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— The Chillan press is opposing violently the surrender of Tacna and Arica. But, is the Chillan press prepared to openly repudite the treaty of Ancona? Is there no good faith among the public men of Chili?

— A Lima telegram of the 24th says that Perm has resolved to appeal to the United States, Brazil, Argentina and Bolivia for their intervention in favor of a friendly settlement of the Tacna and Arica question.

— Who is the president of Pern? We had supposed it to be Romano, but various telegrams published here lately speak of Pierodia spresident. Has there been a peaceful revolution, and an unheralded change?

— A Lima telegram of the 25th ult, says that great excitement has been occasioned in that capital by the news that Chili intends to retain the provinces of Tacna and Arica. The people confide in the pritriotism of President Pierola (says the telegram) to avoid the loss of those provinces.

—On the 25th a telegram from Suntingo says that the Chilian minister of foreign affairs had informed a journalist that Chili would certainly hold Tacna and Arica by some means. Why should the minister an onunce his decision in this way while the subject is still under discussion with the Peruvian minister?

—A Santiago telegram of the 26th says the Chilian foreign minister has informed the Peruvian minister of foreign affairs and the employed?

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RIVER PLATE ITEMS

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The epidemic of "aphtose fever" is reported to be declining in Argentina.

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— Paragnay is now reported to have a political conspiracy on hand. But there will be no quarantine against the infection.

— Reports were current in Buenos Aires last week that President Campos Salles would visit that city during the July festivities.

— During the past month five steamers have left Buenos Aires direct for Europe with Argentine passengers for the Paris exposition.

— A report is current in Buenos Aires, where Dr. Herrera y Obes resides, that President Cuestas has resolved to resign at an early day.

— The Rio Grande chief, Silveira Martins, arrived in Montevideo a few days ago, and denies that Apparicio Saraiva is planning another revolution in Rio Grande do Sal.

— A census taken in Urugnay on March 1st (the interior departments only) show a population of 596,310. Montevideo is estimated to have 266,000, making a total of 862,210.

— A medal for ingenuity and originality in spelling should be awarded to the native contemporary which spoke in its war telegrams yesterday of the a Yrich's Brigade.—Montevideo Times.

— Great Scott! The Paragnayan government is preparing a decree regulating the quarantine to be imposed on Brazilian arrivals. Why not send Dr. Nuno there to endure the threatened penalties!

— A Montevideo telegram of the 25th says that President Cuestas has adopted precautionary measures of extreme rigor to prevent a possible revolutionary invasion by Gen. Simon Martinez.

— The president of the Agentine board of health has resolved to beap code of fire on his Simon Martinez.

a possible rectandary of the Argentine board of health has resolved to heap cods of fire on his Brazilian colleague's head by mot increasing the quarantine against Brazilian arrivals. This is surprising as well as pleasing.

—On the 25th ult, the daughter of President Roca was married to Sr. Demarchi at Buenos Aires. The affair was attended with something of regal pomp and ceremony and the bride was the recipient of many valuable presents.

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—It is proposed to organise a theoretical army corps of 42,000 men in three divisions of 14,000. It will be remembered that a similar thing was done under General Racedo's administration of the war department when three paper army corps were formed to give apparent employment to a host of unemployed officers.—Buenos Aires Herald, Apr. 17.

—The Argentine minister of war estimates the regular military force of that country at 45,000 men. Besides these he calculates that in an emergency he can count on 265,857 national guards reserves and 111,956 territorial militia. It looks very pretty on paper, but how many of these would materialize in case of war? He thinks he can count on 300,000 men ready for any service, and yet the Argentine maxy still uses the press gang to man the ships, and the army takes condemned criminals to fall its rauks!

There was a disgraceful political demonstration, promoted by the scollectivists, at the burial of Don Tomás Gomensoro in Montevideo on the 18th ult. There were violent speeches by burizons of the Herrera regime, with whom Gomensoro was never in symmothy, though he allowed them to use his name to draw support away from Cuestas. The cemetery was crowded with a riotous mob, who descerated graves, howled and cheered, and did an immense amount of darunge as well as covering themselves with an immense amount of discredit.

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of discredit.

—During the scan't lous scene in the Central Cemetery on Sunday, one of the tombstones gave way, precipitating a bystander into the vault beneath. He landed on top of a coffin, which burst open, and found himself, sprawling among a hear of bones being eventually taken out considerably bruised and still more frightened at such a close touch with death. The incident may have its comic side, but it we silustrative of the indeeduce of the praceedings, and must have been supremely disquisting to the family to whom the vault belonged and whose dead were thus intruded mon and outraged.—Monlevideo Times, April 18th.

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—The Buenes Aires correspondent of the fornal do Commercio was bidly out on the 25th. He first telegraphed that the Dinubes would not call at Rio de Janeiro because of the official announcement of Dr. Nino de Andrade that bubonic pest had appeared, when it was announced two months ago that the said str. would not call at Rio on this voyage home, and then he announced that arrivals from Rio would be subjected to ten davs quarattine, when the chief of the health department says that no additional quarantine will be imposed unless new cases should appear. The Roca wedding seems to have gone to the correspondent's head.
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will be imposed unless new cases should appear. The Roca wedding seems to have gone to the correspondent's head.

—The attitude of the government towards General Simon Martinez, of the military tribunal, has received full justification from that worthy himself. From his voluntary exile in Buenos Aires he has published a munifesto which—for the text has not vet reached hereis described as an open proclamation of revolution—in favor, of course, of the acollectivists. At the sume time, he has the consumate impulence to abuse the government for having stooped his pay when absent without leave; indeed, that seems to be his principal grievance. If this is to be taken as a specimen of the military judges, the military tribunals cannot be dissolved too promptly. However, Gen. Martinez is a notorious old scamp who is never strifted unless mixed up in some revolutionary intrigue and he ought to have been turned out of the army long ago. He is one of those men, of whom unfortunately there are many here, who can be very loyal to a bad government—the worse it, the more ardent his loyalty—but who invitably conspires against a good one as he is doing now.—Montevideo Times, April 17.

—The foolish trick of our native contemporaries in translating into Spanish familiar names of foreign persons or places gives some absurd results. For instance, every person of ordinary reading and education knows the mane, of the Champs de Mars in Paris, although they may never have visited the city itself, but who on earth would recognise the locality under the Spanish guise of *campo de marte,* as given by a native contemporary? Similarly they speak of *Guillermos Shakespeare and of *ejorge* Washington, individuals certainly not known to history. They also asserted that the baby of the Duchess of York is to be christened *Patricio.* which we are quite sure is not going to be the case. Such translations as these are not only unjustifiable, but imply ignorance in the papers that perpetrate them and in their readers. We wonder what these papers w

more absurd than many which they perpetrate daily.—Montevideo Times.

— The announcement that Argentina has been able to borrow another £2,000,000, practically explains the attempts which have been made of late in several quarters to put up the price of Argentina honds. Considering the unsatisfactory state of that country's finances, notwithstuding the improving condition of trade, commerce and the railways, and the fact that it is well-known that a similar attempt to borrow money in Eurone six months ago on a nine per cent, basis was unsuccessful, one would hardly have expected. Argentina to have been successful this time. The fact is, Argentina's foreign indebtedness is being piled up at an alarming rate, and there are many who expect another crisis in the not very distant future. The country' finds it impossible to balance its budgets, the deficits being greater every year, while commencing from 1901 another half-million pounds per annum will have to be found to meet the service of the various sinking funds on the foreign debts, which were suspended some years ago by the Romero-Rothschild agreement. It is not easy to see where this money is to come from. The difficulties of the immediate future have, no doubt, been staved off a little longer, by this fresh loan of £2,000,000. Interest on this is to be at the rate of six per cent, per annum, the advance being for three years, and is repayable by the government in 13 instalments, commencing on July 1, 1902.—The Critic, London, March 31.

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FRITISH AND BOEK MILITARY.

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of Chicago, than for the honor of Columbus, a Ghat, your excellency; is the way of the world,—

aBut with you, my dear Yañez, it is otherwise. This is your day, and posterity is doing you honor.

ANOt so, your excellency; they have forgotten Vicente Yañez Pinzon, who was the first to discover the coasts of Brazil and who sailed along them for many leagues toward the unknown and mysterions south, and are giving all the glory to Pedro Alvares Cabral, a Portuguese, who by chance drifted upon the Brazilian coast three or four months after my discovery.

a Cabral, did you say?a inquired Columbus. He was hardly known as a navigator, as I remember him. He could sail a caravel well enough, and could follow a well-known course. And as I remember him, he had little knowledge of the world beyond what Diaz and others had learned by skirting the African coast. By St. Iago! the Portuguese lost the crowning chance of a nation's life when they failed to accept my offer! And now they're claiming the discovery of Brazil, are they? How did it happen, did you say?a "AWhy, Cabral was on his way to India, and a big storm blew him out of his course, and he literally drifted up against an unknown continent. He couldn't help discovering it. And when he came to land and the changer had passed, like a true son of the church he went ashore to offer up thanks for his safe deliverance from a w-tery grave—and that's how it happened that the Portuguese took possession of the land.

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 al't's a strange world, surely, soliloquized Columbus, thoughtfully stroking his long white beard. «You will remember, Yañez, that on my return to Spain from my first voyage into the unknown west, when a new world was discovered, two of my captains forsook me and hurried home to claim all the credit for themselves. And now one of them, who is none other than yourself, Yañez, is supplanted by an uninaginative Portuguese in the reward for a discovery that really belongs to you. It may take a long time, my dear captain, for the Fates to distribute their rewards and penalties, but that they will be distributed justly, who can doubt? Just now you are reaping the penalties for your treachery to me; to-morrow, I doubt not, you will have your reward for the discovery of Brazil. But who have we here?

 aBy the Holy Sepulchre! it's Cabral himself! What ho, Pedro? Where to now? The Great Admiral would have speech with you! alway, my dear captain; I'm at your service. I greet your excellency and bespeak your favor on this auspictous day. "Quite right, captain; my congratulations await your acceptance. I' am told that a nation of your own blood is to-day honoring your name as the discoverer of a great landlying to the south of my own discoveries. You are more fortunate than myself, captain, whose reward it has been to be forgottenaye! even to be loaded with chains like a galey shave and then be dragged before the sovereign he had served and euriched, like a traitor. Fortunate indeed is the man whom posterity remembers to honor, for even one's contemporaries may forget his services and sour. "Galms upon the living. But are you sure, captain, that this reward belongs to your?"

you?"
"Quite sure, most illustrious Admiral.
Did not these eyes behold the until then
unknown Land of the Holy Cross? Did not
these feet press the soil where no white man
had ever trod? Did not these hands raise
the standard of Portugal on shores wholly
unknown to christendom? And if all this is
true, am I not entitled to the honors of a
discoverer?"

A CELESTIAL DISCUSSION ON THE DISCOVERY OF BRAZIL.

What's the trouble now? said Columbus, rousing from his habitual reverie, and turning to his ancient companion Vicente Yafiez Piuzon.

There seems to be sometting unusual occurring on Earth. Methinks I hear the sound of guns, and rockets, and a confusion of tongues. Is there another revolution in Cub1, my long lost pearl?

Not this time, your excellency did not discover, and which I did, they are celebrating the 400th anniversary of its discovery.

"Ah, that was but yesterday," said Columbus, with shardly worth the trouble. After I had led the way, the rest was easy enough. But they did not think it worth the while to celebrate my great work, except in Chicago and that was more for the glory and profits of Chicago, than for the honor of Columbus.

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From The Financial News, March 31

THE AUSTRALIAN COFFEE TRADE.

An Australian correspondent writes:—a The north-eastern and semi-tropical regions of New South Wales are remarkable for the possession of soil and climatic condition which have made practicable the successful production of crops not popularly associated with Australian agriculture. Thus, at the present time there are 24,759 acres under sugar-cane, of which the lottest season's crop produced 259,206 tims. At New Hally, a settlement founded by a number of Italian families, silk cultivation is systematically carried on; and in other places agricultural industries of a semi-tropical character have made a successful, although unpretentions, beginning. Among these is coffee production, the berry being found equal to the best imported; yet although the coffee plant is grown largely for private use, no attempt has yet been made to utilise it commercially. A doubt was expressed that the light frosts which occasionally visited the districts would prove detrimental to coffee cultivation; but an official report, issued in 1895, stated that the soil and climate of the Richmond, Clarence, and Tweed River districts were all that could be desired, as were also the specimens of coffee trees which were to be seen there, these being strong, healthy, and well-grown, and in many instances laden with full crops.

«It was surprising, the report stated, that the industry had not progressed beyond the experimental stage. Although the plant had been grown in a haphazard manner, and by persons not sufficiently acquainted with the proper methods of cultivation, the results obtained have been remarkable. From three fine trees on one of the farms the yield of berries (weighed by the expert making the report was 18 lb., or, allowing 1 lb. for parchment skin. 17 lb. of clean coffee—over 5 lb. per tree. On another farm the trees bore at the rate of 4 lb. to 7 lb. per tree. Five pound per tree would give about 53 cxt, per acre, or, at £4 per hundredweight in, Lomlon, coffee to the value of more than £200. On the coffee plantations in Ceylon 1 l

unknown to christendom? And if all this is true, am I not entitled to the honors of a discoverer?

"There is no disputing the force of what you say, most noble captain,, a replied Columbus, a but what are we to do with Pinzon? It is recorded that he discovered the shores of Brazil on January 1st and sailed along them to the southward for many days, while your discovery did not take place until May 3rd, fully four months later. He—"

"But what have I to do with that?" interrupted Cabral, with a sudden upheaval of his shoulders and an upturning of his outstretched palms. "There is no record that he landed and took possession. He left no trace of his visit. He never returned. And I had no knowledge whatever of his voyage. My discovery was a genuine one, my countrymen took advantage of it and settled the country, and their descendants have awarded to me the honors of a first discovery."

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"But still," resumed the Great Admiral, be worked without machinery, but larger plantations require pulping machinery, fermienting and washing cisterns, &c. A disc pulper sufficient for a crop of 25 or 30 acres can be purchased and laid down for about £1."

The number of plants put in is about 1,200 to the acre, and for pulping and washing the crop a water supply should be available. The net importations of raw coffee into New South Wales during 1898 amounted to 738,142 lb.,

valued at £23,772; and prepared coffee was imported to the value of about £2,487. The use of coffee in Australia is not general, but is gradually extending, especially in the cities and larger townships, σ

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS IN BRAZIL.

Consul Furness at Bohia, in response to inquiries on the subject, writes to the state department telling of the absence of modern agricultural implements in castern Brazil, and say that the spade and a crade sort of foce are the only implements used in cultivating the soil of that very fertile section of the country. In many parts the plow is wholly unknown, and upon the few that have found their way into the fields the rust has gathered from non-usage. Consul Furness adds that he cannot advise as to chances for trade in agricultural implements in Brazil as a whole, but that the outlook for the sum in his consular district is very bad, although he believes that in other portions of the country more attention is devoted to modern farming.

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TELEGRAMS OF THE WEEK

SUMMARY FROM DAILY PRESS.

APR. 23.—War office telegrams state that Gen. Randle's division was confronted at Dewelsdorp by a Boer division of 8.000 men. Doie Carew's division and two brigades of cawalry from Gen. French's division. It is known that these reinforcements had arrived at Karriefontein without encountering the enemy. —Col. Dalgetty reports to Lord Roberts that the Boers had thrown goo shells into Wepener since the begining of the siege, but without doing much damage. —A later telegram says that Gens. French and Pole-Carew had attacked the Boers at Karriefontein, dislodging them and occupying their positions. The British losses were 2 killed, 21 wounded and 11 missing. Gen. Pole Carew then occupied Learkop, which the Boers handoned. Lord Roberts reports that a detachment of 43 men sent out on a reconnaissance had been attacked by the Boers and lost 28 men killed. —It is reported from Lourengo Marques, according to the Dairy Nerso that Gen. Dewet has died at Kroonstad, where he has been ill for a month. (In that case he could not have been in command at Wepener.) — A telegram from Brandfort of the 22nd says the combat at Jammersberg continues day and night between the two hostile forces. The Cape colonial infantry had lost 120 men and 11 prisoners. —A press telegram mays that Gen. Sir Charles Warren arrived at Durban on the 21st on his way to the Orange Free State where he will occupy an important civil office.—The Times publishes a telegram from Lourengo Marques stating that since the beginning the two South African republics have put about 105,000 in the field, but that their effective force will not now exceed 80,000 men. Of these 50,000 are now in the Free State, principally north of Bloem-fontein, 10,000 in northern Natal 15,000 at Fourteen Streams, Klerksdorp, etc., and 5,000 in the morning of the 23rd found the place evacuated. After the battle he encamped 8 miles south of Wepener.—Rumors of a grest battle at Wepene are current. —A telegram from Wakkerstroom yesterday says fighting continues there between the hostile for

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APR. 25.—Lord Roberts telegraphs that Gen. Pole Carew's division last evening defeated the enemy at Roode-kop and occupied their positions. This morning the cavalry crossed Modder river as far up as Valsbank with the hope of cutting off the enemy's retreat, but did not succeed. In view of these operations the Boers evacenated Dewetsdorp during the night. The mounted infantry has succeeded in clearing all the kopjes of the enemy, who have thus been driven away from the waterworks reservoirs.—Gen. Chermiside this morning occupied Dewetsdorp.—Lord Roberts telegraphs later that the British forces had succeeded in relieving Wepener, the Boers, whose effective strength is 4,000 men, retiring northeast on the Lady brand road. Various contingents are in pursuit.—The London stock exchange has now killed Gen. Meyer.—(The Jornal do Commercio publishes three special telegrams from London—the first being Lord Roberts official announcement of the relief of Wepener, the second stating that his plans for the relief of Wepener would probably fail, and the third the Boers were bombarding Wepener with 6 guns, to which the British were replying feebly. The readers of the Jornal can make their own choice.)—The Boer commander Olivier, at the head of 15,000 men is threatening the positions occupied by Gen. Hart, who immediately entrenched. Gen. Brabant sacceeded in militing with Hart with 3,000 men, and Olivier's advance was checked. (This telegram is evidently pure nonsense. Brabant was south of Wepener, and the Boers have no such force as 15,000 men is threatening the positions occupied by Gen. Hart, who immediately entrenched. Gen. Brabant sacceeded in militing with Hart with 3,000 men, and Olivier's advance was checked. (This telegram is evidently pure nonsense. Brabant was south of Wepener, and the Boers have no such force as 15,000 men is threaders of the Jorden Streams there has been a little arrillery and rifle practice betwee

APR. 26.—Gen. Hamilton succeeded yester-day in expelling the Boers from Israelpoort

and afterwards continued his march toward Thabanchu. — Official telegrams state that Gens. Freinch and Rundle were pursuing the Boer contingent which occupied Dewetsdorp. — Lord Roberts telegraphs that he has moved his base of operations to Bloenfontetin.—A telegrant from Warrenton, vi. Kimberley and Capetowi, says that after a heavy bombardment the Boers were compelled to evacuate Fourteen Streams on the 24th, which was at once occupied by the British.—Lord Roberts reports that all was going well at Mafeking up to April 10th.—A Times correspondent says the Boers are storing a great quantity of provisions at Lydenberg. 180 miles north of Pretoria.—According to an official statement in parliament the British government has sent 23,000 mules and 42,000 flores to South Africa since 1st January.—A telegram from Pretoria reports an explosion in the Begbey shell foundry there, which caused to deaths and 102 persons injuried. The foundry employed about 200 operatives, of whom about 130 were buried in the ruins. A great quantity of warmaterial was destroyed, or damaged. (Another telegram says the disaster occurred at Johannesburg, and not at Pretoria, but this is doubtfut.)—Her Majesty the Queen is leaving Ireland to-day on her return to Wimbson.

Ava. 27.—The second lot of Boer prisoners has arrived at St. Helena.—It is known, says a London telegram, that the total number of Boers in the field is 4,000, viz.: 13,000 at Kroonstad, 6,000 in Natal, 6,000 at Fourteen Streams, 7,500 (2) at Mafeking, and 8,500 at Pretoria.—(This is far from agreeing with the information sent to the Primes that they now have 80,000 in the field, out of a total since the beginning of the war of 105,000.)—The war office is advised that the British forces failed to cut off the retreat of a single Boer command form southwister of the Tree State.—Gen. French arrived to-day at Thabanchu and has united with the British forces failed to cut off the received seven Creusot commons, says as a format do Commercio telegram. (But, where?)—Lord Roberts has

and abroad on account of the recent attempt on his life at Brussels.

Apr. 28.—A strong force has been organized in Kimberley under Gen. Hunter for the relief of Mafeking.—It is reported that after retiring from Wepener, the Boers returned, hoping to envelop some British force. The several columns of the latter defeated the scheme and compelled the Boers to retreat once more toward Ladybrand.—Gen. Roberts has been forced to defact 5,000 men from his force to meet the guerilla warfare adopted by the Boers. The column destined to advance on Pretoria will comprise 30,000 men. He has asked for reintorcements, provisions and horses.—It is stated that 15,000 Afrikanders are with the Boers.—Gen. Prench's effort to cut off the retreat of the Boers from the south has failed.—Advice from Bloemfontein says water is becoming scarce there.—The Times denies that the author of the Begbie foundry explosion was an Englishman.

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APR, 29.—Gen. Rundle has arrived at Thabanchu, the Boers retiring and encamping ten miles distant.—Capetown telegrams state that the military authorities have ordered the evacuation of the hospitals, which means new occupants.—Gen. Pole-Carew has returned to Bloenfontein.—Rudvard Kipling has illuminated the world with a sistement that, the situation of the troops in South Africa is excellent.—Much discontent, however, is expressed in England over Gen. Buller's inactivity.—A Lourenço Marques telegram says the casualties caused by the Begbic foundry explosion were 30 killed and 54 wounded.

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APR. 23.—The Colombian insurgents have captured Boess del Toro and are marching upon Colon. Baranquilla is reported to have fallen.—A Manila telegram says the Tag.los lost about a thousand men in their fights with the American bast week.—It is said the American minister at Constantinople will make an energetic protest against the exclusion from Turkey of American pork.

APR. 24.—The American consul at Clifton, Canada, says the recent attempt to blow up the Welland canal with dynamite originated with the Irish secret societies in the United States.

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Apr. 25 .- Gen. Olis, who remains at Manila APR. 25.—Gen. Olls, who remains at Manua until the arrival of his successor Gen. Mac-Arthur, telegraphs that in the combats from the 15th to 17th April the Tagalos had 353 men killed, the number of the wounded not being known. The American losses were two killed and four wounded.

APR. 26.—At the request of the British government, the United States authorities have investigated the sileged attempt to blow ap the Welland Cand, in Counda, and find that no member of the Irish societies in the United States took part in the conspiracy.—A telegram from Ottawa (the capital of Canada) dated the 25th, states that a fire lead hoken out in that city and had assumed alarming proportions. All efforts to dominate it had failed, and it threatened to destroy a half of the city. Ottawa is a city of about 60,000 population and contains many fine edifices and handsome residences. It is largely built of wood, which, under favoring conditions, would render a fire extremely dangerous.)

APR. 27.—The fire at Ottawa originated in the town of Hull, across the river, and destroyed the entire western part of the city. The fire broke out in the morning and was spread by a violent wind. Seven lives were lost and 10,000 people are homeless. Many factories and lumber yards were destroyed. The losses are estimated at ten millions of dollars.—It is believed the fire was of criminal origin, as it appeared simultaneously at three different points. The mayor of Chicago has opened a subscription in favor of the victims of the Ottawa fire.—A concert at New York yesterday in benefit of the Boers produced a net sum of \$5,000.

APR. 28.—Disastrous inundations have again occurred in Texas. Fifteen deaths are reported and five millions of damages.—Advices from Havana deny the Spanish reports of a projected insurrection under Ga. R. bi, in Cuba.—Subscriptions have been opened in various cities for the relief of the victims of the Ottawa fire.—Pro Calandia in the content of the Cluws fire.—The Calandia in the case of the Ottawa fire.—The Calandia in the case of the Cluws fire.—The Calandia in the case of the Cluws fire.—The Calandia in the case of the Cluws fire.—The Calandia in the case of the content of the con

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APR, 29.—The mayor of New York has opened subscriptions for the victims of the Ottawa fire.—The Colombian insurgents have occupied Colon, Buranquilla and Carthagena.—The gunboat "Machias» has been ordered to proceed to Colombia.

France.

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APR. 24.—M. Leon, a Creuzot engineer who has been in the Transvaal, arrived at Mirseilles to-day.

APR. 25. — The Creusot engineer says that should the British invade the Transvaal the Boers will not attempt to defend Pretoria, but will retire to the mount ins of the north where they will continue to fight for their liberty. He also says the Boe's will not undertake any reprisals against Portugal for her beach of neutrality. (Then the Boers have more real Christianity in them than most of us!)

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Christianity in them than most of us!)

Apr. 26.—It is stated in Paris that the Begbey foundry in Pretoria was used as an arsenal and deposit of arms, munitions, etc.

A telegram received this morning says a part of the machinery was saved.—A rumor is current that the Pretoria explosion was caused by the British. (This may be doubted. More likely it was caused by some careless eigarrette smoker.)

smoker.)

APR. 27.—The Journal des Debals says the Peruvian minister at Washington has asked for the intervention of the American government in the Tacna and Arica dispute.—The Brazilian engineer Santos Drummond has constructed a dirigible balloon, eigar-shaped, moved by a to-horse power motor and having a speed of 20 miles an hour. A trial is to be made on May 15th.

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APR. 27.—The reichstag budget commission by a vote of 20 to 8 has adopted the proposal of the centre to concede the construction of the ironchads asked by the government, but to reject the increase of the fleet destined fo service abroad.

Spain.

Premier Silvela will ask Spain to make great sacrifices in order to restore her fleet. (Better try to restore internal harmony and prosperity first.)

first.)

APR. 26.—The opening of the cortes is fixed for October next.—The government has (Bourbon-like) resolved upon the suppression of the Union National, an association of merchants and manufacturers opposed to the new taxes. The minister of interior aunounces that he will proceed judicially against the newspapers which report the proceedings of this society.—The said society had a secret meeting lost night. (Let us hope it will continue to fight oppressive taxation and stupid arbitrary government to the bitter end.)—A deposit of arms, supposed to belong to the Carlists, has been found on the Pardinelas quinta, neaf Barcelona.

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APR. 21.—The King and Queen of Italy had an enthusiastic welcome at Nuples to-day, where they are attending an international congress for the study of tuberculosis pulmonaris and its cure.—The Pope to day gave an audience to Count Longay and his bride.

APR. 25.—The congress for discussing means for combating pulmonary consumption was formally opened at Naples.

APR. 27.—Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria is in Rome and visited the King and Queen last

Holland.

APR. 21.—The Boer peace commission intends to visit St. Petersburg early in May.
APR. 26.—Queen Wilhelmina, in reply to a message from various journalists, has expressed her approval of an article by Dr. Kuyper

on South Africa published in the Retue des Deux Mondes.

APR. 29.—There was a great manifestation in honor of the Boer commission at The Hague hast night. The commission will soon leave for the United States.

Miscellaneous.

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APR, 25.—A Turkish torpedo boat was sunk this morning off Beyrout by a boiler explosion. Three officers and 20 men perished.—At Pao-Ting-Fou, 80 miles south of Peking, the Boxers lawe massacred many Catholic Chinese. This society is counnitting attractions crimes in the central and western provinces and the imperial troops are unable to subdue its armed bands.

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APR, 24.—Part of Bolsa edifice at Budapest destroyed by fire.—Vesterday's explosion at Beyrout caused 3: deaths, not 23. as first reported, of which y officers and 26 men.—It is known that the Turkish government has decided to ask a credit for paying the United States the indemnity asked.—The Turkish government is showing a disposition to consider the protests of foreign powers against increased import duties.

APR, 25.—It is said that Turkey will ask the United States for a new period for the payment of the indemnity.—The Turkish government has authorized the reconstruction of the American missionary edifices at Kharpont.—The sublime porte has not yet asked the foreign ambassadors to formulate their proposals in regard to the increase on import duties.—An overflow of the Maritza river has caused a disastrous inundation at Philippoplis.—From China comes a denial of the reported massacre of Chinese Catholics.

APR, 26.—The Portuguese government has resolved to observe Way the se a bolidaria.

APR, 26.—The Portuguese government has resolved to observe May 5th as a holiday in commemoration of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Brazil.

Apr. 2; — "he Russian ironclad «Count Apraxine,» siys a Cronstadt telegram, which has been aground since 12th November last, has been at last flatted. — Advices received in Brussels says the explorer Weymants was massacred with his escort of 100 men at Yam-bonya, Congo, in March.

SANTOS CRICKET.

S. VICENTE AND JOSE' MENINO US. REST.

Played on the Santos ground 21st and 22nd April. This match opened the Santos cricket season in a very satisfactory manner. Stock, our new club captain, and Burgos ran up big scores in good style, Meadows played a good innings for his 38 and Morg ut at point fielded well.

well.

The ground is looking first rate and the addition of the new tennis court and cricket practice pitch, both in playing order, should increase the efficiency of the players, whilst the improvements to the pavilion and bar add to the comfort of everybody.

S. VICENTE AND JOSE' MENINO.

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	J. Cadzow, b. Lloyd	7
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Z The American locomotives recently shipped to Rangson by the Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia, for use on the Burmah state railways, are stated to have given such complete satisfaction that the railroad authorities have invited the Baldwin people to make a formal bid with a view to their supplying. 20 more locomotives. It was stated yesterday, however, that the Philadelphia concern was so pushed with work that it could not undertake to deliver the engines within the time required. —N. Y. Journal of Commerce, March 29.

— Minister Bryan, at Petropolis, writes to the state department in regard to the demand for coal in Brazil that Dr. Argolia (Argolio?) the president of the San Francisco railroad in the state of Bahia, will make an experiment with 5,000 tons of bituminous coal, to be followed by regular yearly orders if the trial proves satisfactory. Dr. Argolia believes that structural iron for railroads and steel rails, if at once introduced by manufactures in this country, would find an exclusive market in Brazil, and therefore solicits catalogues and price lists.—N. Y. Journal of Commerce, March 30.

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RIO DE JANEIRO, MAY 1st, 1900.

IT is difficult to understand the origin of the press reports in the United States in regard to the designs of Germany in Southern Brazil, unless the suspicion has some good foundation that they are created by political agitators to revive public interest in the «Monroe doctrine.» Down here we see no reason whatever for any such reports. The Germans have no squadron in these waters, though we hear that two small vessels are to be sent here. Very few German immigrants are arriving, and but little is doing in the extension of German investments. So far as the casual observer can judge, the Germans are plodding along exactly the same as other nationalities are doing, and they are not even asking for special favors in trade, such as others have done. That there are large colonies of Germans in Southern Brazil means nothing. There are large colonies of Italians down there also, and there are still larger colonies of Germans elsewhere. The persistent reports that they are con-spiring against the integrity of this country are malicious inventions, and we doubt not the United States government is fully aware of this. Not long since Consul-General Seeger made an extended trip through the southern states and he found nothing of that descates and he found found from the scription to report. If anything had since occurred, he would surely be in a position to know of it—far better, it may confidently be assumed, than any mischief-making correspondent of the New York Herald.

THE DECREASE IN REVENUE.

The blunders committed by the govrement undoubtedly contribute to re-tard the progress of the states of the Amazon, and, if that progress has not entirely ceased under the malign in-fluence of such blunders, it is because the powers of endurance and resistance of those states have been straughened of those states have been strengthened by the exceptionally favorable position of the rubber trade.

Even so, however, the returns of customs receipts at Pará for the 1st quarter of the present year are by no means encouraging, as is shown by the following statement in which those receipts are compared with those for the first quarter of each of the two previous years:

1898 1899	5,264,945\$214 5,734,775\$248	
Increase		530,169\$966
1900	5,439,450\$738	
Decrease		205 224\$510

234,845\$456

The foregoing figures show a decrease of over 5% in the first quarter of the present year compared with that of last year and an increase of about 4½%% in relation to the corresponding period of 1898.

Net increase.....

At Ceará the customs receipts for the first quarter of the three years were

1898 1899	1,441,802\$740 727,078\$820	
	****	714,724\$920
1900	759,211\$684	22 1224961

Net decrease 682,592\$056
The decrease was over 47 °/₀.
Adding these figures to those which we have already published, we have the following result:

Revenue receipts for the first quarter of

1898: Rio de Janeiro, Gen'l Revenue

to de Janeiro, Gen'l Revenue
Office. 4 807, 661\$534
to de Janeiro custom-house. 22,770,743\$613,0
tr\(\text{if} \) 8 9 203,46\$160
tr\(\text{if} \) 8 9 5,2614,91\$\$214
thia 9 5,5011,107\$42\$5
tranubuco 8 4,238,357\$804
atr\(\text{if} \) 9 1,441,802\$740

Total. 52,838,029\$490
Revenue receipts for the first quarter of

1899 : Rio de Janeiro Gen'l Revenue 4,467,966\$980
20,836,116\$-064
7.533 0\$5\$254
5.734 775\$248
5.133.275\$754
4.180,190\$146
727,078\$820 Rio de Janeiro custom-house... Rio de Janeiro custo Santos » Pará » Bahia » Pernambuco » Ceará »

de Janeiro Gen'l Revenue

35,287,717\$913, against 34,756,152\$387 collected in the first quarter of the present year at that custom-house, at those of Santos, Pará, Bahia, Pernambuco and Ceará and at the Rio de Janeiro general revenue office.

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General revenue of the Portuguese government to attend the commemoration of the adoth anniversary of Cabral's discovery of Brazil, is 61 years of age and is a native of the Azores. He has filled many important military and civil positions at home, and is to-duy president of the supreme council of military justice. The dispatch of such a representative to this capital indicates a strong desire on the part of the Portuguese government to lend all the distinction in its power to the commemoration festivities, and to demonstrate in a special degree its good will and friendship for its former colony.

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degree its good will and friendship for its former colony.

If Paul Kruger is a reader of The Critic he is undoubtedly deeply concerned to know how the Almighty permits such a den of swindlers, thieves and scamps to exist as are to be found in London. If no more than a small fraction of the alleged swindles are true. London will have far more to answer for when judgment day comes than will the Transvaal. And not the least disgraceful feature of the case is that the worst swindlers and blackmailers in London are among the foremost in denouncing the corruption of the Transvaal government and the need of extending British protection and fair dealing to that benighted country. We should like to ask Mr. Henry Hess, of The Critic, if there is no conscience left in London, and, if so, whether no blush of shame is ever seen in the vicinity of its stock exchange.

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The medical experts appointed to investigate the cases of illness in Praga da Harmonia have reported that they were of bubonic pest. We doubt it. The people attacked, it is admitted, were constitutionally weak and were living under the worst of hygienic conditions—foul lodgings, bad food, and all that. Nine out of the 12 in the barrack lived in ore room, which contained their dirty clothing as well as their dirty bodies. Three of their number died before the sanitary officials were called in, and the cause of death was stated to be elymphatite. Three others were ill, and all of them were removed to the lazaretto. One other case only has since appeared. It is probably nothing more than one of the many forms of disease springing from extremely unclean living. Old residents tell us that glandular swellings and eruptions are common enough here, at certain seasons and under certain climatic conditions, even among people of a better class. It remains for the conscientious physician to find out the cause and tell us what it is. But as for having the Eistern bubonic pest in our midst, we very much doubt it.

This Philadelphia Commercial Museums is seeking a grant of \$200,000 from the United States trensury. Without doubt the permanent exposition which the Museums has undertaken to maintain will be interesting and instructive, but is it worth the outlay? As long as manufacturers are unwilling to adapt themselves to the requirements of foreign consumers, this exposition will be of no more value than the many consular reports and commercial protests which have been sent home for the past two generations. Very few manufacturers and merchants will seek it for information as to the prepuration of their goods. They are too confident of the superiority of their own methods, to give why to the customs and requirements of foreign buyers. And even if they were inclined to make use of the exposition, why should the people at large pay for information useful only to a limited class? Have they not spotected and nursed the manufacturer long enough? Let him shift for himself for a time, and let him seek and pay for his own information. It is worse than folly for the United States to go on coddling and nursing this overgrown infant; it is positively criminal. He wants all the consulates turned into information bureaus, he wants the state department to do his advertising and curvassing, he wants foreign governments even to be dragged into his service. Protection has made him importunite and instabily; it has likewise made him shameless. He thinks nothing of asking for favors, but he thinks twice before putting his hand into his pocket to pay for services designed to add to his income. It is full time, in our opinion, to draw a line. If he wants information about foreign markets, let him support it.

BANCO DA REPUBLICA.

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The report of the president of the Banco da Republica for 1895, like that for 1895, shows an improvement in the situation of that establishment, whose present in unagement is commended by the board of auditors in its report. This board describes the past year as one full of difficulties, in which the detrimental action of existing causes was considerably intensified. The president of the bank, however, hopefully expresses the opinion that the unfavorable circumstances which have so long affected trade are now disapparing.

In general the bank continued during the year to restrict its transactions, though the value of the bills which it disconted was somewhat larger than in the previous year, as is shown by the following statement for the last five years:

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1895. 100,788,6555658
1896 126,517,299,483
1897. 129,552,421 386
1898. 105,5 0,178
1899. 108,691,686 836

In the figures for 1999 are included bills to the amount of 3.05.00.3 discounted for the municipal government of the city of Rio de Juneiro. The bruk's profit on discounts was 3.027.475\$550. The amount of discounted bills held by the bruk at end of the different quarters was as follows:

March 31. 25 395,076\$449
June 30. 27.745.479 145
September 30 31.414,030 507
December 31 30.994.736 361

There were, however, occasions on which the amount of discounted bills held by the bank exceeded any of the foregoing sums.

The following statement shows the amount of deposits on account current in the last five

: 1895. 741,395,423\$162 1896. 958,230,762 735 1897. 1,105,679,545 537 1898. 797,935,671 20 1899. 767,212,954 610

The balance of this account at the end of the year was 68,940,254\$528 against 80,782,173\$169 at the end of 1898 and 92,516,644\$951 at the end of 1898 and 92,516,644\$951 at the

year was 0.3452-2452-25 and 20.3452-25 at the end of 1897.

The deposits made by the national treasury, amounting at the end of the year to 22,280,1855-852, are not included in this account. There were also sundry deposits amounting on Dec. 31, 1899, to 3,245,1612547. On the deposits made by the national treasury the deposits and on all other deposits interest to the amount of 3,078,6565450.

The nominal value of collaterals deposited by debtors as security amounted at the end of the year to 280,596,2075048.

The cash receipts and disbursements amounted for the last two years to the following sums:

Receipts

Disbursements**

lowing sums:

Receipts Disbursements 1898... 1,165,880,327\$618 1,162,037,539\$433 1899... 1,098,858,613 361 1,107,205.074\$449

54,832,464\$984 Decrease. . 67,021,714\$257 The cash balance at the end of 1899 was 24,400,795\(\frac{2}{2}\)622, against 32,747,256\(\frac{2}{2}\)530 at the end of 1898 and 28,904,534\(\frac{2}{2}\)165 at the end of

end of 1898 and 28,904,534\$105 at the control of 1897.

The management of the bank seems to have devoted last year considerable attention to the settlement of the accounts of debtors who had obtained from it loans in bonus. At the beginning of the year the number of these debtors was 137 and the amount of their indebtedness was as follows:

Delivatival. 58,026.845\$380

Principal. 58.026,845\$380 Interest. 5,635,283\$110 Total..... 63,662,128\$490 Total..... 62,709,675\$400

Even at the end of Setember the principal and interest amounted to 55,888.123\$970; but at the end of the year they had been reduced to the following sums:

Principal...... 38,222,896\$250 Interest...... 3,997,174\$470

Total. 42,220,0708990

The president's report shows that the total amount of the Ionus made by the brank in bonus including renewals, was up to the end of last year 85,152,818,200. Of this sum up to the same date 43,478,866\$157 had been paid and 3,51,088523 had been lost. The payments were made in the following manner:

In money. 28,055,658663

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« start of the following manner:

Total 43,378,866\$157

Decrease

The following is a statement of the number of debtors in arrear classified according to the number of instalments due at the end of each very contract.

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The interest on these loans amounted last year to 2,750,483\$110.

The following is a statement of the most important of the bank's assets in addition to those already mentioned: Public Funds :

71,086,993\$704 74,682,820 194 70,758,035 330

On Dec. 31, 1898...
, June 30, 1899...
, Dec. 31, ...
Shares and Debentures of Banks and Companies:

On Dec. 31, 1898... , June 30, 1899... , Dec. 31, , ... Guaranteed Accounts 69,912,765\$220 70,825,842 080 68,776,980 551 Current :

On Dec. 31, 1898... 127.022,840\$308 "June 30, 1899... 123,572,170 461 "Dec. 31, "... 121,608.878 880 The revenue which from these three classes of assets the bunk derived last year in interest and dividends was as follows:

· Total..... 7.724,708 100

sequently, been a considerable improvement in its situation.

Last year it reduced its capital from 105, 248,2005 to 101,555 6008 and the old issue of the Bauco doBrazil from 2,295,975\$ to 1,415,975\$. The following is a statement of its profits for the year 1899:

Gross Profits :

 Gross Fronts:
 3.027.475\$550

 Discounts
 10,680,624 610

 Interest and dividends
 10,680,624 610

 Commissions
 597,264 097

 Sundry profits
 69,983 660

Total..... 14.375.347 917 Expenses including interest and losses:

959,170 656 5,366,139 938

1896. 11,295,489\$021 1897. 9,945,965 842 1898. 9,279,459 292

The net profit for 1899 was distributed as follows:

6,155,160\$000 1,351,381 200

The two reserve funds and the suspended rofits amounted at the end of the year to the following sums :

| 1898 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 | 1999 |

CORRESPONDENCE.

BRITISH PATRIOTIC FUND. Rio de Janeiro, 30th April, 1900. Dear Mr. Lamoureux.

Dear Mr. Lamonreux.

Enclosed you will find list of monthly subscriptions collected by the various members of the Committee of the British Patriotic Pand, and by this und! (of 2nd prox.) I am remitting £ \$1: 5: 5. Since the list was closed some further sams have reached me, which will be included in next remittance.

Mr. A. C. E. Skey asks me to mention that list of collections published in one of your late issues included £7: 10: 0 and 1285 collected by him in February.

I am, dear Sir,

I am, dear Sir, Yours very truly

Harold J. Hampshire, Hon, Treasurer.

Hon, Treasurer.

It should be said, perhaps, that the death of Mr. F. S. Voule, who was the first treasurer of the fund, and the transfer of his papers to Mr. Hampshire, made it difficult to prepare a complete list of subscriptions for publication, which accounts for the brief summary which appeared in these columns some weeks ago. The general list, arranged according to the lists in the hands of committeemen, and by months, is as follows:

REV. IRVINE CRAWSHAW'S LIST

February: - W. Saunders (£ 1) 30\$; Irvine rawshaw(£ 1) 30\$; W. J. Lumby 10\$; total

W. R. BARDSLEY, ISQ.

February: — J. H. Okell, 205; E. W. Gepp. 205; C. N. Lefebyre (10/-) 155; H. Hagen (10/-) 155; H. Hagen (10/-) 155; J. Mills, 15\$; R. Varce, 305; W. R. Bardsley (£ 1) 305; total 1455.

March: — S. T. Bryan, Feb'y (£ 1) 305; S. T. Bryan, March (£ 1) 305; J. H. Okell, 205; E. W. Gepp. 205; C. N. Lefebyre (10/-) 155; H. Hagen (10/-) 155; H. Hagen (10/-) 155; J. Mills, 155; R. Vance, 305; W. R. Bardsley (£ 1) 305; total 205\$.

Sarah Mackay, per O. W. Rolls, 205.

HAROLD J. HAMPSHIRE, ESQ.

March: — James Wallington, 205; E. T. Gunning, 305; Harold Charles Hampshire, 305; George Armstrong, 305; David C. Hampshire, 105; Harold Charles Hampshire, 105; Helene Louise Hampshire, 55; Mary Alice Coggin, 55; Elisa Morley, 105; Fred. Barrowes, 205; A. M. Oliver, 205; total 2305.

F. STRUBE ESQ.

March:—Dr. Mario Alencar, 10\$; F. Strube, 10\$; Iguncio Moses, 20\$; total 40\$.

16\$; Ignacio Moses, 26\$; total 40\$.
0. w. ROLLS 189.
March:—L.W. Turner (10/-) 15\$; F. S. Pryor (2 1) 36\$; A. M. Blake (10/-) 15\$; James Roy (10/-) 15\$; A. U. Stutfield (10/-) 15\$; B. Carlisle Davis (5/-) 7\$500; P. Barry (10/-) 15\$; A. R. Wright (5/-) 7\$500; R. M. Dalziels (5/-) 7\$500; A. J. Hunt (5/-) 7\$500; W. J. Million (5/-) 7\$500; A. M. Hadden (10/-) 15\$; O. W. Rolls (10/-) 15\$; total 172\$500.

155; V. W. Rolis (169-1458), total 175500.
C. L. Robinson Esq.
H. O. Robinson, 305; D. Roberts, 305; W. L. Wolstenholme, 305; C. Henderson, 305; A. J. Thompson, 155; A. Breach, 155; W. H. Ashbrook, 305; R. A. W. Sloan, 305; C. L. Robinson, 155; J. Kidd, 105. Total, 2355000. PER O. W. ROLLS ESQ.

April. — Miss Jackson, $(\pounds 1)$; Miss Swithinbank, $(\pounds 1)$; C. W. Gemmel, $(\pounds 1)$. Total 87\$940.

A. C. E. SKEY, ESQ.

J. Evoy. (10): 145700; R. L. Routh, (£ 1) 295400; P. G. Padbury. (10): 145700; C. Peeling. (£ 1) 295400; W. P. Slater (£ 1) 295400; E. J. King. (10): 145700; E. C. Manners. (£ 1) 295400; P. E. Swanwick (10): 145700. Total, 1765400.
Womens Aid Society, Feb'ry., March and April, 305000.

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H. Reeves Esq., 181 days a 1\$, say 1st Jan'y to 30th June 1900. 181\$000.

W. T. Ginns, 155000.

A. C. E Skey, on 10th April, 32\$000. John A. Finlay Esq., subscription March and April, 60\$000.

April.—C. Jackson, (£ 1) 30\$; Wm. Maude, (10]-) 15\$; E. May (10]-) 15\$; T. Johnson, (10]-) 14\$; Mr. Bloomfield 2 months (10]-) 30\$.

Total 104\$500.

F. STRUBE, ESQ.

F. STRUBE, RSQ.

April. — Dr. Mario Alencar, 105; Ignacio Moses, 205; F. Strube, 105, Total 405000.

RICHARD WHICHELLO, RSQ.

March. — Richard Whichello, 305; W. H.

Whichello, 155; C. F. Hargreaves, 305; A.

Macmillan, 305; Dvid Law, 155; H. L.

Wheatley, 308. Total, 1505000.

April. — J. Crashley, 15\$; Richard :Whichello, 36\$; W. H. Whichello, 15\$; C. F. Hargreaves, 30\$; A. Macmillan, 30\$; David Law, 15\$; H. L. Wheatley, 30\$; H. W. Pritchard, 30\$; E. Wyatt, 15\$; T. C. Cross, 30\$. Total, 2405000.

COFFEE NOTES

— A letter from Casa Branca, S. Paulo, reports a backward coffee crop, no part of which, it is stated, can be marketed before the 20th of Jane. The irregularity with which the coffee is repening is detrimental to its quality and it is estimated that from 8 to 10 per cent of the crop in that locality has been destroyed by heavy rains.

PROVINCIAL NOTES

—An Asuncion telegram says that a bloody affray occurred recently on the Matto Grosso frontier. No particulars have been received.
—In the state of Paralyba the official ticket for governor and vice-governor is said to have triumplied. Otherwise, it would have been a miracle.

have triumphed. Otherwise, it would have been a miracle.

— The Republic, of Natal, Rio Grande do Norte, has published documents to show that def elections have occurred in the general postoffice of that state.

— A Pará telegram of the 23rd, delayed in transmission, says that Luiz Galvez denies that he was invited by Pedro Freire to promote a revolution in the Acre district.

— Julio de Castilhos has been making a tour through some of the towns of Rio Grande do Sul where he has been received, says a telegram to the Paiz, with enthusiastic demonstrations.

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—Four prisoners—one condemned murderer and three cattle-thieves—escaped from prison at Araras, São Paulo, on the night of the 20th ult. The murderer had been condemned to 21 years imprisonment.

—Advices from Arcia, Parthyla, state that in the disorders recently promoted there by federal soldiers, the latter even attempted to break open the jail for the purpose of liberating the 56 prisoners confined there.

—A Bahia telegram of the 25th announces the death that morning of D. Manoel dos Santos Pericra, Bishop of Olinda, whore cently arrived there in pursuit of health. The deceased prelate was born and educated in Bahia, but will be buried in his diocese of Permunbuco.

—On Prain do José Menino, at Santos, there were found on the 18th ult, a large number of letters. They were without envelopes, but there is reason to suppose that they had albeen addressed to persons in Europe. Some of the letters referred to bills of exchange that had been forwarded in them. These bills, however, were missing.

—The preparatory sessions of the Parahyba state assembly began on the 25th ult. The government party organized the chamber and ordered the opposition contestants to withdraw, and when they denurred called in the police to force them out. And then everything ran smoothly, and there we nothing but sortein experience in the situation.

—Notices continue to arrive of the intensity of the stree in Cearia, which it is feared will be more disastrous than that of 1879. Caravans of emigrants are arriving at the capital. Of course, when legislators can talk of nothing but partizina politics suffering must follow when the drouth comes. A little foresight might save the people from much loss and suffering.

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— A telegram from Rio Grande do Sal to the Paiz reports the discovery of a plot to overthrow the castilhista government. The conspirators are said to have confederates in Rio de Janeiro. There is doubtless a perminent conspiracy in Rio Grande agoinst that government, which will probably be overthrown as soon as the military force that supports it is withdrawn.

— On the 23rd ult, there were 14 cases of yellow fever in the isolated hospital at Soro caba, of whom one died. In private houses one new case and three deaths were reported. At Tieté there were 18 patients in hospital, of whom two entered that day. At the isolated hospital of Santa Cruz das Palmeiras there were 10 cases, of whom two died during the day. Outside there were two cases in the jail and one in a private house.

S. PAULO ATHLETIC CLUB.

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The annual general meeting of the above club was held at the *Progredior,* S. Paulo, January 24th, 40 members being present. The treasurer's report and balance-sheet showed the club to be in a good financial position, the balance in hand being Rs. 2,670 Sto.

In regard to the new ground fund, about Rs. 18,000 5000 have been subscribed by friends of the club and the improvements, namely, fencing, grassing, and pavilion, are about completed. The cycle track and tennis courts we hope to complete later on in the season. The confidence of the members in the management of the club was shewn by the reelection of the retiring committee with the exception of the treasurer, Mr. Christy, whose services were unfortunately not available, being about to leave for the *Old Country. * Mr. J. J. Wilson of the London and Brazilian Bunk was elected for this important position. To represent the steadily increasing American members Dr. I. G. Baumgardner was elected.

A vote of thanks to the retiring officers brought the most successful senson in the history of the club to a close.

Below we give the officers and list of fixtures for the senson just commencing and trust members will turn up in force and help make the club a social success.

PIFICERS FOR SEASON 1900:

President Mr. W. FOR Rule, Vice-President** Mr. W. FOR Rule, Vice-President** Mr. P. W. Crewe, Transner** Mr. J. Wilson, Committee** Messes, C. W. Miller, F. Goodler and I. G. Baumgardner.

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Mr. Miller's XII.

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Club

12. S. Paulo Athletic
Sports

21. L. & B. B. P. & P.

7/8. Santos & São
Paulo Clubs

28. Niggers FS. Whites
1/2. Santos Athletic
Club
... Consolação

May

RAILROAD NOTES

Consolação

— In the new organization of the Supucahy railway the capital stock is fixed at 20,000,0005, in 100,000 shares of 2005 each.

— The Belgian government has placed an order for 12 locomotives for its railways with the Belgian government has placed an order for 12 locomotives for its railways with the Belgian government has placed an order for 12 locomotives for its railways with the Belgian government has placed an order for 12 locomotive works.

— In the 2nd helf of the year 1899 the traffice receipts of the Estrada de Ferro Juiz de Fora e Piau amounted to 20, 5025/50 and the operating expenses to 167,0015/916.

— There was a derailment on the Bagé to S. Gabriel line, Rio Grande do Sol, one day last week resulting in the death of a laborer and in injuries to several other persons.

— The state government of Minns Geraes has granted a concession to Messus. Newlands Brothers & Co. for the construction, use and enjoyment of a railway from the station of Lafayette, on the Central line, to the village of S. Gonzulo, in the municipality of Queluz.

— The formal's London correspondent says that they are awaiting advice from S. Paulo about the acceptance of the proposal made by a syndicate for the purchase of the Paulista. In our opinion the sharcholders will be madke to make up their minds. They will hesitate to accept for fear that a better price might be secured later on.

— There was an important conference at Petropolis on the 26th ult, between the government is said to be investigating the subject very carefully. To forestall action, the manager of the railway announced on the following day that a reduction of 50 per cent would be made in the loading and unloading charges on merchandise covered by items Nos. S and 9, and suppressing them altogether in Nos. 10, 11, 13, 14 and 15.

The estimated traffic receipts of the Leopoldina railway for the week ending April 21st were 264,3445 in currency, against 265,4495 in the corresponding week of last year, showing an increase of 47,8655. The exchange rate was 8.11/324. against 6.15/1661, last year, and the sterling equivalents of the foregoing were therefore £9,189 this year, against £6,237 last, showing a gain of £2,932. This brings the aggregate receipts since 1st January up to £15,1656, against £13,1055 in the same period of last year, a gain of £2,3061.

On the 38th the Compagnic Generale des Chemins de Fer Brésilieus paid into the national treasury the sum of 650,1655236, the activation of receipts over working expenses for the second half of 1859 on the line from Paramyah to Carityba and extensions. In return the company will receive 5 per cent funding bonds for the guarantee due, which can be sold at about \$7. This transaction implies a loss of about ninety contos on the surplus carnel during the half year—a loss arbitrarily forced upon the company by the present government.

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SHIPPING NOTES

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—A telegram from Pará announces the loss of the national steamer "America" near Araty, on the upper Amazon. The captain and to others were drowned.

—According to a telegram from Buhis on the 25th the United States cruisers "Chicagoo and "Montgomerys had arrived there, and two more war vessels of the same nationality were momentarily expected.

—It is stated that the Companhia Paramaense de Navegação Costeira (a new company) has purchased for 700,0005 the steamers of the Companhia Faje critica. They are to undergo repairs in this harbor.

—Our neighboros the Buenos Aires are talking of subsidizing a line of steamers to run between Valparaiso, Buenos Aires and Rio de Janeiro. Eight steamers are spoken of and a subsidy of £50,000 per annua. We are inclined to favor the scheme, simply to keep down quarantines at Buenos Aires. When they have Argentine steamers to deal with, more consideration will be shown.

—The Italian cruiser "Etrurito arrived in port on the 27th ult, and exchanged the customary salutes. She was at first mistaken by the crowds on shore as the long-expected aD, Carlos I.a and received a round of cheers.

—The Br Iskia, "Siroccoo arrived here on the 28th in distress, having sostained injuries to masts and rieging. The vessel is 56 days out from New York and is bound for Rio Grande do Sul with general cargo. She will proceed to her destination as soon as the repairs can be effected.

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—The Portuguese cruiser «D. Carlos I.« Capt. Cepriuso Lones de Andrade commanding, and carrying Gen. Francisco Maria da Cunha special minister of the Portuguese government to Brazil in honor of the Cabral commemoration, arrived in port on the afternoon of Sunday the 25th ult. «D. Carlos» is a protected cruiser of 4,300 tons, rated to steam 20 knots ant hour, and was built by Armstrong. She carries 4 15-centimetre guns fore and aft. S 12-cent, guns in broadsides, 12 guns of 47 millimetres, and 6 of 37 millimetres. A large number of boats of all descriptions went to meet her at the bar and exceptional demonstrations are being made in honor of Portugal.

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—The Lamport & Holt steamer "Hevelius which arrived in Rio on the 28th ulto, from New York, Pernambuco and Bahir, brought the following passengers: Mrs. J. M. Alburtin, Mrs. Netti O'Brien, Misses Carlota Delmar, M. Theodora, M. Mazzone, Mabel and Ethel Silbor, Dr. J. C. Argollo, Conselheiros E. P. de Seixus and Augusto Barbacena, Messrs, D. Mulqueen, J. C. Rosenbleuth, A. Campos Sobrinho, H. C. Stone, B. B. Pigno, L. W. Halley, Morris Albertin, D. O'Brien, E. J. Berr, N. Smith, W. S. Shedman, C. A. Sampson, W. and B. Silbor, A. E. Ivanna, J. E. Branaes, A. Bastos, Pedro R. Oliveira, Francisco Sodré, F. Oliveira Marques, G. R. Silveira, J. M. Dugre, N. Cebullos and 38 third class. There were also 6 first-class passengers in transit for the River Plate.

LOCAL NOTES

—Apropos of the disappearance of the *Impreusa* from the journalistic arena a contributor of the *Grzeti de Noticias* severely censures the *Brazilian* public and asserts that in the present period of hypocrisy and subservience it is useless to hope for the success of merit, competence and independence.

—It is now said that it is Cunha, and not Cabral, who is the true discoverer of Brazil.
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—We regret to state that the Imprensa has suspended publication. Independent, allyedited journals like the Imprensa are very much needed at the present time.

—We are requested to state that during Mr. F. S. Pryors absence from Rio, Mr. C. H. Lloyd, of the Loudon and River Plate Bank, has kindly undertaken to serve as trustee and treasurer of the British church.

—On Saturday last the celebrated swindler and forger Affonso Coelho was acquitted by a jury in this city. Had he been an alleged monarchist conspirator, there would, have been many demands for his condemnation.

—After a week of rather close, oppressive weather, a heavy rainfall began on Thesday night of last week and continued at intervals through the next two days. It cleared the atmosphere and reduced the temperature very materially.

—We would remind subscribers to the British Subscription Library who desire to avail themselves of the depot at Messrs. Crashley & Co. and of which we gave full particulars some time back, that the new arrangement comes into force to-day.

—The old friends in Brazil and the River Plate of Mr. John L. Moore, J. P., for many years in the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co., will be sorry to hear of his death, which took place on 20th April at his residence, Pit Villa, Newport, Isle of Wight.

—From the testimony taken by the federal judge, it would seem that the charge that Councillor Andrada Figueira had paid out sums to the conspirators through a certain bank, is pure assumption. The bank's books do not show that he paid such persons a single cent.

Among L. passengers leaving for England to-morrow on the R. M. S. «Elbe» are Mr. R. S. Quayle and wife, and Mr. F. S. Pryor and Wife, the former of Messrs, Quayle and Mr. F. S. Pryor and wife, the former of Messrs, Quayle

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—The lawyers of the prisoners in the conspiracy case have very justly protested against the delay in the judicial investigation. This delay, caused by irregularities for which the prisoners are not responsible, is prolonging their imprisonment indefinitely. The law, we believe, allows eight nays for this investigation, but that period has been greatly exceeded.

—We regret to hear that the Leopoldina company has had the misfortune to lose another member of its staff of yellow fever, a Mr. W. Kreinberg who arrived some months ago from Mendoza, and who was connected with the accountant's office. He died on Sunday, and leaves a widowand one daughter who were also stricken with fever but are recovering.

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were also stricken with fever but are recovering.

—Pretty well turned, Joseph! How did you manage to do it? Your hair was all on that time, surely. But there's one point on which you're all astray, and that is the assumption that there are many Americans here who do not read The'Rio Netas. Bless you, they can't do without it. Every mother's son of them reads it, even if they have to borrow or go to the Praga do Commercio to get the opportunity. And now, Joseph, can you say as much?

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—The federal judge of this district has refused to subprena the minister of justice and other prominent officials as witnesses in the conspiracy case. We presume, however, that if the accused are indicted, the minister's evidence will be taken in the trial. He is said to lawe personally conducted the police investigation and it is very important that he should be cross-questioned in regard to the illicit means which he is reported to have employed in extorting from prisoners statements of which he wished to make use as a basis for further proceedings.

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employed in extorting from prisoners statements of which he wished to make use as a basis for further proceedings.

—At no time within our personal knowledge of this country has there been so great a laxity in morals as at the present time. And the pity of it is that the evil is increasing, and is arousing no resistance. Not only is there efficial corruption on every side, but the standard of private morality is suffering terribly from political demoralization and public apathy. It is idie, perhaps, to sound a note of warning, but unless something is done to rouse the public conscience and to enlist the best citizens in the task of purifying and improving public and private morals, the rain of Brazil will be inevitable.

—In proof of the public's want of appreciation of the Grotts of the press a contributor of the Gracta de Noticins cites the case of the Jonnal do Commercia, which is said to have spent zeococos on telegrams at the time of the spent zeococos on telegrams at the time of the gapants it, we deem it only just to remark that there are many sides to this question. It is quite possible that the Jonnal that the Jonnal state to just the public and provide morals failure to reap a due reward for its enterprise and liberality. Without attempting to exonerate the public entirely from the charge against it, we deem it only just to remark that there are many sides to this question. It is quite possible that the Jonnal's failure to reap a due reward for its enterprise and liberality in this instance may have resulted from the irrascibility of its editorinchief, displayed in violent, unprovoked and unwarranted attacks on persons who would otherwise be friendly to that paper. Moreover the newspaper business is suffering, like all others, from commercial and financial depression aggravated by exorbitant taxation. And

for this state of affairs the Jornal is partly responsible.

BIRTH.

On 27th April, at São Paulo, the wife of J. Kenyon Eddowes, of a son, Cecil Stanton.

ASSOCIATION CRICKET.

Owing to Saturday next being declared a holiday it has been decided to change the date of the Rio rs. Nictheroy match from Thursday the 3rd inst, to Saturday and Sunday, the 5th and 6th inst, and the match down to be played on the 6th inst, will be played on the

ORGAN RECITAL.

A very enjoyable organ recital was given at Christ Church in this city last Syturdity evening by the organist Mr. H. Savile, which afforded an excellent opportunity to hear some good music and to form an idea of the organ's capacity. We regret to say that our time and space permits us to give only the programme, which was as follows:

Andante and Allegro... F. E. Bache.
Pastorale...... Th. Salomé.

Solo, Mrs. Fierz, «Peni-Beethoven

E. J. Hopkins A. Guilmant

PAYSANDU CRICKET NOTES.

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Sunday's practice game has shown up more new blood and we think we may look upon F. H. and J. A. Robinson, R. McNair, C. Pullen and three or four others as future representatives of a Rio team.

The match, Club vs. London and River Plate Bank, is announced to commence at to a. m. shap on Thursday next 3rd May, and we hear Mrs. Lloyd has very kindly promised to provide tea for the ladies on this occasion. For the Rio vs. Nictheroy match to be played on Sat, 5th and Sunday 6th May, at Icaraby, the following will be the probable team to represent Rio:—N. W. Jackson, H. F. Bocquet, C. L. Robinson, R. H. Robinson, M. D. Pierce, C. B. Mawson, H. L. Wheatley, O. Wucherer, J. A. Robinson, A. E. Ridgway and F. H. Robinson, we are sorry to hear that Messrs, W. Slater and H. R. Latham are at the last moment unable to take part in this match, the former owing to a previous engagement for the centenary regata, and the latter having just changed his abode to the Nictheroy side of the bay.

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LH Llovd, or H. R. Latham, on or before he 20th May:

The events will consist of:

Gentlemen's Doubles.

"Singles,

Ladies Singles, and Mixed Doubles, if sufficient entries be received for this event.

The entrance fees are the same as last year—Doubles §\$ per player and event Singles 10\$\$.

All events are Handicap.

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We are requested to announce that o wing to the temporary absence of the Hon. Treasurer, his duties have been very kindly taken over by Mr. E. J. Smart, 21 Theophilo Ottoni, or 65 Ypiranga.

HAVILLAND A. DELISLE.

help promote the subscriptions here for the British patriotic fund, which resulted so successfully.

His health began to fail visibly in October or November last, but his medical advisers gave him no warning of the insidious disease which had fastened upon him, and he continued at his post until March. Advised then of the danger before him, he immediately returned home and sought the milder climate of his native islands, but it was then too late. In common with Mr. DeLisle's many friends here in Brazil who are mourning his untimely death, we beg to offer our heartfelt sympathy to his young wife.

BUSINESS NOTES

—The defalcation in the treasury agency at Penambuco has been found to exceed 200,0005.

—At a meeting of shareholders of the London and Braziban Bank in London on the 28th ult. a dividend of 14 per cent was declared.

clared.

—A central rice-cleaning mill has been established at S. Carlos do Pinhal. S. Paulo, to whitch are added milling appliances for salt, maize, etc.

—Italian business men, it is stated, are going to establish in S. Paulo a bank with a capital of 2,000,0005. Half of the sum is said to have been already subscribed.

— It is stated that Councillor Andrade Figueria has made an offer for the purchase of the Imprensa printing-office. In spite of his years and infirmities, he is a hard fighter and would make an interesting paper.

— The official value of the exports from Ceará in 1899 was, as we stated in our last issue, 10,353,1135723. As in 1895 the official value of those exports was 11,695,506565, the decrease last year was 1,312,6925933.

— The British steamer «Scotia» has arrived at Penambuco with the material for the new Western cable from that port to Pará, which is to be baid at once. It is expected that in a very brief time the new direct line to Pará will be ready for business.

—The directors of the Centro Commerciad to Rio de Janeiro are endeavoring to increase the number of members, which, they think, should not be less than 1,000. The present number is 529 and includes some of the most prominent business men of Rio de Janeiro.

—It is to be regretted that the Rio press has not published the full text of the manifesto in which the merchants of Ceará explain why they refuse to pay consumption taxes on their stocks. Wide circulation should be given to this important document, which should be read by every business man.

— Some days ago we were advised that a certain establishment near the Onvidor, on which a large sum of money has lately been spent in fittings, etc., has recently declared its inability to pay in full and has offered its creditors five per cert. There is evidently too much calculation in such a failure.

—The minister of finance has relieved the company that owns the Noticia from the payment of the fine imposed upon it for failing to pay in the time fixed by law the stamptax on the i

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We are informed that the New York-Life Insurance Co. is arranging to resume business in Argentina, and may also return to Brazil. It is also said that the Equitable Life Assurance Society is likewise preparing to resume operations here. It will be a distinct gain for the country, in our opinion, should these two great companies return to Brazil. If liberally treated, they will be sure to invest largely in the country, besides affording opportunities for life insurance which command confidence.

— The traffic super intendent of the docks at Santos reports a considerable decrease in the trade of that port in 1899. The number of vessels arriving during the year was 872, of which 698 were steamers and 174 sailing vessels. There cleared 169 sailing vessels and 685 steamers. At the dock company's wharves 625 steamers and 118 sailing vessels and 635 steamers and 118 sailing vessels discharged 505,774 ½ tons of merchandise and where loaded with 399,702 tons. There entered the company's ware lonses 5,854,103 packages of merchandise and, there were withdrawn 5,752,773. The number of the S, Paulo Railway cars loaded with merchandise was 45,733 and the number discharged was 802.

FINANCIAL NOTES

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EXCHANGE.

April 25.—Today's market was quiet, and rates sustained; little business reported.

Official quotations on London were:
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The official quotations on London were:

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Private bills opening 8 11/32

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MARKET REPORT.

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Trust, which will tend to reduce prices. The sales reported were, New York 117,000, Havre 118,000 Hunturg 17,000, and London 67,000, total 237,000 bags, against 310,000 in the same week of last year and dio,000 in the preceding week of last year and the same week of last years and the same week of last years and the same week were as follows:	Springe change Swee Kere New Yo	d. dish Pine	No	receipts wer receipts. Quelius brough velius brough note at 12\$20	uotati	ions nominal
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New York. Brokers squite, possess and for cases from New York by the Hereitis. The prices are improving last week, and we now quote from 20 to 90 reis per pound wholesale.

Pork.—Last week's arrivals were only 50 cases by the Hereitiss from New York. The price continues at 1350 per kilo wholesale.

Mice.—No arrivals. Prices unchanged.

White Plun.—The receipts were 4475 pieces extereities from New York. The price continue at 300 cases from 150 cases when the price of t

Pitch Pine.—No arrivals. The stock in second hands is sold out at 828000 per dozen.

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* Calling at intermediate ports.

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Stocks and Bonds and Joint Stock Companies April 30th.									
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