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RIVER PLATE ITEMS:

The April customs receipts at Montevideo amounted to \$981,916.85, which shows an increase over the same mouth of the two preceding years.

—The Western Railway of Uruguay has been purchased by an English syndicate, and now several political personages are claiming certain sums of money from it. It is said that considerable sensation will be caused on this account, and that there will be plenty of dirty linen to wash in public.—Review, Buenos

A Buenos Aires telegram of yesterday says that the Nacion is alfacking the Review of the River Plate for instigating Europe to strengthen its dominion over South American countries. We had given the Nacion credit for more sense than this. The Review has only sought to protect legitimate interests, and this is no more than any honest journal ought to do.

to do.

Argentina is so thoroughly a horsey country that beggars on horseback are frequently seen. We were, therefore, surprised to find that there are 27 millions of horses in all the Russias, and 15 millions in the United States, while Argentina has only 4,400,000 according to the American Agriculturist. Even at that figure there is, however, nearly a horse for every man, woman and child in the country, including beggars.

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—According ta a telegram of yesterday ElDiario of Buenos Aires has made a most valuable suggestion, advising the government that, instead of subjecting itself to the exactions of the London Jews, in order to raise a loan, it should reduce the army to 3,0000 men, tie up the squadron to their buoys, suspend public works which can be deferred, and suppress the highly expensive and worthless exhibition of corps of national guards under drill.^a The advice is better than the Diario for it thinks, embodies good sound sense.

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minition of corps of national guards ander drills. The advice is better than the Diario for it thinks, embodies good sound sense.

—We find in The Ark of Faith for April a few interesting particulars about Bishop Stirling and the large diocese over which he rules, which might more fitly be termed the See of South America. It was in 1865 that Mr. Stirling with his wife and children sailed for that outpost of civilization with the intention of devoting his life to the work of christianizing the natives. Only four years before, a band of missionaries, while conducting divine service at Navarin Island, was massacred by the natives of those inclement regions. Two years after the arrival of Mr. Stirling, his wife died, and he was obliged to return to England. He took with him four young natives of Tierra del Fuego, to see what could be done for them by civilizing influences. In 1869 he returned to the far south and settled at Ushuaia, where he labored with great success for seven months, when he received the somewhat unexpected order to return to England and be consecrated first bishop of the Falkland Islands. From that time Bishop Stirling has zealously labored as a prelate of the Anglican Church in the largest diocese in the world. His see really extends from the Antilles to Cape Horn. Bishop Stirling is by no means a young man, although he will hardly recognize the fact, possibly because he still feels young and capable of doing a large amount of work. He has, however, had his fair share of danger and privations in the discharge of his duties, and in travelling from place to place in his huge diocese has still occasionally to make use of the most primitive means of locomotion.

QUARANTINE SCANDALS.

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The quarantine jobbers at Montevideo seemed to have overreached themselves in the imposition of quarantine against Buenos Aires. The Montevideo Times of the 7th inst. reports the situation at that date as follows:

We referred yesterday to the exorbitant charges made on quarantiners for their stay in the lazaret at Flores Island and for bringing them ashore when their quarantine is over, raising the expenses of the journey from Buenos Aires to \$16 first class and \$7 second, apart from the serious loss of time, discomfort and injury to luggage entailed. It now appears that some of the passengers—with every reason on their side—have protested vigorously against these extortions and even flatly refused to pay them. The protests were referred to the maritime authorities, who decided that the river steamer companies were bound to pay the expense of bringing the passengers to Montevideo. As a consequence of this decision, the tug owners, on the one hand, have resolved not to send any more fugat to Flores Island, and the river steamer companies—have resolved nat the Mensagerias Fluviales—have resolved nat the Mensagerias thus expense of the passengers and malts will have to depend for transportation on such transatlantic steamers as may care to take them, which will neither be many nor regular. This is indeed a pretty state of things for the end of the nineteenth century—and for this we have to blame the insanity of the health authorities. If there is quarantine, we think it is they, and no one else, who should be submitted to it. Even in the Borda regime, when the abuse of quarantine became an international scandal, matters did not reach such a pitch.

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On the 24th ulto, at the Cannon Street Hotel, the proprietors of this company held their annual, general meeting, under the presidency of Admiral A. J. Chatfield.—The Chairman congranulated the proprietors upon the recovery which had taken place in the accounts during the past half-year. The freight business had increased more than passage in the receipts on the whole year of £ 18,455, which, however, was more than counterbalanced by augmented expenses, chiefly under coal and port charges. Increased mileage (53,000) and additional calls at ports mainly accounted for the extra expense; but in respect of coals some portion arose out of the serious strike in that industry. The result of the working was a surplus on the revenue account of £ 18,837, out of which the sum of £65,000 had been transferred to repair and renewal account, and £ 66,395 had been written off for depreciation of the fleet, premises, and plant. The Severns had been work satisfactorily. Good progress was being made with the *Tagus* and the *Trent.*, and the former would be launched this month. After going through the accounts and pointing out the variations in the items, he said that, after debiting, the charges in question, and maintaining the reserve on the insurance account at £ 25,000, they had transferred £ 7,000 to the repair and renewal account, leaving a surplus of £22.551. Out of that sum they recommended a dividend of 30s. per share. They were prepared to further the views of government by carrying boy-saitors available for the naval reserve; but the board of trade would recoup them the whole of the expense attaching thereto. He did not pretend to forceast the future; but the improved position of the company, which commenced in the last half of the year, was being maintained, and with the reports from the Brazils and South America, they hoped the crisis had passed, and that the current year would be more prosperous than its predecessor.—Mr. H. Edimann (deputy-chairman) seconded the motion, which was carried

motion, which was carried.

—On the 25th ult, the directors of the Leopoldiua Railway Company Ld. issued in Londone the following circular:—« Through the difficulties inseparable from the organisation of the accounts of a new company, and the illness and consequent resignation at a critical period of the chief accountant sent out from England, it has been found that the annual accounts, which ought to have been now ready for presentation to a general meeting of the shareholders, cannot be submitted for some little time to come. In the circumstances, we asked our representative in Rio de Janeiro to telegraph us the figures relating to income and expenditure of the year 1898, and he communicates the following: Gross receipts for year ended December 31, 1898, £ 541,500; working expenses, £ 477,200; net receipts, £ 64,300. To this must be added: government guarantees received, £ 27,200; government guarantees received, £ 500; total, \$ 94,400. Deduct debenture interest, &c., £ 35,393. Balance, after providing for debenture interest, &c., £ 35,402. *

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The report of the directors, for the year ending December 31, 1898, states that the gross earning's were 1,355:495 milreis, betworking expenses 1,078,104 milreis, leaving a balance of 277,391 milreis, as compared with 233.521 milreis in 1897, when, though the gross income was larger (1,369,061 milreis), the working expenses were more than correspondingly higher, at 1,135.540 milreis. From balance of 277,392 milreis other special items charged to working, representing 184,311 milreis have to be deducted, producing a net balance of 93.080 milreis, against 47,358 milreis have to be deducted, producing a net balance of 93.080 milreis, against 47,358 milreis in the preceding year. The receipts from the passenger traffic show an increase of 2.03 per cent.; from luggage and parcels an increase of 13,679 milreis, equal to 45 per cent.; whist the receipts from goods traffic show a decrease of 13,267 milreis, equal to 1.48 per cent. The animal traffic has resulted in a decrease of on milreis, or 2.45 per cent., and the telegraph receipts an increase of 2.654 milreis, equivalent to 2,84 per cent. The working expenses amounted to 79.53 per cent., as compared with 82.94 per cent. in 1897, or a reduction of 4.14 per cent., amounting to 57 contos of reis. The goods hauled amounted to 104,230 tons, showing a decrease of 10.6 per cent. as compared with the previous year. The gross receipts per train mile run amounted to 162,751, a decrease of 10.6 per cent. as compared with the previous year. The gross receipts per train mile have been Rs. 8,330, as against Rs. 6,50, and the expenses Rs. 6,680, as against Rs. 6,50, and the expenses Rs. 6,680, as against Rs. 6,500, and the expenses Rs. 6,680, as against Rs. 6,500, and the expenses Rs. 6,680, as against Rs. 6,500, and the expenses Rs. 6,680, as against Rs. 6,500, and the expenses Rs. 6,680, as against Rs. 6,500, and the expenses Rs. 6,680, as against Rs. 6,500, and the expenses Rs. 6,500, and the expense Rs. 6,500, and the expense Rs. 6,500,

— What the Brazilian Review (Rio de Janeiro) does not know about Brazilian exchange is not worth knowing. That, at least, is evidently the opinion of our contemporary. To him this question presents no difficulties: for the rest of the world, with respect to it, darkness is still, it seems, upon the face of earth.—South American Journal.

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The American minister. Colonel Ch. Page Bryan, minister of the United States to the Brzailian government, came to this capital yesterlay (May 17). Some minutes before the arrival of the night train, the private secretary and nide-de-camp of the president of the state, the secretaries of interior and agriculture, the American consul. Dr. Orville Derby, and Antonio Piza, Messrs. Guérin, Lane, Robbins, Hurley, Blair, Hammett and Wolling, were at the Norte station, with representatives of the local press.

At 1025 a.m. the train arrived, with the illustrious diplomat, Lient. Shipton, military attack of the American legation, Fairchild, asturalist, and Barbour Lathrop. Dr. Saturnino de Mattos of the transportation division of the Central. accompanied the travellers, Meter the welcom's, the American minister as well as his suite and the persons who met him at the station, took carriages for the Rotisserie Sportsman. The apartments intended for Colonel Bryan, were decorated with bouquets of cut flowers in vases. The American minister received some visits, conversed with Dr. Derby and our representative, referring to the very favorable impression that he had formed of the Paulista capital and of the polite manner in which he had been received.

At 205 p.m., the minister arrived at the palace, from the front of which hung the Brazilian and American flags, in order to call on the president of the state. He was received in the vestibule by Dr. Carlos Reis and Capitain Pedro Arbues, private secretary and aide-decamp of the president of the state, and Drs. Antonio de Toledo Piza and Orville Derby, and was concucted into the state. He was received with the scane formalities with which they had been received.

Dr. Aureliane Cortino, 2 assistant delegado, Colonel Carlos Porto and Dr. Francisco Malta, state deputies, and \$8 Rocha; after a friendly conversation of 20 minutes the visitors retired with the same formalities with which they had been received.

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CRICKET IN SANTOS.

NIGGERS 25. WHITES.

CRICKET IN SANTOS.

NIGGERS 15. WHITES.

This match was played here on 11th inst. The eniggerss could only muster the eleven men, several of their best players being prevented from coming from various causes. Frank Gepp who has captained the sniggers since the formation of the club worked hard to get his team together and if the eniggers did not win they made a very creditable show and may turn the tables in the return match. Gepp won the toss and sent Burgos and Lloyd in to bat. Lloyd played a very steady game and had he not been unfortunately run out may have made a score. Burgos was out 1. b. w. after making 16 in trying to pull a ball from Stock. The next highest score for the eniggers was Kealman 15; he was cleverly caught by Richards at point.

For the swhitess, Richards' 28 was top score, but great credit is due to Evans who kept up his wicket while Richards made runs.

A great many ladies and gentlemen visited the ground during the day amongst whom we noticed Mrs. Beaver, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Stenlouse, Miss Mina Ellis, Miss Beaver, Mr. Christy, Mr. Pereira, Capt. H. Smith, Capt. Cadogen, Mr. Gepp, Mr. Heyland, Mr. Knowles, Mr. Madlock and mrny others.

Mrs. Beaver very kindly presided at the teatable and we are very pleased to see that the ladies of Santos who take an interest in tennis and cricket have arranged to provide tea on the majority of match days, and we hope that afternoon tea will now become a social feature of the club.

The full score is as follows:

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M. Burgos, l. b. w., b. Stock. C. Lloyd, run out. Tross, c. A. Lewis, b. Barber. Kealman, c. Richards, b. do. H. Gepp, c. do b. do. Stewart-Smith, st. Cross, b. Stock. Born, c. Evans, b. do. A. Carré, b. Barber. L. Wright, b. do. G. Vieira, not out. Simon, b. Barber. Wides No balls. NIGGERS.

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SANTOS vs. SÃO PAULO.

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"Two days of the best cricket ever seen in Santos» was what everybody remarked who attended the Santos Athletic Club's ground during the match against S. Paulo on Saturday and Sunday.

The Paulistas came down with their strongest team, fully determined to make a good show. How they succeeded will be seen from the scores. The Santistas also had their best men to do battle for them.

The weather was fine, but hot; but the ground and pitch were in excellent condition.

The game commenced shortly after mid-day on Saturday. Miller won the toss and decided to bat. He sent in Fforde and Mawson, Fforde being cught and bowled by Barham after making 2. Miller joined Mawson and then began the best innings we have ever seen in Brazil. Miller began steadily but soon warmed up to his work and played beautiful cricket. His cutting and placing, as well as his strokes on the leg, were magnificent and his timing perfect. During his long innings, (106 not out), he gave but one chance. He received quite an ovation on returning to the pavilion.

Spectators and players alike were all pleased to see that it was Charlie Miller who made to see that it was Charlie Miller who made

Spectators and players alike were all pleased to see that it was Charlie Miller who made the first century on the Santos ground. No more popular man plays cricket in Brazil. Miller is a true sportsman, thorough in everything he does and modest to a degree. We most heartily congratulate him on his success on Saturday and hope to see him repeat it many times. Mawson played well for his 25, but he was badly missed by Cross at point early in the inmings.

São Paulo introduced a new man to Santos in Willes, who shaped very well, but was very nervous. This he will get over and we hope to hear of him making good scores during the season.

[May 23rd, 1899.]

lost his wicket, stumped, after making one. Barham joined Burgos and looked well set when he was smartly caught and bowled by Unwin. Barber followed and played out time, the board showing 2 wickets down for 44. At the commencement next day Unwin cleaned bowled Barber with his second ball. Wheatley then joined Burgos but was caught at the wicket after making nine. Cross was caught by Miller in the long field with only two to his credit. Stock now went to the wicket, but Burgos who had played a splendid innings was bowled in trying his fancy stroke to leg. His 42 were most invaluable. Tross followed and he and Stock made the stand of the day, putting on 70 runs. Stock deserves great credit for his plucky display. His 47 were got by sound cricket and at a time when runs were badly meded. Tross also played well for his 32. Richards (capt.) made 19 not out and the inings closed for 202.

The São Paulo fielding was a decided improvement on Santos. Unwin and Mawson both bowled well.

São Paulo's second innings produced 116 for 9 wickets. Fforde, Miller and especially Univin all batted well.

The match was left a draw.

A great number of ladies and gentlemen were on the ground during both days and we saw many from São Paulo and Guarajá.

On Saturday Mrs. William Ellis and on Sunday Mrs. H. L. Wright provided the tea and cake and their kindness and attention were very greatly appreciated by everybody present.

The scores were as follows: -

S. PAULO ATHLETIC CLUB.

1st innings,	
J. Mawson, b. Kealman.	25
F. Fforde, c. and b. Barham	2
C. W. Miller, not out	106
G. Unwin, c. Tross, b. Kealman	0
F. Stewart, b. Burgos	4
W. F. Rule, b. Wheatley	3
R. Willes, b. do J. Webster, b. do	12
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M. King, D. (10	0
F. Goodier, b. Burgos	3
F. Sparks, run out	0
Extras	7
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Total	165
2nd innings.	
J. Mawson, b. Barham	3
F. Fforde, b. Kealman	19
C. W. Miller, L.b., w.b. Barham	17
G. Unwin, L.b., w.b. Kealman	27
F. Stewart, b. Barham.	4
W. F. Rule, b. Wheatley	13
R. Willes, b. Barham	0
J. Webster, b. Kealman	13
M. King, b. Burgos.	3
F. Goodier, not out	1
F. Sparks, not out.	0
Extras	16
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Total for 9 wickets	116
Santos Athletic Club.	
A. M. Burgos, b. Miller	42
P. Lewis, st. Goodier, b. Unwin	I
E. A. Barham, c. and b. Unwin	11
H. E. Barber, b. Unwin	12
H. L. Wheatley, c. Goodier, b. Rule	9
J. A. Cross, c. Miller, b. Rule	2
C. L. Stock, c. Webster, b. Mawson	47
H. Tross, b. Stewart.	32
A. Richards, not out	19
F. Tracey, c. Miller, b. Mawson	0
A. Kealman, c. Webster, b. Mawson	7
Extras	20
Total	202

BOWLING ANALYSIS. ist innings of S. Paulo.

Barber	16	7	32	0
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Miller	14	3	33	ĭ
Rule	12	2		2
Mawson	10.4	4	33 18	3
King	5	0	9	ŏ
Webster	4	2	7	1
Stewart	5	0	15	0

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The São Paulo innings closed for 165.

The Santos bowling was quite up to the standard, Barham and Wheatley being most successful. There is lots of room for improvement in the fielding and the Santos men must wake up, and get out of that slovenly, half-hearted way they have in the field if they wish to keep their position against Rio and São Paulo. Nothing is more annoying to the looker-on than to see a man fielding with bad grace and not trying his best.

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TELEGRAMS OF THE WEEK

United States.

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MAY 14.—The Brazilian minister at Washington has a fourth edition of his work on Representative Democracy in the press.
The Turkish minister has made representations to the government with respect to the plots fostered in Turkey by Syrians living in the United States.

Aguinaldo has ordered all foreigners to leave the Philippines within 48 hours under heavy penalties. He is said to believe that by this order he will compet the different governments to recognise his belligerant rights against the United States.

MAY 15.—A native battation has been reigned.

against the United States.

MAY 15.—A native battalion has been raised in Porto Rico to serve as a garrison of the capital. Their uniform will be in all respect the same as that of the regular army.

General Otis has confirmed the news of the taking of San Ildefonso and San Miguel by the American troops, and also of the repulse of the Tagalos by the Spaniards at Zambo-

anga.

MAV 16.—The Washington papers say that the government is about to issue a proclamation to the Cuban soldiers ordering them to give up their arms. Those who do so will receive their share of the three million dollars advanced to Cuba for their war services, but those who refuse will forfeit their share, and will be forced to give up their arms at all rosts.

costs.

The government has received official information from Hayana that the Cuban soldiers are likely to cause trouble in the near future by refusing to disband. General Brooke has therefore been given full powers to take whatever steps he thinks most convenient to deal with the state of affairs.

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MAY 17.—Telegrams from Manilla say that
General Lawton has taken the town of San
Isidro after a determined resistance, when he
drove the rebels out with great slaughter.

It is reported that Great Britain has sent an
intimation to Agnimadlo, that her subjects are
not to be touched in the territory still held by
his troops.

his troops.

Admiral Watson left Sup Francisco to-day to relieve Admiral Dewey at Manilla, and his departure was made the occasion to give him a perfect ovation.

MAY 18.—The American troops have taken ossession of Pasig, and have dispersed the

possession of Tanga,
Tagalo garrison.

Mr. Harrison left New York to-day for Paris,
to represent the United States in the Venezu-

to represent the United States in the Venezu-cian case.

President McKinley sent a message to the Czar to-day congratulating him on the opening of the disamament conference.

General Otis telegraphs from Manilla that the demoralisation amongst the Togalos was still more noticeable after the taking of San Isidro, and that they were deserting in great numbers.

An American was shot in a collision with the local police that he had provoked in Ha-

wana.

May 19.—The government has requested the American minister in Rio to investigate the incident in connection with the United States consulate in Manaos. In case the news of the stoning of the consular building there is confirmed, the government will proceed in conformity with diplomatic usages, and in conciliatory terms, to demand a suitable reparation.

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The report of the captain of the Wilmington's on the recent trip to Manaos is said to be a document of the highest importance for the development of commerce between the two countries.

General Brooke has come to an agreement with General Maximo Gomez as to the solution of the actual situation in Cuba. In accordance with this agreement, General Gomez issued a manifesto this morning counselling the Cubans to remain calm, and promising to advocate the independence of cuba before the Washington government.

Vesterday a detachment of 700 American troops was sent from Manilla to reinforce the garrison at Hoilo.

The New York Herald publishes a telegram to-day from its correspondent in Manilla confirming the news that the Tagalos, tired of a war in which they only suffer defeats, show themselves again desirous of making peace with the Americans.

MAY 20.—Telegrams received in Washington from Hong-Kong and Manilla confirm the news that the Tagalos are again desirous of peace, and that a delegation approved by Aguinaldo is on its way to Manilla to treat with General Otis. (Knowing as they do that the commander will only listen to an unconditional surrender, this news seems to point to an early termination of the rebellion).

General Otis telegraphs to his government that several of the chief leaders of the Tagalos have sent to him to say that they are ready to submit on any terms that he may propose. General Luna is still adverse to a surrender. According to the New York journals General Maximo Gomez has backed out of the agreement with General Brooke as to the disbandment of the Cuban troops, and it is possible that stringent measures will be used.

Sr. Silvela has sent orders to General Rios to immediately send back to Spain the whole of the Spanish garrison in Zamboenga which was recently attacked by the Tagalos. It is cofficially reported that in the fight one Spaniard was killed and six were wounded, amongst the latter being General Montero.

May 15.—The municipal elections throughout Spain took place to-day. Up to the present the results are not known, but it is generally believed that the republican party has gained considerable number of seats.

A mass meeting was held to-day in Barcelona to protest against the sentence passed on the 60 odd anarchists who were condemned for war for participation in the explosion of bounds during a procession in June, 1866. Fiery speeches were made by the socialist orators, and resolutions were passed demanding a revision of the trial and the destruction of the fortress of Montjuich where the anarchists are confined.

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Technologies from the Cape and also from Tretoria.

May 17.—To day the ceremony of laying the first stone of the new Kensington museum was performed by Her Majesty. An immense of the present an

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May 16.—The government has ordered the prosecution of the editor of La Vida Nueva, who published an account of tortures said to have been inflicted on the prisoners at Montjuich, as all corporal punishment is absolutely prohibited by the prison regulations.

A terrible deluge of rain has passed over the city of Barcelona causing the rivers to overflow their banks and occasioning serious demans to property.

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MAY 17.—The opposition journals in Spain are all protesting against a decree published by the government with reference to the foreign debt, as its terms are said to be favorable to the foreigners and prejudicial to the Spaniards themselves.

MAY 18.—Several journals reproduce an interview with one of the chiefs of the Carlist party in the course of which he said that the Carlists would not rise just yet but would wait until the course of which he said that the Carlists would not rise just yet but would wait until the course of which he said that the present rulers were incapable of regenerating it. Don Carles would then give the orders to his lientenants to commence action against the existing dynasty.

The ladies of the highest society in Spain held a meeting in Valencia to-day to mark the opening of the disarmament conference, and many speeches culogistic of the noble initiative of the Car were delivered.

MAY 19.—In view of the difficulties that heavy given the rowerment has decided to

MAY 19.—In view of the difficulties that have arisen the government has decided to abandon the idea of raising another foan. In its place they will probably increase the income tax and the duties on sugar, it is also probable that the taxes on railways will be increased.

be increased.

May 20.—It is reported in Madrid that Don Carlos is about to issue an important manifesto to his adherents on 1st June next.

Fil Liberal of Madrid states that before the Cortes meets it is likely that there will be a change in the composition of the cabinet owing to the great tension between the prime minister and the minister of war.

Great Britain.

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May 14.—The Tagalos have attacked the Spaniards in Zambounga for having refused to supply them with arms. They were repulsed after a stiff fight in the course of which General Montero was severely wounded.

Aguinable has ordered all strangers to retire from the districts occupied by his troops. His main force is strongly entrenched in San Fernande.

In consequence of the Daily Telegraph and the Daily Mail having issued Sunday editions.

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An interview has been arranged between President Kruger and Sir Alfred Milner. At this meeting it is expected that the differences which have arisen in South Africa will be satisfactorily settled.

May 15 – On the arrival of the delegator to

MAY 15.—On the arrival of the delegates to the disarmament conference at La Hague, the apostolic nuncio retired from the city as a formal protest against the exclusion of the the dis

Vatican.

Sir Henry Irving is reported to be seriously

News has been received that the natives of the Ivory coast have risen against the French authorities and in an engagement killed a doctor, two French officers and 40 colonial troops

troops.

The Morning Post says that Don Carlos has succeeded in raising a loan in the London market.

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Queen Victoria paid a visit to Kensington Palace, where she was born, and has announced her intention of making a present of the place to the nation on the occasion of her Soth birthday.

The Chinese in the hinterland of Kowloon having shown a disposition to rebel against British rule, two army corps composed of 6,300 men have been despatched into the disturbed districts to repress any revolutionary movement.

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Spain.

May 14.—Telegrams from Valladolid give accounts of a serious riot that took place there between the students of the cavalry school, and which was only suppressed after a lapse of 48 hours. The cause of the outbreak was the different opinions held by the parties about the charms of the prefect's daughter.

May 16.—The serious news has been received from the Cape that seven men, said to be ex-officers of the British army, have been arrested in Johannssburg and taken to Pretoria, on the charge of high treason. It is also asserted that documents of a very commonising nature were found in their possession, which will lead to other arrests. The atews has caused a tremendous sensition the Cape, and a secret session of ministers was immediately held. The news has also recated a great deal of excitement in London, which will be a continuely destroyed by fire to-day. The Parlisian press notices that a Frenchman named Ducretet has invented a method by which America can be united to Europe by wireless telegraphy.

May 15.—The Figuro asserts that the negotiations between Italy and China for the cession

confirmed from the Cape and also from Pretoria.

May 17.—To day the ceremony of laying the first stone of the new Kensington museum was performed by Her Majesty. An immense multitude of people were present and enthusiastically cheered the Queen.

Telegrams from Melbourne announce that a great meeting has been held there in support of the claims of the uithenders.

On the 22nd inst, three more batteries of nutiliery will be sent to Natal to strengthen the frontiers of the Transcaal. There are already three latteries on the spot.

Sir Alfred Milner has given official intimation of the arrest of the seven British subjects in the Transcaal, but has said nothing of them being British officers.

The evening papers commenting on the arrests in Johannesburg refuse to believe in any conspiracy, and the Globe does not hesitate to assert its conviction that the whole pretended conspiracy has been got up by the Transcaal government.

The telegrams from Pretoria state that there are six English prisoners and one Dans, and that all have served in the British army. They are charged with conspiring to seize the fosteres of Johannesburg, and to hold it until they are inforced by troops to be sent from N.t.d. They have been examined by a magistre, but the forther proceedings have been adjarned for 15 days.

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The London papers say that the prisoners men without any influence whatsoever, set that the case has nothing of the imported that was at first attributed to it.

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President Kruger has presented a message to the Volksraad in which he proposes the concession of naturalisation to all foreigners shot have lived nine years in the country.

The London papers state that several offi-ciency whose term of service at the Cape has expired have received orders to await further attractions in Capetown. They add that this measure has been taken in view of the recent events at Johannesburg and Pretoria.

Pekin telegrams say that Li-Hung-Chang has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Chinese army.

Chinese army.

In Havana several Cuban troops attacked the houses of Spaniards who hoisted the Spanish flag on the birthday of the King of

Spain.

MAY 19.—It is reported that the Russian government is trying to raise a loan of ten millions sterling in the London market.

Bombay telegrams report a violent out-treak of cholera morbus in the Port of Kurtachi.

reachi. News received from Leith amounces that a bottle has been picked up on the coast of Ice-land containing a letter from Andrée sent from Goeteborg, which gives interesting par-ticulars of his expedition.

Mr. Chamberlain said in the house of com-mons to-day that President Kruger has declar-idd that he will not countenance any proceed-ings that might compromise the relations between the Transvaal and Great Britain.

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between the Transvaal and Great Britain.

MAY 20.—Telegrams from Stockolm announce the departure of the Vathorst expedition in search of Andrée.

Telegrams from La Hague say that Sir Julian Pauncefote, the chief British delegate to the disarmament conference, has been appointed president of the arbitration committee.

mittee.

News from Pekin states that China has at last decided to grant the cession to Italy of the bay of Sannun, and that this cession is chiefly due to the great influence that Great Britain has brought to bear on China in favor of Italy.

of the territory around Sammun bay are now proceeding in a satisfactory way, and that it is very probable that Italy will get possession of the bay within a short while.

L'Univers says that an imperial decree has been issued in China recognising the Catholic religion and conferring a dignity on all missionaries that visit Chinese soil.

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MAY 16.—Francisque Surcey died last night, (France has lost one of its most trenchant writers. If any author or dramatist could gain the approval of the great critic he was sure of success. If Surcey decided against him, he gove his reasons in such biting French that influenced mot men's minds, and woe to the suffering worm that dared to turn. His forty years experience as journalist and author made him a power to be dreaded, master as he was of a keen and incisive style. He was happroachable as a critic, but it is doubtful if any of his own dozen or so of works will live. He was born at Dourdan, in the department of Scince-to-Oise, in 1828 and was consequently in his 71st year).

Delegates from the ministries of war and marine will be present at Lyons to receive the Marchand mission on its arrival there. The members of the mission will be taken at once to Paris where they will be the guests of the mission will be taken at once to Paris where they will be the guests of the mission will be taken at once to Paris where they will be the guests of the mission of the interval they will be the recipient of many popular honors.

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MAY 17.—There is a rumor in circulation in Paris that the betrothal of Queen Wilhelmina of Belgium to Prince Alexander of Teck will shortly be announced.

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The arrival of Marchand and his mission at Djibuti has been officially announced to the colonial minister. Immediately on his arrival, Marchand was decorated with the insignia of commander of the legion of honor.

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M. Max Regis, the ex-mayor of Algiers, has gone to Gronoble to stand his trial there. He was accompanied by M. Drumont, the anti-semitic elitor of the Libre Purole, who addressed the crowds at the station and outside the court-house, and there were tunniluous manifest titions by the anti-semitists and their adversaries, which had to be dispersed by the police and a regiment of infantry. Several arrests were effected.

May 18, Tabarums from London region.

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May 18—Telegrams from London received in Paris say that the London police have captured on of the authors of the robbery at the house of Rezende in Rio, but owing to the wint of an exir dition treaty between Great Britain and Brizil, the prisoner was released. The postumen in Paris have gone out on strike owing to the refused of the senate to grant an increase of two million francs in the post-office estimates. The task of distributing the letters was alloted to the military. The strikers gathered in great numbers in front of the head post-office and endeavored to prevent the soldiers making the delivery, but the police established order by making the chief leaders prisoners. The secretary of the postal department has issued an ultimatum to the strikers that if they do not return to work to-morrow morning they will be replaced and not again given employment. Several of the postument in the prominial chiefs have also gone out on strike.

Max Regis was acquitted to day by the jury at Grenoble.

MAV 19.—Dr. Piza e Almeida, the Brazilian minister in Paris, will give a banquet to the diplomatic corps and hold a reception after-wards, to-morrow.

The energy displayed by the governm backed up by the chambers, has succeeded putting an end to the postment's strike. men have all gone back to work, and deliveries are now being made with the us regularity.

May 20.—Mine. Sarah Bernhardt has had a narrow escape from being killed by a large piece of seenery falling upon the spot where she stood a moment before during a rehearsal of Handet in which she is about to play the part of the Prince of Denmark.

The report is now current that the court constitution is likely to be in favor of the evision of the Dreyfus case.

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The Paris papers publish long accounts of the opening of the electric exhibition in Como by King Humbert, which was organised to celebrate the centenary of Alexander Volta, the famous discoverer of the voltaic pile which has made the electricity of modern days possible.

Holland.

May 18.—The disarmament conference held its first meeting to-day, at La Hague. The proceedings were formally opened by M. de Beaufort, the foreign minister of the Low Countries, who lauded the initiative of the Czar, and expressed an earnest wish that the conference would be productive of good results. M. de Staal, Russian ambassador to London, was unanimously elected president, and in his opening address he thanked M. de Beaufort for his references to the Czar and at the same time made complimentary references to Holland as the cradle of international law. The conference adopted an address of thanks to Queen Wilhelmina for the attention paid to the delegates, and decided that their meetings should be held in secret. The programme to be discussed is divided into three heads: The first treats of the general question of disarmament, the second of the laws of civilised warfare, and the third of the study of the different systems of mediation and arbitration. The next sitting of the conference is fixed for the 21st inst.

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THE «WILMINGTON» CASE

We are very much afraid that the Commercial de São Paulo is trying to play cuttle-fish with us, by obscuring the water with ink. Instead of confining himself to the question, he tries to blind us by dragging in the Monroe doctrine, the absorption of Cuba and Porto Rico, the absorption of Cuba and Porto Rico, the Bering Sea dispute, and the free navigation of the Mississippi and St. Lawrence, which to our surprise the Commercio considers an argument in favor of the closing of the Amazon. And he denies that the case of the Parauá is identical with that of the Amazon, because that river defines the frontier between neighboring states on its lower course. We can not hope to discuss all these points in one article

discuss all these points in one article and to settle geographical questions as well, but if the Commercia will be patient with us we will do the best our limited capacities will permit.

Let us take the Paraná case first. The lower Paraná is nota frontier river, for it flows through Argentine territory exclusively from the mouth of the Paraguay to its union with the Uruguay, at Martin Garcia island, to form the Rio aguay to its union with the Uruguay, at Martin Garcia island, to form the Rio de la Plata — a distance of over 800 miles. On the upper waters of the Paraná and Paraguay, we find Paraguayan and Brazilian territory, and because of her possessing such territory there Brazil enjoys the free navigation of the Argentine Paraná not only for her merchant vessels, but also for her gunboats!

Now, in what particular does the Amazon differ from the Paraná? The lower Amazon is wholly within Brazilian

Amazon differ from the Paramá? The lower Amazon is wholly within Brazilian territory, but on its upper waters and those of its tributaries lie Bolivia, Perú and Ecuador. These countries are partly dependent upon the Amazon for communication with the outside world, and they have treaties by which they have thrown open their parts of the Amazon and its tributaries to the free navigation of foreign states. But these treaties are worthless as long as Brazil closes the lower river. The United States holds, in common with recent authorities on the subject, that a country has no right to close such a waterway simply because its lower waters flow wholly through its own territory. terway simply because its lower waters flow wholly through its own territory Brazil has no more right to close the Amazon to an American naval vessel seeking to visit the river port of Iquitos, Peru, than Argentina has to close the Paraná to a Brazilian gunboat wishing

to visit Asuncion.

The Monroe doctrine and the absorption of Cuba and Porto Rico have, in our opinion, nothing to do with the question. The allusion, of course, is to the effect that the Americans are seeking the effect that the Americans are seeking to absorb Brazilian territory — which is absurd. If they wanted the Amazon valley, they would not be such monumental fools as to begin the work of absorption on the upper waters of the Amazon. They would take possession of Pará and the mouth of the river, and let the unsettled wilderness of the upper Amazon come in naturally. But the

Americans have no such intention, nor do they even dream of it! In their wildest dreams of territorial expansion, they have never wronged Brazil with even a thought of seizing the smallest piece of her territory.

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The Commercio refers to the old controversies between the United States, on the one side, and Spain and Great Britain, on the other, over the opening of the Mississippi and St. Lawrence to free navigation, and says that these examples are "very conclusive in our favor." How so? If we have not lost the power of deduction, they support our contention in every respect, which is that the nation possessing the lower waters of a river have no right to close it to free communication with the ports it to free communication with the ports of nations occupying the upper waters. Consider it again, colleague, and see if you have not made another mistaken reference.

reference.

Now for the Commercio's climax: "We never see any nation, however, exacting from the United States, as a right, the free navigation of the Mississippi since free navigation of the Mississippi since that great republic became mistress of both banks of that river, throughout its whole course to the sea." Certainly not! for it is not necessary. The Mississippi is open to the ships of all nations. In discussing the dispute over the Mississippi, Wharton says:

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Since then (alluding to the purchase of Louisiana) the exclusive control of the river by the United States, so far as concerns foreign states, has been conceded internationally; though, subject to police supervision and to the right to impose pilotage and quarantine regulations, the free navigation of this and of other navigable rivers within the United States, by the law of nations, accepted by the United States, open to all ships of foreign sovereigns. (Wharton, Intern. Law Digest, § 30, p. 96, Note.)

This is conclusive. British ships are to-day loading at St. Louis on the Mississippi just as freely as they are loading at Philadelphia, on the Delaware. "We never see" continues the Commercio, «any nation raising questions about its right to the navigation of the Delaware.» Most assuredly not, colleague; but if you will visit Philadelphia, which is at the head of navigation on the Delaware river, you will find scores of foreign ships who come and go as freely as in the who come and go as freely as in the port of Rio de Janeiro! There is no need of «raising questions,» for there are none to raise! And we will venture to assert that should a Brazilian naval vessel ascend the Mississippi to the head of navigation, not one objection will be raised, and her officers and crew will be received with brass bands, banwill be received with brass bands, ban-quets and bunting at every town she passes. No one would ever accuse her officers of harboring sinister intentions, of spying out the land so that Brazil might the more easily absorb the Mis-sissippi valley; no pilot would be fined for piloting the ship through the treach-erous waters of that river; and no Brazilian consulates would be stoned. Nothing more threatening than a cham-Nothing more threatening than a cham-pagne cork would be encountered throughout the whole length of the Missis-

sippi river.

With reference to the subject of this discussion, the *Commercio* is content to reiterate the original proposition—that reiterate the original proposition—that naval vessels have no right to ascend the Amazon without licence. Our contention that the naval vessel has a right to go where merchant vessels are allowed to go, is ignored. The rights of the nations on the upper Amazon are ignored. The precedent afforded by the constant use of the Paraná and Paraguay rivers by Brazilian gunboats, is ignored. And the conclusions of Calvo and other authorities on international law, are likewise ignored. Had the "Adamastor" gone up the Amazon, no one would have dreamed of interposing an objection; there would have been freworks and festivities all the way up to Iquitos. But when the stranger hapnreworks and restrictes at the way up to Iquitos. But when the stranger hap-pens to be an American gunboat, jealousy and suspicion intervene, the consulate of a friendly state is assaulted, consulate of a triendry state is assautted, unworthy motives are alleged to be the object of the visit, an insulting official order is issued to deprive the visitor of the services of pilots, and an outcry is raised all over the country against the

bad manners and sinister intentions of bad manners and siniset intentions the Americaus. And for all this there absolutely no cause, except what existed in suspicion and dislike.

We have now to add one more document to those we have already pub-

lished—a telegram from Governor Paes de Carvalho which admits that application for licence was made (which the Commercio ignores), and which explains that no discourtesy was intended in hastening the departure of the ship. If the licence was really necessary, it could have been cabled to Manáos, instead of sending the information that the ship had not waited for it. There is something suspicious about the withholding of the licence, the transmission of information of the licence the transmission of information. of the licence, the transmission of information that the ship had no licence, and the calling of a public meeting to protest against the same without having policemen present to prevent violence. This is a matter which requires explan-

The telegram is as follows: (see *Jornal do Commercio*, 20th May, 1899):

Para, 29th April, 1899

Minister of Foreign Affairs—Rio.

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The American consul and the commander of the aWilmington have just called on me, bringing their spontaneous excuses regarding the departure of the aWilmingtons for the Amazon before having received the authority which I solicited from the federal government, at the request of the said consul, who did not think necessary the formality of requesting the permission in writing and, counting as certain the acquiescence of the federal government, hastened the departure. I am confident that Consul Kennedy was sincere in reaching this decision. In the course of the conference I was pleased to receive satisfactory explanations, and protests of sympathy and consideration for our country. I hasten to advise you of this fact which is a cause of satisfaction for us, thus allaying natural resentments. Greetings.—Paes de Carvalho.

We wish to note as briefly as possible that the Brazilian Review makes no reply to the request made in these columns on the 9th inst, for specific information in regard to a promise said to have been made by the minister of finance that the differences of exchange claimed by certain creditors, would be paid. We did not make the request on our own account, for we never placed the slightest faith in the statement. Some of our subscribers, however, who are interested in the business, wanted the statement confirmed, or contradicted. As the paper which made it is apparently unable to confirm it, they may confidently assume that it never had any foundation in fact.

Among the many objectionable features of the new tax regulations is the provision which clothes the army of supervisors (fiscaes) with arbitrary authority for the annoyance of business men. These persons are empowered not only to enter factories at any hour of the day or night, but also to make arrests, with the faculty of using the police and even the military in enforcing their orders. Those who are acquainted with the classes from which these supervisors are chosen, cannot fail to perceive the abuses to which this provision will lead and the effect that it will have, in combination with the many causes already at work, in contributing to the deterioration of national character.

It is apparent that the full force of the new order of things is not yet fully comprehended in congress. On the 18th a bill was presented which undertakes once more to square the circle, or to regulate agricultural labor contracts. This was a constant source of legislative study in the days of the empire, when the central government was supreme and the planting interests paramount. Under the new regime, however, the public lands have been transferred to the states, together with the services of colonisation, location of laborers, etc. What the national congress now has to do with the matter is not quite clear. It is evident that legislation on these subjects now devolves upon the state assemblies, and congress has no need of wasting any more valuable time in that direction.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES

MAY 15.—Chamber of Deputies.—Between Deputies Cassiano and José Mariano on one side and Deputy Seabra on the other there was a debate on the political attitude of President Campos Salles. There was received a petition from business men against the new tax regulations. It was referred to the committee on the constitution.

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MAY 16.—Senate.—The senate confirmed the appointment of Dr. Cesario Alvim to the office of prefect of the federal district.—Chamber of Deputies.—Deputy Urbano dos Santos resigned the office of 1st vice-president of the chamber and was re-elected, the vote being as follows: Urbano dos Santos, 89; Cornelio da Fonseca, 1; Francisco de Sá, 1; Francisco Veiga, 1; blank, 22. The chamber then proceeded to elect its

other officers. On motion of Deputy Heredia de Sá the chamber ordered the petition of business men against the new tax regulations to be printed in the *Diario do Congresso*.

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May 17.—Senate.—Senator Moraes e Barros introduced a bill on agricultural labor contracts.—Chamber of Deputies.—Some of the standing committees were chosen. On motion of Deputy Serzedello the chamber resolved to consult the senate on the appointment of a joint committee of six for reporting on the petition of business men against the new tax regulations. Deputy Seabra in concluding his speech commenced on the 15th said that the fundamental difference between the jacobins and anti-jacobins is that the latter are in favor of free institutions and the former advocate a dictatorship.

May 18.—Chamber of Deputies.—Deputy Bnéas Martins protested against the permission given to the Amazon Steam Navigation Co. to increase its freight and passenger rates 40 % and offered a motion to ask for the documents relating to this subject. The chamber completed the election of its standing committees, May 19.—Senate.—The senate refused to accede to the wish of the chamber of deputies for the appointment of a joint committee to report on the petition of business men agains, the new tax regulations.—Chamber of Deputies.—By a vote of 90 to 74 the chamber seated Col. Henrique to 90 to 74 the chamber seated Col. Henrique

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senate for refusing to accede to the chamber's
request for the appointment of a joint committee to report on the petition of business
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Coffee Notes

— Those coffee planters who wish to know how the Arabian and Liberian species of coffee are cultivated in Ceylon and elsewhere can do so by asking Mr. Crashley to order "The Coffee Planter's Manuals by J. Ferguson from Messrs, Kegan Paul, Tribner & Co. of London. Any hints towards the higher cultivation of Brazilian coffee should be of interest to those connected with the great staple product of Brazil.

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—Some time ago we reproduced from one of our exchanges an item relating to the results of a small shipment of coffee to Santos, the expenses on which swallowed up the value of the produce. The grade of the coffee was not given, but some of our New York readers contested the figures and showed that they could not be correct on the basis of certain assumed prices. We have seen similar statements before in regard to the results on small shipments for long distances, but as we have no means of verifying the figures reproduced from a native paper we did not pursue the subject. We now translate from the Jornal do Commercio of Juiz de Fóra of the 11th inst. another coffee note on the same subject, which we submit to the consideration of our New York readers:

— «Coffee picking in the state of São Paulo has now commenced in various municipalities, because the cherries are much earlier in ripening this year. Some new coffee has already come down to Santos. The coffee orchards far away from the railways are being abandoned because the price is so low that it does not cover the expenses of transportation.»

Provincial Notes

—The new election for governor in the state of Matto Grosso is marked for 30th June, and the indications are that it will be bitterly contested.

—A scheme for breaking jail at the S. Paulo prison was recently detected and frustrated, the celebrated Affonso Coelho being one of the prisoners implicated.

The Montes Claros states several districts on both sides of the boundary line between Minas Geraes and Bahia have been completely depopulated by the drouth.

—A hysterical girl is said to have committed suicide in Ceará by swallowing a quantity of "Formicida Capanema"— a sulphurous pre-paration designed to kill ants.

— In some of the famine-stricken districts of southern Bahia and northern Minas, food is so scarce that beans are quoted at 605000 a bag, rice 705000 to 805000 a bag, and farinha 305000 a bag.

—A Curityla telegram says that many masses were said on the 20th inst., in the state of Paraná, for the souls of the victims murdered in 1894 at kilometre 65 by soldiers of Marshal Floriano Peixoto.

— According to a statement made in the press by a prominent business man of Pará, Deputy Serzedello, when he was appointed secretary of the state government, at once dispatched a telegram informing Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Son.

—Fifteen kilos of gold from the new mines at Trapiá were recently sold at Bahia. At these mines there are now at work about 3,000 persons, some of whom average over an ounce per diem. Nuggets weighing 1 1/8 ounces have been found.

—A prominent business man of Pará has made an interesting discovery in natural history. He says that Deputy Serzedello is a weeping chanucleon. Other persons evidently suppose this deputy to belong to another Irranch of the family of Saurians, for we have beard them say that he sheds crocodile tears.

—It is said that the governor of Amazonas has sent a police force to the Rio Acre district to guarantee the rights of Brazilians on the frontier. The national government would do well to advise this meddlesome governor to recall his policemen and keep quiet. He will make more trouble in a day than the government can settle in a month.

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—From the beginning of 1895 to the end of last month there were sold at Bello Horisonte 563 town lots and 179 suburban lots, for which the aggregate sum of 526.926\$230 was paid. This does not include 34 town lots and 12 suburban lots, for which the title deeds bave not yet been issued and for which the purchasers have paid the sum of 17,332\$775.

—An invisible ghost that breaks crockery and furniture and boxes the jaws of sleeping children, has been exciting much alarm at local spiritualists undertook to ascertain the motives by which the supernatural rowdy was actuated; but the latter overturned the table on which they were standing and left them sprawling on the floor. The ghost is apparently a jacobin.

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—It is a curious circumstance that at the time a mob, said to have been incited by the state authorities at Mandos, was stoning the American consulate in that city because an American gunboat had gone up the Amazon without having first obtained official permission, the authorities of that same state (Amazonas) were asking for tenders for a monument to be erected in the Praça de S. Schastido "to commemorate the opening of the ports of Amazonas to free navigation." A curious idea of "free navigation" they have at Mandoss, we must say! aos, we must say!

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—We learn through private channels, for the press has been strangely silent about it, that the city of Juiz de Fóra has an epidemic of virulent yellow fever, and that it broke out some time ago. Some of the schools sent notices of the danger to parents of children two or three wreeks ago, and many pupils have been withdrawn from the schools on this account. It is said that the fever came from some of the towns along the Central railway and Parahyba river, such as Parahyba do Sal, where the existence of the fever has likewise attracted very little attention.

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Mrs. Baumgardner's shousewarmings party was a great success, and her new home was much admired. The display of American and British flags in conjunction with Chinese lanterns was not. I believe, intended to be of political significance. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Moulinier, Mr. and Mrs. Hogolby, Mr. and Mrs. Nothmann, Mr. and Mrs. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Nothmann, Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. William Krug, Mr. and Mrs. William Krug, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Mrs. and Mrs. Mrs. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Sollen, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Malfatti, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Broad, Mr. and Mrs. Malfatti, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Broad, Mr. and Mrs. Malchey, Mr. Malcolm King, and the Misses King, Mr. and Miss Tonkinis, Mr. and Mrs. Wysard, Miss Foddyee, Messrs, Richard Gray, Kirkman, Crummack, Rule, Willis, Rendall, Hobbs, Wilson, Penington, Unwin, Comber, Macdonald, Howe, V. Hayn, Shaw, Davison, Fairchild, Lee, and others.

On Tuesday last quite a party of highly esteemed Paulistas left to take passage in the eNiles from Santos for England. It included Mr., Mrs. and Miss Madeley, Miss Eddowes, Mr. P. C. P. Lupton and Mr. Hobbs. Mr. Madeley and his family intend making a prolonged tour in Europe, and no date is even approximately fixed for their return. They will be much missed in S. Paulo, and will undoubtedly receive a warm welcome should saudades of the place in which they have made so many sincere friends induce them some day to revisit it.

NICODEMUS DEWDROP.

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S. Paulo, 19/5/99.

RAILROAD NOTES

—Advices from Santos state that the São Paulo company has resolved to suspend the rapid passenger train between that city and S. Paulo, much to the disappointment of bus-

The president of the tribunal of accounts has ordered the registration of the payment of 295,727.6910 to the Brazilian Coal Co. for coal furnished to the Central railway in the months of February and March.

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—The court of appeals has decided that the "Juiz de Fóra e Piaus line shall be restored to the Leopoldina Railway Co. The line had been embargoed by its former owners. This settles one of the many questions the company has before the courts.

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— The Alto Tocantins company has asked congress to extend the time for completing its first 100 kilometres to 31st December, 1901.

«Certainly, congress should say, what it must be distinctly understood that in the meantime the directors and officers of the company will not be allowed one vintem of salary.

—The traffic receipts of the Leopoldina railway for the week ended 13th inst. were 252,7145000 as compared with 31,50,355000 in the corresponding week of last year. The receipts are still on the ascending scale for the year and show an increase of over 12 contos on the returns of the previous week in this year.

The receipts and expenses of the S. Paulo Paulista railways for 1898 were as fol-

S. Paulo

Receipts... 19,903,328\$490 Expenses... 10,952,987\$420

Balance, 8,950,341\$070 10,449 701\$480

The traffic receipts of the Recife and São Francisco (Pernambuco) railway for the week endded April 22nd were 31,3445700 against 36,1975950 in the corresponding week of last year. The total receipts from 1st January to April 22nd were 655,69530 or almost exactly 100 contos less than in the same period last year. There was a notable falling off in 2nd class passengers during that week, there being 2,050 less than during the same week in 1895, although 6.420 were carried.

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—Reports were current in S. Paulo on 19th that the Viação Paulista tramway li of that city had been acquired by the W. ingliouse Company, of New York. Inqui here do not confirm the report further that the Westinghouse company has b approached on the subject, but will not entro any negotiation until its engineers h thoroughly examined the lines, and that e then it will not be a question of purchase, of taking stock or debentures to cover post of an electric equipment.

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—In their report for the half-year ended December last, the director of the Central Bahia railway recommend a dividend of 2 per-cent, making, with the interim dividend paid, a total distribution of 4 per cent. for the year 1898, leaving £ 3.116 to be carried forward. The gross receipts for the year ended 31st December last were £ 157.459 against £ 147.050 in 1897. The working expenses were £ 137.501 as against £ 124,219 in the previous year. The government is debited with the full amount of the guarantee £ 102,541, and also with £ 3.209 for general charges in London. The directors state that the company has obtained further time for the construction of branches, but the guarantee of interest on them has been cancelled.

Shipping Notes

—The naval ordinance department of the British Admiralty has issued a new danger flag, which must be borne on the foremast of all ships carrying explosives. The flag will bave a red ground, like the old flag, but will be pierced in the centre by a yellow crown.

— Captain the Hon, Henry A. Scudamore-Stanbope, who is to relieve Captain Gamble in command of H. M. S. «Beagle, « has ar-rived in the River Plate, and is spending a few days in Buenos Aires before taking charge of his post. He is a brother of the present Earl of Chesterfield.—Monlevideo Times.

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— In spite of the measures of Capt. Goodrich, of the American cruiser «Newark, « that of holding no communication with Rio, his vessel was put into quarantine at Montevideo. He allowed no one to come ashore here, and excused himself from receiving visits from the American consul and the Brazilian naval commander, but all to no purpose. The Montevideo harpies have gone mad on quarantines and would impose it on a vessel that came even within signaling distance of us.

— The Lamport & Holt liner «Wordswortheleft Rio on the 22nd inst, with the following passengers: Misses Margaret Lane, L. Kraeft, Mackinlay, Wilding and Armstrong and servant, Mr. and Mrs. Buhler and 2 children, Mrs. M. L. Vinning, Mrs. Stansby, Mrs. P. G. Swahn, Mr. and Mrs. Zimmermann, 4 children and man servant, Dr. and Mrs. J. Weiss and 3 children, Messrs. S. Homberger, Brian Barry, Schadenwaldt, W. R. Cassels, Wiedmann, E. Mendy and Andrade Faceiro and 23 third-class passengers.

— Rear Admiral Howison, has selected for his personal staff as commander of the South Atlantic station, to which he has recently been assigned with the «Chicago» as flagship, Lieut, H. C. Poundstone being attached to the ordnance bureau, The «Chicago» according to the telegrams, las gone to the Mediterranean and will not reach this station as soon as was expected, although her stay in European waters is only temporary. Capt. P. H. Cooper will serve as flag-captain as well as the commanding officer of the flagship, —Buenos Aires Standard.

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—Last week, a consumptive-looking man came to our office and told a story which, if true, should not be allowed to be repeated. He gave his name as Edward Scribner, and his age as 22. His story was that he was carpenter by trade, and having gone to Richmond, Va., in search of work, he got into the hands of some crimps there who asked him and some others to visit a ship that was lying some distance out in the roads. They went on board the s.s. "Canada" and were at once aware that they had been "shanghaied" for a royage to Brazil. The "shanghaied" men. 14 in number, on arrival in Rio, were ordered ashore, bag and baggage, without having been

given a cent in the way of wages. This ship was supplied with a fresh crew here. in connection with which a well-known shipping-master got his head broken. The men who were so summarily sent ashore made no complaint at the American consulate until this man did so on the day of the ship's departure, when, of course, he could only be looked upon as a technical deserter. His excuse is that for 27 days of his stay here he has been an inmate of the Misericordia Hospital, which he was then obliged to leave owing to the fact that he was getting worse instead of better. We have reason to know that the facts of the man's case, as far as his stay in Rio is concerned, are correct, and that it is entirely out of his power to work his passage back, as most of his companions in misfortune were able to do. In this man's case we think it would be a charity for some of the shipping firms to aid him back to New York where his father lives. We can only add that if we had had notice of the business in time to verify the facts of his statements, which under the circumstance we were unable to do, we would have taken steps to bring this outrageous and flagrast breach of the U. S. shipping laws to the attention of the authorities. The "Canada" henceforth should be a marked ship.

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—The Royal Mail steamer «Clyde» which arrived in Rio on the 17th inst. brought the following pissengers: — From Buenos Aires: Dr. and Mrs. Weiss and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard, child and nurse, Misses Anita Bower and Ida Ricker, Dr. S. José de Paula, Messrs. Wilfred H. Schoff, Francisco Pagliano, S. Guissani, G. H. Thayer, Max Gruel, A. Menegini and R. Schwann. — From Sintos: Messrs. E. Guarita, Samuel R. Damsseino, C. G. Fonseca, José M. Monteiro and R. Creagh. —The passengers who left Rio by the same steamer on the same day, were the following: —For Southampton: Mrs. H. W. Stacey and child.Mrs. M. W. Fford, Mr. D. Siczzo and wife, Mrs. Deliceria da Silva, Mr. G. Netto and wife, Messrs. Percy Staniforth, W. Gildenmeister and Arthur Le Maistre. — For Cherbourg: Mr. Von Daldhausen, Pritz Meyer and E. W. Meyer and E. W. Meyer and wife, For Lisbon: Miss Carolina Bassist, Mrs. Carmen Garrido, Mrs. Luiza Ennes, Mrs. Rosa T. Mello and child, Visconde de Thayde and wife, Messrs. J. Q. Ponseca Costa, João A. Pereira and family, A. J. Fernandes and wife, José F. Babo and wife, A. H. Pinheiro and wife, Ernancisco J. dos Santos and wife, A. M. dos Suntos and wife, A. H. Pinheiro and wife, R. M. Suntos and wife, A. H. Pinheiro and wife, Ernancisco J. dos Santos and wife, A. M. Josantes Bastos, J. S. Ferreira, Manoel T. da Cruz, J. A. Souza, Albino L. Ferreira, wife and 3 children, Americo V. Miranda, Mariano J. Canto and son, J. L. do Val, C. F. Guimaraes, João Nobre da Veiga and L. A. Pereira, wife and 3 children, Americo V. Miranda, Mariano J. Canto and son, J. L. do Val, C. F. Guimaraes, João Nobre da Veiga and L. A. Pereira, wife and 3 children, Americo V. Miranda, Mariano J. Canto and son, J. L. do Val, C. F. Guimaraes, João Nobre da Veiga and L. A. Pereira, wife and 3 children, Americo V. Miranda, Mr. J. J. F. Coutinho. —For Bahia: Mrs. Isabel Cerqueira, Mrs. Maria G. Cardozo, Mrs. Anna Veneziana, Dr.

LOCAL NOTES

The jacobins seem to have decided to call r party the spartido de concentração repub-na,»

—A Washington telegram, published here this morning, says that official advices ascribe the Manúos incident to commercial rivalries between Amazon cities! Absurd!

— An association organized in this city in honor of Marshal Floriano Peixoto, under the name of Gremio Floriano Peixoto, has decided to dissolve and go into liquidation.

—The telegrams this morning give a rumor that the Nicaraguan gunboat «San Jacintho» had attacked the American cruiser «Detroit» at Bocas del Toro, and had been sunk.

—On Wednesday the people of Engenho Novo were deprived of their morning papers. On the pretext of non-payment of licence by the paper sellers the municipal agent seized all the journals offered for sale.

—Among the passengers which arrived here last week on the "Clyde" in transit for New York, was Mr. W. R. Cassels, formerly of this city, who is now connected with important electrical interests in Buenos Aires.

— In the election of the standing commit-tees of the chamber of deputies the jacobins triumphed by a majority of seven votes. The anti-jacobins, we believe, expect reinforce-ments that will neutralise this majority.

—On Tuesday evening last the American minister took the night express for São Paulo, where he expected to spend an enjoyable week visiting the noteworthy places of interest of that enterprising city. He returned here yesterday morning.

—Amongst the passengers by the «Clyde» on the 17th were Mr. and Mrs. D. Sfezzo, who have gone to Europe for a six months trip. As the manager of the Brazilian Coal Company, Mr. Sfezzo is well known in business circles, and many good wishes go with him for a pleasant vacation.

"—We were pleased to hear news of our friend—and everybody's friend in Rio—Mr. George E. Cox. He had a splendid passage home, and after leaving his girls and his son at school, he is now touring on the continent with Mrs. Cox, both of them being in excellent health

It is asserted that the government is going to send to Santa Catharina a naval division composed of the ironclad Aquidaban, the cruiser Almirante Barroso and the torpedo-boat Tupy for the purpose of meeting there the President of Argentina and convoying him to this city.

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—Our local readers will have noted that the first ball of the Larangeiras Club is to be given on the 27th inst. As the cool season has opened much earlier than last year, it may be confidently expected that a full attendance will be re-lized. The Club's entertainments are among the best and most enjoyable of the city, and everyone goes who can make it convenient.

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—We understand that the British community intend to celebrate the Soth anniversary of H. M. Queen Victoria's birthday by a special service in their newly restored church on Sunday the 28th inst., at which the British, and it is hoped the American, ministers will attend in their official capacity. The occasion is one which can not full to enlist the cordial conogeration of our entire English-speaking community.

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The Clyden took away from us one of our —The sClydes took away from us one of our most respected matrons in the person of Mrs. Ford who, with her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Stacey, and grandchild, has gone to England. Mrs. Ford is an old resident of this city and her many friends will regret to hear that she is not intending to return. Mrs. Stacey, we hear, is likely to remain at home for several months until her husband gets a well-merited holiday to bring her back. We wish both ladies a pleasant voyage.

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— Yesterday morning the U. S. 3rd rate cruiser «Marbhehead» entered this port with the customary formalities. The «Marbhehead» is a steel cruiser of 3.085 tons with 5.45 i.h.p. She carries 9 guns in her main battery, and has a speed of 17 knots. She comes from Pará and is on her way to the Pacific. After the arrival of the ship, and the customary visits had been paid by the commander. Capt. Harrison G. O. Colby, he was presented by the American minister to the authorities.

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—Among the passengers arriving here per R. M. S. «Clyde» on Wednesday last, we note the name of Mr. Wilfred H Schoff, representative of the Philadelphia Museums, who is travelling through South America for the purpose of securing cooperation in the exposition and commercial congress to be held there in October next. Mr. Schoff was cordially received here by representatives of the Commercial Association. He left for São Paulo on the 18th, and on his return here will take his departure for Bahia, Pernambuco and Parf.

—The majority of which the jacobins dispose at present in the chamber of deputies has enabled them to count out Dr. Espiridião who had been elected to congress from the 4th district of Minas Geraes, and to give the seat to Col. Henrique Vaz, a florianista of the worst type. This man who is known in Minas as Vacca Parza a wild cowy made himself notorious during the naval revolution by his unsuccessful efforts to send troops from that state to the assistance of Marshal Floriano Peixoto. On one occasion he arrested a na tional guard at Juiz de Fóra and sent him to Rio, but the clamor was such that the prisoner had to be returned to Juiz de Fóra and sent at liberty.

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— In this year's exhibition of works of art by the Royal Academy, Brazil will, we are glad to be able to state, be represented for the first time by a contribution from one of her sons. I. e., a bronze statue, entitled "A Tribute to Victory." It is the work of Mr. Reg. F. Wells, who was born in Rio de Janeiro, and is the son of Mr. J. W. Wells, who, we may observe, has done much to make Brazil better known in this country by his travels, engineering undertakings, lectures, and literary productions. He is author of "Three Thousand Miles through Brazil," a a most interesting and fascinating account of a journey through that bright land of vast resources and marvellous potentialities.—South American Journal. Apr. 29.

—He is my donkey, is n't he, George?—"Non, he's my donkey, is'n the, Dorge?»—"Non, don't be selfish," said George magisterially; she's both of your donkey. In fact he's all of our donkey.—"The foregoing," says Smith's brother, soccurred, as all the world knows, between children, and I remember how heartily I laughed over it when, appropriately illustrated, it appeared some years ago in Phanch. And now I am obliged to laugh again, when it is recalled to my memory by the squabble of the two parties in congress over Campos Salles, whom both of them claim. When any one incurs the displeasure of a petty official, the latter, as our readers are aware, prohibits the offender's entrance into his respective office. Following so illustrious a precedent, we have informed Smith that his brother must expect to be excluded from the columns of The Rio News, if under the cover of old jokes from Punch he persists in being guilty of lese-majesté.

—The chief of police of this city has received telegrams from S. Paulo asking for the arrest of José Pacheco Filho, accussed of a robbery of 200,0005. This man is said to have lost 10,0005 some days ago at a gambling house on Rua Sete de Setembro.

—M. Charles Camille Saint-Saëns is a great composer and pianist and we should be glad to hear him in Rio in conjunction with all lovers of good music. We published the news some time ago that he was coming to Rio this winter and last week a telegram from Buenos Aires saying he was only going there and intended to give Rio the cold shoulder. The last number of «Ite Brésil» to hand gives the full text of this letter dated 25th February, from Las Palmas, in the course of which he says: «You can count on me. My health is getting better and better, and I have no reason whatever for not giving myself the pleasure of seeing Brazil (my dream). I will come as soon as I possibly can, that is to say in the course of June (I dare not come sooner). I do not think of visiting Buenos Aires, as I fear it will be too cold there at that time. I remember one fine day having quitted Cairo for Naples in the month of April, and I was so cramped with frightful rheumatism that I have no desire to go over it agains.

—«I had hoped,» said Smalwyt, a few days since, «that you, or some other distinguished authority, would clear up that reference in the Jornal of the 16th, in which a retired vice-admiral discusses the «Wilmington» case and clinches his argument with a quotation from the 'North American imperialist Mahan's' book on (sic) Influence of sea waver upon history! Allowing for the Jornal's festive style in spelling English, I take it that the said book is entitled 'Influence of Sea Water on History.' What this has to do with the 'Wilmington's' commercial pligrinange up the Amazon, I can't conceive, but I happen to know something of the influence of Sea Water on fluits barrels, as understood here in Rio de Janeiro, and I can't conceive, but I happen to know something of the influence of

stone and brick, that could stand 24 hours immersion in sea water. And if that dry-land admiral doubts it, let him try a single volume, and see what happens.

— A thrill of sorrow ran through the whole English-speaking community here when the news became generally known on Thursday last that the gentle soul of Mr. Thomas Keath Gibaud had passed away the previous evening at the Strangers' Hospital. How deeply his death was felt and how great was his popularity here in Rio was abundantly proved by the fact that his remains were consigned to their last resting place in the Gambóa cemetery on Thursday evening in the presence of so great an attendance of mourners that only on one previous occasion in the history of our colony has the number been exceeded, when an excellent clergyman was carried off with yellow fever a month after his arrival here to take over the duties of British chaplain. The beautiful service of the Church of England was impressively read by the Rev. Irvine Crawshaw in the mortuary chapel and at the grave. Beautiful wreaths of natural flowers were buried with the coffin, and crowns of immortelles were laid upon the grave, amongst which were two from the London & Brazilian Bank, and an exceedingly handsome one from the British Bank of South America, all of them bearing suitable inscriptions. Although only 29 years of age, Mr. Giband had so well fulfilled his duties as accountant of the British Bank of South America, all of them bearing suitable inscriptions. Although only 29 years of age, Mr. Giband had so well fulfilled his duties as accountant of the British Bank of South America, all of them bearing suitable inscriptions. Although only 29 years of age, Mr. Giband had so well fulfilled his duties as accountant of the British Bank of South America, all of them bearing suitable inscriptions. Although only 29 years of age, Mr. Giband had so well fulfilled his duties as accountant of the British Bank of South America, all of them bearing suitable inscriptions. Although only 29 years of age, Mr. Giba

Business Notes

— Consumers have derived no benefit from the rise in exchange, for in consequence of heavier taxation articles of prime necessity cost more than ever.

— The government is offering for sale the Bahia and Pernambuco navy-yards. Tenders, which must be guaranteed by a deposit of 50,000\$, will be received up to July 31.

— A bill granting a subsidy of 60,000\$ in gold to a line of steamers to the United States has passed the state senate of Pará in final discussion and has been sent to the chamber of deputies.

— According to the report of the secretary

chamber of deputies.

— According to the report of the secretary of agriculture of S. Paulo, in 1897 there were in 25 municipal districts of that state 1,627,148 bearing grapevines and 886,300 that were not yet bearing, making a total of 2,513,448.

—The Western and Brazilian Telegraph shareholders will receive a dividend of 4 shill-ings per share for the half year ending 31st December last, making a total of 3 per cent for the year, with £9,000 carried to the reserve fund.

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On the 3rd prox, there will be held at the Exchange building a meeting of holders of the gold bonds of 1868 for the purpose of taking steps for defending their interests. Action of this kind should have been taken long ago.

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— A business man writes to a daily journal of this city that he has in the custom-house an invoice of goods amounting to 290\$, on which he will have to pay duties to the amount of \$5\$350 and a stamp tax amounting to no less than 255\$.

amount of \$5\$350 and a stamp tax amounting to no less than 25\$\$.

—A Curityba telegram of the 13th says that a merchant of that place has received an order for a thousand barrels of herva mathe (Paragnayan tea) from Warsaw, Poland. This is looked upon as a beginning of a good export trade in this product with Europe.

—The Empreza Viação do Brazil has bought the steamers on the S. Francisco river, belonging to the state government of Bahia. In regard to the price paid there are conflicting statements, according to one of which it was 700,000\$\$ and according to another \$458,000\$\$.

458,000\$.

—Mr. William T. Townes, formerly United States consul-general at this port, recently visited Venezuela in the interests of the American Tobacco Co. Mr. Townes speaks very highly of the sample warehouse opened in Caracas under the auspices of the National Association of Manufacturers.

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—A bill has been introduced in the S. Paulo state assembly by Deputy Malta, in behalf of the finance and agriculture committees, authorizing the Banco de Credito Real to increase its capital to 110,000,005 under a state quarantee of 7 per cent, for the purpose of extending aid to agriculturists. The bank is required to liquidate its commercial section, and may charge 8 per cent on its loans of agriculturists.

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—There were 41,85t bbls.of flour shipped to Brazil from the United States in the month of March, of which 6,500 bbls. were cleared for Pernambuco, 4,000 for Baltia, 5,050 for Rio Grande do Sul, and 19,126 to unspecified ports. The shipments of kerosene to the same destinations aggregated 2,107,185 gallons, turnentine 20,087 gallons, lard 819,733 pounds, salt pork 833 bbls. pitch pine 3,49,4000 feet, and white pine 528,000 feet. Two shipbads of American coal were cleared for Santos.

—A few days since a prominent printing office of this city was forced into liquidation by its creditors, and has, we undertand, offered to pay 30 per cent. This office, it should be said, has been cutting prices for a long time in order to get work away from others, and has consequently had all the work it could do. But the work did it no good, for prices under cost will not pay rent, taxes, paper bills, etc. A 30 per cent liquidation, however, will enable its proprietors to go on smiling, for the 70 per cent squrezed out of their creditors will make up for losses on work.

We have learned since the foregoing was written that the bankrupt firm is offering only 20 per cent, which some of the creditors are accepting. This will enable the firm to continue its tricky business, and printers will suffer accordingly. We are told that the Banco da Republica is a creditor to the tune of 300,000%, while a prominent importing house has about 50,000% at stake. Of course there are a great many small accounts.

FINANCIAL NOTES

- The governor of Pernambuco denies having threatened banks for refusing to lend money to the state. It is asserted that he has obtained a lean of 400,000\$ from a private

source.

—In the first quarter of the present year the city government of Rio de Jaueiro spent \$26,531\$966 on street-cleaning. Evidently the street-cleaners made a mistake. They certainly must have supposed that they were expected not to clean the streets but to clean or the musical tressure. expected not to crean the so out the municipal treasury.

—The following is a statement of the customs receipts at Pará for the month of May in the last three years:

1897 . . . 1,737,263\$673 1898 . . . 1,624,565\$585 1899 . . . 2,173,137\$439 In the receipts for May, 1899, is included he sum of 176,582\$640 in gold.

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—A telegram of the 15th inst. from Pelotas says that at Santa Victoria de Palmar soldiers of the 10th regiment of cavalry, armed with revolvers, forced an entrance into a club building, destroying the furniture and wounding several members of the club. It is supposed that the soldiers were instigated by two officers of the regiment whom the club had blackballed.

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— President Campos Salles has sent a message to congress asking for a deficiency appropriation of 200,000\$ in gold for the department of foreign affairs. This appropriation will make a pretty large hole in the gold customs receipts and will neutralise some of the alleged reductions in public expenditure. The President has also asked for a deficiency appropriation of 60,000\$ in currency for the same department.

EXCHANGE.

May 15.—All the banks put out an official rate of 77/16 d. at opening time, but the distinushed bank was the only even in a control of 16/16 d. The market opened a trible uncertain with bank bills at 17/16 d. and private paper treely bought at 7/16 d. The market opened a trible uncertain with bank bills at 17/16 d. and private paper. This state of affairs went on until a faithful that the past noon, when a reaction set in and bank bills went down to 7/16/16 d. The trible paper. This state of affairs went on until a little past noon, when a reaction set in and bank bills went down to 7/16/16 d. Jensel that a faithful private paper of the state of affairs went on until a little past noon, when a reaction set in and bank bills went down to 7/16/16 d. Jensel balter rates practically heid good until close on closing time when the last rates were bank bills freely drawn at 7/16/16 ound buyers of average importance, distributed of the paper mirrets during the day was frow 3/2 to 7/2 reas gold.

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MARKET REPORT.

Rio de Janeiro, 23rd May, 1899. Exports.

Coffee.—The declared sales of the week ended May 1,5 in which there were only four business days only for business days only to church and national holidays fallings together-were 45,000 bags against entries of 30,031 bags and shipments of 17,871 pags. On Monday the kio market opened considerably more animated than on the previous Saturday, but there was no change in prices as factors and packers did business on a base of 175000 per arroba for No. 7 type. Early in the day the shippers made a strong demand and bought in same 7,000 bags on bases which ranged from 114700 to

According to the fornal do Commercio the gold in the treasury on the 8th inst. amountal to 1.997,coof, including 561,299\$ in coin, £ 147,735 in bills of exchange and 119,343\$ in otin, £ 147,735 in bills of exchange and 119,343\$ in on increases in customs receipts has not yet been realised. For the first fortnight in May those receipts at Rio de Janeiro amounted to 2.659,934\$ 36. against 3,090,294\$500 in the corresponding period of 1898. For the first first nine fortnights of the two years the result is as follows:

1898. 32,902,088\$296 1899. 28,965,440\$993

Decrease in 1899. 3.036.647\$303

COMMERCIAL.

Rio de Janeiro, May 23rd, 1899.

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May	16 Baltimore Amer. bk. Baltimore	10,185
	20 New York Germ. str. Lapri	18,276
	Europe :	
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	17 Antwer, etc. Br. str. Clude	744
	19 Genoa etc. It. str. Città di Torino	1,140
	20 Hamburg etc. Germ. str. Amazonas	934
	20 Marseilles etc. Fr. str. Aquitaine	3,008
	Elsewhere:	
May	16 Buenos Aires Br. str. Thames	601
	19 do It. str, Ciltá di Milano	1,262
	Coastwise Southern ports	909
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Brokers' quotations, according to New-York types were the following

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103.075 74.601 8.563 6.500 9.056 77.79 106.469	Totals since May 1
2.872,700 1.913,162 6.96,174 100,202 109,578 167,362 2.880,478	Totals since July 1

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Flour.—The only consignment to hand last week was that of 3410 harrels from New York ex Priscilla, and these barrels were consigned direct to second hands. The market is dull although importers have sold American flour in fratheast for some time past at reduced prices as it was getting dry. There is now no American flour in first hands. Prices have dropped all round with the exception of River Plate as will be seen by the following table:—

Trieste	nominal.
Richmond 1st	36\$000-37\$000
do 211d	nominal.
Raltimore 1st	36 000-37 000
do 2nd	35 000-36 000
Western and Interior	nominal.
River Plate	27 000-28 000
Local Mills	34 000-35 000

demand.

**Rice.\(-\text{No}\) new receipts have come to hand in the past week. In spite of the large stock on hand, prices have remained unaltered in the face of a steady demand. Rangoon rice is quoted at 24500 per bag of 60 kilos. We hear that in the Campos district, which made small attempts at rice growing last year, more ground has been occupied this year, and we hope the industry will be developed.

**Pitch Pine.\(-\text{Three}\) were ren o new arrivals and nothing was done.

**White Pine.\(-\text{Three}\) were no arrivals. The market is steady at 250 reis per foot.

**Spruce Pine.\(-\text{No}\) receipts. The market is dull and prices are quoted nominal.

**Swedish Pine.\(-\text{Receipts}\) in. The market is adull as it can be.

dull as it can be.

Kerosene.—The demand continues to be strong and in spite of no additions to stock this week the brokers have been firm at 9850 to 10800 per case, as

in the previous week.

Turpentine.—Arrivals nil. The demand continues. od one and the market is firm at 1\$300 to

Rum.—The week's supply was of average quantity and the following prices now rule:—

Pernambuco and Maceió.. 285\$000-2

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS OF FOREIGN VESSELS.

MAY 20.

Baltimore.—Amer. bk. Priscilla; 613 tons; Springs teen; 65ds; sundries to order.

DEPARTURES OF FOREIGN VESSELS.

MAY 16.

BALTIMORE.—Amer. bk. Baltimore; 632 tons; Malcolm;

MAY 18.

Ship Island.—Br. sp. Robert S. Besnard; 1,282 tons; Andrews; stone ballast.

MAY 20.

TALTAL.-Br. sp. Ardnamurchan ; 1,629 tons ; Crosby; ballast.

MERAMICHI.—Aust. bk. Ban Mazuranich: 491 tons; Pesely ; ballast.

TRINIDAD,—Amer. bk. Virginia; 715 tons; Pettigren; ballast. Belize.—Nor. bg. S. N. Hansen; 297 tous; Olsen; Lizzie Ress. Savan Leonor. Porto

FREIGHTS.

NEW YORK. 1-35 cents and 5 % primage per bag NEW ORLEANS (of 60 kilos.
GENOA. 1-30 francs and to 0/0 primage per ton of 1,000 kilos.
Marseilles, -30 francs and 10 % primage per ton of 1,000 kilos.
Southampton $\{-25 \text{ shillings and } 5 \%_0 \text{ primage per ton of } 1,000 \text{ kilos.}$
LONDON. (-30 shillings and 5 °l ₀ primage per ton of 1,000 kilos.
HAVRE. 1-17 francs, 50 centimes and 10 ⁰ / ₀ primage per ton of 900 kilos.
Antwerp. } -20 shillings and 5 °l ₀ primage per ton of 1,000 kilos.
BORDEAUX. 1-40 francs and 10 0/10 primage per tou of 900 kilos.
MONTEVIDEO3\$000 per bag of coffee.

ENGAGEMENTS.

ANTWERP,—Br. Str. Etc.; 1,000 bags of coffee.
GENOA,—It. Str. Citid di Torino; 1,140 do do
do do Nord America; 782 do do
SOUTHAMPTON.—Br. Str. Thames, 900 do
HARSBELLES.—Fr. Str. Aguilaine; 1,000 do
RIVER PLATE.—ILSR. Citid di Milano; 1,500 do do
do
RIVER PLATE.—ILSR. Citid di Milano; 1,500 do do Fr. str. Chili;

Foreign sailing vessels in the port of Rio de Janeiro, May 21st 1899.

TONS	ARRIVED	FROM	CONSIGNERS
992 613	Apr. 28 May 20	New York. Baltimore	W.Guim.&C. To order.
691	May. 5	Rosario	J. Souza & C.
1266	2S 20	Leith Pensacola	Gaz Co. To order
	992 613 691 1263 900	992 Apr. 28 613 May 20 691 May. 5 1265 Apr. 18 1266 28 999 999	

l	bk Belvidere	761 Mayto Rosario	J. Souza &
	Danish		
	lug Franz	358 May. 4 Tonga Is.	To order

bg V. Cayenue	573	May 12	Marseilles.	To order
German				
bk Osterbek bk Olga	1510 1340	Apr.25 May 8	Swansea Antwerp	W.Block &C. D.J.Silva &C.

Norweg ian				
bk Urania	379 896 443	21 23 30	West'wick, Sund'land, Goth'burg,	To order W. Sons & C. To order
Portuguese				

sp America 908 Apr. 30 Porto M. Junior&C.

	Spanish				
_	bk Terezasp. Palamos	296 1160	Mar. 20 Apr. 12	Santos Marseilles.	To order To order
	Swedish				

bk Magellan	1148	May. 5	Pensacola	V.Barcas &C.
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	Atair	I,eith	_
	Asia	Valencia	24 Mar.
	A mete	Liverpool	-
	Anglesea	Rangoon	28 Mar.
	Apollo	Rangoon	15 Apr.
	Bertha	Swausea	_
ı	Constanze	Hamburg	_
	Claudina	Porto	_
	Cora	Glasgow	19 Dec.
	Carl	Hamburg	_
	Charles Dickens	Pensacola	-
	Clara	Chittagong	24 Feb.
	D. Julia	Grimsby	30 Mar.
	Dora (str)	Rangoon	4 Apr.
	Edmund	Swansea	_
	Ellida	Pensacola	
	Fulda	Cardiff	20 Apr.
	Franzoni	Pensacola	
	Glenburn	Rangoon	22 Feb.
	Grazia	Pensacola	_
	Glycinia	Porto	-
	Hamburg	Hamburg	_
	India	Rangoon	6 Apr.
	Jotun	Cardiff	ı Mar.
	Levuka	Pensacola	_
	Landskrona	Pensacola	
	Lizzie Ross	Savannah	-

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Chittagong	8 Apr.
Rangoon	14 Mar.
Rangoon	29 Mar.
Pascagoula	
Pensacola	_
Rangoon	11 Mar.
Porto	_
Hamburg	
Baltimore	_
	Pascagoula Cardiff Pensacola Porto Chittagong Rangoon Rangoon Pascagoula Pensacola Rangoon Porto Hamburg

Arrivals of foreign steamers.

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Departures of foreign steamers.

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DATE	NAME	FOR	CARGO
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	á di Torino	River Plate	i do
	á dị Milano		do
19 Itap	arica	Santos	do
20 Am		Hamburg* Marseilles*	do
20 Aqu 20 Cap	itaine	New York	do
20 (11)	T1	Valparaiso*	do
20 Core 20 Esk	zovado		Ballast
	stae rdsworth	Buenos Ayres New York*	Sundries.
21 Chi		River Plate	do
2. (111	11	Kiver Plate	40

* Calling at intermediate ports

STOCKS AND SHARES

	Sales of Stocks and Shares.	
	MAY, 15.	
2	Apolices, 5s	8895000
43	do	S90
28	do	Sqt
-1	do (2005) at rate of	870
3	do (certificate)	865
	do 1,600\$ at rate of	860
6	do 1895 (reg.)	883
18	do	884
27	do	885
00	Emprestimo Municipal (reg.)	165
15	deb. Jornal do Commercio	170
000	» Sorocabana-Ituana R. R	70
	Banks	
190	m/m Brazil e Norte America	17\$000
15	Commercial	222
34	Mercantil de Santos	143
13	Popular	1 500
6	Republica	184
10	do	184 500
	Miscellaneous	
100	Centros Pastoris	11\$500
ī	Hyppodromo Nacional	90
13	Melhoramentos no Brazil	17 500
00	do do	18
100	do do	18 500
49	Melhoramentos no Maranhão	2
	MAY. 16.	
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14	do	Sqt
110	do	892
2	do (400\$) at rate of	S60
	do 22,100\$ do	865
20	do 1895 (reg.)	881
12	do	885
15	do 1897	990
2	do (reg.)	990
20	deb. Carioca (mill)	195
50	» Jornal do Commercio	195

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Miscellaneous. 1000 Melhoramentos no Brazil..... 1000 Obras Hydraulicas.....

MAY. 20.

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do	885	" Mercantil de Santos		127 00
do 1897	990	,, S. Paulo	150 000	138 00
do (reg.)	990	" Ribeirão Preto	180 000	
. Carioca (mill)	195	" União de S. Carlos (all paid).	280 000	250 00
Jorna! do Commercio	172	., do do (40 %)	135 000	115 00
Sorocabana Ituana R. R	7 t	" União de S. Paulo (70\$)	30 000	28 00
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Banks,		" Santos	90 000	60 00
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zil e Norte America	178000	" Antarctica		70 00
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e Matto Grosso	106	" Fabril Paulistana		
o do	108	" Ferro Carril Sto. Amaro	-	
al e Hypothecario (2nd s.)	135	" Gaz de S. Paulo		380 00
Miscellaneous.		" Lupton	96 000	90 00
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v. 17.		" Stupakoff	40 000	30 00
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do	893	" União Sportiva	90 000	85 oc
do	894	, Viação Paulista		5 00

Nominal Value

399,438,800\$

Stocks and Bonds and Joint Stock Companies --- May 22nd.

	104,987,000 119,660 30,000,000 51,885,000 109,694,000 17,500,000 11,700,000 65,000,000 60,000 10,000,000 25,000,000 25,000,000 25,000,000	113,656,000 110,660 1119,600 11,196,000 11,584,500 13,679,000 13,679,000 13,350,000 11,7			Sounds of US95 Sounds of US97 Soun			1,000 1,000\$ 8005, 200 1,000\$ 8005, 200 1,000\$ 8005, 200 1,000\$, \$00 Fex. \$00\$ 1,000	\$90 000 \$95 000 \$1,000 000 \$1,000 000 \$1,000 000 \$1,000 000 \$1,700
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-	Capital	Shares	Emitted	Par	Steamships	Paid	Reserve fund	Last Dividend	Last quotation
_	1,000,000 28,000,000 5 000,000 673,400 1,000,000	5,000 140,000 25,000 3,307 5,000	all all all all 2,750	200\$ 200 200 200 200 200	Esperança Maritima Lloyd Brazileiro Navegagão Costeira S. João da Barra e Campos Sul Paulista	200\$ 200 200 200 So	250,000\$ 59,598	8 000, Jan. 99 10 000, Feb. 99	100\$000— 3 000— — 300\$000
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	Capital	Shares	Emitted	Par	Miscellaneous	Paid ——	Reserve fund	Last Dividend	Last Quotation
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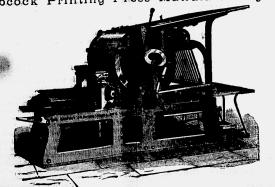
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