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Removal of the Statues of Queen Isabella—Captain General Dulce's Proclamation.

HAVANA, Thursday, Jan. 7.

Last night, by order of the Government, all the statues of Queen ISABELLA, and other symbols of the late dynasty, were removed from the squares and public buildings in the city.

Captain-General DULCE has issued his anxiously awaited proclamation. It is addressed to Cubans. He says: "I will brave every danger, accept every responsibility for your welfare. The revolution has swept away the Bourbon Dynasty, tearing up by the roots a plant so poisonous that it putrefied the air we breathed. To the citizen shall be returned his rights, to man his dignity. You will receive all the reforms which you require. Cubans and Spaniards are all brothers. From this day Cuba will be considered as a Province of Spain. Freedom of the Press, the right of meeting in public and representation in the national Cortes—the three fundamental principles of true liberty—are granted you." Gen. DULCE concludes as follows: "Cubans and Spaniards: Speaking in the name of our mother, Spain, I adjure you to forget the past, hope for the future and establish union and fraternity."

The news received from the interior to-day is to the effect that Count VALMASENA is marching toward Bayamo.

The revolutionary forces, strong in numbers, are besieging Gibara and other towns, and 2,000 of them are holding Col. LONO in check at Tumas.

The Marquis of Santa Lucia and Gen. CASTILLO, at the head of rebel bands, remain in the neighborhood of Puerto Principe.

Provisions are arriving at Santiago for the troops and famishing people of the interior.

Senor VAQUEZ, who was killed by a Spanish officer yesterday, was buried at an early hour this morning. Many of his friends accompanied the corpse from the house of the deceased to the cemetery, and while on the way some Cubans excited seditious cries; but otherwise the affair passed off quietly, though the Cubans intended to make the funeral a political demonstration.