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SUBJ: NON-POLITICAL VIOLENCE

1. NO INCIDENTS OF TERRORISM WERE REPORTED OVER WEEKEND
ALTHOUGH TWO APPARENTLY NON-POLITICAL INCIDENTS INVOLVING
MILITARY AND POLICE RESULTED IN FIVE DEATHS.

2. ACCORDING PRESS, THREE PERSONS, INCLUDING TWO HAITIANS,
WERE KILLED AND TWO OTHERS INJURED IN RIO HAINA CANE FIELD
DURING MAY 13 DEMONSTRATION INVOLVING 400 WORKERS AT
PAYMASTER'S OFFICE. TWO ARMY PRIVATES, ACCORDING PRESS,
OPENED FIRE ON GROUP AFTER ONE HIT BY ROCK. PRIVATES ARE
REPORTEDLY DETAINED FOR INVESTIGATION.

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3. OTHER INCIDENT OCCURRED IN BARAHONA ON SAME DAY WHEN
POLICE LIEUTENANT AND FUGITIVE FROM LOCAL JAIL DIED FROM
BULLET WOUNDS SUSTAINED DURING STRUGGLE FOR OFFICER'S GUN.
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