

FROM HAVANA.

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The insurgents have burned five of the largest plantations in the jurisdiction of Sagua Lachion, one near Cienfuegos, and another near Manicargua. It is reported that the insurgent generals are carrying out their plan of burning everywhere. A detachment of insurgents had left Alvarez well mounted, to burn plantations in the vicinity of Jabacoca. The planters are terrified. The insurgents admit that many plantations have been burned within a week.

Another steamer has arrived from Spain with troops. Generals Buceta and Escalante were passengers. The troops have gone to Nuevitas.

An engagement took place between troops and insurgents yesterday near Alvarez. The insurgents were routed, and, dividing, one force fled toward Manicargua and the other towards Jaguay Grande.

An engagement had taken place at Guarajabulla. The official account reports 136 insurgents killed. The insurgents are active near Bolondonon. Troops from Matanzas have gone there.

When the battle of Cubita was fought Quesada was sick with the small-pox. Ortega commanded. The insurgents are carrying off slaves from plantations and making them soldiers. The number of insurgents in Sagua and Remedios districts is estimated at from 7,000 to 9,000.

The Espira plantations, near Trinidad, have been burned. The five places burned in the Sagua district produced 5,000 hogsheds of sugar annually.

Order is being restored in the jurisdiction of Cubita. Gen. Fuella is moving towards Puerto Principe. The situation at Cienfuegos is unchanged. The disturbed condition of the surrounding country prevents sugar from reaching Cienfuegos.
