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THE PRACR PROSPEOTS. Try latest reports from the other side of the
Aulantio are that a treaty of poase has been signed botween France and Germany, and oren if thes raports should not prove trae,
it in certain that torms will be bgreed upon It in certain that terms will be agreed upon
ere many dasa between the two natagoistio power. It is not possible for Franco longer
o offer any effeotive resistaneo, and a prolongation of the struggle woold only inoreose
her bumiliation and make the Germans more hor bumiliation and make the Germans more
oxorbitant in their demands. The terms
which the exorbitant in their demanas.
which the Germann have probably insisted
nopen are the cession of Alsane and
that portion of Lorraine which inoludes the fortress of Matz
together with a money indemnity. Undor all the oiroumstanoes, these terms cannot be con-
sidered other than moderate except by those sidered other than moderate except by those
Bentimentalists who profess to toink that the
Geimans onght to bave stopped fighting and Bentimentainata who prorestoped fighting and
Geomanno onght to bave stople
returned home after the fall of Sedan. In returned home after the fall of Sedan. In
view of the faot that France in a, most arro-
gant and insolent spirit, commenced the war gant and insolent spirit, commenosing a rival
with the avowed parpose of crushing
whom sbe feared might become too powerful suoh a proceeding would have been a supreme
act of folly, which long-headed and practical men like Bismarck and Von Molttre wore
little likely to commit. As in the ease of our own Rebellion, there was
but one course
to be pursed, and that was to fight the fight out to the bitter
end until one or the other of the combatants was forced to cry enongh. When we consider
what Prassia and the other German States
 the victors in the present instance oasnot
but appear to impartial men as singularly all the laws of warfare, to reap the
practical benefits of their victory, and it is
nothing but comon prudence to take such nothing but common prudence to take such
measures as will prevent France at any early day from repeativg the wild experiment
last summer. That the humiliation of present crnsbing defeat will rakklo in the
breasts of more than one generation of of revenge will prompt them to
reuew the
whenever whenever they think they can
do so with a probability of snocoss. Before
France can cope with her present conqueror, France can cope with her present conqueror,
however, there will have to be a number of
radioal ohangea consummated, and the Gerradioal ohanges consum mated, and the Ger-
man armies will have to be met with better material than igoorant and bigoted peasauts
and half-sarage Arrican Arabs. Eduaction
has won the d*y for Germany, as it did for the loyal North in our civil war,
and if France expe ts to have succosss in the future she must adopt the only possibbe
means of obtaining it in these days of ganeral enlightenment. The humiliation of soch
a defeetat an France has suffered was a losson
and that the French people and their politioal
leaders sadly needed, and they have good war with only the loss of a province or two Or eighteen years they allowed themselves to
be the slavees of a mean tyrant, and as they lost the respect of the world by submitting to a
depsotiman as degrading as any the world has
ever seen, 'so mnat they now bear the con over seen, so muat they now bear the con-
sequunees of being aceosories to the coime
of the Second Empire, and the hamiliation of cruashing defeat will be a blessing in disguise
it teaches them to appreciate the true neaning of the words liberty, civilization, and glory. France, with all her oulture, has been for eighteen years the shame of the na-
bina, and the sympathy that misfortune tions, and the sympathy that misfortune
must ever exite
ehould
not be allowed to obscure tre acil consideration of
deserved. Apart from and
the merits of the quarrel between Germany the merits of the quarrel between Germany
and France, there is inane for heorty congraand that peace must come in some shape or other; and the rights or wrongs of the war
should not prevent the people of this country
from contributing liberally to the relief of the thousands of poor people who have been
deprived of their means of subsistenoe. DISRAELLI ON "RO WDY RERTORIC." THz present Tory leader in the English House
of Commons kuast be sorely in want of a subject upon which he can command the atton-
tion of the House and bo rewarded by a
"hoor, hear," when he resorts to the means "hoar, hear," when he resorts to the means Government of England,, published in a re-
(oent number of this jurual. In this very remarkable apoocb, Mr.
Disraeli has exhibited a very bad temper and presented the remarkable spectacle of prominent and usually adroit publio man manifesting in his own language the very dis-
courtesy he complains of in others.- What a ourtosy he complains of in others.. What a powerful party that claims to represent the
aristocraoy and wealth, if not the brains, of England-a statesman of varied attrainmente Covernment- Aman meoognized everywher as an accomplished soholar and polititionariaes in his place to give publie expression
of his disapproval of what he is plosed to call the "tone of the American Government, ordinary newspaper colums, presents the
most exaggerated illnatration of the very 'The language of our publing munioating with theirse, he se mess, "oannot be attributod to our rude republican manners, amner in the Senate, and that of the Presi dent in a "grave State paper," he conolade by hatanoteriziog them as "rowdy rhetoric.
This is is eortainly yery remarkable language plaining of the want of courtesy in the lan guage of Amerioan officials.


CONSUMPTION.

Its Cure and its Preventive, In complaining of Senator Sumner s speect,
as an "inveotive against the Englias Govern-
ment and the English nation," he styler him the "chief Senator," "second only to the
Preesident, for he exercises the fanctions of
 bead, he adds, as ahowing his power and pub-
liio importanee, "No troaty with the United
States can, I' believe, his concurrence." Mr. Sumner, no less than
the American peoppe, will be surprised to
learn of his great polititel portance.
Having with all the lights before him mistaken the very simple construction of the
Senate, under our form of government, it capnot be wondered that, blinded by preju-
dice, he fails to underst and why our people, as represented in the Government, "are more
courteons to the Governments of Rassia and
Germany than to Eogland." Germanty thane to Eggland. A common or
gin, literature, langage, and laws had led
us to look for fair dealing, if not for sympa-
it, thy, in the groat trial through which our in-
stitutions passed during the late Rebellion.
Eqpecially did the loyal American look for it,
in view of Englands loud protestations of and seeing that right and advantage lay for you
in the eame path. In the darkest hour of the
nation's trial nation's trial the warm sym
and Germany were with us.
From them we had expected nothing in our
great battle for the preservation of free institutions. From free, enlightened EEggland we
expected mech. When the hollowness of expected mnch. When the hollowness of
our yretensions were made manifest by
every public act and private channel, oan it be wondered that our official communnications
to the former Govern ments should warmth and frankness in contrast with those addressed to England? The only way your
"High Commissi on" ean change the "tone of our official communications" is by such gene-
rous and manly action as will convince our people that you are sorry and ashamed of the
past, and promise better things for the fature.


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