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- Fidel starts the trading day at the Sugar Stock Market and at the Café in New York City.
- He visits the Bronx Zoo in New York.
- He makes a speech at a huge demonstration held in Central Park, New York City, where he declares that “Cuba has become the hope of the Americas”. “Ideas cannot be killed with guns.”
- Fidel has an interview with Roberto Maduro, of the baseball team the Cuban Sugar Kings, at the Statler Hotel where he is staying.

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