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Paula Adams

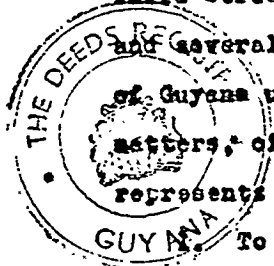
GUYANA

COUNTY OF DEMERARA

POWER OF ATTORNEY

BE IT KNOWN that on this 30th day of January 1976, before me *M. J. R. WOODER* a Notary Public practising in the State of Guyana personally came and appeared LUVESIA JACKSON, of Jonestown, Fort Kaituma, North West Region, State of Guyana.

WHICH APPEARER stated and declared that for divers good causes and reasons she has made, nominated, constituted and appointed PAULA ADAMS and JOYCE TOUCHETTE, both of Lot 121 Third Street, Alberttown, Georgetown, Demerara, Guyana, jointly and severally to be her true and lawful Attorneys in the State of Guyana until revocation hereof, to represent her in all matters, circumstances and things wherein she or those whom she represents may be interested or concerned including the following:

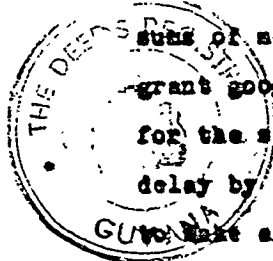


1. To purchase and sell property whether real or personal, movable or immovable, and to grant and take on lease all property wheresoever whether real or personal and/or to receive and pass all transports and leases therefore, and to accept any Bill of Exchange, or Mortgage on all or any of such property and on payment being made to cancel documents in connection therewith and to appear before any Judge of the High Court or any Registrar or other Officer of the High Court of the Supreme Court of Judicature or any Magistrate or Minister of Justice for all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

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3. AND generally for her and in her name to collect, as for, demand, sue for, levy, recover and receive of and from

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she could herself do and to perform the said if personally present and acting therein and all with the powers of assumption, substitution and surrogation she hereby ratifies, and confirms and promising and agree to confirm and ratify all and whatever her said attorney or attorneys who may be assumed or substituted or surrogated to act herein, shall or may be lawfully liable to do or cause to be done in and about the premises under and by virtue of these presents.

THIS DEED WAS SIGNED at the City of Georgetown, County of Demerara, Guyana, dated as supra in the presence of the subscribing witnesses.



1. Luzenia Jackson

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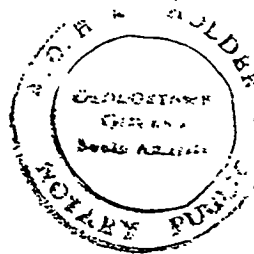
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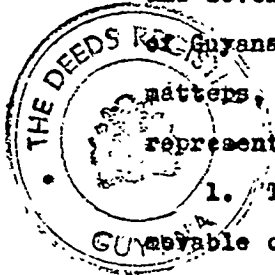
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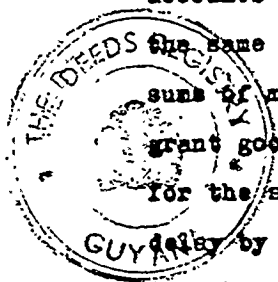
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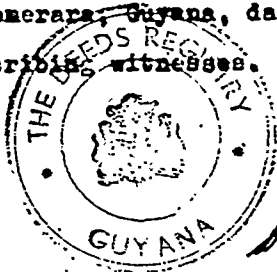
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THUS DONE AND SIGNED at the City of Georgetown, County of Demerara, Guyana, datum ut supra in the presence of the subscribers witnesses.



Lucenia Jackson

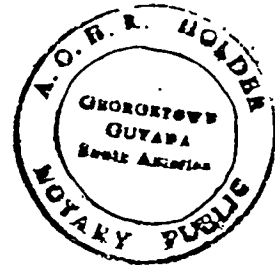
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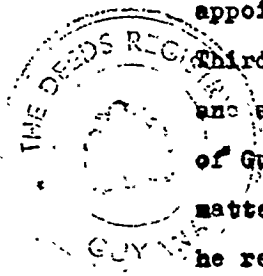
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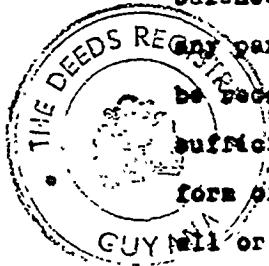
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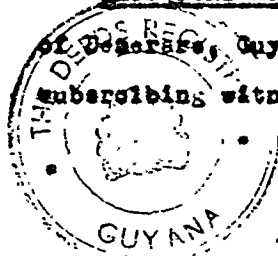
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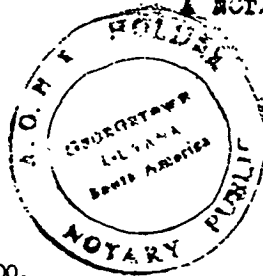
David Belts Jackson
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THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA
Incorporated in Canada with Limited Liability
Main Branch
P.O. Box 275
Georgetown Guyana

October 3, 1978

The Secretary
Peoples Temple Disciples of Christ
P.O. Box 893
Georgetown

Dear Sir/Madam:

We do not appear to have received a reply to our letter of March 23, 1978 requesting completion of authorisation Forms re your Current/Savings Account held at this Branch. For easy reference we now enclose another set of Forms.

Kindly let the matter have your early attention as this information is required for the smooth operation of your account.

Yours truly

Authorisations Clerk
Current Accounts Department

Encl:

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Paula's copy
ILK's COPY

Sent Sept. 28, 1977

Cost ~~94.00~~

34.00

TELEGRAM TO WASHINGTON DC STATE DEPARTMENT

From Maria Katararis

I am a member of Peoples Temple Agricultural Project at Port Kaituma.

I am extremely happy here, am engaged to be married to one of our young doctors.

I am in the same project as Miss Looman, whom you inquired about in the past.

My father, Steve Katararis, is upset that I am living in Guyana in an interracial community as he is a known racist and supporter of the Greek military junta.

Because of the teachings of my church, I have tried to be cordial to him, and

told him that he could come down to visit me with some other guests who are coming

down in December, including several church people and the California Superintendent

of the Methodist Churches who is coming down to visit his two children. But my

father got insulting and mentioned taking court action to get me away from here,

and his behaviour brought back some painful experiences from my childhood. I am

23 years of age, and I will NOT see my father.

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To: JJ

From: Paula

ANOTHER SETTLEMENT GROUP

A man in the ministry of information was telling me that there is another American group that is going to settle not too far from us in Arakita (I don't know where that is, but it is someplace near us).

The group is called "Huru SaSa". They lived in commune-type dwellings before they came to Guyana, and are supposed to be something like Black Nationalism advocates. They came from Brooklyn, New York

JOE LAMBERT

Joe Lambert of Guyana Airways (Sales Manager) made the following statements about Johnny leaving:

1. What about the political considerations of the respect and acceptance that John has acquired?
2. He made an indirect statement about the consideration of John being the Black male in the forefront.
3. Not relating to John, he then informed me that he is expecting to come to see our churches at the end of May, 1975. He does not want to be tied down to going to any services or long meetings, but wants to see our facilities and any other point of information that he can carry back here about our group. I will inform you of his exact or almost exact date of arrival when it is confirmed that he will be going.
4. He wants to have a relationship with me (his words). This was a friend of Chris's.

SHALOM GROUP

1. All have left except one person of the members who were from the United States. There are still some Amerindians in the interior who were with the project, but the American (U.S.) members have attempted to sell everything that they had leaving the Amerindians with no more than what is developed on the land. The only person who is still here is Greg Darty, who is white; he is trying to sell everything out.

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Dear Jim,

I probably should have written this long ago. Because of what Debbi had done, I should open myself up more.

It was at first a shock when she left because I always liked her, but now I would sooner kill her as hear her name. It is hard to believe that is the same person I knew. I also feel a lot of guilt for her leaving. I recommend she go into town, I was nasty to her on the radio, I didn't pass on traffic from the day before she left that she was not keeping the money up to date (Debbie Touchette said Karen left checks lying out unlocked also—I want to make sure I report all carelessness with money), she kept asking me several times if I thought she was compensating with this Cuban at this dance we went to at the Pegasus because Sharon reported her she said (I told her that I didn't think she knew how to handle the situation. I should have reported it because she was so afraid Sharon reported her.).

I want to digress to when I came in last February after being stuck with Mann. I was hostile toward you, I know, only I didn't really analyze it at the time as being toward you. I was totally irrational in my thinking before I came in, but I blame a lot of it on Sharon Amos because when she wants to be right she does not give a damn about anyone else if it threatens her. I felt so alienated from you and from everyone at that time. I was beaten up by a madman that I was nearly ready to kill and when I called our house and was in tears telling Sharon that I thought she made me feel unwanted, she did not tell me what was going on, that I was not a part of the Gtn work, that my opinions were unsound or not useful and that I felt alienated. Instead of listening to me, she confronted me about being unaccountable and bringing it onto myself because I was never around. I was irrational, but after spending ~~one~~ month with the madman, having less than a month back home and back again for another month, I suppose most people might feel alienated. I think simply in the interest of the cause and as a psychologist that she should have tried to pacify me at the time, but she never did admit that she was wrong in any way. I know that I was a great deal to blame because what she said was true, but I did and still do think that the reason she did not inform me of ~~what~~ what was going on was because she was threatened by me. Mann was quite fascinated by me crying and kept walking back and forth when I was on that call. I never explained it to him, but he knew it was Sharon.

This last time was particularly horrible because there were a barrage of questions and

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Mann particularly trying to trick me into admitting being involved with Wills attacks on him.

Perhaps it was coincidental but I became a fuck-up after Sharon came to town. I never stopped working ever, but my motivations were not sound and I was hostile all of the time. I do not like Sharon even now, but I think she is better in p.r. than anyone else. (crisis p.r mostly). I think Sharon does not look at herself and is the most difficult person I have ever worked with in anything.

I brought most of my problems onto myself when I was in town. (I Have never considered betraying in the context of leaving, but I have been a traitor in that I have thought in terms of suicide on three different occasions..but I work through it, so don't worry. I know I can work out my own shit. I have done it for so long that when I get depressed or feeling real sorry for myself, I stop and think about how many times I have worked through it and it is only a matter of time until I work through it.) I am not telling you this for sympathy, because frankly I wouldn't write it if it wasn't worked through right now because I refuse to be another one of your burdens. I want to help not hinder.

I want to continue to digress so that I can leave these things behind. I was very upset when I was told that I couldn't have Monique around when Mann was there in Anuxry. I took it out on Monique by not seeing her enough instead of expressing how I felt. I then felt a lot of guilt about it when I finally got home and then when I got out here and Monique was taken away from me in the sense that Annette is crazy and I would end up responsible for her death, I felt like I deserved it for not being a good mother. However now that I have been given a chance to make up for it by being a good parent, I may have to go to Georgetown. If I have to, I will go, but Bryce was so belligerent about giving me the loft for me and Monique that she will probably move me out while I am gone. I am not asking for anything except that Monique ^{NOT} get thrown into some new environment again. She has stopped a lot of her tantrums ~~again~~ but the change could throw her off again. Karen said she will stay in my loft with Monique but Bryce may still try to maneuver.

I have felt a paranoia off and on about why I have never been asked to go back into Georgetown to work. Then when I hear all of our discussions about not sending anyone unattached into town, I wonder what is wrong with me. The irony is that I don't want to go into town. I just want to feel trusted to go into town. I don't get along at all with

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Sharon and I hate having to meet people all of the time living an artificial life (in that you can never be yourself). I don't think I can work with Sharon at all. If anything, I would be a good coordinator probably, but I cannot work with ~~Sharon~~ Sharon so I will try to be more pleasant on the radio.

It may be coincidental, but at the same time, I don't feel trusted, I cannot do anything right and I feel very dumb. I have not made any suggestions or offered any information that I might think I know because I figure I must be wrong. I don't even know how this insecurity started, but I had a terrible time working through it. I still feel dumb but I am not bothered by it.

I do not want any long drawn out discussions with you about any of this because I will only feel a lot of guilt for writing it. I have not written it before because I did not want to be another one of your petty bullshit problems, but if I do have to go in, I feel I owe you some straight talk.

As I have no choice but to live, I am glad it is with you. Thank you for working so hard to give us socialism. You have given me the best 7 years of my life, but I will be glad when it is over. Thank you.

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MANN

Aug. 1, 1978

1. ~~Wills~~ Wills:

He got a call from Peter Holder, the deputy ambassador, and it was about a release Wills made to the Labor Party (socialist oriented) paper in London. Wills claimed Assassins were after his life and the British MFG were after him also. Mann tried to find out if there was any mention of the government of Guyana. Holder sd no. He told Holder to tell Kit (Massimato) to release a statement saying that Wills was in London as far as they knew undergoing medical treatment at the Guyana government's expense. He sd for Holder to call the British Ambassador and give a copy of the article and a copy of the Guyana Embassy's response. He sd to let the British make a response to Wills' statement and for Holder to say no more.

It told him it couldn't help but overhear the conversation and asked what Wills sd. He told me what it'd already heard. I asked why he was doing it. He sd he is half cracked. He sd he has always known that and that his behavior is erratic and always was.

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He sd when Wells was Ambassador to Zambia he wrote back that his stomach condition was due to the strong stand that he had made against the South African government and that South Africa was trying to kidnap him which is why he needed surgery in his stomach. ~~He~~^{Wells} was always writing home that "we did this and accomplished that" and when Sonny Romphal, the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the time, asked who the "we" were, it was found out that he was identifying with the Revolutionary Patriotic Front. Mann sd that was the worst thing a government cd do was to take sides when there were so many different factions fighting for liberation.

Mann sd he was a compulsive liar. "You don't know how many people he lied to." I asked if he meant in the government or to foreign governments. He sd, "Never mind." He sd Berkeley Haskin, Winnie Haskin's husband and Greg Haskin's father, summed it up. He sd, I know Wells on 3 levels: as a personal friend, as a surfer, and through the Georgetown Cricket Club. — and he is a liar

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on all 3 levels." Mann sd, "you remember when he told Rudy Collins some lie about you and for a while I believed it." He asked me again, "You remember, don't you?" I sd, "yes." He sd "it was something about a conversation ~~on~~ about Wills that you overheard or something like that. I sd I didn't even know what you were talking about because I had never heard anything. He sd Wills is cracked. He sd that as brilliance goes, he doesn't hold much to the ~~genius~~ genius theory, but Wills was a genius but he was too erratic and a liar. He sd, "Wills could have made good money as a lawyer here if he'd gone back into practice because he was a good lawyer, but not he. I understood he is in New York looking for a job."

I told him I was concerned about what effect Wills wd have on Guyana and the government. He sd, "Don't worry, honey, we don't get all excited like the Peoples Temple. These things happen and we just ignore them." I asked why the Prime Minister made Wills Foreign Minister. He sd, "I've asked the P.M. that myself."

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He sd "I've heard all sorts of things. I heard Wills has said it was the best ambassador he had."

He kept reiterating that Wills had cracked and that he always has been half-mad and that now he is completely cracked.

Harold told him the press was smearing Guyana because of the referendum. He sd, "Where?" I sd I didn't know the names of all the newspapers, there was one in a San Diego paper... He cut me off and sd, "The San Diego Sun is of no importance and one thing I know is that the media in the U.S. has no integrity at all, and are bald face liars." He sd, "From reports I've gotten, they won't even check sources of their reports about Peoples Temple and when they've been told they can check with people to prove that what was said were lies, they won't do it and print what they want." He sd "I have no respect for the press in the U.S." He sd, "You don't find that in England so much, they usually check their sources carefully to avoid libel suits." I sd "That is

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Why I couldn't understand you telling us to invite the National Enquirer which is a no-account scandal-mongering piece of trash. No established media would hold any credibility in anything they write. Even Rick McCony told us to not bother with them because of their trashy reputation." He sd, "I didn't mean to invite them. What I meant was that you should invite some newspaper to come and see that lies are being written about you." I sd, "A famous author is coming the middle of this month to do a story." (At this point he was walking out the door. Our most dramatic discussions are always held between the time he steps into the shower and walks out the door.)

2. George King, Minister of Trade -

He sd King is going to be prosecuted for accepting bribes from businessmen. Luckhoo told him so, and he sd that the commission of enquiry Luckhoo heads has witnesses who are going to be arraigned. Mann is concerned that Neil Cheong is going to be called to the witness stand for giving bribes.

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He Mann sd, Frank Noel (works for
Austae) is also going to be prosecuted as
are several others. When I asked, "Who
else," he sd he didn't know. That was
a cut-off because I know he knows.

Willis Bacon, former General Mgr of
the Aurora National Cooperative Bank left the
country while under investigation for
larceny and embezzlement. To keep him here
before they had enough evidence to charge
him, they put a \$54,000 income tax charge
on him which would have to be paid if he
were to leave the country. He drew a check
for that amount on a different bank, paid
the tax, got on a plane, and left the country.

3 A couple of days ago when I went thru
the agonizing 3 hours of waiting while he
went to the Prime Minister's thinking he was
going to be asked to join the Cabinet in Aurora,
he made the comment that he would either
be asked to take Ministry of Finance because
Hope was hopeless, or Economic Development
and Hoyte would move to Finance. (Willis one
time sd Mann was trying to find a job for
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Hope in the U.S. and that they were tight.) (7)

4 Rex McKay is going to the U.S. on some diplomatic appointment or temporary assignment. McKay is a lawyer and politician. He is a good friend of Chancellor Hayes and was asked to sit for two months on the "bench" of the High Court as a judge before Laskin was asked. McKay is a darling of the Prime Minister and was asked to do the prosecution on the Arnold Rampersaud trial 3 times. McKay came up from the grassroots of poverty. He is half-black and half-East Indian. His wife was white Norwegian and left him because he beat her. He is Mann's closest friend.

5 Mann is always saying he knows the P.M. good. He knows when he wants something or is up to something by the tone of his voice. He and his son-in-law Bursham since Mann was a little boy and Bursham used to come over to his house. He and they are old family friends.

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Dear Jim,

Thursday July 27, 1978

I have done a lot of reflecting since I got here. Before I came in, you asked me if I would ever leave. I said, "No." You asked how I knew. I've thought about it a lot and today I came to a conclusion which gave me some peace the more I reflected on it.

I believe in Marxism and communism and being in this situation I am now in (and lifestyle), I am out of place. I don't like it and would never fit into such hypocrisy. But I think Marxism is only as good as its leader and I believe totally in you. I never realized how much I believe in you and your example of communist leadership until I was forced to do some introspection and displaced in a countervailing atmosphere of anarchy and capitalism.

It was important to me what you did on the radio that night when you risked your all to keep me from being what I saw my self as--- an expendable piece of meat. I feel selfish and foolish on reflection, and an enormous amount of guilt that I would force you to risk our total organization on my behalf, but at the time I couldn't see it. It was so easy for some to jump up and say "she has to go in." I knew the answer myself but I know I took a liberty no one should have taken and tested you. I am so ashamed to face it now. I hope you will forgive me. I really don't know how you can stand us and more specifically me.

I have a lot of guilt about a lot of things which are too numerous to mention. My attitude of self-importance when I came in and expecting the Georgetown office to call me when they are always so busy is disgusting.

I think I have done my job better, perhaps that is because I have been working from a basis of guilt rather than any self-righteous attitudes.

Sometimes I get a bit down but I think about the example of sacrifice you are and it gives me those temporary lifts. Thanks you.

Love,
Paula

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KANN:

Thursday, July 27, 1978

1. He told me that Peoples Temple was a topic of discussion again when he met with Dwyer and McCoy. He said McCoy told him of 3 instances where your opposition made out right lies. He said he only cited 2 instances but said there were 3. One was a boy who they claimed had his head shaved and when they went out there (to Jonestown), he saw the boy and he had a big afro. He said there was no possible way he could have grown his hair like that between the time of the complaint and when he saw the boy. He said there was another similar case. He didn't know either of the two peoples names, or wouldn't tell me. He said he asked McCoy if the District Attorney's office in San Francisco had found anything to the allegations made against us and McCoy said, "No." He said, "McCoy could have been telling me these things because of you." I said, "No, he has told the same thing to others, like Carl Blackman, and they have told us the same thing you are now telling me." I told him that McCoy has been up to the farm so many times that if there was anything to the lies, by now he would have seen something strange if there were anything strange going on." I said, "Dick moves about going wherever he wants to and seeing who he wants to." "He may have something definite in mind but he is free to go wherever he wants to because we have nothing to hide." I said, "If you would go up with me, you would see for yourself." He didn't answer me.
2. He is mellow in the daytime usually. We talk between the hours of 9:30a.m. and 7p.m.
3. He is now planning to stay until Monday because he can't get a confirmed flight before then.
4. He is obsessed with playing poker every night. Tonight he was having a little trouble getting enough people to play so he's been calling all over to find people to play.
5. When he came in this morning, 4:30 a.m., he said, "It is so nice coming home to you. With Juliet (his wife) it is always a big row (Guyanese expression for a fight)." This is the first time I've heard him talk about domestic troubles. My inclination is to remind him how good she is to him and if he mentions again--I will (unless told not to). The reason I'm mentioning this is that 3 times in the last few days, he's made comments about what I would have to do if I were married to him. It is likely a manipulation and an egotistical assumption that that is what any woman would want being in my position. I responded once by telling him, "Who said I want to get married?" I reassured him at the same time of my absolute love and loyalty to him, but I got a little concerned that he might get a divorce if he thought something was waiting for him. I don't believe he's thinking seriously and is manipulating, but in case they are feelers, I don't want to take any chances. He would be unmatched viciousness if he did divorce thinking I would take up housekeeping.

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MANN

(1) Appt. to Dwyer (Charge d'affaires, U.S. Embassy):

(A) Dwyer sd we were industrious people. Told Mann of his trip to the farm.

(B) Dwyer told Mann that McCoy was mentioned in 3 civil suits filed against us. He asked what they were. I told him I only knew of one - Katsaris. He asked why I hadn't told him. I sd I thought he knew because ~~the~~ ^{it} was in the newspaper. He sd, "oh." I told him I was one of the ^{reporters} defendants (which possibly may be why the C.R. didn't mention it to him). He asked how a case like that wd work. I sd I didn't know.

(C) Dwyer sd he didn't know how we'd manage after a while (money-wise). He sd we can't hope to get back our outflow and when the money stops coming in, he didn't know what we wd do. He sd he'd heard we solicited for funds from door to door. Mann sd, "I didn't comment." (I didn't comment either, but it wasn't put as a question)

(D) Dwyer sd what worries him is that something will happen and result in all of us having to go back and he'll have 1200 Americans on his doorstep.

(E) He told me that these things were told to him in private and not for public consumption or for other Temple members.

(F) He sd he told Jean Brown not to waste money flooding his office with telegram; letters (in response to my question about whether he got correspondence from the conspirators). He sd yes he gets mail from them, but wdnt go into specifics.

(G) Dwyer asked Mann if he gets many enquiries from people abt us. When Mann didn't answer the question after stating it, I did.

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- ② He played poker again last night until 4 a.m. I forgot to ask if he won or lost. This is the third night in a row.
- ③ Since our hours are so reversed, I am working on letters for Sharon. I sleep at night; he sleeps in the day.

④ Concerning Dwyer -
 I asked what Dwyer meant by the comment about "1200 Americans knocking his doorstep". He got annoyed, of course, but so it was in reference to a possibility of some court order or people getting fed up and wanting to leave. I asked what kind of a court order he could be talking about. He said "how should I know. We were talking about correspondence from people enquiring and about the different court actions against you." I asked what kind of court order would affect 1200 people. He said, "I don't know." "You've had defectors haven't you?" I said, "Yes, a thief."
 According to Mann, Dwyer is the one who brought up P.T.

⑤ Mann asked me about the action against me. I said it was a slander suit from Katsaris. He said, "Well it can't touch you here." I said, "no, but if I popped into the U.S., I could be served and would have to appear." He did not say anything vicious to me about Maria except that he didn't like the way she handled the matter & her father when he came. He said Jean Brown said she saw Maria's Dad one time give Maria a rather long clinging embrace. When Jean questioned Maria about it, Maria was very reticent to discuss it. I said after Katsaris started the slander suit Maria took a lie detector test to prove she was molested. I didn't know if she was really molested. I said yes, including oral sex. He said, what makes American men molest their daughters? I said I don't know but there is a high rate of such incidents in the U.S. He said, "I know," ^{so we heard} "right now there is a court case of a woman who sued her father for molesting her as a child and she wrote a book called "Kiss me Goodnight, Daddy". She gave her father a choice - either get medical care or she would sue him. He would not acknowledge he'd ever done it or erased it from memory and she sued and won damages." I said, "Well there you are."
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He asked me where Maria took the lie detector test. I told him Venezuela.

⑥ He went to the P.M.'s again today. He sd the P.M. may want him to rush back to Washington to take care of something.

- He sd something abt the possibility of getting some loan which might go thru (good chance). This was sd to someone else over a telephone call.

- He also mentioned that Sorny Ramphal (former Minister of Foreign Affairs before Willy) who is now Secretary General of the Commonwealth, just arrived in Washington. He idolizes Ramphal; may want to get back there to see him.

⑦ I sd one thing Dwyer mentioned - that we needed to have another source of funds in true (that wasn't what Dwyer sd, but that's how I put it). I sd we need some business investment ^{other than farming} to offset our expenses. He sd what he thinks we shd get into is wood products. He sd we have all of your raw materials there ^(lumber) and shd buy the ^{high quality wood} slabs to make things like ashtrays, humidors, and that kind of thing. He sd we cd market them in the Caribbean or even overseas in North America or in the Commonwealths or in Europe. He sd no one produces them and there used to be expertise in making them right in Matthews Ridge. He sd one time he had some samples of different items in his office and someone from some place (I can't remember where) came in and sd he cd market 200,000 of them if he cd produce them. He sd they cd be made for 50¢ and sold at a tremendous profit. He submitted the idea to the government and it never got anyplace. I

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don't know if what he is saying is valid but it is worth looking into. For a percentage, I bet the govt. thru their embassies in various locations might be willing to act as marketing agents for us. That is supposedly one of the embassies functions.

⑧ He asked if the Bishop cd come to town so they cd have a chat. I sd he cd if there wasn't still a court order out. He sd he thot that ~~contempt of~~ habeas corpus thing was taken care of. I sd no, why don't you come up there and talk to him. (I am still pushing to get him to come up for a visit, whether a weekend or a day.)

= Question: Can I ask if he's met Tom Stoen or Steve Katsaris or any of the concerned relatives since I last saw him? What bear should I get into? When we are in bed, she is open to questions and discussions but any other time he gets annoyed.

⑨ Sharon had asked him if he had ever discussed P.T. with the P.M. He sd no but he'd discussed me. I asked him what they had discussed. He sd he never sd that. That he had discussed the Temple one time & had written him abt us. I asked what abt. He sd he didn't know it was over a year ago, too long ago for him to remember (he sd this c a belligerent edge). He sd I can tell you this, tho, the P.M. knows you're here & me. I sd I wd expect him to know if his security were thorough. I sd what does the P.M. think of wd being with me. He sd what shd he think? I sd I mean because I am a member of P.T. & there is a controversy over us. He sd as far as the Hungary govt is concerned, P.T. is not a controversy. P.T. supports the govt and that is what the govt is concerned with. (I knew I shdnt have sd we were a controversy because it sounded too weak - but the conversation was not getting anywhere). I made statements about other groups like Sepharon & the Bakke decision

following to put it in perspective. (I hope it was O.K.)
He commented that the San Francisco area is getting
very reactionary. He is very familiar with the Balke
decision and where it originated.

⑩ He asked, in his ~~past~~ usual digging way, why do we
confiscate people's passports and ^{send them to prisoners} money when they
arrive - I said we don't and if he wd come up as I
asked, he wd ask anyone he wanted if they had their
passport. He sd why do you put people behind
barbed wire fences? All of these things were sd in
his smirking cynical way. I don't think he believes
it but knows it irritates me when he says things like
that.

MANN.

Wednesday
July 26th

I have been moody all day. It is the first time I had let this thing get too me but I am fine now. The constant pressure of this Barbados trip is finally ended. He had made reservations for me regardless of my protests and his anger was mounting each time I sd no. I thought for sure it would get to the point of threats both to the Temple and myself (bodily). Fortunately, the flights are so booked, not even his influence can get us flights in and out of Barbados. This morning's discussion of the trip (before he found out we can't get tickets) was heated. He sd I was being told what to do by the Temple and that he doubted if I'd even have been allowed to come to town if it hadn't been 'him' (meaning who he is) and I'd wanted to come so bad. He sd, "your 'counsel' probably met and discussed it and thought they'd better let me go." I sd, "if they were telling me what to do, why can't I just pick up and leave if that is what I wanted." "No one is here to stop me." I sd, "I told you I want to go to Granada instead. Why don't we go there?" He gave

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me the excuse that it was too expensive and difficult to get in and out. That was our morning discussion of Barbados, then we had an afternoon he that was so hostile, you could cut it with a knife. He saying "I don't want to go and I'm not going." Him saying, "You're going." This went back and forth. When he got the call about there not being seats on the plane, he sd, "it was all my fault. When someone doesn't want to do something, everything goes wrong." I sd, "I didn't know you were superstitious." He sd, "All black people are, didn't you know that?" He then started making plans to charter a plane, until I told him how much George H. Rounsault wanted to charge to Miami. Barbados is ended. He told the girl to book him on the first available flight to Washington so he may go Friday or any day thereafter.

2 I told him about Steve Katsaris having a homosexual affair and the black man stepping forward. I started the conversation asking if he liked Katsaris. He sd he'd only met him twice; once in his office at Washington and once

here. He sd, "If what Maria says is true
I can only feel loathing for the man." I
then told of his affair and he sd, "Them's
white folks (something)." He made a couple
of remarks about how strange the sexual
life of Americans are! He laughed when I
told him.

This conversation followed him making a
pass at a 15 year old American girl who
lives across the street. I made some remark
~~and~~ which showed disgust (I should have
kept my mouth shut, but she was just a
little girl). He was embarrassed and then
angry that I would think he would make
a pass at a 15 year old girl. I know
what I saw and heard - but he was
not aware of my presence until he was
well into his smooth talk which is why
he got embarrassed and then defensive and
angry. After Maria being a topic of
discussion, I think he got a little more
concerned than he might have.

3 He is playing poker again tonight.

4 He met with Curjer and McCoy today
for a farewell drink to McCoy. BB-1-2-3

MANN

Tuesday
July 25, 1978

1 I asked him if he was still going to see the Judge Bishop. He sd, "yes." I asked him to tell him all of the things instructed. He sd, "I can't do that, I don't even know if he will discuss the case with me." He sd, "All I want to know is when he will reach his decision." He sd, "People are saying one of two things - either the courts ^{of whom are} incompetent or the judge is going to rule against the 'Peoples Temple' (he didn't say JJ) and the government is putting pressure on him so he hasn't reached a decision." I told him I wd kill Mom: "had if anything happened to John and that I had everything in life I wanted: him, a daughter, Honey, ... but this means more than anything in the world to me." He laughed and said, "You mean that piddling inheritance." He abruptly stopped his laugh and I think from his pause thought better of it when I didn't respond. He then said, "Honey, I can't interfere with this." I ~~was~~ ^{was} beneath the office I held to tell him how he should rule and besides it wd only put his back against the wall."

2 I told him we never wrote any letters or

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made any calls and that they were using ⁽³⁾ Nixonian tactics to discredit us. "He asked what I was talking about and I told him the things Lie had mentioned. He told me that he had gotten letters that sounded strange saying that JJ shd get the child and that justice should be done and that people would die if JJ didn't get the child. I sd, "What?!" He sd, "Some strange letters with that sort of thing." I sd, "We never wrote any letters like that." I sd, "It is the same tactic they have used on others." I asked if we cd have a ^{copy} of the letters because we have proof from someone else that they were doing this." He sd, "He didn't know when the letters were; I get so many letters. They are probably burned."

3 He sd, "Why don't you just leave things alone and not send all these letters and mail you flood our office with." — this was at a different time and not following ^{the above} conversation. He sd, "I told the P.M. when I spoke to him about you (P.T.) over a year ago that JJ was the Chairman of some Housing Authority in S.F. and he stepped on some toes." He sd, "I told him that it is acceptable for a private
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citizen to proclaim himself a communist, but when a person has a large following and is in a public office, it becomes a threat." He sd, "Defectors are not unusual in any communist or left-wing group and always when they leave they say something to discredit the group they left probably to appease their own conscience." He sd, "I told you I spoke to one of your defectors in Los Angeles last year." I asked "Who?" He sd, he didn't remember her name, ^{but it was a black girl} but he told me before (he did not when I asked before — last year he didn't even tell me what she sd). He sd, "She told me just left because she didn't like it." He sd, "I proposed some provocative sort of questions to her to get her to talk." He sd, "I'd asked her if she'd witnessed any beatings, head shaving and that sort of thing." She sd, "no, she just didn't like it." He sd, "most defectors, instead of admitting that they don't like the discipline and sacrifices, will tell some story to ^{that makes good sense} make up for their guilt. They won't admit that they want what everybody wants: a Cadillac, good food, a house." He sd, "you just have to live with it." (meaning the

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lies. He sd, "it is easier to say he (A) is a fake healer, there are beatings, and that sort of thing, than to live with yourself." He sd, "These won't be your only defectors, you'll have others." "There is nothing unusual about it, the military sends anti-communist soldiers who defect to Cuba." "Everybody has defectors." "It is just that the defectors leaving communist and civil rights groups always make good copy." He sd, "as far as I can see, they can't even get good coverage now, but are in some small-town papers." He sd, "the Sun(?) and Chronicle don't even carry headlines anymore." He sd, "What I don't understand is why, if the boy (John) is Stoen's main cause, why they haven't lost momentum." I tried to tell him about how they only feel that to completely obliterate us and abrogate Jim would reduce our threat." I told him Jim was us and we are going back to the U.S. but as long as we exist, that to them our very existence is a threat. I told him the lawsuits were only a means to ensure we don't return and that they are looking for ways to make a criminal charge." He sd he'd talked to

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Moscone and others in the D.A.'s office and they told him they've investigated all of their allegations and could find no evidence of any truth to their charges." It told him the lawsuits were a way to tie us up in court so we can't return because, although we wd win the cases, it wd cost a fortune to defend the cases in a major court battle and ~~that's~~ their aim. ^{is to bleed our funds and weaken our} It sd, "Where does Stoen get all this money, - it costs a fortune to take cases to court in the U.S." He sd, "The State Department is convinced there is nothing to their charges and that the enquiries are being directed through Congressmen." He sd, "State Dept is always getting calls from some Congressman or other and the State Dept tells them there is nothing to it."

He sd, "You do yf a disservice the way you are always getting so excited abt everything." "Do you know everytime you call me, Jean Brown tells me this about the conspiracy and that." "I get tired of it."

In talking about defection, he used the

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Chief tennis champion who defected to the U.S. Fortunately I knew something about it and we discussed it for some time. He revealed a lot of his own sympathies (not that I didn't know already) by saying she just wanted what every ~~one~~ ^{other} wants: a home, a nice car, freedom to go where she wants and to do what she wants. I said the U.S. is playing it up sympathizing with her by using her wanting to see her family; they not being allowed to leave Czechoslovakia as the oppression citizens have to endure. He disagreed that they (U.S.) have not played it up in the U.S.; he is there - he would know.

- He played poker from 8 p.m. - 7 a.m.

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MANN

Sunday/Monday
July 16/17

- ① Since Sharon & Debbie spent a good deal of the day Sunday with me, I will only briefly capsuleize it.

He has been showing a marked indifference to me by playing poker every night. I decided a little independence needed to be shown by going out someplace with Sharon & Deb or just go home for awhile. Sharon, Deb, & I went to C.J. Bollers house to visit Mrs. Bollers. After 30 minutes, Mann came looking for me. He is not captivated by me, but very insecure when I am not playing homage to him. After bringing me home (with Sharon & Deb accompanying), he again went out on a ruse saying he was showing his house to someone. It turned out to be another poker game. I called where he was at 8:30 p.m. & told him I was going out to eat (which is what we were to do that evening). He asked, "who with?" I sd, "alone." He sd "where?" I sd, "I'd think about it on the way." He asked, "where did you get the money?" I sd, "Out of your briefcase." He then told me to

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call Shawn; Debbie; invite them out and I'd better get some more money out of the briefcase." I took Dean; Sandra out to dinner. He got home at 1 a.m.

He was very antagonistic all day. He got mad when I sd Deb. was going to read one of his books (as I mentioned before, his irrational anger points are to touch any of his books or eat his callaloo stew). I think he would have made a big scene at Mrs. Collier's house if I hadn't agreed to go home. He told me, in private of course, he thought I was really seeing Ptole (Reid). Later that night he again mentioned "Ptole" and sd he remembered what someone told him abt me and Ptole (I think he is making this up ^{to get me upset} and probably heard it was in Reid's office a couple of times).

Sharon was a big help in cooling him down ^{because my crying was affecting in his vocabulary} before she left. She jokes with him about all of his comments about sex. When he asked her why she didn't have a fella, she sd, "I'm taking interviews. Why, you've got somebody in mind?" Her quick relaxed comebacks are very good because my sense of

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humor is nil. He needs to hear relaxed talk about sex since that is his obsession. He keeps chiding Debbie about not having any children. He asked me what kind of entertainment we have up there. I said movies, video T.V., dances (this is an important point to all Guyanese), parties, sports, library. He said "what if someone wants to fuck?" "Where do they go?" I asked if that is all he thinks about. I should have known that was the intention of his question. I get so sick of hearing about sex. He is always making comments about how much I like that big black cock. (I never told him I liked it.) Everyday he accuses me of screwing somebody or having a boyfriend up there. He doesn't believe it, I don't think, but he harps on this same subject continually. Depending on the state of my temperament, depends the answer I give whether it is loving, witty, or annoyed. How should I answer? This same question comes up 5 times a day. I know he only wants to hear reassurance, but his insecurity is a bit on the insane side.

Monday July 17

① He woke me up to tell me he wanted to go to
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Barbados next weekend. The subject hadn't ⁽⁴⁾ come up when we were alone before that so I hadn't given him a definite no (I told him no once because I didn't feel up to it, but he insisted the Barbados sunshine & clear ocean would make me better. I told him then I would see how I feel later, with every intention of ~~the~~ telling him no.) Since talking to Sharon ^(except any benefits in going), I didn't know how to respond so I didn't respond at all. The only advantage I can see is that if we have any business to take care of in Barbados or Trinidad, my passage & accommodations would be paid, otherwise I think he would only briefly be upset for a few days, but I don't think I should tell him until the last minute or he may ask to talk to the Bishop and get quite encourage me to go. I didn't know the meaning of the word "insecure" until I met Mann. This country's in trouble if he's typical, which I believe to be the case.

⑤ He woke me up again to ask me if why I had given him the impression that we were in competition with USAID. I asked what I had said that ever gave him that impression. He grumbled and I asked again. He sd he

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must have been dreaming because he didn't know what he meant. He then went on to tell me how the U.S. had virtually cut off all of their aid to Guyana, the British had cut off all their aid to Guyana and the international agencies (more specifically he mentioned World Bank, IMF, and IDB - International Development Bank) have not given Guyana anything substantial. He said the biggest vote in there is the U.S. and the U.S. is not giving to Guyana. He said the international agencies and U.S. are now trying to work in Jamaica ^{in an attempt} to cut off their relations with Cuba. He said socialism is a dirty word in the U.S., even more so with the grassroots level than the higher echelons. He said Mrs. Dwyer said Guyana doesn't have it so bad with shortages. When she lived in Bulgaria, you always shop in twos. One person gets in the block long queues ^{when you see one} and the other person goes to the front of the line to find out what it is they are in line for and if you already have it you go on to the next queue.

Mama said the Soviet Union isn't interested

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in helping Guyana because it isn't of any ⁽⁶⁾ strategic importance where Latin America is concerned. He said the USSR can't afford another Cuba. His description of the USSR was that they cannot afford to extend themselves any further economically, people live like peacocks, they have a shortage of consumer goods, and he gave a general description of a U.S. press description.

I asked him what Guyana was going to do to overcome their economic problems. He said "that's the question." (He is very troubled about no economic aid from the U.S.) He said he thinks that Guyana should encourage foreign ^{private} investors and give them the security that their investments won't be appropriated after a time. He said he thought it would take years to build up this kind of a relation with private investors because of their apprehension. He said he thought the kind of aid Guyana was getting is not what is needed. He said instead of these elaborate schemes like the hydro-power project or the Black Bush Polder irrigation scheme, etc. which are 5 year

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projects, that what Guyana needs is ⁽⁷⁾ short-term projects which generate a product and employment like a glass factory or a bicycle factory.

He said the biggest problem Guyana is facing is the drain of technical and professional people leaving the country. He said they are leaving in droves. He asked me, more of a statement of fact, if I knew how many people were lined up to get visas to the U.S. He said they are lined up out into the street and not just East Indian and Portuguese, but a high percentage of blacks. I asked him what Guyana was in the most need of. He said "management skills." He made a remark before that the majority of the managerial people in state corporations were incompetent and crooks.

He said a country will get no where if all of their technical and professional people are gone. He is very upset about this but I still don't think it wise to broach the subject about Larry because of his cynicism about our people not being free to make their

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own choices — I mean in regard to the temptations of city-life. He is very upset with the two Doctors Skinner who moved to Trinidad. They were personal friends — and related through marriage, but they didn't mention wanting to leave to him.

We discussed the main problem with production. He said the main problem is that all their foreign exchange is used up on necessary food commodities so they don't have enough to give ^{businessmen} the money to get raw materials which ~~they~~ ^{would} produce products to export to bring in more foreign exchange. Then he said, "And it's going to get worse."

He also said that with these international agencies that they ~~to~~ start these big projects and then set all these conditions from year to year or they will cut off their aid, like IMF for example.

My analysis:

I am not sure how much of his own concern isn't for his job since he hasn't gotten any loans ^{or grants} from anyplace in the U.S.

I get the impression that the Prime

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Minister is holding out against foreign private investors (and intend to ask him at a discreet time) or he wouldn't be saying "my opinion is we need to encourage foreign private investors and guaranteed their security"

P.S.: - He also said the time is past for a two party state. He said ~~the~~ that Huysa should only have one party and get down to the business of the economy instead of trying to show the world that we are a country with free elections and democracy, etc.

- This morning he got a call from his deputy ambassador about either an article or T.V. news report ^{in the U.S.} which said that those opposing the referendum were beaten up and that there were riots and demonstrations with tear-gassing by the police.

- He said Huysa should not be concentrating on putting across an image as a Third World socialist country because the country is more in need of money and investors.

- He has played poker every day since I have been here.

- Nothing of significance in his briefcase.

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- Probably this has already been conveyed many times, but I went to a couple of stores today (department stores) and I was shocked at how close to empty these stores are of consumer goods. By year end, many will be closed down completely. If we were able to supply a store, be it clothing, or a miscellaneous of goods, we should be able to make some money simply because of lack of availability. Because no foreign exchange is required, we would have no import license problems. Always before we've gotten bogged down with trying to save money by avoiding duty if we imported for sale, but I think we will make money even if we pay duty. I also believe we would be better to pay it and do everything above-board so as to have no back-lash.

I think we should also involve ourselves with some exportable item, like the wooden ashtrays and humidors Mann suggested, and make some deal with our foreign market to keep a portion out of the country to ensure we'll always have a source for foreign ~~reserves~~ ^{reserves}. The Albatross could be that

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foreign reserve source. We should consider opening an account somewhere in the Caribbean. My first choice would be Trinidad because their economy is the most stable due to their oil reserves.

I have no business sense but I think the plywood factory might be too big an investment for us when our expertise in such a field is questionable. If we do get a business, we should put one person solely responsible for management (with committee consultation), but like our problems before; if we have no one able to make decisions, we'll get bogged down with indecision.

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TO: Mr. No. HASAN, KIRTON MANN
DATE: BENJAMIN D. SMITH

July 15, 1978

① I approached the questions about Desmond but he purposely changed the subject to some long story about Dwyer's wife. Before I could get back to my question, the telephone rang and he was off on several more calls. I will bring it up again. There was no "appropriate" time to discuss my questions so I got the response I anticipated. If he is not allowed to start with, it is nearly impossible to get him into discussions about P.T. without him accusing me of interrogating him. I don't care what he accuses me of, but our discussions are dead-ends without the appropriate timing.

② He is meeting with Aurora this a.m.

③ He finished the speech for the P.M. this a.m. - I think it may be a Cabinet speech or executive party address. It is an appraisal of the Referendum issue and the effects it may have on the political climate in Arizona.

④ He is drinking at 10:20 a.m. today

⑤ He smelled ^{strongly} like booze when he came home last night.

⑥ He said he took a girl (a friend of a friend) ^{it's not so, but it is what he is afraid to me}

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to what he thought was an informal reception in Washington. It turned out to be a large reception. [It is against protocol for diplomats to take anyone but their wives to such functions because it could result in scandal.]

- ⑦ He plans to stay another week.
- ⑧ I am starting to get bitchy. My initial desire to do a good job is getting thwarted by the repulsion. I am trying to be nice, but oh Christ... I am writing this as a self-exprobration to keep objectives foremost in my mind. I am reading Desiree Arcturion and I read of a ^{female} Communist agent who bit off her tongue and spit it at her interrogator to keep from revealing any information. I guess I can do as much.
- ⑨ So far, he has been nice, but familiarity will soon set in and he'll be his usual mean self.
- ⑩ Sharon & Debbie have been good about seeing me often and I talk to Sandi several times a day so the contact with sanity has been a relief I can't explain. I could be in an interrogation room with no one, so my plight is simple compared to other comrades in other

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- parts of the world.
- (11) He is now showing some interest in Sharon. He finds her intelligent and a challenge. He is asking me who she fucks. I sd, "No one." That makes her even more interesting to him. He thinks Debbie is fucking Tom Carter. His theories on who is fucking who is always black men with white women and black women with white men. What makes people so sick? He is, by no means, an exception in Guyana.
- (12) He sd, a few days ago, that he thot Harriet should come into town and teach American law at University of Guyana as a way of integrating into society. He sd much of American law affects Guyana in its precedents. I told him Harriet was one of our main administrators. [I'd definitely know of the problems in putting any of our "intellectual set" in Georgetown, but if we ever want to consider employment for any of them, Mann cd be used to place them through his contact with the Prime Minister.]
- (13) Wilbur Bascom, the former general manager of the Coop Bank, was fired for embezzlement. While under investigation, they put a tax on him for \$54,000 ~~to~~ to keep him from leaving, because

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at that time, they had no evidence against him. He went to a lower echelon tax clerk and wrote a check from a different bank and paid his tax. That night he got on a plane with his tax exit certificate and left the country.

⑭ Last night I had a scare. I called Debbie to get some information on the letters I am writing. She asked me if I'd placed an ^{overseas} call. I said no, but found out if someone in that house is using my name. Maria had asked Sondi to call. I thought someone was trying to frame me. With all that has gone on, I got very paranoid that I was being framed. It is funny on reflection, but it sure wasn't last night.

(((all this sounds rambling, I'm sorry, it always ends up a diary instead of a report.)))

⑮ Neil Cheong gave Mann a gift (worth \$500) to give to the Prime Minister. I don't know what it was, but according to Mann, the P.M. was very pleased. I think it was a watch with gold and diamonds. It was probably an indirect bribe so that Cheong can either get his money out or get import licenses for

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① When I told him that we'd been assured by people I high up that our people won't be extradited for either civil or criminal charges, he sd we don't have any extradition treaty with the U.S.

② When I questioned about the comment Dwyer made abt the money, he sd Dwyer was talking abt his opinion that the farm would not support itself, we are having to send people door to door to collect money he heard, and he wondered how we would make it when our money ran out.

③ When I asked about the 1200 on the doortop ^{comment Dwyer made} and if it was connected to John, he sd, "how sd that he connected to John." I sd, "maybe he has new information." He sd, "He was talking about all of the correspondence he's been getting from both sides and the only thing worse would be 1200 on his doortop."

④ He sd what I wanted Dwyer to talk about, ^{Dwyer} wouldn't discuss.

⑤ These are the relevant responses. The actual conversation was surrounded with such comments as, "why are you ~~asking~~ cross-examining me at 6 a.m. Can't you tell

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I'm sleepy (he played poker from 4:00 p.m. Sat afternoon until 5:45 a.m. Sun. morning).

6 I am maintaining a posture of anger for telling me we were going out Sat night and then playing poker all night. My only conversation with him were these questions. (I told him he played poker all night after telling me we were going out and didn't even show me enough concern to put my mind at ease about Dwyer's comments. It was not exactly a high moment... but I didn't know ~~that~~ I should drop the anger posture without gaining some ground first.)

7 He kept calling me "white woman" who wouldn't even talk to "us niggers" when I went downstairs and passed the table without speaking. He knows that pisses me which is why he does it. However, I didn't react with a defensive answer, for a charge and countered with my questions about Dwyer.

MANN

Friday list
July 21/22

(1) Mann made a comment abt that he almost gave the book he just finished which I am reading (In Search of Espies, a CIA expose) to the Prime Minister but the Prime Minister already has it.

(2) [Ed may have already written this] He sd he was going to speak to Judge Bishop abt the case. He sd it is still the contempt of court and writ of habeas corpus before the court, isn't it? I sd yes. He then sd "we'd heard of someone in government that it was going to be a favorable decision for Jim. He just sd, oh (or a question) but it was not an affirmation or denunciation - definitely a neutral "oh" to change the subject.

(3) When I told him about the blood test which is admissible in a Calif court, ~~he sd~~ and how our lawyer challenged ~~him~~^{the} to the blood test and he refused, he sd, "I believe Jesus is fucking down the whole Temple, has done." He sd it with devious little smile. The whole point was to engage me with a line

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of defensive comments and anger at his ^{business} ~~business~~.
He's like a dirty old man who says ~~my~~ ^{my} words
for the shock value.

④ He says "constantly!" "do you think —
thinks we fuck?" Yesterday it was Maria. When
he asked me, I jumped up and went to the
telephone and said, "let's ask her." I dialed
and got Maria on the line. I told her Eric
had a question. He nearly crumbled until
I stopped. I was so disgusted that I nearly
asked but thought it would be carrying things a
bit too far.

⑤ Like most child molesters, he was fascinated
by Maria's lie detector test. He thought
Maria's dad was suing Maria. I told him
no — he'd never take a chance because he'd
lose for sure. I told him Maria would not have
done this if he hadn't taken the matter
to court. He didn't comment.

[Our conversations over the last day and
a half have been mostly monologues and he
hasn't had much to say — that is, on relevant
issues.]

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⑥ I told him we were suing Stone for \$50 million.
He said, "what for?" I said conflict of interest. I
said he gave us advice on civil matters which he is
using against us. He said, "why get into this?"
I said, "you can't just sit by and let them do
that to us, I said you have to fight fire with
fire." He just sucked his teeth (a genuine
expression of disgust)

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MANN

Saturday
July 27

① I forgot to mention before, we went to the Palm Court Restaurant for dinner. I purposely walked up to Bertie Anderson, Secretary to the President, to say hello so someone wd know we are together. We then went to Maurice King, permanent secretary of Ministry of Agriculture. George Henry, an architect, and his wife and Wilma Harper (former Minister of Health's wife and she is also a cousin of Nola Burham) were there. George Henry sd, in front of all, ~~the~~ two people came to him for a donation from us. He then sd, "what about those barbed wire fences" I sd, "well, they let me out of the grave I've been buried in so I cd come to town." Everyone laughed and then June King, who has always been very nice to me and tried to make me feel at ease, asked how the project is going and I told her some of the new developments. She told her husband she wanted to go to Gvatorin and for them to go. He sd he'd try to arrange it. (They have both sd they wanted to go before but haven't so far.) Maurice King has been there before a couple of years ago with Minister Kennard.

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It was a very dull evening but I pushed
and pushed to go out so we could be seen.
I am to continue going to public places,
let me know and I will (I don't push it
because it embarrasses me to be seen with him).

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MANN

Sunday
July 23

1 Lionel Luckhoo came over to play poker with Mann. Lio sd he had talked to Bishop several times abt when he'd reach a decision. He sd, "I don't think I shd approach him again or it will go against us." He sd, "Bishop is an idiot." "When the Attorney General approached him abt something" (he sd something in legalistic language which I didn't understand). "He sd, "Bishop refused and the A.G. had to get someone under him to take care of it." He sd, "I wd have fired him on the spot. That was the Attorney General, you know." He sd, "Bishop shd never have been made a judge in the first place." He ~~sd~~ ^{discussed} all of the things sd abt the referendum and the A.G. to Mann. Then he turned to me and sd, "I told you from the start we'd lose this one." He sd "Bishop doesn't want to give a decision." Mann sd, "Well I want this thing settled because it affects my job. People calling me all the time asking me abt it."

Lio sd Bishop sd he was getting all these letters saying the decision shd be decided in P.T. favor and he is getting all these calls. He sd

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"I told him it doesn't take much to write a letter and say it is from the P.T." Mann sd, "Exactly." Leo sd, "I told him the P.T. doesn't stay at the Hotel Tower or wherever it was the calls come from."

Leo sd, "I feel embarrassed every time someone from the P.T. telephones me for an appt." "There is nothing I can tell them."

2 Playing poker again today.

3 He is still civil to me but not succumbed to me as a lover. I am a convenient asset.

4 He asked me again today if Maria thinks we feel.

5 He sd to Maria on the phone about her lie detector test that she had a very rough childhood.

6 I think something shd be sd to Mann abt what Leo sd abt leaving the case. I shd say something abt someone ^{had} got told we wd win and that we were told not to discuss it. To leave it there wd not be wise.

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MANN

Saturday
July 21st

(1) We spent a lot of time talking about racism in the U.S. and about Andrew Young's comments about political prisoners in U.S. jails, about Carter's erratic behavior, about the book Search of Enemies, about Kennedy's assassination, and other related subjects (which I can't remember now). He sd the racism in the U.S. is mutual hatred of white hating black and black hating white. He sd, "I have to hand ~~it~~ it to Jim Jones. I've never seen a group of black and white Americans so harmonious." He sd, "I never see any flare-ups between any of you. Is it that way in there (meaning Georgetown)?" He sd, "When everyone lives on an equal economic and social basis, there is no reason for racial tension." He sd, "We don't have flare-ups."

He sd that Andrew Young's comments abt political prisoners in U.S. jails is only the truth. He sd what do you call the weathermen and people like that if they're not political prisoners. He sd Carter is a funny chap. His behavior is erratic.

He sd Kennedy's assassin had several witnesses all dying by mysterious circumstances and violent deaths.

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He sd Soviet occupation in Africa is ⁽²⁾
~~was~~ over estimated. He sd he wd never forgive
Savimbi (^{Angela} UNITA leader) for allying with the
white South Africans even though Stockwell,
who wrote The Search..., called it expedient.
He sd though, it took a lot of courage to write it
because ~~he~~ Stockwell and his manuscript
cd have disappeared. He sd it was only
because of all the pressure on different agencies
that they didn't do him in.

I don't recall every detail but we talked
about ~~it~~ ^{these guys} for a good hour and a half.

- (3) I asked him if he plans to come back to
Guyana to live? I sd it cd make things
awkward for us (because his wife wd be here).
He sd he'd really not thought about it
(he says that to me everytime we talk abt
him coming back). He sd he cdn't live with
all of the inconveniences of not having a good
car, no spare parts to keep his car in good
order, no good liquor to drink, ^{so rarely} and he'd get
bored. He sd he has plenty to do in Washington
and if he gets bored, he gets on a plane and
goes to New York. He sd he wd take a job.

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with some international thing (he means World Bank, etc - bec. I've asked the question before). I sd, "what if the Prime Minister asked you to come back." He sd "I'd come back." He paused, then sd, "But he wd never do that."

(3) He was irate when I went out with Debbie Touchette between 8:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. today, eye twitching and everything. He sd I told I was going to Crop Bank and he went there looking for me and I wasn't there. I told him I went to Barclays Bank and to the ^{Mexico} hospital. He is accusing me of going to fuck a Cuban doctor or some doctor. He was mad about it all day.

(4) We went out to dinner with Rex McKay and his girlfriend. We then went to the Palm Court where people drink and dance. There was a woman we met a few days ago there. He invited her to join us. He practically fell in her lap trying to make it with her. I'd know I'm not pretty but this lady was ugly. I figured illness so I cd come home (about midnight). I

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④
figured if he got a fuck somewhere else, it is
one less I have to go through and it is obvious
to all that I am his steady. I hope it was
all right.

⑤ When I told him I wanted to go to Grenada
and that I've always wanted to go there, he
jumped off the bed, sucked his teeth in disgust
and said, "Number one, Grenada is difficult to
get into and even more difficult to get out of."
"Number two, I'm not going for any holiday."
I want to go to Barbados because Neil is there.
(Neil is the people's house we are staying at.)

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Sharon AMos

Bunny Mann (visit to our house when he first came in to town) Debbie & Sharon.

- he was cordial at the house, told me that IMF did go thru/ I asked if the US had given Guyana IMF loan and he said that the US hadn't had much to do with it, if the US had something to do with it, they might not have gotten it but he said that the US wasn't always the deciding factor
- he said there is another ~~xxxxxx~~ fund/ made up of wealthy nations that help Caribbean nations that would be helping Guyana
- he said no devaluation required for 1 or 2 years on IMF
- no initial strings on the other aid, at least not that were obvious ktho he said there are always some strings on aid
- I encouraged him to visit the project, talked about Paula's heart condition he said that he didn't know if he could arrange to come in
- told him we'd let him know when we got radio contact/ he said anytime of the nite or day was OK

- he returned in the evening around 11PM/ wanted to talk to Paula/ I told him that there was no radio contact and we'd call him in the afternoon when we had contact
- he * told me he wanted to talk to me for a while in the car/ I said OK just a minute and then ran upstairs to get Debbie to go with me
- Debbie and I came down/ he said he wanted us to go with him for a drink to his house
- we both went with him and had ~~xxxxxx~~ pepsis/ he was quite friendly and we chatted about PT
- he said our PR in SF was poor, that we were too much on the defensive and didn't have enough offensive PR/ that we should hire someone in a PR firm who knows how to get to the press and can present us in a positive light
- he said he talked to one of the reporters who printed about Kathy Hunter and the man admitted Kathy was an alcoholic but printed the story anyway and Bunny made it look like ~~xx~~ he defended us hotly
- he said he's practically a member of PT and that some people won't even criticize PT in front of this because of ~~xx~~ this
- he was very lonely/ didn't want Debbie and I to leave/ said he felt comfortable talking to us/ that he has a lot of acquaintances but not real friends and wanted us to stay overnight (almost got insistent about it)/ finally I told him/ ~~xxxxxx~~ Debbie ~~xxx~~ had her period and he took us home but he wasn't mad
- he said even he would sleep on the couch and we could have the bed and he'd take us home in the morning
- anyway he took us home
- he's reading ~~xxxxxx~~ Decent Interval by Frank Snepp
- ~~Q~~hex - he made a comment about Americans being so arrogant and that when he traveled to Europe he stayed clear of Americans
- about the US policy in Angola, he said the US has made a reversal and has backed off and is acting like a friend to Angola but that is just bidding time and not necessarily optimistic as US was getting too much resistance on Angola
- he said that people in Jonestown need to be able to come to Georgetown and have a change of pace/ they need more freedom and Jonestown is too confining - being one place. He made a comment about our members not drinking (except for MacElvane) - liked all the SF people he met. They fed him real good - gumbo and nice food at the temple and he liked them. He took them out too.
- said our PR in town isn't good in that we spend so much time in people's offices (I told him that we had open houses, Debbie said it was because of his suggestion we did this, and we had people for dinner and went out to occasions also)
- tho I mentioned we still didn't get invited much socially but we had people over here a lot and told him that our young people came in frequently for concerts going to clubs to play and getting around town (OVER)

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-he said tho aside from him and Paula we didn't date with Guyanese/ ~~xxxx~~ we said that wasn't true/ we had local ~~x~~ dating with our members and in Georgetown also

-I kept encouraging him to go see Paula in Jonestown as he kept saying he was used to Paula and didn't think he'd stay long in Georgetown without her being here. He said that the problem with his going to Jonestown would be that it would be embarrassing because everyone would know and since he just flew into Guyana that would look bad

-he said that's one thing the PM doesn't tolerate, that kind of embarrassment and everyone knows him, Bonny, the pilots everyone/ he said if he were around a few weeks and then flew in it wouldn't be so bad but to just come in and then fly up there would be bad

-in regard to Mrs. Bouquet that wrote him, he said he wrote her an answer that seemed to satisfy her as he didn't hear from her again

-Bonny has a few friends like Neil Chung and someone in the States who he used to ~~xxx~~ room with in ~~xxxx~~ some other country and they'd give parties/ he looks up this man now and the man is very nice to him

-he said Bonny did that the man at the newspaper that he talked to about Kathy Hunter "thought he was talking to some nigger"/ but Bonny said that he, Bonny, was more than a match for the man but it still didn't do any good

-he said he got the nickname Bonny because one he is like a bunny rabbit hopping from hole to hole and another because he's bonnie

-he said he met this woman somewhere/ they were listening to someone sing at a club but she wanted him to ~~xxx~~ take her home and it bothered ~~xx~~ him because she knew he was an Ambassador and was trying to get an invitation to a ~~x~~ certain social ~~xxxx~~ milieu

-he said PT does good things but shouldn't talk about JJ so much but should talk about the movement/ said Paula and others talk about JJ like he's a Saint/ he said he talked to JJ and felt JJ seemed like a very reasonable person but he shouldn't have been talked about like he was a saint

-he's still upset about Maria Katmaris, said she acted like a fool and that was bad for the collective, bringing the lawyer etc. with her when she went to see her dad/ said her dad has this image of being in psychology and if he had just been able to see her and find her in good shape, it would have been good but instead she made usch a fuss and kept changing the time she'd see her ~~xx~~ dad and all that/

-we told him about the sexual molestation and how Maria felt/ he didn't seem concerned at all/ said he couldn't molest her with Bonny present and that Bonny ~~xx~~ had promised he'd use any force necessary to see that she was protected and ~~x~~ (thus it was a personal ~~x~~ affront to him that Maria brought her own reinforcements)

-I said JJ doesn't control people/ Maria was ~~xxxx~~ autistic when she first came to PT, JJ can't tell people what to do tho he encouraged Maria to see her dad.

-~~x~~he said it was ridiculous how Maria acted and that she obviously didn't think of the cause

-he said that (I ~~may~~ be repititious here, I am not sure) that we shouldn't talk about JJ so much but about the cause as we are a good cause and do good things

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-he ~~xxxx~~ was very mad because Paula had left the house/ she had an argument because he had stayed out all night and he was supposed to take her out and she thought she should act offended about this

-Paula ~~xx~~ invited us to come to lunch, Debbie and myself, and he was supposed to join us but he didn't come by 1:30 and so we went in the car to visit Mrs. Bollers (she wanted Martin to visit her son)

-Bunny came by the Bollers house and Paula told me to go out and talk to him /he was pissed because she had left and he wanted someone there to answer calls as his house is for rent for \$2900 and he wanted to set up

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-by the way he said it was ridiculous that we had bombarded him with literature like the support petition with all those names/ he said that when Guyanese people are bombarded with things like Stoen sends out they don't pay too much attention to them but when we send all this stuff it makes us look as ridiculous as Stoen, and all those long letters we send out, he doesnt think it's a good idea

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MANN

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- ① The personal enquiries are: you must have a boyfriend up there. I have adamantly stated, "no." Today he got onto a strong issue of me seeing my husband and talking to him on the radio all of the time. Steve Katsaris told him ^{when he was in Guyana} ~~that~~ Tom Adams is the radio operator in S.F. He kept asking: if he was ^{making trips} ~~coming~~ to Guyana to see me. I was hesitant because I couldn't remember if I had told him he visited Guyana or not but insisted I had no emotional or physical association with him. I told him he (Tom) had a girlfriend. He (Mann) is very insecure about me even though I have assured him of my absolute love, loyalty & fidelity to him. The variety of my amorous pursuers has ranged from Dr. Reid to an unknown minister of government to Cuban doctors to Dr. Mandal to several prominent lawyers to my husband. What a delusional nut!
- Of course it didn't help matters when Tom Carter called me at 12:45 a.m. BB-1-U-5

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② He is now pressing me to go to Bolivar.
I had one of my attacks and was bedridden
all day. He made some caustic remark about
"I'd better get my passport." That is all
that was said but the implication was
obvious.

③ He came home drunk last night and had
just arrived when Tim called. He was in
one of his "looking for a fight" moods
which made Tim's call very untimely. I
was not able to discuss anything with him
without starting a fight. Fortunately all of
his insecurity and hostility got directed
toward his wife so at 1:30 a.m. he called
her to find out why she hadn't called
him right back after he'd called for her.
After talking to her, he passed out.

So much for the last 24 hours.

P.S.

④ He is trying to rent his house on a
10 year contract to the U.S.A.I.D. for
\$1500/month with a kick back to the
guy at A.I.D. for renting it of \$300/mo.
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So if A.I.D. takes the contract, the guy who contracts houses for AID will be pocketing \$300/mo for 10 years. [Be careful how this is used. He is still tight @ the P.M. and only 2 other people besides me know about it.]
- both of them are involved in the deal.

One conclusion I drew from this is that he is not planning to come back to Arizona to live, right now anyway.

- Today he went to see one of the P.M.'s secretaries because he is writing a speech for the P.M. ~~He is trying to give a man techniques to help the impact of the information by discussing the subject which relates to Arizona in the international context. (All of the past typed notes I took as part of the report) It has no importance that I recall.~~

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TO: HILL

FROM: MARY RUTH

1. I don't know when I will ever feel that it is "safe" to come out. Maybe I should just close up and go. In one day, so many things can happen that I have very mixed feelings about it. I want to come out badly because I know it will be a long time before you are ever in a position to come into town again (even if the custody matter is settled; will it be safe from extradition if you are off alone), and as you are aware, I would like to see Monique. I would rather see Monique in the children's program as long as she is getting the proper "parental figures" in the evenings, so I appreciate your suggestion of a visit in here for her if I can't get out.
I really don't think I should go now. As long as this court issue is going on and the medias are at our doorsteps waiting, it would be best to wait. And as far as I can gather, we still are not clear in our minds that "we are out of the danger zone". I really don't think we will ever get the straight outright assurances like we would like want, however, I think they will do the same as they have in the past: to simply work out each problem as it comes while we are treating it like a crisis which could end all. I think there is a very lackadaisical attitude where we take things very seriously. They have not struggled for what they have achieved and don't relate to it.
2. The sugar strike may be over soon and the newspapers (like Mirror and ~~the~~ Catholic Standard) will have nothing to print and can concentrate on new situations...like us. Nothing in the Catholic Standard this week. I will call Kohard Samaludin on Thursday and check.
3. I had Joyce go ahead and pursue procurement with this guy from Trinidad because in my opinion, we aren't going to find a rich person with any conscience and this guy was ~~not~~ captivated by Joyce if she would handle him right. I think Joyce doesn't like to look like she is a gold-digger to men, but I insisted she ask for five ~~hundred~~ hundred dollars and she got it. She did the work, but I can smell an "easy mark" when I see one. I couldn't see what it could hurt in pursuing it because he would have been hostile if she hadn't seen him occasionally. He is the ugliest vilest man alive. I cannot imagine any possibility of her having any interest in this man. He is disgusting. I think she ought to continue pursuing with this man. He is only in town occasionally and he usually comes through ~~it~~ with transportation for us amongst other things. He is a very lucrative investment for the short amount of time spent with him.

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TO: HILL

FROM: RAY HUTT

1. ALISTAR FRED WILLS

- A. Wills, Burnham, and Hubert Jack will be out of the country between October 21 and November 10.
- B. Wills said, "A lot of people are sticking their necks out for you."
- C. Wills said some time ago, that there was a CIA man at Port Kaituma. I did not think to ask him who nor do I think he would tell me, but I will next time I am in his office.
- D. Wills said, "no person from anywhere would be denied access to the courts, but the outcome in the courts are under his guidance and that if Grace came down, she could go to court but Jim and John are not leaving Guyana."
- E. Last time we were in his office and we kept trying to bring the question (custody cases) up about what would we do if these things kept going to court, and he kept interrupting me and would hardly listen to one word I said. He still claimed support and said that he wasn't going to reveal his plan because I have a way of letting ^{word} Max get out.
- F. Wills had us picked up in his private car with his official driver when we were at Radio Demerara. He said that he did it because we were from Peoples Temple, not because of looks.
- G. He said that we don't appreciate what he has done for us.
- H. His attitude has not shown that he takes things too seriously or he simply underestimates what they would like to do to us. He sort of acts like, "well, it will all work out in the end."
- I. I don't think he is working against us because too many people are watching his moves. He keeps telling us that he is all for "you guys" (meaning PT). I think he has a rough idea of what they are in for internationally, but I don't think he knows yet how to handle this thing and save the Guyana image with the U.S. and stand with us. The loans which were promised by the U.S. have still not come through, therefore, I think Wills is getting a little less enamored with the U.S.
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- K. Overall, I think Wills is with us because he can't figure any way out of it.

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TO: HILL

FROM: MARY HUTT

1. SKIP ROBERTS, DIRECTOR OF THE CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DEPARTMENT (C.I.D.)

- A. Commissioner of Police Lloyd Barker met with him and a few other heads of departments within the police force. Barker said we were being harrassed and there was a lot of nit-picking at us up there. He told them about the shooting and the robbery and the people in the bushes and that he thought we should keep the gate closed. He also told them about government's position toward us. He told them about his recommendations about lighting and fencing.
- B. Roberts is the head of the department that PADMORE works for. PADMORE was in Matthews Ridge to give evidence in a fraud case and was asked by Inspector Benjamin, Regional Minister Carmichael and Gregory Oaskin after they had spoken to Leon Broussard to go out and investigate the charges. PADMORE was not up there for the reason of investigating us, but because he happened to be there until he got an airplane out or went to court or something, they asked him to go to our farm.
- C. PADMORE had never heard about us before and in his report he made references as if the government did not really know what we were doing up there. He suggested that our farm should be gone over thoroughly to check for such things as marijuana and opium which are known to have a very lucrative market and which we know to be growing in Guyana.
- D. I think it significant that Roberts even showed us the file. He must not hold much stored in it or he would not have shown us. I think he was on the level. I think he knows much more than he let on about the accusations coming out of California and the various elements of harassment that we are getting here also. He did not play dumb, but he simply did not offer any extra information.
- E. The report praised our work and thought the farm impressive, however he questioned how it could have come about. Broussard mentioned something about a slave colony and PADMORE quoted him and also went on to say that he saw people there working very hard (which Roberts commented that it shows that PADMORE is afraid of work). Roberts also remarked about PADMORE'S surprise about "why would Americans who had so much in the U.S. want to come to Guyana which is under strain", Roberts said that it shows by his comment that if he were able to get a visa to the U.S., he would be gone.
- F. Roberts said that we must keep in mind that PADMORE had never heard of us before, there fore when he came upon this city in the jungle with 700

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Americans and the only thing that he had heard about us was that we ran a slave colony and we beat people and stole old people's social security checks that it might influence his thinking. The point is that the persons influencing his thinking are Carnicahel, Gakkin, and Benjamin. I told Roberts that the man was unfriendly and that he took two pictures. One, of the radio antenna, and two, of the garbage pit. Roberts saw no mention that pictures were taken written in the report, but that he would ask Padmore about it.

- u. Roberts suggested that the best way that we could allay many peoples paranoia and curiosity about our farm is to do a very thorough picture layout and submit it to the newspaper so that people would be exposed to what we are doing without thinking it is some clandestine operation.
- h. Roberts claims that he had PADMORE come into his office and gave him a good chewing out for assuming that the government and the police and in particularly his department knew nothing about the American farm.
- I. Roberts also claimed to have told PADMORE that he knew about us from the time that we came into the country. (When we were buying the CUDJOL, he went out on a fishing cruise which was really to check into fish and fuel smuggling techniques. The cruise happened to be the same eveing that we were looking ~~at~~ in the ~~xxx~~ boat. I was asked to cook and I didn't know how to cook at that time and I sabotaged the food. It was bad and he had not forgotten, nor did he neglect to tell everyone that mentions peoples Temple. Maybe not a good impression, however, I made an impression on him that he hasn't forgotten.)
- J. One of the primary questions that PADMORE put in his report was, "How do we get our funds?" Roberts was saying, even if you do get social security checks from senior citizens, it is none of our concern. I told him that we are funded by donations. He said that there must be considerably less donations with so many people here. I told him that the church had not decreased and a church that had several thousand members could still get donations. Roberts was not cynical, however, he did get a few questions in with discretion. He is very sophisticated in police detective work. He may appear to very much for us, and he may well be, but I don't underestimate his ability. He takes on a very casual air. He gave us his home and work numbers and as I told Karen, it makes it easier if we just call and give him the information rather than him having to dig it up(which was why I assume he gave us his home number).

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- K. Overall, I think Roberts is for us. I don't think he could have maintained an air of support through the entire interview without being somewhat sincere. He said that in his experience with the Police Dept. that the kinds of things that most groups face if they are being harassed is that people will either accuse them of something atrocious (like burying babies alive) or something to smear their morality, by suggesting things such as orgies or the opposite-they can't have sex at all. He said that you usually find these kinds of rumors around large groups which are just getting settled no matter what they are trying to do (missionaries or whatever--he doesn't categorize us as missionaries because he knows our commitment to socialism). He said that this is common where any large group settles.
- L. He said that the ~~Washington~~ Rabbi Washington of the house of Israel is a fraud and that he knows of his long criminal record in the U.S. Roberts said if he even so much as stepped on board an airplane leaving Guyana they would be waiting for him. Washington is running from fraud charges in the U.S. Washington ~~was~~ also committed fraud on someone here, although Roberts wouldn't tell us who. The reason they neither deported him nor went heavy on him with any prosecution was because Washington claimed to be a former CIA agent and that ~~were~~ were those in the U.S. who were just waiting to get him. At that time, they were very CIA conscious and they let him slide. ~~Roberts~~ did say that they are watching him close now because he is again involved in some kind of fraud thing.
- M. I have heard from someone else on a casual basis that Roberts is a very sensitive persons and one of the few in the police force with a conscience. I don't know how true this is, because I don't know him well enough, but I did think his suggestion about a pictorial presentation for the newspaper a positive comment.
- N. Roberts claims that because we have left the American dream and all of the televisions and material things that the average person both in the U.S. and in Guyana will think we are up to something by coming here. Roberts said that the average American can understand if an American comes and starts a business cooperative and gets everyone else to do the work and he collects the profits. That is just a good businessman, but they can't understand why anyone would actually want to come to live in Guyana. It would shake the American people up. Why would we want to leave, etc.
- O. He said that we could expect parents to start asking the police to look into their children. It always happens. I wish others would take it in stride like he does.

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- P. PADDON said that JJ was not really in charge, but only a figure-head, that the real persons in charge were Charlie and Joyce Touchette.
- Q. I imagine you already know of the reports Leon gave. he said that JJ forced him into working when he knew that Leon had ~~just~~ just undergone back surgery. He claimed that we stole him veterans check (made him sign it away).
- R. I can't think of anymore to add, but if I do, I'll just add it below.

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MANNA

August 4, 1978

1. The only thing of significance he has said was that Frank Hope, Minister of Finance, is going to be replaced. When I asked him who was going to take King's Hope's job, he told me to never mind.

2. My objectivity is on a very low level right now. I have been rather cold to him at times. My comments have been less than loving, to say the least. He woke me up at 3 a.m. one morning to fuck. He told me he was horny as hell then said, "Hold my cock." (which is the only way he can get a hard-on is to have his cock stroked). I said, "If you are so horny, why do I need to stroke your cock?" He had great difficulty getting a hard-on after that. He told me another time, to come upstairs, that he had something for me. I said, "Let me get one thing straight. You're fucking me for you. I can live without it. You're not doing me any favors."

I can't seem to control my cold-fish

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sarcasm at times. When I am pissed, that is natural, but cold is too close to reality. It is so close to the end, I don't want to blow it now.

3 I have been told I am the longest girlfriend he has ever had. I told him I am not a girlfriend but a second wife. He calls me his wife anyway. He said something about what if we were married or get married someday. I told him I like things the way they are. I said that because I should show some measure of independence. That was probably an inappropriate time. I don't know. I'll just be glad when it is over.

Nothing of significance to write.

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MANN

Aug. 4

Frank Noel, Secretary of Hupstac, was arrested today for a foreign currency ^{violation} and accepting bribes. He was picked up by the police and taken to jail. He was said to have issued import licenses which enabled 10 to 12 businessmen to draw bank drafts on the coop bank on bogus imported goods. The goods were ordered, they got the drafts directly in their hands and cancelled the orders and ~~then~~ deposited the draft in a foreign bank. One businessman said he ~~called~~ gave Noel a car as a gift for his favors. Noel called Rex McKay to ask him to defend him. McKay cabled Burnham and asked if he should. Burnham said no, then asked McKay and Leo Luckhoo to do the prosecution on behalf of the state. They will probably do all the big scandal prosecutions. Noel offered McKay \$50,000 retainer. Civil servants don't make that kind of money so he obviously got it from some where.

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MANA

August 6, 1978

1. 50 more people are going to be charged over the next weeks for various fraud and currency violations.
2. Wilbur Bassard, the former General Manager of the Arizona National Coop Bank, who skipped the country before getting charged and who was under investigation, is speculated now as having known too much and was allowed to go by a couple of ministers of govt. (I don't know who the ministers were.)
3. Ex-minister of state for trade William Hayden was charged with fraud but has not been found. He tried to leave the country 3 weeks ago and was not allowed to leave. One week ago, the Prime Minister gave him permission to get medical care outside the country and allowed to leave. The papers are playing it up that he hasn't been found but I heard he was given permission to leave.
4. This "clean-up" of officials and businessmen

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in all people are talking about in Guyana.²
Every conversation is centered around this.

4. George King, who is known as "Mr. Ten Percent" (his bribe commission for favors), was closed by the Prime Minister for his accepting King's resignation speech so most people think he'll get off the hook. Others speculate he'll still get charged.

5. Frank Noel, the former Guyana secretary, is the highest official charged so far. He is still in jail because bail was set at \$100,000. He is in a Catch-22. If he puts up bail for himself, they'll enquire where he got that kind of money because he was not making that kind of money. Mann said the Prime Minister was glad to hear he was sweating it out. The P.M. sd I hope he sweats more.

6. The "man-on-the-street" comments are that Burnham waited until he won the referendum. Now he's arresting all the black people. Mann sd Burnham:
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so that what really gets to him is that these people (like Noel) are where they are because of him (Bumham) and they've let him (Bumham) down. Bumham told Mann that there were more to come (more arrests).

7 What seems to be happening is that people getting picked up are "singing" and exposing more and more people. Mann speculates there will be another 100 arrests.

8 Rahoman (of Rahoman Sawmills) was one of the first picked up. He is one of the most corrupt businessmen in the country, I've been told. He has been the biggest source for getting others arrested. He has named a number of people. He said he gave Frank Noel a car for favors ^{received}.

9 Ministry of Trade, therefore, has been hit the hardest because of the foreign exchange that has been sent out of the country thru bogus import licenses. One of my speculations on why this Ministry got it first is because of the IMF loan. There were a ~~20~~ number of
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condition which IMF set on their loan. ²⁴
A large degree of this is based on foreign
exchange and hoarding rackets, therefore
they needed to clean up this area first.]

10 One of the hoarding rackets which used
to go on involved government subsidies.
Carnation evaporated milk was formerly
subsidized by the govt at a rate of 18¢
per tin of milk. They found that there
were always shortages even though over the
necessary Guyana consumption ^{quota} was
being imported. When they investigated
the matter they found out that ~~the~~ this
~~thing~~ ~~was~~ being smuggled into Guyana
because at the govt. subsidy cost, it was
cheaper than any place in the Caribbean
and in Guyana. When the subsidy
was removed last year, the hoarding and
smuggling stopped because it was no
longer profitable. Rice was another
racket because of govt. subsidies (flour
and sugar also). Part of the sugar subsidy
was just removed. The sugar price rose
by 100% for Guyana consumers. (1976 to 1977)

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11 From listening into so many conversations about different "operations" people had going, it shows how much money the govt might have if the corruption was stopped. Within each ministry, there will be "clean-ups".

12 Today Skip Roberts mother and father come over to see Neil Cheong. They are close friends of Neil's and Skip's dad made it clear that nothing would happen to Neil if Neil would have brought in a few boxed articles (like canned corned beef, salmon, etc.). I've been told before that Skip's dad has a lot of influence over his children. Skip Roberts of C.I.S. and Robbie Roberts, director of civil aviation. Roberts, Sr. was a big man in Bookers. He is white or Portuguese and his wife is mixed black and white. He is a history book of Guyana. He told stories about Chardester of Guyana dating back 40 years. He made one comment about Gagan that when he was Prime Minister they had more milk in the country than they knew what to do with. He said you could get it in it, there was such a surplus (from milk cows) but now you can't get it at all. He also

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mentioned (just as a point of interest) that he uses baking soda for deodorant. He had read somewhere that it works, and he says it does. Deodorant is very expensive here and expected to be off the market because of high import cost in the next few months.

13 The P.M. said in his speech that aluminium can be used as the abrasive in making detergents and since fat can be used in place of tallow in making soap. [I am just adding these points because we may be able to utilize the knowledge.]

14 Barbados is a country which is based on a tourist economy and produces nothing. They are totally dependent on imports and give preferential treatment to Caricom states. If we produce any commodity that should be the first, or one of the first, places we look into for an export market. Right now their shelves stock a number of Japanese items, I was told.

15 I have had very little time alone with

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Mann for several days so I don't know much what he personally knows.

Aug. 7, 1978

1 I asked what he thought of Mingo. He said he didn't know him except to say hello. He said, I do know he is a weak minister. He relies too heavily on the opinions of civil servants. He said, "He is very weak in comparison to Desmond Hoyte and Hubert Jack who I know very well."

2 When I said I know you had your hand in this clean-up campaign. He said nothing in response directly to my statement, but said, "The Prime Minister feels he was let down because it was he who put them there in the first place." He said, "Heel was always a shifty public servant but he was energetic and capable." He said, "The problem was that people are underpaid and when they see a way to make a few dollars to supplement their income, they take it." He said, "You watch there will be a hundred more arrests." He said the P.M.

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is embarrassed because all over the world people are talking about the corruption in the government.

3 One of the reasons Mann is hurrying back to Washington is because on Thursday he has to sign some agreement, for either trade or a loan.

4 From what I can tell, Guyana is getting a number of loans this year: IMF, World Bank, and Caribbean Development Fund. In addition, they are still working on contracts for various projects such as the hydropower project.

5 On the way to the airport, Mann said, "You know on this trip I realized something which I'm only going to say once and need to say once about now. If anything happens to Juliet (his wife) and I, I'd marry you in a minute. I am not an easy person to get along with and yet you were always there to get me water, pack my poker bag. You know my moods. I'm not a highly sexual person. I can't lay in bed all day. I like to be around people. I don't like to talk at times. I don't like to talk."

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when I'm reading. You understand me and understand my moods. That means a lot to me. I'm dead serious. I would marry you." I didn't say anything (with great control). I think this was the eulogy to keep me from going out on him while he's gone. He added, "You know I wasn't tempted even once. I'm very happy with you." I know for a fact he tried to make it with a woman who is staying at the Palm Court. It was verified later by Raikun Cheong (Neil's wife) who said he didn't get anywhere with her.

Even though I think this fidelity and marriage bit is a maneuver to keep me from going out on him. He is more preoccupied with having me dressed a certain way when we go out and acting in a certain way (in a dignified manner) and because my wardrobe is not elegant enough for him, she asked for my sizes so he can get the kind of clothing I should wear when I am with him. His usual remarks are, "Take off that cheap cotton thing, I don't want my wife looking like that." I don't think this is a gambit for marriage, but it is a change from his usual

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Comments: that Peoples Temple should buy that for you or you work for that big rich organization and they can't even buy that for you. The point I am getting at is that I think we are in a better position for asking him about things and to do things for us. He is probably after my inheritance.

6. Skip Roberts' dad sd he really ~~loves~~ admires Vincent Hinds. He sd look where the man is now (missing jail) and what he is doing for himself. He sd the man is really bright. Everyone in the room sd he will be next to be charged. Mann sd he was the one who got the job for Hinds when he came out of prison because he is such a genius with machinery and the Min of Agri (which Mann was the ~~per~~ permanent secretary for at the time under Dr. Reid) needed some equipment put in. He sd he had V.H. taken on and he got a call from the P.M. who sd he ~~dropped~~ he knew what he was doing. The P.M. sd, "I am not stupid and she ~~knocked~~ me (mann robbed). So Mann went to Reid and told him what the P.M. sd but Reid sd to

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go ahead and take him on. Mann said he made it so Hinds never got his hands on money and he worked out fine. I don't know if Betty Anderson kept the same series on Hinds that Mann did.

7 Barbara Cheong, Neil's daughter, told Rahan Cheong who then told me that Mann is not well liked in his embassy. Everybody is afraid of him because if they aren't doing their job or are inefficient he will either yell at them or fire them. Barbara works at the Wash. Embassy.

8 Neil Cheong doesn't seem to be the least worried so I doubt that ~~he~~ was involved in any of these bribe cases. Skip Roberts' dad is his close friend and today Lloyd Barker called him up and asked to come over and have a chat. About what, I don't know, but from what I can gather it was just one of many friendly visits they make to each other's houses, but I could be wrong.

They told a story about one of Barker's close friends who Barker saw everyday. The friend got into some kind of trouble and
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telephoned Barker. Barker sd. he would have to go through the normal procedures and he couldn't help him... Everyone agreed Barker was a man like that. If you get locked up, he won't even help his friends they said.

9 The Prime Minister is a man who works very late. He has called Mann more than once between 10 and 12 p.m. for information about various things. He is very much personally involved in getting one of his pilots to his helicopter (that crashed) the best of medical attention. He wants Mann to get him into Walter Reed Hospital. Mann sd they won't take anyone except Heads of State because they are so overworked. Mann sd he tried to get some lab work done there and he couldn't get past the red tape. The P.M. sd "Do it." The P.M. has called Mann twice about it and one time called him to the residence to discuss it. The pilot's rank in the G.D.F. isn't very high so Mann was pessimistic about getting him in but the P.M. isn't taking no for an answer.

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MANN

Aug 7, 1978

2 - The new Minister of Trade, Joe Tyndall, is a personal friend of Mann's. Mann's wife and children stay at Tyndall's when they come down to Guyana. ~~Tyndall~~ ^{P. Tyndall} was offered the post as Trade Minister in 1968 but turned it down. He didn't want the strain of a ministerial post. Mann said he can't afford to take that job. ~~But~~ Tyndall's last job was acting Secretary-General of Caricom Secretariat. It gave him the same privileges as a Head of State with benefits of no income tax, all imports were duty-free, free house, free car, food and travel allowance, and a big salary. This in effect is a step-down for Tyndall who is a Guyanese. The Secretariat includes the whole Caribbean but is headquartered in Guyana. Mann sd Tyndall has a big expensive house he is paying the mortgage on and a lot of debts. Mann sd the P.M. must have really pressured him to get him to take the job.

Tyndall drives a Mercedes Benz

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TO: HILL

FROM: MARY RUTH

1. I think Lionel's examination of the case is perhaps much more clear than anything we could have given you, however I will add a few of the details I know in case I left them out.
 - A. The Prime Minister, Fred Wills, and the Chancellor of the Judiciary J.O.F. Haynes (top post in the judicial system) are advising Lionel how to handle the case insofar as Lionel does the research and they say whether it is good enough to present in court. The Prime Minister has called ~~Wills~~ four times according to Lionel to ask how the case was going (which is why I think Lionel has taken such a sudden interest in it). The Chancellor has called him several times but Lio has had to call Wills.
 - B. The court is going to nullify all of the orders for arrest of child and arrest of you and enter at the same time that Jeffrey Haas is not even qualified to represent the mother as he has no authority. If the Judge which Joyce appeared before on Friday remains hostile, then it will go before the Full Court and if they won't throw out the orders, then it goes before the Court of Appeal (which is the Chancellor) and he will throw it out. The Judge Aubrey Bishop asked Minister Wills why he didn't tell him government was interested. Wills, according to Wills, informed Bishop that whether government was interested or not, "bad law was bad law." There is no reason to believe that Judge Bishop will be on our side. If he finally agrees, it will be done quickly; if not it will just take a little longer. It is assured that we will win the case as it stands now.
 - C. The procedure could be drawn out, however, Wills did indicate that it would be finished before October 6.
 - D. Wills is keeping a very close eye on the matter. He even knew that Karen was waiting outside of the courtroom when Joyce was inside. However, so was Richard McCoy and his assistant Dennis Reese.
 - E. I have enclosed a letter which was sent by Luckhoo to collect fees.
 - F. Karen has not been approaching Langley at all recently because of two reasons. We ascertained that he really didn't have any large amount of money that he would be willing to spend on her, and then after getting that message, we stopped. It was very difficult to keep up with that anyway because we didn't have much spare time. However, to even get some of those outrageous fees cancelled would be quite a savings.

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TO: HILL

FROM: MARY RUTH

1. I think Joyce Touchette likes to be an alarmist. When giving you the information over the radio about the court situation, I was trying to ~~exp~~ get Joyce to explain the background that we knew from a meeting even she attended that it was very likely that the Judge would be hostile to us, but we were planning to take it to another court if he didn't agree. She made it sound like it was the end. Nothing out of the ordinary occurred. Even when they asked Hughes if Grace was coming down, he would have been a lousy lawyer to say "no".
2. Joyce has stirred more shit up here in the few days~~x~~ than anyone ever has. She has got Helen so hostile that we don't even know how to approach her. She has had to say something about us, because where Helen was relatively friendly, now we can't even approach her and she is such a bitch to newcomers.
3. The worst person for telling new people the negative aspects of Jonestown is Joyce Touchette. Joyce told Tish and a group of people that no one coming down here should be pregnant and that they should get abortions. When Tish told her that Father said that some women never get over having an abortion therefore he lets them make their own decision, she said that she still thought this was not the time for any babies and "you should have seen what happened ~~to~~ the babies during the last siege." She also made some reference to me about a walk in the bush and Marcie (the child) dying and we couldn't figure out what we were going to do. I don't know what the hell she is talking about and I certainly have enough trust in you that I do not feel it necessary to jeopardize our movement to try to clarify the situation over the radio. ~~g~~ I assume what she was trying to say was that Marcie died and was raised from the dead and I don't feel it necessary to risk adding any details. Please don't say anything about this over the radio. I brought it up because I think it is the alarmist in Joyce that likes to emphasize the negative on everything and even the way she told me would have left anyone else wondering what exactly ~~xx~~ happened. I don't like Joyce and I like her even less on this trip.

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TO: HILL

FROM: MARY RUTH

1. The evening the agricultural leaflets came in ~~was~~ was a sensational crisis. Joyce and Karen went to the airport to meet the plane. I haven't gone for a long time and Joyce said that she knew some customs agents and they were very friendly, Joyce is perhaps one of the most calm people and appearingly self-assured person I know and therefore I have a lot of confidence in her ability to handle situations that I don't think other people can handle. This happened to be one of the worst nights ever and the customs agent in charge from the evening was a mean nasty someof-a-bitth. He made all of our people hold their own passports and fill out their own forms (where we usually help them out) and made each one of them claim their own baggage (where we usually ~~we~~ claim it all together) and had them take out all of their belongings out of each trunk and bag and ~~we~~ lay it out so they could see every ~~it~~ item. When Mike Carter saw what they were doing, he just ignored six of the trunks which did not have the same markings on them. The customs people carried them away to the unclaimed baggage section. The customs man detained the radio equipment only and sent all of the rest of the stuff through. So we had six unclaimed suitcases and the radio equipment. When Joyce came home and ~~told me~~ about it, I took Joyce, Karen, and Mike Carter and went back to the airport. Joyce took the last load of people there and Karen, Mike and I stayed at the airport waiting for the customs people to show up for their morning shift. When they did, Karen and I compensated like hell and had Mike wait out in the passenger area. We told the guy that some of the people had overlooked some baggage and were going up on the boat. I told Karen anything was go to get these guys friendly to us. The customs agent who was in charge and an absolute creep came on to Karen pretty strong, so Karen ended up carrying most of that nerveracking load. We finally ended up going over to the cargo area. They opened the trunks and went through them fairly thoroughly but not looking too specifically for anything. We only had one very close call when they discovered a false bottom in one of the crates and when Karen told them it was only sheets they said o.k. and let it go. We finally got them all out of there. When that false bottom came up, ~~we~~ I thought we were headed for jail and trying to figure out what we were going to say about them (a plant--part of the conspiracy?). Karen said she didn't realize we could have been arrested for that, but she thought quickly enough or the guy was just so enamoured with her that he didn't think. Anyway, I'm glad that is over. I don't think we should risk that again for a long time. One of the guys said that someone from Telecoms told them to watch for radio transmitters.

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SUBMITTED
TO ~~D.~~ REID

Subject: Bonnie Mann's comment when he was drunk.

Mann looks at the Prime Minister Burnham as somewhat of a god-like figure. When he was drunk he made a comment about what he would do if the Prime Minister were to die and you were to be his successor. He said that you lacked the sophistication to make a leader in the world of international affairs. He grumbled other things about how Guyana would have to turn the clocks of progress backward. But what disturbed me the most is his comment that before he would see you become Prime Minister, he would shoot his way to the top. He claims that his experience qualifies him and that he would stop at nothing to reach the position he rightfully deserves.

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Tape 1. Side 1

Continuation #3

LETTER OF June 7, 1977

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- | Number | Item |
|--------|--|
| 51 | Mentions playing poker last night (nothing much). |
| 504 | Meeting Desmond Hoyte is why he is still here. |
| 580 | Appointment to meet Winston King by orders of Prime Minister |
| 594 | PA - <u>It sounds like you're ready to come home.</u> |
| 594 | EM - <u>It seems to me that the only position I could come home as is Prime Minister. I want to be primus inter pares. First amongst equals.</u> |
| 628 | EM - <u>Did you go to the P.M.'s May Day speech? I hear there was a lot of booing.</u> |
| | PA - <u>Why?</u> |
| | EM - <u>Because people are out of work, the cost of living is very high.</u> |

Tape 1 Side 2

Number Item

Nothing.

Tape 2 Side 1

The tape is broken

Number Item

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| 150 | PA - <u>Corbin seems fairly capable.</u> (Robert Corbin, Minister of State for the Ministry of National Development) |
| | EM - <u>Who?</u> |
| | PA - <u>Corbin</u> |
| | EM - <u>At doing what? Capable at doing what?</u> |
| | EM - <u>Organizing enthusiasm.</u> |
| | EM - <u>Yes, for what?</u> |
| | PA - <u>I often think that loyalty is far more important than skills.</u> |
| | EM - <u>The problem with most developing countries. They put the emphasis on the wrong things.</u> |

Cont. #6

Tape 2 Side 2

Broken tape

Tape 3 Side 1

Nothing

~~Tape 3 Side 2~~

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Tape 3 Side 2

Number Item

101 *5* What I object to in interracial marriages is that a black man usually marries well below his station. I
PA - With an egalitarian consciousness, what kind of a statement is that?
BM - I'm just telling you ~~what it's like~~ what it's like. I'm just telling you why don't these women marry black men who can't afford to support them.

504 (Talking on telephone to Rex McKay)
I was with Corbin this morning when you called... talking about Worrell's job.
(Some more talk about Worrell)

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Tape 4 Side 1

Number Item

Nothing

Tape 4 Side 2

Number Item

Nothing

Tape 5 Side 1

Number Item

135 *5* A third party is not going to run my life. Two parties, that's an agreement. I don't want to hear "what people say" or "what people think".

Tape 5 Side 2

Number ~~181~~ Item

181 Discussing the government taking over the schools. He's arguing against it on the basis of economics.

This is the tape with Desiree which could be listened to with more scrutiny if necessary.

Tape 6 Side 1

Number Item

broken tape.

Tape 7 Side 1

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Tape 7 Side 2

nothing

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Tape 8 Side 1

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Handwritten notes:
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You think things have gone three cents free here. I remember the days when Bjrnham used to say, ^{He said} "Give every poor man a car." He said, "Tax big cars or a four cylinder like mine (he had a big dodge), he said little cars like an Austin should be tax free or duty cut, you know a car is a necessity or a reasonable social ambition in a country where you don't have... ^{this and that} where you can take the family for a drive." ^{which} It was nice talk, or a nice ~~an~~ idea. Now look what a little 4 cylinder car costs, \$23,000 for a gallant or a thing. They ain't got no clerk who can buy that's for sure. A lot of rich people won't buy it either and now you can't ~~buy it~~ get any at all. Unfortunately, ~~men~~ are judged on their performance, not their words. Socialist theories are very nice, but they've got to work. They apply to people. No body is satisfied that they are on the road to socialism if one day they can see there is hunger cars going up more, ~~and they can't~~ their expectation to own a car vanish Houses are out of sight. A theory has got to work in practice.

PA Made a defensive statement for socialism.

Good intentions are not enough, Paula, no body is going to fault the Prime Minister or Dr. Reid for their good intentions to help the poor man, but you can't just have a good intention and see the means of achievement are going wrong and you just remain with the good intention. You're mad! You can't get food to eat, the next thing we ration is clothing including footwear. Look at the price of ~~fuel~~ electricity for your house. Petrol you can't get, that is the oil crisis, the subsidy had to come off flour, different things. Something is wrong with planning.

When things get hard, the harder things get, the more elitist a society becomes because a plutocracy, a rich class, Neil, Rex, Joe Chin, ~~who~~ never suffer, they can travel when they like, they can do what they like, and the scarcity only the rich people can afford.

PA-They don't travel much any more, they ~~can't get the dollars out of the country~~ don't have any dollars to get out of the country.

EM- Who says so? What's wrong with you? You mad or something? That's only what you think. Then after the wealthy, the politically powerful. They are out scotching the house when poor people and other people can't get. They'll always have ~~stinking~~ things and clothing in their house, ^{when other people can't have} and they will justify it on the grounds that they are working for the people and they should have it if they need something.

Don't include We have to stop, sit down, get the best heads together (and we ain't got many of them left) and look ~~down~~ to see what's gone wrong. To begin with, we have to have the humility to admit that something went wrong.

Tape 8 Side 2

Number Item

Nothing

Tape 9 Side 1

Number Item

Nothing

Tape 9 Side 2

Nothing.

Tape 10 Side 1

Nothing

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Tape 10 Side 2

Nothing

Tape 11 Side 1

nothing

Tape 11 Side 2

Number Item

Wound too tight. Can't understand what is being said.

136 Do you know that I love you, Miss Adams? (kind of distorted because of the tightly wound tape).

Tape 12 Side 1

Conversation #1

Number Item

283 Hey, Fred. Bonnie. Yes and tell her that there are no vacancies. I can only hope that some other mission will contact us. Sorry that we couldn't have the girl, but we're fully staffed.
I had a long talk with Gorbin and Winnie Aagard. I told them that what we should do is to move very slowly. Try to make interim arrangements until we get someone adequate for a whole lot of reasons. Worrel was fairly unique because he was a lawyer trained in American law and went to school in Washington, and knew all the judges. In the U.S., you can ring up the judge beforehand and tell him that one of your nationals is appearing before him and he'll tell you what the sentence is going to be or whether he will let him off. It is simple as that. I said that Prior and I will try to do all we can. Andrew King will continue to deal with students, Fox with passports, Prior with national's complaints, and with political work, insofar as ~~going out~~ making speeches and so on, I'll simply go and do it. As long as it is in the interim. You see, one of the problems is that Worrell was virtually an embassy withing an embassy. and if we put in anyone who is less able than he, you'll create an awful lot of friction. Secondly, I know somethings you can't find in a week or two, that kind of person. There were two people I suggested that I like, and one of them is big-fat Dundas from Springlands and the other is brown-skinned chap Hutton, but not as permanent, but to do something with the nationals. Both are pretty convincing speakers, and they could do some of the political work. That is half the problem, they wouldn't. It seems to me that Hutton or Dundas would be the kind of person to do the political work. They could act in some capacity or other. I don't Winnie Aagard or Corbin to surprise me. ~~OK I'll do it first thing when I get back.~~
Let's keep in touch. (pa a funny phrase). Essentially, he heard I was here and just wanted to have a chat and ask how I found things up there and ^{finds} ~~the things~~ very ^{hide here} ~~difficult~~. He said there were two things which were ^{a little} ~~difficult~~ for him: the ILO thing and I see in the papers that we're not doing anything so that seems to be the end of that and the second was the ~~Prin independence issue~~ ^(or ball?) that he thought we were carrying the Cuban vote in Delhi on the Puerto Rican independence issue (he is talking about John Blacken), so I told him that this is not true, that I have talked to the participants and to the contrary, we were extremely low keyed. It is wrong information. He promised to show you the cables he got out of New Delhi. I think Rashleigh should make a point to talk to Andrew Young about it. ~~Some~~ there are several points of contradiction. Surinam is getting pressure we are getting because people are saying look what happened. They are saying ~~they said that~~ that these fellows were saying that they wouldn't fly a kite for Puerto Rican independence and look what they think. And it is simply not true. And I'm going to make a point of... I'm going to try to get hold of Habeeb.

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He did mention that he had put up his request for lots of things. I said that I was glad to hear it, what did he think would come out of it? And he said that he didn't think that balance of payments, you know, cash flow on the loan, but some other form, including the type of arrangement with commodities which will be one form of assistance. He said they would probably put a package together. Then he talked about the state of the economy, what I thought, and what he thought. I didn't even know that he had seen the chief. I don't remember what day I saw him, on Tuesday or something.

They can't have it both ways. They are saying that a lot of the senators in Congress want to ensure that the U.S. system of economic assistance doesn't go to line the pockets of Elite of developing countries on the other hand when you set out to create a society, they say the elite no longer exists and they say it is socialist or communist ~~xxxx~~ That's a fairly thin point. I'm very excited about the prospects of Habeeb coming and I know he'll have a good visit. This is all very tentative and you mustn't repeat it because only you and the ~~chief~~ chief know He said that he would leave Washington about a week before the Grenada meeting of the OAS which begins in the second week, so we are really talking about a couple of weeks. As soon as I get back to Washington, I'll try to get in touch with him and find out from him what's happening. You don't plan to go ~~to~~ there of course, to Grenada. He is going to be there and so is Vance.

I think the meeting is definitely going to happen. other talk
I mean if the chief changes his mind that is his entitlement, but that doesn't mean ~~xxxx~~ we can't get an account.

What are the chief's plans, to bring him here, definitely?

Long discussion continues of foreign affairs.

He suggested to Wills to go back to the P.M. and straighten out the importance of the Brussels mission needing an Ambassador.

~~xxxx~~ He then telephones for the Prime Minister, even though he is not there to talk to Bonnie.

Tape 12 Side 2

Nothing

Tape 13 Side 1

Wound too tight. Sound distorted.

Tape 13 Side 2

Nothing

Tape 14 Side 1

Number Item

126 What is John Blacken like? EM-He's nice. A ~~very~~ nice fellow.

291 We had a long session yesterday, a small game, for 16 hours. I lost a couple of hundred, nothing much though, no big deal. (Discusses who will play poker). He uses the word played poker.

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Tape 14 Side 2

I open his mail at his request and read it to him. Invitation to JOF Haynes reception. Call the Prime Minister about the tour of Rosalyn Carter, (he asks me to remind him about this.

We discuss his business about phony investors contacting him to take advantage of Guyana.

Joe said they got a game.

It is a nice form of relaxation.

It is a very funny form of relaxation for a socialist.

I don't understand what my playing poker has to do with being a socialist. I'm not trying to rob anybody, just playing a game. You find the stakes large, you could easily play poker for pennies. Its just that I don't know how to play poker for pennies. ~~But you can't play for pennies~~ ~~xxxxxxx~~ If thats the limit that you can afford. (Explains the elements of poker). Anybody can afford to stick around for 20¢, that ain't anything. How ~~xxx~~ much you going to lose, \$20? That ain't anything.

\$20 to me is a lot of money.

Last night they had bets for a thousand dollars. the best one I made was for \$850.

I don't understand how you can afford to ~~xxx~~ play.

Does the Prime Minister know you play poker.

Yes.

I can afford this game easily. I ain't a poor man. I never have been and probably never will be.

There was a time when people played less poker here when there was more to do. Now what you going to do. There isn't very much activity. People don't invest in houses, not mubh building. Businesses arent much. Except you put your money in a bank there isn't anything for people to do like they used to: excursions, travel, are not easy. The human system must find some way of relaxing itself and one way is for people of means to play poker, or something else whatever it is, I find poker to be a pretty harmless form of relaxation as long as you can afford it. You sit for hours with big men, your out of everybodys way out of danger of accidents and gossip.

People who have manual skills hke manual hobbies.

We discuss how lazy ~~xxx~~ he is in doing anything requiring manual labour, and the elitist attitude which grows out of

He calls for the P.M. The P.M. is not able to come to the telephone at that time.

We discuss the value of Harold Robbins as a social writer. I talk about him as being a get rich and pacify the people ~~xxxx~~ author and Mann thinks he is a social commentator.

Tape 15 Side 1

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It must be idle interest or he would have contacted you by now.

He doesn't regard that as his business. He's a very funny man, he never discussed ? He would ~~conscience my being with a white woman~~ let me know that he knows something, but he'd never set out to cold-bloodedly question me unless ... You never told me he was questioning you. You said at the time it was nothing.

Well...

So the Prime Minister never asked you about your extra curricular activities.

Desiree, I remember... (Desiree Field-Ridley, Shirley's sister, was at one time Bonnie's girl friend until it turned into a big scandal and Desiree's husband divorced her over it)

When he heard about it, he gave me some kind of hint just like this time.

I don't understand the similarity. The Prime Minister was my best man at the wedding, did you know that?

What does that have to do with it?

He would have an interest in its fate.

You mean that because we've been going out for two years, that it he might think that its more

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than a passing fancy?
I don't know what he thinks. I didn't ask him. I'd be interested to find out.

Burnham's first wife was an optometrist. Viola was a classical scholar and school teacher at Bishops High school before she married Burnham.

When the Prime Minister said ~~it~~ "the girl from Peoples Temple" What did you say.

I didn't say anything. I was thrown a little bit. I don't remember, we were walking toward the car. I must have said something like "Oh, how do you know?" He said, "Nothing escapes your Father's attention son"

What do you think he will think we being from the States.

What should I do write him a letter asking his permission.

I'm not saying to write him a letter, but what do you think he would think?

I stopped thinking about that past detail about Georgetown society thinks. They have no further shocks to receive from me. I've done everything. I've been ~~witty, witty, witty~~ brilliant, I've been unconventional, I've been witty, I've been maudlin. I've done it all. I've broken up marriages, I've done the lot. There are no further shocks. I've shown my I'm very good, I'm ultrasophisticated, ultraintelligence, ultrawealth, (cut the tape at this point), ...I've done the lot. There's nothing left. There's nothing left to shock people.

I would think there would be some concern about your girl friend being from the U.S. You don't think there would be.
I don't think so.

What's wrong with dedication, working over your hours.
There's nothing wrong with that, ~~it~~ I used to.

If you don't think your appearance is important to your job, I told you that a long time ago. I think your appearance is important, but I don't think I should pay for something P.T. should pay for. I understand if it was for an abortion or something or for something for a cocktail party or for something special, I could understand that; but PT should buy your everyday working clothes. I told you one year ago that in this country your appearance is important. You don't see how Rai dresses. When I go to the Town Hall. From the time I go in there, they know it's one body important. The way I look, the way I dress, I don't look like the next man coming off the street. The same with Rai, when she goes to the Corentyne, she doesn't look like any Coolie girl coming to the Corentyne, the way she dresses, the way she looks. And that's important in a country like this..

LOOKS, Appearance, everything is appearance. ■

Well its ~~appearance~~ important.

It's important to you.

You know in the country, I don't go around a country looking like a Jesus freak as a government ambassador.

I don't think there is one thing socialist about you. ~~On~~ The socialist revolution? . You think that I ~~going~~ to punish, that I'm going to go around walking around the street like Saul.

You told me yourself that that was nothing but eating money. You were talking about 2,000 to

~~3,000~~ 3,000 dollars and you said yourself that that was nothing but eating money.

What's what I said, what else can 2,000 dollars buy. I not poor, I sit around playing poker.

What else 2,000 dollars going to bring? You can open business with that? or take off with that. I ~~can~~ more than that in a month.

You may spend more than that in a month but a lot of people don't see more than that in a year.

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~~XXXXXX~~ Tape 15 Side 2

Nothing

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Tape 16 Side 1

~~xxx~~ Nothing

Tape 16 Side 2

The Prime Minister said what? I don't think he knows you're here ~~at this time~~. What he was saying is... I don't know what he was saying. I ^{said} ~~was~~ something about my "creature Comforts", he said, yeah, the girl from Peoples Temple.

Tape 17 Side 1

Nothing

Tape 17 Side 2

Nothing

Tape 18 Side 1

Nothing

Tape 18 Side 2

Nothing

Tape 19 Side 1

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Tape 19 Side 2

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Tape 20 Side 1

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MANN'S VERSION OF
HIS BACKGROUND

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April 15th, 1977

Lawrence Mann asked me to take notes for him:

(it turned out that these notes relate to the discussions ~~which were going to be held~~ when the guests from the U.S. State Dept hold talks with the Guyana govt.)

*Tape 14
Side 2*

- I. Intra party scenario
- II. Inter party scenario
Philosophy: R/EU STRATEGY - U.S. & A.
- III. Added one point without discussing it, but I can't remember what it was.
- IV. Caricom - Guyana's role:
 - A. Historical
 - B. Present
 - C. ~~External~~ Projected
 - D. Non-alignment
 1. Present
 2. Projected
Role of U.S.A.
- V. Border situation
- VI. Economy - serious but ~~not~~ manageable,
EXTERNAL FIN. NEEDED; source important to future policy,
- VII. General International Affairs - *MANAGEABLE ONCE external finance received*
 - A. South Africa
 - B. Korea
 - C. Puerto Rico
 - D. Ethiopia
 - E. Somalia
 - F. USSR/Cuba/China/Mideast/U.N.
- VIII. *create sayings* Human Rights - press freedom, Nielsen ratings, ownership of media, political, economic & cultural rights, ~~magna~~ magna carte rights of bourgeoisie, political prisoners, Mirror, post of Leader of the Opposition, facilities therefore, consultations therewith, in train presently
- IX. *create sayings* Sugar - Gavin
- X. Other economy discussions
Other relevant ministers.

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(There was more, but we went to another room and I can't remember what it was.)

XI. Post Vance, Hussain

XII. NUJ/NPO Rights of privileged white minorities in U.K.

Conversation with Ruby Harry - (P.M.'s secret)

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Don't let me forget to take my notes. (He was holding ~~me~~ the notes I had just taken when he said this.)

PA - Ruby is overworked?

EM - Ruby is always grumbling.

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April 15th, 1977

Lawrence Mann asked me to take notes for him;

(it turned out that these notes relate to the discussions ~~which were going on~~ when the guests from the U.S. State Dept hold talks with the Guyana govt.)

- I. Intra party scenario
- II. Inter party scenario
- III. Added one point without discussing it, but I can't remember what it was.
- IV. Caricom - Guyana's role:
 - A. Historical
 - B. Present
 - C. Future Projected
 - D. Non-alignment
 1. Present
 2. Projected
- V. Border situation
- VI. Economy - serious but ~~not~~ manageable.
- VII. General International Affairs
 - A. South Africa
 - B. Korea
 - C. Puerto Rico
 - D. Ethiopia
 - E. Somalia
 - F. USSR/Cuba/China/Mideast/U.N.
- VIII. Human Rights - press freedom, Nielsen ratings, ownership of media, political, economic & cultural rights, magna carta rights of bourgeoisie, political prisoners, Mirror, post of Leader of the Opposition, facilities therefore, consultations therewith, in train presently
- IX. Sugar - Gavin
- X. Other economy discussions
Other relevant ministers.

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(There was more, but we went to another room and I can't remember what it was.)

XI. Post Vance, Hussain

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EM - For what, a thousand dollars, that ain't money.

PA - That isn't money?

EM - No. What am I going to do with it; poker money. Thousand dollars is four hundred U.S. That's money?

PA - You and I have different concepts about what money is.

Tape 1 Side 2

We discuss marriage on this side.

Tape 3 Side 2

Tape is wound so tight, I can't understand what is being said.

BB-1-ii-1

Tape 3 Side 2 (con'd)

① # 90 We don't get water, no electricity after 12. The only thing we haven't been visited with yet is bubonic plague, ~~chiggers in your toes, shankers in your scalp, gunnara in your belly,~~

Tape 3 Side 1

Nothing

Sony Side A Δ

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PA - I'm not putting you in a bad light. I'll tell him you're not feeling well, because obviously you're sick.

An argument starts. He tells me not to come back. He ain't able to live with Peoples Temple telling him how to spend his life. He then tries to reconcile and ease over things.

Olympus Side B \square

This entire side is an argument about me going home.

Side B

This entire side is a continuation of the argument about my going home.

Sony Side A \circ

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He explains that the one thing he can't live without is a big comfortable car. He likes owning a big sedan. He said that when he was young that he had normal expectations; he wants two cars. A big expensive and fairly exclusive airconditioned sedan and the other a spbrts car.

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BB-1 ii-2

Veteran reporter who discussed discipline in Russia (he discusses it critically and then compares it with how things are getting in Guyana).

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BB-1-ii-3

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BB-1-jj-3

This is information not documented which came out of his briefcase which I copied. I don't think you have seen it, therefore, I thought you might like to look it over.

I don't see that it is in anyway useful except to put more questions into Dr. Reid's head about how much I really know.

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(This is info I got out of his briefcase.)

June 1, 1977

I refer to your memorandum #NS-¹⁻²~~1242~~ dated 11th May, 1977 with enclosure, on the above subject and have to inform you that the request by the God's Word to the World Mission to visit Guyana July/October 1977 has not been approved.

Mr. Baifd for Permanent Secretary
Ministry of Home Affairs

SUBJECT: Request for visas

Guyana

Matters for discussion with Prime Minister
Lawrence Mann, Ambassador

1. Gap between ministerial and nonministerial levels too narrow, similarly overseas.
2. General vulnerability. Personal, political, and economic impact on domestic and foreign morale like jackals on a carcass.
3. Raise Brussels situation re: Harry re: invitation to Foley
4. Security (Braithwaite) taking up appointment as security officer at embassy. Discuss secondment instead of break of service.
5. Discuss newsletter.
6. Discuss Vic Persaud's transfer to New York
7. Re: Discussions with Ambassador of Iran
8. Andre *(Ansee is Mann's son who starts college at Stanford University in September)*
9. Ministerial team to convene before visit

BB-1-KK-2

Matters for discussion *Ministry of Foreign Affairs*

~~1. Discuss with Cde. Searwar the following:~~

- ~~1. Restoration of Claude Norrell's payroll for one year.~~
- ~~2. House to end of July. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~~~
- ~~3. Maintenance of house.~~
- ~~4. Domestic allowance.~~
- ~~5. Use of official cars.~~
2. Memorandum about Cde. Jonas
3. Discuss note verbal to the security exchange commission
4. ~~XXXX~~ Raise question of Andre (later crossed out)
5. Discuss flags for Caribbean American intercultural organizations ~~XXXX~~
CCAIO. Cde Forsythe said that Cde ~~XXXX~~ Ralph Chandasingh is attending to this matter. - Neil
6. Raise the question of Guyana Guidebook urgently. Guyana Overland Tours needed to supply request from U.S. citizens 300 ordered. Letter to
7. Discuss item for ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ auction for T.V. station. ~~XXXXXX~~ P.S. is requesting item to get here by end of this month.

Public Service Commission Matters for Discussion

1. ~~XXXX~~ Discuss Peter Halder and Cosmo Hamilton.
2. Discuss fees outstanding for Tuskegee with Dr. Reid and Joyce Sinclair. Public Service Training.

Ministry of Information Matters for Discussion

1. Discuss weekly news brief for WHUR.

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Ministry of Finance Matters for discussion

1. Discuss the question of executive director for Caribbean.

Ministry of Home Affairs Matters for discussion

1. Discuss visas for church people - a. policy, b. Talbot and religious groups and image relations with the U.S. et al in terms of a blanket policy or worse, a discriminatory policy e.g. Catholics, Anglicans, Black Muslim vs. sectarians. See impact on domestic politics. God's Word to the World/Dr. Singh evangelical association.

Ministry of health matters for discussion

1. GUYMED dental visit to Guyana first week of July

To remind please bring jingles for Mr. Philip Sookar

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~~Philosophy and ~~strategy~~ R/ev strategy~~ U.S. of A.

AGENDA

International image in congress and assistance

- External ~~in~~ image and points relating

invitations

Communique ~~meeting with H~~

Meeting with Minister before

Human rights ~~border situations~~ - press freedom

border situations

economic cooperation

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Tampa meeting

international politics

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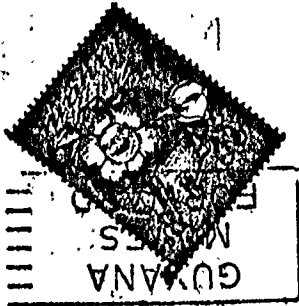
other issues

newsletter, etc.

(I believe this was an outline of the points he was to discuss with the Prime Minister when they met at 10 a.m. June?)

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Lede Paula Adams
co-ordinator
Peoples Simple Agricultural Project
Port Kaituma
North West District



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[Handwritten signature]

Office of the Commissioner,
Police Headquarters,
Eve Leary.

5.1.78

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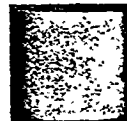
Dear Comrade,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated ^{5/1/78}
Oct 1977 concerning your application to carry a firearm.
I wish to inform you that your application is being processed,
and you will be informed of the results.

Co-operatively Yours

[Signature]
I. Commissioner of Police.

*Lade Paula Adams
co-ordinator
Peoples Temple Agricultural Project
Port Kaituma
North West District.*



TITLE OF PROJECT:

MT. HARTMAN AGRICULTURAL AND
TECHNICAL CENTRE FOR YOUTH.

LOCATION:

Mt. Hartman in the South of the island of Grenada.

PURPOSE:

The establishment of an Agricultural and Technical Centre for training out of school youth with emphasis on Agricultural skills so that they could make a useful contribution to the development of the country.

APPROXIMATE COST:

\$300,000 U.S.

COMPOSITION:

Open to youths between the ages of 16 and 20 and other ages at the discretion of the Board of Directors. Commencing with thirty (30) youngsters.

PROGRAMME OF
ACTIVITIES:

Technical and Vocational training in Agriculture (livestock, horticulture, fisheries), Handicraft, Carpentry, Joinery, Masonry and boat building, auto mechanics, commercial subjects, sports, literary and cultural arts.

FINANCE:

The initial sum of \$300,000 US. will provide the 1st phase of building (dormitories, instruction classrooms and equipment). In the 2nd phase it is expected that the occupants would build recreation rooms, livestock pens, store rooms etc. It is estimated that the enterprise should be self-supporting. The profits to be divided as the Directors decide. All monies to be placed in a Trust fund.

ADMINISTRATION:

A board of seven (7) directors appointed by the Government of Grenada. The Ministry of Youth, Development, Sport and Labour will be the executing Governmental Agency.

OBJECT OF THE
PROJECT:

The Government of Grenada has been looking for a new approach to solve the problem faced by all Caribbean States, namely that of providing a productive, practical, constructive and indigenous method of training young people who, in the main, have been rejected by society, to play a full part in normal society and it is hoped that many of these young people, as a result of their training will set standards of industry an accomplishment by which the State will continue to develop. Be it true to say that as all the well-tried methods have met with little success in dealing with this problem, the Prime Minister's flare for attempting to solve it by trying something new and unique is to be praised for if properly planned and administered it seems that it must succeed.

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(N.B.) It is hoped that the steering committee will not become/
/too rigid when it applies its rules for citizenship of the town for although one realises that the age group 16 - 20 years presents the State with its greatest problem of rehabilitation, it is obvious that there are large numbers of young people aged 13 - 16, who by truancy and various anti-social acts are showing clearly their need for character training, adult support and encouragement.

This Development Project, the Mt. Hartman Agricultural and Technical Centre will give training to youths up to the age of 20 years in basic agricultural skills and related craft. The object of this Centre is to give a secure, organised environment in which there is given sympathetic, affectionate, responsible adult supervision wherein youths can mature and develop normally, the rejection, insecurity and damage of their early years be treated so that they can become useful members of society. This will be obtained by giving good adult concern and counselling and at the same time teaching enthusiastic work habits and high standards. Through the medium of helping in the governing of their own town the youths will learn social and society responsibility as well as self-discipline. It should not be the object of this town to repress or suffocate a youth's natural ability under a repressive regime.

The Underwater World



The water surrounding Grenada—the island's "wet world"—is considered by most to be as important, if not more so, than the lush green land itself. After all, where would our tourist industry be without those gentle waves lapping at our white sand beaches and a water temperature that stays around the mid 80's even when the snow lies deepest over much of the rest of the world.

The snorkelers and SCUBA divers among you can consider your search over! For when you (who know the certain fascination of the underwater world) reached Grenada, you found your sport's Paradise. Those warm water temperatures enveloped some of the finest reefs in the Caribbean and the underwater visibility in this area reaches 150 feet.

Our reefs abound with hundreds of different varieties of coral, sponges and tropical fish and the fascination for the diver endless—limited only by the amount of air in his tank. For the novice diver, the waters are extremely safe—it's a good place to learn how to snorkel or SCUBA. (We must warn you however, 'cause once you know how, you won't want to stop!) It's not uncommon for a diver here to push the fish out of his way while he is swimming.

Some of the reefs are so spectacular that a SCUBA diver swimming in 50 feet of water will see forests of valuable black coral growing more than seven feet in length. (More about this coral on page 2). And there's endless matter for underwater photo enthusiasts with coral

in many shapes and sizes, sponges that cover a spectrum of colours.

Grenada's coastline offers unlimited protection from rough seas in its covers and the wind and rain can blow as it may without spoiling a day's diving.

Because Grenada provided hidden harbours for pirates in years past, there is always a possibility of finding that once in a lifetime wreck. One that everyone knows about and that the more experienced divers can dive on is the wreck of the Bianca C, a 20,000 ton passenger liner that went down off the coast of Grenada in 1961. (This wreck is in open water and lies deep, so it should be explored only under supervised conditions.)

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UNDERWATER TREASURE

Black coral, that rare find in water 150 feet or more in depth, can be found in several parts of the world - including Grenada. That is because the water surrounding our island is warm enough, with a temperature of over 70 degrees (F.)

Difficult to locate, and, once found, equally difficult to remove, black coral only meets its match when sighted by the diver of considerable experience. It will take a hammer, chisel or saw to remove the coral and then, because of its weight and drag this "gem" tests the ability of anyone but the experienced diver to bring it to the surface.

Because it comes in a variety of colours, black coral can be detected only by the practiced eye. Once it is removed from the ocean floor and brought to the surface, the outer covering can be removed, making the black colour distinguishable.

So pliable under water (actually resembling a bush or tree swaying in the currents) it is hard to believe that this is an actual hard coral. Braided black coral bracelets have been seen, but they must have been braided underwater! Once brought to the surface, the coral becomes hard and brittle, but when cut and polished (and there are very few of these craftsmen in the world even today), it can be made into fine jewellery. In jewellery, black coral resembles gem onyx and can be worked together with gold or silver into lovely and fashionable items.

Rare and beautiful, formed and found right here in our own waters, black coral can truly be called the "gem of Grenada".

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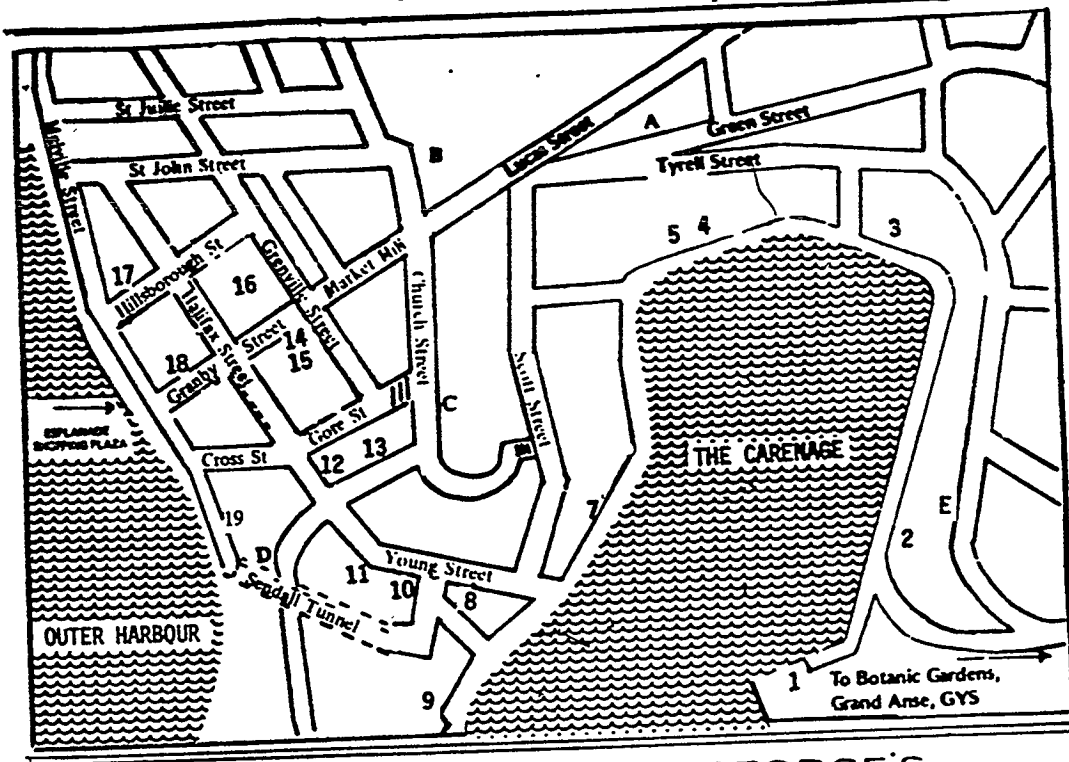
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KEY TO MAP OF ST. GEORGE'S

- 1 Tourist Board
- 2 Fire Station, Police, Immigration
- 3 Cable & Wireless Ltd.
- 4 LIAT
- 5 Barclays Bank (branch)
- 7 Veronica's
- 8 Huggins

- 9 Post Office
- 10 National Museum
- 11 Tikal
- 12 Barclays Bank
- 13 The Rattan Shoppe
- 14 Straw Mart
- 15 Yellow Poui Art Gallery
- 16 Market Square

- 17 Y de Lima
- 18 Granby's
- 19 Island Shop

- A Methodist Church
- B R.C. Cathedral
- C Anglican Cathedral
- D Presbyterian Church
- E Baptist Church

SHOP BROWSING TOUR

ON THE CARENAGE:

Shopping is easy in VERONICA'S air-conditioned store on the Carenage. Locally-made beach, patio & evening wear for the whole family in sizes SM to XL. Gift items include jewellery, dolls, bamboo cups, wood carvings, and silver spoons and charms. Special orders for clothing can be done on short notice.

ON YOUNGSTREET:

All along this street you see the name HUGGINS: Record Shop, Sports Store, Travel Agency, Dress Shop. All air-conditioned for your shopping comfort and well-stocked with a variety of selections. Need a calypso record? An extra bikini? You'll find it at Huggins.

The next stop on Young Street is a must. TIKAL is the place for fine objects d'art from Finland, Mexico, Peru, England, Haiti, Thailand and of course, the very best from Grenada. Fabrics, jewellery, glassware, beads, wooden ware - a wide variety of gifts in an attractive setting.

Just off Young Street on Church Street, is the new RATTAN SHOPPE. A small showroom where you can choose from 240 designs and 17 different colours in fine rattan furniture, this has also, a catalogue to show you for orders direct from the factory to save you money!

OFF THE MARKET SQUARE:

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stopping list for it carries a wonderful variety of straw hats for men and women, bags & baskets & mats - all made from straw and native grasses. Here you'll find native dolls, beautifully dressed, spice baskets and jewellery. Don't miss it!

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Y deLIMA, on the corner of Melville and Hillsborough Sts., one block from the Market Square, offers duty-free shopping for perfume, watches, cameras,

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WHERE TO EAT

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MANGO - that oval, somewhat flattened fruit which, though delicious, defies delicate eating. Golden in colour both on the outside and inside, the mango can be eaten plain or be used in chutney jam, preserves and desserts. There are many varieties such as "turpentine" and "grafted" - but the Julie Mango is probably most popular.

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MAPS, BROCHURES, & INFORMATION about our island can be obtained from the Tourist Board which is located at the pier at the opposite end of the Carenage from the Post Office. The phone number here is 2279.

AIRMAIL POSTAGE to the U.S., Canada, and England is 35c EC per half ounce and 18c for post cards. Deadline is 2pm daily.

When DRIVING in Grenada, the driver entering a "round about" must give way to the vehicle already on the

EASTER WATER PARADE

Shortly after 7 a.m. on Saturday, 9th of April, the second annual Easter Water Parade will be declared open in Grenada. With the release of Trinidad Homing Pigeons and the sounding a conch shells begins a full week of fun and races, cultural exhibits and shows, games and concerts.

For one full week agricultural and industrial exhibitions will be held in special booths on the Carenage and the National Museum will feature the arts, crafts and presentations of our history each day from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. There will be steelband music on the Carenage daily and visitors to the island during this time will be treated to the spectacular sight of yacht races, the first of these being the traditional Trinidad to Grenada race on Thursday April 7.

New to the yacht race portion of the Easter Water Parade will be the Petit St. Vincent to Grenada race on Friday 8th April. And on Easter Saturday there will be a sloop race from Carriacou to Grenada.

Swimming races for both children and adults will be held on Saturday, Easter Sunday and Monday and dinghy

and Laser races will go on every day through Wednesday 13th, April. There will be a water skiing exhibition at Grand Anse beach on Saturday April 9 at 2 p.m.

Cultural presentations will be held on a floating stage on the Carenage each evening and netball, basketball, and water polo games will be held on Saturday, Monday, and Wednesday. Starting times for each of these events and detailed information on the week's programme can be obtained from the Easter Water Parade Secretariat on the Carenage (next to Barclays Bank Branch).

Perhaps the highlight of the whole week, at least as far as excitement goes, will be the high speed boat races around a course off Grand Anse beach and into the mouth of St. George's harbour. Spectators will be able to see this race on Easter Sunday afternoon from Grand Anse beach.

Whether you are a keen sportsman, an avid historian, interested in culture and concerts, or a visitor looking for yet another facet of Grenada's fun-in-the-sun-type offerings, there will be several events just for you during Easter Water Parade week!

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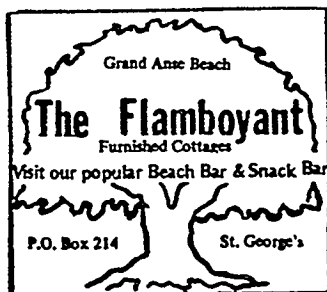
DIVING ON THE WRECK

A large school of barracuda watch over the wreck from above. A huge turtle occupies one of the underwater staterooms. And a myriad of tropical fish do what they can to make the wreck of the Bianca C one of the greatest wrecks to SCUBA dive on in the Caribbean.

Lying just west and a bit north of the tip of Pt. Saline (our lighthouse point), this wreck attracts a number of experienced divers, just as those small tropical fish hold the attraction for the barracuda. The topmost section of the ship lies just ninety feet under the surface of the sea, but the bottom of the stern is more than 200 feet deep.

Perhaps the depth at which the Bianca C rests accounts for the noticeable lack of growth on her hull, says Leroy French SCUBA diving instructor here in Grenada. Mr. French, who has dived on the wreck numerous times points out that the lines of the ship are still discernable on a clear day and a diver at the bow can see to the middle of the huge 610 ft. hulk.

As is usual in the case of sunken ships, there is talk of the treasures that went to the briny deep with her. Fortunes in cash and jewellery are said to be lying in the staterooms and in the vault-fortunes made by the Italians living in Venezuela after the war, now carrying them from that adopted country to their homes in Italy. Are they still hiding there below the sea? Perhaps only the turtle and the barracuda can tell you.



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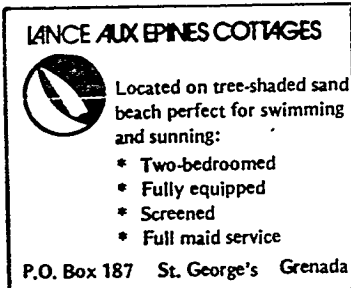
Stuffing:

- 1½ cups bread crumbs
 - 2 T chopped onion
 - ½ cup chopped celery
 - 2 T chopped parsley
 - 1 or 2 beaten eggs
 - ½ tsp salt
 - 1/8 tsp paprika
 - ½ tsp dried tarragon or dill seed
 - ¼ tsp nutmeg
- Mix all these together with a little milk, melted butter OR stock to make a loose dressing.

Preheat oven to 325°
Stuff fish loosely and sew together
Bake about 40 minutes or until done
Serve whole on platter, garnished with parsley and lime wedges and, if desired, a sauce of equal parts melted butter and sauterne.

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The best laid plans...the saying goes, often go awry. But in Grenada, for anything that was supposed to have been, but wasn't, the expression is: "Rat et (ate) that" We have heard this expression applied both to a marriage on the rocks and a cancelled party.



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Underwater World

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The snorkeler or diver should know enough not to touch the spiny black sea urchins lurking in and amongst the rocks and coral formations. The long, black

spines are painful under the skin and they can get there very easily if you're not watching where to step or touch!

On the other hand, the white sea urchin, with short whiskery white spines can be picked up, live, in the hand with no harm done whatsoever. Often times one can see workmen on lunch hour out on a reef exposed at low tide, gathering in these white sea urchins and breaking them open to get at the "meat" inside, which they eat either raw or cooked.

It's a silent, colourful, peaceful world down there. A new world. Why not explore it?

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 Archdeacon Huggins
- Methodist Church**
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 Rev. M A E Thomas
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 Rev. Michael Chandoo
- Brethren Bible Church**
 Grand Anse 11 a.m. & 7:30 p.m.
 Rev. Da Costa Christopher
 Upper Lucas St. 10 a.m.
 Rev. Milton Williams
- Grenada Baptist Chapel**
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INFORMATION ABOUT GRENADA

1. GENERAL

1.1. LOCATION: Grenada is the most southerly of the Windward Islands, which forms part of the Lesser Antilles group in the Eastern Caribbean. It lies 90 miles North of Trinidad, and 68 miles South-South-West of St. Vincent. The Territory of Grenada, includes the Grenadines - islands of Carriacou and Petit Martinique, and a number of islets all covering a combined area of 133 sq. miles.

1.2. PHYSICAL FEATURES:

The Island of Grenada is volcanic in origin. It is very mountainous with a ridge of mountains traversing the entire length of the island North to South with spurs running off on the Western and Eastern sides, The highest peak is Mt. St. Catherine, 2,757 feet above sea level. There are a number of mineral and other springs on the island, and three lakes, formed in the craters of the ~~extinct~~ volcanoes. The South coast is indented by numerous natural harbours.

1.3. CLIMATE:

The average temperature is 80°F. There are two seasons - the DRY from January to May, when it is both cool and dry; and the WET from June to December, when the humidity is high and the temperature rises to as high as 90°F. These conditions although oppressive, are not unhealthy. The rainfall varies considerably, the average for the coastal districts being about 60 inches annually, and in the mountainous area as much as 150 inches to 200 inches. The Grenadines are normally drier; on Carriacou the average rainfall is about 50 inches a year.

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1.4. POPULATION: The population is approximately 105,000, the majority being of African or mixed descent. There is also a small European population, a number of East Indians and a small community of descendants of early European settlers.

1.5. GOVERNMENT: Grenada achieved full Independence on 7th February, 1974. The country has a Parliament consisting of two Houses - The House of Representatives (15 members) and the Senate (13 members). Cabinet consists of the Prime Minister and twelve Ministers. Cabinet is responsible to Parliament. Upon Independence, Grenada became the 34th member of the Commonwealth and is a Monarchic State. Queen Elizabeth II, who is Head of the Commonwealth is Queen of Grenada and is represented by a Governor-General.

1.6. HEALTH FACILITIES: A General Hospital with 240 beds is located in St. George's. Also situated in St. George's are psychiatric and isolation hospitals, a tuberculosis sanatorium, homes for handicapped children and for the aged. The Princess Alice Hospital at St. Andrew's and the Princess Royal Hospital in Carriacou each has 40 beds. Both in St. Andrew's and in St. Patrick's are homes for the aged.

Public health facilities are provided by the district health service and the hospital service. There are five main Health Centres as well as smaller medical stations.

Malaria has been eradicated and there is PAHO programme for the eradication of yellow fever. Prevention of communicable diseases has included mass immunisation campaigns.

1.7. EDUCATION: There are 62 Primary schools; 12 secondary schools and 2 junior secondary schools. The Junior Secondary School system is relatively new. At present there is one in Carriacou and another in St. Mark's Parish, Grenada.

G.C.E. Ordinary and Advanced Levels (University entrance) are offered in the secondary schools.

The Grenada Technical and Vocational Institute provides courses in Commercial Arts, Industrial Arts and Technical Skills, while Teacher Training is provided at the Grenada Teachers' College.

Adult Education courses in Home Economics, Nutrition, Agriculture, Child Care, Handicraft, are offered by the Ministry of Community Development, while continuing education in academic subjects is organised by the University of the West Indies Extra Mural Centre.

- 1.8. AGRICULTURE: The economy of Grenada is based principally on Agriculture. In 1972 export agriculture accounted for approximately 97% of Grenada's exports. The principal export crops are cocoa, nutmeg and bananas.

Agricultural Crops Exports 1975 - Acreage under production

Cocoa	5,308,000 lbs:	16,000 Acres
Nutmegs	4,959,389 lbs:	10,000 Acres
Mace	587,803 lbs:	-
Bananas	33,001,578 lbs.	4,000 "
Cocoanuts		5,000 "
Sugar Canes		600 "
Fruit crops - Oranges, grapefruit, limes		1, 240 "
Corn, pigeon peas		3,000 "
Vegetables		230 "

Production of Spices 1973

Nutmegs	- 4.7m. lbs
Mace	- 567,259 lbs
Cloves	- 16,000 lbs
Pimento	- 13,900 lbs
Ginger	- 6,000 lbs
Sapote	- 500 lbs
Bay	- 5,000 lbs
Cinnamon	- 10,700 lbs
Tonks Bean	- 10,300 lbs
Cardamon, BlackPepper, Vanilla, Turmeric	- no figures available.

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1.9. TOURISM: The Tourist Industry has become a significant contributor to the growth of the economy of Grenada. The growth of this industry is reflected in the number of visitors arriving in the country excluding cruise ship passengers. Between 1966 and 1973 the number of visitors increased from approximately 20,000 to 40,000.

In 1973 some 18 hotels were in operation in Grenada ranging from the 186-room Holiday Inn to other hotels in the 10 to 15 rooms category. Since 1968, hotel construction rate has averaged about 95 rooms per year.

Growth of Visitor Accommodation in Grenada to 1975

Number Of Rooms

	<u>in Hotels</u>	<u>in Guest-Houses</u>	<u>in Cottages/Apts</u>
1965	214	20	41
1966	214	30	56
1967	214	40	61
1968	212	50	83
1969	332	65	253
1970	485	65	253
1971/73	526	75	260
1974/75	456	166	334

Source: Grenada Tourist Board.

Guest-houses rooms have grown in numbers at a proportionally higher rate than hotel rooms but have remained at a relatively minor level within the total number. Cottage capacity has shown a dramatic increase due to the construction of the 3 and 4 bedroom Carifta Cottages opened in 1969.

2. INFRASTRUCTURE

2.1 ROADS: Grenada possesses an excellent network of over 600 miles of road to all parts of the island, including one running right around the coast, and another almost right through the middle. Most of these roads are paved or have gravel or stone surfaces with adequate drainage to make them motorable under all weather conditions.

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2.2. PORTS AND SEA SERVICES:

The main port is in St. George's (also the Capital). It is well sheltered and has excellent berthing and docking facilities. Other ports of entry are at Grenville and Hillsborough in Carriacou used mainly by small craft.

Regular cargo services to Grenada from British, European Canadian and United States ports are provided by ten shipping lines. Inter-island passenger and cargo services are run by ships of the West Indies Shipping Corporation and numerous small schooners.

2.3. AIRPORT AND AIR SERVICES:

Pearls Airport is situated about 2 miles North of Grenville on the island's North-East Coast. Strengthening of the runway is being currently carried out. The length of the runway is 5,250 ft.

A feasibility study has been carried out in connection with establishing a new International Airport.

Air Services to Grenada are operated principally by Leeward Islands Air Transport (L.I.A.T.). Daily scheduled services through Pearls Airport link Grenada with Commonwealth Caribbean islands and are adjusted to connect with major airlines at Trinidad and Barbados. LIAT also operates daily services to Lauriston, Carriacou. Freight services are operated by Carib West, LIAT and Tropic Air.

2.4. TELECOMMUNICATIONS :

There is an island-wide automatic telephone network with seven fully automatic linking exchanges operated by the Grenada Telephone Company Limited which is owned by the Continental Telephone Corporation of the United States and the Government. Radio Telephone communication with all countries of the world is available on a 24-hour daily service.

Telex communications are operated by Cable & Wireless (WI) Limited. Service is offered from 7.00 a.m. to 7.00 p.m. daily except Sundays and Public Holidays when the hours are 4.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

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2.5. ELECTRICITY: Electricity is provided by a company operating on a joint ownership basis with the Government. Grenada Electricity Services Limited formed in 1961 to manage and expand existing services, is owned 60 percent by the Commonwealth Development Corporation (C.D.C.) and 40 percent by the Government. The Rating is 220/240 volts, 50 cycles A.C. For domestic use there is a basic service charge of \$1.50 and 15¢ per unit for the first 50 units then .10¢ per unit for other units. For industrial and commercial use the service charge varies according to the size of operations and .15¢ is the charge per unit for the first 75 units, .10¢ per unit for the next 495 units and .09¢ per unit for anything over 5,000 units.

2.6 WATER: A comprehensive programme for providing pipe-borne water to public taps on an island-wide scale was completed in 1967 with technical assistance from W.H.O. Since 1969 a Central Water Commission has been established with authority for supply. Measures have been taken to meet the rapidly increasing demand generated by tourism (amounting to over 100 gallons per head per day in the hotel area during peak season). A treatment plant for 1.35 million gallons a day and a new 9-mile distribution main have been installed, and a reservoir to hold 250,000 gallons constructed. These improvements are being carried out as part of a 20-year programme of which the main capital costs are being met by the Canadian Government on a project-to-project basis. Financing of local costs is being assisted by the Caribbean Development Bank. Water rates are payable as follows: a general rate is based on a percentage of the assessed annual rental of property; a water supply rate of 50% of the General Rate is payable annually by domestic users; a metered rate of

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\$10.. per thousand gallons per month is applicable to commercial and industrial concerns.

3. DOING BUSINESS IN GRENADA

The following Banks operate:- Grenada National Bank, Barclays Bank International Limited, Royal Bank of Canada, Bank of Nova Scotia, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Grenada Co-operative Bank Limited, Chase Manhattan Bank N.A.

3.2 CURRENCY:

Eastern Caribbean Currency is the official currency.

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3.3. CUSTOMS REGULATIONS:

No restrictions are placed on the amount of money a person may bring into the island. Household effects not exceeding \$3,600 E.C. in value may be brought in duty-free provided that proof is available that the articles had been in the owner's possession for at least one year.

Duty on motor cars is charged at 15% of the assessed value on cars of British manufacture, while duty is charged at the rate of 35% of the assessed value on cars manufactured in other countries.

3.4. DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

Passports are not required of citizens of the United Kingdom, Canada and the U.S.A. who are visiting for a period not exceeding three (3) months provided they can provide evidence of citizenship such as birth certificates and tickets to an onward destination. Visas are no longer required of visitors from West Germany. For permanent residence written application to the Prime Minister's Office on a prescribed form is necessary.

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3.5. HOURS OF BUSINESS:

Regular hours of business for Stores and Firms are from 8.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. with a break for lunch from 11.45 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. daily except on Thursday when they are from 8.00 a.m. to 12 noon; and Agencies etc. on Saturdays from 8.00 a.m. to 12 noon. Government offices from 8.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. Monday to Thursday with a lunch break from 11.45 am to 1.00 p.m. on Fridays from 8.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. Banks operate on a five-day week. Monday through Thursday from 8.00 a.m. to 12 noon. Friday 8.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon and 3.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.

3.6. IMPORTS AND EXCHANGE CONTROL REGULATIONS:

Exchange controls in Grenada are modelled closely on those of Britain. Remittances to the Sterling Area for payment in respect of goods and services are allowed freely. There are certain restrictions of transfers outside the Sterling Area. There are preferential rates on duty for all British goods, and most British goods can be imported under Open General License.

3.7. INCENTIVE LEGISLATION

The Government of Grenada encourages the establishment and development of new industries and offers generous concessions to likely investors and pioneers.

Incentives to Industry in Grenada are provided under:

- 1 - The Hotels Aid Ordinance Cap. 139 of 30th May, 1954 and subsequent amendments.
- 11 - The Fiscal Incentives Act No. 41 of 4th July, 1974 which replaced the Development Incentives Ordinance No. 20 of 1964.

These Acts are mainly geared to encourage the establishment and expansion of the hotel industry and manufacturing enterprises in Grenada by providing:

- (1) relief from customs duties on items imported for the construction, equipping and operation of enterprises. e.g. articles of hotel equipment, building materials, plant, machinery, raw materials etc.
- (11) exemption from the payment of income tax on the profits arising from the operation of the enterprise.

1 - THE HOTELS AID ORDINANCE:

A person or persons interested in conducting an hotel enterprise (not less than 10 bedrooms) in Grenada may, on application to Government, receive a licence under the above-mentioned ordinance which provides for:

- The importation free from customs duties those articles of hotel equipment and building materials meant exclusively for the construction and operation of the hotel and specified in the licence.
- the drawback of customs duties on articles of hotel equipment and building materials purchased in Grenada for the hotel enterprise and specified in the licence.
- the remittance or authorisation of refund wholly or partially of any customs duties payable or paid by the licence on the articles of hotel equipment and building materials specified in the licence.
- the complete exemption from the payment of income tax on income arising from the operation of the hotel which has been granted a licence in each of the ten years of assessment next after the year of assessment in which the licence is granted - tax holiday period.
- A company limited by shares shall be entitled during the tax holiday period and within two years thereafter to distribute a sum equal to the income arising during the tax holiday period from such hotel to the members of the company and every such sum in the hands of such members shall be exempt from the payment of income tax.

11 FISCAL INCENTIVES ACT 1974

An enactment giving effect to the harmonisation of fiscal incentives to industry among member states of the Caribbean Community. The Act is geared to promote the industrial development of Grenada by providing to industrialists.

- (i) Exemption from the payment of customs duties on the importation - from outside of member states of the Caribbean Community - of plant equipment, machinery, spare parts, raw materials or components exclusively meant for an approved enterprise manufacturing an approved product.
- (ii) Complete or partial exemption from the payment of income tax on profits arising from the sale of the approved product for a specified period;
- (iii) Net losses incurred during the tax holiday period may be carried forward for the purpose of set-off in computing the profits of an approved enterprise for the five year period following the tax holiday period;
- (iv) Dividends when paid to shareholders or their nominees (including a company) during the tax holiday period are exempted from the payment of income tax.

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For the purpose of determining the length of the tax holiday period, industrial enterprises are grouped. More favourable treatment is given to those enterprises having a higher local value added content and to those enterprises that export to extra-regional markets a significant proportion of the manufactured product.

<u>ENTERPRISE</u>	<u>LOCAL VALUE ADDED</u>	<u>TAX HOLIDAY (YEARS)</u>
Group I	50% or more	15
Group II	25% or more	12
Group III	10% or more	10
Enclave	-	15

3.8. INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Grenada has a growing young population and new job opportunities must be found since agriculture, by itself, cannot provide all that are required to improve the quality of life in this country. In 1972 the Economist Intelligence Unit, a firm of industrial consultants in London, was commissioned by the Caribbean Development Bank to study the possibilities of establishing manufacturing industries in Grenada and other territories of the East Caribbean.

The Report concludes that less developed English speaking territories in the Caribbean provide a sound base for the establishment of labour intensive export industries and has identified the following industries as providing attractive opportunities for export to North America and Europe:-

- Electrical accessories; electronics; knitted piece goods;
- outer garments; intimate apparel; underware; plush toys;
- canned fruit; leather goods; sports goods; costume jewellery.

For each of the above industries, the EIU prepared a complete set of prospectuses which describes the market, the kind of equipment required, the labour force, capital, costs and prices, and estimates of the rate of return on capital.

These preliminary feasibility studies are available to potential investors.

Conscious of the desirability of promoting industrial development

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in Grenada, and recognising the urgency of the need to provide the necessary inducements to foreign investors, the Grenada Government has decided to establish an industrial estate with six factory shells 120' x 50' in the first instance at a site in Queen's Park about one mile from the port and harbour in St. George's.

3.9 HOTEL AID: An Hotel Aids Ordinance provide for:

1. Duty free importation of building materials and hotel equipment as specified by the license granted, and
2. complete exemption from profits or dividends from the hotel enterprise for a period of ten years.

3.10 INCOME TAX: Income Tax is payable upon incomes accruing in or derived from the island or elsewhere. However, Double Taxation Agreements exist between Grenada and the United Kingdom, the United States of America, Canada and certain countries having Double-Taxation Convention Agreements with the United Kingdom. Personal allowance is \$1,200 E.C. Rate of tax upon the chargeable income of a company is 45%.

RATES OF TAX:

Individuals

For every dollar or part thereof of the chargeable income:

First	\$ 1,000	5	Gents
Next	500			7	..
.	500			9	
.	500			11	
.	500			13	
.	500			15	
.	500			18	
.	500			21	
.	500			24	
.	2,500			30	
.	2,500			36	
.	2,500			44	
.	2,500			52	
.	5,000			62	
Over	20,000			65	

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Companies

On every dollar 45 cents

Allowances for Individuals

- (a) Personal allowances: \$1,200 for a resident in the Country.
- (b) Life Insurance premiums: premiums up to one-sixth of chargeable income after deducting the allowance at (a) above or 7% of sum assured but not exceeding \$1,440.
- (c) Allowances for wife \$500; each child up to the age of 16 or over the age of 16 in the case of a child receiving full time instruction as a student \$300 each.
- (d) Allowances for dependent relatives (not more than 2) \$120 each. Allowance for housekeeper \$120.

3.11 POSTAL RATES:

North & Central America: Airmail - Letters 35¢ per ½ oz.
Postcards 12¢

South America: Airmail - Letters 35¢ per ½ oz.
Postcards 18¢

Europe Airmail - Letters 40¢ per ½ oz.
Postcards 20¢

United Kingdom Airmail - Letters 35¢ per ½ oz.
Postcards 18¢

Windward & leewards -
Jamaica Airmail - Letters 8¢ per ½ oz.
Barbados Postcards 6¢
Trinidad

French & Dutch West Indies -
U.S. Virgin Islands Airmail - Letters 15¢ per ½ oz.
Postcards 10¢

3.12 REAL ESTATE AGENCIES & DEVELOPMENTS

- FORT JEUDY DEVELOPMENT, P.O. Box 262, St. George's.
- GRAND ANSE DEVELOPMENT, P.O. Box 386, St. George's.
- GRENADA PROPERTY MANAGEMENT LTD. P.O. Box 218, St. George's.
- HOLIDAY SERVICES P.O. Box 262, St. George's.
- LEVERA BEACH DEVELOPMENT, Sauteurs, St. Patrick's.
- MOUNT ALEXANDER DEVELOPMENT, P.O. Box 201, St. George's.
- WESTERHALL POINT & WESTERHALL BACOLET, P.O. Box 164,
St. George's.
- VOINEY AGENCIES, P.O. Box 23, St. George's.

3.13 SALE OF LANDS

All persons who are not British Commonwealth citizens, wishing to own lands or take shares in locally registered companies are required by law to obtain a licence from Cabinet. Before such licence is granted, however, each applicant is screened as to his or her background, financial standing and general suitability. As long as Government is satisfied as to the particulars reported in all these aspects the licence is issued.

Sometimes, however, depending on the source of the application and location of the area sought, this processing might take any time up to three months to be concluded, but the period is generally much shorter. While this might seem somewhat time absorbing, Government reviews cases with all reasonable despatch.

If the application is for the release of lands, the processing necessitates a report from the Land Use Division of the Department of Agriculture as to the suitability of the land for cultivable purposes, among others. The main reason for this is to achieve a balanced development, without detriment to the agricultural potential of the territory, and in pursuit of this, a broad scheme for zoning for tourist and similar development is followed.

Lands in the South West and Eastern parts of the island as well as some areas in the Northern part for instance, are considered suitable for development other than purely agriculturally. If, however, the land Use Division's survey reveals that agriculturally potential land exists within the areas sought to be required, a licence will be issued with restrictive terms to ensure that the agricultural portions are utilized for agricultural purposes.

This is the general basis on which licences are issued to aliens for holding lands in Grenada, and it has no relation to the size of the holding. Government, however, has decided against granting licences to aliens for islets around the territory.

LAND AND HOUSE TAX

Tax is normally chargeable on houses at a rate of 8% of the assessed (rental) value. A tax is imposed on land at 50¢ per acre or part of an acre (East Caribbean Currency).

A charge of \$5 per acre in respect of non-resident aliens.

4. LABOUR SUPPLY

4.1 Island Labour Supply - Approximately 40,000.

4.2 Employment Figures: (1971 figures)

Agriculture, Forestry, Farming, Fishing ..	7,948
Commerce	3,616
Construction	3,859
Transport & Communication	3,332
Services (Teaching, Government, Electricity, Gas, Water, etc.)	4,847
Manufacturing	2,527
(Self employed not included)	<u>26,129</u>

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HOTELS

BLUE HORIZON	- 16 Suites	- Morne Rouge, St. George's.
CALABASH	- 20 Rooms	L'Anse Aux Epines, St. George's.
CINNAMON HILL	- 20 Suites	Morne Rouge, St. George's
CRESCENT INN	- 14 Rooms	Belmont, St. George's
CALIVIGNY INN	- 14 Rooms	Calivigny Island, S.E.
GRAND ANSE BEACH	- 36 Rooms	Grand Anse, St. George's
HAMILTON INN	- 14 Rooms	Lowthers Lane, St. George's
HOLIDAY INN	- 186 Rooms	Grand Anse, St. George's
HORSE SHOE BAY	- 12 Rooms	L'Anse Aux Epines, St. George's
RIVIERA	- 20 Rooms	Grand Anse, St. George's
ROCK GARDENS INN	- 11 Rooms	Tyrrel Street, St. George's
ROSS POINT INN	- 12 Rooms	Belmont, St. George's
SECRET HARBOUR	- 20 Suites	L'Anse Aux Epines, St. George's
SILVERSANDS	- 33 Rooms	Grand Anse, St. George's
ST. JAMES	- 12 Rooms	Grand Etang Road, St. George's
SPICE ISLAND INN	- 30 Rooms	Grand Anse, St. George's
TROPICAL INN	- 10 Rooms	Morne Rouge, St. George's
TRUE BLUE MOTEL	- 50 Rooms	True Blue, St. George's.
	<u>530 Rooms</u>	

GUEST HOUSES

ADAMS GUEST HOUSE	- 8 Rooms
BOUGAINVILLIER BOWER	- 9 Rooms
ELITE GUEST HOUSE	6 Rooms
OTWAY'S GUEST HOUSE	5 Rooms
PLAIN VIEW GUEST HOUSE	6 Rooms
ST. ANDREW'S GUEST HOUSE	4 Rooms
ST. ANN GUEST HOUSE	12 Rooms
S.M'S INN	10 Rooms
SKYLINE GUEST HOUSE	7 Rooms
WINDWARD SANDS INN	8 Rooms
WINTER REST GUEST HOUSE	6 Rooms

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GUEST HOUSES (CONT)

CARRIACOU

AMIGO'S GUEST HOUSE - 8 Rooms
MERMAID TAVERN - 12 Rooms
MODERN GUEST HOUSE - 5 Rooms
SILVER BEACH RESORT - 8 Rooms

114 Rooms

COTTAGES

BAKER'S COTTAGE - 3 Rooms
CARIFTA COTTAGES -
THE FLAMBOUYANT -
THE FLYING DUTCHMAN -
HIBISCUS HOUSE - 3 Rooms
KISKADEE COTTAGE - 3 Rooms
MIRABELLE COTTAGE - 2 Rooms
MORNE ROUGE COTTAGES - 4 Rooms
PROMOSO COTTAGE - 3 Rooms
SOUTH WINDS COTTAGES -
SUN VALLEY COTTAGES -
VOLNEY AGENCIES -

APARTMENTS

BEVERLEY FLATS
DOLPHIN APARTMENTS
HOLIDAY HAVEN
JAMES' FLATS
THE KARAWAK
OTWAY'S PALM BEACH APARTMENTS
PALM COURT MAISONNETTES - 10 Rooms
STONEHAVEN APARTMENTS -
TWELVE DEGREES NORTH -
WAVE CREST APARTMENTS -

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AGRICULTURE & LIVESTOCK COMMISSION

Minutes of February 14, 1978

Secretary: tl

Analysts present: Jim Morral, Russel Moton, Jan Wilsey, Jack Barron, Gene Chaikin, James Simpson, Philip Blakey, Guy Mitchell and Rob Gieg.

Chairperson for the meeting: Jack Barron

Followup:

Insecticide barrel--Tommy repaired and sealed the banana oil barrel.

Dogs to fields: Jans crew took some dogs to fields; Learning is taking one or two; Chaikin has adopted a dog and giving it time. Others still need to give more attention..

Map Numbering Fields: Started at analysts meeting Sunday night. Initial work is done.

Grenadilla vs
Pumpkin

Jack says the nutrients in pulp are approximately the SAME.. and seeds in both can be eaten. Pumpkin seeds are perhaps a little more valuable, being approximately 50% oil and 30% protein, and being a strong deterrent to certain parasites, according to Dr. Schacht. We have enough land so are planting both. The seeds of grenadilla have a few more uses.

Project-wood

H.S. is to start a project searching for wood we can use in our sawmill operations.

Livestock

Jim Morrel reported: pushing the well, we are in a time of long dry and this is important to the stock. Jan's crew getting the poles; 100 along road and they have more in the bush. Have enough for what is scheduled. Must dig well deeper, also.

Chickenry

37 died out of 584; they had broken tongues from being pipped and starved to death. JJ said no more pipping.

Dr Fernans said if using commercial feed, use only the egg ration, it contains shell and all needed. 18 mo is end of prime laying age; chickens start laying at 6 mo; after 12 mo of laying, they are past their prime. Should go in pot then.

Need more air circulation in pens; slight modifications will accomplish this. Need to build up a supply of layers. Can purchase layer chicks; roosters are tearing up the hens-remove some of them. 90 hens and 75 babes; not been sexed yet. Rob plans to divide pens to upper and lower. Have broilers for sale every 3 weeks with no additional pens..

Not counting the pullets, we have total of 395 hens and 46 roosters. The pullets are hens that have not yet begun laying. Of the pullets, we have 90 that are sexed, and additional 75 chicks that we have not yet sexed.

Again, by dividing each pen in half, and then each side into an upper and lower cage, we could use this for incoming chicks; we would have broilers for

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This would leave one pen for storage and a work shop. Also, this is leaving coups #1, 2, 3 and 4 for our own laying hens. The framework would be built out of poles; we would need chicken wire and a small amount of lumber for flooring in the small second-level cages. ON S. TURDAY, I WILL HAVE A COST ESTIMATION PREPARED.

This week we screened in the isolation coups and built a partition in coup #1 to separate the Jonestown chicks from the pullets because they were not able to get to the feed and water.

We screened the chickens away from rodents this week and separated out the very young ones. Egg production was down today, partially due to pipping.

Dr. Fernans said his Dad has a chicken farm; they don't pip. they have great success. PIPS ARE A DEFICIENCY, AND DR. FERNANS WILL RESEARCH IT FOR US.

Egg count: 12th 239
13th 176
14th 228 643 usually get this much in 2 days.

Larry commented Fernans said pip is amino acid deficiency re the corn; will research it.

Marshall Farris asked about the molting season..

Our chicks are hybrids; 9 weeks are ready for market. Mixture of 4 different kinds, bred for production & fast growth.

Sm Animals

Chris said have now spaed 8 dogs; 2 more by the vet that came out. Had a litter of 3 bunnies. Hated another rabbit yesterday; has 28-30 day cycle.

Russell

Doing soil analysis of newly cleared fields this week. Becky Flowers is working with me, and has made helpful suggestions already.

Guest told us to contact another since Mon Rapo didn't have the pertinent information, will be contacting them.

Dr. Fernana said in order to make decision on cutlass bean protein, we needed to find out the amino acid content which Mon Rapo cannot do; will have to get it done in Trinidad.

Insecticides

Earnesting reported Dr. Fernans said dry is ideal time to fight flies; in China they keep at it and break the cycle of maggots. Wny wet places should be watched.

2/12 Marie Rankin sprayed around 15 houses; in windrow for mosquitos and also sprayed for maggots. Sprayed toilets for flies.

Bob Davis sprayed all the peanuts for Jack Barron, 5 tanks. Cannot give price because have not received it from Georgetown.

Field & Rice

12th All Crews I, II, III and IV plus learnin' c ew cutting second growth down behind chicken house.

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13th All crews I, II, III and IV
Completed cutting the 10 acres of 2nd growth
behind chicken houses in the 1st 3 hrs of day.
Helped with maintenance around piggery; helped with
digging of well; cut poles for well in the bush,
going out to the head of road; about 70 poles cut.

14th All Crews I, II, III and IV
Helping with the maintenance at piggery;
Cut poles for well in the bush going out to head
of the road. total 100 poles plus, carried poles
out of bush to path. The poles weigh 150# or more.

Sr Garden Report

Dorm 4 is growing: black eyed peas; cutlass beans;
pumpkins; corn; 7 banana trees; and sweet potatoes,
by Leola Horthead.

Dorm 5, by Vallerstean Jones: 6 rows of cutlass beans;
13 rows cutlass beans; 11 rows cutlass beans (30 total).
3 rows peanuts by Frances Stevenson

1 row pumpkin, Lucy Miller
1 row collards; 1 row garlic; 12 rows okra; 3 rows
peas; 2 rows of corn by Lula Ruben; 14 black eyed
peas; 2 rows collards; 1 garlic & onions; 8 pineapple;
7 banana trees; 10 rows sweet potatoes; 3 pineapple;
1 row of beans; 3 banana trees; --Artie Harper.
Amanda Fair & Claude Goodspeed: Dorm 3

have 4 rows bora beans; 3 rows sw potatoes; 2 rows
peanuts; 4 hills pumpkins; 1 row onions; 8 banana
trees;

By Hazel Hown and Earlene Watkins: 9 rows cutlass
beans; 5 rows squash; 5 rows pumpkin; 5 rows okra;
4 rows black eyed peas; 1 row of onions.

Mary Bailey: 1 row of edoes;

Helen Snell and Dorm 2

has 4 rows corn; peanuts between corn and okra.

Gladys Jackson: 2 rows peanuts, 1 row okra,
2 rows brown beans Dorm 2.

Louella Brown, dorm 2

Pineapple, 12 banana trees; 2 rows collards; 4 rows gar
garlic; 2 rows beans; 3 rows tomatoes; 6 bayberry
tree..

Ruth Atkins C-7: 8 rows pumpkin, 4 rows eddoes,

Geneva Beal: 2 rows corn, cutlass beans, 15 rows of
corn, black eyed peas between corn, 5 rows pinto
beans, 1 row of white beans.

Garden crew

Picked 257# greens; 149# radishes, 20# okra, 5# celery.
Weeded 475 feet in west garden

Watered daily

picked also

~~257#~~ 201# squash, 40# bora beans.

Planted 1 1/3 row shallots 175' long;

replanted 18 beds watermelon, replanted 10 beds
pumpkin; replanted 4 rows radishes 275'; 1 row
tropical vegetable 175 ft.

Helped Laura's crew in Cutlass bean field. Some of
garden crew helped clean fish. Weeded 475 ft in West
garden; set out stakes on 2 pumpkin rows 550 ft long.

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Citrus & Nursery-Becky Flowers

Water wing beans and citrus trees in cottage area; Bait 2 acoushi ant nests; maintenance work in the sawmill citrus trees; stake trees in section 7 along the road; burn wood in new planting area; help with watering the garden; completed section 8 spraying, cultivating and fertilizing.

Maintenance in nursery; bagged 45 fruit trees; planted 5 trays of fruit trees seeds.

Made 1 ton of potting soil.

Gene located some trees that can be used for lumber in our construction.

Bananas

Lee asked if we are getting enough planting material? Had heard we are not. Danny said 193 suckers addition -al in the propagation field; 1 field has 100 suckers; 2 smaller fields of Cayenne with 35 each and mixed with Plantain; fig and dwarf.

Gene is concerned with priorities of crew. In propagation field, about 330, will increase 2 to 1. so whole only increases 1 1/2 acres per year. Not big production: 400 trees = 660 production so just over 1 1/2 acres per year.

Gene suggested system of taking the prime stalk, the med. and follower -- 3 in all, a common system. Otherwise a lot of stake to be put up as weakens the plant structure and pulls down in wind. Could pull suckers from bigger Cayenne field. Gene estimates that in 1 banana field above the garden we have in excess of 1000 suckers currently. Gene advises to cut them out and plant them as soon as possible. Would rather see us use our own material rather than bring in any disease from the fields downriver.

Danny says 2-3 suckers a year; reaped 3-4 times he knows of on some trees. Don also thinks production more than 2-3 times a year.

Gene said field of propagation should be expanded.

Dan: Do we have enuf Cayenne suckers right now?! Considering to plant whole thing or split corm?

Jeff said 20 per year..must cut back central stock at least once a ~~year~~ week.

* MARKETTING INFORMATION NEEDED. Patty said private buyers do not buy bananas..govt is only one outside Georgetown that buys them. CHECK WITH GUYANA MARKETING CORPORATION (JOL LAMBERT) RE THIS AND SELL TO GOVERNMENT OR GEORGETOWN OURSELVES.

* Danny is to meet with Jeff re the "ringing" of the suckers.

Inventory

JAN ASKED FOR AN INVENTORY OF THE CAYENNE ON WHOLE FARM. How long since he has done it? --never-- and when will it be done? --said Saturday next meeting.

Jeff mentioned Lokaton Cayenne, disease resistant and high yield --an East Indian guy had it and offered to us.. had to leave. Working with chickens at time

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Man is in B. A. I.
Gene declared not worried about disease if within 20 mi from Kaituma, but concerned beyond that. Pomeroon is where large plantations are--much disease. Not mind going to Aracaca for planting material.

Theresa mentioned that in large commercial farms they kill suckers; their bunches are 50-100#; Dan said total # pounds on pruned trees is very slight margin--ultimately nearly same # of pounds per year.

Gene: lets split them up as fast as we can to have more that way..JAN suggested trying different way than propping. Danny said he still has to get with Charlie and get the wire ordered.

DR. FERNANS SAID WE ARE THE FULLEST SOCIALIST COMMUNITY IN THE WORLD. THOUGHT WE WOULD HAVE TO USE STRONGER METHODS..SURPRISED TO BE WITHOUT VIOLENCE...

Grubbs Rehabil proj- Charlie said located wood can be used at old sawmill site. JJ said priority! Must rehabilitate them.

Plantain

Ellem commented we should grow more plantain now that we have learned to make the flour; we can be more self sufficient and less dependent on wheat flour.

Danny said a lot of plantain --have over 750 trees now that will be ready around summer.

Gene said in windrows, old state farm used to have some; go to Ramhiryan and ask to take out the plantain. MAKE IT PRIORITY NEXT ONE GOING TO TOWN.. Russell do.

Darrell: a stove and grill was proposed: see attached special report on this.

GENE SUGGESTED skillets used in oven like we bake our bread; It was said we could use cast iron to make a grill--if someone would procure some cast iron then would not have the warping. Tom said could construct veins in bottom of skillet and increase heat conduction.

Charlie said that grill plate is special non-porous and very smooth, normal steel might not work as grill plate. Many are now made of stainless steel. Tom said stainless won't work--no way of bonding 2 together. Earnestine is in favor of cast iron.

Anita: Were sugar plantations in Georgetown; see if can get castiron utensil from old plantation; cast iron factory in gtn. Make special order. See what can be found in this area.
REV. It is called grill because it is non-porous. Grill steel should be used.

WINDMILL-

see attached report. JJ said if there is merit to the proposal, it should be done. Was referred to Steering committee.

Jack Barron Rpt

Peanut and surrell-I put on bucket of tsp for peanuts; no tractor or trailer service has kept us away from the peanuts and sorrel. We have some

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Peanuts & Sorrel - sorrel plants 1 foot high waiting for some good rain to transplant. Peanuts were sprayed --25 gallons.

Brick We have 14 bricks formed for drying. The 5 bricks which came out of the fire this morning were of good quality. The good quality were made with 100% clay. One all white and one 50% white and 50% red clay. These two types will be used for immediate production. A 300# test was made on the 100% white clay brick.

Must slow the preliminary drying process. Pat Grunnet advised as to how they did it where she was in Africa.

Jak said takes about 2 weeks; dry 7 days; heat up 7 days and cool off 7 days. Jeff said the white Kalamite mine in Brazil is big \$\$ in Brazil. Might be worth mining as it is source of industrial income.

Firebrick and ceramics just like steel can be made from it, and can do more with it. Ludwig in Brazil made a fortune in it. CHECK IN MINING JOURNALS IN THE STATES and have them check it out and get the information.

Science class questions:

- 1) Area behind old sawmill should be plowed up; ALREADY DONE.
 - 2) Soccer field--Mike to plow it in couple days; will do adjacent field at same time.
 - 3) Bush cabbage-heart of Palm--Takes 10 years to first harvest..
 - 4) Jackpath to Lynetta Lane? 1st period class volunteered to take it on.
 - 5) Students can take notes only if for science--Ushers to watch!
- EX Dr Ferrans (said JJ) told us he never saw leadership participate like it does here! Even Guyana has it over Cuba with no pomp and ceremony used in other socialist parts of the world.

INCUBATOR--JJ said Dr. Fernans said we need 200 egg incubator. Get the roosters out.. Most of our hens seem too old. Roof should go way out, lot of circulation.

TELL GEORGETOWN TO GO OVER TO DR. FERRANDS AND STAY THERE COUPLE DAYS AND LEARN ALL THEY CAN ABOUT THE CHICKENS.

Julie was down there when chicks came in; Julie and Florine Douglas were down there day baby chicks were pipped.. TABLE IT.. JUVANTS TO KNOW ABOUT 47x \$13.

Dr. Fernans said use pupane if worms; takes care of them all.

JJ: WHEN SLAUGHTERING, CHECK AND SEE IF ANY WORMS. WAS IN HIS CRAW.. CHECK NEXT FEW CHICKENS.

NEWCASTLE--a virus that runs rapidly thru flock; 1 year cycle on layers; suggests we use live vaccine. Is worldwide disease, has wiped out most of chickens in No. America.

Feed Said Cassava okay for bulk in the feed --but need to add concentrates of vitamins and minerals.. Buy in concentrated form. Add churn minerals. Showed how to figure for balance.. Chip and dry overnight; soak it; no cyanide to bother us --said cheaper in long run.

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R Research our access to the vitamins and mineral concentrates, said JJ.

ANYONE WHO CAN'T PASS 50% of questions will be eligible for learning..

Pigfeed

Dr. F. said #104, for pigs, can be eaten by cattle; the #105 churn minerals for cattle cannot be eaten by pigs because they do not have enough stomachs to digest the added fiber that is put in cattle feed.

Space

Figure 1 sq. ft. per bird: 500 chickens: 500 sq. ft.

Contamination

Jim Morrell said chickens at piggery okay, but should not be overdone. As long as on oppo side, CAN have germs passed: can carry manure from one place to other on feet--transmits all sorts of parasites and disease. Cocksilliosis can be passed to hogs.

R Charlie mentioned small birds cannot stand drafts.. JJ SAID POSSIBLY ASK DR. FERNANS TO DINNER AT HOUSE IN GTN.

Keeping time now for wage figures.. Jj wants costs figured.

Fernans remembers when Joyce was ohly female here.

Land clear

Biggest problem is portion that appears from the road. Should be cleared. Is an eyesore.

Dr Fernans said Guyanese were not willing to endure the hardships.

J says they may need tight controls and regimentation to get it done in Guyana.. Discipline; in Cuba they do not fool around.. REMINDE JJ TO TELL WHAT HE HEARD... he mentioned Jagan's name...

DAD...

Dad's motto: From each according to his ability; to each according to his need.

CUBA MOTTO IS: FROM EACH ACCORDING TO HIS ABILITY: TO EACH ACCORDING TO HIS "WORK."

Dr. Fernans said Seniors should work and be productive

New area

Mike mentioned area by new toilet; storage area for wood; remove scrap wood and plow. JJ AGREED.

Herbs

Freezedry was confronted on his irresponsibility; Shirley Fields was placed in charge of herbs, and Fannie Jordan and others can help her..some of the seniors might help, Dad said.

See PEOPLES RALLY MINUTES FOR BALANCE OR MEETING...
Vernetta takes minutes on the Rally subjects.

Special reports attached.

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Cassava Mill No longer in operation as of this date.

TRACTOR 12th Disked 2 areas on road for cassava; quit at 1pm to go unload the boat.
13th Unloaded boat
14th Rotovated peanuts in field 6; rotovated 6 beds in west garden.

CASSAVA CREW 12th Planted 8 sections at corner of road on the left hand side; we weeded papaya trees at back of same field.
13th Went down road 1/2 mi past piggery to do maint. work. Weeded 95 rows on the rt hand side of road, and 23 rows on left side. There was 1 bag cassava bagged and delivered to the mill. Mary Wotherspoon will be checking with me daily in reference to needing more cassava for cookies or cereal.
14th Weeded first couple fields around bend; 223 rows on the right hand side and 198 on left. We went down road about 11:30 am to plant cassava in field past mill on left hand side. Completed 19 1/2 sections.

Took survey for discolored leaves in fields that are planted all the way down the road to banana trees. Problem in first area on rt side; survey was turned over to Russell.

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SMOKEHOUSE EXPERIMENT-- Don Fitch

With collected ideas from personal experience, advice and pictures of smoke houses, we have come up with a pretty reliable, easy to operate meat smoker. The method we used can be utilized with many variations of bigger scale and design.

Our smoker was made from an old refrigerator, with a half barrel used as a stove and a pipe connecting the two things learned from this test are:

- 1) our stove produced many times more smoke than we needed so the same sized stove can be used on a much larger walk-in type.
- 2) Fish should have skin left on for better results;
- 3) Fillet of fish should be boiled or have skin to keep from sticking, while fish steaks have no problem about sticking to the racks.
- 4) Top of box cooks faster even though heat comes from bottom.
- 5) Banana leaves made good smoke. Locust bark after used up as tea are also good. Some of the woods work well too.
- 6) I think twin smoke houses could be built. One for the curing process, and the other for storage with very, very cool smoke. Details can be worked out.

I am sure Gene has made his own discoveries along with everyone else's ideas; I think we can come up with the perfect meat curing process.

P. S. MAYBE DRIED BANANAS, OR SWEET POTATOES OR ANYTHING CAN BE TRIED...

GRENADILLA: Chemical analysis--

The flesh 93.7% water, 0.7% protein; 0.2% fat; Carbohydrate 4.3%; fiber 0.7%; ash 0.4%; The seeds and aril (seed covering) have about 17.6% carbohydrate.

Uses: The flesh and pulp of the fruit are edible and are eaten alone or in fruit salads. They are used to flavor ice cream and sherbets to make a cooling drink and jam. The tuberous root is usually regarded as poisonous, although they are said to be eaten in Jamaica as substitute for yams

PUMPKIN: Chemical analysis--

The edible portion, about 70% in mature fruits, has the following approximate composition: water 90%; protein 1%; fat 0.2%; carbohydrates 8%; fiber 0.5%; The immature fruits contain more water and less nutrients, but have less waste. The seed kernels contain 40-50% oil and 30% protein. Largely used in pies and sandwiches.

FACTORS... Grenadilla has more variety of uses; pumpkins can be grown in the field; grenadilla has to grow in an area by itself. We can grow both, and pumpkins can be and are grown in the rows and fields now. Grenadilla should be grown in both windrows.

Pumpkin can be grown in the triangle between the windrows and the present garden area behind Dorm 5, 1/2 acre; after pushed out.

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Grenadilla bears continuously.

Pumpkin has to be replanted twice a year.

Grenadilla does not need to be fertilized or given special care, or sprayed. A wild fruit in area.

WINDMILL:

Dad (from Peter Wotherspoon) --In Jtn we don't have consistently high winds that would make wind a good source of power, but I think the trade winds might still be harvested to obtain useful work.

I propose we build a windmill with collapsible vanes to avoid high wind damage. A small windmill such as midwestern farmers construct on a tower, could be geared or adapted to pump water, mill cassava flour, run a small charging generator or turn a fan for drying. The tower could be constructed in such a way as to provide a high look out post for security with field glasses. Perhaps wind power might be adapted for irrigation during the dry spell.

LARGE GRILL OR SKILLET: A large skillet, metal exposed to uneven heating over a long period of time. Such as occurs with our present wood fire and stoves, tends to sag and dent and does not lend itself to the even distribution of oil as is needed for a skillet.

solution: A SEPARATE sheet of metal, crimped on the edges to keep oil from running off could have handles welded on the edges for easy removal and carrying. The skillet would cover the whole top of the regular stove, laying on top and acquiring heat by transfer. It would only be exposed to heat while the actual cooking is being done; so it would not be weakened as the regular stove tops are. Also, removal would make it easier to clean.

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Chairperson: Guy Mitchell, analyst

- 1) Followup & Announcements
- 2) Fields & Rice-John Wilsey
- 3) Gardens -Simpson & Shirley S.
Waterpump for Agric previously
approved. What happened?
- 4) Senior Gardens-Selika B.
- 5) Cassava-Margarita Romano
- 6) Citrus & Nursery-Becky Flowers
and Gene Chaikin
- 7)
- 7) Bananas - Danny Futulas
- 8) Peanuts and Sorrel-Jack B.
- 9) Tractors -Philip Blakey
- 10) Land Clearing -Mike Touchette
- 11) Herbal Gardens-Shirley Fields
and Fannie Jordan
- 12) Cattle, Pigs & Horses-Guy Mitchell
- 13) Chickenry-Rob Gieg
- 14) Small Animals-Chris Tally
- 15) Cassava Mill or Cane Grinding-Mary W.
- 16) Agronomy & Composting-Russell
- 17) Insecticide Usage-Ernesting Blaire

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To: JEAN BROWN

FROM: PAULA ADAMS

1. A.J. should write to Sherlock Yaw and tell him of his activities (purchasing equipment, working for the church there, getting equipment ready for sending down to Guyana) and mention that his co-workers in Guyana told A.J. that Yaw had asked us several times about A.J. (so that he doesn't wonder all of a sudden why he is getting a letter). Also A.J. should mention something about Rosie and say something to the effect that Yaw may have met A.J.'s daughter and her husband and that Mike is a wonderful son-in-law (or something like this).

I think A.J. told Sherlock Yaw some of his paranoias and fears of death when A.J. was going through a mentally disturbed state just before he joined you there. They were "good buddies", and Sherlock is giving us trouble up there right now, with some anti-white sentiments and anti-yankee comments, but in spite of these feelings he still asks us about Archie every time we see him. Write to:

Mr. Sherlock Yaw
Agricultural Officer
Matthews Ridge, North West Region
Guyana, South America

2. In the papers last week was an article about Claude Worrel denouncing his United States citizenship and repatriating to Guyana. (You probably already know about it by now.

3. Philip's Immigration card looks like this:

FRONT

This is to certify that
BLAKEY, GEORGE PHILIP

A20 048 166

(Registration Number)

has been duly registered according to the law and was admitted to the United States as an immigrant at

<u>Port</u>	<u>Mo. Day Yr. of entry</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Mo. Day Yr. of birth</u>	<u>Sex</u>
SFR	6/29/72	Z-2	11/01/53	M

Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

15 If 18 years of age or older, you are required by law to have this card with you at all times.

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ALIEN REGISTRATION RECEIPT CARD

Phil's picture

This card will be honored in lieu of visa and passport if rightful holder is not returning from a country or area specified in Part 211 of Title 8, Code of Federal Regulations, was not absent over a year, and is not otherwise excludable under immigration laws. If travel in such a country or area, or absence of over a year is contemplated, consult immigration and naturalization service office before you depart as to whether you should apply for another document. Notify I & N service of address during January each year and within 10 days after each change of address. Obtain forms from any immigration or post office. Always include your A number in communications to I & N Service.

Under Philip's passport visa information is blurred and not completely readable. ~~XX~~ None of it pertains to when he left the U.S. There is an immigration stamp dated JUL. (and the day and year didn't print). I think this is from ^{U.S.} when he became an immigrant to the U.S.

I asked Phil the following questions:

What kind of visa do you have? Ans. Permanent residence with an alien registration card.
 Married status or otherwise? Ans. Married status.

4. I would go to see the General Manager of the shipping line that brought in our stuff and ~~plapunge~~ appeal his Christian sympathies with our dilemma and the items damaged in shipment, but I don't know how much the damage is worth. The only two things that were damaged according to Charlie was an air compressor which broke loose from the way it was crated inside and the generator. I cannot get a figure out of him as to an estimate of the damage. He does not think that it is the shippers fault but rather that it was ours in the way that we crated the items, and he is not showing any interest in getting a claim. It won't be as much as I think that you there think it will be, but anything is something. Perhaps if you use some discretion in requesting that he look into the matter of if he could give you some idea of the cost of the damage or something, but he was reluctant, figured that it would do no good and that it wasn't so much damage as just junk that was sent down in the first place. If the insurance company is getting impatient, then I could go ahead and get a letter stating that there was damage done to these items and the appraisal of the damage could come

later. (That is what I will do anyway... hopefully there isn't anymore than those two items damaged.) *I AM NOT SURE AT THIS POINT, THAT I CAN GET THE LETTER, BUT WILL DO MY BEST.*

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5. The radio transmissions, from information that I am getting here from Charlie, Al, and Joyce, are far from what we would like them to be. Ben is defensive about ~~many~~ comment that is made by Charlie when he is criticizing the equipment that was sent down with the shipment. Ben should just listen to the criticism and tell Charlie that he will inform the GCC or the person involved, because it is getting very frustrating to Charlie to say that something wasn't serviced or repaired properly and to have Ben come back and say, "Yes, it was." If Ben is sure that something was repaired thoroughly and seen it first hand, he should still say that he will tell someone about it, because it is sounding like Ben is becoming the hearing board and decision maker for ~~many~~ things. For example, The Buddha Generator is the 30KVA generator that we are using to keep our domestic and working electricity running until we can get the 100kva generator repaired and the other one in from town (we couldn't offload it because we had no crane). Charlie said that it hadn't been serviced because the oil was black on the dipstick and it uses 2 gallons of oil in 10 days. Charlie was also told by Smitty that the Buddha was bought knowing parts couldn't be gotten for it (the engine), because it is a model used only by the army and only the army has parts for it and Smitty said that the only way that parts could be found would be to find another engine the same model in another army junk yard (this is what Charlie told me). They have told me about other things said to Ben and he has been defensive, but I would have to ask them again to refresh my memory if you want anymore examples.

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~6 April, 1977.

Mrs. Paula Adams,
Secretary,
Peoples' Temple Agricultural Mission,
P.O. Box 893,
Georgetown.

Dear Mrs. Adams,

Reference is hereby made to your applications dated 7th and 25th March, 1977, for duty-free concessions.

2. I wish to inform you that several items may be cleared free of duty under Item 9(1) of Part B (1) of the Free Schedule dealing with:-

"Agricultural machinery and appliances, spare parts therefor, and agricultural hand tools, which the Chief Agricultural Officer certifies will be used for the development of agriculture in accordance with national policy" (Note the underlined);

and

Item 47 of Part B(2) which provides for:-

"Industrial machinery and transport equipment admitted as such by the Comptroller for use in the undeveloped areas of the interior approved by the Minister."

3. By virtue of the Purchase Tax (Motor Cars) (Exemption) Order 1975 the Toyota Land Cruiser, to be purchased from the Guyana National Engineering Corporation for use in the North West Region, is exempt from purchase tax.

4. The cinematograph equipment is provided for by Item 32 (1) of Part B (2).

5. The industrial equipment and spares for your logging and sawmilling operations may be imported duty-free under Section 12 of the Customs Act, and Section 14 of the Consumption Tax Act.

6. The items of personal and household effects pertaining to persons taking up permanent residence may be admitted under the above sections, but limited to first arrivals.

7. You may also import free of duty books approved by the Ministry of Education and Social Development. A certificate to this effect should be tendered with the Comptroller.

8. It is regretted that your entire inventory cannot be approved carte blanche, but only in terms of the above.

Yours co-operatively



.....
D. Ketrohan

for Secretary to the Treasury

FORM B

THE ADOPTION OF CHILDREN ACT

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

1. NAME.....Elton Thomas Adams & Paula Adams.....
2. ADDRESS.....Jonestown, Port Kaituma, North West Region, Guyana.....
3. Is there evidence of infectious disease liable to be contracted by the child?*none*.....
4. Does applicant suffer from fits?*none*.....
5. In your opinion is the condition of the applicant's physical or mental health such that he/she should be able to undertake the responsibility and perform the duties of a parent in the event of an adoption order being granted.....

Signed.....

Qualification.....

Address.....

Date

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FORM A

THE ADOPTION OF CHILDREN ACT

APPLICATION TO BOARD

We, the undersigned desire to make application to the Adoption Board in respect of a

Male

or

Female

child, approximately aged 2yrs 5 months

or the child named Monique Bacon now residing at Jonestown, Port Kaituma, North West Region, Guyana, South America

We hereby undertake that the particulars given below are true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

- 1. NAMES: Elton Thomas Adams & Paula Adams
- 2. ADDRESS: Jonestown, Port Kaituma, North West Region, Guyana
Guyana, South America
- 3. COUNTRY OF DOMICILE: Guyana
- 4. DATE OF BIRTH: April 6, 1976
- 5. RELIGION: Protestant
- 6. NAMES AND ADDRESSES of two persons able to vouch the character of the adopters.

_____ of _____
 _____ of _____

Elton T. Adams

Paula J. Adams

 ADOPTERS
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Mr. Charles Joyce

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**PEOPLES TEMPLE AGRICULTURAL MISSION
Port Kaituma, N.W.D., Guyana**

12th December, 1976

Minister Fitz Carmichael,
Minister of North West Region,
Matthews Ridge, North West Region.

Dear Comrade Minister Carmichael;

Bishop Jim Jones, founder-leader of Peoples Temple, will be arriving in Guyana on the 17th of December, 1976. Accompanying the Bishop will be the Lieutenant Governor of California, Mervyn Dymally; Congressman Willie Brown; Assistant District Attorney of San Francisco, Timothy Stoen; Reverend Michael Prokes; and the Head of the Council of Churches in the United States.

The Bishop will be meeting with the Honourable Prime Minister on the 29th of December. Also on the 29th of December will be a luncheon in the Bishop's honour hosted by the Deputy Prime Minister, Dr. Ptolemy Reid.

On the 28th of December, Bishop Jones will be bringing the guests to Jonestown, Port Kaituma, North West Region. He will be arriving on the morning of the 28th of December on a Guyana Defense Force aircraft (the exact time to be given at a later date).

You are cordially invited to attend a luncheon reception to be held at Jonestown for the Bishop on December 28th.

We would be most grateful for your assistance with transportation for the touring party. Two landrovers will be needed to escort the Bishop and entourage from the airport to Jonestown and back.

Thank you for your consideration and we will be awaiting a reply at your earliest convenience.

Co-operatively yours,

Paula Adams
Paula Adams,
Administrative Secretary

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C.C.

Regional Development Officer,
Matthews Ridge, North West Region.

Cde. Gregory Gaskin,
Chief Executive Officer,
Matthews Ridge, North West Region.

Cde. Norman Adams,
Port Kaituma, North West Region.

Cde. Isaac Lambert,
Port Kaituma, North West Region.

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Save for file 30 July 1977

Dear Dr. Reid:

Once again we need your counsel. It is urgent that we buy the sawmill that we've had under consideration for some time. If you're not concerned about our making a purchase with U.S. dollars we will proceed to buy with Guyanese. Of course, we won't buy anything in U.S. currency except at your request for reasons you've discussed previously.

The sawmill is necessary to maintain our agricultural mission. It is imperative that we don't delay any longer on finalizing this purchase, since it will take some time after purchase before it will become productive for us.

I hope to hear from you at the earliest possible time. Please don't hesitate to contact me at our headquarters at any hour.

*delivered in evening
by Paula*

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Dear Dr. Reid:

We were relieved to speak to you and get an assurance that Bishop Jones's son would not be drug through a court battle over custody in Guyana. If she would have gotten her way, all kinds of fascist behavior would have followed. Once the woman is refused, there won't be any of these kind of custody battles.

She obviously has a large sum of reactionary money behind her. Bishop Jones set up a savings for the child. She, at a later time, was openly braggigg about spending it on herself. We have affidavits that you can see of people inside the church and one not very close to the church about this woman's stealing church money. Now that this thing has come up and they have seen her evil, they felt guilty and told of her spending church money on them on many occasions. On one occasion, an adult woman lifted up a mattress and found \$5,000 of the church's money. She didn't talk about it because she got \$350 of it for herself, but she has now signed an affidavit and a copy has been sent there for you from the interior. She wouldn't live with her conscience when she heard what the woman put in the newspaper, in one magazine, and television.

They could interview this child (John) for yourself. He has some nightmares to tell. He couldn't cry all night because he had to be presented to Mr. McCoy who visited the farm the other day. Mr. McCoy was very nice. The child somehow concluded that he might have to go back and live with her. He said to the Bishop yesterday morning in tears that he would rather die than do that. He has never talked about dying these last few years. The only other time was years ago, when he was living with her. We were all afraid for the child as he was showing manifestations of being devastated-- a twitch in his eye, stuttering, loss of appetite, etc. It was then that the Bishop started caring for John. She was very relieved that the Bishop started taking care of him and never came around him. She tried to blackmail Bishop Jones. When the Bishop refused to give into her blackmail, she started running around with men. The child can tell you or anyone can interview him.

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The child can tell how she locked him in the garage on different occasions while she went into her bedroom with this racist white man who is also in the articles. She threatened to kill the child if he told on her. (This has been so much pain to Bishop Jones that his heart seems to be affected by it.) Another time, the child spoke up for Bishop Jones. She said something very cruel and cursed the Bishop out in front of the child. Then she told the child in a very threatening manner that she and Smitty were going to put a bomb under the church and blow up ~~the~~ ~~him~~, we'll blow you up too. She said that to the child!

Toward the end of living with this woman, she would shake him unmercifully for nothing in front of the whole congregation. At times it would seem as if his neck were going to break. Someone asked her why she did that to the child and she replied, "He reminds me so much of Jim (Jones)." The child has been living with the Bishop and his wife for over two years, closer to three, since he's spent most of his time in Guyana over the last year to be with the child, and of course the project.

The Bishop went to every degree to keep this ~~child~~ in his life. The Bishop gave her a round trip ticket a few months ago to come and see him and offered it several times, but couldn't get her to come around and get it. This was a year ago this month. She took the ticket, and we even offered her another ticket so that she wouldn't have to come alone, since at that time, she was supposedly afraid of this socialist country and afraid of the people of Guyana. Her racism has become very blatant. She has already returned to live with her racist reactionary parents. And, of course, that makes many of our people very paranoid that she would now feel brazen enough to come in here. It must be that she has powerful backing because she spent the \$5,000 she stole from the church and the \$4,000 that was put in the child's account (by her own statement). Her family is influential in reactionary circles, but a very very modest means. She did take the tickets under false pretenses of visiting the child in Guyana a year ago and cashed them in. The airline company can verify that.

The Bishop has had many many sleepless nights of torture over this matter. He said he cannot live with the thought of sending the child back to someone who hates him so much and is only using the child as a tool probably (according to Hazor, who is a criminal with a 75 page history of unscrupulous illegal activities which is now at the Washington Embassy). Hazor's criminal records

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were provided for us through many lawyers by the request of church leaders who support us of many different faiths.

This is the only case which Bishop Jones or anyone in our entire congregation ever took on in all of the years of his marriage. It was done out of what appeared to be the gravest necessity at the time. Mrs. Jones recommended it to be done and through mistaken idealism on the part of the Board, Bishop Jones hoped that there might also be some chance of changing^a sick personality. The entire congregation knows about the child and are writing a statement about how they feel toward the Bishop and his son. They understood perfectly what kind of trouble she would have stirred up at that time if he had not yielded to the Board's advice.

Mr. Dick McCoy from the U.S. Embassy came out to our farm on Tuesday. Obviously the Bishop did not go into the background of the child with McCoy. However, he said that Joseph Mazon, the criminal who is orchestrating this whole thing is behind this situation, even though the child is here with legal documents. It was immaterial with McCoy; he had no interest in custody matters with the U.S. government.

McCoy also mentioned the problem Guyana was having with Venezuela and we told him that we were behind Guyana to the very last person. We thought McCoy was devious in that he told the Bishop that you and Minister Mills were embarrassed by the smear campaign by the few reactionary right-wing media sources in California. We felt that his motivation was purely to attempt to divide our loyalties through deviousness. However, we know your stance for socialist principle well enough that we did not listen to such nonsense. We did want to inform you of the types of tactics they use.

We just got a call from Steve Narine from the Guyana Chronicle who said that Mohammed MoHamaludin wanted to do an interview with the Bishop or myself if he were not available for Reuters International News Service. I have referred the matter on to Mortimer Coddette because the last time we ~~is~~ Cde. Coddette's advice and told the media that we did not want to hold an interview; that is exactly what they printed. "Peoples Temple declined interview." Cde. Hamaludin has a very good concept of socialism as far as I can tell, and if such an interview would squash some of the curiosity centered around the farm, we would do it. but only on your advice. The New York Times will be coming out with an expose on this

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right-wing conspired attempt to discredit the name of socialism within days.

Thank you for your kind attention. The Bishop has no greater confidence in any man's dedication to socialism than yours and I respect the Bishop's opinion greater than any man alive.

Cooperatively yours,

Paula Adams (JE)

Paula Adams,
Confidential Secretary to
Bishop Jim Jones

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Dear Dr. Heid:

Regarding the foreign currency exchange offered us by Mr. Sacchus (the man who owns the sawmill at Laini River), we now have a letter in writing from him asking us for the exchange of Guyanese money to \$150,000 American money. Per your request, we are informing you about this situation and would like to have some instructions or advice from you concerning this.

Concerning the situation of Bishop Jones' son, John, we wanted to give you a little further background. Bishop Jones and his wife have reared John for three years. His wife, Marceline Jones, was in full support of this procedure. Mrs. Jones was a high official with a good income, and did not have to accept this situation if she was not fully behind it from the beginning. A letter of her support will be coming to you from her. This is the only case of such a situation in our group. It was only after much discussion and mistaken idealism that our board and the Bishop's wife asked Jim Jones to prevent Grace from going out and betraying our group. This has never happened with anyone ever again.

Several people have come out to see our farm lately. Mrs. Alexander, Mr. White, Mr. Lambert, and I think a Mr. Wyatt were out recently, and were impressed with the use of Guyanese texts in the school room. They were impressed with the classes, the educational word games, and things made from our own wood. They spoke well of our housing situation, as they saw many couples' and singles' residence inside and out, as well as our dorms for boys and girls. They were impressed with our abundance of food when they came unexpected at the dining hour. They gave no announcement of their coming, and we were glad. They wanted to see the pits -- in fact, Bishop Jones brought it up. Bishop Jones showed them the machine dug garbage pits, and told them about two officials who were concerned about it days before. We wanted to wait until ^{minister} Carmichael came out to look at the pits before burying them. We told our guests about our new hospital that we are planning to build. They toured our laboratory facilities and our nursing station. We showed them our \$3,000 microscope, our white blood cell counter and a new machine used to detect rare eye diseases. Our guests saw our childrens' playground equipment all made by hand. They were quite interested in our modern furniture also made by hand, as good as that which is found on the market, and even better than most. The furniture is made by all wood with no nails. Our

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pottery and clothing making also impressed them. No honest person could not have helped be very impressed.

We have delegations all day every day coming in, but some of them could have caused less room for questions, particularly one official, a highly trained professional person who claimed to be a representative for one of the government ministries. He asked several strange questions that are still bothering us. He asked us what we would do if a more extreme Leninist-Marxist government took over and we were asked to leave. We said we would die first. We are pledged to this government's right to exist, and having been through much persecution, death holds no weight with us these days. We will take the information of what was spoken to us and present it to you if you request it.

Another interestingly bizarre experience is that of a middle aged white North American man who found his way up the road to our door with no one knowing about him. He told the police he was a friend of ours, but upon being questioned later by police while he was detained, he said he did not know us. He claimed to be alone on foot but peculiarly got all the way from Fort Kaituma to our houses without even any dust on his clothes (who drove him?). Power equipment was stolen from the other side of our farm, equipment worth approximately \$20,000. Part of the equipment was vital in our building such as power saws and lathes. Electric typewriters were taken, and even the shoes off the porches (because we never wear shoes inside our houses as is the custom in this country). The police said this incident coincided with the North American there who said he was Guyanese, but who's voice came way in the midst of his conversation revealing he was not Guyanese. The police told us they found it conclusive that some equipment that was sold by this man was our equipment. The one question this man asked there was, "Who is John?" Conspiracy is what this all seems to link to.

We have recently had two delegations visit, both of which had members of the opposition party in them who were out to get us. However, all were very impressed with what they saw we were accomplishing on the farm and went away with a good feeling.

Bishop Jones considers you the finest Socialist he's ever met, as you have an infinitely deep commitment. He holds you in the highest esteem.

Cooperatively,

Paula Adams

Paula Adams

Confidential Secretary to Bishop Jones

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We have delegations all day every day coming in, but some of them could have caused less room for questions, particularly one official, a highly trained professional person who claimed to be a representative for one of the government ministries. He asked several strange questions that are still bothering us. He asked us what we would do if a more extreme Leninist-Marxist government took over and we were asked to leave. We said we would die first. We are pledged to this government's right to exist, and having been through much persecution, death holds no weight with us these days. We will take the information of what was spoken to us and present it to you if you request it.

Another interestingly bizarre experience is that of a middle aged white North American man who found his way up the road to our door with no one knowing about him. We told the police he was a friend of ours, but upon being questioned later by police while he was detained, he said he did not know us. He claimed to be alone on foot but peculiarly got all the way from Fort Kaituma to our houses without even any dust on his clothes (who drove him?). The one question this man asked there was, "Who is John?" Lower equipment was stolen from the other side of our farm, equipment worth approximately \$20,000. Part of the equipment was vital in our building such as power saws and lathes. Electric typewriters were taken, and even the shoes off the porches (because we never wear shoes inside our houses as is the custom in this country.) The police said this incident coincided with the North American there who said he was Guyanese, but who's voice gave way in the midst of his conversation revealing he was not Guyanese. The police told us they found it conclusive that some equipment that was sold by this man was our equipment. Conspiracy is what this all seems to link to.

Bishop Jones has a tremendously high personal regard for you, and wants you to know that the kind of loyalty he has for his son, John, he also has for you. We can't thank you enough for all the consultation you have given us, and we hope you won't hesitate to call upon us if ever we can be of any assistance to you.

Cooperatively,


Paula Adams

Confidential Secretary to Bishop Jones

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Harriet: all this is from Paula. ~~It~~ It was totally unstageable at first - I tried to find the right spots - basically this is about "Benny".

October 20, 1978

- This was my first day here which is always insecurity day for him. This is where he tells me all day that he doesn't really believe I love him and I am telling him all day that I do.
- He said he really liked Maudeline a lot. He thought she was "without a doubt one of the sweetest people he had ever met." He talks about her a lot and always with respect and in glowing terms.
- I met some of his friends last night: Clarence Ellis, the Deputy Governor of the Bank of Guyana in Georgetown. I had answered the phone on several occasions in Georgetown when he called. I very briefly got into the project but invited him up when he asked for instructions on how to get a trip like that approved or cleared with the proper authorities. I told him anyone could come and we like to have our Guyanese friends from Georgetown visit. He was friendly but obviously heard negative stuff. I only had 10 minutes to talk to him so I deviled on the positive rather than take a lot of time on the defensive. Someone should talk to him in Georgetown or I will make a point of it myself when I get there.

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Some Notes I made Oct. 22.

- He is planning to come to Jonestown to spend a few days in January. He is bringing a U.S. couple with him. They are not married, but living together. Both are systems analysts and work with computers. He is white, she is black. He is a liberal and she is street-wise from the D.C. ghetto.

- He said he hopes Jonestown makes it, but he doesn't see how it is possible to make money farming. He thinks in 2 or 3 years we will have a lot of trouble supporting ourselves. He again suggested getting wood lathes to make cigar and tobacco humidors and ashtrays out of natural woods because they are in great demand in the Caribbean islands.

- He was very impressed at us having Dick Gregory co-emece our dinner with Assemblyman Willie Brown. I told him we would love to have him attend as an honored guest. Later I asked him if he would endorse the dinner so that we could include his name on the invitation along with Dick Gregory, Lt. Gov. Dymally, Mark Lane, etc. He said personally I would love to but I would have to go

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get my minister's approval. He said to write him a letter outlining it and he would discuss it with Rashleigh Jackson while he is here. Because of the other supporters I think he will do it, but it needs to be a little more than please endorse our dinner so I wanted to give the information to you so the contents of the letter could be discussed.

- He hasn't brought up our press conference again to me. His Deputy Ambassador Peter Halder did. I gave him background about us which he wasn't aware of. He was very receptive and he has read Mark Lane's books.

- He is refusing to pay my fare to see him. He claims I would not have stayed in Calif. so long if I had come to see him. I explained about my parents but his answer was, then why were you always at the Temple when I called. (He called daily).

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- He says he has fallen so deeply in love with me that he is going to find out every detail of my life from the time I was born.

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OCTOBER 29

- Last Night Sharon called with the message about my father harassing me. He says it sounds like the same situation as Steve Katsaris. I told him it could create a lot of problems. He said he is not worried. I said, "you want him calling all over about us?" I said he may he even call your wife and start a mess, as well as U.S. officials." He again said he wasn't worried - but it was not very convincing so I think he is. I told him I had better talk to him and placate him. It was very good background of what my father is like to approach him about my plane fare.

- He said that the Guyana government is strong politically but the economy is in bad shape.

- He said that the government will win the elections. Of that, he has no doubt.

- I asked about devaluation. He said he didn't know, at first, and then he said the prime minister said there would not be (but I am not sure if he was quoting public statements of the P.M. or private remarks). He said it wouldn't make any sense to devalue because imports are already

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restricted and that is why devaluation occurs. He said you don't have to worry anyway because your funds here are for local expenditures. I said there is a large proportion of our funds here because we purchase spare parts and equipment from all over the world at this point and need to change it back to U.S. dollars. I told him most of it was for domestic expenditures but we need that flexibility. He had said you don't need to worry because most of your funds are away. I was not sure if that was innocent or probing statement.

- He said there is to be another major cutback in the public sector (govt. employees) because there isn't enough money to pay the employees they have. It will be another round of redeployment.

- He is still solicitous of me. I didn't want to go out, and if he does he will usually go alone if I don't go, but he stayed home.

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Oct. 27, 1978

Carolyn -

I hope by now you have gotten the Reports I sent in, mostly concerning Seth so you have some background.

- Seth has been very solicitous of Leslie except where money is concerned. He feels he shouldn't have to pay for anything for Leslie unless it is extra. For example, her plane fare was a big issue involving several confrontations. He is of the opinion I deserved a holiday and that P.T. should be quite willing to pay for one of their senior staff to see a heart specialist ~~is~~ in S.F. I told him there is no senior and junior staff and that I got excellent care in J/TN with heart monitoring daily. Nevertheless, he refused to pay. Only after much arguing and many tears did he verbally give in (but I still haven't got the money in hand), but he only agreed to pay the G/TN - Wash part. I don't want to bring another blow up to him until he pays the first or he will likely refuse both, saying I am going to make a habit of it or some such b.s. Yet he is willing to spend on me generously for so-called luxury when I am with him.

- Another subject which I feel should be

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mentioned because I am so incompetent in it. He brings up marriage several times a day. He is asking what I would do if we were to marry. He is saying such things about his wife that I prefer not to hear, i.e. she is a pain in the ass, all she does is quarrel, etc. He says these loving things about her in front of others. Last night he asked me if I would move to Washington if he and Juliette split up. I said, "No, that is between he and his wife and I wouldn't want to be in the middle." I told him, "it was his decision to make." I have not given him the encouragement he is putting out feelers for. I REALLY DON'T KNOW WHAT TO SAY: ENCOURAGE, DISCOURAGE, INDIFFERENT. RIGHT NOW I AM MAINTAINING THE POSITION THAT I HAD NEVER THOUGHT ABOUT BECAUSE I DIDN'T THINK IT POSSIBLE. Please advise!

A brief explanation of what marriage to him would be, as I have analysed it.

Cons: - Not allowed to go anywhere except approved by him.

- No long distance or overseas calls.
- Severance of activities with P.T.
- Jealous possessiveness.
- Non-acceptance of Monique. BB-1-XX-7

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- Not allowed to travel without him.
- BRUNT of irrational temper tantrums.
- Possible child.

Pros: - Contacts with Guyana & U.S. government officials.
- Emborsement of P.T. by UNION of marriage.

When I was in J/tn there was some discussion of what could be gained, so I wanted to give some of my own impressions.

- He now speaks more supportively of P.T. and introduces me as a member. Before, I would have to tell people myself. This is likely from the impression left from Mark Lane's visit. I don't think it is anything I have done. He is impressed by names and hearing of Dick Gregory and Muhamid Ali's visits are definite points won.

- He is more impressed by Marceline than any woman he has ever met. She mothered ~~to~~ him when he and I were both sick in New York. He speaks about her graciousness and sweetness in a way I have never heard him speak about anyone before.

- He is now attending a conference to discuss

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how to rig the elections for the Overseas vote. (He only told me the part about the elections; not the rigging. That in itself was confidential and I was not to know about it.)

- He is much more critical of the U.S. and U.S. policy and talks about the highly right-wing pro-business era American politics are entering. He is well-informed about the happenings and trends in the U.S. (or I am so uninformed, it makes him seem well-informed). I have never heard him so critical of the U.S. It could be a reflection that he makes because the U.S. is unwilling to give financial aid to Guyana. I know he signed a sizeable loan last week ^(16M) and he brought a check down for some road construction. Both the Prime Minister and Rasheigh Jackson asked if he brought the check so he is concerned that Guyana is in such a bad way that it is living hand-to-mouth. The check he brought was for U.S. \$500,000.

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- I stayed at Christopher "Pryor" Jones, Minister-Counsellor for Guyana Embassy in

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Washington when I was there. Pryor took Claude Worell's job and was a good friend of Claude's. Pryor works more directly with the Guyanese Nationals in the U.S. and Canada and through Dr. Reid's ministry. He is in the process of getting a divorce. He is like most West Indian men trying to prove his sexuality by having a variety of women. He knows a great deal about us from his former job as Consul in New York. He is very sympathetic to us and has kept up on information about us right through Mark Lane's press conferences. I liked him more than most I have met. He is sensitive in a way. He has a maid who was a friend of a relative who has had some bad luck in life and needed money to help ~~set~~ support her 8 children. Most of the children are grown but she has a year and 1/2 old baby and maids and general staff are not allowed to bring their children. Pryor is trying to get it arranged for her baby to join her because she misses her child so much. He told me he didn't feel it would interfere with her work. Most people would not give a damn. He is also not afraid of manual labor. He has a swimming pool in Wash which fills up with

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leaves and he wouldn't let his maid clean it saying he didn't mind doing the work. I don't know that he is a "great guy" but compared to the superior airs my friend puts on, anything is an improvement. He is the one who told me about Dick McCoy being two-faced. I was only able to talk to him for about 7 minutes because my friend is very jealous. He told me Dick McCoy was supportive of us to him when they spoke. I said, "yes to our faces he is and to Guyanese officials he is, but several people almost simultaneously told us that he was the source of several lies being spread around about us." He became animated and said he found that too. He said he saw a memo with a slant to it and he said I asked McCoy about why he would tell me one thing and write another. ~~At the~~ He then said, "I saw the P.M. once and at the end of our discussions I mentioned the P.T. The P.M. said, "Look, as far as I am concerned, the P.T. has broken no laws, they support government, they are helping community development—they are not apart from it, and they have the only doctor for miles around helping people." At this point we were interrupted by Mr. Jealousy

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so I was not able to probe. It would be good to reciprocate his kindness in letting me stay at his house in Washington while he was in Canada by inviting him to dinner. I mentioned this to Sharon. If I go, my friend will go, and it would stifle conversation. If he will not accept any other way then we will join him. Or perhaps a gift could be taken to him and conversation could be stimulated.

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Today he asked me if Jim was relig believed in God. I said, "No." He said, "But I understand he blessed some people. How is it he doesn't believe in God?" Before I could answer, he said, "Marceline believes in God." I said, "No." I then told him that Jim ~~was~~ was an ordained minister and used the teachings of the bible to bring people together to help fight oppression. I said that is what ministers are for is to interpret the bible and he has used it to help people." He seemed to have accepted my answer but he asked if the old people believed in God. I said some. He asked if we had a chapel. I said no. He asked if they practised religion in their own homes. I said yes. He said he thought religion and God were for people who were afraid or insecure and he hasn't believed

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in God from the time he was a little boy.

- He asked if my husband remarried. (He thinks we are divorced - I told him 2 years ago I was getting one). I said no but they live together (Marceline told him Hattie and Tom were engaged). I told him it wouldn't be long before they married. I told him I saw he and Hattie together a couple of times but we have nothing to say to each other. He is fairly convinced that there is nothing to worry about but he has to be reassured continually.

- He overslept for the first morning of the conference and conspicuously walked in 2 hours late. He played poker until 3 a.m.

- I have been taking a firm approach with him when he starts b.s. and I call his bluff on everything. For whatever reason, he doesn't want to lose me (he is probably C.I.A. and I am that link). When I brought in 3 duffle bags of recorders for Patti, I told him I had the keys if he wanted to see for himself it was nothing unusual. I told him it was gifts for relatives & it was he who told me to make sure relatives cd. make contact. He didn't check them, after making a scene about it.

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He said he didn't know if he would find out anything after I joined the Temple. He then accused me of worshipping Jim. He said I thought Jim was Jesus Christ. He said Jim told me and others to go to bed with certain people. He claimed that this conversation was to test my loyalty to him. I stormed out of the room telling him that calling me a political prostitute if he meant I was told to go to bed with him is hardly the kind of thing a man in love would say. He coaxed me back into the kitchen where we were talking and changed his accusational tone (he had been drinking). He said P.T. should be grateful to him for him sticking up for P.T. when we are attacked (this was in reference to another time when we quarrelled over my plane fare). He said P.T. should pay it to keep him in favor with us. I said P.T. doesn't buy favors. He said, "Well, you should." He is always saying I don't make my own decisions - (marriage discussions) - and I told him my personal life was my decision and if we seem close-knit it is because we came close together fighting oppression.

Somewhere in this conversation I made

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a serious blunder. I told him that Monique meant more to me than anything in this world. He said, "Thanks for telling me the truth." He said I revealed a lot about myself in our little talk. He repeated several times that he was so deeply in love with me and that I meant so much to him that he wanted to know all about me.

[When I wrote this in the U.S., I was extremely paranoid that I was being set up. He still talks that way and we are back in the Guyana so I am not sure if this is manipulation or serious. It is rather extreme for manipulation; but could be.]

- When we were eating dinner he said he wanted me to stay in Georgetown because he wanted me to eat meat at least twice a day because he was afraid my heart problems were caused by a protein deficiency. I told him I get plenty of protein and I had an endless amount of bloodwork done and I was not protein deficient. What brought this on was that I told him I eat meat, fish, poultry, eggs, cheese, beans, or blackeye peas for protein and he was upset that would

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substitute cheese or beans for meat. I told him it was a balanced meal by any nutritionist's standards and that we always cook our greens with meat so I do get meat every meal. He thinks I have never looked better than I do now. I gained 10 lbs since leaving J/TN, so he assumes I was not getting enough to eat. I told him his theory was absurd because I lost weight in Georgetown, not J/TN. He likes me with a big ass — and that is surely the case now, so I guess I will have to keep this excess weight on to stay voluptuous (I am being sarcastic). I think his real concern is that I have a man in J/TN or I would want to leave the jungle for civilization once in a while.

- He asked me on a couple of occasions to move to Washington, and to go to London with him. I told him no to both questions.

- He tells everyone we meet that we have been together nearly 4 years and that no one knows him better than me. I know what to put in which pocket of his shirt, when he will want a drink, etc. He is so routine-oriented that it is no feat.

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- Joyce Parks' name is mentioned quite frequently as is Jean Brown's. Joyce's is made to sound as a sexual challenge. Jean's is mentioned with admiration. He thought Jean had a lot of character. Mary Wotherspoon is his newest fascination. I knew it would be. He likes big women with big bottoms. I warned Mary ahead of time because she fit in that category. (Of course, they have to be white.) I guess I do know him fairly well which is not any credit to me.

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March 20 Mon. Bonnie Morn conv.
① A.M.A. visit and the fact that our
doctor isn't licensed. We can't have them
if Larry doesn't have his full license.

② 2 young people who claim to be ^{working} ~~reading~~
~~articles out of the country about us~~
for foreign stringers are at our house asking
a lot of questions. ~~Person~~ didn't tell me their
names, but ^{these young people} they did make a crack about you
~~and~~.

Mon. March 20

Sons of Reporters Kinton; Blackman:

- A 7th Day Adventist made the statement
that we worshipped Jim.

- Lisa sd. they were trying to reassure us
that they are not doing an article on their
discussions tonight.

- They sd. they hope we aren't too concerned
about them doing anything on us cause they
weren't talking for that reason.

- They sd. they wd. want to see the place
before they wd. do an article on us BB+YY

TO: HILL
FROM: MARY RUTH

SUBJECT: MARY RUTH'S FRIEND WILL ARRIVE TUESDAY

1. With all of the demands for p.r., organizing, letter-writing, etc., I don't see how I can meet this demand
2. He is totally unreasonable about time being spent with him. He wants my complete undivided attention. He will not accept a reasonable attitude of my working on a normal day; spending evenings with him, and coming home at night. He expects 24 hour attention and starts into a P.T.-slave routine when I am gone. I cannot pacify the asshole with reason -- he is a raving madman.
3. If I take a posture of lack of time - he will likely end the relationship. I am unsure of just how significant his "friendship" is. He will end it with hostility, I am sure. I want to do the right thing.
4. I will try to keep the hours of service to evenings and night; but it will be dependent on his attitude (if his friendship is necessary). He is telling me that his vacation is to see me. I know this is bullshit, but he convinces himself with his own rationale when he wants to be hostile.
5. Existence was started by a fascist ~~sax~~ sadist. Without you and communist belief - I couldn't survive it.

6. Also He may very likely want to visit the farm this time, Mary Ruth says. (she asks CRL to add this)

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Minister Wills speculated that Bunny was pulling one by carrying out foreign dollars or gold. (Paula has a strong suspicion he is doing so also and suggested that it would be a good idea to check Bunny's things when he leaves).

-Wills mentioned about Bunny switching from Jagan to PHC and now going right-wing

REGRATES:

~~He said Hope is locked up in a room and no one can get to him. Wills will get to Gorlette and speak to him. He doesn't directly want to interfere with this matter (but he did call White, or said he did)~~

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- ... New Africa ... - ... - Brooks
- The Crows of Pearblossom
- Spinning - Thresh
- Plant Factories - Parker-Frank
- Child Art - edited by Lewis
- Docas Indians of Santa Clara - Snedden
- All About the Stars - White-Bileck
- The Art and Craft of Hand Weaving - Blumenau
- Key to Weaving - Black
- ~~Games and Rhythms for the Elementary School - Latchaw~~
- ~~Joe Hill - Thompson~~
- Macrame - Paulin
- Do it Yourself Needlepoint - Scohey-McGrath
- The Blind Colt's Rounds
- The Witche's Buttons - Chew
- Teaching as a Subversive Activity - Postman-Weingartner
- Box J
- The Book of Giant Stories - Harrison.

Paula:

MARY RUTH'S FRIEND

He went to Coleman's friend and said he had not succeeded because Hill had too many friends that were also friends of Coleman's people so he didn't want to take Hill on. Mazor probably just jumped and leaped at ~~xx~~ you (re: Carol McCoy's kids- give him the ~~xxx~~ background on what Carol did with Mazor) He's leaped at you because he thought he had a hot potato.

There never was any 50 senators, that is a bunch of embellishment and the four were not four at all, that was just our intelligence, there was no problem at all with Carol. That is how we picked up all this. That man has got a big mouth (Mazor) he is unfortunately a blowhard. Carol just told the truth that she had 4 children here and he just mouthed off. She called him yesterday and told him she wanted ~~xx~~ no' part of his operation he tried to bribe her into filing abduction charges. Get the letter out that details about Carol and go over it. say this is how we got our source, this is where we got our info. We have another person who doesn't like his operation that's how we know that this chap, this right winger, Margaret's dad was sent down here by Mazor and that is what discouraged him from bombarding Guyana with a whole planeload of relatives (distant removed relatives who had no jurisdiction over any of these loved ones. We bet our lives that's the four he was so stupid that he fell for that

Get the old letter that goes into the discussion about Mazor and K Carol and incorporate that and remind them, both Topelo and what they are up to and how devious this chap is and how even Margaret's dad is involved with this because he talked about Margaret's dad right there had some consultation about Margaret's dad coming ahead. *If he could let us know the Congressman that Mary Ruth's dad contacted - he is working hand in glove with Mazor. They've tried to get things on us for years - they've got a long line on this for years - ya*

*Ask
Christine
about this!*

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To: Hill

from L. Mann

Constructive Criticisms for Assimilation:

1. Be more open in social circumstances, that is, invite more people in areas where they will be of some benefit to us, i.e. customs people, immigration people, business people, government officers, and any others which might break down barriers. He said that even though you don't drink, make it available to guests and just chat about nothing relating to your work, but more of light talk. He said that most of Georgetown relates on a forum of drink and most people that conduct business do so with this type of entertaining...that it will break down a host of problems on the day to day scale. He said that we have access to bring in some of the best scotch and whiskey without paying duty and people who can't get this kind of thing will gladly accept your invitation. It doesn't require that you drink, but just entertain more frequently.
2. He suggested that we get an agent if we do not want more of a socializing activity, although he does think we are too much of a closed group socially. An agent who we buy these liquors for to entertain on our behalf (without us present) and who we pay a commission of a couple of hundred dollars a month to do our customs work, etc. I don't like this because I don't think we could control the conversation, nor could we find anyone to really put any effort into saving money if they are only getting two hundred dollars a month. He was suggesting this in regard to customs and purchasing.
3. The only real criticism that he said he had about the way we operate in Guyana is that we don't assimilate enough with Guyanese or socialize enough to break down suspicions. (This is a recurring criticism.) He said that he is glad that we are having this barbecue because it brings us more into Guyana society.
4. He said that we are too low-key. We should have more press coverage of the good things we are doing. For example, he suggested that we invite Mohammed Hamaludin to come up and photograph some of our donations to the Port Kaituma school and write a story about it. He also suggested having a celebration (such as a two year anniversary of project success) and invite the Minister of Economic Development and Regional Ministries and Regional Minister to attend and make sure that one of the Chronicle journalists are in attendance to write a story and take photographs. He said that both ministers will have to say praise-worthy things about what you have done and they will appear in the newspaper. (This, I think, is a very good suggestion -- not only because I made this same suggestion two years ago myself.) If we do this, I think we should invite Dr. Reid also. All three should be asked to say something, however Dr. Reid should be the designated guest of honor because of the inspiration he gave us in coming here. We should probably make some kind of donation to the Party, if we did this, on that same night. (Acknowledged support rather than hearsay.) It is something to consider.

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To: Hill

I almost blew it, again. Under a barrage of interrogation about detractors and other things, specifically at this moment of losing my diplomacy, I was asked about the investigations about property transfers and the District Attorney's office's investigations. I stated that there were never any property transfers which were not done both legally and ethically. He then asked me whether we could afford to have the Bishop here and still financially maintain our organization. I said of course we could, that we had not closed down our organization. He asked, "Where do you get your money then?" It was following some very heated discussion also about the telephone bill I had left in Washington. I stated that it was none of his goddamn business. I then calmed down, realizing the extent of my error, and told him that I was reacting emotionally to him and that we get it from the same place we always have, from membership donations. I don't know that I am doing us any good. I cannot tolerate any negative discussion of either you or PT and I get somewhat emotional when he is totally unreasonable. He calls it being a "devil's advocate". I call it being an Uncle Tom prick.

After finally telling him that Charles Garry, Mervyn Dymally, Angela Davis, and Andrew Young think it would be foolhardy for you to return, he said, "Yes, I can see your point." I told him about character assassinations of all black officials whatever their political persuasion, and although he agrees that this is happening, he still asks Uncle Tom questions about why shouldn't the Bishop go back. Either he is completely dual or he has a very distorted thought process. Understanding the plight of black people on one hand and on the other makes himself the exception to this circumstance.

He did say that Harold said that we have good relations with the community up there and he also said that Harold agrees with him that Margaret should see her Dad because they cannot afford any bad public reaction about Guyana being given to Congressman and Senators. He is now telling me that he wrote a letter to the Prime Minister about the situation with custody matters and about Maria. He has not told me what he said, only that he wrote. Sometimes the heated discussions are far more beneficial than the reasonable ones because I usually find out more.

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Terri B. has a transcript of the tape.

I asked the usual how he was and if he had seen a doctor bec last time he was ~~ix~~ sick, he said he had seen a doctor.

He asked, in so many words if I was fucking anyone else.

I told him about the Boston Globe article and Larry being compared to another Dr. Schweitzer.

I told him about the success of the cultural program and that Hammie was there, and his wife, and liked it a lot (Hamilton Green). I told him that Gavin (Kennard, Minister of Agri) was there and liked it a lot, especially the part where Marcie, my mom, spoke. I forgot to mention that even the people from the US embassy liked it.

I asked him when he was coming down, he said, not before June or August. (I figured that now that his friend Rashleigh Jackson, who probably feels he owes Mann something for getting him his post, or Mann may have something over Jackson, that now that he was Foreign Minister that we would see Mann in Gyanana anytime he wants to come down). Even Wills said that Rashleigh Jackson would work as a puppet for Mann.

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He asked when we could do this again (talk). I said TUESDAY. He said fine.

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agree by arbitration and generally in and about the premises to do, perform, transact and accomplish, all and whatever further I may from time to time direct by letter, or other written instruments as fully and effectually as he could himself do and perform the said if personally present and acting therein and all with the powers of assumption, substitution and surrogation, he hereby ratifies and confirms and promising and agreeing to confirm, ratify and allow all and whatever his said Attorneys or other Attorneys who may be assumed or substituted or surrogated to act herein, shall or may be lawfully liable to do or cause to be done in and about the premises under and by virtue of these presents.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED at the City of Georgetown, County of Demerara, Guyana, datum ut supra, in the presence of the subscribing witnesses.

ATTESTOR

WITNESSES:

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AND IN MY PRESENCE

QUOD ATTESTOR
A NOTARY PUBLIC

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Paula's Conversations
w/Bonnie Mann

Deborah Touchette
July 12, 1978

- ref. to Debbie Blakey, he calls her Debbie Layton, he brought the subject up.
- You need an outlet for people, intergrate in the socity
- P.A. told ~~him~~ about the soundwaves comming to ~~Jonestown~~ *our house* *the*
not th was
got,
- he said you should rotate people comming into town, they should absorb the culture and get to know Guynese
- P.A. told him that Debbie was in town for three months before she decided to leave and could have left any time
- He didn't know Debbie was in G/Town when she left,
- he said that shot his theory to hell, he thought she was in *Jonestown*
Georgetown when she left
- P.A. told of Debbie's background and drugs and *being sent* *coming* to London *on mission*
she said Debbie had been steeling for some time, a little at a time, until she got a good amount and then left, what a better excuse then to use the conspiracy to ~~cover her~~ *as a*
queen. In the screen.
- He asked what makes people suddenly change?
- he said by looking at the full size photo of Debbie B. she probably wants to fuck around and felt guilty about it so got the hell out of it
- he said you have to probe people, and find out where they are at and deal with their situation (Paula said she didn't know if he got that from Sharon or not, she has never herd him use the word probe, thats sharon's word)
- P.A. told him we have alot of open discussions with people and stay up for hours listining to the decenting opinion
- he compared our situation to the Guy. Govt., everyons so afraid to have a decenting opinion and it is considered treason to disagree.
- He noted at the Heads of Mission Conference for and eg. to disagree is tantamount to treason, you have to encourage a decenting opinion and not make them feel like they are trators if they do.
- P.A. said with P.T. thats not true, people are allowed to have other opinions
- He used Guy and P.T. in comparisson alot
- His final analysis of Deb is that she just wanted to fuck around and just needed an excuse to do it.
- P.A. said she would do a report in the middle of the night and someone can come the next morning and pick it up.
- He hasn't made any blanket statements about P.T. yet
- Hes been researching the referendum, but hes very guarded about it, discussing it.
- P.A. said she was glad that the Govt. won the ref. In enlightened self interest for our own sake? (her ref. to Peoples Temple)
- He kept asking what I did on referemdem day?
- P.A. kept telling him it was low key
- P.A. invited him to Jonestown
- He said you know the African Tribes have a custom, the people take you to your hut and wait for you to come out the next morning and serve breakfast to you, you know to constamate the union.

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thats how he felt things would be when he went to Jonestown he says hes embarrassed.

-P.A. said she thinks hes afraid to give any credience to there unity, but he says hes embarrassed.

-he asked her to go with him to Barbados

-P.A. said she wouldn't go because of her health, couldn't take it right now.

-He asked how Marceline was?

-she told him much better

-He asked about Joyce and Christine

-P.A. said you should come to Jonestown

-She asked him if he had met anyone he didn't like? J/Town

- he said No.

-she showed that as the type of people ther are at Jonestown saying there was notheing strange about the people

-he said he had met Charles Geary and Jim Macravine

-he said he thought Jim Mac. was fucking all the wemon in Peoples Temple along with Charles Geary

-Rudy Collins met Karen Layton at his office when we went into see him once, so he keeps asking about Rudy Collins girl

-Rudy is one of the Thriumpk that had Fred Wills removed- Rudy, Bonnie, & Jackson"

-He's met with the P.M. twice

-by the way Rachlee Jacksons back in town

-He asked about Gene Chalkin, he thinks Gene is funny

Gene called him one time and made a statment aobut Jim Cobb

Gene said P.T. was not puritantal, but when a man is married to one woman and is going with anothe woman, and leaves with another, that alittle much, hes always thought that

was funny and remembered him for it.

-he was very impressed by the S.F. church

* P.A. said he feel were all weeklings (members in general) and couldn't make it without J.J. dictating

-P.A. said some come because they needed something and some because they wqnted to contribute.

* he mentiond the new P.S. to Foreign Affairs, a man by the name of Harry Diet, owned a mercedies Beng, had it several years

-P.A. said that was flamboyant for a developing country

-He didn't disagree

-Paula said she didn't think he had changed any, but she thought he was mellowing out.

* Desmond Hoyte made a statment that we need socialized medicine something to the effect of "I am tired of Doctors and Lawyers

bleeding poor people" the implication was they were going to socialize the med and legal professions.

-the medical people are scared and the lawyers insensed.

-He said thousands were leaving Guyana.

-P.A. said ygs I know Dick McCoy tells us fromtime to time I think he does it to smoothe his wounded feathers about so

many of us leaving the U.S.

-she said he just laughed

-P.A. would like guidelines on what to say,

what subjects would he like her to approach

wants to know if its o.k. to ask about Tim Stoen

she said she could broach any subject, but has been staying away from all wothout guidlines

can Bunnie see the results of Deb T. and Marie's test 4/2

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* -Dr. Skinner and his wife Peggy left the country, went to
Trinidad,
-Bonnie was very upset by this, it's bothering him alot,
he mentioned it several times (evidently they left after
Hoytes statments)

Paula-writes

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BONNIE MANN- Radio phone patch on April 10, 1978

To: Jim
From: PAULA

Terri B. has a transcript of the tape.

I asked the usual how he was and if he had seen a doctor bec last time he was ~~xx~~ sick, he said he had seen a doctor.

He asked, in so many words if I was fucking anyone else.

I told him about the Boston Globe article and Larry being compared to another Dr. Schweitzer.

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G U Y A N A

COUNTY OF DEMERARA

POWER OF ATTORNEY

BE IT KNOWN that on this day of

 before me

A Notary Public practicing in the State of Guyana,
personally came and appeared
of Jonestown, Port Kaituma, North West Region,
State of Guyana, South America.

WHICH APPEARER stated and declared that for
divers good causes and reasons he has made, nominated,
constituted and appointed

of Lot 121, Third Street, Alberttown,
Georgetown, Demerara, Guyana, jointly or severally
to be his true and lawful Attorneys in the State of
Guyana until revocation hereof, to represent him in
all matters, circumstances and things wherein he or
those whom he represents may be interested or
concerned including the following:

1. To purchase and sell property whether real or
personal, movable or immovable, and to grant and take
on lease all property wheresoever whether real or
personal and/or to receive and pass all transports and
leases thereof and to accept any Bill of Exchange or
Mortgage on all or any of such property and on payment
being made to cancel documents in connection therewith
and to appear before any Judge of the High Court or any
Registrar or other Officer of the High Court of the Supreme
Court of Judicature or any Magistrate or Minister or
Justice for all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

med review bd

MB

Paula asked Bernie if he was still going to talk w/ Rudolph (judge). He said yes. Paula told him stuff to ~~stay~~ ^{stay}. Bernie said he couldn't do it because he didn't even know if judge would discuss ^{the} subject. B. said "I just want to find out when he plans to decide." People are saying one of 2 things. Either the court is incompetent or the judge is not going to decide in ^{P.T.} our favor. PNC is putting pressure on judge and that is why he hasn't decided what to do. (which way to go). B said he couldn't interfere. Said it was beneath his position to do that. to try to influence and it would only put ~~the~~ the judge's back against the wall.

Re: letters & calls. Paula started to tell him about it. B said he had gotten strange letters saying that Jim should get John & the right thing should be done & people would die over the issue if Jim didn't get John. Paula assured him P.T. didn't do it. She said it's the same method that's been used on

others. Paula asked if she could have copies of the letters and he said he didn't know where they were - he got so many they were probably buried. ^{Different} subject: B said why don't you just leave things alone. P.R. not wise (sending P.R. letters etc.) to ministers, PNC, etc. He spoke to Burnham about P.T. over a year ago & how J. was Housing Chairman & stepped on some toes.

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B. told P.M. that Cover a year^{off} it's o.k. for a
big person to problem himself a S but when
a leader of a large org does it people feel
threatened & insecure. He said defectors are not
unusual.

September 8, 1978

Dear Jim,

I should not even bother you with bullshit right now but if you are considering sending me away, I thought you should know where my head is.

Firstly, I do not want to go. I have a better relationship with my child than I ever have, and mostly because I have taken time to spend with her. She is very bright and at the inquisitive learning stage and I think her grandmother's inconsistency and moodiness is already affecting certain mannerisms she is developing. I have felt guilty about taking time to spend with her because it is hours away from work that I have to take, but it has made a world of difference in her (and me too).

I like to work, but I hate the radio room. It is a lot of pressure and I always react to fatigue and pressure by crying. Some people lose weight, others bite their fingernails, others develop ulcers, well -- I cry. It doesn't mean I can't take pressure, it is just that I let my emotions show in a more obvious way, but nonetheless any more manipulative than all attention-getters are. What I hate about the radio room isn't the pressure, or the fatigue even, but the paranoia I always get from being so close to information I would prefer to not even have. (For example, today Carolyn said to Sharon that you were thinking about having Larry give something to Mazor. I was not paying any attention and had my back to them, but I heard. Karen said, you mean you are going to have Larry give something to Mazor. This time it registered what they were saying. Carolyn said you were thinking about it. At this point I turned around and said are you going to give truth serum to Mazor, which I thought to be no more than an addition to the conversation. At this, Carolyn said, "I doubt if we will do it." I doubt Carolyn meant any more by it than she had talked too much in front of too many people. However this is just the kind of thing that makes me feel I am in the wrong place, but I have to be there because I am working there. I am not upset by it, but only using it as an example of how easily that place can create nonsensical paranoia.) I am not afraid of hard work or working in the fields. It would be a vacation from that room. I cleaned houses for middle-class housewives from the time I was 12 to make money to buy clothes for school so I have not been pampered and I am not afraid to get my hands dirty.

The Georgetown radio is not as organized as it was before I left, but in many ways it is because I always knew everything that was going on, and now I am not able to keep up with everything because much of it is conveyed during the day when I am not there (mostly I mean the emphasis that you place in certain things I pick up from getting messages from you over the telephone), so I am caught in a catch 22. I want away from there to spend time with Monique and always feel guilty. I want to thank you for making it possible for me to adopt Monique. I have several times almost asked, but was afraid of what kind of fight it will be with her grandmother and the legal hassles it will create. But I also have been afraid that the mother may someday try to take her back, and I really think the grandmother would even prefer the daughter to having her to me.

I know I am trustworthy, but I think I have emotional reactions to people and especially to what you say rather than just to do my work in an unaffected way. I try hard to not let my emotions be so much on the surface. I don't know why I do. I always feel guilty afterward and know I put an extra burden on you. I only wish that people wouldn't try to work around me when I am a teary eyed. It is not my breaking point.

I am not asking to be in the know. I prefer whatever responsibilities which do not directly relate to me, to avoid. My point of writing this

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is more of an expose of how I am thinking and what makes me paranoid.

This last trip to town opened my eyes more than any other trip I have taken to a capitalist environment. I knew then there was nothing there I wanted. After the first couple of days of selfishly indulging in eating what I wanted, I decided it (meaning food) wasn't even a substitute for a communist environment. I will take rice and gravy and Jonestown any day. If I have to go, I only hope I am really being of help with Mann and useful to Marceline (who I owe quite a lot for her pulling me out of a morass a couple of years ago), and useful in whatever. You don't have to ^{prove} to me you trust me. I know I am trustworthy and I don't need any proof.

I want to be completely honest about my insecurities as well as my strong points.

I felt a little disappointed when I heard Tom was living with Hattie. Not so much because I wanted him, but because he didn't want me. I don't think of Tom as a sexual partner but more of a companion to talk with about various things that we enjoyed together (music, reading, etc.). It could be memories that I miss rather than the person because those were relaxed days. I didn't live with Tom for several years before I came here and I don't feel any hostility toward him or Hattie, only a blow to my ego. As ridiculous as it is, I don't feel I should hold anything back from you.

I have no emotional or physical or image attachment to Mann. It is not possible to loathe anyone more than I do him. I am always afraid I am going to blow it and say ^{something} I shouldn't and I feel a great amount of insecurity I will blow it by my ignorance and say strategically the wrong thing. He tests me constantly (just like he does on the radio) and after awhile I have to work at ^{being} sarcastic. I am too old and too sarcastic for this work. He does better with us via the radio. You understand men thoroughly and can wrap him around your finger. As much as I try to follow how you handle him, I fail miserably. (A question I have been too embarrassed to ask: Psychologically, what kind of effect would it give him for me to give him a blow job. He asks every single time we fuck and I cannot bring myself to do it, but I will if it will make him more accomodating to us.) I was concerned it would give him some power trip besides making me gag, but I want to know the truth and let me make the decision.) The only reason I think I did better last time was because you set the stage for me, I wasn't fatigued with Gtn, and I had a better outlook about my responsibility ~~infers~~.

I feel that lately people have been trying to work around me since my crying episode about going to Port Kaituma. Crying is not unusual, it is just me. It puts a strain on everyone else, but I can't seem to outgrow this thing. I have been this way since I was small. They called me cry-baby and I cried more. Whenever people are obviously working around me, then it is obviously me and not them that are in the wrong. I am quite willing to work. Carolyn that day said that she thought I was upset about having to be accountable in the radio room. I have done a lot of reflection on that and I disagree that that is my problem. I wrote a thing up to Carolyn about the hours I was working not because I thought she was questioning my accountability with the work in the radio room, but more because I felt guilty that I didn't work doing more things, yet I wanted to spend time with Monique. Even though I am only doing so many hours in the radio room, everytime I walk down the path, I end up doing extra things and can spend 3/4 of a day doing things which are not even related to the radio, but still somebody needed to do. This is what I was reacting to. Accountability has been a problem of mine in the past, but because I know this, I always work extra hard to correct that one area or avoid anything happening.

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I try to avoid putting any of my moods on you and when I am a bit emotional, I will have someone else answer the phone. I am too paranoid and gave you an example. I am too image~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ conscious or I wouldn't be writing this. This is all I have to say about my state of mind because I am not bugged by anything except that my crying be misinterpreted and people think I am going to crack.

I lastly want to say out of concern that we get stuck with a plane fare which we do not need, is that if I have to go, Mann should be told to send a ticket because he will never refund it. I am not pressing this. I just know how he works. If he could get FT to pay it, he would. He is selfish as hell. It will take a week for it to be wired down and if I am to travel with Marceline, that is when it should be here. If I have to go, I would prefer going with someone as to by myself, but I will do whatever. I don't want to go at all. I got the impression I would have to which is why I mention it.

Lastly again, I am quite concerned about having to go at this time. Your health is worse than I have ever seen and even though I can't do anything to help, I don't want to go when you are so sick. (I guess selfishly I am afraid something will happen while I am gone.)

Please forgive me for the pain I cause you.

Love,
Paula

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MEETING WITH COMPTROLLER WHITE 25/1/78

- he said the law was that if you are communal it was a problem as you are only allowed by law to bring in personal items
- he said that initially the reason we got crates thru with no duty was that it was left to the discretion of individuals and they chose to let it thru
- we said that we should have been notified that this was going to be changed as we never were notified of this law and thus couldn't prepare people ahead of time how to pack their things separately/ hexitti said that the law was on the books and they didn't have to notify us
- even if duty is cleared this time, it has to be waived each time there is a shipment by Min. Hope

MEETING WITH LUCKHO 12/1/78

- the judge is concerned about moralities and that's why Luckho didn't mention about JJ being John's father
- however if we want it mentioned, Wills would be the one to do so
- Grace struck Luckho as being "cold"
- when it was mentioned to the judge that by the attorney of Grace and Tim that "The child belongs to this man and this woman and all they are doing is to get their child" - the judge said, "I'm not going into the facts of this" (Lionel said that this is a delicate matter of law, they are not going into the merits of the case, only the procedures)
- Lionel can't present it about JJ being the father unless they later go into the facts of this case (and it is better for us if it is thrown out on procedure)
- the judge might be waiting for the "dust to settle" before he makes his decision
- the Chancellor had asked the judge to review his decision before arrest orders were made, the judge said at the time "I know I'm right"
- Judge Bishop is the most Junior Judge, he's a new judge, only has been a judge for one year, he's lost every single appeal case, he has no depth

OLD MEETING WITH WILLS 1/78

- in the final analysis you'll win, I'll stake my reputation on that
- I would not be a part of your losing, I would not allow it
- I stake 30 years of experience on the fact you'll win in the final analysis

LUCKHO'S STATEMENTS AFTER THE FIRST HEARING

- the judge has reserved his decision
- he will decide all 3 parts of the summons to remove the orders
- Hughes already has started proceedings against Joyce and the others mentioned calling on them to produce the child (the fact they have been unsuccessful in getting an order to produce the child shows they are ineffectual)
- the person who is entitled to the custody is not necessary the person who has physical custody
- if they serve on Joyce that she bring the child to ct. or respond to Grace's affidavit that the child be brought to Court; Joyce merely says, "I do not have physical custody" (though she is entitled to physical custody)
- they can't go any further than that/ they can't force anybody to bring the child to court unless someone admits physical custody
- Luckho's sentiments and morality are on our side
- if Bishop doesn't decide in our favor, he's subject to the full court (3 judges) (and he's never won an appeal, if they the full court don't decide in our favor it goes to the appeal court)
- Grace Stoen's affidavit came from an American proceeding and is not tenable here
- if JJ wants to come to Georgetown or travel, nothing will be served so he is free to travel
- when we mentioned about their making calls to the judge (Stoens) / he said they are "wicked people"
- he said we have all the plays on our side, they can't touch you, can't harm

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of acres have been planted in crops such as yams, corn, sweet potatoes, citrus, and avocado.

In addition to the agricultural and livestock programs is extensive community development. Three houses, a workshop, an equipment maintenance station, a warehouse, a shoe repair shop, and a church/community center have been built by the Peoples Temple mission workers. The cooperation and assistance given by this fine government's agricultural advisors, as well as from many other government departments, has been invaluable.


Pastor Jones extends his gratitude to all of our Guyanese brothers and sisters for their interest and encouragement. Although he hasn't much time for travel because of his busy and hectic schedule ministering to the three large United States based churches, he does enjoy hearing from you and gives every letter he receives personal attention.

May God Bless You.

Please feel free to write:

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P.O. Box 893
Georgetown
Guyana, South America

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Peoples Temple Christian Church
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Redwood Valley, California, 95470, U.S.A.



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September 12, 1978

Dear Mr. Van de Kamp:

A matter has come to my attention which greatly upsets me. I am aware of allegations being made against some good friends of mine and fellow members of Peoples Temple. I have known the character and integrity of these people for many years and know that the nature of such allegations do not fit the nature of these people. The matter your office has been asked to look into is clearly a frame-up. I only ask that you take a close look at those who are making the allegations and the vengeful patterns that mark the path they move along. This is not a case of merit, but rather, a crystal clear indication of the extent that those who are opposed to humanistic social changes would go to.

I have been in Guyana for nearly five years as an original representative for Peoples Temple's agricultural mission deep in the hinterlands and was a member in the United States Temple several years before that so I feel I have adequate background of the character and membership of the Peoples Temple to be a solid witness to our credibility as a progressive humanitarian service church.

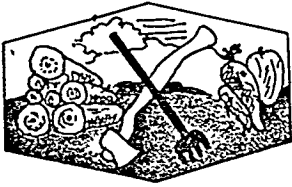
Our hinterland mission has been gratefully received by Guyanese government officials, the clergy, the business community, and the general public. Being a newly developing Third World nation with a black leadership, Guyana has met with opposition from racist forces outside of their republic. We can empathize with how they feel because harassment of our church and its members started simultaneously with our decision to start a mission in this emerging multiracial country.

Contrary to what has appeared in some malicious articles which have carried lies about our mission work down here, we have daily visitors who could attest to the peaceful, harmonious, humanistic community we have in the hinterland. Journalists in Guyana have visited and carried praiseworthy articles about the mission. Government officials, technical and professional people, members of the various protective services, educators, clergymen, and acquaintances all have been guests of ours at the mission or simply drop by. To believe the lies told in some two-bit sensational story is to assume that all of these people have lied. With this obvious attack at the very roots of our work, which is to build an interracial egalitarian community, it should be just as obvious to you that this is a frame-up and more of the same vicious lies.

I hope you will search your conscience and look at this matter dispassionately and analytically and see that this is a fabrication. The inconsistencies in these stories and their irrational vengeance should not go unnoticed by you or your office. Lies can easily be rationalized by hatred and so it goes with this bunch.

With great sincerity,

Paula Adams
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Administrative Secretary,
People's Temple Agricultural Mission,
Port Kaituma,
North West Region.

24th December, 1976.

Dear Comrade,

I wish to refer to your letter of 12th December, 1976 and have to thank you for your kind invitation, but regret to inform you that I shall be unable to attend due to matters of State. Cde. Ken Jones, Regional Supervisor will represent me.

I shall meet the Bishop at the luncheon to be hosted by the Deputy Prime Minister on the 29th December, 1976.

Transportation assistance, as requested in your letter, will be provided.

Co-operatively,

Minister of State - Regional
North West Region.

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On Guyana Government Service.

Jada Paula Adams
Administrative Secretary
People's Temple Agricultural Mission

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Comrade Jim Jones,
Peoples Temple Agricultural Project,
Jonestown,
Port Kaituma,
North West Region,

Paula

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REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT OFFICE,

Matthews' Ridge,
North West Region,

22nd April, 1978.

Inspector E. Benjamin,
Non-commissioned Officer,
Matthews' Ridge Police Station,
North West Region.

Dear Inspector,


Today, Cds. Johnny Jones of the Peoples Temple Settlement reported that on 6th April, 1978 the Peoples Temple tractor with trailer attached, loaded with bags of rice, broke down on the Kaituma road. It is alleged that the tractor Driver having left the vehicle on the road to obtain assistance to get it moving, on returning observed the Ministry of Regional Development Land Rover leaving the area where the Peoples Temple tractor and trailer were parked.

It is alleged that he also observed two (2) bags of rice missing and that he called Peoples Temple personnel at the gate to Jonestown by Radiophone and reported his findings. It is further alleged that Personnel at the gate observed what they thought to be two (2) bags of rice in the Ministry of Regional Development Land Rover which was by that time standing at the gate.

I have established that on that day the Ministry of Regional Development Land Rover No. PMA 9304 driven by St Elmo Barrow conveying Cds. Bakoh of the Ministry of Education was in the Kaituma area and stopped at the gate of the Peoples Temple seeking admission to that location. Cds. Barrow disclaimed any knowledge of rice in the Land Rover.

In order to clear up this matter I should be grateful if you would cause an investigation to be carried out and inform me of the outcome as early as possible.

Cds. Bakoh mentioned above is, I understand, the Schools Welfare Officer attached to the Ministry of Education, Georgetown. I expect it would be necessary to obtain his account of the happenings at the time.


W.D. WYATT,
Regional Development Officer,
Region #1.

c.c. Cds. Jim Jones, Peoples Temple Agri. Project,
Jonestown.

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Willie Dwyer

PEOPLES TEMPLE AGRICULTURAL MISSION
Port Kaituma, N.W.D., Guyana

12th December, 1976

Minister Fitz Carmichael,
Minister of North West Region,
Matthews Ridge, North West Region.

Dear Comrade Minister Carmichael;

Bishop Jim Jones, founder-leader of Peoples Temple, will be arriving in Guyana on the 12th of December, 1976. Accompanying the Bishop will be the Lieutenant Governor of California, Mervyn Dymally; Congressman Willie Brown; Assistant District Attorney of San Francisco, Timothy Stoen; Reverend Michael Prokes; and the Head of the Council of Churches in the United States.

The Bishop will be meeting with the Honourable Prime Minister on the 29th of December. Also on the 29th of December will be a luncheon in the Bishop's honour hosted by the Deputy Prime Minister, Dr. Ptolemy Reid.

On the 28th of December, Bishop Jones will be bringing the guests to Jonestown, Port Kaituma, North West Region. He will be arriving on the morning of the 28th of December on a Guyana Defense Force aircraft (the exact time to be given at a later date).

You are cordially invited to attend a luncheon reception to be held at Jonestown for the Bishop on December 28th.

We would be most grateful for your assistance with transportation for the touring party. Two landrovers will be needed to escort the Bishop and entourage from the airport to Jonestown and back.

Thank you for your consideration and we will be awaiting a reply at your earliest convenience.

Co-operatively yours,

Paula Adams,
Administrative Secretary

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Regional Development Officer,
Matthews Ridge, North West Region.

Cde. Gregory Gaskin,
Chief Executive Officer,
Matthews Ridge, North West Region.

Cde. Norman Adams,
Port Kaituma, North West Region.

Cde. Isaac Lambert,
Port Kaituma, North West Region.

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November 11, 1978
Georgetown

Talk with Hanoman: Sharon said she thought that Guyanese money might lose its value and Hanoman said he didn't know about that. She said that might be why Jim is a little reluctant to take Guyanese money from him.

He said when he talked to Maria it was at a time when the case was still in court but now it's not in court anymore. // he said maybe he could talk to some ministers of govt. he said he could talk to Barnwell as he's a friend. he said he thinks Barnwell likes money a lot, and thinks we could bribe Barnwell. He could conveniently lose the arrest order for John. Sharon asked what about Clarence Hughes -- wouldn't he be upset? he said there is nothing he could do. Sharon told him she knew Barnwell and he said why don't you talk to him. She told Hanoman he would be more effective in talking to him. He seemed like he would be willing to talk to Barnwell, and Sharon told Hanoman that we would have to think about it.

Hanoman agreed that they sounded like trouble makers, and she said she was going to talk to Skip and Mingo. She told Hanoman that Barnwell is somewhat of a flirt, and he agreed. He seems very interested in buying the property so he might help.

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--Bollers thinks we should call Luckhoo and Skip Roberts and let them know what's going on. He seemed to think they should be stopped. He doesn't think they should come in. But then he said maybe they should see for themselves. He didn't think they would be able to do anything about John. He reacted mostly to the fact that they did critical things about justice system and him. Ann thinks he might bow to pressure because he likes USA a lot. He thinks the issue of John should have been taken care of a long time ago. He changed the subject. He doesn't like conflict. Bollers doesn't think they can do anything // he thought Skip Roberts should be contacted and warned to keep them out.

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