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MONTEVIDEO, OCTOBER 5, 1898.

## NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDEO  
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1898.

*Saints Protina and Placidia.*—Sir Thomas Mitchell, Australian explorer, died 1855—278 days past, 87 to the end of the year.

## THE BUDGET.

The Executive has signed and promulgated the Budget for the financial year 1898-99.

The Budget now stands as follows:—  
Expenditure, \$15,799,332 35  
Estimated Revenue, 15,973,546 97  
Surplus \$ 174,313 62

This compares with Expenditure \$15,434,008. Estimated Revenue \$15,663,908, and Surplus \$229,905, in the Budget recommended in the Committee Report presented at the beginning of August. As several changes have been made in the latter, and as this is practically the first formal Budget of the Republic has had for fully five years, we think it well to give the Law entire, as below:—

Art. 1.—During the economical period 1898-99 there shall be in force the General Budget, of Expenses as detailed in the schedules adjoined to this law, and in conformity with the following distribution:—Legislative Power, \$341,114 89;—Presidency of the Republic, \$67,241 60;—Ministry of Foreign Affairs, \$131,968 44;—Ministry of Government, \$2,365,085 51;—Ministry of Finance, \$961,559 77;—Ministry of Foment, \$1,124,671 61;—Ministry of War and Marine, \$1,918,030 77;—Judicial Power, \$354,095 48;—Public Debt, \$5,640,743 13;—Railway Guarantees, maximum calculated, \$945,635 52;—Various credits, \$533,078 98;—Pension lists, \$1,416,407 15;—Total \$15,799,332 35.

Art. 2.—In order to attend to the payment of the expenses detailed in the preceding Article, the Executive shall dispose of the following revenue:—Customs Houses and receiving offices, \$10,061,487 21;—Property Tax, \$1,831,683 27;—Trade licenses, \$890,650 04;—Additional Duty of 2 1/2 %, \$40,000;—Profits of Bank of the Republic, \$35,000;—Tax upon products of national manufacture, \$470,594 76;—Internal tax on tobacco and cigars, \$463,986 48;—Direction General of Public Instruction, including tax on legacies and donations, \$427,457 02;—Stamped paper, \$369,667 68;—Posts and Telegraphs, \$260,000;—Stamps (fiscal) \$221,856 22;—Transfer duties on signatures, etc., \$90,921 41;—Police Offices, interior, \$52,580 92;—Civil and military Montevideo, \$50,000;—Police office of the Capital, \$22,768 65;—Ministry of Foment, surplus, \$8,155;—General Commodity of Marine and Ports, \$831,036;—Total \$15,973,546 97.

Art. 3.—The Departmental Revenues collected by the Municipal Boards of the Interior, as determined by various special Decrees and by the Executive Resolution of March 21, 1892, shall be collected in the forms therein established, detailed account of their employment being furnished to the General Accountant's Office through the Ministry of Government.

Art. 4.—The Executive shall order the expenses scheduled for the armed forces as soon as is permitted by the necessities of public order.

Art. 5.—The Executive is authorized to make the transpositions

necessary in the General Budget of Expenses, without prejudice to public service.

Art. 6.—Let this be communicated, etc.

## POLITICAL NOTES.

In the Council of State on Monday, Sr. Arturo Terra presented a Bill substituting the one already before the Council for the creation of the Treasury Certificates Debt. The second discussion of the latter was accordingly deferred in order that the Committee of Finance might have opportunity to report on the new proposal. There was no other business of general interest.

The second sitting of the Colorado Convention, held on Monday night, was rather a stormy affair. The room was crowded, there being over 90 delegates present, besides numerous spectators. After some formal business, a Declaration was laid before the meeting ratifying the «electoral accord» of April last, and proclaiming the candidature of Sr. Cuestas to the presidency of the Republic. Before this could be voted, Sr. Baile y Ordoñez rose and said there was still one thing wanting, and that was that the delegates present should also express their adhesion to the *coup d'état* of February 10, which was the starting point of the new political situation, of the reorganization of the country and of the party. Nearly all present rose to their feet and received the motion with loud acclamations and cries, but Sr. Bauzá who presided over the meeting, and one or two others remained sitting. This produced an angry scene, but in spite of repeated requests Sr. Bauzá refused to join in the acclamations, saying that as Chairman it was not part of his duty to vote. This provoked some severe reproaches. Sr. Baile told Sr. Bauzá that «he could not remain with one foot in heaven and one in hell», and another delegate accused him of abandoning the party in the middle of the journey. After some trouble order was restored, and the Declaration referred to above was voted by acclamation. A copy of the same has been signed by all the delegates. The rest of the meeting was occupied with internal business relative to the Charter of the Convention.

The scene referred to above has excited no little comment. It certainly seems anomalous, to say the least, that the Convention, holding the opinions it does, should have chosen as President an individual who was one of the opponents of the *coup d'état* and who still refuses to express any approbation of it. The point is such a radical one that it is difficult to conceive how Sr. Bauzá can retain his position in face of such a difference of opinion. Nor is this the only anomaly, for, as the *Siglo* points out yesterday, the «Colorado» party claims to be «liberal» both in the political and the religious—that is to say anti-Catholic—sense of the term, whilst Sr. Bauzá is a leader of the Catholic party and an extremely ardent advocate of Catholic views. It is difficult to avoid the inference that, in spite of official approval of his candidature and of his own high personal qualities, Sr. Bauzá is not the right man in the right place, and that his retention of the post of President of the Colorado Convention will lead to more discussions and troubles before very long.

In reference to the silver question, publication was made yesterday of the lengthy reply of the Director of the Bank of the Republic to the letter of the Chamber of Commerce on the subject. The Directors, as we anticipated some days ago, entirely repudiate the suggestion that the depreciation of silver is due to the issue of minor notes of their Bank. They publish a table of the discount on silver since January 1897, showing that the average discount this year has been less than it was last year when there were no minor notes in circulation at all, and that the discount during the last three months has been no worse than in the same period last year, except for a temporary rise after the run on the Bank at the beginning of September, the effect of which is already disappearing. The Directors further repudiate as dangerous and unproductive the suggestion that the Government should intervene in any form in the note issue of the Bank. The note issue, they say, obeys the laws of supply and demand, and if there is a considerable quantity of the minor notes in circulation it is because the public accept them and find them useful. Finally, the Directors attribute the depreciation of silver in great part to the non-compliance of all the private banks with the law of Oct 1892, fixing the proportion of silver to be received in payments, and suggest that steps should be taken to enforce the Law in this respect. (This would be next to impossible, The Banks could not receive 15, 20 and in some cases 30 % of silver in payments of sums

which eventually they may have to remit abroad in gold, without exposing themselves to serious loss. Neither would their customers consent to receive the same proportions of silver in their drafts on the Banks. The Law is an impracticable one, and its strict enforcement would lead to the establishment of a double set of accounts, one in silver and the other in gold, which would only tend to the further depreciation of the former. At present, it clearly understood that all banking operations, with a few special exceptions, are on a strict gold basis, and this plan works satisfactorily both to bank and customer. The Government could only interfere at the risk of doing considerable mischief. In other respects, however, the Report of Directors of the Bank of the Republic seems to us perfectly sound.) The Government has referred the Report to the Chamber of Commerce by way of reply to its petition.

Another question agitating commercial circles for the moment relates to the reimposition of the 2 1/2 % extra Customs Duty, on account of which the Customs authorities have called on importing firms to take out new guarantees (for payment of the extra duties) which means a cost of \$3 or \$10 to each firm for the necessary legal documents and stamps. The merchants, not unreasonably, protest against this as abusive, asserting that the guarantees given when the same Duty was previously in force still hold good, and that in any case they could be ratified at much less expense by a collective document, and they have presented a petition to the Minister of Finance to this effect. The charge—which is an example of the extortionate cost of the most ordinary legal document in this country—is certainly one which should and might be avoided. As the matter is one which is for the convenience of the Custom House quite as much as of the merchants, it ought to be arranged between the two in a much less expensive form. In fact, dealing with a direct transaction with a public office, the legal and stamp charges ought to be reduced to a minimum, if not abolished entirely. As the matter stands, it is an example of the manner in which commerce is obstructed and men taxed before they are allowed to do any business at all. That pernicious specimen of legislation the Stamp Law, is in great measure to blame for this.

The retail dealers, forgetting the good old principle of «live and let live», are again agitating for an increased license to be imposed on peripatetic hawkers, who, they pretend, interfere with their trade. At present the hawkers pay an annual license of \$12, but it is asked that they should be made to pay a license of \$70, which is practically prohibitive to a class whose whole stock in trade often is not worth \$15 or \$20. We cannot say that we have any sympathy with the movement. Hawking is just as legitimate a branch of business as store keeping, and there would not be the least justice in persecuting one for the benefit of the other.

## THE BATTLE OF OMDURMAN.

FURTHER DETAILS.

OMDURMAN, SUNDAY, SEPT. 4.  
There has been such a pressure of daily work that the great incident of the battle of Omdurman has probably received less attention than it merited. This was the famous charge of the 21st Lancers against enormous odds.

Colonel Martin's orders were to prevent the broken enemy from returning to Omdurman, five miles away from the field of battle. The 21st Lancers unexpectedly came upon the enemy's reserves, who were 2,000 strong, but whose exact strength could not be ascertained owing to the nature of the ground. The cavalry were then in column of troops. They deployed into line for the attack and charged. When they were within 30 yards of the enemy, they found the latter, who had been ensconced in a nullah, and had been concealed by a depression of the ground, wild with excitement, coming on to attack. The Lancers had not a single moment for hesitation.

They charged gallantly home, the brunt of the business falling on No. 2 squadron, who absolutely had to back their way through the enemy twenty deep, exposed as they were to a withering infantry fire. They struggled through, but every man who fell was immediately hacked to pieces by the sword of the fanatic foe.

The men of the British cavalry rallied, bleeding and blown, on the far side of the lanes which they had cut for themselves in the enemy's ranks, and with admirable fortitude they reformed as coolly as if they had been on parade.

One corporal who was covered with blood and reeling in his saddle when ordered to fall out, shouted, waving his bent lance, «Never, form up N. 2.» meaning his squadron.

Then it was that young Grenfell was missed for the first time. Lieut. de Montmorency, with Corporal Swarback, dashed out to effect, if possible, the rescue of his body. They were immediately joined by Capt. Kenna.

With their revolver fire the two officers kept the enemy 40 yards away, and would have secured Lieutenant Greenfell's body, if the horse upon which it was placed had not shied with its burden.

Then seeing that a second charge would be futile, Colonel Martin dismounted his men, and with magazine and carbine fire drove the enemy steadily back into the zone of the Anglo-Egyptian infantry fire, the Lancers having accomplished their object by covering the enemy's line of retirement, though at the cost of heavy casualties.

This maiden charge of the 21st Lancers is regarded as an extremely brilliant affair.

## OMDURMAN, SATURDAY.

Probably a more extraordinary sight was never beheld than the Sirdar's final march into Omdurman with the beaten enemy moving sullenly beside us for the greater part of the distance. Their pace was hardly appreciably slackened by the continuous fire of our guns. The Dervish spirit was broken; they made no reply, and as soon as possible sought a screen in the hills.

At Khor Shambat, three miles north of Omdurman, the British brigades were halted to water. The men had all borne with admirable fortitude the great fatigues of the long fight, during which they had perforce covered a huge extent of ground, but though their spirit was as good as ever, many were badly exhausted. I saw many instances of officers carrying the men's rifles, and men riding officers' horses.

The Sirdar, with the whole of the Egyptian army, with the exception of the cavalry, camel corps, and horse batteries, who were harassing the enemy's retreat, pushed forward to Omdurman, which the Howitzers and gunboats were still shelling. As we neared we could see the effect of the heavy shells. The Mahdi's tomb was riddled with shot, and the lofty cupola blown away.

Omdurman is a huge city covering an immense tract. As in Berber a wide central street bisects the town, which everywhere else is a bewildering maze of narrow lanes. In the very heart of the town is the Khalifa's stronghold, in itself a big city, enclosed within the famous wall. This, indeed, is a wonderful structure fifteen feet high and twelve feet thick, and rounded on the crest with neither loophole nor aperture anywhere, save the well-guarded great gate on the river front.

CAIRO, SEPT. 5TH, 12.40 A.M.  
The following telegram has been received from the Sirdar:

SATURDAY EVENING.  
The remnant of the Khalifa's force has surrendered, and I have now a very large number of prisoners on my hands.

The cavalry and gunboats are still in pursuit of the Khalifa and his chiefs, who have with them only about 180 fighting men, and are apparently making for Kordofan.

The left bank of the White Nile is so difficult of approach, owing to the banks being overgrown and thick bush, that the gunboats cannot effect a landing, and therefore I can only rely upon the cavalry to effect his capture.

I visited Khartoum to-day. The town is a complete ruin, but the lower portions of the principal houses are still standing. The people were naturally delighted to see us. So far as I see at present Khartoum is the best position.

The town of Omdurman is very extensive, and the stench unbearable. I therefore moved the troops down to Khor Shambat, where we are now in a good camp on the river.

All the British wounded go down the river with this telegram. They are all doing very well. There are no cases which cause grave anxiety.

All the European prisoners, including Sister Teresa Grigolini, Joseph Ragnotti, and a number of Greeks, have been released, and are well.

Another message from the Sirdar, though earlier in point of time, was only received last night. It is as follows:

OMDURMAN, SEPT. 4TH 10 A.M.

The British and Egyptian flags were hoisted with due ceremony on the well of the Palace at Khartoum. An impressive service was held in memory of Gordon, both British and Egyptian troops taking part.

The cavalry, after pursuing the Khalifa for thirty miles, found that after following the river for 15 miles the Khalifa struck off to the west in the direction of Kordofan. They were unable to pursue further owing to the exhausted state of the horses, which had been ridden for forty-eight hours during the fight,

fourteen of which they were continuously engaging with the enemy. I am organizing bodies of Arabs on camels to continue the pursuit. The British wounded have all left for Abadia in barges towed by steamers. I saw them before leaving, and they were all doing well and were comfortable.

## SUNDRIES.

Complaints are once more reaching us from the neighbourhood of S. Francisco Church of the great nuisance caused by the bells of that Church, which are rung—or rather, are not rung, but are discordantly jangled—constantly at all hours of the day and night without the least consideration for the neighbours round about. The nuisance is an old one—in fact it has been complained of ever since the bells were put up some twelve or fourteen years ago—but we do not know that any steps have ever been taken to modify it. This reminds us that there are many other street noises in this city besides the church bells, which are entirely offensive and abusive, not in the least degree necessary to its commercial or social life, and a source of serious discomfort to a great many of the inhabitants. How many more years will have to elapse before the Municipality or the Government attempts to deal with them?

A case has just occurred in the Department of Soriano which has attracted considerable attention. Two brothers named Steamer and Stamer, estancieros in a good position, have been convicted of sheep-stealing, and have been sentenced by the Departmental Judge Dr. Brito del Pino to eight months' imprisonment with hard labour. The local press applauded the Judge for not having been deterred by considerations of the social position of the delinquents, and at the same time called attention to the deficiency of the law in graduating the penalty. In the present case the culprit stole a flock of over 200 branded sheep, yet the same penalty has been inflicted on two lads who stole a single animal to give food to their sick mother and starving brothers! Surely some means might have been found of modifying the penalty in the latter instance.

The celebrated Spanish actress Sra. Maria Tubau has arrived in the River Plate with her dramatic Company, and will perform in Buenos Aires and then here.

The Podestà Company now migrates from the San Felipe Theatre to the Stella d'Italia.

A tragedy is reported from the military hospital in Buenos Aires. Two patients in one of the wards, both subordinate officers but strangers to each other, had a dispute over some trivial question, when one of them took a revolver from under the pillow of his bed and shot the other dead. It may be asked, what kind of hospital discipline is that where the patients are allowed to keep revolvers under their pillows?

The R. M. S. «Nila», bringing London dates to about Sept. 17, is expected to arrive tomorrow evening or early Friday morning.

The Amateur Athletic Association of Uruguay will hold its Annual General Meeting, at 126 Calle Sarandi, tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon for the purpose of electing a new Committee and appointing officials for the year 1898-99.

We are informed that the Montevideo Athletics Club have decided to hold the usual Athletic Sports on Thursday, December 8 (holiday.) As usual, the meeting will be under the auspices of the Amateur Athletic Association.

The following is as good a Sabbatarian story as we have seen for a long while.—The Rev. Newman Hall, D.D., who has again been holidaying in Scotland, has had an amusing *rencontre* with the beadle of St. Giles's Cathedral, Edinburgh. Dr. Hall one Sunday recently, while on his way to the church at which he was to preach, passed St. Giles's and ventured to take a glance into the building at the west door. The gorgeously arrayed beadle at once pronounced him with the remark, «It is shameful that a clergyman should set an example of breaking the Sabbath by going round to see the churches of the city.» Dr. Hall, in an indignant letter on the matter, concludes, «I have since been told that this pious guardian of the Sabbath receives threepence for every visitor to St. Giles's on weekdays!»

—We quote from the *Southern Cross* the following amusing «Es-

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Overheard at Lomas Cinderella.—Mrs. Riz: 'Did you have mal-de-mer coming over from Montevideo?'

A pretty compliment has been paid to the greatest of living Italian composers King Humbert has issued a royal decree that the Conservatoire of Milan shall for the future be known as the 'Conservatorio Giuseppe Verdi.'

The telegrams are still 'worrying' over that miserable Chilean Argentine boundary question, and are now trying to make out that the two Republics will come to loggerheads over the Puna de Atacama question.

Oh! that Tower of Babel! The Spanish peace commissioners at Paris refuse to hold their conferences in English, and some of the U.S. commissioners do not understand French.

There is trouble between General Blanco and the volunteer troops and other irregulars in Havana. The men refuse to deliver up their arms until they have received their arrears of pay.

We are glad to note that the alarming rumors which some of our contemporaries have been repeating about the health of the veteran estanciero Don Carlos Croker are contradicted.

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LONDON NOTES

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6. The latest news from Omdurman shows that the Khalifa has escaped, the cavalry being unable to pursue him into the desert.

The holograph will of the late Mr. Gladstone, dated the 26th Nov. 1896, with a codicil dated 15th Jan., 1897.

A visit to Bath was paid yesterday by the Marquis of Dufferin, on his way to Bristol for the purpose of opening the Cabot Tower to-day.

Lieut.-Colonel Yorke held an inquiry at Wellington Station yesterday as to the disaster to the Manchester express on Friday.

Shortly after one o'clock yesterday morning a building in the occupation of a firm of leather merchants in Long Lane, Bermondsey, was found to be on fire.

Throughout yesterday a dense fog prevailed in the Channel, causing much inconvenience to shipping.

Splendid weather favoured the opening yesterday of the first match of the Hastings Festival week, and there was a large attendance of spectators.

A carman named Thomas Dye was charged at Southwark Police Court yesterday with stealing, and Abraham Levy and David Jacobs with receiving.

The str. VENUS will leave TODAY for Buenos Aires only. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 4.15 p.m.

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'Not exactly peculiar, and certainly not a drinker,' replied the captain. 'He was very quiet and reserved; so much, that he got the name of the Hermit. His only acquaintance seemed to be a younger son named Roxby, an eight-year-old son of Mr. Randall's cabin mate.'

'But how could he have fallen overboard if it was a quiet, fine night?' I asked. 'These are just the nights when people do fall overboard,' answered the skipper, 'as you'd know if you had commanded a liner as long as I have.'

'Not a spark,' replied the captain. 'He was at the dance, and when he turned in at about midnight, he saw that the old gentleman's berth was empty, and guessed he was sleeping on deck; or perhaps he didn't notice anything, for Roxby's not a teetotaler, and the dance committee did the thing well.'

My mother sank under this second blow, and never became herself again. She had long forgiven the husband who in a moment of over-sanguineness, had ruined himself and wrecked his home, and since the receipt of the letter announcing his return, had given way to an almost girlish excitement of anticipation. She had made all her plans, and had prepared to spend the evening of her life in quiet peace by the side of the man who had been husband but in name during so many long, weary years.

Now it was all over. In due time my father's baggage arrived. There was but little, and that contained nothing but wearing apparel. In a pocket-book found in his coat was the first of exchange of draft for five hundred pounds, but not another paper affording any clue to his business matters.

This puzzled us, for my mother had received regularly every quarter, during the past eight or nine years, a handsome remittance from my father, and his letters, of which she had a large batch, were full of assurances of his continued prosperity, and of exhortations for her to spare no expense about me, as there was plenty to draw from.

For more than a month I spent my time in London amongst the African banks and houses of business, endeavouring to find out something about my father's affairs, but to no purpose. Men who knew him—and they were many—gave a description of him exactly similar to that given by the captain of the 'Taunbridge Castle,' that he kept himself entirely to himself, and that, so far as was known, he had no investments of any kind in Africa, and had no connection of the character of a partnership with anybody. In the books of none of the banks did the name of Randall appear as the owner of a current deposit account, or of a deposit for a longer period than a month; but a Jewish diamond firm in Hatton Garden told me that their agents in Gristland had been in the habit of receiving from a Mr. Randall, at regular intervals, stones for which they paid him cash down.

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