

DISPATCH

CLASSIFICATION

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D. PATCH SYMBOL AND NO

HRS-4-1086

TO
INFO

Chief, WED

HEADQUARTERS FILE NO

201-32729

FROM

Chief of Station, San José

DATE

21 August 1959

SUBJECT

Operational/Field Traces
CORDERO Calderon Family

RE: YES - (CHECK IF YES)

MARKED FOR INDEXING

NO INDEXING REQUIRED

ACTION REQUIRED

None, for information only

INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED
BY QUALIFYING DESK ONLY

REFERENCES

HRS-W-1730

1. Field traces reveal the following on the CORDERO Calderon family:

- a) Pedro was born on 29 March 1912, has been living in Panama for several years, and is currently employed at the Union Club in Panama City;
- b) Antonio had been living for several years in the Pacific Banana Zone city of Quepos, Costa Rica. Recently, he was placed in jail in San Juan de Tibas (a suburb of San José) on a charge of robbery;
- c) María was born in San José on 7 February 1920 and was a militant communist prior to and during the 1948 Costa Rican Revolution. After the revolution, he left the Party voluntarily, but was reported to have been actively sympathetic towards communism for the past ten years. Another source reported this month that María is visited regularly by communists, who leave printed propaganda with him;
- d) Andruval was born in San José on 12 November 1928 and is currently living in San José, employed as a shoemaker in a shop owned by a communist. He is reported to be sympathetic to communism;
- e) Angela Argentina was born in San José on 15 March 1915, now living in Mexico with her husband who is a PBRDSE citizen. They own a house in San José, in which María (see c. above) now lives;
- f) Gladys was born in San José on 27 February 1923, is married (common law) to a Spaniard, and has resided in Spain for many years;
- g) Consuelo is living in New York City, working in a beauty parlor; There are no available traces on Norma or Isabel.

2. Discrepancies will be noted on the vital statistics as opposed to those in reference. Costa Rican Civil Registry files are the Station's source. The Registry had no file on either Norma or Isabel. Station files, inquiries to Station assets, and an investigation conducted by HUBBARD accounted for the narrative portions of the traces. The above traces include all of the information available to the Station.

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REFERENCE

HRS-M-1730

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Introduce

1. Field traces reveal the following on the CORDERO Calderon family:

- a) Federico was born on 29 March 1912, has been living in Panama for several years, and is currently employed at the Union Club in Panama City;
- b) Antonio had been living for several years in the Pacific Banana Zone city of Quepos, Costa Rica. Recently, he was placed in jail in San Juan de Tibas (a suburb of San Jose) on a charge of robbery;
- c) Marie was born in San Jose on 7 February 1920 and was a militant communist prior to and during the 1948 Costa Rican Revolution. After the revolution, he left the Party voluntarily, but was reported to have been actively sympathetic towards communism for the past ten years. Another source reported this month that Marie is visited regularly by communists, who leave printed propaganda with him.
- d) Andruval was born in San Jose on 12 November 1928 and is currently living in San Jose, employed as a shoemaker in a shop owned by a communist. He is reported to be sympathetic to communism;
- e) Angela Argentina was born in San Jose on 15 March 1915, now living in Mexico with her husband who is a FBPRDSE citizen. They own a house in San Jose, in which Marie (see c. above) now lives;
- f) Blasys was born in San Jose on 27 February 1925, is married (common law) to a Spaniard, and has resided in Spain for many years;
- g) Consuela is living in New York City, working in a beauty parlor; There are no available traces on Norma or Isabel.

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18 August 1959