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739 - THIRD YEAR

BUENOS AYRES, FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1864

PRICE - TWO DOLLARS.

MAUÁ BANK CALLE CANGALLO, Nos. 101-103. INTEREST FOR CURRENT MONTH. IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, 12 PER CENT.

MAUÁ BANK, CALLE CANGALLO, Nos. 101-103. The Office of this Bank having been transferred to the present building, the following alterations are carried on in currency and specie in this Bank.

MONEY ORDERS. Drafts on IRELAND are granted by the undersigned in conformity with the provisions of the NATIONAL BANK.

DRAFTS AT SIGHT. UNION BANK OF IRELAND. London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank.

IRELAND. Drafts payable at any of the unincorporated branches of THE NATIONAL BANK.

BRITON & MEDICAL GENERAL (Incorporated with the United States) LIFE ASSURANCE ASSOCIATION. Capital - \$1,000,000.

THE Argentine Marine Insurance Company. Established in this City, under the provisions of the Argentine Constitution.

British Steamer 'FAIRY'. For Rosario, Santa Fe, and Paraná - Or Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro, San Nicolás, San Francisco, Valparaiso, and other ports.

Calechuy Steam Navigation Company. Parts of the Line. This beautiful steamer will leave for the above ports every Wednesday at 10 o'clock.

Argentine Diligences. 100 CALLES INDEPENDENCIA, 109. Leaves for Bahia, Cuyo, Rio Negro, San Antonio de Arica, and other ports.

London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank (Limited). 80 - CALLE DE LA PIEDAD - 80. Capital - 1,000,000 Sterling.

Royal Insurance Company. FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STERLING. This important company, having received the sanction of the Government, has appointed an agent in this City.

Steam-Boat Agency. AND General Commissions. WILKINS, BAKER & CO., 20 - CALLE DE LA PIEDAD.

FOR THE PLAZA. Santa Fe, and other ports. Leave Buenos Aires every Friday, leaving for the above ports.

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Dr. F. Bourso. 20 - CALLE DE LA PIEDAD. He has received his diploma from the University of Buenos Aires.

Grand Establishment of Cochet and Collins. 70 - CALLE DE LA PIEDAD. Between Calle Florida and San Martín.

LIFE ASSURANCES. The North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Established 1809. Capital \$2,000,000.

To Rent. A small estancia to the South, about ten leagues from town, area twelve thousand yards in length.

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Chas. Hermannsador, Physician, Surgeon, and Accoucheur. Estancia del Tary, Carmen de Arco.

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

SEWING MACHINES. A large and varied assortment on hand. Warranted to work well.

THE Standard Printing Office. All kinds of English Printing done here at reasonable charges.

OFFICES AND ROOMS. Some very fine apartments, with bed-rooms, kitchens, pantry, &c.

QUEEN QUEEN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL - \$1,000,000.

Notice. We beg to advise the Public, and our Friends in particular, that we have been appointed, by letter from Messrs Arthur Guinness, Son, & Co.

JOHN KEMBLEY, 140 - CALLE PARQUE - 140. Public and Official Translator, Land Agent.

Public Notice. The English Drapery Establishment of Buenos Ayres. 49 & 51 - Calle Defensa - 49 & 51.

Notice. The Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, under the firm of 'Moss and Claypole.'

Notice. In consequence of the preceding advertisement, the undersigned beg to inform the public that they have, under this date, formed a Partnership in the Grocery business.

Notice. A first-rate assortment of Goods, including, &c., always on hand, at very moderate rates.

Notice. The undersigned, Sole Agents in this City for the sale of the celebrated Brandy marked 'JAMES ROBIN & CO.'

Notice. Inhabiendo terminado en esta fecha la Sociedad mercantil que desale 30 años en existencia entre nosotros, hemos resultado de comun acuerdo, disolverla.

Public Notice. The English Drapery Establishment of Buenos Ayres. 49 & 51 - Calle Defensa - 49 & 51.

Public Notice. In soliciting a continuance of the support so liberally bestowed on Patrick Galbraith during the past year, beg to state that they will now receive monthly a large supply of New Goods.

BRITISH HOTEL. 95 - PIEDAD - 08. Monthly Board, \$500 mja. Breakfast from half-past seven till twelve o'clock.

Wanted to purchase. An English cold Leather Portmanteau. Any person having one to dispose of will please apply at 181 Calle Europa.

Town Residence for an English Family. The House No. 128 Calle Cuyo, distant four squares from the Plaza.

Foreign Racing Club. Several members of the late Committee of the F. A. Racing Society, having been applied to by persons desirous of seeing these races renewed.

ENGLISH LAND AGENCY OFFICE. Land, House, and General Agency. The undersigned beg to inform their Friends and the Public that they have opened an Agency for the purpose of buying and selling Land, Houses, &c.

RESCRIPTION TO THE STANDARD 830 PER MONTH. ADVERTISEMENTS. Not exceeding six lines inserted three times for \$5.

TO CORRESPONDENTS. No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whether indicated 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 full adverbs nisi non autem dicitur. -Oleico. FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1864.

EDITOR'S TABLE. The trial-trip of the Payon, we hear, will come off to-day or to-morrow. We are informed that she has undergone the most thorough and complete repairs and is in every sense of the word as good as new.

The Baraca diligencia has at last reduced the fare from ten to five dollars, as the roads have got so much better since the frost set in.

The finest building at present going on in the city is M. Lezama's quinta. However democratic this gentleman may be in his professions, he is determined to have a regal residence, for the magnificent house he is erecting in Calle Defensa is more like a palace than anything else.

The engineers of the Northern Railway are up at Zarate, surveying for the proposed extension. We cannot doubt that if the Northern Railway is prolonged to the thriving town of Zarate it will add tenfold to the importance of this line, as the richest sugar farming districts of the north will thus be connected with Buenos Ayres.

We are glad to be able to inform our readers that Consul Hutelinson's new work, entitled "Buenos Ayres and Argentine Cleanings, with Extracts from Journal of Salado expedition, 1822-1824," is about to be issued by the publishing house of Edward Stanford, Geographical Establishment and London School Library, Publisher to the Ordnance Department of Her Majesty's Government, 6 Charing Cross, London, W. S.

Urquiza's subscription for one thousand shares of the Argentine Central Railway throws all the great Buenos Ayres capitalists completely in the shade, and proves that this much abused man has, after all, the advancement of the country at heart.

Don Vaz de Sarfield, the intimate friend of Montevideo Flores, can lay his hand on more ounces than the abused Urquiza, yet how many shares has he taken? Oh Argentine capitalists! show some future Gibbon will cut you up!

Since the celebrated attack of Pleron in the House on the Argentine Army, this Senator has been looked up to by his fellow legislators, as a sort of modern John Bull.

The celebrated traction engine, El Buey, will soon be on shore and a trial trip made. We caution Mr. Berra against the Baraca road, as the mud and holes are truly awful, and several 'bueys' have already gone to grief on that muddy road.

The Provincial legislators are beginning their old trick again of attending to the Camera. The 'Triunfos' threaten to publish the names of the absent members, and we think it very right and proper. If they will not attend, let them be called, like the grand jury, at home, to the fine of \$100.

The news from Montevideo is, after all, a trifle gloomy. It appears that Pantolón Perez, who had gone out to Flores, to witness the disarming of his men, by order of the Government, had not taken with him the arms he had been promised.

The telegraph to San Fernando is at last concluded, and we believe is handed over to the Government, for what purpose we know not. The President, however, from San Fernando, is not to say of a very political character.

The in-felix Colon has at last arrived. We hear that she is going to get an Englishman, given out. Things are coming to a pretty pass in the River Plate when silver mines are sold by auction to the highest bidder.

An accident occurred in the Custom House on Wednesday. One of the clerks fell out of the window. There was a time in Brazil when such accidents were very common, as the window was considered the shortest way down stairs.

So much importance is paid now to the value of real estate in the province of Santa Fe that we think the following sales which we find in the "Reforma Pacifica" will interest our readers. The most important sale effected in Rosario has been that of four thousand five hundred yards front, by a league and a half depth, in twenty thousand

bolivian dollars; the buyers are Englishmen, and are about to stock it. The lands situated in the Caracas district, Camps lying 25 leagues from Rosario in the district of Malinco, which last year would not realize 500 bolivian per square league, are now worth 1500 bolivians.

A piece of land in front by half a league in depth, four leagues to the West of Rosario has been sold for 300 ounces. A piece of land 69 yards in front and depth, facing the river Parana, and another piece of land adjoining it of 150 yards front and depth has been sold to Messrs Ledesma and Basado in 3200 bolivians.

A piece of land in the suburbs 136 by 134 to Messrs Berra y Casado in 40 ounces. A piece of land eleven squares to the east of the plaza 23 de Mayo, 162 square yards in front by half a league deep in the suburbs 410 by 200 in 1340 dollars. A piece of land opposite the Jardin de Nececo, 20 by 35, in 310 dollars.

We think it right to call attention to the fact that the dearest piece of property above mentioned is worth ten times the price in Buenos Ayres, and the province of Santa Fe offers just as many advantages to the estanciaero as either of both of them.

M. Palliere's album No. 4 contains two charming pictures. "The Cathedral of Cordoba" gives a characteristic view of our "city of churches" so famous for learning and devotion in the days of the Jesuits.

The picture also takes in the pulperia is a graphic history of Gaucho life: in one of these rude shanties devoted to Bacchus, so frequently met with in our campagna, is a group of gauchos drinking caña, while the owner of the place reads the latest news from an old number of the Tribuna.

Mr. Brill has sent us the last number of Godéy's "Lady's" book, which comes with its usual supply of engravings, fashions and light reading. This periodical is so entertaining and useful, and the subscription (50 dollars per annum) so small, that it is becoming a great favorite, although some married men say it costs enormously by inciting their wives to lavish expenditure in dress.

The Revista Pharmaceutica contains several papers written by Mr. Charles Murray, who advocates the creation of a degree of Bachelor and Doctor in Pharmacy, these however not giving the holder a right to practice medicine as a physician.

varied an assemblage of literary efforts must prove interesting. Most of the papers are in Spanish, the rest in French, English, German and Italian; and all on matters of the day, or subjects involving classical research.

HORRIBLE OH, HORRIBLE!

The Municipality ought to be locked up 'en masse' in the Police, for the barbarities at present occurring, thanks to the shameful neglect of this body. We have it from eye-witnesses, that the road is so bad from the southern killing ground to Plaza Constitucion, that the most cars are frequently obliged to throw out the sticles of beef into the mud, in order to extricate the vehicles from the cess-pools, 'pantanos,' and holes into which they fall.

DOUBLE ASSASSINATION.

Camp murders are the order of the day, so that no one can affect surprise or amazement at the title of this notice. We hear that the 'capataz' of Sor Machado's estancia at Salto, in this province, has been murdered. No further details are given, but the assassin was also beheaded a little boy, on the estancia, judging that "two heads were better than one."

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

The murders took place on the 2nd inst. on Mr. Hastings' estancia partido de Salto. It is supposed the assassins were taken from the army, as they left a rifle on the ground. The capataz was an old man whose family reside in this city; 36 tabs were counted on his corpse. His name was Evaristo; he was in the service of Don Ma. Machado, and his only companion was a little black boy; the latter had received 30 rounds, and perhaps his life was not extinct.

MR. URQUIZA'S LETTER.

Our Postmaster-General has received the following letter, dated Posos (Parana), May 20th, 1864: My dear Posados, Your favor of February 26th, overtook me on the 13th ult. in a shipful of Eastern Pomerania.

Your favor of February 26th, overtook me on the 13th ult. in a shipful of Eastern Pomerania. I am glad to hear you have received the list of subscribers from our friend Billingshurst, but I have been travelling about for the last three months, which prevented my writing sooner. I have visited 100 different sheep establishments, and seen 120 fine flocks, assisting also at their classification, and picking up useful knowledge for the advancement of our country.

they don't attempt such structures until the country is possessed of great sources of wealth, and developing the same by assiduous labour.

The foreigner arriving in B. Ayres must be struck with the splendid efforts to rival Paris or London, and may calk with reason what are the sources of the wealth? Does the Argentine cultivate his soil? No! Does he raise cattle? Yes! In abundance, but he has neither pasture nor provision against the droughts which happen so frequently.

And yet hereon depends all the wealth of the country, for what it is B. Ayres without her commerce, and what is her commerce but hides and wool? Reduce the amount of our live stock, and all the "air-built castles" decorating the streets of our South American Athens tumble by enchantment, broken like soap bubbles blown by children.

Statistics and the study of practical commerce, the nation produce, and commerce are unheeded, for the great men of B. Ayres only study 'ideas,' and are totally ignorant of the value of our rural or commercial interests, leaving such things to Maxwell and Paredari. Hence our statements are always in the dark, and often crush an industry they should have protected.

The Hosiery Exhibition ought to be suspended, the site is good for industrial display, being new ground: in an open park would not be amiss. I write now from the Exhibition at B. Ayres, and have seen Exhibitions at towns in Prussia smaller than the Villa Lunen. Each district has a local Exhibition, and sends some remarkable articles to that of Berlin. The same method might be tried in B. Ayres.

The organisation of Pomerania is strange. Each establishment covers about half a square league, with 100 or 200 inhabitants, who have their church, school, and village, but never come to own the soil, which belongs to a noble, usually much more wealthy than the richest man in Buenos Ayres. As the population increases, they must emigrate: formerly they went to the United States, but now they go mostly to Rio Grande do Sul.

Some days ago we noticed that Gen. Urquiza had promised, in 1861, to contribute the above sum for a railroad to Cordoba. We have now to announce that in fulfillment of his share, he has paid the deposit on 1,000 shares, or double the total number taken by Argentine capitalists in this city.

LETTER FROM MONTEVIDEO.

We have seen a letter dated 6th inst stating there was little hope of peace being made. President Aguirre refused to dismiss his ministry, and Flores protested against the admission of Gen. Lanús to the cabinet, as being his personal enemy. It is said that M. Saravia insists on the formation of a new Cabinet, as stipulated with Flores.

STOP THREE.

To the Editors of the Standard. Laxan, July 4, 1864. Gentlemen, I have the liberty of cautioning my countrymen in the camp, and the public in general, of a system that I thought long forgotten, but is, I regret to say, five days ago, I returned to my house a young man of a very genteel appearance, seeking employment as shepherd, saying that he desired to visit the famous flock before shearing, and after the Paris Exhibition, had left on account of the war, and came over to Buenos Ayres, where he was for six months in a very respectable house.

The Buenos-Germans Question.—The Times says:—"As the month of suspended hostilities which it required so much negotiation to obtain passed away, she prospects of a satisfactory result of the Conference do not im-

prove. It is impossible to resist the conviction that the German Powers attended the Conference with a pre-termination to clear all terms and conditions, even those to which they gave the mockery of their assent."

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Consoles Portátiles de Hierro y Madera para Ovejas... Bebaderos de Hierro desde 60¢ vara.

VAN DE VELDE HERMANOS. Buen Orden 245, entre Chile y Méjico.

MENSAGERIAS Y CORREOS NACIONALES INCIADORES.

127-CALLE 25 DE MAYO-127. Through tickets given to all parts of the upper Provinces, and also to Chile and Bolivia.

ENGLISH DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT, ALEX. FULTON & CO.

25 AND 27 DEFENSA 25 AN 27. THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND GLASS STORE.

SOUTHERN PRISONERS' RELIEF FUND.

CHRISTOPHER ATKINSON (CHARLESTON, S. C.) CHAIRMAN. Victor Potts (Liverpool), James Adger (S. C.), H O Brewer (S. C.)

There are at this time many thousands of Confederate prisoners of war confined in the various forts and camps of the Northern States.

STEAM LAUNDRY. TRES ESQUINAS, BARRACAS.

MELVIN and CARMICHAEL PROPRIETORS. Washing done on the following terms: Washing and dressing shirts, per dozen ... 20 dols.

LA PREVISORA ARGENTINA.

LIFE INSURANCE AND SAVING FUND ASSOCIATION OF BUENOS AYRES. Capital Subscribed in first Three Months, 170,567 pts. in 215 Shares.

The PREVISORA ARGENTINA will receive subscriptions as follows: 1st. On one's own life, in shares of 80 silver and upwards.

Subscriptions in Paper Money. The Directors, wishing to enlarge the operations of the Society, have accepted to the request of many people in this city, and determined to issue shares payable in Paper Money of Buenos Ayres.

SEWING MACHINES. CALLE PERU, 47. A large assortment of improved Chain and Lock Stitch Sewing Machines from the most celebrated Manufacturers.

NEW GOODS. The English Drapery Establishment of Buenos Ayres, 49 & 51-CALLE DEFENSA-49 & 51. GALBRAITH & HUNTER.

FERRO-CARRIL DEL OESTE. PLANILLA DE SERVICIO DE LOS TRENES DESDE EL 23 DE MAYO DE 1894. DIAS DE TRABAJO. DIAS DE FIESTA.

FERRO-CARRIL DEL NORTE. DESDE EL 15 DE ABRIL, Y HASTA NUEVO AVISO, LOS TRENES SALDRAN COMO SIGUE. DIAS DE TRABAJO. DIAS FERIADOS.

SAVINGS BANK. BANK MAUS & CO.

The immense advantages of Accounts Current are now so generally felt, and appreciated in the two great emporiums of the River Plate—Montevideo & Buenos Ayres—that there are very few Merchants who fail to keep one in the Bank in which they place their savings.

The Bank of Maus & Co. in Montevideo has already provided for the working class in that city, a safe & profitable depository for their savings.

CONDICIONES. 1st. The Bank receives at interest any sum from Twenty five dollars currency or one silver dollar upwards.

RIVER PLATE STEAM-SHIP COMPANY. LIVERPOOL AND RIVER PLATE DIRECT. NAMES OF STEAMERS. LA PLATA, PARAGUAY, URUGUAY, UNA.

Articles required for Sanitary Commission. 1 inch wide 1 yard long. 2 do 3 do. 3 do 4 do. 4 do 5 do. 5 do 6 do.

FIRE. COMMERCIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY. Capital—\$2,500,000 fully subscribed. Agents for Buenos Ayres and the River Plate, BRANDT SOHN, and CO.

Los Trenes pararán en Palermo y Rivadavia solamente en caso que hubiera pasajeros para esas Estaciones. Los pasajeros que desean ser desembarcados en ellas están en el deber de avisar al Guardia Tren al entrar en los coches.