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On 3/17/60 US govt began to require & train Cuban refugees coming to Westmoreland. This, apparently, was May, 1960 when almost a year ~~later~~ later, with all the other things of the same general character that intervened, on 1/3/61, with the defection of Schick, in Schick's words, "because of Castro's desperate demand that the staff of the Havana Emb. be reduced to bare people in 48 hrs." What was he to have done to please US (Schick), put his head on the US block? Not, Schick, is careful not to give the (reported?) size of the U.S. Emb. or any indication of the number of various kinds of agents it may have included. Besides what their own intelligence told them about planned invasion, it was all public anyway, having been in papers in LA, WS, radio & TV.