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The following information concerning the activities of the Soviet Embassy in Mexico City was developed during the month of November 1956:

3. Activities of the Military Personnel:

A. On 1 November Captain Carlos SANTILLAN Donillas, of the Second Section of the Mexican Army Staff, contacted the Soviet Assistant Naval Attache, and invited all the members of the military staff to attend a meeting at the Second Section's headquarters on 5 November 1956 to meet the new head of the Second Section, Lt. Col. Arturo CURIUQUA Mendioroz. On 5 November Premier Khrushchev, employee of the Military Attache's Office, contacted Major Alfredo NUNEZ Arrieta of the Second Section to ascertain if the Attache should attend the ceremony in uniform.

B. On 7 November Frigate Captain Salvador GUZMani Lascano accepted an invitation to attend a Soviet reception on 11 November.

C. Nikolai, Assistant Naval Attache, sent Comendante Alfonso CASILLAS Gomes on 7 November to be and received the invitations to the Soviet reception on 11 November.

D. On 14 November Comendante CASILLAS Gomes reminded Khrushchev about a meeting on Saturday, 17 November at 8:00 p.m.

E. (Naval Lt.) Jesus Razo Nagueiro informed Khrushchev on 15 November that he was busy with some official business and would like to postpone their appointment until Monday, 19 November. They planned to meet at the Centro del Vaso at 2:30 p.m.
1. On 19 November, Lavauskas was informed by the Guatemalan Attaché in the Soviet Embassy that he would be attending a dinner on the 21st. The following military men and their wives were to attend: Gómez Ayau, Enríquez Huerta, Sánchez Espinoza, and other attaches.

2. On 26 November, Nikolai Moshkin, who had been informed of the dinner, contacted the attaché's office to determine the names of the military personnel and their wives. He requested that the attaché send an invitation to the staff of the Embassy.

3. On 2 December, the attaché sent a letter to the attaché, indicating that he would be attending the dinner.

4. On 9 December, the attaché sent a letter to the attaché, indicating that he would be attending the dinner.

5. On 10 December, the attaché sent a letter to the attaché, indicating that he would be attending the dinner.

6. On 11 December, the attaché sent a letter to the attaché, indicating that he would be attending the dinner.

II. Contacts:

A. Communists and Pro-Communists:

1. Jose Luis Cease: On 11 November, Cease, a Soviet attaché, attempted to locate Jose Luis Cease, a communist member of the Attaché's office, to send him an invitation from the Soviet Embassy.

2. Efrain Huskata: Huskata, official of the IIIGM (Mexican-Soviet Cultural Institute), contacted the attaché on 1 November and left a message that he would like to see Efrain Huskata, a communist attaché. On 6 November, Huskata contacted the attaché at the IIIGM and made arrangements for him to come to the Embassy the following day. They discussed a party to be held on the 11th or 12th, and Huskata suggested having the inauguration of an exposition at the same time. On 10 November, Huskata,
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PAPONOV, and Dr. Francisco Antonio Alatorre, Communist and
IIGUA official in Guadalajara, were to meet at the Tampico
restaurant. PAPONOV referred to the three of them as "the
three musketeers."

3. Luis GARCIA Lagas: On 7 November an unidentified individual
called the Soviet Embassy on behalf of Luis GARCIA Lagas,
Spanish Communist, and gave a phone number to Professor
Adolfo SANCHEZ Vasquez, employee of the Soviet Embassy
propaganda office. (The phone number mentioned, 27-65-06,
is believed to be the phone of Emilio GARCIA Jara,
Spanish Communist and employee of the Czech Legation.)

4. Ignacio GONZALEZ Guzman: GONZALEZ Guzman, Communist front
member, made arrangements to meet with PAPONOV on 17
November at 11:00 a.m. (also see HRW 9/5)

5. David ALFARO: ALFARO, son of Mexican communist artist
David ALFARO Siquieros, attempted to contact Matvey F.
LOTOV, formerly of the Soviet Commercial Office and the
representative for International Book, on 19 November.
He was told that LOTOV had left Mexico and that he
should call on Alexei GLAVCHENKO for anything he wanted.

6. Eli de QUINTAB: During the latter part of November several
contacts were made between QUINTAB, of the Society of
Friends of China, and PAPONOV concerning the visit to
China and the USSR of a group of persons from Mexico.
The departure date for the six persons was originally set
as 28 November. QUINTAB was to prepare a letter from the
Society concerning visas for the travellers. (see HRW 2162)

7. Senor del Carmen EL MIENT Puchi aka RONGES: RONGES, believed
to be a Spanish Communist, was in contact with Josefa
ZAVAIA of the Soviet propaganda office on 26 November. They
planned to see each other the following day at Versailles.
(Offices of the Partido Comunista Espanol - PCE - are
located at Versailles 9th.)

8. Werner RACIES: On 28 November W.RACIES informed RACIES,
Spanish Communist, that Manuel ROTHER ANDRAS, pro-Communist,
would receive them that evening at his home.

9. Clara PORCE de GUERRERO: On 11 November PAPONOV informed
Clara PORCE de GUERRERO, wife of Communist Xavier GUERRERO
Saucedo, that he had not been able to find an apartment, as
everything was very expensive. On 29 November, however, he
told her that everything was arranged and that the painters
would be there the following day. They planned to meet at
his new home, Nuevo Leon 192-10, the next day.

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10. Dolores Varela de dela R. (SDUU) held an appointment with Ambassador Anatolii I. Lazhkov on 25 November at 11:00 a.m. (see HUM-2167)

11. Information on the following Communist contacts during the month of November is contained in separate reports:

Diego Hernandez - HUM-2321
Noelle Burgos Duque - HUM-2320
Berta Arevalo de Uruapan - HUM-2118 c5-11-606
General Heriberto Echevarria Corona - HUM-2160 (5-5-3-30) 1273

B. Contacts of Special Interest:

1. TASSIST Bradley (PN); On 24 November ABLELI contacted
Levitankov, First Secretary, and asked to postpone their
meeting until 26 November, at the same place.

2. Francisco (lmu); On 26 November one Francisco (lmu) of the
Migration Department was in contact with Yevgeniy M. Pujol,
Third Secretary. (see HUM-2164)

C. Miscellaneous Contacts:

1. On 1 November Nikolay V. Akhromov, Second Secretary, attempted
to contact Maria Paredes Garcia, member of the UGUCH (Union
General de Obreros y Campesinos de Mexico), trade union group
which was invited to Moscow in April 1956 by the Soviet Trade
Union Council, and was informed that he would not be back to
work until Saturday. Akhromov left a message for him to "call
Nicola of the Soviet Embassy."

2. Pepe B. Libe of 35-90-40 attempted to contact Boris A. Kazantsev,
Soviet Embassy Counselor, on 6 November. (In the 1956 Mexico
City telephone directory this number is listed under the name
of Oliverio KERETA, Customs Agent, San Juan de Letran 8-M.)

3. On 5 November Enrique Bujares of BIP (Buro de Investigaciones
Políticas) contacted Vladimir N. Pasukhovich, Second
Secretary, stating that he had been in Tamaulipas traveling
from one side of the state to the other, and had just returned.
He had heard of the reception being given on the following day,
but had not received an invitation. Pasukhovich informed him
that he had given the Embassy a list of all members of the BIP.
On 7 November Pasukhovich informed Bujares that he had the
invitation for him and for (lnu) HUM-2160. He also told
Bujares that he should inform Sergio LOPEZ and Victor NICO
that the invitations were personal, only for the person

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designated and they could not arrange that anyone else not mentioned on the invitation enter. DUDES, NOVAL, and RICO had previously asked to bring guests with them.

4. One Sra. (Mrs) TURCHE called Boris P. KOLCHEV, Attaché, on 16 November. He apparently saw air that morning and arrangements were made to meet again the following day.

5. On 16 November Arturo COLOMBE, leftist journalist, informed KAZANBEV that he had a book belonging to Vitaly ANTOCHENKOV, First Secretary, and that he would bring it by the Embassy in fifteen minutes.

6. One (Mrs) "LOPEZ", engineer, was in contact with KOLCHEV several times during the month of November. Arrangements were made to meet together on 15 November and 27 November at the same restaurant. ("LOPEZ" is believed to be Carlos Augusto LOPEZ, Venezuelan exile.)

7. (Mrs) DUJEC asked Aleksandar S. SUSHIN, Embassy employee, on 16 November to inform KOLCHEV that he had arrived from Veracruz the previous day. (DUJEC may be a clandestine contact of the Soviets.)

8. On 15 November Jose SANTIN attempted to contact Alejandro W. ZHITIN (see HMK-2114.)

9. On 13 and 15 November Gaston GARCIA Cantu, of previous record, was in contact with the embassy concerning visa to the USSR. (see HMK-2116)

10. Pedro ROJAS of the National University made an appointment to see FIDHOU on 20 November at 11:00 a.m.

11. On 17 November ZHITIN spoke with an unidentified woman concerning the best place to send an invitation to Manuel ZHITIN's house address, Calle de Lerdo 102, Tizapán, and his office address, Madero 34-17.

12. Boris SCHIRM, partner in De Swan, S.A., invited the Ambassador to dinner on 25 November, but the latter was unable to accept, and they then made arrangements for the Ambassador to visit SCHIRM at his home, Lomas Altas 190 on Sunday, 30 November. (see HMK-2106)
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A. POPOV and Romon LODZINSKI arranged to meet on 23 November in POPOV's office and then go out to contact a third person.

14. One Luis VÁZQUEZ invited TOPOLOV to a party at his home on 1 December. (see AM-2167)

15. On 26 November Francisco ARROYO, of previous record, attempted to contact KOLMAKOV (see AM-2165)

16. KOLMAKOV and Julian (probably Julian CUMICIO) made arrangements to meet on 26 November upstairs at the corner of 16 de Septiembre and San Juan de Letrán. KOLMAKOV referred to "wanting to appreciate the advantages" to which Julian replied that "the advantages are appreciated after some twenty years, but in the meantime let's initiate the appreciation."

17. AKSENOV arranged to visit Eduardo CANOVA, director of Banco Cinematográfico, the following day at 11:00 a.m., later on the 26th. Georgy ALEKHOV of the Commercial Office contacted AKSENOV and asked him to come to his office to meet Cano (CA).

18. Antonio GUTIERREZ informed Leonid M. KOLMAKOV, Third Secretary, that he had taken up "the matter" with Ignacio CHEVROZ URQUIZA, the President of the Foundation, and the latter had requested that the meeting be held in his office at Calle 49, 6th floor, phone 46-16-70.

19. Orlando MANCIUSIO, probably the son of José MANCIUSIO, deceased director of the IICAH, was in contact with PHUMOV on 30 November. (see AM-2255)

20. AKSENOV asked Manuel MUCICIO, Spanish leftist, to come by his office on 1 December to discuss a personal matter with him.

21. On 20 November CHEVROZ attempted to contact Manual AMUCHAGUI (ph. 2, 26-37, 22-25-36; his phone numbers, 22-23-77, 22-26-36, are listed under the name of the following firm: Industrias Mexicanas, El Hervidor, S.A., Vulcañización 14). Arrangements were made for AMUCHAGUI and his wife to visit Pavol VÁKROV, Consul, concerning the matter of AMUCHAGUI's brother-in-law, until 16, on 23 November.

22. On 30 November MATVEEV contacted the name of Dr. Gustavo BALZ, after obtaining the phone number from Dr. Carlos HUEZ, Communist and physician, to ascertain if the invitation to the wedding of their daughter addressed to former Soviet Ambassador KAPUSTIN, who had departed Mexico three years ago,
was to be used by Ambassador KULICHKOV. He was told that KULICHKOV would be welcome at the religious ceremony and at the reception at their home afterward.

III. Goods and Services:

A. On 2 November Leonid IVAS’KOY, employee-guard of the Soviet Embassy, contacted the firm of Klertink (pn) to ascertain if his suit was ready.

B. ZHUKOV attempted to contact Dr. Andrei OSATANNE Girria, a physician, on 5 November.

C. On 5 November KSHONIN contacted Jose Alfredo HOLZER of Holzer y Cia. and arranged to go by to see him about a watch for his wife.

D. On 8 November KALYAYEV contacted Berta HERNANDEZ Lopez, probably a costume supplier, concerning renting some women’s dresses of the last century. He had apparently rented them for a play several weeks before.

E. Dr. Carlos NOBLE was asked on 10 November by POPOV to visit KHRITNOV who was ill. POPOV made arrangements to go by and pick up NOBLE and take him to the hotel where KHRITNOV lives.

F. On 27 November Vasilii IV SLYPIN, Administrative Officer, made an appointment to see Dra. Carlota ZULZAN.

IV. Personnel:

A. Leonid L. BOLSUKOV, Commercial Counselor, informed IVASHKOV on 3 November that he could not attend choir practice, as he was going to see Andrei VOLCHKOV of the Commercial Office off. VOLCHKOV left that evening for the USSR.

B. Georgi BUKOV of the Commercial Office is taking English lessons.

C. On Sunday, 11 November, PASTUKHovich was asked to be on duty at the Embassy.

D. Nikolai KAKLIUK, new member of the Commercial Office, arrived in Mexico via KIA on 1 November, accompanied by his wife Raia and son Aleksandr.

E. Soviet diplomatic couriers Sergei POPINE and Valeri KARPINSKI departed Mexico on 15 November via Air France.
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F. On 20 November Vladimir Sokolov was promoted from Major to Lt. Colonel.

G. Kuzmin was staying at the Hotel Diligencias in Veracruz on 30 November and held reservations for three for the following day in Jalapa.

H. Matvey P. Volkov, employee in the Commercial Office, with wife Anastasia and sons Igor and Aleksandr, departed Mexico at Laredo on 17 November, with reservations on the SS "Eliza" leaving New York on 23 November.

I. Aleksey Chevchenko and wife Nina arrived in Mexico via Air France on 1 November. Chevchenko replaced Volkov in the Commercial Office as the representative of International Book.

J. Andrey P. Volkov of the Commercial Office departed Mexico by KLM on 3 November, on return to the USSR.

V. Miscellaneous:

A. Anti-Soviet Demonstrations:

1. During the month of November, the Soviet Embassy in Mexico City received numerous complaints concerning the Soviets' action in Hungary. Various Mexicans contacted the Embassy, accusing the Soviets of being murderers, and threatening to attack them.

2. An unidentified man, who claimed to be a member of the Comite de la Paz and a friend of Dionisio Encina and General Heliarto Diaz, confidentially informed Papolov on 7 November concerning certain activities being carried out against the Soviets. He stated that around five thousand leaflets were being printed for circulation protesting the Hungarian situation, and that an employee of Ultimas noticias, Paul Rodriguez, was being paid (by the United States) to publish articles in his paper against the Soviets. He also mentioned that a friend of his, who is a member of the Frente Popular Anti-Comunista, had approached him for aid in painting anti-Soviet signs on walls in Mexico City, but he had not been interested as he did not sympathize with their organization.

3. On 8 November, the head of the Mexican Police Service conferred with Aleksiev on the subject of police protection for the Embassy. Aleksiev indicated that Secret Service men were around the Embassy at that time, and that he would be glad to furnish them with a pair of uniforms.
grenadier guards to stand at the corner or door of the Embassy if they so desired. ANONYMOUS consulted with the Ambassador who agreed with the idea, and plans were made to have the grenadiers be at the Embassy for ten to fifteen days, or as long as was necessary.

4. On 10 November one Francisco ALONSO contacted the Embassy to inform them that the writer of an article in Jornada protesting the Hungarian situation was a despicable person who was paid by the "Yank Embassy."

5. On 10 November MIKHAYLOV sent A.Anna SANCHEZ Vargas of the Soviet propaganda office down to witness an anti-Soviet demonstration taking place in front of one of the Secretariats. SANCHEZ reported that some three-hundred persons were there.

B. On 18 November MIKHAYLOV informed members of the Embassy that on that evening he was going to show films of Bulganin's reception in London.

C. A Mexican medical student contacted the Embassy on 19 November requesting the name and address of the Soviet discus thrower who was involved in the unfortunate incident in London. He indicated that he would like to send her a letter and gift as an expression of friendship from a Mexican admirer.

D. On 27 November MIKHAYLOV, Administrative Officer of the Embassy, contacted the firm of Almacen Chica concerning an automatic door which they wanted installed.