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### Parliamentary Progress—The New York News from Cuba.

A mail telegram from Madrid of the 30th of March reports thus:—

In the Cortes yesterday the order of the day was the adjourned debate on the bill relative to the means of maintaining public order.

M. BERGES attacked it and M. RÍVERO replied.

M. ALVAREDA asked what credit should be given to a New York telegram that spoke of a combat in Cuba. The Minister replied that the report had no foundation, and that the New York telegrams about Cuba were generally erroneous. He added that there could have been no fighting, as a colonel at the head of fifty men only was traversing the island in all directions.

In spite of the apparent rupture between the Unionists and the radicals the government pursues a policy favorable to conciliation. A proof of this fact is seen in the postponement of the discussion on the constitutional reform of Porto Rico.