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The Montevideo Times

MONTEVIDEO, MAY 8, 1901.

THE ELECTORAL ACCORD.

"COLORADO" PRETENSIONS.

In one of our previous articles we said that propaganda against the exaggerated pretensions of the "colorados" was more needed, at the present moment, than propaganda in favor of the electoral accord.

This, on examination, will be found to prove itself true in many ways, for the whole difficulty of the political situation arises from the determination, tacit or expressed, of the "colorados" to perpetuate themselves in power as the dominant party of the Republic. Whilst one faction of the party is threatening to attain this end by provoking civil war, another faction is threatening to attain it by abusing the "colorado" majority in the Chambers to tamper with the electoral laws and to approve measures designed solely for partisan advantages. In both cases the ultimate object is the same, perpetuation in power; and in neither case is there pretence of legitimately consulting and obeying the wishes and interests of the country. Party before everything, is now, as it has been for many years past, the "colorado" motto.

We think that there is little doubt that the majority, we might even say the large majority, of the country, is heartily tired of "colorado" domination, and desires a change. If the opinion of the conservative, trading and working elements be taken, we believe it will be found to be almost unanimously against a continuation of "colorado" rule. The history of the "colorado" governments of the last thirty years has neither been so successful nor so creditable, that there is any desire to see it prolonged. Neither can it be said that the "colorados" hold out promise of better things for the future. In fact they have not pretended to present any programme whatever to the country. On such vital questions as tributary reform, judicial reform, tariff reform, public works, and so forth, the party is silent—it has no definite policy. It has never expressed remorse or repentance for its sins in the recent past, it shows no serious inclination to reform, or to adopt more progressive and civilised political ideas, and at this very moment its unmistakable tendencies are to return to the "collectivist" domination that has made it so detestable. Also, and once more at this very moment, its untrustworthiness to be the dominant party is being illustrated by its attitude in the Chambers towards the electoral laws. The measures which it is bringing forward, and especially that for increasing by one half the number of deputies, are not legitimate legislation. If every party which has once attained a majority in the Chambers were to abuse that majority to tamper with the electoral laws every time it found itself in electoral danger, it follows that any change of government becomes impossible. Such a process is despotism, not republican government, and inevitably leads to revolution. This, however, is the old story. Formerly the "colorados" kept themselves in power by directly suffocating the suffrage; now they wish to keep themselves in power by indirectly perverting it, and by moulding the electoral laws to suit their own interests. If the electoral laws are thus to be tampered with at every general election, the Republic will never reach electoral stability, nor will it be possible to attain a genuine expression of public opinion. Moreover, the very fact that the dominant party should find such a process necessary on the eve of a general election, is in itself a confession that it has

lost the public confidence, and has therefore lost the right to govern. If the "colorados" enjoyed the confidence of the Republic, and really had the majority of which they pretend to boast, they would have no reason to fear, as they evidently do fear, the results of a free election, and no necessity to tamper with the electoral laws.

To put the case in a few words; we fail, on examination, to find in the part, present or future of the "colorado" party a single claim to justify their continuation in power for another period, nor do we believe that such continuation is desired by the majority of the Republic or by the majority of the electors.

Why, then, should the Republic be indicted with this continuation, contrary to its will and its interests, merely on the threat of a discredited faction to provoke civil war in case of a change?

This is the problem which lies behind the "accord," and to this problem we still find no answer, nor have our political contemporaries attempted to answer it in plain terms. On the contrary, as we showed in our last article (May 1) this threat of civil war seems to have been accepted as sufficient to deviate the whole Republic from the path of legality and the free exercise of the suffrage. Is the threat really so formidable, and are the sound, honest and peaceable elements of the Republic really so weak?

We admit that, at the present moment, a fresh civil war would be a fatal evil and should be avoided at almost any cost. But we hesitate to admit that civil war can only be avoided by the sacrifice of the suffrage. As we showed the other day, there are other resources, and other methods, which have not yet been tried, but which might and should be tried. We have no objection to the "accord" in the abstract—it is just as legitimate an act as an election—but we do find fault with the "accord" as at present proposed, for the reasons that it delivers the Republic once more over to the power of the "colorados," against its will, and that the "colorados" are already showing their determination to abuse that power to secure it to themselves indefinitely. Next to civil war, that is the last thing wanted.

This brings us back to our starting point; namely, the necessity of propaganda against the exaggerated pretensions of the "colorados," and we are rather surprised that it should have been left to us, a foreign paper, to point this out.

What is wanted, then, is as follows, according to our ideas. The truth should be preached, from press and platform, that the Republic has reached a degree of civilisation in which a change of the governing party can be effected without necessarily provoking violence and civil war. This is elementary; and those who, for corrupt or selfish reasons, preach the contrary savage doctrine, should be held up to the public execration and contempt that they deserve. Are there no papers here capable of doing this? Secondly, the "colorados" should be told that their party, as at present constituted—if so disorganised a body can be called constituted—no longer enjoys public confidence, and has lost the moral and legal right to remain longer in power. They should be told that the majority of the Republic desires a change, and that such change will be good and wholesome equally for public interests and for their own. These things should be brought home to them as an expression of public opinion which they can only disobey at the risk of proclaiming themselves the public enemies. The idea that the "colorado" party, even if it had no sins to answer for, has any right to perpetual domination, must be combatted. And still more must be combatted the idea that the "colorado" party can sin, as it has done, against public interests and credit, and can fail to comply with the electoral laws, without paying the natural penalty in all countries of such conduct, namely expulsion from power. It is precisely one of the exaggerated pretensions of the "colorado" party that it should attempt to alter the electoral laws for its own benefit, after it has failed to comply with their provisions. And, lastly, steps should be taken, as indicated in our last, to protect the free exercise of the suffrage, and to crush every attempt or every threat of "colorado" violence in reply to an unfavorable election.

When these measures have been tried and have failed, but not before, the necessity of the "accord" will be proved more clearly than it is at present; and even then the "accord" should be made on the stipulation that a concession of the presidency and of a legislative majority to the "colorados" on this occasion, should be met by a similar concession on the part of the "colorados" to the nationalists on the next occasion—or, if this is still considered too abrupt, let a constitutionalist president intervene as more neutral. But, any "accord" which only tends to confirm "colorado" domination, as does the present, is an evil hardly less than civil war itself, and in fact only means the postponement of civil war for a few years.

NEWS OF THE DAY

MONTEVIDEO.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1901.

The Apparition of St. Michael.—Earl of Lucan born, 1830.—128 days past, 237 to the end of the year.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Neither of the Chambers sat on Monday.

Nothing very startling has transpired respecting the conspiracy mentioned in our last. The arrests of Antonio Pan and C. Baez have been completed by judicial order. Further arrests have been those of Capt. Lerena and Major Araujo. Others are spoken of, but cannot yet be given as certain. Several members of the Club Cruzada Libertadora are under suspicion, which is not surprising in view of their open violent and seditious propaganda. No official explanation has been vouchsafed of the affair, but the current tale is that it was not a revolutionary plot so much as a conspiracy against the person of Sr. Cuevas. It is said a number of compromising letters have been found which will lead to further developments. Our contemporaries do not treat the affair very seriously, nor has it had any noticeable effect on the Stock Exchange.

The Decree has been issued recognising Sr. T. Schlesinger as Consul for Austria-Hungary during the absence of Mr. Sievers.

Gainsborough's Lost Duchess.

How it was Recovered.

New York, April 8.
The circumstances of the recovery of Gainsborough's lost Duchess are as follows:—

Detective William Pinkerton was in conversation with Pat Sheedy when the latter related the manner in which he had been able to repay an obligation which had rested on him for years, and mentioned the name of the man to whom he had been indebted. At this point Pinkerton exclaimed, "That is the man who stole the Gainsborough." Sheedy immediately volunteered to secure the return of the picture if proper arrangements could be made. Sheedy said his friend had turned over a new leaf, and was now living honestly in England. He was the father of children who were nearly grown up and were ignorant of their father's offence.

Sheedy first exacted a promise from Pinkerton that no attempt should be made to discover the identity of his friend while Sheedy was opening the negotiations. He made a trip to England, and found that his friend was more than willing to permit the return of the picture. He thought, however, that he was entitled to £5,000. This proposition was made to Mr. Moreland Agnew, who directed that all further communication should be addressed to Scotland Yard.

At this juncture the matter was placed in the hands of Detective Robert Pinkerton, with whom Sheedy had hitherto conducted the negotiations. Immunity for the thief was promised, and he came to the United States. Mr. Agnew, being convinced that there was a prospect of the return of the canvas, came to the United States by the Etruria, accompanied by his wife, \$5,000 was placed in Sheedy's hands, and he obtained possession of the picture, which was concealed in a trunk with a false bottom. The transfer was made on the 27th of March at the hotel in Chicago. According to the "Herald," an understanding was entered into by those aware of the transaction, whereby Sheedy received a reward of £2,000. The "Herald" also states that the man who stole the picture is named Adam Worth, or Wirth, and is well-known to Scotland Yard.

An afternoon paper states that the thief was not at the hotel when the picture was delivered. As soon as Mr. Agnew had identified the picture the money was paid over to a gambler who was there, pledged not to reveal the name of the thief or that of the gambler who had acted as go-between.

Gold Mining in the Future.

Professor Shaler, of Harvard, in a lecture before a body of students at Cambridge, Mass., predicted that within the next thirty years there would be an influx of gold such as the world has never known, basing his statements on geological conditions, combined with recent improvements in mining machinery. "Up to the present time," he said, "men have been greatly handicapped in searching for gold by the fact that it was scattered so thinly through the earth. They have been able to find any amount of gravel paying from 10 cents to 30 cents to the cubic yard, but the expense of dredging has always been so great that they have been unable to extract it with profit. Now, however, the machinery of the dredgers has been greatly improved. Within the past three years dredgers have been operated in Russia and in the United States, especially in Leadville, Colorado, which have proved beyond question that alluvial soil can be profitably worked for gold. In the United States there are from 6,000 to 8,000 square miles which will give miners employment, and which can be accurately depended upon for producing gold. Similar areas in Russia, India, Africa, and Australia, will flood

the market, and if the value of gold remains the same the quantity will increase tenfold by the middle of the century."—*San Francisco Newsletter.*

Treasury Tyranny in the United States.

New York, April 7.

Mr. Priestman, a British subject many years domiciled in Philadelphia and a saloon passenger on board the Germanic, which arrived on Friday, was arrested by an immigration inspector as likely to become a charge on the public. The alleged ground was a report by the medical inspector that Mr. Priestman had an artificial arm, that he was therefore physically incapable of earning his living, and should, therefore, as an alien, be sent to Ellis Island, where, on arriving with immigrants of the lowest class, he was detained on suspicion of poverty. Mr. Priestman explained that he was a merchant doing a large business, exhibited a certified draft for \$10,000, and gave references, all vainly. The authorities insisted that he must submit to detention and examination. Finally, the White Star agent, by giving surety, obtained his release for the night. Next morning Mr. Priestman was compelled to report himself at Ellis Island, held in custody, compelled to submit to examination and other degrading formalities, asked whether he had ever been in gaol, and then finally discharged. There is not the slightest doubt of Mr. Priestman's good position, reputation, ample means, entire respectability, and large business connexions.

This arrest was the act of the Treasury officials. The Treasury seems disposed to admit that a mistake was made. The *New York Tribune* describes it as "one of those outrages which sometimes suggest that the United States is a barbarous nation which considers the words 'foreigner' and 'enemy' as synonymous." The American immigration laws, remarks a steamship official, are "the most unjust, autocratic, and inhuman anywhere in the world." Heretofore these laws have been enforced against the humbler and poorer classes, but it is now seen that no class is legally exempt and no arriving passenger safe from insult and imprisonment. If he escapes the immigration inspectors, he becomes the certain prey of the Customs. Says to-day's *World*:

"Mr. Gage is responsible. Is it impossible for him to conduct his office in accordance with the principles of decency and respect for human rights which prevail even in semi-barbarous countries?" His Assistant-Secretary, Mr. Spaulding, has just made a fresh declaration that he intends to continue the present system.

Races.

The following are the entries and handicaps for the meeting to be held at Maroñas next Sunday:—

Premio Nelson—1400 metres—Collectivista 62 kilos, Petronio 58, Apolo 57, Lidita 56, Agapito 56, Bucoeta 54, Rondador 53, Nelson 53.

Premio Gama—1200 metres—Pasionaria 52, Sanducera 55 1/2, Reyna 52, Mesonier 57 1/2, Imanes 57 1/2, Paicida 52.

Premio Montevideo—1300 metres—Lidiador 60 kilos, Londres 59, Victoriosa 58, Relampago 56, Polvora 56, Ariel 54, Trafalgar 54, Olimar Chico 54, Iowa 48, Idealista 51.

Premio Lavalleja—Catay 50 kilos, Arcabucero 52, Yarasaca 50, Mesalina 52, Ya verán 50, Damita 50, Gondola 52.

Premio Jonica—1400 metres—Londres 60 kilos, Dayman 60, Ariel 55, Relampago 57, Malaka 54, Fram 55, Cumandá 53, Idealista 52, Verdadero 49.

Premio Yerba Amarga—2000 metres—Vedada 62 kilos, Lybia 62, Rozeueto 60, Victoriosa 49, Manzanares 47, Don Dalmiro 47, Orcebat 45, Uratán 43.

THE WAR.

Lord Kitchener reports that in recent days the troops have killed 4 Boers, wounded 5, and taken 118 prisoners, 118,000 cartridges and 120 provision wagons. (Similar telegrams to this, varying only in the figures, appear every two or three days. As they give neither date nor place, and make no reference to British losses, it cannot be said that they add much to our information. We must confess that we would like something more explicit—but frankness is not the present policy of the day.)

A Renter's telegram from Pretoria states that Steijn has recovered from his attack of dysentery, which forced him into temporary retirement, and has rejoined De Wet in a valley north of Heilbron.

At Johannesburg General Baden-Powell has reviewed his Police Force and congratulated them on their good bearing.

The War Office announces that the British losses in the campaign to date (April 30) have been 63,498, not counting those now in hospital.

The *Temps* (leading Paris paper) of yesterday refers editorially to the war, saying that it has degenerated into an inhuman enterprise, solely inspired by the avarice of the British

people. The British Government, it adds, is blind, and shuts its eyes to the horrors and cruelties being committed. Feelings of nobility and humanity demand that so iniquitous a war should be terminated.

Letters have been received in Amsterdam from St. Helena describing the unhappy life led there by the Boer prisoners. They are very depressed, and pass their days in devotional exercises. Several of them have gone mad, including the wife of Gen. Cronje, who imagines that her husband is Napoleon III and she the Empress Eugenie. Gen. Cronje is in bad health.

SUNDRIES.

—**CIBULS THEATRE.**—The performance this evening will be for the benefit of the second prima donna Sra. D'Aponte. The programme consists of "Marius," the 2nd Act of "Anillo de Hierro," and a concert.

—**DEATH.**—News comes from Buenos Aires of the death of the veteran English resident and merchant Mr. George Nuttall. We understand that he was not related to the Nuttall family of this city.

—**SUICIDE.**—On Monday afternoon, in the Plaza Zabala, a man named Albino Rebay or Rebaig committed suicide by shooting himself in the head, dying soon after he was removed to the Hospital. He was about 30 years of the age and had recently been employed as a policeman in the 1st Section. Some of the papers say he was an Englishman, others call him Italian. —In the house Guadalupe 10 the servant girl Carmen Perdomo, aged 18, tried to commit suicide by throwing herself into the well. As she had forgotten the drought, there was not water enough to drown her, and the foolish girl was taken out without worse consequences than a cold bath.

—**EXCURSION.**—The Central Uruguay Railway Company will run trains at cheap rates for the fides to be held at Las Piedras on the 16th and 16th instant.

—**QUARANTINE.**—The health authorities are reported to be at last considering the advisability of removing quarantines against Rio Janeiro and Santos.

—**SMALL-POX.**—It is authoritatively stated that the number of cases of small-pox in this city, to date, has been 29, of which 3 were fatal. There has also been one case in Fray Bentos, and one in San Eugenio, both imported from Argentina. Vaccination proceeds vigorously, all over the Republic.

—**PORTRAITS.**—Messrs. Galli, Franco and Co. of Calle 25 de Mayo, have now on sale portraits of these popular military heroes Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener. These are taken by the celebrated London photographers Elliot and Fry by a new bas-relief process which gives them a remarkable life-like aspect. We do not know if this process is yet known out here, but the effect is certainly remarkable, and for this reason, if for no other, the portraits are worth acquiring.

—**SUGAR.**—The new taxation of sugar invests with a fresh interest a remark of Lord Beaconsfield in his "Life of Benbow": "Sugar is an article of Colonial produce which has been embarrassing, if not fatal, to many Governments. Strange that a manufacture which charms infancy and soothes old age should so frequently occasion political disaster."

—**ROGUEY ON RATS.**—"Curse me the British vermin, the rats!" exclaimed the writer of "Maud," 2,797 of those unpopular animals perished in three weeks of a March campaign against them in the Port of London. 1,193 of these were gathered from the Royal Albert Dock alone, which has seemed quite a strange place to its frequenters since the holocaust. They do it as part of the general precautions in regard to plague. "The Hanover ship" mentioned by the poet is not nowadays regarded as a likely source of infection; vessels from India, South Africa, and Glasgow are those to which most attention is paid. Rat-happiness is further threatened by the series of experiments now being conducted at the Jenner Institute with the coeca-bacillus of which Dr. Daisys is so justly proud. It cannot be considered either grateful or comforting, since several rats have passed into the Beyond as the consequence of a moderate indulgence in bread soaked in the virus.

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LONDON NOTES.

TUESDAY, APRIL 9.

At the annual conference of the National Union of Teachers, opened at Great Yarmouth yesterday, the President, Mr. James Blacker, advocated a compromise on the lines of a national system of education. Clericalism was still rampant at the Board of Education, and teachers were com-

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elled to recognise that clerical educational authorities were raising serious objections to progress.

Speaking at the annual Conference of the Independent Labour party, begun at Leicester yesterday, Mr. J. Bruce Glasier, of Stockport, who presided, said that his attitude was against the South African war, whilst the idea of conscription he condemned as an abominable expedient contrary to British ideas.

Parliament and the liquor laws was a subject brought prominently before the thirty-second annual session of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars opened at Hanley yesterday.

Representatives of shop assistants, warehousemen, and clerks met again in conference at Essex Hall, Strand, when a number of subjects concerning their welfare, including compulsory early closing, were dealt with.

A large number of the men displaced by the dispute at Lord Penryn's quarries met at Bethesda yesterday, and agreed to the principle of arbitration in the matter.

Mr. William Woodall, formerly M.P. for Hanley, died at Llandudno yesterday morning. Owing to enfeebled health Mr. Woodall did not seek reelection at the last election.

Questioned on his arrival from New York by the Canard liner Etruria in Liverpool yesterday, Mr. C. Moreland Agnew admitted that he had brought with him the long missing Gainsborough picture, "The Duchess of Devonshire."

For systematic thefts from passengers' luggage on the Midland Railway, a guard named James Huntley, was yesterday sentenced, at Lancaster Quarter Sessions, to five years' penal servitude.

Robert and Walter Pattison, managing directors of the great Leith whisky firm, which failed in 1899, were yesterday arrested by order of the Crown authorities. They were later liberated on bail.

Although boisterous, the weather during the greater part of yesterday was sufficiently favourable to allow immense numbers of persons to thoroughly enjoy the Bank Holiday.

Every place of amusement, both indoor and out, was well patronised; and Hampstead Heath, the parks, and other open spaces in and near London were thronged with pleasure-seekers.

As the result of the game between Tottenham Hotspur and West Bromwich Albion at Aston Villa Grounds yesterday in the semi-final round for the Football Association Challenge Cup, the first-named club won by four goals to none, all the scoring taking place after half-time.

Among League Championship matches Notts Forest were defeated by Blackburn Rovers and Bolton Wanderers by Sunderland.

On the Rifle Range.

One day the officer commanding a Sussex Volunteer regiment met one of his lieutenants on the rifle-range. The lieutenant was shooting, and he "called" each shot as he fired without waiting for the markers to signal the result.

"You're a pretty good guesser," said the colonel. "Why don't you admit you're guessing where those shots land?"

"I'll bet you a box of cigars," said the junior officer, "that I can call twenty shots correctly in succession." "Taken!" said the older warrior, who was nothing if not a sportsman. The lieutenant fired.

"Miss," he announced, and a red flag from the target told that this was correct.

Another shot. "Miss," he declared. A third shot. "Miss again," he said. Fourth shot. "Fourth miss," announced the young officer. Another shot. "Miss," again sang out the lieutenant.

"Hold on there!" put in the colonel. "What are you trying to do? I thought you were going to fire at the target."

"I am trying to win my box of cigars," said the lieutenant.

"Don't fire any more," said the colonel, "they're yours."

COMMERCIAL

STOCK EXCHANGE

Montevideo, May 7, 1901.

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Paris 90d/s.	5.40	5.425-435
Antwerp 90d/s.	5.41	5.44-45
Germany 90d/s.	4.39	4.425-43
N. York	0.98-975	—
Italy	5.62-63	—
Spain	7.23-26	—
Brazil	18.900	19.250
B. Aires.	par.	1 dis.

Business Notes.

The Custom House paid into the London Bank yesterday \$21065 on account of the Consolidated Debt and Railway guarantee service and \$2568 on account of the 5% Loan service.

Gold opened in B. Aires yesterday at 231.20, and closed at 231.10.

Exchange upon London was quoted in Rio Janeiro yesterday at 12 1/16 to 5/8 to 9/32 to 5/8 to 11/16 to 3/4 to 13/16 d per milreis.

Antwerp, 7. Wool, class B, 4.15 francs for June, 4.20 for September.

The Customs Receipts for April were \$990,320 against \$1,012,082 in the same month last year.

Saladero Killings.

	May 7.	Total to date.
R. Vellozo	..	31781
P. San Martin e hijos.	..	714 17310
P. Denis & Co.	..	581 25233
Anaya e Irigoyen.	..	27186
Aguerre y Ca.	..	647 19983
F. Freguero.	..	23843
F. Obispo Larraide y Co.	..	183 24423
Rosario Tabares.	..	220 33880
Duclos y Monlié.	..	237 19559
E. Legrand y Co.	..	499 31861
Enrique H. Vellozo.	..	15825
Jaume Hnos.	..	23387
Total.	..	3061 287701

Same year of 1900. .. 332019

Prices, Buoyes \$ 12 1/2 to 18

Novillos, .. 11 to 18

Vacas, .. 9 to 12

Buenos Aires, May 7, 1901.

Gold, cash, 231.20.

Do. end of month, 231.50.

Cedulas 8%, Prov., cash, 15.

Emprestito Popular Interno, 1898, cash, 77.30.

Do. end of month, 77.70.

Consolidada de Santa Fé, 1886, cash, 59.

Muelles y Depositos de La Plata, (oro) cash, 6.20, end of month, 6.25.

Do. end of June, 6.35.

Banco Espanol, cash, 128.

The "Eolo" and "Jupiter" sail.

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

Montevideo, May 7, 1901.

—Str. Venus from B. Aires, 74 pass.

—Str. Colombia from Aires, 52 pass.

—Str. Triton from Salto, 64 pass.

—Str. Maria Manuela from Asuncion, 6 pass.

—Str. Quebracho from Parana, 64 pass.

—Str. Miguel Jover from B. Aires, for Genoa, 47 pass.

—Str. Dart from Antofagasta.

—Str. Prome from B. Aires.

—Strs. Venus and Colombia for B. Aires.

—Str. Maria Manuela for Asuncion

MAIL STEAMERS

LEAVING TO-DAY

—The str. EOLO will leave TO-DAY for B. Aires only. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 4.15 p.m.

—The str. TRITON will leave TO-DAY for B. Aires and Salto. Hours as above.

—The str. RAVENNA will leave TO-DAY for St. Vincent, Barcelona, Genoa and Naples. Correspondence at G.P.O. till —.

OTHER DATES

—The str. VENEZUELA will leave May 9 for Las Palmas, Barcelona and Genoa. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 10.30 a.m.

—The str. WHAKATANE will leave May 9 for Tenerife and London. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 1 p.m.

—The str. PFALZ will leave May 9 for Madeira, Vigo, Southampton, Antwerp and Bremen. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 11 p.m. on the 8th.

—The R.M.S. THAMES will leave May 11 for Santos, Rio Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Lisbon, Vigo, Cherbourg and Southampton. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 1.30 p.m.

Note.—In addition to the hours mentioned above, letters for all these steamers will be received, without extra charge, in the Adana Kiosk until the P.O. agents leave to go on board the steamers.

Steamers to arrive.

MAY	NAME	FLAG	FROM
8	Clematis	English	Capetown
8	Hylas	English	Liverpool
8	Orion	Italian	Genoa
8	Euria	German	Hamburg
9	Atlantic	French	Bordeaux
9	Italia	French	Marseilles
9	Antonina	German	Genoa
10	Whakatane	English	New Zealand
10	A. Coubert	French	Hayre
10	Theben	German	Valparaiso
10	Harmonides	English	New York
11	Yorkshire	English	Liverpool
12	Cordillere	French	Bordeaux
12	Ramsey	German	Valparaiso
13	H. Brigade	English	London
13	Ancher	German	Bremen
15	Hallepas	English	Liverpool
16	Britanny	English	Liverpool

Steamers to leave.

MAY	NAME	FLAG	FOR
8	Corrientes	German	Dunkerque
8	Hippomenes	English	Liverpool
8	Ravenna	Italian	Genoa
8	Hilarias	English	Liverpool
9	Pfalz	German	Southampton
9	Venezuela	Italian	Genoa
11	Whakatane	English	London
11	Yorkshire	English	Valparaiso
11	Provence	French	Marseilles
12	S. Francisco	Spanish	Bordeaux
12	Cordouaz	French	Bordeaux
12	Orion	Italian	Genoa
16	Harmonides	English	Liverpool
17	Oravia	English	Liverpool
18	Atlantic	French	Bordeaux
18	Cap Verde	German	Vigo
19	Italia	French	Marseilles
19	Antonina	German	Barcelona

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(Continued)

But on the third morning of Ernest Leeson's holiday in Bridge-on-Sea a chance event happened of considerable importance to him. The boys invited him to a prolonged paddle a mile or more on the south side of the town.

"There's a place there," said Francis, "where the waves are such whoppers they knock you down if you don't dodge them. It's a pretty quiet, too, I suppose?" suggested Ernest.

"Oh, rather — no one goes there because it's frightful hard work getting through the soft sand to it."

"All right, then. Just fetch me a couple of towels and my — Oh, well, never mind, I'll find them myself. I'm going to bathe."

"And me!" cried the one small brother.

"And me, both of us! All the three of us. That'll be splendid!" said Francis.

Mrs. Leeson, however, interposed in this gay programme. She caught the two little boys on the stairs and put an extinguisher on their enthusiasm.

"You will do no such thing, children," she said in her most determined tone. Mrs. Williams chanced to appear on the landing above. To her Mrs. Leeson then addressed herself — "Will you be good enough not to permit them to take towels out of the house without my express sanction?" she said, more as a command than a question.

The uproarious protests of the boys had no effect, nor yet their big brother's appeal on their behalf.

"You, Ernest," said Mrs. Leeson, "will, of course, do as you please, though pray be careful. But I want Francis and John to go into the town with me."

Leaving the youngsters to digest their grievance as best they could, Ernest Leeson made for Corner Port, as this particular little cove was called. There was a lively breeze in from the sea, and the waves flagged the sands with their long white rollers. But, though commonly quite susceptible to nature's more bracing moods, this day Ernest Leeson didn't spare a thought for the invigorating scene itself. He was refreshing himself with a vision that had come upon him suddenly as he lay in bed the first night in this Bridge-on-Sea lodging-house—a vision in which he saw himself married and in a home of his own, with a certain grey-eyed girl sitting in a shady part of a lawn—a small snug lawn completely surrounded with trees—a nurse with a babe in her arms that yelled "Daddy!" while the grey-eyed girl smiled, and a fox terrier stretched on the sward, with lolling tongue and eyes turned worshipfully towards its master.

"By Jove!" muttered Ernest, as he plodded through the sand, which was soft, "I wish it was possible."

He followed, more or less casually, a set of six footprints, all small. At length he reached the rocky fringe of Corner Port. Two little girls were industriously building a castle of sand on foundations of sand just on the other side of the rocks. They looked up brightly as his shadow oppressed their castle.

"Well," thought Ernest, "this knocks my bathe on the head. It's a bore, but—"

"Please," said one of the little girls, "get out of the way of the sun."

"Oh, certainly. What sort of a palace do you call that?" He laughed as he sometimes laughed with children, and the hearts of the two little girls straightway went out to him.

"It's for Miss Williams when she's grown downhill enough," said one of them.

But the other objected.

"You know, Ella," she said positively, "it's nothing of the kind. It's for the little crabs to crawl into out of the rain. Don't you think that's best?"

"I do, indeed," said Ernest, looking about him. Was it conceivable that the Miss Williams mentioned was the lodging-house keeper's daughter? and if so, where was she? He felt extremely eager, and considering what a big fellow he was, agitated also.

"But you mustn't tell her till it's finished," said the first little girl, who seemed to be quite opinionated.

"Where is she — to tell?" asked Ernest.

"She's reading a history book where nobody can't see her," said the second little girl. "We're to shout when the waves — oh, if they haven't done it already, Ella! Look!"

"Hush!" said Ernest, checking the screams that were just about to break from both of them, "I'll

tell her. Where is she? You go on with your castle. Its walls aren't nearly thick enough; you can't have 'em too thick in these parts, you know!"

Both little girls looked at him with great gravity.

"Where is she?" he continued. "Round the corner where that fountain was," said Ella. The fountain was a towering plume of spray from a wave smashed on the cliff edge.

"All right, I'll tell her and bring her back to you."

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