The plot in 21 to Cuba and came to March 5 movement plus Currie delivered some military officers
by ship more and more quickly, because more and more people believing of the plot
and their growing out of empire.

They see in more before our coordination in military consultation with responsible
Americans 21. They are confident that they could move in attack fight against Centro
Friedrich von der Linde, as the most
affected one. The most about of anything
22 Americans might be to be help when the
last is needed. They are needed to
plot the U.S. goods, as to what was
being planned.

The Italians might have done to
23 the willingness of the U.S. to leave, but
believing the way unreliable to Cuban
and sent Madrid since two days
October 17 bitter the blame of arranged
for land a very well-intended Mexican
committee, which is to Madrid plans fight.

The wanted Massa to be
expressed with reliable Cuban officials
24 and was meet with 25, which white
in August 5 together would in Spain for

Expression intervals to Italy called
26 October and F.E. instructed to be put in
future all necessary reliable move from
27 Otto.

28 Express instructions to F.E. 15.014
also, President, this move was not to
The moss file contains the following information and documents:

- A memo for the Chief of Security Research Staff, 14 May 1973, in which a memo dated 28 Feb 1968 is referred to. The referenced memo states that "A verbal report from Dun & Bradstreet recognizes moss' long standing 'Mafia' connections. 'Moss' operation seems to be government contracts for the underworld and probably surfaces mafia money in legitimate business activities. This memo also states that from 1950-53, moss was serving an appointed position with the US Court, first as an Assistant Administrator in Charge of Public Information, National Production Authority; and then with the Defense Production Administration both with the Dept. of Commerce."

- Who's Who in America- entry for moss.

- Dun & Bradstreet report dated Sept. 27, 1968. On June 1, 1960 moss merged his activities with Howard Chase Associates, Inc. moss was also Pres. of a wholly-owned subsidiary, Chase & moss, Inc., Wash. D.C. June 1, 1961 parties agreed to merge with assets returned to respective owners. Settlement negotiations led to litigation. In 1964 settlement was effected. In 1967 moss served as Asst Director, OEO, with responsibilities for public affairs advisor to the White House Conference on Civil Rights.

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6. A June 29, 1967 Dun & Bradstreet report states that moss is a principal in General International, which is stated to be an Italian corporation engaged as consultants in economic and business area development in Europe, Africa, and Asia.

7. A memo to the file, dated April 14, 1967, re Moss. The last approval granted by the Office of Security for Moss's use was "a Covert Security Approval dated 7 November 1962" to enable Moss to use "by the Political Group of the CA staff."


9. 30 Nov 1962 - memo - from Political Action Group / Covert Action staff requests any objections to the use of the Moss as a public relations advisor.

10. Memo, 19 Mar 1959. Memo from DD of Security refers to request for CSA to permit Moss' use as an informant on the place in which he is engaged, or of which he is knowledgeable.

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The file on Joseph Merola contains the following information and documents:

A memo dated 28 Jan 1974 re Office of Security file. Stated that Merola first came to the Agency's attention in 1961 when he visited Justin F. Gleichauf who was then Chief of the Division. Merola said he had info concerning a Brazilian Senator, a close friend and confidant of Che Guevara. It was felt that Merola's reason for contacting the Agency was to ascertain if the Agency would intervene with the Federal Court to rescind the 25 mile travel restriction. He was informed that the Agency could be of no assistance. Mr. Merola also said he had been engaged in gunrunning in behalf of Castro during the revolt against Batista and had been received warmly by Castro & Camilo Cienfuegos. Merola again contacted the Agency on 20 Nov 1972 informing that he was going to jail for one year. No further contact with Merola.

A Feb 15, 1974 cable from XXX reports that 4 people have been arrested for theft of dynamite & illegal possession of explosives. Claiming that they stole the dynamite on behalf of Merola, a CIA agent. "Merola is not a CIA agent but was solely as an informant by JIMPALM."
A memo of visit to Merola, dated 5 Feb 1961, reports Brazilian senator's story. Merola said that Sam Kay, one of his associates in the Latin American contraband business, told him that the senator was interested in developing a project whereby large quantities of whiskey would be smuggled into Brazil. (Contacts in Cuba with Castro.) He was also in contact with Colonel "Johnnie" Abbas, head of the Dominican secret police. Merola also indicated that he is very well acquainted with Antonio de Varona, head of the FRD, and felt that he would be able to provide definite assistance to the Frente should he be called upon. He has a 63' boat available which he would not be adverse to "landing" to his friends."
The file contains the following information & documents:

1. Miami Herald article, dated 21 Oct 1969, reported the arrest of 3 men, Eduardo Whitehouse, Jose Roberto Silviera, and Hector Silviera, for receiving & concealing stolen property after they tried to sell $100,000 worth of stolen aircraft radio equipment.


In Feb 1964 - Whitehouse resided in Miami.

In June 1964 - "" in Dallas (6141 Oran St.)

In Oct 1964 "" in Miami.

Employment in June 1964 was with Ransa Airlines, Miami.
3.- A biographical data form lists employment as
July 1964- Present - North Shore Villas, Public Relations
Jan 1963- June 1964- Pan American Airlines, Panama -
Operations Consultant
Sept 1943- Jan 1959 - Cubana Airlines - Pilot,
1961- 1963 - Insurance Salesman

The above information is from an investigation conducted in the
fall of 1964.
Edward Browder

DOB: 22 June 1917  POB: Amarillo, Texas

The file contains the following documents and information:


   "In operational support of Project PBSUCCESS, it is requested that your office initiate priority national agency name checks with special emphasis on info developed from Immigration and Naturalization and Dept of State on one Edward Browder Sabatino."


   "GIST: WH (PBSUCCESS) requests information regarding subject and Louis Sabatino."

   DETAILS:
   1. The subject is of interest to WH Division (PBSUCCESS) and has requested this office to conduct certain inquiries.
   2. Because of the sensitivity of this case, it is requested that the files of the FBI be checked through Mr. Papich concerning the subject and Louis Sabatino."

4. Covert Name Check Report - 28 May 1954

5. Passport File Check - 27 May 1954

6. Unidentified document - "The subject case, while still pending, was cancelled by request of the Chief, Operations, Project PBSUCCESS."