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USSR EMBASSY COUNSELOR NEDOSSEKINE TOLD USINT OFFICER DURING INFORMAL COCKTAIL PARTY CONVERSATION EVENING OCTOBER 17 THAT PRESIDENT NASSER HAD HAD MINOR HEART ATTACK BUT THAT IT WAS "NOT SERIOUS". NEDOSSEKINE ALSO SAID THAT SOVIET AMBASSADOR TO CAIRO HAS BEEN ILL BUT HAD SEEN NASSER "ABOUT TEN DAYS AGO" SHORTLY AFTER AMBASSADOR'S RETURN FROM MOSCOW.

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