

## A New Cuban Revolution Proposed.

"General Ramon Leocadia Bonachea, chief of the vanguard," has issued a proclamation in this city, in which he calls the Cubans to arms to establish their independence of Spain.

We respectfully suggest to the Cuban revolutionists, if there are any, to dismiss General Bonachea at once and substitute a "chief of the vanguard" who will have brains enough not to begin his military operations by an exposure of them to the enemy, and who, moreover, will date his proclamations, if he makes any, from Cuba and not from New York, which is a fitter place for the rear guard.

There are in this country several hundred thousand Cubans, every man of whom, we have no doubt, wants to rush over to his native island at once to drive out the "hated Spaniards." And here comes General Bonachea, and with his silly proclamation attracts the attention not only of Spain, but

of the United States government, to their project. If the "chief of the vanguard" were in the pay of Spain he could not have taken a better way to cripple the "revolution;" for, of course, the Washington authorities will now take every precaution to prevent the preparation of expeditions here against a friendly nation. The United States cannot tolerate breaches of the neutrality laws.

When the friends of Cuban independence really mean business we hope they will remember that Cuba is to be freed from Spain not in the United States, but in Cuba, and not by proclamations, but by hard fighting.