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CIA Mobsters Linked To Cuba Raid Plans Newspaper Names 4 Mafia Figures
SACRAMENTO (AP) - The Central Intelligence Agency relied on four underworld figures for intelligence used in planning the ill-fated 1961 Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba, a Sacramento newspaper said Sunday. The CIA's underworld informants all former Havana mobsters, included Santos Trafficante, who fled to Cuba when Fidel Castro took over, the Sacramento Bee reported. The Bee said the informants also included John Roselli, a Las Vegas hoodlum, and two other former Havana mobsters whose names were not disclosed. The Bee said the CIA relied on the mobsters for information about the Cuban underworld and for help in recruiting Cuban exiles for the invasion. The Bee said the CIA also used the mobsters to help recruit Cuban exiles for the invasion. The Bee said the CIA also used the