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NEWS OF THE DAY.
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Saint Mark the Evangelist.—115 days past, 250 to the end of the year.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.
The following were the Custom House Receipts for the month of March, 1906:—
Importation, \$ 1,304,398.22
Exportation, 112,311.46
Departments, estimate, 103,000.00
Total, \$ 1,519,709.68

This compares with the same month in previous years as follows:—1905-\$1,208,450; 1904-\$890,496; 1903-\$1,011,188; 1902-\$996,313; 1901-\$1,113,240; 1900-\$1,073,098; 1899-\$1,064,797; 1898-\$1,224,432.

March is generally the busiest month in the year for the Custom House, and this has proved no exception. The above figures show an increase of \$311,259 on the corresponding month of last year, and establish a record for the month.

Despite strikes, political anxieties, a bad harvest, drought, and other troubles, the first three months of the year have given a splendid result for the Custom House, thus giving token of great commercial activity, and there has already been a notable advance on the Customs Revenue of last year, high as that was. This is a favorable and comforting symptom, and it is to be hoped that the same state of affairs will continue throughout the year.

BANK OF THE REPUBLIC.
We condense below the balance sheet of the Bank of the Republic dated March 31, adding for the sake of comparison some of the figures from the balance sheet of the previous month.

Credit.—Unissued shares of 2nd Series \$5,000,000;—Unissued bonus shares, \$1,718,373.65;—Various Debtors, \$16,198,928 (in Feb., \$13,447,610);—Guarantee of Judicial Deposits, \$1,183,600 nom. in Bonds of the Extraordinary Loan, 3rd Series, at 85 cts, \$1,006,060;—Values deposited, \$10,433,212.26 (in Feb., \$11,477,545);—Cash in hand, \$10,043,610.75 (in Feb., \$9,636,908);—Total, \$44,000,212.26.

Debit.—Capital, nominal, \$12,000,000;—Various creditors, \$10,217,190 (in Feb., \$8,129,813);—Judicial Deposits and Retentions, \$765,917.86;—Notes in circulation, \$10,710,739 (in Feb., \$9,720,415);—Reserve Fund, \$281,626.35;—Silver cheques conforming in circulation, \$1500;—Depositors of values, \$10,433,212.26;—Total, \$44,400,185.60.

POLITICAL NOTES.
The Senators held a short sitting on Monday, no business of general interest transpiring.

The note of the day has been an incident in which the President Sr. Battle and the Deputy Dr. Luis A. de Herrera, editor of the nationalist organ *La Democracia* appear as actors. On Sunday the *Democracia* published a short article commenting on the extraordinary precautions of safety adopted by Sr. Battle whenever he ventures outside the doors of his house. This was written in "chaffing" spirit, in no way exceeding the bounds of decent journalism, and ended with the query "Who said fear?" ("¿Quién dijo miedo?") The *Diario* immediately replied with a paragraph concluding with an allusion to an incident in the private life of Dr. de Herrera, the insulting intention of which was obvious. On Monday, Dr. de Herrera sent his friends Drs. M. C. Martínez and J. Quiñana to Dr. Arens, the co-editor of the *Diario*, to demand satisfaction. Meanwhile, the Deputy Sr. R. Freire visited Dr. de Herrera, and explained that he came on behalf of the President, Sr. Battle, who admitted the authorship of the insulting paragraph in the *Diario*, maintained what he said therein, and placed himself at the disposal of Dr. de Herrera nine months hence (meaning, when he was no longer President.) At the same time, the seconds of Dr. de Herrera reported that, the author of the offending paragraph being the President of the Republic, his high official position prevented any further proceedings in the matter. Thus the matter ends for the present. We may leave our readers to imagine the comments that have been aroused by the revelation that the President of the Republic descends, in the columns of his own paper, to an exchange of personalities, while his official position shields him from the usual responsibility.

The *Asom* recently published the full text of the decisions of the Fiscal Dr. L. R. Burgos and the Judge of Crímenes Dr. Mendoza y Durán in the case of Dr. Morrelli and the other nationalists arrested in March last. As our readers already know, the case resulted in their complete acquittal for want of any incriminating evidence. The following remarks of Dr. Burgos, however, are worth reproducing:—"The documents seized in the offices of the Nationalist Directorate also have no relation with any of the political defendants, neither have they any value or effect for the prosecution of anybody, or to proceed further with these investigations. . . . All the papers and documents which have been presented as proof of the guilt of the political defendants, refer to the past, some of them to a past sufficiently remote, and, apart from this fact which deprives them of value, since there is nothing to prove their relation or connection with the present events that have given rise to the arrest of so very many citizens throughout the Republic, there is nothing that demonstrates in a positive manner the culpability of the accused in revolutionary plans or conspiracies. The Judge entirely concurs in the view of the Fiscal, and states so distinctly, though the *Diario* tried to make out the contrary."

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The Training of the Mistress.
The writer of the "Notes" in the "Church-woman" section of the *Guardian* says:—"The 'servant difficulty' is not one to be solved in the course of an afternoon conference. But the speakers at Caxton Hall brought practical knowledge and experience to bear on the subject, and some valuable contributions to its better consideration were made. It was obvious that the distaste for domestic duties—of which much has been heard—was not confined to the maids, but was shared to a great extent by the mistresses; and the same may be said of the ignorance that is largely to blame for this distaste. In our opinion one of the speakers—a teacher of standing—hit the right nail on the head in saying that 'she believed the work was enjoyed by the girls as soon as they became expert in it.' Work in which the worker can take pride is seldom felt to be irksome, and mistresses who in former days prided themselves on their skill in all household matters were both able and willing to impart their knowledge to their maids. To-day much of the domestic work for which careful training was essential is no longer done at home, the mistress contends herself with merely nominal supervision, and the work—in which she takes no active share and, it is to be feared, no very intelligent interest—has not unnaturally fallen in public estimation. Efficient training of the mistress, even more than that of the maid, will be the remedy by which to bring a cultivated intelligence to bear on all details of household work and thereby raise it to a higher level. Conditions of domestic service, it may be said, have already improved. Lifts, telephones, hot and cold water services have lessened the demands on physical strength, wages are higher, and in many respects the position of servants has never been better than at present. There is still, however, room for further advance. While in many houses the comfort of servants is as it should be, carefully considered, there are others in which not only comfort but health is held of small account. A striking instance of this was lately given in the Exposition Tuberculeuse, in Paris, when a faithful reproduction—life-size—of a servant's bedroom in the Champs Elysées was shown side by side with the cell of a prisoner in a modern prison. The servant had to sleep in a tiny, badly-furnished room, with only a small skylight, which in wet weather would have to be kept shut, whereas the prisoner had an excellent window, and his furniture, though of the simplest, was good and sufficient. Probably the main objection to service, however, will be found in the long hours and absence of a reasonable amount of liberty, in which respects it compares unfavourably with the work of the shop-assistant, the typist, and the factory-girl. But given fair opportunities for exercise, recreation, and intercourse with friends, much of the prejudice against it is likely to disappear, and there are, we believe, many women for whom domestic work and the quiet and regular life of the home will always have attractions, and for whom it will prove the best preparation for the home of their own to which they look forward."

Health of Open-Air Workers.
The Lancet.—"The advocates of fresh air for all at every possible opportunity have a very strong argument on their side in the healthy aspect of those whose callings compel them to live much in the open air. The unhealthy appearance of the drivers and stokers on the Underground Railway when it was worked by steam, and also of the guards and even the attendants at the stations, was notorious, but although the smoke fiend has been banished from a considerable section of the railway only a few months, a considerable improvement may be observed already in the appearance of the officials concerned. Instead of presenting a dull, putty-coloured complexion, as was formerly the case in so many instances, the employees on the Underground Railway are slowly but surely assuming a healthier tone and colour, which bespeak a supply of purer air and consequently a healthier condition of the processes of respiration, circulation, and nutrition. The men employed on the trains and stations of the railways above ground present a healthy appearance, owing to their constantly being out in the open-air. Again, speaking generally, the cabman, the omnibus driver and conductor, the postman, and the policeman benefit by being obliged to be constantly outdoors. These examples could obviously be multiplied, and there would thus appear to be ample compensation for the occasional discomforts of outdoor life. Of course, the conditions of indoor life can be made to approach those of outdoor life by providing efficient means of ventilation, but however good ventilation may be it is still the equivalent of absolutely fresh or outside air. Mental factors, it is true, are concerned in the advantages accruing from taking a holiday, but a healthier condition of environment ministers powerfully also to the benefit gained at such a time. In the case of a great number of persons practically the holiday is the only time when a systematic and really effectual course of pure and fresh air can be taken, and the principle that the man engaged in a sedentary life should have greater opportunities for holidays or for obtaining fresh air than the man who pursues an active outdoor life, has scientific reasoning at the bottom of it and, we need hardly add, common sense."

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The English walnut is the most fruitful of nut trees.
Canada has the largest forest in the world. It is in the Labrador and Hudson Bay district, and is, roughly, 1,000 by 1,700 miles in extent.
The Forth Bridge, in Scotland, is constantly being repainted. So vast is the structure that it takes fifty tons of paint to give it one coat.
In Sinn the number of rooms in a house, of windows or doors in a room, even of rungs on a ladder, must always be odd. Even numbers are considered unlucky.
Children in Italy are never allowed to rub their eyes. When an infant bursts into tears, no effort is made to repress the emotion, but the youngster is allowed to have its cry out. It is claimed that this benefits the eyes and makes them clear, while rubbing the eyes injures them in many ways.
The congregation of a church in Iowa (U.S.A.) have set a shining example in the matter of building churches. They decided to have no debt, and in order to avoid it, they agreed to have the estimated cost apportioned among the members according to the amount of their property as shown on the rate assessors' books. The money was cheerfully paid, and in a very short time a beautiful church was erected and opened.
Horsehair in large quantities is annually used for making and repairing violins, violoncellos, and bass viol bows.
Vieling cards of iron are popular on the Continent, the name being printed in silver. The thickness of the cards is one four-hundredth of an inch.
An ostrich feather, if held upright, will be seen to be perfectly equal on both sides, the stem dividing it exactly in the centre. In other feathers the stems are found to be more or less on one side.
Ants can stand either extreme heat or cold. Forty-eight hours exposure to frost will not kill them, while one variety has been observed to build its nest in chinks in a blacksmith's forge.

SUNDRIES.
—WEATHER.—Unsettled in aspect, temperature rising again.
—P. S. N. CO.'S "GALLO."—This vessel, though expected yesterday, had not been signalled at the time of writing, but it is to be presumed that she will be in this morning. Meanwhile, it is eleven days since the last English mail delivery, and we have no later London dates than March 22. The "Gaelic," we may mention, is almost always behind time, and it will be a blessing when she is taken off the service and replaced by a faster boat, as we believe will shortly be the case. These delays in the mail delivery are not merely annoying, but seriously prejudicial to those whose business depends on the punctual arrival of mails. French steamers brought dates to March 30 three days ago, but the English Post Office is still too antiquated to avail itself of these.
—MR. G. E. STILL.—This gentleman has returned from B. Aires, and leaves to-day by the "Romney" for a three months' holiday. We hope that he may return completely restored to health. He expects to be back about the end of July.
—URQUIZA THEATRE.—Verdi's "Ernani," an opera rarely heard now, will be performed tomorrow.—In the course of May, when the present opera season is over, the popular, inimitable and unforgettable Fregoli will appear in this theatre.
—POLITEAMA THEATRE.—No performance this evening. Tomorrow Sardou's drama "Andréine."—The visit of the present Company is nearly finished, and it will be succeeded by the Spanish Dramatic Company of Sr. Vico (the son of the famous Spanish tragedian, now dead).
—CASINO.—The latest arrivals here are Mary Ditz, Spanish dancer, and Mlle. Crotot, French singer.
—MORE ENTERPRISE.—According to a contemporary, Sr. Domingo Urquiza, the capitalist who built the handsome Urquiza Theatre, proposes to spend \$200,000 in building a fine Hotel and Casino at the Playa Ramirez. Plans have already been prepared, and will shortly be presented to the authorities for approval. It is not said that he asks for any special concession.
—NEW PARK.—It is stated that the Government has decided to cede to the Municipality 174,000 square meters of land on the Calle Figueras (between Tres Cruces and La Unión) for the formation of a Central Park. The property is part of that known as the *Visca quinta*, which passed to the State in connection with the liquidation of the National Company of Credit and Public Works, of unhappy memory.—The statement is rather surprising, as the land bequeathed to the Municipality by the late Sr. A. Pereira for the purpose of a park is in practically the same district. Possible it may be intended to combine the two, but there is neither necessity for nor utility in two parks so near together.

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PITH OF THE PRESS.
Mr. Haldane does not urge conscription. He suggests that people should be compelled to serve voluntarily.—"The Globe."
Cheap, popular, publicly owned rapid transit is the best way to disperse the ghettos of poverty, the slums of misery and the Alsatias of vice.—John Burns, M.P., quoted in "Independent," New York.
The pulpit, the platform, the Press, and the purse form the only mechanism through which public opinion can be really influenced in our country under present conditions.—"Empire Review."
The wave of discontent and reform extends over a large part of the civilized world.—It is beating against monarchy in Russia and Germany and aristocracy in England.—"Moody's Magazine," New York.
Army officers regard the frauds of the War Office as essentially wasteful, and some of them think it no wrong to cheat that detested institution in return, whenever the rather rare opportunity presents itself.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. Pollock, in "Monthly Magazine."
It is now a question whether we are free to conclude treaties and friendships without the consent of the Kaiser or if we are condemned for ever to accept a protection which much resembles slavery, and renounces our position as a great Power in the world.—"Echo de Paris."
In the name of common sense, why should the House of Commons not be run on up-to-date, business lines? A time limit is badly needed for all speeches. And a padded room for every member who persists in talking when he really has nothing to say.—J. T. Macpherson, M.P., in "Weekly Dispatch."
At its best it must be admitted that doctors' Latin is, in the words of a distinguished professor, "doggy and mediæval; for our own part we would go so far as to say that it is more 'doggy' than mediæval. At its worst it is a monstrous torrendum with which no respectable dog would own kinship.—"British Medical Journal."
That Great Britain is prepared to give the Colonies the protection of her Navy as a free gift is certainly generous—touchingly so indeed—but we question its wisdom. Fully alive as we are to the importance of knitting together the units that comprise the British Empire, any bargain that is struck for joint defence should be mutually advantageous.—"Times of India," Bombay.
Women really seem to be growing quite silly over their attachment to their pets. One lady recently buried her dog in a white satin coffin, with flowers strewn over it; another carried a bottle of Apollinaris water about with her lest her dog should drink of contaminated water; another will not accept an invitation unless her dog is included in it.—"Lady Violet Greville," in "The Graphic."
Wealth has a distinctly barbarizing tendency. Solitude, for instance, is one of the deepest desires and instincts of the rich man. It is also one of the desires and instincts of the savage. The Englishman who travels to Scotland first class in order to have "a carriage to himself all the way" may be a very nice fellow, but no one can describe him as a civilized man. He is yielding to the savage shyness, the skulking isolation, of an Ojibway.—Illustrated London News.
"If you treat us in the spirit which I find everywhere among Liberals, you need have no fear of any trouble from us. The Boer made a stout fight as long as fighting was possible. When he laid down his arms, he made peace; and if you keep your word, as you seem to have every intention of doing, you will have no reason to complain of any awkwardness on our part. There is every desire on our part to co-operate with you, and I am greatly pleased to find so genuine a desire on your part to co-operate with us.—Mr. Engelburg, editor of the "Volkstem," in "Review of Reviews."
Old-fashioned lovers wanted to be alone; modern lovers go out with gangs of friends.—"Ambrosio," in "The World."
If anything the average woman's mind is far less refined than man's. In fact, the unenlightened, the innocent, the blushing person of nature is man.—"Lady's Realm."
Excess of eating and drinking, the fashion of modern society, is the commonest cause of most of the so-called trivial ailments commencing before middle-life.—Dr. W. K. Sibley, in "Strand Magazine."
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COMMERCIAL

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Montevideo, April 24, 1906.

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EXCHANGE.

Bank Commercial.
L'ongodja, 51 3/4 7/8 51 1/16
Paris godja, 5 41 5 43 5 44
Antwerp godja, 5 42 4 45 5 46
Germany godja, 4 41 5 44 5 45
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Italy, 5.37-37.5
Spain, 6.15-16
Brazil, 15.700 15.900
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Buenos Aires, April 24

Cedulas F. Nacionales, cash, 103 00.
Do. H. cash, 104.50.
Do. J. cash, 102.00.
Do. K. cash, 93.50.
Cedulas 8^{te} Provinciales, cash, 48 30.
Do. end of May, 48.80.
Certificados Banco de la Provincia, cash, 84.00.
Crédito Argentino, cash, 98.30.
Consolidada de Santa F, 1893, cash, 91.80.
Consolidada G oja, cash, 92.50.
Do. 2nd Series, 92.50.
Banco Español, cash, 102.00.
Certificados Banco Español, cash, 118 00.
Banco de Italia, cash, 134.00.
Catalinas, cash, 10.90.
Do. end of month, 10.90.
Do. end of May, 11.10.
Muito Grosso Lavanderas de oro, de \$5000, cash, 10.80.
Do. end of month, 10.90.
Do. end of May, 11.10.
Muelles, cash, 20.30.
Do. end of month, 20.40.
Do. end of May, 20.70.
Puerto San Nicolás, cash, 42.30.
Do. end of month, 42.60.
Do. end of May, 43.60.
The "Venus" sails.

MARITIME

ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS.

Montevideo, April 24, 1906.

—Str. Colombia from B. Aires, 228 pass.
—Str. Triton from Salto, 201 pass.
—Str. Sirio from B. Aires, for Rio Janeiro, 7 pass.
—Str. Minerva from B. Aires.
—Str. Helopos from La Plata, for Liverpool.
—Str. Leon XIII from Genoa, 31 pass., for B. Aires.
—Str. Elm Branch from Valparaíso, for Havre.
—Str. Papanui from Lyttelton, for London, 12 pass.
—Str. Heelsum from Fray Bentos, for Antwerp.
—Str. Monea for Hamburg.
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25 Gaelic	English	Liverpool
25 Savoia	Italian	Genoa
25 Las Andes	French	Marseilles
25 M. Importer	English	Manchester
25 Khorazan	German	Antwerp
25 Orion	Brazilian	Rio Janeiro
25 B. asilian	English	Glasgow
25 Argentinio	Spanish	Genoa
25 Sark	Norwegian	New York
25 Dantero	Brazilian	Rio Janeiro
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27 H. Scot	English	London
27 Ravenna	Italian	Genoa
28 Magdalen	English	Southampton
28 Rhectia	German	Hamburg
28 Baltzan	English	Antwerp
29 Panamá	English	Liverpool
30 Sevilla	German	Antwerp
30 Zaanland	Dutch	Amsterdam
30 Wittenberg	German	Bremen

Steamers to leave.

APRIL NAME	FLAG	FOR
25 Freiburg	German	Bremen
25 Italic	French	Marseilles
25 Horatius	English	New York
25 Gaelic	English	Valparaíso
25 Honorius	English	Hamburg
25 Entre Rios	German	Hamburg
25 Hostilius	English	Hamburg
26 Orione	Italian	Genoa
26 Ripley	English	New York
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26 P. Mars	English	Bremen
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El resultado del análisis bacteriológico de la muestra de agua recogida por este Instituto en la fuente “Acqua Vera”, sita en las Sierras del Verdu (Minas), ha demostrado que dicha agua es una agua muy pura del punto de vista bacteriológico. Montevideo, Noviembre 15 de 1904.—Dr. Solari.

Agua pura para la mesa

Conclusiones del doctor J. Scoseria, Experto químico de los Tribunales y Catedrático de Química biológica de la Facultad de Medicina:

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SHORT STORY

THE LIGHT IN THE VAULT.

(Continued.)

I fled across the churchyard back into the house. I thought I should never like my dear play place again.

Still, I never said a word about it. When the daylight came I could not believe it. It must have been fancy. I took courage and went and looked at the vault, but for the first time I was afraid to go down the steps, though nothing appeared to be changed.

I don't know how I made up my mind to do it, but the next night something made me go and look on again from a distance. I did not see the light, but I heard—sounds—something falling. The noise was worse than the light. The sound ceased, and all was still and dark. I heard a stock dove coo as something disturbed him, and the shrill fine cry of the swiflets round the church tower, the whirr of a bat's wings, as it flew past me. The church clock chimed a quarter. That broke the spell, I started, and ran home.

I don't know why I did not speak; but I was beginning to feel that some awful mystery was round the Acton vault, round me, and round my mother. I began to know how strange my life was, and I think I was afraid of what I should hear if I asked questions.

The next morning I met Jack Lascelles, as I took a breath of air after my French and arithmetic. I had no household duties, by the way. If Susan wanted any help, mother gave it. She said, “girls only make work.”

I think I should have been gayer, if I could have made pastry, swept the room, or washed my own print frocks.

Well—this morning I met Jack—coming up from the river.

“Why, you look quite pale!” he said.

“Is anything the matter?”

Then I told him there had been a light moving in the Acton vault one night, and something making a sound the next.

“Sure?” said Jack.

“Quite sure.”

“Then old Yates got in from above—or opened the gate.”

“No, the gate won't open, and you can't get in without taking up the pavement in our paw; besides Reuben was having supper in the kitchen.”

“I'll have a look—stay there.”

Jack ran down the steps, and at once examined the keyhole. I followed. I was not afraid in the sunlight and with him.

“The lock's been oiled,” he said. “Someone's got the key. I must tell Yates and my father at once.”

“Oh, Jack, don't!” I cried. “I've got the most awful feeling—I can't tell why—don't! It's my secret, and I feel as if something awful would be let out.”

“What? Out of the vault?”

“No—no. Out of our lives.”

I burst into tears, and he tried to comfort me.

“Look here, Ermia,” he said. “Of course you're frightened; but someone has been here, and—well there might be jewels buried with some of the old fellows, you know.”

“But the vault won't open—”

“It has been opened. The locks been oiled. Look here, I'll tell you something. It is my business, besides father being the rector. Do you know, we're cousins somehow? mother was a Miss Acton. It's my vault too.”

“Then—then. Please come and look yourself first.”

“Well—” said Jack. Of course it was a great adventure, and he was young. “But you mustn't come or have anything to do with it.”

“I've got the most awful feeling that I must!” I said, “and I shall!”

I did not know my will was strong. I had never willed anything before, but Jack gave way. Indeed, he could not well help it. He promised to come at dusk, but he said I must keep out of sight under the limes.

“When does the fellow go in? That's the puzzle,” he said. But in spite of the oiled lock I did not think that it was a ‘fellow’ at all.

Jack did not spend an idle afternoon, as I knew afterwards, but he was in the churchyard when I came out. Out of sight of the vault, the whole affair was so unreal to me that I thought almost more of the wonderful fact that Jack and Katie were my cousins than of the movements in the vault! Did mother know? And if so, why did she keep us apart?

Jack would not talk at all. He made me stay under the trees, and hid himself

behind a tall tombstone, from which he could watch the gates of the vault.

I crept as near as I could, and crouched down at a little distance. There were no lights in the vault, and at first—no noises.

Then suddenly, I heard something. I could not tell what—soft, regular, a foot-fall. Then a harsh grating noise, as of a turning key, and then the slow grinding back of the gate on its hinge.

Jack darted down the steps, and seized on a tall, slim figure with a white face, that stood in the entrance.

“Hold hard! keep still! I've got a pistol!” said Jack.

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4a. Exposición Feria Nacional de Ganaderia

EN MINAS

29 Y 30 DE ABRIL Y 1.º DE MAYO DE 1906

TREN DE EXCURSION A MINAS

DOMINGO 29 DE ABRIL DE 1906

ESTACIONES	Horas de salida	Precio de ida y vuelta		Boletos “A” para regresar por tren ordinario hasta el jueves día 3 inclusive.
		1a. Clase	2a. Clase	
CENTRAL.....	A. M. 6.00			
SAYAGO.....	6.20	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.00	\$ 2.50
PANDO.....	7.00			
MINAS.....	9.30			

El tren de excursión regresa el mismo día a las 6 p. m. Los boletos se pondrán en venta en número limitado el día anterior solamente.

Los boletos de la serie “A” serán válidos únicamente para viajar en el tren de excursión tanto a la ida como al regreso y los de la serie “B” (primera clase solamente de Central) para ir en el expreso y regresar por trenes ordinarios hasta el día Jueves 3 de Mayo inclusive.

La Empresa no atenderá ninguna reclamación por extravío de boletos si estos no son presentados con el boleto particular y entregados para depurar y poner con bastante anticipación a la salida del tren.

Montevideo, Abril 11 de 1906

C. W. BAYNE, Administrador General.

Remate de las Haciendas de la Sucesion de don Ignacio Urbibey.—Estancias “Santa Elena” y “Del Rincon”

Tren Expreso a Drabble

Día Lunes 30 de Abril de 1906.

ITINERARIO

	6.30 p. m.
Central (salida)	8.00
Santa Lucia	8.10
25 de Agosto	8.55
San José	9.45
Mal Abrigo	10.05
Ganeyaró	10.25
Arroyo Grande	10.45
Juan Jack-un	11.05
La Lata	11.45
Drabble (llegada)	

Para este tren se expedirán boletos de los arriba citadas estaciones a Drabble ida y vuelta y de primera clase a voluntad al precio de ida con un recargo del 25 por ciento para ida y vuelta.

El regreso se hará por los trenes ordinarios hasta el día Domingo 6 de Mayo inclusive.

NOTA.—Los que quieran asegurarse carruaje en la estación Drabble, deben pasar a tomar el boleto re pectivo en el escritorio de los Sres. Ponca de Leon y Dutra, Av. General Rindlen 173. Montevideo, hasta el día 26 Abril. Montevideo, Abril 20 de 1906.

Ignacio M. Sorla, Administrador General Interino.