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The reports which the Provisional Government of Spain receives from the Captain-General of Cuba are anything but favorable to the Spanish rule. It is generally understood in Madrid that the Spaniards find it difficult to hold even the important towns, and that the people of Cuba are almost a unit in favor of the revolution. The Spaniards are making extraordinary efforts to save the last of their American possessions, but the admissions which they themselves make cannot but encourage the hopes of the Cubans.

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