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 FRIDAY - - MAY 6, 1898 SECRETARY DAY'S OPPORTUNITY During the present war the,re panbilies of our diplomacy wil little less onerous than those of woblems are looming up on the horion of European politics, says the inter Ocean. The concert of the powers in the White House, the conParis regarding American aggression be studied reticence of the office in Berin, and the peculiar notes forth coming daily from the Tory organs of Lendon concerning our greed of and and power, are unquestionable iplomatic relations.
From day to day as the war preceeds we shall be marle to feel the pressure of European influence. We hall receive advice, warning and cotest, and we shall be fortunate if we do not find ourselves more than onee the object of a menacing stateent or declaraction. Not for an our, from the present moment unti the treaty of peace is signed and exscuted, will oar government be al owed to forget that the powers of sdopted toward us a well-defined policy of repression.
And why? Not besause they fear no dil a Russian czar, that the merican factor may become poten Earopean politics, nor because hey thiok cur icause unjust and our aterference unwarranted. Such reoote and immaterial reasons may be pat forward as motives, but they are open powers really. What the Eupeitel powers renily fear is that the ory or in ine provision agginst atare anno mise may take for itself some piece of territory which they aemselves covet. It requires no diplomatic astuteness to recognize this fact. Everybody with even a desultory knowledge of current political literature abroad must peroeive it.
An American diplomat said a few years ago: "Central and South merien would be a delightful grazing ground for the celonial enthusiArrica or Asia-and it is our duty to seep tham out." We can keep them out, if to the prorer determination we add the possestion or control of Cuba and Porto Rico, thus gaining a command of the Caribbean and the cept Russia, is bent upon preventing as from gaining this command. Hence the unsympathetis attitude of the omens of remonstrance, adivice, warming and
The imperative duty of the stato ean intereats for the duration Amerillties and to assure tham for the generations that would derive inareasing prosperity and power from an adivautageous treaty of pence. It not as easy duty for an urtried hut, if properly discharged, it will phace his mame aide by side with the liot of American statesinen who have preasved America for the Americuns, and to the uzliest face of Ruropenn alplomacy have presented Whe indomitable frome of the doetrine of Moaroe.
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