

PROPOSED FURTHER RESEARCH IN "BISHOP"/PHILLIPS AREA (as at January '81)

See Mrs P. (she has agreed). We already know that her account of her husband's movements, made casually and spontaneously with no connection to the "Bishop" affair, contradicts Phillips' version of his movements. It places him in relevant places at times consistent with Veciana's account of "Bishop's" movements.

Substantiate that Phillips was retired following adverse psychiatric report. Pursue further Former Diplomat who is already co-operating, and appears to be excellent route to other relevant officers who - like himself - served with Phillips at relevant times.

Through latter, see Former Legal Attaché in Mexico City.

And also Former Naval Attaché in Mexico City.

Identify "Mr Melton", who trained Veciana at Moa Bay Mining Co. office in Havana. Strong lead on this now being chased.

Interview Julio Lobo, who is most likely candidate to have brought Veciana to "Bishop's" attention for recruitment. (Former "Sugar King" of Cuba - now in Spain? See on way to UK?)

Fill in gaps on Virginia Prewett, reporter who allegedly worked with "Bishop".

Check A.I.D. lead.

Develop "payoff" info as proposed by Corson.

Check and follow related areas and personalities in Phillips Chile history.

Hunt in Mexico (on basis of new information obtained by A.S.)

Obtain classified Mexico report produced for Assassinations Committee in Congress (believed in private hands and feasible).

Leads not directly related to "Bishop" which demand at least initial check: Mob figure who has contacted author; & Berlin map lead.

Dwight W Bishop - Act Asst Attache - 57 last. Younger since last (uh)

Sam B. Smith 704-246-0678

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IMMEDIATE RESEARCH NEEDS:

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MAVADA

1) Rufo Lopez-Fresquet.....re Julio Lobo

BOURGEN
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BOURGEN - D.C.

re MarBada Arensberg (now m. to "top man in USIA")

Now work State Dept.
When he worked there

re Dr Herminio Portell-Villa.

(poss re who he meant in his testimony by the US

2222 Columbia Rd NW (SOS)

Naval Intelligence officer in Cuba he encountered -

30's, 6', blond, brown eyes.)

2) If Lopez-Fresquet does not supply - L.K.'s former secretary may help re Lobo and Arensberg.

3) Jim Noel (San Diego)...last CIA COS in Havana...left in January 1961

T.S. 2266 Alabama St.
S. Diego 92101

Because of this timing, and his post, he should know something of Phillips movements then. He may also have knowledge of "Bishop", or somebody answering the description of ~~xxxx~~'s activities at that time.

714 - 239 - 9985
Corner of Sunrise & Alabama
nr Belvoir Park
300

Is Noel aware of who handled Alpha 66 once it got going?

Does he know where David Morales is now?

4) Earl Williamson (now Costa Rica...m to niece of Lobo)...was Noel Deputy (and Caldwell's earlier). Is called "Earl" (?!), is in

T.S. Attache S-S in '57

sixties. Need to know more about him altogether, and about his activities and career. Is he the "Bill" Williamson who was No 2 in Havana CIA, and involved in Cienfuegos mutiny? Did he, as Hunt suggests, use El Mundo and radio stations etc. to Agency advantage. (As "Bishop" was a psywar expert....) Does the physical description fit? (sixties, yes. Tall, yes? Other points?)

Wm B.

5) Bill Caldwell (Coral Gables)

- On Alpha 66 (though perhaps he was by then retired)

L.K. 4739 SAN AMARO DR
Coral Gables

x - On Phillips in Havana.

x - On Williamson in Havana.

(Two)

Fla 33146 does not know

On Veciana in Havana, and detail of "Bishop" story far as Cuba is concerned.

Whereabouts of David Morales.

305-667-3935
1951
USIA

Levi V.S.1

ASSASSINATION
"Frigate"?

X

- Dew

Bob CROWLEY

~~703-728-7650~~

RESEARCH NEEDS(2)

L
Arthur (Jake) Jacobson ("Andy Jackamount")

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Falls Church,
Va. 22044

703-536-5385

(~~XXXXXX~~ Miami Aug 60-June 61... deputy chief to
Bob Reynolds)
Re Phillips... movement etc
Use of name "Bishop" subsequently (or then)
Re career of Williamson.
Re whereabouts of David Morales.
Re AFIO and Phillips.
Re Alpha 66 in general.

(did not tell L.K.)

Bob Reynolds (Miami chief during Pigs period)

Va. T.S. (could not know) locate him?

703-356-9068

Daniel Machon (Moa Bay Mining) - ~~Columbia~~

questions as above.
CRAI No. 70/78 Apt 201, Aptdo. Aereo S440,
Bogota, Colombia
I need to locate and ask about activity in Havana.

T.S.

Drex Gibson (Berlitz)

ditto.

T.S.
Bill Tidwell (in Miami JM/WAVE)

Asst. to Dir Director for Intelligence in CIA. (GS16)
By word for sub Army.

Brig-General (retired US Army)
and got clandestine work in
Miami

where now? - Hill Malone became Director
questions as above, especially re Phillips use
of "Bishop" name.

(Phillips) 273-6643

And re credibility of Ross Crozier.

Jim Flannery

man in fake camp (Pigs)

Depending when he was ~~808~~ in Havana, and his
subsequent career.

(black ops)

919-995-5614

Ken Crosby (Merrill Lynch in Cuba) - MADRID about 64/61

Depending when he left Cuba.

D.C. ←

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Jake Esterline (V.I.)

Boj Pigs - work but must learn to JM/WAVE
where is he now? Havana.

Did he go on into JM/WAVE post B of Pigs?

Joe Floyd (last Naval Attache..left in '61)

T.S. ~~8-Cuba~~ 741 K St, Pine Rte. (Dennis (Skins)) could have knowledge of "Bishop", "Melton",

Charles
S. Carolan 29401 803-795-3820
Berlitz activity.

Fred Stevens (now San Diego?) (last Air Attache Cuba)

Ditto.

Simple A Force

SOURCE

A.V. RECORD AS UNDERSTOOD AT JANUARY 81

January '59.....Castro takes power	
mid-'60(?August)....'Bishop' initial approach to A.V., Melton training, and more 'Bishop' meets.	A.V.
late '60.....'Bishop' suggests US embassy contacts to A.V., (Col Kail, Wayne Smith, Joe d'Acosta)	A.V.
Dec 9 '60....Jay Esterlina CIA memo re A.V. talking with OLIVEN on Dec 7, re plot involving Felix Fernandez Yarzabal.	G.F. note of CIA file(+VolX)
January '61...U.S. Embassy evacuated, relations broken.	
Spring '61....Bishop leaves Cuba before	A.V.
April '61....Bay of Pigs invasion	
mid '61.....'Bishop' back in Cuba(with Belgian passport?)	A.V.
early Oct '61....Bazooka attempt on Castro from balcony, & A.V. flees Cuba	A.V. &
late '61.....In Miami, Bish. recontacts A.V./Alpha 66 ca.'61.....Plot associated with Comswell & Menoyo(with whom V. working), known as Prince-Peleaz plot.	documented A.V. ORR memo
'61..... CIA file shows CIA Operational Approval <u>terminated</u> (thus it must have been opened earlier??)	Hardway trace in Ag. records.
Jan '62....CIA file says CIA ^P Operational Approval <u>granted</u>	ORR memo
July '62....CIA acknowledges file record of contact with A.V. for assist _{ance} in plots against Castro .	Vol X
XXA.V. requests 2 rifles with telescopic sights from CIA, (request apparently not fulfilled)	ORR memo
A.V. tells CIA contact that cousin Ruiz is one of three men in Cuba willing to work with Alpha 66	ORR memo
Oct '62 Missile Crisis & A.V. directs Alpha 66 raids at behest of Bishop, to compromise JFK and provoke further trouble with communist nations(USSR & Cuba)	A.V. & documented raids
Nov '62....CIA file says Agency Operational Approval for A.V. expired	ORR memo
Nov 1 '62....Army memo(XXXX 11.1.62) referred to as refers in text to V as 'picked (up?) ISR(Information Source Registry) from CIA 11.2.62.	DOD file seen TS
Nov '62 DOD Army Information Source Registry opens file on A.V.	ORR memo (referring prob. to above doc.)