

Pacific Steam Navigation Company

FOURTEENTH LINE OF STEAMERS
LIVERPOOL, THE RIVER PLATE,
AND VALPARAISO.

The magnificent steamers of this Company will sail in the following order:
FOR EUROPE
FOR THE PACIFIC

BRITANNIA,
Captain G. M. M. R. R.
18th APRIL, 1888.
For Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Lisbon,
Bordeaux, Plymouth, and Liverpool.

POTOSI,
Captain A. G. G.
18th APRIL, 1888.
For Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Lisbon,
Bordeaux, Plymouth, and Liverpool.

COTOPAXI,
Captain H. W. H.
18th APRIL, 1888.
For Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Lisbon,
Bordeaux, Plymouth, and Liverpool.

ACONCAGUA,
Captain C. A. A.
18th APRIL, 1888.
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Bordeaux, Plymouth, and Liverpool.

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United States & Brazil Mail Steamship Co.
American Line between New York and Rio Janeiro.

The magnificent steamers of this Company are posted to arrive and sail as follows:

STEAMERS	Sailing from Rio Janeiro	Arrival at New York	Sailing from New York	Arrival at Rio Janeiro
FINANCE	Mar. 11	Apr. 11	Apr. 11	May 10
ALLIANCE	Mar. 18	Apr. 18	Apr. 18	May 17
ADVANCE	Mar. 25	Apr. 25	Apr. 25	May 24
FINANCE	Mar. 25	Apr. 25	Apr. 25	May 24
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ADVANCE	Mar. 25	Apr. 25	Apr. 25	May 24

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SHAW SAVILL & ALBION Co., Limited.
Monthly line of Steamers between New Zealand and London.

The magnificent steamers of this Company will depart from Rio Janeiro for Plymouth, on their return from New Zealand, as follows:

STEAMERS	Departure from Rio Janeiro	Arrival at Plymouth
IONIA	Mar. 11	Apr. 11
ALLIANCE	Mar. 18	Apr. 18
ADVANCE	Mar. 25	Apr. 25
FINANCE	Mar. 25	Apr. 25
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Monthly line of Steamers between New Zealand and London.

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STEAMERS	Departure from Rio Janeiro	Arrival at Plymouth
IONIA	Mar. 11	Apr. 11
ALLIANCE	Mar. 18	Apr. 18
ADVANCE	Mar. 25	Apr. 25
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Les 10, 20 et 30 de chaque mois

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From Bremen:
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Regular Line between
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and
RIO DE JANEIRO.

DEPARTURES FROM BREMEN:
The 10th and 20th of each month.

DEPARTURES FROM MONTVIDEO:
The 10th and 20th of each month.

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Every Thursday.

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Houston Line of Steamers.
Between Liverpool and the River Plate.

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TELEGRAMS

(MAYAGUAY)
April 17.
The moderate journals, in noticing Boulanger's victory, do not attack him personally, but avail to review his political career, and to point out the errors and blunders he has made as he may deserve.

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SAILINGS

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ARGENTINE NEWS

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THE ROYAL INSTITUTION

"Poisons and Poisoning" was the subject of a discourse a short time ago at the Royal Institution. The lecturer, Professor Meymott Tily, began by directing attention to the derivation of the word "toxicology," the science of poisons. By giving an enlarged sense to the Greek words from which it is primarily derived—for words ever strive to keep pace, if possible, with scientific progress—we get our modern and significant expression toxicology as the science of poisons and of poisoning. A certain grim historical interest gathers around the story of poisons. It is a history worth studying, for poisons have played their part in history. The "subtle serpent" taught men the power of a poisoned fang. Poison was in the first instance a simple instrument of open warfare. Thus, our savage ancestors tipped their arrows with the snake poison in order to render them more deadly. The use of vegetable extracts for this purpose belongs to a later period. The suggestion is not unreasonable that if war chemists with their powders, their gunpowder, and their explosives had not been invented, warlike nations would have turned for their instruments of death to toxicologists and their poisons. At any rate, the toxicologist may claim that the very cradle of science was rocked in the laboratory of the toxicological worker. Early in the history of arrow tipping the admixture of blood with the snake poison became a common practice. Even the use of animal fluids alone is recorded—e.g., the arrows of Hercules, which were dipped in the gall of the Lernaean hydra. Hercules himself at last fell a victim to the blood-stained tunic of the dead Centaur Nessus. As late as the middle of the last century Blumenbach persuaded one of his class to drink 7oz. of warm bullock's blood in order to disprove the then popular notion that even fresh blood was a poison. The young man who consented to drink the blood did not die a martyr to science. The first important question we have to answer is, What do we mean by a poison? The law has not defined a poison, although it requires at times a definition. The popular definition of a poison is "a drug which destroys life rapidly when taken in small quantity." The terms "small quantity" as regards amount, and "rapidly" as regards time, are as indefinite as Hodge's "piece of chalk" as regards size. The professor defined a poison as "any substance which otherwise than by the agency of heat or electricity is capable of destroying life either by chemical action on the tissues of the living body or by physiological action by absorption into the living system." This definition, excepted from the list of poisons all agencies that destroyed life by a simple mechanical action, thus drawing a distinction between a "poison" and a "destructive thing." It remains why nitrogen is not a poison and why carbonic acid is, although neither can support life. This point the lecturer illustrated. A poison must be capable of destroying life. It was nonsense to talk of a "deadly poison." If a body be a poison it is deadly; if it be not deadly it is not a poison. Three illustrations of the chemical actions of poisons were selected. The first was sulphuric acid. Here the molecular death of the part to which the acid was applied was due to the tendency of sulphuric acid to combine with water. The stomach became charred. The molecular death of certain tissues destroyed the general functional rhythmicity of the system until the disturbance became general, somatic death (that is, the death of the entire body) resulting. The second illustration was poisoning by carbonic oxide. The professor gave an illustrated description of the blood known as hemoglobin, drawing attention to its remarkable formation by a higher synthetic act from the albumenoids in the animal body, and to the circumstance that, contrary to general rule, both oxidation and reduction may be easily effected. It was explained that on this rhythmic action of oxidizing and reducing hemoglobin life depended. Carbonic oxide, like oxygen, combined with hemoglobin, produced a comparatively stable compound; at any rate, a compound so stable that it ceased to be the efficient oxygen-carrier of normal hemoglobin. This interference with the ordinary action of hemoglobin constituted poisoning by carbonic oxide. In connection with this subject the lecturer referred to the use of the spectroscopic as an analytical agent, and showed the audience the spectrum of blood extracted from the list of the late Mr. Briggs (for the murder of whom Müller was executed), and this was the first case in which the spectroscopic appearances of blood formed the subject matter of evidence. The third illustration of poisoning was poisoning by strychnine. Here again the power of the drug for undergoing oxidation was illustrated. It was noted that although our knowledge of the precise mechanism of the poison was imperfect, nevertheless that the coincidence of the first fit in the animal after its exhibition with the formation of reduced hemoglobin in the body was important. There followed upon this view of the chemical action of poison in the living body this question:—Given a knowledge of certain properties of the elements—for example, their atomic weights, their relative position according to the periodic law, their spectroscopic character, and so forth—can we give a knowledge of the molecular constitution, together with the general physical and chemical properties of compounds—in other words, given such knowledge of the element or compound as may be learnt in a laboratory—does such knowledge afford us any clue whereby to predicate the probable action of the element or of the compound respectively on the living body? The researches of Blanke, Rabuteau, Richet, Boucharlat, Fraser, and Crum-Brown were discussed, the results of their observations being that at present we were unable to determine toxicity or physiological action by any general chemical or physical researches. The lecturer pointed out that such relationship was scarcely to be expected. Poisons acted on different tissues, while even the same poison, according to the dose administered and other conditions, expended its toxic activity in different ways. Further, the allotropic modifications of elements and the

isomerism of compounds increased the difficulties. Why should yellow phosphorus be an active poison and red phosphorus be inert? Why should piperine be the poison of all poisons to keep you awake, and morphine the poison of all poisons to send you asleep, although to the chemist these two bodies were of identical composition? The lecturer urged that the science of medicine (for the poisons of the physician were the medicines of the physician) must be experimental. Guard jealously against all wanton cruelty to animals; but to deprive the higher creation of life and health lest one of the lower creatures should suffer was the very refinement of cruelty. "Are ye not of much more value than they?" spoke a still small voice amid the noisy babble of well-intentioned enthusiasts.

SOUNDS IN CAVES—Sound is much increased by the echoes in a closed vault. In a cave of the Pantheon, the guide, by striking the flap of his great coat, makes a noise like the report of a cannon. The same phenomenon is found in the Mammoth Cave of Kentucky. In the cave of Smellin, near Viborg, in Finland, by throwing in a live animal terrible noises are heard. Pliny tells of a similar cave in Dalmatia, where the falling of a stone raised a perfect storm. Fingal's Cave, in the island of Staffa, presents another remarkable phenomenon. The end of this cave is dark and gloomy, and may be compared to the chance of a church, while the basaltic columns may be likened to the organ pipes. At the extremity of the grotto and near the level of the water, is a small opening, whence come harmonious sounds, which are produced by the sea rising and falling.

DURATION OF A WINK.—"How quick can a man wink?" Since I asked the question (says a medical writer) experiments have been going on in the university laboratory with an ingenious machine which shuts over a man's eye so that the eyelid, as it winks, opens and closes a chronograph. So far the quickest wink on record is about a sixth of a second.

AUCTIONS

E. Z. y Ca.

Eduardo Zorrilla y Ca.

Rematadores, comisionistas y consignatarios, compran y venden terrenos, ganados, etc., etc. Encomendados importadores de animales puros de Europa y República Argentina. Toros, caballos de carrera, de trío liviano y pesado, carretes y arneses, herramientas, etc., etc. Casa en Montevideo: calle del Sarandí números 168 y 172. Casa en Montevideo: calle del Sarandí números 193 y 201. En ambas casas cuentan con expléndida y cómoda caballerías. Ventas en remate y particularmente. Siempre hay en sus caballerías: Zentales de cuero, cajas, carretes, arneses, etc., etc. Encargados de traer por cuenta de los interesados, cualquier animal de Europa y República Argentina, cobrando la simple comisión de venta y los gastos. Atención a todos los pedidos y por escrito. Respuesta de la procedencia y origen de los animales que venden.

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Antes del remate grandes cosas se corrientes de sortijas de oro, anillos, collares, medallas, emblemas, etc., etc. y otras cosas que se reservan para última hora, y la concurrencia será espléndidamente obsequiada. Las fiestas darán comienzo a la una en punto y terminarán a las 3, en que se principiará el remate.

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS No. 2, FOR THE COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA, IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, SEPTEMBER TERM 1885, No. 230.

IN EQUITY. HARRIET K. MCCAY, PLAINTIFF, AGAINST S. KINGSTON MCCAY AND OTHER DEFENDANTS.

To GEORGE BARTON AND CARLOS H. BARTON:

Notice is hereby given, that the above-named Harriet K. McCay has filed her Bill of Complaint setting forth in substance certain conveyances whereby she and the Defendants, being children and grandchildren of Mary McCay, became entitled in certain undivided shares and interests to two certain tenements and lots of ground on the east side of Front Street, between Spruce and Pine Streets, containing in front 30 feet and in depth 49 feet; also another tenement and lot on the west side of Twelfth Street, 34 feet south on Montevideo Street, containing in front 17 feet and in depth 49 feet; which said premises are in the City and County of Philadelphia, State of Pennsylvania, United States of America. The purpose and object of said bill being a partition and division of said premises or a sale of the same and a division of the proceeds thereof.

And it having appeared in the Court that Robert, George, William and Carlos H. Barton, four of the Defendants, could not, upon diligent inquiry, be found so as to be personally served with process, the following order upon special motion was made:

"And now, May 1st, 1886, it appearing that the said Robert, George, William and Carlos H. Barton, upon diligent inquiry, cannot be found so as to be personally served with process it is upon motion of E. C. Mitchell, Esq., attorney for Plaintiff, ordered and decreed that the said Robert Barton, George Barton, William Barton and Carlos H. Barton be required to cause an appearance to be entered for them in the said Court of Common Pleas No. 2, of Philadelphia, County to said bill of complaint and to observe what the said Court shall direct. And upon failure to comply with this order by entering an appearance in the Prothonotary's office within four months that the said bill of complaint be taken pro confesso and a decree made against said Robert, George, William and Carlos H. Barton or any of them in their absence. And it is further ordered that a statement of the substance and object of said bill and a copy of this order be published once a week for six consecutive weeks in one paper of large circulation in Buenos Aires and Montevideo."

And afterwards the said Robert and William Barton having caused an appearance of record to be entered for them, an amendment to said order was made as follows:— "And now to wit December 24, 1887, it appearing to the Court that Robert Barton and William Barton, two of the defendants named in the above case have caused an appearance of record to be entered for them and that no advertisement has yet been made under the order of publication made May 1, 1886, it is ordered and decreed that said decree of May 1, 1886, be amended by striking out the names of said Robert and William Barton and by extending the time for said Robert Barton and Carlos H. Barton to cause an appearance to be entered for them until the expiration of four months from the date of this order. Publication to be made of this amendment in addition to that required by the decree of May 1st, 1886."

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