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The Montevideo Times

Montevideo, Dec. 30, 1897.

NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDED

THURROAY, DECEMBER 30, 1887. The Termslation of St. James. Saint Sabinus - 864 days past, 1 to the end of the year.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The political crisis still hangs fire, and indeed seems once more nclined to fizzle out without any thing particular happening Ac-cording to the latest ver-sions current, Sr. Cuestas will revoke the terrible Decree of deportation on Friday, Dr. Herrera and companions will return on Saturday, the Ministers are quite conformable and will not en hint of resigning, the military arade which was to intimid e the «collectivity» will be put off, there will be no «rumpus,» and everything will go on smoothly and harmoniously—until next time. How much of this charming programme is true we will not undertake to say. The muddle has arrived at such a pitch that even conjecture is impossible, nor is it sale to criticise when the current of avents may have changed hafter events may have changed before one's words are in print. We will

Respecting the military parade on the 1st, to which considerable political significance had been attached, yesterday's Dia asserts that it has been indefinitely postponed, the excuse being a deficiency of gala uniforms. Our other conof gala uniforms. Our other con-temporaries, however maintain that it is going to take place, and even give details of the arrangements.

Another matter which seems to be indefinitely postponed is the proposed «Colorado» Convention in the support of Sr. Cuestas. This has given his opponents occasion to say that it is postponed merely to avoid a fiasco.

The Representatives were convoked for Tuesday but no quorum ed. In the last two months they have held but one sitting -which has therefore cost the country some \$120,000; rather expensive legislation. The Message of the Executive reminding them of the ne

cessity of discussing electoral re form was referred to Committee. Its text has not yet been published. The new Minister of War General Castro has not made his ap-pearance yet, and it is not even cer-tain whether he will arrive to day He seems in no nurry to assume nis post, but we suppose he will come eventually.

It is now announced that converfor March will not commence until the 5th proximo, Wednesday next.

About the same time issue will commence of the Certificates corresponding to December, so there will still be ten months'

Certificates in circulation
Yesterday's Nacional makes the
uncomfortable statement that the cherrerists, are engaged in a fresh attempt to suborn the military to mutiny against the Government and the people. It adds, however, that the Government is fully aware of their little tricks and will frustrate them without difficulty.

Yesterday's Dia repeats a statement current in Buenos Aires to the effect that the Doctors have found Dr. Julio Herrera to be suf-

ing the patience of his countrymen > There may be some truth in the report, for we learn from another source that Dr. Herrera's physicians in Buenos Aires recommend
him to stay under their care some
little time longer, and not to return
to Montevideo, even if the Decree
of deportation be revoked Should
he do so, it is said that Dr. Brian
will remain with him. We can very

Well spare them both.

Yesterday's Tribuna reproaches
Sr. Cuestas with condiderable bitterness for having roused great
public hopes of political reform
and reactionary government, only
to dash them to the ground
again. He undertook a rôle (it
would be more accurate to say
that it was thrust on him by
the force of circumstances, which that it was thrust on him by the force of circumstances) which he is not capable of fulfilling, and put himself at the head of a popu-lar movement, without consulting his forces and faculties, which he himself is now trying to detain in the middle of the road with the in the middle of the road with the natural conflict of forces and con fusion. When Sr. Cuestas came into power, Dr. Julio Herrera was playing a very interior part but the former's vacillations and weaknesses and his attempts to transact with political corruption and immorality, instead of constitutions and weaknesses are the political corruption and immorality, instead of constitutions than vivorously have given Dr. Herrera just the op-portunity he required, and he is now the dominant factor once now the dominant factor once more. Sr. Cuestas, considers the Tribuna is lost; but he has succeeded in raising an unusually powerful current of public opinion which will not easily be lulled, and which, if he is not careful, he may some day find turned against himself. There is a good deal of bitter truth in all this.

Rumors are again freely current of the resignation of the Prefect of Police Sr. Dominguez. This would be a matter of general regret, as he and the Minister of Government Mr. MacEachen are now looked upon as the two bulwarks of the popular cause, and while they remain in their posts there is still room for hope.

According to a telegram from Salto yesterday alternoon, the new Minister of War will not be here until Saturday morning.

SERVICE OF PUBLIC DEBTS. etc.

The Treasury has made arrangements for the following operations in service of the Public Debts etc -Dec. 31. Payment to the Mort-gage Bank of interests on the Gua-rantee Debt for the 14th quarter, \$37,834. - Payment to the French Legation of the 28th amortisation

of the French Debt \$50,000.

Jan. 3. Payment of interests on Italian Debt for 48th semester and Interior Unified Debt for 24th quarter; \$6848.75 and \$64,698.50 respectively Also, interest on Brazilian loan for 14th quarter, \$42.

Jan. 5 48th amortisation of the Italian Debt, with a sinking fund of \$30,000

Jan 15 .- 6th amortisation of the Guarantee Debt, with a sinking fund of \$43 664 Also, 7th amorti-sation of the Brasilian Loan with a

sinking fund of \$20,287 50.

The above operations implicate a sum of \$368.792

On Jan 3 the Mortgage Bank will pay in cash the coupon of the Mort gage Bonds series E for the half year now concluding, and will convert in cash the Bonds emitted in pay-ment of the Coupons of interests on Cedulas and Mortgage Bonds Se-ries A, B, C and D, due on June 30th, as arranged with the holders. It will also deliver the new Bonds in payment of the coupons expiring December 31st.

THE MONTEVIDEO ASSETS COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Fifth Ordinary General Meeting of this Company was held at 52 Moorgate Street, E. C., on Thursday, November 18.

Proceedings being opened, the Chairman, Mr. Thomas Farrell,

As usual, Gentlemen, I assume you will take the Report and Ac counts as read. That being so, and before moving their adoption, I would ask you to follow me while I refer to one or two items in the Balance Sheet. You will notice that the balance of Debentures out that the balance of Debentures out standing at the end of August last, at the close of our financial year, was £35,000 At the end of the previous year it was £61,000; therefore the amount redeemed during the year under review was £26,000. Since then £7,000 have been paid off, leaving at this moment only £23,000 of Debentures outstanding. This I consider very satisfactory.

satisfactory, The other liabilities are; Debenture Interest accrued but since paid, £704 17s 3d; Sundry Creditors in London and Montevideo, £1102 3s; Income and expenditure £733

The first two items require no fering from cancer in the throat, a disease which would prove mortal in a short period. The Dia hopes personally that it is not true, but advises him in any case to try a voyage to Europe and to leave off true. advises him in any case to try a voy-age to Europe and sto leave off try- was a balance on the other side of

£745 12s. 10d, or, in other words, a balance to the debit of the account of that sum. On the Assets side. of that sum. On the Assets side, you will observe the properties sold during the year realized £28 453 11s. 5d. This makes the sum received for properties sold, up to the closing of the Accounts, £227,211 5s 8d.

Capital Expenditure on properties in £227 15s 11d height an in-

ties is £937 15s. t1d., being an increase during the year of £61 16s.
od. Bills Receivable and Cash in
London and Montevideo £9 566
bs. 5d. Sundry Debtors £7 13s
7d. and Preliminary Expenses,
£4 240 6s. od. This last item the previous year stood at £5,300 7s 6d., and you will observe £1,060 1s, has been written off to Income and Expenditure Account, as per

The Income and Expenditure Account shows a credit balance of £2,539 9s. 9d.; this is the balance of Income over Expenditure for the year, and the amount at the credit of this account as per Balance Sheet, is £733 15s. 5d., which we carry forward after writing off the debit balance of last year £745 12s. 10d. and 20 per cent. of the Preliminary Expenses £1.060. Is 6d. inary Expenses. £1,060 1s. 6d. This confirms my anticipations, because you will perhaps remem ber I told you, when I had the pleasure of addressing you at our last Meeting, that I anticipated we should be able to write off the then balance of the Income and Expenditure Account, and a substantial amount of the Preliminary Expenses out of the Income of this year. I think you will agree that this is

As to the remaining Assets, if it had not been for the unfortunate state of things in Uruguay caused by the Revolution, and a bad har-vest owing to the locusts, I shink we should have made better progress with realizations during the year than we have done; never-theless, we have done very well in that respect, and have no real cause to complain under the cir cumstances. We still hold some very valuable Assets, and during the current year I hope to see a fair proportion of them realized to ad vantage. The Revolution is now over, and although political matters may not settle down until atter the next President in elected and the new President is elected and takes office next March, I have every hope there will be no further trouble of that nature for a long time. That, however, will depend upon a good man being elected as President to the satisfaction of all parties. From what we know of the coming crops, although locusts have appeared in some parts of the country there is reason to expect they will be good. As I have said before, the question of realizing our assets has constant attention, and no favourable opportunity to realize them will be lost. The final result of the liquidation of the assertion. result of the liquidation of the assets continues as promising as last year, when I informed you that, there should be a substantial sum to divide among the Shareholders If any Shareholders wish to ask any questions I shall be pleased to answer them if not, I will move

The Report and Accounts were then adopted unanimously Mr. T. Farrell, who retired by rotation, was reelected a Director of the Company, and Messrs. J. H. Duncan and Co. were reelected auditors. The meeting then closed.

the adoption of the Report and Ac-

Races.

Owing to some of the horses hav ing pair forfeit a change has been made in the handicaps of three of the forthcoming events, which ac-cordingly now stand as follows. -

Premio Camors. -Toreaz 61 ki-los, Liebre 56 La Canonera 59, Pi-loto 59, Zahori 58, Dona Sol 58, Dictator 59 Azteca 57, Arnolina

Premto Artois—Alea 60 kilos, Casta 59, Centella 59. Arnolina 58, Esclavo 58, Mussette 56 Rebec ca 51, Silvia 55. Primero 55, Nan gapire 69, Croupier 50, Hecatombe

Premio Cacique-Dictador 60 kilos. Graciela 59, Revoltoso, 58 Azteca 53, Dona Sol 58, Liebre 57, Regalada 55, Junot 55, Spartacus 54 Sapho 48

The auctions will be opened this

Holy Trinity Church.

Holy Trinity Church.

Jan. 1.—Circumcision. New Year's Day.

8.15 s. m.—Holy Communion.

9.30 a m. Matins. Hymns, 72, 289.

Off rings.—Poor relief.

Jan. 2.—2nd 'sunday after Christmas.

9.30 a. m.—Chidren's 'service.

It a. m.—Matins and sermon.—Verile,

4.—Psalms, 15, 16.—Te Deum, Goss.

Benedicius, darrett.—Hymns, 73, 283,

81.—Kyrie E eison. 1.

12.15 p.m. Holy Communion.

8 p.m.—Evensong and sermon.—Psalms,

18, 19.—Magnikodt, 164.—Nunc Dimitits, Wesley.—H mns 175, 165, 197, 17.

Offerings.—Poor relief.

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SUNDRIES

On further enquiry into the affair of the mariner Buller of H.M.

S. Basilisks, said to har been matreated by the police mentioned in our last, we learn that he was a deserter whose arrest had been requested by the British Consul on behalf of the Commander and that he made violent mander, and that he made violent resistance to the police. At the same time there is no doubt that he was roughly treated, and was rather badly hurt. It may be said then that there are faults on both

police -as yesterday's Siglo does again, -for rough treatment of mariners, but the blame is not all on their side. These mariners, especially when excited by drink, are difficult and dangerous customers to deal with; they have little or no respect for the police of a foreign country, they do not understand the language, and they are generally powerful, muscular men, handy with their fists and practised boxers. The police here, on the other hand, are mostly physically infe rior-some of them are mere puny youths-have no knowledge of boxing, and are therefore driven in self-defence to use the only weaon provided them their cutlasses We do not deny that the use of the cutlass is very objectionable, and we could well wish to see the police armed in some other manner but as matters stand there is no other way out of the difficulty. It must also be remembered that the thankless and dangerous task of arresting deserters is no part of the duties of the police here, but is merely undertaken by their out of courtesy. The police are not, as a rule, the first assailants, and they cannot be blam-ed for answering violence with violence, within certain limits, -this would be done in any part of the world. The mariners who resist and assault them -gen erally *black sheep, by the way -provoke their own punishment and get little more than they deserve. What is far less excusable, in our opinion, is the rough ness and coarseness frequently shown by the police to mere by standers. This should be checked

without delay.

—We regret to state that the British Minister Mr. Waltor Baring has been laid up for several days with a rather severe liver attack, brought on by the hot

-A Buenos Aires telegram announces the death of the wellknown operatic impresario Sr,
Angel Ferrari, who had been
seriously ill for some time past,
but was recently reported
convalescent. He restrict to rest at 11 p. m. on Tuesday and yesterday morning was tound dead in his bed. - For some 30 years operatic impresario of the Rihas been severely criticised by the press, there is no question that he brought out some very powerful companies, and made us ac-quainted from time to time with the most prominent figures of European lyric and dramatic art, and the newest productions of the operatic stage, which he mounted in lavish style. The sums passing through his hands for salaries and expenses must have been enorm ous. We doubt it any impresario will be found to follow him on the

same scale. -The death occurred on Tuesday evening, after a rapid illness, of the veteran Italian physician Dr. Saverio Aulicini. During his long residence in this country he had conquered general esteem both on account of his medical skill and his high character and social qualities, and his loss is sincerely lamented by a large circle of all nationalities His funeral took place yesterday after noon with an enormous attendance. He leaves no family in this cuntry, his only son being in Europe -The clever comedian Sr. Ca valli takes his benefit at the San

Felipe Theatre this evening, and the programme includes that screaming piece Albergo del Libero Scambio, otherwise known as The Hotel of Free Exchange also as A Night Out. This should be sufficient to fill the should be sufficient to fill the theatre, despite the heat. The programme concludes with «Minestrone, which is a parody of «Trovatore.»

Salvation Army.

Spanish meetings are now held at Calle Government Bill he felt it windows. Returning to the room she upset a chair in the dark. Her husband, suddenly roused thought burglars were in the room and,

Capt. Bornand.

Solvation Army.

Tose quietly and shut the doors and would be impossible to comply she upset a chair in the dark. Her husband, suddenly roused thought burglars were in the room and, don, and the Earl of Stamford were

snatching a revolver from the table, fired at the supposed intruder. Unbappily the bullet entered his wife's stomach. Fully awakened by her cries, his despair was heart-rending. The wife died yesterday in the Hospital and the unfortunate husband has apparently gone mad in prison. With her dying breath Mrs Fernandez proclaimed the innocence of her husclaimed the innocence of her fiusband. The couple were on most affectionate terms. What in the name of all that's wonderful do men want with a loaded revolver by their side, especially if they are of a nervous temperament? A -It is all very well to blame the

policeman's whistle is an infinitely saler and more effective weapon. -The Annual General Meeting of the St. Andrew's Society of Uruguay was held on Monday evening with a fair attendance. The Report and Accounts showed the Society, to be in a satisfactory position. The following new Committee was elected: ing new Committee was elected:-Messrs. James Fraser, President; H. Owen, Vice; Gillespie, J. M. Murray, J. S. Reid, M. Adam and

Dr. Thompson.

-The R. M. S. «Magdalena»
will arrive on Saturday morning,
bringing London dates to about the 11th instant.

-The many friends of Mr. John Kirkwood, of the Waterworks Company, will regret to hear that he is seriously ill in the British Hospital. He has our best wishes

or a speedy recovery.

- According to our contemporaries, Barragan, who murdered the clerk Carabajal on Tues-day, is afflicted with homicidal mania and was much given to flourishing his revolver and threatening to kill people Maniacs of this description should be kept out of the way of society.

-The reported occupation of Chemulpo by the British seems to have been another telegraphic deception and is now denied on all sides. The British and Japanese Heets are now said to be at Port Hamilton The telegrams keep up an alarmist tone respecting the China question, but fail to state anything definite.

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-According to a London tele-gram the War Office has received news of a complete defeat by Sir W. Lockhart of the Afghan rebels in Chenu Valley, concluding with the submission of the Orakzais. We await confirmation and details.

LONDON NOTES

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1.

The German Emperor yesterday opened the Reichstag, and in his speech, which dealt chiefly with the Bill for the extension of the Navy, referred to the occupation of Kiao Chow Bay. The step had been taken, he said, that the honour of the Fatherland might be maintained abroat, a task which he Sr. Ferrari has been the leading | esteemed of such importance that given his only brother ver Plate Although at times he Prince Henry to its accomplish-

> Speaking at the annual meeting of the Cobden Club held at the National Liberal Club yesterday, Lord Farrer urged Free Traders to walk warily with regard to sugar bounties. A silver medal was he an-nounced, to be given to Mr. Reid, Premier of New South Wales, for distinguished service in the cause of progress. For himself he had sometimes thought it would not be a bad thing if the different bodies having for their object peaceful in-tercourse in the world should put their heads together and form one strong association, the aim of which would be to resist the de-mands for increased arma, ints, to oppose the forcible and inne-cessary expansion of Empire,

cessary expansion of Tempire, and to promote peaceful intercourse with all nations of the world.

Mr. Bryce, addressing a Liberal meeting at Coatbridge last night, severely criticised the action of Lord Salisbury as Foreign Miniter, and especially the lamentable weakness which he had shown in dealing with the Thuisian questions. dealing with the Tunisian ques-tion After condemning the «for-ward» policy in India, Mr. Bryce pointed to the crushing defeat sec-tarianism and clericalism had suf-fered in the London School Board Election as an evidence that the educational policy of the Govern-ment was wrong. He trusted that the tide which was now beginning to flow in the direction of educational freedom would enable a new Parliament to correct the mischief done by the recent Act, and place all State-aided schools under ef-

persons in more or less humble circumstances. Next to getting it ourselves, we consider this the most satisfactory result.

—We quote from the B. A. Stantard.—A most deadful and distressing affair occurred on Christmas Eve Don Miguel Fernandez Montero and his wife retired to rest, having appears to the state of the stantard.—It is a s christmas Eve Don Miguel Fernandez Montero and his wife retired to rest, having arranged for a jaunt on Christmas Day. The storm came on and Mrs. Fernandez rose quietly and shut the doors and

Last evening Mr. E.A. Waterlow A. R. A., was elected president of the Royal Society of Painters in

Water Colours.
Yesterday was St. Andrew's
Day. Amongst the Metropolitan celebrations was that of the Royal Scottish Corporation held under the presidency of Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal. Subscriptions amounting to 2,6101. were ananyment

Plans and other documents in relation to the Private Bill Legisrelation to the Private Bill Legis-lation of the ensuing Session have now been deposited. Altogether they relate to 335 measures as com-pared with 2x8 last year. The Engineering Conference was resumed yesterday at the West-minster Palace Hotel, when the employers submitted certain detail

ed interpretations of the general principle arrived at on Friday, co-vering the subject of the employ-ment of non-Unionist workmen and the adoption of systems of piecework. Upon neither point had any agreement been arrived at when the Conference adjourned for the day. It transpired that in the converse of the discussion the tension course of the discussion the tension of feeling between the two parties became so high that somewhat pessimistic views are taken as to the immediate prospects of a settle-

Further particulars are this morning published of the whole-sale havoc played in the Estuary of the Tuames by the recent gale. At Margate the damage done is estimated at 50,000l., whilst at Westgate the sea front is practically demolished. A Ramsgate tug and liteboat are reported as missing. Great loss of life occurred within a radius of 12 miles from Yarmouth, and other fatalities at or near other ports are recorded. A perilous adventure was experien ced by a party of artillerymen who put off from Shoeburyness to the help of some comrades Carried out to sea themselves they were eventually rescued by a Hull steam er, after being in an open boat for

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2.

Serious rioting took place yes-terday in Prague. The mob at tacked the German quarter, break ing windows and, in some cases, throwing furniture out into the streets. The troops fired on a crowd in one of the suburbs, killing two

Replying to an influential depu-tation, headed by Sir John Lub-bock, at the Home Office yesterday, the Home, Secretary regretted that he could not hold out any hope of the Government introducing le of the Government introducing tegislation during next Session for
the earlier closing of shops. It
would be extremely difficult for
him, he argued, to attempt to interfere with the hours of adult
labour unless questions of health
or public utility were involved.

At the resumed Engineering
Conference vesterday, instead of

Conference, yesterday, instead of proceeding with the discussion and settlement of the questions of free dom of employment and piece work, as was expected, the deleg ates decided that the employers should submit the whole of their proposals for the detailed interpretation of the general principle agreed to on Friday and that these should be considered by the men in bulk instead of separately. This

was accordingly done.

A deputation of platelayers waited on the Board of Directors and chief officers of the Great Western Railway yesterday, when Lord Emlyn, the chairman, stated that the company had always been will-ing to meet the grievances of any of their men, but it was useless to expect themeto accept the interven-tion famildelenen. The Nation al Plogramme, containing the new demands of the Railway Men's Society, he considered to be impossible, and he pointed out that it would sweep away the whole of the profits of the undertaking in which the servants as well as the hareholders were interested. Under such circumstances it would be seless to go to arbitration, and he earnestly advised the men to se-riously consider before they took any step that might be disastrous to them.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the London Municipal Society last night, Lord George Hamilton urged, as the lesson of the recent School Board Election, the necessary ity for unity amongst members of the Moderate party. The proposal of the Government to elevate exist-ing Vestries to the dignity of municipalities, would restrict the work of the Central authority. The obstacle to a real system of effective self government had, he said, been the attitude of the Progressives, and he urged Moderates to secure a majority on the County Council, so that the Government might be able to launch their new scheme with the co-operation of that

Last evening the new President \$2045 of the Institute of Bankers (Colonel service of the Institute of Bankers (Colonel R. Williams, M.P.) gave his inaugural address at the London institution. The action of Canada in granting preferential duties to the mother country was, he hoped the beginning of a Free Trade movement among our colonies. Recent

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gold discoveries had wrought a revolution, for instead of an annually diminishing total of gold we had a constantly increasing one. The recent proposal that the State should purchase 10,00000 in silver annually he condemned as absurd, and he pointed out that enormous dangers would beset any attempt to

alter our currency.

The will of the late Mr. A. J. Mundella, M.P., has been proved, the personalty being sworn at 41,-

Additional particulars are given this morning of wrecks and res-cues in the course of the recent storm. The Ramsgate lifeboat was cheered by a crowd of towns-people on her return to port after she had been thirty two hours out in the worst of the gale. When at sea she met with a Norwegian barque in distress, and put six men on board her to work the disabled vessel to the Thames.

The chief results in yesterday's football were those in which, for the Rugby County Championship, the Midlands Union beat the East Midlands and Surrey beat Middle-sex. The Midlands by their win secured the South-Eastern Divi-

secured the South-Eastern Divisional Championship. Cardiff beat Cambridge University in a keen match at Cambridge.

In consequence of an elderly shoemaker, named Brosette, having been missed since Monday, neighbours yesterday broke into his room at Castle-street, Drury lane and tound him sitting dead in lane, and found him sitting dead in his chair. There were severe wounds at the back of the head, and a deep cut in the throat in which a knife was embedded. The deceased man was known to have a number of foreign friends, and one was with him on Sunday night. Up to a late hour last night there was no clue to the perpetra-tor of the crime, and no adequate reason was alleged for its commis-

In the Queen's Bench Division a curious case came on for hearing, in which Messrs. Schenker, Walford and Co., who carry on busi-ness as merchants in London and Antwerp, asked for a declaration that they were entitled as against the Netherlands Bank to all sums payable under certain policies of insurance held by them. In the alternative plaintiffs said they were entitled to recover 3l 2s 6d out of each 10l received by the detendants The Transvaal Government, in consequence of the rinderpest, were anxious to secure a large number of donkeys for transport purposes, and the dispute arose out of insurance transactions on a consignment of Irish donkeys, 1,200 being lost on the voyage to South Africa. The hearing was adjourned.

COMMERCIAL

STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montevideo, Dec. 29, 1897. Business today was rather brisker. Briness today was rather brisker.

Prices were fidgetty at first, within small fluctuations, but closed fairly firm. Sales as follows.

Cedulas A, \$10,000 at 4150.

Interior Debt, \$4200 at 45, 45.20 and 45.10.

Martage Bank 410 shares at 15.

and 45.10.

Mor!gage Bank, 410 shares at 15.30 and 15.4), closing 15.30

Treasury Certificates, \$4700 Oct.
at 71; \$1000 Sept. at 73; \$2000 Aug.
at 76; \$20.00 July at 80.40; \$1000

June at \$4.80; \$1000 April at 95;
\$4410 March at 98.20 and 98.30.
Consolidated Debt, \$247,220 at
40.60 to 40.80, closing fairly firm at
40.70 cash and end of mosts, end
of January 41.10 and 41.20. The
London quotation has advanced to London quotation has advanced to 41 1/2.

EXCHANGE.

		Bank. C	ommercial.
London	90d/s.	51 8/4-15/1	6 521/8-14
Paris	90d/s.	5.42-43	
Antwerp	90d/s.	5.43	5,49-50
Germany	90d/s.	4.41-2	4.44-5
N. York		99	-
Italy		5.59 61	-
Spain		7.08-10	-
Brasil		84,400	34.700
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Business Notes.

-The Custom House paid into the London Bank yesterday \$16735 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$2045 on account of the 5% Loan

Wheat 20.125 francs, linseed 21, maize 9.75 Wool, class B, 3.875 francs tor January, 3.75 for May.

—The 1-ading saladeristas met yesterday and unanimously resolved to represent to the Rural Association the necessity of suppressing or at least reducing the present export duties on live stock and on slaughter house products as the only means of redeeming their important industry from its present depression.

from its present depression.

—Auglo-Argentine Bank — The annual statement o accounts show a net profit of £20,283, including £1,123, brought torward from last account. Of this sum £6,250 was paid in June last, as an interim dividend at the rate of 4 per cent, per annum, and the directors recommend. annum, and the directors recommend a further dividend at the rate of 6 per cent, per annual for the half-year ending 30th September last leaving £3,533 to go forward to next ac-

-Wool fairly busy and well-sus-tained. In Feria some 87,100 kilos sold at \$2.10 to 2.50 per 10 kilos,

according to class.

Wheat rather quiet. For export the quotation is \$3025 with bag. For consumption some 7000 bags sold at \$2.80 and 2.90 without bag. Maize at \$2.80 to 8.00. Per 100

mains at \$2.00 to D.	UU. Fe	LIOC
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P. Denis & Co	388	7440
Anaya é Irigoyen,		12505
Aguerre y Ca		7297
Clouzet y Duclos	502	9506
F. Fregueiro	180	3097
Federico S. Cibils	1000	1365
Duclos y Monlié		111
Jaume Hnos.		4900
A. E. Mouret		
Total	_	51097
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Same period 1893.		17902

Prices, Bueyes \$ 17 Novillos, > 14 172 to 18 172 Vacas >

Buenos Aires, Dec. 29, 1897. Gold, cash, 274.80. Do. end of month, 274.80. Cedulas G Nacionales, cash, 87. Cadulas 8°/o, Provinciales, 18. Banco Español, cash, 124. Banco Agricolo Comercial, cash,

Consolidada de Santa Fé, 1886,

Muelle Catalinas, cash, 7. The «Eolo,» «Labrador» and «Sa-

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS. Montevideo, Dec 29, 1897 Str. Venus from B. Aires, 124

-Str. Ramses from Valparaiso,

or Hamburg, 5 pass.

—Str. Wolfsburg for B. Aires.

—Str. Balaklava for B. Aires.

—Str. Vanus for B. Aires.

-Str. Ixion for Asuncion. -Stre. Triton and Rivadavia for

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-The str. EOLO will leave TO-DAY for B. Aires only. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 5 p. m. mari-

pondence at G.P.O. till op. m. maritime branch 5.30 p. m.

—The str. SCANDIA will leave TO-DAY for Las Palmas, Barcelona, Genoa and Naples. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 4 p. m. maritime branch 4.30 p. m. on the 29th.

OTHER DATES
-The str. OROPESA will leave Dec. 31 for Rio Janeiro, Rahia, Pernambuco, St. Vincent, Lisbon, Coroña, La Pallice and Liverpool. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 5 p. m. maritime branch 5.30 p. m. on the 30th.

-The str. ESPAGNE will leave Dec. 31 for Marselles, Correspond-ence at G.P.O, till 10 a, m, maritime

branch 11 a. m.

-The str. KABNAK will leave
Jan. 1 for St. Vincent and Hamburg.
Correspondence at G. P. O. till 5 p. m. maritime branch 5.30 p. m. on Dec. 31st.

-The str. TUCUMAN will leave Jan. 1 for Tenerife and Hamburg, Correspondence at G.P.J. till 1 p.m.

maritime branch 2 p. m.

—The str. REGINA MARGHERITA will leave Jsn. 2 for Barcelous and Genos. Correspondence at
G. P. O. till 7.30 a. m. maritime
branch 8.30 a. m.

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THE TOMB AMONG THE PINES.

> (A SHORT STORY) (Conclusion).

Like a man in a dream I went rapidly through the forest; I do not remember consciously thinking about rapidly through the forest; I do not remember consciously thinking about the way, but I went straight towards the place. The great red oall of the sun was sinking slowly behind the dark pine-branches, and the dead leaves on the ground seemed splashed with blood. As I reached the spot where I had watched Lindsay paint, I heard a low rumbling sound, like thunder, far up the gorge. Hurrying on through the trees, I soon stood at the edge of the little clearing and looked across towards the great square rock; but I could hardly recognise the place—it was so changed. I rubbed my eyes and stared in bewilderment. Instead of the great block, standing solid and foursquare, there was a shapeless pile of gigantic boulders. I rushed across the grass and tore at the rocks till my hands were lacerated and bleeding, but I could not move the huge grante masses or find any entrance. The lightning and the rain had done their work, and the roof of the rocktomb had tallen in during my absence. I shuddered to think that this was no doubt the rumbling noise I had heard only a few minutes before, and that I had so nearly been crushed beneath tons of granite—crushed out of all recognition, even as that strange creature, so beautiful and so evil, must have been. The sun est, and in the fading beautiful and so evil, must have been. The sun set, and in the fading light the trees seemed to take light the trees seemed to take fantastic shapes, and I dared not look behind me as I burried back to the village. I could almost have shouted in relief when I saw the wooden bridge over the river, and the root of the inn on the other side; «The old priest met me at the top of the stairs, and said quietly: «'You were in time, my son; you are brave as I thought you."

«I laughed hysterically, for I was almost afraid still.

almost afraid still. «'How is be?» I asked anxiously. "The danger is gone," he answered. Soon after you lett, he began to toss and cry out in his sleep; he raved about mountains falling on bim, and the sweat ran from his face in agony. I had to bold him down with all my strength. Then suddenly be fell back on the pillow and drew a long deep sigh, and I knew that the fatal moment was past. Tell me of

yourself now, and all about it and while we were still talking, Lindsay woke. He smiled faintly at me, and put out his hand for mine.

"I'm better now, old man,' he said;
'I feel quite different, somehow.'
«'Have you had any more dreams?' "One,' he answered. 'Don't talk

about it: it is too swful. But I think it will be the last. I wonder why I have dresmed in this way.'

«I wondered what he meant, but

the priest checked me with a gesture

as I was about to speak.

«'What has happened since the storm last high?' he asked. 'I remember the great crash of thunder in that clearing in the woods, but

nothing after it—except dreams.

""Wby, Lindsay —" I began, and then stopped. If he had forgotten all events of the last three days, except as a dream is vaguely remen bered in the morning, it were better for it to be so, at any rate while he while he was still weak and ill. So I held my tongue, and he soon grew well and strong again. Once or twice, later on, I cautiously sounded him, but there seemed a curious gap in hismemory, and he could recolled nothing, not even painting the picture. He said one day that he believed he did better work in his sleep than he could when he was awake; and it did not strike me as necessary to trouble him with the whole story. I don't know what effect it might have had on him, you know.

know.» We smoked in silence for some minutes. Then I said besitatingly:

«Don't you think you may have dreamed it yourself, Jack?» «Do you think so?» he said, with a queer smile. «Tuen what do you make of this bit of parobment?»

THE END.

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candidate. «Now listen to me, young man,» roughly but kindly replied Dr. Temple. «Whilst you are engaged to her, don't believe a word she tells you; but,» he aided, with a grim chukkle, wafter you are married, bslieve every word she says.»

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