, 5 y, 50 k.....I. Diaz 0 La Petite Ecurie's Addio, 3 y, 50 k.....J. Olmos 0 Ecurie Belgrano's Orsino, 4 y, 48 k.....M. Valdez 0 Stud Esperanza's Namuncurá, 6 y, 48 k.....J. Insaualde 0 Ecurie Azur's Extra, 4 y, 44 k.....C. Bustos 0 Stud Floresta's Fallstaff, 4 y, 40 k.....J. Felin 0

From the very start it was evident that Alarife had the race in hand. Getting well away with the lead, Extra and Osmond were allowed to make the running to the stand, but from there Alarife took matters into his own hands and got home nearly a length in front of Osmond, the same distance separating the second and third.

Tickets—Alarife with 3392 win and 2615 place, Osmond 741—585, Eléctrica 800—491, Fauvette 1499—1401, Bab 1315—1146, Hipolito 701—617, Addio 1126—853, Orsino 768—592, Namuncurá 1309—1079, Extra 850—600, Fallstaff 80—103. Totals 12,582—10,045.

Dividends—Alarife 6.65 win and 3.35 place, Osmond 8.10 place, Eléctrica 9.20 place.

PREMIO STUD LOS CARDOS, an open handicap. \$2000 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1800 metres.

Ecurie Juncal's br h Juncal, by Gay Hermit—Barleybreak, 5 y, 52 k.....I. Diaz 1 Stud Palmars' Lince, 5 y, 42 k.....M. Valdez 2 Stud Floresta's Helecho, 5 y, 46 k.....J. Olmos 3 Stud Amianto's Chaipuel, 5 y, 60 k.....G. Palacios 0 Stud La Confianza's Regalona, 4 y, 57 k.....S. Gomez 0 Stud Los Cardos' Talma, 4 y, 56 k.....R. Bastiani 0 Stud Red Lancer's Acero, 4 y, 46 k.....C. Bustos 0

Lince was the first to show in front closely followed by Juncal, by whom he was collared at the bend, and although Lince strove hard to get on terms, Juncal gained the verdict by nearly two lengths, a length between second and third.

Tickets—Juncal with 3034 win and 1945 place, Lince 1278—934, Helecho 1309—480, Chaipuel 2256—1207, Regalona 2585—1390, Talma 2797—1731, Acero 702—346. Totals 13,961—8036.

Dividends—Juncal \$8.30 win and 4.25 place, Lince 6.65 place.

PALERMO—AUGUST 30.

The weather last Monday was of a distinctly threatening nature, but with a strong breeze in evidence rain kept off and another good day's sport was provided.

The proceedings commenced with the Premio Ecurie Juncal, for which only half a dozen turned out, of whom Lavallega had the call, though there was a fair demand for both Crucero and Zafarrancho II. The race proved a hollow affair for the last mentioned horse, who won in a canter after making all the running.

The next event the Premio Ecurie Belgrano, provided us with a very much better race, a splendid finish resulting in favour of Tula by a head, with the next three or four all close up and no stragglers.

The Sprint produced a field of thirteen, of whom the chances of Daza were considered the brightest. The result, however, was a surprise, Hipolito, who was practically neglected, ridden by I. Diaz, just got home from Fauvette, who strove very hard to wrest the lead from the winner.

This made way for the classic, for which nine came to scratch, and of these Porteño was made a very hot favourite, a confidence which proved to be perfectly correct, as he won how he liked, after allowing Colombia to make the running to the straight.

The three-year-old handicap fell to Rosalvina whose chances were the most fancied out of a field of eight. Amambay, who was also not without a following, was unplaced.

The long distance gave Brick another opportunity of showing his quality, as with 61 kilos up he romped home an easy winner after making all his own running.

The Premio Ecurie Pergamino closed the day's racing and the favourite again secured a win, Pick Pocket having but little difficulty in getting home in a canter three lengths in front of Meteoró.

The following are the details:

PREMIO ECURIE JUNCAL, for four-year-olds and upwards that have been a year in the country, and that having run more than twice have not won over \$3500. Four-year-olds 53 kilos five-year-olds 55 k. A penalty of 3 kilos for each race won. \$1700 to the 1st, 150 to the 2nd, 1600 metres.

Stud Las Armas' br h Zafarrancho II., by Gloriation—Cornelia, 4 y, 53 k.....I. Diaz 1 Ecurie Gladiateur's Lavallega, 4 y, 53 k.....N. Sosa 2 Stud Los Cardos' Crucero, 4 y, 56 k.....R. Bastiani 3 Stud San Miguel's Tremblié, 5 y, 55 k.....C. Cardoso 0 Stud Red Lancer's Sorpresa, 4 y, 54 k.....J. Olmos 0 Stud Floresta's Tulipan, 4 y, 53 k.....R. Garrido 0

Zafarrancho made all the running from the start and won comfortably by two lengths from Lavallega, who finished a length in front of Crucero. Sorpresa was fourth.

Tickets—Zafarrancho II. with 1179 win and 1110 place, Lavallega 1585—965, Crucero 1170—796, Tremblié 146—144, Sorpresa 568—529, Tulipan 582—559. Totals 5228—4103.

Dividends—Zafarrancho II. \$8.00 win and 3.45 place, Lavallega 3.65 place.

PREMIO ECURIE BELGRANO, for three-year-olds that have not won, colts 56 kilos, fillies 54 k, \$1800 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1200 metres.

Ecurie Argentino's b f Tula, by Saint Honorat—Tottie, 54 k.....J. Rivero 1 Stud San José's Guttemberg, 56 k.....P. Aguirre 2 Stud Calchin's Hidalgo, 54 k.....J. Olmos 3 Ecurie Belgrano's Atico, 56 k.....S. Gomez 0 Stud Paysaud's Elimelech, 56 k.....V. Libonati 0 Ecurie Azur's Onagh, 54 k.....A. Bello 0

J. B. Zubiaurre's Blandengue, 56 k.....I. Diaz 0 Stud Monge's Monge, 56 k.....A. Saavedra 0 Stud Red Lancer's Busca Vida, 56 k.....J. Garcia 0 Stud A. Lincoln's Planeta, 56 k.....R. Bastiani 0 Stud Don Gonzalo's Saint Brise, 56 k.....F. Villa 0 Stud Calchin's Ameliana, 54 k.....F. Olivero 0 Ecurie Radamés' Lanza Seca, 54 k.....A. Diaz 0 Stud San Gregorio's Mamita, 54 k.....N. Sosa 0 Stud Las Damas' Hircania, 54 k.....P. Lara 0 Ecurie Lucullus' Sincera, 54 k.....P. Aguilera 0 Stud America's Farola, 54 k.....P. Grigera 0 Ecurie Montevideo's Marcela, 54 k.....G. Palacios 0 Ecurie Juncal's Fanciulla, 54 k.....W. Winns 0 Ecurie Sans Fagon's La Gaité, 54 k.....H. Esteves 0

Hidalga jumped off with the lead, a position she maintained to in front of the members' stand, where Tula took up the running, and after a capital finish got home by half a length, with the next three all close up.

Tickets—Tula with 1454 win and 1921 place, Guttemberg 385—393, Hidalgo and Ameliana 586—585, Atico 331—360, Elimelech and Onagh 180—252, Blandengue 331—265, Monge 305—354, Busca Vida 19—24, Planeta 1200—901, Saint Brise 200—181, Lanza Seca 572—715, Mamita 67—66, Hircania 59—71, Sincera 304—381, Farola 29—22, Marcela 575—686, Fanciulla 105—120, La Gaité 392—423. Totals 7094—7990.

Dividends—Tula 8.80 win and 3.40 place, Guttemberg 8.80 place, Hidalgo 5.15

PREMIO STUD PARIS, an open handicap. \$1800 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1200 metres.

Stud Las Piedras' br h Hipólito, by Zanoni— Hippolyt, 5 y, 50 k..... I. Diaz 1 Stud Paris' Fauvette, 6 y, 55 k..... P. Aguirre 2 Ecurie Prisionero's Daza, 4 y, 56 k..... J. Paez 3 Stud Don Gonzalo's Don Gonzalo 4 y, 56 k P. Aguilera 0 Ecurie Lucullus' Bab, 5 y, 54 k..... J. Rivero 0 Ecurie Belgrano's Orsino, 4 y, 48 k..... M. Valdez 0 Stud La Redencion's Orleans, 4 y, 48 k..... I. Morales 0 Stud Jose Maria's Duque, 5 y, 48 k..... J. Gomez 0 La Petite Ecurie's Tetrarca, 4 y, 48 k..... J. Olmos 0 Stud Palmar's Coronel Dorrego, 4 y, 45 k..... J. Insauralde 0

Ecurie Tapalque's Osman, 6 y, 45 k..... J. Rivero 0 Ecurie Azur's Extra, 4 y, 44 k..... C. Bustos 0 Ecurie Titan's Virolay, 6 y, 42 k..... R. Gomez 0

Hipolito showed the way to the stand followed by Fauvette and Tetrarca, where the former of the last mentioned pair, gradually draw up to the leader and a splendid finish resulted in Hipolito gaining the verdict by a short head, with Daza close up third.

Tickets—Hipolito with 517 win and 634 place, Fauvette 895—917, Daza 2487—1715, Don Gonzalo 2136—2103, Bab 634—530, Orsino 318—358, Orleans 217—265, Duque 626—495, Tetrarca 1255—1053, Coronel Dorrego 208—275, Osman 133—169, Extra 277—289, Virolay 185—156. Totals 9968—8957.

Dividends—Hipolito \$34.75 win and 7.05 place, Fauvette 5.50 place, Daza 3.85 place.

PREMIO BELGRANO, for all horses, weight for age a penalty of 3 kilos to winners of more than one classic race in 1897, \$5000 to the 1st, 500 to the 2nd, 2000 metres.

J. B. Zubiaurre's br h Porteño, by Chivalrous— Sarsaparrilla, 5 y, 62½ k..... I. Diaz 1 La Petite Ecurie's Colombia, 4 y, 58½ k..... R. Garrido 2 Stud Los Cardos' Alacran, 4 y, 60½ k..... R. Bastiani 3 Gral. Paz's Thiers, 6 y, 62½ k..... P. Aguilera 0 Ecurie Argentino's Tanger, 4 y, 60½ k..... J. Rivero 0 Ecurie Belgrano's Sebastopol, aged, 62½ k J. Valdez 0 Ecurie Gladiateur's Flambeau, 4 y, 60½ k..... N. Sosa 0 Ecurie Semper Paratus' Venero, 4 y, 60½ k..... A. Guadalupi 0

Ecurie de las Cañitas' Mariano, 5 y, 62½ k. J. Saenz 0 Colombia made strong running to the bend with Porteño and Mariano in close attendance. At the stand Colombia was easily collared by Porteño, who went on to win comfortably by a clear length, Alacran third a length behind Colombia.

Tickets—Porteño with 5046 win and 2171 place, Colombia 2717—2465, Alacran 1139—950, Thiers 342—523, Tanger 1569—1438, Sebastopol 1531—1528, Flambeau 309—407, Venero 52—85, Mariano 780—864. Totals 13,485—10,431.

Dividends—Porteño \$4.80 win and 3.15 place, Colombia 3.00 place, Alacran 4.65 place.

PREMIO PETITE ECURIE, a limited handicap for three-year-olds between 60 and 50 kilos. \$2200 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 1600 metres.

Stud Calchin's b f Rosalvina, by Saint Honorat— Rosita, 54 k..... J. Olmos 1 Stud Las Piedras' Rosigné, 51½ k..... S. Urutia 2 Stud A. Lincoln's Virey, 53 k..... P. Aguilera 3 Ecurie Semper Paratus' Pompeyo, 55 k..... S. Gomez 0 Stud Solitario's Glicina, 53 k..... H. Esteves 0 La Petite Ecurie's Amambay, 51½ k..... N. Sosa 0 Ecurie Tapalque's Sauce Corto, 51½ k..... J. Palaricino 0 Ecurie Indecis' L'Hermite, 50 k..... C. Bustos 0 Glicina led the field round to the bend where Rosalvina took up the running, and although Rosigné made a desperate effort to get on terms, Rosalvina retained her lead to the finish and won by a length Rosigné finishing second a neck in front of Virey, while L'Hermite was fourth.

Tickets—Rosalvina with 2088 win and 2057, Rosigné 144—172, Virey 2346—1819, Pompeyo 1912—1979, Glicina 945—752, Amambay 2077—1502, Sauce Corto 217—162, L'Hermite 281—276. Totals 10,010—8679.

Dividends—Rosalvina \$8.60 win and 3.20 place, Rosigné 16.60 place, Virey 3.35 place.

PREMIO ECURIE AZUR, an open handicap. \$2200 to the 1st, 200 to the 2nd, 2000 metres.

Ecurie Nautilus' ch h Brick, by El Amigo— Bryonia, 5 y, 61 k..... P. de Armas 1 La Petite Ecurie's Lautaro, 4 y, 53 k..... R. Garrido 2 Stud Las Armas' Policeman, 6 y, 47 k..... J. Gomez 3 Stud La Confianza's Ataque, 4 y, 56 k..... S. Gomez 0 Stud Monfi's Clandestino, 5 y, 55 k..... J. Insauralde 0 Ecurie Belgrano's Rose Royale, 5 y, 50 k..... I. Diaz 0 Ecurie Azur's Stamboul, 6 y, 47 k..... C. Bustos 0 Ecurie Juncal's Brandzen, 5 y, 45 k..... J. Rivas 0 Stud Palmar's Lince, 5 y, 42 k..... A. Ruiz 0

As soon as the flag fell Brick jumped off with the bad and was never afterwards headed. Lautaro gamely tried to catch the leader but has to submit to a two lengths defeat, Policeman a length behind third.

Tickets—Brick with 4151 win and 1718 place, Lautaro 2349—2502, Policeman 502—438, Ataque 836—955, Clandestino 370—384, Rose Royale 1235—1684, Stamboul 740—718, Brandzen 373—276, Lince 804—777. Totals 11860—9512.

Dividends—Brick \$4.90 win and 3.45 place, Lautaro 3.00 place, Policeman 7.85 place.

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

Gral. San Martin's ch h Pick-Pocket, by Neapolis—Printanniere, 5 y, 50 k..... I. Diaz 1 Stud La Noria's Meteoro, 6 y, 47 k..... J. Rivas 2 Stud Magna Domus' Oriente, 4 y, 56 k..... P. Aguilera 3 Ecurie Pergamino's Salteador, 5 y, 56 k..... P. Aguirre 0 Stud Paris' Mundial, 6 y, 53 k..... N. Sosa 0 Stud La Confianza's Regalona, 4 y, 53 k..... S. Gomez 0 Stud Amianto's Ortegale, 5 y, 49 k..... J. Paez 0 Ecurie Juncal's Juncal, 5 y, 48 k..... H. Esteves 0 Stud America's Diosma, 4 y, 45 k..... J. Gomez 0 Stud Estudiante's Estudiante, 6 y, 43 k..... J. Insauralde 0 Stud Floresta's Helecho, 5 y, 42 k..... M. Valdez 0 Stud La Porfia's Lighthouse, aged, 41 k..... C. Bustos 0

Ortegale went off with the lead followed closely by Pick-Pocket to the bend, where the last named took command and was never afterwards troubled, winning easily by nearly three lengths, a length separated second and third.

Tickets—Pick-Pocket with 2813 win and 2104 place, Meteoro 638—636, Oriente 2363—1688, Salteador 2432—2392, Mundial 806—769, Regalona 841—535, Ortegale 637—603, Juncal 1084—682, Diosma 262—242, Estudiante 752—772, Helecho 707—620, Lighthouse 82—69. Totals 13,420—11,112.

Dividends—Pick-Pocket \$3.55 win and 3.75 place, Meteoro 7.40 place, Oriente 4.20 place.

PALERMO—SEPTEMBER 5.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Epsom-1600 metres and Premio Remate-1600 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Maison Laffite-1400 metres and Premio Rio de la Plata-1800 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Longchamps-2200 metres and Premio Ascot-1600 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Chantilly-1800 metres.

PALERMO—SEPTEMBER 8.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Amianto-1100 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Rivadavia-1800 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Malakoff-1200 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Jockey Club-1800 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Lancero-2500 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Ontario-1600 metres.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Kilos, Name, Kilos. Includes Premio Purran-1800 metres.

The racing on the 5th and 8th will try the staying powers of the three-year-olds, as the classic on each day is 1800 metres, for colts and fillies. The Premio Rio de la Plata, first prize \$3500, is naturally left to the second strings and should be a duel between Alarife and the Stud Los Cardos. Others who have made a good show are Limay, Opulencia, Rosalvina, and Pompeyo, but they are hardly good enough for those specified. The Premio Jockey Club, on the 8th, is the first of the big races of the year, and should produce a most interesting struggle for the \$20,000 between the four cracks, Orange, Balcarce, Pillito, and Kean, of these Pillito, who always seems the strongest at the finish will carry my vote, as I believe the extra 200 metres will enable him to outstay the others. The rest of the horses left in need not be mentioned, and the only possible surprise might come from the Montevideo mare, Yerba Amarga, who must, however, be very good if she can compete with our four champions.

The sport on the 5th begins with the Premio Epsom, in which nine of the hopeless sort of colts will run a mile, and Mirabeau may be the best of them.

The second race is a new kind of Selling Plate in which the horses entered are offered for sale before the race, and any sold will run for account of the buyer. Here the low priced, Guttemberg, should be able to show the way to his elders.

The 1400 metres might fall to Calchinera or Hugonote: In the 2280 metres Oriol should not have much trouble in winning.

The Stud Amianto hold a strong hand in the mile with Eléctrica and Ortegale, and the meeting should wind up with a win for Venero in the Premio Chantilly.

In the opening Sprint on the 8th, twelve colts and thirteen fillies will try conclusions, and Hidalgo or Austerlitz should be the first to leave the ranks of the losers.

In the 1800 metres, Redoutable or Tiradentes should be there or thereabouts.

The 1200 may give Daza a chance to retrieve his recent bad luck, or Orleans to show some improvement.

In the Premio Lancero, Oriol again looks a good thing for the long distance.

Six forfeits out of eleven entries seem to show that Brick, even with 64 kilos looks formidable, but I believe Salteador should be able to run with him in receipt of ten kilos.

The Stud Amianto with Chaipuel and Ortegale should win the Premio Purran.

My selections for the two days are as follows:— September 5.

- Premio Epsom—Mirabeau. Premio Remate—Guttemberg. Premio Maison Laffite—Calchinera or Hugonote. Premio Rio de la Plata—Alarife or Stud Los Cardos. Premio Longchamps—Oriol. Premio Ascot—Stud Amianto. Premio Chantilly—Venero.

September 8.

- Premio Amianto—Hidalga or Austerlitz. Premio Rivadavia—Redoutable or Tiradentes. Premio Malakoff—Daza or Orleans. Premio Jockey Club—Stud El Derby. Premio Lancero—Oriol. Premio Ontario—Salteador. Premio Purran—Stud Amianto.

HOME RACING.

As usual, the enormous Bank holiday crowd were in attendance at the Birmingham two day meeting, and a broiling sun and thick dust, which swept over the course in blinding clouds, tended to increase the general discomfort.

The principal event attracted nine starters, of whom Lammermuir and Prince Barcardine monopolised the wagering, with the former having the call. Prince Barcardine displayed temper, which soon put him out of the fray, while Lammermuir was beaten out of a place, and Lord Hervey, at the good price of 8 to 1, defeated St. Noel by three-parts of a length.

The prospects of Brighton were this year not quite so rosy as they have sometimes been. The entries were as good as usual, both as regards quality, and quantity, but the ground was getting harder and harder every day, and the power of the sun seemed to increase in like fashion. Still, the meeting is beloved of the public, and though the course is absolutely the worst in England, and the enclosure accommodation of an old fashioned and very moderate description, there was the usual huge attendance.

The nine who contested the Brighton Stakes included the first and fourth for the Stewards' Cup at Goodwood, and such as The Nipper and La Sagesse. Amphora was made favourite, but there was a lot of money for The Nipper, and Chasseur was well backed, it being thought that the longer distance would enable him to turn the tables on Mr McCalmont's mare. This view of the case was correct too, for whereas Amphora never looked like winning, Chasseur caught The Nipper about a hundred yards from home and won very cleverly by three-parts of a length, while La Sagesse headed the others at a respectful distance.

The Brighton Cup for three-year-olds was an interesting race, the half-dozen contestants included Eager, who had won at Ascot, and again "behind the Ditch," Comfrey, who had won seven out of eight engagements this season, Sandia, who had scored twice at Ascot, and again of eight engagements this season, Sandia, who had scored twice at Ascot, and again in the Lingfield Summer Handicap, and Bucksfoot, who had taken the Goodwood Corinthian Plate. Eager had to allow 3lb. to Sandia, and 10lb. to Comfrey, and wagering was practically confined to the three, Sandia starting with the call, while Eager superseded Comfrey in the market. The moment the flag fell Eager was sent to the front, and coming along at best pace, he soon had most of his field in difficulties. Indeed Comfrey was well beaten a quarter of a mile from home, and though Sandia took second place in the straight he could make no impression on Mr Fairie's colt, who won by four lengths.

A few welcome showers overnight helped to add to the enjoyment of the old fashioned meeting at Lewes, while the presence of the Prince of Wales brought together a large and representative muster.

The Astley Stakes proved a very pretty race, Elf heading Royal Footstep to the Dip, where Bradford gave the favourite her head, and she put paid to the account of the rest like a real good racehorse, the verdict being two lengths—a smart performance.

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

BIRMINGHAM AUGUST MEETING
AUGUST 2.

Birmingham Handicap Stakes of 500 sovs; 1 mile.
Lord Rochester's b c Lord Hervey, by Sheen—
Molly Lepel, 4 yrs, 8st 9lb. White 1
Mr J. Tyler's St. Noel, 4 yrs, 9st. J. Rogers 2
Mr Read Walker's Dancing Jew, 3 yrs, 7st 11lb
R. Morgan 3
Mr W. M. Clarke's Prince Barcardine, 4 yrs,
8st 12lb. E. Hunt 0
Mr A. Knowles's The Tinman, aged, 8st 10lb. Calder 0
Mr J. Hope's Lammermuir, 4 yrs, 8st 4lb. Finlay 0
Mr D. Seymour's Angelina, 6 yrs, 8st 1lb
J. Woodburn 0
Mr W. M. G. Singer's Zerbino, 3 yrs, 7st 5lb. Allsopp 0
Betting—100 to 30 agst Lammermuir, 4 to 1 agst Prince Barcardine, 6 to 1 each agst The Tinman and Angelina, 8 to 1 each agst Lord Hervey, St. Noel, and Dancing Jew, and 10 to 1 agst Zerbino.

Angelina, quickest on her feet, jumped off in front of St. Noel and Lammermuir, Dancing Jew and The Tinman lying next. They ran in this order for half a mile, when St. Noel made his way the front, followed by Dancing Jew and Lord Hervey. Inside the distance, however, the latter challenged the leader, and, after a good race, won by three-quarters of a length; four lengths dividing St. Noel and Dancing Jew; Angelina was fourth, Lammermuir fifth, Zerbino next, and The Tinman whipper-in.

BRIGHTON AUGUST MEETING—AUGUST 3.

Brighton Stakes (Handicap) of 500 sovs; 1 mile.
Mr J. Ryan's b c Chasseur, by Galopin—Lady
Gower, 5 yrs, 9st 9lb. Rickaby 1
Prince Soltykoff's The Nipper, 5 yrs, 8st 8lb. C. Wood 2
Sir J. Miller's La Sagesse, 5 yrs, 10st. S. Loates 3
Mr H. McCalmont's Amphora, 4 yrs, 9st 11lb
M. Cannon 0
Mr C. Hibbert's Mack Briggs, 4 yrs, 8st 11lb
Rawlinson 0
Mr W. H. Palmer's Thurling, 3 yrs, 8st 9lb
N. Robinson 0
Mr J. B. Burton's Last of the Queens, 4 yrs, 8st 8lb
Allsopp 0
Mr A. Taylor's Queenwood, 4 yrs, 8st 6lb. Madden 0
Mr Kentish's Storm Sprite, 3 yrs, 7st 8lb. Sharples 0
Betting—7 to 1 agst Amphora, 5 to 2 agst The Nipper, 5 to 1 agst Chasseur, 8 to 1 agst Queenwood, and 100 to 8 agst any other.

Storm Sprite was first to move, followed by The Nipper, Amphora and Mack Briggs, whilst Chasseur was the last

to start. Coming to the five furlong post Queenwood was the attendant on Storm Sprite, and as they raced round the top turn The Nipper and Chasseur were running third and fourth. Three furlongs from home Storm Sprite was done with, and The Nipper took command, followed by Queenwood and Chasseur, with Amphora close up. In the end at the half-distance, Chasseur ran up to The Nipper, and, at once having the best of it, won by three-quarters of length; La Sagesse was a bad third on sufferance, followed by Last of the Queens, Thurling, and Storm Sprite, while Mack Briggs was whipper-in.

August 4

Brighton Cup of 500 sovs, added to a sweepstakes of 10 sovs each for starters, for three-year-olds; 1 mile.
Mr Fairie's b c Eager, by Enthusiast—Greeba,
9st. Rickaby 1
Mr P. Lorillard's Sandia, 8st 11lb. C. Wood 2
Sir W. Ingram's Comfrey, 8st 4lb (car, 8st 6lb)
M. Cannon 3

Mr E. H. Baldock's St. Fort, 7st 11lb. S. Loates 0
Mr H. E. Beddington's Bucksfoot, 7st 11lb. Allsopp 0
Mr W. Nichols's Spanish Beauty, 7st 8lb. Madden 0
Betting: 2 to 1 agst Sandia, 5 to 2 agst Eager, 3 to 1 agst Comfrey, 10 to 1 agst Bucksfoot, 100 to 8 agst St. Fort, and 25 to 1 agst Spanish Beauty.

A fairly good start was effected, Eager being the first to show in front, Spanish Beauty, Comfrey, and St. Fort next in that order, and Sandia last. On reaching the top of the hill the favourite went into fourth place, but a few yards further on Spanish Beauty fell back, making way for Comfrey and Sandia. Eager, however, was never troubled, and won by four lengths from Sandia, while Comfrey was a bad third, St. Fort fourth, and Spanish Beauty last.

August 5.

Brighton High-Weight Handicap of 500 sovs; 1 mile.
Mr Dobell's b c Sligo, by Duncombe—Springt-
horn, 3 yrs, 8st 3lb. Toon 1
Mr Wallace Johnstone's Stewarton, 3 yrs, 8st 13lb
Allsopp 2
Mr J. G. Mosenthal's Chaleureux, 3 yrs, 8st 9lb
O. Madden 3

Betting—5 to 4 each agst Stewarton and Chaleureux, 5 to 1 agst Sligo.
Sligo waited upon Chaleureux to the dip, where the latter was beaten, and Stewarton failing to get on terms, Sligo won by a neck; five lengths between second and third.

LEWES SUMMER MEETING—AUGUST 6.

Astley Stakes of 10 sovs each, with 500 added, for two-year-olds; 5 furlongs.
Sir J. B. Maple's ch f Royal Footstep, by Royal
Hampton—Lightfoot, 9st 1lb. Calder 1
Mr J. Gretton's Zanoni, 8st 11lb. M. Cannon 2
Duke of Devonshire's Elf, 8st 11lb. Madden 3
Sir W. Throckmorton's Blare, 9st 1lb. Finlay 0
Mr H. T. Barelay's Cherrybeart, 8st 11lb. Freemantle 0
Mr R. Buckworth's c by Endurance—Sedate,
8st 11lb. Bradford 0
Betting—2 to 1 agst Royal Footstep, 3 to 1 agst Blare, 100 to 30 agst Elf, 4 to 1 agst Zanoni, and 20 to 1 each agst any other.

Elf, on the rails, was closely attended by Blare and Zanoni in the centre, and Royal Footstep on the left, with Sedate colt last to the bottom of the hill, where Blare was then beaten, and Royal Footstep, soon afterwards drawing to the front, followed by Zanoni, won by two lengths, half a length dividing second and third; Blare was fourth, and Sedate colt last.

PONY RACING

CANADA DE GCMEZ—AUGUST 26.

Stewards—Major Porteous, Messrs Innes Taylor, H. Hansen, T. Sheehan.
Clerk of the Scales—Mr Magnus Fea.
Clerks of the Course—Messrs E. Bradney, and F. Kinchant.
Judge—Major Porteous.
Starter—Mr C. Innes-Taylor.

THE CANADA STAKES, a sweepstakes of \$10 each for Bona-fide polo ponies, 58 in. or under, 75 kilos, 1200 metres on the flat.

Mr R. Traill's Springtime. Mr Fleming 1
Mr F. Kinchant's Overo Bayo. Hon. F. White 2
Mr R. Moncrieff's El Sarco. Mr Leared 3
Mr D. Traill's Smitte O'Brien. Owner 0

A good start, Springtime immediately went to the front, and running strongly all through was never headed and won as she liked by five lengths. Half a length between 2nd and 3rd.

THE DITCH STAKES, a sweepstakes of \$10 each for any horse, thoroughbreds excepted, 75 kilos, 1200 metres on the flat.

Mr H. Smythies' Backgammon. Mr D. Traill 1
Mr H. Hansen's El Buey. Mr Anderson 2
Mr H. Hansen's Ranger. Mr Ripley 3
Mr A. Suarez' Rondel. Hon. F. White 0
Mr H. Smythies' Jubilee Plunger. Owner 0
El Buey took the lead which he maintained to the straight closely followed by Rondel. At the distance Backgammon came through by six lengths.

THE TOURNAMENT STAKES, a sweepstakes of \$10 each for bona-fide polo ponies, 58 in. or under 75 kilos, 500 met. on the flat.

Mr C. Hay's Highlander. Mr L. Bury 1
Mr F. Kinchant's Buen Criollo. Hon. F. White 2
Mr R. Traill's Watch Spring. Mr Fleming 3

Buen Criollo and Highlander were first away followed by Watch Spring, but running very wide at the bend they lost some lengths. Highlander was the quickest to get fairly in the straight, and Buen Criollo being unable to catch him was beaten half a length, 4 lengths between 2nd and 3rd.

BENDING RACE, a sweepstakes of \$5 each for bona-fide polo ponies, 58 in. or under, catch weights, owners up.

Mr F. Leared. 1
Mr R. S. Moncrieff. 2
Mr F. Chapman. 3
Also ran: Mr A. Bury, Mr C. Hay, Mr E. C. Hill, Mr A. Chapman, Mr F. Kinchant, Mr A. Murray, and Mr H. Ripley.

Competed in 3 heats, Mr F. Leared winning cleverly in the final by half a length from Mr Moncrieff.

COSTUME RACE, a sweepstakes of \$5 each for any horse, catch weights.

Mr P. Talbot. 1
Mr E. C. Hill. 2
Also ran: Mr J. S. Lumsdaine, Mr F. H. Leared, Mr D. Traill, Mr H. Ripley, Mr D. Ripley.

This race created much amusement. Nearly all the competitors were in two great a hurry to get home, to dress themselves according to rule. Mr Talbot and Mr Hill being the only two arriving properly costumed, of whom the former won somewhat easily.

THE LADIES' BRACELET, a sweepstakes of \$10 each for bona-fide polo ponies, 58 in. or under, 75 kilos, 500 metres on the flat. All entries to be nominated by a Lady.

Mr R. Traill's Springtime, nom. by Miss Traill
Mr Fleming 1
Mr F. Kinchant's Buen Criollo, nom. by Mrs Chapman. Hon. F. White 2
Mr C. Hay's Highlander, nom. by Miss Watt
Mr L. Bury 3
Mr E. C. Hill's Suerte, nom. by Mrs Pany. Owner 0
Mr D. Traill's Smitte O'Brien, nom. by Miss E. Dickinson. Owner 0
Mr C. Hay's Cinderella, nom. by Miss Fea
Mr A. Chapman 0
Mr F. Blyth's Chance, nom. by Miss F. Dickinson. Owner 0
Mr R. S. Moncrieff's Sonambula, nom. by Mrs Moncrieff. Owner 0

This race secured plenty of entries and was the piece de resistance of the afternoon. Eight faced the starter who got the lot away to a capital start, Chance being first to show in front, leading by a length in the first few strides, and running well round the bend seemed like winning but going slightly out of the course when in the straight, and being brought back, changed his legs and let up Springtime, and Buen Criollo, the former of whom had the best of it in the last few strides and won by a neck, Highlander a good third. This was the best race of the day, and a very exciting and well ridden finish.

GREYNA GREEN RACE, a sweepstakes of \$5 each for any horse. Did not fill.

STICK AND BALL RACE, a sweepstakes of \$5 each for bona-fide polo ponies, 58 in. or under, owners up, catch weights.

Mr M. Fea. 1
Mr F. Mackintosh. 2
Mr E. Traill. 3
Also ran: Mr E. C. Hill, Mr F. Kinchant, Mr C. Hay, Mr L. Bury, Mr P. Talbot, Mr R. Leared, Mr E. Dobbs, Mr R. Traill, Mr C. Hinchcliffe, Mr H. Bury, Mr S. Moncrieff, and Mr Duncan Traill. Mr M. Fea, won the final cleverly from Mr Mackintosh.

The weather was fine, and the going good, and if the finishes were not all as close as could have been wished a very enjoyable afternoon's racing was witnessed. The arrangements were excellent, and the number of spectators large.

HURLINGHAM—AUGUST 30.

The attendance at the start of the races on Monday appeared rather small, but during the afternoon a good many people arrived by train, driving, and riding, so that by the time the Grand National was run the grand stand was fairly well filled, and looked quite gay, thanks to the tasteful toilets of the ladies, of whom there was a good muster. Beauty and fashion abounded. English society was strongly represented, and there was a fair sprinkling of Argentine families. Amongst the many visitors we noticed Lord and Lady Braye, Messrs Runciman, Crane, H. C. Thomson, Green, Paats, Thornton, J. Drysdale, Cassels, Reade, Bedford, Jacobs, Thursby, Koch, Bell, Anderson, Barry, Masson, Martinez de Hoz, Lainez, Bretherton, Morris, and Alston.

The Grand National was, of course, the "piece de resistance," and although there were only three runners, as each was considered to have a chance, plenty of interest was evinced. However, Speculation proved much too good for the other two and won easily, hard held all the way.

The next interesting event was the Ladies' Bracelet, which was won by Cuervo, a very smart pony indeed, that won another race earlier in the afternoon, beating that very fast pony Viejo.

Below we give the details:—

MAIDEN STAKES, for ponies of 58 in. and under that have not won a race at Hurlingham. Weight for inches. \$100 and entrance fees. 500 metres.

Mr E. Coquet's Tano, 69 k. Owner 1
Mr F. Canevari's Quien Diria, 75 k. Owner 2
Mr A. Herran's Saguaype, 75 k. Owner 3

Tano and Quien Diria soon went to the front and the former drawing away, won comfortably by a couple of lengths.

Sport—Tano \$3.05.

HURLINGHAM STAKES, handicap for ponies of 58 in. or under. Prize \$100 and entrance fee. Distance 600 metres.

Mr E. Coquet's Cuervo, 70 k. Mr Sasso 1
Mr E. Lambruschini's Viejo, 80 k. Mr Canevari 2
Mr A. Herran's Negrito, 80 k. Owner 3

The first to show in front were Cuervo and Negrito, and they kept well together to the paddock, where Cuervo took the lead and finished a length in front of Viejo.

Sport—Cuervo \$3.35.

THE ARGENTINE GRAND NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE, a handicap for a Silver Challenge Cup value \$1500, and a sweepstake of \$50 each. Distance 4500 metres over 15 fences.

Mr F. C. Barry's Speculation, 78 k. Hon. F. White 1
Mr Wm. Paats' Sultan, 78 k. Owner 2
Mr A. L. Williamson's Ravon, 73 k. Mr Thorold 3

Directly the flag fell Ravon bolted and ran out at the first fence, over which Speculation led Sultan about three lengths which was doubled going along the far side of the course, with Ravon 100 yards behind, having been set straight only to run out again at the "regulation." After jumping the water jump the second time, Sultan closed a little on Speculation, but could make no impression on the latter, who won hard held by five lengths.

Sport—Speculation \$4.35.

THE HUNT STEEPLECHASE, for horses which have run with draghounds. Prize \$150 with entrance fees. Distance 1500 metres.

Mr M. G. Fortune's Hatrack, 75 k. Mr Bedford 1
Baron Peers's Titania, 80 k. Owner 2
Mr J. Ravenscroft's The Rosillo, 75 k. Mr Thorold 3
Mr W. Lacey's The Slave, 78 k. Mr Clunie 0
Mr A. H. Howard's Lechero, 75 k. Mr Haig 0

Hatrack took the lead at the first fence, but was passed by The Slave before reaching "the regulation" where the latter bolted and ran out. Titania then took up the running, but was caught by Hatrack 1000 metres from home, and was beaten after a good race by three lengths. Rosillo and Lechero both refused, but being persevered with, ran a desperate race home, the first-named gaining third place by a length.

Sport—Hatrack \$30.90 win and 3.90 place, Titania 2.50 place.

THE LADIES' BRACELET, handicap for ponies, to be nominated by ladies. A piece of jewelry of the value of \$150 to be given to the lady who nominates the winner. Distance 700 metres.

Mr E. Coquet's Cuervo, 73 k. Mr Sasso 1
Mr E. D. Drabble's Duchess II., 74 k. Mr White 2
Mr A. Herran's Mistigris, 80 k. Owner 3
Mr F. Canevari's Quien Diria, 78 k. Owner 0

This proved an easy win for Cuervo, who won in a canter by a clear length. Mistigris was a good third.

Sport—Cuervo \$4.

GALLOWAY STEEPLECHASE, handicap for ponies 58 in. or under. Prize \$120 and entrance fees 3000 metres

Mr M. G. Fortune's Tommy, 73 k. Mr Clunie 1
Mr P. Neumann's Picaso, 68 k. Mr Haig 2
Mr A. Grigg's Apache, 76 k. Mr Thorold 3
Mr C. Moll's Turiddu, 74 k. Mr Paats 0

Tommy and the Picaso made strong running from Turiddu, but at the stable gate Picaso tried to run out, which enabled Tommy to get a long lead, the Picaso, however, being set going again had nearly caught the leader, when he fell at the last fence and left Tommy to win at his leisure. Mr Haig, luckily none the worse for his toss, mounted again and finished second, Turiddu having been pulled up and Apache fallen.

Sport—Tommy \$9.75.

HURLINGHAM—SEPTEMBER 8.

We give below the entries and handicaps for the meeting to be held at Hurlingham on Wednesday next the 8th inst.—

Maiden Stakes—700 metres.

E. D. Drable's Duchess II., 58 in, 75 k
E. Lambruschini's Salvage, 58 in, 75 k
J. R. Gomez's Rataplan, 56 in, 69 k
Leon Grisar's Boy, 56 in, 69 k

September Stakes—550 metres.

E. Lambruschini's Viejo, 56 in, 80 k
A. Herran's Mistigris, 56 in, 78 k
E. Coquet's Tano, 56 in, 73 k
Glynn Williams's Castaño, 55 in, 60 k

Ayrshire Cup—4000 metres.

A. L. Williamson's Ravon, 78 k
F. Barry's Speculation, 73 k
W. A. Kettle's Loughgrin, 4 y, 72 k

Farewell Stakes—1000 metres.

E. Coquet's Cuervo, 57 in, 80 k
A. Herran's Negrito, 58 in, 80 k
E. D. Drable's Duchess II., 58 in, 73 k

Mixed Steeplechase—1100 metres.

Baron Peers's Titania, 80 k
J. L. McMorrin's Amigaso, 78 k
M. G. Fortune's Hatrack, 78 k
M. G. Fortune's Tommy, 72 k
A. H. Howard's Lechero, 71 k
P. Neumann's Picaso, 63 k

Consuelo Stakes—800 metres.

POLO.

CAÑADA DE GOMEZ POLO TOURNAMENT, 1897.
AUGUST 26, 27, 28, 29.

The Cañada Polo Tournament of 1897 will be remembered as the first, since Santa Fé took to the game, held in what may be termed the cradle of Camp Polo, and the nursery of some of its best exponents, without a team of the good old name competing. Yet whilst it cannot be denied that the Ditch, from one cause or another, has lost all its players, and indeed exists as a club now only in name, the votaries of the game, when serious conclusions are to be tried, return to the scene of many a hard fought tourney, perhaps as much from old associations as convenience, and the undoubted excellence of the ground. To the Hon. Frank White must again, as in 1896, be given all the kudos, in bringing together so many old antagonists, as well as new aspirants to fame, on the time-honoured spot. He has had a great amount of work to do, not for Santa Fé is ever keen where polo is concerned—in finding clubs to enter or men to play, but in the organisation and preparation which such an effort necessarily entails, more especially when the locus chosen is not the home of even one competing team. Knowing Mr White's past reputation in such matters, and his indomitable perseverance and determination that no obstacle should remain unsurmounted, it is not to be wondered at that success has once more attended his efforts, a success in every way pronounced and deserved, and one on which he is to be heartily congratulated.

The glory of Cañada cannot be said to have wholly departed when eight teams can be got together to do battle in her midst, and the less can such a slur be cast upon her when the names of the present players are scanned over. The entries reached ten, but Buenos Aires and "The Geebungs" found themselves unable to play. That Buenos Aires was not represented was certainly both a great disappointment and a drawback, but their reasons for non-attendance were good, though such as they should not be a difficult matter for them to overcome on another occasion.

There have been many new clubs organised of late both in the Province of Santa Fé and that of Cordoba, and the former owe some of their best players, if not their very existence to the Ditch. If Cañada did not actually discover the greater part of the players in the present tournament she had a great hand in the making of men who can hold their own in any company in the Republic. If Cañada is doomed for the present to rest on laurels won in time gone by, she is entitled to do so with pride, and remain for the moment inert, though watching with pleasure the play of those who owe her much, and looking forward in the near future to be again the training-ground of new men, new manners were an insult alike to her and to the reputations which she has created, and which she still cherishes with jealous care.

The competing teams were drawn as follows, and if the draw was not an entirely satisfactory one, there was but little at which to grumble:

Bellville v. Media Luna.
Victoria III. v. Venado Tuerto.
Victoria I. v. Victoria II.
Locusts v. North Santa Fé

The races, of which a report will be found in another column, were set to open the proceedings on the 26th, polo commencing in fine but cold weather, before a numerous body of spectators, of whom many were ladies, on Friday the 27th, with the meeting of:

Media Luna Bellville
1. F. H. Leared 1. H. Ripley
2. R. Leared 2. A. D. Murray
3. H. Scott Moncrieff 3. J. C. M. Pinnell
P. Talbot (back) F. Mackintosh (back)

The game was very one-sided, and disappointing, ending in favour of Media Luna by 9 goals to love. Bellville want much more practice together before they can have any chance in really good company. There was some individual good play, but nothing like combination. Perhaps Mackintosh and Ripley showed to best advantage for the losers, and the winning team were all fairly good in a game which could not have interested them to any great extent.

On the same day the first round was got through:

Venado Tuerto Victoria III.
1. C. Hay 1. E. Watt
2. C. Hinchliffe 2. G. S. Lumsdaine
3. L. Bury 3. F. Matthews
F. S. Robinson (back) E. Bradney (back)

This was a very capital galloping game, fast throughout, but as was expected Venado Tuerto were too strong for their opponents, and won by seven goals to one. The game was not nearly so one-sided as the score would suggest. For the losers, E. Bradney was in great form, and Lumsdaine showed himself certainly a very much improved player. The winners were all in form and played well together, as was only to be expected of such a team, associated so long. The game throughout was well worth witnessing.

Victoria I. Victoria II.
1. A. Chapman 1. C. Innes-Taylor
2. E. Kinchant 2. E. C. Hill
3. Magnus Fea 3. F. Chapman
F. White (back) Maj. Porteous (back)

Although the first team won, a result which no one doubted, it was for the first three quarters a great game, No. 2 giving their opponents a lot of trouble, both Innes-Taylor and Porteous showing good form. The result of six goals to one was the outcome of better combination, though it must be admitted that the losers played excellently, and have nothing to be ashamed of in being beaten by such a team. For the winners, perhaps White was the most prominent, though it is hardly fair to make any distinction where all were so good.

Locusts

1. A. Macdonald
2. F. Foster
3. A. Watt
H. Bury (back)

North Santa Fé

1. G. Francis
2. E. Dobbs
3. R. Traill
E. Traill (back)

This was one of the best and closest games of the tournament. A hard fight throughout and some wonderfully good play shown. At the call of time the score was four all. An extra five minutes being granted, R. Traill, by some clean hitting and hard galloping scored and won the game for North Santa Fé. Score—Five to four. Both the Traills were great, and for the losers H. Bury and Foster.

Saturday, 28th.

Venado Tuerto

1. C. Hay
2. C. Hinchliffe
3. L. Bury
F. S. Robinson (back)

Media Luna

1. F. H. Leared
2. R. Leared
3. R. Scott Moncrieff
P. Talbot (back)

First quarter—Media Luna fully held their strong opponents, and a most interesting exhibition of hard and fast play was witnessed. No score on either side.

Second quarter—Talbot led out and some desultory play commenced the quarter, and the ball went down to Venado Tuerto end and looked dangerous, but Robinson saved, and Bury taking from him ran through and scored. The game was then up and down and very lively, with but little to choose between the sides, until Hinchliffe from a scrimmage secured the second goal for Venado. Immediately on the ball being in play R. Leared got hold and went right on to goal and scored. Venado Tuerto 2 goals, Media Luna 1.

Third quarter—Bury took out and carried well into Media Luna territory, but both the Leareds and Moncrieff were very handy, and play became fast with plenty of galloping, though the ball was as a rule in Media Luna goal, but Moncrieff and R. Leared got it away, and a nice bit of backing up let Talbot come through and score a very neat goal from the mob. On resuming Media Luna were ridden through and Bury all but scored, the ball just going wide, the quarter ending at 2 all.

Fourth quarter—Talbot was first out but Hay returned immediately, only to let Moncrieff carry through and knock over a goal post. A goal was appealed for but not allowed. Talbot and Moncrieff were both playing beautifully just now, and the ball was generally in the centre or Venado Tuerto goal, until a great run on to Media Luna goal, in which all are more or less concerned, leaves the ball right on the post, and Hinchliffe puts it through. Loose play follows, in which Bury is conspicuous but losing, Moncrieff gets through and apparently scores but the goal is disallowed. The ball goes back to Media Luna for a moment, but Leared comes away with a rush, Hinchliffe trying to ride him, Talbot nicks in at the opportune moment and hits a very well placed goal. Score, 3 all.

Fifth quarter—The ball goes first to Media Luna and Talbot hits behind; Venado Tuerto keep their opponents pretty well hemmed in goal, and Hinchliffe just fails, only a minute afterwards, to hit an easy goal from loose play. The ball is no sooner in than Hinchliffe gets another goal, Media Luna seeming to have fallen to pieces, and the quarter ends with the score Venado Tuerto 5, Media Luna 3.

Sixth quarter—Play is first in Venado Tuerto goal, but Hinchliffe gets away a bit, only to give R. Leared a chance for a very pretty run round. Robinson does not let the ball pass, and Venado are again rushing down and through. An easy chance is given to Bury, who however muffs it, the ball going a metre wide when clean in front of the goal. Media Luna are more like their form of the commencement now, and get close up to their antagonists' ground, but only as it seems on sufferance; for Hay puts in a brilliant gallop and scores, just on time, Venado Tuerto are thus the winners by 6 to 3.

A very good game all through, and might have been closer if Media Luna had continued to play steadily as at the commencement. However, the better team won. Hinchliffe was playing quite in his form of last year. Bury was a bit erratic, not so sure as one is used to see him. Hay and Robinson were both good, though the former was not quite at his best. For the losers, Percy Talbot, Moncrieff, and R. Leared, all at times, and especially in the first three quarters, were decidedly up to any form showed by their opponents, and the reason for the later falling off was not apparent.

Victoria I.

1. A. Chapman
2. F. Kinchant
3. M. Fea
F. White (back)

North Santa Fé

1. G. Francis
2. E. Dobbs
3. R. Traill
E. Traill (back)

First quarter—Play was very slow at starting and the ball was fairly rolled to Santa Fé goal, but passed wide, and again in the same manner Chapman put it outside the post. Warming up a bit there was some good galloping, and R. Traill riding out Chapman saved his goal, but the game was generally threatening to the Province. After some pretty all round play the ball was left hovering on the Santa Fé goal line, and in spite of the efforts of E. Traill, White scored the first goal for Victoria. After the ball was again in, Fea playing with dash and freedom, got it right along and notched the second goal for Victoria after ten minutes play. Both Traills were now very conspicuous, but the ball was giving them plenty to do; and another goal hit by Kinchant was lost to them. Very open play followed up to the sound of the whistle. Score: Victoria 3, Santa Fé 0.

Second quarter—The ball went immediately to Santa Fé, both Fea and Kinchant, the former playing all round his pony, being very prominent. Some open play followed, much galloping and little result until Fea opened out and scored from an acute angle. At once on resuming

ing the ball went down to Victoria and R. Traill hit a goal. Score: Victoria 4, Santa Fé 1.

Third quarter—In this quarter Victoria were more heavily pressed, and any attempt of theirs to get away was met by R. Traill, who was very handy, and whose back strokes were particularly useful. Some open play ended the quarter with the score unchanged, 4-1.

Fourth quarter—At first confined to Victoria territory until Chapman got away and E. Traill returned. Up and down play followed in which E. Traill, Fea, and Chapman were seen to best advantage, and the hardest bit of galloping of the afternoon was witnessed. E. Traill came within an ace of scoring, but was just wide, and as soon as the ball was in again Fea, as the result of a very clever run, scored the fifth goal for Victoria. 5-1.

Fifth quarter—Santa Fé were now beaten though they still clung to the hopeless task, and gave Victoria a good deal of galloping. White was very near his best at this time and after a little exciting play he passed to Kinchant, who hit the sixth goal for Victoria; nothing further of moment occurred in this quarter. Score: Victoria 6, Santa Fé 1.

Sixth quarter—There is little to describe as Victoria had all the best of the game though they only secured another goal hit by Kinchant, until time, leaving the match in favour of Victoria by 7 to 1.

It was a really good game notwithstanding the score, Santa Fé stuck to their work pluckily when no hope was left, the brothers Traill especially showing up well. Victoria were splendidly together all through, and it would be making invidious distinctions to say that one man excelled another.

Sunday, 29th—Final.

Victoria 1.	Venado Tuerto
1. A. Chapman	1. C. Hay
2. F. Kinchant	2. C. Hinchcliffe
3. M. Fea	3. L. Bury
F. White (back)	F. Robinson (back)

The final was played on Sunday, on the old ground which proved the better of the two, being less dusty and more even from little play. The weather still kept fine and was not so cold, but the dust was very trying as it had been throughout the tournament.

First quarter—This was a good galloping quarter and there were some splendid runs on both sides, the play was very even, and no score resulted.

Second quarter—Was very fast all through, Victoria got just away, and Chapman going right through, scored. The play was fairly even, both sides showing brilliant form, White being most noticeable individually. Score: Victoria 1, Venado Tuerto 0.

Third quarter—No goal was scored, but there was some great up and down play. M. Fea and Bury both putting in some very good work.

Fourth quarter—Kinchant and Fea were both in brilliant fettle and goals came to each of them after some hard play. Then Venado Tuerto put in a spurt, and placed the only goal to their credit through Bury, who was working throughout like a demon and whose successful effort was the mark of the game. Score 3-1.

Fifth quarter—The play was in no sense loose and Venado Tuerto did not acknowledge themselves beaten, but it was evident that Victoria had the legs of them now even more than in the early part of the game. Kinchant had a clever rush and scored a well judged goal. Score: Victoria 4, Venado Tuerto 1.

Sixth quarter—Was a very fast conclusion to an excellent game. Venado Tuerto were beaten but they played up to the finish, and at all events prevented any further score against them, which was left at 4 to 1.

Victoria were favourites at the start, and were no doubt on the whole the best team at the time, though it is quite on the cards that they would not win three out of five against Venado Tuerto. However, the best team won no doubt, and so brought a most successful tournament to a pleasant end.

The attendance all through was very good, the natives being present in force, and taking a most appreciative interest in the different points. Interest is gaining certainly with the outsiders, whilst it never fails with the ever ready votaries.

On both Friday the 27th and Saturday the 28th, there were dances at the usual rendezvous Gambrinus Halle, Mr G. S. Lumsdaine had the largest share in the arrangements which were perfect. The Hall was very tastefully decorated, and both the music and the floor were excellent, whilst the catering of Mr Petersen did him infinite credit.

Amongst the ladies present were Mrs Graham, Mrs Parry, Mrs Chapman, Miss Dickinson, Miss E. Dickinson, Miss Chapman, Mrs Malcolm, Miss Malcolm, Miss M. Malcolm, Mrs Green, Mrs Moncrieff, Miss Troubeck, Miss Leared, Miss E. Leared, Mrs MacLaren, Mrs Watt, Miss Watt, Miss Fea, Miss Shimield, Miss Francis, Miss Glover, and Miss Talbot.

On Sunday a "Smoker" at the Hotel Ingles brought a most enjoyable reunion to a close.

HURLINGHAM.

On Sunday last the following sides turned up for a game:

Waistcoats	Plain
1. A. Williamson	1. Lacey
2. H. Bedford	2. A. Challinor
3. G. Haig	3. J. Hunter
B. Bedford (back)	E. Drabble (back)

The play was not of a very interesting character, the ground being bumpy, which made accurate hitting out of the question. In the end the "Waistcoats" were defeated, after six fairly hard "periods," by five goals to three.

GOLF.

AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE RIVER PLATE.

This annual tournament, which took place at Lomas on the 28th, 29th and 30th of August, was undoubtedly a complete success. Favoured by ideal golfing weather and with the links as near perfection as could be, no one could possibly have any ground for complaint, and the Lomas Committee, with their hard-working captain, Mr C. Alexander, have every reason to be proud of the success of their efforts.

The draw for the first round was as follows:

- D. H. Dickinson, a bye.
- F. Carlisle, a bye.
- C. J. Baumgartner v. F. J. Coombs
- T. A. H. Forde v. W. Flint
- R. Paton v. — Nicholson
- W. Higgins v. D. Leighton
- T. S. Boadle v. V. G. G. Scroggie
- C. S. Clarke v. A. Williamson
- J. P. Clarke v. D. C. McGregor
- P. C. Smith v. A. A. Adamson
- W. P. Costabadie v. R. Agar
- A. M. Frederick v. A. D. Dunbar
- A. B. P. Boyd v. Rev. R. F. F. Handcock.
- H. Hume v. R. A. Sumner
- M. Grant Dalton v. W. Warden
- M. G. Fortune v. J. Marjoribanks.

Messrs Dickinson and Carlisle had byes, and the following did not put in an appearance—Messrs Coombs, Leighton, Boadle, J. P. Clarke, and McGregor.

Forde just got home by 1 hole from Flint, and C. S. Clarke only won from Williamson at the nineteenth hole. The other matches do not call for any particular remark, save that between Adamson and Smith, which was perhaps as good a piece of plucky play against heavy odds, by Smith, as any seen during the tournament. Adamson, a strong match player, led by 4 holes at the end of the first round, and Smith's second round of 39, enabling him to win by 2 up and 1 to play, was a very fine performance, his score for the second round was as follows: 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 6 4 = 39.

In the second round Higgins, who was fortunate in not having to meet Leighton in the first round, the latter having to scratch, was unexpectedly beaten badly by Paton, and Marjoribanks only just managed to dispose of Grant Dalton by 1 hole.

In the next round Dickinson accounted for Forde by 2 up and 1 to play, and Scroggie was too much for Paton, whom he defeated by 5 up and 3 to play. Then came, perhaps, the best match seen during the meeting, Smith against Dunbar. The play was good all round, and at the end of 9 holes neither had the advantage. In the second round, however, Dunbar excelled himself and played an almost perfect game, winning a fine match by 3 up and 2 to play. Scores:

Dunbar—1st round, 6 5 5 3 4 5 6 4 5 = 43
" 2nd " 5 4 5 3 4 4 3 5 5 = 38
—81
Smith—1st round, 5 4 5 4 7 5 6 5 4 = 45
" 2nd " 6 4 4 7 5 4 5 5 4 = 44
—89

Dunbar's score of 38 was the lowest returned in the tournament, beating Smith's best by one stroke.

In the semi-final Scroggie beat Dickinson; and Marjoribanks, who had a bye in the previous round, was easily defeated by Dunbar by 4 up and 2 to play, the former seeming unable to get into his game properly.

In the final it was generally anticipated that Dunbar would be too much for Scroggie, though the latter, well known as a strong match player, did not lack supporters. As it turned out, Dunbar playing steady golf won easily by 5 up and 3 to play, though had Scroggie not missed several short puts the result might not have been so much against him.

Dunbar's victory was thoroughly well deserved; he played a consistent game all through and his driving at times was brilliant. It is a matter for regret that Leighton was unable to play, and that Smith and Adamson had to meet so early. Our Montevideo friends were also unfortunate in being drawn so close together.

Dunbar—final, 1st round, 4 5 7 6 4 5 5 5 4 = 45
" " 2nd " 6 4 6 3 4 5 3 4 6 = 41
" " 3rd " 6 7 4 4 5 5 3 5 6 = 45
" " 4th " 7 5 4 4 5 4 = 29

for 6 holes.

It is to be hoped that next year's meeting will be as successful as this has been, and that players from Rosario and other places will not be so conspicuous by their absence as they have been on this occasion.

LOMAS GOLF LINKS.

Special Prize Competition, Medal Play under handicap for best five rounds, played three on August 29 and two on August 30.

A Class—Handicaps (minus 8 and under for 18 holes), twenty-five entries, the following being the scores handed in:

M. L. Runciman	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Total	Han-	Tot.
(winner)	53	47	54	48	49	251	20	231
C. Alexander	52	50	56	46	54	258	20	238
M. Grant Dalton	48	52	45	53	48	249	10	239
F. Carlisle	47	49	45	51	49	241	scr	241
A. M. Frederick	49	51	54	48	52	254	13	241
W. Warden	53	50	54	52	50	259	18	241
H. A. Livock	55	59	51	53	50	268	20	248
W. Flint	54	52	53	51	47	257	5	252
W. P. Costabadie	51	54	54	51	62	272	20	252
T. A. H. Forde	49	55	49	61	54	268	scr	268

B Class—Handicaps (more than minus 8 for 18 holes), eleven entries, the following being scores handed in:

E. H. Theobald	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Total	Han-	Tot.
(winner)	52	51	55	53	48	259	23	236
J. R. Walker	56	55	55	56	53	275	35	240
T. V. M. Knox	54	53	51	51	56	265	23	242
F. J. Coombs	64	52	62	54	55	287	28	259
C. C. Alexander	62	49	60	62	59	292	30	262
R. M. Smiles	58	56	58	58	64	294	23	271

Owing to the Championship Athletic Sports being fixed for September 8th the inter-club return match between Lomas and Flores, which had been fixed for the same date, will be played on the following Sunday, September 12. As there is some idea of the Flores team requesting the use of the Lomas links for this return match, those interested will do well to look out for a special announcement next week as to the place of play.

We understand the Lomas Club is endeavouring to arrange with the Buenos Aires Club for a return match, to be played on Sunday, September 19, to close the season.

ALBERDI GOLF CLUB.

The following is the result of the mixed foursomes played at the Alberdi Golf Links on the 21st August for a prize presented by the Club.

Mr. Fleming and Mrs Greene	76	scr	76
Mr and Mrs Robb	85	scr	85
Mr and Mrs Rattray	70	scr	70
Mr C. Mallet and Miss Shimield	75	10	65
Mr Greene and Miss Talbot	80	15	65
Mr A. Clarke and Miss Gay	76	15	61
Mr Shimield and Miss Loveday	92	15	77
Mr Elhiert and Miss Ransdale (win.)	71	15	56
Mr and Mrs Ransdale	98	30	68
Mr Le Bas and Miss Le Bas	93	30	63

MONTEVIDEO GOLF CLUB.

The final competition for the Diamond Jubilee Cup, presented by F. Henderson, Esq., the President of the Club, was played on Wednesday, August 25. The event was decided by four rounds or 36 holes, under Medal Play rules.

The day was fine, but a strong "pampero" wind made any extraordinarily low scoring out of the question.

The trophy was won by A. M. Frederick, with a nett score of 176; Mr Henderson, who of course was not competing for the Cup, taking second prize, and E. Richards the third.

The following is the detailed result of the day's play:

A. M. Frederick	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total	Han-	Total
	round	round	round	round	round	dicap	nett
A. M. Frederick	52	50	52	53	207	31	176
F. Henderson	50	76	55	56	237	63	174
E. Richards	60	62	64	54	240	55	185
W. E. Cameron	59	61	64	60	244	51	193
W. G. Costabadie	61	54	64	58	237	43	194
J. Fraser	58	60	61	68	247	53	194
A. D. Dunbar	51	46	51	50	198	scr	198
J. D. Reid	58	57	69	56	240	41	199
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Webster, U.S.N.	61	57	64	71	253	50	203
J. H. Wright	65	72	67	67	271	65	206
H. Marshall	77	70	56	67	270	61	209
T. W. Thomas	68	60	62	63	253	43	210

FIXTURES.

LOMAS.

- Sept. 5—Reserved for competition for the President's Prize for Foursomes, unless provided for earlier.
- Sept. 12—Lomas v. Flores, at Flores.

BUENOS AIRES GOLF CLUB.

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

HURLINGHAM.

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

FLORES.

Sept. 12—Flores v. Lomas, at Flores.

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SPORTING NOTES

It was most fortunate that the weather held up so well at the beginning of this week, for although rain threatened on several occasions none fell, and the numerous sporting fixtures set down for decision were all successfully carried out, and the only possible cause for complaint was the strong wind, which somewhat interfered with the golf and football.

Our Rosario friends, I regret to say, were by no means so fortunate in this respect, as a heavy downfall of rain knocked everything on the head, and the Annual Athletic Sports had to be postponed. These will now take place on the first of next month, the committee having wisely deemed it advisable to fix a date with which no other fixture clashes. This date will also give them an opportunity of reopening the entries, which I should strongly recommend them to do, and many of our athletes here who were unable to journey up last Monday will have a chance of competing.

Under "Athletics" may be found a full list of the entries and handicaps for the forthcoming championship meeting at Lomas. The championship events have not been at all well filled, the hurdles only producing one entry and the Quarter Mile but two entries. In consequence the Championship Quarter Mile will be run off at the same time as the handicap. Although the quantity is poor, the quality is decidedly good, and given fine weather these sports should of a most interesting nature.

The Cañada de Gomez polo tournament which took place the latter end of last week and the early part of this one, may truly be described as one of the most successful ever held, both from a polo and a social point of view. The play is so fully dealt with in another column that I need say no more here, but simply offer my congratulations to the winning team, and to Mr F. White, to whose efforts the success of the meeting was in no slight measure due.

The race meeting last Monday at Hurlingham was, from every point of view, a most enjoyable one. The race of the day was, of course, the Grand National, and everyone was glad to see that good sportsman, Mr F. C. Barry, score a win with Speculation. A gamer piece of horse flesh never looked through a bridle, he was as fit as hands could make him, and was beautifully ridden by Mr White.

Speculation is such a fine jumper, and stays so well, that it seems a great pity there is such a little cross country racing here, and that what there is in this respect, is not better patronised, so that we could see what he is really capable of. As a matter of fact he would probably hold his own in any company at this game.

There was no more popular win at this meeting than when Mr F. W. Clunie steered Mr Fortune's rare game pony Tommy, first past the post in the Galloway Steeplechase. The pair are so well known with the drag hounds, and Tommy has carried his sportsmanlike jockey so finely in the van all the season, that it was most pleasing to see the two in the same position on the race-course, where Mr Clunie's bad luck is proverbial.

Although the hunting season has already closed at Hurlingham, the followers of the hounds intend to have one more gallop, this time over a five mile course, which out of courtesy, is to be called "Point to Point," the date fixed is Sunday, the 12th September, which coming four days after the Ayrshire Cup will be a fitting wind up to the racing season. There are to be three races, one for horses, one for galloways, and one for ponies to be run before lunch, after which ceremony a polo match will be played so that frequenters of the popular club will be well catered for, be they onlookers or otherwise.

I am exceedingly sorry to learn that Mr Taylor, the well known and highly esteemed Judge of the Palermo races, is in anything but a satisfactory state of health and in consequence has decided to take a trip home, his medical advisers, having strongly recommended this step. The statement made by one of our leading native colleagues to the effect that Mr Taylor has been "suspendido" is quite incorrect, and I trust we shall see him back in his old post in time for next season's racing, quite restored to his usual health.

The Amateur Golf Championship of the River Plate was a very great success, and Lomas appeared to be alive with golfers on the three days, during which the meeting was held. For the club committee and Mr C. Alexander, the captain, no one had anything but praise to offer, and their efforts were fully appreciated. The weather was perfect for golf, and with the links in first-class order everybody appeared well satisfied.

As to the play itself, some of the draws were decidedly unfortunate. Messrs Smith and Adamson, for example, were drawn together in the first round, and either of these players might very well have worked his way to the semi-final and final. In the end, however, Messrs A. D. Dunbar and V. G. G. Scroggie were left to fight out the final, the Montevidean representative eventually earning the title of "Champion of the River Plate" by five up and three to play

The champion's play was undoubtedly very good all through, and at times brilliant. In addition to being returned the winner he made the record score for the nine holes during the three day's competition, namely thirty-eight. This was the third annual championship tournament, and for the second time the coveted trophy has gone the other side.

The return golf match between the Lomas and Flores clubs, which was to have been played next Wednesday, has been postponed to Sunday, the 12th inst. It is not yet definitely decided where the match will be played, as there is some talk of playing on the Lomas links. Next week I hope to be able to give more particulars as to time and place.

The Cup, so kindly presented to the Flores Golf Club by Mr Cecil Miller, has arrived, and is a handsome silver bowl, the final for which, 36 holes under handicap, will be played on Wednesday next, the 8th inst. The following eight are entitled to compete: Messrs Agar, Clarke, Carlisle, Handcock, Hume, Knox, Theobald, and W. Warden. A Flores golf team go up to-night to try conclusions with a Rosario team.

On Thursday last, one of our best known golfers, Mr D. Leighton, drove off into the course of matrimony. His partner in the mixed foursome being Miss Macpherson, who has recently arrived from "Auld Reekie." The ceremony was solemnized

in the Scotch Church, which was very prettily decorated for the occasion. The Rev. J. W. Fleming officiated. Mr Leighton's connection with golf in Buenos Aires only extends over the comparatively short period of two years, but during that time he has gained for himself the reputation of being one of our most brilliant players. I beg to join his numerous friends in wishing that the round on which he has just started may be crowned with every success.

The smoking concert to be held in aid of the funds of the Banfield Athletic Club, will take place on Wednesday evening next, at 8 p.m., at the Italian Hall, Banfield. The last entertainment given by this club was greatly enjoyed, and as the programme on this occasion contains the names of some of our best performers, a pleasant evening is anticipated.

The seventh annual sports in connection with the Sunday Schools in San Martin, were held last Monday before a large number of spectators, and a very jolly day was spent. All the youngsters entered into the spirit of the thing heart and soul, and the long programme, containing twenty-eight events, was most successfully gone through. At the conclusion of the sports Mrs Darch kindly presented the numerous prizes to the fortunate winners.

Although at the time of writing the weather is anything but spring like, we are now close upon the cricket season, and our cricketers are evidently going to have a busy time of it. From a letter I received by the last mail, it is more than probable that a team of English amateurs will visit us later on in the season, so that with these matches, and possibly the championship matches, there will be plenty doing in the cricket world.

The meeting of cricket secretaries will be held in these offices on Tuesday next, at five o'clock in the afternoon, when every club should be represented. The annual general meeting of the Buenos Aires Cricket Club will be held at the St. John's School-room on Wednesday, the 15th inst. at 8.30 p.m., when as many members as possible are requested to attend.

FOOTBALL

RUGBY FIXTURES.

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.	12	9	1	2	55	9	20
Lanus A.C.	12	10	2	0	39	8	20
Belgrano "A"	12	9	2	1	47	15	19
Flores A.C.	12	6	5	1	44	22	13
Palermo A.C.	12	4	7	0	11	50	8
Belgrano "B"	12	1	10	1	10	56	3
Banfield A.C.	12	0	11	1	6	52	1

RUGBY.

B.A.F.C. v. OLD BEDFORDIANS.

This important Rugby football match, which closes the season of 1897, will be played to-morrow at Lomas. The train leaves Plaza Constitucion at 1.15 p.m., by which all are requested to travel as the two teams will be photographed before the match.

The following have been selected to play:—

Old Bedfordians—
Back—R. E. H. Anderson.
Three-quarters—A. Anderson, J. O. Anderson, F. H. Jacobs.
Half backs—H. Anderson, E. L. Rumboll.
Forwards—G. S. Anderson, L. Corry-Smith, F. Daniel, F. Orman, F. H. Morony, H. Morony, L. Jacobs, N. Whitworth, V. D. Close.

B.A.F.C.—
Back—R. W. Grant.
Three-quarters—G. F. Elliot, A. McMorran, L. Wilson, H. Webster.

Half backs—D. King, H. Mohr Bell.
Forwards—J. C. Bellamy, M. F. Gilderdale, H. W. Botting, W. D. Campbell, H. Schwind, E. Liversedge, C. Romer, A. Brodie.

The B.A. players must wear the club colours.
Referee—A. Goodfellow, Esq.

LOMAS A.C. v. BELGRANO B.

The above return League match, which was played at Belgrano last Sunday, failed to attract the usual attendance to the ground of the home club. The visitors were not up to full strength, while the home team were without their usual goal keeper, in addition to which they had to play one short after the first twenty minutes or so. The game proved to be very one-sided, as Lomas were superior at all points, and eventually won easily by nine goals to one.

Lomas won the toss and elected to defend the railway end goal. On the ball being set in motion the home forwards went off with a rush and at once forced a corner. The kick was well taken, but after a short scramble relief was brought and Comber dashed away on the right wing. When in the Belgrano quarters, he passed neatly to C. Gibson, who sent it on to J. O. Anderson, and the last named banged it through. It was a very pretty goal and the result of a good combination. Shortly afterwards the same player again beat the home custodian with a low shot which found the net in the extreme corner. Belgrano now had a look in and owing to some good kicking by the backs and useful work on the left wing, Grimdsitch obtained a fair opening, but the ball went wide. From the kick off Lomas worked the ball down and just as a score looked imminent, one of the Belgrano half backs, Wood, hurt his knee badly, which ultimately ended in his retiring from the field, so that from this point Belgrano were one short. After the referee had thrown the ball up, Lomas continued to press and one or two shots nearly found the mark, J. O. Anderson eventually adding the third goal, with another low shot. From the kick off the Belgrano forwards again went away and almost scored, A. Anderson bringing relief just in time, by kicking across the ground. Following this the ball was soon back in the Belgrano quarters where Stirling beat Dunn, making the fourth goal in favour of the visitors. The attack being kept up Stirling put in a very hot shot which Dunn saved in grand style, but could not get the ball away and C. Gibson was able to add the fifth goal. Just before the interval Belgrano obtained a free kick for "hands" in front of the Lomas goal, and Dickinson placed the ball in the net, but nobody was able to touch it. The whistle soon after sounded for half time the score being Lomas five goals, Belgrano nil.

On resuming play the visitors at once forced a corner, from which nothing resulted and the home forwards with the wind in their favour made a determined effort to score, but found the Lomas back division too much for them. Play remained fairly even for some fifteen minutes. Boyd at half, and the brothers Dickinson putting in some good work, but at last C. Gibson again found the net from a nice pass by Comber. After this the Belgrano forwards got away with a rush and Dickinson passing to Brodie and the visiting backs being too far up the field, the ball was rushed through the Lomas goal and the first and only goal was scored by the homesters amid great applause. After this Lomas took matters pretty well into their own hands, and the forwards combining well J. O. Anderson was able to score the seventh goal. From the kick off the visiting forwards again resumed the attack and C. Gibson notched the eighth point. Belgrano tried hard to stop these reverses and for a time the score remained unaltered, but just before time was called J. O. Anderson scored the ninth and last goal. The final score being, as already stated, nine goals to one in favour of Lomas.

Mr H. W. Botting acted as referee to everyone's satisfaction.

The following were the teams:—

Belgrano B.—
Goal—J. G. Dunn.
Backs—W. Fowler, J. H. Boyd.
Half backs—G. L. S. Wood, J. R. Boyd, E. Davis.
Forwards—E. Grimdsitch, N. Fraser, A. Brodie, E. Dickinson, N. Dickinson.

Lomas—
Back—S. Gibson.
Backs—A. Anderson, L. Jacobs.
Half backs—H. P. Wright, F. H. Jacobs, F. J. C. Boutell.
Forwards—G. M. Comber, C. Gibson, J. O. Anderson, W. Stirling, D. Gibson.

LOMAS A.C. v. LANUS (F.C.S.) A.C.

This important return League fixture was decided on Monday last at Lomas, before a very large gathering of spectators, who were well rewarded by witnessing an extremely well contested game which eventually ended in a win for Lanus by the narrow margin of one goal to nothing. Each team had a large number of supporters, but Lomas entered the field with the better record not having, up till this match, received any reverse at all, although two points had been lost on account of a couple of drawn games. Lanus on the other hand, had almost as good a record, only having met with one reverse, and having won their remaining ten fixtures. Unfortunately a strong breeze from goal to goal greatly interfered with the play, the side playing with the wind naturally having the better of exchanges.

J. O. Anderson won the toss for Lomas and elected to play with the wind, thus defending the station end goal, and punctually at half past two o'clock, G. Brown set the ball in motion. In spite of the strong wind against them the Lanus front rank were the first to attack, but wild shooting only resulted in the ball going behind. From the kick out the home team began to settle down and the Lanus backs were soon busy and a corner was obtained against them. It was well taken by Comber, but nothing resulted. Keeping up the attack, Coste was called upon to stop an excellent shot from G. Leslie, while another from Anderson only just missed the mark.

After a strong attack by the home forwards another corner was obtained, but from this the Lanus front rank obtained possession and a strong rush ended in G. Brown shooting wide at the Lomas goal. After this play followed almost entirely in the visitors' quarters and Lomas had very hard lines in not scoring. Another fine shot by G. Leslie from the left wing gave Coste a chance of displaying his brilliant qualities, while later he again had to handle a shot from Stirling. At length the Lanus left wing brought relief, but only momentarily as the ball was soon back at the other end where J. O. Anderson only just missed by inches, with a hard shot which went over. Keeping up the pressure C. Gibson had a magnificent chance, but failed to take advantage of it, Coste doing the needful. Very even play followed and try how they would, neither side could open the score, although Lomas got very near doing so several times. All this time the play had been very fast indeed, the ball being carried to all parts of the field at a great pace. When at last, the whistle sounded for half time the score sheet still remained blank, and with the wind blowing as hard as ever the prospects of the home team were not very bright.

After the usual interval, J. O. Anderson restarted the game and Lanus getting possession, the ball was carried down towards their opponents' goal. Here a terrible disaster befel the home team, hands being given against them in front of the goal. Brown took the kick, and the ball went to the feet of Munro, who was standing by the goal post unmarked, and this player had, of course, no difficulty in scoring the one and only goal of the match. From this point on, the Lanus team may be said to have generally had the best of matters, but it must by no means be thought that Lomas never became dangerous. On the contrary, they frequently attacked and very nearly scored more than once, indeed W. Stirling on one occasion had the goal entirely at his mercy, but quite unaccountably shot wide when a couple of yards from the goal. Meanwhile Lanus encouraged by their success certainly gave the spectators a taste of what they could do and both the kicking of their backs (aided by the strong wind) and the combination of their forwards left very little to be desired, but the shooting was poor and they frequently overran the ball. The excitement was fully maintained to the end, but in spite of the most strenuous efforts on the part of both teams no further score has to be recorded and the final whistle sounded leaving Lanus the winners by one goal to nothing.

On the day's play we must say the better team won, but after such a grand struggle it does seem extremely hard lines on Lomas, that they should be robbed of their old position by a goal scored from a free kick, especially as the foul was quite unintentional, and in nine cases out of ten would not have been given. The result, however, was, to our way of thinking, correct, and there was just about one goal's difference between the two elevens on the day's play.

For the winners, all played up splendidly and never for a moment relaxed their efforts. It seems hardly just to mention any one in particular out of such a team, but we think Coste, Buchanan, Miller, and C. P. C. Comber in their various positions did much to gain for Lanus their splendid and thoroughly well deserved victory. For the losers we have never seen the half back division give such a weak display and their failure undoubtedly upset the whole team the backs having a double share of work and the forwards failing to show their usual combination.

Mr R. W. Rudd kindly officiated as referee, and needless to say, his decisions were excellent. Messrs E. Luck and L. Philippe were the linesmen.

The following were the teams:—

Lanus A.C.—
Goal—A. Coste.
Backs—T. Bridge, W. Buchanan.
Half backs—I. Nobili, A. A. Miller, W. Dunn.
Forwards—G. H. Brooking, C. P. C. Comber, G. Brown, H. Munro, L. Nobili.

Lomas A.C.
Goal—H. Ritchie.
Backs—A. Anderson, W. Leslie.
Half back—H. P. Wright, F. H. Jacobs, F. J. C. Boutell.
Forwards—G. M. Comber, C. Gibson, J. O. Anderson, W. Stirling, G. E. Leslie.

BELGRANO A v. BELGRANO B.

These two teams met on Monday last at Belgrano to play off their return League fixture, and a very even game resulted, the A team only winning by three goals to two. The B team were unfortunate in having one of the goals scored against them, as the ball screwed off their goal keeper's foot and went through. A few minutes from the commencement the A forwards broke away and Harvey, with a low shot, was enabled to open the scoring. On restarting, the A team were soon attacking again and Edge notched the second goal. This second reverse had the desired effect on the B team as they immediately began to settle down and play for all they were worth. The first to show up prominently were the brothers Dickinson, who by nice combination transferred play to the A quarters where Grimdsitch was able to score the first goal for the B team. After the kick off the B team were again to the fore and another rush by the forwards, in which Evill and Grimdsitch were conspicuous, allowed Brodie to get the ball through for the second time. From now until nearly half way through the second part play ruled fast and even, and one and all played a most energetic game. Strive how they would, neither side could score, and it was not until some twenty minutes from the end that Harvey scored the last and winning goal for the A team. This disaster infused fresh life into the B team and they

worked very hard to try and get on terms with their opponents, but the defence of the A team was too sure and safe, and eventually the B team had to retire defeated.

Every praise is due to the plucky game the B team played and with a little more luck it is quite possible that the result might have been the other way about.

Mr J. W. Wilson acted as referee.

Belgrano A—
Goal—J. Mackenzie.
Backs—G. L. Macfarlane, J. Negron.
Half backs—H. Edye, C. C. Mackenzie, J. Roy.
Forwards—W. H. Harvey, H. Rugeroni, H. W. Botting, J. Baldoek, T. Allen.

Belgrano B—
Goal—J. R. Boyd.
Back—J. H. Boyd, W. H. Fowler.
Half backs—H. J. Fraser, E. Davis, J. Barfield.
Forwards—N. Dickinson, E. Dickinson, A. Brodie, E. Grimdsitch, E. S. Evill.

ATHLETICS

LOMAS ATHLETIC CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP MEETING.

The above meeting will be held on the New Ground of the Lomas Athletic Club, on Wednesday next, the 5th inst.

Below we give the entries and handicaps for same:—

100 YARDS, Championship.—E. M. Ash, G. F. Elliot, W. H. Kirby, E. G. Ritchie.

880 YARDS, Championship and Handicap.—Edward Clark, scr—G. M. Comber, scr—C. A. Knaudt, scr—J. C. Attwell, 60 yds—D. R. Gunn, 60 yds—J. H. Elliot, 80 yds—M. F. Gilderdale, 80 yds—J. Argüello, 80 yds.

ONE MILE, Championship and Handicap.—Edward Clark, scr—C. E. Smiles, scr—A. Anderson, 80 yds—C. A. Knaudt, 100 yds—J. C. Attwell, 120 yds—J. Argüello, 160 yds—A. H. Poulton, 160 yds—D. R. McDonald, 160 yds.

HIGH JUMP, Championship and Handicap.—E. G. Ritchie, scr—D. R. Gunn, 6 in—G. Tollemache, 6 in—C. E. Smiles, 8 in—R. Campbell, 10 in.

LONG JUMP, Championship and Handicap.—E. G. Ritchie, scr—J. O. Anderson, 1 ft 9 in—W. Stirling, 2 ft 3 in—G. Tollemache, 2 ft 6 in—H. Wilson, 2 ft 6 in.

THROWING THE HAMMER, Championship and Handicap.—P. A. Grassick, scr—P. Grant, scr—D. S. Weir, scr—W. Brunt, 20 ft.

PUTTING THE SHOT, Championship and Handicap.—D. S. Weir, scr—E. G. Ritchie, scr—R. W. Murray, scr—P. A. Grassick, scr—T. Moore, scr—H. Alexander, scr—J. C. Bellamy, 3 ft—W. Brunt, 3 ft 6 in—G. Tollemache, 3 ft 6 in—G. F. Elliot, 4 ft 6 in—R. Campbell, 6 ft.

FIVE MILES BICYCLE, Championship.—F. J. C. Boutell, C. Juarez Celman, M. Chédel, J. Gerstenberg, J. de Laperriere, W. J. Shilton.

120 YARDS HURDLES, Handicap.—E. G. Ritchie, owes, 14 yds—H. Mohr Bell, owes, 6 yds—G. A. Christian, owes, 2 yds—H. N. Jacobs, owes, 2 yds—A. G. E. Shaw, scr—C. E. Smiles, scr.

120 YARDS, Handicap.—G. F. Elliot, scr—D. Duncan, 2½ yds—H. Mohr Bell, 3½ yds—W. H. Kirby, 3½ yds—A. G. E. Shaw, 5 yds—J. O. Anderson, 6 yds—M. H. Green, 6 yds—J. E. Hunter, 6 yds—H. Jacobs, 6 yds—C. Sagehora, 6 yds—F. G. Boyd, 6½ yds—H. Hopper, 7 yds—G. A. Christian, 8 yds.

440 YARDS, Championship and Handicap.—G. F. Elliot, scr—G. M. Comber, scr—D. Duncan, 15 yds—J. C. Attwell, 20 yds—F. G. Boyd, 20 yds—H. Hopper, 20 yds—J. E. Hunter, 20 yds—G. Argüello, 30 yds—M. H. Green, 30 yds—D. R. Gunn, 30 yds.

220 YARDS, Handicap.—G. F. Elliot, scr—G. M. Comber, 5 yds—D. Duncan, 5½ yds—W. H. Kirby, 8 yds—F. G. Boyd, 10 yds—G. Buchanan, 10 yds—D. E. Gunn, 10 yds—C. Sagehora, 10 yds—H. Hopper, 12 yds—H. N. Jacobs, 12 yds—J. E. Hunter, 12 yds—M. H. Green, 15 yds—M. F. Gilderdale, 15 yds.

220 YARDS, Veterans.—D. Duncan, scr—W. H. Kirby 2 yds—R. W. W. Romer, 8 yds—G. J. W. Burton, 22 yds.

SACK RACE.—M. H. Green, H. Hopper, C. E. Smiles.

100 YARDS, Handicap (Boys under 14).—J. A. Trench, scr—J. Rodman, scr—R. Frommel, 3 yds—E. Gibson, 4 yds—F. W. Scharenberg, 4 yds—H. Bell, 4 yds—D. E. Cotman, 5 yds—M. Cowes, 5½ yds—C. E. Trench, 9 yds—T. W. Mills, 10 yds—M. Frommel, 12 yds—P. Griffin, 14 yds—R. A. Cotman, 24 yds—F. E. D. Danvers, 30 yds.

220 YARDS, Handicap (Boys under 14).—J. Rodman, scr—J. A. Trench, scr—R. Frommel, 6 yds—H. Bell, 8 yds—E. Gibson, 8 yds—F. W. Scharenberg, 8 yds—D. E. Cotman, 10 yds—C. E. Trench, 18 yds—T. W. Mills, 20 yds—M. Frommel, 23 yds—P. Griffin, 26 yds—R. A. Cotman, 40 yds.

ONE MILE BICYCLE, Handicap.—M. Chédel, scr—J. Gerstenberg, scr—F. J. C. Boutell, 50 yds—J. H. Boyd, 100 yds—J. W. Breckon, 150 yds—F. H. C. Boutell, 250 yds.

THREE MILES BICYCLE, Handicap.—F. J. C. Boutell, scr—M. Chédel, scr.
100 YARDS, Handicap (Members).—G. M. Comber, scr—D. Duncan, 1½ yds—H. Mohr Bell, 2½ yds—H. B. Anderson, 3½ yds—J. O. Anderson, 4½ yds—A. Anderson, 5½ yds—A. G. E. Shaw, 6 yds.

440 YARDS, Handicap (Members).—G. M. Comber, scr—D. Duncan, 7½ yds—H. B. Anderson, 10 yds—H. Mohr Bell, 10 yds—A. Anderson, 20 yds.

ROSARIO A.C.

Owing to the heavy rain which fell in Rosario on Monday morning the Rosario Athletic Club were unable to carry out their programme of sports, the track being in a totally unfit state.

At a meeting of the Committee held on Wednesday evening it was decided to postpone the sports until November 1st, and to reopen the entry list. This is, undoubtedly the best course that could have been taken, as it will probably lead to further entries from those who would be competitors who considered the original date too early.

The first of the three International matches between the American champion C. H. Kilpatrick and E. C. Bredin, the English half-mile champion, was decided at the Athletic Grounds, Rochdale, on July 31, in favourable weather, in the presence of about 6000 spectators. The present match was over 600 yards. Bredin, who won the toss, took the inside berth, but forcing the pace from the start the American, after going 60 yards, held a three yards lead. The American appeared to be running well within his powers, and, after four hundred yards had been covered, had increased his advantage to 5 yards. At this point Bredin made his effort, and gradually overhauling the American, he was level with 50 yards still to go. Kilpatrick struggled gamely to keep up with Bredin, who, however, proved much the stronger, and won a well-contested race by a yard and half. Time, a shade better than 1min. 13secs. The betting was two to 1 on Kilpatrick.

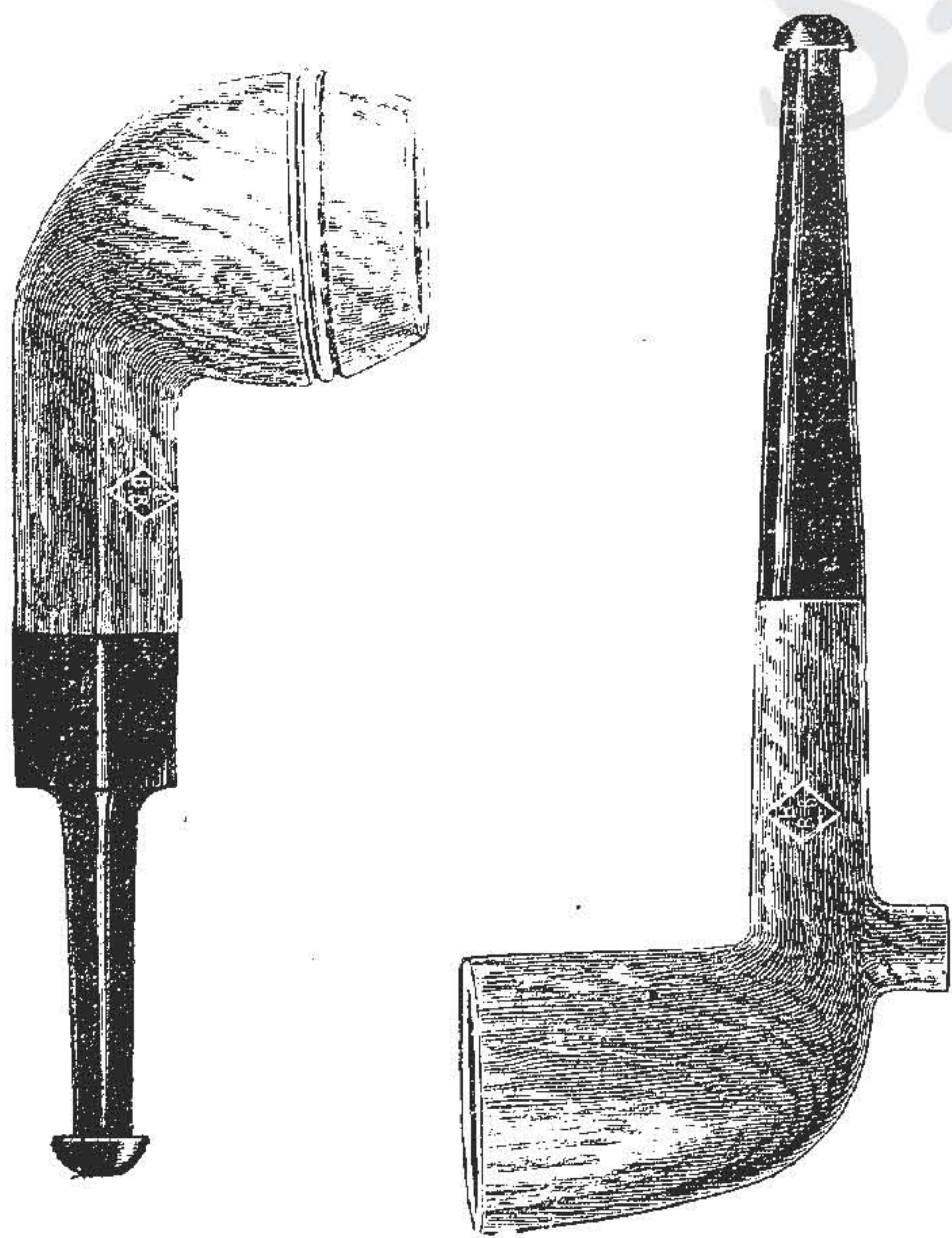
YACHTING

The victory of the ever-popular cutter Britannia in the race of the Royal Squadron enables her Royal owner to make another yachting record. The Queen's Cup won on August 3 was the eighth won by the Prince, which is one more than has ever been gained by any other yachtsman. Six of them were won by the Britannia and one each by the cutter Formosa and the schooner Hildgarde. Mr John Jameson, the famous Dublin yachtsman, runs the Prince hard with seven, four of which were won by Irex, two by Samana, and one by Iverna. Other prominent winners of those much-cherished trophies were Mr Mulholland—six with the schooner Egeria; Mr E. Boucher the same number with the cutter Fiona, and Mr Joseph Weld four with the schooner Alarm and one with the cutter Lulworth.

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LAWN TENNIS.

VILLA DEVOTO v. QUILMES.

The inter-club lawn tennis match between the Villa Devoto and Quilmes Clubs was played last Monday at Quilmes. The wind was a little too strong, which somewhat tended to spoil accurate play, but a very jolly day was spent and some capital lawn tennis was witnessed. The final result was a win for the Quilmeros by three matches, six sets, and twenty-four games, the details of the scoring being as follows:

Messrs E. E. Cordner and D. Crawford (Quilmes) beat Messrs Lovett and Nelson, 6-2, 6-2.
Messrs Nelson and Inglis, 6-4, 6-4.
Messrs Jones and Menzies, 6-3, 6-4.

Messrs Ritchie and Patterson (Quilmes) beat Messrs Jones and Menzies, 6-4, 4-6, 7-6.
Messrs Lovett and Nelson; 5-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Messrs Garrington and Cunningham (Quilmes) beat Messrs Jones and Menzies, 6-2, 6-4.

Messrs Menzies and Inglis (Villa Devoto) beat Messrs Ritchie and Patterson, 6-5, 3-6, 6-3.

Messrs Lovett and Inglis (Villa Devoto) beat Messrs Garrington and Cunningham, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Messrs Lovett and Nelson (Villa Devoto) beat Messrs Garrington and Cunningham, 6-5, 6-4.

Total score: Quilmes—6 matches, 14 sets, 118 games; Villa Devoto—3 matches, 8 sets, 94 games.

PIGEON RACING.

SOCIEDAD COLOMBOFILA.

FIXTURES.

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

KENNEL.

We read that Mr J. B. Joel is taking his celebrated bulldog, Lord Francis, with him to Johannesburg. This is a treat in store for the South Africans as the dog in question is far-away the best bulldog that has ever paid a visit to the land of diamonds and gold mines.

At a meeting of the Irish Kennel Association last month it was decided that the challenge cup to be offered for competition at the field trials of the Irish Red Setter Club, should be given for the best Irish red setter puppy competing at the trials. This cup is to be known as the Irish Kennel Association Challenge Cup, and must be won three times by the same owner (not necessarily in succession) before it becomes the winner's absolute property.

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CYCLING.

TANDEM CLUB.

As we announced in our previous issue, the races organized by the above club came off with great éclat at Palermo on Monday last, in the presence of a good number of spectators, the various events being run off according to the programme.

The first event, which turned out to be the race of the day, was a ten kilometre scratch race for tandems, open to members of clubs affiliated to the Union Velocipédica Argentina, the following turning out: Radé-Castro (Tandem Club), German-Dartiguelongue (Tandem Club), Peró-Brice (Club de Velocipedistas), Butti-Lazzarini (Club Ciclista del Plata), Linares-Tallibart (Club de Velocipedistas), and Montigaud-Negrel (Tandem Club). At the start the lead was taken by Messrs Lazzarini-Butti, who kept it for about two kilometres at a fair pace, when Linares-Tallibart sprinted past them and then the aspect of the race changed completely. Those who were in the know appeared to be pretty equally divided between the two tandems representing the Club de Velocipedistas, ridden by Peró-Brice and Linares-Tallibart, respectively; but they were unprepared for the way in which those two machines got away from the others, and before five kilometres were covered the representatives of the Club de Velocipedistas were the only ones left on the track. First one tandem took the lead, to give way soon after to the other, and in this way the race continued; but neither machine at any time during the latter part of the race was ever more than 50 centimetres behind the other. When on the last lap the two tandems appeared in the straight, some 200 metres from home, the greatest excitement prevailed among the spectators and indeed, to see the machines racing neck and neck at a tremendous pace was a sight worth seeing, the Judges having to crouch on the ground and look along the tape to make sure which was in first. None but the Judges were able to tell which was really first, and cries of "deadheat"! were heard on all sides, but at last it was known that Peró-Brice had won one of the best races ever seen in this country, and by some three inches!

To give our readers an idea of the speed attained by the machines, the last 100 metres was run in 63.5sec., which is a very good performance indeed.

The Club de Velocipedistas can certainly congratulate itself on its representatives, as seen last Sunday, and the immense superiority shown over their opponents.

The second race (5000 metres for bicycles) was not so interesting, although the finish was rather close, Montigaud who ran from scratch coming in first, Biagi (100 metres) second, and Dartiguelongue (100 metres) third.

The last (20,000 metres Championship for Tandems and Members of the Tandem Club only), was a walk over, only one machine, run by Montigaud-Negrel, starting.

CLUB DE VELOCIPEDISTAS.

After the Tandem Club's races, various members of the above, organized an excursion to San Martin where they arrived in time to witness the sports held by the "San Martin Athletic Club" on that day.

On the 8th inst, the club run will be to Lomas to witness the athletic sports organized by the Lomas Athletic Club. Members are requested to attend in the Club colours.

VELOZ CLUB ESPAÑOL.

This club, which has been so quiet lately is at last bestirring itself, and the Committee has decided on holding a Race Meeting at Palermo towards the end of the month. We will publish the programme of same as soon as possible.

One of the members of this club has invited the representatives of all clubs affiliated to the Union Velocipédica Argentina to his "quinta" at Merlo, where he promises a good time, and it is expected that a considerable number of cyclists will avail themselves of the invitation.

CLUB VELOCIPEDISTAS DE LOBOS.

Various cyclists in the town of Lobos have been trying to form a club in that town, to be called "Club Velocipedistas de Lobos." The various clubs here are rendering them every assistance, and no doubt the new club will soon be started.

CLUB CICLISTAS DEL ROSARIO.

We publish below a programme of a race meeting to be held at Rosario, under the auspices of the above club, on Wednesday the 8th inst:—

- 1st Race—1200 metres, scratch, for second class racing men. Roadsters only.
- 2nd Race—3000 metres, scratch, open.
- 3rd Race—1800 metres, handicap, for members of the above Club only, on roadsters.
- 4th Race—600 metres, handicap, foot race.
- 5th Race—7000 metres, Club Championship.
- 6th Race—1500 metres, consolation race.

THE WORLD'S INTERNATIONAL CYCLING MEETING.

The world's international cycling meeting, the fifth of the series, was held at Celtic Park, Glasgow, on July 30. There were twelve countries represented, and the number of riders present numbered over 100. The principal events were the ten kilometres amateur team race, and the one mile professional championship. The former was won easily by England with a total of 9

points, France and Denmark coming next with 11, Scotland and Ireland 17, and Holland 19. In the mile professional championship the winners of heats were Barden (England), Chinn (England), Bourillon (France), Arend (Germany), and Nossam (France). In the semi-finals, Barden beat Bourillon and Chinn after a splendid finish, while Arend defeated Nossam. Nossam, as the fastest loser, rode with the others in the final. Arend got past, and won the championship by a couple of lengths from Barden, with Nossam last.

The racing was continued at Celtic Park on July 31. The 100-kilometre professional championship of the world was won by J. W. Stocks, who covered the distance in 2h. 10min. 52 4-5sec. A. A. Chase, who was second, finished three minutes later. F. C. Armstrong was the only other competitor who started. The one mile amateur championship of the world, which was run for in heats, was won by E. Schraeder, Denmark—W. P. Fawcett, England, being second, and R. Reynolds, Ireland, third. In the final heat the winner covered his mile in 3min. 24 4-5sec. The half-mile professional open handicap was won by J. T. Gascoyne, England, in 59sec.

The competitions were concluded at Glasgow on August 2. The 100 kilometres amateur championship competition was won by E. Gould, England—Ouzou, France, being second. The Danish representative took the third place. The one mile match for the absolute championship of the world was won by Arend, the German professional, while E. Schraeder, the Danish amateur, was second. J. Kyllachy won the five miles professional scratch race. The total drawings are estimated at £2400, and the expenses at £1000.

CRICKET.

Yorkshire's chance of again winning the championship is not so good as it was a short time ago, while that of Lancashire is much better. Gloucestershire played a great game at Harrogate, winning a capital match by 140 runs. Gloucestershire made a fair start only, W. G. Grace scoring 22, R. W. Rice 9, and Wrathall 17; but when Champain and Jessop got together an entirely different complexion was put on the game. Champain by stylish and effective play put together an attractive 44, but it was Jessop that gave Gloucestershire the great advantage. In resolute style he hit ball after ball either to or over the boundary, and in forty minutes he ran up no fewer than 101 runs without giving a chance. Severely as the Yorkshire bowling was punished, yet it did not deteriorate, and the fielding was also as smart as possible. After Jessop's wonderful innings was at an end, Townsend went on making runs, and he was finally out for a beautifully played 109. The innings eventually closed for 370, and Yorkshire going in started badly, but Collinson and Lord Hawke saved the follow-on, the former contributing 34 and the latter 38, and the total reached 276, which was very good under the circumstances. Some consistent batting by "W. G.'s" eleven at their second batting essay took the score to 271 for nine wickets, when the Doctor declared. Yorkshire required 366 runs to win with four hours and a quarter to make them in. At a quarter past five the score was 109 for five wickets. Then the Doctor put on W. S. A. Brown to bowl, and in little time four more wickets fell for 26 runs, and as Hunter was soon out Gloucestershire won easily a match that half an hour before the finish seemed could end in nothing but a draw. Brown's four wickets only cost 14 runs, but Jessop did the brunt of the work, taking altogether nine wickets for 107.

On a treacherous wicket in a low scoring game Lancashire beat Hampshire by ten wickets, with 116—28 for no wicket, to 55—68. The bowlers all through had everything in their favour, and it is not necessary to say much about the batting when the highest scores were 31 not out, made by Briggs, and 29 by Webb.

The match at Brighton between Essex and Sussex at one time appeared likely to end in favour of the Leyton eleven, but on following on the Sussex men rose to the occasion, and the game ended in a draw which favoured neither team. Essex batted first on a beautifully fast wicket, and some heavy scoring followed. C. McGabey gave a good display, making 140 if not by vigorous but very attractive cricket. He has not been seen to such advantage before this season. A. J. Turner was also in form, and his 78 was a much finer innings than his 100 against Yorkshire. He is a reliable bat, with a good variety of strokes. A. P. Lucas gave no trouble, but Owen and Kortright, with 76 and 74 respectively, both were at their best, with the result that runs came at a good pace. Mead (15) and Bull (20) also did their small share to the big total of 475. Considering the largeness of the score, Bland did well to take five wickets for 131. Sussex lost Brann (1), Marlow (12), and Ranjitsinhji very cheaply; but Murdoch and Newham made a useful stand, the former compiling 57, and the latter 26. The only other two-figure scores were 36, not out, by Hartley, and 57 by Butt, who both succeeded where more reliable batsmen failed. As the last wicket fell at 276, Sussex had to follow on against a majority of 256. Brann and Marlow put on 65 runs for the first wicket, the latter leaving with 47 to his credit. With Brann and Ranjitsinhji partners the total was taken to 163, when Brann was dismissed for a cautious but most useful 60. Murdoch stopped with Ranjitsinhji till 218, and Newham taking his place at the wicket, the follow-on was saved. Ranjitsinhji then hit out in vigorous style, and gave two chances to Turner. He was finally bowled by Pickett for 170, which took him three hours

to make. His was a great innings in every respect, and was particularly satisfactory to the spectators. Towards the end of play Bean hit up 48 with vigour, and was not out at the finish. Sussex must be congratulated on getting out of a very tight position, and with leaving off with by no means the worst of the game.

The Philadelphians brought their tour to an end by meeting almost the full strength of Surrey, and only being beaten by 154 runs. The only prominent absentee from the Oval eleven was Richardson, whose place was filled by Nice. N. F. Druce played vice Leveson-Gower, but his inclusion probably strengthened the team. Surrey, with first innings, put together 273, to which the visitors replied with 233. The second innings of Surrey realised 372 runs, and that of the Americans 258.

A match which always furnishes plenty of attraction is that between Surrey and Notts at Kennington Oval on August Bank Holiday, and this year's fixture was no exception to the general rule. On August 2nd the brilliant weather caused a big crowd to assemble, upwards of 26,000 people paying for admission, and the attendance was little less on the second day. The cricket was of a changeable character, being fast while Surrey were batting, and mostly tame while the Notts men were in, but slowness on the part of the latter is expected. Getting the benefit of batting first, Surrey made such a good show that they defeated their opponents by nine wickets, a result highly appreciated by the Surrey crowd. Scores, Surrey 451 and 61 for one wicket, Notts 212 and 297. Abel played a fine innings of 215 for the winners, and Shrewsbury with 55—69 was the most successful of the losers.

Kent v. Lancashire was the attractive fixture arranged for the first match of the Canterbury week. A. N. Hornby, winning the toss, sent in Maclaren and Ward, with the result that 144 runs were put on for the first wicket, of which number Ward claimed 49. He also reached his 1,000 runs for the season. Maclaren was in his best form, scoring rapidly and brilliantly by making many beautiful strokes on the leg side. Sugg only made 1, but had the pleasure of seeing Maclaren reach his century. Baker only added a couple of runs, but with Lydesley in a further stand was made, he contributing 22. Wright effected his dismissal and that of Smith for 0 in the same over. Briggs joined Maclaren, and 72 runs were added before the little bowler was caught for 37. Maclaren was at length caught off Martin for 244, which took him a little over five hours to make. It was a grand exhibition of effective batting, and was only marred by two chances—one at 101 and the other at 138. With the total at 399 the innings closed, and Kent entered upon a very hard task. A good start was made but the total score was only 199. Following on, the home eleven did no better against the bowling of Briggs and Cuttill. The only score of note was 86 by J. R. Mason, who is playing at present a great game for his county. Lancashire won by an innings and 19 runs.

Owing to the pressure on our space this week we are only able to give the bare results of the remaining matches. The match between Middlesex and Somersetshire proved most exciting and eventually ended in a draw, the score being Middlesex 263 and 190, Somerset 317 and 123 for 9 wickets.

Hampshire defeated Derbyshire by 186 runs with 252 and 335 against 223 and 178.

Warwickshire succumbed to Yorkshire the latter team gaining a nine-wicket victory with 374 and 104 for 1 wicket to 172 and 305.

At Leicester, Essex beat the home county by six wickets with 333—58 for 4 wickets to 167—221.

Heavy scoring was the rule in the Sussex and Gloucestershire match at Bristol. The visitors played a slower game than usual, but made 367 in their first innings. W. L. Murdoch did not give a chance in scoring 130 not out, but displayed much caution, his runs being obtained by correct cricket. The Gloucestershire batsmen were also seen to advantage. W. G. Grace contributed a capital innings of 116, while Rice scored 34, Wrathall 27, Jessop 26, Board 21, and H. S. Goodwin 44 not out. Sussex completed their second innings for 249, and the match ended in a draw.

FIXTURES

RACING.

Sunday, Sept. 5—Hipódromo Argentino, Palermo.
Wednesday, Sept. 8—Hipódromo Argentino, Palermo.
Wednesday, Sept. 8—Meeting at Hurlingham.

FOOTBALL

RUGBY.

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

ATHLETICS.

Wednesday, Sept. 8—Championship Meeting, at Lomas.
Saturday, Sept. 11—Lomas Academy Athletic Sports.
Monday, Nov. 1—Rosario A.C. Sports, at Rosario.

PAVILION GOSSIP.

The League match between Lomas and Lanus which had been looked forward to with such great interest for some weeks previously, duly came off last Monday at Lomas. An exceptional number of spectators were present, and neither team lacked supporters, the visitors, if anything, apparently having the larger number of followers. Unfortunately a strong wind was blowing from goal to goal which considerably spoilt the play of both teams, and greatly marred all attempts at accurate passing.

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It was evident from the first that there was very little to choose between the two teams, and I cannot help thinking that a drawn game would have been the truest result on the day's play. In the first half Lomas, with the wind behind them, attacked nearly all the time, and in the second portion of the game Lanus had the better of the exchanges. Without detracting in any way from the brilliant victory secured by the Lanus team against their powerful opponents, it does seem unsatisfactory that after such an even game, a lucky goal obtained as it was from a free kick, should have made all the difference in the ultimate result.

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Each club have now scored twenty points out of a possible twenty-two, so that another match is necessary to decide, who are to be the champions for 1897. I should like to take this opportunity of congratulating the Lanus club on the excellent results they have obtained this year. As I have previously pointed out, the Lanus club is one of the oldest we have, and up to recently had fallen on evil times. I trust that their performances on the football field may help to restore them to their old position, and that the strenuous efforts on the part of the Hon. Secretary to keep up the high standard the club once enjoyed, may meet with the success they so thoroughly deserve.

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The time and place for the final match will be decided in the course of the next day or so, and although I do not wish to show any partiality, I cannot resist the temptation of reproducing the following lines which I have received from a Lanus supporter:

Bravo, Lanus! all endless praise deserve you;
A partisan of yours hopes this will nerve you,
The victory you gained o'er Lomas, to repeat,
And in the final try once more avert defeat.

Your work is well cut out, but this old stager
Upon the final issue has a wager;
Ten "nats" is the amount, that's what I stand to win,
And should the day be yours, by Jove 'twill go in Gin

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The other League match decided last Monday was that between the two Belgrano teams, one of which, the A team, it may be remembered, looked very much like being the "runners up" for the Cup earlier in the season. On this occasion they nearly came to grief, the B team only suffering defeat by three goals to two. The Belgrano club have certainly, among their members, the material for a very fine Association eleven, and I fancy some of the older clubs will have to look to their laurels next season, if they wish to make a fight of it with this promising young club.

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To-morrow the principal Rugby match of the season will be played, namely that between the B.A.F.C. and the Old Bedfordians. There has been a considerable amount of competition for the former team so that their chances of success are decidedly brilliant. The match will be played at Lomas, and the full teams for same may be found under "Football." After this match the football season will practically be finished, the only remaining fixture being the third meeting of the two leading League teams.

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With the last mails came the great news for our cricketers, that an English eleven may be out during the coming season. Nothing is definitely settled yet, but if all arrangements can be satisfactorily concluded, we may expect an eleven of English amateurs, captained by Lord Hawke, early in February. This will give an incentive to our cricket which cannot be overestimated, and whether our clubs prove able to hold their own or not, they will undoubtedly benefit considerably from this visit.

One thing in regard to this visit is very clear, the question of starting a cricket championship is no longer a matter of advisability only, but one of absolute necessity. We must try and have as many distinct teams as possible to meet our visitors, and the only way to do this is to commence putting the "one man one club" idea into practice at once. With Montevideo, Rosario, our local clubs, the Northern Camps, the North, the South and three matches with the combined Republic, quite a nice little fixture list might be arranged.

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The Philadelphian cricketers brought their tour to a conclusion early last month with their match against Surrey at the Oval. The tour can hardly be said to have been a success in the strict sense of the word, but, as they announced when they went to England, that their object was to gain experience and practice, they have probably returned satisfied. Altogether they played fifteen matches, won two, drew four and lost the remaining nine.

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Mr G. L. Jessop, the Gloucestershire amateur, whose wonderful innings against Yorkshire I mentioned last week, is undoubtedly at the present moment, the fastest scorer in England. He has accomplished many fine performances this season, and among others I may quote the following as giving some idea of his scoring qualities:

- 140, Cambridge University v. Philadelphians, in 95 min.
- 101, Gloucestershire v. Philadelphians, in 90 min.
- 126, Gloucestershire v. Warwickshire, in 95 min.
- 101, Gloucestershire v. Yorkshire, in 40 min.

From this it may be seen that he actually made his runs against the best of Yorkshire's bowling at the average rate of two and a half per minute, and this is unquestionably the finest performance we have had on the cricket field for many years.

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It is with very great pleasure that I am able to chronicle the fact that the first of the three matches between Bredin and the American crack, Kilpatrick, has resulted in a clever win for the Englishman. The American holds the world's record for the half mile (1 min. 53 2-5 secs.), and Bredin holds, with H. C. L. Tindall, the English record for the quarter mile, viz., 48 1-2 secs. Bredin also holds the English record for the 600 yards of 1 min. 11 2-5 secs. From the account of the race which may be found under "Athletics," it will be seen that Bredin won cleverly by a yard and a half in 1 min. 13 secs.

SOCIAL FIXTURES.

LECTURES.

Friday, Sept. 10—D. W. Lowe and Dr. J. F. Thomson, debate on "Mono-Metallism v. Bi-Metallism." At the English Literary Society.

DANCES.

Tuesday, Sept. 7—Quilmes Subscription Dance.
Wednesday, Sept. 22—Cinderella Subscription Dance, at Prince George's Hall.

Buenos Aires Lawn Tennis Club

The Committee has resolved to hold a CLUB HAN-DICAP TOURNAMENT, to be played off during SEPTEMBER, consisting of

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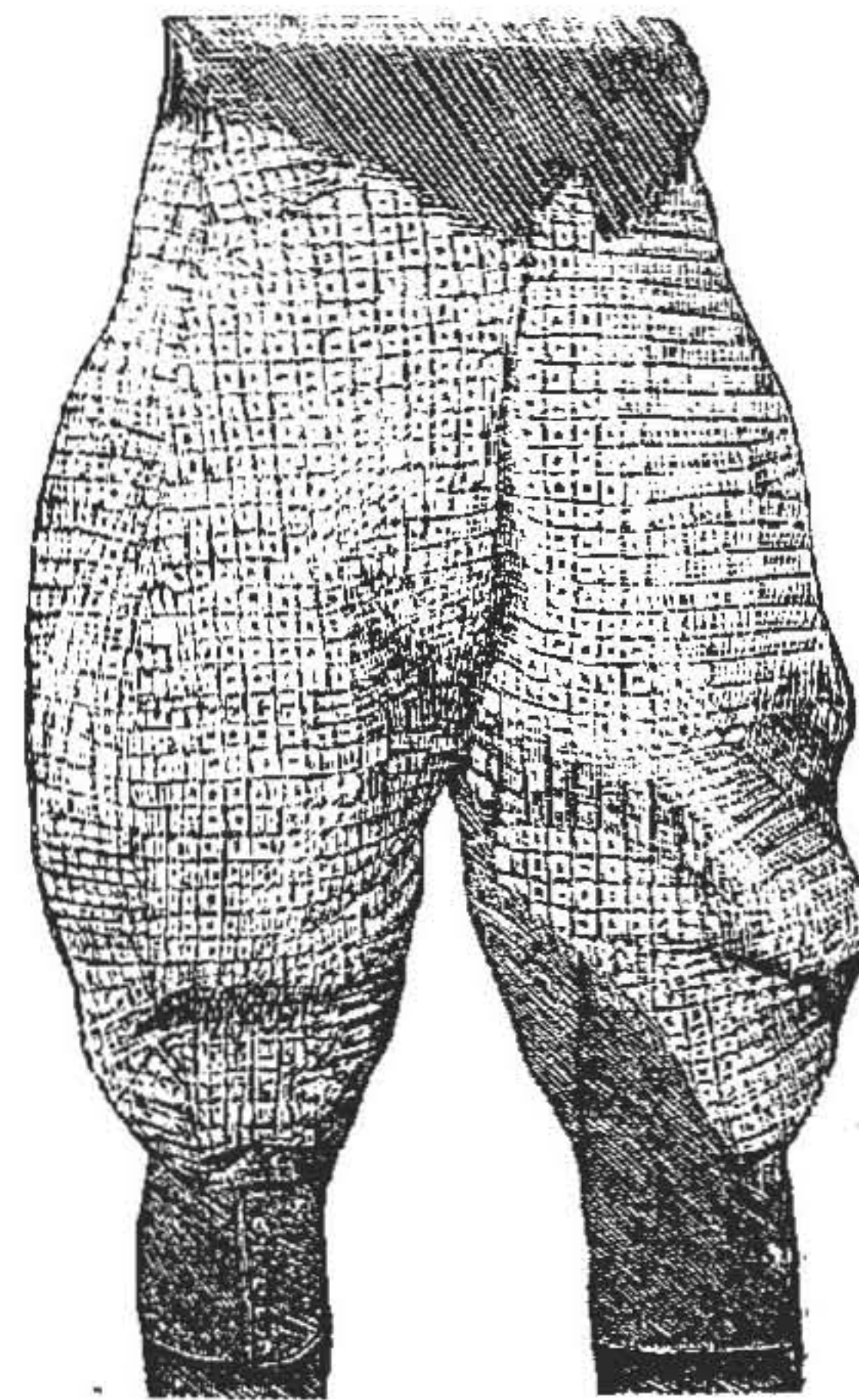
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ESTANCIA AND COLONY.

The British Board of Agriculture has published its report for last year. Referring to the Argentine Republic the report mentions that the loss of live stock from here to England is less this year than last, nevertheless the loss is still very considerable, and that the steamers employed in carrying live stock from Argentina are very unsuitable for the trade.

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The fifty Lincoln rams imported by Mr T. Murray were brought to the hammer by Messrs Funes and Lagos last Tuesday, \$221.37, the total sale produced \$8,855.

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Messrs Lozano Bros.' rams from their Cabaña Plomer were sold by Messrs Bullrich and Co. on Tuesday, the highest price being \$580 and the lowest \$120.

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The auctioneers Messrs F. P. Bollini and Co. realised their first sale on the estancia Santa Teresa, in San Vicente, last Sunday, with the following result: Lincoln ewes, \$15.50 to \$22.50; Durham bulls, \$58 to \$83; heifers, \$62; young bulls, \$50; 2 Holland bulls, \$210; 4 Lincoln rams, \$140 to \$150; mares, \$28 to \$32.

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The Central Argentine Railway has decided to make a rebate in the tariff of 25 per cent. for all animals coming over their lines for the Rural Fair at Palermo, and a rebate of 50 per cent. on all animals returning not sold. They will also issue cheap return passenger tickets, including entrance into the Show

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Messrs Bullrich and Co. will sell to-morrow the following stock on the estancia La Robona, in Pergamino: 1000 Durham bullocks, 700 Lincoln and 300 Rambouillet wethers.

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This evening at 8 o'clock a meeting of the Veterinary Society will be held to discuss measures for the best means of combating with the different diseases which lately have been so prevalent in live stock.

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We learn from the South that owing to the continued drought cattle are in very bad condition. The camps are very dry and much damaged by the severe frosts, and many estancieros have had to rent camp to provide feed for their stock.

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Messrs Funes and Lagos sold the day before yesterday the following stock: 6 Durham bulls, imported by Messrs P. and G. Hughes, at an average of \$1275; and 37 Lincoln rams, imported by Messrs Kingsland and Cash, at an average of \$267.97.

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The Deputies have placed before Congress a project for the establishment of an official veterinary surgeon at the ports of Buenos Aires, La Plata, and Rosario for the inspection of all animals imported and for export. Dr. Beláustegui, the Minister of Justice, who has under his charge everything referring to Agriculture and Colonisation, has expressed himself very favourably impressed with the proposed project, saying that it contains all the necessary measures for avoiding the export of diseased animals, which would cause the country great harm, and also prevent the importation of animals attacked with epizootia.

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The following Durham bulls, imported by Mr W. Riddick, were sold on Wednesday by Messrs Bullrich and Co.:

Monarch, N. Herrera	\$700
Bold Briton, H. B. Dickinson .. .	600
Lucullus, "	600
Sir Richard, "	900
Baron Solway "	900
Dickens "	900
Postmaster "	750
Laird of Killerly, Dr. Lozas .. .	650
Romulus, M. Martinez de Hoz .. .	1000
Eastern Prince, M. Martinez de Hoz ..	900
Prince of Thule, A. de Elia .. .	600
Woodstock Forrester, Achaval and Sons	600
Parish Councillor, H. B. Dickinson ..	900
Hard Times, J. M. Larrazabal .. .	1000
Oxford Prince, "	1700
St. Valentine "	2600
Brotherdale Butterfly, M. Herrera ..	1100
Village Hope, J. Crotto	1100
Touchwood "	1250
Admiration "	1600
Premier Prince "	800
New Year's Prince "	650
Lord Mayo, M. A. Pasman	1100
Baron Lees, J. Grigera	950
New Year's King, E. Gané	500

One red Shorthorn, Baron Kelly, and one Hereford, \$850, both bought by Messrs Vivanco and Pellegrini. All the above animals are entered in the English Herd Book. The Clydesdale stallion Prince Ariel, also imported by Mr Riddick, was sold to A. de Elia for \$1200. The day's sale amounted to \$28,150.

There are 65,730 hectares of land under wheat, and 4,394 under linseed, in Diamante, an increase of 20 per cent. over the area sown in 1896. All crops are doing well.

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On Mr E. Cordenas' estancia La Carolina, in Olavarria, five Lincoln ewes, imported from the Dudding farm, have just given birth to fourteen lambs, but unfortunately six of the lambs have died. These ewes are the only ones that have lambed so far this year out of a point of some sixty imported ewes.

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Amongst the many Rural Fairs that will take place this month we may mention Ayacucho, Tandil, General Belgrano, Mercedes, Las Flores, and Olavarria. The Babia Blanca fair will open on Monday and close on Tuesday evening, the entries comprising 2882 sheep, 72 head of cattle, 149 mares, 2 dogs, and 22 fowl.

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Camps advertised for sale:
 September—
 10—In Salado, San Pedro station, 995 hectares, base \$15 the hectare, by R. Bravo, San Martin 326.
 10—In General Lavalle (Ajó), 2231 hectares, base \$64 the hectare, also 3 chacras, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.
 10—In Chivilcoy, 402 hectares, base \$90 the hectare, by R. Bravo, San Martin 326.
 10—In Balcarce, 2 lots of 337 hectares each, by Alchourron Bros., Cangallo 362.
 10—In Nueve de Julio, 6 chacras, in lots, by Hypothecary Bank, La Plata.
 13—In Chascomus, 10 chacras, 22 hectares each, base \$64.206, by Hypothecary Bank, La Plata.
 13—In Coronel Dorrego, 14 chacras, in lots, by Hypothecary Bank, La Plata.
 20—In Mar del Plata, 190 metres by 398, base \$12,481, by Hypothecary Bank, La Plata.
 26—In San Nicolas, chacras, base \$100 the hectare, by order of Oficina de Tierras, La Plata.
 26—In Tres Arroyos, chacras, base \$20 the hectare, by order of Oficina de Tierras, La Plata.

October—
 20—In Formosa, on the Rio Bermejo, 100 kilometric leagues, by F. P. Bollini, Bolivar 160.

November—
 4, 5, 6—In Santa Cruz and Tierra del Fuego, 179 kilometric leagues, base \$1500 the league. For particulars apply to Oficina de Tierras y Colonias. Santa Fé 1019.

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Live stock sales advertised:
 September—
 4—5 Durham bulls and 12 Wensleydale rams, imported from Messrs Abbot Bros., by Bullrich, San Martin 254.
 4—5 Durham bulls, imported from Mr Humphrey Smith, England, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.
 9—Live stock, in Estancia San Martin, Entre Rios, by R. Bravo, San Martin 326.
 9—6 Durham bulls, 3 heifers, 3 Clydesdale stallions, from Cabaña San Bernardo, Dennehy, by Funes and Lagos, San Martin 153.
 9—10 Rambouillet rams, 3 Durham bulls, from Cabaña Negrete, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.
 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.
 13—Live stock, in Estancia El Ombú, Baradero, by Collet and Llambi, Cangallo 474.
 16—Live stock, in Estancia Tatay, Carmen de Areco, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.
 17—Live stock, in Cabana Los Pinos, Santa Teresa station, F.C.C.A., by Funes and Lagos, San Martin 153.
 19—Live stock, in Estancia Yamahuida, Maipu, by Bullrich, San Martin 254.
 22—8 Durham bulls, imported by Messrs P. and G. Hughes, by Funes and Lagos, San Martin 153.

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 " —Cow 8.50—10.20
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 " —Rambouillet 4.50— 7.00
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 " (Candeal) 9.00—14.00
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There are 729 agencies in this city for the sale of lottery tickets.

The Jewish Synagogue in Calle Libertad will be inaugurated on the 20th inst.

There have been 16,481 deaths from cancer in this city from the year 1887 to 1896.

The King of Siam spent nearly three hours in the House of Commons on the 3rd of August.

Drs. Arata, Harperath, and Ruiz Huidobro are at loggerheads about the qualities of Mendoza wine.

The Provincial Legislature of La Plata has granted a monthly subsidy to the Fencing Club of that city.

The Dervishes are fortifying Berber and Kartoum against the advance of the Anglo-Egyptian forces.

The branch from Trenque-Lauquen to Toay, of the Western Railway, has been opened to public service.

Among the 2371 factories or workshops registered in Buenos Aires there are 41 classified as "wine makers."

The Municipality of Santa Fe are advertising for tenders for the construction of waterworks in that city.

The public library of Chascomus has again been opened to the public, after being closed for twelve years.

A telephone company is being formed in Mercedes. The wires will be connected with this city and La Plata.

Bread, fideos, meat, potatoes, and other articles of food have risen greatly in price during the last few days.

The returns of the Civil Registry for the month of August are: 2549 births, 498 marriages, and 1141 deaths.

The highest quotation of gold on the Bolsa during the month of August was 296.80 on the 2nd, and the lowest was 283.50 on the 31st.

A proposed railway from Trenque-Lauquen to the port of Baradero on the Paraná has been favourably reported on by the National Senate.

Butchers and others in the markets of Montevideo are subscribing funds for the support of the father of Arredondo, the assassin of President Borda.

From the beginning of this year the Custom-house of this city has collected for import and export dues \$35,612,755.26 paper and \$6,285,377.59 gold.

President Cuestas is encountering strong opposition in the Uruguay Congress. The Herreristas, Bordistas, and Miguelistas, to the number of seventy, have united to form the Opposition.

General Weyler has told a newspaper reporter that in his opinion the revolution in Cuba is broken up; but in spite of this statement the home government is sending more troops to the island.

Sugar mills in Tucuman, where the cane has been destroyed by storms or hail, or that has not been sold this year, are to be exempted from the payment of the corresponding "patente" tax.

The strike of the engineers in England and Scotland is causing great loss to employers, and some of them have threatened to remove their business to Germany if an equitable arrangement is not come to.

Freight for vessels must be as scarce in Rio Janeiro as it is in our own ports. During six days of last month fourteen vessels left that port, and of these ten were in ballast, bound for North American ports.

Asuncion will probably soon have a \$400,000 hotel. The Paraguayan Government will subscribe \$100,000, Mr N. Mihanovich of La Platense \$200,000, and the remaining \$100,000 will be offered to the public.

That "alliance" with Russia, the telegraph informs us has made some Frenchmen forget their good manners, or surely they would never have shouted "Death to England" in front of the British Embassy in Paris.

There were 253,355 hectolitres of wine exported from Mendoza during the first six months of this year, an increase of 15,000 hectolitres over the corresponding period of 1896. There were also 216,597 hectolitres of alcohol exported.

The territory of Neuquen has nearly 20,000 of a population, and besides having large tracts of land under wheat, alfalfa, vines, etc., it is estimated that there are 300,000 head of cattle, 650,000 sheep, and 200,000 horses and mares.

The Socialists have petitioned Congress to decree the separation of Church and State, the naturalisation of foreigners after one year's residence in the country, and that eight hours constitutes a day's work in all government workshops.

The National Deputies are said to be in favour of giving Colonel Riccheri, who was at the head of the commission in Europe that bought the arms lately acquired by the country, a present of \$60,000, and the other members of the commission two months' salary in gold.

The import and export dues collected by the Custom-house of this city for the first eight months of this year show a deficit of \$789,985.48 gold compared with the same period of 1896. From January 1 to March 31 there was an increase of \$600,000 gold in favour of 1897, so that the deficit dates from April to August.

Of the total of 648 steamers, of 1,658,681 tons register, that entered the docks during the past eight months of this year, the British flag claimed 387 steamers with 988,572 tons. Comparing the eight months of this year with the same period in 1896 there is a decrease in the rivals of 119 steamers and 232,784 tons register.

The Pacific Railway has signed the contract with the National Government for the construction of the line from Rufino (Santa Fé), passing by Gainza (Buenos Aires), to Italó (Cordoba). The line must be finished in eighteen months. The company can prolong the line in a westerly direction to the Esperanza Colony in the Province of San Luis.

The greatest novelty ever seen on water is what may be described as an "umbrella boat," from the fact that the sails fold up just as the covering of an umbrella does. At first sight this would seem a drawback, but in reality it is not so, for the mechanism is the simplest possible, as when tacking the sail is merely shifted from one side to the other.

The Rome correspondent of the "Pall Mall Gazette" says the people of Sondrio have been treated to a wonderful exhibition of memory. Professor Edoe recited for twenty continuous hours, namely, from six o'clock one evening to two the following afternoon, the whole of the "Divina Commedia" of Dante without being prompted, and without making a single mistake.

The American President, who receives a salary of £10,000 a year, must pay for all the food consumed at the White House; and the expenses of getting up an elaborate State dinner are not small. Cigars and wines the President buys, and they must be of the best. He has to maintain his own equipage. The Government, however, allows him a valet, also a clerk, who opens all his letters. All other personal servants must be engaged by the master and mistress of the White House.

The future man, according to a French scientific person, will get about gifted with the "X" ray faculty of seeing countless vibrations of rays of light. To such persons lovely women will appear as skeletons covered with a gelatinous sort of matter. For them the test and standard of female loveliness will not be expressive eyes, rosebud mouths, dimpled chins, and other attractions that go hand in hand with these, but the rigid anatomy, the bony frame of the female form.

There is a cab horse in London which breathes through a silver tube inserted in the neck. A stoppage in the windpipe prevented the horse from breathing through the mouth, but by means of this incision below the diseased part, he has become again just as useful a horse as ever. He was in harness six weeks after the operation. It is remarkable that a horse with this artificial means of respiration should be able to stand the wear and tear of cab-horse life in London.

There were in India at the close of the year 1856, 33,000 British and 348,000 native troops of all arms, the former having 276 field guns, the latter 248. The present strength of the same forces is, roughly, 73,000 British, with 88 batteries of artillery of six guns each, and 148,000 natives, with 12 batteries of mountain artillery; to these should be added 17,000 Imperial Service troops, with 2 batteries of mountain artillery, making a total of 165,000 native troops and 14 batteries.

The bayonet was first made in Bayonne, in France; hence its name, and it was first used by the French army in 1671. It was successfully employed by them during the reign of William III. in an attack on the British 25th Regiment of Foot. It afterwards became generally recognised as an indispensable military weapon, and has been used on both sides in nearly all the great battles of Europe and America in which the British and other troops have been engaged for the last 150 years.

Bishop Williams, of Marquette, C.S.A., tells a curious story of the experiences of a brother cleric while engaged in mission work among the Esquimaux north of Hudson Bay. It was necessary to build a church, and, as there was no wood, the missionary had to employ walrus' ribs for rafters, and covered them with tanned walrus hide. The edifice was constructed to hold 80 persons. All went well until the advent of the intensely cold winter, when hosts of famished dogs promptly attacked the church—and ate it!

One hundred dollars is the limit of the amount of foreign goods which an American returning from a visit to Europe may take into the United States free of duty under the new Tariff Bill. It will barely suffice to let a lady take back a very ordinary Paris frock, and no dude will be able thoroughly to replenish his wardrobe with presentable English clothes without contributing to the revenue. Even personal effects originally taken out of the States may be taxed on their return unless their identity can be established "under appropriate rules and regulations."

The smaller animals are, as a rule, found to be the stronger in proportion to their bulk than the larger ones. The Marchese Carcano, a horse-fancier of Lombardy believes that this rule is applicable to the equine breeds, and has turned his attention to the production of very small Shetland ponies, the keep of the lot only costing him 6d per day. He avers that he gets more work for their size and expense out of his small ponies than is got out of the bulkiest Clydesdales. He is exhibiting a dwarf pony just now, which, though full-grown, is only 24 inches high. It is said to be a beautifully-shaped little creature.

Queen Victoria neither smokes pipe, cigar, nor cigarette, but she does not go on the principle of the teetotaler's "long pledge," which binds him neither to take nor give to others. Her guests are regularly supplied with first-class cigars, though it is an understood thing that they are not to be smoked where the scent of them can reach the Royal nostrils. These cigars are said to be specially made for Her Majesty at Havana, only the oldest and most experienced workmen being employed in their manufacture. The cigars cost about 4s each, "wholesale price," and the Queen is supplied with about a thousand of them annually.

The fur of the black or silver fox is one of the most expensive, sometimes the most expensive of all. The animal is growing rarer and rarer in Canada and the North-West Territories, but steps have been taken to preserve it. An American has secured the island of Outer Heron, near the port of Boothbay, and stocked it with these foxes caught in Alaska. He is now doing a remunerative trade in their skins, some of which fetch £40 or £50. The island is wooded, and has several springs of fresh water. The foxes live on small animals, stranded fish, and mollusca.

Mr Sherman, the American Foreign Secretary, published a book two years ago, the closing paragraph of which was as follows:—"A republic should not hold dependent provinces or possessions. Every new acquisition will create fresh embarrassments. The Union already embraces discordant elements enough without adding others. If my life is prolonged I will do all I can to add to the strength and prosperity of the United States, but nothing to extend its limits or to add new dangers by the acquisition of foreign territory." The man who wrote that in 1895 has just signed a treaty for the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands to the United States!

When Great Britain ceded Heligoland to Germany for certain advantages in Zanzibar, though the strategical value of the gift was duly appreciated, nobody had an idea of the important social purpose to which it might be turned. Heligoland is now the Gretna Green of Germany. A couple bent on matrimony need only take a return ticket from Cuxhaven, and by the kind aid of Pastor Sekrades, whose licence holds good until 1913, they can be united before the boat goes back without any of those troublesome formalities that impede entrance into the married state in other parts of the Empire. Herr Sekrades is called upon to officiate at least 60 times a year, and the business shows signs of improvement.

There are in Manchuria, and in all that part of China adjoining Mongolia, thousands of farms devoted exclusively to the breeding of dogs. Each establishment supports several hundreds of these animals, which are killed by strangulation when they have reached the age of eight months, generally about the middle of winter, in order to get their skins. These skins, which are large and covered with magnificent hair, serve to make winter clothing for the inhabitants of the Celestial Empire. The dogs that furnish them are bred solely for these skins. The fur-bearing dogs constitute the sole source of wealth of these desolate regions, and each farmer gives a certain number as a marriage portion to his daughters.

If you are attacked by a ruffian, says Corbett, the puglist, get in the first blow. The first blow nearly always wins a street fight. It was a wise old fellow who said:

Thrice is he armed who hath his quarrel just,

But ten times he who gets his lick in just.

If a bully attacks you, meet him eye to eye, step in close, and smash him. No sparring, no side-stepping, no fancy business. All those things belong to the ring, where they have a referee, timekeepers, seconds, and all that. If you are forced to use your fists use them for all they are worth. Two skilful pugilists in the ring will feint and lead and counter and manoeuvre perhaps for a whole hour before either one can get in a knockout blow. In a street fight the chance for a knockout comes right at the beginning.

The expectation of sanguine scientists that the artificial light of the future would yet be found—pure, soft, brilliant, devoid of heat, and extremely inexpensive—in some form of phosphorescence, allied in nature to the light emitted by the fire-fly and the glow-worm is practically realised, so Professor Ebert, a German physicist, believes by the "Puluj lamp." The Puluj is described somewhat barely as a "phosphorescent lamp, merely consisting of a piece of mica painted with sulphide of calcium, and subjected to the action of cathode rays in a vacuum." Each lamp is of sixteen candle power, and we are told that an engine of one horse-power would be sufficient to "run" 46,000,000 of them, and one man turning a crank would develop sufficient energy to light a large city!

According to the "Matin," M. Pasée, a well-known authority on submarine navigation, is the author of a project for reaching the North Pole by this means. He contends that it is infinitely more practicable than Herr André's experiment, and declares that it presents greater possibilities of success. The submarine boat embarking on the enterprise ought to start from Cape Tehelouskini, and then steer due north by compass. The boat would only have to go under water on encountering large floes of ice, through which it could always make breathing-holes by the use of dynamite. The boat will carry a number of small pilot balloons, in order to reconnoitre; also a large balloon—so that, in the event of the boat having to be abandoned, the occupants could take to the balloon and return.

There's a good time coming, and this is how the President of the Wesleyan Conference at Leeds describes it.—"I tell you the time is coming when there will be no more wife-beating, but when a man will put himself on the treadmill for a month for having given her an ugly look. I say the time is coming when a lady would rather put on the garments of the leper than put on the purple which was stained with the workman's tears and blood. The time is coming when a working man would rather pick his master's pocket than waste his time. The day is coming when a man will not have to be taken up for forgery and embezzlement. They shall be no more. There shall be such a spirit of magnanimity and charity that a man will stand in the church porch and do penance for having in a moment forgetfulness given a threepenny-piece to the collection."

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