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Rikhye gave me opposite impression, i.e. Thant unlikely receive Tshombe at this stage. One observer believes that Tshombe may be using this gimmick as cover for trip to Europe to look discreetly into Du Farron's reported betrayal which if known could compromise Tshombe seriously (Brussels telegram 34 to Department).

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