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MONTEVIDEO, JUNE 1, 1898.

NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDEO
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1898.
Saints Nicomedes Secundus and Simeon.—Ember Day. Howe's victory, 1794.—152 days past, 213 to the end of the year.

Reference Calendar.
JUNE, 1898.

Sun.	5	12	19	26	
Mon.	6	13	20	27	
Tue.	7	14	21	28	
Wed.	1	8	15	22	29
Thurs.	2	9	16	23	30
Fri.	3	10	17	24	
Sat.	4	11	18	25	

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Council of State held a short sitting on Monday. The Bill authorizing the Executive to create a second Military Judge of Instruction was treated summarily and fully approved. The Bill of Electoral Reform was approved in general without remark. The Bill of Concession to Rowley Solsona & Co. to build a port for the embarkation of live stock at the Buceo was then brought forward. Sr. Espalter, whilst expressing approval of the object of such a port, pointed out that there was reason to believe the government was on the eve of completing arrangements for building the Port of Montevideo, which would provide for the same object. There was therefore the possibility that the two schemes might clash. In order to clear up any doubts, he proposed that the scheme be referred back to Committee with instructions to consult the Minister of Fomento on the point raised. This was approved. There was no further business of general interest.

The Legislative Committee of the Council of State has reported adversely on the petition of Drs. V. Perez Petit and M. Veiga against the Superior Tribunal. The Committee holds that the Tribunal has not committed an abuse of authority in suspending the petitioners, and that, even if it had, it would not be in the power of the Council to revoke the acts of the Tribunal.

Sr. S. Alsina y Alvarez has been named Uruguayan Consul in Rio Grande, in place of Col. Perichon, resigned, and Sr. F. Otorguez replaces the former as Consul in Yaguaron.

THE BEETHOVEN CONCERT.

The Beethoven Society gave its first public Orchestral Concert of the season in the Lira Institute on Monday evening. The usual artistic success was obtained, but there was a marked falling-off in the attendance, showing a lack of appreciation of the really praiseworthy efforts of this Society to popularize orchestral music. As this society's concerts are practically the only opportunities here of hearing the works of the great orchestral composers and symphonists it shows a want of musical taste that they should not be much more largely supported. Among those present, the foreign element predominated, and we noticed several prominent English families.

In the first part, Sr. Giribaldi's orchestral suite did not impress us greatly. The first movement

was merely a *pot-pourri* of reminiscences from popular operas; the second, *andantino*, was fairly pretty and received an encore; the third produced no effect at all. Tschakowsky's Slav March, which followed, is a magnificent composition, but it is terribly noisy—the noisiest thing we ever heard outside an artillery review—and the effect in so small a hall was decidedly overpowering; a remark which might also be applied to some of the other pieces. It would have been better appreciated if it could have been heard in the Solis Theatre. The placid beauty of Beethoven's 1st Symphony came as a welcome relief. This, the *clou* of the evening, was exquisitely played, and deserved even warmer applause than it obtained. Mancinelli's "Cleopatra" overture is an imposing piece of music with some very fine passages, and received a hearty encore. The audience hardly seemed prepared for the quiet but very beautiful mysticism of the intermezzo from Wagner's "Parsifal," heard here for the first time, and did justice neither to the composition nor the rendering. The Concert concluded with the now well-known Bacchanal Dance from Gounod's "Philemon et Baucis." As regards the orchestra, except for an occasional discrepancy in tone between the string and the wind, its playing throughout was remarkably good, and we must once more award the highest praise to the talent and energy of the conductor Sr. Perez Badia, to whom the success of the concert is due.

Montevideo Rowing Club.

The Annual General Meeting of this Club was held on Friday evening last, with a fair attendance of members. Mr. Fraser was voted to the chair.

The Report and Accounts were approved unanimously. The Report stated that, owing to outside circumstances, one of which was the closing of the Bay for part of the year, the past season had not been a very active one. The Club had participated in the Peace Regatta held in the Bay in September, and had also held a very successful Regatta at Pocitos in February, but in neither of these were there any inter-club races. It had not been able to send a crew to Buenos Aires this year. The Club was greatly indebted to its President Mr. Colladon and to Don Antonio Lussich for generous assistance. Mr. Colladon had presented a handsome silver cup for Single Sculls, competition for which would commence in the coming season. The Sociedad Comercial, also at the instigation of Mr. Colladon, was presenting the Club with a Racing Skiff, now being built in England. The Club numbered 79 members. The accounts, after paying for important improvements in the Club House, showed a surplus of \$3380. At the end of the present year the Club completes its 25th year, and is the oldest association of the kind in the River Plate. Several first-class rowing men had recently joined the Club, and there was a marked increase in the number of coming juniors, so there were prospects of an active season.

A motion was made to modify Rule 8, restricting the Committee to members of British birth, but was defeated.

Mr. Colladon was elected President of the Club by acclamation, with the following Committee; D. W. Fraser, Vice; C. Sturzenegger, Captain; Alfredo Davie, Vice; R. Stapledon, W. J. Maclean, G. Ferguson, J. D. Hogge, W. L. Poole, A. Williams, C. Draver, H. C. Lichtenberger, W. Rippin and J. M. Ellery.

A Corporal's Lesson.

During the American war, the captain of a little band of soldiers was giving orders about a heavy beam that they were endeavouring to raise to the top of some military works which they were repairing. The weight was almost beyond their power and the voice of the superintendent was often heard shouting at them. An officer, not in military costume, was passing, and asked the superintendent why he did not render a little aid. The latter, astonished, turned round with the pomp of an emperor, and said, "Sir, I am a corporal."

"You are, are you? I ask your pardon, Mr. Corporal," and taking off his hat he bowed, saying, "I was not aware of that."

Upon this, he dismounted and pulled until great drops of perspiration stood on his forehead. When the beam was raised, turning to the little great man, he said, "Mr. Corporal, when you have another such job and not men enough, send for your commander-in-chief, and I will gladly come and help you a second time."

The little corporal was thunder-struck. It was Washington who thus addressed him.

THE WAR.

The war drags on very unsensationally. As regards the squadrons outside Cuba we can only repeat our remarks of previous days. It seems confirmed that Admiral Sampson has put back to Key West but it is not said how many vessels are with him. Com. Schley has reported to Washington that he personally saw Admiral Cervera's squadron in Santiago Bay. Late telegrams, however, report that it has now moved out, for parts unknown. It is also reported that the second squadron has at last sailed from Cadiz. It is further stated that definite orders have been given for the invasion of Cuba. All this requires confirmation.

Telegrams have been published in London to the effect that the Pope is making another attempt to intervene, having proposed that Spain shall cede Cuba in return for an indemnity, and the retention of its other colonies and its fleet.

Perhaps the most important news of the day is to be found in the messages referring to the relations between France and the United States, and which seem utterly to destroy any lingering hopes Spain may have had of finding an ally in France. On Monday was signed a commercial treaty between France and the United States, the former reducing the duties on N. American meat to one-half and on bacon to one-third, and the United States reducing the duties on French still wines, vermouth, liquors and works of art. This comes into force today. On Monday, also, in Paris there was a great gathering of French and of American residents round the tomb of Lafayette, the U. S. Ambassador being among the latter, and speeches of the most fraternal description were exchanged. A similar scene occurred at a banquet in the evening, at which several distinguished Frenchmen were present. The latter taking the opportunity to destroy the impression of enmity created by some of the Paris papers. Lastly, in a banquet offered by the Chamber of Commerce at St. Etienne, President Faure referred to the treaty mentioned above as a pledge of friendship between the two powers. All this seems to us very significant.

Two newspaper correspondents landing at Cuba have been arrested by the Spanish. According to one version they are N. American, but another represents them as Englishmen provided with passports which the Spanish refused to respect. Their names are not given.

There is a tale of an arbitration treaty having been signed, with Gt. Britain according to one version, with Canada according to another. Nothing definite can be made of this.

There is serious financial trouble in Spain over a scheme of the new Government to prohibit the exportation of silver, but the scheme is not yet definitely approved.

We find nothing else worth repeating.

SUNDRIES.

The writers in the *Voz de Espana* must be quite insane, or else they imagine that the world is still in the eighteenth century. In its last number, it concludes a long article, the object of which is to show that Spain is the greatest nation on earth, as follows:—"Spain is sufficient in herself to attend to this war and all the consequences that it may bring. With corsairs as complement to the grandiose naval and military elements developed by the exemplary heroism of the Spanish people, we will ruin Anglo-saxon commerce, and after successive triumphs on land and sea, our valor and constancy will succeed in killing two birds with one stone (The italics are of the original.) We can never forget for a moment that England is our traditional and irreconcilable enemy, which treacherously makes unceasing war upon us, and we should be prepared to arrange many outstanding accounts with it after having paid off the reckless and giddy Republic that at present serves it as catpaw."—It will be news to our American cousins to learn that they are only serving as catpaws to the English in the present war. We can imagine, however, what would happen if Spanish corsairs ventured to interfere with British merchant vessels.

Some days ago the trial took place of a band of six men accused of cattle-stealing, pillage, assault and murder on the Brazilian frontier, during the Rio Grande revolution of 1895. The jury found them all guilty in different degrees, but the Judge, Dr. Ballesteros, acquitted them all on the excuse that they were acting under military orders at the time and therefore not morally responsible. The Fiscal of Crimo, Dr. V. Martinez, has now appealed against the sentence in all its parts

and against the liberation of the prisoners, at the same time pointing out that a sentence of acquittal in face of a verdict clearly and specifically condemnatory is a serious violation of the law. What is more noteworthy however is that the *Razon* of May 28th, in an editorial article from the pen of Dr. C. M. Ramirez, strongly condemns the result of the case as a subversion or miscarriage of justice, and claims, in strong language, that the punishment of the prisoners was a necessity for the protection of society. In thus protesting—and very properly protesting—against the acquittal of unquestionable criminals, the *Razon* has done precisely what we did in the case of the murder of Mr. Lewis by Carvalho, and for doing which a prosecution is still hanging over our heads. We shall be curious to see if any of the men concerned will venture to prosecute the *Razon*, as we are being prosecuted, for offence against their personal tranquility and honor and threats against their life and liberty.

The vagaries of the Yellow Press at New York are fair game for the American humourist. "Harper's Weekly" publishes a Special to "The Daily Jaundice" in which the prevalent sensation-mongering is neatly ridiculed. Here are the last three items:—"The Fish Commission this morning issued a most significant order, which leaves no doubt as to the aggressive course the Administration means to pursue towards Spain. The order reads that all Spanish mackerel are to leave United States waters before noon to-morrow."

"Footpads broke into the naval gun foundry last night, and this morning it was found that several guns had been rifled." "At the Spanish Legation last evening an important conference was held, the nature of which your correspondent could not learn, his ladder being too short to enable him to get his ear to the window."

The pupils of the Verdi Institute will give a vocal and instrumental Concert this evening under the direction of their respective professors. The programme is an interesting one.

On Saturday the Spanish Company from the Solis Theatre will move to the Obilts, where they will present "The Count of Montecristo."

The real season at the Solis Theatre will commence on Saturday next with the appearance of the distinguished Italian actress Sra. Teresa Mariani, who has been creating a *furor* in Buenos Aires. Her photographs, plentifully displayed in the shop windows, show her to be beautiful, and she is said to be not less talented. She is supported by a first class Company, including several ladies of unusual personal attractions. The theatres have for such a long time been given over to companies of a second and third rate order, that it will be quite a novelty as well as a pleasure to see some really high class acting.

The biggest Tea Duty Cheque on record was that recently paid to her Majesty's Customs by the Mazawatee Tea Company, and was for £63,147 2s 10d, being £12,500 greater than any payment hitherto made. This payment represents 1637 tons of tea, or 1,000,000 cups. All this tea is British grown. Messrs. Amy and Henderson are the agents here.

The American newspapers are threatened with a paper famine. The daily output of white paper in the various mills is only 1,800 tons, whilst the daily consumption during the past month, owing to the sensational "extras" published by all the journals, has mounted up to 2,100 tons. The reserve stock is almost exhausted and some of the papers are curbing their exuberance. We cannot help thinking that this is the best thing that has happened to the Americans since war broke out.

A little story that appeared not long ago in a Spanish comic paper serves to show what Spaniards thought of their navy before the present events. A Spanish Admiral touching at some foreign port, in the natural course of events calls on the Governor of the local fort, and on the return call the Governor sees the one little gun of the Spanish man of war run out to fire a return salute; but at the critical moment the Spanish Admiral rushes up and throws the gun, carriage and all, into the sea. "What!" exclaims the distinguished visitor, "why do you throw your Government's guns overboard?" "Because," replies the admiral, "if the gun had gone off it would have blown this whole ship to pieces! That means another decoration for me!" "How's that?" "For my courage in saving this ship from destruction."

A football match between the Albion 2nd XI and the German Football Club was played at Pocitos on Sunday last under adverse circumstances for the former, whose team consisted of eight of their own men and two kindly lent by their adversaries. The result was a draw, 0 to 0. Calder, Bor-

doni and Davie played well for the Albions, and the Captain Von Bulow and the two backs were the most conspicuous for the Germans.

The London Times announces the appointment of Mr. W. V. T. Leonard, well-known in the River Plate, as Paymaster of the training ship H. M. S. "Britannia."

An Extraordinary General Meeting of Members of the English Club is convoked for Tuesday evening next in order to discuss a proposed alteration in Rule No. 17, the form of which as recently revised has given dissatisfaction to a considerable number of members.

The Tea Room of the House of Commons has at present the wall of one side completely covered with large maps of the areas on land and sea which are likely to be the theatres of the war between the United States and Spain. Close to these maps is a large and very massive table, of which few know the history. It was the table in the old House of Commons in St. Stephen's Chapel, from which Pitt and Dundas on one side and Fox, Burke, and Sheridan on the other thundered in the party struggles of the time. It is not, perhaps, a matter of general knowledge that the tangle of the old House of Commons was rescued from the fire by which the Chamber itself was destroyed, and is now preserved in the cellars of the present House of Commons.

LONDON NOTES

MONDAY, MAY 2.

A great naval battle has been fought off Manila. The American squadron, under Commodore Dewey, attacked the Spanish fleet and the forts guarding the harbour at early dawn yesterday. A terrible conflict ensued, during which the Spanish flagship Maria Christina was burned, the cruiser Juan de Austria was blown up, and the warships Mindanao and Ulloa were severely damaged. The Spanish losses were heavy. The American squadron, according to the Spanish accounts, also suffered severely.

A Correspondent at Key West telegraphs that the American Squadron off Cuba has been so far engaged in only a few trivial operations. Admiral Sampson has tried in vain to draw the fire of the forts at Havana, and the Spanish authorities seem bent on avoiding anything which might break the peaceful blockade and invite bombardment. General Blanco's statement that the only shots fired have been from signal guns is now accepted as correct.

A Red Cross steamer, with supplies for the suffering Cubans, is lying at Key West awaiting a convoy of warships. Since it has become known that the Spaniards at Matanzas have seized the supplies of the Reconcentrados, there is a strong desire among Americans to see a landing effected there, and it is possible that simultaneous landings will be made at Sagua la Grande and other points where considerable forces of insurgents are known to be.

Senor Silvela, speaking in the Spanish Cortes on Saturday, said that everyone was agreed that the war turned merely on a point of honour. By granting autonomy to Cuba Spain had practically relinquished her rights there, and as she had no material losses to fear, the Cortes should intervene to stop the war the moment the honour of the flag had been vindicated.

Her Majesty reached Cherbourg on Saturday, but owing to the rough weather that prevailed in the Channel delayed crossing until yesterday. The Royal yacht Victoria and Albert left the French port at half-past ten in the morning and reached Portsmouth about twenty minutes past four. The cruisers Australia and Mersey conveyed the yacht across the Channel, and the Queen had a pleasant voyage, though rain was falling heavily when she disembarked. At Portsmouth the ships in harbour were dressed and manned. Windsor was reached just after seven in the evening.

Lord Salisbury arrived in London last evening on his return from the Continent.

Sir E. Poynter presided over the annual banquet of the Royal Academy which was held on Saturday evening, and was attended by the Prince of Wales and other distinguished guests. Replying to the toast of "Her Majesty's Ministers," the Duke of Devonshire expressed the hope that the Government had shown themselves not altogether indisposed to emulate the example which had been set them by magnificent private patrons of Art, and that in dealing with the proposed new Government offices they might succeed in erecting a series of buildings worthy of the sites they would occupy. Responding for "The Royal Academy," the President announced that the owner of Millais' noble portrait of Mr. Gladstone—Sir Charles Tennant—intended to present it to our national

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collection, where it would stand as a monument to the genius of the artist, to the greatness of the statesman, and to the liberality of the giver.

We regret to record the death of Mr. P. H. Calderon, R.A., Keeper of the Academy, which occurred at his official residence, Burlington House, on Saturday.

A notable sale of pictures took place at Christie's on Saturday. Five paintings by Sir John Millais excited keen competition. 'The Order of Release' finding a purchaser at 5,000 guineas. The total of the day's sale was over 23,000l.

Under the presidency of the Speaker of the House of Commons a dinner was held in the Whitehall Rooms on Saturday in aid of the building fund of the Royal Westminster Ophthalmic Hospital. Subscriptions amounting to 2,000l. were announced.

In weather of the most inauspicious character the annual May Day Demonstration took place in Hyde-park, yesterday, and proved to be the smallest gathering of the kind since the institution of Labour Day some years ago.

The football season ended on Saturday. In the closing stage of the test competition for admission to the League Championship Division Burnley and Stock by drawing their match kept sufficiently in front of Blackburn Rovers and Newcastle United to insure places among the senior clubs next season.

An important judgment relating to life interests under the Finance Act was delivered in the Court of Appeal on Saturday, the question raised being whether when a tenant for life more than twelve months before his death absolutely and bona fide surrendered his life interest to the remainder man, that property was upon the death of the tenant for life liable to estate duty under the Finance Act.

TUESDAY, MAY 3. After the naval battle on Sunday in which the Spanish fleet was annihilated, Admiral Dewey demanded the surrender of all torpedoes and guns and the possession of the cable offices.

The news of the American victory in Manila Bay has created intense excitement in the United States, and signs of popular rejoicing are general. Washington, was yesterday almost delirious with joy. New York was gay with flags, and the streets were full of people talking only of the battle.

A correspondent at Madrid describes the effect there of the news of the disaster to the Spanish navy at Manila. The Queen, while in great distress, remains calm, declaring that she will be guided by her care for the honour of the nation.

First-class cricket for the season may be said to have commenced yesterday with the Freshman's match at Cambridge. At Oxford rain prevented a start being made with the Seniors' match.

Mrs. Camilla Nicholls whose trial had occupied the Court for five days, was yesterday, at the Old Bailey, found guilty of the manslaughter of her servant Emily Jane Popejoy.

We learn from Washington that the Finance Committee of the Senate has practically decided to eliminate the tonnage tax clause from the War Revenue Bill.

Serious rioting in consequence of the rise in the price of bread continues at various towns in Italy. At Molitella the crowd came into conflict with the troops, and five men were killed, three soldiers also being wounded.

In the House of Lords yesterday the City and South London Railway Bill was read a third time. Lord Salisbury, who looked re-

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markedly well, formally moved the adjournment.

Subjects on which questions were addressed to Ministers in the House of Commons included the new United States shipping duties, the future of Wei-hai-Wei, and the victory gained by the American Fleet at Manila.

Among the speakers at the annual meeting of the National Temperance League last night at Exeter Hall were the Archbishop of Canterbury, who declared the report showed a considerable advance in all directions but one—the publication department; and Sir W. H. White, Director of Naval Construction, who announced himself a life-long abstainer, and contrasted the state of public opinion now in favour of sobriety with that which he remembered when he was a boy.

Replying to a deputation from the Church Association, which yesterday presented a memorial to him protesting against illegal practices in matters of ritual in the Church of England, the Bishop of London urged a spirit of toleration. Mr. Kensit's action had, he said, thrown very great hindrances to him personally in the course he was pursuing, to bring about a greater agreement between the different parties in the Church.

Lady Newnes distributed the prizes last night at the Queen's Hall to a number of boys and girls connected with the Ragged School Union—which is now to be known as the Shaftesbury Society. The prizes given were for good conduct in a situation for one, three, or five years; altogether 585 prizes had been awarded, but those for one year were handed to the local school representative.

Wheat keeps dull, despite the fall in price. Millers are now offering \$3.50 to 3.90, but no business done. Maize fairly busy at former prices, but there is a scarcity of grain fit for export.

Buenos Aires, May 31, 1898. Gold, cash, 261.80. Do. end of month, 262.50. Cédulas 8%, Provinciales, 17.20. Do. P. O. and M., cash, 17.10. Banco Español, cash, 122.50. Certificados Banco de la Provincia, cash, 40. Consolidada de Santa Fé, 1893, cash, 43.50. Muelle Catalanas, cash, 6. The «Eolo» sails.

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS. Montevideo, May 31, 1898. —Str. Triton from Salto, 103 pass. —Str. Venus from B. Aires, 158 pass. —Str. Rivadavia from Salto, 27 pass. —Str. Rosario from Hamburg 7 pass., for B. Aires. —Str. Hibernus from Glasgow. —Str. Venus for B. Aires.

COMMERCIAL

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OTHER DATES

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