

## CUBA.

**Court-Martials in Civil Cases Abolished  
—Strength of the Revolutionists—The  
Havana Press.**

HAVANA, Saturday, Jan. 9.

A proclamation by the Captain-General, abolishing court-martials for the trial of civil cases, was to-day promulgated. The proclamation of liberty of the Press has gone into full effect.

The reports are fully confirmed that the revolutionists have decreed the abolition of slavery within their lines. The Spaniards here consider it a desperate measure, and an indication of the growing weakness of the rebel cause. The commanders of some flying columns of Spanish troops report that the revolution is gradually decreasing; but well-informed Cubans assert the contrary, and report that the revolutionary forces are constantly receiving accessions from within and without the island.

The leaders of the Cuban party declare that they have the greatest confidence in Gen. DULOE as an honorable gentleman, but they say they cannot place any reliance on the compromise measures he introduces; for another revolution may take place at any moment in Spain, which might change the whole aspect of affairs, and annul, perhaps, all the acts of the Captain-General.

It is anticipated that the recent Liberal proclamations will cause a material change in the insurrectionary districts, as soon as they become known there.

HAVANA, Sunday, Jan. 10.

The *Diario*, the organ of the slave traders and the defender of the corrupt bureaucracy, up to the present date, has published nothing of the new order of things, and sensible and moderate Spaniards are disgusted with its conduct.

The *Prensa*, an ultra-Spanish paper, and the reputed organ of the Jesuits, continues to publish bombastic articles full of threats against the revolutionists. This journal is considered an open enemy by the Cuban party, and is respected as such.

Several new Liberal journals have made their appearance.

At the Tacon Theatre, last night, the revolutionary hymn of Spain was sung amid indescribable enthusiasm.

Two battalions have left for Nuevitas.