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**Resignation of De Latorre—Count Valmaseda
General-in-Chief—Improved Health of Gen-
eral Lesca.**

HAVANA, Sept. 1, 1899.

General De Latorre has resigned the command of the forces in the Eastern Department.

Count Valmaseda has been appointed General-in-Chief, with headquarters in the field.

General Lesca has returned to this city from San Diego, his health having improved.

The steamship Eagle, from New York, arrived here this morning.

Sugar—The market for Nos. 10 to 12 is firmer, and holders demand an advance. Sales were made to-day at 8½ a 9 reals per arroba.