

Very Important News from Cuba.

The news comes to us from Havana, by way of Key West, that the insurgents are not only active, but in many respects successful in their late campaigns against the Spaniards. The neighborhood of Santiago de Cuba is alive with Cuban raiding parties—so much so, in fact, that the government troops are compelled to assume the defensive and call for more men to sustain them. It is questionable whether the relief asked for can be sent to their aid. It is stated that the Spaniards have been beaten in several engagements recently. Of one thing, however, we may rest assured, and that is that affairs are not as favorable to the Spanish cause to-day as they were two months since. The situation in and around Santiago de Cuba is of such a nature as to require the immediate presence of the Captain General. If he but accomplishes as much there as he did at Nuevitas he may as well stay where he is. The planters still keep up the agitation against the abolition of slavery and refuse to obey the emancipation laws. This also is a serious source of concern to those who desire the continuance of Spanish rule in the island. That the house is divided is evident, and it is plain that the Spaniards have more foes than one to fight.