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THE NEW EUROPEAN IMBROGLIO.

In these days of telegraphic facilities the readers of the daily papers in this country are kept accurately posted of any important movement on the political chess board of the world, and for some days past our news columns have been giving, from day to day as they occur, the details of the recent political imbroglio in Roumelia.

All effect is preceded by cause, and this Roumelian affair can only be accounted for upon the theory that it is a struggle for political power between the contending Turkish dependencies.

The Pan-Slavs, it is said, were preparing for a movement next spring by which Bulgaria, Roumelia, Servia and Macedonia would be fused together into one kingdom under the Servian pretender, Karagioreras.

This involved the dethronement of Prince Alexander of Bulgaria, who has not been sufficiently obedient to hints from St. Petersburg, and also of Prince Milan of Servia, who has cherished intimate relations with Vienna and Berlin, rather than with the Russian foreign office.

Prince Alexander, perceiving the drift matters were taking, determined to act before Russia's preparations were completed, and thus, if possible, spoil the Pan-Slavic scheme. He has probably succeeded. Not only the great powers, but also the petty states she herself has created in the Balkan peninsula oppose the designs Russia is said to cherish.

This power is said to be in excellent trim for a sudden campaign, and in her present mood might, it is thought, be tempted to try again to get possession of the Bosphorus. She would be met by Austria with Germany at her back, not to speak of Turkey and the petty states recently carved out of her European dominions.

Austria demands, it is said, the restoration of the status quo ante, or, if the fusion of Roumelia with Bulgaria be permitted, the enlargement of Servia by means of a slice of territory near Bulgaria.

Russia, on the other hand, asks, it is said, that Prince Alexander be deposed in favor of some prince to be nominated at St. Petersburg, and that the union of Bulgaria and Roumelia be then acquiesced in, the Sultan being consoled with a promise of tribute from his lost provinces.

Whether diplomacy can reconcile for a time these conflicting demands is somewhat in doubt.

MUST BE CHASTENED BY DEFEAT.

The Philadelphia Record, an independent newspaper with strong Republican tendencies, says the Republican party of Pennsylvania must be "chastened by defeat" this year. It says:

When a political party goes wrong the remedy must be found in the conscience of the individual voter. The Republican party in Pennsylvania has this year gone doubly wrong. In defiance of the desire of the people for purer and better government it has selected for candidates persons who are notorious adepts in the methods of misadministration. It has also needlessly set itself in opposition to the effort of the people to restrain the misused power of corporations within constitutional bounds.

The voter who deposits a Republican ballot in the box is thus compelled against the grain of his judgment to give encouragement to the continuance of crooked methods in the management of public affairs and to the continuation of the extortion of railroad monopolies. This is asking too much. It is no part of Republican policy to maintain boss power or to encourage robbery by common carriers. The independent voter if he cannot have candidates who will carry out proper politics is bound to refuse his support. Whenever parties are no longer means to good ends it is the duty of the honest citizen to assist in chastening them by defeat.

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THE COLORED PEOPLE.

The colored people of the South seem to be utterly oblivious of their wretched condition as painted by Senator Sherman in his recent "bloody shirt" speeches in Ohio.

In North Carolina they are soon to hold an Industrial Fair at Raleigh, which at this date promises to be the grandest and best thing of the kind ever projected for or by them. The Governor of the State is to open the ceremonies by an appropriate speech, and a circular before us indicates that there is to be a grand gathering of the colored people from all parts of the State, and an excellent exhibition of the wealth and products of the labor of the colored people themselves.

Altogether, with their educational advantages, and their prosperous and satisfactory condition, they seem to be doing very well; and but for Mr. Sherman's utterances they might have continued to live in blissful ignorance that they were on the high road to the "demnition-bowwows."

Out in Mississippi they seem to be equally oblivious of their wretched condition. So oblivious are they of the war that is said to be still raging among them, and of their deprivation of all civil and political rights, that they are conducting themselves like a happy and contented people.

During the present month they will hold a State Fair at Jackson, the capital of Mississippi, and several hundred premiums will be distributed among the colored exhibitors of agricultural and industrial products.

Premiums will be given for the best cattle, horses, sheep, swine, vegetables, fruits, dairy products and farm implements, and also premiums for the best sewing, knitting, embroidery, wax works, artificial flowers, drawing and painting. This does not indicate that the colored people of Mississippi are suffering from the dreadful wrongs and aggressions that John Sherman so graphically describes. It does indicate, on the contrary, that they have made much progress since their emancipation, and especially since the restoration of the South to genuine self government.

It proves further that they are in the enjoyment of their rights not only, but that a good deal of culture is developing among them. There is no doubt that bloody shirt sympathy is wasted on the negroes of Mississippi, as well as on those of North Carolina.

Telegraphing by Telescope.

The Telegrapher's Advocate.

The United Press stole a march on the Associated Press, and in fact all the newspapers, during the recent international yacht contest. The United Press reports, which were prompt and reliable caused many newspaper people to wonder how the "beats" were procured. A first class telegraph operator was placed at Sandy Hook with a large telescope through which the races were closely watched. Another press operator was located on the judges boat, and at intervals of every half hour he would by means of a little red flag go through the "Morse" code. The operator at the telescope would receive the same and, with his hand on the telegraph key, transmit the signals to the main office at 137 Broadway.

If the statement had been made during the races that direct communication was had at all times with the judges' boat, it would have been received with distrust. Such was the case, however, and so quiet was the correspondence carried on that, we doubt, if any outside of the interested parties on board of the judges' boat, were aware of what was going on.

Building Upon "Certainties."

N. Y. Star.

The folly of building upon "certainties" in politics is strikingly exemplified in the case of the New York Republicans. When the return of the repentant Mugwumps to the ancient fold was announced it was declared by Mr. Davenport's managers that "that settled it." They have just discovered that "that" does not settle it by any means. The Prohibition vote in the State, as foreshadowed by the Star in advance of the Republican convention, is certain to be a heavy one this year. Thousands of cold water Republicans are profiting by the illustrious example of the Mugwumps, and cutting loose, because they cannot support a candidate for Governor who was once a manufacturer of "liquid damnation."

If this defection does not make the additional Prohibition vote several times bigger than the Mugwump contingent was ever claimed to be, then the shrewdest political calculators are at sea.

A Steamship in Distress.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 6.—The steamship Mentmore, reported from Liverpool as having lost her deck load, sailed from this port on the 18th ult. She is of the Johnson Line, and besides her assorted cargo she took out 515 cattle which were housed on the deck and belonged to different shippers.

WITTKOWSKY & BARUCH

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Unless it is a reasonable one!

Unless it is just the article they want!

Unless the bargain consists of fresh goods!

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Black and Colored Jerseys

Which we offer this week at prices that cannot be matched

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Will buy this week a black Fan Back Jersey worth \$2.50.

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Will buy this week a black Jersey, Vest Front, trimmed with Hercules Braid, fan back, well worth \$2.25.

\$3.50
Will buy this week heavy weight black Jersey, fan back, good value at \$4.25.

\$1.75
Will buy this week our regular line of \$2.25 Jerseys, black and colored and fan back.

\$2.30
Will buy this week a superior quality of black Jersey which is cheap at \$2.75.

\$2.75
Will buy this week Black Jerseys richly braided and fan back. They are a bargain at \$3.50.

\$5.00 ONLY
For a heavy Tailor-made Black Jersey of perfect fit.

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