#### OUR PARIS LETTER.

Prussian Annexation-The Sick Men of Turkey and Mexico - The Military System of France-The Disbanding of General Gar baldi's Army Movements of the Empress of Mexico-The Cholera, Etc.

(EVENING TELEGRAPH SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.) Pants, September 14.

There is nothing new under the sun at present. In fact, we have no sun to look at-Old Sol has been sulking us for the last month; he refuses to ripen our grapes and corn. The great political actors of the day have now retired into private life, and politics are almost, if not entirely, neglected for the present.

The only matter of any political interest is the Saxon Repugnance

to be the vassal of Prussia. The inhabitants of Dresden, the capital, and Lespsic think it would ke better to be at once swallowed up by The Prussian Ogre,

than to have to drag on a miserable existence of sham autonomy. Bismark is most auxious that Saxony should share the late of Hanover, Nassau, and Electoral Hesse, but as King John has a great friend at the Court of, the Tulleries, the thing is not yet to be done without giving great offense on this side of the Rhine, and he must for the present postpone it.

The Stek Man of the Bosphorus. The Sultan, like many of his colleagues, is rather in a shaky state. Mustapha Pacha has not been able to prevail upon the Candians to feel more kindly towards the Turkish Government. They will "none on't," and all they want is to be allowed to change their master, and have King George of Greece for their sovereign, The Government of the King of the Greeks is doing all it can to favor the insurrection (of course sub rosa), as well as the hostile attitude of the Danubian subjects of the "Crescent," who are anxious to be ruled by the "Cross,"

The Sick Man in Mexico is not in a much better state than his brother of the Bosphorus. Many of our pessimist papers prophesy the approaching arrival at St. Nazaire of the gingerbread Emperor of the Aztecs; others affirm that he has not been entirely given ever by his doctor, and that General Castelnau,

Aide-de-camp to the Emperor, will shortly leave Paris on a mission to Mexico.

Change in the French Military System. This is the order of the day at present; it is the ruling topic just now. The old conscription system is to be set aside, and the Prussian system, which orders that every able-bodied man, baving attained the age of twenty-one, shall be forced to serve his country during the space of twelve months, will most probably be adopted.

It is calculated that by entirely changing the present footing of the army, and by introducing that of Bismark, which has shown itself to be so practical, the forces of France would be raised to 1,514,198 men, which would cost the country 239,000,000 francs per annum. Oh, the beauties of a military government!

Monsieur de Monstier, the new Minister of Foreign Affairs, will not be in Paris before the middle of October. He will be the twelfth Minister of Foreign Aflairs since December, 1848. His predecessors have been M. Drouyn de Lhuys, M. de Tocqueville, June, 1849; M. Lahitti, 19th of November, the same year; M. Drouyn de Lhuys, January, 1851; M. Brennier, 24th of January, same year; M. Baroche, 16th of April, 1851; M. Turgot, 26th of October; M. Drouyn de Lhuys, 28th of July, 1852; M. Walewski, 8th of May, 1855; M. Thouvenel, 1st of January, 1861; and M. Drouyn de Lhuys again in 1862.

Italy. The Italian Government is now doing what was done in America after the termination of the sad civil war, viz, sending its soldiers home. However, papers say .- We are deluged with Garabaldini. Their generals are giving their resignations. Yesterday it was Corte; to-day Niestera. The complete dissolution of the corps will soon follow. Very bad management has made these volunteers very discontented during the whole course of the war. It appears that 170,000 pairs of shoes have been sent for the volunteers; nevertheless, the distribution had been so badly made that whole companies were in want of a supply. The same mismanagement occurred with the shirts. Italy maintained during the war an army of 964,000 men, all told. The daily rations, on account of their bad quality, have to be trebled; that is to say, three have been given to each soldier. This, however, did not prevent many from going without a meal.

The Empress of Mexico.

The Empress Charlotte, whether she remains at Miramar to await the Emperor Maxim dian, as some assert, or whether she returns to Mexico, will not visit Brussels. The day after the departure of the Empress from Paris for Miramar, Messrs, Jules von Pract and Conway, two of the testamentary executors of the late King, left Brussels for Miramar to confer with her Majesty on the subject of the deceased monarch's will. By law, the executors have a year and a week from the date of the death to perform their office. It was to obtain the approval of the Empress to the steps already taken, that these gentlemen visited Miramar. Up to the present time the work of the executors has been slow and embarrassed. Their mission seems likely to be as long and difficult as that of Mr. Dupin. the executor of Louis Philippe; the difficulty is principally in precautions required to prevent the publicity of the will, which is reported to contain, besides general dispositions and numerous special legacies, some political considerations of very grave import.

Cholera.

This scourge is still hovering about France. It has now entirely left Amieus, where it carried off so many victims. The papers bring us daily examples of acts of self-devotion in almost every town in France. M'me Corneau, who braved everything at Amiens, in order to relieve those suffering from the epidemic, has just been presented with a gold medal by the inhabitants that city. M'me Corneau is the daughter of

bites or serpen's. Certain it is, that this plant is a powerful sudorific, and has now, for the last ten years, been used by the celebrated Cardiens and others, especially at the Hospital Lariboisiere, where, under the form of wine or clixir, it has been found to produce a salutary excitement of the digestive organs, leading to the regular action of the functions of secretion and excretion. From a series of observations made at Amiens by Dr. Bourneville during the most violent period of the cholera, it appears that, by administering guaco, six out of ten cases of confirmed cholera, which had resisted every other treatment, terminated in a complete recovery; that four bad cases of cholerme were more promptly cured; and that the same was the case with four cases of choleraic diarrhea-the doses of guaco to be administered in order to obtain satisfactory results in cholera have not been sufficiently ascertained. For diarrhosa and enema, onethird of tincture of guaco and two-thirds of water, to be repeated, it necessary, every three hours. In drink, to quench the inextinguishable thirst which cholera always occasions, a decoction of guaco, with a slight addition of alcohol, is administered cold. This decoction was the only drink atlowed at Amiens; the patients themselves, moreover, preferring it to any other liquid. The reaction sets in slowly, but is not followed by any distressing symptoms, as is the case when it is sudden.

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