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Who Reads The Standard?

The Standard carried a storylast week telling of telephone calls made by John Petroff of Mianu to former neighbors in Havana. Petroff sought to enlist their aid in freeing nine American skin divers reportedly held by Castro.

On Saturday, Petroff, an operator of an electronics firm, phoned The Standard to tell what happened after the story appeared:

"I was visited by this fellow who showed site his identification and said be was from Army Intelligence in Vashington. He showed me a clipping he said was from the 'Standard' and began asking me a lot of questions about Solis (Petroff's former neighbor in Cuba). He asked me about my interest in Cuba and about gun-running.

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"I didn't know whether he was a Castro agent or what, so when he left I got in touch with the CIA down here and told them about him.

"The CIA agents picked up the fellow and questioned him. It turned out he was Army Intelligence from Washington and came to Miami to investigate without telling, the CIA agents here."

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