

Gary, *Mark*

In today's mail I have a copy of TWI III: 10 and I've read it.

If you could get me the clearest possible copies of the official records I'd appreciate it. I want them for possible use in CIA cases and for various purposes in them.

What could be particularly important is any record tending to make any kind of connection with the assassination or its investigation.

This would make for relevance in an existing case and with compliance would provide copies of relevant records promptly.

Were I to get any I'd send you copies promptly.

There is other and separate reason to wonder about some kind of French involvement but in order to deter wildness I'll not go into it and not burden you with the keeping of a confidence. I'd prefer that you not repeat this to others because only too often there is wild conjecturing in public and it has always been counterproductive.

The name Jean Soustre sounds familiar and in OAS association. Maybe I'm thinking of Soustelle (approx) but I'm not sure. (Jacques?)

As I recall it there were five "French intelligence" organizations other than what we would consider police. SDECE, one of these, was loaded with extremists and those who engaged in various kinds of illegal activities, including smuggling. Its record in Southeast Asia was particularly bad.

Thanks

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