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### BUENOS AYRES.

A long account has been published in the Mendoza Newspaper *Nuevo Eco de los Andes*, upon the probable circumstances which caused the assassination of Colonels Corbalan, Aldao, and their companions, by Pincheira's Indians; it is a melancholy history, and equals in atrocity any thing recorded in modern times.

The Government of Salta has addressed a communication to the House of Representatives of that Province, stating that the civil dissensions having terminated it appeared a favorable moment to open negotiations with the other Provinces, by means of diplomatic agents, in order to reorganize the nation, and requested that the sum of two thousand dollars might be placed at its disposal to accelerate that object.

The House, in a sitting on the 21st ult., passed a vote allowing the said sum to be applied as stated by the Government, in the employment of diplomatic agents.

There is no other news of importance from the interior.

A meeting of the Bank shareholders is called for this day, to name sixteen directors, and a committee of accounts, &c., &c.

The price of specie is the "shadow of a shade" lower, in consequence of rumours that peace will be preserved with the Provinces of the interior, and that some of the financial measures are in agitation likely to benefit the currency.

The first number of a new Periodical on a small sheet of paper, was published in this City on the 19th inst. It is entitled *El Torito de los Muchachos*, and printed at the *Imprenta Republicano*, price 2 reals. The matter it contains is in verse similar to *El Gaucho*.

The Revd. Dr. Santiago Figueredo gave a grand dinner at his Quinta near the Recoleta, on Sunday last to Col. P. Echague, Commandant General of the country districts of the Province of Santa Fé; H. E. the Governor of this Province attended, and likewise Generals Balcarce, Martinez, and Mancilla, the President of the House of Representatives, and various public Officers and distinguished private individuals. The Governor presided at the table, and

General Balcarce occupied the post of vice President.

A band of Military music performed various marches *Arias*, &c., during the repast.

A list of the toasts has been published, of which we can only give a brief statement.

There were nine bumper toasts, the 1st was given by the President H. E. the Governor and Captain General of the Province of Buenos Ayres, Don Juan Manuel de Rosas. It was to the following effect.

Prosperity to the Argentine Republic, and that the day may soon arrive in which the Provinces may enjoy that quietude which the public happiness so much requires. To the illustrious General Don Estanislao Lopez, who so worthily presides over the province of Santa Fé.

2nd.—By the Vice President the Minister of war and Marine General D. Juan Ramon Balcarce. To our worthy guest Don Pascual Echague.

3rd.—By Col. Pascual Echague, Commandant of the country districts of the province of Santa Fé.

To H. E. the Governor and Captain General of this Province Don Manuel Rosas, who in restoring its laws and institutions redeemed the country of the Argentines, from the opprobrium by which it was covered, by the direful men of the 1st of December, 1828: And that he, in conjunction with his friend General Lopez, Governor of Santa Fé, may reestablish the peace of the Republic, so that, liberated from domestic tyrants, the people may announce their sentiments freely.

4th.—By the Inspector General Don Enrique Martinez. The honorable House of Representatives.

5th.—By Dr. D. R. Olavarrieta. To the Governor Don Manuel Rosas, who has defended the laws which had been assailed by tyrants.

6th.—By Don Mariano Lozano. To the memory of the Citizen who, in his military and political life, had conferred such great and heroic services upon the country, who had cooperated to effect the peace with Brazil, and signed it, Don Manuel Dorrego.

The above toast was prefaced by an exordium, stating that in the midst of such festive enjoyment the toast required a brief silence, that the music should cease, and

that the hearts of the company alone should express their gratitude and feelings.

7th.—By Dr. Don José de Ugarteche. To the continued union of the four boundary Provinces.

8th.—By the Revd. Dr. P. P. Vidal. To the Ministers of Government.

9th.—By D. B. Garcia. To the Oriental Republic, may its days be as lasting as its hills, and as cheerful as its vallies.

A number of discretionary toasts followed, which were introduced by exordiums.

The Governor proposed the health of the first Magistrate of the Oriental State, and the Commandant General of its country districts, Generals, Don Juan Antonio Lavalleja, and Don Fructuoso Rivera. General Martinez gave the health of General Quiroga.

The health of Governor Lopez was repeatedly given with eulogiums upon his conduct, particularly at the battle of Puente de Marquez on 26th of April, 1829.

Dr. Garcia gave a toast. To the memory of the late Major D. Manuel Mesa.

And the Revd. Dr. Figueredo, to the memory of Don Manuel Dorrego, and that the tree of liberty, moistened by his precious blood, may be as eternal as the regret for his death in the heart of every true American.

Colonel Iriarte gave the health of General San Martin.

General Lozano, that of General Guido.

Dr. Garcia, that of the Minister of finance Don Manuel José Garcia.

In imitation of the example given by General Belgrano, the two Caciques, *Catriel* and *Cachul*, were seated at the table, clothed in the uniform of the Militia. *Catriel* made a speech, in purport, that the "Spaniards had invaded this Country to enslave it: they had sons and those sons had grandsons, those belong to the country, and ought to live united with the Indians to sustain its independence; that the ancient rivalry which had lasted so long had disappeared, a proof of which was that the Indians of the Chaco of Santa Fé had united with those of the South of the Province of Buenos Ayres to defend the rights of the authority, and place themselves under the orders of Don Juan Manuel Rosas and Don Estanislao Lopez, to support the liberty of the country."

*Cachul* also made a speech.

A British Ship, from London the beginning of June, was spoken near the line, the Captain of which stated that the King's illness remained without any alleviation.

Sunday being fine a number of persons, both equestrians and pedestrians, were "taking the air," in the environs of the Town.

A communication from the Government of Peru dated Lima 5th May, 1830, acknowledges the receipt of a note from this Government dated 5th January, 1830, congratulating the former upon the peace celebrated between Peru and Colombia.

The Government of Peru likewise returns thanks for the proffered mediation of that of Buenos Ayres, which was offered during the war.

The *Lucero* of the 17th instant, contains a general statement of the revenue for the first 6 months of the present year to 30th June, 1830, specifying the receipt in each month, and the expenses of the different departments of Government.

The following is the grand total.

	Dollars.
Receipts of the six months	5,908,470.5½
Expenses during the same	5,014,505.4½
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Difference in favour of the Treasury.....	893,965.1
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Deficit to the end of the year 1829.....	15,112,512.6½
Do to the end of June, 1830	14,396,729.3½
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Difference in favour.....	715,783.3½
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Govt. bills in circulation } In January 1830.....	904,367.6½
Do in June, 1830.....	727,184.4½
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Difference in favour.....	177,183.2

A notice has been issued from the Police Office dated the 4th inst., that all persons soliciting passports to proceed out of the Province, must apply for them at least three days before they have occasion to make use of them.

Extract of a letter from Rio Janeiro dated 22nd ult.

“Exchange is rather on the rise, and there is no money to day at 22½. The dry-good market is also looking up, and upon the whole things present a better aspect.

The House of Representatives do not proceed with such vigour as could be wished. The last debate of consequence was regarding the church lands: You are of course aware that no one is now allowed to take orders as a Friar, the Government hoping thereby, that as the *Fathers* become defunct their lands may come to the Crown, the law states that on the decease of a Friar his effects shall belong to the Crown; the *Padres*, to elude this measure obtain brethren of their order from Europe, and this was debated in the House whether it should be allowed, which after some opposition was decided in the negative. One of the honorable members proposed a novel way of adding to the revenue of the Country, viz; to value each Monk at 1000 dollars, and make

him pay 24 per cent duty on arrival; this you may believe was laughed at.

The amelioration of the currency is neglected for the present, it is to be hoped they soon will begin about it: God knows we stand in great need of it. The navy is about to be reduced.

We hear nothing of what Señor Guido is doing: he seems to keep his negotiations very secret.”

Messrs. Bacle and Co., Calle de la Victoria, No. 148, have published a prospectus of a *Boletin de Comercio*, stating that many mercantile houses in this Capital have expressed a wish for the publication of a *boletin* giving the necessary details to the Commercial community, that they propose to publish it on Monday mornings in each week, for in the evening previous to the sailing of the Packet or any other vessel for Europe, on a fine sheet of paper in the Spanish language and lithographic characters; to embrace the prices current of the articles of importation and exportation with observations thereon. A list of Vessels arriving and sailing, and in port, their destinations, &c., and in fact all information regarding Commerce which they may collect from private sources from Commercial houses, and from the public prints.

The subscription to be 24 dollars per annum.

We most heartily wish that success may attend the proposed work, but the peculiar situation and nature of the different markets in this city forbid us to be sanguine upon the subject, especially after having witnessed the failure of many similar undertakings in Buenos Ayres; for however correct the *boletin* may be in the essentials yet if it is once wanting in particular details the subscribers become lukewarm, and fully to particularize will occupy all the time of one individual; the pecuniary recompense we fear will not be adequate to the labour incurred; however it is worth the trial, the prospectus promises well and contains some new matter which we shall rejoice to see acted upon.

To the Editor of the British Packet.

Sir,—

Being assured that others as well as myself feel the want of the agreeable resource which a circulating library affords, and convinced that any project of an intellectual nature will meet with your concurrence and support, I beg leave to suggest a few hints on the subject, and request the favor of you to give them insertion in your columns.

It is evident that Englishmen in a foreign country must feel desirous to peruse the popular works which issue in such abundance from the British Press. To enjoy this luxury on a large scale is seldom possible, but where an extensive library cannot be formed, a small selection of books is within the reach of a very limited number of subscribers, and a small

selection made with judgment periodically, would be no mean addition to the enjoyments of an Englishman even in countries which possess more resources than this.

The plan I venture to suggest is this:—The Establishment not of a general circulating library, but rather of a reading club to consist of a limited number of subscribers and to be under the direction of a Committee.

Now even 20 subscribers of 100 dollars each would produce 2000 dollars, or near 60 pounds sterling, a sum that would purchase a considerable number of popular works. But I presume that double that amount might be raised without difficulty.

In order that this object may be carried into effect without delay, I beg to recommend that those gentlemen who feel disposed to become members of such a society meet together as early as convenient, when rules will be submitted to their consideration, which may be modified as the majority shall determine.

I am Sir,

yours very respectfully

W. G.

Our correspondent is probably aware that a library of books in the English language did exist in this City for several years, the subscribers to which consisted of Englishmen, Americans and several Natives of the country. The war with Brazil prevented a fresh supply of books and the society was dissolved.

A circulating library was afterwards formed of which the said books made a part. This was likewise discontinued from the cause above mentioned.

We should be most happy to see a society formed of the nature indicated by W. G., but would prefer a general circulating library which we think might prove a profitable speculation if carried on with spirit.

Several cases have lately occurred at Montevideo of the small pox, through neglect it is stated in not having recourse to vaccination; precautions have been taken to prevent its spreading.

The Proprietors of the schooner packets, *Bella Porteña* and *Joven Sarandí*, have hitherto fully complied with the tenor of their advertisement, relative to the days of sailing of these Packets.

The *Bella Porteña* sailed from this on the 12th instant, and arrived at Montevideo on the 13th; sailed from thence on the 14th, and arrived at Buenos Ayres on the 15th, having been only 52 hours absent from this port.

The Oriental packet schooner *Rosa* fired several salutes on the 15th inst., in the Inner Roads, in honor (we are told) of the birth day of the late Emperor Napoleon.

The month of August in Buenos Ayres is generally accompanied by cold rains and wind, it is in a manner like the November month in England, but hitherto there has been a succession of fine weather, and on Tuesday last it was almost a “summer’s day.”

Dr. D. Mariano Medrano, Bishop elect of Aulon, embarked on Monday morning last on board the French Brig of war *L’Inconstant*, to proceed to Rio Janeiro in order to be consecrated in his new dignity. He was accompanied by Señores Esralada and Somellera. A considerable assemblage attended at the place of embarkation, including some of the dignitaries of the church, the Provisor and various Friars of the Monastery of St. Francisco, and

several ladies, two carriages (in one of which was the new Bishop,) were likewise in attendance. The Captain of the Port's boat, (the crew in their best dresses) conveyed the Bishop on board, attended by other boats. The scene although it was not wanting in interest.

The Revd. Bishop addressed a letter to the House of Representatives dated 11th inst., stating that nothing but the holy object of his mission could have obliged him at his advanced period of life to have left his country, and that he hopes to return in two months.

In a former number we noticed the communication from Pope Pius 8th to the Government of this Province, appointing Dr. Medrano as Bishop.

The 12th inst. was the day of *Santa Clara*, and although the custom of birth-day serenades was rather fallen off lately, yet it was in some degree observed this year and there were divers voluntaries in front of the mansions of the *Doña Clara's*. There was likewise a splendid ball and supper at Fauch's Hotel.

We have been requested to dispose of the following publications, (Annuals) at the cost prices, or the equivalent in current money.

The Annot for 1830, with engravings	s. d.
Winter's Wreath 1829, do	12 0.
Christmas Box, 1828, do	8 0.
Juvenile forget-me-not, 1829, do	8 0.
Young Lady's Library, 1829, do	6 0.
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	£2 6 0.

The above will be sold, all or separate, at No. 47 Calle del 25 de Mayo.

The body of the Wife of Col. Paulino Rojas, said to be shot by her husband at Bahia Blanca, is to be conveyed hither for interment.

### THEATRE.

Señor Caceres after an absence of more than four years, reappeared on these boards on the 12th inst., in the character of Othello. As he was known to be what is termed a "sound actor," the critics were prepared to descant upon his performance with critical acumen. Some passages he gave with much energy, but upon the whole his acting seemed to us (if we may use the expression) somewhat too whining for the dignity of character which belongs to the "noble Moor," besides we are not sure if we can write without some degree of prejudice when Shakespeare's play of Othello, and the meagre substitute for it as is represented here, comes in the shape of contrast. Kean too is before us, the appalling quietude with which he utters the words

"O blood Iago, blood, blood"

It is related of the late Sir Thomas Lawrence, that he was for a long time persuaded that the enthusiastic applause bestowed upon Kean proceeded from the infatuation of the multitude, and for that reason declined to witness his performance. He however attended one night when this actor played Othello, and not only joined in the general admiration, but stated that one of the finest subjects for a picture that he had ever seen, was the look and attitude of Kean, when Iago says,

"O beware my lord of jealousy,"

and the conclusion of the speech

"O what damned minutes tells he o'er,

Who dotes, yet doubts, suspects, yet strongly loves."

The circumstance of the listening actor seemed to give the full conviction that him and his character were fitted for ever.

It is indeed a digression from Señor Caceres, but indeed a good actor, and at least a very good character he represents.

Señor Quijano made a very indifferent Iago, his forte is in the Melodramatic stile of acting. Doña Trinidad was respectable as Desdemona. It is difficult to find an adequate representative for this charming character.

Several plays have been performed within the week, and a repetition of the dance *El bosque encantado*, in which Señora Cañete dances with considerable skill and great strength, and displays her very pretty shape to advantage. She was much applauded.

Señor Caceres performed the part of *El Judgador*, in the play of that name on Wednesday evening. We know not why he should have selected this, for certainly there was nothing in the character beyond that of a "walking gentleman," and he was likewise addicted to that great fault in public actors of addressing himself too much to the audience.

The house was very respectably attended. The pit at one time was all in commotion, from the report that a girl in male attire was seated there. It seems that a lad wrapped in a capote, or cloak, had taken his seat and having long hair he was mistaken for a female, at which the lad not only felt very indignant, but said if he caught any of his accusers in the street he would by force of arms prove whether he was a man or not.

### FOREIGN MERCHANT VESSELS,

In the port of Buenos Ayres, on the 19th of August.

#### BRITISH.

Brig Comet, Barnes, loading for Liverpool.

Brig Prompt, Donaldson, loading for Liverpool.

Do Hotspur, Mitchinson do do.

Do Grecian, Bacon, do do.

Do Portaña, Lowden, do do.

Do Andrew Mc Kean, Mackay, do do.

Barque Angelona, Redknapp, do for Cadiz.

Brig Branston, Given, do do.

Do Monarch, Miller, do do.

Do Lavinia, Langley, do do.

Do Matvina, Norfor, do [don.

Do Gomer, Timothy, do do.

Do Vigilant, Thorp, do do.

Do Lima, Smith, do do.

Do Pomona, Tessier, do [werp.

for [Brazil.

Schooner-brig David Campbell, Moore, do for [Valparaiso.

Do Irene, Hewitt, discharging.

Do Promise, Grant, do do.

Do Cognac Packet, Winby, do do.

#### AMERICAN.

Ship Hamilton, Appleton, loading for Havana.

Brig Cameo, Sayer, do do [nah.

Do Ganges, Faunce, do do for Baltimore.

Do Spark, Smith, do do.

Do Delaware, Rogers, do do for New York.

Do Pallure, Williams, discharging.

Do Bolivar Liberator, Garney, do do.

Do Sally and Esther, Atkins, do do.

Schooner-brig Joseph, Langdon, do do.

Ship Caroline, Cloutman, do do.

Do Thomas Gibbons, Baldwin, loading for [Baltimore.

Do Tobacco Plant, Frazier, do do for Phila-

[delphia, touching at Montevideo.

#### FRENCH.

Ship Dana, Etcheverry, loading for Bourdeaux.

Polacre La Paix, Gazan, do for Marseilles.

#### SARDINIAN.

Ship Principe Christiano Augusto, Mascarely, [loading for Cadiz.

Polacre Aquiles, Vila, do for Mataga.

Do Conception, Ganello, do for Gibraltar.

Brig General Fiametta, Saconi, do for Cadiz.

Polacre Thetis, Pirangole, do do.

Do Virginia, Vacaro, discharging.

Schooner-brig San José, Sardi, uncertain.

#### BRAZILIAN.

Brig Eolo, Gaso, uncertain.

Do Constante, Silva, discharging.

#### HAMBURG.

Ship Daphne, Smith, bound to the Brazils.

Brig Lorenz, Schilderap, discharging.

#### DUTCH.

Barque Five Brothers, Poodt, loading for [Havannah.

#### DANISH.

Ship Indtaner, Schiluknecht, discharging.

#### BREMEN.

Brig Charlotte Louisa, Wessels, loading for [Bremen.

#### Foreign Vessels of War.

#### BRITISH.

Brig Algerine, Captain Talbot.

#### FRENCH.

Brig Faucon, Capt. Queruel.

Do Aigrette, Capt. Thavenet.

#### At Ensenada.

French Ship Courier des Indes, Tiphany, [to load mules for the Isle of Bourbon.



### MARINE LIST.



#### FORT OF BUENOS AYRES.

##### August 14th.—Wind N. hazy.

Arrived Dutch barque Five Brothers, Poodts, from Antwerp 28th April; Isle of Mayo 5th June, with 90 moyrs of salt, and 465 baskets of gin, to Sebastian Lezica Bros.

National schooner-brig Oriental, from the Bajada.

5 balandras, from the Parana, with hides, lime, &c.

Sailed National packetschooner Joven Sarandi, Fortuna, for Montevideo.

National do do Flor del Rio, Costas, for do.

National brig Merceditas, O'Brien, for Antwerp,—despatched by John Miller, and Co., with 7200 horns, 500 salted hides, 259 dry do, 139 bales with 2234 arrobas of wool, 1 case with 1500 dozen of Chinchilla skins.

August 15th.—Wind N. hazy.

Arrived National packet schooner Bella Portaña, Anderson, from Montevideo 14th inst, to J. and S. Lyons.

National schooner (pilot boat) Star of the South, Martinez, from a cruise in the River.

1 zumaca and 5 balandras from the Parana, with hides, lime, &c.

August 16th.—Wind W. calm and foggy, in the afternoon the wind shifted to the S. with clear weather.

Arrived American schooner-brig Joseph Langdon, from New York 20th May, to Grogan, and Peacock; with 80,000 planks, &c., to Richard Sutton; and 4 cases of effects to Davison Dorr, and Co.

Passengers, Mr. Richard Sutton, and daughter (Miss Elizabeth Sutton;) Messrs. T. O. Brdly, and Samuel Tibbits.

Sailed Oriental packet schooner Rosa, Moratorio, for Montevideo.

2 zumacas and 10 balandras to the N.

August 17th.—Wind N.N.W.

Arrived American brig Sally and Esther, Atkins, from Philadelphia 17th May; Montevideo 13th inst., with 400 barrels of flour, gin &c., to Grogan and Peacock.

Danish ship Indianer, Schildknecht, from Hamburg 21st May, with gin, dry-goods and lumber to John T. Klick.

3 zumacas and 8 balandras, from the Parana, Uruguay, and Banda Oriental, with lime, hides, &c.

Sailed French Brig of war L'Inconstant, Capt. Le Chevalier de Bruix, for Montevideo and Rio Janeiro.

Passengers, Revd. D. Don M. Medrano, Señores Escalada and Somellera.

H. B. M's. Barque Packet Mutine, Lieut. Pawle, Commander, for Montevideo, Rio Janeiro and Falmouth.

Passengers for Falmouth, the Lady of Thos. Fair, Esqr. her 7 children and servant; Miss Ellen Heathfield, and Oliver Jump, Esqr.

Passengers for Rio Janeiro, F. G. Bertram, Junr. Esqr. and servant, Monsr. Lassalle.

National cutter, (pilot boat) Lousia, Clark, on a cruise in the River.

Brazilian Zumaca Fortuna, La Cruz,—despatched by Custodio J. Moreira, for St. Catharines, with 300 quintals of jerked beef, 95 arrobas of tallow, 3 cases of effects.

#### August 18th.—Wind E.

Arrived British brig Cognac Packet, Winby, from Liverpool 21st May; Island of Mayo 22nd June, with 120 moyes of salt, to John Miller, and Co.

(Was off Cape St. Mary on 1st inst and has been detained since by contrary winds. Spoke on the 14th inst. off Point Indio the British brig Plata, from this 12th, bound to Liverpool.)

3 Zumacas and 8 balandras, from the Parana, Uruguay, &c., with lime, hides, wood.

Sailed National packet schooner Bella Portena, Anderson, for Montevideo.

American brig Colonel Howard, Galt, for the Havannah,—despatched by Grogan, and Peacock, with 6300 quintals of jerked beef.

British brig Highlander, Dickenson, for Cork,—despatched by John Appleyard, with 23,400 horns, 60,000 shin bones, 3056 salted hides, 420 dry do, 38 bales with 10 quintals of cut hides in each, 1312 arrobas of horse hair.

Dutch Galliot Clemens, De Haans, for Antwerp,—despatched by Sebastian Lezica Bros, with 12,913 dry hides, 2 bales, 6 cases of effects.

The Highlander and Clemence, anchored again in the afternoon, outside the Guard vessel in the Outer Roads, the wind blowing very strong from the E.

The Colonel Howard, at sun-set, continued under weigh.

Several sail of small craft sailed to the N, during the day.

National pilot boat schooner Star of the south, Martineu, on a cruise in the River.

#### August 19th.—Wind E.

Arrived National packet-schooner Joven Sarrandi, Fortune, from Montevideo 18th inst., to J. and S. Lyons.

Oriental do do Aguilera Primera, Soriano, from do 17th, to A. Martinez.

National cutter Anita and Sophia, from Ensenada.

Sardinian schooner-brig San José, Sardi, from Montevideo 18th, in ballast, to Pedro Plomer.

American brig Bolivar Liberator, Garney, from New York 11th June; Montevideo 17th inst., with 772 barrels 100 half do of flour, gin and lumber, to Zimmerman, Frazier, and Co. 8 balandras from the Parana and Uruguay, with lime, hides, &c.

Sailed Hamburg ship Eliza, Sherington, for Antwerp,—despatched by C. H. Melchert, and Co., with 10,966 dry hides, 2003 salted do.

The following vessels which sailed yesterday were in sight this day, Colonel Howard, Highlander, Clemence and Star of the South.

August 20th.—Wind E. blowing strong and rain.

Arrived National packet schooner Flor del Rio, Costas, from Montevideo 19th.

Dutch Galliot Wilhelmina Frederica, Holwedel, from Amsterdam about 20th May, general cargo.

(At sun-set the boat was not on shore.)  
4 zumacas and 8 balandras, from the Parana, Uruguay, &c., with lime and hides,

The following vessels are despatched, but remain wind bound. Brig Prompt, for Liverpool; ship Tobacco Plant, for Montevideo; do Danae, for Bourdeaux; Polacre La Paix, for Marseilles; Aquilles for Malaga.

## SHIPPING MEMORANDA.

### Arrivals at Montevideo.

August 11th.—American ship Shylock, from Boston and Rio Janeiro.

13th.—Brazilian brig Poderoso, from Bahia.

15th.—Do zumaca Gnadalupe, from Rio Grande.

16th.—Do schooner Cristina, from Rio Janeiro.

American brig Forrester, from Havannah 3rd May.

17th.—French ship Baldor, Latapie, from Bourdeaux 21st May; Rio Janeiro 29th July.

19th.—French Brig of war L'Inconstant, from this 17th.

### Sailed from Montevideo.

August 15th.—British brig Voluna, Mathias, for Falmouth.

The American brig Pheasant, from this and Montevideo, bound to Havannah, arrived at St. Catharines on the 26th ult., dismasted in a gale of wind on the 17th, and it is thought she will be condemned. Part of the cargo was thrown overboard.

## MARRIED.

On the 7th inst Mr. William Wright of this city, to Doña Petrona Francisca Murphy.

On the 18th., Mr. Claude Stegmann of this city, to Doña Narcissa Perez, widow of the late Colonel Rauch.

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

### FOR SALE. AT PUBLIC AUCTION

On Friday 28th instant, by Don F. L. de la Barra; all the Household Furniture belonging to Mr. Thomas Fair, at his residence on the banks of the River, No. 4 Calle de Cochabamba, two squares South of the Plaza de la Residencia; as follows:

In Drawing Room and Library—Chairs, sofas, pembroke, marble, card, work and china tables; piano, chandelier; lustres; chimney glasses and ornaments; china pictures and cabinet; books and bookcase; barometer; musical spring clocks; carpets, mats, &c.

Dining Room.—Table; sideboard; chairs; sofa; dinner and desert services, breakfast do; tea urns; decanters, tumblers and glasses; knives and forks; copper coal scuttles, &c.

Bed Room and Nursery.—Chests of drawers; closets; bolsters, mattresses, children's cots; sofas, chairs; tables; washhand stand, &c.

School Room.—Desk, table, chairs, sofa, &c. Kitchen Utensils.—Tables, dresser, closet, chairs, wire sieves, pots, pans, &c.

Laundry.—Mangle, tables, closets, baskets, &c. &c.

A coach and harness; a cart and do; a wine press; garden utensils and a number of other articles.

## ENGLISH BOOKS.

Sold in the Libreria de la Independencia, Calla del Peru, No. 60 the following works.

Loudon's Encyclopedia of Agriculture.  
Loudon's Do of Gardening.  
Shakespeare's Plays in 12 vols.  
Lord Byron's works complete in 6 vols.

Elements of Geography and Astronomy.  
Hartley's Geography.

An entirely new system of tuition for the Piano Forte, &c. &c.

**MICHAEL WELSH**, Master Bricklayer, has the honor of informing his friends and the public, that he has removed from his former residence in the Calle del Cerrito No. 225, to the Calle de la Plata No. 1, *Mechanicks Tavern*, where he offers the continuance of his services in setting kitchen fire places, dining room do, marble chimney pieces, hatters dying pans, and plank, kettles and soap chanding pans; and if the work is not done well no pay will be required.

## IMPORTANT WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

To be let for a term of five years for 1000 dollars currency per annum, to be paid by punctual payments.

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