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MEMO FOR:-

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We would like to point out to you an interesting incident between the Filipino community and some Vietnamese officials of the present administration of Saigon. A closer investigation of the facts of this incident may lead to:

1. The possible existence of an unidentified faction that may sabotage the present administration.

2. Which factions may create cleavage between foreign communities in Saigon by promoting an atmosphere of distrust and suspicion among them.

On 22nd January, at about 2100 hrs. Mr. Le Duc Huy Trang, 
of the Municipal Council, accompanied by a person introduced merely as "Johnny (5'2"

tall, 112 lb in weight, ")
grand essay, finely chiseled feature.
yellowish complexion, with a sun-
disk wife, claim to speak five
(5) languages, claim to work
with the FBI and allegedly to
have studied in Moscow. arrives.
They were incessantly hinting some
Filipino to go out with them
to the night club. Upon being
introduced to me, I noticed
that Johnny seemed not look at
me straight in the eye. I
reared that something was wrong
and felt suspicion. Immediately
I thought of releasing Cape Rebel
with them to confirm my suspi-
cion. The group proceeded to
Vientiane night club and stay-
et there for three (3) hours Con-
versation picked up during up
During their stay points to the
fact they admit President Díaz
as being dumb and an incorrigible
and criticize him for not learning how to mingle with the women. They also state that they do not like the French for their colonialistic thinking. Estimates report for their renting was more as high two thousand (2000) piso.

On 23rd January, the same party without provocation consistently invited the same Filipino and proceeded to the Tabarin night club. Before proceeding to the night club, they passed by the Majestic Hotel and invited en bringing along Capo Belen and any other Filipino officer. Unfortunately, Capo Belen and Capo Dijan were out. Neither they left a note at the Desk upon their arrival. The desk man handed the message to the officers. That was
about 0100 hrs, 24 January. The
officer thinking that they would
like to see them on an im-
portant matter proceeded to
the night club. The officer
found out that they just wan-
ted to invite them. Concern-
tion at this place showed
the same pattern and went
further on by the Vietnamese
officials doubting the American
mature in Vietnam. Estimated
price in this particular offer
was again estimated to be
more or less TWO THOUSAND

Also, a check up with
Mr. Oscar Chinea, the acting
Chief of the Philippine Vice-
Consul of Saigon, has re-
yirmed the fact that Mr.
LE QUANG TRONG and his

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companions have been active in entertaining laicized members of the said mission without any apparent reason. It kept most of its members out of security. It is interesting to note that their limitation included allegedly organized hunting expeditions to be held at places as far as sixty (60) kilometers from Taigen, which limitation particularly involved on the attendance of female Filipino doctor and nurses. This aroused our suspicion of possible kidnapping, the repercussions of which will draw a lot of embarrassment locally and at home.
In closing, the same case has shown that their want is premeditated intent to develop close ties with local Filipino and get the entire Filipino community in an allegiance position as their warrant suspiciion. Congress, then, with the above men trained Saigon officials had the tendency of encouraging Filipino Antipathy particularly with the American faction. This same group may also operate on the same line in the American against the Filipino. Nothing could be more desirable for antagonistic faction to correct a situation of cleavage.
which will fit very well along Comministic propaganda line, or French Fascination to exert their continued influence with the Vietnamese on the idea that Americans and Filipinos do not appear to be thinking and acting on the same harmonious line. Therefore their warrants carefu consideration and investigation.