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FYI:

1. REPORTS EMANATING FROM ABROAD TO EFFECT CASTRO ASSASSINATION ARE FALSE. CASTRO WAS ON ISLE OF PINES SATURDAY 8 AUGUST WITH JUAN ALMEIDA AND SEEN THERE BY OUR AIRATT. CASTRO RETURNED HAVA NIGHT 8 AUGUST. AIRATT WHO RETURNED HAVA MORNING 10 AUG REPORTED ALL QUIET ON ISLE OF PINES. RUMORED LANDINGS ISLE OF PINES APPARENTLY WITHOUT FOUNDATION. AIRATT ENCOUNTERED MAXIMUM SECURITY PRECAUTIONS ON LANDING CAMPO LIBERTAD.

2. NO CONFIRMATION RUMORED LANDINGS ELSEWHERE SUCH AS PINAR DEL RIO AND ORIENTE.

3. 26 JULY ORGAN REVOLUCION REPORTS ARREST OVER 1,000 PERSONS MAINLY FORMER ARMY OFFICERS AND PERSONNEL.

4. WILLIAM ALEXANDER MORGAN REPORTED BE IN LAS VILLAS PROVINCE ACCORDING ODENVY SOURCE. STORY CIRCULATING THAT ELOY GUTIERREZ MENOYO HEAD SEGUNDO FRENTE ESCAMBRAY MAY HAVE TIPPED OFF FIDEL OF CONSPIRACY.

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