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REFERENCES TO COLONIALISM, COLONIAL, AND IMPERIALISM

Grenada Truth Commission

Abstract

A list of references to colonialism, colonial, and imperialism in the Grenada Truth Commission.

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References to Colonialism, Colonial, and Imperialism

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letter dated 23rd November 1966
against me by letter dated 3rd .December 1965. This ·letter is attached and marked 'C'. I made a detailed
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who may want to testify truthfully about some of the excesses or otherwise which may have been afflicted on us before the revolution or during the revolution. We must always remember that true reconciliation or forgiveness can occur only after genuine confession of what or how one may have hurt another and a request for forgiveness. This is particularly important when you consider that immediately after colonialism there have been excesses meted out to us from the highest level. The effects of some of these excesses still linger among us and may have influenced the experience Grenada has gone through since then.

DETAILS. PRE-REVO PERIOD

It

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that after 5 years of

US propaganda, and even after a 9 month kangaroo Show Trial which pronounced me and the 'Grenada 17' "guilty of murder," the majority of Grenadian people are still confused: they do not understand how and why October 19, 1983 occurred in Grenada. And to add to their confusion has been Fidel Castro's loud protestations of Cuba's "honourable role [in the Grenada events]" and his vehement, virulent and hysterical attacks on the surviving Leadership of NJM and the Grenada Revolution; his calls for "exemplary punishment" for us Grenadian Revolutionaries. As some persons have told me, at times Cuba's propaganda against us appears to be indistinguishable from that of the US Reagan Administration; that it sometimes seems as though Fidel wants us dead more than US Imperialism. They are not far from the truth. But they don't know why.

I know, too, that many

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our very strong feelings about

C4_b1's interfere; in our internal affairs; and our predicament -- that we are facing death.

We do not want to give US Imperialism any ammunition to use against the Cuban Revolutionary

Prigunary. The overall trend, the role, Cuba has played within; the World Progressive and Revolutionary Movement.

want to be accused of

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T • _iii John 'Chalky' Ventour

Way Forward in the Venezuelan Communist Party. I understand that debate was centred around the issue of whether or not the party should pursue the path of armed struggle. FC publicly condemned the leadership of the PCV, accusing them of "sitting on their doorstep watching the corpse of Imperialism pass by [rather than take up arms and make the Revolution]."

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studied." No further response was
tin~c" as Grenada was "a Soviet-Cuban colony being re~died as a major military bastion." While the U.S. government did not publicly u~e this sliOJtekg concern as a justification for the invasion, it de~rly played a c:~nu~al role in its view of Grenada from the beginning. In 1982, President Reagan publicly accused Grenada of attempting "to spread the [~ommunist] virus among its nei:~hlw>rS." On March 1() and 23, 1983, he <isplayctl aerial reconnaissance••ce photograptls of the cOnstruction of Grenada's new airfield and said it represented "the Soviet-Cuban militarii' . alion of Grenada" which "c::m only be seen as a pnwer projection imu 1 ht.: rcgiun." At the tillle of the invasion, the administration daimed it had docu. Str.-tegic Threat P~csiclenl

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resolution cnn~lemning the action.

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l harming efforts to demonstr:~lle I hat U.S. inte.-venrionism .wo.ts a thing of the past, not the present, or the future. It is not just that CubamHintl leftists condemn U.S. imperialism and intervention, but that some of latin A111erica's you_th would find their •rgumenls compelling. This makes it harder for the United States to gain the cooperation of its friends in the _region. When the United States acts with scant legal basis it reduces the cn~d~ ihiHty of the rule of law internalinnally. Amhas~ulor Snl Linowitl'. put it

helping to develop the rest

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a major conference on Racism

is taking place in South Africa where one of the items that is being considered is the proposal to have substantial compensation payable to the descendants of slaves from the slave trade. In the early 20th Century, Grenada had the statuS of being a Cro\N Colony, then it became an Associated State and

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to be the best bet.

There are others in the US. who have been following on Grenada- they are fed up with Talkshop and busy with other things - and they, I am sure, would like to know what their heirs can do with their paperwork. Some of us have discussed this matter. Sure, we can send it to the Zeeb Schomburg Collection or Moreland-Spingarn or University of Texas at Austin or wherever, but once again, like Grenada Colonial material being in UK and French archives, Grenada's history is dispersed all over the world. Maybe that is OK what with the Internet and travel, but I do think it is a sad commentary. Another issue to be worked on.

Looks like I need an

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of the level of idealism.

these qualities was Contradictory logical drift in the Revolution. Com Bernard Coard; and if one reads what we were looking at the situation in practice - talking of imperialism too late, he had been giving ideology much, when there were so many logical and organisational problems in the camps. leadership, and elaborating Ministers were buying new strategy and tactics even out of cars when soldiers could not side of the Central Committee .. get food to eat. They were also The reason why the Revolution was failing" saying that the army was a ties were lacking on the