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BUENOS AYRES, THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1864

PRICE - TWO DOLLARS

LA PAZ BANK... all accounts in our favor... For balances in favor of customers...

La Paz Bank... The offices of this bank having been removed to the above spacious building...

La Paz Bank... 2nd Money is advanced on mercan tile and other securities approved of by the Manager.

La Paz Bank... 4th Money is received in account current bearing interest from day of deposit...

La Paz Bank... 7th Bills or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta. Fe, Salto, etc.

La Paz Bank... The establishment is always open from 9 A. M. till 4 P. M. Buenos Ayres, Oct 29 1862.

La Paz Bank... Drafts payable at any of the numerous branches of the NATIONAL BANK...

Camp for 800 Sheeps... To be given in exchange for 4,000 fine sheep a splendid tract of camp...

London, Buenos Ayres and River Plate Bank (Limited) 80 CALLE DE LA PIEDAD No. 80.

Allowed on Minimum Credit balance during the month... For Sixty days... For Ninety days...

THE QUEEN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY... CAPITAL - £1,000,000.

QUEEN INSURANCE BUILDINGS LIVERPOOL... Agents for Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and the River Plate.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY... 101 Broad-st., and 10 Pall-Mall LONDON.

Agents for Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and the River Plate... GEORGE STRAWBERRY, General Manager.

Briton and Medical General Incorporated with the City of London... This Assurance Association chief offices...

The Lancashire Insurance Company... The Directors of the Lancashire Insurance Company have appointed Messrs. I. & J. Cuttler and Co. Agents for the Company at Buenos Ayres.

Agents for Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and the River Plate... GEORGE STRAWBERRY, General Manager.

Insurance effected on Buildings and their contents at Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and in any other port or place...

Ze Zingara... All parties included for passage money on the above-mentioned ship, are requested to call at my Office...

NEUVAS Mensajerias Nacionales... Office Removed to 223 - CALLE VICTORIA - 223

Merlin and Mesquita... LIFE ASSURANCE... The North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Commercial Union Assurance Company... 19, CORNHILL, LONDON, E.C.

Directors: Chairman - Henry W. Peck, Esq. Deputy-Chairman - Henry Flower, Esq.

George Thoms, Esq. (Price and Hazard); George Thoms, Esq. (Price and Hazard); J. G. Homere, Esq. (Freshman House)

Managers: Manager (Fire Department) - Henry Thompson; Managers - Messrs. Thoms & Hollans.

Who have instruction to effect Insurance against Fire on every description of Property, according to agreement.

Book-keeper or Correspondent... A young Man (English), who is most anxious for employment, seeks a situation in an English mercantile house as Book-keeper or Correspondent.

Custom-House... A private Custom-House Deposit Store, to rent in the Calle Balcarce, near the old Custom-House.

Unfailing Cure for Scab and footrot in Sheep and every kind of disease in horses and other animals.

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Also on Sale... A few of Oeller's and Oeller's celebrated pianofortes.

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

Dunvillo's V. R. Whiskey... This celebrated Irish Whiskey, now made of seven years old, is the same spirit as that supplied to the International Exhibition of 1862.

For Rio Negro, Patagonias... Will sail in about a fortnight, for the above destination, the fine Dutch schooner 'ZEEPLAEG'.

Agency... This establishment is principally occupied in arranging law matters, and employs only lawyers and attorneys of known name.

Wanted... A Mediano on an Estancia in the Partido de Quilmes, half a league from the Scotch Church.

Brazil and River Plate Mail... This paper, recently established in London, is published fortnightly for transmission by the English and French Mails.

Chas. Hermannssohn, Physician, Surgeon, and Accoucheur... Office - Calle Piedad, 208.

Man-Servant... Wanted one for the house-work of an Irish Estancia, small wages given.

Custom-House... A private Custom-House Deposit Store, to rent in the Calle Balcarce, near the old Custom-House.

Collegio Anglo-Porteno... After the 1st of January 1864, only a limited number of pupils can be admitted into this school.

DR. P. BOURSE, American Surgeon Dentist... 101 CALLE ITUZAINGO, Montevideo.

Situation Wanted... A young married man, foreigner, of a good family, who speaks English, French, German, and Spanish perfectly well.

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

Belgian Barque 'President'... T. H. KRUSE, Master of the Belgian Barque 'President', arrived from Cardiff on the 18th inst.

For New York... The first class English barque 'ANSIELL'.

Wanted... 375 Tons register - Capt. Tatterton. This vessel has more than half her cargo, ready to go on board.

Married Couple... Wanted, a Man for Gardener, and his wife for Cook, on an estancia in the Camp. Name need apply without good testimonials.

Notice... During the absence of Frederic Wanklyn, Mr. Alfred Lum will take charge of the business of Wanklyn and Co.

To Ship Masters... The Agent of the Post of Underwriters in New York is to be found at 186 Calle Comercio, at the Hotel.

To English Travellers... Englishmen, and others visiting Buenos Ayres, will find every home comfort at the Hotel de la Paix.

Argentine Diligences... 100 GLEN RIVERDALE, 100.

Public Notice... The undersigned respectfully requests all parties indebted to him to call and pay their accounts without delay.

To Lot... A commodious Deposit No. 93 Calle Defensa, corner of Walker's, No. 97 Calle Defensa, of Moreno.

American Dentist, DR. N. O. CORNWALL... Calle Rivadavia, 275.

For Boston... The first sailing Argentine Luggere, REINA DEL SUR, 5, 9, 1, 1.

For New York... The first class English barque 'ANSIELL'.

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DESCRIPTION TO THE STANDARD... \$30 PER MONTH... ADVERTISEMENTS...

TO CORRESPONDENTS... No notice can be taken of anonymous communications...

The Standard.

"All faith, wisdom and verity come from above..." THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1864.

THE NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Our attention has been called to a most unjustifiable and unfounded article in the Director of the Northern Railway with reference to the late elections...

Now this is exactly what most of all vexes Argentines, and the attacks on Mr. Henry Zimmerman are easily explained. At the last Municipal elections, a gentleman solicited Mr. Zimmerman's aid by sending his men en masse to vote at the Socorro.

Yet the "Nacion Argentina" with great tenacity asserts, that the men of the company were driven in troops to the hustings. We have again Captain Harrison's rebutting evidence, to show that not one of the company's servants was absent on last Sunday.

That Mr. Zimmerman has created personal enemies by refusing on a former occasion to lend his name for election purposes, we have no doubt; nor is there any upright man who will deny that he herein fulfilled his duty.

There may be complaints against the Northern Railway, as unable to accommodate the great crowds who patronize it on holiday—a lucky omen for the shareholders. But we feel convinced that the director and his subalterns are efficient and gentlemanly, and we would advise to passengers, and the line much better managed than the Western.

DISTRICTS OF MERCEDES AND LUXAN.

The two partidos we have chosen for to-day's review are among the chief head-quarters of Irish shop-farmers. Mercedes is set down in page 4 of the Contribution report, as including 52 square leagues in extent (of which 14 are Government lands) at a valuation of 600,000 dols. per league; the Com-missioner however shows that the estimate is grossly in error, as in Moron and Arecofles, but this time instead of a deficit we find the partido decidedly gaining ground, its actual extent being 71 1/2 leagues. The tax-gatherers have done a splendid business in 1863, increasing the revenue by 103 per cent, for whereas in 1862 Mercedes paid only 83,058 dols., the levy last year amounts to 103,305 dols. It is a good sign to find few estates of great extent in the partido, for where land is of little value there are immense tracts in the possession of single individuals. The 73 leagues are divided into 95 estancias, of which number 19 belong to Irishmen. The principal are those of Usunú 8 leagues, Barco 7, and Jacoba 11, each 4 1/2, Pablo Martinez 2 1/2, Pastor Fria 1 1/2, Pablo Fleming, Manuel Caranza, Padua, Romero, Rodriguez, each 1 1/2 leagues. One-ninth of the whole district is owned by Irishmen: Messrs. Fleming, Dowling, Murray, Kearney, Kelly, Lowe, Martin, Hallion, Ledwith, T. Maguire, Tyrrell, Connor, Dillon, Flanagan, and Lynch, Mr. Wey, who hold an aggregate of 84 leagues, valued at five millions dols. There are four Irish lease-proprietors in the town of Mercedes—Messrs. Connor, Ewens, Hatcher, and Raymond. The two finest houses in the town are those of Aranguren and Padua, each valued at 200,000 dols. Mr. Larroque's mill is set down at 600,000 dols. The Contribution annually paid by the Irishmen amounts to 76,828 dols. Verily the farmers here have been well last year most unmercifully, and Government has had little consideration for the victims of drought.

The estimate for the year 1864, averaging less than a quarter of a league: of 183 estancias only 15 are Irish, but these latter hold more than one-sixth of the partido. The six Irish farm-givers are: Olivera 2 1/2, Alvarez 2 1/2, Blas and Gonzalez each 1 1/2, Peter Han and Cruz Osos each 1 1/2 leagues. The Irish estancias are: Messrs. Han, Peter, Gonzalez, E. Lopez, Caser, Peter, Burgess, John Down, M. Kenny, A. Cook, Anne Padua, M. Fitzsimons, D. Olayin, Stephen Maxwell, and Daniel Maxwell, possessing an aggregate of 64 sq. leagues, valued at 3 millions dols. and paying 9,600 dols. per annum for a Government with a nominal police system. There are some Irish lease-properties in the Villa-Luxan, including the Irish chapel house (presented to the Rev. Mr. Carroll) valued at 40,000 dols. The next houses in the town are those of Torres, Salin, Ramirez, and Ureta, each assessed over 200,000 dols. There is a fine mill belonging to Messrs. Jans brothers. This partido includes the village of Moreno, with its 83 house-owners, and foremost among these is Sr. Alcora, whose residence is valued over half a million dols. (23,000).

When we take into account the large properties belonging to Irishmen of Mercedes and Luxan, in stock, and how many are wealthy farmers though not on the privileged roll of those who pay Contribution Directa, we may fairly conclude that eight millions of dollars in landed estate represents only a tithe of their riches, and that our countrymen in these two districts alone muster an aggregate capital of half a million sterling.

Calculating the subscribers to the "Standard" at 2 per cent. of the Irish population, we find the numbers thus—Mercedes, 1600; Villa Luxan, 1,100 giving an average total of 2300 subscribers per head. On close study this ratio will appear very nearly exact.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

As yet we have no tidings of M. Caumartin. It seems that a week ago he spoke to a friend in the Club, of his desire to commit suicide, if he could only muster up the courage. This was evidently a dodge, as he was busy raising money in various quarters the day before his disappearance.

The Progress of Tuesday evening has a long and amusing account of the marriage and trousseau of Miss Guevero with the wealthy proprietor D. Martin Alzaga. The gay Lothario is considerably past the meridian of life, being some 40 years the senior of the charming bride.

Mr. Hopkins has sent us his prospectus and extracts from the leading London journals, touching the B. Ayres Bonded Wharf and Transit Co. capital £250,000 (of which it is rumored the concessionaire takes one third in shares). The Times, Telegraph, Daily News, Standard, Star, Post, Advertiser, Herald, Sun, and Globe speak most favorably of the enterprise. In another column we give an extract from the Post.

The Tribuna has an article "Evil days," commencing to the demise of two young ladies, Anastide Ercot, and Alicia Mendoza, the mysterious disappearance of M. Caumartin, and the lamentable accident to a youth named Cano, who shot himself in the middle all which occurred in the first week of this month. The ridiculous manifesto of the rebel General Flores, will cause amusement both to his friends and opponents, as he seems farther than ever from upsetting the Ayviden Government. The Ayviden Government are perfectly harmless; they however serve to fill an idle hour with the weary campaigners, and are a good-sold to stale newspapers. The elections still form a universal topic among those Portefios who have nothing more serious or useful to talk about. It is thought the Chambers will certainly reject the force of the rebel Sunday, and it is better so, as we are disgusted with electrical rovides, and it is quite immaterial for the ruin of the country which list triumphs.

Mr. Hopkins' project for building Bonded stores, at the Bajó do Catalina near the Gas-house, has not, it seems, been abandoned. We read that Messrs Peter Bense and Samuel Rodriguez have proposed to the Minister of Interior to erect a new Custom house and stores on that point, for which purpose they will invest a capital of £100,000 sterling in the purchase of 172 acres of Government lands. It is the site which has been originally chosen, as the present Molca and Custom-house are comparatively small, and being sometimes half a mile distant from the river, whereas the water is so deep that vessels come very close to the Gas-house: Sunday's gale did some damage among the stacks, and the traffic is suspended for a few days' as will be seen by advertisement.

The rumour that the murderer of Kirby and Devere had been taken unhappily in error. We are not aware that the slightest effort has been made to capture this condemned assassin. We advise our friends in Villa Mercedes to be on the watch, as he was heard to threaten death to those Irishmen who had subscribed for his arrest. A good revolver in an excellent companion, and a capital protection for life and property.

The Nacion Argentina copies an alarming article from the Pacific, entitled "The Pampas revolution," stating that there is a conspiracy in town to expel the National Government, and that Dr. Acosta's Justices in the camp are ready orders to lend their aid at a moment's warning, a number of the Provincial Deputies being already gained over to rally the coup d'etat. This is all nonsense, and the projecter, who has been a Minister of Warship, has been in "palabra y nada mas que palabres." Nevertheless, our prophecy has come true, that two Governments are to be established, and the Minister of Warship has been in "palabra y nada mas que palabres."

Our camp friends will see an advertisement of action by M. Billingham, who will sell some Negretti rams and axes on the 14th inst. at Messrs. Ruiz barros. We are glad to see that a politician has been placed at the Cathedral to enforce due respect for the sacred edifice, and it is indecorous to allow passers-by to stick up their walls "cheap cigars," "fashionable tailors," "stunning photographs," "six-barrelled revolvers," and "English neckties" in the arca burlesque on the House of God. The Bishop ought not to permit this. The corner of Colón theatre, the doors of Congress, the Cabildo arches, or front of the Palace are suitable for such profanations.

The Concepcion press complains that the Felix Colon steamer is not ready for the present route across the R. Plata and adds that she would be better employed in running on the Uruguay only. We have received No. 11 of the Revista de B. Ayres, and will review it to-morrow; also D. Montuillol's Revista Judicial.

The affairs of the Mr. Thomas Harke news case is lengthened litigation. There is a notice in the native papers calling on the Assignee Mr. Peter Heare to attend at some court.

We learn from Byron and other parts that the rain has been very heavy in the North camp, several arroyos being now impassable. Similar accounts reach us from Landa. Oriental where the streams have not been so swollen for many years. The Nacion of yesterday contained an important article by the intelligent manager of the Bata, Mr. Hon., on the financial condition of the republic. The matter of such vital interest that it is necessary to use an Argentine phrase) to ventilate it, instead of raising about necks.

A ludicrous accident happened to the passengers per Salto on Sunday. Owing to the gale, the steamer put into the Bay, and was so detained that the passengers had to leave for their clothes left next day, here in town, which caused many of them to lose the steamer going to Montevideo. The steamer was so detained that the passengers had to leave for their clothes left next day, here in town, which caused many of them to lose the steamer going to Montevideo.

Scientific men say that, at the present consumption, the coal fields of Great Britain will last for several thousand years; but that must be a mistake, as the English are already importing fuel from India. The Board of Trade would, no doubt, like to see this vessel bound from Calcutta to Liverpool was doing in the neighbourhood of the Shetlands. She must have been trying the overhead rig, as she has this course become common, we would recommend having the Alps and Pyrenees properly buoyed off, and light-houses erected on Montecenis and Blanc.

Had we seen the statement of the loss of the Victoria in any other paper but Argentine, we should suppose it to be a mistake, but considering where it does appear, we come to the conclusion that the end of the world is at hand, and that the sea is gradually disappearing. THE TURKISH PRESS. In Constantinople, at mid-day, there is distributed a paper, written by hand or lithographed, called "Tejvank," which contains the despatches of the day, and which is a kind of London "Gazette." The editor is an Englishman, born in Turkey; he is also editor of the Turkish official newspaper, the "Roosmanieh," or bulletin, and the "Jeridieh Hawades," general information newspaper. This latter paper consists of four pages, about the size of "Lloyd's," but in larger type, and containing more material, in consequence of the Turkish character, which is not only very stereographic. It is published weekly, with a daily bulletin. The "Jeridieh," and other newspapers, are strongly supported by Government, who take many copies, and order the local authorities to hunt up subscribers. The "Takvim," the official organ, is published weekly, under the direction of Edmond Pachá, Minister of Public Instruction and Public Works.

The "Tejman Alhwal," the great sensational newspaper, is one of the new periodicals, and is very popular. It is edited by Agahian Effendi, Postmaster-General, and by Refek Hey Agahian Effendi is a Turkish Huslani Hill, and belongs to the Liberal party. It is published twice a week, and is much valued for its literary communications. The "Tavassur Ekrin," or "Mirror of Thought," is another new and very fashionable periodical. It is published twice a week, and is literary and scientific. Its editor, Simenassian, is a very distinguished character, and was formerly employed in the office of the Minister of Public Instruction.

There are besides Armenian and Arabian periodicals. The "Meghnavah Hawades," or collection of news, is weekly, and is edited by Vartan Pachá, employed in the Admiralty. The principal object is to defend the small portions of Roman Catholics, and Armenians. The Armenians have other newspapers in Armenia.

The "Jeridieh," is conducted by a Syrian gentleman, Paris ul-Sheddi, a Vandalism. It is well edited, has a large circulation amongst all classes, and has much influence. The book-ellers in general are not allowed to sell newspapers in their shops. It is now two years since Mr. Churchill introduced the system of selling periodicals in shops.—Harris & His.

THE CAPITAN PROJECT. The prospectus has been issued today of the Buenos Ayres Bonded Wharf and Transit Company, with a capital of £250,000 in 15,000 shares of £20 each, one-third of which have been already privately subscribed for. The prospectus states that the company is formed for the purpose of working a valuable concession granted on the 20th of July last by the Congress of the Argentine Republic, for the canalization and use of the Arroyo of Capitan, a narrow winding stream or channel connecting the Parana de las Palmas and Lujan rivers, the latter of which it enters opposite the town of San Fernando, 10 miles above Buenos Ayres; together with the erection and construction of such wharves, ware-houses and deposit stores, as may be necessary to the requirements of the coasting trade of the interior rivers; and the establishment of towing steamers to and from the rivers Parana and Uruguay. According to the bureau of statistics, 1860-1, at Buenos Ayres, the trade on these rivers averaged 277,400 tons per annum; and, as the great staples of wool, hides and tallow are susceptible of indefinite expansion, this trade will no doubt annually increase. The works which it is now proposed to execute on the first of the kind on the entire river coast, and they will be situated at the only port on the Rio de la Plata, in immediate connection with 5,000 miles of interior navigation, and effecting a direct communication with Cordova, which is about to be carried out under influential auspices; for, when the works comprised in this concession are constructed, every ton of merchandise bound to Buenos Ayres, or from thence to the interior, including Paraguay, Upper Brazil, and Bolivia, will pass through this company's property, instead of being subjected to the usual and to the present dangerous navigation of the River Plata. A contract has been already entered into, by which the payments of expenses for the construction of the works and interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum to the shareholders during construction, is secured within the proposed capital. The company is very respectably constituted, and the estimated returns are large.—The Post.

THE CONDITION OF SOUTH AMERICA. The lessons of adversity are unpalatable, but they are commonly beneficial. And we believe the bitterness of their past experience has not been lost upon the populations of South America. There are a few of the republics peculiarly subject to political eruptions; but speaking in a general sense, the blessings of political stability are sincerely desired, and agricultural and commercial pursuits, by effecting a more liberal distribution of property, are every day becoming more potent as material guarantees for the preservation of peace, even those countries most chronically liable to disturbance. The evidence which Buenos Ayres, Peru, and Chili have given of their benevolent and financial integrity must have a highly beneficial influence upon the other and less important republics. The example of order set by the constitutional monarchy of Brazil is also one which the Republican states of the continent will do well to imitate. We do not insinuate that a monarchy is essential to good government, but it can be established more easily by the establishment of hereditary sovereignty, and dangerous scope is afforded ambitious and designing men to disturb the public peace by the movements of military faction, and in the end more conducive to progress in all these pursuits which add to the material and political greatness of a nation, when the feeling of a nation is divided on essential questions; and it is well worthy of consideration whether a monarchy is not preferable to a democratic form of Government. It is at least certain that the under constitution monarchies nations have flourished the longest and acquired the greatest amount of power. One thing, however, is certain, and that is, that the South American people abide by their republican institutions or ultimately adopt monarchical government, they must invariably maintain the principles of law and order. And, under this policy, it is believed to, and steadily kept in view, the natural advantages of a country can never be adequately developed, or the respect of foreign nations be acquired.—Brazil & R. P. Staff.

EPIDIO FEVER IN FLORIDA.

The medical commission appointed by Government to examine into the cause of the epidemic reports that of 150 persons who were attacked in Florida with this fever, 50 have died. They attribute the cause of the malady to filthy drinking water. Florida is

supplied with drinking-water from a small lake, and owing to the drought the water was very low and dirty, and before drinking it, it is necessary to boil it. Precautions having been taken to provide better water, the epidemic is decreasing. Buenos Ayres is likely to have a taste of the same disease, and then the Municipality having the experience of the Floridians before their eyes, will "waste about as a tremendous road, appointing medical commissions to find out what is known to every one. What a consolation it will be to the survivors to know that their departed friends owed their exeunt to foul water, and that the country far from being unhealthily, is so robust that artificial means were brought into force to cause sickness.

FROM THE INTERIOR.

The Paxon arrived here, bringing date from Chilo up to the 14th March; San Juan 1st; Mendoza, 19th; San Luis, 21st. Chile, although agitated by the approaching elections, is also busy with the Bolivian difficulty. The press are more in favor of obtaining the disputed territory, ejilones, by war than by peace. Peru in the United States Minister have offered their services to arrange the matter. The offer of the former has been refused; of the fate of the latter quietude nothing is known. All is quiet otherwise. A large gang of robbers has been arrested in the neighbourhood of Valparaiso. Mendoza is quiet, and the electioneering story of 80 women having been sent to the frontier, is a story of 80 women who were found to be incorrigible. The report of a mutiny in San Rafael turns out false. From San Jany there is no news whatever. San Luis is in the same state of ditch water dulness. Parana—arrived complains that several plans have been formed to assassinate him at the elections to come off on April 1st, and adds that it is rumored General Urquiza has given orders to dispatch him privately. He seems to be intended to form a candidate Deputy for that department, although he alleges the authorities will not protect his life. The "Litoral" also reports a meeting of officers convened by General Anzoátegui at Villa Urquiza, to petition the General to continue as Governor of the province.

MILANOFF'S ACCIDENT.

We regret to announce the sudden death of Mr. John Butler of San Pedro who was killed by lightning on the evening of Wednesday 30th ult. He was, it seems, looking after his books, for we learn that his horse was killed by the same stroke. Only two months before, he had got married and now leaves a young widow to deplore his loss. He was 35 years of age, and a native of Co. Wexford; during a residence of 15 years in this country he had by his industrious habits secured a competent and the esteem of all his acquaintances. His remains were conveyed to their last resting-place by a concourse of Irishmen and persons of various nations. May he rest in peace.

FOREIGNERS MURDERED IN BANDA ORIENTAL.

Among the shocking murders now occurring in Banda Oriental, we have, with regret, to announce that of Mr. Deinhelm, brother-in-law to our respected merchant Mr. Drysdale. It seems that on last Thursday, a ruffian presented himself at the estancia house, and on Mr. Deinhelm going out to see what the matter was, he was seized by a thickset and there concealed himself, but next morning, the peons went in pursuit, and drove him to the banks of an arroyo, where he was unable to pass, and then turned to fight them. He was instantly shot, thus saving the authorities the useless and dangerous formality of a trial. Mr. Drysdale had left the estancia on Thursday morning and only learned the sad intelligence on Saturday.

We are informed that the assaeth were a sword, and the red cockade of Flores' army. Mr. Drysdale himself is gone up to bring down the body of his unfortunate relative. Some short time ago a French hotel-keeper was murdered in his house in the town of Colonia, but the murderer was seized and will probably be condemned and executed.

We learn that the British Admiral is about proceeding to Salto, relative to the case of Mr. Smith's assassin, about whom it seems there is some quibble, through which justice may be defeated.

LOCAL EVENTS.

Fool Language.—One man is happy to see a few worthy colleagues. The "Foolish" picking out the rising generation in this filthy city for the foul obscene language which it so generally uses by Argentine swills. These youngsters seem to prize themselves on using more or less expressions for their low ideas, and although we are not particularly squeamish, we would much prefer the conversation of an Avra-

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FOR PAYSAVU
Calling at Nueva Palmira, Fuy Bentos and Concepcion, the National Steamer SALTO
Captain F. Pizarro,
Leaves every Tuesday and Saturday at 10 a.m., and returns every Monday and Friday.

FOR CONCORDIA & SALTO,
The National Steamer CONCORDIA.
Leaves Paysavú every Thursday and Sunday after the arrival of the Salto, being in combination with this steamer.

FOR ROSARIO
Calling at Zarate, Bahadras, San Pedro Obligado, Las Herreras, and San Nicolas Voyage by the *Paraná* de las Palmas, taking Goods and Passengers to the National Steamer.

FAVON,
Captain Price,
Leaves every Thursday and Sunday at 12 Noon, and returns every Wednesday and Saturday.

FOR GUALEGUAY,
The National Steamer BOI OCEANOS.
Leaves the Boca de los Nueva Vientos every Friday after the arrival of the Pavon and returns each Tuesday, by which the Passengers leave here every Thursday and return every Wednesday.

FOR TERCER PASAJE,
Santa Fe, and later to Rio de la Plata, the Mail Steamer ESPERADOR,
Leaves Rosario each Friday, two hours after the arrival of the Pavon and returns every Tuesday in time to land over Passengers baggage to the Pavon, which leaves for Buenos Ayres.

FOR COMBENTES
Calling at Paraná, La Paz, Guaymas de la Biquina, Casilla de Guaya, Bella Vista, and Empedrado, the British Steamer ESTERADIA,
Leaves Rosario in combination with the Pavon, on Tuesday, March 29, and returns on Friday, April 1st.

FAVON:
To Zarate (cabin) 8 y atecenas
San Esteban do 10
Obligado do 10
San Nicolas do 10
Guaymas do 16
Rosario do 16
San Lorenzo do 18
Diamante do 20
Buenos Aires do 24
Paraná do 24
La Paz do 32
La Esquina do 32
Troya do 40
Bella Vista do 40
Empedrado do 43
Corrientes do 52
Nueva Palmira do 6
Fray Benito 11
Concepcion 17
Paysavú 17

FAVON:
To Montevideo, per ton 4 dollars
Rosario 6
San Nicolas 6
Paraná 6
La Paz 10
Bella Vista 10
La Esquina 10
Corrientes 12
Nueva Palmira 12
The Uruguay Ports 10

FOR CUYABA,
Calling at San Nicolas, Rosario, Paraná, Corrientes, Asuncion, and other Brazilian ports, the Brazilian Steamer MARQUES DE OLINDA
Captain Tito de S. Beteroro,
Leaves on the 8th May.

FAVON:
San Nicolas 16 pts.
Rosario 20
Paraná 20
Corrientes 20
Asuncion 20
Corumbá 148

No passengers allowed on any of the steamers without tickets.

MONEY ORDERS.

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4th. All these subscriptions may be paid weekly, monthly, quarterly, half yearly, or yearly.
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2nd.—The liquidation of the same belonging to the sections of Paper Money Subscribers will be administered according to Article 31 of the Statutes, and for account of these particular sections.
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Salida		Regreso	
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1.º	2.º	3.º	4.º
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9.º	10.º	11.º	12.º
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29.º	30.º	31.º	32.º
33.º	34.º	35.º	36.º
37.º	38.º	39.º	40.º
41.º	42.º	43.º	44.º
45.º	46.º	47.º	48.º
49.º	50.º	51.º	52.º
53.º	54.º	55.º	56.º
57.º	58.º	59.º	60.º
61.º	62.º	63.º	64.º
65.º	66.º	67.º	68.º
69.º	70.º	71.º	72.º
73.º	74.º	75.º	76.º
77.º	78.º	79.º	80.º
81.º	82.º	83.º	84.º
85.º	86.º	87.º	88.º
89.º	90.º	91.º	92.º
93.º	94.º	95.º	96.º
97.º	98.º	99.º	100.º

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