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MONTEVIDEO, APRIL 23, 1898.

TRIBUTARY REFORM. The Decree which we translate elsewhere appointing represent-ative committees to revise the principal tributary laws, is one the most important ministrative measures yet taken by Sr. Cuestas' Government, and indicates his intention to lose no time in fulfilling the promise he gave not long ago. It has come as a pleasant surprise to the market, for no hint had been given that it was in preparation so soon, but we do not he sitate to anythat the inverse of the promise of say that the impression it has created is excellent on all sides. We have expatiated too often in these columns on the oppressive and prejudicial character of the present tributary system of the Republic. for it to be necessary to say any thing now in delence or explanation of the Decree. Such a step is just as necessary a part of the re-generation of the Republic as el-ectoral reform is of its poectoral reform is of its po-litical reconstitution. Without t, it would be almost impossible, however favorable the political aspect, for commerce and

ndustry to develop in the manner warranted by the great resources of the Republic, or to recover from the precarious position in which they have been placed by the bad and oppressive governments of recent

The citizens named to form the two Revising Committees could hardly have been chosen with better discernment, for they will bring both practical knowledge and the right spirit to bear on their task. whilst the faculty given them of naming advising sub committees will help to keep them in touch with the tax-payers whose inter-ests are most effected

There are however, two omissions in the Decree which we think

it necessary to point out.

In the first place, no period is fixed for the presentation of the reports, and thus the Committees may take an indefinite time in their task, as has happened more than once with Committees of this character. We do not doubt the good put aside or neglected in favor of some newer interest until in the end nothing is accomplished. If the Government had fixed a discretionary period, say six or nine months, for the presentation of the Reports, we think it would have stimulated the Committees to prompter action.

Some two or three years ago the the issue the second of the Borda Government named a whole series of popular committees for the revision of the Customs Duties but we do not know that they ever held more than one meeting. This was mainly due, however, to the bad faith exhibited by the Government almost as soon as it had issued the Decree. We do not think such a thing is likely to occur in the present case.

The other defect is that in the tributary Laws tabled for revision no mention has been made of the Law of Stamps and Stamps Page 1

mention has been made of the Law of Stamps and Stamps Paper.
(Ley de Sellos y Papel Sellodo) This we regard as a very important omission, as the tax in question, though not very large in the aggregate is both onerous and vaxatious. Not only is the stamp tariff exorbitant, but the law is absurdly complicated, in places almost unintelligible, and interferes sariously with com-

law were simplified and the tariff reduced, and it is strange that the Government should not have included it in the Decree We are sure that a commercial petition asking for its revision would meet with attention, and we venture to suggest that such petition be made to the Minister of Finance.

The modification of the Customs
Duties will be of interest to the
Bondholders of the Republic,
on account of the lien on those Duties to guarantee the services of the foreign debt and of the railways. How far they will be ffected it is not possible to say until we have some knowledge of what modifications are proposed, so we must leave consideration of that part of the subject until future opportunity.

NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDED

SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 1898. Saints George and Gerard.—Shake-speare born 1561, and died, 1616.—118 days past, 253 to the end of the year.

TRIBUTARY REFORM.

The following important Decree was issued from the Ministry of Finance yesterday:-

Considering: That it is urgently necessary to modify the present laws of direct and indirect taxation, in a liberal sense which will conciliate the exigences of State compromises with the development of the national riches:

That since the year 1887 there has been no alteration in the Cus toms tariff, except to increase the duties, although since then there have been many variations between the real and the tariff values of merchandise, so that in some cases the fiscal loses and in othersthe consumer has to pay an un-

And, that as regards the other taxes weighing on territorial pro-perty, professions and industries, it is the duty of the public powers to arrange their distribution with the greatest possible equity, taking as base the true situation of the

The Provisional President ac-

cords and decrees: Art. 1.—Hereby is created a Revising Committee of the Laws, Regulations and Tariffs prevailing for the collection of the Customs Duties; the said Committee to be composed of Sr. E. Gerdin, Director General of E. Gradin, Director General of Customs, Sr. H. Roustan, Director of Statistics, Sr. Joaquin C. Mar-quez, President of the National Chamber of Commerce, Dr. A. M Rodriguez Dr. E Acevedo (Editor of the Siglo) Dr. Martin C. Martinez (ex editor of the Siglo) and Sr.

Pedro Echegaray.

Art. 2.—The said Committee is mittees in each branch of com-merce and industry, in order to ad-vise it in the better fulfilment of its

Art. 3.—There is likewise ap-pointed another Committee for the revision of the Laws of Pro-perty Tax (Contribucion Inmobiliaria) and Business Licences (Pa tentes de Giro,) there being named for this purpose Sr. Platon Arre-dondo, Accountant General of the Nation, Sr. Francisco Fernandez, Director of Direct Taxes, Dr. Car-los M. Ramirez (editor of the Ra-zon.) Dr. Carlos M de Pena (exminister of Finance.) Dr. Juan Campisteguy (ditto.) Sr. Federico Capurro and Dr. J L. Terra (ex-minister of Finance.)

faith of the gentlemen composing the Committees, but we know well and have often seen how tasks of this description are put aside or neelected in favor and analysis, they may be forward ed to the consideration of the Hon.

Council of State. Art. 5 -Let this be communicated etc.-Cuestas.-José R. Men-

POLITICAL NOTES.

The important item of the day is the issue of the Decree taking the initial step towards tributary reform. We refer to this editorially, but may repeat here that the De cree has made an excellent im-

In addition to this a Decree has been issued from the Ministry has been issued from the Ministry of Government appointing a Committee for the general revision of the Rural Code, as has been recommended by the Rural Association and the Municipal Board. This Committee consists of Dr. Joaquin Requens, Dr. A. M. Rodriguez, Dr. Augusto Acosta y Lara, Sr. Carlos Arocena, Sr. Carlos Revies, Sr. Diego Pons and Sr. J. Reyles, Sr. Diego Pons and Sr. J.

It is expected that the Report of the Minister of Foment on the Port question will be presented to the Cabinet on Monday or Tuesday

mere charge of the tax. It was anticipated, and fully recog-would be a great relief to nises the right of the Executive, dur-all clases of business if this tra-constitutional period, to prohibit meetings which it considers of a subversive character or likely to produce public disorders, giving, however, immediate account of its actions to the Coun-

large number of telegrams from various parts of the Republic, conveying congratulation on the settle-ment of the *electoral accord.*

The Legislative Committee of the Council of State has completed its study of the reformed Electoral Law, and the Report should be ready for presentation next week Meanwhile the Council will lose no further time in commencing discussion in detail of the amended Law of Civic Register, which is the first part of electoral reform.

The retail merchants and tradesmen of the capital have presented a petition to the Minister of Finance, asking for the withdrawal from circulation of the old copper coins coined previous to IS67. Many of the public already reject these coins, which are cumbersome and defaced, and as there is an excess of copper in the market (it is at discount of 4 to 5 %,) their presence is a loss and annoyance to retail trade. The total amount copper coin at present in circulation is estimated at \$370,000 to \$380,000.

THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR.

War between Spain and the United States is already an accomplished fact, hostilities having commenced sooner than was expected, without any formal declaration. This may be attributed to the action of the Spantsh Govern-ment, which, without paying any attention to the ultimatum of President McKinley, accepted his signing of the resolutions of Con-gress as a casus belli and at once sent his passports to General Wood ford, who accordingly left Madrid for France on Thursday. carefully escorted over the frontier A large crowed witnessed his departure from Madrid, but there was no attempt at outrage, though it is said that stones were thrown at the train on the route. The British Minister has taken charge of the US. Lega-

As soon as this was known in Washington a Cabinet Council was held and it was resolved to commence action without further delay. Orders were at once imparted to the squadron at Key West, which accordingly set sail for Cuba at 5.45 yesterday morning. According to a late telegram the squadron has already captured the Spanish merchant vessel «Buenaventura» The flying squad-ron concentrated at Hampton Roads is also expected to sail any moment for Cuba and Puerto Rico. The blockade of both islands has been officially notified to the Powers. According to the telegrams the plan is to blockade both islands. mpeding the arrival of the Spanish vessels, until the U.S. forces can effect a landing, A considerable portion of the U. S. fleet will be kept in reserve to protect the Atlantic coasts, it being expected that the Spanish vessels will attack the ports.

The news of the war has caused a rebellion against the Spanish rule to break out in Puerto Rico. The foreign residents there are in a great panic, fearing the bombardment on the coast, and the disorders in the interior.

Sr. Polo de Bernabè has left Washington for Uanada, visiting Niagara on the way He was treated with every consideration by the U.S. authorities.

The excitement in Havana is described as «delirious» and the volunteers and Weylerites are ready to throw themselves into the sea to meet the Yankees

According to a Washington telegram orders have been sent to the U.S.S. «Oregon,» now on her way from the West Coast, to «Temerario» is expected in this port any moment, also on her way from the West Coast, and if she meets the «l'emerario» there may

be an encounter at our gates.

The telegrams hint that it is the intention of Spain to issue letters of marque to corsairs, although this proceeding has been condemned as barbarous and abandoned by the more advanced nations of Europe and by the United States If she does, the European Powers will probably intervene.

According to a telegram to which we attach little credit, the European have notified Great Britain that

may be passed over as useless now that hostilities have actual-ly commenced. Attention will now be fixed on the development of the war, and it will probably no be long before news arrives o important actions. At present we are ignorant of the whereabouts and movements of the Spanish fleet, which should be somewhere between Cape Verde and Cuba.

Advertisement Frauds. The Commissioner of Police

warns the public against fraudulent advertisements of a certain kind, which, he says, are more rife at present than at any former period, and are so skilfully framed as to keep clear of the criminal law. Some of these advertisements offer large money prizes to any purchaser of certain wares-soap, perfumery, toys, &c.-who guesses some transparently simple cypher or puzzle. In a recent case the number of dupes was so large that the share of each succesful claimant to a £50 prize was one farthing ! Another advertisement of a kindred type promises as an absolutely free gift some article which is represented as being of considerable value. The most usual bait is a silver watch, and the condi-tion is that the victim shall purchase a suitable chain. It is needless to say that the price charged for the chain (generally from 16s. to 25s.) is sufficient to cover the cost of watch and chain, with a very liberal margin for profit. Reference may again be made also to chome employment» advertisements - advertisements undertaking to obtain situations for persons on payment of a fee; and especially the wellknown «Spanish swindle,» which, in spite of the repeated warnings issued to the public in past years, is apparently as flourishing as

A Prime Minister and his Wooden Leg.

The rapid progress made by the Japanese in adopting the arts and manufactures of the West has been watched in recent years with something like dismay by many traders, who fear that a profitable market may be lost to them by the development of native industry. There are still a few things, however, which the native of Japan who wishes for a superior article has to procure abroad One of these is guns; another-not altogether unconnected with the first-is wooden legs. An American journal recently announced-with national patriotic pride—that Count Okuma, the Prime Minister of Japan, had instructed the Japan-ese Minister to the United States to order a wooden leg for him in that country. The artificial limb, which, we are considerately informed, cost £20, was shipped to Japan in two weeks. This is ter has bought in the United States. In 1890 a Japanese fanatic named Hunekt Karushima threw bomb into the Foreign Of-fice, where Count Okuma was at work, the result being the destruction of the Prime Minister's right leg. A native cabin-et maker made for him an artin cial limb finely lacquered and inlaid with mother of pearl. This thing of beauty did not, however, prove a joy for ever, and when Count Oku-ma visited the United States in 1894 he procured a wooden leg which, if less artistic, was more serviceable. The American article was recently-to use the expression of an ex-Prime Minister of England - smashed, shattered, and pulverised in a street accident. Hence the necessity of a further patronage of American manufactures on the part of the Japanese statesman.-British

Golf.

Medical Journal.

The following are the Handicaps for the first monthly competition for the President's cup, which will way from the West Coast, to look out for and attack the Spanish cruiser «Temerario,» which is now in the River Plate. The U. S. S. «Marietta», a small cruiser about the same size as the be played on Sunday at 2 p. m .-Marshall 30, Adams 30, Lane 32, Crocker 33, Benedict 33, Towers 38 Scott 38, Nuttall 40, Oldham 45, Kerr Connell 48. Jones 50.

SUNDRIES.

-Sir Michael Hicks Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, pre-sented his Budget to Parliament on Thursday. He gave a highly favorable representation of the prosper-ity of the Empire.

-Colombino reappears at the Cibils to-night in a varied programme. He seems to have caught on with the public.

There will also be a varied func-

say that we consider this a fit subject for general theatrical representation.

Thursday, a large factory collapsed, killing six workmen and severely injuring thirty others who were with difficulty dug out of the ruins.

-The death took place on Thursday of Mrs. M. Arn de Schwartz, wife of Mr. Karl Schwartz, proprietor of the well-known Oriterion Restaurant. The finneral took place in the British Cemetery yesterday afternoon.

-The weather is breaking up fast, and winter is evidently at our

-Dr. Julio Herrera has published in a Buenos Aires paper a long letter setting forth his sympathy with Spain. As if his opinion on any subject whatever was of the least importance to any respectable person. What has Spain done to him that he should insult her with his sym-

pathy?

—The engagement is formally announced of the charming Miss Petrona Davie, daughter of the late highly esteemeed merchant and British Vice-Consul Mr. Charles Davie, to Mr. A. M. Frederick, of the Central Uruguay Railway Company. We take this opportunity of offering our hearty congratulations.

congratulations. -According to a London tele-gram, the Right Hon. A. J. Bal-four, First Lord of the Treasury and Interim Minister of Foreign Affairs, has stated in the House of Commons, in reply to a member, that the question between the Argentine Government and British Insurance Companies established in Buenos Aires had been tem-porarily arranged by means of the delivery to those companies of Argentine Treasury bonds for a sum equal to the guaranteed deposit required. Mr. Balfour added that this arrangement had been brought about by the British Minister in Buenos Aires, who had presented, by order of the Foreign Office, a formal protest against the obligation imposed on those com-panies, in direct infringement of existing treaties.

LONDON NOTES

THURSDAY, MARCH 24. The debate in the Italian Chamber on the Report of the Committee on the charges against Signor

Crispi was concluded yesterday, when an order of the day in favour of submitting the case to the ordinary judicial authorities was rejected by a majority of eight, and one voted simply adopting the re-commendation of the Committee, that the Chamber should pass poli-tical censure on the ex-Premier. Signor Crispi is stated to have at once resigned his seat in the Chamber on hearing the result of the debate, and to have expressed his said to be the second wooden leg which the Japanese Prime Minis election at Palermo, leaving his constituents to decide whether he was still worthy of representing

them in Parliament. Under the presidency of the Lord Mayor, a conference of the repre-sentatives of local authorities met at the Mansion House yesterday, to consider the best method of promoting the acquisition of the Crystal Palace and its grounds as a National Memorial of her Majesty's Diamond Jubilee. A resolution was unanimously adopted, urging that the Government should take steps to eacquire and maintain the Palace for the enjoyment of the people for ever. >

Upwards of three hundred guests were present as representatives of the shipping and railway interests of the United Kingdom last evening at a dinner given by the Lord Mayor at the Mansion House. The toast of the evening was coupled with the names of Mr. Ritchia (President of the Board of Trade), Mr. W. J. Jackson, M. P., (Great Northern Railway), and Mr. Edward Pembraka (Charbeau Stie ward Pembrake (Chamber of Ship-

Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather thousands of persons assembled at Chatham yesterday to witness the launching of the firstclass battleship Goliath Lady Notham, wife of the Commander-in-Chief at the Nore, christened the

The match between Mr. Stoddart's team and South Australia ended yesterday in a draw. The se-cond innings of the Englishmen closed for 399, which left the Australians to get 335 to win. Thanks to the splendid batting of Darling (96) and Hill (not out 124) the home side had made 267 for the loss of two wickets when stumps were

FRIDAY, MARCH 25.

A short sitting of the House of Lords was held yesterday. The Floods Prevention Bill, introduced

the aggregate is both onerous and vexatious. Not only is the stamp tariff exorbitant, but the law is absurdly complicated, in places almost unintelligible, and interferes seriously with commercial transactional movement, involving no little waste of clerical time and labour apart from the interference of a different nature to what it she supplies coal to either of the beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be presented to the beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The beligerent powers she will be treated as their ally. The will also be a varied function at the Oceanic Circus.

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when submitted by members, by the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs. Sir William Harcourt de-clared that there was no question more important in the interests of the House and the country, but he contrasted the measure of discretion exercised by Ministers in the House and outside the House. Mr. Curzon replied in somewhat gener-al terms. A statement was afterwards made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer as to the Greek Loan, and a resolution authorising the Guarantee was agreed to.

Evidence was given yesterday to the Money-Lending |Committee of the House of Commons by Mr. Snagge, County Court Judge. He suggested that promissory notes bearing more than 10 per cent. interest without collateral security should be registered, and the register open to inspection and search. Both borrower and lender would then hesitate before entering a scandalous transaction.

Under the presidency of Dr. Spence Watson the meetings of the National Liberal Federation were brought to a close at Leicester yesterday morning with the an-nual breaklast to Liberal Agents. Mr John Morley, in a brief speech, insisted upon the importance of electoral reforms, and commented on the gravity of foreign affairs. The House of Commons was, he said, dull now because the questions which engaged all thought at tions which engaged all thought at this moment were so critical and so dangerous that on all sides there was a sense of responsibility which kept the Chamber quiet

According to an official state-ment issued from the Foreign Office yesterday there is no truth whatever in the sensational para-graphs which have appeared with reference to Lord Salisnury's health and impending retirement. He is very much stronger and better, and will leave England for the Riviera on Saturday morning. A New York Correspondent tele-

graphs that the anxiety there with regard to the dispute with Spain is extreme. While those who desire war are only a small minority, the belief that hostilities cannot now be avoided is very general. The President is reported to be as firmly opposed to war as ever, and yesterday expressed his belief that he would yet be able to avert it. The danger lies in the possibility of Congress taking some measure which may provoke a hostile declaration from Spain and thus lead to war. In the Senate yesterday an impassioned speech was delivered by Mr. Thurston, who described the sufferings of the Cubans as a shame to Spain and to the world after nineteen centuries of Christianity. The time had come for intervention at whatever cost, and he trusted before another Christmas Day Spanish influence might be swept from the Western Hemisphere.

Yesterday the debate in the Reichstag at Berlin on the second reading of the Navy Bill was continued, and Paragraph I. adopted by a majority of 212 votes to 139. Herr Bennigsen, leader of the Nat-ional Liberals, in the course of his speech in defence of the measure, said, in the opinion of experts, that when the proposed increase of the Navy had been effected, Germany might safely risk an encounter with most powerful fleet in the world

Mr Alban Gibbs, M.P., presided at the anniversary festival of the London Orphan Asylum last evening, at the Hotel Metropole, when subscriptions amounting to 4,2951. were announced.

A number of rare editions of books and valuable manuscripts have been dispersed at Sotheby's this week, an exceptionally scarce Caxton selling for 5051.

Severe weather was general throughout the country yesterday, snowstorms and blizzards being experienced in London and all parts of the provinces. A sad disaster occurred at Birmingham, where, by a quantity of ironwork and bricks falling through a gal-vanising shop, four men were killed and several injured. Much damage was done round the Aberdeenshire. Howth, and the Channel Islands, showing a loss of at least a dozen lives by drown-

A large crowd of spectators assembled at the Crystal Palace yesterday to witness the replaying of the semi final between Notts Forest and Southampton for the English Cup, which was left drawn on Sat-

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urday last. For the greater part of the game Southampton held their own, but just before time Notts Forest managed to break through their defence and secured the ver-dict by two goals to nil. Snow was falling heavily. and Southampton entered a protest against play being

entered a protest against play being continued under such conditions.

Two actions dealing with the affairs of the Grosvenor Hotel were disposed of yesterday by Mr. Justice Bruce in the Queen's Bench Division. Mr. Kimber and others, receivers of the Grosvenor Hotel Company, proceeded against a grocer named Batey and a mineral water dealer named Russell, and they recovered verdicts for 150%. and 250%, respectively in favour of the company on account of alleged overcharges and commissions given to the manager.

After somewhat protracted litigation, a suit was yesterday disposed of having reference to the testamentary dispositions of the late Mr. Thomas Holloway, for-merly of Tottenhurst, Sunning Hill, who died in December 1893 leaving property of the value of over 600,000l. The Court pronounced in favour of the will of October 1883.

Mr. Slade, sitting at the South-

wark Police-court, had before him a smartly-dressed man named Adams, on a charge of stealing a gold watch and chain, and bank notes of the value of 800%, from an Italian mining engineer by means of the confidence trick. It was stated that 400l. worth of the notes had been changed. Prisoner was committed for trial.

Yesterday the Coroner's inquest on the bodies of the three persons who lost their lives in the recent collision on the South Eastern Railway, was held at Deptford. The principal witness was William Honey, the signalman at St. John's, who admitted that he made a mistake in believing that the Tonbridge train had passed his box, when, as a matter of fact, it had not reached it. Accordingly he sent the Hustings express through, as if the line was clear when the Tonbridge train was standing on the rails. The jury found that the collision was caused by Honey giving by an error of judgment the wrong signal.

COMMERCIAL

STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montevideo, April 22, 1898. Business to-day was rather quiet, except in Consolidateds, the movement in which is undiminished. Prices were unfavorably affected by the outbreak of war, and closed appreciably lower than yesterday, Sales

Extraordinary 1897 Loan, \$35. 000 at 67.50 and 67 cash and end of month.

Mortgage Bank, 660 shares at

Mortgage Bain, 650 said end of mouth, end of May 19.40.

Treasury Certificates, \$10,000
March at 86.60; \$8000 Feb. at 87.60

Spass., for La Plata.

and 8780. \$2500 Jan. at 89,50; \$2000 Dec. at 90.60 and 90.90; \$2180 Nov. at 92.50 and 92.40;

45.50 to 45.10, recovering to close at 45.30 cash and end of month, end of May 45.20 to 44.80, closing 44.90. The London quotation has fallen to 45 and 44.3/4, probably on account

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Bank. Commercial.							
London	90d/s.		6 51 3/8 1/2				
Paris	90d/s.	5.38-9	5.48-44				
Antwerp	90d/s.	5.39	5.44-46				
Germany	90d/s.	4.36-7	4.41-42				
N. York		0.98	11 77 110				
Italy		5.70 72	-				
Spain		9.50-9.00	-				
Brasil		41.550	42.00				
B, Aires 1	prem.	em. par					

Business Notes.

the London Bank yesterday \$11642 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$1422 on account of the 5% Loan

-Gold opened in B. Aires yester-day at 268,20 and closed at 269,30. -Exchange upon London was quoted in Rio Janeiro yesterday at 5 13/16 to 3/4 to 11/16 d. per milreis.
-London, 22. Wheat 39s. Lin-

seed 34s 3d. - Autwerp. Wheat 22.75 france, linseed 21.75.

-Auctioner C. Duran has sold 1795 bectares of camp in the 5th district of Colonia, in the district

few parchasers at that price. Buenos Aires 1000 tons from Colonis have been sold at \$400 p. o. b. Maize quoted at \$1.30 to 160 without bag.

Buenos Aires, April 22, 1898.

Gold, cash, 268. Do. end of month, 268. Cedulas 8°/o, Provinciales, 17. Banco Español, cash, 122. Consolidada de Santa Fé, 1886,

cash, 41. Mercado Central de Frutos (oro) The «Eolo» and «Tridente» sail.

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

Montevideo, April 21, 1898, Str. Paris from Salto, 105 pass. -Str. Venus from B. Aires, 84

-Str. California from B. Aires. -Str. Garrick from B. Aires, for

Str. Grecian from La Plata, for -Str. Ligaria from Valparaiso,

17 pass.
—Str. Tyr from Callao. Str. Highland Prince from B. Aires.
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Aires and Salto Hours as above
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branch 1 p. m.

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until the P. O. agents leave to go on
heard the steamers. board the steamers.

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24 Bearn	French	Marseilles
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27 D. di Galliera	Italian	Genoa
28 Rio	German	Villa Garcia
28 Campana	French	Havre
29 La Plata	French	Bordeaux
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Her father was silent, almost morose. Maggie Dunbar, looking across the table, noted the radiance in the girl's face and wondered.

«Doesn't Miss Thomas look lovely and happy this morning? she said to Frank. «Those stories must be all nonsense.>

And after breakfast Duloibel took her father seide and told him. He could scarcely believe his ears and his good fortune.

«By Jove! I am glad, and after I had thought it was all over. Why, my girl, I congratulate you. Lee me see what the fellow says.»

But Duloie held her precious letter close. She could not bear her father's eyes on it.

He laughed good-temperedly.

«Oh, very well; so long as it's all
fair and square—no mistake about
it. I do believe, and he looked at her
changing, flushing face, «you are
fond of the man. Well, well!»

The Captain was good natured enough when his comfort was not interfered with; and all other things being equal, he was glad this pretty daughter of his should be happy.

«I don't mind telling you now that I'm glad it's off with that fel-low Joselyn. It was as much as I could do to keep my bands off him the other day. >

Dulcie shuddered.

«Only one has to put up with things when one is poor; but this man is, I believe, thought well off by every one. You'll be too grand for your poor old father.> The Captain was quite sentimen-

tal and affectionate, and Duloie, who was still simple and girlish enough, in spite of her experiences, clung to him and enjoyed being petted and made much of.

And then she went off to write her first love-letter. Like most shy and reserved people, she wrote a pretty letter; and, somehow, writing to Robert Carew, she felt like speaking to her other self. She went out and posted it herself.

When she came back she could feel there was a change in the attitude of the people of the hotel towards her. Her father had lost no time in telling the great news.

Maggie Dunbar, fresh and bonny, met her on the stairs and kissed

«I must wish you joy, she said. «I know you will be very happy; Mr. Carew is so nice. Frank—Mr. Armytage — thinks so much of

And Dulcie, touched to the heart, could say nothing.

This was the girl she had heard Robert say would make a man happy. She had looked across at the girl ever since with unreasoning jealousy; but now he had chosen her to make him happy, and Maggie Dunbar had wished her joy. The two girls held each other's hands a minute.

«I always wanted to be friends with you,» said Maggie, «but—» «I know!» Dalois interrupted

«But when we are married we must be great friends, just as our husbands are.

«When we are married!» What a new life it opened up; and as Duloie sat in her own room that evening, dreaming happy dreams, the mis-tress of the hotel came up, profuse in her congratulations. Contrasting it with her manner of the morning, Dulcie felt chilled and disgusted. But it was the way of the

Robert Caraw had written from London, and the second day after she posted her letter came andther a longer one. "He thought of her constantly. He would be with her as soon as he could, but he was delayed by business,»

She wrote again. She almost thought she liked writing to him better than she would seeing him.

The Dunbars left, Maggie kissing her again, and saying:

«Remember, we are to be great friends. You must write to me.» Mrs. Dunbar even smiled at her.

She was a motherly woman, and she was touched by the girl's happy looks. She could not be all

And Frank, scorning his lady-love, lingered and held her band a

«Robert is an awfully good fellow. I don't grudge him his good for-tune,» he said. «I think I knew how it would be from the first. You will be very happy.»

«I am,» she said, with those shin-ing eyes, «and, oh! I wanted to tell you how sweet Miss Dun-bar is. I hope—I hope shall see her

His face brightened.
«I hope so,» he said. «She has taken an immense fancy to you.

And so things went on for about And so things went on for about a fortnight. The people in the hotel took quite an interest in this romance that had sprung up amongst them. Miss Thomas now, with her changed prospects, was the most popular person in the place. Every one was sorry when, the day she was expecting Robert Carew, came a telegram from him instead: from him instead:

«Met with an accident, pray come

Ab! she had not deserved so much happiness. She might have known it would be short.

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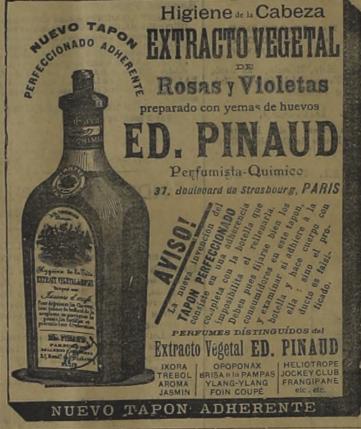
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