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SLA IS CIA

1. The Symbionese Liberation Army, S L A, is made up primarily of government-paid agent provocateurs, many of them from the Midwest. Included are Angela Atwood, maiden name Angela DeAngelis, now supposedly separated, home: 16 Linda Vista Ave., North Haledon, New Jersey; Gary Dean Atwood, home: Route 2 Crestview Drive, New Castle, Indiana; Emily Harris, originally from 112 Chicago Ave., Clarendon Hills, Ill. (suburb of Chicago)parents: Mr. & Mrs. Frederick Schwartz; Emily is married to William Taylor Harris, parents: Jerry A. and Betty Bunnell, 313 Woodland Lane, Carmel, Indiana.

Training: Emily and William Harris, and Angela Atwood were trained at the CIA-think tank, College of Foreign Affairs, Univ. of Indiana, Bloomington, Ind. All three went on to work as a mod squad, setting up narcotics arrests for the Intelligence Division, Indiana State Police.

2. The purported head of the SLA is DONALD DAVID DeFREEZE, also known as Cinque DeFreeze, Donald John DeFreeze, Donald DeFrez, John De Friele, David De Frieze, Donald De Frieze, Donald De Frize, David Kenneth Robinson, Steven Robinson, Donald David Thomas, "Cin", "Cinque", and "Cynque". As a bargaining lever to get out of numerous criminal charges against him, DeFreeze began informing for the police, from time to time. The following are from a long list of arrests of him:

3/31/65: West Covina, California, 636,3 P.C, 211 P.C.459 P.C.12020 P.C. DeFreeze arrested with bomb, knife and sawed off shotgun. Probation: 6/7/65. He continued as an occasional informant to the Los Angeles Police Department in the sales of contraband and stolen guns.

6/9/67: Los Angeles, Calif. 211 APC, Robbery, charged 12020 P.C., Two counts possession of explosives, one count possession of concealed weapon. Two bombs and a gun. Probation: to expire 9/14/70, #X379-741. Despite his violations, and already on probation, he receives three more years probation.

On 12/2/67, DeFreeze was arrested for the fifth time, on an arms charge; he robbed and beat a prostitute. Enroute to the police station, he escaped and was recaptured, but NOT charged. On 12/6/67, DeFreeze set up his partner, Ronald Coleman, by phoning and leading police to Coleman's apartment where a cache of 200 weapons was discovered.

DeFreeze on or about December, 1967, became an informant for Detective Farwell, specializing in Black Liberation politics. DeFreeze joined a group of police informant and agents provocateurs that included Louis Tackwood who later confessed and helped write an exposé of government-instigated terrorism, "The Glass House Tapes" (Avon Books, a division of the Hearst Corp., 1973).

The police, to deal with the Black Panther Party in California, created a terror gang, or counter-gang, known as "US", run by Ron Karenga. Karenga's gang murdered several panthers. Melvin "Cotton" Smith, a police penetration agent into the Panthers, together with Tackwood and DeFreeze worked for the super-secret C.C.S. unit of the Los Angeles Police (Criminal Conspiracy Section), having, mysteriously, state-wide authority. See the reference to Smith and Tackwood: "Glass House Tapes", 192-105.

DeFreeze continued his pattern of numerous criminal offenses, yet remaining at large, despite persistent violations of his so-called "probation". His seventh arrest was 4/20/69: Los Angeles, 12031 PC, Unlawful possession of a dangerous weapon -- military type semi-automatic M-63 nine MM rifle, which was fully loaded; and attached clip contained 32 bullets. This gun was described as specifically designed for military or police work". This seventh arrest for an armed offense carried both state and federal charges. But DeFreeze tells the Judge that he had "registered" the gun with the police under his own name and that the gun was actually intended for a police officer friend. Despite the charge, DeFreeze remained at large. With the help of the secret CCS unit, he fled California in violation of his probation (a bench warrant was issued for his arrest), to the state of New Jersey.

5/6/69: Newark, New Jersey. DeFreeze and another person, posing as Black Panthers, were accused of assaulting an employee of a Jewish synagogue with a shotgun, demanding $5,000, and information and aid in a scheme to kidnap a well-known Newark Jewish rights leader. Upon completion of the kidnapping, DeFreeze's plan was to submit a ransom note supposedly from the Black Panther Party. He escaped Newark authorities, crossed state lines in violation of federal law, and surfaced in Cleveland, Ohio, October, 1969.

10/11/69: Cleveland, Ohio. DeFreeze appeared on the roof of the Cleveland Trust Company, branch Bank, with a .38 revolver, .25 caliber pistol, an eight inch dagger, a tool kit, and , in violation of federal law, a hand grenade. This was a period of great tension and hysteria in Cleveland as a result of the Ahmed Evans affair where so-called Black militants were involved in an ambush and shoot-out with police. DeFreeze was released nevertheless on a very low bail, $5,000, and the charges were later dropped. At the time, he was wanted on a capital charge in New Jersey and a probation violation in California. DeFreeze was NOT held in Cleveland even though Sgt. John McMahon of the Cleveland subversive squad was monitoring the DeFreeze case.

DeFreeze fled Cleveland to California, where he was again arrested.

11/25/69: Los Angeles. A252519. DeFreeze exchanged gun shots with a bank guard and was wounded. The gun used in the shoot-out was a .32 caliber Beretta automatic pistol. This gun, A63944, was still another gun left over from the earlier 200 gun robbery, 1967. He obviously had been allowed to keep a number of guns from this cache. On 12/3/69, he was ordered imprisoned at the Vacaville, California behavior modification facility.

In 1970, it was at the Vacaville facility that DeFreeze was recruited by CIA operative Colston Westbrook to lead the Behavior Modification experimental unit called the Black Cultural Association, BCA. On orders from Westbrook, DeFreeze mouthed off publicly a militant anti-white cultural nationalist ideology. His private letters during the same period were full of references to Christian theology and fanatical Christian religious convictions.

The BCA attracted outside prison reform support and DeFreeze began operating as a double agent: (a) for Westbrook and the CIA, (b) for the California Department of Corrections and the Bureau of Criminal Intelligence and Investigation, C I I, responsible to the Attorney General of California.

In December, 1972, DeFreeze was transferred to the maximum security prison of Soledad in order to entrap and inform on Black militants imprisoned there. Later, he was transferred to the South Facility of Soledad set up for trusted inmates and is a holding section for informers. He supposedly "escaped" from Soledad on 3/5/73.

The experimental behavior modification programs at Vacaville are funded and directed by the CIA through its conduit on the West Coast, the Stanford Research Institute, of Menlo Park, California.

3. COLSTON WESTBROOK. He was a CIA adviser to the South Korean Central Intelligence Agency until 1962. His covers in Korea and elsewhere were both U.S. Army and U.S. Air Force. His training and service with the CIA included agent handling, training, and indoctrination. After 1962, he was enrolled in the CIA facility, Inter-Christian University, in Tokyo, for special training in new psychological warfare techniques. During this secret training period and afterwards, his cover was Agency for International Development AID. Upon completion of his training, Westbrook undertook agent handling in: Cambodia, Thailand, India, Japan, Hong Kong, the Philippines, Okinawa, and the Soviet Union. From 2/5/66 to 9/19/69, Westbrook was listed as an "Administrator" for a civilian firm, Pacific Architects and Engineers, Inc. of Los Angeles, a multi-national consortium. One of the secret tasks of this huge firm was to provide logistical support to the CIA Phoenix Assassination Program in Viet Nam. Westbrook's job, under this cover, was indoctrination of assassination and terrorist cadre, in the Phoenix program.

4. EVELLE J. YOUNGER. After the assassination of Robert F. Kennedy in June, 1968, Younger as the then District Attorney of Los Angeles, set up an elite police unit known as "Special Unit Senator", SUS. Elements of this group and Los Angeles Police Department Intelligence were re-organized into the super-secret C.C.S., Criminal Conspiracy Section, styled after the CIA. Younger knew of DeFreeze's role in CCS and, in fact, DeFreeze subpoenaed Younger to testify in his behalf in 1969. After becoming California Attorney General, Younger maintained close contact with CCS.

5. The HEARST FAMILY as a target: Few people remember that it was the Hearst newspaper chain, now much smaller, that led the attack on the Rockefellers in the 1940s. For example, the Hearst-owned Los Angeles Examiner was one of the few papers in the U.S. to point out, 9/12/48, that the atomic secrets were not stolen but given away. This was in reference to the secret testimony of former FBI agent Lawrence Kerley, before a Congressional Committee. Kerley's testimony showed the Rockefellers were active in seeing to it that the atomic secrets were given to the Soviets in the early 1940s before the U.S. had completed its first atomic bomb. Kerley was head of a 200-man FBI team tracking top level Soviet secret police agents in the U.S. He was ordered by the State Department NOT to arrest them, even though they were about to leave the U.S. with atomic samples and atomic secrets. The implications: that the Alger Hiss case was cut short, thanks to chief investigator Richard M. Nixon, and to supply scapegoats, Julius and Ethel Rosenberg were framed and sent to the electric chair in 1953. Angry, Kerley and 30 other FBI agents resigned. He went on to become a writer for the Hearst-owned New York Journal-American. The Rockefellers, principal force behind the start of the CIA, launched financial and other attacks on the Journal-American and other Hearst papers, many then folding up.

In 1973, Hearst Corp. through their Avon Books division, brought out one of the first attacks on the CIA, "The Glass House Tapes". There has been a raging battle between the CIA's super-elitists and gangster-dominated "dirty tricks department. Hearst's problem is that since about the 1910s, his business relied upon gangsters.

Patty Hearst, apparently brainwashed, has been sucked into the SLA through her former teacher and boy friend, Steven Weed, believed to be himself a government agent provocateur. Like in the 1940s, the FBI is getting in middle; they obviously know what their competitor, the CIA, is doing in the SLA. Prior to the Patty Hearst "kidnapping", the FBI knew of the plan to abduct her. As a result, the FBI does not push too hard in the SLA case.

The Hearst family is well aware of these details but does nothing about it. To try to extricate their daughter, they are offering a so-called "reward" for data leading to her safe return.

Purpose: to lay the groundwork for martial law in the United States. The CIA, through their apparatus the SLA, is engaging in illegal domestic violence in this country.

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