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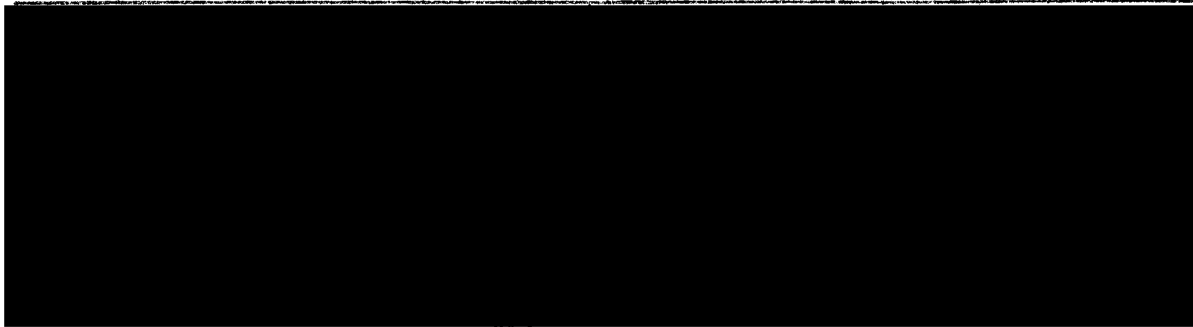
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1. It was reported on 7 September that during the previous four days there had been noticeable political tension in Venezuela. The Army uncovered a plot among non-commissioned officers to turn the enlisted men against their officers at garrisons in Maracaibo, Maracay, Valencia and Caracas. The plot was reportedly sponsored by the Accion Democratica. Approximately twenty sergeants were arrested in Maracaibo, and there was a simultaneous roundup of opposition leaders, especially AD members. Arrests in Maracaibo were expected to reach 100.
 2. The Government feels that the situation is under control. The oil fields are quiet.

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