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# The Montevideo Times

MONTEVIDEO, Nov. 7, 1897.

## NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDEO SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1897.

Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity.— Saints Forentius and Amanthus.—311 days past, 54 to the end of the year.

Neither of the Chambers sat on Friday. This week we may look friday. This week we may look for the opening of the electoral reform question, which should impart some liveliness to parliamentary circles. It will be a sight for gods and men to see a Chamber, practically every member of which owes his seat to a deliberate suffocation of the suffrage discussing and voting the suffrage, discussing and voting an electoral reform that will put an end to the system that gave it birth. That there will be some very wry faces made over this act of political suicide, is certain How-ever, the Chamber has to swalow the pill, whether it likes it or not, for its refusal to do so would only precipitate a dissolution, which in any case, may have to come later on.

At the sitting of the Independent Colorado Committee held on Fri-dey evening, it was finally resoldemonstration in favor of Sr. Cuestas' candidature on Sunday, November 21. Circulars will be addressed to the adherents in the cities of the interior, asking them to organise their meeting for the same day, so that the pro-clamation may be simultaneous throughout the Republic. A mani-festo in favor of the candidature will beaddressed to all the inhabitants of the country, irrespective of party or nationality, asking them to join in nationality, asking them to join in the meeting so as to make it as im-posing as possible. The date has, purposely been fixed so that the meeting may take place before the legislators utter their decision, on the 29th instant, on Dr. Aguirre's famous list of twelve candidates, so that they will not be able to make that they will not be able to make any further pretence of ignorance of the popular desires. It is also noteworthy that, with all the opposition in parliamentary directes—elsewhere there is none—to the Cuestas candidature, not the foliatest attent than hear made the faintest attempt has been made to proclaim an opposition candidate. We hear that a movement is already on foot in business circles to procure the formal adhesion of the commerce of the capital to the proclamation. It was commerce and industry notwith-standing the large foreign ele-ment involved—that gave its most imposing elements to the peace manifestation of August last, and there is no reason why they should not do the same now However, more will be known about matter in the course of the

There continues to be a lively crop of rumors. Among the latest was one that several prominent Chiefs of Battalions and other military Officers had suddenly been consigned to durance vile. Time, however, has already shown that there is no foundation for the story These alarmist rumors

Tezanos, ex-Chief of the Artillery, for his impertinent telegram to the President when relieved from his command, took place on Friday. After due and solemn deliberation, the Council came to the beration, the Council came to the conclusion that Col. Tezanos had been guilty of disrespect but that his offence had been sufficiently purged by the imprisonment already suffered. The doughty Colonel will accordingly be set at liberty forthwith. He is still in the Fortness and was no movel to at Fortress, and was too powell to at tend his trial About the only interesting part of the trial, was the extraordinary fact elicited during its course that, although Col Tezanos is one of the oldest officers on the active list, the Staff Office was una ble to give any report as to his previous conduct!!!

previous conduct!!!

The Government, following its moralising plans, has now ordered an enquiry into the affairs and accounts of the Police Office (Jefa tura) of the Capital previous to the administration of the present Prefect Sr. Rufino Dominguez. The investigators appointed for this task are Sres. A Mañosas hijo and Alfredo Ballesteros.

The Minister of Government has

The Minister of Government has directed a circular to the Prefects of the interior, authorising them to enrol volunteers for military service, extending to them the corresponding contract, and in-forming them that they are entit-led to an enlistment fee of \$20, and to regulation pay free from the iniquitous discounts which have hitherto reduced it to a mockery. This is a really important reform, or it greatly improves the conditions of military service, making it tempting to a better class of men, and also shows the intention of the Government to abandon the iniquitous and illegal system of pressing by violence which assumed such formidable proportions under the late administration, and was a serious motive of discontent, for it destroyed the guarantees of the labouring classes in the camp. Once more the Government has to be warmly congratulated on the course it has adopted.

The Minister of Finance has ordered the publication of the state-ments relative to the Liquidation of the National Bank. The public should now know something more about it than they have hitherto been allowed to do.

The Siglo confirms the statement that restrictions have again be placed on the embarking of passengers in the bay The object is not known, but the measure is an inconvenient one. the measure is an inconvenient one which we hope the Government will not prolong.

The Attempt Against the Brazilian President.

We gather the following fuller information from yesterday's tele-

The attempt occurred at 1 30 p. m. on Friday as the President, accompanied by General Silva Barbazo, who had just returned from Bahia, was entering the War Arsenal. The 1st Battalion of Infantry was on guard, and as the President passed a soldier stepped out from the ranks and fired at out from the ranks and fred at him twice with a revolver, neither shot taking effect. The Minister of War, Marshal Bittencourt, sprang forward and tried to seize the assailant, but the latter rapidly drew a dagger and stabbed the Minister. The weapon appetrated the lungs inflicting a penetrated the lungs inflicting a wound which proved fatal in an hour. Another version is that the assailant used his ba onet and stabbed the Minister four or five times. Col, Moraes brother of the President was also stabbed, one of his wounds being severe. Finally the assail ant was arrested by Major Curius, who also received a slight wound. The criminal proved to be a mulatto, named Marcelino Bispo de Mello, aged 22 or 23 He refuses to reveal the motives for his crime, According to one version several revolver shots were fired at the President's party during the scene but this requires confirmation. The affair created both consternation and indignation in Rio Janeiro. Although not yet so proven, it is gen erally attributed to a conspiracy on part of the Jacobins, or followers of the late dictator Peixote, and who

are in violent oposition to the government of Dr. Moraes (they correspond in great measure to the «collectivistas» here, and are the opponents of hon est and orderly government and the plague of the country, unscrupulous alike in their methods and their aims.) Public mourning has been decreed for eight days, and the murdered Minister, a man of high character, will be given a state funeral. Dr. Moraes, whose government has the support of the better and more conservative

«An Evening with the Poets.» The following is the full programme of the literary and musical entertainment, An Evening with the Poets, to be given at the Lafone Memorial Hall on Wednesday evening next under the auspices of the Enworth League

evening next under the auspices of the Epworth League —

1. Piano solo, Miss Miles.—

2 Descriptive Poetry; «The Brook.»

Tennyson; «The Cloud.» Shelley; «Dreamland.» E. A. Poc. — 3.

Song, Miss Miller.—4. Religious Poetry; «The Legend Beautiful.»

Longfellow, «The Last Man.»

tampbell.—5. Song, Mr. T. Bour se.—6. Narrative Poetry, «The Day Dream (The Sleeping Beauty) Tennyson.—Interval.

7. Mandoline Duet, Mrs. R. C. Coates and Miss Sagehorn.—8.

Gems from Shakespeare, «Seven

Coates and Miss Sagehorn.—8.
Gems from Shakespeare, «Seven
Ages of Man;» «Polonius' advice to
Laerles;» «Mercy;» «Queen Mab,»
«Wolsey's Farewell;» «Benedick
on Love.»—9. Glee, «May-Day.»—
10. Pathetic Poetry, «The Bridge
of Sighs. Hood; «The Cry of the
Children,» Mrs. E. B. Browning.—11. Song, Miss Miller.—12.
Humorous Poetry, «The Goose,»
Tennyson; «John Gilpin's Ride,»
Couper.

The poetical selections are in charge of Mr W. H. Denstone. The function will commence at 815. Tickets have been reduced to 30 cents each.

## British Hospital.

Hospital Report for the month of October, 1897. —

Patients remaining in the Hos-

Patients remaining in the Hospital on 30th Sept., 15: Admitted during October 17;—Outdoor patients 11; —total 43.

Patients discharged during October, 11; —Deaths 2; —Remaining in Hospital on 31st. October, 19; —total, 32.

Deaths —Policarpo Correa, Brazilian 56; entered the Hospital October 11 and died the same night; cancer of the stomach.—Jaime Fernandez y Luaces, Spaniard; entered Sept 1, died October 19; tubercolosis pulmonar.

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## Can Gold be Made?

If Dr. Stephen H. Emmens, of New York, a well-known American chemist, whose explosive, «emmensite,» has been adopted by the U. S. Government for the coast defences, is not deceived by his own researches, the «philosopher's stone» has been discovered at last, and it is possible to manufacture gold from silver. Dr. Emmens declares that the U.S. Bureau of Assays, which corresponds to our Mint, has bought an ingot of his artificial goldfor coining purposes. The new gold has the appearance and weight of natural gold, and the whiskey bar.—Hospital. for that metal. Yet it is made from silver by a process which the discoverer keeps ascere at present. He only discloses the fact that, by a chemical treatment of silver, he prepares a new substance called arrest and the silver of the silver argentaurum, which appears to be an intermediate chemical stage between silver and gold A further treatment of the argentaurum pro-duces gold itself Unluckily for Dr. Emmens, from a pecuniary point of view, this artificial gold is manufac tured at a slight loss, so that his aphilosopher's stone white a good many other things that are largely sought, is hardly worth the pains of finding out.

Supporting Powers of the Soil. An important subject about which very little experimental information is on record is that of the supporting power of soils, but recently the city engineer of Vienna has taken up the investigation and designed an instrument for exact measurement, and also a practical apparatus for the use of builders and bridge builders, says the Railway Review. He has ascertained that up to a certain limit the depth to which a given loaded area sinks is directly proportional to the load is directly proportional to the load which it bears, and this limit should in no case be exceeded. His apparatus consists of a base plate and cylinder into which a plunger is fitted and upon which weight can be placed corresponding successively to uniform pressure per unit of area. The corresponding sinking of the plunger into soil is then very precisely measured by a micrometer upon a multiplying column. For practical use of build ers this apparatus is replaced by a rod carrying a divided head, upon which a tube containing a spiral spring is fitted. The end of the rod is provided with a number of tips for the story These alarmistrumors may generally be traced to <a href="text-align: left;">the story These alarmistrumors may generally be traced to <a href="text-align: left;">the better and more conservative of various determined areas, in classes, has been warmly congratulated on his escape. If it even for a few days They would not be bappy unless creating alarm or mistrustan one form or another. The trial by the Permanent Council of War, of Colonel Zenon.

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ARE ATHLETES HEALTHY? The athlete is so popular a person that we need not be surprised at the interest taken in the question, is he healthy? If by an athlete is meant a strained man, one answer to the question is immediately obvious, viz., that whether he is healthy or not his health is not due to his training. If a demand arose, as in fact it does arise in military service, for men of endurmilitary service, for men of endurance, of considerable muscular strength, of great and varied digestive capacity, able to bear exposure, starvation, and attackst of infectious illness with the leas

of infectious filness with the leas possible disturbance, and all the time fit for the exercise of the highest intelligence, then the training which produced such men would without doubt be conducive to health. But the training which athletes undergo does not even aim at such a condition. not even aim at such a condition. Its whole object is to produce the greatest possible output of muscular energy, to apply it with the utmost exactitude in a given direc-tion, and at the same time to develop a state of body as to weight &c which suall conform to certain rules. The routine by which these results can be most readily obtained is, no doubt, effectual for its purpose -but that purpose is not the production of health. An athlete, then, although often a very healthy man, by no means obtains his health by virtue of his training. Quite the opposite, in fact. Those who by build and constitution require severe regimens and training to make them fit for and training to make them fit for athletic work, and who drop out of condition as soon as they cease to train, may really suffer in health from the process-in the case of jockeys and others who train for weight they often do suffer very severely—while others who are always fairly fit may even benefit by the course. But when we come

to consider what, in these record breaking days, an athlete has to do, both in his sports and in his practice (if we may draw a distincion between the practice and the regimen of his training), we are quite clear that the life of an athlete does not tend to health. We quite admit that a large number of healthy middle aged and even old men are to be met with who have ardently indulged in athletics in their earlier years, but the fact that athletic sports are chiefly at-tractive to the strong and healthy makes the athletes so select a class that no comparison can be fairly drawn between them and the average man. Athletes are healthy be-cause they are select, not be cause they are athletic. On the other hand, when we come to compare them with the average men we must remember that average men have many vices. We would not urge a young man to become an athlete in the modern sporting sense, but perhaps he had better even do that than oscillate between

## Passengers.

Arrived by R. M. S. «Magda-lena,» from Southampton, etc., November 6.—Dr. Alberto Nin and Miss Nin, Mr. P. E. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. J. D Ritchie and family. Miss Chaplin. 24 third

## Holy Trinity Church.

Nov 7.—XXI Sunday after Trinity.

9.45 a. m.—Ohildren's Service.

11 a. m.—Matuns and sermon.—Vestite.
65.—Psalms. 66 to 63.—Te Daun.
Garrett.—Benedicus, Garrett.—Hymns,
269. 290, 817.

12.15 a. m.—Holy Communion.
8 p.m.—Evensong and sermon.—Psalms.
69.—Magnifical, Wood ward.—Nunc Dimittis, Monk.—Hymns, 184, 164, 24
Anthem.—

Anthem, -- Off-rings.--Poor relief At Children's Service, Church of England Society for providing homes for Waifs and Strays.

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Sunday School 12.30 p. m.
Evening Service 7 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursdays at 7 p. m.

Salvation Army. Spanish meetings are now held at Calle General Liniers 200a every evening ex-cept Tuesday at 8 p. m. and every Sunday at 8 a, m. aud 8 p. m. Capt. Bornand.

SUNDRIES -We publish to-day a short article from yet another medical journal on the question of health and athletic training. So far as we have yet seen, the concensus of present scientific opinion seems to be practically unanimous against the present system of athletic training, and to regard it as de trimental to rather than productive of genuine health and strength. Possibly the publication of these opinions, the weight of which cannot be ignored, may do some-thing to destroy the excess of superstitious idolatry with which Englishmen have come to regard athletic pursuits in recent years, and which is to be deplored for many reasons. There can be no question that athletics have been greatly overdone and overrated, and that, as in many other things, whilst they are excellent in moder-ation, there is mischief in the pre-

the ascent of the new balloon construted of aluminium by its inventor, Schwarz, took place on the plain of Tempelhof on Thursday morning. The balloon rose without any difficulty to a height of 430 metres, when it began to descend and then went in pieces. The occupant, Jagel, succeeded in saving

himself
—The New Committee of the
English Literary Society of Buenos
Aires is as follows:—Emilio Hansen, President; W. Chevob, Vice
President; W. Munro, Hon. Treasurer, S. Cheetham, Hon. Secretary
H. A. Wyatt, Hon. Librarian;
G. S. Edmunds, Hon. Director of
Entertainments: Russell, Smith G. S. Edmunds, Hon. Director of Entertainments; Russell, Smith, Hon. House Steward; Rev. Dr. Mc-Laughlin, A. Watson Hutton, M. A., Ernest Tipping, F. C. Calas-treme, M Sundt. —There is a vast difference be-tween recognising that a Govern-ment is not faultless and being in corposition to it. There is also a

opposition to it. There is also a difference between criticising a Government for errors of judgement or of procedure, and censuring it for lapses of honesty. (Referred to the telegraphic correspondent of

-A Rome telegram states that there have just been found in the archives of the Vatican several imarchives of the Valican several important manuscripts bearing the date of the year 150 of the Christian era and making allusion to a communication sent by Pontius Pilate to the Emperor Tiberius with regard to the crucificion of Jesus Christ. The authentic communication from Pilate to Tiberius, referred to, has not yet been found. referred to, has not yet been found, although a note on one of the man-uscripts leads to the belief that it is still in the archives of the Va-tican.—The importance of this dis-covery cannot be overrated where t is remembered that so far no references to the life or doings of Jesus have been found in contemporaneous official or historical

-Referring to our remarks on the silence of the native River Plate press over the visit of an English Commercial Commission, as compared with the exaggerated fuss made over the visit of the N. American Commercial Commission, the Times of Argentina says as follows—«There is a certain amount of truth in the statement, but for all that, it is not necessary for the suc-cess of the Board of Trade Comcess of the Board of Trade Com-mission. to be "puffed" by the River Plate press. Furthermore, it is not probable that the re-sult of the visit of the Com-mission here will be impaired by its being over looked by the Argentine press. The Argentines, for some time past, have been em-bittered by the success of British enterprise here, and have tried on enterprise here, and have tried on various occasions to «sit» on British undertakings, probably because the creditors of the Argen-tine Republic are for the most part British. The Argentines not having the office, the billiard-room, and any spite against the Americans, welcomed the United States Commission in a frantic manner, but it is improbable that they will enthuse over their British visitors. A creditor is seldom sure of a welcome.

> —Dean Swift was somewhat eccentric as a preacher, and often chose strange texts. Top-knots were in fashion in his day, and a lady who attended his ministra-tions made herself obnoxious to him by the elaboration and brilliance of her head dress. Privates ar-casm being unheeded, the Dean preached a serinon against such adornments, taking as his text, the words «Top (k)not come down.» The text will be found in Matthew xxiv. 17: «Let him which is on the

xxiv. 17: «Let him which is on the house-top not come down.»

—Athletic in erest today wil be centered on the Cricket match between M. V. C. C. and C. U. R. C. at the Blanqueada field. We are sorry to say that the weather yesterday was decidedly threatening. Somehow it generally is the day before a Sunday or a is the day before a Sunday or a

holiday.

The Armenians believe that no foot of mortal man has ever trod the summit of Ararat since the days when Noahdescended from the ark. The eye of faith still beholds the wreck of that venerable craft perched upon the snowy summy of the mountain. Saint Jacob, so the tale runs, often looked upon the ark from the valley, and had a holy desire to worship it. He set out to climb the mountain, but when only half way up a deep sleep came upon him, and when he awoke he was at the bottom. This occurred three times. But in reward for his faithful and saintly endeavour an angel brought him a plank of the veritable ark. And it is this plank which is now shown as a precious relic in a monastry near the base of the moun-

He was dressed like a farmer, and he looked enquiringly at the clerk behind the counter of our chief post office, and pointed pantomim cally to a bundle of letters the latter was sorting. «What name \*\* asked the clerk, «Louder,» cried the agriculturist. Supposing

clerk repeated his query in a tone calculated to wake the dead. But the man only smiled an un-meaning smile, and said «Louder» The clerk took a long breath, and the yell that followed startled even the phlegmatic husbandman. «No offence, sir, I hope? Yes, that's my name—Louder, sir » «Oh ah!» said the clerk; «I never thought of that. Yes; here's a letter.»

that. Yes, here's a letter.

The marriage of Mr. N. Cranstoun and Miss Davie will be celebrated to-morrow evening at the Lourdes Chapel, at 9 p. m. The event is one of great interest in English social circles, the charming bride being a very general favorite. We take this opportunity of expressing our most hearty good wishes.

An interesting programme is

An interesting programme is offered at the Solis Theatre this evening consisting of the operetta «Lili» and the comedietta «Une Fille Terrible.»

-A Berlin telegram states that electricity (system not specified) has been adopted for the locomotives on the railway from Berlin to Potsdam.—A Berlin telegram later than the one quoted elsewhere states that the trial trip of the navigable aluminium balloon on Friday was a partial success. It is certain, then, that it could not have burst on Thursday.

### LONDON NOTES

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8.

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Deputations from the Corporation of Edinburgh, the University of Edinburgh, and the Church of Scotland waited on the Queen yesterday at Balmoral, and presented congratulatory addresses on her Diamond Jubilee on the part of those bodies. Her Majesty made gracious replies. At the close of the proceedings Lord Provost McDonald and Mr. J. Cheyne, Q.C., Procurator of the Church of Scotland, received the honour of knight. land, received the honour of knight

The Duke of Devonshire yesterday laid the foundation stone of the Diamond Jubilee Chapel in connec-tion with the Giggleswick school. In the course of a brief address he expressed the hope that secondary schools would shortly receive more attention from the general public than hitherto. Secondary schools shouldbe the founders of that system of technical training which was becoming more essential to the continual prosperity, and even the existence of this country. Instead of being founders of that system, they had in many instances been found to be insufficient in principle and inadequate in character. While England had some of the best, she had also some of the worst se-condary schools to be found in

Lord George Hamilton, speak-ing at the final meeting of the In-dian Famine Fund, held at the Mansion House yesterday, under the chairmanship of the Lord May-or, said that the famine, the most serious of the century, was now gradually leaving the territories of India. He hoped that upon the re-ports to be furnished of the Gov. ernment action in connection with the administration of the relief funds that when India was next visited by a similar calamity the improvement in the administration would be as great as that of this famine had been upon the one

which occurred twenty years ago.

Speaking at Macclesfield last
evening on Christian Socialism, ed that Christian principles must influence business and pleasure, home and foreign relations, the action of the State, and the action of individuals, and must impress upon the holders of every species of property and power the idea of trusteeship.

Amongst the addresses delivered at yesterday's session of the Bap tist Union at Plymouth was one by the Rev. G. Hawker on the attitude of Baptists towards Romanism. They were, he declared, as good Protestants as ever, although their temper had grown milder; but they were determined at all hazards to uphold the Protestant succession to the throne-an announcement which was received with loud applause. While they fully believed in the principles of civic freedom he declined to go so far as to say that such privileges as public money for educational purposes should be given to Papists.

Religious teaching in the Field lane Day Industrial School was discussed yesterday at the meeting of the School Board for London. It was decided that correspondence on the subject should be forwarded to the Home Secretary, and that in the meantime the children should be sent to the school in the ordinary course. Mr. D. H. Kyd, a ary course. Mr. D. H. Kyd, a barrister, was elected a member of the Board for Westminster in place of the late General Sim, and Mr. Francis Hawes was chosen to till the vacancy in Hackney caused by the resignation of Mr. Fiennes.

The annual provincial meeting of the Incorporated Law Society was continued at Shelfield yesterday, when the year's report was presented. Papers were read on Dilatory Defences, Registration of Debentures, Prisoners as Witness-es, Libel and Slander, and County

Court Procedure. At yesterday's sittings of the National United Temperance Con-vention, held at the Memorial Hall, the two subjects discussed were, .How to prevent addition and obtain reduction in licensed facilities for drinking and How to secure a better enforcement of the licen-

Yesterday, at the resumed Con-rese of Ridway Servants at Ply-Salto.

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mouth, Mr. Harford announced that he had decided to accept the pension which had been offered to him on his deposition from the position of general secretary on the previous day, as the state of his health would preclude him from seeking re-election. Speakers who followed bore testimony to the value of Mr. Hadferd's services on behalf of the railway men, and it was decided to start a testimonial on his behalf. pension which had been offered to

The boilermakers of East London have practically become the pivot on which the future development on the engineering dispute turns. For five years they have had an eight hours day, and now they have been ordered to revert to nine hours by the Ship Repairers' As-sociation. It remains to be seen whether their executive will support the men in their resistance of this order. If so, the Federated trades with their 200,000 members

### COMMERCIAL

No improvement in business. Pri-ces were weak and with a falling inclination at first, but closed rather

Treasury Certificates \$ 2500 Ang at 83 and 8270, \$4100 June at 87 to 86.70; \$10,000 May at 90 for end of month; \$4000 April at 92 to 92.20; \$2000 March at 94.90; \$2000 Fab.

41.40 and 41.30. closing 41.30 cash, 41.60 and 41.50, closing 41.60 and of month. London quotation 40 7/8, 41 1/8 and 41 1/4.

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-Exchange upon London was quoted in Rio Janeiro yesterday at 77/32 to 1/4 d. per milreis. Jerked beet 800 to 1060 reis per kilo. Stock

kilos, according to class.

Gold, cash, 277.70. Do. end of month, 277.30. Cedulas G Nacionales, cash, 85.50. Cedulas 8%, Provinciales, 17.60. Do. P. cash, 17.80.

74.50

Consolidada Interna of 1894, cash,

Gas Argentino, cash, 138. Gas Primitivo cash, 190. Puerto B. Aires, cash, 25. The «Venus» sails.

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PARIS will leave Nov. 8 for B., Aires and Salto, Hours as above.

The strs. COMERCIO and

The str. DUUA DI GALLIERA will leave Nov. 9 for Las Palmas, Barcelons and Genos. Correspon-dence at G. P. O. till 10 s. m. mari-

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inclination at first, but closed rather firmer. Sales as follows.

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-The Custom House paid into the London Bank yesterday \$7480 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$914 on account of the 5% Loan service.

—Gold opened in B. Aires yester-day at 276.20 and closed at 276.50. 1,950,000 kilos.

- Wool rather quiet. Some 63,000 kilos sold at \$2.20 to 2.65 per 10

Buenos Aires, Nov. 6, 1897.

Certificados Banco de la Provin-cia, cash, 3480.

Emprestito Municipal, 1897, cash, Fondos Públicos 1892, cash, 75.80.

Consolidada de Santa Fé, cash,

Muelles La Plata, Dec. 31, 9. Mercado de Frutos, La Plata, Nov. 8, 3.

# **AMUSEMENTS**

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Montevideo, Nov. 6, 1897. -Str. Eolo from B. Aires, 108

-Str. Portugal from La Plata,

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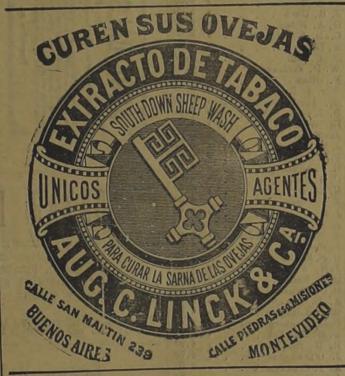
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(Continued) She passed on to the couch and gave him her hand. He looked up at her

with a curious, searching gaze as he took it in both of bis. «It is good of you to come,» he eaid, in a low tone. «I was alraid you would not.»

Her colour deepened a little.

«I am so glad you are better,» she said hastily. «I have had reports every day, although I have not seen

you » He leaned from his sofe and pull-

ed up a low, light chair.

«Sit down,» he said, «and let me look at you as we talk. It will do me more good than anything.»

Alys was certainly wonderfully pretty, Norman thought. After all, it was a thousand pities that she had married Shute. None of the other girls be had honoured with his attentions was a fitted all. tentions were fit to hold a candle to her. Also, in old days, she had shown a very sensible appreciation of himself.

«I am very grateful for all your kindness,» he said. «Nurse will tell you what an obedient patient l've been in return for it. Haven't I,

Except that you insisted on getting up to see Mrs. Shute to-day. You ought bardly to have had visitors quite so soon, » she responded, with a smile.

«Oh, but Mrs. Shute and I are old friends. She is not like any one

The nurse looked at Alys. «Perhaps, madam, you would not mind taking obarge of Mr. Norman for a quarter of an hour? He will not want anything, and I should like to walk as far as the lodge gates and

«Do,» replied Norman promptly.
«You are terribly tied with me. Mrs.
Shute, I won't give you more trouble than I can help.»

Alys glanced at her watch.

A little air will do you good,
Mrs. Teller, she said kindly, cbut
I am afraid I cannot stay more than twenty minutes. Of course, you will be relieved by the housekeeper, as usual, this afternoon.»

Mrs Teller lost no time in leaving the room, and as she did so, Norman turned to hiscompanion with a reliev-

«Now we can talk,» he said «Alys, you can't expect me quite to behave as an ordinary acquaintance. Just tell me this: why did you throw me over? I dever gave you cause.» Perhaps his conscience here gave

Perbaps his conscience here gave an uneasy twinge, recalling one or two extremely pronounced flirtations during the months preceding his supposed death. However, it was a pliable and well trained conscience, and speedily subsided on the assurance that as Alys could not possibly have heard of these little affairs, thay furnished her with no excuse. they furnished her with no excuse.

\*Don's you know, " she said, s1—I thought you were dead — the loss of the 'Barton Tower,' you know. I —

the Barton Tower, you know. 1—
waited more than a year.

"It was a miracle I escaped."
he replied gloomily. "I was
picked up and taken to Australia,
knocked about there trying to
make a fortune for you, Alys,
and then came home to find you
married, and getsmashed up myself.
It's a thousand pities the smash
wasn's a little more complete."
The girl's gentla eves grew misty.

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«Don't talk about it,» she said.

«You're not strong enough, and it

oan do no good now.»
«No. For the matter of that, nothing will do meany good now. Alys, have you been happy all this time?» He laid his hand pleadingly on her knee, bis bandsome blue eyes looking up into here.

«You have no right to ask ma such a question! I married my hus-band, honouring him with all my heart, and if I am to see you at all, you must remember what is due to bim and me.»

The rebuke was very gentle—he looked too pathetically ill for it to be anything else; but he was penitent

«Forgive me,» he said. «I would not offend you for the world. You know your triendship is all 1 have left to me. Won't you tell me a little about some of the people I need to know here? How are the Broads? I suppose they are in London now?»

She was pleased with his instant submission. Her husband was not easily turned from anything be wished to say or do and she liked the feeling of possessing such a power over this man. They chatted for some little time of mutual acquaintances, and she finally read him a poem by a new writer whom she greatly admired. Norman was always fond of poetry. When the nurse came back, she left him, promising to come again the next day, and went away with the comforting conviction, which increased as the days went on, that she was strong enough to keep him easily whitin bounds.

One afternoon, however, this conviction received a severe shock. She was sitting alone with him. They had been talking of many things, but with the gathering darkness, silence had fallen on them. She was leaning back in her chair, gazing absently at the dancing fire flames; his look was turned the other way, his eyes ap-parently studying the soft curves of her face, the little light tendrils of flutfy hair that strayed over her forehead, and the hands that looked so small and white lying idly on he

Suddenly a cinder fell from the grate with a rattle, and she came back to the present with a slight start. «You are talking of leaving us,» she said, shut I doubt if Dr. Ford will allow so long a journey yet. Have you asked him?»

«No. Still, I've been here an unconscionable time.»

«It was hardly an arrangement of your own choice,» Alys said, laugh-

"No, but——»

He hesitated a minute, and glanding at himself in a mirror opposite, pulled his tie a little straighter—her gaze had returned to the fire—then he went on hurriedly: «I have done my best not to trans-gress, but I can't go on much longer,

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