THE DAILY EVENING TELEGRAT



FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 1870.

WHO COMMANDS THE PRUSSIANS BEFORE the commencement of hostilities between France and Prussia, the military superiority of the former power was admitted on all sides almost without hesitation. It was believed that the French army was better organized, better drilled, better officered, and inspired with more of the genuine military spirit than any in the world. The manner in which the Prussians fought in the war with Denmark and Austria only a few years ago inspired the belief that France had found her match now if ever, and while it was considered almost a certainty that the French would achieve the first victories and force the Prussians to carry on the war on their own soil, there were many who were willing to take heavy odds in favor of the ultimate triumph of the latter. All this is changed now, and in view of the splendid performances of the Prussians, it is amusing to read some of the criticisms of their military system which were current but a few weeks ago. A specimen of the kind of disparagement to which the Prussians were subject is found in the following paragraph from a letter written from Paris to the Cincinnati Commercial by one of its editors, Mr. Murat Halstead, which has been going the rounds of the newspapers for a week or two:-

"The Prussian army is weighed down by a hideous aristoctacy of officers. The real generals are not, according to appearances, put in command. A par-cei of princes are nominally at the head of the seve-ral corps. The great Moltke has always a stupid prince or two at his back, just as the great Bismarck has been compelled to bear on his broad shoulders the ponderous and vain old King, who goes along with his army and thinks he commands it."

If the Prussian army is weighed down by a hideous aristocracy of officers, it certainly bears the weight gracefully. The probabilities are, however, that Mr. Halstead studied the Prussian military organization too much from an entirely Parisian standpoint, and that, like the Frenchmen who imagined that they were going on a little summer holiday excursion, in which the advancement of the glory of France and the humiliation of Prussia would be the pleasant incidentals, ha has learned a thing or two by this time that he never knew before. The "ponderous and vain old King" is certainly with his army, but there has been no utterance of his thus far to show that he considers himself the real leader of his forces; and if he has not the ability to command an army himself, he possesses wisdom enough to select somebody who has brains enough to do the real work of directing the campaign. In this he may be advantageously compared with the French Emperor, who has made a muddle of his affairs by attempting to play the role of "mon onc'e." It is possible, but not probable, that the Prussian princes who have, nominally at least, thus far led their armies in a splendid series of victories, are stupid fellows, with real soldiers at their elbows to tell them what to do; but as armies are not, as a general rule. commanded with distinguished success in this manner, we are forced to the conclusion that the Crown Prince and Prince Frederic Charles are generals of real ability, even if they do happen to be princes. It is the fashion nowadays to disparage loyalty at all points; but, per se, there is no good reason why a prince should not be a man of brains as well as one who has not royal blood in his veins, and although we are good republicans, it is rather gratifying than otherwise to see the Prussian princes proving themselves to be something more than ornamental figure-heads. THE CUBAN SITUATION. THE war between Prussia and France has s overshadowed all subjects of minor importance that the troubles of Spain and Cuba have almost been lost sight of. Spain, which was the immediate cause of the conflict, sits waiting for something to turn up in her favor, so that she can wind up the work of her revolution and establish a permanent government, while in Cuba the counter revolution still continues nominally, although the clash of arms has almost ceased to be heard in that quarter. That the Cubans have not been able to achieve any permanent advantages against the almost imbecile attempts to subdue them made by the Spanish forces, is a disappointment to their well-wishers in the United States; but people who cannot help themselves when they have such an opportunity as was presented to the Cubans can scarcely expect much beyond sympathy from their neighbors. As the matter now stands the Cubans appear totally unable to achieve their independence, while the Spaniards are equally incompetent to establish their authority over the island as heretofore. There is nothing to be gained by prolonging such a situation as this, and it is for the best inteof all parties that the insurrecrests should terminate at as early a tion day as possible. In view of the complication of affairs in Europe, Spain would doubtless be only too glad to conclude the contest with ber colony, so that she may be able to avail herself of her whole military force in case of any emergency that may arise out of the Franco-Prussian quarrel; and if the Cubans are not in a position to demand their independence, they certainly ought to be able to conclude a peace on equitable terms and to exact conditions that will prevent a continuance of the tyrannical policy on the part of the mother country that caused the insurrection. If the Cubans had been half as much in earnest as were the American colonies in their contest with Great Britain they would have succeeded in driving the Spaniards from their island long ago. But the fact is that all the Latin races lack stamina and moral purpose, and it is far better that Ouba should be given up to Spain spain than

that a cruel and bloodthirsty but utterly un- | profitable contest should be continued. We in awe has now fallen so low th hope, therefore, it is true as reported, that Spain has sent a special agent to consult with the leaders of the insurrection and learn what terms they will accept. The sending of such an envoy is a practi-

cal confession of weakness on the part of Spain; and if the Cubans had hitherto shown from headquarters, because his themselves able to do more than carry on a guerilla warfare, it might be an encouragement for them to continue their resistance to the bitter end. There are few persons in the United States, however, who have attentively watched the progress of the Cuban insurrection, who would not advise the people of the island to accept generous terms from the mother country if they are offered. It is possible that the rumor of the arrival of the Spanish agent in this country may be unfounded; but in view of the peculiar situation of affairs both in Spain and in Cuba, it is at least likely to be true, and if true it ought to lead to important results.

PRUSSIAN CORRESPONDENCE CARDS.

PEOPLE used to have plenty of time, and even some to spare, but now, when invention is racked to the utmost for all sorts of plans to save time, there seems to be none left. The modern boast of annihilating it appears to be actually being realized; and what the world will do for a supply after a few more centuries of improvement is really a matter for anxious consideration.

Centuries ago our semi-savage ancestors despatched a short note of compliment on a log of wood, or a sheepskin, or some slight matter of that sort. Now we have "adhesive" envelopes ready stamped, and paper with printed addresses, yet we cannot find time to write our letters. To ease this pressure fashion has invented a science of cards by which a corner turned up or down becomes terribly significant, and "p. p. and other hieroglyphics assume c." mystic import, while a cabalistic monogram, unreadable to the uninitiated, means "at home," and is understood to explain that your friend is to be married and expects you to come to see him in a new coat and bring some silver with you.

But all these contrivances are insufficient, and the Prussian Post Office Department has struck upon a plan for expediting correspondence that promises to be very convenient.

The new invention is called the corres. pondence card, and is a card bearing the Post Office stamp with a blank space on the face for the address, while the back of the card is left for the note or communication. These cards will be sold stamped for the mere price of the stamp, or unstamped for the cost of production. The communication and address may be written in pencil, printed, lithographed, etc., according to fancy, and may be signed or unsigned at will. Places for writing will, when possible, be furnished

THE EMPEROS who lately he none to do him reverence. In Chambers yesterday, the Repu tested against a fight for his d one Parisian journal denounces sole author of the present calam other insisted that he must t the front was a sure presage of a crown his disgrace, it is Eugenie pitches into him sharpl posing his precious person on th or, in other words, for being well as a criminal blunderer. sible that a man so thoroughly the leadership of France can position. Despised by the arm the people, and reproached by h of Imperialists, it is high time t refuge in obscurity, and left arn ernments to men who are more managing them.

THE CONVENTION of Republica minority representation will me on Wednesday next. The mind are especially urged to send d delegates will be welcomed from of the State who sympathize wi ment. We notice that the con elected the Berks delegates c Cameron and Scott, and activ now being made to pervert the into licking the hands which hav earnest Republicans of the Dem ties. The chief complaint of the the minority districts is that the these sections has been bartered tors to pay individual debts, and fiance of the wishes of the par publicans of the minority con understand that some of the ac parently enlisted with them contracted to sell out and deli convention.

A DESPATCH from Paris state have been given for laying waste near the capital, and that valuab have already been destroyed, wh nary pains have been taken to zoological curiosities in the Bois in a place of safety. The under this defensive strategy appears matters little how many families homeless or how many of such things as barns and mills may be if deer, antelope and giraffes do the hands of the Prussians. Th hippopotamus is deemed an ob moment than the preservation steads of ten thousand families. William can only be kept from a to Berlin a gigantic elephant, Par how many peasants may be r hopeless poverty.

THE REPUBLICANS OF LANCAS Saturday for Congressional, Lee other candidates, and the conte singularly animated. If half is published by the local papers various candidates, every man p nomination much more merits a penitentiary than a seat at Wa Harrisburg; and according to the several editors give of each other should have been reposing behin years ago. The District Atto present at least fifty bills to the Jury, if the newspapers are at and promptly move for an enlarg county jail. Editors and cand rally should be indicted in the Republican party, unless hone tirely ceased to vegetate in the O SPECIAL NOTICE For Additional Special Notices see the I 0 COMFORTABLE OLOT JOHN WANAM 818 and 820 OHESNUT BO STEINWAY GRAND SQUARE AND UPRIGE OHARLES BLAS SOLE AGENT FOR THE SALE OF WORLD-RENOWNED AT THE OLD WAREROO No. 1006 CHESNUT ST NOTICE. THE PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INSU PANY. Are Aco The Annual Meeting of the Stock Pennsylvania Fire Insurance Compar at their office on MONDAY, the 5th de ber next, at 10 o'clock A. M., when at be held for nine Directors, to serve fo S 25 9t WILLIAM G. CROWEL COLORED CAMP BVERETT GROVE, ME the camp to be continued for several will leave the depot, THIRTY-FTRS NUT Streets, on SUNDAY, Ang. 28, M., 10 A. M., and 950 P BI. Tickets required rates B 16 SI" WILLIAM MAXWE

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y unfitted for resume that	Missionaries, for defraying the expenses of Halls and Charcis for Divine worship, and for the relief of the destitute, will be thankfully received and carefully	and Dress Parade of the celebrated NINTH NEW YORK REGIMENT, Colonel James Fisk, Jr., Commanding.	ings, a retired play ground. Next session begins September 12. Circulars a LFE & WALKER'S, No. 922 OHSSNUT Street. Testimonial from Hon. William Strong, U. S. Sa
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delegates, but	did Hair Dye is perfect. Changes red, rusty, or grey hair, whiskers, or moustache instantly to a glossy black or natural brown, without injuring the hair or staining the skin, leaving the hair soft and beauti-	Walnut street wharf, any day previous to the excur- sion, and on the morning of the Excursion. (S 25 St.	A Primary, Elementary, and Finishing School
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whole effort	NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AP. plication will be made to the Treasurer of the	ON	beering, with the use of all requisite instruments is given to the higher classes in Mathematics. A first-class Primary Department
mocratic coun- he true men of	City of Philadelphia for the issue of a new certif- cate of City Loan in the place of one which has been lost or mislaid, viz., No. 15,169 (Bounty Loan,	FRIDAY, August 26, 1870, remaining until	The best ventilated, most lofty and spacious Class rooms in the city. Open for the reception of applicants daily from it
e patronage of d by the Sena-	No. 3) for Five Hundred Dollars, in the name of Susanna Orr, Executrix. JAMES W. PAUL,	MONDAY AFTERNOON, 29th. The various Commanderies of Knights Templar	A. M. to 4 P. M. Fall term will begin September 12. Circulars at Mr. Warburton's, No. 430 Chesnut at
d often in de- arty. The Re-	8 24 6w" Attorney of Susanna Or. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON AND LIVERPOOL.	have made arragements for a repetition of their visit to Atlantic City this season, leaving VINE Street Ferry at 3:30 P. M.,	E DGEHILL, MERCHANTVILLE, N. J., WILL BE opened for SUMMER BOARDERS from July 1 to
ounties should active men ap-	CAPITAL, £2,000,000, SABINE, ALLEN & DULLES, Agents, FIFTH and WALNUT Streets,	ON FRIDAY, August 26.	September 15, 1970. The House is new and pleasantly located, with plenty of shade. Rooms large and airy, a number
have already liver the whole	NO. 113 PLUM STREET, CAMDEN, N. J.	PROGRAMME WHILE AT ATLANTIC CITY.	of them communicating, and with first-class board. A few families can be accommodated by applying
	Collections made anywhere inside of New Jer- sey. 8 16 Sot	FRIDAY EVENING. Complimentary Hops will be given at each of the	early. For particulars call on or address
te the country	Attorney and Counsellor at Law, No. 303 BROADWAY.	hotels by the proprietors. SATURDAY.	71 REV. T. W. CATTELL, Merchantville, N. J.
ble flour mills hile extraordi-	POLITIOAL.	At 9 A. M. will report at headquarters, in fail dress, for parade on the beach. At 8 P. M. the "Grand Knight Templar's Recep-	HALLOWELL SELECT HIGH SCHOOL FOR Young Men and Boys, which has been re moved from No. 110 N. Tenth street, will be opened on September 12 is the new and more commodious
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at the Post Offices, and all carriers will ready to furnish the cards.

The one objection to this new form for correspondence is that the letter will, of course, be open, that he that runs may read, but as the carriers and postmen have to run pretty fast nowadays, it is not probable that they will have much time to spend in reading, and many communications on business, and even upon social or domestic matters, could be without injury exposed to the accidental danger of being perused by a post office The Prussian post office, in announcing

the introduction of these cards, urges their use upon business men for the transmission of orders, etc., in the confidence that they will speedily become popular as a matter of convenience, from the fact that they can be carried in a pocket-book as readily as visiting cards.

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IF THE DESPATCHES sent over the cable last night are not grossly incorrect, the bulk of MacMahon's army has marched to the relief of Bazaine. These reports do not imply that a junction of the two wings of the French army has already been effected, but only that they are in such proximity as to act in co-operation for defensive or offensive operations, or at least to expose the Prussians, who are investing Metz, to the danger of having a simultaneous assault upon their front and rear.

The Prussian advance upon the capital has at least had the effect of impeding the transportation of reinforcements and supplies from Paris to the French armies in front, and if MacMahon ventures too far towards the Moselle, it is possible that all his lines of communication with the capital may be cut

The central point of interest continues to be the battle-ground of last week and the adjacent country. It is in that region that a decisive conflict is most likely to occur, and in no other quarter have the French a chance of retrieving the disasters of the campaign.

THE Harrisburg Telegraph is earnestly orging the Republicans of the hopeless distriet of York, Cumberland, and Perry to nominate a straight Republican candidate for Congress to pull the chestnuts out of the fire for Cameron, and enable Haldeman to be reelected. When the Republicans shall have burnt their fingers in obedience to Cameron's strategy, Haldeman, being winner, can be jolly. But if the Republicans shall not rush their fingers into the fire, what then? For particulars, inquire of the Republican United States Senator who is struggling to elect a Democratic Congressman against the wishes of the Democratic party.

THE LOWER BAY NUISANCE still continues in the environs of New York-that is to say the bodies of thousands of dead dogs, cats, and horses have been washed on the shores adjacent to luxurious country seats and suburban villages, and the air for miles around Manhattan is tainted with poisonous effluvia. Thus rottenness prevails without as well as within the metropolis, and health and life are wantonly sacrificed to easure profits on a New York offal contract.

