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The Standard AND RIVER PLATE NEWS

610—THIRD YEAR. BUENOS AYRES, FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1894. PRICE—TWO DOLLARS.

MAUA BANK Calle Cangallo No. 101-103 Interest for the current month. CAPITAL \$1,000,000... IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, AGENCIA... IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY...

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English Tailor, 39 CALLE DEFENSA - 39 George Ellis, in returning thanks to his friends... WANTED a good steady man to go to an English Estancia. Apply 105 San Martin.

La Zingara. All parties indebted for passage money to the above-mentioned ship, are requested to call at my office and pay their passage... A Quinta for Sale. Situated on the road from the Requena Carreteras to the Akra bridge...

Credito contra la Nacion. En las ballenas de Concepcion, Salto y Payson... En las ballenas de Concepcion, Salto y Payson... En las ballenas de Concepcion, Salto y Payson...

Royal Hotel. ABOVE-HILL, SOUTH AMPTON. Passengers by Royal Mail Steamers will find this Hotel very suitable... GENERAL STEAMSHIP AGENCY OFFICE... For San Antonio de Aruco...

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The Standard.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1864.

OUR INDIAN FRONTIERS.

Never since the date of Independence has an occasion offered when the attention of B. Ayrean legislators was so imperatively called to the Indian frontier as at present. Supreme neglect might be tolerated so long as land in this province was worthless, but for this was no urgent necessity to extend or protect the rule of civilization, when the territory within our borders was superfluous, and the rural districts boasted no interest, pastoral or agricultural worth.

Connected patriots prided themselves on the immense and rapid growth of an industry in which they had no part, beyond exacting an impost, and Porteno land holders saw with surprise and satisfaction their large tracts of land assume a fictitious and extravagant value far exceeding that of uncultivated ground in any other part of the world.

Not a warning voice was raised against the system of overstocking, and the letters of 'Ferreer' in this journal, some months ago, plainly foretold the terrible crisis in which we are now involved. Like the story of the Frenchman and his horse, the sheep almost finished the land inexhaustibly, and tried the rash experiment till Nature wearied of her patience and punished them with wholesale ruin.

Whole departments have been abandoned, and we learn that in some of the districts lately most populous, not only the flocks have disappeared, but the houses are untenanted, and scarce a human being is to be seen.

In condemning, however, the wild and insane negligence of those in power, and the extravagant ambition and impudence of our countrymen, we cannot fail to sigh much over the fact that we proceed from the present drought. The Spanish proverb says 'no hay mal que por bien no venga,' and perhaps the benefit soon to be derived will far surpass this transient affliction.

number to adventure beyond the beaten track of overstocked pastures. A large flock will return, when the evil season is past, but their settlement again look green; but a sufficient number will remain on those fertile pastures of the Far West, which may be had gratis, and where no fox can exist.

Meanwhile land in the central districts will fall to its real value, and farmers will avoid overstocking, or provide for an increased number of sheep by growing alfalfa. Large fortunes will no longer be left to depend on the hazard of a rainy season; the sheep business will be attended with less risk, and in the end prove quite as lucrative. If we look, therefore, to the bright future of the province, it will neither require stretch of imagination nor a poetical wish to console the afflicted, to discern that the drought will prove a signal benefit, requiring the sluggish attention of both legislators and farmers to that source of wealth and plenty which we possess in the lands of the pampe frontier.

OUT OF JOINT.

If ever there was a country, a people, a nation, a free and enlightened Republic out of joint, it is the Argentine Republic. Passively there is no calculating on anything in this country.

The politician whose experience ranges alike over lawyers, generals, and revolutionists, is dumb-founded at the present aspect of politics. If he joins the 'crudo' he knows not where he stands. If he joins the 'coicido' he is branded as a federal of the old school seeking but an opportunity to cut the throats of half his fellow citizens.

The merchant knows not on what to base his calculations, for whom he expects gold will be high paper money is dear, and when he hopes for a brick trade not a purchaser is to be found in the city of Buenos Ayres.

In Foz de la price of paper maché muy buento, the feeling towards foreigners mutates, by the current coin of the country is free from oscillations.

The very staple industry of the country is out of joint. Sheep farmers, who believe that all their sorrows are attributable to the want of rain, are hurrying to the river, without discovering that the remedy, absolute, and immediate cause of their sorrows has been the overstocking of camps.

hardships inseparable in leaving their homes, and driving their flocks out to feed, but they are more effectually overstocked, and the sheep farming business has been for the last few years completely out of joint.

In fact, in a word, we are all out of joint: his rich men are ruined, public men are slandered, sheep-farmers are pauperised, because the god-head of Buenos Ayres has hung a poisonous halo round us all.

EDITORS TABLE.

We are happy to learn that it has rained copiously in the north during the last few days, but in many parts of Pilar and the Capilla del Señor, the camps are getting worse and worse daily.

Dr. Costa, we perceive, is again installed in his ministerial chair of education. During his absence, in Entre Rios and Cordova, Dr. Lawson acted for him, but by a decree published yesterday, we perceive that the Prime Minister is relieved of the trust.

'The Nation Argentina' takes up the defence of Minister Ellizalde with great warmth, and proves clearly that if Dr. Rufino is what the 'Tribuna' calls a fatal Minister, he has proved himself rather a successful one. We must say that we think the attack of the 'Tribuna' rather impetuous.

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arrived from Navarro yesterday, states that all along the road the dust was perfectly unstopable, and yet on Wednesday Thursday we had no dust whatever into town.

Mr. Vincent, the proprietor of the Hotel de la Paix, has requested us to say, that he has always had a luggage-room at his establishment for the accommodation of visitors, and that three-fourths of the English foreigners, who are travelling through this and the neighbouring provinces, have their trunks, &c., at his luggage-room, well cared for until their return, free of charge.

'The National,' we perceive, has been indicted for libel against Gelly-Ober for wasting the public money on Flores. Our evening colleague states that it was not their assertion but that of the Ferrer-corral of Genoa.

A TRIP BY RAIL TO ITAUGUA. Asuncion, Dec. 21, 1863. The pleasant excursion from Asuncion is, without doubt, by rail to Itaugua. The regular train runs only on Sunday and in the afternoon of Thursday. I left by the 6 a.m. train, on the 27th, in company with Mr. Valpy, C.E. There were only many passengers, most being of the 1st or 2nd class. The distance to Itaugua is 25 miles, the fare in 1st class is equivalent to three shillings.

Passing some workshops of the line we are at once in the country, and have a fine panoramic view of the environs. There are some neat cottages with gardens; yonder the tyrant Francis spent many years of his life in the study of men as well as books.

'ERIN' ON SHEEP-FARMING. To the Editors of the 'Standard.' Gentlemen, To put 'Erin's' plan of stocking land in practice, we require what we have little source of obtaining—our land sown from trespas.

It is however but right to state that it was not the comisario, but his second in command, who attacked me—the former being cited upon the bench of the Inquisition. He confined himself to insulting me, my nation, my uniform of the Argentine squadron—putting me into the stocks, where I remained for several hours, unable to purchase from the botica such remedies as I required for my wounds.

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Now, to procure witnesses—which is frequently very difficult to foreigners—you must lose at least another week. Admitting that you prove the case, beyond a doubt, the sentence, if in your favour, invariably is—'turn off Mr. A.'—the cattle, or Mr. B.'—the mess, when you find them on your lands, and can prove such, but do so with care; don't run them, or put them one yard beyond your bounds.

Until the Provincial Government pay more attention to the camp, and less to 'crudo' politics, 'Erin's' calculations will be insufficient in practice, and while the province is under the influence of men, who care less for the loss of fifty thousand sheep to the country, than for the loss of one vote in a legislative party. It is useless to speculate in farming, unless you are content to do so in a reckless manner, and leave everything to chance.

The number of sheep Erin allots to a league is quite sufficient, perhaps more than sufficient. This year will tell a truer tale than many, and cause those who may still have courage to continue farming to give up the plan of overstocking. Land cannot maintain the number of sheep it is capable of sustaining, unless it is necessary to reduce the value of land; for if the present prices are upheld, with the reduction of stock, sheep or cattle farming will be a losing business.

These good sheep-farming countries; land is cheap, and the respective Governments appear more inclined to encourage sheep-farming than the Government of this province. It was the force of circumstances caused sheep-farming to take such root here; the same cause will effect its decline with equal, if not more, rapidity, unless the Government steps forward before it is too late.

SIEGE OF PAYRANDU. Terrible conflict and mortality. Critical state of the garrión.

The Nation of Montevideo, 19th inst., contains two lengthened despatches of D. Leandro Gomez, the defender of Payandú. Caraballo forested that town on the 1st inst. Flores himself coming up on the 6th, and seizing the harbour, which is distant half a league from the plaza and could not be defended.

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NO-TEVEDO. Politics are the state quo. On Saturday a grand concert was given by Sr. Zuzumari...

work then holding a bunch of thick leather reins... 370 do bow crop 109 800 tons maize 99...

CHARTERS. The Dutch barque, "Zoveneter," to load in part for orders, bales 46y...

MARITIME NEWS. ARRIVALS. 21st. Paraguay, steamer brigantine Maria Camilla...

LOCAL EVENTS. Taking the veil. It is not long since a young lady embraced the profession of a religious life...

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Wanted. By a thorough business man, familiar with the English, German, French, Spanish, and Portuguese languages...

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How I became an Admiral. In the course of the evidence taken last summer before the Commons' Select Committee on promotion in the navy...

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THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND GLASS STORE, 57-DEFENSA-57.

ALMANACK. Agricultural, Industrial, and Literary Almanack for the Argentine Republic and Buenos Ayres, for 1864.

Campos Muy Superiores. R. MATES. For Pedagogos Sra. En su casa calle Potosí No. 121.

Notice. Parties wishing to secure passages for persons on board the Zingaro...

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