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#### NEWS OF THE DAY

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SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 1898. First Sunday after Easter. Low Sunday.—Saint Anicetus.—107 days past, 258 to the end of the year.

#### POLITICAL NOTES.

There is nothing definite yet about the «electoral accord». The expected meeting of the delegates did not take place on Friday evening, but was transleared to yesterday instead, we cannot yet say with what result. The delay gave ise to a report that matters were not going so smoothly as had been pretended and that the «colorados» were still making difficulties about the division of seats. It is to be hoped, for the credit of the party, if for no higher reason, that there is

The Foment Committee of the The Foment Committee of the Council of State has been considering the Bill presented by Dr. Ciganda for abolishing postal charges for newspapers and printed matter within the Republic. The Committee has decided to recommend rejection of the Bill, but proposes in its place to reduce the tariff 50 %. At present the annual revenue from the tariff is estimated revenue from the tariff is estimated at \$24,000. If the proposal of the Committee is sanctioned it will make necessary the introduction of a 1/2 cent postage stamp

It is stated that the Executive has prohibited the nationalist manifestation which was to bave been held at Colonia next Tuesday in honor of Col. Diego Lamas. The reasons for such prohibition are not at present known, but the matter has given rise to some com-

The Classifying Committee ap-pointed to revise the claims presented for live stock, etc., requisi tioned by the Government troops during the civil war last year, has presented its statement of the totali ty of claims presented. These arefor 118 329 oxen, 91,162 sheep and 79,151 cattle, also 42,422 ox hides and 46,455 sheepskins. The claims are divided between no fewer than are divided between no lewer than 3477 estancieros, being an average each of 34 oxen, 26 sheep and 22 horses. Taking the duration of the military campaign as 8 months (it was hardly so long) it follows that the Government troops consumed per diem 492 oxen and 379 sheep. The note of the Committee concludes. note of the Committee concludes, «These claims will doubtless be reduced by means of careful examination, but even starting from the base of the above figures it may be asserted that the preventive measures adopted by the Government have given a good

In connection with the above our the Classifying Committee has not yet been able to swallow. It is from a proprietor of camp diligences and is for no fewer than 5000 horses! The name of the military officer, who signed of the military officer who signed it has not transpired, but it is said that there is a long list of hardly less exorbitant claims written and signed by the same officer, without indication of the district or the for ces for which the animals were utilised, and without further direc-tion than «Encampment in march.» The forces commanded by this officer were apparently those which consumed the most of any which consumed the most of any during the revolution and, as a contemporary puts it, where they passed they outdid the locusts. It meed hardly be said that the locusts. It meed hardly be said to be exerting all his influence to avoid a notable the faminate soid a number of articles of stolen jewel. A short sitting of the House of Locust and the exerting all his influence to avoid a number of articles of stolen jewel. A short sitting of the House of Locust and the exerting all his influence to avoid a number of articles of stolen jewel. A short sitting of the House of Locust and the exerting all his influ

Committee is making a sharp examination into the reality of these

The Government has given its sanction to the financial plans of the new Municipal Board, by which a general reduction of 10% will be made in the salaries of municipal employees, instead of reducing their number. Nevertheless there will, it is stated, be a certain number of dismissals of employees who have been directly connected with the worst of the scandals brought to light by the Investigating Committee. is rather strange that no of-ficial publication has ever been made of the results of this investi gation though various details have leaked out indirectly. Perhaps the Government finds them to be like the details of certain cases in the Divorce Court «unfit for publica-

The Siglo makes the important statement that the Government has met with a very favorable result in its endeavours to carry out the Port scheme, and instead of waiting for the meeting of the new chambers, will be able to present its plans to the Council of State within four or five weeks. The Government has had an advantageous offer of the necessary capital, and will present the financial plans to the Council at the same time, so that the work may commence as soon as the sanction of the Council has been given. The cost will be reduced by one third from the lowest estimate of the previous administration. We are not in possession of further particulars than the above, which are quoted from our contemporary, but no doubt they will transpire shortly, if its information is cor-

Another public work of impor-tance which it is said will be undertaken very shortly is the prolongation of the Nico Perez Railway to Villa de Melo. This, accordng to a contemporary, will be commenced by the Central Uru-guay Railway Company in June or July next. We have not had time to verify the statement, so for the present give it under reserve. We may take this opportunity of add ing that negotiations are on foot with every prospect of suc-cess for the completion of the Uruguayan Great Eastern Line.

The above statements may be regarded as a sign of confidence in the new situation. We need hardly say that the resumption of railway construction and the commence-ment of the port will give an important impetus to commerce and find work for a large number of persons, so that the country make look forward to a re-sumption of the activity and general prosperity of ten years ago. It is only to be hoped that no new political contretemps will occur to destroy so pleasant a prospect.

#### RIVER PLATE CATTLE TRADE,

(South American Journal,

March 19.) The growing importance of this trade naturally attracts increased attention to the regulations under which it is carried on, and more particularly as regards the trans port of the animals through the tropics to this country. Three things are essential in relation to a consideration of this matter, the first being of course to provide for their humane treatment on board, and afterwards for their safety and maintenance during the ocean voyage in such a manner as to admit of their being landed at this end in good and sound condition. Great inconvenience to the trade arises in consequence of want of uniformity, as respects Argentina, in the requirements of the authorities of that Republic with those of our own Board of Trade, which, in fact, has resulted lately in pro-ceedings being taken in this coun-try for infraction of the latter, against the shipowners engaged in this business. The Argentines in-sist, for instance, upon the cattle sist, for instance, upon the cattle pens being of greater length than is permissible under the English law, and the shipowners are, so to speak, placed «between the devil and the deep sea. In Argentina the animals are not allowed to be shipped unless the cattle pens are of the regulation length as fixed on that side, and when they are disembarked here the carriers become at once liable to severe penal ties for having contravened the orties for having contravened the orties for having contravened the orders in force in England. What,
under these circumstances, are the
shipowners to do? Clearly
their position is becoming intolerable, and if the Argentine
live cattle trade, so far as this
country is concerned, is to be continued, it is evident that steps must
be adopted to bring the regulations. be adopted to bring the regulations on both sides into some sort of unison. The sooner this question receives a sensible solution the better, and we think, although much may be said in favour of the practical merits of the Argentine view, the simplest course to pur-sue in this case would be for the

well, we would suggest if the Argentine Government approached our own with the object of coming to some common understanding as to the conditions to be enforced with reference to the over-sea transport of cattle.

As regards the treatment of the animals during the voyage, this is a matter which ought to receive very special consideration. It is not enough to limit their «feed» to allalla exclusively. Crushed maize, bran, and compressed \*proven\* ought also to be supplied. They ought to be tempted to eat, for it makes all the difference to the ex-porter whether or not the animals reach their destination in a plump and healthy state. A little more expense upon their maintenance on board meets with a remunerative return, and it would likewise be found profitable to place them under better and more competent care than now usually prevails. The idea seems to be that anybody is good enough for the job, but we are convinced that the their semicles for the positive and the semicles of the positive are convinced that the convenience of the conv that this is a mistake. Shippers and insurance companies, who suffer most from losses on the voyage, ought, in their own interests, to come to some understanding, so as to arrange for some system of efficient inspection before salling, as well as during the voyage. We are satisfied it would result in a very considerable reduction in the percentage of loss which in no small measure arises from avoidable causes, and which might be largely prevented by the adoption of more stringent precautions.

#### The Wanklyn Murder.

Two more of the six medical men who were appointed to report on the mental, etc., condition of the murderer Echegaray, have sent in their report Drs. Podesta and Solari are of opinion that Echegaray was not mad when be committed the crime, but their consider that it is impossible to say if be was, or not, suffering, at the time, from mental perturbation Taking the murderer's antecedents and the evidence, which has been collected with reference to the crime into consideration, they arrive at the conclusion that Echegaray was conscious of the act he was committing when he shot Mr. Wank-

They sum up by stating that they expect to receive \$15,000 each as their \*honorarios\*! - Times of Ar-

#### The Telelectroscope. Vienna, March 17.

I had to day a long conversation with Herr Jan Szczepan k, the inventor of the Telelectroscope, described at some length a week ago. If all the inventor claims for the new wonder is justified, we are on the eve of a good many changes. For instance, the telelectroscope will not only make possible the instantaneous reproduction of Szczepanik sapparatus, it can, he says, be reproduced by photogra-phy the next moment in New York, Bombay, or Sydney Telegraphy will thus become a thing of the past, and even the telephone, which at a great distance is a worry to those who have to work it will be cast aside. Herr Szczepanik is a young man of twenty-live handsome, dark-eyed, with a head of curly hair, and a simple and gentlemanly manner. Another invention of his which is already being worked in Germany is one to simplify the manufacture of designs for woven materials carpets, tapestry, brocades, silks, and cottons -by means of photo-graphy. The Bank Union of Bremen has purchased this invention, and is introducing it into all the German textile works.

#### THE CUBAN QUESTION.

No further advance has been made towards defining the situation, but war now appears so imminent that nothing short of a miracle can avert it. Nevertheless a few of the telegrams still express a lew of the telegrams still express hopes of a pacific solution. For instance, it is said from Madrid that the conservative party, so far from opposing or obstructing the pacific policy of Sr. Sagasta's Gavernment, is willing to support it in a submission of the conding quastions including pending questions, including means He had a companion in his that of the «Maine» to the arbitration of the European Powers, and in any pacific solution that | that of Francisco Carro, living at Al-Spain can honorably accept In zaibar 95, to whom a number of fact it is only the extreme party

scenes in the Senate, but not so violent as those in the other Chamber. Washington telegrams are again full of alleged discoveries of the complicity of Spanish officials in the destruction of the Maine, and a Mr. Crandall, who is a manufacturer of sub marine mines, is said to have made some startling revelations in this respect. We look upon all this with suspicion until confirmed The military preparations in the United States continue with feverish activity. The War Department has decreed the mobilisation of the regular army and the militia, and the enlistment of Volunteers to the number of 50,000. The Cavalry, the light Artillery and 6 Companies of Infantry will be sent to Crickamonga Park, Tenessee, 8000 infantry will be concentrated in New Orleans and 10,000 in Tampa. The cruisers «New Orleans» and «San Francisco» have been or dered to join the flying squadron. The telegrams say little about the preparations of Spain, owing to the censorship.

#### Passengers.

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The R. M. S. «Danube» is expected on Friday or Saturday next, bringing London dates to about the 2nd instant; and will leave homeward bound on the 30th, calling at the usual list of ports.

#### Holy Trinity Church.

April 17.—I Sunday after Easter.

8.15 a. m. Holy Communion.

9.45 a. m.—Sunday School.

11 a. m.—Matins and Sermon.—

Ve-vite, 174.—Pealms, 175 to 177.—Te

Deum, Turle.—Benedictus, Turle.—

Hymns, 140, 222.—Kyrie Eleison,—

—Authem, «Seek ye the Lord.»

8 p. m.—Eveosong and Sermon.—

Psalms, 181 to 183.—Magnificat, Tours

—Nunc Dimittis, Tours.—Hymns, 260,

261, 175, 27.

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Ensign Benwell.

SUNDRIES.

—The athletic event of today will be the football match at Punta Carretas between the Punta Carretas between the Albions 1st X and I Zingari, a foreign team which, if we are not mistaken is mainly composed of navy men, and which it is said will give the plucky Albions some trouble. No doubt so interesting a match will attract a large number of spectators. The Albion 2nd XI also plays the C. U. R. C. C. 2nd XI at Peñarol. The fact that the Club should thus be able to put two Ieams into the field on the manuscripts at any distance, but it will print them upon photographic plates. Thus if the first copy of a newspaper as it leaves the press is inserted in Herrican and Mrs. Some day, and also find another both them upon photographic plates. Thus if the first copy of a newspaper as it leaves the press is inserted in Herrican and Mrs. Some are living in her sister Mrs. Dose are living in her sister Mr

we call attention to the new advertisement issued by Mr W. F. Adams of the «Botica Inglesa, who has lately received consignments of new articles much in demand, such as Maypole Soap, Edward's Harlene, Scrubb's Cloudy Ammonia, etc., etc.

- The marriage of Don Ricardo Hughes, of Paysandu (son of the late Mr. Conrad Hughes) to Miss Maria Carlota Garcia Lagos will take place at 6 p. m. tomorrow (Mon day) in the Atahualpa Chapel. The bride being in mourning, only the family and intimate friends will be present. After a short honeymoon at the chalet of the Hughes family at Paso Molino the newly married couple will leave for the family estancia at Paysandu, where they will reside -Either there has been an un-

usual amount of robbery and swindling abroad of late, or else the police have become exceptionally sharp, for hardly a day passes without the announcement of one or more captures of malefactors. Amongst the latest is a young man named Alfredo Mederos, who went round with a false sub scription list for a monument to Rivera, purported to be head-ed by the President of the Re-public with \$200. It is said that he had collected over \$100 by this thefts of jewelry and small articles that demands war.

After a debate of 13 hours the Senate at Washington suspended the sitting at midnight on Friday, to resume it yesterday. We have not yet learnt the result, but there seems no doubt that armed intervention will be approved in one form or another. Mr McKinley is said to be werting all his influence to avoid a the shops that purchased them from him. There is a strong suspicion that several of these shops are more or less in collusion with the thieves, purchasing articles which they must know to be stolen.

-Another matter which has caused no little comment, but the full details of which are not yet known, is the alleged discovery of a falsification of postage and tobacco tax stamps for a large amount. In connection with this, arrest has been made of Sr. F. Olascoaga, an estanciero of important position in Durazno and a member of the Nationalist Convention According to a contemporary two parcels have been found in his rooms containing some 20 000 stamps. One of these came from Buenos Aires, where it is believed the forgery was carried out. Other arrests were made yesterday afternoon the na-ture of which is held in reserve, and according to all accounts the affair is an important one. The arrest of Sr. Olascoaga has caused no little comment, as he is a well-to-do man, who has hitherto held a high

-The British North Atlantic squadron is now at the Canary

-There will be afternoon and evening performances at the Ocean-ic Circus to day. The Company is well worth a visit and the clowns

are especially amusing.

—The Italian Government has forbidden further Italian emigration to the United States until the Cuban crisis is passed.

—The railway tunnel through the Simplon, one of the greatest engineering enterprises of the century, is to be opened on May 1st.

—The Italian Chamber of Deputies has authorized a individual action. ties has authorized a judicial action against Sres. Macola, Tassi and Fusinato, on account of the sensa-

tional duel in which the first-named killed the Deputy Sr. Cavallotti.

One hundred marine officers
have been arrested at Odessa for complicity in peculation. Five of them have already committed sui-

-Here's a batch of gossip about Here's a batch of gossip about well-known River Plate people, from the B. A. Standard.—Mrs. R. Galbraith, we are happy to say is now quite convalescent; also Mrs. Lezica of Caballito. Mr. Thomas Drystale of Liverpool is still in deligate health. Mrs. Cor. still in delicate health. Mrs. Car-roll, widow of Don Miguel Carroll, is in the best of health, and lives in one of the beautiful suburbs of one of the beautiful suburbs of London. Her eldest son, a young man of great talent, is now in a London Banker's office. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mulhall return from Rome to Killiney House, Kingstown. Mr. and Mrs. Anchorena Fernandez are Kennington Gardens, near the Argentine Legation. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson have a beautiful quinta at Putney Hill, where they receive all their old friends from the

River Plate; next year we expect the pleasure of a visit from them in Buenos Aires. Mr. George W. Drabble is as hard as a nandubay post, or one of the grand old oak trees at Richmond. Mrs Drabble is quite recovered; their house in Pembridge Square and like that of Mr. and Mrs. Parish in Grosvenor Square, is the resort of all the shaut tons of Argentine life in

-A schoolmaster once said to a scholar, «If I lend your father a pound on agreement that he is to pay me back two shillings per week, how much will he owe me at the end of five weeks? The boy made answer, «One pound.» «Why,» said the master, «you do not know the ordinary rules of arithmetic. \* And you, sir, \* said the boy, "don't know my

-What is said to be the smallest watch in the world is at present on exhibition in a shop window in Berlin. It is the latest triumph in the art of watchmaking—that art that has made such wonderful progress within the past decade. The Lilliputian timepiece was made in Geneva. Its diameter is less than halfan inch; its thickness is little more than a tenth of an inch. The entire works of the tiny watch comprise ninety five individual pieces. After having been wound up with the diminutive key the watch will run for twenty-eight hours. The most de-licate tools and measuring instruments were made specially its construction. The preliminary work in the making of the watch was very expensive, and the selling price is £250.

#### LONDON NOTES

FRIDAY, MARCH 18.

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Upon the House of Commons resolving itself into Committee of Ways and Means, the First Com-missioner of Works gave details of an elaborate scheme for providing new public offices, necessitating an expenditure of two-and-a-half millions. The work would, he explained, involve the widening of Parliament-street, and the con-centration in new buildings of the War Department, the Board of Trade, and the Education Department. As against the cost there would be a set off of a million of money, the value of the sites and building at present occupied. A resolution authorising the expen-diture was carried by 265 votes to 15. The Light Dues Bill was afterwards taken.

Evidence was given yesterday to the House of Commons' Commit-tee on Money Lending by Mr. Shucksborough, who traded at Bristol and Exeter under the name of the Clerical and Medical Bank. He gave explanation of various transactions brought under his no-tice by Mr. Ascroft, several of which had passed through Courts

A Correspondent, telegraphing from Kenur yesterday, states that the Dervishes continue their ad-vance towards the Atbara, and that patrols have already been seen on the river. The Emir Mahmud is reported to be confident of victory, and to have ordered his gunners not to fire at the gunners which he wishes to confure boats, which he wishes to capture uninjured. A review of the whole Anglo Egyptian force was held at Kenur yesterday. The utmost enthusiasm prevailed among the troops, all expressing engerness to join battle with the enemy. The men are in splendid condition.

The Australian Federal Conven-tion held its final sitting at Melbourne yesterday. Speeches generally eulogistic of the Federation Bill were delivered, and the Session closed with cheers for the Queen.

Under the presidency of Mr. John Dillon, M. P., the annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner was held last night at the Hotel Cecil. In the course of the proceedings a letter was read from Mr. Gladstone, dat-ed from Bournemouth, in which he said, «Your cause is in your own hands; if Ireland is disunited her cause so long remains hope-less; if, on the contrary, she knows her own mind and is one in spirit, that cause is irresistible.»

The Imperial German Consul-General, Baron Von Lindelfels presided last evening at the annual dinner of the German Society of Benevolence, the subscriptions in aid of the Charity amounting to 1.2761.

It is officially announced that Mr. Cosmo Bonsor, M.P., has been appointed Chairman of the South Eastern Railway Company in place of the late Sir George Russell, M.P., and that the Hon. Gathorne Hardy has been elected Vice-Chairman of the Company.

To commemorate the services of the late General Moberly it was decided at yesterday's meeting of the School Board for London that the Harrow-road school should in future be known as the «Moberly» school It was agreed that 100,000%. in the coming year should be set aside on loan for the purpose of improving old schools. A proposal urging the London County Council to appoint a more adequate num-ber of representatives of the Board on the Technical Education Board was discussed, and the matter was

referred to a committee. Scenes of extraordinary enthusiasm were witnessed yesterday both inside and outside Drury Lane Theatre on the occasion of Miss Nellie Farren's benefit From ten or eleven o'clock the previous night crowds began to assemble outside the gallery entrance, and directly the doors were opened in the morning the theatre was filled to overflowing. It is anticipated that no less a sum than 7,0001, will be realised by the performance, or over ten times the seating capacity of the house at ordinary prices. Contributions to a long programme were made by many of the most eminent actors and actresses of the day. At the close Mr. Edward Terry recited a tri-bute in verse. Miss Farren was almost too overcome to reply, but managed to utter a lew words of

heartfelt thanks. brey Beardsley has been received from Mentone, the immediate cause of death being hemorrhage of the lungs.

-Gold opened in B. Aires yester.

day at 268 and closed at 267.40.

-Exchange upon London was quoted in Rio Janeiro yesterday at lungs.

April 18 for B. Aires and Salto.

Hours as above.

-The str. COMERCIO will leave a point and lungs.

April 18 for Colonia, B. Aires and Salto. Hours as above. News of the decease of Mr. Au-

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approved the Report and Accounts,

and reelected all the retiring Direc

tors, namely Messrs. A. Seré, E. MacEaclen, F. Goyechea, M. Illa, J. Saavedraand R. Mañe.

Do. end of month, 268.40. Cedulas 8%, Provinciales, 17.80. Banco Español, cash, 121.50. Emprestito Interno, cash, 75.50.

The «Eolo,» «Montevideo» and

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

Montevideo, April 16, 1898.

-Str. Venus from B. Aires, 106

-Str. Melbourne from Antwerp. -Str. Modestia from Valparaiso,

-Str. Orione from La Plata, tor

-Str. Highland Soot from Liver-

-Str. Edenbridge from B Aires.

-Str. Thames from La Plata, for

-Str. Planeta for Rio Janeiro, 37

-Str. Paris and Tridente for

MAIL STEAMERS

LEAVING TO-DAY

—The str. ORISSA will leave TO-DAY for Sandy Point, Coronel, Talcabusno and Valparaiso. Corres-pondence at G. P. O. till 1 p. m.

OTHER DATES

-Str. Venus for B. Aires.

Gold, casb, 267.40.

«Comercio» sail.

for Hamburg.

Salto.

Genoa, 96 pass.

pool, for B. Aires.

Southampton, 28 pass.

Buenos Aires, April 16, 1898.

URUGUAY REPUBLIC.

Lord Justice Mathew and a special jury were engaged in the Queen's Bench Division yesterday in hearing a suit brought by the executors of the late Sir Augustus Harris against Mr. Cecil Raleigh and Mr. Henry Hamilton, dramatic authors, for breach of contract. Plaintiffs contended that under a contract made by the defendants with Sir Augustus Harfendants with Sir Augustus Har-ris they had certain rights in the play White Heather.» Defendants denied the liability, and asserted that White Heather was not the piece they and Sir Augustus Har-ris agreed to prepare. The hearing was adjourned.

A remarkable story of the manner in which pickpockets carry on their work on the Under-ground Railway was related yesterday at Bowstreet Police-court by a convicted thief, who was called as a witness against the ex-railway detective Francis Ostime, who is chossed with horizontal and the Reserve Fund, which is thus reduced to \$452,263. The Meeting charged with having conspired with pickpockets on the District Railway to aid them in their work and to assist their escape when

#### COMMERCIAL

STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montevideo, April 16, 1898.

Business to-day was rather quiet, Prices were weak throughout the day, but closed a little firmer. Sales as follows.

Extraordinary 1897 Loan, \$35,-280 at 67.20 and 67 30 cash, end of May 68 and 68.20.

Mortgage Bonds, 230 shares at 19, end of month 19.30, end of May

Banco Trasatlantico, 10 shares at

Treasury Certificates, \$3900 Meh. at 84 90 and 85; \$6100 Feb. at 86 10; \$2000 Jan. at 87.70; \$6000 Dec. at 88.80 to 89, closing 88.90; \$6500 Now at 90.80 and 91 10; \$1000 Oct.

at 97.70; \$2800 Aug. at 96.50.
Consolidated Debt, \$255.810 at
45.70 and 45.80, closing 45.80 cash
and end of month end of May 45.30 and 45.40. No London quotation.

#### EXCHANGE.

Bank. Commercial. 90d/s. 5.11/2-9/16 51.8/4-18/16 90d/s. 5.41-2 5.45-465 90d/s. 5.41-2 5.47-8 90d/s. 4.97-975 4.48-485 0.98 — 5.69 — 7.98-800 — 40.900 41.850 9 prem.

-The Custom House paid into the London Bank yesterday \$15794 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$1930 on account of the 5% Loan

-Gold opened in B. Aires yester-

Spain Brasil B. Aires 112 prem. Business Notes.

> -The str. EOLO will leave April 18 for Buenos Aires only. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 4.45 p. m. maritime brauch 5.15 p. m.
>
> -The str. PARIS will leave
> April 18 for B. Aires and Salto.

maritime branch 2 p. m.

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- The str. NORD AMERICA will leave April 19 for Rio Janeiro, Las Palmas and Genoa. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 9 a. m. maritime

branch 10 a. m.

—The str. FRANCE will leave
April 19 for Tenerite and Marseilles.
Correspondence at G. P. O. till 10
a. m. maritime branch 11 a. m.

Note—In addition to the hours
mentioned above, letters for all these

steamers will be received, without extra charge, in the Aduana Kiosk until the P. O. agents leave to go on board the steamers.

beef, 920 to 1000 reis per kilo.	Steamers to arrive.			
Stock, 1,700,000 kilos.  -London, 16, Santa Fé wheat 36s-3d. Linseed 33s-6d. Maize 16s.	APRIL NAME	FLAG	FROM	
Autworp. Uruguay wheat 21 france; Linseed 21.375.	17 Heliades 17 Bonn	English German	Bremen	
-Wheat quiet and not so firm,	17 Orissa 17 Buenos Aires	English German	Vigo	
Some 2500 bags good sold at	19 Calabro 19 J. W. Taylor	Italian English French	Genoa New-York Havre	
\$4.00; inferior 3.85. Nothing doing for export at present prices.	19 Campinas 19 Sirio 20 C. di Torino	Italian Italian	Genoa Genoa	
Maize quoted at \$1.70 to 1.80. One lot dry new sold at \$2.10.	22 Liguria 28 Danube	English English	Valparaiso Southampton	
-The 79th balf yearly meeting of shareholders of the Commercial Bank	24 Bearn 25 R. Prince	French English Italian	Marseilles New-York Genoa	
was held on Friday. The Report shows a net profit for the half-year	27 D. di Galliera 28 Rio 28 Campana	German	Villa Garcia Havre	
of \$41,859, equal to 2.626 o/o on the	29 La Plata 30 Wittekind	French English	Bordeaux Southampton	
paid up capital, there being pending \$17,150 for interests and discounts not expired. The Directors recom-	Steamers to leave.			
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19 France	French	Marseilles
19 N. America	Italian	Genoa
21 San Nicolas	German	Vigo
22 Liguria	English	Liverpool
22 California	French	Havre
23 Bresil	French	Bordeaux
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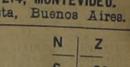
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(Continued)

«Let them talk.» Mr. Carew used a strong expression about the people we need not repeat. «Frank, you used not to be a gossip or a tittle-

The young fellow flushed up.

«And I hope I'm not now. But—
well, old man, I've told you all
people say. Dulcibel is very fascinating, but her tascinations are for

fellows richer than you or me. s

Look here, Frank: has it never
struck you that this kind of talk
about a girl who can't defend berself
is low, to say the least of it? And as to me, I'm quite capable of looking after my own affairs. At all events, I'll ask you kindly to let them

«Ob, all right,» said Frank huf-

fily.

The other's voice was quite quiet and unemotional.

«I overtook Miss Thomas to-day on her way to Highelere. She did me the honour of accepting my escort. I saw nothing of the flirt and the dangerous fascinator in her. She struck me as a pleasant, well-bred

.Ob, pleasant enough, interjected

"Any one must be sorry for her, depending on that accoundrel of a

«Ob, he as sorry as you like; but I would not recommend you to let either her father or Jack Joselyu hear of these tête-û-tête walks.»
«Pehawl» Robert Carew cried

angrily, roused at last, but the other strolled away. He had said his say. And that walk was the first of

Dulcibel Thomas scarcely asked herself why she was so happy those days. This man was so respectful, so courteous, so different from the other men amongst whom Fate had

He knew her father's character— every one did—but he did not think little of her on that account. He knew what people said of her, too, and yet he was so kind, so nice! He did not try to flirt with her; be did not, she thought, even admire ber. But what a friend he could

Ducibel could not remember that she had ever trusted a man before, so strange had been her experience, and for these few days of liberty she enjoyed the sensation.

By some obango in the arrange-ment of the table d'hôte, they sat next each other, too. Robert felt himself, foolishly

enough, this young girl's champion. They met on the sands, on country walks, they listened to the band together.

«Poor Mr. Carew! It is really very. sad, » murmured Mrs. Dunbar.

As to Frank, he was distinctly cross these long, hazy, autumn days His future brother-in-law bored him; Maggie's energy tired him.

\*Does the girl never rest?> be wondered sometimes, irritably, as they spurred their bicycles along the dusty roads. He would have liked better to be sitting out on the thymy grass by the cliff-side, to be strolling along the sands with—But when he got to this point of his meditations, Frank Armytage, being an honest-hearted young fellow, and on the whole years well estisfied with his the whole very well satisfied with his lot in life, pulled himself up quickly, and went out and bought some flowand went out and bought some flowers or some obocolate creams for his
Maggie; and at night, when Dulcibel
sang as only she could sing, until the
gossiping old ladies, listening,
almost forgot her misdeeds, Frank
would resolutely turn his back, and
go out on the moonlit balcony,
delighting Maggie by telling her he
would take her a splendid spin next
day.

day. But there was thunder in the air, and the storm was bound to come.

The first mutterings were one morn-ing at breakfast. Dulcibel came down paler than usual, the «Miss Thomas» of bis first acquaintance, Robert | Carew saw at a glance, as she took her seat at table.

He looked up apprehensively. He scarcely dared to speak in his usual tone to this stately lady with the pale proud face.

She was dressed differently, too. Her simple cotton frock had given place to a well-out, handsome gown of some rich red stuff that suited her her pale, clear complexion, but made her look, somehow, quite different, It seemed to Robert Carew, steal-

ing a little glance at her, that she had been crying, and she only play-ed with ber breakfast. It was a splendid morning, a little

orisp breeze ruffling up the sea, golden sanshine flooding everyth-

Another morning they would have made some plans for the day, but Robert Carew was almost afraid to talk to this pale and stately lady.

Mrs. Dunbar, looking across the table, wondered if they had quar-

Breakfast was nearly over when she looked round at him. «My father is coming home to-day, I have just heard.»

Robert felt he ought to say something civil, but there was nothing any one could say of Captain

«I hope he has had a pleasant time,» he ventured. «He does not say,» she answered

Robert was thinking of those walks and loiterings. He knew and she knew what Captain Thomas would say.

# They finished their breakfast. The wan look in the girl's face under her brave array touched the good-natured fellow's heart.

He wished he could do something to please her. These last few days she had looked so different.

The other people drifted away to their several engagements. These two stood together.

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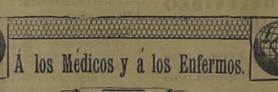
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