

TONNAGE DUES IN CUBA.—Our Washington despatch calls attention to recent advices from Cuba in regard to the fact that American vessels in the ports of that island are obliged to pay one dollar gold per ton higher duties than British or any other national ships. The subject is worthy of the attention of Mr. Fish and Consul Plumb, and we call their attention to it. If we have got to pay more for being American citizens we should like to know on which of our particular merits this extra charge is founded.