

## NO PROTECTION FOR AMERICANS IN CUBA.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:—

HAS AN AMERICAN any protection after leaving the United States, and how long are they to be outraged and murdered without a government to protect them? A daily patron of your valuable paper has just returned from Cuba, where business detained him for the past three months, and while there he was frequently asked by some bloodthirsty volunteer if he was an American or an Englishman, and knowing they feared the vengeance of Joan Ball in case an English subject was molested, and that they laughed at the idea of the United States being able to extend any protection to her subjects in Cuba in face of her iron-clads and other large ships of war now being exhibited in the United States, I was compelled for the first time in my life to deny my country and hail for an Englishman for self-protection.

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