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this is lionel martin in havana, ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~
~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ April 17 is the 20 anniversary of the
bay of pigs invasion. Fidel Castro spoke in havana recalling
the invasion and what has happened since. here is the story.

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In his speech to 60,000 volunteer militia men and women
who stood a parade rest with their automatic AK-47 rifles, Fidel
Castro recalled how on April 15, 1961, ~~xxxxxx~~ three bases in
Cuba were bombed. ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~

of 20 years ago

~~xxx~~ He read U.S. news agency ~~xxx~~ reports saying that the

~~xxxxxxxxxxx~~ Cuban airforce planes flown by ~~defenctore~~ had ~~xxxx~~
done the bombing. And he said, that the world knows ~~xxx~~ now that
this was false

April 16, 1961, Castro, at the burial of the victims of
the air raid said for the first time that Cuba was making a
socialist revolution, as he put it, right in the very nostrils
of the united states.

And then with that ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ special rapport he has with his
audience, he asked the militia men and women.



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