

FOREIGN NOTES.

The late Lord Cairns was a man of extraordinary ability, who had won his own name and fame. He inherits his position, title, wealth, and his place in the ranks of Lords as one of England's highest legislators. The *York Evening Post*, a paper familiar with aristocratic interests, says:— "Now that he is gone, his place will be taken by his son, who is well fitted to act as umpire in a non-shooting match, much more so as a lawmaker. In fact, his parts are such that his entrance as a matter of right to a legislative body has the air of a foregone conclusion. It is not often that a man descends to the next heir such a 'sickening thud.'"

Bartholdi, the artist who formed the great statue of Liberty Enlightening the World, has refused the honor that Congress had refused the monster. The work has been taken to pieces and is packed in a series of enormous cases to depart in the war transport *Isère*. The subscription of 100,000 francs by Americans and Frenchmen at a press meeting on the *Normandie* at New York up the deficiency required for completion of the pedestal of the raising of the statue. *Isère* is now at Cherbourg, and she will depart for Rouen where the cases containing the statue will be put on board. It is the *Ferry* who offered last year Government transport for the raising of the great bronze work, at the expense of going and remaining to America will be borne by the French Government. The replica of this statue, but much smaller, being 32 feet in height, it is formed on the original model of Bartholdi, for which 1,000 francs have already been subscribed, is at the bronze foundry at present and will be completed in July. It has been offered by a group of Americans to the City of Paris, which has accepted it, and it will be erected in the Place des Etats-Unis, where the American Embassy to the French Government is located.

It appears that Prince Bismarck, not by anything he said or did, but by his silence, was the real cause of the peace (if peace there be) between England and Russia. The following extract from an article in a Paris paper proves it rather clearly:—"Was the Chancellor, in doing nothing in favour of peace, secretly in favour of war? In doing nothing to bring about the war was he then in favour of peace? With one word he could have prevented war. The fact is that this sphinx of Bismarck by his silence lightened both the contending nations, who, not finding themselves openly supported, hesitated, and in the end came to terms."

Gambling, like its kindred pleasures is not all pleasure; it has its drawbacks at times that should make those addicted to it think. The successful gambler to-day is likely to be the loser to-morrow, and too many losses are conducive to bad health. Since the first of January there have been nineteen suicides by gamblers at Monte Carlo, and the newspapers are so much shocked (!) that they are calling upon the French Government to suppress the scandal.

The rich and powerful landowners of England have taken alarm at the progress of socialistic views and to avoid the storm have formed a National and Company for the purpose of putting an end to the land monopoly. Such magnates as the Duke of Argyll, the Earl of Carnarvon, and the Marquis of Ripon are prominent in the movement. The plan of the organization is to buy up land at wholesale and sell it out in 10 acre lots on long time and under conditions likely to cause further subdivisions. It is all a most remarkable application of Captain Scott's story of the coon who said, "Don't shoot, Captain; 'll come down."

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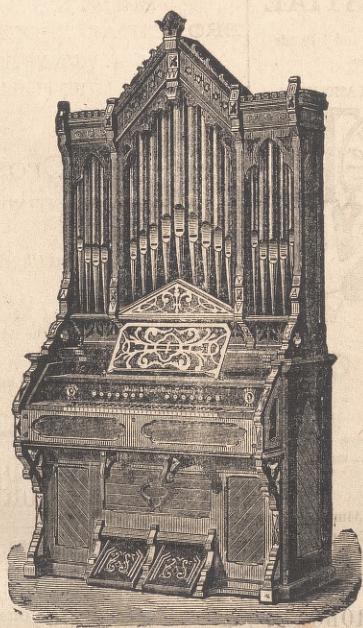
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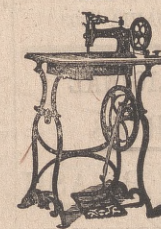
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We have received at this office subscriptions for the Irish Orphanage \$101.50 m/n from Mr. James Cunningham, of Juarez.

We referred last week to the absurd custom of giving remarkable dates as names of places. Another ridiculous practice is that of retaining the titles, and sometimes the Christian names, of those whose memory it is intended to honour.

We clip the following from an interesting letter from San Pedro, which appeared in the Herald of Wednesday, signed 'H. V.:'

ants, under the pressure of the times; therefore, following suit, I think it but right to enumerate one or two similar cases, such being worthy of emulation.

We have received a communication from 'Fingell,' in which he gives us the result of another interview he had with Mr. McCracken the Scotchman on many interesting topics.

PRINCIPLES AND MEN.

Argentine politics in these modern days may fairly be designated a most stupendous paradox. History, says the sage, is philosophy teaching by example, but the student of contemporaneous Argentine history can see therein few examples to fire the soul with patriotic ardor or to animate him in the pursuit of a noble ambition and the practice of public virtues.

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the chain of anomalies and contradictions, then, we find that Mitre was a Unitarian in principle but governed by the Federal system. He was raised to power for the ostensible purpose of establishing that system of Government which Rosas had constantly denounced.

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To the Editor of the Southern Cross.

DEAR SIR, Grim death (Oh, grisly introduction!) with whetted scythe, has been stalking about our neighborhood, garnering in an abundant harvest.

ble disaster occurred. Mr. Thomas Dillon, of the Leones, a fine, handsome, young fellow, and a favorite of all who knew him, was on a visit of condolence to the family of his aunt and uncle, and had lain down to rest in an out-house to be ready to accompany the funeral cortege to Mercedes on the following day.

I am glad to say that in the opinion of his medical attendants his recovery now is simply a matter of time and care.

if one had just got up from the perusal of the Arabian Nights, his imagination still excited by those wonderful stories, he might easily think that a South American town had been transported by magic to the centre of Westmeath, Longford, or Wexford on feast or fair day: the same accent, the same patois, the same stately powerful forms of the men, and the graceful figures and handsome faces of their wives, daughters, and sweethearts in his eye.

Of the missionaries what shall I say? Let it be sufficient to recall the relentless logic of Father Louis while proving the compatibility of Eternal Goodness with Infinite Justice, and the necessity of the Catholic doctrine of an everlasting hell.

But I am venturing beyond my depth. «Revenous a nos mountains,» let us get back to our sheep.

Such a winter as we have had is, as usual, not within the memory of our oldest inhabitant. At first, in the month of April, the weather was simply beautiful—crisp, dry, and bracing, such as only the south-west wind after its course over the snowy altitudes of the Cordilleras and across the dry, immense superficies of our pampas can produce.

King Frost came down like a wolf on the fold. All glittering like silver, but terribly cold.

not quite so bad as at the beginning of the season, but sufficient to make lambskins become a 'drug' in the market. And such is the state of things at present in the camp. As a rule, there is apparently sufficient grass, but its milk-producing quality seems very limited.

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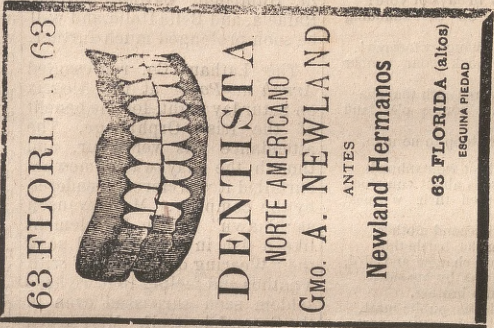
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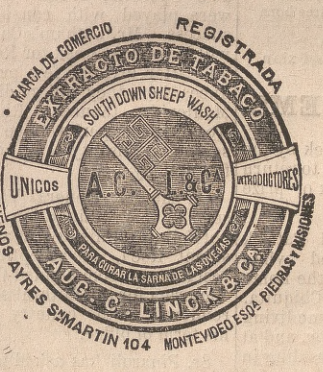
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COMMERCIAL.

Table with market prices for Gold, Cédulas A, Series E, Series F, and National Bank Shares.

Mr. Christophersen has published a notice that from July 1st the steamers «Rivadavia» «Apolo» and «Minerva» will make weekly round voyages between Montevideo and Salto, calling at all the ports en route.

The accounts coming from the camp are on the whole satisfactory, and as a general rule flocks are thriving well. Cows are sold at 6 to 6.50 m/n with 10 per cent novillos.

Scarcely any wool is now arriving from the camp, and a portion of what remained in deposit has been sold. The nominal prices are for very superior wools from 110 to 125 %.

We hear of the sale of 4,000 capones in Rosario at \$2 m/n each.

Messrs. Pico and Gomez, in their land circular for the fortnight, report the following business done:

National land—Section II, lot 24 D, two square leagues at 5,000 m/n each.

Section III, lot 3 A, 4 square leagues at \$6,000 m/n each.

Section II, lot 12 A, 4 square leagues at \$4,500 m/n each.

Section II, lot 24 D, 1 square league in the S.W. angle at \$6,000 m/n.

Section IV, lot 19 D, 4 square leagues at \$5,000 m/n.

Section III, lots 17 and 23 D, 8 square leagues at \$5,500 m/n.

Section VIII, lots 13, 18, and 23 D, 12 square leagues at \$4,000 m/n.

Section VII, 32 square leagues at \$6,000 m/n each.

brisk and splendid prices obtained. For some of the lots in the first section on the River Limay as high as \$2.65 m/n per hectarea or \$6625 m/n per league was obtained.

Four leagues of land in the province of Santa-Fé, near the Cordobese frontier, were sold by Mr. Marsans and Irigoyen at the rate of 5000 m/n per league.

The Directors of the English Bank of the River Plate recommended an interim dividend of 3s per share, free of income tax, for the half-year ended March 31st last.

An interim dividend of 4/0 of the London and River Plate Bank for the half-year ended March 31st last, free of income tax, has been declared.

At the meeting held in the beginning of June the report of the Northern Railway of Buenos Aires was adopted, and a dividend of 7/0 on the guaranteed preference shares was declared in respect of the arrears for the year 1881.

«H. V.» of San Pedro, writing to the Herald, says that the camps of Puyredon, Kilmurray, Molino and others are excellent, the average increase of flocks for the past year being about 25 per cent.

«H. V.» adds: «The butcher (John Hours) shewed us a written document of having purchased 1200 capones at \$52 %.

Messrs. Bullrich and Co. held this week the second large auction of 80 leagues of land, the mart was crowded and the bidding was very spirited.

6 leagues of camp in the 7th section of the province of Buenos Aires close to Los Mellizos for 115 % per hectarea.

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Section II, lot 11 C, for 10 years at \$600 m/n each.

3 square leagues and 1066 varas of camp in Cordoba, department of La Union, lot 49, joining the estancias of Dr. Ledesma, N. Quirno, Pizarro, L. Nunez and others, for 5000 m/n per league, buyer Louis Benguria.

2000 hectareas in Lincoln, section 17 of the province, joining the estancias of Wilson and others. This land was sold privately before the auction.

9 leagues in the province of Santa Fé, department of Menigotes, close to Lehman colony, for 4500 m/n per league, buyers Bordard and Co.

3 square leagues, distant 10 leagues from Rojas, province of Santa Fé, joining the establishments of Duggan, Ham, Scally, Gahan, Scully, Unzué, and others, for 18,500 m/n per league, buyers Arezaz Hnos.

12 leagues national camps, section 8th, Nos. 14, 17, and 24, close to the town of Victoria, for 4500 m/n per league, buyer Juan Shaw.

7 square leagues, province of Cordoba, department of Rio 4, for 3100 m/n per league, buyer Carlos Rolh.

3 leagues of lot 22, letter D, section 8th. This camp has permanent water, and distant 8 leagues from Victoria, for 4,200 m/n per league, buyer Juan Shaw.

4936 hectareas in the 17th section of the province of Buenos Aires, joining the camps of Ricketts, Masea, Cadmus, Newbery, McNally and others, for 95 % per hectarea, buyer A. Schutt.

4 square leagues of camp, distant 30 leagues from Bahia Blanca, section 5, fraction A, lot 2, on the Rio Colorado, for 4000 m/n per league, buyer Alcobendas.

9000 hectareas, section 10 of the province of Buenos Aires, joining the establishment of Louis Bonson and others, for 131 % per hectarea, buyer Bacavour.

The following commercial telegrams have been received: «New York, June 25. Buenos Aires jerk cow hides of 20-23 lb, 21 1/2-22 centavos per lb.

Buenos Aires becerras of 10-13 lb, 19 1/2-20 cents. Stock of dry hides 220-230,000.

«Bahia, June 25. River Plate jerked beef is quoted at 14 1/2-16 rls. per arroba. Stock of jerked beef in Havana, Mantanzas, Cardenas and Cienfuegos 50,000-65,000 quintales.

«Bahia, June 25. Jerked beef from River Plate at 360-340 reis per kilo. Stock of River Plate and Rio Grande, 3,300,000-3,400,000 kilograms.

«Bahia, June 25. Jerked beef from River Plate at 270-350 reis per kilo. Stock of River Plate and Rio Grande, 2,900,000-3,000,000 kilograms.

«Pernambuco, June 25. Jerked beef from River Plate at 270-350 reis per kilo. Stock of River Plate and Rio Grande, 2,700,000-2,800,000 kilograms.

«Bordeaux, June 30. SHEEPSKINS—Long, f.125-130 per 100 kilos. Middle size, f.110-112.

«Havre. On the 8th July River Plate wool auctions will open. During the past fortnight some business has been done.

«Wheat—United States wheat, 18 1/2-19 per 100 kilos.

«Wool—Buenos Aires, special for Havre, 33 per cent yield, f.1.40-1.45 per kilo.

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Wool. No sales. Hides. Good camp, Sheepskins superior, Corderitos, Inferior, Horse Hides, Hair.

DEATH.

On the 23rd June, at the British Hospital, Buenos Aires, Mr. Martin Kenny, native of County Westmeath, Ireland; aged 72 years. Deceased had resided in this country about 46 years. R.I.P.

Familia que no consume HESPERIDINA debe consultar con aquella que siempre tiene a mano UNA BOTELLA de este sano tónico-lícor, y se convencerá de que ES UNA NECESIDAD CASERA 21 años de éxito lo prueba.

M. S. BAGLEY y Ca.

A CATHOLIC DOCTOR attached to a Hospital in Dublin as Chief Surgeon would receive one or two Youths in his house to prepare them for the Medical Profession.

ADOLFO BULLRICH Y CA. RESUMEN DE REMATES A EFECTUARSE JULIO.

Viernes 3—Judicial, casa Calle Independencia 261, base 5,888 m/n, a las 3.

Viernes 3—Carneros Moruecos Rambouillet importados, en Alsina 78 a las 2.

Lunes 6—Judicial, casa Rivadavia 390 al 395, base 62,460 m/n, a las 3.

Martes 7—Remate de plantas de P. Murgat hnos. de Montevideo, en Alsina 78 a las 12.

Miércoles 8—Remate de notables Padillos, Jagnas y Feros.

Viernes 10—Judicial, libros é instrumentos de ciroja, en Rivadavia 394 altos a las 12.

Viernes 10—750 hectareas, casas y animales en la colonia Ocampo, en Alsina 78 a las 2.

Sábado 11—200 animales vacunos mestizos en Alsina 78 a las 1.

Domingo 12—Una casa, Santa Fé 1556, a las 3.

Domingo 19—Ca-a Ombu 41, base 1746 m/n, judicial, a las 2.

Martes 28—Judicial, Chacra en Merlo, base 16913-19 m/n, en nuestra casa, Alsina 78 a las 2.

Ferro-carriles de la provincia de Buenos Aires. Marcha de los trenes desde el 15 de Abril de 1885 hasta nuevo aviso: LINEA A 9 DE JULIO.

Table showing train schedules for Line A 9 de Julio, including stations like Olasagasta, Merlo, Luján, and San Nicolás.

REGRESOS TRENES.

Table showing return train schedules for various lines, including stations like Olasagasta, Merlo, Luján, and San Nicolás.

Linea JUNIN y SAN NICOLAS.

Table showing train schedules for Linea Junin y San Nicolas, including stations like Olasagasta, Merlo, Luján, and San Nicolás.

Linea SALADILLO.

Table showing train schedules for Linea Saladillo, including stations like Olasagasta, Merlo, Luján, and San Nicolás.

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