## SPAIN AND CUBA.

Exciting Debate in the Cortes on Colonial Policy—The Mother Country Determined to Keep the Island at any Cost.

MADRID, July 15.—There has been an excited debate for two days in the Spanish Cortes upon the Colonial policy of the Government. A motion submitted by the Opposition, looking to the vigorous prosecution of the war to prevent the loss of Cuba, was discussed, as was also the proposition made by Gen. Sickles for the sale of Cuba to the United States, and it was resolved to keep the island at any cost.