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NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDEO
THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1898.

Saints Patrick and Gertrude.—Sir P. H. Jenne born, 1843.—76 days past, 259 to the end of the year.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The question of «electoral accord» which affording our contemporaries material for some rather wearisome articles, gets no further, and is awaiting fresh conference of the delegates. The difficulty seems to rest with the «colorados» who desire to allot themselves a larger share of representation than their electoral strength fairly entitles them to. This is a reminiscence of «collectivist» malpractice and absurd theory which ought now to be abandoned. No one who has watched the political feeling of the country can imagine that two-thirds of the people are «colorados». In fact, if a genuine plebiscite were taken just now it is very likely that the «blancos» would be found in a majority, and there is no question as to their greater unity and their superior organization for electoral purposes. The assertion that the «colorados» constitute the «vast majority» of the electorate and are therefore entitled to a large majority, if not to exclusive representation, is purely a fiction of «collectivist» origin which has never been put to the test of an honest election. If the state of public feeling during the recent revolution is any indication, we would be more inclined to say that the majority is on the side of the «blancos», and it certainly would be if the foreign vote were taken into account, for a generation of bad «colorado» governments has turned the sympathies of the foreign residents almost unanimously in favor of the «blancos». This, however, is a question on which it is futile to argue just now, and we must await the course of events, hoping that the patriotic appeals of our contemporaries will lead the «colorado» delegates to modify their pretensions, or at all events to prevent them becoming an obstacle to the «accord». Meanwhile we understand that it is agreed that the Council of State shall not commence discussion of electoral reform until the principal bases of the «accord», including the question of proportional representation, have been agreed upon, though the connection is not very obvious.

The following is the substance of two Decrees published yesterday. Colonel Antonio Ginori is named Chief of the National Arsenal, in place of Col. Cipriano Abreu, who has declined the post for reasons that have not transpired.—Sr. Mateo Magariños Veira is definitely appointed Treasurer of the Custom House, which post he had previously occupied temporarily. On Tuesday evening there was a rather noisy meeting of the «colorados» of the 3rd Section in the Cibils Theatre, for the formation of the Club «Juan Carlos Blanco». The principal figure was Dr. Alberto Nin, recently Minister in London, who made a capital speech from which we quote the following passage:—«A revolution has just taken place against falsehood and sophistry, a revolution which has been a very happy one, for it has not cost a single drop of blood, nor a tear, hardly even one of these protests which hurt no-

body, and this revolution is destined to produce great benefits for the country, if it can be confirmed and established without its being said at the end of the struggle that there were victims and victimisers, or that the parties had reconstructed the public powers by illegal methods. There has been demolished a system which was dragging us irrevocably to political and economical ruin; for in politics the popular will was suffocated and replaced by the directive influence of short-sighted politicians who despised this force, which is the force of the nation itself, and in economics, because the public moneys were squandered in the most reckless and unproductive manner. The return to economic and administrative order is already a fact; it is a sure conquest of the revolution of February, so certain that the entire country is to-day fully convinced that in Uruguay the offices of the Government House will not again be occupied by functionaries who dispose of the public funds as if they were private property.» Dr Nin was elected President of the Club.

The reduction to the half pay list of the military officers placed on the full pay list by Sr. Borda during the revolution, signifies an economy of some \$19,000 monthly. The number reduced is 255, not 800, as at first stated.

Yesterday's *Siglo* devotes a column and a half to discussion of the neutrality of Uruguay in the Chile-Argentine conflict. Is the question worth discussing yet?

Yesterday's *Bien* devotes a short but sensible article to the question of purification of the Judicial Power. It points out that there is a very widespread and general feeling in favor of some step in this direction, and that while the Executive and Legislative Powers have been undergoing radical changes, the tide of reform has not yet reached the Judicial Power, which remains «fossilised in the principle of the immovability of its members.» Nevertheless reform is very necessary, because the maladministration of justice affects the civil rights, the life, property and honor, of every inhabitant of the Republic. It is to be regretted that reform or renovation of the Judicial Power was not included in the bases of the revolution or in the Decree of February 10. The Judges, says the *Bien*, are not as a rule venal or false, but they are apt to be inept and careless and to be led astray by passion and by personal considerations, and these are the defects that have caused them to become unpopular, and to produce a want of confidence in their decisions and in the administration of justice generally. These, however, are defects which can in great measure be remedied by constitutional and legal means, without recourse to extraordinary steps.

Some particulars have transpired of the accusation against the Correctional Judge Dr. Rovira. Some time ago, it will be remembered, the firm of Martinez Rademacher and Co. was the victim of an extensive robbery by a porter named Ortiz. Ortiz was arrested, and part of the stolen property, merchandise and values to the extent of some \$100, was recovered. Both were placed in charge of Dr. Rovira. The firm now claims restitution of its property, but it appears that the greater part of this has mysteriously disappeared from sight and so has Ortiz. As regards the latter, however, it is since alleged that he is out on responsible bail. As the robbery took place eight or ten months ago, it is shameful that the case has not been tried, but that is more the fault of the system than of the Judge.

The Superior Tribunal of Justice has issued a Decree appointing Dr. Carlos Fitzpatrick as «Juez Letrado» of the Department of Cerro Largo.

Dr. Brian has published a letter indignantly denying the recent charges made as to employment of the material and labour pertaining to the Prado for private purposes. The word now rests with the Investigating Committee.

THE MAINE DISASTER.

Havana, Feb. 16.

The day has been spent in investigations of various kinds by the Spanish and American authorities, but if the mystery has been penetrated by anybody competent to pass judgment the fact has not been allowed to transpire. Every point on shore from which a view of the scene of the disaster can be obtained has been thronged by curious townspeople. There was something for them to see, for the high poop of the Maine is still just above water, and smoke and occasionally flames burst up from the wreck. The visible portions of the wreck bear little resemblance, however, to a trim ship of war. Everything is twisted and battered and bent and tangled, thus demonstrating even to

unprofessional eyes the stupendous force of the explosions which swept the great ship from stem to stern. With the aid of a glass your correspondent was able to make out this much, and also to observe that several quick firing guns appeared to be in position. The searchlight apparatus on what is apparently the remains of the foremast looks as though it is intact. No one not armed with a special permit can get close up to the wreck. Steam launches and boats from the Alfonso XII, and other Spanish warships patrol the immediate vicinity, and at a respectful distance from them are innumerable boats and other craft full of curious civilians and newspaper correspondents.

It was not until to-day that it was realised that the damage done by the explosions was very considerable on shore. Scores of houses and shops facing the harbour are wholly or partly wrecked, and an immense quantity of glass has been broken throughout the city. The aggregate money value of the damage will prove to be very large.

Every possible honour will be paid to the victims. The Royal and Insular Governments will be represented, and there will be an imposing attendance of officers and men of the Spanish army and navy. A special plot of ground in the chief cemetery of the city has been allotted for the interment of the unfortunate Americans. The first batch of interments will take place to-morrow. The bodies are those of men who have died in hospital of their wounds. But there are about a dozen which were picked up hundreds of yards away from the scene of the disaster, and some even on shore. All of these were shattered and mutilated almost beyond recognition, and several were headless. Most of the dead are, of course, in the submerged wreck.

It is now stated that the first explosion was due to the ignition by concussion of over 600lb. of gun cotton and smokeless powder.

The latest estimate issued this evening is to the effect that 279 men were killed or drowned, and 117 saved. It will probably be found, however, that nearly 300 men lost their lives.

I made a round of inquiry at all the hospitals this evening and found that only thirty-four of the Maine's wounded were under treatment ashore. Of these no fewer than 23 are critical cases and the surgeons fear that the majority will terminate fatally. Nearly all the remainder of the wounded are on board the liner City of Washington, and are being cared for by Spanish and American doctors. Those among them who can bear removal will be sent to Key West.

It seems that all the officers of the Maine were not dining on board the City of Washington. Over twenty were so engaged when the catastrophe occurred, but the paymaster was on shore dining with friends at the Hotel Inglaterra.

The second officer of the Maine informed me that he was sitting in his cabin smoking and preparing to turn in for the night when the explosion occurred. Simultaneously the electric light was extinguished, and he had to strike a match in order to see the way to the captain's cabin, for which he immediately made. He found that Captain Sigbee had been thrown violently from his bed to the floor by the force of the explosion, but had sustained no hurt. Together they ascended to the men on deck, for they could see plainly enough despite the darkness that the ship was settling down by the bows. Very few men answered their calls. Some were sent into the main magazine to get out the ammunition and throw it overboard while others attempted to get out the boats. While so engaged boats from the Alfonso XI, and the City of Washington came alongside. Almost at the same moment another explosion took place, and it was apparent that the cruiser could not remain afloat. Capt. Sigbee reluctantly gave orders for all to escape as best they could. Some threw themselves overboard, others managed to get into the remaining boats.

I have seen and spoken to several of the wounded seamen. Most of the poor fellows were much disfigured, especially about the face. Without exception they had no idea as to how they were saved, or as to where they were and what they were doing at the moment of the explosion. The terrible shock has evidently caused the majority of them to lose their memories.

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ments realised £10,183 12s. 2d. These sums, with £148,556 16s. 1d. brought forward from 1896, leave to the credit of Profit and Loss Account £230,559 2s. 10d.

An interim dividend of 8/- per share was paid on the 1st July last, and it is now proposed to pay a further dividend of 8/- per share, and a bonus of 4/- per share, both free of income tax, payable on the 11th February next, making a distribution of 20/- per share, or 25 per cent. for the year. After providing for income tax the balance of £161,924 8s. 2d. remains to be carried to next account.

The Premiums taken for the year 1897 amount to £553,784 7s. 2d., and the Claims settled to £242,257 18s. 11d., leaving a Net Balance, after deducting Expenses, of £253,402 18s. 8d. at the credit of Underwriting Account.

The Directors regret to have to report the resignation of Sir J. Lyle Mackay, K.C.I.E., of the London Board, in consequence of his having been elected a Member of the India Council. The vacancy thus created has been filled by the election of his partner Mr. Duncan Mackinnon.

The Directors report the appointment of Mr. T. J. Storey, as Underwriter in London.

The Directors retiring by rotation are Mr. Sanday, Mr. Bingham, Mr. Hobson, Mr. Brocklebank, and Mr. Heyworth, of the Liverpool Board; and Mr. Edlman, Mr. Scott-Elliott, Mr. Grenfell, and the Hon. Vicary Gibbs of the London Board, who being eligible, offer themselves for re-election. The election of Mr. Duncan Mackinnon, will also have to be confirmed by the Shareholders.

SUNDRIES.

—There seems to be quite a duelling mania prevalent just now, and it is hardly possible to take up a native paper without finding some reference to a duel in course of conduct. In addition to three or four duels arising out of publications relative to the late revolution—none of which have yet come off—there has nearly been a duel between the distinguished jurist Dr. Domingo Aramburu and Dr. Teófilo Diaz, on account of a grossly personal attack made by the latter on the former in the course of a polemic on a judicial question (Our contemporaries, we consider, are seriously to blame for publishing attacks of this personal description which, as in the present instance, were obviously intended to provoke a duel. If writers, in discussing matters of public interest, cannot refrain from personalities, their effusions should not be printed.)

Dr. Aramburu referred the matter to Drs. J. P. Ramirez and E. Acevedo, who had the good sense to declare that they considered his character above such attacks, that there was no necessity for a duel, and that they would not act as seconds. Still, the bare idea that so impersonal a matter as a judicial question cannot be discussed without a duel being provoked, shows a very unhealthy state of society, and is carrying the practice, bad in any case, to an absurd extreme against which strong protest is necessary. If judges and advocates set the bad example of law breaking by duelling over questions of legal opinion, it is not surprising that others follow, and the law becomes an absolute dead letter.

In yesterday's *Razon*, Dr. F. Garcia y Santos (ex-editor of the *Bien*) publishes a cleverly written and admirable exposition of the folly and barbarity of duelling for which he deserves the warmest congratulations, and which we hope will not be without effect. We quote the following sentence in which he summarises his conclusions:—«The institution of duelling, then, judged by the light of reason, of history, of justice, of right, of morality and of religion, is an aberration and an anachronism in this century so emphatically called the century of light.» He appeals to the public powers to take steps to repress the pernicious custom.

—We failed to extract anything of importance from yesterday's telegrams relative to the Cuban question. The sale of the «O'Higgins» to Spain is now denied, but it is said it has been sold to the United States. The idea of its being sold at all seems to have aroused great indignation in Chile. Spain is said to have protested before both Brazil and the United States against the purchase of the «Amazonas» regarding it as a hostile act. (War not having been declared, Spain has no right of protest in the matter.) A Washington telegram states that President McKinley no longer believes in the probability of war, as negotiations for the sale of Cuba have been reopened with prospect of success. (We do not believe it.) The Naval Committee of the U. S. Senate is said to have postponed its investigation into the loss of the «Maine» (Rubbish!) The U. S. «Oregon»

has been ordered from San Francisco to Key West via Cape Horn. (The war may be over before it gets there.) The U. S. Government is said to be discussing the advisability of a naval demonstration on the Spanish coast in case the Spanish torpedo flotilla, which left Cadiz on Sunday, goes to Puerto Rico. (Again, rubbish!) Senator Proctor has returned from Cuba to New York, and has declared that in his belief the explosion of the Maine was due to an internal accident. A second telegram makes him declare it was due to a submarine mine purposely placed under the vessel (after it had cast anchor!) And much more nonsense, contradictions and premature conclusions which we will not waste space in repeating.

—The death occurred on Tuesday night of Sir Henry Bessemer, inventor of the celebrated process for hardening steel and of many other industrial processes of great importance. He was born at Charlton, Herts., in 1819, of French parents, was knighted in 1879, has received honors from nearly every European Government and has made an enormous fortune.

—The latest telegram about Lord Salisbury is to the effect that he is much better and only requires a few days' rest to be completely reestablished.

—Mr. Alkaine, proprietor of White's Hotel, Rio Janeiro, has presented an absurd claim for £200 damages because the Chilean Minister died in his hotel from yellow fever. Judging from the telegrams he is not likely to get it—or anything.

—We are threatened with quarantine on account of the number of suspicious cases in vessels recently arrived from Brasil. Yet the worst of the summer is already passed.

—Members of the Albion Football Club are reminded of the Annual General Meeting to be held at 8.15 this evening at 65 Calle Solís, for the presentation of Report and Accounts and election of a new Committee. Punctual attendance is requested.

—Irishmen scattered throughout the world—and an Irishman is nearly, though not quite, as ubiquitous as a Scotchman—will remember St Patrick to-day. In Buenos Aires the genial Saint is to be banqueted, as usual, but here there are not sufficient Irishmen to run to a dinner, or else they lack the necessary feeling of unity.

—The following, quoted from a London paper, might well be taken to heart by the authorities here who are so culpably lenient with the misance of stone throwing in the city streets.—Schoolboys who throw stones are to be specially lectured on this practice at the request of the Education Department, which has issued a circular to school managers. The following is an extract from the circular: «The serious mischief that results from the practice of stone-throwing has been again brought forcibly under the notice of the Department by the recent death, under the most painful circumstances, of an experienced engine driver, who died in consequence of injuries caused by a stone thrown from a railway bridge under which the train was passing. It was not proved that the stone was thrown by a child, but my Lords, after inquiry, have ascertained that there is no doubt that school children are the offenders in many similar cases where life or property is endangered. I am to request that the managers of your school will be so good as to caution the children seriously against the practice of mischievous or reckless stone throwing, and to point out to them the disastrous consequences that may ensue. My Lords are confident that the managers will be willing to give their assistance in putting down a practice which effects so seriously the interests of the public generally.» The Education Department has also recalled the attention of the school managers to a circular issued some years ago at the instance of the Postmaster-General, reminding schoolboys who throw stones at the telegraph wires that they are liable for this offence to imprisonment and flogging.

—New Farmer: «I am somewhat of a connoisseur in stock, and I want only such as are young and in good condition.» Dealer: «Well, buy this drove of yearlings.» New Farmer: «How old are they?»

—We quote the following from a scientific contemporary.—Open a can of peaches, apricots, cherries, or other fruit—for all fruit is acidulous—let it stand for some time, and the fruit acids and the tin are ready to do their work of poisoning. A chemical knowledge that tells just how the dangerous compound is created is unnecessary to an avoidance of the peril. The rule to follow is never to make lemonade or other acidulated drinks in a tin bucket, nor allow them to stand in a vessel of tin; and in the case of canned fruits or fish, immediately upon opening the can, turn

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LONDON NOTES

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16. Two new Peers were introduced at yesterday's meeting of the House of Lords. On the initiative of Lord Muskerry the alleged insufficient ballasting of sea going steamers was discussed.

A number of Bills were brought in by private members at the sitting of the House of Commons, and were read a first time. Mr. Asquith resumed the debate of Mr. Lawson Walton's amendment, dealing with the Operations on the North-West Frontier of India. The war would, he believed, be accounted in history in its inception, in its conduct, and in its results, one of the most inglorious adventures in the annals of Great Britain. Amidst repeated outbursts of laughter he quoted the contradictory declarations of Lord George Hamilton as to his responsibility and non responsibility for the making of the road to Chitral. Mr. Asquith was followed by Mr. Curzon. Those participating in the debate later included Sir William Harcourt, who declared his adherence to the policy of Lord Lawrence in dealing with the frontier tribes. Mr. Balfour summed up the case for the Government. On a division the amendment was rejected by a majority of 103-311 to 208.

Mr. F. W. Lowe (Conservative) was yesterday returned unopposed for the Edgbaston Division of Birmingham, to fill the vacancy in the Parliamentary representation caused by the death of Mr. G. Dixon, Liberal Unionist. Mr. Asquith, speaking at the Eighty Club last night, dealt almost exclusively with the question of the reform of the House of Lords, and said so long as present constitutional conditions existed, no Liberal legislation, however prudent or conversant with the wishes and needs of the great majority of the people, had the least chance of passing into law except in a mutilated shape, while any Conservative measure, no matter how novel its principles or revolutionary its ultimate development passed with oiled castors through what would have been to the Liberals an irresistible obstacle. That was a state of things to which his party must put an end as speedily and as effectually as possible.

Under the presidency of Lord Batterssea the annual meeting of the National Education Association was held yesterday at the National Liberal Club. Speeches were delivered on the unsatisfactory position of education under the present Government. Resolutions were passed protesting against the Voluntary Schools Act, and welcoming the improved tone of public opinion as evidenced by the results of recent School Board elections in London and the principal provincial towns.

At the Zola trial yesterday more evidence was given by graphologic experts, the most interesting being that of M. Franck of Brussels, who with the aid of illustrations drawn on a blackboard in court, supported his conclusion that the writer of the bordereau was Major Esterhazy.

New figures in reference to operations (many of them still uncompleted) of the Works Department were submitted at yesterday's meeting of the London County Council. They had reference to thirty-two works. In the cases of Lewisham sewer and Pillico river station—jobs commenced under the old régime—the anticipation of unfavourable financial results was confirmed; but it was shown that in the majority of the other cases there will be considerable savings. The only five works actually completed and certified since the last return show an aggregate profit of 3,349, 18s. 1d. Lord Onslow's amendment to refer back the paragraph with which these figures were associated was defeated by 61 votes to 53. The Council decided in favour of the gradual application of the Land Transfer Act to London.

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Under the auspices of the International Skating Union the competition for the world's championship in figure skating took place yesterday at the National Skating Palace (Hengler's). The title was eventually awarded to Herr H. Grenander, of Stockholm. The Prince of Wales was amongst the spectators.

Resuming the trial of the action against the directors of the Grosvenor Hotel Company and others for conspiracy, Mr. Justice Ridley and a special jury yesterday heard further evidence from Mr. Hale, whose answers to questions as to free hospitality which had been shown to him by Mr. Drew caused Mr. Jeff to remark that it sounded like fairyland. The next witness was Mr. Newitt, another director, who also denied that there was any illegal combination between the Board and Mr. Drew to victimise the company. The further hearing was adjourned.

Lord William Nevill was tried yesterday at the Central Criminal Court. The charges on which he was indicted were of having induced Mr. Spender Clay, by false pretences, to sign certain papers in order that the same might be afterwards used and dealt with as valuable securities, and of having forged certain documents. He pleaded Guilty in the first instance, and Not Guilty in the second, pleas which were accepted by the prosecution. Lord William's conduct was severely commented upon by Mr. Justice Lawrence, who sentenced him to five years' penal servitude. The scene in Court is described as a painful one.

COMMERCIAL

STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montevideo, March 16, 1898. Business keeps brisk especially in Consolidateds, the recent fall in which is attributed to large orders to sell from London and to other purely speculative causes. Prices to-day, though opening a little weak, were less subject to fluctuations and closed firm without further fall and with a rising inclination. Sales as follows:— Extraordinary 1907 Loan, \$28,000 at 67.50 and 68, closing 68 cash, 68.40 for end of month. Deferred Debt, at \$15,400 at 19 to 19.80, end of month 20. Interior Debt, \$23,900 at 50 and 50.20. Cedulas A, \$9400 at 47. Mortgage Bonds, \$20,000 at 48. Mortgage Bank, 1216 shares at 19.10 to 19.40 cash, 19.20 to 19.60 end of month. Banco Transatlantico, 2020 shares at 1.50 and 1.40 cash, 1.60 and 1.50 end of month, 1.80 end of December. Treasury Certificates, \$1000 Feb. Dec. at 85.30; \$3000 Jan. at 86.50; \$4905 Dec. at 87.20 and 87.80; \$1000 Nov. at 89.80; \$1000 Sept. at 92.80; \$4000 Aug. at 94.70; \$4000 July at 96.70 and 96.40. Consolidated Debt, \$281,530 at 45.70 and 45.80 cash, 45.80 and

45.90 end of month, 46.10 and 46.20 end of April, closing at the higher figures. No London quotation.

EXCHANGE.

Table with columns: Bank, Commercial, London, Paris, Antwerp, Germany, N. York, Italy, Spain, Brazil, B. Aires 1 prom. par

Business Notes.

—The Custom House paid into the London Bank yesterday \$17464 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$2134 on account of the 5% Loan service. —Gold opened in B. Aires yesterday at 264 and closed at 264.70. —Exchange upon London was quoted in Rio Janeiro yesterday at 6 1/4 d. per milreis. —London, 16. Wheat for orders to St. Vincent 35s-3d. Linnseed 33s.—Antwerp. Wheat 20 francs, linseed 20.75, maize 8.50. Wool, class 3, fallen to 4.285 for April, 4.15 for August. —Wheat firm at former prices. Nothing new doing for export. Quotations for consumption are \$3.20 for good and 3.25 for superior, without bag. Arrivals scanty. Maize as before. —The total amount of wool embarked from Oct. 1 to March 15 has been 56,468 bales. The season may now be regarded as over.

Buenos Aires, March 16, 1898. Gold, cash, 265.80. Do. end of month, 265. Cedulas 8%, Provinciales, 18.80. Do. O, cash, 18. Certificados Banco de la Provincia, cash, 39.50. Consolidada de Santa Fé, 1886, cash, 45. Do. 1893, cash, 44. Muelle Catalinas, cash, 5.70. The «Olympo» and «Labrador» sail.

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

Montevideo, March 16, 1898 —Str. Eolo from B. Aires, 124 pass. —Str. Perseo from B. Aires, for Genoa, 74 pass. —Str. Marienburg for Bremen. —Str. Urano for Asuncion. —Str. Eolo for B. Aires. —Strs. Triton and Rivadavia to Salto.

MAIL STEAMERS

LEAVING TO-DAY

—The str. OLYMPO will leave TO-DAY for B. Aires and Asuncion. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 5 p. m. maritime branch 5.30 p. m. —The str. OSIRIS will leave TO-DAY for St. Vincent and Hamburg. Correspondence at G. P. O. till —maritime branch—. —The str. PFALZ will leave TO-DAY for Las Palmas, Vigo, and Southampton, Antwerp and Bremen.

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OTHER DATES

—The str. PROVENCE will leave March 18 for Santos, Rio Janeiro and Marseilles. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 10 a. m. maritime branch 11 a. m. —The E. M. S. MAGDALENA will leave March 19 for Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Lisbon, Vigo, Cherbourg and Southampton. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 10 a. m. maritime branch 11 a. m. —The str. ESPAGNE will leave March 19 for Tenerife and Marseilles. Hours as above.

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Business.—Presentation of Reports and Accounts, and election of a new Committee for the ensuing year.—Montevideo, March 1, 1898.—H. C. Lichtenberger, Hon. Sec.

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(Continued)

«Leslie, you must come to Treven often now. Valerie will want you so much.»

«I shall come and see Valerie, of course.»

«They have been away so long—eight months. It will be quite like a return to old times to be together again. If Valerie only gets well and strong—»

«If Lancelot, do you think there is any danger?»

«I don't know, I can't tell. We must hope for the best, and—Leslie, when the Trevenions are home again, and we have settled down to the old life, you and I must have some serious talks together.»

Leslie looked away over the sea of ripening corn; then her eyes and Lancelot's alike turned upward to watch the flight of the sky lark.

«Listen!»

Leslie raised her hand to enjoin silence, and as the sun's rays fell upon her upturned face, it seemed to Lancelot that the joy and brightness of the winged thing's song were reflected there.

«How those little creatures sing! How high they soar, and with what swiftness they fall back to earth again!»

«I wonder if their song has any meaning?» said Leslie pensively.

«I like to think that it has. I like to think that they are trying to tell the birds of other worlds of the things that are happening on this earth of ours. I almost fancy I know the story that one particular bird is trying to make known. Leslie, shall I tell it to you?»

Leslie made no answer. She was still watching the little dark speck against the clear azure sky, now rising, now sinking, but never ceasing his resonant hymn of joy.

«It's an old story,» said Lancelot quietly. «The story of a man and a woman who love each other—»

«Lancelot!» Leslie's wandering thoughts were recalled now; she was suddenly alive to the consciousness of what he was saying.

«Yes, dear, who love each other, and who—»

Lancelot ceased speaking. A third person was close at hand; a telegraph boy in uniform, who came along the beaten track towards them, ruthlessly trampling down the corn at the edge and whistling shrilly as he advanced. His stolid face brightened as he discerned the manly form ahead. He had a telegram for Mr. Grey, and meeting him here saved the long walk to Treven Hold.

He handed him the yellow envelope.

«Telegram, Mr. Grey.»

Lancelot took it, with a laugh. «Is that the orthodox method of delivery?» Then, tearing open the envelope and casting his eye rapidly over the few lines on the pink paper within, he exclaimed, «This is from Dover.»

Leslie looked interested.

«Do you mean the Trevenions? Oh, Lancelot, what has happened?» For his face had grown suddenly grave, and he was reading the telegram again with anxious, troubled eyes.

«Bad news, I fear. Valerie worse. Fear long illness. Pushing home with all possible speed. Sand carriage to meet midday train.»

They read the brief message over together, and regret and sadness stole over Leslie's face too.

«Poor little Val!» she exclaimed. «Poor Sir Antony and Lady Isabel! But, Lancelot, the midday train—there will be barely time for the carriage to get to Avonhurst Station.»

Lancelot drew out his watch and made a rapid calculation.

«It can just be managed. But I must get back to Treven at once. Leslie, that story—it must be concluded another time.»

The earnest eyes were raised to his in candour and sincerity. Leslie understood; she made no pretence of coyness or want of comprehension.

«Yes, another time, Lancelot,» she rejoined. «Make haste back to Treven, and—give my love to Valerie. Poor little Val! Poor little Val!»

CHAPTER II.

«Uncle Antony, what does it mean? Why don't the doctors put forth their best efforts and save her?»

The elderly, grey-haired man, sighed.

«All that skill and knowledge our advice has been tried already. Lancelot, we are losing our little girl. I have tried to close my eyes to the fact; tried to persuade myself that the perfect climate, the life and warmth of the sunny South, were instilling new life into her; tried more than all to conceal my anxiety from her mother, but it was all in vain.»

«It is not too late yet. She may grow stronger now that she is at home again. Her native air may suit her best.»

But even as he spoke, Lancelot's heart misgave him. He glanced through the open windows of the drawing-room, and saw Valerie resting on the sofa, fairer, more ethereal, more child-like-looking than ever. During her illness in the autumn—before they went abroad—her hair had been cut short, and now the soft golden curls nestled prettily against the white temples, forming something like an aureole of glory round

the small delicate face. The blue eyes were bright this evening, and a soft tinge of colour touched the thin, transparent cheeks.

«She is tired after her journey,» said Lancelot, watching her.

«Possibly. But she looks brighter and better to-night than she has for weeks past. Is it a good omen, I wonder? I shall call in Dr. Beckford to-morrow, and ask his opinion.»

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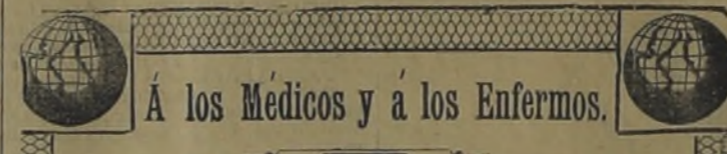
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