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According to a report by the Boston-based Physicians for Human Rights, at least 3,000 Panamanians were wounded after the Dec. 20 US invasion, and more than 100 dead do not appear in the US total of 202 civilian dead. The report said that at least 18,000 Panamanians were left homeless by the invasion, adding that efforts by both the Panamanian and US government to meet basic needs of 3,000 persons in refugee camps are inadequate, in terms of sanitation, nutrition and medical care. The organization's report was based on 30 days of investigation after the invasion, including interviews with 30 persons (government officials, US Army officers, and representatives of the Catholic Church and humanitarian organizations, such as the Red Cross); and, study of records at public and private hospitals, cemeteries and morgues, refugee and detainee camps. (Basic data from Notimex, 03/15/90)

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