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I first read the communist manifesto and 1st volume of capital in 1954 when I was 15 at home. I study 18th century french works by Marx after 1959 and attend numerous Marxist reading circles and groups at the factory where I worked some of which were compulsory and others which were not. Also in session through newspapers, radio and TV. I heard much of very large and famous works. Such articles are given very good coverage daily in the USSR.

After my stay in the Soviet Union upon my return to the USA I continue to receive by subscription from "Soviet Press" Soviet ideological and informative literature; "agitator" newspaper Soviet "Workers' Brodill" socialist political magazine and the CPUSA newspaper "Workers" also I receive the well known Soviet journal "Obozr. K". I also have several libraries from the Soviet Embassy, Washington D.C.
A. Proof of subscription to Soviet Journal
B. Subscription from USA of Workers

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Russian

I learned the Russian language during my three years residence in Moscow and minsk USSR October 1959 - July 1962. I study Russian elementary and advanced grammars from Dept. books with a English speaking Russian tourist teacher by the name of Lora Agafonova, minsk Jan-May 1960. I am totally proficient in speaking conversational Russian. I can read non-technical Russian Dept. without difficulty and can do a less effort write in the Russian language.

B. LETTER OF PROFICIENCY

P military and Far East

I served in the U.S. Navy from Oct 1956 - Sept 1959 during which time I served in San Diego, Calif Oct-April 60 Camp Pendleton April - May 1967, Jacksonville Fla. May - June 1967, Santa Anna Calif June - Aug 1957, and in Japan August 1958 - Dec. 1958, Santa Anna, El Paso air base Dec 1958 - Sept 1959, 1 month on leave during Dec. 1958.

My stay in the Far East included 8 months in Japan from Sept. 1957 to Nov. 1957 and from May - Oct 1958. During Dec 1958 May 59 I was stationed at Subic Bay near Nichols, Philippines Islands.

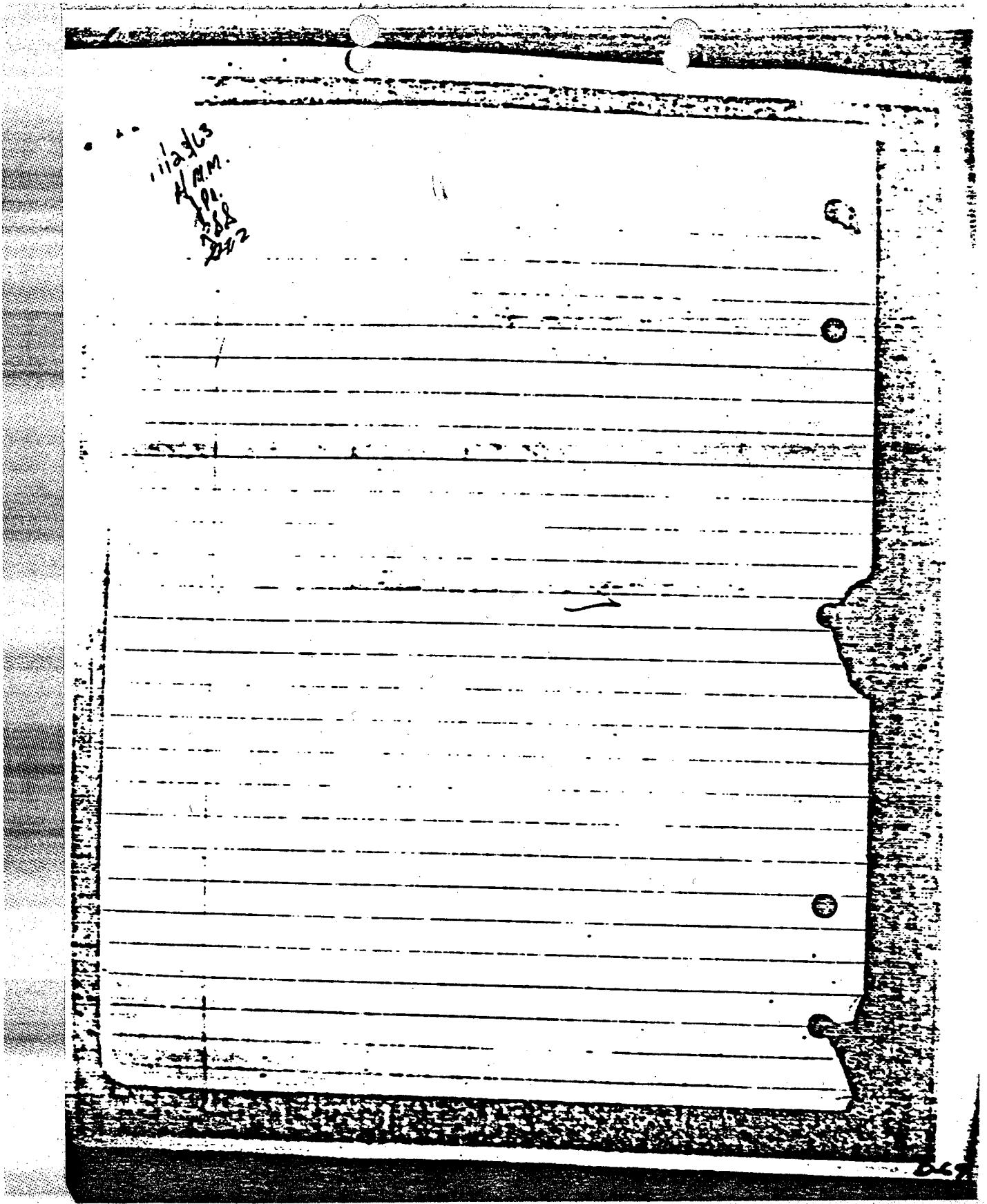
I served in Electronics school Jacksonville Fla., and advanced Radar School Biloxi mississippi. I also received my high school level diploma at the same time as my schooling in Biloxi miss.

A. DISCHARGE DD 214

B. Diploma - Jacksonville FLR School

C. " Bixbie miss. "

D. CERTIFICATE OF HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION



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organizer

on may 27 1963 I requested permission from the FPLC headquarters at 299 Broadway New York 3, N.Y. to try to form a local branch in New Orleans. I received a cautious but enthusiastic go-ahead from V.T. Lee rotative director of FPLC. I then made 4 layouts and had printed public literature for distributing info of a local FPLC. I hired persons to distribute literature. I then organized persons who display receptive attitudes toward cults to distribute pamphlets. I sought response from other American councils of which there are many here in New Orleans, I infiltrated the cults studied directors and that carried them with information I gained including being etc re A city attorney general tell them in a put a restraining order pending a hearing on some so-called bonds for mission they were selling in the New Orleans area. I caused the formation of a small, active, FPLC organization of members and sympathizers - where before there was none.

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Resident of USSR
I lived in Moscow from Oct. 16, 1959
to Jan 4, 1960 during which time I
stayed at the Berlin and Metropolis
Hotel. I then lived in Moscow from
Jan 5 1960 to July 1962. I visited
Moscow during June 1961 and June
1962 for a few weeks in which I
was granted a small apartment at
Kalinin St. later renamed Komsomol
St. I worked at the Belorussian
Radio and TV. plant as a metal worker.

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Street Agitator

I am experienced in street agitation
having done it in New Orleans in connection
with the F.I.C.C. On Aug. 20th I was arrested
by three anti-Castro cubans and was arrested
for "causing a disturbance" I was interrogated
by intelligence section of New Orleans Police Dept.
and held overnight being held out the
next morning by selection I evidently was
found 10th charges against the three cubans
and dropped by the judge.

On Aug 26 I organized a four man
peace demonstration in front of the
International Trade Mart in New Orleans.
This demonstration was filmed by a CBS-TV
and shown on the 6:00 news.

~~On~~ Aug 27 I was invited by WOCC-
radio to appear on Aug 27 radio
program Latin American Forum at 2:00
The moderator was Bill Shuck who put
questions to me for half an hour about
FCC attitudes and policies.

After this program I was invited to take
part in a talk debate between John Battle
of "Free" anti-communist propaganda organization
representative and Carlos Brugia Cuban ex-

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B Student Revolutionary Director delegate
in New Orleans. This Debate was
broadcast at 6:05 to 6:30 August 21,
1963 after this program I made a
3 minute T.V. interview which was shown
the next day (August 22.).

C I received advice, direction and
literature from V.T. Lee National Director
of the Gas Ploy for Cuba Committee of
which I am a member. At my own
expense I had printed "Hands off Cuba"
handbills and New Orleans branch
membership blanks for the F.P.C.C. Local.

- A. Letters from V.T. Lee
B. F.P.C.C. membership blank

RADIO SPEECH AND LECTURE

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on august 22 I was invited by
Gene Currett, who is studying for
catholic priesthood, to give a lecture
on Russia, Gene Currett is the
son of my mother's sister, Mrs. S.

Currett 352 French st. n. o. kens.

This lecture took place July 22, 1963 201
at the university jesuit house of studies
lynn hill station mobil clover over
50 student went all of whom were college

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gruates taking the 4 years subsequent course for the priesthood attended several of the college's professors also were present. This lecture lasted for 1hr. 10 min after which there was 20 minutes of question from the audience. This lecture took place in the auditorium where women are not allowed and an all-male audience attended. The moderator of this lecture was Paul Poggi, Semin.

LECTURE

- a. invitation letters
- b. converts letters

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