

**Arrival of the "Grape Shot" with Arms and Munitions for the Revolutionists.**

NEW YORK, May 5:—The Washington despatches of the *Tribune* of to-day have the following :

The press despatch relating to the Republican Congress of Cuba declaring for annexation is discredited here. It is known that there is a strong party among the patriots in favor of independence, and that by general consent the idea of annexation has not been considered an open question. Cuban agents here have universally affirmed that the object of the revolution was to effect their separation from Spain, leaving the annexation project to settle itself when the island was free. There has been no concealment of a belief that, Cuban independence won, annexation to the United States would follow, solicited by the free votes of the Cubans themselves. The great effort of the patriot leaders has been to prevent the agitation of this subject. Quesada, reported elected General-in-Chief, is an avowed annexationist after independence has been secured. Cespedes has been placed at the head of the Republican Government. Advice received here this evening by way of Florida indicate the safe arrival within the patriot lines of a vessel from New York loaded with arms and munitions. It is supposed to be the "Grape Shot."