

BY THE GULF CABLE.

Serious Riots in Havana—Four Persons Killed and many Wounded—The Volunteers Called Out—Disturbances in Regla—Proclamation by Gen. Dulce, &c.

HAVANA, Jan. 21.—During the performance of minstrels at the Villa Nueva Theatre last evening there were seditious cries of "Viva Cárdenas" and many of the audience commenced singing the revolutionary hymn. A formidable riot ensued, and Spanish armed volunteers and police fired upon the people, and the latter returned the fire. Four persons were killed and many were wounded on both sides. Too afraid has created the most intense excitement. sensible men of both parties regret the occurrence of this outbreak.

No business was done to-day, owing to the troubles of last night, but the excitement is now quieting, and no further disturbances are apprehended.

The *Díario* says that a riot was attempted last night in the town of Regla, opposite Havana.—The volunteers were called out, and since then quiet has prevailed. At about the same time shots from small guns were fired against Fort Cabanas and Fort Numero Cuatro. The firing was kept up until one o'clock in the morning, but when the volunteers advanced they found no enemy.

A disturbance took place to-day in the city.—Shots were interchanged between the rioters and the volunteers, after which tranquillity was restored.

Captain General Dulce has issued a proclamation, in which he says that, while justice will be rendered to all, severe punishment will be inflicted upon all disturbers of order.

The Banco del Comercio has resumed operations, but, under an arrangement with its creditors, full payment is postponed.

The *Gaceta* to-day publishes the provisions of the new electoral law for Cuba and Porto Rico. Cuba will send eighteen and Porto Rico eleven members to the Spanish Cortes.

THE SAN DOMINGO REVOLUTION.

HAVANA, January 21.—Advices from San Domingo say the official *Gaceta* states that the revolutionists under Ogando had been defeated. Private advices, on the contrary, say that the revolutionists have captured the villages of Neiba and Parabona, and are advancing on Agua.—A number of banished Dominicans had left Curaçoa, and landed on the southwestern coast. The Dominican government was forwarding troops to support President Baer, who was in the field against the revolutionists. General Luperon is reported to have landed on the northern coast. The entire coast was in an unsettled condition.

Mr. Hartmont, a London banker, had arrived at the capital with the object of concluding a loan of two millions of dollars to President Baer. The latter grants, as a guarantee of the payment of the loan, all the copper mines and coal mines at Samana and the gaseo on the Island of Alta Vela. The contract was expected to be signed this week, whereupon English vessels of war would immediately proceed to Samana and Alta Vela.

ASSASSINATIONS IN HAVANA, ETC.

HAVANA, Jan. 24.—Several soldiers belonging to the volunteer and regular forces were assassinated to-day. These transactions, together with the unsettled state of affairs in the Island, cause much anxiety among the people.

Spaniards everywhere speak confidently of the early ending of the revolution.

HAVANA MARKET.

HAVANA, January 23.—Sugar quiet; Nos. 10 to 12, \$12.50; 84% real; Molasses sugar quiet at \$12.50; Mezquidors, fair to good refining, firm at \$12.50. Olivares steady; cleaved 5, 84%; Mucoyado or common 84%. Lead buoyant at \$12.50. Flour steady at \$11. Butter buoyant at \$12.50. Tallow fat at \$12.50%. Bacon firm; 184%\$. Honey 3%, 4 real. Wax, yellow, easier, at 74%\$. Oil per arroba, white active at 9.50; linoleum 50. Petroleum lighter—43% real per gallon, advancing 4 Dols. 62. Beans—common salted, 17c; sugar cured 25c.—Lumber—Market well supplied; shooks plenty at least 40 reals per box; \$12.50 per hhd; beams, 14 feet shaved in demand at \$15 per thousand; 17 feet firm at \$15. Outhouse in demand at \$7. Freights steady; sugar per box, to Northern and Southern ports, 1 25¢ per hhd; sugar, 5 Stugs; molasses, 2 50¢ 12 1/2%. Gold 5% premium.