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Some thoughts on the conference:1. Re: unofficial investigations. Specifically, I have read about one that was alleged to have been run by the USMC out of Ft. Smith, Hawaii, under the direction of Lt. General Carson Roberts (Roberts denies this.) Did the HSCA, or WC, or anyone else ever find evidence (beyond the initial accusation by Larry Huff) to suggest the investigation did take place? 2. Anti-Castro efforts and the Mafia Beyond both groups working with the CIA,, is there evidence to suggest that the Mob was working directly with the Cuban exiles, (i.e., financing them, associations with them, or actual cooperation or coordination of efforts.)?3. Slawson letter to Belin in 1975. Jeremy has a copy of a letter I found in the Rockefeller Commission files written by Slawson to Belin in April 1975, responding to a memo by Paul Hoch, and referencing several issues that come up repeatedly in this case. Since both Slawson and Hoch will be here, it might be useful to show them the letter and memo and find out if either man remembers them or what each was referring to.4. Oswald and the FBI. It has been alleged many times over the years that Oswald was an informant for the FBI. Slawson, in the aforementioned letter, indicates that even he believed the FBI was not leveling with the WC on this issue. What is the prevailing opinion regarding this issue?5. Oswald, the Marine Corps, and the CIA. HYPOTHETICALLY SPEAKING, if Oswald's stint in the Corps was either a cover for being an agent for the CIA, or if he was recruited by the CIA during his tour, who in the Marine Corps or Navy would have known about this? Where (if anywhere) would records of this have been kept?6. David Morales. Was David Morales just another JMWAVE operative, following orders, , or was he the cold, cantankerous, vicious man that Fonzi and Ayers make him out to be? How much of his background has been probed in depth?7. The HSCA and the CIA re: Cuba. For Blakey: how cooperative was the CIA with the HSCA regarding its anti-Castro operations? Does he feel that all is known that there is to be known, or does he think there might still be records and information not seen by the HSCA?8. The research community and ARRB. This may be more cosmetic than substantive, but I would like to hear from Lesar and Hoch about the research community's approach to the Review Board. What do they think the reaction will be if, after 30 months of hard work, we don't come out with something that says "the government did it", or "the Warren Commission is a lie"? Are they (the community) merely going to accuse us and the government of continuing a cover-up, or would there be some acceptance of the idea that maybe, the government isn't hiding anything, and just doesn't know the answers to some of the questions?

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