

To Louis Iyon from Harold Weisberg 4/17/68

Joseph Moore, etc.

On 4/6/68 I flew to N.O. with Alberto Fowler, who had been in Washington. Among the things about which I asked him is Joe Moore, with his various aliases. I had earlier asked Douglas Lehhbridge and left a memo. Douglas did not consult Alberto, so this was not feedback.

Alberto believes the correct name is Jose Dearing, a rather unusual name, pronounced Day-sh-ring. They were captured at the Bay of Pigs. He is SSG, chubby, bighipped, unathletic type, weak arms, weak face, light complexion, baby-faced, brown hair, a little darker than mine, long and wavy. There is a suggestion of effeminacy. He got a little hysterical now and then, yet very military. Had fact of good training under Batista. English, slight accent. Spanish origin.

First days of capture, he hid. Then he changed name to Morejon. Lived in fear Castros would find out who he was and he was wanted for fascist crimes under Batista. He defended to an exaggerated point a young boy who was mentally ill. Small boy, paranoid, Jose mothered. Boy thin, Anglo-Saxon looking. German?

Alberto thinks Douglas is mentally ill and afraid because of his previous CIA connections.

I am uncertain whether these two items refer to Moore or Douglas: possible sadist; really brave in combat.

I think this is another Bay Pigs vet N.O.: Miguel Drie, large head, square face.

Wish I could transcribe my notes more promptly!

Alberto - 6/6/68 - gsc
Dearing - in DTR -
5-6 at most - chubby - big
w. p. ed, was athletic type,
wrote army, neck face,
light complexion - holy face.
described looking
normal type, brown hair
darker than mine,
long & wavy - suggestion
efficiency - got little
light side hair & hair
cut by military -
behind which he hid
good training under Baz.
English - slight accent -
Spanish origin First

days of capture - he lied.
Then he changed names
to McCreigh - lowered in
fear they would find
out who he was & he
was wanted for present
crimes under Batista
Depended on an associate
found young boy who
was mentally sick -
strange, thin little boy -
old ball - poor mothered
man. (presumably ex-convict)
Boy small & thin -
crypto-fascist looking
(German) (brother of
mine)

A. Munkes not come in at
but afraid because of
pressure (1st connection)

Day - ah - ring

prob. defect

Perly here in Wendy
in gas. Uria, Miguel
Large head, square face