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NOTICE.

IN order to facilitate the transaction of my business, I have given a general power of attorney to Mr. EUGENE DUVERGER, my Cashier, under date of the 5th February last. Mr. Duverger is consequently fully empowered to pay all debts, collect all dues and receipt all bills or accounts either for myself or the office of the Bee. G. F. WEISSE.

New Orleans, May 1st, 1851.

FOR CONGRESS,
SECOND DISTRICT,
J. ARISTIDE LANDRY.

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JOHN MOORE.

CUBAN AFFAIRS.

We perceive that the *Georgia* at New York brought precisely the same conflicting and contradictory intelligence respecting Cuban affairs, as was received here by the *Cherokee*. While the Havana journals, on the one hand, pronounced the insurrection at an end, and published bulletins announcing the defeat and dispersion of the insurgents, the Cuban Junta, as it is called, or association of Cuban gentlemen who are in constant communication with the Patriots of the Island, furnished the press of New York with a considerable mass of news from Havana and other points, utterly at variance with the Spanish versions. Many of the New York papers, and especially those which really strive to place unvarnished truth before their readers, admit very frankly that they are gravelled by these antagonistical advices, and as they their consciences by publishing in juxtaposition the letters of the Cuban patriots and the outgivings of the Spanish press. The *Tribune*—a journal which, as a matter of course, is hostile to the revolution—neverthe less weighs the evidence on both sides impartially, and concludes that it preponderates in favor of the Patriots. Others, less sincere, or disposed to allow the wish to be father to the thought—as the *Commercial Advertiser* and the *Journal of Commerce*—look not an inch beyond the intrications of the Havana prints; and a ser, most hastily and illogically, that the revolt is quelled, because the *Gaceta de la Habana* and the *Diario de la Marina* say so.

The letters transmitted to the New York press by the Cuban junta, are in many respects more full and explicit than those received here, and some of them bear, to our unsophisticated optics, an almost irresistible air of truth and plausibility. We subjoin one or two, which, in the very moderation of their statements, contrast most favorably with the high-sounding bulletins of the Spanish authorities:

HAVANA, August 2, 1851.

MY DEAR FRIEND:—Your letter of the 26th is received, and thanks. First, what is first in order? The affair is going on better than could have been expected. From Principe we have assurance, at least true news. Recio and Aris in Aguero have over 300 men; Armenteros with Feliz Arango over 500, in spite of the flock of the pretended surrender, which is here regarded as a solemn lie, and on the 5th something will probably be done at Manzas. That you may know that the thing is going forward I will tell you that the day before yesterday Gen Vargas went to take the command of the troops in the Cuatro Lugares, 14 leagues in the Central Department, Trinidad, Santi Espiritu, Villa Clara, and Remedios) and by to-day's mail have accounts to bring to open the campaign in form with military operations in the field. This amounts to saying the troops are an army, and making insurrection a thing *gran de*. Is this the country being *pacificado*? We are expecting the landing of the General in the whole of next week, and then we, too, will open the campaign.

I am preparing to go to ——. In Manzas nothing is to be done till the General's arrival, nor at other points at which they desire to move.

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DEAR FRIEND:—I am very happy at the success in course of our affairs, but shall be more entirely so till I am myself engaged in the contest. I wish to be useful to my country, my friend, and all my blood seems but very little for that sacred debt which we all ought to pay. The affair of Cuba cost me more labor than you can imagine, but at last he leaves to-morrow for Manzanillo, having pledged himself that in four or five days he will put himself at the head of a army.

HAVANA, Aug. 1, 1851.

MY DEAR Comrade:—The news I sent you by a rebel was much exaggerated, though in the main of the reports that were current here; but the fact is that some portions of it have been confirmed, and the rest is, from moment to moment, about to be so.

The insurrection is marching forward after the fashion of the century that is to say, with seven power. The organization at this place is complete. I believe that if the General presents himself, there will be no need of sending for anybody, as all will be done like a stroke of lightning.

We have to-day a messenger from Cardenas, the way of Matanzas, for the purpose of having an understanding together, and collecting all the funds we can. I have told him that I am ready to take the field with him as soon as he pleases.

We have bought arms and part of the ammunition for 300 men, who are to go out from here to Pinar del Rio.

I have at present a safe place to scatter the proper documents, as soon as the affair takes the arms in the Vuelta de Abajo, from which quarter they have all answered that they will not move till the General comes, but the boys who will go out to them from here, will stir them up. I think it probable we shall have the dance [very expected remedio] in all the coming week, as they are at work actively there.

We shall here to-day, as certain, that the Lieut Governor of Vila Clara has been killed, and that Capt. Fortun, who went out in pursuit of the pretended surrender, which is here regarded as a solemn lie, and on the 5th something will probably be done at Manzas. That you may know that the thing is going forward I will tell you that the day before yesterday Gen Vargas went to take the command of the troops in the Cuatro Lugares, 14 leagues in the Central Department, Trinidad, Santi Espiritu, Villa Clara, and Remedios) and by to-day's mail have accounts to bring to open the campaign in form with military operations in the field. This amounts to saying the troops are an army, and making insurrection a thing *gran de*. Is this the country being *pacificado*? We are expecting the landing of the General in the whole of next week, and then we, too, will open the campaign.

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