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Jurist and Minister.

DOMINGO GONZÁLEZ, the son of Domingo González, a Spaniard, and of Pilar Pernas, a Uruguayan, was born on the second of July, 1837, at Montevideo. He was educated at the school conducted by José Zunda and Juan M. Bonifaz, and at the University, where, in 1858, he obtained the degree of Bachelor and in 1864 that of Advocate.

From 1858 to 1863, while yet a student, he was employed in the Public Library, and was then appointed Secretary to the District Board of Health, a position which he occupied for four years. From 1879 to 1894 he was State Auditor and Judge in the Civil Courts; he was then promoted to the post of Justice of the Superior Court of Appeals. He has been successively Vice-

President, and for four years President, of the council whose function is that of safeguarding the interests of Minors and Delinquents, and was one of the first members of the Supreme Court to be appointed when that court was instituted. He is now on the retired list, and is an active member of the Historical and Geographical Institute of Uruguay.

Writing generally under the pseudonym "El licenciado Peralta," he has published the following pamphlets and books : *Breves apuntes sobre la administración de Justicia, y su organización* ; *De los tribunales colegiados* ; *Estudio sobre constitución orgánica y reglamentaria de la Justicia Civil y Criminal* ; *Relación oral sobre los procesos criminales* ; *Carnet de un filósofo de Antaño*, two vols. ; *Bocetos y brochazos*, 1919 ; *Resonancias del pasado*, 1919-1920.