Castro Stalker Worked for

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figure around Hollywood and ations. Las Vegas, now a gray, 66-

Vegas casinos of the Chicago on the Cuban coast. underworld."

lice patrols.

underworld before Castro took part in the assassination plot. that his name was really Fi-Treasury Department has over the Havana gambling casinos.

leave Cuba leaderless.

Risks Neck

Jioh by Robert Maheu, a fore Boselli, with deadly poisonlis still on the CIA payroll. mer FBI agent, who admitted capsules which he tried both admitted to us a friend-The mystery man whom the to us that he had handled un-through a relative of Castro's ship with Roselli but refused to the land handled un-through a relative of Castro's to discuss their CIA activities. Central Intelligence Agency dercover assignments for the chef to plant in the dictator's Harvey said he had a "high rerecruited to assassinate Cuba's CIA. He refused, however, to food, Later, marksmen armed gard" for Roselli and called Fidel Castro has been laid up discusa the details. This is the with his apowered Belgian ri- the Friar's Club case a "burn in the sick ward of the Los same Mahou, incidentally, who fles attempted to infiltrate rap." Said Harvey: "The is now involved in a legal bat-telose enough to gun Castro Friar's Club indictment is He is handsome, hawk-faced the over phantom bilisonaire down. John Roselli, once a dashing Howard Hughes' Nevada oper- All told, six assassination at do with that than I had."

year-old inmate with a respira- being asked to perform a se- out this period, Roselli worked their client, citing our stories Confidential FBI files iden-fry him as "a top Majir fire!" error that he paid all his of two secret CIA agents, Wiltify him as "a top Mafia fig-expenses out of his own ham Harvey and James (Big ure" who watched over "the pocket and risked his neck to Jim) O'Connell. concealed interests in Las land the assassination teams

Roselli has admitted to held whispered meetings in the assassination plot, has force a vital section of the friends that he was a rum run- Miami Beach hotels with Cu- tried to pump Roselli for in- 1968 federal firearms act. ner during the Roaring Twen- bans willing to make an at- formation. But he was sworn ties. Operating along the East tempt on Castro's life. Once, to silence by the CIA, and up Coast, he learned how to evade he called on Chicago racket to this moment, he hasn't bro- the murders of Sen. Robert Coast Guard cutters and po- hoss Sam Giancana to line up ken it. a contact. The confidential Meanwhile, the Justice De-ther King. It authorizes the His name later became files report that Giancana had partment, as part of its crack- Treasury Secretary to require linked with the biggest names "gambling interest and an in-down on organized crime. in the Chicago and Los Ance- terest in the shrimp business tried to nail Roselli. The FBI ammunition sales. les underworlds. He also dein. Cuba." However, the Chidiscovered that his Chicago
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veloped contacts in the Cuban
cago gangster took no direct birth records had been forged. The cago gangster took no direct birth records had been forged. The cago gangster took no direct birth records had been forged.

Roselli made dashes to Cuba with his hired come to this country from gun industry has complained He had the right back- assassins in twin powerboats. Italy as a child. He was con- it would be a bookkeeping ground for a hush-hush mis- Once a Cuban patrol ship victed for failing to register as nightmare. sion that the CIA was plan-turned its guns on his dark- an alien. ning in 1961. As part of the ened boat, tore a hole in the He was also convicted for which would have to compile water by the other boat, which Erjar's Club. escaped into the shadows.

Roseili was recruited for the ported how the CIA furnished to Indianapolis and O'Connell

tempts were made, the last in Reselli's lawyers are now Roselli was so flattered over the spring of 1963. Through-trying to get elemency for

Roselli's Reward

midnight lippo Sacco and that he had noved this key provision. The

Bay of Pizs invasion, the ClA bottom and sank the boat Ro-conspiracy to riz card comes all the sales data, has hoped to knock off Castro and selli was fished out of the at Los Angeles' exclusive; been reluctant to spend to

In earlier columns, we to ciates, Harvey has now retired fain the firearms files.

phony. Roselli had no more to

Firearms Fiasco

Under pressure from the firearms lobby, the Treasury In James Bond fashion, he The FBI which got wind of Department has failed to en

> The law was passed after Kennedy and Dr. Martin Lu full reports of all firearms and

The federal government 109 million it would cost in Of Roselli's two CIA asso-computers and staff to main

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