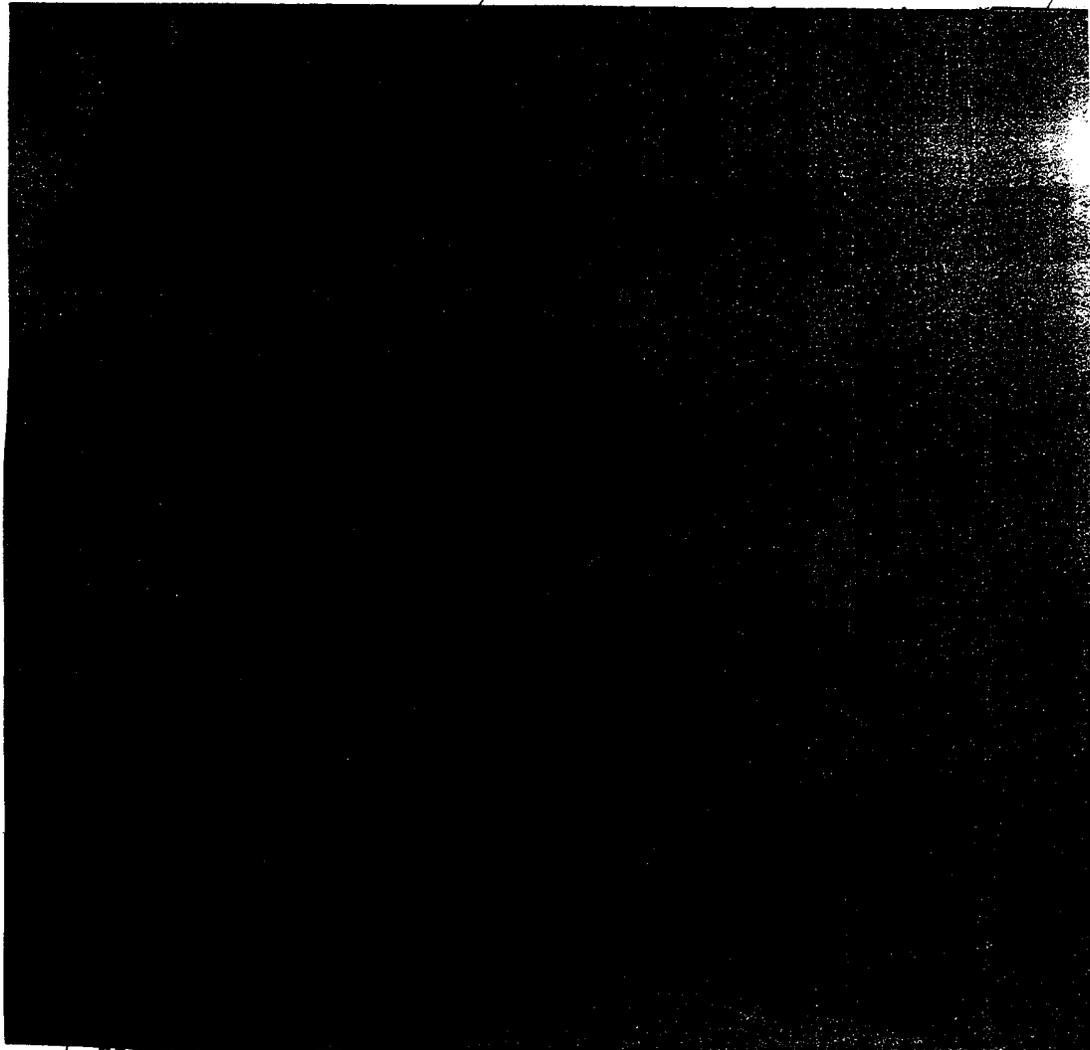


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CARIBBEAN TENSIONS

Cuba

Anti-American feeling is being whipped up to such a frenzy by Castro and the Cuban press and radio that even a minor incident now could cause an outbreak of

violence against US personnel and property. The US Embassy sees no hope that the United States will be able to establish a satisfactory relationship with a Cuban government dominated by Castro or his close associates.



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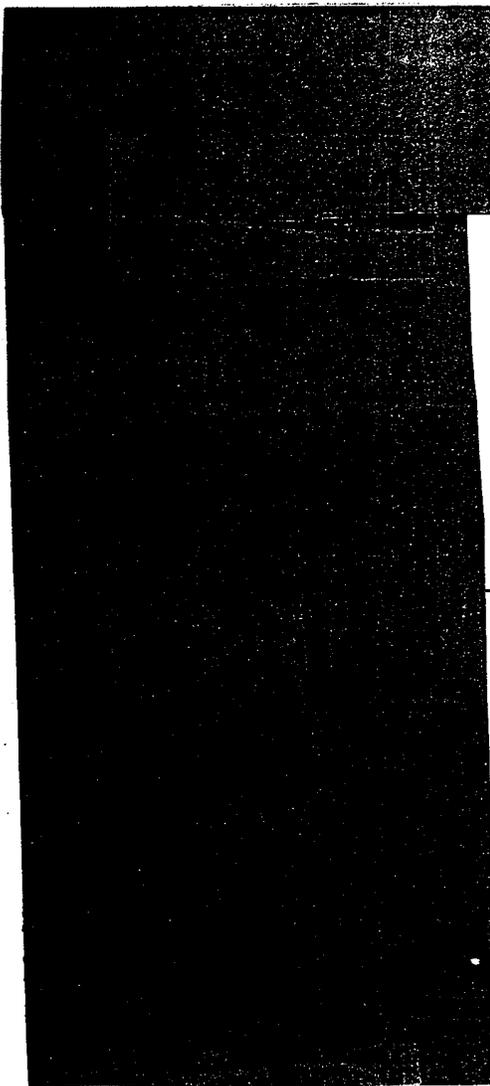
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Even Cubans who previously were cool to Castro's anti-American diatribes seem increasingly resentful of the United States. Castro's charge of US complicity in the destruction on 4 March of the French vessel delivering military equipment to his government follows months of officially inspired attacks on the United States for the continuing airplane raids on Cuban sugar fields.

Illustrative of the vitriol, Radio Mambi, the most vicious of the government-controlled stations, commenting on President Eisenhower's trip to South America, claimed its purpose was to form a political cordon in Latin America to isolate Cuba and called the President "slavery's spokesman, the champion of the threatening atom bomb...who had the effrontery to talk of democracy to exploited peoples...."

Castro is reliably reported to be preparing a demand that the United States evacuate its naval base at Guantanamo Bay within 30 to 45 days, a demand to be presented if any legislation affecting US sugar purchases from Cuba is introduced into the US Congress. If the United States refuses to evacuate, Cuba might then take the case to the United Nations, charging that occupation of national territory by

a foreign power is contrary to the desire of the Cuban people.



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