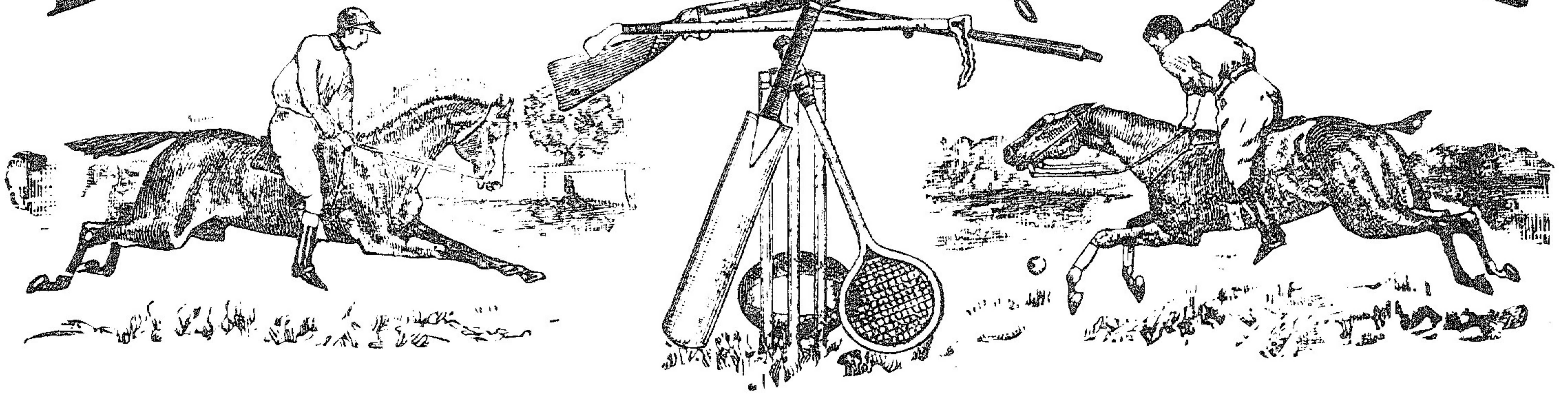


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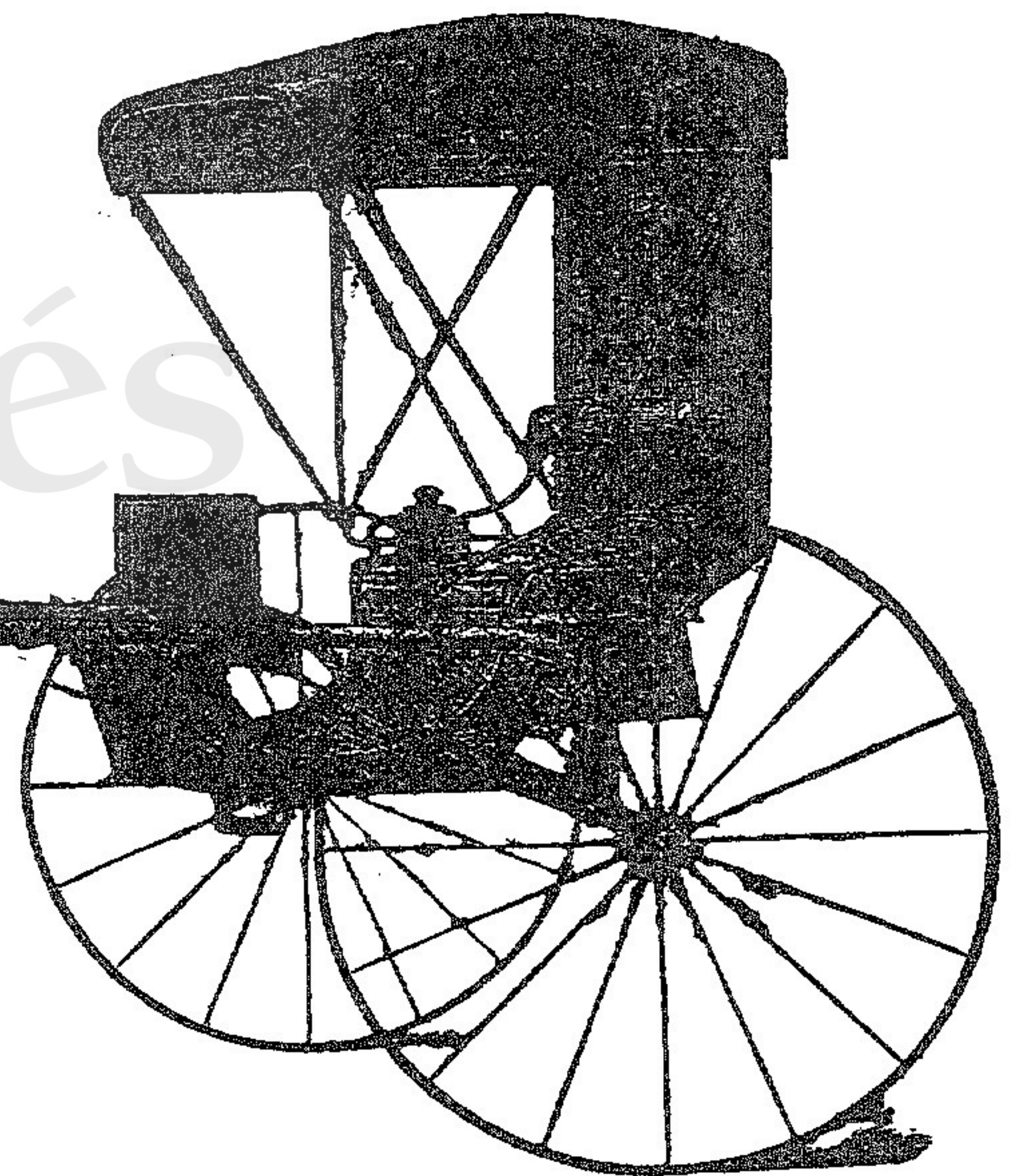
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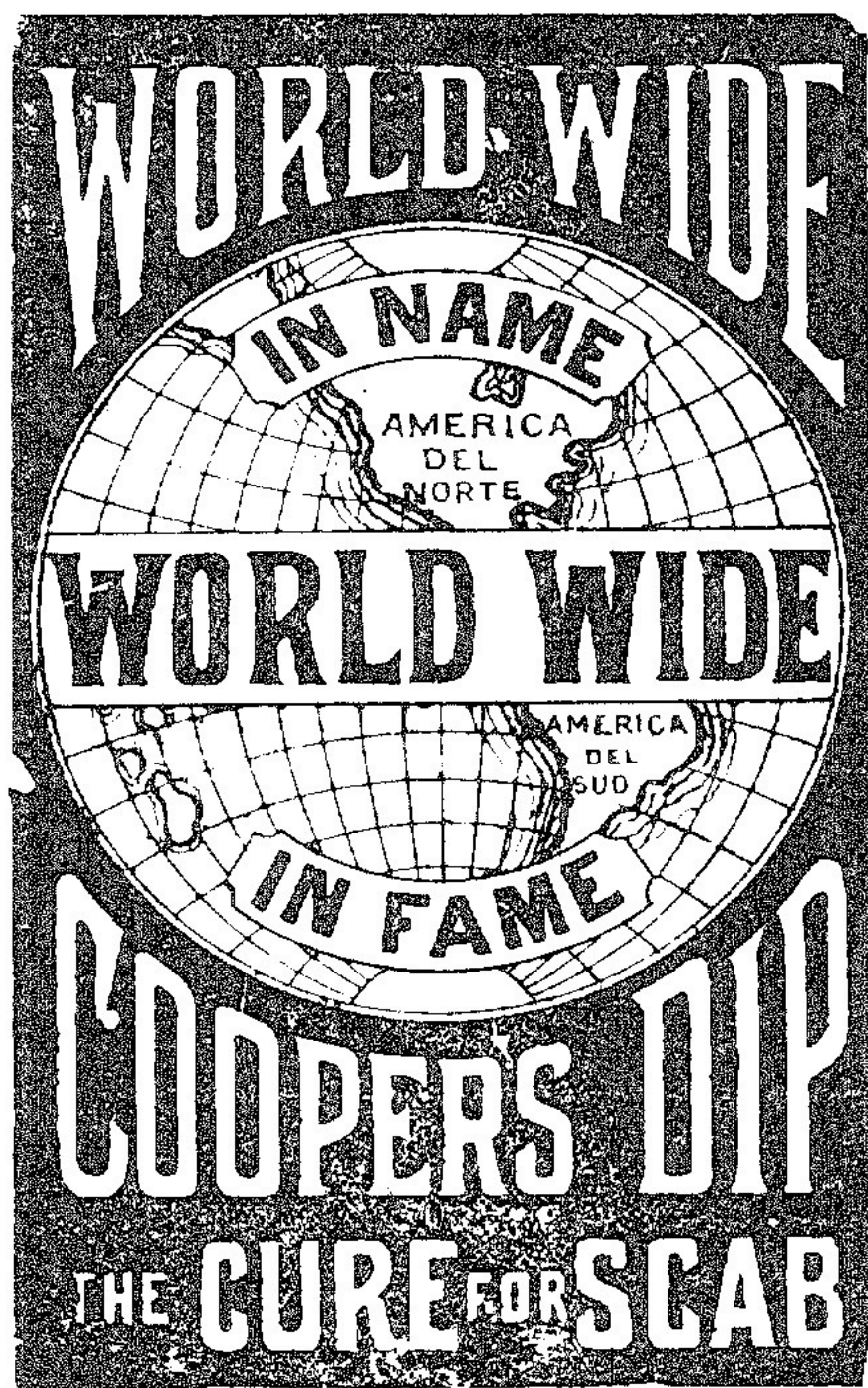
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# River Plate Sport and Pastime

BUENOS AIRES, WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1901.

## GOLF.

### BUENOS AIRES GOLF CLUB.

On Thursday last the annual Bogey Competition, for the Central Argentine Railway Cup, was played, as usual, under handicap. There were, in all, twenty entries, eighteen of whom handed in their cards, whose scores we give below. The links were in excellent order, although the greens are badly in need of rain. The winner proved to be Mr W. Higgins, who played two really good rounds of 45 and 42, which may be taken to be a record for the present course at Rivadavia. To be only two down to the redoubtable "Colonel," playing from scratch, is indeed a performance one may well be proud of and I congratulate the winner heartily.

The following was the result of the competition:

	Handicap	Holes down
W. Higgins .. ..	scr	2
T. T. Watson .. ..	scr	7
Dr. Petty .. ..	scr	7
Hon. E. Scott .. ..	scr	8
J. W. Besserer .. ..	scr	12
F. J. Bennett .. ..	-5	12
M. Graham .. ..	-6	12
W. G. Brown .. ..	-2	13
G. T. Cripps .. ..	-6	13
M. Hankin .. ..	-11	13
F. H. Benn .. ..	-4	14
W. G. Mackern .. ..	-11	14
W. J. Christie .. ..	-5	16
W. Miller .. ..	-4	17

It is something of a coincidence that the first five places in the above competition should all have been taken by scratch players. Among them is one new to our links, to whom a hearty welcome will be extended by all our golfers, who, if rumours are true, will have to look to their laurels.

### SECOND MONTHLY COMPETITION.

The second Monthly Competition for the members of the above club was held on Sunday last at Rivadavia. We do not know who form the new Ground Committee of this club, but the links are certainly in better order than we have seen them for some time, and although rain is badly wanted, and especially for the greens, nevertheless the scores returned clearly prove that the conditions cannot be so very bad.

Below I give the result of Sunday's competition, in which it will be seen that Virasoro y Calvo, with a handicap of 10, finished first, and that the Hon. E. S. Scott, with two capital rounds, was a good second.

	1st Round	2nd Round	Gross	Handicap	Total
A. Virasoro y Calvo	50	47	97	-10	87
Hon. E. S. Scott ..	42	47	89	scr	89
J. R. Moss .. ..	63	57	120	-24	96
J. W. Besserer .. ..	48	49	97	scr	97
W. Higgins .. ..	51	45	96	+2	98
Dr. Petty .. ..	47	51	98	scr	98
F. H. Benn .. ..	51	53	104	-6	98
G. T. Cripps .. ..	56	50	106	-8	98
E. T. Ely .. ..	64	54	118	-18	100
W. Miller .. ..	55	53	108	-6	102
M. Hankin .. ..	62	55	117	-15	102
T. V. M. Knox .. ..	59	55	114	-10	104
H. D. MacMaster ..	56	58	114	-10	104

W. G. Brown, L. Walker, W. G. Mackern and C. G. Palmer did not hand in their cards.

With regard to the Monthly Competitions of the above club, I may as well point out that these Monthly Stroke Competitions, for this season, are for the "Logan" and "Smith" Cups. The same two rounds of the links will be

counted in both competitions, that for the "Logan Cup," being with handicap, and that for the "Smith Cup" without handicap—all playing from scratch.

The conditions for both these competitions are that the ten members, who, during the season, return the lowest aggregate of two Monthly Stroke Competitions—nett in the case of the "Logan," and gross in that of the "Smith Cup"—will be entitled to play in the final at the end of the season, which will consist of four rounds of nine holes, Medal Play, without handicap, for the "Smith Cup," while the "Logan Cup" will be played for under sealed handicap. In each case the winner will hold the Cup for one year and have his name engraved upon it.

Of course the committee know their own business best, but it strikes me that it would be very much better, and surely far more simple, to arrange to have these cups played for in two separate competitions. The dates are not so crowded as all that, and to keep the matter dragging on all through the season appears to me to be as unreasonable as it is unnecessary. I quite expect to be "hauled over the coals" for daring to offer the suggestion, but when I see several dates free, with only a Monthly Competition of one or another club down for decision, I cannot understand why the present unsatisfactory system should be adopted.

At Flores the golfers had a regular red-letter day, and I congratulate the club on being the first to give the ladies a good day. It is pleasant in these days of competitions, etc., to see some unselfish enough to think of giving pleasure to our sister golfers. In the morning a Bogey Competition was played, this being the first qualifying competition for the Captain's prize. Mr H. B. Elliot, jun. (6 down) qualified, and Messrs A. Macdonald and J. W. Taylor (each 7 down) were equal for second place and will have to re-play the tie. Altogether eleven competed.

After an excellent lunch the Mixed Foursomes were commenced. The winners proved to be Miss Wigg and Mr Hume, with Mrs Shearer and Mr M. L. Runciman a very good second, there being only one stroke between them. The links were in excellent condition, although, as is the case everywhere, the greens would be all the better for some rain. Fourteen couples competed altogether for the prizes kindly presented by Mr M. L. Runciman, the hon. secretary of the club, and the afternoon's golf was thoroughly enjoyed by all. We may mention that the best round of the day, and a very good round too, was made by Mr and Mrs Carlisle, who went round the second time in 49.

The following are the results of the competition:

	1st Round	2nd Round	Gross Score	Han dicap	Nett Total
Miss Wigg and H. Hume	61	61	122	-8	114
Mrs Shearer and M. L. Runciman	64	63	127	-12	115
Miss Watson and T. T. Watson	59	61	120	-3	117
Miss Pearson and J. S. Agar	72	65	137	-20	117
Mrs Carlisle and F. Carlisle	69	49	118	scr	118
Mrs Cowan and J. C. Bell	68	71	139	-20	119
Mrs Macdonald and A. Macdonald	61	67	128	-5	123
Miss A. Wigg and C. S. Holland	77	85	162	-30	132
Miss E. Wigg and W. Agar	76	67	143	-10	133
Miss A. Cowan and D. King	82	83	165	-25	140
Mrs Taylor and J. W. Taylor	88	80	168	-25	143
Miss Holland and F. J. Holland	82	91	173	-30	143
Miss L. Bell and H. B. Elliott, jr.	88	77	165	-20	145



At Lomas the links were well patronised, and among others were to be seen two new faces. From what one could judge they had both "been there before" and we hope they will have an opportunity of trying all our golf courses before they leave the country. Some very interesting foursomes were played during the afternoon and the links were in good order, although inclined to be rather hard.

Admiral Kennedy tells the following true story of a rook and a golf ball: "While playing on our links near Sheerness, a rook pounced down on my ball and flew away with it. The bird passed 20 yards over our heads, and we all (three men and a lady) distinctly saw the ball in its beak. The thief then settled down in a field near by and proceeded to digest the morsel, under the impression, we suppose, that it was an egg, but on being chased by the flag-lieutenant and two blue-jackets, it flew away. On resuming play, we found, to our great amazement, a new golf ball on the ground on the spot where we had lost mine. How did it come there? Some maintain that while our backs were turned the rook circled round and dropped it; others, that the bird passed it, but this I cannot believe. Anyhow, the fact is worth recording. I am loth," continues the Admiral, "to send the story to the 'Field,' as they would be sure to cap it with another, and perhaps throw some doubt on its veracity. I have always heard it said that fishers are great liars, but golfers are above suspicion, so I send this in hope that some enthusiast of the game may explain the mystery." The solution of this mystery is either that the rook had not digested the previous golf ball he had swallowed, or else the found ball had been lost by another player. I rather incline to the latter theory, as I have often found golf balls when searching for my own.

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## PONY RACING

HURLINGHAM—THURSDAY, MAY 16.

In quite tropical weather the opening meeting of the Hurlingham Club was brought to the successful termination we last week prophesied for it. It was as hot as summer, the grounds were looking lovely, and the course could hardly have been better. The attendance, though scarcely as good as we anticipated, was, on the whole, very fair, and the racing excellent, in spite of some of the fields being rather small.

Proceedings commenced punctually at 1.30 with the Premio Conejo, for which, owing to several ponies failing to pass the measurer, the field was reduced to two, and Diablito, in spite of being 17 years old, proved too quick for Rama Chica, who was a hot favourite, and won at his ease by two lengths. Baron Peers started a fine sequence in the Premio Douglas, which he was able to win at his ease on the speedy Mascarilla, from Rosas, whose owner, in a most sporting manner, had played him two chuckers in the polo match the previous day—not much doubt about his qualification to run! Then came the race of the day—the Members' Cup. Five went to the post, but Chaparron, ridden by the invincible Baron Peers, gave his owner a nice ride, and won pretty easily by a length, though Kenneth was coming very fast at the finish, and, with a little assistance from his jockey, should have been nearer. In the Premio Sociedad Argentina, Baron Peers steered his third consecutive winner—Ayacucho, who won cleverly by half a length from Vengador, the latter horse making up a lot of ground in the last 500 metres, though, had Baron Peers not broken a stirrup iron, he would probably not have been so close. Five competed for the Premio Don Carlos, in which, Silencioso scored an easy win, though Try Over ran very well, in spite of the galloping he had had in the Members' Cup. The Hurdle Race was a runaway win for Chatterbox, the unlucky little Pitti Sing being second, though she might have been closer had she not knocked nearly every hurdle over.

Altogether it was a most enjoyable day, and a splendid one for "backers," as, with the exception of the first race, every favourite won. The arrangements were excellent, and all the officials in charge deserve unqualified praise, as the meeting from start to finish went off without a hitch. Messrs. Challinor and Ewen, who were in charge of the scales, deserve especial credit for the dispatch with which they had the jockeys weighed out, and their task was no light one. Mr. Mullaly, ably as-

sisted by Mr. Majoribanks with the advance flag, was, we believe, officiating as starter for the first time, though, from the way in which he handled his fields, he might have been at the game all his life, and could hardly have done better. Mr. Thursby was not very hardly taxed, as there were no very tight finishes, but, nevertheless, he deserves the thanks of all for what he did do. Lastly, as clerk of the course, Mr. Harnett was indelible.

Below we give full details:

Premio Conejo, value \$100. For ponies of 58 inches or less, that have not won a flat race at Hurlingham. Weight for inches. Ponies of 58 inches to carry 75 kilos. 500 metres.

Mr. R. Leys' Diablito, 74 kilos	.....	E. Robson	1
Mr. J. Ravenscroft's Rama Chica, 75 kilos	.....	A. Sasso	2

Rama Chica was first away, but was quickly caught by Diablito, who galloped over his opponent in the last 200 metres, and won at his ease by two lengths.

Dividend—Diablito \$6.80.

Premio Douglas, value \$100, for polo ponies that have not won a race at Hurlingham. Weight for inches. Ponies of 58 inches to carry 75 kilos. 500 metres.

Baron Peers' Mascarilla, 74 kilos	.....	Owner	1
Mr. H. Schwind's Rosas, 72 kilos	.....	Owner	2
Mr. C. H. Jefferies Dolly Daydream, 77 kilos	.....	Owner	3
Mr. R. Leys' Roberts, 72 kilos	.....	E. Robson	0

Rosas was quickest off the mark, but was soon passed by Mascarilla, who won in a canter by half a length. A length between second and third.

Dividend—Mascarilla \$2.80.

Members' Cup, value \$250, added to a sweepstake of \$20, for Ponies of 58 inches or less, the property of, and ridden by, members of the Club. Weight for inches. Ponies of 58 inches to carry 75 kilos. The cup has to be won three times by the same owner to become his absolute property. 1,200 metres.

Baron Peers' Chaparron, ex Don Carlos, 75 kilos	.....	Owner	1
Mr. J. N. Drysdale's Kenneth, 78 kilos	.....	H. Schwind	2
Mr. R. Leys' Try Over, 72 kilos	.....	Ernest Robson	3
Mr. E. D. Drabble's Indio, 75 kilos	.....	G. McMorran	0
Mr. A. K. B. Mackintosh's Dorothy, 75 kilos	.....	B. Bedford	0

Try Over was first away, and cut out the running at a good pace from Chaparron and Kenneth, but the latter went very wide at the bend; Chaparron went on and passed the leader three hundred metres from home, and though Kenneth made a great effort to get on terms, Chaparron held his own, and won somewhat easily by a length. A good third.

Dividend—Chaparron \$3.10 and \$2.35 place, Kenneth \$2.30.

Premio Sociedad Hipica Argentina, value \$200, for all horses. Weight not less than 70 kilos. 1,600 metres.

Baron Peers' Ayacucho, 73 kilos	.....	Owner	1
Mr. J. N. Drysdale's Vengador, 75 kilos	.....	B. Bedford	2
Mr. J. Ravenscroft's Quicksilver, 70 kilos	.....	A. Sasso	3
Mr. E. Kretzchmer's Guanaco, 70 kilos	.....	F. Canevari	0

Quicksilver and Guanaco were first off the mark, but Ayacucho soon pulled his way to the front, with Vengador, some five lengths, last. Five hundred metres from home the latter drew up, and passing Guanaco and Quicksilver, made a desperate effort to catch the leader, but failed by half a length. A good third.

Dividend—Ayacucho \$2.70.

Premio Don Carlos, value \$100. A Handicap for Ponies of 58 inches and under. 800 metres.

Mr. J. Canevari's Silencioso, ex Pebete, 72 ks.	.....	Owner	1
Mr. R. Leys' Try Over, 72 kilos	.....	E. Robson	2
Mr. M. Orrego's Conejo, 73 kilos	.....	J. Canevari	3
Mr. J. Ravenscroft's La Guerra, 72 kilos	.....	A. Sasso	0
Mr. J. Carretto's Vengador Argentino, 66 ks.	.....	C. Lacey	0

Silencioso was quickest at the start, but was quickly passed by Try Over, who made the running for 500 metres, when the former again took command, and won at his ease by two lengths; same between second and third.

Dividend—Silencioso \$2.65 and \$2.70 place, Try Over \$6.50.

Premio Kenneth, a Hurdle Race, value \$100. For Ponies of 58 inches or less that have not won a hurdle race or steeplechase at Hurlingham. Weight for inches. Ponies of 58 inches to carry 75 kilos. 2,000 metres.

Mr. J. Ravenscroft's Chatterbox, 74 ks.	.....	H. Sanderson	1
Mr. H. Thompson's Pitti Sing, 60 kilos	.....	C. Lacey	2
Mr. E. D. Drabble's Douglas, 74 kilos	.....	G. McMorran	3
Mr. B. Bedford's Joseph, 74 kilos	.....	Owner	0



Chatterbox dashed off with a long lead, and once over the first fence the race became a procession in the order the ponies finished, the nearer home they got the further they were strung out, Chatterbox eventually winning by ten lengths.

Dividend—Chatterbox \$2.60.

## RACING.

PALERMO—MAY 16.

Another day that might be called Summer, and a good programme and an interesting Classic brought out quite the usual attendance.

The principal event was, of course, the Classic for youngsters, in which Porrazo was called upon to concede five kilos in 1100 metres to fourteen competitors, and did it with consummate ease, as he came out when called on at the Stand, and put the result beyond doubt in a moment.

Listo, Oran and Briseño were not far off, but the tail was a long one.

The first race was a capital one, the dozen runners making one group all the way round from a good start, Arroz making the running, but Ivette eventually winning by half a length from Canton, who was only a head in front of a great outsider in Señuelo, 5 de Abril, Arroz and Bretagne close up.

Eleven appeared for the Maiden, in which Stella was favourite, but met more than her match in Camargo, a good looking son of Amazon, who beat her by half a length after a tough struggle.

The Selling Plate was won all the way by Vivaracho, but the result might have been changed, if Lorraine had not been shut in, as she came grandly at the finish.

The Mile Handicap was again left entirely to the old rivals, Royal and Le Sancy, the seven kilos giving a half length victory to the younger horse.

El Alba was favourite for the long distance, and won handsomely by a length from Republicano after the light weights had run themselves out.

The same thing happened in the 1800 metres, Balcarce allowing Wasp and Muñeca to fight for the lead to the old paddock where he came forward and was not to be approached by Brenus and Los Cardos.

The following are the details:—

**PREMIO SUIPACHA**, for horses that have been a year in the country and have not won more than \$4000. Weight 55 kilos. Three kilos extra to winners of one race and 5 kilos of more. \$1500 to first and 100 to second. 1400 metres.

Ecurie Lagrange's Ivette, by Amianto—Golondrina, 3 y. 58 k. A. Diaz 1  
Ecurie Canton's Canton, 3 y. 60 k. P. Aguilera 2  
Ecurie Copahué's Señuelo, 3 y. 58 k. N. Sosa 3  
Also ran—Pajaro, 5 de Abril, Duende, Vice Roi, Grimaud, Motin, Arroz, Bretagne and Emirza.

Dividends—Ivette \$13.55 win and 4.45 place, Canton 4.70 place, Señuelo 38.95 place.

**PREMIO CERRITO**, for two-year-olds that have not won. Weight 54 kilos. \$2000 to first and 200 to second. 1200 metres.

Stud Amianto's Camargo, by Amazon—Lady Ormonde, 54 k. I. Diaz 1  
Stud Roma's Stella, 52 k. N. Sosa 2  
Ecurie Nautilus' Druid, 54 k. P. Aguirre 3  
Also ran—Perito, Guarani Barrilete, Hierro, Perseo, Siglo, Cotorra and Amada.

Dividends—Camargo \$12.60 win and 3.75 place, Stella 3.05 place, Druid 4.00 place.

**PREMIO A RECLAMAR**, for horses of three years and more that have won no Selling Plate. Weight for age. The winner to be sold for \$3000. Those entered to be sold for less to be allowed three kilos for each \$500 reduction. \$1800 to the first and \$150 to the second. 1700 metres.

Petite Ecurie's Vivaracho, by Progreso—Vanda, 4 y. 54 k. I. Diaz 1  
Ecurie Gonin's Lorraine, 3 y. 49 k. C. Bustos 2  
Ecurie Las Mercedes' Mimi, 3 y. 43 k. S. Gallardo 3  
Also ran—Judío, Clasico, Lord, Huracan, Porthos, Caligula, Alarife, Donovan and Serafina.

Dividends—Vivaracho \$8.50 win and 4.05 place, Lorraine 10.15 place and Mimi 14.60 place.

**PREMIO LURO**, for colts and fillies born since August 1st, 1898. Weight 54 and 52 kilos. Three kilos extra to winners of one Classic and five of more. \$5000 to the first and 500 to the second. 1100 metres.

Stud La Confianza's Porrazo, by Stiletto—Julietta, 59 k. J. Sarthou 1  
A. Lincoln's Listo, 54 k. A. Ruiz 2  
Ecurie Belgrano's Oran, 54 k. R. Garrido 3  
Also ran—Cognac, Briseño, Joujou, Palpito, Barba Azul, Bannockburn, Agrio, Cina Cina, Imbecil, Yuqueri, Banjo and Verbano.

Dividends—Porrazo \$4.20 win and 2.90 place, Listo 4.40 place, Oran 3.45 place.

**PREMIO AYACUCHO**, handicap for all horses limited between 62 and 50 kilos. \$2500 to the first and 200 to second. 1600 metres.

Ecurie Royal's Royal, by Tonic—Brandoria, 5 y. 55 k. A. Diaz 1  
Stud Los Cardos' Le Sancy, 5 y. 62 k. S. Urrutia 2  
Ecurie Tontal's Alvarado, 3 y. 55 k. F. Goyeneche 3  
Also ran—Nihull, Omnium and Edil.

Dividends—Royal \$6.10 win and 2.50 place, Le Sancy 2.75 place.

**PREMIO TACUARI**, handicap for winners. \$2300 to first and 200 to second 2300 metres.

Stud Treinta y Tres' El Alba, by Orville—Glonfern, 4 y. 55 k. F. Perez 1  
Ecurie Belgrano's Republicano, 4 y. 60 k. A. Diaz 2  
A. Lincoln's Tenebroso, 3 y. 48 k. R. Ruiz 3

Also ran—Nicolini, Chilecito and Mariposa.  
Dividends—El Alba \$6.45 win and 3.40 place Republicano 3.50 place.

**PREMIO ESMERALDA**, handicap for all horses. \$1800 to first and 150 to second. 1,800 metres.

Petite Ecurie's Balcarce, by Gay Hermit—Maria Luisa, 6 y. 56 k. I. Diaz 1

Hatteras' Brenus, 3 y. 52 k. P. Garcia 2  
Stud Los Cardos' Los Cardos, 3 y. 53 k. P. Aguilera 3

Also ran—Rataplan, Egipeta, Florida, Muñeca and Wasp.  
Dividends—Balcarce, \$18.80 win and 3.55 place, Brenus 3.00 place, Los Cardos 2.55 place.

PALERMO—MAY 19.

A cloudy but pleasant day and very attractive card brought a good attendance, and the betting was animated all through.

The talent had a good time, as the favourites were well in it, with the notable exception of Polas in the long distance.

The Classic brought out 16 mares as nice a lot as one would wish to see, the only absentee being Carina, who has gone lame again, and had to be scratched.

The honours this time fell to Fantasia, who ran a good waiting race with Ficha, Parva not being able to keep going with the two when the pinch came, though she looked like winning at the Stand.

The starting Gate had a mishap in the Opening Mile, as only one end went up the first time, and those who got of had to pull up, but the next attempt was successful, and the 13 got off together, Machete doing the running but getting beaten by a length at the finish by Ruy Blas.

La Ventana was too good for Zara among the fillies, none of the others being near them.

Perito won a good race in the colts 1200 metres by a neck from Pampero, the much fancied newcomer, Maipo, only getting third place.

The long distance was booked a certainty for Polas, but the pace set by Limosnero seemed to knock him out of time, and he was never in it, Republicano winning a ding-dong race by a length from Eclat, who was a head in front of Limosnero.

The 1400 metres was a hard struggle between Brenus and Oviedo, the former staying the better.

San Graal tried cutting down tactics in the 1700 metres, and nearly succeeded, as the black could only just sustain the faint-hearted Bonaparte when the young one came again at the finish.

The following are the details:—

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Stud Las Rosas' Ruy Blas, by Exmoor—Troja, 3 y. 55 k. G. Morales 1  
I Zubiaurre's Machete, 3 y. 56 k. A. Ruiz 2  
Stud Novela's Arequito, 3 y. 58 k. P. Garcia 3  
Also ran—Star, Alianza, Mariposa, Duende, Milady, Bandolero, Criollita, Wesifalia, Roi d'Atout and Nene.

Dividends—Ruy Blas \$6.65 win and 2.70 place, Machete 2.75 place, Arequito 2.90 place.

**PREMIO HARAS SAN JACINTO**, for two year old fillies that have won no Classic. Weight 54 kilos. Three kilos extra for every win. \$2000 to the first and 200 to the second. 1000 metres.

Ecurie Prisionero's La Ventana, by Sargento—Lady Belle, 57 k. J. Paez 1

Stud Carhué's Zara, 57 k. S. Urrutia 2  
Stud Buenos Aires' Dolly, 54 k. I. Diaz 3

Also ran—Tragica, Parca, Flechilla, Loreley and Minima.  
Dividends—La Ventana \$4.40 win and 2.45 place, Zara 2.75 place, Dolly 2.80 place.

**PREMIO HARAS OJO DE AGUA**, for two-year-old fillies that have won no Classic. Weight 54 kilos. Three kilos extra for every win. \$2000 to the first and 200 to the second. 1200 metres.

Ecurie Hope's Perito, by Light—Primavera, 54 k. G. Morales 1  
Ecurie Talisman's Pampero, 54 k. P. Aguirre 2  
Petite Ecurie's Maipo, 54 k. I. Diaz 3  
Also ran—Flamenco, Banjo, St. George, Pedragosa, Carhué, Diaz and Glauco.

Dividends—Perito \$25.45 win and 3.85 place, Pampero 3.20 place, Maipo 2.75 place.

**PREMIO LOS HARAS**, for all mares. Weight for age. \$5000 to first and 500 to second. 2000 metres.

Ecurie Orange's Fantasia, by Neapolis—Finesse, 3 y. 55 k. J. Sarthou 1  
Ecurie Monarque's Ficha, 3 y. 55 k. P. Garcia 2  
Petite Ecurie's Parva, 4 y. 58 k. I. Diaz 3  
Also ran—Marise, Santa Elvira Ligera, Zingara, Guña, Santa Eugenia, Ameliana, Atenas, Atalaya, Rubina, Mancha, Queen Victoria and Venturosa.

Dividends—Fantasia \$17.10 win and 3.80 place, Ficha 2.65 place, Parva 2.80 place.

**PREMIO HARAS LAS ORTIGAS** handicap for horses that have not won more than \$50,000, limited between 60 and 50 kilos. \$2,500 to the first and 200 to the second. 2,300 metres.

Ecurie Belgrano's Republicano, by Progreso—Bacarola, 4 y. 56 k. A. Diaz 1

Stud Don Gonzalo's Eclat, 5 y. 57 k. F. Perez 2  
Hatteras' Limosnero, 3 y. 52 k. P. Garcia 3



Also ran—Polas and Nihuil

Dividends—Republicano \$6.05 win and 3.70 place Eclat 5.85 place.

PREMIO HARAS MARIA LUISA, Handicap for winners of more than \$5000. \$180 to first and \$150 to second. 1400 metres.

Hatteras Brenus, by Bolivar—Breda, 3 y. 53 k. . . . . P. Garcia 1  
 Stud Don Gonzalo's Oviedo, 3 y. 55 k. . . . . F. Perez 2  
 Stud Los Cardos' Herr Thomas, 3 y. 49 k. . . . . J. Feliú 3  
 Also ran—Batarece, Bohemio, Eclairé, Porthos, Araujo, Egipcía and Morena.

Dividends—Brenus 10.55 win and 4.60 place, Oviedo 4.05 place, Herr Thomas 5.50 place

PREMIO HARAS NACIONAL, handicap for all horses. \$2000 to first and 200 to second. 1700 metres.

Peite Ecurie's Bonaparte, by Gay Hermit—Nesta, 4 y. 57 k. . . . . I. Diaz 1  
 Ecurie Etoile's San Graal, 3 y. 52 k. . . . . J. Feliú 2  
 Ecurie Lagrange's Orbe, 5 y. 55 k. . . . . A. Diaz 3  
 Also ran—Laprida, Riveira and Seida.

Dividends—Bonaparte \$6.45 win and 3.70 place, San Graal 4.60 place.

## POLO

### HURLINGHAM

Wednesday, May 15th.—A capital game was witnessed here to-day between a team from Media Luna and a Hurlingham team. The game was fast and well contested throughout, Hurlingham scoring the two goals by which they won in the last quarter. The visitors excelled in individual play, but the combination of Hurlingham was the better. That there was good scoring on both sides is shewn by the result, as the game ended—Hurlingham eight goals, Media Luna six goals.

The sides were:

Hurlingham	Media Luna
1. E. D. Drabble	1. G. Anderson
2. . . . . Schwind	2. F. Holland
2. R. S. Moncrieff	3. J. Leared
B. F. R. Bedford (back)	C. J. Tetley (back)

First Quarter.—Play was for some time fairly even. Media Luna then rushed the ball to the Hurlingham line, and Anderson hit a goal for the visitors from a pretty near-side stroke. Give and take play followed, Moncrieff and Bedford making good runs for Hurlingham, while Holland and Anderson played well for the visitors, the score at the end of the quarter being—Media Luna one goal, Hurlingham 0.

Second Quarter.—From the hit out Drabble made a good run for Hurlingham; directly afterwards Holland took the ball down the ground and scored for Media Luna. Drabble and Moncrieff then made two runs, each hitting a goal. Quarter ended two goals all.

Third Quarter.—Was remarkable for quick scoring. Holland first scored for Media Luna, and then Moncrieff for Hurlingham, Anderson directly after made a fine run and scored for the visitors, and after some even play Moncrieff scored again for the Club, but Media Luna was not to be denied, and after a fine run Holland scored for the visitors, Quarter ended—Media Luna 5, Hurlingham 4.

Fourth Quarter.—Moncrieff hit two goals for Hurlingham in this quarter. Media Luna made some good runs, but failed to score. Play was very even. Quarter ended—Hurlingham 6, Media Luna 5.

Fifth Quarter.—Anderson hit a goal for Media Luna and brought the scores equal. There was no further score, and the quarter ended six goals all.

Sixth Quarter.—Media Luna hit out from behind Drabble, got quickly to the ball, and scored for the Club. Even play followed, and, after Schwind and Bedford each had shots for goal without success. Drabble scored again for Hurlingham, and the match ended—Hurlingham 8 goals, Media Luna 6 goals.

Sunday, May 19th.—A splendid afternoon for polo, and the ground better than we have seen it for a long time—hard and true—so it was not surprising that a good game resulted, though, considering the way the ball travelled, the game was not so fast as it should have been, and the goal scoring was low.

The first eight to take the field were:

Moncrieff	Challinor
Jefferies	E. Robson
Bedford	Schwind
Sanderson	Drabble

After two very even quarters the former side just had the best of it by 1—0. Then Bedford and Sanderson stood out, and Commandante Oliveria Cesar and another officer took their places on one side, while on the other Drabble had for partners R. Willes, Pte. Salorcador, and Ravenscroft. These sides played two more quarters, in

which Ravenscroft's side scored three goals to their opponents' two. The last two chuckers were between Moncrieff, Oliviera César, Bedford, and Willes, against Ravenscroft, Schwind, Sanderson, and Drabble, and in this Moncrieff's side had somewhat the best of the game by three goals to one.

We hear there is talk of an Invitation Tournament at Media Luna sometime in June. The homesters will be able to put a couple of teams in the field, and, as Venado Tuerto, Hurlingham, and San Carlos have been invited, there should be some real good polo. R. S. Moncrieff, E. D. Drabble, T. Robson, and C. Jefferies have, we believe, been asked to go from Hurlingham. This will make a fair side, but hardly strong enough to tackle San Carlos.

## HUNTING

### HURLINGHAM DRAG HOUNDS.

These hounds have been out three times this week—on Wednesday and Thursday in the early morning—but on neither day was there a large following of members, four being the total on the former day, and some half a dozen on the latter. However, Sunday was a red letter day. The meet was at Mr. Balfour's quinta, where the field was most hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Patrick. In the unavoidable absence of Mr. Thursby, Mr. A. S. Willes, assisted by his brother, was in charge. Hounds were laid on close to the house, and, running a ring round the club, finally checked at the Paseo Morales bridge. So far hounds went very well, and, although the "property" wall—a confection of paint and wood—caused some hesitation on the part of several hunters, there was little grief, Mr. Thompson being the only one unlucky enough to get a toss, but was soon up and going again. However, on laying hounds on for the second run, the fun began, for, at the first fence in Mattaldi's camp, Mr. A. Willes "came it," then Mr. Harnett and Miss Pearce fell together, and, before the finish was reached, Messrs. Moncrieff, Marjoribanks, Baker, and C. Lacey, all had "bought a bit of camp," so the Messrs. Willes were practically alone with the hounds, everyone else having stopped to catch loose horses, render first aid to the wounded, etc., many of them having consequently lost their way. Yet everyone managed in time to reach the finish, and we were glad to hear of no damage done.

The second part of the run was undoubtedly too long—enough is as good as a feast—and yet strangely most of the falls took place in the first part of it, which is the more unaccountable, as the pace was at no time very great. The chief proof of its being too long was to be found in the hounds, who at the finish were strung out over more than 300 metres, and just following one another like sheep.

The following were out: Mrs. Patrick, Mrs. McIver, Miss Pearce, and little Miss Gumpert, Messrs. A. and R. Willes, Ravenscroft, Thompson, Patrick, Jefferies, Schwind, Marjoribanks, Bedford, Ingram, Baker, Wilson, Sanderson, E. Robson, Gelling, and Moncrieff.

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**ESTANCIA AND COLONY**

On Sunday last Sres. Lator y Bercetche held a *re-mate feria* at Merlo, when the following prices were realised:—Novillos for fattening \$23 to 35, for killing \$36 to \$57; cows for fattening at \$16.50, for killing from \$24 to 40; cows and calves *al corte* \$14 to \$22.50; cows for breeding \$61; oxen at \$60; sheep for fattening at \$3.20. The total of the sales reached \$45,891.

The news from Cordoba still continues to be most unsatisfactory, the drought causing a cessation of all farm work.

If we may believe all we read in our native contemporaries and from what one hears, Italian colonization in the South should make great progress under the auspices of the new colonization company known as the Italo-Argentina. Apparently the necessary capital has already been subscribed, or nearly so, half here and half in Italy. At all events the scheme is in the hands of experienced men, and promises well.

From the commencement of the current year up to the 10th inst., there have been exported from this country 586,653 tons of wheat, 147,445 tons of maize and 320,298 tons of linseed. The exportation of these products during the past week amounted to 22,455 tons of wheat 27,153 tons of maize and 6,985 tons of linseed.

During the past week, and especially during the last few days, far greater activity has been shown in the wool market than for some time past, and several important operations have been done. During

the week 19,317 bales of wool were exported, 6,238 being destined for Dunkirk, 3,984 for Antwerp, 5,186 for Hamburg, 31 for Genoa, 2,818 for the United Kingdom and 1,060 for the United States. The European buyers having concluded their operations, have returned to Europe by the steamers "Atlantique" and "Cap Verde."

A movement is on foot to establish the dressed meat trade in Canada on a large scale. Once established, it is held that there is no reason why Canada should not compete successfully with every country sending refrigerated meat to England. Quality, it is considered is the most important factor in developing this trade, and the fact that the tendency is towards an increase in the dressed meat trade and a decrease in that in live cattle is urged as a reason why Canadian farmers should produce a better class of beef cattle than they are now doing.

The mounted force which Lord Kitchener will have at his disposal for the final stages of the great war in South Africa will be one of the largest and finest ever placed in the field by any nation. The regular cavalry will comprise some 14,000 men, and the Colonials about 50,000. There are 7,000 to 8,000 regular mounted infantrymen, and the Imperial Yeomanry will eventually reach a total of over 20,000. The artillery comprises over 12,000 men, and has more than 300 12 pounder and 15 pounder guns. Altogether the mounted troops will exceed 100,000.

The importance of the United Kingdom as a purchaser of cattle shipped across the Atlantic from the United States, is illustrated by a statement giving the total exports from the United States to all European countries for each of the last ten years. It is remarked that the trans-Atlantic cattle trade has in a quarter of a century comple-



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tely revolutionised the export cattle trade of the United States. About the time of the inception of trans-Atlantic shipments the 50,000 to 60,000 head of their surplus cattle, worth from £200,000 to £300,000, annually found a market in the contiguous countries to the north and south and in the West Indies. Of recent years the total annual exports have closely approximated 400,000 head, valued at from £6,000,000 to £7,400,000. Upwards of 300,000 of this number have annually been transported across the Atlantic, yielding yearly returns of from £5,600,000 to £7,000,000. The United Kingdom, formerly entirely dependent upon continental Europe for a supply of foreign cattle, now draws that supply almost exclusively from North America.

In the course of an interesting article on the sale and consumption of meat in France, the *Economiste Français* describes what has been done in Denmark in the way of co-operative slaughter-houses and butcher shops. These establishments, which now number twenty-five, have secured for the feeder of fat stock a progress which they could never attain with private slaughter-houses, namely, the purchase of pigs by weight after they had been killed, according to their quality. These twenty-five co-operative slaughter-houses killed in 1899 7,30,000 pigs, valued at £1,760,000; and 22,500 head of cattle, valued at £200,000. They include 56,000 active members, who undertake to furnish a given number of pig, and, as is the case with the co-operative dairies, the members have an equal proportionate share in the profits of the year. The Copenhagen Central Association, in constant touch with foreign countries, keeps members informed of the market, and has in this way rendered valuable service to farmers and stock-keepers.

The number of horses exported from Great Britain during the first three months of the year was 6,440 against 7,952 last year. Belgium took 3,969, Holland 1,639, France 353, and other countries 479. The value of the horses exported was £108,924, against £142,285. During the same period 10,179 horses were imported, against 13,589 last year, the United States sending 6,762 against 9,902; Canada 134; and other countries 3,823, against 3,427. The value of the horses imported was £279,426, against £372,814 last year.

A feature of the sheep-shearing on Australian farms is the extraordinary quantity of tea that is drunk by the men. The weather is, of course, hot at shearing time; at a sheep farm named Kilfara, some years ago, ninety-two buckets of tea were swallowed in one day by 170 shearers and helpers.

General Mackinnon, in his singularly vivid "Journal of the C. I. V. in South Africa," says that when the regiment was acting as rearguard, one of the principal and most depressing duties that fell upon the men was the destruction of dying horses and mules left behind by the column. On August 21st they passed fully 100 dead animals. The vultures do not wait until the horse is dead, they "flock in a horrid, struggling, fighting, revolting mass of beaks and feathers above the fallen steed. A soldier on the outer edge of the extended line swings his rifle with swift back-handed motion over his shoulder, and brings the butt amidst the crowd. The vultures hop with grotesque, ungainly motions from their prey and stand with wings extended and clawed feet apart, their necks outstretched, and curved heads dripping slime and blood." The merciful bullet releases the horse from pain, and as the line of men moves forward, the vultures scramble back to the quivering carcase, fighting among themselves.

The imports into Great Britain of live stock from Ireland for the first quarter of the year have been as follows:—Cattle, 129,721, a decrease of 872 as compared with the first three months last year; sheep, 66,941, an increase of 18,220; pigs, 197,774, a decrease of 57,014; and horses, 3,959, a decrease of 4,511.

The rates of marching for mounted troops in the British Army are:—For cavalry and horse artillery at a walk 4 miles an hour, at a walk and a trot 5 miles, and at a trot 8 miles an hour. Field artillery marching by itself travels 3 miles an hour, a convoy—wagons and cattle—travels 2 miles an hour. In this connection it is always held in mind that the larger the body of troops the more slowly do they march. A high German authority sets down the maximum distance cavalry can cover in a forced march under favourable conditions in 24 hours at 50 miles.



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WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1901.

## NOTES.

On Thursday the Hurlingham Race Meeting was chiefly remarkable for the consistent upholding of form. Every favourite but one winning. Baron Peers, as we prognosticated, proved the hero of the day, by awning and steering no less than three winners in consecutive races. In Chaparron he undoubtedly has an extraordinarily good pony—he is entire and is thoroughbred, being by San Martin out of Rustica, and was a twin foal, which fact no doubt accounts for his lack of inches, as he passes the standard easily. Ayacucho was too quick for his opponents but, unfortunately pulled up very lame, but we trust the injury was nothing serious, for it would be a pity if he were not to figure in the race for the Grand Hurdle Race on June 6th. Two well known ponies in Chatterbox and Mascarilla lost their maiden certificates, the former over jumps and the latter on the flat. Both have been decidedly unlucky not to have done so before.

A couple of very interesting matches were arranged on Thursday at Hurlingham after the races. One is between Mr. Ravenscroft's Chatterbox and Mr. Leys' Try Over, 500 metres on the flat, 75 kilos each, gentlemen riders, for \$500, to be run if possible on June 6th. The other is between Mr. A. S. Willes' Pioneer and Mr. R. S. Moncrieff's Starlight, 5000 metres over jumps, catch weights, Mr. Willes to ride his horse and Mr. Marjoribanks Starlight, to be run in a fortnight for a stake to be agreed upon. Both should be very close things, and should also be well worth seeing.

The Premio Luro last Thursday was won by Porrazo with the greatest ease from Listo, Oran and Briseño, to whom he was conceding five kilos. These colts, mentioned in our last issue as his most formidable competitors, are distinctly good, which makes this performance a very brilliant one. Porrazo is so well set up that we believe he would even thus early be a match for Offembach and Ultimatum at even weights, and when we get to longer distances even Cordon Rouge, first-rater though he is, will have to look to his laurels, as we believe the son of Stiletto to be the most promising colt ever seen on the Argentine racecourses. Time will show.

The racing on Sunday confirmed the good qualities of La Ventana, the first product of Sargento that gives promise of running into the front rank. She is a long, raking filly, well shaped, and with an easy gallop that seems to promise staying power. The Classic for mares only was

welcomed by a return to form of Fantasia, who was undoubtedly the best of her sex last year. Ficha ran a good race, but cannot compare in appearance with the daughter of Neapolis and will probably have to be content to remain with second place.

The Classic for the 26th is the Premio Guemes; 1300 metres, in which Porrazo and Totoral are not entered, neither is Oran, so on form it should lie between Listo and Briseño, unless some of the new ones turn out good, a consummation devoutly to be wished. The Premio Hipódromo Argentino, the first of the big races, comes on June 2, and at present seems left to Cordon Rouge and Etoile, but the prospect may improve, and we will deal with it next week.

The programme for the race-meeting on Saturday at the Sociedad Hipica grounds in Palermo has filled fairly well, and there should be some good racing. For the Premio Buenos Aires we fancy Gladi, but in the next race, Premio Cordoba, of 1,300 for maidens, it is more difficult to find the winner, though we think the finish should be between Odeon and Juanita. The Premio Paris is a handicap steeplechase, which ought to prove a good race between Ayacucho and Speculation, and the 7 kilos difference should turn the scale in favour of the latter. For the Premio Estados Unidos, we fancy Mendigo most, while in the last race the Premio Mayo for ponies, if Sapo passes the measurer he should have a soft thing, though Chatterbox, if he can get off, will make him gallop.

We have been kindly allowed the opportunity to read a letter from Mr. H. Scott Robson, from England in reference to polo ponies. He says, in referring to one lot of six that were sent to him on the Hornby Grange, that the ponies arrived sound, but did not seem to have been led well enough; that the tails of three of these were almost rubbed away. He strongly advises shippers of this class of animal to send their own men as it appears the cattle men put on by the steamship agents do not take sufficient trouble. Mr. Robson also says that the Messrs. Miller tell him the Argentines have a very bad name at home, but that they were especially pleased with three of his of the Alvear mark, which they declare to be of the right stamp, and do not resemble the ordinary class of Argentine that has been sent over to the detriment of the breed there. A big blood-like bay pony sold by Mr. David Ripley and sent to Mr. A. H. Howard, has already elicited a bid of £100, so evidently if the right class can be got, there is still a good market.

Last Wednesday we had the pleasure of witnessing a very pleasant and interesting polo match between the Hurlingham Club and Media Luna. Four prominent members of the latter club chancing to be in Buenos Aires at the same time, the Hurlingham men in a very sporting manner got together a team to meet them, and managed also to provide them with ponies, and very fairly mounted they were too. There was a strong wind blowing right down the ground, which probably accounted for the high scoring, as one side always had wind and slope with them, though funnily enough the scoring was more frequent at the top goal than at the other.

The game perhaps was somewhat more sticky than one would have expected, but nevertheless there was enough galloping to satisfy the ponies at any rate, and though at times there was some missing, yet there was some very fine hitting and several beautiful shots at goal. The Media Luna team, in spite of being on borrowed po-



nies, showed lots of dash, and strangely enough in the first two quarters turned and got away much better than the home side, who did not seem to settle down till after the third "chucker", but they "stayed" much the better, and distinctly held the upper hand in the last two quarters. For Media Luna, Anderson and Holland were riding and hitting in great form, while on the Hurlingham side Drabble was the best, and did a power of good work.

The Scratch team of Association football players, which crossed over to Montevideo last Wednesday night to meet the Albion representatives, had a most excellent trip in every way. The hospitality of the Albion Football Club has become a bye-word, but its members fairly excelled themselves on this occasion. Everything possible or imagineable was done for the comfort of their visitors, by whom the kindness of the Albion members was highly appreciated.

The new ground in the *Paso del Molino* is worthy of the club, and is really first class. A commodious pavilion, grand stands and an imposing entrance all tend to make the ground quite the first of its kind in this country. The actual playing ground has been levelled, and the turf is excellent. The interest taken in the game by the Natives is wonderful, and their knowledge of the game is equally astonishing. Every member of the huge crowd that witnessed the match under notice followed every detail of the play with the keenest interest—it was delightful.

As to the play itself, another surprise was in store for our own players. The Scratch team, with the exception of one of the forwards who was injured, was a fine combination, and would have made most teams on this side "sit up," and it says much for the Albions that they not only held their own in the first moiety, but led by a goal for part of the second half. Eventually they were defeated by three goals to two, but it was a fine performance, nevertheless.

The weak point about their team is the lack of combination between the half-backs and the forwards. The latter, at times, combined very nicely, but the half-backs never seemed to think of feeding their forwards, who, in consequence, wasted much energy in continual and ineffectual rushes. Their defence was distinctly good, and the forwards were fast, in fact, they have the material for a really good team, and we fancy our teams from this side will have all their work cut out this season to avoid defeat. We wish the Albion Club continued prosperity, and we shall look forward with great pleasure to our next visit.

Under the title of "A Protest" our leading English "daily" recently published a short article. As it contained, some rather misleading statements, we feel compelled to comment on it, the more especially as from the numerous and various questions we were asked last Sunday, and from the remarks we overheard on the football field, it has evidently given a quite erroneous impression. A certain club was accused of playing several members of its first team in a second division match. Now, up to the time that letter was written, the club in question had not played a first League match, so how could our contemporary's correspondent possibly make such an accusation?

As a matter of fact, the first match played by the club, against whom these objections have been raised, took place last Sunday, when, as is well known four or

five of the second team *did* play, on account of five of the original team published having cried off at the last moment. What is the result? Simply that if any of the five players again appear for the first eleven they cannot take their places in the second team, so that the whole matter tells directly against the club itself. So far then from the club having erred in playing members of their first team is their second eleven, they have seriously jeopardised their chances by being forced to play second eleven men in their first team.

Strange as it may seem, there can be no doubt but that the players, or the majority of them, in the second and third divisions have an idea that the League Committee do not look after their interests, and devote all their attention to the first division. This is quite wrong. The Committee, with which we have been closely connected for many years, fully recognize that the second division is our strongest, and that the third is the most important, not only because they quite realize the great importance of encouraging our youth, but also because they see that it is our only hope of getting the native element to adopt and become interested in our great national winter pastime.

To prevent, therefore, the very thing that one club has already been accused of, the committee at the commencement of this season, altered the law concerning second team players taking part in first eleven matches. If a second eleven player appears twice for the first, he is now debarred from playing again for the second, and is henceforth regarded as a first eleven player. This alteration was expressly made with the purpose of guarding the interests of the second division, and we cannot for the life of us see what more the committee could have done. Let those players, who are dissatisfied, make their protests in the right quarter before rushing into print, and we fancy the feeling all round will become far more cordial.

The now famous Corinthians may look back on the week ending April 13th with considerable satisfaction, for during it they met three League teams—Notts Forest Stoke and Derby County—and came through without defeat. Perhaps neither the first nor the third team were quite at full strength, but it was a fine performance for the amateurs. Altogether, the Corinthians have had a fine season; five of the club obtained international caps this year, and it would not have weakened the English team if they had had a still stronger representation.

So many writers have expressed their opinions regarding the decadence of English football, since the last International match was played, that it is quite a treat to find someone bold enough to express contrary views. An English sporting contemporary refers to the subject as follows:—

When all is said and done, the outlook for England is not so fearfully depressing as some would make it. This year we were much inferior to Scotland, an exceptionally good side, but those who saw the matches will agree that there was very little between the teams in the Swansea and Dublin matches. We were beaten, it is true, but the games were not in the least of a runaway kind. If the games had been, say, like that between Scotland and Ireland under the Association Code, there might be good reason for searching of heart, but they showed that there was plenty of good football in England, which is the really important thing.

With regard to the new lawn-tennis club, which has been formed at Banfield, under the title of the "Gascon



Lawn Tennis Club, Banfield," we have been requested to remind the members of it, and those who intend becoming members, or are interested in its welfare, that a general meeting will be held at Calle Sanchez 1545, Banfield, on the evening of Monday the 27th inst., at 8.30, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Provisional Committee as to the progress made, and also, if time permit to pass the Rules and Regulations for the government of the club. It is hoped that as many as possible will find it convenient to attend.

A correspondent at Port Stanley, in the Falkland Islands, sends the "Express" some remarkable details of the capture by the crew of the second-class protected cruiser "Flora" of a colossal sea elephant. While the commander of the Flora was going ashore the monster charged the whale-boat and capsized it, and on the following day nine boats were manned and despatched to capture the assailant. "After an exciting day's sport," says this correspondent, "we drove the monster on to the beach, and after a contest—in the course of which several bluejackets were badly hurt by fragments of rock which were hurled about by the brute in its death struggles—we succeeded in killing it. It was a gigantic specimen of *macrorhinus elephantinus* or *proboscideus*, measuring just under 40ft. long and weighing over 13 tons. It has a trunk 4ft. long, and a general conformation closely approaching that of the ordinary elephant, save that there are huge fins in place of legs. The commander of the Flora has despatched the ribs, head and trunk of the monster to the British Museum.

There was a certain Major X., says the "Free Lance," who had for some years enjoyed the reputation of being one of the wildest men in India. Making a call on one occasion on a mess, he found Captain Z., whom he wanted, out, but the mess waiter assured him that the latter would soon return, wherefore he waited in the anteroom. A few minutes later, the mess sergeant, happening to pass the window, noticed to his surprise that Major X. had passed into the mess room beyond, and was applying a tape measure to the mess table. Naturally considering this an odd proceeding, he mentioned it later on in the day to Captain Z., who took counsel, and then begged a favour of the Colonel, which was to allow an inch to be sawn off the table legs.

In due course Major X. was invited to dinner, and the mess was there to a man. As was expected, during dessert he contrived to lead the conversation on to guessing heights, and from that to offering to bet on the present mahogany was but a step. They took him on, from Colonel down to youngest sub.—even the padre could not resist the temptation to chastise the unrighteous, and ventured his mite. The challenger bet first, just an eighth of an inch beyond the old height, and then the mess, in rotation, guessed exactly the same, and all guessed exactly right. He was done completely.

## LAWN TENNIS

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## FOOTBALL

### ASSOCIATION

#### ALBION F.C., MONTEVIDEO, v. MR. J. O. ANDERSON'S ELEVEN.

A Scratch eleven got together by J. O. Anderson crossed over to Montevideo on Wednesday evening last to try conclusions with a team representing the Albion Club.

After an excellent passage over, the Albion Club met the visitors and took them on shore in a special tug with the club's colours at the mast-head.

At half-past eleven the two teams and some friends sat down together, under the Presidency of that fine old sportsman, Mr. J. Sardeson, there being thirty-one in all, to enjoy a most excellent luncheon, to which all justice was done.

After lunch a special tram, gaily bedecked with flags, took the players to the scene of action. The interest that the match was creating was obvious by the repeated cheers which greeted the special tram all along the route to the ground. On arriving there quite a novel sight for players on this side was in store for the visitors, as an enormous crowd had already assembled, and except for the ticket offices and the absence of the "bobbies" with their helmets, the scene for all the world reminded one of a football match at home. The grand stands were packed and the spectators stood six deep all round.

After the players had been photographed, Poole beat Anderson with the toss, and elected to defend the town-end goal.

Ayling kicked off and the ball was soon sent out to the outside right, and Anderson lost no time in beating the home custodian, but was ruled off-side.

Continuing to have the best of matters, the visiting forwards were soon pressing, and at length Ayling beat Sardeson with a low cross-shot. The reverse seemed to wake up the Albion players, and they broke away several times, erratic shooting alone preventing a score, until at length Cespedes beat R. Anderson with a high shot, which the goal-keeper tried to fist out. This point was greeted with great cheering. Meanwhile the visitors were not idle, but the shooting of the forwards was very weak, and many a chance was lost. Play grew very fast towards the end of the first half, and it was apparent that each side was trying to obtain the lead before the whistle sounded for the interval. It was not to be, however, and half-time arrived with the scores level.

After an interval of five minutes, Sardeson put the ball in motion once again. Ratcliffe was very busy at centre-half, and checked rush after rush either with his head or feet. The result was that the forwards were well fed and had many chances, but the shooting was weak. At length a long kick by one of the Albion backs let the forwards off, and Poole, getting quickly through the backs, took the ball down unopposed. The visiting goal-keeper should have run out, but preferring to wait in goal had no earthly chance of stopping the final shot, and amidst a scene of almost indescribable enthusiasm, the ball landed in the net, and the Albion led by two goals to one. After this the visitors commenced a regular bombardment of their opponents' goal, and the ball was rarely out of the Albion's half. Poor shooting and a stubborn defence, however, prevented a score until G. N. Dickinson at length banged one into the net from the inside right, Sardeson having no chance of saving.

With the scores once again equal, excitement ran high, and the pace perceptibly increased. Before long a rather high pass from one of the back division was taken on the half-volley by H. Anderson, on the inside left, and the third and last goal was scored by the visitors. Towards the end, the Albion players made a great effort to get on terms, and when the final whistle sounded for "no side," they were in the visitors' territory;

The match thus ended in a win for the visitors by three goals to two.

The better side undoubtedly won, but the Albion representatives made a great fight of it, and the play was interesting throughout. Sardeson was as good as ever in goal, and could not have saved any of the three goals scored. Both backs were good, and the half-backs worked hard. The forwards were fast, and combined well at times, but were well looked after by the opposing halves.

Of these, Ratcliffe played a great game, and was very clever with his head.

W. Leslie was very good at back, and Pelly did the



little he had to do in his customary finished style, but was badly handicapped in not having football boots.

The forwards were a little ragged at times, mainly owing to being practically one short, the outside left being, to all intent, useless. Mr. H. W. Botting kindly acted as referee to everyone's satisfaction, while the lines were looked after by Messrs. C. Scarth and J. Hall.

It was an excellent match in every way, and enjoyed thoroughly by all.

The following were the teams:—

- Mr. J. O. Anderson's XI—
- Goal—R. E. H. Anderson.
- Backs—W. Leslie, F. R. Pelly.
- Half-backs—C. E. Dickinson, H. T. Ratcliffe, E. L. Duggan.
- Forwards—J. O. Anderson, G. N. Dickinson, E. D. Ayling, H. B. Anderson, G. E. Leslie.
- Albion F.C.—
- Goal—E. Sardeson.
- Backs—C. B. Poole (captain), E. Cardenal.
- Half-backs—J. Lopez, F. Cutler, M. Ortiz Garzon.
- Forwards—B. Cespedes, J. Sardeson, W. L. Poole, A. F. Lodge, J. Morton.

## BELGRANO A.C. v. LOMAS A.C.

The first match, in the League First Division, was played last Sunday at Lomas, in perfect football weather and before a very fair muster of spectators. It was with considerable misgivings that the home captain led his men on to the field to oppose the redoubtable Belgrano team, as through injuries and other causes several of his original team were unable to turn out, and second team players had to be called out. In spite of this, and although always behind in the score, the Lomasites made a gallant fight of it, and although defeated in the end by three goals to one, they scored the only goal in the second half. A cross wind interlered somewhat with the play, but not so much as to materially affect the game, and the stronger side certainly won.

Anderson beat Duggan for the choice of goals and decided to defend the Banfield-end goal. From the kick-off Belgrano dashed away but the forwards were pulled up and the Lomas left wing went away, Hunter nearly scoring with a useful cross shot. From the kick out the visitors' left wing got away, Malm's pace proving too much for the half-back marking him. A corner resulted, which was safely dealt with by the Lomas backs and their left wing again went away. Things were beginning to look dangerous when the ball went out. The throw-in saw Belgrano in possession, but the ball was sent over to the right wing where Anderson dashed off, but was pulled up in time. Give-and-take play followed first one side and then the other attacking, from one of which attacks Edgar Dickinson got a chance and beat Gibson, thus scoring the first goal for Belgrano.

On resuming, the visitors were soon at work again, Coe being particularly busy. A bad stroke of luck for Lomas then followed, as Baldock, the right Belgrano half, took a long kick which the Lomas custodian never attempted to deal with, inagining it was well outside the net. The wind, however, must have altered the course of the ball, for it found the net, and thus the second point fell to Belgrano.

After the ball had once again been set in motion, Belgrano continued to attack, until the Lomas right wing dashed off, but the ball was returned to the Belgrano right where N. Dickinson smartly got through the opposing backs and scored a good goal with a rattling cross short, which Gibson had no chance of saving.

Half-time arrived shortly afterwards, so that the visitors crossed over with the useful lead of three goals to none.

It was thought that Belgrano would more than double their score in the second half, and everyone was prepared to see Lomas badly beaten. On getting to work again, however, the home team played up with great energy, and Dorning was called upon more than once. After a time the visitors began to combine better, and Malm, on the left, and Coe, at inside right, both worried the Lomas defence. The forwards on both sides had several shots, and then the Lomas left wing made a series of brilliant dashes up the ground, and after several futile attempts, Nobili at last got cleverly through, and gave Dorning no chance, thus scoring the only point for Lomas.

After this success, Lomas continued to have most of the game, but although they made every effort to reduce

their opponents' lead, it could not be done, and the game ended as stated above.

For the winners, Dorning was very safe in goal. Macfarlane was brilliant at times, but Stalker seemed off colour. Ratcliffe worked hard as usual, but we have seen him safer. Coe was the pick of the forwards, passing cleverly and shooting where he got a chance, while Malm was very useful at outside left.

For the losers J. Campbell played a capital game at full-back, especially during the second half. Jacobs worked hard at half, and J. Gibson played a plucky game, but was inclined to kick too hard. Mohr Bell, Nobili, and Hunter all worked very well at forward, and, with a little more combination should make a dangerous trio. Mr. H. W. Botting kindly undertook the arduous duties of referee in his usual efficient manner, and Messrs. F. H. Chevallier Boutell and J. R. S. Eox acted as linesmen.

The following were the teams:

- Belgrano—
- Goal—H. Dorning.
- Backs—G. L. Macfarlane, G. Stalker.
- Half-backs—E. L. Duggan, H. T. Ratcliffe, J. W. Baldock.
- Forwards—W. Malm, C. E. Dickinson, E. D. Ayling, W. H. Coe, G. N. Dickinson.
- Lomas—
- Goal—C. Gibson.
- Backs—J. Campbell, W. Rodger.
- Half-backs—O. W. J. Pfeiffer, F. H. Jacobs, J. Gibson.
- Forwards—J. O. Anderson, S. Mohr Bell, G. Fa mahill, L. Nobilli, J. Hunter.

## COLON A.C. v. ESTUDIANTES.

This second division fixture was played on Sunday last on the ground of the former club. A fair number of spectators were present to witness the game, which was a close one, the Estudiantes eventually winning by two goals to none. Malaguizi and F. Brandi were responsible for the goals scored.

## BARRACAS A.C. v. ALUMNI 2ND.

This second division match was played last Sunday at Lanús. The play ruled very even all through. During the first half Barracas scored a goal, and as no further score was registered the game resulted in a win for Barracas by one goal to none.

The visitors, it is only fair to state, had to play one short all through the second half, so that they did well in keeping their opponedts out. Mr. A. A. Mack acted as referee.

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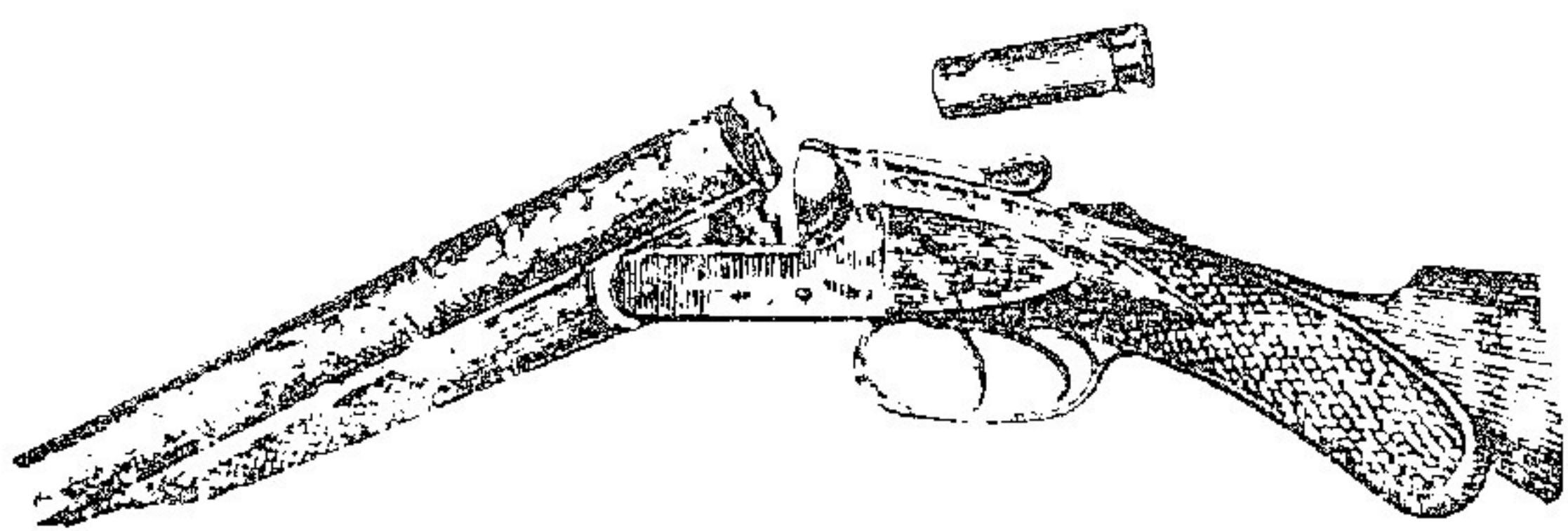
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## THE LOITERER.

Captain Stephen Traherne was leaning over a balcony rail, staring abstractedly into the night. A shaft of light from the half open casement behind showed him to be a tall dark man, somewhat swarthy in complexion, with a deep scar on the left side of his forehead. Mechanically his fingers felt for a cigarette.

He lit it, and apparently deep in thought, puffed a cloud of smoke. Suddenly he roused himself, and squared his shoulders.

"Yes, I'll try it!" he said in a low tone of determination. "It isn't playing the game, but I'd do worse things to gain her!"

He found her sitting with her aunt. She was a beautiful girl of about three-and-twenty, with calm, reposed features and steady grey eyes. Traherne, as he made his way across to her, thought he had never seen a more lovely woman.

"This is ours I think!" he said. She rose without a word and took his arm. He could feel that the old aversion she had for him still remained, and the determination to carry out his plan grew stronger within him.

They took a few turns round the room—almost without speaking. Then he bent a little nearer to her. She gave him a little searching glance.

"If it's the old subject," she said, "it is of no use."

No, not the old subject," he paused. "It's about Peile—I have heard of him."

He saw her give a slight start.

"Will you come?" She nodded, and he led her out into the conservatory. He found a secluded nook, and they sat down. She waited for him to speak. He crossed his legs, and sat with his eyes staring on the ground.

"Yes," he said at length in a deliberate tone, "at last I have discovered the whereabouts of the gentleman who did me the honour of attempting to murder me." The girl at his side winced.

"How did you find out?" she asked. He laughed shortly.

"When a man is set on by a drunken scoundrel, and left for dead by him, is it strange that the incident should continue to hold some slight interest for him?" He dived his hand into a pocket, and pulled out an envelope.

"Immediately I was well enough, I put the matter into the hands of a detective, with instructions to run down my would-be murderer."

He heard the girl give a little gasp.

"He is abroad," she said, with an attempt to speak evenly.

Not at all," returned Traherne. "At the present moment he is living under an assumed name in Liverpool, working at a humble occupation, and apparently only waiting for a chance to escape from the country."

He looked up with a smile. She was deadly white.

"It can't be true!" she murmured.

He held the envelope towards her.

"Would you like to see the letter? It leaves no room for doubt."

She shook her head, and turned away. There was a long pause.

"What do you intend to do?" she asked at length.

"My present plan," he replied, "is to give immediate information to the Scotland Yard authorities, and have a warrant issued for his arrest. The ultimate result will be that he will be sentenced to a long term of penal servitude."

She turned on him with a little cry.

"You won't do that!" she exclaimed, "think of his mother; it would kill her!"

He fingered the scar on his forehead.

"Her son did his best to kill me!" he said calmly.

"She is ill now," she went on pleadingly. "She was heartbroken at what happened. If you do this thing the disgrace will kill her!"

She stopped, and her eyes met his. He was watching her intently.

"And you?" he said.

She gave a start, and a sudden wave of colour swept over her white cheek.

"I—I am only thinking of Mrs. Peile," she said hurriedly. "You don't know how good she has been to me all her life!"

He stood up before her.

"A warrant will be issued to-morrow," he said slowly, "unless—"

"Unless?" she whispered fearfully.

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"Unless you care to help him!" he finished. She looked at him in wonder, a half-hopeful look in her eyes. He took a step nearer to her.

"That warrant shall never be issued. Peile can escape—go to the world, if he likes, if—if you will consent to marry me!" he finished abruptly. He saw the hopeful look die from her eyes, and her face got deadly white again, her lips tremble.

"One or the other!" he continued. She made no reply. He suddenly bent down and caught hold of her hand.

"My God, Blanche!" he said hoarsely. "Can't you see that I love you with my very soul? I swear I will be good to you!"

She withdrew her hand and shivered. He straightened himself with a jerk. He was almost as pale as she was.

"One or the other!" he repeated between his teeth.

She rose from her seat.

"You promise on your word of honour he shall go free?" she said. There was a curious hard expression on her face.

"On my word of honour!" he cried. "Which is it to be?"

A tremor seemed to pass over the girl's frame. Then she turned and faced him him resolutely.

"I will marry you!" she said, with a little break in her voice.

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It was almost mid-day, and a party of two men and a boy were driving a long string of pack donkeys down a winding hillside path in Southern Spain. The donkeys were picking their way cautiously. Each carried a load of cork piled high on its back. The men, some fifty paces from one another, were walking leisurely by their side.

The first was an old man, grey and grizzled, a typical Spaniard, with lazy, smiling eyes, and a good-humoured expression. He slouched along, smoking a black cigarette stuck in one corner of his mouth.

The second man was younger and taller. His face was bronzed to as deep a tint as his companion's his clothes were the same picturesque collection of tatters, but an observer would have been quick to notice a difference.

The eyes were dark, but there was not the same indolent look in them—they were quick and searching. His shoulders were a trifle bent, his step was slow, but the slouching gait of the first man was not there.

The party proceeded in silence for some time. It was a beautiful morning in late April. The sun was hot, but not too powerful, the sky a cloudless blue, and the trees at the height of their summer glory.

They reached the outskirts of the cork-woods at Almoraina.

The trees there were stripped, and had not been touched that year. Presently the old man stopped. They had come to where a huge, fenced-in pile of cork stood. He turned to his companion.

"We will rest now!" he called out. "We can reach Puerta Majorga in another four hours!"

He untied a bundle from the pack of the donkey nearest to him, then sank down on the ground and proceeded to investigate the contents. The boy with a loud whoop drove the donkeys to a stream about fifty yards away, and let them drink and browse on the fresh grass by its banks.

The taller man followed the other's lead, and untied a bundle. He selected a seat under the shade of a tree, then set himself to enjoy his midday meal. Suddenly he uttered a soft low laugh.

"What makes you so merry, *amigo mio*?" cried out the older man.

"Oh, nothing, Alfonso," returned the other. "I was only thinking!" And he fell to the occupation again.

And what thoughts they were! He, Dickie Peile, an English Varsity man, driving donkeys that carried cork from the forests on the hillsides down to the depôt at Puerta Majorga! He was really a clever man, he knew it—the superior of half the men who were doing the world's work. He could have beaten them without an effort, had he set himself the task. But he didn't. He was not content even with staying still; he went down the hill.

People who had predicted the most brilliant things for him grew tired of being repeatedly disappointed. Only two people believed in him, his mother and—! His face softened as his imagination conjured up the picture of the soft grey eyes, the pure outline of her face. She had always trusted him, encouraged him, tried to persuade him to let his real merit reveal itself.

Then, at last, he made up his mind. He would do it, prove himself worthy of her. He remembered the afternoon he had made the resolution. In the evening, he had visited his old haunts for the last time, and returned to

his rooms, half drunk. He found Stephen Traherne waiting for him. The two had always hated one another. He knew Traherne was madly in love with Blanche. He asked him roughly what the devil he wanted in his rooms. Traherne taunted him, and cast a sneer which would have roused a sober man to anger. Maddened by drink, Peile dealt him a blow that stretched him full length on the floor, his head striking the corner of the mantelpiece as he fell.

He could see the white lifeless face now, the blood streaming from a horrible gaping cut in the forehead.

He flung himself on the ground by his side, and lifted his head. There was no sign of life. Then rushed for some brandy and poured it down his throat—still there was no indication that he lived. Then it dawned upon him—he was a murderer!

He managed to get clear to Madrid. Once there, he thought he could get some sort of employment for he spoke Spanish perfectly. But soon after his arrival he was robbed and left in a helpless condition.

What could he do? He dared not apply to the English consul—or to any English firm. Every man has a history, and his would not bear investigation. He wandered out into the country, almost begging his way. Then he happened on the road to do a service to an old Spanish gentleman, who in return gave him a letter of introduction to the manager of a cork depôt. And for the last six months he had been engaged in traversing the thirty miles between the cork forests and the depôt.

"My God!" he groaned under his breath, as these thoughts flitted through his brain, "I shall never get out of it."

He turned and saw old Alfonso slowly getting to his feet.

"It is time for us to be going!" he said. The boy was already driving the donkeys towards them.

Peile roused himself and tied up his bundle again, then lit another cigarette. In a minute or so the little party was again proceeding on its way through the cork woods.

A sudden break in the trees, and Alfonso uttered a cry of surprise. Peile looked and his heart gave a leap. In front was a large open stretch of spring turf. Usually this was quite deserted, but to-day there was a crowd of people.

Peile grasped it at once. The English garrison at Gibraltar were giving a picnic—had come up from Algeciras by train.

His walk quickened into a stride, and he caught up with old Alfonso.

"Let us turn off to the left," he said; "the donkeys will be in the way."

Alfonso assented, and they drove the donkeys across the railway until they reached the trees on the other side.

Presently Peile dropped to the rear, and let the others go on. He stood behind a clump of bush, and gazed long at the little crowd in the distance. They were his own people, perhaps some of them he had known in the past—and he could not so much as speak to one! He saw a man with a flag take up a position some few hundred yards away from him. Then suddenly the sound of horses' hoofs broke upon his ears. He turned his head and saw a cluster of riders coming full pelt down the glade. It was a point to point race, and had started on the hillside, half a mile away. The first three swept by him, the fourth horse suddenly stumbled over a piece of broken ground, and the next moment the rider went flying over the horse's head. He turned a complete somersault, and came down on the back of his head. He uttered a deep groan, and his hands pawed once at the earth, then were still.

With an exclamation of horror, Peile emerged from behind the bush and ran to where the man had fallen. He bent down and turned the body over. A cry burst from him.

"My God, Traherne!" he gasped, looking with awe on the dead man's face. There was no doubt—it was the very man.

He stood up unsteadily on his feet; the other riders were coming back to see what had happened.

"Here, run across to the tent, and bring some brandy, quick, Scott!" he heard a sharp voice saying. One broke away, and the others gathered in a knot round the fallen figure. They paid no attention to the man in tatters, who was standing passing a hand over his brow in a dazed way.

He was not a murderer then! He jumped up and strode excitedly along the bank. The stream was a winding one, and he found himself almost at the back of the luncheon tents. Suddenly, from behind a tree within three yards of him, a lady appeared. She was reading a book, and held a parasol over her head. She raised her



eyes, and they rested idly for a moment on the 'strange figure. Then a quick look of intentness came into them, and she took a step forward, and gazed wonderingly into his face.

"Dickie!" she cried. He caught hold of her arm.

"You, Blanche!" he said hoarsely. They stood looking into one another's faces.

"What are you doing here?" she asked anxiously.

"I've been here nearly eight months, I——" he began.

"Eight months!" she broke in suddenly, "you are sure?"

He nodded. "Then he lied to me!" she continued, shrilly, "he lied to me!" She covered her face with her hands.

"Who did?" he asked.

"Stephen Traherne. He told me he knew where you were, that he could have you arrested, and sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. He said he would do this unless I—"

Peile had caught sight of the wedding ring on her finger.

"You married him?" he said between his teeth.

"To save you, Dickie, to save you!" she sobbed. "And it was a lie all the time!"

Peile turned away.

"He has paid a heavy penalty for it he said at length.

She looked up at him startled. He took her by the hand and led her to where there was a gap in the trees. They could see a small knot of men carrying something heavy over the railway.

"Stephen Traherne was killed in a riding accident five minutes ago!" he said gravely.

Her eyes lifted slowly to his. They stared at one another in silence for a few moments. She began slowly to realise that she was free again—that the man she hated would trouble her no more.

Suddenly Peile caught her hand within his.

"Give me a year, Blanche!" he cried. "I'll work like a slave, and try to make myself worthy of you! I have it in me to get to the top—and I'll do it! It's not too late!"

He paused and looked into the grey, trusting eyes for his answer.

She gazed at him intently. She saw a new Peile—a man with determination in his eye, resolution in every line of his face. She knew that love for her was in his heart.

"Not too late, Dickie!" she said, with a little sigh. "You've only loitered."

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## FIXTURES.

### FOOTBALL.

#### RUGBY FIXTURES—1901.

##### MAY.

Sun. 26—Lomas v. Belgrano, at Lomas.

##### JUNE.

Sun. 2—Lomas v. B.A.F.C., at Lomas.

Sun. 16—Belgrano v. B.A.F.C., at Club Hipico.

Sun. 30—Belgrano v. Lomas, at Belgrano.

##### JULY.

Sun. 21—B.A.F.C. v. Lomas, at Club Hipico.

Sun. 28—Championship semi-finals.

##### AUGUST.

Thurs. 15—Championship final.

#### ASSOCIATION FIXTURES—SEASON 1901.

##### DIVISION I.

##### MAY,

Sat. 25—\*Lomas v. Alumni, at

##### JUNE.

Thur. 6—Belgrano v. Alumni, at Belgrano.

Sun. 9—\*Quilmes v. Belgrano, at Lomas.

Sun. 16—Quilmes v. Alumni, at Quilmes.

Mon. 24—Quilmes v. Lomas, at Quilmes.

##### JULY.

Tues. 9—Alumni v. Belgrano, at

Sun. 14—Lomas v. Alumni, at Lomas.

Sun. 21—Quilmes v. Belgrano, at Quilmes.

##### AUGUST.

Sun. 4—Belgrano v. Lomas, at Belgrano.

Sun. 4—Quilmes v. Albion, at Montevideo.

Mon. 5—Quilmes v. Peñarol, at Montevideo.

Sun. 11—Lomas v. Quilmes, at Lomas.

Thur. 15—Alumni v. Quilmes, at

Sun. 25—\*Final of Cup Tie.

Fri. 30—Alumni v. Lomas, at

\* "Knock-out" competition.

##### DIVISION II.

##### MAY.

Sat. 25—Belgrano 2nd v. San Martin, at Belgrano.

Sun. 26—Belgrano 2nd v. Colon, at Belgrano.

Sun. 26—Banfield v. Lomas 2nd, at Banfield.

Sun. 26—Barracas v. Estudiantes, at Lanús.

##### JUNE.

Sun. 2—Colon v. Porteños, at Dique II.

Sun. 2—Alumni 2nd v. Lomas 2nd, at

Sun. 2—Belgrano 2nd v. Banfield, at Belgrano.

Thur. 6—Alumni 2nd v. Belgrano 2nd, at

Thur. 6—Estudiantes v. San Martin, at

Thur. 6—Barracas v. Colon, at Lanús.

Thur. 6—Banfield v. Porteños, at Banfield.

Sun. 9—San Martin v. Colon, at San Martin.

Sun. 9—Lomas 2nd v. Estudiantes, at Lomas.

Sun. 9—Barracas v. Banfield, at Lanús.

Sun. 9—Alumni 2nd v. Porteños, at

Sun. 16—San Martin v. Belgrano 2nd, at San Martin.

Sun. 16—Colon v. Lomas 2nd, at Dique II.

Sun. 16—Barracas v. Porteños, at Lanús.

Sun. 16—Alumni 2nd v. Estudiantes, at

Sun. 23—Banfield v. San Martin, at Banfield.

Sun. 23—Estudiantes v. Colon, at

Sun. 23—Lomas 2nd v. Porteños, at Lomas.

Mon. 24—Barracas v. San Martin, at Lanús.

Mon. 24—Lomas 2nd v. Banfield, at Lomas.

Sat. 29—San Martin v. Porteños, at San Martin.

Sat. 29—Lomas 2nd v. Barracas, at Lomas.

Sun. 30—Estudiantes v. Belgrano 2nd, at

Sun. 30—San Martin v. Lomas 2nd, at San Martin.

Sun. 30—Banfield v. Colon, at Banfield.

##### JULY.

Sun. 7—Porteños v. Belgrano 2nd, at

Sun. 7—Alumni 2nd v. San Martin, at

Sun. 7—Colon v. Barracas, at Dique II.

Tues. 9—Lomas 2nd v. Belgrano 2nd, at Lomas.

Tues. 9—Colon v. San Martin, at Dique II.

Tues. 9—Banfield v. Alumni 2nd, at Banfield.

Sun. 14—Banfield v. Belgrano 2nd, at Banfield.

Sun. 14—Colon v. Alumni 2nd, at Dique II.

Sun. 14—Barracas v. Lomas 2nd, at Lanús.

Sun. 14—Porteños v. Estudiantes, at

Sun. 21—San Martin v. Alumni 2nd, at San Martin.

Sun. 21—Colon v. Banfield, at Dique II.

Sun. 21—Porteños v. Lomas 2nd, at

Sun. 21—Estudiantes v. Barracas, at

Sun. 28—Belgrano 2nd v. Porteños, at Belgrano.

Sun. 28—San Martin v. Barracas, at San Martin.

Sun. 28—Estudiantes v. Lomas 2nd, at

Sun. 28—Alumni 2nd v. Banfield, at

##### AUGUST.

Sun. 4—Porteños v. Colon, at

Sun. 4—Banfield v. Barracas, at Banfield.

Sun. 11—Colon v. Belgrano 2nd, at Dique II.

Sun. 11—Porteños v. San Martin, at

Sun. 11—Alumni 2nd v. Barracas, at

Sun. 11—Estudiantes v. Banfield, at

Thur. 15—Belgrano 2nd v. Barracas, at Belgrano.

Thur. 15—Porteños v. Banfield, at

Thur. 15—Alumni 2nd v. Estudiantes, at

Sun. 18—San Martin v. Banfield, at San Martin.

Sun. 18—Lomas 2nd v. Alumni 2nd, at Lomas.

Sun. 18—Porteños v. Barracas, at

Fri. 30—Lomas 2nd v. San Martin, at Lomas.

Fri. 30—Porteños v. Alumni 2nd, at

##### SEPTEMBER.

Sun. 1—Alumni 2nd v. Colon, at

Sun. 1—Porteños v. Estudiantes, at

## GOLF.

### MAY.

Sat. 25—Second Monthly Competition at Lomas.

Sun. 26—Flores v. Hurlingham, at Hurlingham.

### JUNE.

Sun. 2—Lomas v. Hurlingham, at Hurlingham.

Thur. 6—Flores v. Buenos Aires, at Rivadavia.

Sun. 9—Monthly Competition at Hurlingham.

Sun. 16—Buenos Aires v. Lomas, at Lomas.

Sun. 23—Third Monthly Competition at Rivadavia.

Mon. 24—Third Monthly Competition at Lomas.

Sat. 29—Reserved for St. Andrew's Society.

Sun. 30—Monthly Competition at Hurlingham.

### JULY.

Sun. 7—Rosario v. Flores, at Flores.

Mon. 8—Rosario v. Lomas, at Lomas.

Tues. 9—Rosario v. Buenos Aires, at Rivadavia.

Tues. 9—Lomas v. Flores, at Lomas.

Sun. 15—Lomas v. Buenos Aires, at Rivadavia.

Sun. 21—Fourth Monthly Competition at Lomas.

### AUGUST.

Sun. 4—Buenos Aires v. Flores, at Flores.

Sun. 11—Hurlingham v. Lomas, at Lomas.

Thur. 15—Hurlingham v. Flores, at Flores.

Sun. 18—Final Monthly Competition at Lomas.

Sun. 25—North v. South.

Fri. 30, Sat. 31—Championship of the River Plate.

### SEPTEMBER.

Sun. 1—Championship of the River Plate.

Sun. 8—Final Monthly Competition at Rivadavia.

Sun. 15—President's Cup at Lomas.

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## LAWN TENNIS.

### MAY.

Thur. 23, Fri. 24, Sat. 25—Open Tournament and Championship of the River Plate, on Club Ground of the Buenos Aires Lawn Tennis Club, 1735 Calle Ayacucho

## ATHLETICS.

June 2—Athletic Meeting under auspices of Sociedad Hípica Argentina.

## RACING.

May 25—Hipódromo Nacional, Belgrano.

May 26—Hipódromo Argentino, Palermo.

## HURLINGHAM.

Thursday, June 6—Grand Hurdle Race. Entries closed April 30, half forfeit May 20.

Saturday, June 29—Directors' Cup.

Thursday, August 15—Ayrshire Cup. Entries to close June 20, half forfeit July 31.

Friday, August 30—Lady's Bracelet.

Wednesday, Sept. 11—Argentine Grand National. Entries to close July 31, half forfeit August 20.



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Buenos Aires, April, 1901.

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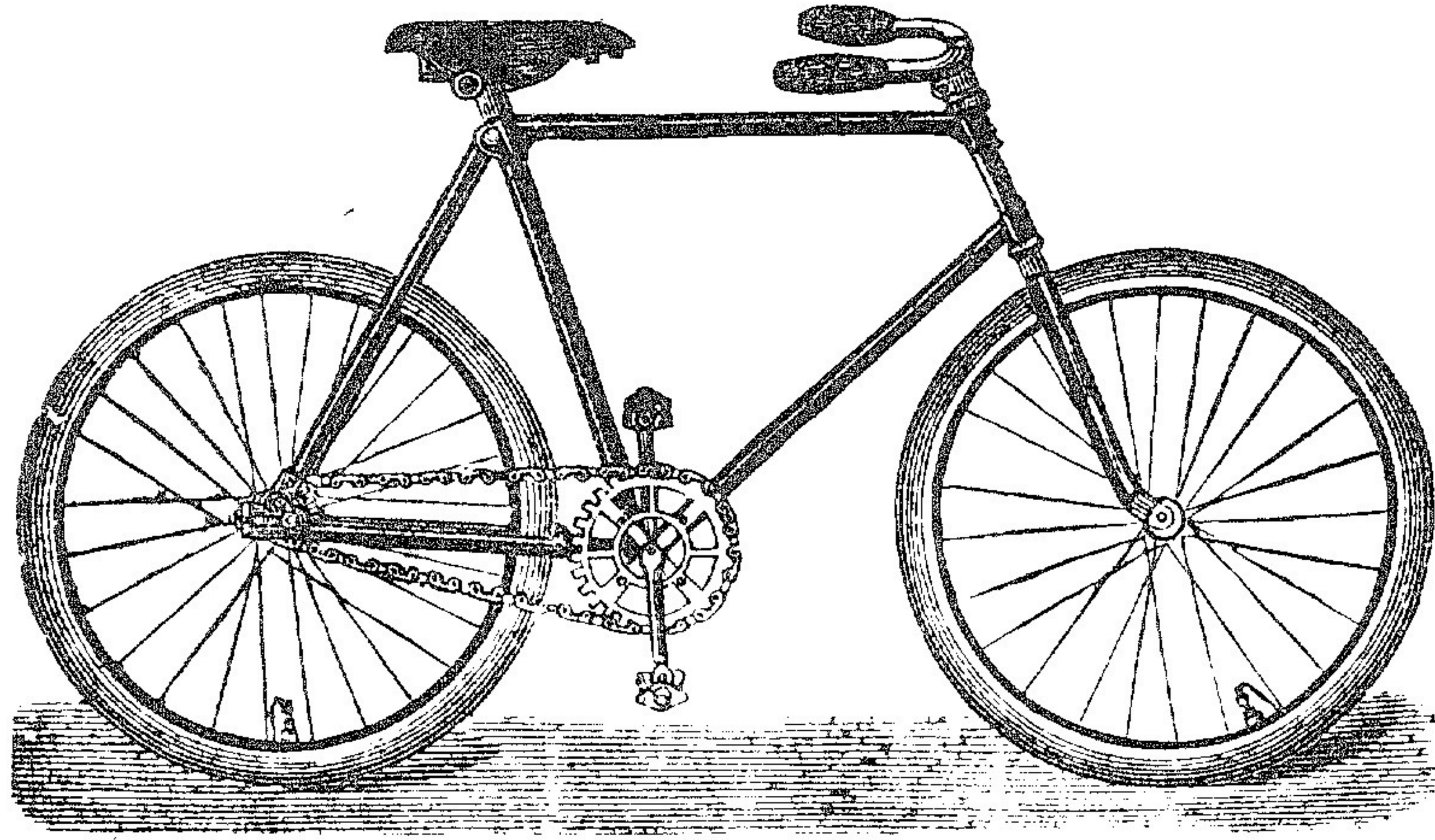
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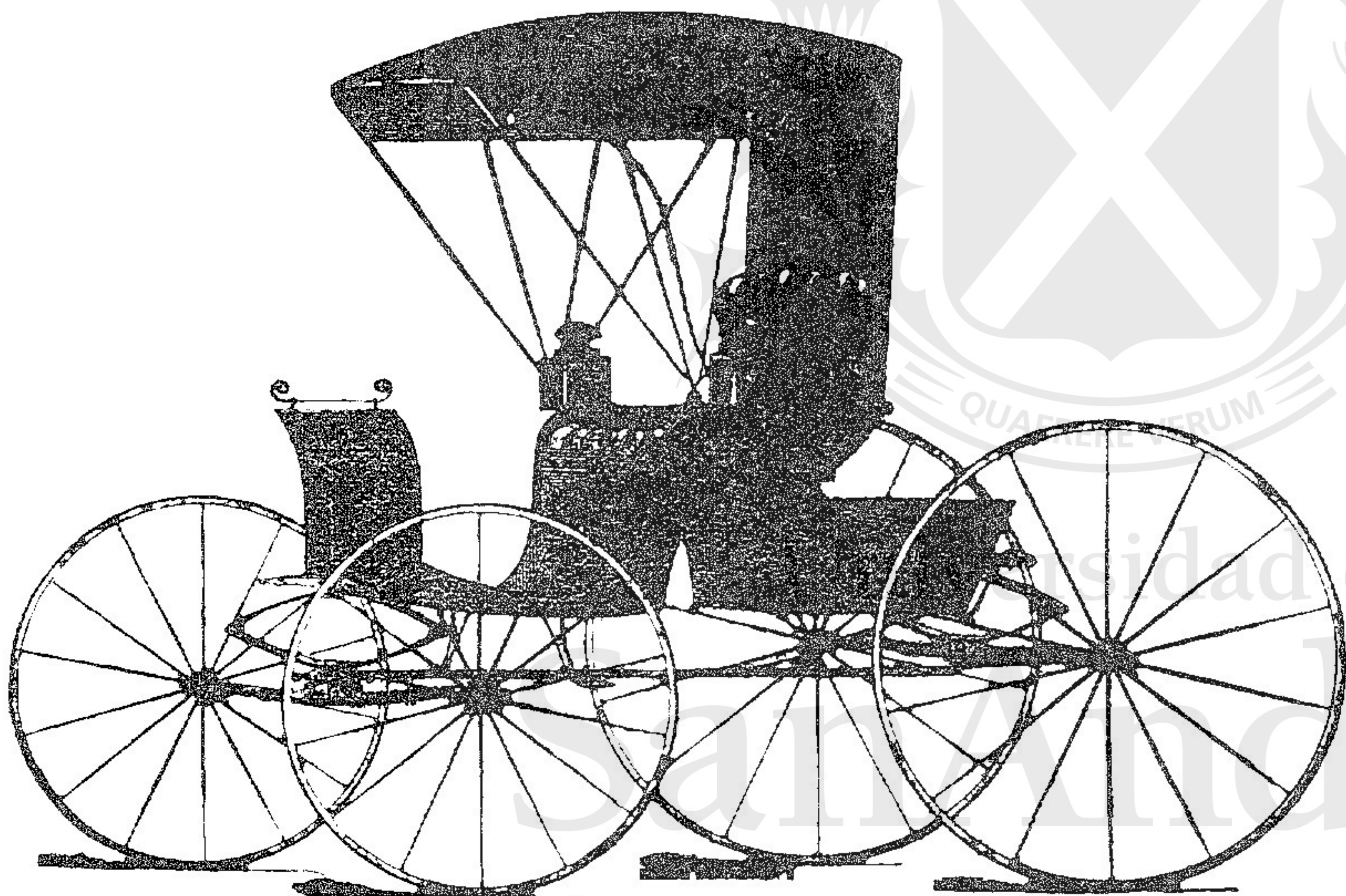


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" 60 "	3 1/2 "	2 "
" 90 "	4 "	3 "
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Buenos Aires, 18th March 1901.