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164 LETTER FROM HAVANA.

Correspondence of the Delta.

HAVANA, September 1, 1860.

Messrs. Editors.—While General Walker is working the masses of Honduras, invited by the people of the country, and under the lead of a former President of the Republic, we are sending down to St. Domingo, for the purpose of assisting President Santana against the Haytiens. We do not propose to render this service for nothing; our ultimate object is protectorate, and eventually possession—and it will all be accomplished because Napoleon has sanctioned this movement on the part of Spain. When it is all right, he will step in to regulate the affairs of Hayti, and in doing so will wipe them out. In Honduras, probably, a decent government will follow the advent of Walker—a government organized by the people of the country, and they will be protected in life and property, which has never been the case under the present infamous administration.

Expeditions have been fitted out in the Havana, with Spanish funds, under the tacit consent of Spanish authority, if not by actual order of the Government—charged with all the munitions of war needful for siege trains in attack upon the defences of a large city, for the purpose of aiding a factious chief in his efforts to impose himself upon the nation as its Executive. The vessels loaded in Havana leave the port without any legal papers—at sea, as armed vessels, without nationality. The same sort of assistance is sent eastward, under pretense of benevolent service, while the plan has been already concocted for action against the integrity of the Government they aid—the wolf in sheep's clothing—all of which the *Diario* does not weep over with fearful wailing, lamentation and gnashing of teeth; but poor Walker, who keeps stirring up the masses with a long pole, aiding legitimate authority derived from the people, is the great bugbear of his imagination, and the offending head for all his vials of wrath. Consistency is a jewel.

The Spanish expedition left this port the 28th inst., for Port au Platte. The plan which has now been adopted by the Government at Madrid, is the old Segoria plot, which has never slept, only withdrawn from observation for the moment, until the United States should have time to get over or forget the malignity which prevented the ratification of the treaty determined by the contracting powers, through their officials, etc.

The *Empire City* is in the offing, Baxter, commander, Patterson, purser. The steamer looks inviting, and is much improved in her inner comforts.

The gentlemen, Messrs. Abzogaray, father and son, are invited to make themselves at home in a house put at their disposition, upon the *punda* plan, within "nine days," for alleged default in management of the agency of the Tutelar Life Insurance Company of Madrid. They do not seem to be inclined to obey the mandate of justice. In for \$180,000.

Don Jose Solano de Alvear, agent of the *Credito Espanol* of Madrid for Havana, defaulter—and something more—for, according to reports, \$800,000 to \$1,000,000, not less than the first. He visited a Southern city by a late steamer, is also reported. Other news nothing of consequence. Your devoted, ROUGH AND READY.