

The Rua das Lageiras has been re-baptised Rua Almirante Delamare.

A new batch of titles and decorations appeared yesterday in commemoration of the Emperor's trip to Minas.

It is said that Mr. Dockery, the recently appointed American consul-general at this port, has declined the appointment.

The department of agriculture has called for proposals to establish two cafes in the park at the Praça da Acclamação.

It is said that Barão de Guahy, who led the triplicate list for the Bahia senatorship, now sings "Thou art so near, and yet so far."

The British squadron stationed on this coast, comprising the gunboats *Clopata*, *Swallow* and *Flamingo*, arrived here from Montevideo on the 2nd inst.

There was a cabinet conference at the foreign affairs office on the night of the 1st inst. over the settlement of the Missions boundary question. It is rumored that the government has resolved to accept the proposal for arbitration.

The United States and Brazil Mail Steamship Company has appealed to the council of state against the decision of the government in refusing to accept their plea against the fine imposed for delay in replacing the wrecked steamer *Leance*.

The *Gazeta de Noticias* of the 1st says that the Empress was robbed of her cloak when the imperial family arrived here on their return from Minas. Her Majesty's gentleman-in-waiting had charge of the cloak, but in a crush caused by the thieves it disappeared.

A number of Campos planters, with Barão de Miranda at their head, have applied to the minister of agriculture to introduce 12,000 coolies from British India. The minister refused; the British government would also have had something to say about the matter.

The Emperor has conferred the decoration of the *officiata* of the Order of the Rose upon Capt. Beers, of the United States and Brazil SS. Co's. mail steamer *Alliança*, in recognition of his bravery and skill during the fire which broke out on board on the 8th ult.

The difficulty that arose from the authorities forbidding the Trucks arrived here by the *Bearn* to land, has finally been settled by the government permitting the greater part of them to come ashore. Why did the authorities make such a show if they knew they would have to back down?

On the 2nd inst. our esteemed colleague the *Gazeta de Noticias* entered upon its fifteenth year of a prosperous career. The *Gazeta's* editors and proprietors have every reason to congratulate themselves upon the success of their journal, which has met a want that was felt by the public, and met it with ability and success.

According to the daily reports the deaths in this city reached 1,556 in June, of which 46 from yellow fever and 126 from other fevers, 81 from *bevi-bevi*, 160 from consumption and 17 from small-pox. In July the deaths numbered 1,220 of which 22 from yellow and 113 from other fevers, 34 from *bevi-bevi*, 161 from consumption and 20 from small-pox.

The Club de Engenharia met on the 31st ult. to discuss an opinion of a committee on the water question. As near as we can decipher the report and the speeches the Club thinks the water-works should continue under the control of the state in general and under that of the municipality in particular, but should be placed on the footing of an industrial enterprise. The practical recommendations, as usual, are not clearly apparent.

An official reception was given at the city palace on the 29th, the birthday anniversary of the Princess Imperial, at which were present the foreign diplomatic and consular corps, the cabinet, and other high officials and persons of distinction. The interuicio addressed the Princess in behalf of the diplomatic corps. The day was observed by the closing of the public departments, but the custom house was kept open and there was no interruption of business.

Is it not about time for the government to adopt some clear and settled policy in regard to immigrants. The 180 who came down from São Paulo on the 30th had been advised that the government would send them back to Europe free of expense, and when they found this untrue they asked to be sent back to São Paulo. It is a disgrace to keep those poor wretches moving about in this way. The *Journal* is informed that the government is willing to send back only the widows whose husbands have died in Brazil. If this is correct, then let it be advertised, and let us have an end to these shameful deceptions.

The representation of *The Huguenots* at the opera-house on the evening of the 29th was postponed because of some misunderstanding between the *empresario*, Musella, and the tenor, Cardinalli. The result has been that Musella has suspended all representations for 15 days, and has called Cardinalli and the chorus-singers before the police authorities for breach of contract. On the 30th the latter appeared before the police and asked for protection and that Musella be compelled to give them their passports so that they may return home before their means are exhausted. It is an amusing squabble, especially to those who have paid for the season in advance. Those who seek to educate our artistic senses are making a grand feat of it. On the 2nd inst., it may be added, company have been amicably settled, the contract will be fulfilled, and Musella will undertake to place *Lo Schivo* on the stage.

FINANCIAL NOTES

The Banco Intermediario was duly organized on the 29th ult.

The Banco Industria Nacional has purchased a site at No. 3, B, Rua do Hospicio.

According to *O Pais* a bank with a capital of £9,000,000 stg. is in process of organization.

The Banco Internacional has finally purchased the property on the corner of Ruas da Alfandega and Primeiro de Março, for 260,000\$.

It is stated that the £5,000,000 sterling, capital of a great credit *fancier* bank, is expected to be in Rio by the end of September next.

The minister of finance announces a revision of the tariff and invites merchants to send in their petitions and complaints up to the 15th inst.

The Alliança mil has raised through the Bank of Brazil a 7 per cent. debenture loan of 2,000,000\$ at 95 per cent. Sinking fund is 2 per cent.

The applications for public assistance, through government loans, in the province of S. Paulo reached an aggregate of 18,376,000\$ at the close of last month.

According to a local journal the Banco Predial proposes to make arrangements for the payment of interest on its hypothecary notes in various European markets.

The *Journal* of the 3rd inst. hears that the sale of the Paulista steamship company to the Companhia Nacional for 500,000\$ was realized on the preceding day.

On the 3rd it was reported that the contract for the Rio municipal loan of £500,000 had been signed by Visconde de Figueiredo and the municipal authorities.

The subscription lists for 10,000 shares, 200\$ each, of the Banco Predial to form a commercial department of the bank, were closed on the 3rd and the shares are said to have been taken.

It is said that the Bank of Brazil is to continue its advances to agriculture up to a sum of 16,000,000\$, of which the Treasury will advance 8,000,000\$. The Banco Agricola, with 2,000,000\$ of capital paid up, is already inviting proposals for loans to planters to the extent of 20,000,000\$.

On the 1st subscription lists were opened at the Banco do Commercio for shares in a company to be organized to perforate the Prainha hill and connect the street of that name with the Rua da Saúde. The improvement is very much needed to facilitate coffee shipments. The concession permits the levying of tolls on traffic through the tunnel, and the proposed capital of the company is 500,000\$.

By invitation of the minister of finance the presidents of most of the native banks and the managers of the foreign institutions met at the Treasury on the 31st ult. when it was decided to organize a clearing house here. The necessity for such an improvement in business in Rio has been so frequently pointed out in our columns, and is so clear to all, save the "old fogies," that the only surprise is that the banks have so long hesitated in organizing such an institution.

The July receipts at the Rio custom house were:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes Importation (4,641,581\$278), Port dues (28,991 \$22), Exportation (159,933 \$93), Squidries (241,044 \$64), Stamps (2,441 200).

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COMMERCIAL

Table of exchange rates for Rio de Janeiro, August 4th, 1889. Lists rates for various currencies like the Brazilian miltres, U.S. coin, and London exchange.

EXCHANGE.

Table of official rates at the banks for August 29-31, 1889. Lists rates for London, Paris, New York, and other international locations.

August 29-Official rates at the banks were 26 1/2-27 on London, 35 1/2-35 1/2 on Paris and 436-439 on Hamburg at 90 days. 1885-1885 on New York at sight. On London offices the quotation was 27 1/16, and from second hands bank sterling was reported at the extremes of 27 1/16-27 3/16. Commercial sterling was quoted at 27 1/16-27 1/16, half, and at 27 3/16. Sovereigns closed with sellers at 85\$80, no buyers.

August 29-Official rates are unchanged and the market is very firm. Bank sterling on bankers is to be had at 27 1/16 and commercial sterling, with few bills offering, is quoted at 27 1/16-27 3/16.

BANCO INTERNACIONAL DO BRAZIL.

Balance sheet for Banco Internacional do Brazil as of July 31st, 1889. Divided into Assets and Liabilities.

E. & O. E. Rio de Janeiro, 3rd August, 1889. Visconde de Figueiredo, President. K. W. Soffen, Accountant.

SALES OF STOCKS AND SHARES.

Table of stock and share sales for July 29-31, 1889. Lists various securities and their prices.

July 31. 36 1/2 Five per cent. apolices. 960 000. 80 1/2 del. Socobana R.R. 100\$. 80 1/2. 9 Banco do Commercio. 234 000.

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Table of stock and share sales for August 1-3, 1889. Lists various securities and their prices.

Table of stock and share sales for August 4-5, 1889. Lists various securities and their prices.

MARKET REPORT.

Rio de Janeiro, 5th August, 1889.

EXPORTS.

Coffee.-If we are correctly informed both of the hypotheses we referred to in our last have been verified, consuming markets have shown more inclination to take hold, and the market here has submitted to a decline, and both were within the week. We had no official quotations since June 15th, but on the 2nd inst. there appears to have been a moderate amount of business done and brokers furnished the quotations we give below. The lower probability shows the bases upon which business was done, the higher the rates of the dealers to-day. Rumor has it that about 50,000 bags were sold during the latter half of the past week. Receipts show a slight increase amounting to 43,455 bags for the past week, against 38,422 bags for the week before and 54,415 bags for the preceding week. This morning the market is reported steady, but the immediate wants of exporters are said to be satisfied.

Table of coffee exports. Lists quantities for various destinations like Europe, Cape of Good Hope, and Elsewhere.

The vessels cleared with coffee are: United States: July 29 Baltimore Amer lug White Wings. 4,377 bags. July 29 Odessa Br str Alho. 750 bags. London do. 500 bags. Elsewhere: Aug 2 River Plate Br str Aconagua. 1,560 bags.

Brokers' quotations this morning were: Vashed custom amount to per 100 lbs. Superior 58\$20-58\$20. Good first. do. Regular first. 5 90-6 468. Ordinary first. 5 38-6 060. Good second. 5 21-5 651. Ordinary second. 4 22-5 243.

Vessels loading and to load. New York Blg str Tenors. 4,000. Br str Musyph. 5,000. Gr str Capita. 6,000. Hamburg. 1,000. Port Elizabeth Swed blg Rhina. 3,000.

DAILY COFFEE REPORTS.

Rio Associação Commercial daily cablegram to New York regarding position and quotations of the coffee market.

Table of daily coffee reports. Lists prices for various coffee grades and origins like Santos, Rio de Janeiro, and others.

DAILY RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS OF COFFEE AT RIO DE JANEIRO.

Table with columns for Receipts, Shipments, and Total Clearances of Coffee for various months and destinations.

Total clearances of Coffee from Rio for first month of crop years:

Table showing coffee clearances by destination: United States, Europe, and Elsewhere.

Total clearances of Coffee from Rio for seven months:

Table showing coffee clearances by destination for the first seven months of the year.

Imports. We have had a quiet week. There have been no receipts of foreign flour...

Flour.—Receipts nil. Sales and withdrawals for the week are estimated at about 2,000 bbls...

Pitch Pine.—Receipts nil and the market is still reported firm at 36800-37200 per cwt...

White Pine.—Receipts nil, and for last month 331,848 feet, against 374,260 feet in July, 1888.

Swedish Pine.—None arrived and quotations are nominal. No receipts last month...

Spruce Pine.—Nothing to report. Receipts nil and the market is reported firm at 68500 per case...

Lard.—Receipts last month were 2,072 kegs and 9 cases, or 2,074 packages...

Bran.—Receipts nil. In July we received 183 bags of foreign bran, against 8,002 bags in July last year...

Rosin.—Quotations are almost unchanged at 28000-28500 per brl, as to marks...

Turpentine.—No change in quotations at 4000-4300 rs per kilogramme, and there are no receipts...

Indian Corn.—Receipts since our last report have been: 4,791 bags per Elbe...

Hay.—Receipts are 554 bales per Wm. T. Donnell from Rio Grande do Sul...

Cement.—Receipts nil and we may continue to quote British at 28000-28500 per cwt...

Coal.—Receipts since our last report are: 3,300 tons per Union, from Cardiff...

Codfish.—Receipts are 1,445 cases per Montevideo from Hamburg. Stocks are now estimated to be 12,000 packages...

Rice.—Receipts are 37,066 bags per Gulf Stream from Rangoon and 4,700 bags via Europe...

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STOCK AND SHARE LIST.

August 3rd, 1889.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Table with columns: Present Amount, Interest payable, Rate %, Denomination, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Includes entries for Apolices, Gold Loan 1868, and City of Rio de Janeiro.

PROVINCIAL FUNDED DEBTS.

Table with columns: Present Amount, Interest payable, Rate %, Provinces, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists debts for various provinces like Alagoas, Amazonas, Ceara, etc.

DEBENTURES.

Table with columns: Present Amount, Interest payable, Rate %, Companies, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Categorized into RAILWAYS, SHIPPIING, CENTRAL SUGAR FACTORIES, MILLS, MISCELLANEOUS.

INSURANCE.

Table with columns: Capital, Reserve fund, Companies, Dividend paid, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists various insurance companies and their financials.

TRAMWAYS.

Table with columns: Capital, Reserve fund, Companies, Dividend paid, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists tramway companies like Carris Urbanos, Jardim Botânico, etc.

BANKS.

Table with columns: Capital, Capital paid up, Reserve fund, Name, Dividend paid, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists banks such as Rio de Janeiro, Agricola do Brazil, Caixa Credit Commercial, etc.

RAILWAYS.

Table with columns: Capital, Capital paid up, Reserve fund, Companies, Dividend paid, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists railway companies like Bahia e Minas, Campos e Carangola, etc.

SHIPPING.

Table with columns: Capital, Capital paid up, Reserve fund, Companies, Dividend paid, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists shipping companies like Amazon Steam Navigation, etc.

MILLS.

Table with columns: Capital, Capital paid up, Reserve fund, Companies, Dividend paid, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists mill companies like Alliana, Biribery, Bom Fim, etc.

HYPOTHECARY NOTES.

Table with columns: Present Amount, Interest payable, Rate %, Banks, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists bank notes and their terms.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Table with columns: Capital, Capital paid up, Reserve fund, Companies, Dividend paid, Nominal value, Last sale, Closing quotations. Lists various miscellaneous companies and their financials.

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