

Effects of the Herald's Enterprise—Publication of General Banks' Cuban Report.

The publication of General Banks' report on Cuba still creates a great sensation here. General Banks and his *colleagues* on the Foreign Affairs Committee are furious that the report should get into print in advance of its presentation to Congress. The usually urbane General declares it must have been stolen; but he can rest assured that it was not so obtained, but, on the contrary, in a perfectly fair and proper manner. Without any violation of confidence I may state that the premature publication has had one good effect, among others, and that is that it has determined General Banks to present the report to the House next Monday and to make an effort to have the whole subject then considered. It is confidently believed that he will succeed and that the result of the vote will satisfy the whole country. By the way, the premature publication of the President's secret message to the Senate on the St. Domingo treaty created great surprise at the White House and Senate both. The President wonders where the copy was obtained, confident as he is, and rightly, too, that it was not obtained at the White House. The Cuban agents here have been deluged with letters expressing the highest gratification at the able and exhaustive report of General Banks.