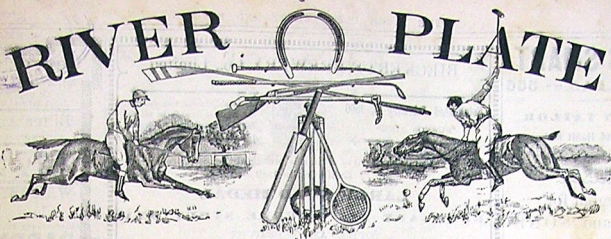


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## HOME NEWS.

## LAWN TENNIS.

W. Baddley won the championship on July 4 beating J. Pim in the final round. Mr W. J. Hamilton, the holder, was unable to play.

The Ladies' Championship was won by Miss Dod, who beat Mrs Hilliard in the final round 6/2, 6/1.

W. Baddley and H. Baddley won the Gentlemen's Double Championship, beating the holders, J. Pim and F. O. Stoker, by 6/1, 6/3, 1/6, 6/2.

The following are the winners of the Single Championships for the last five years:

1886, W. Renshaw	Miss Langley
1887, H. E. Lawford	Miss L. Dod
1888, W. Renshaw	Miss L. Dod
1889, W. Renshaw	Mrs Hilliard
1890, W. J. Hamilton	Miss L. Rice

## POLO.

Inter-Regimental Tournament at Hurlingham, July 4:

15th Hussars beat 17th Lancers, 5 goals to 4.  
9th Lancers, a bye.

Final Round:  
9th Lancers beat 15th Hussars, 3 goals to 2.  
Being the third year the Ninth have won the cup, it remains in their possession.

## County Cup Tournament:

1st Round:  
Liverpool beat East Essex, 4 goals to 2.  
Astead beat Berkshire, 3 goals to 0.  
Barton, a bye.

2nd Round:  
Liverpool beat Barton, 3 goals to 2.  
Astead, a bye.

## THE COUNTY CUP—Hurlingham, July 8.

EAST ESSEX CLUB      LIVERPOOL CLUB  
1. Mr. Egerton Green    1. Mr. G. H. Pilkington  
   (12th Lancers)        2. Mr. C. E. Mason  
2. Capt. Maxwell (Mun- 3. Mr. A. Tyrer  
ster, Fusiliers)        Mr. W. H. Walker (back)  
3. Mr. T. M. Parry  
Mr. Dickinson (back)

Umpire: Earl of Harrington.

Brief details of play are as follows. After a few scrimmages the Essex team were the first to attack, and Mr. Dickinson soon scored at the Chestnuts. At the end he changed Liverpool assumed the offensive, forcing Essex to hit behind, and after a scurry or two, owing to the slippery state of the ground, Mr. Egerton Green got a fall but was not hurt. After a good dash by Captain Maxwell on Sunnyboy, Essex again had to give way, and soon Mr. Mason, on Mayfly, scored for Liverpool. The game now became a little faster, and at times Mr. Tyrer, Mr. Ezary, and Mr. Pilkington, all displayed much dash and go, Mr. Tyrer, in especial, making one very brilliant run on Bouncebell, which enabled Mr. Pilkington to have a shot at goal, which, however, went wide of the mark. Liverpool once more attacking, Mr. Egerton Green, on Pharaoh, got on to the ball, and running it up in spite of cries of "Off-side," left it an easy prey to Mr. Dickinson, who scored. I cannot help thinking that in giving his decision about this case of "off-side," Lord Harrington was mistaken, for he was some distance away, and from where he stood he could not see what both myself and others, who were exactly opposite the spot, did, and in the opinion of several well-known players, Mr. Egerton Green was most distinctly off-side. An umpire's decision is, however, bound to be respected, and I allude to the occurrence in no carping spirit, but merely to call attention to the fact that in every match of importance there ought to be, not only two umpires—one on each side of the ground, but a referee as well. The Hurlingham Club Rules and Bye-laws lay down that the ball was freely missed all round. At last Mr. Mason ran the ball up, and scored, but Essex, claiming a foul, the goal was not allowed to count. Then after a while repelling the attack of Liverpool, Essex bore up, and Mr. Dickinson had a very easy shot at goal which he missed. Continuing a scurry for weak attack, Essex again lost a fine opportunity of adding to their score, and Mr. Tyrer, going to the front, reversed the position of affairs and hit behind. A heavy storm of rain then coming on and the period being within three minutes of its close, the ball rang, and there was a scurry for shelter. Score—Essex, two goals; Liverpool, one.

After a wait of some twenty minutes play was resumed in a very quagmire, and soon in a scuffle by the Essex goal Mr. Tyrer scored. On ends being changed Mr. Parry, on a white South American pony, took the ball through a host of foes with considerable dash, a quality he displayed more than once, though, I am bound to admit, his play would be better if he remembered that polo can be played, and better played, by tempering valour with caution and judgment, if only for the sake of one's life. But the game does not consist of banging into a scrimmage and swinging recklessly, from which one pony's nose and a player's head suffered severely. Liverpool then once more attacked, and their efforts might have been attended with better results had their No. 2 headed Mr. Tyrer's cry of "Leave it," and left the ball for him. However, he soon after made amends by scoring a good goal, and shortly after he was again the goal hitter. Nothing more worthy of much comment then occurred, and Liverpool more or less penned their adversaries till Mr. Egerton Green, breaking through the opposing ranks, took the ball up very prettily on Pharaoh and hit behind. A counter attack by Liverpool, who again hit behind, a series of scrimmages, and the ball frequently out of play ended a not very interesting game just as the rain came down in torrents, and Liverpool were returned the winners by four goals to two.

## BICYCLING.

## THE AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP, BRISTOL.

## One Mile Ordinary Bicycle Amateur Championship:

J. H. Adams (S, eedwell B.C.), 1; H. Roosdorp (Amsterdam, Champion of Holland); 2; A. Lehr (Frankfurt) 3 Time 2 min. 54 1/2 sec.

## Five Miles Bicycle Amateur Championship:

W. H. G. Bramson (Speedwell B.C.) 1; L. Stroud (O.U.B.C.); 2; H. H. Sansom (Catford C.C.) 3.

## Twenty-five Miles Safety Bicycle Amateur Championship:

F. J. Osmond (Speedwell B.C.) 1; P. W. Scheltema-Beduin (Trekvogslo); 2; R. J. McCreedy (Irish Champion) 3. Time 1 h. 14 min. 2 sec.

## HENLEY REGATTA.

## The Grand Challenge Cup—Leander Club, 1.

Time 6 min. 51 sec. (best on record). Crew: 1. W. F. C. Holland, 2. J. A. Ford, 3. V. Nickalls, 4. Lord Amthill, 5. G. Nickalls, 6. W. A. L. Fletcher, 7. R. P. P. Rowe, C. W. Kent (stroke), L. S. Williams (cox).

The Ladies' Plate (final heat)—Balliol College B.C., Oxford, 1; Eton College B.C., 0. Time 7 min. 29 sec.

## Thames Challenge Cup—Molesley B.C. 1. Time 7 min. 18 sec.

## Stewart's Challenge Cup—Thames R.C. 1. Time 7 min. 45 sec.

## Victoria's Challenge Cup—Trinity Hall B.C., Cambridge, 1. Time 7 min. 45 sec.

## Wyfold Challenge Cup—Royal Chester R.C., 1. Time 7.50.

## Silver Goblets—Lord Amthill and G. Nickalls, Leander Club, 1.

Diamond Sculls—Vivian Nickalls, Magdalen College B. C., Oxford, rowed over in the final, his brother Guy Nickalls, who had drawn a bye, not competing.

## CRICKET.

The three days' match at Lord's between Gentlemen and Players was quite spoilt by rain, the match having to be abandoned in a rather interesting condition. The Players were out for 167, Shrewsbury carrying out his bat for 81, and the Gentlemen lost 5 wickets for 87 runs, in the six hours' play possible in the three days.

Lancashire beat Somersetshire by 9 wickets at Taunton, Briggs making 68 and Smith 59 for the first county.

Surrey beat Hampshire by 208 runs; Lockwood's bowling average for the match was 10 wickets for 135 runs per wicket.

Lancashire beat Leicestershire by 207 runs at Manchester; whilst the match at Derby between Warwickshire and Derbyshire was drawn, rather in favour of the home team.

## EROS V. HARROW.

Nearly 15,000 spectators witnessed the first day's play of the above match at Lord's, on July 10. Harrow, who were assisted by four of last year's eleven, won the toss, and put Eton in first. Eton, who had six of last year's men, were dismissed for 125, Brewis making 70. Harrow's first four wickets scored 225, but the remaining six only added another 17 runs, making the total 241.

Bevington's 70, Pope's 14, and Barlow's 55 were the best scores, as will be seen below.

Eton, on going in a second time, had 116 to clear off, and as they have all ten wickets to fall (Studd and Brewis making 36 without being separated), they are only 80 runs behind Harrow at time of writing. Scores:

Mr. A. Studd run out . . . 9	Mr. F. C. Franco-Hay-lurts c Bevington b . . . 0
Mr. R. G. Brewis 1 b w . . . 70	Mr. C. H. Northey hit out . . . 0
Mr. J. C. Norman (capt) . . . 8	Mr. D. H. Forbes b Pope . . . 0
Anderson b Rome . . . 8	Mr. H. St. J. Pocock b . . . 2
Mr. V. R. Hoare b Rome . . . 4	Mr. . . . . . 2
Mr. H. A. Arkwright . . . 6	Extras . . . . . 3
Mr. F. L. Crabtree b Rome . . . 7	Total . . . . . 125
Mr. E. Lane-Fox c Smith b Anderson . . . 0	
Mr. R. N. Bosworth . . . 0	Mr. R. A. Studd not out, 21;
Mr. G. Lewis not out, 25.	

Harrow:	Mr. T. T. Phelps b Forbes 1
Mr. J. C. Bevington c	Mr. F. G. H. Clayton b . . . 0
Hoare b Arkwright . . . 20	Mr. C. S. Rome not out . . . 0
Mr. F. Fox . . . . . 20	Mr. C. S. Ridgway b . . . 4
Mr. C. G. Pope (capt) . . . 4	Mr. C. Androse b Hoare . . . 7
Mr. M. V. Barlow c Hay-lurst b Crabtree . . . 58	Extras . . . . . 7
Mr. G. H. Hoare c Pope . . . 26	Total . . . . . 241
b Crabtree . . . . . 7	
Mr. A. L. Paine c Hoare b Fox . . . . . 7	

## RACING.

SANDOWN PARK—Friday, July 10.  
The Cobden Stakes, Selling Plate, seven furlongs: Mr W. de la Rue's Beltane, 3 yrs, 8 st 3 lb (G. Chalmer) 1. Betting 5 to 4 agst.

Sixteenth Renewal of the Great Kingston Tug-boat Race, five furlongs: Mr Abington's Halsbury, 8 st 8 lb (Cannon) 1. Betting 7 to 1 agst.

The Surliton Handicap, five furlongs: Mr Sheilber's Ram Lal, 4 yrs, 8 st 2 lb (Cannon) 1. Betting 9 to 2 agst.

Fourth Renewal of the Eclipse Stakes of 10,000 sovs., one mile and a quarter:

Mr A. W. Sturges, by Woburn, dam by Galopin—Miss Foote, 4 yrs, 10 st 2 lb . . . Liddard 1  
M. E. Blane's Gouverneur, 3 yrs, 9 st 11 lb . . . J. Woodburn 2  
Sir J. Gosling's Common, 3 yrs, 9 st 4 lb . . . G. Barrett 3  
Duke of Westminster's Orion, 3 yrs, 8 st 12 lb (Cannon) 4  
Captain Macell's Rathéal, 4 yrs, 9 st 13 lb . . . Rickaby 0  
Baron de Rothschild's Le Nord, 4 yrs, 9 st 13 lb (F. Barrett) 0  
Mr H. Goldsworthy's Alloway, 4 yrs, 9 st 13 lb . . . 0

Duke of Portland's Memoir, 4 yrs, 9 st 13 lb . . . T. Cannon 0  
Sir F. Johnston's Finesse, 4 st 12 lb . . . R. J. Watts 0

Betting—2 to 1 on Common, 5 to 1 agst Memoir, 100 to 8 agst Surefoot, 100 to 7 agst Gouverneur, 25 to 1 agst Rathéal, 40 to 1 agst Le Nord, 50 to 1 agst agst Alloway and Orion, and 100 to 1 agst Fusa.

The Dilton Selling Plate, five furlongs: Mr E. Weaver's Own Sarah, 8 st 6 lb (Holbeach) 1. Betting 7 to 1 agst.

The Victoria Water Handicap, one mile: Gen. Randolph's Ellerton, 4 yrs, 10 st (J. Watts) 1. Betting 11 to 4 agst.

## LEICESTER—Thursday, July 9.

The Prince of Wales' Stakes of 6,000 sovs., The Straight Mile and 60 yards: M. E. Blane's c Reverend, by Energy—Reverend, 9 st . . . J. Woodburn 1  
Mr. J. B. Leigh's b The Deemster, 9 st . . . J. Watts 2  
Mr. E. H. Houldsworth's b c Oriole, 9 st . . . T. Cannon 3  
Lord Rosburgh's b c Marchmont, 9 st . . . G. Barrett 4  
Mr. N. Fenwick's b c Mimi . . . . . F. Rickaby 0  
Col. North's b c Simonian, 9 st . . . . . M. Cannon 0

Betting—7 to 4 on Mimi, 7 to 1 agst Reverend, 100 to 2 agst Oriole, 100 to 8 agst Simonian, 100 to 12 agst The Deemster, 40 to 1 agst Marten-hurst.

## ATHLETICS.

THE SCOTTISH GATHERING—Paddington, July 7.  
Putting the Shot—J. McDonald (Brentford), 35 ft 3 in.; J. Robertson (London), 35 ft 2 1/2 in., 2.

Long Jump—A. P. Square (Middlesex Hospital), 19 ft 10 in.; P. A. Waylen (L.A.A.C.), 18 ft 3 in., 2.

100 Yards Handicap, Open—Final heat: F. A. Waylen (L.A.A.C.), 7 1/2 yds start, 1; H. C. Mountford (S.L.H.C.), 9 1/2 yds start, 2. Time 10 1/2 sec.

High Jump—F. Pierre (United Hospitals A.C.), 5 ft 6 1/2 in., 1.

100 Yards Handicap (Seotsmen)—Final heat: C. H. Brown (Caledonian F.C.), 7 1/2 yds start, 1; W. E. Newbiggin (L.A.A.C.), 7 1/2 yds start, 2.

One Mile Bicycle Handicap (London-Scottish B.C.)—C. W. Nettleton, scratch, 1; R. A. Leekie, 50 yds start, 2. Time 2 min 34 1/2 sec.

One Mile Bicycle Handicap (Open)—Final heat: H. A. Edwards (Polytechnic C.C.), 70 yds start, 1; H. A. Edwards (Polytechnic C.C.), 100 yds start, 2. Time 2 min 28 1/2 sec.

Caber Tossing—Won by C. Gray (Aldershot).  
Tug-of-War (Highland v. Lowland)—Won by the Highland team.

LONDON BETTING.

LIVERPOOL CUP.

(Run Wednesday, July 22; one mile 3 furlongs).			
Rathbell	3 to 1	3 to 1	3 to 1
Father Confessor	11 to 2	11 to 2	11 to 2
Springtime	100 to 14	100 to 14	100 to 14
Vastitas	100 to 8	100 to 8	100 to 8

ST. LEGER.

(Run Wednesday, September 9; one mile 6 furlongs 132 yards).			
Common	5 to 4	5 to 4	5 to 4
Reverend	8 to 1	8 to 1	8 to 1
Gouverneur	100 to 12	100 to 12	100 to 12
Mimi	10 to 1	8 to 1	8 to 1
Ernak	40 to 1	40 to 1	40 to 1
Orvietto	40 to 1	40 to 1	40 to 1
Bosphorus	40 to 1	40 to 1	40 to 1
Pannonia	66 to 1	66 to 1	66 to 1
Castleton	66 to 1	66 to 1	66 to 1
Simonian	100 to 1	100 to 1	100 to 1

CORRESPONDENCE

(We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.)

To the Editor *River Plate Sport and Pastime*.

Dear Sir,—In his letter published last week, Mr Lamont, in his paper published last week, referring to Justice's letter in the issue of July 29, says, "If Justice was present at the meeting (which I very much doubt) he has no right to publish anything which transpired at said meeting," and continues, "I now look to you to publish any such matter, your columns, the statement of your correspondent."

After the meeting, I had myself prepared a report, which I asked Mr Lamont's permission to publish, but as he had one ready—an official one—it was not required. Had mine appeared this controversy could not have arisen, as no mention of the fact that Mr Lamont's right to vote was questioned, and he produced the minutes of the meeting when the League was constituted, which gave him on occupying the post of secretary the right to vote as such at all meetings of the League—so that Justice can hardly be said to be correct in his statement that Mr Lamont failed to produce the minutes when they were asked for.

I hear that a meeting is to be called to re-open the question, and regret that I shall not be present, as I consider the matter was fully gone into, and the only decisions possible under the circumstances fully arrived at.

That many points remain to be discussed for future guidance is no doubt true, but I do not see on what grounds the questions then decided can be re-opened.—Yours, &c.,

J. RAVENSCROFT.

August 5, 1891.

To the Editor *River Plate Sport and Pastime*.

Dear Sir,—Your correspondent "P. B." must surely have an old grudge against McCarthy and Cooke of the Y.M.C.A., for he singles them out as having played rough game against the High School boys last Saturday.

Although disinterested in either club, I cannot help expressing my opinion as to the injustice of the accusation. I watched a closely contested and friendly game with interest, and noticed that Cooke was particularly careful not to utilise his strength against the three youngsters of the team—the rest of the High School were only "boys" in name.—Yours, &c.,

JUSTITIA.

Buenos Aires, August 5, 1891.

To the Editor *River Plate Sport and Pastime*.

Dear Sir,—In his notes in your last issue, had a paragraph in re the mare Tita, winner of the Hurlingham Derby, and the inexplicable delay shown by the Hurlingham Racing Committee in the compiling of rules for their meetings. As has been said before in your columns, it speaks volumes for the stewards of the various meetings and clubs they have been able to proceed as they have done, and award their decisions on the many objections that have been made to them, without but a day may come when a decision of some of the stewards of a meeting may be questioned by the appeal against it, and it would therefore be influential and the result might be an injurious reflection on the club as a body, and an interested owner of a horse unjustly treated. As things are now, we are as yet racing in the dark, and I can hardly think that one single member of the Racing Committee will deny that rules must sooner or later be compiled, if a difference of opinion be entertained as to the urgency of the case, therefore, with a unanimous opinion on the first point, why delay, when a set of rules has been under discussion now for many months, and by the exercise of little energy, the chance of any such unpleasantness arising (as is hinted at above) would be prevented.

And now a word in re the conditions attached to races, which surely should be most strictly enforced always, the more so in the absence of stewards. Those for the Hurlingham Derby called for entries the *bona-fide property* of members of the club, and recently a rumour has been current that the owner (at the time) of the winner has unblushingly stated and this to a member of the Racing Committee, that Tita did not fulfil these conditions. Let this mare's name be Tita, Miel, or any other you like, it is a small matter in the absence of rules, but it is the committee's bounden duty to see that the cup reached its proper destination according to the conditions under which it was given and run for. The cup is now held in the hands of the committee—it was given to run for, and the conditions advertised, and if the horse that came in first did not fulfil these conditions, and the second did, the cup belongs to the owner of the latter. The committee, knowing the rumours current and doing nothing in the matter are, in my humble opinion, doing very wrong, allowing themselves to be treated dishonestly, and apparently presuming on the well-known sportsmanlike policy of the ex-owners of Rama Negra, the real winner under the conditions, if rumour speaks correctly, of the first Hurlingham Derby.

Apologising for the length of my letter, but trusting that you will find room in your valuable paper for its insertion, I remain, your obedient servant,

FAIRPLAY.

ENTRIES AND WEIGHTS FOR BELGRANO RACES, THURSDAY, AUGUST 13.

Premio Julio, 1890 metres:		
Stud Camors, Aiguacil	3 years, 56 kilos	53
Stud Terminacion, Pallas	3	53
Stud B. Villanueva, Panama	3	53
Stud Buenos Aires, Policeman	3	49
Premio Junio, 1000 metres:		
Stud Boqueron, Arzax	5 years, 58 kilos	58
Stud Nuevo, Lugano	5	58
Stud F. C. Malbran, Carnaval	5	56
Stud Concepcion, Tita	5	57
Stud Capitan Lopez, Zampar	4	55
Stud Argentino H. Pluton	4	55
Stud Nacional, Canotiere	4	54
Stud Clavajero, Le Tortillero	4	55
Stud Union, Espoir	4	55
Stud Nino Dorado, Pertoldi	5	51
Stud Entre Rios, Gualeguay	5	50
Stud La Tablada, Fergus	4	49
Stud San Miguel, Civico	4	49
Stud Moni, Moni	4	48
Stud Titan, Evacuacion	4	48
BURNS.		
Stud Buenos Aires, D. de Carl	4	48
Stud Monte Grande, Providencia	4	48
Stud Forester, Forester	5	48
Stud A. Sibourd, Descubierta	4	48
Stud Las Ortigas, Rolita	4	48
Stud Capitan Lopez, Mary	3	48
Stud Talisman, Esmalte	4	48
Stud Capitan Lopez, Santa Cruz	4	48
Stud B. Villanueva, Montemar	4	48
Stud Porvenir, Jubileo	4	48
Stud Mathiason, Adjutant	6	48
Stud San Miguel, Carlota	5	48
Stud Temerario, Temerario	7	48
Stud Nino Dorado, Pertoldi	5	48
Premio Agosto, 2200 metres:		
Stud Los Nogales, Asteroido	5 years, 60 kilos	60
Stud Entre Rios, Athos	7	60
Stud Capitan Lopez, Finance	5	60
Stud La Prensa, Maipi	5	60
Stud Bolivar, Revelacion	5	60
Stud Capitan Lopez, Samoy	5	58
Stud E. Casal, Havre	7	58
Stud Capitan Lopez, Aventurero	4	58
Stud La Prensa, Osiris	6	55
Stud Camors, Vendetta	4	55
Stud San Miguel, Ysandro	4	55
Stud Nuevo, Vengador	8	55
Stud Desamparados, Aclamacion	5	55
Stud Nuevo, Pucugavea	5	55
Stud San Jorge, Blackfriars	5	55
Stud Talisman, Sovereign	6	55

Stud Phoenix, Portenito	8	55
Stud Eurie Indecis, Saint Gall	7	55
Stud Eurie Kennis, The McGowan	6	55
Stud Eurie Indecis, Sibourd	7	53
Stud Nino Dorado, Pertoldi	5	53
Stud Eurie Talisman, Morning Dew	4	52
c. by Paradox		
Stud Stop, Revolution	4	52
Stud Montemar, Tita	4	52
Stud Capitan Lopez, Tita	4	52
Stud Capitan Lopez, Humaita	4	52
Stud Eurie Bolivar, Reina	4	50
Stud Las Ortigas, Nebulosa	4	50
Stud Principiante, Escarola	4	50
Premio Setiembre, 1900 metres:		
Stud El Indecis, Lutin III	4 years, 55 kilos	55
Stud Bolivar, Tita	4	55
Stud Principiante, Escarola	4	53
Stud F. C. Malbran, Voltaire	4	53
Stud El Plata, Chacabuco	4	51
Stud Argentino H. Pluton	4	51
Stud El Karo, Clavo	4	51
Stud Coronado, Riverti	4	52
Stud Entre Rios, Tita	4	50
Stud Hebro, Don Carlos	4	50
Stud San Juan, Nahuel	4	48
Stud La Tablada, Fergus	4	48
Stud Eurie Talisman, c. by Paradox	4	45
Stud Porvenir, Jubileo	4	45
Premio Octubre, 1200 metres:		
Stud Forester, Joseph	5 years, 59 1/2 k.	59
Stud Bolivar, Arzax	5	56
Stud Capitan Lopez, Tita	5	55
Stud Eurie Talisman, Sirince	4	53
Stud Los Nogales, Barotia	4	53
Stud Clavajero, Le Tortillero	4	52
Stud Eurie Talisman, Myotis	4	52
Stud Luis Chico, Balmoral	4	51
Stud El Plata, Salaam	4	51
Stud Entre Rios, Nogales	6	50
Stud Carupa, Pretty Polly	6	50
Stud B. Villanueva, Delicia	4	50
Stud Titan, Cabela	4	49
Stud B. Villanueva, Aguara	4	45
Stud Argentino, Daisy	9	47
Stud Nino Dorado, Pertoldi	5	47
Stud Temerario, Temerario	7	44
Premio Noviembre, 1700 metres:		
Stud Los Nogales, Camors	5 years, 60 kilos	60
Stud Concordia, Part	4	59
Stud J. Brett, Xanthos	5	53
Stud Principiante, Remolacha	5	53
Stud Monte Grande, Amush	7	55
Stud F. C. Kennis, The McGowan	6	50
Stud Concordia, Categoria	5	50
Stud Ceres, La Florida	4	50
Stud Buenos Aires, Fine Shade	6	49
Stud Boqueron, Avyeh	5	48
Stud Luis Chico, Oberhoff	5	47
Stud Titan, Estoque	5	44

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LADY SMILEY, a Bitch pup, pure bred, 5 months old, also.

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"ERMINIE" AT THE TEATRO NACIONAL.

On Saturday evening last, Mr Cleary's Company commenced their season of English Comic Opera in this city with "Erminie" to a crowded house. This opera, when produced in London, enjoyed a comparatively short run, but its success in the provinces was most marked, and in the various United States, quite phenomenal. Jakobowski's music is invariably bright and pleasing, and "Erminie" contains some of the composer's best efforts, a fact which more than atones for the weakness of the "book," the work of Messrs Claxton Bellamy and Harry Plouton. Inspidity of dialogue and thinness of plot too frequently characterize the work of this class; but the excess which attended its representation on Saturday night fully justified Mr Cleary in his selection. The company is a strong one, numbering, as it does, such established favourites here as Miss Braham and Mr John Wilkinson. Miss Braham, who on her appearance received a most enthusiastic round of applause, sings as artistically and acts as vivaciously as the best; and Mr Wilkinson, who received an equally cordial reception, was quite as funny as formerly. Mr Cleary has been very fortunate in again securing their services, and it is hard to understand how London managers can spare such artists. The opera was very well played all round and reflects great credit on the management.

Miss Ella Walker, in the title-role, appeared in the earlier scenes to be suffering from nervousness. In the second act, however, she seemed to have become more at home with the audience, and her rendering of the "Lullaby," one of the most catching numbers in the work, was admirable. Miss Brooks of the class; but the excess which attended its representation on Saturday night fully justified Mr Cleary in his selection. The company is a strong one, numbering, as it does, such established favourites here as Miss Braham and Mr John Wilkinson. Miss Braham, who on her appearance received a most enthusiastic round of applause, sings as artistically and acts as vivaciously as the best; and Mr Wilkinson, who received an equally cordial reception, was quite as funny as formerly. Mr Cleary has been very fortunate in again securing their services, and it is hard to understand how London managers can spare such artists. The opera was very well played all round and reflects great credit on the management.

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justice. His best effort, however, was in "Ho Jolly Jokin'" from Sullivan's "Ivanhoe," which he sang with great verve and spirit. The judicious interpolation of such a selection cannot be too highly commended, as there were doubtless few among Saturday's audience who have had the privilege of hearing the latest English Grand Opera. The tenor part of Eugene was entrusted to Mr Hilliard, of whose performance, we regret to say, silence is the kindest criticism. He was suffering from a hoarseness which we earnestly hope may not be chronic. The minor parts were well filled by Misses Orlica, Bruce and Aynsley Cooper, by Messrs Young and Lovell. The chorus was excellent, and their rendering of "Good Night," the finest choral number in the opera, was a veritable musical treat. The admirable orchestra was under the able direction of Mr St. Johns; and the staging of the piece left little to be desired. A word of praise is due to the ladies of the ballet, of whom we should have been glad to see more. They danced very gracefully in the first act, and we were relieved to find that the length of their skirts was sufficient to satisfy the most exacting. Mr Cleary, in response to a call, came before the curtain, and in a few words addressed the audience for their friendly reception of himself and his company.

**GARDENING NOTES.****KITCHEN GARDEN.**

Few cultivators, we believe, deem it a sufficient mark of consciousness to transplant the Brassica tribe from the seed-bed into nursery lines, but content themselves with removing them at once to the situation in which they are to remain. The little extra labour involved I think is well repaid by the improved crop, and, in general, give more satisfaction than when taken straight from the seed bed.

A sowing of turnips should be made now, and there will be an acceptable addition to the spring vegetables. A very small sowing only should be made, as they will quickly run to seed if they get a touch of frost.

Where a plantation of artichokes is intended to be made, let them be planted as early in the season as possible, so that the suckers will be in dressing, the old plants are the proper sets for this purpose. They should be planted in an open situation and in good ground. Having provided some well-rooted suckers, plant them in rows a yard and a half asunder and two feet or a yard distant in the rows. A plantation of artichokes will produce good heads for six or six years, and it must be observed that, if required to have a succession of this vegetable for five or six months, a small plantation should be made every spring.

Now is a good time to look to the asparagus beds, and have them put in thorough order, clear of all dead growths of last year; and give one good dressing of good rotted manure, working it well into the ground with a fork, loosening the ground up to give free liberty for the buds to shoot up, and also to give free access to sun and air. When the beds are all forked up, let them be neatly raked over, and afterwards kept clear of weeds.

In my next article I propose dealing with the general management of asparagus, from sowing the seeds onwards, as I think the cultivation of this excellent vegetable is very much neglected.

HOURS.

**ATHLETICS.**

The following is the new Committee of the Buenos Aires and Rosario Railway Athletic Club for season 1891-92, elected at the annual meeting on Saturday, August 8.

President—G. Hunt, Esq.  
Vice-Presidents—Messrs C. Wiberley, J. Percy Clarke, H. Pease.  
Captain—Mr W. H. Masters.  
Treasurer—Mr J. Fox.  
Secretary—E. Danvers.  
Messrs F. Archer, J. Scroggie, T. Webb, J. Fisher, J. Kelly, F. Singleton.

The club is on the look out for a suitable ground, either in Belgrano or San Martin, near a railway station.

In addition to the programme of the Rosario Sports which are to be held on Saturday, there will be a two mile bicycle race, which will not doubt be patronised by Buenos Aires cyclists. Entries may be made at this office, through the post or on the ground.

**POLO.****SANTA FE POLO CLUB.**

The above club played an exciting game at Las Lomas between the following sides, on August 2:

1. Dr. Prond 1. G. B. Wilson  
2. J. Beniz 2. R. Land  
3. Hon. R. White 3. R. Brodick  
E. C. Hill (back) A. J. Dickinson (back)

There was little to choose between the two teams, and as the ground was in splendid condition, play was very fast. At the call of time, Mr A. J. Dickinson's team were returned winners by 3 goals to 1.

**SANTIAGO DEL ESTERO POLO CLUB.**  
A match between the Engineers and the World was played at La Banda on August 2, the game being divided into three periods of twenty minutes each. In the first twenty the World had much the best of it, scoring 5 goals to their opponents' 1. The Engineers, however, held their own a good deal better in the next two periods, in which each side scored 3 goals, leaving the match to end in favour of the World by 8 goals to 4.

The teams were as follows:

ENGINEERS 1. Follet Holt 1. G. Pearson  
2. W. Berthin 2. W. Sgett  
3. A. Soley 3. J. H. Page  
H. L. W. Smyth (back) R. McSmyth (back)

**CRICKET.****HURLINGHAM CLUB—SEASON 1890-91.**

BATTING AVERAGES—FOUR INNINGS AND OVER

NAME	Total Runs	No. of Innings	No. of Runs not out	Times out	Most runs in an innings	Average
G. A. Thomson	316	10	4	107	52.66	
J. Gifford	277	8	4	10	45.15	
E. R. Gifford	301	10	1	50	33.44	
W. H. Masters	192	4	0	44	29.25	
G. Gooch	154	10	0	37	19.25	
W. C. Parry	119	9	2	49	17	
L. J. Hutton	169	13	1	35	14.08	
A. Lucas	55	4	1	11	15.75	
T. A. H. Forde	86	8	0	25	12	
F. L. Adams	50	4	1	18	10	
R. Beveridge	31	5	0	5	7.75	
H. H. James	30	5	1	22	5.50	
W. R. Lewis	24	4	0	9	6	

**BOWLING ANALYSIS**

NAME	Balls	Runs	Wickets	Extras	Runs p. wicket
G. Denison	55	15	5	..	8
W. H. Lewis	176	76	11	..	6.90
A. C. Walsh	108	54	20	..	8
J. Gifford	165	65	8	..	8.12
E. R. Gifford	152	201	24	30balls	8.37
A. Williamson	63	34	4	..	8.25
L. J. Hutton	176	54	6	..	9
H. H. James	688	300	33	2 w.5b	9.10
Lucas	213	2	1	..	10.10
H. Anderson	70	55	3	..	18.33

Forty-seven members took part in the 14 matches played, of which 10 were won, 2 lost and 1 drawn.

**FOOTBALL.**

The final football league match, which was to have been played last Sunday, had unfortunately to be postponed owing to the heavy rain and wet state of the ground; the league competition, therefore, remains as follows:

HOURS.

Club	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Goals For	Goals Against	Points
St. Andrew's	7	4	0	0	20	9	12
Carlisle	7	3	1	3	12	12	8
B. A. and Rosario Ry.	7	2	2	4	15	20	8
Belgrano	5	2	2	1	13	20	8
Buenos Aires	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hurlingham	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**PRICES.**

The following have been the closing prices of sovereigns on the Bites from August 3 to 11, inclusive:

Wednesday . . . \$20.45 Saturday . . . \$19.65  
Thursday . . . 20.00 Monday . . . 19.70  
Friday . . . 20.45 Tuesday . . . 20.15

Over 12,000 head arrived at the Corrales during the past week, and prices as below have been obtained:

Bueyas	10.00-17.00
Novillos	\$35.00-50.00
Cows	10.00-25.00
Sheep	5.50-8.00
Novillo Hides	10.00-17.00
Cow Hides	6.50-9.00
Bull's Hides	10.50-15.00
Petro Hides	9.00-12.00
Hay (1000 kilos)	28.00-48.00
Maize (1000 kilos)	10.00-14.20
Wheat (100 kilos)	13.70-16.00

## TO CORRESPONDENTS.

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## ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

**C.C.R.D.**—Apply to the mare's heels, once or twice daily. Use solution of subacetate of lead mixed in 8 oz. glycerine. Use give her walking exercise. Probably your mare is lame and give her walking exercise, which is often in the feet from laminitis or inflammation, caused by taking horses from grass and putting them to work on the paved streets—if so, you will get better put her feet in warm poultices and give her a rest in the stalls for five or six days.

**Blaze**—An answer to the Grand National Course is 4 miles 500 yards. (b) There must be an "open ditch" in every mile. (c) One water jump only is laid down as necessary.

**Excuses**—If, on the ball being thrown in, you turn your pony and follow it, and run into a man who is standing across you waiting for it, his case is exactly the same as yours. We have never seen a case of this sort ourselves, and have generally found that there is more or less a scrimmage after the umpire blows the whistle.

Many thanks for the illustration, which we prize very much.

**Excuses**—As the club has no rules of racing it is impossible to give you a definite answer, but the Jockey Club Rule is one (171, viz.) reads:—"In the case of any fraud, or wilful mistatement, there shall be no limit to the time that may be taken by the stewards, and satisfied there has been no unnecessary delay on the part of the objector." The National Pony and Gallopway Racing Club Rule is the same as the above. You will find it listed on this subject under Correspondence.

## RIVER PLATE SPORT AND PASTIME.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1901.

## NOTES.

In the accounts that have reached us from home descriptive of Mr Sample's horse-breaking machine, I am sorry to see his best (or worst) subject was a South American horse.

At the Edinburgh Polo Club Gymkhana Meeting, however, an Argentine pony, who had only been broken a month or two, only touched one of the six fences that had to be jumped, one of them being a log fence with no wings, a rather severe test of the straight-going intentions of the competitors.

I must say I quite agree with our correspondent Fairplay in his letter of to-day, and I hope that these unpleasant rumours concerning Tita will be inquired into by the Racing Committee or the Stewards of the meeting of last May. The fact is, that up to a short time ago, racing has been conducted in such a lax way, according to English ideas, at Palermo and Belgrano, and owners have got so used to being "done," without any hope of redress, that they don't quite realize that things are different at Hurlingham. At the same time, black and white—on what lines the Hurlingham meetings are held, and, as Fairplay says, if anyone is agreed as to having rules why not have them.

The following, taken from an old book on Sport and Pastime, dated 1839, may interest football players: "When a match of football is between two parties, each containing an equal number of competitors, take the field, and stand or a hundred yards at the distance of eighty goal is usually made with two sticks. Drive into the ground, about two or three (3) feet apart. The ball, which is commonly made of a blown bladder, and cased with leather, is delivered in the midst of the ground, and the object of each party is to drive it through the goal of each opponent, which being achieved the game is won. In attacking and defending the goal, and hence the pastime was more frequently called a goal football than a game at football. When the exercise becomes very violent, the players kick each other's shins without any least ceremony, and some of them are overthrown at the hazard of their limbs."

From the same book I learn that football does not appear amongst popular sports before the reign of Edward III., and then, in 1839, it was prohibited by law because, with other favourites of the time, it tended to "impede the progress of archery." James I., also, decreed, "From this court I debarre all rough and violent exercises, as the football, meeter for laming than making able the users thereof."

In spite of our hearing that Common could not be beaten, and that Surefoot could not stay the course, the latter won the Eclipse Stakes at Sandown on July 10, from Governurey, by a length. Common, although it was twice beaten, Governurey, somewhat easily, was beaten by him on this occasion by a head. This will be sure to affect the St. Leger betting; but as Sandown and Doncaster, as everyone knows, are very dissimilar courses, probably it will not make very much difference, especially as Governurey had three pounds the best of the weights.

The winners of the Eclipse Stakes are: 1886, Bendigo, 6 years, 9 st 7 lb; 1887, no race; 1888, Orbit, 3 years, 8 st 12 lb; 1889, Ayshire, 4 years, 10 st 2 lb; 1890, no race; 1891, Surefoot, 4 years, 10 st 2 lb.

The cutter Gloria has scored her fifth victory in America, beating the best boats of her class, and her builders have evidently solved the problem of "how to combine the highest speed and best weatherly qualities in yachts eligible to the 46-foot class." In all kinds of weather she has shown her heels to her antagonists, beating the Jessica, which was so successful last season, in a strong wind and a heavy sea, and the Sayonara in a moderate breeze—the former by 7 min. 13 sec. and the latter by 6 min. 18 sec.

As this boat is built on lines totally different from any other, the following short description of her may be interesting to yachtsmen: "The Gloria is a boat measuring a shade less than 46 feet, with an even keel; but is so shaped as to flow over a fore and aft, that for every foot she heels over, she extends her water-line immensely, and when fairly over close-hauled she measures about 65 feet on her actual water-line. As she never sails on an even keel, she is constantly extending the 46 feet of her actual water-line, and the greater the pressure from her canvas the more her resistance to it increases."

From the above it will be seen that the Gloria, although she only measures 46 ft., can carry the same amount of sail as a boat measuring 65 ft., as she is built to sail on her side. This seems to me as rather a clever way of dodging the rules than a solution of the problem of yacht architecture.

Some time ago golf was so little played outside Scotland, and was therefore confined to so few persons, it could hardly be claimed as an ordinary British Sport. Since last year, however, the fascinations of the game seem to have been too much for almost everybody, and now there is hardly a place in England where the game can be played at all, that has not its golf club.

The old school of golf-players, as Anthony Trollope said, felt confident, they had fortunately fallen within their grasp, the one amusement that is equal to the true spirit of semi-divine manhood, will now see the day has come, and that the rank, dignity, and undoubted pre-eminence of their game above all others is fully proved.

I think it was a man in Punch who said the idea of golf was to hit a ball into a hedge and then go and look for it. There is a good deal more in the game than that, and although it is often described as an old man's game, it invokes more enthusiasm than perhaps any other when once it has been played.

At the so-called international Athletic Meeting in Paris, the Americans carried everything before them, and will take back with them all the cups. The chief event was the 100 metres Flat Race, which Luther H. Carrey won by a dozen yards, in 10½ secs. In the 400 metres Race, Mortimer Remington beat the French champion by fifteen yards, in 57 sec. H. L. Dadman won the 800 metres Race by twenty yards, and beat Borel for the 1,500 metres, and Hallcock won the High-Jump with 5 ft. 11 in.

"Tender-foot," on first coming out to the country, generally bring with them what the London saddlers call a colonial saddle, which they use for a few months and then take to a "recado," which, for a man who is used to an

English saddle, is about the most uncomfortable thing imaginable. Every campman knows, even the same horse on a long journey with a grass-fed animal, whose barrel is a very different size at sunset to what it was at sunrise, and accordingly they generally substitute a "cincha" for them. An English saddle, however, is made for girths, and is not in any way adapted for a generally breaks the tree, besides, a lasso can never be used with it, a great consideration for camp purposes.

I have just had an opportunity of trying one of Mattaldi's Patent E. M. Camp Saddles. I would advise those who have a lot of rough work to do to use it in preference to the English so-called colonial saddle, which is generally surrounded with D's, has a crupper, and in this climate hardly lasts three months. It is made on an almost unbreakable tree, which has no joints, and over which the "cincha" goes under the seat, so that a lasso can be used if well as if on a "recado." There is very little spring to come in the seat, and the stuffing is covered with an instead of flannel and there are no panels, and altogether it has all the advantages of a saddle combined with the usefulness of a "recado," without the accompanying bother of "building up" that is so necessary with the latter every time it is "cinched" up.

Mr Denny Stokes, the Hon. Sec. of the B. Aires Cricket Club, has written to the various clubs here, in Rosario and Montevideo, stating that a meeting will be held to-night at St. John's Church School-Room, at half-past eight o'clock, for the coming season, to select each club to send representatives. Mr Stokes wishes me to say, that if he has inadvertently omitted any club which would like to be represented, he would be glad if they would accept this notice as an invitation.

The stables of the old Stud Inglés, and lately La Anita, near Belgrano Station, were burnt down on Saturday morning last, the fire, originating it is supposed from the spark of an engine, the line passing quite close to the stables. All the seventeen horses were saved, and were found comfortable temporary quarters near at hand. Unfortunately the property was not insured.

In the East Essex team which played at Hurlingham on July 9th, were two well-known Santa Fé polo players—Mr Dickinson and Mr T. Pargy—both mounted on South American ponies, and I am sorry to say they lost their match. The ground, which was very heavy, must have been very trying to both players, after the hard going they were accustomed to on a full account of the game will be found in another column.

Our friends at home have had another wet Henley, which, however, was partly made up for by exciting racing. The Grand Challenge Cup, Big Game, and the day was so good, and the Steward's Challenge Cup was won by two feet, the Pairs by a foot, and in fact every race was a close and exciting one.

The Rovers' Polo Club Meeting has been fixed for the 11th of November, instead of September 25th as was at first proposed, and so coinciding with the races at Hurlingham on the latter date. The return match between two teams from Flores and the Rovers will be played on Saturday at Quilmes, and from the result of their first meeting the game will no doubt be an exciting one.

Some considerable disappointment was felt on Sunday that the final match in the Association League competition had to be postponed, on account of the weather and the bad state of the ground, especially as the Caledonians are very unlikely to have a team in future, strong enough to make a game with St. Andrews, as several of their number are shortly going home, and they therefore contemplate giving up all idea of playing off the tie.

Should matters end in this way it would be most unsatisfactory, both to the Caledonians and the St. Andrews, who of course would then take the badge, and would have to go on to do so on Sunday last that the ground was in a sufficiently fit state for play, but that the captains of the two teams decided to postpone the match.

## STUD BUENOS AIRES.

As the storm of rain last Sunday effectually put a stop to racing, playing polo, football or indeed anything else, we did the best thing under the circumstances, and paid a visit to Mr Frazer, the well-known trainer of the most enjoyable afternoon, Belgrano, and spent a most enjoyable afternoon listening to our host's Australian and Indian experiences and looking over the horses under his charge. Judging from the few records Mr Frazer showed us, and the letters in his possession from Lord William Rosebery, Mr Mitchell James, and other supporters of the Indian turf, he must have held a high reputation both as a trainer and jockey in India, which country he had to leave on account of his health.

As Mr Frazer has had experience in training horses in five different countries, he is not likely to fall into the error Englishmen are very apt to, viz., that of thinking that what suits their own country suits all others; and although he has only been here two years, he has evidently quickly adapted himself to the ways of this country, judging from the fact that this year he has already trained sixteen winners.

The first horse shown us was Dorothy, a brown three-year-old mare, by Phoenix out of Falka, therefore only sister to the last year's Phoenix, and being placed both times, including a third in the classic Premio Casares, and she will no doubt do more before long. This mare is the only representative of the grand-looking Phoenix in the stud.

In the next box stands Boulangeré, a chestnut mare by Peregrine out of Crosspatch; she won a couple of races last year, but is a delicate mare and a difficult one to train, and certainly is not a "leg." She is going to the stud in two months' time, and as she looks a likely one to breed from, may give a good account of herself there.

Next to Boulangeré comes the pick of the basket, Miss Mary, quite the best mare out, if not the best horse in training. (She is by Narcisse out of Syren, and is a beautiful golden chestnut that is third in the colony of a bad one.) Out of the ten races Miss Mary has run she has won six, has been placed three times, and only unplaced once; her most recent victory being in the Premio Rivadavia at Belgrano on July 9, when she beat Asteroide, Havre and Boqueron. Although not a particularly taking-looking horse at first, owing to her rather ragged-looking quarters, she has a beautiful wind-up and lots of galloping power behind, and we have no doubt her trainer will soon have another classic race placed to his credit through Mr Kemmis' good little mare's instrumentality.

Mr Frazer told us, amongst other things, to show what a good sound mare Miss Mary is, that she had never won any quarters, she has a "bad" eye by Whipper-In out of Mnemosyne, next attracts our attention, and a very handsome mare she is, and Frazer says she is the best stayer for a three-year-old he has ever trained. She has run nine times with five wins, and has never been unplaced. She beat her half-sister Satanella (Whipper-In—Sweetheart) in the Premio Estimado at Palermo races, on August 2, at level weights, and is likely to do better still.

In the next box we come to the half-bred mare Santa Lucia, by Garrard out of Santa Rica, a remarkably good-looking mare, who has won four races this year.

Making the outside boxes we find the chestnut *Blackburn*, a big washy loose-looking three-year-old, that will not improve, but he is rather over-grown at present. He is by Garrard out of Fair Minister. Next to him stands Policeman, another three-year-old, by El Plata out of Duet; he is a neat-looking horse, and is for sale at a rather short price. The McGowan line next, a bay horse by Uncle O'Ellangowan, five years old, and as he is remarkably good looking, and as well-bred as can be, he will doubtless soon pay his corn bill, although up to now he has not managed to get his nose in front. Next to him comes Don Carlos, a bay four-year-old horse by Paradox out of Collins, who has a very great deal lately, and he certainly looks like racing if looks go for anything. In the next box we come to the "son," Simpleton, a bay horse by St. Simon out of Flora, four-years-old, and only 14 hands 1 inch. This has a great turn of speed is shown by his having won twice, although at low weights, but he has always been too heavily handicapped to have a fair chance against big horses two hands higher than himself. Last, but by no means least, we come to a grand-looking colt called Illusion, who is by the *Olden* out of *Hop*; he has never run, but if he is as good he looks like a splendid race before him, as he has all

the points a racehorse should have, combined with a perfectly true shape. This colt, with the exception of an imported two-year-old filly, according to English time, Glenvale by Glendale out of Glenfern, sister in blood to Busybudy, brings us to the end of the stud.

All the horses looked in remarkably good fettle, with a pleasing absence of that worn-out look native-trained horses generally have.

Wishing that the Stud Buenos Aires had as many more horses to look over, so pleasantly did the time pass, we bade our host a reluctant good-bye, and made the best of our way home through the rain and mud, well satisfied with the way we had spent our wet Sunday.

## TREE CULTURE

## IN THE PROVINCE OF BUENOS AIRES.

(Continued.)

*Eucalyptus Globulus*, in its native land of Tasmania, is said to reach heights of from three to four hundred feet, and from thirty to one hundred in circumference.

The timber is rather pale, hard and durable, and its transverse strength about equal to English oak; suitable for rafters, "tranqueras," "calpones," scantlings, agricultural implements, planks and all general outdoor work. Its durability is compared favourably with its congeners, and is more lasting than several varieties, though less durable than the *Rostrata*.

Of all the eucalyptus it is the best adapted for drying up "cañadas" or swamps and contracting malaria, and is at present being cultivated in various parts of the globe for this particular purpose, and is known to have given most satisfactory results where cultivated a few years with this object.

It will thrive and do well in almost any class of our soil. I have grown it on the plains, on high situations as well as on low, on rich soil and on poor, on "barrancas," on "bañados," and in jungle, and even on "barro blanco," with better success in many than any other tree. It delights in deep, damp ground, where its roots penetrate to a great depth, and suffer little from our periodical "secas," insuring at the same time resistance to the "pampero." The wood, for fuel, is of the best, as well as for charcoal, but for the latter purpose the trees should be felled at the proper season, cut up into logs, and dried in the sun. If converted into charcoal while the wood is green it will be of inferior quality and quantity. Trees of from twelve to fourteen years old have averaged to the writer \$7 each, applying the thick wood and stems to the manufacture of charcoal while the branches and leaves were used for firewood.

Its frost-resistance to frost I find to be greater during its first year's growth than either that of *Rostrata*, *Rosinifera* or *Robusta*. Five degrees cent. of frost on exposed and cold situations is enough to destroy a considerable percentage of young *Eucalyptus Globulus*, especially if it come suddenly and after a strong autumn growth, when the young wood is extra soft. A case of this kind I saw here in the year 1888, when a severe frost set in early in May, reaching a maximum of five degrees, when I lost forty per cent. out of a plantation of five thousand made early that autumn; but it must be born in mind that it was the combination of circumstances which proved so disastrous, namely, the extraordinary growth of the young wood through the damp mild autumn, the exposure of the situation and suddenness of the heavy frosts. These are cases we do not expect to encounter excepting at long intervals, and as soon as the situation becomes sheltered by the first plantations the risk here noted almost disappears.

(To be continued.)

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## WINNING GENTLEMEN RIDERS

at Hurlingham, since the Opening Meeting, May 14, 1890:		No. of Mounts	Won	Lost
J. J. Mandia	14	8	6	17
R. H. Ewen	25	8	17	17
H. J. Livock	19	6	13	13
E. G. Sibson	19	6	13	13
F. E. Baist	9	4	5	5
R. Newbery	10	3	7	7
J. W. Bond	11	3	8	8
J. McClymont	4	3	2	2
R. Newbery	5	2	3	3
H. W. Anderson	1	1	0	0
R. Collins	1	1	0	0
H. Balfour	1	1	0	0
E. Pico	3	1	2	2
R. W. Ewens	4	1	3	3
R. Newbery	4	1	3	3
C. G. Day	6	1	5	5
R. Newbery	6	1	5	5
T. Gillinbarst	17	1	16	16

## SHOOTING.

## A SPORTSMAN'S HOLIDAY.

Notwithstanding the crisis, moratorium, bank failures, and a "Black List," except there are many "shooting" men who occasionally want to rush away from the "madding crowd" of Buenos Aires and other River Plate cities, for a few days, or even week, complete rest, where they can, for the time being, cast away all cares, all troubles, "Ballis" or "Bearish" speculations, all business worries, and at the same time have some good all round sport, and plenty of fresh air and "elbow-room." Such places I know of, and no doubt many of the readers of the *River Plate Sport and Pastime* (and before long I am sure their name will be legion) would like to know of them as well.

To Villa Maria, in the Province of Cordoba, I will give the place of honour, as being one where many "civilised" advantages are obtained, as well as excellent sport. But by far the greatest attraction that Villa Maria possesses is in the eyes of a sportsman on account of its being the centre of the "monte raso" shooting. We British sportsmen are fairly numerous now in this country, yet I question if there be more than 10 per cent. of us who have ever seen a "monte raso," much less ever shot one; and yet this bird is "par excellence" the "game" of the sportsman. It is never found in the open camp, being, on the contrary, as its name implies, a bird frequenting the "montes," "anglic" woods. In size it is about that of a large, plump grouse: in shape and feather it somewhat resembles a "cross" between a pheasant and a grouse; especially does it resemble a pheasant of a somewhat smaller size, but with the texture of a grouse in its "feathering." As to its merits on the table, it is the "pice de resistance," even excelling in delicacy of flavour the world-famed grouse. To make a decent bag you require a good dog, or even two; the dog I would recommend should be a pointer well broken-in and who understands the art of working at close quarters, and I would recommend a dog who works "close," but with only a moderate nose, in preference to one with a first-class "scent," but who is inclined to "range," because a "monte raso" is a swift bird and in the "montes" is soon lost to aim. It is by far the *prettiest* shooting to be found in this country, and as the country around Villa Maria is so well stocked with "montes," intersected by open flats and several "lagunas," "anglic" small lakes, the sport one can get with the "monte raso" is unlimited. But the sportsman's "répertoire" does not end here; I have already mentioned that the "montes" are in several parts watered by "lagunas;" these are identified, should you wish to work at close quarters, with white geese, several kinds of duck, and especially sprinking of snipe; one kind of duck especially attracting the sportsman's admiration—it is a black duck with red neck and richly-coloured wings, and when well cooked is equal to any "canvas-back" of North America. The "lagunas" are of all sizes, some large enough for four guns to work at the same time, others small enough to be shot over from bank to bank. The "montes" also team with wild pigeons and parrots. Many of your readers have probably never tasted *parrot*, but I can assure those who have not that they might go farther afield and fare worse, the *parrot* being a bird which, when well dressed and cooked, is a most delicious article of food. And lastly, to add a little novel excitement to your day's work, you may come upon a *lion*, not certainly that noble African king of beasts in all his majestic grandeur, but the South American edition, which correctly speaking is a *puma*; however, he is ferocious enough, if only slightly wounded, to give you a most uncomfortable five minutes should you have to come with him.

And now, I ask, what can a sportsman in this country ask for better than what I have described, and I will vouch for the accuracy of every word I have written, as having paid three visits to this delightful spot, making in all a space of over two months. I can speak from sound experience.

Next week I will describe the excellent quarters you can get there, the many other attractions, such as bathing in the clear sparkling waters of the Rio Teroro (*once* Third River), lawn tennis, American bowls, dances, &c., and last, but not least, how to get there, travelling in a "through" coach over the Central Argentine Railway, in the shortest time with the greatest amount of comfort, a railway which possesses for its general manager, one who deservedly ranks as one of the most courteous and popular gentlemen in the Argentine Republic.

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PROGRAMME OF HURLINGHAM CLUB  
RACES—SEPTEMBER 8.

(FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE BRITISH HOSPITAL).

First Race:  
THE BRITON HANDICAP; value \$300, 2nd saves stake; for ponies 56 in, or under; entrance \$25, 1/2 ft.; 500 metres.

Second Race:  
THE LAIDIE STEEPCHASE; value \$400, 2nd saves stake; for galloways 58 in. or under; thoroughbreds excluded; 58 in. to carry 75 kilos; entrance \$30; 2500 metres over the steepchase course.

Third race:  
PREMIO FERROS; value \$1000, being \$800 to 1st and \$200 to 2nd; for any horse who has never won more than \$1500 up to time of starting; weight for age; winners 3 kilos extra; entrance \$90; 1100 metres.

Fourth Race:  
THE HURLINGHAM ST. LEGER STAKES, being a sweepstakes of \$50 each, with a cup value £50 stg. to the winner, 2nd saves stake; for galloways 58 in. or less, the bona-fide property of members of the club, thoroughbreds excluded; weight for inches, 58 in. to carry 70 kilos; 2400 metres.

(The Cup to be won twice by the same owner before becoming his absolute property).

Fifth Race:  
THE AYBRIE CUP, value \$1000, added to a sweepstake of \$50 each, 2nd saves stake; open to any horse, thoroughbreds excluded; weight for age; 4 years 72 kilos, 5 years 75 kilos, 6 years or more 78 kilos, criollos allowed 3 kilos, maidens 2 kilos; 3200 metres over the steepchase course.

(Three starts, or the Cup will not be given, and it must be won twice by the same owner before becoming his absolute property).

SIXTH RACE:  
THE TABLERA HANDICAP; value \$400, 2nd saves stake; for galloways 58 in. or under, thoroughbreds excluded; entrance \$30; 1/2 ft.; 600 metres.

FIXTURES.

(We should be much obliged if Secretaries of Clubs would send us their FIXTURES, with TIME and PLACE at which Matches are to be played).

RACING.

Wednesday (To-Day), August 12—Hipódromo Nacional, Belgrano.

Saturday, August 15—Hipódromo Nacional, Belgrano.

Sunday, August 16—Hipódromo Argentino, Palermo.

Monday, August 20—Hipódromo Nacional, Belgrano.

Tuesday, September 8—Hurlingham Club.

FOOTBALL.

Saturday, August 15—O. Boys v. Present Pupils of English High School.

Sunday, August 16—Buenos Aires v. Montevideo; Montevideo (Rugby Union).

Saturday, August 15—Y.M.C.A. v. Belgrano, at Highfield.

Sunday, August 16—St. Andrews v. Rosario, at Barracas (Association).

Saturday, August 15—The Rover's P. C. v. Flores, at Quilmes, 1 p.m. (Each club will play two teams).

ATHLETIC SPORTS.

Saturday, August 15—Rosario Athletic Club

ENTRIES AND WEIGHTS FOR PALERMO  
RACES, SATURDAY, AUGUST 15.

Premio Beau soileil 1400 for two-year-olds:  
Stud Capitan Lopez, Robert le Diable 54; Stud Entre Rios, Scipion 54; Stud Buenos Aires, Huson 54; Stud J. C. Malbran, Lego 53; Stud Las Ortigas, Habanera 52; Ecurie General San Martin, Reconquista 49; Stud Argentine, Gardenia 48; Stud Nacional, India Muerta 48; Stud Buenos Aires, Dorothy 48; Stud B. Villanueva, Pampa 48; Stud Lucullus, Hecate 48; Stud Termination, Colon 46; Stud B. Villanueva, Diamond 42.

Premio Lenape 1200 metres:  
Stud E. Casal, Hunon ..... 6 years, 67 kilos  
Stud Monte Grande, Ambush ..... 4 60  
Stud Camors, Vendetta ..... 4 57  
Stud Boqueron, Araza ..... 5 55  
Stud Principante, Remolacha ..... 5 54  
Stud Capitan Lopez, Moises ..... 5 53  
Stud Luis Chico, Westminster ..... 5 52  
Ecurie Talisman, Sirince ..... 5 52  
Stud San Jorge, Blackfriar ..... 5 51  
Stud La Prensa, Falucho ..... 4 51  
Stud Phoenix, Fine Shade ..... 6 51  
Stud Azur, Le Torpilleur ..... 4 50  
La Petite Ecurie, Joyeux ..... 4 48  
Stud B. Villanueva, Delicia ..... 4 48  
Aguara ..... 4 44

Premio Hawk Eye 1000 metres:  
Ecurie Kemmis, The McGowan ..... 6 years, 58 kilos  
Stud Talisman, Myosotis ..... 4 57  
Stud Principante, Escorola ..... 4 56  
Ecurie Titan, Connaught ..... 4 56  
Stud Carupa, Pretty Polly ..... 6 56  
Stud San Jorge, Saltram ..... 5 55  
Stud Azul, El Nene ..... 6 54  
Ecurie Prisionero, Erato ..... 4 54  
Stud Gral. San Martin, Truchif ..... 6 54  
Stud Boqueron, Avahy ..... 8 54  
Stud Entre Rios, Tala ..... 4 54  
Stud Lucullus, Golondrina ..... 4 47

Premio Mariner 1750 metres:  
Stud Phoenix, Phoenix ..... 4 years, 59 kilos  
Ecurie Chantilly, Email ..... 4 55  
Stud Bolivar, Patria ..... 4 54  
Stud Capitan Lopez, Moises ..... 5 54  
Stud Talisman, Sovereign ..... 6 54  
Stud Desperado, Egbert ..... 6 54  
Stud San Jorge, Saltram ..... 5 52  
Ecurie Prisionero, Erato ..... 4 51  
Soldado ..... 4 50  
Stud Las Ortigas, Nebulosa ..... 4 50

Premio Ministro 1400 metres:  
Ecurie Kemmis, Miss Mary ..... 7 years, 62 kilos  
Tirza ..... 4 57 1/2 k  
Stud Camors, Vendetta ..... 4 56  
Stud Talisman, Calandria ..... 4 55  
Stud Principante, Remolacha ..... 4 54  
Ecurie Bolivar, Reina ..... 4 52  
Ecurie Ceres, La Florida ..... 4 51  
Stud Carupa, Pretty Polly ..... 6 51  
Stud B. Villanueva, Delicia ..... 4 48  
Stud Entre Rios, Noyosa ..... 6 48  
Stud Phoenix, Phoenix ..... 4 47  
Stud Argentine, Daisy ..... 9 47  
Stud Luis Chico, Oberhoff ..... 5 46  
Stud Buenos Aires, Boulanger ..... 4 46  
Stud Lucullus, Galga ..... 5 42  
Golondrina ..... 4 42  
Stud Paine, Frenel ..... 3 42

Premio San Martin, 2200 metres:  
Ecurie Kemmis, Miss Mary ..... 7 years, 61 kilos  
Stud Concordia, Pari ..... 4 55  
Stud Capt. Lopez, Aventurero ..... 4 54  
La Petite Ecurie, Gettatore ..... 5 54  
Ecurie Titan, Gladiador ..... 4 52  
Stud Phoenix, Phoenix ..... 4 51  
Stud Talisman, Calandria ..... 6 51  
Ecurie Indecis, Lutin ..... 4 46

Premio Jockey Club; colts 57 kilos, fillies 55 kilos; 1750 metres:  
Mineral, Emperor, Gorrión, Prior, Lumineux, Centella, Heroína, Leandro, Margery, Lego, Mudo, Fandango, Gitana, Pampa, A. G. Glauco, Curupa, E. Talisman, Sargento, Erato, Esmeralda, Gardenia, Dorothy, Middleham, Alguacil, Zangano, Seijon, Amiante, Ecurie, Rastreador, Bona, arte, Brandy, Lucrecia, Magenta, Saverca, Estoranza, O. Colon, Acteon, Pallas, Termination, Cotoxaj, Cantinera.

ENTRIES AND WEIGHTS FOR BELGRANO  
RACES, SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

Premio Azur 1400 metres:  
Ecurie J. Brett, Xanthomos ..... 6 years, 57 kilos  
Stud H. Malbran, Carnaval ..... 6 56  
Stud Kemmis, The McGowan ..... 6 55  
Stud El Plata, Rabelais ..... 6 54  
Stud San Juan, Princesa ..... 5 54  
Stud Nacional, Canotiére ..... 4 52  
Stud Azur, Le Torpilleur ..... 4 52  
Stud San Jorge, Saltram ..... 5 52  
Ecurie Prisionero, Erato ..... 4 51  
Stud Entre Rios, Tala ..... 4 51  
Stud Argentine, Daisy ..... 9 51  
Ecurie Darius, Nubifer ..... 4 51  
Stud El Raro, Clavo ..... 4 50  
Ecurie Indecis, Lutin ..... 4 49  
Stud La Tablada, Fergusa ..... 4 49  
Stud Lucullus, Golondrina ..... 4 48  
Stud Forester, Forester ..... 5 47  
Stud Paine, Lucifer ..... 4 47  
Stud Buenos Aires, Boulanger ..... 4 47  
Stud Cotoxaj, Santos Perez ..... 4 46  
Stud Temerario, Tenebre ..... 4 46  
Ecurie Talisman, Diamite ..... 4 45

Premio de Ormonde 2500 metres:  
Ecurie Kemmis, Miss Mary ..... 5 60  
Stud Capitan Lopez, Aventurero ..... 4 55  
Ecurie La Petite, Gettatore ..... 5 55  
Stud Titan, Titan ..... 5 52  
Stud Indecis, Lutin ..... 4 52  
Stud Talisman, Sovereign ..... 6 48  
Stud Luis Chico, Oberhoff ..... 5 47  
La Petite Ecu, Lise Fleuron ..... 5 47  
Stud Frontera, Carriel ..... 5 45

Premio Orbit 1600 metres:  
Stud E. Casal, Midi ..... 4 60  
Stud Bolivar, Patria ..... 4 54  
Stud Kemmis, The McGowan ..... 6 53  
Stud Chantilly, Email ..... 4 52  
Stud San Jorge, Saltram ..... 5 51  
Stud Carupa, Pretty Polly ..... 6 50  
Stud Cotoxaj, Rivedetti ..... 4 49  
Stud Entre Rios, Tala ..... 4 48  
Ecurie Prisionero, Soldado ..... 4 48  
Stud E. Celery, Lumen ..... 5 46

Premio Star 1100 metres:  
Ecurie E. Casal, Hunon ..... 5 67  
Stud Camors, Vendetta ..... 4 57  
Stud Boqueron, Araza ..... 5 56  
Stud Capitan Lopez, Moises ..... 5 54  
Stud Luis Chico, Westminster ..... 5 53  
Stud La Prensa, Falucho ..... 4 52  
Stud Azur, Le Torpilleur ..... 4 52  
Stud Phoenix, Fine Shade ..... 6 52  
Stud Carupa, Pretty Polly ..... 6 50  
Ecurie Titan, Cabula ..... 4 49  
Stud B. Villanueva, Aguara ..... 5 44  
Stud Prisionero, Dardo ..... 4 44  
Stud Argentino, Limethorpe ..... 4 40

Premio Kier 1000 metres for Two-year-olds:  
Ecurie Bolivar, Omix 58; Stud Las Ortigas, Lagrima 58; Stud Lume, Pencil 52; Ecurie General San Martin, San. Carab 52; Stud Capitan Lopez, Mary 50; Stud Camors, Alguacil 49; Stud Termination, Colon 47; Stud José Maria, Irene 45; Ecurie Talisman, Fornarina 45; Stud San Juan, Lancero 44; Stud B. Villanueva Diamond 44.

Premio Gladiador 1900 metres; Colts 52 kilos, fillies 50 kilos:  
Hampa, Ecurie, Deseructor, Vengeur, Bayadera, Habanera, Americano, Olympiada, Cantinera, Lumineux, Atlantic, Mineral, Dreadnought, Mopsa, King Arthur, King Jamie, Curfew, Briar Roper, Christabelle, Fraulien, Ailene, Lady Alice, Gloaming, My Boy, Bayard, The Spy, Red Lancer, Albino, Ceres, Satanelia, Talicho, Thalia, Derby, Mergery, Mergery, Mary, Elaine, Lomas Valentinias, Astrea, Penelope, Hipodamia, La Ura, Asyasia, Aleco, Lampros, Nene, Quiron, Bayardo, Grifos, Alcibades, Aector, Areon, Disgrace, Kalydor, Buckinham, Loo, Rover, Tom Rance, Diamond.

RACING SELECTIONS.

BELGRANO—Saturday, August 15.  
Premio Beausoeil—Reconquista or Colon.  
Premio Lenape—Remolacha or Joyeux.  
Premio Hawk Eye—Connaught or Erato.  
Premio Mariner—Sovereign or Egbert.  
Premio Jockey Club—Amiante or Sargento.  
Premio Ministro—Calandria or Delicia.  
Premio San Martin—Stud Concordia or Phoenix.  
PALERMO—Sunday, August 16.  
Premio Azur—Erato or Tala.  
Premio Ormonde—Miss Mary or Gettatore.  
Premio Orbit—Patria or Email.  
Premio Gladiador—Thalia or Satanelia.  
Premio Kier—Cabula or Westminster.  
Premio Kier—Lagrima.



**RULES AND REGULATIONS OF POLO.**

We publish the following latest Hurlingham Rules of Polo by request:—  
The height of the ponies must not exceed 14 hands, and no ponies showing vice are to be allowed in the game.

2. The goals to be not less than 250 yards apart, and each goal to be 8 yards wide.

3. The size of the balls to be 3 inches in diameter.

4. Each side shall nominate an Umpire unless it be mutually agreed to play with one instead of two; and his play or their decisions shall be final. In important matches, in addition to the Umpire, a Referee may be appointed, whose decision shall be final.

5. In all matches for cups or prizes the number of players contending to be limited to four a side.

6. The duration of games in matches shall be one hour and ten minutes, an interval of five minutes between each twenty minutes of play being deducted from the above, or four quarters with intervals of three minutes.

7. In cup competitions, the game, in case of a draw, must be played on till one side obtains a goal.

8. The side that makes most goals wins the game.

9. The game commences by both sides taking up their position in the middle of the ground, and the Manager throwing the Ball in to the centre.

10. If a ball is hit above the top of the goal posts, but in the opinion of the Umpire through, it shall be considered a goal.

11. If the ball be hit behind the back line by one of the opposite side, it shall be hit off by one of the side whose line it is from a spot as near as possible to where it crossed the line. None of the attacking side shall be within 30 yards of the back line until the ball is hit off. If however, it be hit behind the back line by one of the players whose line it is, they shall hit it off, as near as possible to where it crossed the line, and all the defending side shall remain behind the line until the ball is hit off, the attacking side being free to place themselves as they please.

12. When the ball is hit out of bounds, it must be thrown into the playground by the Umpire.

13. A player may ride out an antagonist or interpose his pony before an opponent so as to prevent the latter reaching the ball, but he may not cross another player in possession of the ball, excepting at such a distance as to avoid all risk of a collision.

**DEFINITION OF CROSSING.**

If two players are riding from different directions to hit the ball, and a collision appears probable, then the player in possession of the ball (i.e., he who last hit the ball, or who is coming in the direction from which the ball was last hit) must be given way to.

14. It is allowed to hook an adversary's stick, but neither under or over an adversary's pony.

15. No player who is off side shall hit the ball, or shall in any way prevent the opposite side from reaching or hitting the ball.

**DEFINITION OF OFF SIDE.**

A player is off side when at the time of the ball being hit he has no one of the opposite side between him and the adversaries' goal line, or behind that goal line, and he is neither in possession of the ball nor behind one of his own side who is in possession of the ball. The position of the players is to be considered as at the time the ball was last hit, i.e., a player is on side when the ball was last hit remains on side though he is hit again.

16. In case of a foul (viz., infringement of Rules 13, 14 and 15) the Umpire shall stop the game, and the Umpire who has been fouled may claim either of the following penalties:—

(a) A free hit from where the ball was when the foul took place, none of

the opposing side to be within 10 yards of the ball.

(b) That the side which caused the foul, take the ball back and hit it off from behind their own goal line.

17. Ends shall be handed after every goal, or if no goals have been obtained after half time. The ball must go over and clear of the line to be out, or to score a goal of the line to be damaged, the Umpire must stop the game, and throw in a new ball at the place where it was broken, and at right angles to the length of the ground.

18. Should a player's stick be broken, he must ride to the place where sticks are kept and take one. On no account is a stick to be brought to him.

19. In the event of a stick being dropped, the player must pick it up himself. No dismounted player is allowed to touch the ball.

20. No person allowed within the arena—players, Umpires, and Manager excepted.

**London and River Plate Bank (LIMITED)**

LONDON, 32 Moorgate Street.  
Buenos Aires, Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, Valparaiso.  
Authorized Capital..... £2,000,000 Ster.  
Subscribed Capital..... 1,500,000  
Reserve Fund..... 700,000

Offices in Buenos Aires  
OFFICE OF CALL TRANSACTING COMMERCIAL FIRMS AND PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS.

Customers have the advantage of having approved Bills discounted—of obtaining loans upon negotiable Securities, of depositing Bills, Coupons, etc. for collection—subject to a contract of Bill Discounting.

The Bank receives deposits either at sight, for fixed periods, or at thirty days' notice of withdrawal. Interest on all monies is paid at the market value of the money. The Bank notifies any change in Rates, by Advertisement in the principal daily papers.

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The rates of interest allowed and charged by the Bank, until further notice will be as follows—

	ALLOWED	CHARGED
On accounts current and deposits at sight	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on sums in excess of £500,000	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 30 days' notice	3/4	3/4
Do. do. on deposits at 60 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 90 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 120 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 150 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 180 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 210 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 240 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 270 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 300 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 330 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 360 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 390 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 420 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 450 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 480 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 510 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 540 days' notice	1/2	1/2
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Do. do. on deposits at 1170 days' notice	1/2	1/2
Do. do. on deposits at 1200 days' notice	1/2	1/2

On debits balances in account current—PENNSYLVANIA, Manager, Buenos Ayres, April 15, 1891.

**London and Brazilian Bank, Limited.**

17—SAN MARTIN—170

Capital Subscribed..... £ 1,250,000  
Do. Paid up..... £ 625,000  
Reserve Fund..... £ 45,000  
HEAD OFFICE'S—Tokenhouse Yard, London.

**BRANCHES:**  
BRAZIL—Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Sao Paulo, Rio Grande do Sul, Pelotas, Porto Alegre.

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A. F. ENFOR, Manager.

**The English Bank of the River Plate, Limited.**

139 to 149 Calle Reconquista.

En Rosario—Eze. Córdoba y Puerto Montevideo—25 de Mayo y Zaballa. Paysandú and Salto.

Subscribed Capital..... £1,500,000  
Paid up Capital..... 750,000  
Reserve Fund..... 425,000

**Bankers in London:**  
Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie, & Co.

Commercial and other Current accounts opened.

Deposits received at sight and for fixed periods.

Bills, Discounted, Negotiated or Collected. Cedulas and other public Securities and Stocks received on Deposit for collection of Coupons and Dividends for account of parties either here or abroad.

Advances made upon Approved Securities. Stocks and Shares sold for account of third parties.

Letters of Credit issued in London, the Continent, and the United States, and Brazil for Commercial and travelling purposes.

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And all the principal towns in Great Britain, Belgium, Switzerland, France, Italy, Brazil, Germany, Spain, Portugal, and the United States.

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15 St. Swithin's Lane, London, E.C.

Also every description of Banking business transacted on liberal terms.

The following Rates of Interest will be allowed and charged by the Bank until further notice:

**ALLOWED** Paper and Gold. o/o p. ann.

Credit Balances in current account and Deposits at Call..... 2 1/2

Deposits up one month's notice..... 3 1/2

Do. do. for 90 days' fixed..... 4 1/2

Do. do. for 120 days' fixed..... 4 3/4

For longer periods according to arrangement.

**CHARGED**

Overdrafts in current accounts..... 10.00

Gold and paper—12 o/p p. ann.

Accounts—According to arrangement.

Buenos Ayres, 1st April 1891.

T. H. JONES, Manager.

**The Anglo-Argentine Bank, Limited.**

17, Nicholas Lane, London, E.C. 4.

Buenos Aires: 436 Piedad—494 Montevideo: 82 Calle Zaballa—22

Authorized capital..... £1,000,000

Capital subscribed..... 500,000

Do. paid up..... 250,000

Reserve Fund..... 100,000

Current accounts opened with Commercial Firms and private individuals.

Deposits received at sight and for fixed periods.

Bills, discounted, negotiated, and collected. Stocks and shares received on deposit for collection of Coupons and Dividends.

Proceeds of Consols and Bonds retained in the Bank's possession in Europe.

Stocks and shares bought and sold for account of third parties.

Bills of Exchange, Letters of Credit and Telegraphic payments effected on London, Paris, Hamburg, Antwerp, and the principal towns in Great Britain, France, Italy and Spain.

**List of sailings of Lamport & Holt Steamers.**

Antwerp & London  
VIA BAMIA AND SOUTHAMPTON

HEVELIUS\* (Belg.) Capt. Lyons. 26th July

**LIVERPOOL**  
HANDEL (Eng.) Capt. Sherlock. 26th July  
Leaving in the Rio Paraná.

**LIVERPOOL**  
CUIVIER (English) Capt. Cadogan. 26th July  
Leaving in the Rio Paraná.

Antwerp & London  
VIA BAMIA AND SOUTHAMPTON

COLERIDGE\* Capt. F. Brown. 30th July  
Buenos Ayres, 6th July, 1891.

T. S. BOADLE & Co.

**British Bank of South America, Lim.**

FORMERLY  
English Bank of Rio de Janeiro, Limited.

344—Calle Piedad—348  
Established 1863

Capital subscribed..... £1,000,000  
Do. paid up..... 500,000  
Reserve fund..... 225,000

London, 2a Moorgate Street.  
BRANCHES

Buenos Aires and Montevideo.

Current accounts opened.

Deposits received at sight and for fixed periods.

Bills, discounted, negotiated, and collected. Letters of credit issued. Telegraphic Transfers and drafts at sight, and up to 90 days' sight, given on its Head Office and Branches.

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On deposits in current account and at sight up to £500,000..... 3 o/o

On the excess above \$500,000..... 2 o/o

For 90 days fixed..... 5 o/o

For other periods by arrangement.

In addition the Bank allows 1 o/o on the minimum quarterly balance in account current when not less than \$500 both in gold and paper.

**CHARGES**

For advance in account current..... 12 o/p

For discount, by arrangement.

Buenos Ayres, 1st July, 1891.

F. M. HERRIOT, Manager.

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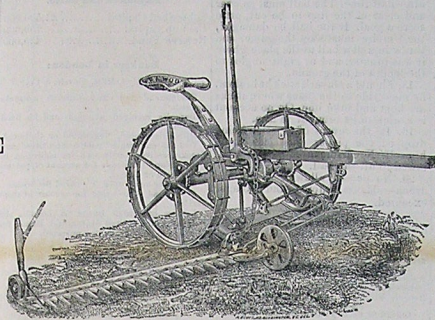
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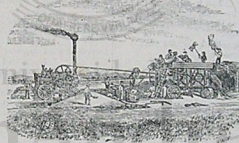
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