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The Montevideo Times

MONTEVIDEO, OCTOBER 17, 1908.

THE FOREIGN MINISTER'S SPEECH.

The speech made by Sr. A. Bachioli, Minister of Foreign Affairs, at the reception of the remains of the late Archbishop on Tuesday last, has had the virtue of exciting an unusual amount of comment. As we think that it will not be without interest to our readers, we translate below certain portions of the speech, as follows:—

«Those who are unjust, because they are not tolerant, confound toleration with defection, when toleration is only the most direct exponent of the calm security that one's own ideas resist collision from others, which pass away or overcome or which become threatening or impotent. At this very moment free England has given to the world, in religious questions, the most beautiful example of culture, of exquisite moral elevation, extending hearty hospitality to the Congress of Catholic Bishops, an act of singular courtesy, in which the official vote of a Protestant Government was united to the amiable adhesion of great popular gatherings equally foreign to the creed of the Eucharistic Congress, and caused the Papal Delegate, Cardinal Vanutelli, to exclaim that «if he had always heard of English liberties, now he saluted them on seeing them practiced in their highest expression.» And thus, gentlemen, we, in a somewhat similar position, should equally give prestige to the national culture, declaring, before the body of Mr. Soler—who was our radical adversary in religious ideas, but who was also a sincere apostle of his creed and his country—that if the duty of honoring him was not imposed upon us by law, we would nevertheless fulfill it, as a spontaneous act, for reasons of justice, in the ample dominion of liberty. Mr. Soler, in his agitated state, was worthy of his people and of his time. — He died his day in accordance with his faith, and when he reached the supreme command of the national church, he assiduously watched for the dignity and brilliance of his ministry, accentuated the education of the clergy, revealed plausible aspirations to a moral superiority for himself and for his calling, and was the author of acts which, in the external order of national representation, gave to the country a decorous figure, grateful to patriotic feeling, and at times also positively beneficial to Uruguayan sociability, without excluding the pious pilgrimages which took, for the first time, to Europe, to Asia, and to Egypt, hundreds of our compatriots, not to gather fanaticisms so much as to receive the healthy influence of other atmospheres and other civilizations—a moral shower which ennobles intellects and widens and profits by, always useful, but indispensable for certain South American peoples, which, although youthful, at times become rusty in their limited horizon under the blue-mould of hereditary habits and prejudices.»

The above are precisely the passages which have excited the anger of the *Dia*, which, as mentioned in our issue of yesterday, does not conceal its indignation that such ideas should have been proclaimed in an official speech by the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

In speaking thus, the *Dia* has only shown once again how far it is divorced from the decent and moderate opinion of the country and what an insignificant fraction of public opinion it represents.

From practically every other quarter Sr. Bachioli has been congratulated on his speech and on the ideas expressed therein.

To the congratulations already thus expressed, we do not hesitate to add ours; for whatever they may be worth, Sr. Bachioli's dignified and admirably phrased defence of toleration in religious questions, was not merely appropriate to the special occasion on which it was uttered, but comes most opportunely as a counter-irritant to the aggressive spirit of intolerance, in religion and politics, which has been

inflated on the country for the last five or six years by the ex-President and his group of illiberal followers, sowing and embittering the life of the Republic. It is welcome and refreshing, like generous rain after parching drought, to find that there is some one in high official position who not only does not share these narrow-minded and intolerant views, but has the courage publicly to rebuke them.

That his rebuke has reached its mark, is shown by the strictures of the *Dia*. Public opinion, however, will promptly judge—in fact it already has judged—which ideas reflect most honor on the speaker and most credit on the country itself, those of the Foreign Minister, or those of the organ of anti-religious intolerance. By speaking as he did, Sr. Bachioli has dignified his country, and has raised himself in the conception of the large majority of his countrymen. What the *Dia* has done—well, we leave that for others to decide.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

MONTEVIDEO.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1908.

Saints Victor, Edwige and Marianne.
—291 days past, 75 to the end of the year.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Representatives took their turn at a no-quorum on Thursday. The two Chambers seem to be vying with each other as to which can perform the feat most frequently.

The attack of the *Dia* on the Minister Foreign Affairs, Sr. Bachioli gave rise to rumors that he would resign his portfolio, but they have been promptly contradicted. As he enjoys the confidence of the President and of the country—of the latter perhaps to a greater degree than any other Minister in the Cabinet as at present constituted—there would not be the least reason for such a step. It is no secret that the «Batallas» faction regard him with disfavor and would gladly see him out of the Cabinet, but that is just the reason why the large majority of the country, which is decidedly «anti-Batallas» (if we may coin the word) is desirous to see him remain there.

It is understood that Dr. Zorrilla de San Martín will be confirmed for another three years in the post of Government Inspector of Emigration in the Bank of the Republic, which he has held since 1905.

Mr. Backhaus, Director of the Agricultural School, is about to make a tour of inspection in the eastern Departments (Mina, Treinta y Tres, Cerro Largo and Rocha) with the idea of ascertaining if there are arable lands that can be utilized in a Government scheme of agricultural colonization on a large scale. In the course of December Mr. Backhaus will leave for a trip to Europe, where it is understood that he will undertake propaganda in favor of this country.

The partial results of the Census which are slowly coming in from the interior show that in several of the Departments the population, according to the Census returns, is inferior to the official estimates used for statistical purposes. In a few days it should be possible to give a general comparative table. The *Dia* gives the population of the Republic as not over 1,050,000 inhabitants, or some 60,000 less than the figures given by the *Tiempo*.

THE WOOL SEASON.

The wool exporting season came to a close on September 30. The total amount of wool shipped from Montevideo for the twelve months October 1, 1907, to September 30, 1908, was 94,418 bales, compared with 81,534 bales for the season 1906-7, and 74,636 bales for the season 1905-6. Through the quantity has been larger—we believe the largest on record—prices have been unusually low, so that the season has not been a very profitable one.

The shipments according to ports of destination were as follows:—

	1905-6	1906-7	1907-8
Antwerp	14,142	18,008	17,026
Dunkirk	18,231	20,576	21,901
Havre	15,281	8,845	12,953
Trieste	—	—	2,249
Hamburg	17,389	21,008	28,003
Genoa and Bremen	—	—	—
Genoa and Venice	1,104	842	1,381
New York	2,476	5,359	1,599
Liverpool	4,103	4,892	7,005
Manille and S. Balpara	74,636	81,534	94,418

The shipments according to firms, for the season 1907-8, were as follows:—

	Bales
Masorels fils	12640
José Charlet	10430
Wenz & Co.	8950
H. Coullier	8614
E. Wagenknecht & Co.	8177
Osten Co.	7864
Van Peckhorst, Willem	6962
Saurt & Co.	6054
Lahusen & Co.	4800
Christian, Alget & Co.	2724
F. Legemann & Co.	2599
Bennewitz & Co.	1672
Engelbert Hardt & Co.	1410
P. M. Nicholson	1388
S. Balpara	648
W. Bessut fils	451
Lorthiois Frères	200
Tb. W. Howard & Co.	2625
Various	2625

History of Religions.

International Congress at Oxford.

London, Sept. 17.

Yesterday the third international Congress for the History of Religions commenced its proceedings at Oxford. Over a hundred papers have been offered by savants from all parts of the world, and as the Congress is divided into nine sections, and will continue until Friday, it affords considerable scope for the discussion of a wide range of subjects.

After a welcome had been offered to the delegates by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor (the Principal of Brasenose) on behalf of the University, Professor Tyler introduced the president of the Congress, Sir A. C. Lyall, who delivered the presidential address.

The scope of his address was a brief general survey of the four great religions now prevailing in the world, namely, Christianity, Islam, Buddhism, and Hinduism, and a comparison of the political relations in the States over which these religions had established their domain.

Speaking of India and Hinduism, he believed the British-Indian position of complete religious neutrality to be unique among Asiatic Governments, and almost unknown in Europe. At the present time the European States seemed inclined to dissolve their alliance with the Churches and to arrange a kind of judicial separation between the altar and the throne. Ecclesiastical influence was now of very little service to a Government.

We could even at the moment, he added, discern a movement towards constitutional reforms in Mohammedan Asia, and if it succeeded it would be interesting to observe the effect which liberal reforms would produce upon the relation of Mohammedan Governments to the dominant faith, and on which side the religious teachers would be arrayed. (Cheers.)

Professor Sanday, of Oxford, president of the Christian section, delivered his presidential address in the afternoon to a general meeting of the Congress. He gave a survey of the literature of his subject, and in the course of his criticisms traversed a very wide field of Christian literature.

In the evening the Lord Mayor gave a reception to the members of the conference.

«Beyond the Veil»

Sir O. Lodge and Messages from the Dead.

Sir Oliver Lodge, the Principal of Birmingham University, has just returned home from the meetings of the British Association at Dublin. Asked by a Birmingham correspondent whether he could throw any fresh light on «messages purporting to have come from beyond the veil» from the late Henry Myers and some of his associates, he pleaded that his multiplicity of engagements would not give him time to discuss the matter. He could only refer one to the Proceedings of the Society for Psychical Research.

A perusal of those showed that the messages are included a paper of great detail by Alice Johnson, on the «Automatic Writing of Mrs. Holland.» She explains that «Mrs. Holland» is a name of her own invention as the family of the lady to whom it refers do not wish the real name to be mentioned. The writer of the paper made her acquaintance by correspondence four years ago, when, writing from India, «Mrs. Holland» said she had just finished a careful reading of Mr. Myers's «Human Personality», and that she herself had practiced automatic writing since 1893 for her own amusement.

«Under these circumstances,» says the author, «it was not only natural, but almost inevitable, that a great part of her writing should now purport to be inspired by him (Mr. Myers), or—to a less extent—by the two friends to whom his book is dedicated, Mr. Gurney and Dr. Sidwick. The «Gurney Control» writes (Nov. 14, 1907):

«I can't help feeling vexed, or rather angry, at the half-hearted way in which you go in for this; you should either take it or leave it. If you don't care enough to try every day for a short time, better drop it altogether. I've like making appointments and not keeping them. You endanger your own powers of sensitiveness and annoy us bitterly.»

The author explains that there was then proceeding «a struggle between the supernatural self of the writer and the supposed influences. During this phase the «Myers control» writes (Jan. 12, 1900):

«If it were possible for the soul to die back into earth life again I should die from sheer yearning to reach you—to tell you all that we imagined is not half wonderful enough for the truth... If I could only reach you—if I could only tell you—I long for power, and all that comes to me is an infinite yearning, an infinite pain. Does any of this reach you—reach anyone—or am I only waiting as the mind waits, wordless and unheeded?»

Miss Johnson emphasizes the large part played by «Mrs. Holland's» normal knowledge in the construction of the various rôles, and says there are, moreover, in the writing a certain number of features that are an intimate friend of Mr. Myers's would see to be uncharacteristic or positively incorrect.

Sir Oliver Lodge intimated that there are more materials to be dealt with, and that the complete examination of «Mrs. Holland's» correspondence will be placed before the Society for Psychical Research at this close of the year. Sir Oliver has met «Mrs. Holland» and conversed with her on her strange experiences.

«Harmless» Drinks.

People should drink only when they are thirsty, we are told by a writer in *The Lancet* (London). And for quenching thirst, pure water is declared the best agent. This puts soft drinks like cream-soda and ginger-ale into the category of unnecessary, if not injurious, beverages. In fact, we are told that even the consumer of lemonade or plain soda is nothing but a taker of drugs—citric acid in the former case and carbon dioxide gas in the latter. Tea and coffee drinkers fare no better. Says this writer:

«It is idle to deny that a good many people often drink, not because they are thirsty, but because the beverage is palatable. Against such may fairly be brought the accusation of excess. The organism, as a rule, is not slow to indicate clearly its needs, and when water is required the sensation of thirst is the result. When, therefore, a person drinks a beverage, not because he is thirsty, but because that beverage is palatable, he is probably exceeding the liquid requirements of the physiological machine, and the normal course of metabolism may be interfered with by the superfluous fluid absorbed. The fact is that so many persons want to add, to the delightful and perfectly natural sensation of assuaging thirst, that of condiment or something which pleases the palate also. If we are not mistaken, this perverted instinct is responsible for a good deal of overdrinking and for a number of habits which do not contribute to the physiological well-being of the individual. The thirsty person who can not satisfy his thirst unless the beverage contains what is in reality a drug has really acquired an unhealthy habit or, to put it plainly, a disease. Yet what else is the alcohol of the various alcoholic beverages, the caffeine of tea and coffee, the glucosid or quinine bitter, or even the ginger of ginger-beer or ginger-ale, the aromatic oil of the liqueur, the carbonic acid gas in soda-water, the citric acid of the lemon, and so on, but a drug? All these when consumed clearly convey something into the organism over and above water itself; they can not quench thirst in the sense that water does. Plain water has become a rare beverage nowadays, and it is a pity that it is so. We are inclined to think that the prejudice against the drinking of plain water has arisen from a mistaken idea in the public mind that plain water has disease entities in it, or «insects», and that only when mixt with spirits, hops, malt, and other things, or in the form of tea or beer which necessarily are freed from disease organisms because they are boiled, is it rendered safe to drink. The danger of such an idea is apparent enough, for under stress of great thirst large doses of alcohol, tea tannin, carbonic acid gas, bitters, and so on may be consumed, and the effects of an unduly prolonged course of drugs, such as in reality these are, sooner or later manifest themselves, frequently indicating a disturbance of function which in the long run may do serious harm to the whole organism. There are occasions, of course, when it is desirable to take with the beverage a stimulant or a substance which relieves fatigue, but for the purposes of satisfying a mere thirst pure water is all that is needed.»

Differences of Opinion.

The pieces being presented by the Belasco Demille Company at the Odeon Theatre in Buenos Aires are exciting amusing differences of opinion from our two English daily contemporaries there. Here is an example:—

B. A. Herald:—«The Charity Ball», a four act comedy by David Belasco and H. C. Demille is of that order of play that could almost rank as a domestic drama rather than a comedy in the ordinary sense of the word. It is a well written, carefully conceived play that keeps one's sympathies keenly aroused from first to last.

B. A. Standard:—We sincerely hope that the Belasco-Demille company will refrain from producing any more apologies for dramas such as «Lord Camulet» of Monday evening and «The Charity Ball» of last night. To dish up old-fashioned, utterly unreal and stagey pieces is not only an insult to our theatrical intelligence here in Buenos Aires, but also places the genuinely clever actors and actresses who form the present company in a most embarrassing position. «The Charity Ball» is a mauling sentimental drama that may have appealed to the public twenty years ago. There is a noble, very preachy clergyman, his ignoble, worldly brother, and, of course, the proverbial «wronged lady.» From these characters you can easily imagine what the entire piece was about, and it will save us the trouble to recount, in detail, a very stupid story. We thoroughly enjoy good drama, tragedy, pathos when it rings true, but we can't pretend to even take seriously a play like «The Charity Ball», which rings false from start to finish.

Wedding in Buenos Aires.

From the *B. A. Standard*:—
On Wednesday afternoon, at the Church of the Holy Cross, Calle General Urquiza, Dr. Frederick Arthur Webster, son of Dr. D. B. Webster, was married to Miss Ellen Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Murphy. Both bride and bridegroom are well known and popular members of English speaking society in Buenos Aires. Mr. Murphy gave his daughter away, and Mr. Howard Webster lent assistance to his brother, as best man. The gown worn by the bride was an

elegant demi-Empire of rich cream Duchesse satin and Brussels lace, with lovely insertions of Irish needle-point. It was made with full court train and every dainty detail of orange blossom, veil, and bouquet, added further to the slender and youthful charms of the happy looking girl.

Her sister, Miss Millie Murphy, and her two cousins, Miss Minnie Murphy and Miss Nova Breit, acted as bridesmaids, and accompanied their work by looking extremely pretty in gowns of voile de ninon, made in the fashionable Tunic style, trimmed with ivory «oval» fringe and silver fillet and braid, and worn with black «Corday» hats smothered in pink roses. Distinction was made in the colors of gown worn by Miss Millie Murphy, it was carried out in very pale «ciel» blue, whilst those of the remaining brides were mauve colored. They carried beautiful bouquets of roses and wore the bridegroom's gifts, delicate gold bar brooches, one set with rubies and diamonds, another with sapphires and diamonds, and a third with emeralds and diamonds. His gift to the bride was a magnificent pearl and diamond circular brooch, which was worn by her amongst the lace on her corsage. The service, a most impressive one, was conducted by the Rev. Father Fidelis.

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Oct. 18.—XVIII Sunday after Trinity, 8.15 a. m.—Holy Communion.
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SUNDRIES.

—WEATHER.—Rain has again disappointed. A change of wind to pampero quarter has brought bright, fine weather, with a fresh, almost cold, temperature.

—URQUIZA THEATRE.—The spectacular operetta «Robinson Crusoe» will be repeated this evening and will be found well worth seeing for it is sumptuously staged and well interpreted.

—POLITEAMA THEATRE.—The program for this evening consists of the drama «Justicia de Antaño», new here; and «La Gaudiosa».

—VISITON.—Mr. Paul F. Gerhard, General Agent of the Prince Line of steamers in New York, has been in this city for a couple of days, sailing for England by the N. Z. Co's «Tongario.» Mr. Gerhard came over from Buenos Aires, in which city he had spent some years in the early sixties, and was now able to renew some old friendships. Whilst here he took the opportunity of inspecting the Port Works, and expressed himself as very favorably impressed, considering that the facilities they will offer when completed should give an important impulse to the shipping traffic and trade of this country.

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history of religion. Professor Rhys Davids discussed the religions of India and Iran. The remainder of the session was devoted to a general meeting.

The new engineering laboratories of the Heriot Watt College, Edinburgh, were opened yesterday by Lord Rosebery, who described that institution as the parent of mechanical institutes and polytechnics. He referred to German encroachment upon British trade, and suggested that British employers should take a leaf out of the book of their German competitors, and employ more specialists in their commercial enterprises.

King Edward has telegraphed congratulating the Sultan of Turkey on the occasion of his first birthday since the Constitution.

Miss Jessie Loftus's Coliseum engagement at £250 a week was the subject of an application in the Vacation Court yesterday.

«Lucas Cleve», the well-known lady novelist, has just died in Switzerland.

The Rest of England, who had made 483 runs for seven wickets, declared the match at the beginning of yesterday's play, and Yorkshire lost four wickets for 186 before the close.

HE KNEW SOMETHING.

Some time ago, one of the masters at a certain school caused a sensation by publishing a book, which bore a striking resemblance to one issued previously by a well-known poet. Comments upon the matter became of an accusing nature, and culminated in one of the pupils openly charging the author with plagiarism.

«B—», replied the master, «your opinion is neither sought nor valued; you're an ass».

«I may be», calmly retorted the scholar, «but—the ass knoweth his master's crib!»

COMMERCIAL

Stock Exchange

Montevideo, Oct. 16, 1908. Bank shares were active, but at falling figure throughout the day. Other values quiet but favorable. Sales as follows.

Mortgage Bonds E, \$9000 at 91.60 tmw.

Electric Light Debentures, \$5000 at 90.50 tmw.

Mortgage Bank, 3350 shares at 56.20 to 55.40 tmw, 56.80 to 55.50 end of month, 57 to 56.20 end of Nov.

Conversion Loan, \$19,582 at 90 tmw, 90.20 end of Nov, 90.50 end of Dec. Consolidated Debt, \$44,650 at 69.60 to 69.80 tmw, 69.70 end of month. No London quotation.

Exchange	Bank	Com'l
L'don 90d/s	51.7/16	51.3/4
Paris 90d/s	5.39	5.415
Antwerp 90d/s	—	5.435
Germany 90d/s	4.39	4.415
N. York	0.97	—
Italy	5.36	—
Spain	5.96	—
Brazil	16.050	nom.
B. Aires	1 pr.	par.

Business Notes

—The half yearly meeting of shareholders of the Commercial Bank took place on Thursday. The Report presented showed a net profit of \$61,016 for the half-year, which with \$8839 brought forward left disposable \$69,855; equivalent to 4.37 on the paid up capital, independent of \$21,743 profits in suspense. Out of this the Board has declared a dividend for the half-year of 4 per cent, and \$5396 are carried forward.

Buenos Aires, Oct. 16. Banco Francés, cash, 115.50. Galicia, 19.40. Banco Español, cash, 156.00. Certificados Banco Español, cash, 61.00. Puerto San Nicolás, cash 35.60. San Juan de Oro, No. 3 0.45. Pavimentación, 76.70. Provincia B. A. 3 ojo (oro) 63.00. Crédito Argentino, 89.50. Consolidada de la provincia de Buenos Aires, 6 ojo (2a. serie), al contado, 86.00. Do. 2nd Series, 84.10. Cédulas Nacionales R, 81.90. The «Venus» and «Rio de la Plata», sails.

MARITIME

Arrivals and Sailings

Montevideo, Oct. 15, 1908. —Str. Atlantique from Bordeaux, 22 pas., for B. Aires. —Str. C. P. Ortiga from Hamburg, 26 pas., for B. Aires. —Str. Zeno for St. Vincent. —Str. Eton for St. Vincent.

Oct. 16. —Str. Paris from B. Aires, 105 pas. —Str. Colombia from B. Aires, 60 pas. —Str. Londres from Salto, 50 pas. —Str. Ebersburg from Bremen, for B. Aires. —Str. Modden from B. Aires. —Str. Tongarino from Wellington. —Str. San Antonio from Villa Pilar. —Str. Paris and Colombia for B. Aires.

MAIL STEAMERS

LEAVING TO-DAY. —The river str. VENUS will leave TO-DAY for Buenos Aires only. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 5.15 p.m. —The German str. BELLAGRANO will leave TO-DAY for Hamburg. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 3 p.m. —The R. M. S. AVON will leave TO-DAY for Santos, Rio and intermediates to Southampton. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 11 p.m. on the 16th.

GAS

ANOTHER LARGE REDUCTION IN PRICE

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Steamers to arrive

Oct.	NAME	FLAG	FROM
17	Amstelland	Dutch	Vigo
17	Thessalia	German	Valparaíso
17	Frankfurt	German	Bremen
17	Ortega	English	Liverpool
17	Nile	English	Southampton
18	Europa	Italian	Genoa
18	Toscana	Italian	Genoa
20	A. Baudin	French	Dunkirk
21	Algerie	French	Marseilles
22	Emiland	Dutch	Amsterdam
23	K. W. II	German	Hamburg
23	Asturias	English	Southampton
23	Orcoma	English	Valparaíso
24	Leon III	Spanish	Barcelona
24	Elkab	German	Hamburg
24	I. Rio	Belgian	Wellington
24	Provence	French	Marseilles
27	Argentina	Italian	Genoa
27	Re Vittorio	Italian	Genoa
30	Cordillera	French	Bordeaux
30	Greifswald	German	Bremen
31	Bologna	Italian	Genoa
31	Thames	English	Southampton

Steamers to leave.

Oct.	NAME	FLAG	FOR
17	Thessalia	German	Hamburg
17	Beograd	German	Hamburg
17	Ortega	English	Valparaíso
17	Avon	English	Southampton
21	P. Mitre	Argentine	P. del Sur
21	Giesse	German	Bremen
22	Umbria	Italian	Genoa
23	O. coma	English	Liverpool
24	Elkab	German	Chile
24	Toscana	Spanish	Genoa
24	C. Orizgal	German	Hamburg
24	A. S. de L'or	French	Dunkirk
24	Atlantique	French	Bordeaux
24	Nile	English	Southampton
25	Amstelland	Dutch	Vigo
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The McDougal

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"It's a pity you are unhappily married," said the Master of Mysteries, gazing languidly at the red and gold ceiling above him. He seemed to pay little attention to the thick, hairy hand of his client, which lay limp on the velvet cushion.

Opposite him the bull-necked, red-faced man sat staring in amazement, no longer wearing the contemptuous, amused expression with which he had entered the astrological parlours of the slim, romantic-looking young man in the turban and silk robes. Like many another unbeliever who had come to test Astro in that very room, his look had changed gradually from scorn to interest until now his eyes were fixed on the palmist with an eager curiosity and perplexity.

"No doubt it's her fault," Astro continued; "for she is indifferent and selfish. It might be better if you let it come to an actual quarrel, and separate." Astro reached for his narghileh and took a long, bubbling whiff of perfumed smoke, as if, so far as he was concerned, the matter had been weighed and settled.

There came at this moment the sound of a muffled electric-bell. His client still gazed stupidly in front of him, but said nothing. He did not seem to notice the signal.

Astro, however, rose and went to a pair of black velvet curtains hanging at one side of the wall behind his visitor's back. There was a mirror hung above which reflected the stocky form of the man at the little table, the bulge of a revolver in his hip-pocket, and the round bend with its short-cropped hair. The head did not turn. Astro parted the hangings deftly and peered within. On a level with his eyes was a small square window, lighted from behind. Against the glass a sheet of paper was fastened, and on it was written in a feminine scrawl, "Plain-clothes man. Working on the McDougal Street dynamite case."

Astro picked up a magnifying-glass, dropped the curtain, and returned to his client. Seating himself, he looked carefully at the mounts in the detective's palm, after which he took a small crystal sphere from a drawer in the table, set it on the cushion, and seemed to lose himself in a prolonged contemplation of the mysteries hidden within it. His vis-a-vis fidgeted restlessly.

"You are a busy man indeed," commented Astro, half aloud. "Not only are you keeping your eyes on the 'wrong uns' around the Rennie Hotel, but you come up here in reality to see if my place is, as you would call it, 'on the square.' How on earth you have time for all this, when you are so puzzled about the McDougal Street business, is more than I can see. You must be a man of extraordinary resource."

The offer stared like a child at the dreamy-eyed Oriental before him.

"Gosh!" he said almost plaintively. Then he rose and thrust his big, hairy hands into his pockets. "What do you know about that dynamite affair, anyhow?" he asked, as if his mind was made up on the subject.

Astro smiled. "Nothing. I'm too busy to trouble about things that are not any of my business."

"But what if it was your business?" continued the policeman eagerly. "What if I made it an object to you?"

"Ah!" answered the seer, "no doubt I could tell you anything you wished to know."

The man drew out a pocket-book. "Look here," he said, tapping it. "I ain't rich by any means, but I'm up against it on this case, and if you can look into them glasses and give me a tip, I'll make it worth your while."

Astro laughed. "Oh, it's not quite so simple as that. You must understand, my dear sir, that I can do absolutely nothing without coming into direct personal contact with the vibrations emanating from the scene or from the individual. I can tell about you because you happen to be before me; but I should have to be present at a place in order to become sensitive to the occult influences which have permeated the whole air about the crime or mystery. Do you understand?"

The officer evidently did not understand, but he was in no wise deterred from making use of this power which had so impressed him. "I'll take you up there," he offered.

"Very well," said Astro. "I'll help you upon this case, Mr.—"

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San José	9.15 >	\$ 3.00	\$ 2.00	
Colonia Suiza	11.10 >	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.00	
Rosario	11.40 >			
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