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## The Montevideo Times

MONTEVIDEO, MAY 5, 1898.

### NEWS OF THE DAY

**MONTEVIDEO**  
THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1898.  
Saints Pio Nono and Eulogius.—Napoleon I, died, 1821.—125 days past, 240 to the end of the year.

**CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.**  
The following were the Customs Receipts for the month of April, 1898:—  
Importation \$ 840,492.70  
Exportation 82,378.95  
Departments estimate 106,000.00  
\$1,018,871.65

Same month, 1897 \$ 702,361  
Same month, 1896 \$ 1,085,696

The excellent results attained in March last were thus well sustained in April, the receipts for which show an increase of some \$316,500 over those of the same month in 1897, when there was civil war, and are nearly equal to those of April, 1896, which with one exception were the largest of any month since 1890. No better proof could be required that the situation continues to be both favorable and satisfactory.

The payments made by the Custom House to the London Bank on account of the service of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantees, to which 45% of the Custom House receipts are assigned, for the quarter just expired, are as follows:—

Balance of previous quarter \$ 7 110 88  
During February. 334,836 02  
" March . . . 450,615 53  
" April . . . 496,208 68  
Total . . . \$ 1,288,711 11

Similar payments on account of the Uruguayan 5% loan were:—  
During February. \$ 40,924 43  
" March . . . 55,075 25  
" April . . . 60,647 72  
Total . . . \$ 156,647 72

### POLITICAL NOTES.

The Council of State held an Extraordinary Session on Tuesday, in which were named the Electoral Boards for the different Departments, according to the lists previously agreed upon between the party Committees and the Special Committee of the Council. The proceedings were perfectly friendly, and the only point that provoked discussion was whether military officers (not on active service) were eligible for nomination to the Boards, which was eventually decided in the affirmative.

The *Siglo* criticizes favorably the Boards thus formed, saying that the selection has been made with great judgement and fairness. Of the 256 names on the list of members and substitutes, 140 are "colorados," 122 nationalists, and 4 constitutionalists, whilst the actual Boards are composed of 70 "colorados" and 61 nationalists, the latter being allowed a majority on the Board in five departments. Moreover, says the *Siglo*, the names selected are not those of men who are likely to lend themselves to electoral fraud or to official pressure. The whole arrangement, therefore, indicates an enormous advance on the electoral machinery of recent years and gives the people the fullest guarantee for the free and legitimate exercise of the suffrage. It might also be added that the division of power be-

tween the parties is very much more equitable than that arranged in the "electoral accord," which gives the "colorados" an entirely undeserved proportion of representation.

The *Siglo* also remarks on the good effect that has been produced in the interior by the accomplishment of the "electoral accord" as reported by recent visitors thence. The "accord," they say, has been the signal for the repair of all the ravages caused by the civil war, and those estancieros who had hitherto hesitated to repair their fences are now hastening to do so; this being the first and most important system of a return to active productive life.

It is generally reported that Colonel Andrés Klingler has resigned his post as Prefect of Paysandú.

Notice is officially issued that conversion of the Treasury Certificates corresponding to July will commence on the 10th instant. As by that time the Certificates for April will have been issued, this will still leave the Certificates just nine months in arrears, namely from August to April inclusive, representing a floating debt of between \$3,500,000 and \$4,000,000. Notwithstanding its economies and the greatly improved financial situation, the Government has not yet been able to bring conversion of these Certificates any nearer up to date but we think this may be explained by the heavy mass of arrears of other descriptions left by the Borda administration, and which the present Government is gradually paying off. The appreciation in the Certificates has been remarkable, and is one of the most significant symptoms of the change in public feeling towards the Government. In August last, just before Sr. Idiarte Borda was shot, the Certificates were equally nine months in arrears, and the July Certificates, the latest then issued, were barely negotiable at 50, representing a discount of about 5 1/2% per month. Today, the March Certificates, the latest now issued, find a ready sale at 89, a discount of about 1 1/4% per month. It need hardly be said that this also signifies a corresponding improvement in the situation of the large numbers of administrative employees who are paid in these Certificates.

A number of master mariners of the port have presented to the Government a petition contrary to the port scheme of the engineer Mr. Guerard, in which they affirm that the entrance channel is too narrow and will consequently offer danger in times of high tide and wind.

The U. S. Minister here, Mr. W. Finch, has informed the Government that, in response to an application made by him, the U. S. Government will be willing to offer to Uruguayan students a free scholarship in the Military College at Newport and another in the Naval School at Annapolis, if the Uruguayan Government makes a formal application for the same.

### Death of the Tichborne Claimant.

The death, in a lodging in Marylebone of Arthur Orton, the once well known Tichborne "Claimant," recalls the story of the strangest imposture that ever flourished upon human credulity. Roger Charles, son of Sir James Tichborne, was born in 1829, lived in France until he was fourteen, was then a pupil at Stonyhurst, entered the Army in 1849, and, partly on account of an unprosperous attachment to his cousin Miss Doughty, left England in 1853. He went first to Valparaiso, and sailed from Rio de Janeiro in the *Bella* which was believed to have foundered at sea. For the purposes of the succession, his death was legally established by a decree of the Court of Chancery, but his mother, Lady Tichborne, clung to the hope that he had escaped, and frequently advertised for him in Australian papers. In consequence of her advertisements a person who professed to be the missing Roger Tichborne was discovered, and towards the end of 1868, came to England to assert his claim to the title and estates. . . . The jury pronounced him to be Arthur Orton, convicted him of perjury and forgery, and he was sentenced for fourteen years' penal servitude. He was released on a ticket of leave in 1881, and made some feeble attempts to reawaken public sympathy, but, excepting in the case of a few exceptionally credulous individuals, he met with no success. The great imposture was dead and its corpse could not be galvanised into more than a semblance of life. . . . Lady Tichborne's recognition of Orton as her son was positive, although it might have been supposed that the speech, the thoughts, and the habits of an ignorant butcher would have shocked and disenchanted a delicately nurtured lady. . . . In 1895, Orton set his hand to a sworn confession of the justice of the verdicts, and admitted his identity in articles which he contributed to a popular newspaper, and which

have since been republished in pamphlet form. In these he told the whole story of his fraud, from its inception to its final catastrophe, and, if it be possible to believe him in any circumstances, he may probably be believed in this confession.—*Times*.

Castro, or Orton came to England, introduced himself to Lady Tichborne, upon whom he successfully imposed, but who died before she could be cross-examined in court. The evidence was voluminous. The speech of Dr. Kenealy, in defence of the Claimant, lasted for twenty-four days, amidst scenes of frequent excitement, counsel sometimes barely escaping from being mobbed in the streets by the partisans of both sides. On the 18th day of investigation the then Lord Chief Justice of England concluded his charge to the jury. After less than half an hour's absence from court the jury returned a verdict of guilty upon all the three counts of perjury submitted, and the Claimant was sentenced to fourteen years' penal servitude. From a parliamentary return published on July 14, 1887, it appeared that the total costs of the prosecution amounted to £60,074 of which £23,676 went in counsel's fees, £18,712 to witnesses, agents, &c., £10,268 to law stationers and for printing, £9,637 for shorthand writers' notes, and £3,780 to the jury. There is scarcely upon record a more costly or colossal fraud. It made and marred many reputations, and the excitement which engendered lived long after its exposure, many people refusing to believe in the justice of the verdict which, however, is now admitted. Orton had reached the age of 69.—*Irish Times*.

### BILLIARDS.

#### NINETEENTH CENTURY.

The ordinary amateur is quite content with the game as it is, and so far all is satisfactory. But when we come to look at the game as it is played by the best professionals, our satisfaction is considerably lessened. The great improvement in the manufacture of tables, and of the implements used in the game, conjoined perhaps with more assiduous labour than the older players devoted to it, have enabled the modern exponents to attain a degree of perfection that was never dreamt of thirty years ago. The result has been unfortunate. One of the great charms of English billiards, as ordinarily played in its variety, the different kinds of strokes, the combinations constantly assuming new forms, interest the player and spectator alike. But at one time it seemed probable that the game would lose this characteristic, and in fact for a time it did. The quickest and surest way to success was found to be by cultivating a particular stroke, and by entirely subordinating to it every other part of the game. All the efforts of the player were directed to getting his own ball behind the red on the spot, and then by making use of the cushions or in the various ways in which the stroke can be played, he continued to put the red into one or other of the top pockets, always contriving after each stroke to leave his own ball in such a position as would enable him to repeat the winning hazard. This was called the spot stroke, and such perfection was attained at it that every match was decided by it, and it alone. A very few strokes usually sufficed to give the desired position and then began what was called spot practice, which often went on with such a "damnable iteration" that everyone, except perhaps the player, was wearied and disgusted with it. Players would not go to see it. Players performed to empty rooms, and there was a general outcry against the stroke. The result was the introduction of spot-barred games in which the repetition of the spot stroke was altogether prohibited. The player was allowed to put the red down once off the spot in either of the top pockets but if the next stroke he put it down in either of these pockets, and did not by the same stroke score in some other way, his break was summarily closed. Under this restriction the game once more became popular, and at present nearly all public billiards is so played. If a game with the spot stroke allowed is ever indulged in, it is limited to 500 points up; the players knowing perfectly well that a very little squashes the average spectator.

But there is some reason to think that before long a further restriction will be put on the game. When the player gets the balls in certain positions, and all very close together, it is possible for him to continue making cannon after cannon, the balls never being separated by more than a few inches. In this way the best players will sometimes make runs of 60, 70, and 80 of these nursery cannons. It has been said very frequently of late that the long series of cannons are as bad as the old spot stroke; for while some assert that it is monotonous to watch a great

number of consecutive strokes which to the ordinary spectator look all very much alike, others justly complain that the position of the player's body frequently prevents a considerable proportion of the room from seeing the play.

### THE WAR.

Probably owing to the cutting of the cable from Manila, there is an absence of news of importance. The alleged bombardment and capture of Manila and Cavite is still lacking reliable confirmation, and we suspect that the assertion is nothing more than an unauthorized anticipation of the American papers. Neither is there yet any news of the arrival of Admiral Dewey's official report of the combat of Sunday. According to a Key West telegram, it seems that General Blanco caused great enthusiasm in Havana by communicating the complete victory of the Spanish fleet, and that the city was illuminated in consequence. This verges on the grotesque.

Matters in Madrid continue most critical, though according to late telegrams the disorders are being occasioned as much by the high price of bread as by political motives (this may be only an excuse to soften the situation down). A rumor is current that Capt. General Martinez Campos and the Foreign Minister Sr. Moret have been assassinated, and that the Premier Sr. Sagasta had been forced to take refuge in the British Legation. This, however, is only based on rumors current in Gibraltar and reported by the *New York Herald* and therefore may safely be discredited until confirmed. Notwithstanding the declaration of a state of siege, the uneasiness and disorders continue in Madrid and in other large cities. It would seem that the Carlists, the Weylerites and the Republicans are equally taking advantage of the situation to agitate against the Government and the present monarchy, and the whole kingdom would seem to be in a state verging upon anarchy. Some very violent attacks on the Ministry have been made in the Chambers on account of the naval defeat at Manila. It is very probable, however, that the telegrams are exaggerating the whole business, as they generally do.

The "Oregon" and "Marietta" left Rio Janeiro yesterday morning, having taken in an ample supply of coals and provisions, and the "Netheroy" was expected to follow in the afternoon. According to one account the "Oregon" has been ordered down here to lie in wait for and destroy the "Tamerario," and another quite incredible telegram says that all three vessels have been ordered to San Francisco. We think they are far more likely to be wanted in the north Atlantic.

There is still no reliable news of the Spanish fleet from St. Vincent, nor any reliable news from Havana, where the blockade continues. The statements of the telegrams on these heads are too obviously unreliable to be worth repeating; neither can we trust their assertions—or rather conjectures—about European intervention.

The Spanish steamer "Argonaut," which was captured by the blockading fleet, has been taken to Key West by the "Marblehead." There were 19 Spanish officers on board, including Col. Vicente Cortijo, brother-in-law to General Weyler. There were also a large quantity of arms and munitions, and despatches for General Blanco, all of which have been confiscated.

The ambulance vessel "Solace" has been despatched from Key West under a neutral flag with orders to give assistance to both sides impartially.

Turkey, China and Japan have all issued proclamations of neutrality. Those of the latter two will prevent the U. S. Pacific fleet obtaining coal supplies except from the United States.

Troops and transports are ready at San Francisco to be sent to Manila, but will not be despatched until the U. S. Government is in possession of Admiral Dewey's report, there is no news relative to the despatch of troops to Cuba, though they are all in readiness.

The Spanish Government has forbidden the circulation in Spain of all war news except from an official source. This has increased rather than allayed the irritation, as it is suspected that the Government means to keep back the truth of what occurs.

### Holy Trinity Church.

May 8.—IV Sunday after Easter.  
8:15 p. m. Holy Communion.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11 a. m.—Matins, Litany and Sermon.—  
Vespers, 7:30.—Salms, 7:45.—Te Deum.  
Sung.—Benedictus, G. 10:01.—Hymns, 4, 175, 370.—Kyrie Eleison.—  
8 p. m.—Evening and Sermon.—  
Psalm, 32 to 34.—Magnificat, Tones.—  
None Dimittis, Tones.—H. mass, 5:30, 3:37, 27.—Antiphon.—  
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Spanish meetings are held at Calle General Liniers 200a every evening except Tuesday at 8 p. m. Sundays, at 8 a. m. and 5 p. m.  
Enight Benwell.

### SUNDRIES.

—There was a large and representative gathering at the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening to listen to Bishop Warren's lecture, "The Forces of a Sun-Beam," with proved at once instructive and amusing, and gave unqualified pleasure to all who heard it. The Bishop in a fine speaker, with a ready flow of language and a thorough mastery of his subject, which he enlivened from time to time by the introduction of some amusing samples of American dry humor. The lecturer was introduced by the Rev. Dr. Thomson, and a vote of thanks moved by the U. S. Consul Mr. A. S. Wain was very heartily accorded by all present, it being the general verdict that few better lectures have ever been given here. The Bishop will leave this part of the world in a day or two.

—During the gale of Tuesday a mariner named José Castellanos was drowned by the upsetting of a boat which was carrying provisions to Flores Island.

—The Ferrari Opera Company has arrived in the "Perseo," and will make its debut in Buenos Aires in the course of the week. The stars of the season are the tenor Tamagno, and the Viennese prima donna Luisa Ehrenstein, who is noted as an interpreter of Wagnerian opera. It is not yet certain whether the Company will visit Montevideo.

—We learn that the Committee of Ladies which was so successful in the organization of Cinderella dances last year, has resumed operations, and hopes to give an initial dance early next month.

—The R. M. S. "Clyde" is expected tomorrow morning, bringing London dates to about April 16. —The programme is rapidly being filled for the inaugural Concert which the Entertainment Society hopes to give in the course of two or three weeks, and which will be the occasion of introducing some new amateur talent to the public.

—Members of the English Club are reminded of the Extraordinary General Meeting to be held this evening for the revision of the Rules.

—The Company now performing at the Solis Theatre have made a general reduction of 50% in the prices, so that stalls now cost only 50 cents. The Passion Play will be repeated this evening, and shortly the Company will produce various Spanish dramas of a more ordinary type.

—One of Abraham Lincoln's stories is told in the "Century" by General Porter. An old-time abolitionist, of Illinois, went to a theatre in Chicago, and saw Forest playing Othello. He was not very well up in Shakespeare, and did not know that the tragedian was a white man blacked up for the purpose. After the play was over, the folks who had invited him to the show, wanted to know what he thought of the actors, and he said: "Waal, layin' aside all sectional prejudices, and any partiality I may have for the race, derned if I don't think the nigger hold his own with any on 'em."

—The war is doubtless very interesting, but there is no reason that it should abolish all other topics and exclude news from all other parts of the world, as seems to be the case with our contemporaries here.

—We quote from a Buenos Aires contemporary.—"In cricket circles it is reported that a mass meeting will be held shortly to discuss the ways and means of receiving an English team under Lord Hawke next season. Some good teams could be put against the visitors here. What has to be discussed is the expense entailed in bringing out such a team, for here there is no revenue to be obtained through "gate money." Perhaps if a Committee were constituted and made the necessary representations to the proper authorities, permission would be given to have a "gate" on the occasion of the English matches, without having to pay the heavy tax of twenty thousand dollars for the privilege. In this way a gate could be arranged and would no doubt help the expenditure side of the business very much indeed. We do not believe that the Argentine authorities would refuse permission if the proposition were properly submitted."

—The death took place in London on Sunday of Mr. Philip H. Calderon, a distinguished English artist and a member of the Royal Academy, of which he was Keeper. He was born in France in 1833 and studied Art in Paris. Among his earlier pictures are "The Gaoler's

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year's Chairman, gave his address, in which he cordially recognised the work of other religious communities, and made certain suggestions by which London Congregationalists might become even more united, and go forward considerably in their united work.

An amusing action was tried yesterday in the Queen's Bench, when Mr. W. J. Grimes, a publican, sued Mr. T. Gill, a gentleman in the same trade, for having slandered him by calling him a racecourse thief and other uncomplimentary epithets.

Lord Salisbury, as Chancellor of the University of Oxford, has received a letter from the King of Siam accepting with much pleasure the honorary degree of Doctor of Civil Law which the University has conferred upon him.

COMMERCIAL

STOCK EXCHANGE. Montevideo, May 4, 1898. Business to-day was decidedly quiet. Prices keep remarkably firm, and have moved up another fraction. Sales as follows:—

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

Business Notes. The Custom House paid into the London Bank yesterday \$16431 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$2008 on account of the 5% Loan service.

Gold opened in B. Aires yesterday at 264.80 and closed at 263.30. Exchange upon London was quoted in Rio Janeiro yesterday at 5 21/32 to 11/16 d. per milreis.

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Gold, cash, 262.30. Do. end of month, 264.20. Banco Español, cash, 122. Muelle Catalinas, cash, 5.40.

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS. Montevideo, May 3, 1898. —Str. Venus from B. Aires, 104 pass.

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Correspondence at G. P. O. till 10 a. m. maritime branch 11 a. m.

OTHER DATES. —The str. ORCANA will leave May 6 for Rio Janeiro, Lisbon, Vigo, La Pallice and Liverpool

—The str. LA PLATA will leave May 7 for Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Dakar, Lisbon and Bordeaux.

—The str. LISI will leave May 12 for Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Dakar, Lisbon and Bordeaux.

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