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October 29th 1861. BUENOS AYRES. No. 27.

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The well known fast sailing, and commodious Pi
VELOZ
Leaves for the above Port every Tuesday at 5
every Monday and Thursday.
For particulars apply at the Whale boat and lig
Paseo de Julio.

George

For Colonia.

THE WELL KNOWN PILOT BO
ESTRELLA.

Willa sail From this port every WEDNESDAY
DAY at nine a. m. returning every MONDAY and
For further particulars apply at the Whale Boat C
Julio No. 35.

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NORTHERN ASSURANCE CO.
ESTABLISHED 1836.

INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL ACT OF PA
Capital £ 1,250,760.

Fully subscribed by nearly 1000 Shareholders who
possibility is unlimited.

HEAD OFFICES.

London, Edinburgh, Aberdeen, Glass
LIFE.

Policies are granted on every description of risk of
life including insurance for the whole term of life, or
periods and with or without participation in profits.

Annuities immediate, deferred or survivor-ship and
for children, in the participation class, the whole pro
the assured, and a Bonus is declared every five years,
either added to the Policy, applied to the gradual ex
premium or its equivalent value received in cash.

FIRE.

Insurances are granted on every description of pro
United Kingdom, the colonies, and in most foreign co
usual rates. Forms of proposal and all other informati
on application at any of the above offices or to any of t
Agents at home or abroad.

Agents—at Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and Ri
Messrs HENRY J. POWELL &

Office at Buenos Ayres, calle de 25 de Mayo 50

Swedish Tar.

Of B st quality in Barrels and half
barrels and in Tins of 12 pots, & 1
3 arrobas each
For sale at Calle 25 de Mayo No.

Morey

Advanced on mortgage of Real
property situated in this City or in
Province.

Apply to P. D. Lynch.
Calle 25 Mayo No. 9-Buenos Aires

Notice!

All persons indebted for their pas-
sage per the
"William Peile" "Balla Parthena"
"Delhi" "Rosario"
"Lugh" "W. Switche" "Hollywood"
"Countess of Durham" "John Rob-
son" "Matrona" "Glauclet" "South"
"Agnes" "Rosario" "Libra" "Is-
"Anne Wilson" and the "Francis"
will

be requested to pay the same to the
undersigned, before the first Jan-
uary.

P. D. Lynch

Calle 25 de Mayo Buenos Aires

Tea Wine and Spirits.

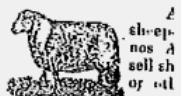
The Subscriber begs leave to inform
Friends and the Public that he
has an excellent assortment of the abo-
vices. He can particularly recom-
mend his table Wine both Red and
White. He has likewise a general assort-
ment of Groceries and Spirits of the
best quality and most moderate
prices.

Buenos Aires 14 Oct. 1861.
Juo. Blaes.
Calle Cangallo No. 16
Veinte cinco de Mayo. 60

CHAMBERS.

Two rooms nicely furnished to let
100 calle Mayg.

Sheep for Band



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fl-cks to the neighbour
He will also, if require
commission and ship
a given time.

Apply at 1

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Messrs Marks & Ke'ney have just
received from New York a machine
for making *taclus* pictures at a time.
All persons wishing *visiting cards*
will be supplied by the dozen at a mo-
derate price, also photographs for
letters, albums, &c. Persons sending
pictures by the Packet are requested
to leave their orders a few days pre-
vious.

Gallery 44 calle Esmeralda, corner
of Piedad.

MORON

Messrs. NUTTALL AND SMITH.
Have opened an establishment of
grocery and inn, where persons from
the country districts may procure sto-
res at reasonable prices and find every
accommodation when travelling.

YOUR LIKENESS.

In photograph or ambrotype, taken
with the most perfect fidelity by Char-
les Rover, Studio calle San Martin
opposite the Roma Hotel. Frames
and cases at cheap rates, and in every
variety.

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attend to the business. Apply 77
calle Peru.

Mensagerias Argentinas
For Pilar, Capilla del Señor, San
Antonio de arce, and Arrecifes.
Leaves Buenos Aires on the 1, 11
& 21, Agency 189 Rivadavia or 587
Plaza de Lorea.
Conductor and Proprietor
Pablo E. Diaz.

**Grocery and General
Provision Store.**
78-CALLE DEFENSA-78
H. M. Moss former proprietor of the
above establishment begs to inform the
Public of Buenos Ayres that he has
disposed of the same to Mr. Richard
Hastings.

The undersigned recommends busi-
ness in the above establishment with
the determination to spare neither
pains nor attention to satisfy those who
may favour him with their patronage
and hopes by a careful selection of
Stock and the speedy execution of
orders to merit a continuance of the
support which was enjoyed by his
predecessor.

Richard Hastings.
Orders from the Country executed
with precision and despatch.

...vicente y Itanchos 1, 13, 20,
and 27.
Azul, 2,
Cañuelas, Monte y las Flores, 2, 4,
8, 12, 14, 18, 22, 24, 28.
Lobos y 25 de Mayo, 8, 18, 28.
Lobos, every Tuesday Thursday, &
Saturday.
Magdalena, 9, 19 29.

La Invariable Fortea.
For Cañuelas, Monte, las Flores.
Office calle Riva levia, 443; leaves
town on the 2d, 12th and 22d.
Returns to Buenos Ayres 6th, 16th
and 26th.
Conductor
Manuel Lupo.

**NUEVAS
Mensagerias Argentinas**
For Villa de Lujan, San Andres de
Giles, Fortin de Areco, Salto, Rojas,
Pergamino.
Leaves on the 5th, 20th, 25th, and
30th, each month; returning on the
5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th & 30th.
587, plaza de Lorea, tienda de D. Ho-
noti Santiago.
Nicasio M. Ramirez.
Marcos Sanguenti

SUR-BONDON
The first class British barque War-
rior Queen, Captain Warren, 297
tons burthen, will be ready to receive
cargo in a few days. For freight &c.
apply to
Henry J. Powell & Co.
Ship Brokers

Change of Premises.
The British Library has been re-
opened in the new premises Calle De-
fensa No. 5 (third door from the Pla-
za) on Friday 11th Inst.

For Sale.
In the Partido of Quilmes about 3
Logues from town 600 to 600 sim-
one tico Sheep-Apply at Calle Cinc-
cabuco no. 287.

**Hotel and Restaurant
KAARBAU.**
Proprietor E. Vignoles, Chacabuco
105
This house offers every convenience
for persons coming from the country,
to remain some days in town. Its si-
tuation, fronting the old market is
very central. Every attention is paid
to the guests, and the charges are
moderate.

H. M. Moss & Co.
CALLE DEFENSA No. 23, 25, & 27
Brg. to inform their friends and
the public that they have opene
a new Establishment. Calle De-
fensa No. 23, 25, and 27, where
they have a large and select stock
of teas, groceries, &c. at modera-
te prices.
Buenos Aires October 4th 1861.
H. M. Moss & Co.

NOTICE.
The undersigned begs to in-
form his friends and the public,
that he has just received a new
and select stock of summer clot-
hing, shirts, vests, pantaloons,
hats, &c. to be disposed of at low
prices.
H. M. Moss.

For Catino direct.
The first fast-sailing, first class
American Clipper Frigate "Mary Go-
odell" 717 Tons. Capt. Gilvery, only
takes part of her cargo, has splendid
accommodations for Cabin & steerage
passengers. For further particulars
&c. apply to her consignees Messrs
Somple Drysdale & Co. or to
Henry J. Powell & Co.
Ship Brokers.
50 Calle 25 de Mayo

Lost.
A letter to Mr. Patrick Smyth, from
friends in New York, the letter has
been posted in New York city May
26th; it should have arrived here during
the months of July or August, any
person having the said letter will
favour the owner by leaving it at the
Victoria Hotel 105 calle San Martin or
at the store of Don Patricio Hokey
145 Venezuela.

Capital investment.
The following highly valuable prop-
erties are at present offered for sale,
the terms and details of which may be
learned on application at the office of
Mr. Patrick Brown No. 64 Calle Po-
rta, or of Mr. John Hughes, broker,
at the Bobs.

1st.—15,000 *fine mestiza* sheep, in
the Partido of Arrecifes on the land
granted as *Pontevillas*, which will be
sold before or after shearing as best
sites intending purchasers. If so de-
sired, these sheep may be left on their
recent grazing.

2d.—A potrero, composed of 25
cuadras square of productive land, sit-
uated in the calle sola at Barracas,
below the *Convencion*; it is sub-
divided into 20 lots with the necessary
roads leading to each lot in case it
were destined for building purposes;
the plan may be consulted at Mr.
Brown's office.

3d.—The well-known *abidero* of
Brown, standing on this side of Bar-
racas bridge, comprising all the pro-
perties requisite for this branch of busi-
ness, and moreover amply furnished
with vats, instruments, machinery,
cylinders, *carros* and other appurte-
nances, ready for working on the pur-
chase of same.

4th.—A tract of *alfafaros*, bound-
ed on one angle by the Barracas
bridge, fronting the calle Real on one
side and the calle Sola on another.
This ground is high and adapted for
building.

5th.—A corralon, very large; North
of the above Establishment.

6th.—A lovely country-house and
farm, on the coast of San Isidro, above
the Barracas, being two squares near-
er than the village. It contains 10
cuadras square, with a large modern
residence forming 4 fronts. There are
14 apartments with cut-glass, coach-
house, stable, hen-roost, *alga*, pigeon-
house. The pastures attached are
extensive, and there are excellent
fruit-trees, besides a garden of every
kind with flowers of value. For families
desiring to live in the country, this
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George Kean

For Colonia.

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Luis Mac Lean.

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Money

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Notice!

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P. D. Lynch

Calle 25 de Mayo Buenos Aires

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Buenos Aires 14 Oct. 1861.

Jno. Blaes.

Calle Cangallo No. 16

Veinte cinco de Mayo. 60

CHAMBERS.

Two rooms nicely furnished to let at 100 calle May 6.

Burgundy Wines.

J. Cottey, late of calle May 6, has removed to N. 68 calle Piedras, where he offers for sale a rich assortment of wines which he receives monthly from Burgundy. These are of the purest grape, and best flavour, comprising the Costa de Olivettes, Pomard, Chabertin, Mutz, Beaune, &c.—Piedras No. 68. s11 5p.

Education.

ANGLO FRENCH SEMINARY

331 Potosí 331

Between Buen Orden and Lima.

This school is designed to give a thorough and liberal education, to furnish the facilities for acquiring the English and French languages, and the best instruction in arithmetic, drawing and music, and other accomplishments. Two English teachers reside in the family and also an excellent French teacher, who give their personal attention to the pupils. The moral training and the health and physical development of the scholars are carefully attended to.

References, Rev. Mr. N. Goodfellow; James Gibson; W. Temperly G. and H. McKern. s. 11 5p

William Parody.

On sale.

A tract of land in the department of Soriano, Banda Oriental, distant about seven leagues from Mercedes, with excellent pasturage and well watered; suitable for sheep farming. Enquire at Hughes Brothers, calle San Martin No. 154.

Historia general

DE INGLATERRA.

Desde los tiempos mas remotos, hasta nuestros dias por David Hume, Sommet, Adolphus, Aikin & Traducida al castellano y anotada por Eugenio de O. Los. Segunda edicion con 5 grandes volumenes, adornados con hermosas laminas de acero representando retratos, monumentos &c. Se vende en 250\$ calle de Reconquistacion. 4 (frente a Colon)

On Sale.

Calle Defensa No. 23. Doff Gordon's Pale Sherry in octaves. H. M. Moss and Co.

Wine Vaults & Coffee house.

For Sale.

One of the best known establishments, situated in the centre of the town is offered for sale. It may be had with or without complete stock and furniture including excellent wines, pickles, preserves &c. The proprietor sells the place, as he can no longer attend to the business. Apply 77 calle Peru.

Mensagerias Argentinas

For Pilar, Capilla del Señor, San Antonio de areco, and Arrecifes. Leaves Buenos Aires on the 1, 11 & 21, Agency 189 Rivadavia or 587 Plaza de Lorea. Conductor and Proprietor Pablo E. Diaz.

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MENSAJERIAS

INICIADORES

Central Administration—San Martin, 81—Plaza Lorea, 26—Calle las Piedras, 84

Villa de Lujan, San Andres de Giles, San Antonio de Areco, Fortia y Salto, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29.

Arrecifes, 1, 3, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28.

Pergamino, y Rojas: 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 26, 30.

Pilar, Capilla del Señor 4, 6, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28.

Mercedes, and Chivilcoy 1, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29.

Mercedes, Bragado, Chivilcoy, 5, 9, 15, 19, 25, 29.

Navarro 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11.



MENSAJERIAS

DEL

COMERCIO

CORREOS DEL ESTADO.

General Administration calle de las Piedras 81, Agency calle Rivadavia 8.

Chascomus y Dolores 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 30.

Laguna de los Padres, por Raquel, Santa Elena, Pofia San Antonio Belillo Miranda, Durazno, Arroyo Grande, Naranjos, Vivotará, Laguna Colmena, Ballenera, Colonina, San Martin y Moro—Martinez de Hoz, 2, 12 y 23

Carrero del Moro, por Raquel, Santa Elena, Las Armas, Pozo del Fuero, Loma Verde, Carralau, Arroyo Grande, 25 de Mayo, Bravo 6 Pampas, Banque de Herrera, Carrero de Pantano, San Agustin, M laeaca 6 Florida, Primavera y Moro. 6, 16, 26

Tandil por Dolores, Posta de Ganna, San Miguel, Pueblo Nuevo, Cinco Lomas Loma Negra, Loma Partida, San José Cármen de Languyá, Canica y Tandil 1, 15.

Tandil por Dolores, Posta de Ganna, San Miguel, Batalla, N. vos, Quinteros, Toribio, Chiflor, Canal: Vizecheros de Cuelli, Reconquista, Miguens y Tandil, 8, 24.

Tandil por el Azul, 15, 23, 29.

San Vicente y Rauchos 4, 12, 20, and 27.

Azul, 2.

Cañuelas, Monte y las Flores, 2, 4, 8, 12, 14, 18, 22, 24, 28.

Lobos y 25 de Mayo, 8, 18, 28.

Lobos, every Tuesday Thursday, &aturday.

Magdalena, 9, 19, 29.

La Invariable Portañ.

For Cañuelas, Monte, las Flores. Oficio calle Rivadavia, 443; leaves town on the 2d, 12th and 22d.

Returns to Buenos Ayres 6th, 16th and 26th.

Conductor Manuel Lupo.

NUEVAS Mensagerias Argentinas

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Leaves on the 5th, 20th, 25th, and 30th, each month; returning on the 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, & 30th. 587, plaza de Lorea, tienda de D. Bonotí Santiago.

Nicasio M. Ramirez.

Marcos Sanjuenti

NUEVAS PENINSULARES.

General Administration, calle Potosi, No. 143.

CORREOS DEL ESTADO.

Chascomus y Dolores 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 20, 21, y 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 30.

Laguna de los Padres, Ballenera, San Martin 6 Moro, 2, 12 y 23.

Carralauquen, 26 de Mayo, Brava, Malacara y Moro, 6, 16 y 26.

Navas, Chelforú, Biscocheros y Reconquista 8, 24.

Ocho Lomas, Loma Negra, Loma Partida, Cármen de Lancueyú, 1, 15, Tandil y Dolores 1, 8, 15, 24.

Tandil directo 2 y 17.

CARRERA DEL MORO.

Ju. cal, Carrique, Alpinar da Castiño, Esperanza de Iraola, Palperia Quevedo, Arroyo Chico, Ramon de Boandrix, Invierno, Tamanguchú, Rincon del Moro y Martinez de Hoz.

Los Empresarios

Toscos, Begeira y Co.

MENSAJERIAS

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Chascomus, 1, 4, 7, 9, 11, 14, 17, 19, 21, 24, 27, y 30.

Dolores, 4, 7, 9, 14, 17, 19, 21, 24, 27, 29.

TERMS OF PRICES.

Chascomus.....\$ 100

Dolores..... 150

Freight arrobos..... 20

Money..... 1 1/2 c

Los Empresarios

Torres Osorio y Co.

Iniciadores Diligencias

This new and commodious line makes three journeys weekly to Lobos leaving Buenos Aires on Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays—Agency 581 Plaza Lorea, (in the calle Rivadavia)

FOR ANTWERP.

The fine A. I. Dutch schooner *Economía*, has all her dead weight engaged, and will have immediate despatch. For freight &c. apply to her consignee, Messrs. Algey Forber & Co. or to Henry J. Powell & Co. Brokers.

FOR VALPARAISO DIRECT.

The A. I. British barque *Ann Nelson*, only takes part cargo, has splendid accommodation for cabin & steerage passengers, and will have quick despatch. For particulars &c. apply to Henry J. Powell & Co.

FOR LONDON

The first class British barque *Warrior Queen*, Captain Warren, 297 tons burthen, will be ready to receive cargo, in a few days. For freight &c. apply to Henry J. Powell & Co. Ship Broker.

Change of Premises.

The *British Library* has been reopened in the new premises Calle Defensa No. 5 (third door from the Plaza) on Friday 11th. Inst.

For Sale.

In the Partido of Quilmes about 5 Leagues from town 500 to 600 fine meadow Sheep—Apply at Calle Chacabuco no. 287.

Hotel and Restaurant

FRANCOIS.

Proprietor E. Vignolles, Chacabuco 105

This house offers every convenience for persons coming from the country, to remain some days in town. Its situation, fronting the old market is very central. Every attention is paid to the guests, and the charges are moderate. s25 2p.

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For Callao direct.

The fine fast-sailing, first class American Clipper Frigate "Mary Goodell" 717 Tons. Capt Gilvery, only takes part of her cargo, has splendid accommodations for Cabin & steerage passengers. For further particulars &c. apply to her consignees Messrs Samplo Drysdale & Co. or to Henry J. Powell & Co. Ship Brokers

50 Calle 25 de Mayo

Lost.

A letter to Mr. Patrick Smyth, from friends in New York, the letter has been posted in New York city May 20th; it should have arrived here during the month of July or August, any person having the said letter will favour the owner by leaving it at the Victoria Hotel 105 calle San Martin or at the store of Don Patricio Bookoy 145 Venezuela.

Capital investment.

The following highly valuable properties are at present offered for sale, the terms and details of which may be learned on application at the office of Mr. Patrick Brown No. 64 calle Potosi, or of Mr. John Hughes, broker, at the Bolivar.

1st.—15,000 fine mestiza sheep, in the Partido of Arceifes on the land known as *Pontecuelas*, which will be sold before or after shearing, as boat suits intending purchasers. If so desired, these sheep may be left on their present grazing.

2d. A potrero, composed of 25 cuadras square of productive land, situated in the calle sola at Barracas, below the *Concepcion*; it is subdivided into 20 lots with the necessary stables leading to each lot in case it were destined for building purposes; the plan may be consulted at Mr. Brown's office.

3d.—The well-known *saladero* of *Bronca*, standing on this side of Barracas bridge, comprising all the premises requisite for this branch of business, and moreover amply furnished with vats, instruments, machinery, cylinders, *corrals* and other appurtenances, ready for working on the purchase of same.

4th.—A tract of alfarcos, bounded on one angle by the Barracas bridge, fronting the *calle Real* on one side and the *calle Sola* on another. This ground is high and adapted for building.

5th.—A corralon, very large; North of the above Establishment.

6th.—A lovely country-house and farm, on the coast of San Isidro, above the *barraca*, being two square near or than the village. It contains 10 cuadras square, with a large modern residence forming 4 fronts. There are 14 apartments with salons, coach-house, stable, hen-roost, *alcove*, pigeon-house. The pasture-lands attached are extensive, and there are excellent fruit-trees, besides a garden nearly 1 1/2 out with flowers of value. For families desirous to live in the country, this residence affords all the conveniences imaginable.

For further particulars apply at above.

THE WEEKLY STANDARD.

Future prospects.

"Coming events cast their shadows before." Thus the affair of Pavón foretold the fate of Rosario, and wise observers pretend to read the future of this country from our present state. But, at best we can only guess, and the dream of national regeneration would require another Joseph to interpret, ere we could rely on the chances of the issue.

The war, say some, is not over, but only commencing. One round has been fought, yet neither of the state pugilists is inclined to give in; the venue is changed, and the great suit of *Mitre versus Derqui* will again come off. The verdict of Santa Fé must be tried by appeal to the Upper Provinces, where both parties expect to find a favorable jury. Mitre is not satisfied, since he has scored but one count; and Derqui is obstinately bent on holding out to the last, since, with him, defeat involves jeopardy. The former sees his work unfinished so long as a vestige of the old regime remains; and deems it more difficult to stop short, than it would have been never to begin. The latter regards his past defeat as a common reverse of arms, and judges that by falling back on his own ground, he will, like the Titans of old, recover fresh strength to combat the Buenos Ayrean Jupiter. The former relies on the prestige of recent success to annihilate a dispirited foe. The latter expects to avail himself of the shifting tide of war, to float again his Presidential barque, now high and dry, but no wise shipwrecked. If we believe reports, Derqui's underlings have gained a complete victory in Tucuman and are about to seize Santiago, as compensation for Mitre's holding Rosario. This gives the Federals reason to hope that all is not lost, and that they can make another stand against the invading army. At the same time, it suffices to shew Mitre that there is yet an enemy to conquer, and that the only solution of the disputed question lies in the sword. The hostile fleet is not taken, fortifications are raised at Diamante; while Derqui preaches an active crusade, Urquiza holds a menacing uncertainty of attitude, and Pascual Rosas and Virasoro are still in arms. Therefore we must have a tedious war.

Again others are of opinion that peace is certain, and at hand. The result of Pavón has been decisive, in proof of which Derqui did not hazard a second struggle by defending Rosario. Urquiza too was evidently anxious to finish the contest one way or other, and when fortune declared against him, he wished not to prolong hostilities, which virtually depended on his presence, and declared a truce by returning to his estancia. The nomination of Virasoro, and such other measures, were but to save appearances; a show of opposition and some slight delay are the requisite preface to an arrangement. The *porteño* party having proved victorious have already enough to gratify vanity and give weight to their wishes; the *federals* have still sufficient elements to enforce equitable terms, though not, to subdue Buenos Ayres. The safety of our troops scarcely permits their penetrating remote provinces; the financial difficulties of Paraná point to a long contest as inevitable bankruptcy. The dispersion of the Confederate forces, and inactivity of Urquiza prevent Derqui from facing Mitre. The doubtful intentions of the upper provinces, and proffered assistance of the Captain-General caution us to be slow in throwing down the gauntlet for the protection of the chameleon-colored provincials, and risking the advantages once secured—Thus not only self-interest, but prudence, is mutually engaged in favor of peace, and a careful consideration of our present position would lead us to believe that the embryo now ripening will issue from the womb of futurity rather as a double-faced Janus than a *cap a pie* Mars.

Gross outrage.

No wonder some foreigners fear our own troops more than the enemy, for the love of law and order does not seem to animate the petty tyrants and military grandees of our country districts.

Two Irishmen from the Villa Luxan have made us the following statement, and from their antecedents we are inclined to give them every credence.

"There is a certain Zamudio who holds some commission, between Colonel and drummer, in the National Guard. Being encamped on one Olivera's land he looked about for the *gringos* who had sheep; and, leaving the estancia with its 15 flocks, pounced on a poor Irishman named Cornelius Harrington. Having taken a number of *cap-ns*, he went away, and our countryman demands compensation."

We think the government is bound to attend to this case, for if the unfortunate victim be told that he has no claim, not having a receipt from the Justice of the Peace, then no man's property is safe from the *camp* soldiery who shew such a preference for cattle raised by foreigners.

When a man of sense, says Mrs. Hannah More, comes to marry, it is a companion whom he wants; not merely a creature who can paint, and play, and dress and dance; it is a being who can comfort and counsel him; one who can reason, and reflect, and feel, and judge, and act, and discourse, and discriminate; one who can assist him in his affairs, lighten his cares, soothe his sorrows, purify his joys, strengthen his principles, and educate his children.

The Argentine Provinces

The most important and wonderful item ever published in our local press, is the mission of Sor Ocampo on the part of Urquiza to offer Mitre his alliance. It has long been asserted that the Captain General was opposed to the war, and all parties believed that the plea of sickness was a sham. Yet it is quite true that he is very ill, (some say that he has suffered a second stroke of apoplexy,) and we learn from Mr. Ocampo that his under jaws have so fallen that it is necessary to tie them with a handkerchief. While ready, however, to make peace, he is not unprepared in the event of hostilities. Besides entraining Diamante, where he has mounted cannon and drawn up his fleet under the batteries, he has removed his head-quarters from San José to Calá, formed a *batallion* of niggers, and kept the militia of the villages yet under arms.

From Paraná we read that the resignations of Echagüe and Olmos, in the departments of War, and the Interior were but the prelude to an universal dissolution of the Cabinet. The press was loud in calling for a new ministry including Victoria, Carril, and Lopez Jordan, but the government made short work of it, suppressing all papers except the "Boletín Oficial." The Banished journals took refuge in, and around, Diamante. Calvo and Barra had taken furlough, and gone, it is supposed, to Corrientes. General Galarza is about to be raised to the grade of Brigadier-General: we do not know in what page of history are read his exploits. Lopez-Jordan is gone to Paraná with the view of bringing his wife and children to San José, which he deems a safer residence than the *quondam* capital.

The President's whereabouts is not well defined. By one account he is on a second pilgrimage to Cordoba, by another he is assembling forces near the city of Santa Fé. Paraná is almost deserted and unprotected by soldiery, and there is a surmise that the seat of Government may be translated to Corrientes. This latter city, by the way, is said to be on the eve of revolution, but, after all we have seen of Cordoba and the northern provinces, we place no reliance on imaginary reactions.

The news from Tucuman is quite

diastrous to Buenos Ayres, and has come unexpected. At a place called Manantiales a bloody conflict took place between the Liberal party under Governor Villafañe, and a Federal force commanded by one Col. Navarro, whom Derqui had nominated to restore Alcora in the Government of Santiago. The official account gives a complete victory to the latter, but, as they were ringing bells for their success at Pavón, it is possible the boasted conquerors came off second-best. At the same time it is remarkable that even the *prestige* of Pavón has not lighted up the revolution that we were told, was smouldering in the North.

In Rosario, we find that the flowers strewn on Mitre at his entrance, were not typical of the general feeling. The Tribunal of Commerce refused to exercise their functions, and even the girls won't dance with our *preux chevaliers*, not-withstanding the attractions of gold lace &c. Our general has been the subject of angry speeches for continuing in office many of the former *employés*; every fire-side politician and sapient journalist condemns his policy as if they understood the general's business better than himself, or doubted the integrity of their greatest hero. Yet, we have no doubt the only man capable of weathering the political storm is Mitre, and if his hands be not tied by our Executive, he will bring the crisis to a happy issue. The upshot of Taboada's resistance to Derqui will have an important effect on the nation. It is probable the President will call in Saa to invade Santiago, and as that province is strong, it is difficult to foresee how this last stroke of the Federal power will result.

City intelligence.

The event of the week has been the "Mississippi's" trip to Rosario. Agitation, to use a Hibernicism, was growing stagnant, and an excursion ticket proved just the thing to fill a blank in statesmanship, amuse the sober citizens, and bring golden returns to the ship-broker. When we consider that the fare was a doubloon, and the passengers 400 in number, some idea may be formed of the propriety of the speculation. On arriving at Rosario a *soirée* was given on board. (which, with Capt. Harrison's accustomed kindness, was free of expense) and the laurel-crowned soldiers and fair dames of our city enjoyed a conviviality of which they had been some time deprived.

"Business first, pleasure after" is a useful adage, but sometimes reversed, south of the Line; and so the next topic on our list is railways & telegraph. The line to Chascomus proposed by Mr. Lumb, one of our leading English merchants, will be 75 miles long with a guarantee of 7 p^g for 40 years, on a Capital of £ 10,000 per mile. We believe these are the same terms on which the San Fernando project was based. In passing the Chamber of Deputies it met with some opposition; and our colleague the *Com. Times*, attacks Mr. Lumb's proposal with great vehemence in arguments of some length and reasoning. It remains for the Senate to give their approval, which is expected shortly, as it is said Messrs Peto & Brassey are ready to commence at once. Every foreigner in the country will admit that steam communication must here prove highly advantageous, and we are only too glad to notice that the Deputies are called on to sanction the emission, at 6 p^g of 25 millions currency for the purpose of continuing the Mereno (Western) Line as far as Mercedes, the capital of our interior districts. At the same time government has asked a guarantee for 20 years, of 6 p^g on 150,000 silver dollars for laying down an electric sub-marine cable between this city and Montevideo. Even more important than all these, is a vote for Emigration purposes which is currently rumored as proposing 2 millions annually, available for assisting industrious persons to come and settle in this country.

Gen. Mitre has been confirmed in his rank of Brigadier-general already bestowed on him by the Confederation. Several changes, chiefly reductions, have been made in the Budget: in extraordinary estimates and public works a saving of half a million, in endowing the state-college a reduction of 120,000 \$ currency, in public-school annals and the University 65,000 \$ making a total of 2, 127,000 \$ reduction from the budget of 1861 with a set-off of 55,000 \$ new estimates.

Our Postmaster-general, Sor Posadas, has laudably turned his attention to gathering wool specimens, for the formation of a Museum of this article; and we cannot too strongly recommend our countrymen to join with him in so useful an enterprise. Each sheep-farmer is requested to send a specimen of the various breeds he may raise, cutting a lock of wool from the shoulder blade of the animal, and stating the quality of rams used in the refinement, with the quality of pasture and number of such flocks.

Friends of a cheap press will be glad to know that the Government was defeated in its attempt to charge postage for newspapers. At present our river-transit is poorly served and communication with the Uruguay almost cut off. The city is slowly improving, but the country districts have completely recovered from the effects of the war. In town there is great demand for farm-servants, who are at once taken off to the searing. Our rural friends are busy at their favorite occupation, and have now no fears of a drought next summer, thanks to the plentiful rain sent them by Providence.

To our subscribers.

The "Weekly Standard" in announcing to its subscribers that it has now completed six months of literary existence, returns sincere and grateful acknowledgments for the support so generously bestowed by a discriminating, though indulgent, public.

At present we are undecided, whether it would better suit to publish it in the same size as the "Tribuna," or twice a week on the present sheet. We are open to suggestions on this point, and will carry out the declared wish of our supporters, from January 1st.

Meantime our *camp* friends will please remember, when next in town, to pay up the past months, along with a year, or half a year, in advance.

All communications should be prepaid and addressed to the Editor; no charge for insertion.

SOUTH AMERICA. Chile.

Dates are up to Sept. 15th. The Senate had already approved and passed to the Chamber of Deputies a law authorizing the President to carry out the line of railway from Valparaiso to Quillota, the state giving security for all funds so invested. Another bill was presented to the Senate for constructing a line from Santiago to Valparaiso; this is the most important project of the kind yet started in Chile, uniting the capital with the emporium of the Pacific: on the 12th it received the sanction of both legislative chambers.

Montevideo.

The Chambers passed a vote of approval respecting the acts of the government in the affair with the Vicar General Vera. It is probable these gentlemen, who have deposed the spiritual authority, know as much about canon-law as authorizes them to take the religious training of the people in their own hands; at least they think so.

Forged notes of one dollar each were in circulation. They are marked "Banco Comercial, 1^o Octubre 1858."

LOCAL EVENTS.

Mauá Bank.—This house has removed its offices to the new edifice in calle Cangallo, beside Fusoni's. The facade and interior are really splendid.

Removed.—The Artesian well is commencing to bore Barracas, in search of water; the works in calle Piedal are only suspended till the arrival of new machinery from France.

It never rains, &c.—After the recent lull, we are apparently going ahead fast; the railway to Chascomus, the line to Mercedes, and the telegraph to Montevideo are again in motion, that is, on paper.

French buffos.—The "Tribuna" says this company is making itself highly ridiculous! and cures people of spleen.

European mails.—The next French packet won't come, but a Brazilian steamer instead: the "Mersey" intends to be 4 days late; both vessels stop in Rio, to get painted.

Wool-exports.—Messrs. Guerin & Son give us the following statistics; exported in the year 53 to 59, 49,970 bales. Do. " 59 " 60, 37,452 " Do. " 60 " 61, 61,792 "

The decrease in 59 to 60 was owing to the epidemic on sheep, and the differential duties.

The "Chimborazo".—This is the lofty and volcanic title of a new paper, published in this office, by some patriotic youths, who profess to imitate the *Tribuna* & Co.

Capt Carl Lewis.—In another column will be found the expression of thanks by the passengers of the "Mersey" to the respected commander of that vessel. It does not say what the testimonial consisted of, but, many will suppose—by anticipation—a cradle.

Doubloons.—Our gold specie still rates high, closing price yesterday was 403 1/2 \$ currency

Packet edition.—This weeks No. is published one day earlier, to bring latest news to Europe by the supplemental packet, which leaves this evening at 6 P. M.

Time-table.—From Nov. 1st the first train leaves Parque station at 6 A. M.: 2nd at 10: 3rd at noon: 4th at P. M. & 5th at 6. The 3rd train stops at Moron.

Holy-day.—Next Friday, the feast of All Saints is a strict church holiday.

Mitre's bust.—M. Duteil whom our readers will remember as the son of the late eminent French philosopher, has executed a life-like bust of Mitre. Our talented friend Don Ricardo Gutierrez wrote a very pretty notice of same, in the *Tribuna*, which does equal honor to the subject & the writer.

The Weather.—Tuesday 10 A. M. Since last night, it has blown a strong gale from the S. E. accompanied with rain. Sta. Rosa has come late, and threatens almost as much damage, as in the terrible storm of August 59. Probably we shall hear of some shipping disasters; the supplemental mail cannot go, and we are disappointed, the Mississippi having burst anchorage and stranded.

Prisoners exchanged.—It seems Urquiza released Col. Paz from his prison in Paraná, and Mitre, not wishing to be outdone in generosity, sent home all the Entre-Rios captives.

Strango bot.—A regular swell, fulfillment of bet of 20,000\$, perched himself in a tailor's window, opposite the bank, and might be seen remaining there immovable from noon to 2 P. M. on the day before yesterday. The neighbours were greatly amused at this novel feat "a man about town"

THE AFFAIRS OF MEXICO.

The news from Mexico is the most favourable that, under the circumstances, could have been hoped, since it announces that the Mexican government and congress, by attempting new acts of spoliation, have at length caused the representatives of France and England to break off diplomatic intercourse, preparatory, it may be assumed, to more vigorous measures. As the Mexican importations this year

are believed to have nearly doubled those of 1860, the proportion of the duties belonging to the British creditors would have gone far towards paying the interest of their claims; and it is simply a question whether the robbery of these duties shall continue, or whether the British Government will order ships of war stationed at Vera Cruz to insist upon their collection. Although the annual loss to this country is 300,000\$, the indifference manifested by our Foreign Office during the last three years to the personal and pecuniary outrages inflicted on British subjects has been such as to lead the Mexicans to rely upon perfect impunity, and it is probable that but for the determination of France not to tolerate any longer the existing state of affairs, our people would still have clamoured in vain for protection and redress. Hitherto the United States have interfered as far as possible to prevent any concerted action that might place the republic in a position of respectability and strength, their avowed policy having been to contrive that the nation should "drink the cup of anarchy to the very dregs" until it should fall to them without a struggle. But these influences are now at an end, at the very moment when the fruit is ready to drop, and there is good ground to hope that the present year will not close without the removal of the disgrace inflicted on the humanity and civilisation of all countries of the world by the fact of their permitting the horrors of the last three years to continue.

(Tim's)

Birth.

On the 15th Instant at 103 calle Temple, Mrs. John P. Boyd of daughter.

Marriage.

On Thursday the 17th Instant, at the British Episcopal Church, by the Rev. J. Chubb Ford, Ritchie Curlew of Sydenham, Commandor of the Royal Mail Steam Ship "Mersey," Adelaide, fourth daughter of George Kean Esquire, of this city.

Deaths.

In this city on Saturday the 11th inst, Anne Killen of consumption the 18th year of her age late of Westmeath Ireland.

Mr. Sulp's Adventures in Banda Oriental.

Banda Oriental 13 Oct. 1858 To the Editor of the Weekly Standard Sir

When I tell you that I am a *Porteño* by birth, you will not be surprised that I have been obliged to cross Plata in the present disturbed condition of the country, I am by profession a tailor, called in the language of chivalry a "Knight of the thumb" and though Dame Nature has bestowed no great pains in fashioning my visible framework,—I having sent into the world with a spare and a shorter, neck sitting me a certain times to use a cliché,—yet Authorities of Buenos Ayres thought it requisite for the public safety to command my appearance in the ranks of their army as a Soldier. Why me! the bare idea of the thing is odious. In my crippled state I understand a very bad chance in the rear army, besides being of no use, for it is utterly out of my power. A Soldier! The only command should ever be capable of obeying that of "halt!" and this alas! hourly forced to do. In these circumstances what course could I pursue to follow the example of many other men who preceded me by plunging from my native city, and the war I had, unlike some names, no other inducements to me quit Buenos Ayres, for I behind me no important lady, no magrant wife or importunate child. The first thing I did after my arrival this coast, was of course to horse, and being naturally a

