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RIO DE JANEIRO, APRIL 21st. 1891.

WE are glad to note that the coffee exporters have at last resolved to make a stand porters have at tast resolved to make a stafful against the steadily increasing exactions upon their business. The idea that coffee is a product which can always stand just a little more taxation, is becoming a source of no slight peril to the trade, and must eventlittle more taxation, is becoming a source of no slight peril to the trade, and must eventually prejudice the industry itself. It may seem a trifle to the officials and companies concerned to add a hundred reis per bag fere and another there, but when it is considered how narrow the margin is between the prices here and in consuming markets, how great the risks on exchange and how quickly the consumption drops off when the cost of the article passes a certain point, it must be apparent that every trifle of that description must be felt. It has been our opinion for a long time that the costs of handling coffee in this port are much too high. It these costs can be reduced by eliminating an intermediary and by suppressing such a charge as that imposed by the Docas, it should be done without delay. The monopoly enjoyed by the Docas company is grossly unjust, for it tends to keep these charges at a maximum by shutting out competition. If the government really desires to benefit the industry and encourage trade, this and every other monopoly of that description should be abolished. The planter must be eventually benefitted by such a measure, while commerce will be relieved of restrictions and charges which serve only to cripple its development. serve only to cripple its development.

The report on the state of trade which a commission of local bankers has seen fit to place on record and to telegraph abroad, is one which we should not take at all seriously were it not designed to prolong a situation which is fast becoming oppressive and critical. When we hear reputable and experienced business men complaining of the difficulties brought about by this situation, when we see stocks going down with a run, when we see obligations repudiated and settlements postponed to a future date, when we see the old banks, whose deposit accounts are unusually large, refusing to advance on stocks at almost any whose deposit accounts are unusually large, refusing to advance on stocks at almost any figare while willing to discount good commercial paper at unusually low rates—when we see all this, we are compelled to believe that we have entered the preliminary stages of a serious crisis. Add to this a knowledge of the volume of currency heretofore used and now in circulation, and a certain amount of information of the uses to which this new currency is put and of the rapidity with which it finds its way to the custody of the older banks, and we may be permitted, perhaps, to express a very decided opinion as to the excess of currency issued. The needs of a cowd of reckless speculators are certainly not the gauge of the needs of commerce and industry, nor can we accept the dictum of speculators at the head of banking institutions engaged wholly in the organization of companies and in speculaused and now in circulation, and a certain banking institutions engaged wholly in the organization of companies and in speculations in their shares, as a credible judgment on the situation. There were two or three men on the commission whose opinions we are glad to accept, but the majority of them have attained their positions through these insane speculations and are mixed up in so many speculative transactions that their opinion, to say the least, is seriously prejudiced. To ask the "nen who have caused the difficulty, to repo to nit and recomthe difficulty, to repot on it and recom-mend measures of relief, is a blunder which

As for the recommendations of the bank-As for the recommendations of the data-ers commission, they are just what one might expect. Being seriously embarrassed through what has already been done and being unable to meet obligations already incurred in behalf of these bubble companies, they very naturally recommend that no further companies be encouraged, that existing companies be assisted and that they he consolidated wherever possible, shareholders be assisted by dimini diminishing liabilities and extending payments, and that good paper (?) be accepted as collaterals to facilitate payments. The abstartists to facilitate payments. The absurdity of making such recommendations ought to be apparent at first sight. To stop encouraging the organization of new companies—which, by the way, does not appear to be binding on all the banks—after all the mischief has been done, is very after all the mischief has been done, is very much like locking the stable door after the horse has been stolen. If now we supplement this precaution by granting assistance to the thief to get away with the horse—we beg pardon!—by granting assistance to the speculator to secure his gains and carry on his delusive operations for a few weeks or months more, how shall we be avoiding the impending loss? The biggest fool in Rio de Janeiro ought to know that there is no possible hope for a know that there is no possible hope for a majority of the banks and companies thus far organized, and that even the best of them are handicapped by inflated aggregates of capital, by depreciated currency, by excessive costs of organization and management and by insane investments. There is not real capital and industry enough in the country to support each vertication. country to support such pretensions! How is it possible, therefore, to avoid the logical consequences of these speculations by in-creasing their liabilities through loans and creasing their habilities introduced accommodations, or by fusing one scheme with another equally bad? Nothing plus nothing is equivalent to—nothing. A bubble bank with an unrealizable capital of 20,000,000,000\$ united to another bubble bank with a similar capital of 20,000,000\$, yields nothing more than a bubble bank of twice the size and nominal capital. The con ditions of instability and emptiness are not changed in the least. If we now extend the means of protecting and enlarging these bubbles, how are we benefiting the market? We may postpone the crash for a few weeks, but we simply intensify it when it does come by so doing. In our opinion, the gentlemen who appear to consider them-selves bankers and financiers should study this question just a little longer—and then give it up.

WE must be permitted to again call attention to the prejudices which the com-merce of this port is suffering through the delays in discharging and dispatching mer-chandise. It can not be said that there is deliberate intention in this, for the any deliberate intention in this, for the government has nothing to gain either by keeping vessels in port, or by keeping merchandise in the custom-house. Two unavoidable conclusions remain, therefore; either the government is indifferent to the steadily increasing requirements of the port, or its officials stand convicted of sheer incapacity in the administration of the custom-house. Perhaps both conclusions are not so very far from the truth, for it is certainly nothing less than the grossest indifference to see vessels kept here discharging for two to see vessels kept here discharging for two
or three months in an epidemic season,
without making one single effort to facilitate their discharge and clearance. With
all the opportunities afforded by this bay
for the rapid handling of goods, it is simply
inexplicable how matters have been permitted to drag along, to the heavy loss of both
life and property. If the authorities can not life and property. If the authorities can not think of any other method of discharging goods except into lighters, then let us have more of them and let the discharge of the lighters themselves be hurried forward. One has only to look into the custom-house basin to see where one of the difficulties lies. The place is crowded full of lighters, and only two or three hydraulic cranes are in use, out of the twenty which the custom-house possesses. Then, too, all the goods, house possesses. Then, too, all the goods, as we are informed, must pass through one receiving armazem, consequently the movement is slow and frequently blocked. And then comes the accidents, a conferente loses his mother-in-law, or the machinist in charge of the hydraulic crane catches coldand the work comes to a full stop! We are also informed that the custom-house is short-handed, owing to the transfer of men to the treasury, and the lack of experience on the part of their successors. In our

opinion, if a well-directed and vigorous effort were made, the whole difficulty would speedily be solved, but the custom-house speedily be solved, but the custom-nouse people would have to work more than four hours a day and with a more liberal inter-pretation of the law. Not a small part of the delay is caused by an effort to prove that every merchant is trying to defraud the customs, and in many cases in matters that would not be worth the trouble. A slight difference in weight, caused by dampness difference in weight, caused by dampness or by negligent packing, or some slight discrepancy in description of contents, or some slight error in the formalities of dispatching—all these are made pretexts for delaying the dispatch of goods. In view of the fact that the custom-house gains so very little by such methods, it might well adopted to the proper dispatch of goods. more liberal interpretation of the law and thus hasten its work. Aside from the necessity of creating other deposits and land ing places, it can do much to expedite bus-iness in the custom-house as it now exists.

Tur Iornal do Commercio of vesterday publishes an important telegram from Lon don of the 19th which gives the gist of an interview with Lord Rothschild in regard to cilian affairs. The great financier ex-ses his unchanged confidence in the Brazilian affairs. stability of this country and says that he has used every effort to infuse this confidence into the minds of Brazilian bond-holders. The bad state of affairs in Argentina and Chili, however, has had a very depressing influence on Brazilian stocks also, and this had led to their decline. He then improves the occasion to express a hope that the Brazilian government wil take advantage of this lack of confidence to correct the "serious financial errors lately committed in Brazil and thus dissipate the ladd impression are due to the serious financial errors lately committed in Brazil and thus dissipate the bad impression produced in Europe by a policy so perilous." It would appear therefore that there is a good reason beyond the difficulties in Argentina and Chili for the diminishing confidence in Brazilian secur ities, and this reason is nothing less than the ruinous policy inaugurated by Sr. Ruy the ruinous policy inaugurated by Sr. Ruy Barbosa in regard to banks and paper money. The great bankers of Europe are not to be deceived by promises or fallacies on this point, for the experiment has been tried too many times already. They know to a certainty that the policy adopted here in regard to banks, bank issues and companies will unerringly lead to a disastrous crisis, and they are not yet quite certain how Brazil will behave under the ordeal. It may be possible to postpone this crisis, but may be possible to postpone this crisis, but postponement can not divert nor diminish The loose ideas prevailing here in re gard to currency and banking are not likely to inspire much confidence in the im-mediate future of Brazil, and if the whole truth were known there is not a little of this distrust in the hesitation of the Rothschilds to take the London agency of the Banco da Republica. They know perfectly well They da Republica. They know perfectly well how this bank is committed to the policy of increasing the paper currency of this country, and how intimately it is connected with the speculators and speculations that demand more of this currency. When it is considered that the Rothschilds are too good bankers and financiers to have any sympathy with these ideas, it is not difficult to understand why they hesitate to form an alliance with Messrs. Figueiredo and Mayrink. And this reported interview is a very strong indication that no such alliance will ever be made.

AMERICAN WINE PRODUCTION.

The present census will be the first to contain the results of a special investigation of the extent and value of the grape, raism and wine industries of this country. In the bulletin just issued, Superintendent Porter observes that the returns, although not all that could be desired, and not affording any data for comparisons showing the growth of these important interests, are believed to be entirely trustworthy as far as they go. The report shows that of 400,000 acres of grape growing districts more than 300,000 acres were in bearing in 1839, producing 572,000 tons of grapes, off which 267,000 were for table use, 240,000 for wine, 44,000 for raisms and 23,000 or other purposes. The wine product is estimated at 24,300,000 gallons, and the raism yield at 1,300,000 boxes of twenty pounds each, while the young raism vine-yards in California promise to increase this yield within the next five years to \$,000,000 or 10,000,000 boxes. The capital invested in land, improvements, machinery, etc., is estimated at \$155,000,000, and the number of persons employed at more than 200,000; while the agents who have conducted the inquiry believe that a still more remarkable development of vinculture is to be expected, especially in the established districts, unless retarded by the ravages of insects and disease. —N. Y. Commercial Bulletin, March 18th.

COFFEE EXPORT CHARGES.

A meeting of coffee exporters was held on the thinst at No. 16 Rua de Visconde de Inhadma r the purpose of discussing the increased charges cartage and capatasus on coffee, and for the maideration of the means to be adopted to mod-r them. The following coffee exporting firms ere represented: Arbuckle Brothers; Watson, titchie & Co.; Levering & Co.; Norton, Megaw Co.; Itard, Rand & Co.; Olm Bradshaw & Co.; F. McLaughlin & Co.; Max Nothmann & Co.; T., V. Doane & Co.; E. Johnston & Co.; Phipps rothers & Co.

J. W. Doane X Co.; Ed. Jointson & Co.; I would be bendless & Co. After some discussion as to the legality of the Docas action in raising capatazias from 60 reis to 100 reis per bag, it was agreed to employ a lawyer to enquire into the charter, and Mr. Notlmann undertook to put this in hand.

It was also agreed that a general representation, signed by every coffee exporting firm, should be made to the minister of finance in favor of extended privileges for the shipment of coffee, by which exporters could ship from trapiches other than the Docas.

exporters could ship from trapiches other than the Docas. It was decided to make a friendly representation to the directors of the Docas on the present condition of the ponte which is in bad repair and unsafe to bear the weight frequently put on it. Mr. Brode undertook to see to this matter.

It was unanimously agreed by those present that the expenses incurred in carrying out the foregoing arrangements should be equally borne by all. There was some conversation about forming a coffee exporters association for the protection of the general interests of that body, and the feeling of the meeting was in favor of its fuller consideration at some future time, when a general invitation could be publicly extended to all in the trade.

No practical conclusion was arrived at regarding the increase charges for cartage which could only be resisted by encouraging competition wherever and whenever possible.

STATE OF TRADE.

As we stated in our last issue, the committee of ankers finished on the 14th inst. their report of the state of the market. The following is an ab

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The prime cause of the present stagnation of business in that market is the simultaneous organization of a recessive number of companies, some of which are not founded on sound bases, though the greater part, in the opinion of the committee, are justified by a well-lounded confidence in the resources of the country and by the legitimate desire to develop them.

The Brailians, says the committee, are in general more inclined to be calm, cautions and prudent than to be too ventresome in economical affairs, and, if they have recently displayed a fever-tish desire for progress, it is because they have full confidence in the future of the country and in its vast and varied resources. The cautious nature of the people is shown by the very fact that, as soon as a few hight clouds appeared in the function of the people is shown by the very fact that, as soon as a few hight clouds appeared in the function of the currency the committee attributes to various causes, among which are the diminished exportation of Brazilian products in the last two years, the internision in the importation of toreign capital which had previously been coming into the country in vitue of loans contracted abroad by the government and by private persons, and the natural but misaken want of confidence prevailing in foreign countries in the stability of the institutions of the country.

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money they require for this purpose, and for this reason they are obliged, as has been stated, to keep it on hand.

As for the collection of duties in gold, it is necessary, says the committee, to choose between this and the competition of the government in the exchange market. A foreign loan, it thinks, is at present out of the question. If the government should heap up gold in the Treasury without returning it to circulation, no doubt the effect would be worse than that caused by its competition in the exchange market. As it has initiated, however, the policy of selling its surplus gold, the collection of duties in specie serves to keep a certain amount of gold in the country and thus contributes rather to benefit than to injure exchange. The effect of the measure, then, is limited to an increase of the duties, an increase which the committee considers justifiable in view of the financial situation of the country and its position towards foreign money markets. At all events, says the committee, the new crops will soon begin to be marketed and, as these are the largest crops the country has ever produced, they cannot fail to cause an improvement in exchange.

Under these circumstances the state of trade, in the committee's opinion, requires no exceptional action on the part of the government, in whose patriotism and vigilance entire confidence should be left. Very frequently, as has recently been demonstrated in France, a simple administrative measure, wisely and firmly executed, can remove the greatest obstacles and ward off the greatest dangers.

"In conclusion," says the committee, "and in answer to the questions of the worthy board of directors of the praiseworthy Associação Commercial,

we state:

"The present state of trade in Rio de Janeiro does not at all foreshadow a commercial crisis. There is merely a certain duliness in business which may cause losses to some persons and which shows that something practical should at once he done to remove the causes of the evil and diminish its effects.

"The prime cause of the present state of trade is evidently an accumulation of a great quantity of paper thrown into the market by an excessive number of firms, banks and companies.

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"The means of checking this fever for speculation does not depend, however, on the government, of which we should not demand measures for restraining freedom of association, one of the most powerful factors in the progress of modern nations. The remedy is in our own hands and expecially in those of banking establishments, which in the present emergency should adopt the following policy:

"a)—To refrain entirely from encouraging new schemes.

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"(b)—To assist companies now in existence that have elements of vitality so that they may be strengthened and accomplish the purposes for which they are intended, and this can be done by furnishing them the means which they require and by promoting the union of different companies having the same object, so that solid and stable companies may be formed of those that singly do not possess elements of stability.

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" ϵ)—To contribute as far as possible to reducing the liabilities of shareholders and widening the in-

tervals for payments.

"d)—To accept good paper as collaterals so as to facilitate settlements.

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"To the Banco da Republica, as the regulator of the circulation, appertains the duty of furnishing means, directly or through other establishments, for the transaction of business, expanding or restricting its issue within the limits prescribed by law, or dictated by circumstances, so that the country may not suffer from a circulation either superior to its necessities or unequal to the demands of trade, the latter of these two cases being not the less serious and detrimental in a country which, like ours, is under full headway of commercial and industrial development. The judgment displayed in its management and, under certain circumstances, the careful co-operation of the government, should so operate that means may not be waiting to enable it to realize the objects for which it was created and the purpose for which it is intended."

RIVER PLATE ITEMS.

—Sovereigns were quoted at \$17.95 in Buenos Aires yesterday.

-It is proposed to re-establish lotteries in Bue nos Aires.

-A Buenos Aires telegram of the 18th says that the "state of siege" in that city has been raised.

-Election disturbances are reported from Mendoza, Argentina, in which several persons were

-The civil registry in Montevideo shows that in January there were 706 births, 103 marriages and 521 deaths.

-The March receipts of the Montevideo custom house amounted to \$717,590.45, a large decrease from the same month of last year, though showing an increase over January and February.

-A telegram of yesterday announces a panic on the Buenos Aires bolia. It was reported that an issue would be made of \$150,000,000 in currency to pay up the lost deposits of the Banco Nacional and Banco da Provincia.

-The municipal intendent of Buenos Aires now wants to consolidate the floating debt of that city, which amounts to only \$15,000,000. It is a very good time for handling such small sums. Why not try a loan in Madrid?

—Our Platine exchanges say that an Argentine "water gas" syndicate has sold the privilege for Brazil for \$500,000. It would almost appear that the purchasers were the Rio banking commission who recently reported on the situation.

-The Montevideo Harbor Mission and Sailors' Home has secured suitable premises at 12 A, Calle Frome has secured suitable premises at 12 A, Calle Predras, where will be maintained reading, writing, dining and sleeping rooms for officers and sailors. The enterprise is a deserving one and is entitled to generous assistance.

-A Buenos Aires telegram of the 19th says the municipal intendant of that city asks for a loan of \$20,000,000 for the conversion of the floating debt. The service of this loan he proposes to meet by a tax on race-course tickets and train fares. The latter would be a very onerous and unjust tax, for it would weigh principally on the poorer classes.

-It was reported a week or two ago that Gen. —It was reported a week or two ago that Gen. Roca proposed to resign his place in the Argentine cabinet. A telegram of the 18th says that the General now proposes to consult his friends before resigning, which means that he doesn't intend to do any such thing. When Gen. Roca retires from public life, it may be anticipated that Argentine affairs will begin to mend, and not before.

arts will begin to mend, and no bende.

—Still they go: is the unfortunate truth in regard to numerous families in Rosario of all nationalities. They find a comfortable life, not to say even a bare existence, and Dr. Lopez do not coincide. With sugar at 80 cents a kilo, and meat dearer than in Europe, in this great beef-producing land, and increased rates and taxes, many of them in gold at 340, life is not what it should be, and we believe it!—Argentine News.

RAILROAD NOTES

-The receipts of the railways belonging to the manhia Geral were 853, 864\$640 in the month Compannia of March.

—The municipal council of Porto Feliz, S. Paule has contracted with Dr. Mello e Oliveira for building a tramway to connect that town with the Sorcabana line.

The board of directors of the Mogyana com-pany, anticipating a considerable increase in the traffic of the road, has ordered 380 new freight cars, which are expected to arrive in time for be-ginning work at the end of August.

—The people of Taulaté are complaining of the delays in the running of trains on the Ceutral line, and also of the proposal to lay a third rail over that line to Rio. They prefer to have the São Paulo and Rio line widened.

At a meeting of the shareholders of th Mogyana railway on the 15th inst. a committe was appointed to report on the expediency of uniting the company with other railway companies At the same meeting it was resolved to increas the capital stock to 44,000,000\$.

—The receipts of the S. Paulo and Rio de Janeiro railway amounted last year to 2,312,7698995 and the operating expenses to 1,128,1038775, expenses with purchase of rolling stuck 130,5188770, loss by exchange 109,6028530, other expenses 18,2628640.

The minister of agriculture has granted permission to M. C. da Silva Lara and Robert Normanton to build a railway, without guarantee of interest, from Taubaté to Amparo, the concession to endure for 40-years. This will connect the Mogyana system with the port of Ubatuba.

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In the 6 months from July to December, 189 the receipts of the Mogyana railway were 2,689 1308794, an increase of 995,47876 over those the previous half-year. The expenses were 1 187,4748809, the increase being 251,0518467. The board of directors proposes a dividend of 1580 a share, or at the rate of 15% per annum.

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—The Mercantil of S. Paulo states that Drs.
Carmo Cintra and Homen de Mello have proposed to the government to build a railway from Santa Cruz to Guararema. It is said that by means of this road the trip from S. Paulo to Rio can be made in four hours less than at present and that passengers can go by rail from Rio to Santos or Campinas in one day.

PROVINCIAL NOTES

-There were 213 deaths in Pará during the month of March.

-There were two deaths from yellow fever in Santos on the 11th inst.

-According to the recent census the city of Rio Grande do Sul has 17,270 inhabitants.

-The two parties in S. Paulo have organized their tickets of candidates for the state legislature.

-Copious rains are reported from Ceará, and entertained of a good year.

—On the 16th inst. the public carriage-drivers in S. Paulo struck because one of their number had been fined.

—It is stated that Barão de Pouso Aleg bequeathed 66,000\$ to the charity hospital Tanbaté.

-The state elections in Pará and Espirito Santo yesterday appear to have passed off without any disturbances.

—In Santos the building on the corner of Ruas 15 de Novembro and Frei Gaspar was destroyed by fire on the 12th inst.

—The electors of Mococa, 150 strong, have decided to support the administration of Dr. Ame-rico Braziliense. The "historical" republicans may rico Brazine now retire.

—A telegram from Pará, of the 17th inst., state that political leaders in the state of Amazonas have determined to prevent the new governor from being inaugurated.

"The "historical republican" party in the sof Rio de Janeiro has been dissolved and "Partido Autonomista Fluminense" is organi in its stead.

—On board the steamer Espirito Santo in the port of Bahia two children died of yellow fever and four passengers with the same disease were sent to the lazareto.

—In the municipal district of Bragança, S. Paulo, there are 18 vineyards, which, it is estimated, will produce within four years 250 pipes of wine per annum.

—The Banco União de S. Paulo has paid to Peixoto Estrella & Co. the sum of 4,800\$, the amount of the notes of that bank destroyed in the burning of the house of the said firm,

—The Correio Paulislano on the 16th telegraphed to the Fornal do Commercio that the S. Paulo police had arrested the author of the clandestine issue of notes of the Banco União.

—A telegram from Banharão, S. Paulo, dated the 17th inst., says that the town of S. João Bap-tista do Rio Verde is threatened with an attack from Indians whose number is said to exceed 1,000.

—A telegram from Deputy Leopoldo Bulhões, published in the Jornal do Commercio of the 18th inst., states that the governor of Goya has forcibly prevented the meeting of the state legislature.

—The "national union" party of Rio Grande do Sul issued a manifesto on the 16th ult. This manifesto favors complete state autonomy, the organization of the state militia and all liberty con-sistent with civilization.

—The provincial papers state that large bodies of immigrants are going to S. Paulo coffee planations for employment during the picking season.

—The census gives the city and municipality Santa Catharina a population of 26,409. The B menan colony is given 25,643.

—A bathing establishment is to be established at Jundiahy, São Paulo, providing the municipal council will give the ground.

—The provisional governor of Amazonas pro-mulgated his own little constitution on the 13th ult. and has called a provincial assembly to ratify it for June 21st.

—A romance has been published in Ceará under the title of A Fome. "Famine" has been so much of a reality in that unhappy state that we can not understand how anyone can weave a romance out of it.

-Dr. L. P. Barreto, on account of being candidate for the S. Paulo state senate, has resign his seat in congress. It is thought that Dr. Jesuino Cardoso will be one of the candidates for

-A S. Paulo exchange states that the Banco da União received a telegram from this city stating that the government had decided to receive the 500\$ and 100\$ notes of that bank in payment of

-Now that the church party at Taubaté have secured official permission to have the religious ceremony precede civil marriage, they are begin-ning to question the authority of the minister of justice to make the change.

—A telegram from Natal, dated the 14th inst, says that the governor of Rio Grande do Norte keeps 50 soldiers constantly under arms with loaded guns. There must be some danger of a "sebastianist" rising in Rio Grande do Norte.

Two patriotic citizens have asked the municipal council of Jundiahy, São Paulo, for the ground hetween the town and the Ituana railway, on which they propose to lay out a suburband call it Willa Glicerio. Of course they will give the lots away after they are properly surveyed.

The official paper of Minas Geraes declares that although the governor considers he has a right to legislate until the constitution is adopted, he will refrain from making use of that right and also from making grants involving expense for the

It is said that on the governor's ticket of ndidates for the legislature in Rio Grande do orte, there is not a single original republican. the "historicals" do not go to Cannes, then ere is very little of our poor weak human nature their make up.

—Governor Portella declines giving Morris Kohn ground for building his silk factory. If not out of place, we would like to inquire what there is to prevent Morris from building his own factory, on his own grounds and making silk from the cocoons of his own silk-worms?

—Among the country people living in the vicinity of Porto Real, state of Rio de Janeiro, a letter, said to have been received from Bahia, is circulating with the prediction that the earth will be destroyed by fire on the 1st of August, 1892. If true, it will be mighty hard on Gen. Glycerio's land grants.

In the settlement of a quarrel of twenty years' standing between two men in Itaavuvú, S. Paulo, one of them inflicted on the other 21 wounds, or one wound for each year and one by way of interest. The wounded man afterwards walks im miles to the Sorocaba hospital, and at last accounts was said to be doing "comparatively well."

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—It is stated that a dog belonging to the vicar
of Sorocaba is a capitalist and has money in the
bank; but we are not informed whether this is an
April fool item, or not. However, it may not be
worse than the circumstance that a wooden image
called St. George used to be an officer in the army
and drew a regular salary.

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Of the 48 members of the legislature of Minas Geraes 17 are physicians, 12 lawyers, 5 teachers, 3 druggists, 4 merchants, 2 presets, 1 engineer, 1 enpathalts and 1 clerk of a court of law. The profession of the remaining two is not stated. There seems to be an exceptional affinity for politics among the physicians of Minas.

—Campinas has recently made a contract for the electric messenger apparatus so long in use in the United States. The good people of that sleepy old town are anxiously awaiting the time when they can summon anything they want by pressing a button on the wall. The danger is that they will want too much, and will want a portable apparatus so as to avoid the fatigue of walking from one room to another to signal for it.

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—In consequence of yellow fever the town of Cantagallo has been abandoned by three-fourths of its inhabitants. The mortality during a fortnight amounted to nearly 100, and the number of new cases averaged from 8 to 10 a day. If the founders of these interior towns could see what the result is of building in a basin, with all the drainage toward the centre, perhaps they would understand what a mistake they made. Many of the interior towns of Brazil are so built that the drainage of years has made them vertiable beds of poison.

-The Fornal de Minas of the 17th inst. devotes a column and a half to a denunciation of the municipal council for permitting an evangelist, H. Maxwell Wright, to preach in the assembly room of the municipal hall. The *Jornal* preaches a little and denounces a great deal because of the favor thus granted to the heretic, and then advises the good people of Minas to stand firm in their faith. We fail to see the necessity of being so intolerant, however. If the Minas people have the true faith, they need fear nothing from the evangelist who makes use of a public building to expound his views on the subject. column and a half to a denunciation of the m

-Major Candido Jacques, Lieut. Pires Ensign Pedro de Alcantara, professors of the military school at Porto Alegre, were arrested on the 16th. Their arrest is said to be due to political

-The German steamer Graf Bismark lost two —The German steamer Graf Bismark lost two passengers, the captain and two other persons from yellow fever between Rio and Bahia and while in that port. The steamer was compelled to continue her voyage without communicating with the town. The German steamer Santos landed six yellow fever patients at the lazaretto in the same port, of which three had died up to the 14th.

-The interior districts of Bahia seem to be in a chronic state of suffering. A commission of prominent men in that state has recently telegraphed to inent men in that state has recently telegraphed to the minister of interior asking for assistance, which has been promised. There must be something radically wrong in the interior of Bahia, for these complaints of famine, drouth, etc., have been com-ing in for several years. Perhaps the people are doing nothing for themselves. Watever the cause, however, it should be borne in mind that the national government has no legal authority for granting assistance and that the state should in future take care of such petitions for relief.

SANTOS ATHLETIC CLUB.

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A general meeting of the above club was held on the 30th ult.

The accounts having been duly read and passed, the rules, as framed by the outgoing committee, were revised and approved.

It was decided, that in view of the difficulty in obtaining a suitable ground for cricket, tennis, etc., to continue playing on the beach as heretofore.

That a hut be creeted on the nearest available

round, for the safe and convenient keeping of all

club property.

The following members were elected officers for he coming season:

President-W. P. Moulinier

Hon. Secretary—F. J. Colbourne. Hon. Treasurer—A. Sell.

Captain—H. Fussell.
Committee—W. Fletcher Jr., J. Ashton, H. ross, A. Richards, P. Elworthy

F. J. COLBOURNE,

LOCAL NOTES

-What has become of the Rio census?

-To-day is a national holiday commemorating the death of Tiradentes.

-The banquet offered by President Deodoro to the Venezuelan minister has been postponed to the

-In the beggar's asylum of this city there is girl 15 years old, who is insane, blind, deaf and

-To-day is St. Tiradentes' day, and the dentists are rejoicing that the second anniversary of their patron has arrived.

-It would appear that the stomachs of imported horses can not digest River Plate hay and for hay and oats have to be imported from Europe.

... It is announced that Affonso Celso---if we may be permitted to drop his title—has postponed his return to Brazil. We suspect he is waiting for a popular invitation.

-The students of the Polytechnic school have protested against the appointment of Drs. Tar-quinio de Souza and Cordeiro da Rosa as professors of that school.

-The minister of agriculture declines to grant S. S. Schindler a privilege for 30 years for making butter out of vegetable substances. The minister evidently does not wish to suppress the cow.

-President Deodoro, instead of accepting the decoration of which the Venezuelan minister is bearer, will give the minister a dinner in Itamarat palace. Why not give the decoration to Piragibe

-Now that it is decided that no one is to be punished for the attack on the Tribuna office, what is the press going to do about it? Are the daily papers going to execute their threat of suspending publication?

-The report that Councillor Araripe will resign the portfolio of finance is again in circulation. The names of Dr. Honorio Ribeiro and Conde de Figueiredo are mentioned in connection with that

-It is all right now. The company that guarantees one's burial—and a tomb—was organized on the 20th. Those that "go down to the sea in ships" should at once apply for shares in this new

-The minister of justice has decided that it is not illegal for civil marriage to be preceded by the religious ceremony. The minister's opinion of the question is right enough, but where does he get his authority to annul laws in this way?

-Acting-General Justo Chermont says that economy is a proof of a legitimate republican policy. Let us hope, then, that proofs of that policy may not be wanting on the part of the acting-general and his colleagues.

—The government has appointed a committee omposed of Dr. M. P. Avelino and Dr. Salvador (icosia, to prepare a plan for organizing the serice of immigration. We generally have an abundance of plans, but the service obtained never ecomes better.

-A company has been organized in the United States to manufacture bottles that can not be refilled. It is hard to see the advantage to be derived; once the bottle is empty it is of little use—for the moment—unless a venta is handy, and then it must be refilled.

-"The Brazil Trading Company" has been in corporated at Baltimore, United States, by a number of merchants engaged in the Brazil trade to open up business relations on a large scale. The capital of the company is \$50,000, which may be increased to \$500,000.

—Decree No. 1,257 of the provisional government, dated January 10th and published in the Dairao Official of the 15th inst, regulates the execution of the measures adopted by the later national Maritime Conference at Washington for preventing collisions at sea.

There is evidently an irreconcilable conflict between the planters and the bankers' commission. The former are trying hard to make us believe that the crops are much smaller than at first reported, when the latter steps in to say that they are the "largest the country has ever known!"

Our new ideas on republican government do not seem to be working smoothly. An attempt of the cabinet to transfer a professor from the naval to the polytechnic school is opposed by the director of the latter who declares that he will not permit any professor to enter the faculty except upon the nomination and examination of said faculty.

—Decree No. 128, of the 14th inst. permits the India Rubber, Guta Percha and Telegraph Works Co. to lay a submarine cable between the coast of Pernambuco and the West coast of Africa. The privilege was solicited by Edward W. Parsons, and the cable is to have a station on Fernando de Noronha.

—We hear a rumor to the effect that Dr. Timo-theo's census commission has succeeded in working the population of the city up to nearly one million. This admirable mathematical result is obtained by counting as many men in two or more places as possible. We have heard of cases where a man was counted in three places.

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—Lieut. Annibal Eloy Cardoso has been arrested and sent to the lortress of Santa Cruz on account of an article which he published in the Democracia. We seem to be living under a very different government than that of the monarchy, when we almost had an insurrection because a minister of war tried to prevent officers from writing letters to the press. It was then called tyrannical and an attack on personal liberty.

—Now that the gentle public employé can no longer draw salaries as some six or seven different employés, how is he to live? We are really sorry that the constituent assembly ever thought of such a thing. There is a solution of the difficulty, however, the public employé may employ his leisure in figuring as a director—salary 1,000\$ per month—or as a fiscal counselor—salary 400\$—on some new company that requires to introduce new names on its administrative staff.

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—The faculty of the Polytechnic School has requested the government to postpone the execution of the provisions of decree No. 1,073, of the 22nd of last November, relating to the scientific organization of that school. The execution of those provisions in their present form, says the faculty, would be fatal to the school, and it is consequently expected that the government, before enforcing them, will partiotically have caused them to be properly studied.

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—The total number of deaths in this city in March, according to the Misericordia records, was 2,427, of which 1,05 were described as midigentes, or people buried at public expense. This is very damaging testimony against the benefits claimed to be derived from the present state of affairs. The number of deaths from yellow fever was 1,015, small-pox 40, typoid lever 26, typus fever 5, pernicious fever 60, and consumption 178. The daily average was 78.20, or an annual average of about 75 per thousand.

—An algebraic problem submitted to its renders by the Diario do Commercio. "If the enterprise A by the Diario do Commercio. "If the enterprise A for a certain industrial purpose requires a capital a, if for the same purpose the enterprise B needs a capital b and the enterprise C that of c, the three united with one only capital, this, even if it can not be reduced to the simple value a, will not therefore be equal to the sum of a, b and c." Perfectly clear, colleague. A slight addition may be made, however, "What will be the result to shareholders?" Answer x.

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—We have not been informed that Gen. Deodoro has been converted by the Apostolado Positivista, but he apparently has resolved to turn over a new leaf and viver ds claras, at least as far as exposing the misdeeds of his former ministers is concerned. The official paper, in its issue of the 17th inst., informs the public that one of those ministers sold the Quinta do Cajú without the general's knowledge and without bringing the matter up in any of the cabinet meetings. The same occurred in regard to the government stock farm of S. Gabriel, in Rio Grande do Sul, where army horses are pastured. Gen. Glycerio, whose land-alienating proclivities have made him lamous, disposed of that farm without informing the chief of the provisional government. In the same manner he disposed of the government plantations on the planis of Rio Branco in Amazonas. Of other misdeeds of Gen. Glycerio and his colleagues we shall probably be informed hereafter. As to the Cajú controversy ex-Minister Ruy Barbosa claims that he had a perfect right to sell the property without consulting his chief or colleagues, and presents letters to show that General Deodor did know of it and was compelled to agree to it. The little general appears to have literally bullied his chief into agreeing to the sale.

—So far there is no reason to suppose that Vis-counts Leopoldina and Pereira de Moraes (which latter reminds one of a song popular long ago in Rio) have purchased the Benk of England—or raised £22,000,000 for the Geral railway company.

—According to Dr. Berdier, the Argentine sanitary inspector, the yellow fever epidemic in this city is becoming worse. It may be that the fever is not declining much, but we can not understand how Dr. Berdier makes it worse.

—Another daring robbery was committed in this city on Sunday last, the burglars cutting through the floor of a barber-shop, oß Rua do Ouvidor, into Farani's jewelry store below. The losses are estimated at about 40,000\$. No trace of the burglars has yet been found.

—Patti has accepted the proposal of a South American impresario to give twenty operatic performances at Rio de Janeiro for £30,000 (nearly \$150,000). She will sail from Southampton toward the middle of June and remain in Brazil two months.—Exchange.

—The director general of

The director general of our postoffice, Dr. Luiz Betim Paes Leme, left for Vienna yesterday to attend the approaching postal congress. We Luiz Betim Paes Leme, left for Vienna yesterday to attend the approaching postal congress. We trust the illustrious director will secure for us many much needed privileges, such as that of sending letters out of Brazil for the same postage paid for sending them in. The Postal Union has been guilty of a very unjust discrimination against the people of Brazil in this respect.

-The total number of deaths in this city during —The total number of deaths in this city during the past week was 497, of which 213 were from yellow fever, 7 from 1yphoid fever, 10 from pernicious fever, 17 from other fevers, 10 from pernicious fever, 17 from other fevers, 10 from small-pox and 32 from consumption. There was a considerable decline in yellow fever toward the end of the week, but the disease continues very malignent and dangerous in character. The ships in port have suffered most severely and many cases have been carried away on outgoing steamers.

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—The guarda noctuona of the Candelaria parish covered itself with glory during the past quarter. It found 40 doors left open and posted sentinds therein, and it found the keys of 5 doors which were delivered to their owners. Most conspections, however, were the objects found in the street and delivered to their owners, which consisted or a flag, a signboard, a letter, a card of doll samples, a cane and a package of shoe-strings. Receits were procured for all this valuable property, and we trust that suitable rewards were not forgotten.

—How the oracle is worked was explained to us the other day in this wise. A well-known specu-lator and company organizer joined a friend in the lator and company organizer joined a friend in the incorporation of a company, whose capital is up among the millions. His half of the incorporator's fee was, let us say, 100,000%. He subscribed for a large number of shares and paid the 10% cntra-da, which amounted to, let us say, 10,000%. He then most magnanimously presented the company, as a mark of his good will and public spirit, with all the shares he had taken, thus avoiding the payment of any further calls. The balance of 90,000%, received as incorporator, remained in his pocket.

FINANCIAL NOTES

- -Brazilian bonds of the 1889 loan fell to 661/2 in London yesterday.
- -The March receipts of the Maranhão customhouse were 116,872\$925.
- -The American steamer Finance brought out for the government 137 bars of silver, weighing about 5,000 kilos.
- -A telegram from S. Paulo, of the 17th inst. says that the sub-treasury in that city has remitted 1,600,000\$ to the Treasury.
- —The board of brokers denies the authorship of the new regulations which the minister of justice is said to be studying.
- —A new lottery-drawing machine was exhibited at the "free bolsa" in Santos on the 16th. We know of no better place for such an exhibition.
- —It was reported on the street yesterday that the Banco da Republica had disposed of all its available gold, and prices were advanced at the bolta to 13\$580 buyers.
- —Up to 31st ult., the Banco da Republica had issued gold checks to the amount of 6,944,779\$892 in this city and had remitted to different states checks amounting to 927,603\$900.
- —A proposal is to be submitted to the directors of the Banco Pariz e Rio and Banco de Credito Movel for a fusion of these two institutions. We are evidently in an acute state of "fuse."
- The Banco Emissor do Norte, of Pará, purchased a steamer, called the *Amazonia*, on the 31st ult. What a bank wants to do with a steamer we can not conjecture, unless it was to make a 1st of April excursion.
- —It is a singular circumstance that none of the Mayrink banks have yet been able to make arrangements for drawing on London. It is hardly creditable to London, we fear, that the superlative ability, honesty and patriotism of our great financier are not more quickly recognized.
- —Although In haute finance has virtually threat-ened the inveterate company organizer with its vengeance—and a shutting off of supplies—the merry men of the Bolsa are placing before the pub-lic very nearly as many companies as when Messrs. Mayrink, Pinho & Co, were in full swing.
- —The action of the government in selling gold to importers seems to have killed speculation. At the rates fixed it neither pays to export, nor to import gold, and it would seem that within a short time the Treasury should be able to exactly estimate what amount of geld is required for duty payments, in which case it might dispose of the balance at its pleasure.

-In December, 1890, the receipts of the Para nagua and Antonina custom-houses were 51,389\$nagna and Antonian Casson-noises were 31,395-718, against 99,583\$35 in the corresponding month of 1889, and those of the Parnahyba custom house were 15,668\$4949, against 22,351\$664. In October, 1890, those of the Rio Grande do Norte custom-house were 20,863\$940, against 94,367\$743 in the corresponding month of 1889.

-According to a London telegram of the 10th inst. the directors of the London and Brazilian inst, the directors of the London and Brazilian. Bank have proposed a semi-annual dividend and bonus at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum, besides placing £50,000 to account of reserve fund and carrying over £20,500 to account of the next half year. This is a splendid result, for which the managers merit the heartiest praise.

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-The efforts of company organizers to find names for the children of their imagination are very amusing. On the 18th the shareholders of the Banco Auxiliar, Agricola, Industrial e Commercial—certainly a sufficiently imposing titlement for the first time and decided to re-langtise their company, which will hereafter be known as the "Banco Evolucionista"—a most startling change from the original.

-On the 15th a fusion of the Banco do Rio e Estados with the União Industrial dos Estados Estados with Unidos do Brazil company was agreed to. The new organization will have a capital—nominal of course—of 40,000,000\$, of which one-half represents the Banco do Rio e Estados, the share-holders of which are to receive a share in the new company with 100\$ paid up in exchange for their bank shares upon which 80\$ was paid.

-The Banco União de S. Paulo explains that the false 100\$ and 500\$ notes of that bank got irto circulation here, the latter never having been issued. It is said that they were stolen from the printers. Why the theft was not announced earlier, is not explained. We must confess that there is still something very suspicious in this business. As we are imitating the Argentines so closely, perhaps the experiences at Cordoba may give us a clue. the false 100\$ and 500\$ notes of that bank got ir to

-It would appear from the report of our local banking talent that money is not in circulation when it is in the hands of planters, railway conpanies and contractors and other labor employers; it must be "on the wing" in order to be in circulatinis. This is a restriction which financiers elsewhere do not understand, for they have been accustomed to look upon all cash in daily use, that is, not looked up in the treasury or in banks, as being in actual circulation.

-Complaints have been made that the Treasury gold sold by the Banco da Republica costs more paper than brokers ask. We do not understand why complaints should arise, for no one is obliged why companies some disc, or he had so some to pay more to the bank than to a broker; and it should be remembered that while a broker is perfectly justified in taking the risk of replac up his gold at lower prices, the Treasury must restrict its price to the current rate of exchange.

-We have been treated to a bank prospectus during the past week which, while proposing to develop trade and financial operations between Brazil and New York, has nothing else handy for a demonstration but a land and colonization speculation in the Paranapamena valley. Why a foreign exchange bank should devote itself to such a speculation we can not understand, unless it be that the incorporators have no clear idea of anything else. during the past week which, while proposing to

-At the meeting of the shareholders of th Promotora de Industrias e Melhoramentos com Promotora de Industrias e Melhoramentos com pany held on the 16th a statement made by the directory leads to a belief that the company is a veritable gold mine. On a paid up capital of 200, 000\$ in three months a bonus of the same amoun was declared and the nett profits are no less than 1,733,341\$1221. At the same time an increase or capital was authorized and permission granted to raise a loan for 1,000,000\$ at 7 per cent. interest The very handsome dividend of 25 per cent. i promised the fortunate shareholders in this mode company.

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Banco Rio-New York	20,000,000\$
Banco Pará e Rio	15,000,000
Brazil-Uruguay	10,000,000
Banco Auxiliar da Bolsa	10,000,000
Iniciação de Industrias Nacionaes	5,000,000
Industrial de Linho Brazileiro	5,000,000
Banco União dos Marchantes e Açou-	
gueiros	5,000,000
Empreiteira Colonial	5,000,000
Manufactora de Tecidos Elasticos e	
Artefactos de Borracha	3,000,000
Polygraphica	2,000,000
Brazil Theatral	1,000,000
Villa Alfredo Montanha	1,000,000
Tamancaria Nacional	1,000,000
Banco do Alto-Muriahé	1,000,000
Novo Banco Nacional	1,000,000
Materiaes e Aterros	1,000,000
Commercio de Doces	500,000
Chá e Quinas	500,000
Manufactora de Cerveja, Gelo e Aguas	
Mineraes em Petropolis	400,000
Lenha e Olaria Brazileira	200,000
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COMMERCIAL

Rio de Janeiro, April 20th, 1891.

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EXCHANGE.

April 14 —All the banks Were at 17½ on London, except the Sul-Americano which posted 17½. Official rates were 17½—17½ on London, 533—539 on Paris and 638—666 in Hamburg, at 30 dp. 28½0—2850 on New York at sight. The market was very firm early in the day with business in book sterling direct reported at 1½ but in the afternor in book sterling direct reported at 1½ but in the afternor in book sterling direct reported at 1½ but in the afternor in book sterling direct reported at 1½—184. Supering and commercial sterling quoted at 18—184. Supering clored with hupers at 13½1,05 sellers at 13½6 for cas 1; buyers at 13½1,05 sellers at 13½6 for cas 1;

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DAILY RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS OF

COFFEE AT RIO DE JARRESO.														
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Imports.

The markets have been queet during the past week, and receipts of most articles are moderate, or small. Flour has declined for foreign brands and is weak, but the city mills make no changes in their prices. There have been no receipts of Pine, and quotations are nominally unchanged, with the markets reported firm. Kerosene is steady at last quotations and Lard is higher, with an improved feeling in the market. Codish is quiet and unchanged; the supply promises to be moderate for a time and stocks keep very small. Rice is mather higher, but at current rates of schange foreign rice leaves little, if any, profit. Indian corn is nominally unchanged. Receipts of Coal are very large, but we hear it was required. Other articles show no notable changes.

Flour.—Receipts since our last report have been:

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Capua, from the United States	5,000 brls.
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Sales and withdrawals for the same time are about 8,000 brls. and stocks in first hands are estimated to be:
20,000 brls. American

5,800 brls.

1,000 ,, Trieste

21,000 brls. Brokers report the market weak and quote as follows:

Trieste		-19\$750	,
Richmond 1st		-19 000	•
do 2nd		nominal	
Baltimore 1st		19 500	,
do 2nd		18 750)
Western & Interior		-19 000)
River Plate		nominal	
City Mills	17\$50	0-19 000	

Pitch Pine.-The market is firm and unchanged at

**Pitter Pitte:—The market is find and unchanged at 4/\$000—4/\$00 per doz. There have been no receipts.

White Pine.—Receipts nil and the market continues firm at 115—120 rs. per foot.

Swedish Pine.—Nothing to report.

Spruce Pine.—Nothing new.

Kerosene.—Receipts have been 1,200 cases per Finance.
Our market is steady and brokers quote at 6\$800—7\$000

per case.

Lard.—Receipts are 1,000 packages per Capua and 1,700 packages per Finance. There is a better feeling in the market and we may quote George's lard, in lots, at 380—390 rs. and other marks at 370—390 rs. per lb. A very evident typographical error made us quote George's lard last week at 340 rs. when 370 rs. was intended.

Codfish.—Receipts have been 928 cases Norwegian per Patagonia, Bahia and Litzabon. With a moderate supply

expected and the stock only about 2,500 to 3,500 packages, dealers continue to quote at 30\$000 for tubs and cases. The market is quiet.

market is quiet.

Rice—The only receipts are a few hundred bags via Europe, and dealers are firm at 11800 = 128000 per bag.

Bran —The Midde brought 200 bags from the River Plate. This quality is still rather nominal and city mills is quoted at 2\$500—3\$000 per bag.

Indian Corn.—The market is firm at 6\$200—6\$500 for River Plate, of which there are no receipts.

Hay.—Receipts have been 991 b.lest per Francisco Nudel, 2,319 bales per Midde, and 3,068 bales per Kidexdale, all from the River Plate and 335 bales per Santh Fel from Havre. This supply has caused a decline in quotations to 85—92 rs. per kidgerman.

Tarpentine.—Receipts 64 cases per Finance. Quotations today are 570—580 rs. per kilogramme.

Rosin.—Receipts 470 brls. and brokers continue to quote at 98000—124000 per brl. according to marks.

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		Vikar,	do
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1,700		Valborg,	do
		Alumbach.	do
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1,724	,,	Attila,	
		Lumberman's Lassie,	from Glasgow.

1,285 , Lumbern 883 , Darwin, All to dealers and company. not to eneates and company.

Cennett.—Recipits are: French, 5,834 bils. per Nuova

Elomon Madre and 1,120 bils per Celestina; 3,000 flelgian

per Dinches, 2,000 flittish per Kepler and to German per

Intagenia. Nearly all these receipts are direct to consumers,
and there are no changes in quotations, vig. British 75,00
\$\$\frac{1}{2}\$\$cop per br!; German 7\$\$\$cos -7\$\$\$800 and French 8\$\$\$50
\$\$500.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS OF FOREIGN VESSELS.

APRIL 13.

GLASGOW — Br ship Lumberman's Lassie; 1,285; tons:
Stewart: 54 ds. coal to Industrial do Brazil company.
MARSHILLES, Tall ship Nuova Eleonara Madre; 975 tons:
Quarto: 63 ds. sundries to order.
ROSAKIO—NO Br Khlefsdick; 374 tons: Abrahamsen; 25 ds.
sundries to J. de Soura & Co.

APR. 14. CARDIFF—Nor ship Mathilda; 1,853 tons; Hansen; 47 ds. coal to order.

coat to order.

Newport—Nor ship Elizabeth; 1,216 tons: Torp; 53 ds; coal to order.

coal to order.

APR. 15.

CARDIFF—Ht ship County of Varimonth; 2,151 tons; Levensen; 57 ds; coal to Messageries Maritimes.

—Nor ship Doris; 1,182 tons; Amundsen; 48 ds; coal to Lloyd Brazileiro company.

MONTHYLDRO—Orient lug Magdalena; 300 tons; Demat; 14 ds; sundries to Friax Hermanos & Co.

APR. 16.

CARDIFF - Swed bk .Olivia; 751 tons; Jansen; 52 ds; coal to Canting—Swed bk (Olivia), 751 tons; Jansen; 59 ds; coal to onder.

— Nor lk Ukar; 841 tons; Magnussen; 69 ds; coal to Central Bazari railway

— Nor lk Homerowod; 1,125 tons; Christiansen; 68 ds; coal to Lage Irnaios.

Orostro—Port lk Clandina; 391 tons; Correia; 50 ds; sandries to Costa Simies N Co.

APR. 7.

Campre—Hr lik Alumbagh; 1,063 tons; Churchill; 38 ds; coal to Mortingues & Co.

— Nor lk Louise; 915 tons; Wethsen; 55 ds; coal to Behnir Rodrigues & Co.

— Nor lk Vallorg; 1,064 tons; Utsten; 67 ds; coal to Behnir Rodrigues & Co.

— Swed lk Norshipernen; 675 tons; Petersen; 65 ds; coal to Brazilian Coal company.

SWANSEA—Hr lug Darwin; 883 tons; Thomas; 50 ds; coal to Gos company.

to Gas company.

ASTWIRE – Ger lag. Carl. Angust; 292 tous; Dohm; 69 ds; sundries to Ed. Pecher & Co.

MASSWILLES—Ital Bk. Celettina; 481 tous; Castiglone; 60 ds; sundries to order.

LIMA DO SAL—Nor bk. P. A. Munch; 48, tous; Rison; 45 ds, salt to Marinho Prado & Co.

Poerro Alegers—Ger lag Hedrog; 237 tous; Nichber; 17 ds; sundries to order.

APR. 19.

SWANSEA—Nor bk. Haus Thus; 661 tous; Behrow ex de-

APR. 19.
SWANSEA—Nor lik Hans Thus; 561 tons; Behren: 53 ds; coal to Wilson Sons & Co.
ROSARIO—Br lig Aeronaut; 446 tons; Perry: 24 ds; hay to order.

DEPARTURES OF FOREIGN VESSELS.

PERATURES OF FOREIGN VESSELS.

APR. 13.

PARAMAGUÁ—Nor bg Solveig; 296 tons; Coward; ballast.

APR. 14.

SAYANNAH—Span bk Constancia; 426 tons; Parral; ballast.

BARBADOS—Amerika John H. Crandon; 495 tons; Nowell; do.

APR. 16.

APR. 16.

NEW ORLEANS—Port bk Agnes; 630 tons; Soares; ballast
BARBADOS—Nov bk Minerva; 314 tons; Andersen; do.

RANGOON—By bk Invermark; 1,128 tons; McDonald; do.

APK. 17.

ADOS—Br bk Douglas; 509 tons; Broker; ballast.

APR. 18. Ngw York—Nor bk Bianca; 1062 tons; Johanessen; ballast

NAW 10AK—FOLD (MAIN), 1002 10015, Johannessen; palans SANYOS—Ger sche Vulkan, 114 tons; Sparke; sundries. APR 19. BARBADOS—Br lug Grenada; 63s tons; Parks; ballast. Nova Goa—Port bk Ventureza; 364 tons; Gonçalves; do.

CLEARED AND READY FOR SEA.

-On the 14th inst the master of the Nor ship Elizabeth landed here 3 sailors of the Austrian bk Cardiff, lost of Loanda.

-The master of the Nor ship *Doris* reports speaking on March 24th in Lat. 2° 48' N. Long. 27° 18' W. Nor ship *Breidablik*, from Greenock from Cape Preston. All well.

Breatacitis, non-Greenock root Cope Pression. All well.

—The master of Ger. ship Hermann reports speaking on February 8th in Lat. 47° 52′ N. and Long. too 15′ W. Ger bk J. G. Gladde from Liverpool for Honolulu, and on March 1st in Lat. 22° 18′ N. Long. 23° 24′ W. Br bk M. B. K. J. from Glasgow for Port Braithwaite. All well.

-Braz. str Nebuta, from Glasgow, arrived on the 18th inst-he steamer belongs to the coasting company "Carioca."

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

The charters reported are: Nor bg Finnvid, matte, Para-naguá and River Plate, p.t. and Ger schr Fulcan, rice to

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* Calling at intermediate ports.

VESSELS AFLOAT & LOADING FOR RIO. FOREIGN SAILING VESSELS IN THE PORT OF RIO DE JANEIRO, APRIL seth, 1891.

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ctiv	Marseilles	
delaide	Baltimore	18 Feb
bbotsford	Swansea	28 Feb
Ray of Fundy	Rangoon Cardiff	
Bertha Draheim	Newport Pascagoula	24 Feb
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City of Montreal	Cardiff Marseilles Cardiff New York Cardiff	6 Mar
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Disponent	Sunderland Swansea	17 Mar
Ellerslie	Cardiff Hango	30 Oct 2. Jan
Eikenassund	Pensacola	
Fingal	Fernandina Baltimore	14 Mar
Frank Carvill	Cardiff Arendal	
Graziella	Greenock Cardiff	2 Mar 25 Feb
Germanic	Cardiff Pensacola Hamburg	
Hieronymus	Hamburg Cardiff	16 Mar
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M. & E. Cox	Marseilles Cardiff Marseilles	
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N. B. Lewis	Philadelphia Green∘ck Cardiff Cardiff	18 Mar
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Nadia	Pensacola Cardiff	16 Feb
New Zealand	Cardiff Pensacola	28 Feb
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William Wilcox	Pensacola	
APPIVALS OF FOR	EIGN STEAR	IERS

ARRIVALS OF FOREIGN STEAMERS.

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19	Thames Br	River Plate 70h	Royal Mail

DEPARTURES OF FOREIGN STEAMERS.

DATE	NAME	WHERE TO	CARGO
Apr. 12	Montevideo Gr	Hamburg*	Sundries
13	Corrientes Fr	River Plate*	do
12	Mat. Bruzzo Ital	do	do
13	Paranaguá Gr	Santos	do
14	S. Nicolas Gr	River Plate	Same cargo
14	Enr. Barroso Ortl	do'	Sundries
14	Chaseley Br	do	do
14	Co. Down Br	Pernambuco	Ballast
15	Citta di Napoli Itl	Genoa* .	Sundries
	Mamori Br	London	Same cargo
16	Tagus Br	River Plate	do
	Donati Br	Bahia	Sundries
	V. de Rosario Fr		do
17	Stuart Pr. Br	New York*	Coffee
17	Arran Br	Victoria*	Sundries
	Rosario Ital	River Plate	Same cargo
	Bretagne Fr	do*	Sundries
	Patagonia Gr	Santos	do
	Finance Amer	do	do
10	Tamar Br	do	do
10	Bellucia Br	do	do
19	Aconcagua Br	Liverpool*	do
10	Médoc Fr	River Plate	do

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		bg Amie bk Rifondo	. 67	o Mar.	5	London Liston	Laporte & C To order
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		bk Garibaldi bk Venerata	109	Apr.	1	Cardiff Parahyba	B. Rodrigues &C C. W. Gross & C
		lug Vega bk Constance	97	6	3 5	Cardill Rosario Liverpool.	Rio Flour Mills To order
		bg Finnvid bk Flora	· 47	7 8 7	5 10	Antwerp . Boulogne.	To order Berla & C
		bk Subra bk Ridesdale sp Mathilda	37	74 53	13	Ilha do Sa Rosario Cardifi	J. de Souza & C Royal Mail
	1	sp Elizabeth sp Doris bk Vikar,	1:8	32 14	14 15 16	Newport . Cardiff Cardiff	Lloyd Braz, Cent. Braz, R.R.
_		bk Homewood bk Attila bg Louise	110	25 27 15	16 16	Cardiff Newport Cardiff	Lage Irmãos Lage Irmãos B. Rodrigues & C
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PERNAMBUCO.

From Messrs, Henry Forster & Co's Market Report, dated March 3oth:

dated March 30th; SUGAR.—Small demand from consuming countries and light entries of browns have combined to make a dull market here, during the past fortnight, and prices declined 3—66 for the 1,650 tons purchased. Stock in first hand 800 cons, for which we quote; regular brutes 115 fol—115 gd; good do. 127; superior do. 124 4f; Goyama crop is finished; Kio Graudes tor 11d, last price paid; No. 9, exqups Liverpool, 147.
Total entries to 31st inst. 1,688,553 bags, against 1,248,936

s last year; increase 439,617 bags.

	Crop	Crop
	1890-91.	889-90
United States, ton	s 29,790	8,569
Canada "	5.437	_
United Kingdom "	10,161	1,008
Tons	. 45,388	9,577

Shipments coastwise since September 1st 60,473 tons FREIGHTS—Some vessels left in ballast which could have obtained 158 for the United States and at this rate there is some demand. We quote by sail 158—178 6d, for the United es and Halifax

STOCK AND SHARE LIST.

April 18th, 1891.

			OVERNMEN	T BONDS	3.		C. C	BANKS.							
Present Amount	Interest payable	Rate %	Denomination	Nominal value	Last sale	Closing quotation	PHS	Capitai	Capital paid up	Reserve fund	Name	Dividend paid		Last sale	losing quotations
381,521,700\$ 119,600 18,017,500 31,632,500 109,694,000	Jan. — July do Apr. — Oct. Quarterly do	i 1	polices, gold	1,000\$ 1,000\$ 1,000 1,000 500—1,000	1,000\$000 1,250 000 1,020 000 99 0,	998\$000-1,000	,	0,000,000\$ 1,000,000 5,000,000	3,998,non\$ 298,300 500,000 800,000 400,000	86,857\$ 30,000 398,813 66,034	RIO DE JANEIRO Agricola do Brazil Alliança do Brazil Auxiliar do 2 series Bolsa	2\$000—July 90 2 400—Jan. 91 12 000—Jan. 91 4 800—Jan. 91 20 000—Feb. 91	60 100 2 100 1	80\$000 60 000 50 000 20 000 50 000	130\$000160\$000
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209,900	Jan. — July do Apr. — Oct.	7	do Maricá Rio das Flores	100 100 100	84 "/ ₀ 93 "/ ₀ 176	170 000-165		1,000,000 25,000000	79,893,820 4,000,000 1,000,000	250,000	Credito Commercial	6 000-Jan. 9	80 100 80	140 000 80 000	
£1,125,000 1,600,000 £137,100 6,679,800	Jan.—July Feb.—Aug Jan.—July Mar.—Sept	1 6 L	Sapucahy S. Isabel do Rio Preto do gold Sorocabana do gold	200 £50 £00	192 440 90 "15 500	90 %i-	- 1	1,000,000 50,000,000 40,000,000	695,800 18,869,380 19,806,880 1,000,000	5,479 23,292 100,000	Credito Mercantil Credito Movel Credito Popular Credito Publico (Caixa) Credito Real do Brazil		80 l	138 000 118 000 112 000 105 000	125 000 122 000
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