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English translation –

p. 190:

“Confession of Cristobal Ganga, about forty years old, single, from the same ingenio.

. . . Angel Ganga, Lorenzo Mandinga, Isidro Lucumi, Felix Criollo, and myself were captains in charge of persuading the rest of the slaves there [on the farm] to join forces with them when the uprising broke out. . . . their former ship mates were in the warehouses near the Camino de Hierro . . . (and among them Mateo Lucumi who) told them that he and those from the Camino de Hierro had their people ready . . .”

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