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SUBJECT - COSTA E SILVA'S CABINET.

1. JOSE LUIS MAGALHAES LINS, PRESIDENT BANCO NACIONAL DE MINAS GERAIS IN RIO, TOLD EMBOFF THAT HIS UNCLE, FORMER MINAS GERAIS GOVERNOR MAGALHAES PINTO, IS BEING SOUNDED OUT FOR FOREIGN MINISTER POSITION IN COSTA E SILBA ADMINISTRATION. MAGALHAES LINS SAID THAT MAGALHAES PINTO, IF FORMALLY INVITED, WILL ACCEPT. THIS TIES IN WITH O GLOBO STORY TODAY BY CARLOS CHAGAS, COSTA E SILVA CONFIDANT, THAT NEW FOREIGN MINISTER WOULD BE NATIONALIST AND REVOLUTIONARY POLITICIAN, WELL KNOWN IN FINANCIAL WORLD.

2. MAGALHAES LINS ALSO CONFIRMED NEWSPAPER REPORTS THAT DELPHIN NETO, SAO PAULO SECRETARY OF FINANCE, HAS ACCEPTED COSTA E SILVA'S

*1948 Almanaque: Edmundo Macedo Soares
e Silva*

INVITATION FOR FINANCE MINISTRY.

3. O GLOBO STORY, WHICH CHAGAS PIECED TOGETHER FROM CONVERSATIONS WITH COSTA E SILVA DURING TRIP, ALSO LISTS FOLLOWING AS CONFIRMED MINISTERS AND CABINET LEVEL APPOINTMENTS:

PLANNING - HELIO BELTRAO

INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE -- EDMUNDO MACEDO SOARES

MINES AND ENERGY -- SEN. JARBAS PASSARINHO

BANK OF BRASIL -- NESTOR JOST

4. CHAGAS TOLD EMBOFF THAT WHOLE MINISTRY SHOULD BE KNOWN IN ABOUT TEN DAYS. RAINE
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