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BLOCKADE CUBA

RUSSIAN NUCLEAR MISSILE BASES BUILDING IN CUBA

LONG-RANGE MISSILE BASE ON ISLE OF PINES

Ladies and gentlemen, I want to talk to you today about Cuba. Not about what might happen in Cuba, not about what our government apparently is hoping will not happen in Cuba -- I want to tell you what is happening in Cuba.

The Cuban Student Directorate, whose members made that daring attack on the Communist Cuban coast last month, reports the following late developments inside that unhappy, ruthlessly occupied island -- currently being transformed from a prosperous land of light-hearted and gay people into a violated land of fear, hunger and hardship ringed by the shadow of Communist mercenary gunsights.

The exiled Cubans report the Cuban Communist government has begun evacuation of the political prisoners held on the Isle of Pines to clear the way for construction of a long-range missile base. At least 3,000 prisoners have already been removed from the Isle of Pines to the Boniato Prison in Oriente Province. The Communist government plans to build an important base here, to be manned and operated entirely by Russians! European diplomats in Havana have informed their home governments that in less than six months Cuba will possess Russian missile bases armed with thermonuclear weapons capable of destroying in a few minutes the most strategic zones in the United States. One European Ambassador in Havana has said: "It is known that the construction will be carried out secretly, with the end in view that while the work continues, the American government will go on believing that the military installations are purely defensive measures."

Isn't it possible, ladies and gentlemen, that someday soon the Russian Ambassador might come to call on our Secretary of State with a proposal something like this: "If the Allies do not remove their troops from Berlin and Laos, we, the Russians, will be forced to use the nuclear weapons in existence just off your shores in Cuba."

The Cuban Freedom Fighters also report the building of a large naval base on Cuba's north coast. It is reliably reported that Russian and Czechoslovakian soldiers have been observed near the Guantanamo Naval Base area and are living in camps near Santiago about 50 miles from Guantanamo. Approximately 5,000 Communist soldiers are camped in the area surrounding our base at Guantanamo.

A COMMUNIST "FOREIGN LEGION" IN CUBA

In addition to Soviet Russian, Czech, and Cuban Communist troops, there are "volunteer" detachments of Algerians, Chinese, Hungarians, and Africans strategically based throughout the island.

There are so many Communist ships unloading troops and military equipment that Castro has been forced to announce that Havana Harbor is being renovated under a special fishing treaty with the Russians. Apparently our officials in Washington are ready to accept a so-called fishing treaty on its face value. But what is really happening is a full-scale build-up for aggression against the United States itself.

Frankly, I don't see how Communism in Cuba can get any more firmly entrenched! I think even the make-haste-to-do-nothing Kennedy Administration can see that the possible alternatives the United States has are steadily diminishing.

GENERAL WALKER WRITES PRESIDENT

Some of the anger and impatience Americans are now openly voicing is summed up in this excerpt from a recent open letter to the President from General Edwin A. Walker of Texas:

"It is obvious to millions of concerned and informed Americans that idle talk and rocking-chair action cannot cope with the Russian-Cuban threat. The Joint Chiefs of Staff, our highest military tribunal, have informed your administration that Cuba is a threat to the United States. The actions of the State Department are completely incompatible with military judgment and with our policy and traditions, upon which all freedom-loving countries rely for their protection and security. America is now the laughingstock of the world to both friend and foe. There is widespread bewilderment throughout the nation at the audacity of Castro-Cuba and our obsequious policy of vying for favor in assisting our enemies, which is now realistically exposed." And that's a portion of a letter from General Edwin A. Walker to President Kennedy.

Well, what are we going to do about it? Invade Cuba? No, ladies and gentlemen, that won't be necessary if we act swiftly and with that particular kind of resolution that has characterized American policy heretofore.

NEEDED: A WALL OF STEEL AROUND CUBA

In order to protect our national sovereignty -- in order to carry out our historic commitments under the Monroe Doctrine -- in order to protect the Nation itself from constant danger of attack from Cuban-based Communist long and medium range missiles, we should immediately set up a complete blockade around and above the Island of Cuba in order to isolate the gangster Communist agents who have taken over that island, part of which is less than 100 miles from our shores.

Nor would we have to apologize to anyone for taking this action. Indeed, as General Walker says, we are held in contempt by friend and foe alike, simply because we are doing nothing to protect ourselves. Certainly, an effective blockade at this time would remove the Cuban threat to our national survival, and reassure all nations truly friendly to us that we meant business and would honor completely whatever commitments we had made in the Western Hemisphere.

The danger of starting a Third World War would be removed because an intensified blockade, now, would eliminate the necessity of invading Cuba later. If we wait very much longer, however, we might not have the choice of merely enforcing a blockade.

A tightly knit sea and air blockade would prohibit any additional build-up of Communist arms or technicians on the Island of Cuba. A publicly announced blockade of this sort would immediately cause any ship, plane or submarine, trying to run the blockade, to be labeled an aggressor.

The people of Cuba, captives and slaves, would, I'm sure, greet the news of such a blockade with feelings of deep gratitude and joy. I might add that American prestige, so low after the bloody fiasco of the Bay of Pigs, would rise sharply in the minds of Cuban patriots. The announcement by the United States that we had put up a blockade released to the press of the world would give hope to the Cuban Freedom Fighters that at last Uncle Sam had waked up to his responsibilities.

Americans believe in the self-determination of nations, and that we will help all the nations of the world throw off the yoke of Soviet gangsterism now masquerading under the false name of freedom and liberation.

EVERY MORAL AND LEGAL RIGHT

Russia did not hesitate to build a wall of barbed wire and concrete to keep the East Germans from escaping. The United States government has every moral, legal and military right to build a wall of steel around Cuba and to supply food, arms and ammunition to the Cuban Freedom Fighters who are now being hunted down by the Russian, Chinese and other Communist troops in Cuba. We have a duty to isolate and destroy the cancer of Communism in Cuba.

As soon as the naval and air blockade is established, television and radio stations broadcasting from ships of the United States Navy ringing the island could inform the Cuban people that the blockade would continue until such time as the power of the Communist International Legions on the island could be crushed. Then, psychological warfare could be used: Cuban patriots would be given the chance they are waiting for, and a full-scale clean up of Communists in Cuba would begin.

EXCHANGE OF AMERICANS FOR COMMUNISTS

Ladies and gentlemen, we know there are large numbers of both Russian and Chinese nationals inside Cuba working against the security of the United States. In Soviet and Communist Chinese prisons right now there are American citizens suffering appalling hardships, and many Americans have died in Iron Curtain prisons because we had nothing to bargain with to get

Russian and Chinese 'technicians' captured in Cuba for American civilians getting in Communist prisons!

We might try doing it this way: A group of 50 Russian 'technicians' would be transported to the United Nations in New York City, and 50 Americans now being held by the Soviet Union would be turned over to us in an exchange of prisoners given full coverage by the world press. Other exchanges of Russians for Americans can be effected in various capitols of Europe, exploiting to the fullest the propaganda value of a revitalized anti-Communist position of the United States.

A similar arrangement would be made in exchanging Chinese for American civilians held inside Communist China, and for some 450 American soldiers who have been held prisoners in Korea since the end of the Korean 'police action.'

And finally, the United States would offer its good offices to maintain order on the island of Cuba until such time as Cuba can be re-built, and until such time as Cuban Constitutional guaranties can be established.

We are getting hundreds of letters each week asking us what can we do about Cuba? In response to these letters we are sponsoring a nation-wide petition asking for a blockade of Cuba. This petition will be sent to you free of charge. The petition is addressed to the President of the United States asking him to enforce the Monroe Doctrine and asking him to blockade Cuba. We will send free copies of this petition to anyone who writes.

Just send us a postcard, letter or telegram asking for the Blockade Cuba Petition. A single copy will be sent to anyone free of charge. Additional copies of this petition will be sold at cost - three cents each, \$3.00 per hundred, postpaid. Order from THE INDEPENDENT AMERICAN, Post Office Box 4223, New Orleans, Louisiana.

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