FROM GEN. SHAFTER.

He Denies Having Made Certain Statements Attributed to Him.

CONCERNING THE ATTITUDE OF GARCIA.

A Slight Misunderstanding Existing Between Him and the Governor of Santiago de Cuba.

Santiago de Cuba, July 26, 12.35 p. m.—(Delayed 8 p. m.)—Commodore Watson says he has not made similar statements attributed to him as to Garcia's attitude to the United States, as those of the commander of the military forces, General Shafter, and Rear Admiral Sampson. The commodore says he has had a slight misunderstanding with the governor of the city of Santiago, Colonel Escario, who, he says, has been very polite to him. The commodore says he has had no trouble with Garcia, which had been reported to the American forces. Rear Admiral Sampson says he has had no difficulty whatever with Garcia, and he does not believe Garcia has any intention of joining the enemy against the Spanish. Major General Shafter says he has had no difficulty with Garcia, and he does not believe Garcia has any intention of joining the enemy against the Spanish.