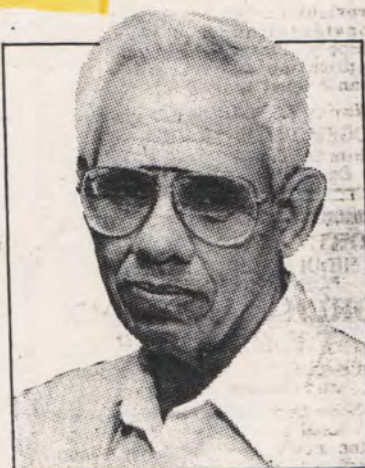


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Bomber Away?

It seems that the Bush Administration doesn't consider **Orlando Bosch** that bad a guy, after all. Dr. Bosch, an anti-Castro Cuban who American officials say is responsible for dozens of bombings, including that of a Cuban airliner in Chile in 1976, last week was granted limited parole by the Justice Department, which had detained him in Florida for two years as an undesirable alien. Last year, when the Justice Department was trying to deport the former pediatrician, it said he had "repeatedly expressed and demonstrated a willingness to cause indiscriminate injury and death." Though he was released under conditions that included a stipulation that he renounce terrorism, Dr. Bosch hardly seemed repentant. He called the agreement "a farce," adding, "They purchased the chain but they don't have the monkey." What brought about his release? The Justice Department was vague about it, but several powerful South Florida Republicans, including one of the President's sons, Jeb Bush, had lobbied on Dr. Bosch's behalf.



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← Bill Lowe was scheduled on this flight, but it was blown up before arriving in Kingston.