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Independent Order of Odd Fellows. MANCHESTER UNIFORM.

A Branch Lodge (the Flor de Plata No. 414) at the above Friendly Society has been established in this City.

107, CALLE MORENO. JOHN J. DOWNING, Secretary.

Rosario. For sale, in the Jardin de Recreo a fine, furnished, rigor, elegant, and only two years old.

Soignan Barque President. T. H. KRUSE, Master of the Belgian Barque 'President', arrived from Cardiff on the 19th inst.

1000 Dollars Reward. Stolen from the Malina, San Francisco, a quantity of new and old Brass, consisting of crank and motion brasses.

Za Zingara. All parties indebted for passage money for the above-mentioned ship, are requested to call by...

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Great and Useful Invention. No more Mortality for want of Water. Sure wealth to Estancieros.

120 Bordinas per hour (it seems fabulous) is produced with my apparatus, without fear of at any time its getting out of order.

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Married Couple. Wanted, a Man for Gardener, and his Wife for Cook, on an estancia in the camp.

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For Valparaiso Direct. Will sail in a few days for this port, the new and fast-sailing Norwegian Barque 'NORCAD', 33 A.H.

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To Correspondents. No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. What ever is intended for insertion must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

The Standard.

All that we can see is that the Standard is a paper of the highest quality. Saturday, April 2, 1884.

Editors Table.

Murder and robbery from the order of the day. Hitless such outrages were limited to the camp, but now the suburbs are quite unsafe, and we are exactly in the case of San Francisco, when Lynch-law was found necessary. The 'Liver Plate Magazine' No 4, was given round yesterday, and will be reviewed to-morrow.

There is rumour of a new journal, more Coidio than either the 'N. Argentin' or 'Puebla'; it will be probably an 'out and out'.

Messrs Mackern advise us they have some books on cotton. This reminds us that the British Library has sent us no list of books received per packet. An old piano fetched 5000 dollars, and an escrator 10,000 dollars. We have not heard how Mr Jacob's went off, but suppose the articles, and the fashionable sets, brought double their value.

The Italian Opera will give Lucia de Lammermoor to-morrow night, and Norma on Monday.

We hear nothing about Shakespeare's tercentenary, and believe, like the St. Patrick's dinner, it will prove a failure; there is no spirit of nationality among our countrymen here.

Our 'ouderful' relatives respecting Moran and the 'Contribution' 'Arca' have caused some sensation in town; hitherto people little knew how the camp residents were sited by our provincial rulers.

The Provincial Legislature would not assemble to vote the elections of Buenos Ayres for members of Congress. It seems however beyond doubt that they will confirm the mockery of last Sunday in favour of the Crusades.

We thank our colleagues for their kind obituary notices of the late J. C. Thompson, Esq. It is still more gratifying to know that the same are not idle compliments, but well-merited testimonies to the worth and sterling qualities of our lamented countryman.

We are glad to note the arrival of a gentleman from England with 250000 capital to invest in sheep farming. This is the most valuable class of immigrants.

The 'Peregrino' of Rosario has a good article on Capt. Bruce and the Parana steam service, observing, as we do, that any change must be a loss. If Capt. Bruce cannot be the steamer at Rio Janeiro, for it is said he has been sold to the Salts Co., he will go on to purchase one in England.

Propos of steamers, as Mr. Hop-kins is now in N. York it is to be hoped he will be successful there, as he has been in London, and that we shall soon have his promised steam line from the Empire City to the River Plate.

The Cotton-fields of Paraguay and Corrientes, by M. G. Mullish, will be ready in a few days, having been interrupted by a sudden indisposition.

The English schools are very busy. Mr. Ryan says that the Church school is doing well. Mr. Pongeraud has been obliged to move his Grammar-school to larger premises in the city. Larga de Baracoz, Dr. Fitz-ions has established himself in the city, and promises to gain the same celebrity there that he enjoyed in Ireland.

Baron Vasa and Co. are about to establish a branch-bank at Guataguay-chu, and a large mill in Cordoba. The enterprise of this Brazilian capitalist now ramifies the continent to the River Amazon to the Pampas.

religious microscope. Close to the scene was a grave, the half of which had fallen in, endangering the lives or limbs of incautious passers-by. The Government of Corrientes has refused to abandon any part of the subsidy, replying to the N. Government that the economy should begin in B. Ayres. If they plant cotton, they will be able to give a subsidy instead of asking for one.

We have just heard of a fatal occurrence in the district of V. Mercedes. An Irishman named Rickard reproved a half-breed peon named Yankee Jack for mixing some sheep, whereupon the latter knocked down Rickard and jumped on him; after half an hour the latter recovered from his swoon, and seizing an 'arcabuz' (heavy whip) struck his assailant on the head, killing him instantly. This is a case of simple manslaughter, and has been fairly represented as a treacherous murder. These occurrences are however very lamentable, and discreditable to the authorities here an exce, terrible character.

The 'Lithero' eating saloon opened at Glasgow's, we believe, doing a good business, and it is probable other cities will try the preserved beef, etc., long.

Photographic Views.

The public buildings and suburbs of this city will soon become familiar to friends at home in Europe and form pretty parlour ornaments in the houses of native and foreign residents in B. Ayres. A fortnight ago we called attention to Sig. Bartoli's six pictures of the Inauguration of the G. Southern Railway, which were transmitted (copies) to the Illustrated London News. Since then, the same skillful artist has turned his attention to public places and monuments, reproducing them with such perfection as to vie with the best photographs of Paris or London. Thanks to the clearness of our atmosphere there is a fresh vividness in the B. Ayran scenes, nowhere surpassed. We understand that Bartoli's machine belonged to an eminent London firm, and is especially suited for taking instantaneous views. On Monday we were agreeably surprised to receive a present of nine splendid photographs from the above studio; they are as follows:—

- 1. The 'Moral Bank, with Anca Dorada, Merced church, and turret of Hotel de la Puz.
2. The London and R. Plate Bank, and a fine perspective of calle Piedad, coinciding with San Miguel.
3. The Hotel de la Puz, taken from the roof of the Merced.
4. The Burning of Judas, in a fine picture, taken in the Cathedral Column and Episcopal palace with a great crowd of spectators awaiting the policeman's march.
5. The three Mills of the Once September.
6. The 'Once' taking in all the picturesque bullock-carts.
7. The 'Mistress', and market-place in the distance.
8. The Western railway, once station, monument, and train in motion.
9. General view of the Once and surrounding country.

The collection is highly interesting and beautifully executed, and is now on exhibition, neatly framed, in this office, where also may be seen the photographic pictures. A visit to Bartoli's studio, No. 74 Recoleta Nueva, will still further reward the leisure of half an hour, as there is also a first-rate gallery of portraits, from simple cartes-de-visite to life-size pictures taken in the Camera Solar. We do not, however, purpose to write an advertisement for this clever artist, but simply to advise our readers of the splendid street-views on card, which give an excellent idea of B. Ayres, and would form an acceptable present to trans-atlantic friends.

We feel assured that whoever inspects the pictures will say that we are waxed in directing public notice to this gallery. We learn that Sig. Bartoli intends to embrace a hundred different sites in his collection when complete, and the views are offered at reasonable prices.

The Pacific.

From Mexico we learn that Morelos, Queretaro, and Guadalupe, have fallen into the hands of the French. The Mexicans are still holding to their course, of not facing the enemy in the field, but depend upon trying out the French by guerrilla warfare. General Naranjo has again made an attack on Puebla, and General Diaz upon the district of Mexico. Orjales had fallen into the power of the Mexicans, and the communication between Mexico and Vera Cruz is thus cut off, and, further, the Mexicans have succeeded in cutting off communication between the French army of operations and head-quarters. In Tampico, fortune is favouring the

Constitutional troops, and in Matamoros the Juarista Government has purchased 10,000 rifles, lately arrived from Europe, and intended for the Confederates.

Dates from San Jose (Costa Rica), are up to the 30th January last. On the morning of the 29th, of January, the dwelling house of the President was destroyed by fire. The family of the President escaped unhurt, but have suffered in the loss of property. The building, which belonged to Señor Iglesias, was valued at \$10,000 (*). The Government was turning its attention to public education and other works of utility. The decimal system in the currency was about being introduced.

Oregon is quiet, and agricultural pursuits are progressing fairly. The Malheur Indians are causing a little trouble by their depredations; coal has been discovered in large quantities near the River Joseph, and telegraphic communication is to be opened between Portland and California.

LATEST FROM MONTEVIDEO. H. M. gunboat Spiller, Lieutenant and Commander Stubbs, arrived today with despatches for H. D. M.'s Minister, Mr. Thornton, and the French Minister, also a small mail. A telegraphic communication is to be opened between Portland and California.

The English brig, Royal Dana, had arrived at Montevideo last Sunday, owing to the exertions used by Commander Stubbs and his ship's company, in saving that vessel from being a total wreck on the bar between Palomas Island and the Main.

The English man-of-war at Montevideo, when the Spiller left, were H. M. S. Forte, Captain A. Melrose. Bearing the flag of R. L. Warren, Commander-in-Chief; H. M. S. Triton, Commander E. F. Kirby; H. M. gunboat, Shieldrake, Lieut.-Commander J. Nutt.

French frigate Astrée, with admiral's flag; French store ship Fortune; gunboat Decade.

Spanish brig Galeano; gunboat Venecuela.

The Spiller made a very good run up from Montevideo, considering the light wind, and the heavy sea. It is reported that the English Admiral intends paying a visit to Buenos Ayres shortly, which will be his farewell before returning to England.

Street Rows.

The supposed guardians of this city are happy to inform their supporters, that in consequence of the great care they have taken not to arrest or punish any criminal, or any assassin, or any murderer in Calle Florida, yesterday, in broad daylight, and after giving him a severe thrashing, succeeded, without the slightest difficulty, in making his escape. On Thursday night about half past nine, whilst a row and noise, sufficient to awaken the seven sleepers, were going on at the corner of Delosna and the Plaza, we saw a vigilant set asleep on one of the seats, within a dozen yards of the scene of the riot; but like a well-trained and easy-conscienceed vigilante, he slept on, the sleep of the just, well knowing he would receive no thanks for his civility.

A fearful collision occurred on the mole, some night, about seven o'clock, between two sailing ships, one of which are told, drew a pistol and fired at his adversary; luckily the ball only grazed the collar of his coat. We do not know who fired the former was arrested.

The neighbourhood of our office was thrown into confusion about ten o'clock on Thursday night by a crowd of people rushing down the street, shouting 'stop him' (Aunque!) but we were unable to learn the cause.

Last week a gentleman near the Mercado was disturbed by night-vigilants, but saluting out with his revolver, he made off. Our streets will soon be as safe at night as day, and we advise each of our readers to purchase a six-shooter, as the police has become quite effete.

Miss Method of Smoking.

Jerked beef from the River Plate, if only properly preserved will before long meet an extensive and ready market in these kingdoms. We would direct the attention of parties on the other side to a new and simple method of effecting the preservation of meat without at the same time depriving it of its flavour or any of its nutritive qualities. The process is thus described in an article in the Reader:—

'The Admiralty are now making experiment with a process devised by Dr. Morgan, an Irish gentleman; and several days since some animals were slaughtered, and their carcasses subjected to this process in the presence of the officers of her Majesty's Victualling Department at Deptford. A bullock having been killed in the usual way, the chest was immediately opened and a metal pipe with a stop-cock inserted in connection with the arterial system. This pipe was connected, by means of an elastic tubing, with a tube filled with brine placed at an elevation of about twenty feet above the floor. The stop-cock being turned the brine was forced

through the arteries of the animal, and, passing through the capillaries, flowed back through the veins, carrying with it all the blood; making its exit by means of an incision provided for the purpose. About six gallons of brine passed thus through the body, washing out all the blood from the vessels. Having thus cleared the vessels, a metal pipe was then connected with another tube, similarly placed, containing the preservative materials to be injected, and at the same time their exit, after traversing the body was prevented. On communication being made, the liquid was forced in the vessels, and by means of the pressure, it penetrated into every part of the animal and might be seen exuding at any point where an incision was made. The liquid used on the occasion of the late experiments consisted of six gallons mixed with half a pound of saltpetre, three-quarters of a pound of saltpetre, with half a bottle of catnip and an infusion of cloves and popper. The whole process was attended with extreme simplicity, requiring nothing that can be termed machinery. It took no longer than three minutes to send the first six gallons into the animal, and to wash out the vessels, and about three minutes more to inject the animal with the preservative liquid. Indeed, so rapid was the process, that it was not even on the occasion above referred to, when the men were unaccustomed to the work, and the arrangements were necessarily imperfect, the time occupied was only five minutes from the killing the animal to the complete infiltration being made. The beast is then skinned, cut up into pieces, large or small, as may be required, and taken to any retail butchery, where it is hung, and thoroughly dried, after which it is packed in boxes with sawdust and charcoal.'

It appears that so far as the preservative powers of this process have been tested, the results have been of the most satisfactory character, and a purveyor of Fortsumpton, we are told, has for some time past treated meat in this way with complete success, and sold it in the regular course of trade. The meat so preserved will it is confidently believed, stand any climate; and it is manifest that any variety of liquids, chemicals, or condiments may be thus injected into the animal, and the meat flavoured in any way that may be desired by the consumer.

He concludes with the following pertinent remarks, especially worthy of the attention of cattle-owners in the Argentine and Oriental Republics of the River Plate.—

'The meat may also be dried like ham or bacon, if so wished. Indeed, it would seem that the method is peculiarly adapted to that purpose. In hot countries, and in countries where animals are abundant, and where now they are bred almost entirely for their skins, or where it is being sent, especially valuable, as by the meat, instead of being thrown away, might be rendered available for export for the benefit of the country. No little utility is required, that a ship's crew could readily carry out the process at any place where they could land, and animals were abundant, and thus lay a store of meat which, although not dried, salted to a certain extent, would not have the same disadvantages in a sanitary point of view as meat preserved in brine pickle.—British and River Plate Mail.'

River Plate Items.

(From Brazil and River Plate Mail) In the annual circular of Messrs. G. F. Martin and Co., of Liverpool, we find the following important remarks in reference to Buenos Ayres hides:—

'This season, like the last, we have had to complain of the Buenos Ayres hides being so short of growth that the hides are all that can be wished as regards color, flaying, condition, &c.; they want strength. But very few of these hides have been tanned in England—they have chiefly gone to Ireland. The Montevideo and Uruguay, on the other hand, have mostly been good, and the strong parcels have been immediately secured by the trade on landing. Should the next season's hides turn out the same, Montevideo and Uruguay hides will be preferred to Buenos Ayres slaughter.'

The officers of the Buenos Ayres Company (limited) are removed from No. 10 Cavendish Street, East India-avenue, Leadenhall-street.

Quarantine Notice.—Lisbon, Feb. 8.—By an order of the Board of Health of the last inst., in 'Disario of the 3rd, Rio Janeiro is declared suspected of yellow fever from Dec. 27th last.

We take it for granted that Englishmen in the River Plate will participate in the success of the movement proposed by the Society, and will be anxious to learn how the movement proceeds. We cannot say that all is going well, but we think that the object can fall to be achieved in which all sorts of open union in a common do so to commemorate the worthy 30th birthday of our greatest bard. There has been a want of harmony, and several conspicuous persons retired some time since from the National Committee. Their secession was followed by a series of anxious and squibs in

Punch, ridiculing the proceedings of the committee and their secretary in a manner exceedingly unpleasant.

THE FLOWERY LAND PIRACY.—William Taylor, the second mate of the Flowery Land, who rendered such essential service in bringing the pirates to justice, is said to be broken down in health, and suffering acutely from the recently treatment he experienced during the time—nearly a month—which elapsed between the murders of the captain, his brother, and the first mate, and the landing of the crew at the entrance of the River Plate. Five of the pirates were hanged at Nowgate, in presence of an immense crowd. They all confessed their guilt, and secured repentant, being attended by a Catholic priest to the scaffold. Marceino and Santos were reprieved.

To Whom It May Concern.

The following has been dropped into our box, and although evidently not intended for us, but for some of our native colleagues, we cannot resist the temptation of publishing it: although as a rule we do not return communications, yet we'll make an exception in this, should the fair writer call it in person. We say boldly the 'fair writer,' for it is written in rose coloured paper highly musked.

'Why do you delay so long in giving the continuation of those lovely verses by Eugenio? Many of your subscribers are molested at not seeing reported the conversations of the Cazuela, and your true and flattering opinions of the ladies: although I am becoming very tired of the politics in your tropes, with three lines, as dull as the Estanدارte, with its statistics of rents of the camps. It is a great shame that dear Dr. A.—cannot be forced to publish his horrid grins. What has he done to cause all this hubbub (baralla)? I can only complain of his not giving tertulias more frequently than he does: we have no amusements but going to the Plaza, or sitting on the Cazuela of the Colon. The Mallo and Briol are not half so pleasant as the Lees and the Buisny. Dear Cronista, give us more sketches, and leave facts, and laud figures to the Estanدارte.'

The Elections.

Judging from appearances, the crudos have taken a leaf out of the books of the crudos, and have on this occasion rubbed out their defeat in the elections of Deputies to Congress. The following is the result for the Club de la Ciudad, Sections No. 1 to 7, 9, 10 and 12.

The Club Pueblo has triumphed in No. 8 and 11. From Patagonas and Bahia Blanca, some days will elapse before the result is known.

We believe that the defeat of the crudos is entirely to be attributed to their blind confidence, founded on their late victory—forgetting the adage:—

As to the rumors of rows, no announcement of the elections, it is all hubbub, and in ten days from this nobody will think about the matter, such being the character of this volatile people.

The Late Mr. Thompson.

TO THE UNIONS OF THE STANDARD. Buenos Ayres, March 31, 1884. Gentlemen.

The sad intelligence last communicated to me by my son Facundo, of the sudden death of the highly respected Mr. James Thompson, one of our most constant protectors, and generous counsellors, prompts me to pay a just tribute of gratitude to such an honorable man. There is no one, of all the numbers who have had dealings with the late Mr. Thompson, but who has received the sad news of his death with profound grief—but I, who have had only connection with him by correspondence, have more cause for grief than anyone.

The deceased was never so happy as when assisting some fellow men, and he rejoiced when he had any good news of my son to communicate to me.

I pray the Almighty to give a spirit of resignation to his brother William. There is no one, of all the numbers who are residing in England, and his other relations, to whom I and my son will remain ever grateful for the unmerited kindness which has been shown us.

I remain, Gentlemen, &c. &c. F. CAKULLA.

With reference to Mr. Facundo Carulla, we are happy to learn of his signal progress in scientific studies at Montevideo. He has just been elected member of the Anthropological Society, and distinguished himself at the Manchester Scientific Students' Association, by reading some papers on the following subjects:—

- On the Barometer. On Carbonic Acid. On Volcanic Eruptions. On the subject of Geological Change. On Vegetable Fossils. The Spectrum Analysis. Elementary Sketch of Lund Le.

History of the Steam Engine. Hence may be seen the great benefit of sending youth to be instructed in Europe, a policy so well followed by

the President of Paraguay. We understand that 25 young men will come by next steamer from Ansuacion, en route for England, under charge of the new, talented Minister, Don Casildo Barroto, who succeeds Mr. Carlos Calvo, at the English and French Courts. There will be then 100 Paraguayans studying in Europe: only 4 Argentinians.

The Hayne Wool Market.

The public sales of 17th and 18th February attracted from the interior a good number of purchasers, but the strangers were few in number, owing to the Rotterdam sale. Business was, however, brisk. First-class merino showed an increase upon the November quotations. Ordinary class has been of difficult sale, but middling and common wools have fetched good prices.

The Georgia arrivals before the sale, and although her wool was placed in the list, they were not landed in time to be examined by the buyers. The following is a list of the transactions:— 3888 bales of Buenos Ayres wool were offered for sale, of which 1955 were sold. 797 bales of Montevideo, of which 455 were sold. There are still remaining on hand, 451 bales of Buenos Ayres wool, and 450 bales of Montevideo.

New Zealand.

Despatches from New Zealand report that some severe fighting has taken place between the British forces under Lieutenant-General Cameron and the rebel natives. A strongly entrenched position on the river Waikato, at Rangitikei, was carried by a force of about 1000 troops, with three guns, assisted by detachments from the fleet. Nearly 2000 prisoners were taken, but the severity of the conflict may be inferred from the British losses, which were 4 officers killed and 11 wounded; 37 men killed, 80 wounded.

Queen's Speech.

The Memorial Diplomatique says that Queen Victoria's failure to place the name of General Cameron and the rebel natives. A strongly entrenched position on the river Waikato, at Rangitikei, was carried by a force of about 1000 troops, with three guns, assisted by detachments from the fleet. Nearly 2000 prisoners were taken, but the severity of the conflict may be inferred from the British losses, which were 4 officers killed and 11 wounded; 37 men killed, 80 wounded.

Irishmen Murdered.

During Dr. Acosta's administration, within the last 18 months, we count the following 19 victims. In no case has the assassin expiated his crime: in Kirby's, the Irishmen paid \$20,000 to have the murderer taken, but he is again in liberty.

1861.—Davis G. Monte; Richard Keays; Mr. M. Clynnon's peon, Guardia; Moore, Eusebio; Malcolin, Magdalena.

1863.—Farrell, Fortin de Arco; A Scotchman near Giles; An Irish servant of above Saunders, Ania; Kirby, Villa Mercedes; Devere, Villa Mercedes; An Irishman, by a German, San Nicolas; An Irishman, by an Irishman, Lobos; An Irish boy, 12 years old, by a gaucho, Zarate; Connell, by a policeman, V. Mercedes.

1864.—Nicholas King, Villa Lujan; Timothy Egan, Fortin Arco; Murray, Zarate; Nannery, V. Mercedes.

Local Events.

Religious Ceremony.—There will be a grand function, at which the Bishop will attend, on Monday next, in the church of San Nicolas: the ceremony is got up by the Italians, who, on the 4th April of each year, celebrate a Mass in favour of their patron, the Virgin de la Alfericicion.

Squadulated.—In one of our late papers we stated, on the authority of our French colleague, that an approaching fight was soon to be expected between the Florida, Confederate pirate, and the Federal steamer Kearsage. We have been disappointed in our expectations, for by this mail we learn that, as the vessel, the Florida, favoured by a dense fog, managed to evade the vigilance of her intrepid adversary, who was watching her off the harbour of Brest, and escaped to sea.

Strong Contention.—A Trojan friend of ours, in speaking of the danger of shipping cargo in Danubius, Austrian, Prussian, and other German vessels, says, 'we understand that the billigents intend sailing to sea. It might also have added, with perfect safety, that ball cartridge would be distributed to the armies.'

One more Unfortunate.—Capt. Gignola, who was wounded by pistol shot in San Telmo, on Sunday last, is reported to be almost dead. One of our evening papers says, most imperiously, what are the police doing in the matter. As we are not concerned in the matter, we will answer, 'that the alcaldes are helping them.' It is a pretty

evident sign of what this country is coming to...

London Exhibition - The President of the Oriental Republic has been elected...

On the 26th March, by the Rev. Mr. Goodfellow...

ON CHANGE. April 1st. Things were very dull on the 1st...

It may be worthy of notice that today what patrons were selling for cash...

Our remarks on the monstrous valuation, by the Provincial Government...

Onces are very scarce, and cannot be had at a less premium than a dollar to 12 sh.

Table with columns for quantity and price, listing various goods like wool, sugar, and other commodities.

MARITIME NEWS

ARRIVALS. Montevideo, Oriental brigantine Luciano. Montevideo, English gunboat Spider.

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