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BUENOS AYRES, SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1864.

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All folk's audeum nil veri non audeum dicere.—Cicero.

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1864.

NEWS FROM EUROPE.

The news by the Saintonge is very important, and brings dates to the 24th June, from Paris and London.

In England the newspapers are full of the great combat between the Alabama and Kearsage, and the spirit of the nation shows a dangerous warlike tendency. The dissolution of the Danoo-German Conferences at London threatens to place Great Britain among the belligerents.

Some agitation was caused in Ireland by the news of Mr. Smith O'Brien's death, and a meeting was held at Dublin to make a political demonstration at his funeral, when his remains should arrive.

The Paris papers mention the execution of Dr. Pommerais by the guillotine, for having poisoned his mistress. The Mexican prisoners have been set at liberty by order of the Emperor, who has sent several decorations to Egyptian Legion and other corps serving in Mexico.

Affairs in Italy are menacing. Garibaldi has gone to Ischia (Bay of Naples), and rumors are current that secret enlistments are going on through the peninsula.

The Polish rebellion being now suffocated, Russian barbarities are unresisted, and we read of shooting prisoners by the dozen.

Great agitation prevails at Copenhagen, hostilities having actively recommenced, and the inhabitants advise the King to throw himself on the revolutionary party in Europe.

Mr. Mazarredo arrived, via Southampton, at Madrid from Peru, having narrowly escaped assassination by Peruvian patriots.

with the intervention of England the war should remain limited, it would become general should France take part in it.

Prince Conza has been magnificently entertained by the Sultan, who recognizes him as Ruler of Moldo-Wallachia.

The Emperor and Empress of Mexico arrived at Vera Cruz, May 29th, and started at once for the capital, where preparations were making for a splendid reception.

AMERICA.

June 9.

The positions of the armies on the Chickahominy are unchanged. General Grant has commenced siege operations. The hundred day men from the Western States are being sent to the front.

The 'Times' says the British Consul at Baltimore has been arrested, and that his office has been taken possession of by the military.

Despatches from Grant to the 6th report everything going on well. The correspondent of the 'New York Times' reports that Grant made a general attack on Friday morning upon Lee's defences north of the Chickahominy.

The same correspondent asserts that Grant will not renew the attack on Lee's line on the Chickahominy, but will form another combination for the capture of Richmond.

General Sherman's despatches of Monday, the 6th inst, report him on the railroad at Ackworth Station, having full possession forward to within six miles of Marietta.

President Lincoln has accepted Fremont's resignation as major-general. The Republican Presidential Nominating Convention met at Baltimore today.

Secretary Chase has arrived in New York to negotiate a temporary loan. On Sunday and Monday, 5th and 6th inst, the Confederates renewed their attacks on Grant's lines.

The public debt is now seventeen hundred million dollars; the daily expenses of Government are two millions five hundred thousand dollars.

A large Confederate force is reported twelve miles east of Lexington, and another is approaching from Richmond, Kentucky; they are near Falmouth, on the Kentucky Central Railroad, and between Crab Orchard and Stamford.

The Confederates in launches have captured the Federal steamer Water Witch, in Osseban Sound, Georgia.

Money easy. Gold, 98 1/2 per cent. pm. Exchange on London, 217; on Paris, 2.80. Stocks quiet. Cotton advancing; middling uplands, 110 to 112.

FRANCE.

The 'Constitutionnel' of to-day, in an article signed by M. Dimayrac, states that in case hostilities are recommenced England will be compelled to participate in the Danoo-German conflict by her maritime interests in the Baltic.

Paris was thrown into a state of great excitement on Friday week, owing to a rumor that the Emperor had been upset in a boat at Fontainebleau and seriously hurt by a blow on the head.

The last West India Mail has brought intelligence respecting the Emperor and Empress of Mexico. They arrived at Jamaica, where they landed and were shown every courtesy by the Governor.

THE MEXICAN EMPEROR.

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NAVAL ENGAGEMENT.

Destruction of the Alabama.

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throughout the action, which took place some ten miles to the N.E. by E. of Cherbourg. The Alabama made out the harbour, and all hands having been called to quarters Captain Semmes made a short address to the men, cleared for action, and shaped his vessel's course for the Federal.

The yacht now rapidly steamed up, and with the aid of the Kearsage's boats picked up the survivors. The Kearsage was found after the action to be iron-plated by means of heavy iron cables ranged up and down her sides.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

London, June 23, 1864.

We anticipated the reduction in the Bank rate a week too soon, but the last published statement shows the satisfactory position of the Bank, and that a return to 6 per cent. was quite due to the mercantile community.

Since our last report, on the 6th inst., seven vessels have arrived from the River Plate, bringing 70,100 salted ox and cow, and 8800 salted horse

hides, and 1830 pipes of tallow, &c. More animation has been experienced in the market for salted River Plate hides than for some time past.

Sales about 25,000; salted Buenos Ayres heavy ox, 60lbs, at 6 1/2 d. per lb. and 5lbs. tare; light ox, 50lbs, at 6d. per lb., and 4lbs. tare.

An Antwerp circular of 20th June gives the following reports:—The transactions since our public sales are limited to 30 bales Buenos Ayres at firm prices.

Table with 3 columns: Buenos Ayres Stocks, RAILWAYS, and BANKS. Includes items like Northern of B. Ayres, B. A. Great Southern, Central Argentine, London and Brazilian, and New £25 Shares.

The Marseilles sugar market was brisk last week, and large purchases were made by refiners at an advanced price. 800 casks of French West India sugar were sold on the quay at 39f.

BUENOS AYRES ITEMS.

Four missionaries (Protestant) are about to leave England for South America, their expenses being paid by Exeter Hall: the Pacific Steam Company has subscribed £100 a year for the purpose.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

Yesterday was a busy day in town. The morning was ushered in by a salute of sixteen guns which 'woke up' the whole city.

An English gentleman, who has just arrived from Chacomus, represents the camps in those parts as covered with water; the sheep, however, in good condition, and the cattle coming round.

we are glad to say they are safely lodged in prison.

On next Friday the benefit in aid of the United States Sanitary Commission will take place in Colon.

The Duke of San Fernando, who is the Spanish Consul in this city, denies in toto the charges made against him by a paper called the 'Defensor de las Leyes.'

The latest news from Paysandu is, that on the 18th of July the new fort of that town was christened.

We regret to chronicle a sad accident which has occurred in Montevideo in the house of the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Persons who speculate in the Montevideo lottery should take care that they do not buy sham tickets, as two fellows have been arrested for selling forged tickets.

President Mitro has embraced the cause of the Buenos Ayres stock holders in the San Juan Mining Company, and has written a rather sharp letter to Major Rickard and Don Domingo Oro.

We are assured for a fact that, after Mr. Lanus, the man most sincere in his efforts to reform the paper currency is Governor Saavedra, who it is said, night and day is studying the various projects which have been presented to the public on this subject.

We read a rather extraordinary statement in the Reforma Pacifica of the 27th respecting the seizure by Brazil of islands belonging to the Argentine Republic, and which formed part of the province of Corrientes.

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