revolutionists, aided by filibuster volunteers, and the Spanish regulars. One of these engagements is described as of considerable severity and attended with much loss to the patriot forces. Gibara, on the northern coast of the island, Cienfuegos and Trinidad are in commotion, and have been made the scenes of conflict. Appalling atrocities are committed on both sides, and it is said that a number of "free lances" ride round the country robbing

and murdering inoffensive persons. Cuba is an unsafe neighbor in such a condition. Can General Grapt afferd a pacificator?

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