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Assassination of President John F

SYMOPSIS

Mr. Wesley J. Leibeler, Investigator, President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy, requested this office on August 11, 1964, to attempt to locate copies of news stories in New Orleans papers on or about September 9, 1963, relative to a speech by Prime Minister Fidel Castro at the Brazilian Embassy in Havana, Cuba, in which he reportedly stated that United States leaders would be in danger if they helped in any attempt to do away with leaders of Cuba, etc. News stories appearing in both local papers on September 9, 1963, to Mr. Leibeler on August 11, 1964.

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Reference is made to previous reports submitted in this case

On August 11, 1964, during the morning, long distance telephone call was received by reporting agent from Mr. Wesley J. Leibeler, Investigator, President's Commission on the Assassination of President Kennedy. Mr. Leibeler advised that a by Prime Hinister Fidel Castro, of Cuba, at the Brazilian Embassy in Havana in which he threatened that "United States leaders would be in danger if they helped in any attempt to do away with leaders of Cuba....."

Mr. Leibeler requested that inquiry be made of the two newspapers in New Orleans to determine if they carried this story, which could have been read by Lee Harvey Oswald prior to his departure from New Orleans.

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inquiry disclosed that the Times-Picayune carried the story on Monday morning, beptember 9, 1963, Section One, Page Seven; and that the States-Item carried the story in the afternoon of the same date on page twenty-six.

Mr. Keibeler was advised by telephone on August 11, 1964, of the results of the inquiry, and at his request copies of the articles in both papers were forwarded to him by airmail the same date for his file.

Extra copies of the two news articles are being furnished Chief's Office with this report.

DISPOSITION

The case is closed with submission of this report.

ATTACHERNTS

Copies of news articles (2)

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Lastro Blasts Raids on Cuba Cuba. We will know how to defend ourselves, and we will not be

mitted to an impromptu interby Associated Press corresdent Daniel Harker. Harker's ount of the interview reached / York Sunday afternoon.

By DANIEL HARKER

AVANA (AP)-Prime Minister A Castro said Saturday night shifting policies." ited States leaders" would be langer if they helped in any mpt to do away with leaders uba.

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eaking with this correspondy, Castro also disclosed that trations after the 1964 presidena has not made up its mind it signing the limited nuclear ban treaty drawn up last th in Moscow.

RUSSIANS PUZZLED

recent dispatch from Mosindicated the Russians themes have been puzzled by a's silence in connection with treaty. Speculation there was Castro was holding out for a Soviet economic aid and

atening to cast his lot with Red Chinese.)

stro said Cuba is studying the ty "with extreme care."

this is an important decision and we are not ready yet to the up our minds," he added. the prime minister did not exwhich points in the treaty · being given most considera

I'M NOT DEAF



ys U.S. Leaders Im-tion. But he said: "We are taking tial election. into account the current world situation, which of course involves the Caribbean situation, which has between (Pre DITOR'S NOTE - Prime Min-been deteriorating in the last few (Sen. Barry) Goldwater (R-Ariz.). Fidel Castro turned up at a days due to piratical attacks by Both are cheap and crooked poliricen in the Brazilian Embas the United States against the Cun Havana Saturday night and ban people."

TREND CHANGED

World affairs, he said, "seemed let him try his tough policies on," to be entering a more peaceful climate a few days ago, but now this trend has changed with attacks."

He accused the United States of carrying out "double-crossing and."

He added: "The United States is always ready to negotiate and make promises which later it will not honor. This has happened to promises made during the October crisis. They have been broken, as can be seen with new attacks. But I warn this is leading to a very dangerous situation could lead to a worse crisis than October's."

Castro then launched into a discussion of the U.S. political scene. saying he expects no change in at a Brazilian National Day Washington's foreign policy even ption in the Brazilian Em- if there is a change in adminis-

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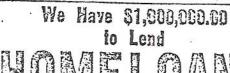
ticians," Castro said.

"We have heard Goldwater is tough. Well, if he ever is elected,

afraid to face him, but, in any case, I am not interested in getting involved in U.S. domestic politics."

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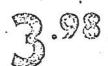


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matter of some more tests, spencer, the dean of Hollywood stars has a bad heart. His best cheerer upper has been Katharine Hepburn, his devoted friend for 23 years.

- Cary is seeing no other fair lady that Diane Cannon, of the Los Angeles cast of "How to Succeed in Business." They should add, "and with Cary Grant

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SHEILAH GRAHAM

RODERICK MANN, British newspaperman, returned to London without Kim Novak. should have talked with some of her chums before believing she was the marrying kind, Rod said ruefully before leaving. Kim is different. She is looking for the perfect male. And as every woman knows, there is no such animal.

Romy Schneider, a delight in "The Cardinal," has promised to attend the December premieres in Boston and New York She has heard so much of the jewel robberies in Manhattan that she is having copies made of her gems and the real trinkets will stay behind in Europe in one of the several homes she occupies.

... ROBERT MITCHUM has been heard to say that he does not care what script changes are made in "What a Way to Go," just as long as there are no cast changes." The cast includes Shirley Maclaine.

I can't wait for the Stanley Kramer festivities in connection with his Nov. 3, premiere of "It's a Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World." Have I got in all the mads? At the mad ball, following the Sunday-at-six showing of the movie, every funny star in the film will perform and what performers, Sid Caesar, Milton Eerle, Phil Silvers, Mickey Rooney, Terry-Thomas, Jimmy Durante, Dorothy Provine, Ethel Merman.

LENA HORNE'S daughter, Gail Jones, is very much in the running for the lead in Ely Landau's film drama. "The Pawnbroker," which starts in Man-hattan this month.

Her ex-date, Sidney Lumet, will be working for the same company, directing "The Heart is a Lonely Hunter." What with his divorce from Gloria Vanderbilt, the pill-taking and all, that title makes you think.

HAVANA (AP)-Prime Minister Fidel Castro predicts the 1964 presidential election will pit President John F. Kennedy MC the past against Republican Sen. Barry Goldwater of Arizona—"both cheap and crooked politicians."

"We have heard Goldwater is luncheons. tough," said Castro in an impromptu interview at a Brazilian embassy reception this weekend.

"Well, if he is elected let him try his tough policies on Cuba. We will know how to defend ourselves and we will not be afraid to face him."

At this point Castro ended his discussion of the presidential election, saying he was not interested in getting involved in United States politics.

However, he noted earlier, he expected no change in U.S. foreign policy if there is a change in administrations.

Goldwater has been an outspoken critic of Kennedy's Cuban policy. Last week he called on the Senate not to ratify the limited nuclear test ban treaty unless the Soviet Union agrees to pull all its forces off the island.

Bitterly denouncing what he called recent U.S. - prompted raids on Cuban territory, Castro said:

"We are prepared to fight them and answer in kind. United States leaders should think that if they are aiding terrorist plans to eliminate Cuban leaders, they themselves will not be safe.

"The United States is always read to negotiate and make promises which later it will not honor. This has happened to promises made during the October crisis. They have been broken as can be seen with new attacks.

Hirt Draws Crowd At Concert

Al "Pack-'em-in" Hirt did it again yesterday, this time for the natives.

The scene was the final in a series of jazz sessions at the Royal Orleans Hotel. The place was jammed as the widely acclaimed trumpeter blasted out a series of New Orleans favorites.

The program included "Royal Garden Blues," "Figidity Feet," and "Yellow Dog Blues."

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