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**WEYLER'S PROCLAMATION**

**ORDERS TO THE PINAR DEL RIO PEOPLE.**

All Persons Found Outside of the Towns After Eight Days Will be Arrested.

Havana, October 22.—Captain-General Weyler has issued a proclamation containing the following provisions:

First—All of the inhabitants of the country or outside the lines of fortifications of the towns must betake themselves to the towns occupied by troops within a period of eight days. Those who are found outside the towns after the expiration of that period will be considered rebels and will be taken and tried as such.

Second—The withdrawal of groceries from the towns is absolutely prohibited, and also the transportation of them by sea or land without a permit from the military authorities, violators of this provision to be tried and punished as aiders of the rebels.

Third—Proprietors of cattle must carry them to towns or provide immediately that they shall receive due protection.

Fourth—Eight days after the publication of this proclamation all rebels surrendering in every municipality will be subject to the Captain-General's disposal to order them where to reside, and it will be a commendation in their favor for them to give available news about the enemy and to surrender with their firearms, and, moreover, to surrender collectively in their organizations.

Fifth—The proclamation is only enforceable in the province of Pinar del Rio.

The insurgents during the past two weeks have been continuing the work of devastation, particularly in the province of Mantanzas, where they have reduced to ashes eight tobacco and sugar plantations, together with many farmhouses and huts of laborers, the total value being about \$2,000,000.

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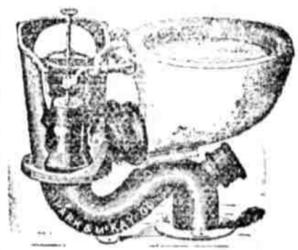
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