

NOTES TAKEN FROM ABPTS.
#/THE FOLLOWING
DICK MC COY/AMERICAN EMBASSY
KOREAN EMBASSY/CDE. JOE & CDE. LES
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- 1) DICK MC COY/AMERICAN EMBASSY; visited by Sharon, Deb, Prokes, Marceline...
 - People from the Embassy thought the cultural show was very good.
 - Dan Noble mentioned assassination attempts were mentioned in the speech, was surprised to say that to a group of Guyanese, in that you are a foreign country, to talk of Pres Kennedy's assassination. Dan took it in a political sense, our political stand.
 - Dan thought the show was very professional, but long.
 - Dan mentioned that part of speech that said the Embassy had been helpful in defending the Peoples Temple, but he was puzzled that there was a great deal of politics.
 - Dick said from Dan's explanation it sounded as if we were practically explaining why we were forced out of the United States. Why did you do that? he asked.
 - Sharon Prokes said yes, but it's due to the fact that we were asked to explain, to let people know because there was so much crap going around.
 - Dan Noble was in the Peace Core in Georgetown before he came to Guyana.
 - a man named Ellis will be replacing McCoy, has a young officer, Dick said a very fine officer, he served in Luxembourg, then Manila, has a little girl.
 - Sharon told him what Shirley Field-Ridley said we practiced for hours, she wished some of her people could have been there to see the example, they have trouble with this, also mentioned Min. Kennard had praised us.
 - McCoy said it went on and on and on. They could be a pretty tough audience here, he said a Russian group performed and they were really third class, they were bad, he left at intermission, he had to apologize to Cheddi Jagan, and even Cheddi was upset by the performance.
 - Sharon asked him if he knew Cheddi? McCoy was on speaking basis, sure I know the man, his daughter went to a Moscow university and couldn't stand it, she's now living in the states, Mr. Jagan spends most of his time in the states. He's a communist, but every time he wants to go, he had to go through this office.
 - Sharon mentioned to Marceline that Dick said his sons were young fascists, Dick agreed. Yes, their young fascists, they go to a school run by a baptist church but it's set up like a military-run by military discipline.
 - (ref. to Moon issue) Dick said, all this about a chief court officer is a strange issue. Both sides have reputable attorneys, he told me, the judge is hard nosed and independent, no one is going to influence him. Dick said people in power want to get from him what they can give as answers back there.
 - Sharon asked to see excerpt on us. Dick said they were getting it, it was on it's way. Sharon asked to see his copy, Dick said it was a classified document and he couldn't just give it out. To see the more recent reports we would have to apply again, each time a new one comes out.
 - Dick said he told state Dept. he didn't feel it was any further use to explain to peoples that people in Jonestown were not being held against their will. the Embassy could be charged with harassment. When they get inquiries about their children, well we will check it out when we go up there.
 - as soon as all this press came out in the U.S., inquiries about you were inevitable, Dick said. He told us of a situation in Ecuador and Israel when people inquired about their children, certainly three times more than they did about the P.L.
 - Dick said basically the only time the U.S. will interfere is 1) if a person is being discriminated against solely because he is American. 2) if a person has been subject to physical brutality. 3) people can be put in prison for years and years without knowing what they are being tried for, before they even have a trial.
 - Dick tells those that pressure him, I'm not in a position to say what they will do, State Dept. keeps pressuring them to tell them what the Guyana Government

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will do. Dick he didn't want to commit himself. He said Stoen contacted ninety congress men. Myacawa was not interested in this, said it was a case for the courts.

Dick said he did impress w/Myacawa, he had done alot for the school system. McClusky has shown interest for Tim Stone, an Interstate Foreign Congressman in the United States, friend of Dick's said mostly all staffs read to Tim Stones letters.

Stoen is saying this court order is not being observed, theres no basis for this in National Law. Dick said Hass didn't understand why Dick wouldn't take John and give him to Hass to fly to the U.S. Dick said he didn't mind a man being aggressive for his job, but he started throwing threats. Dick we don't have (letters regatory) when one court makes a decision based on another courts decision=doesn't apply in Guyana.

Dick said these people showed interest for Stoen: Bellem, Brown, Burton, Phillip/ and John, one didn't care, the other showed interest for stoen, he couldn't remember which one it was; Rayon, Cranstom, McClusky, Church, Luchon they showed him alot of things on file in Washington. Frank Dominion told him, Dick is taking Frank Dominion's job. Frank speaks suribotrock.

Dick-Yugoslavia is a capitalist fact, they have alot of theory, but drive Mercedes Benz, there are some in upperclass, so Dick used to leave them, not everyone has jobs, depends on the republic, about 16% unemployment. They have a welfare system theoretically. Have free medical care, some are good facilities, some arent, but there system is better than some because they allow for some freedom of expression, they're tough people, he was very impressed with them. theres a certain oppressive police system, couldn't live there all his life. In terms of criminal law, thats different, but in terms of politics, they are much tighter. Dick said there were three nuclear reactors in

Yugoslavia from the U.S. also Petro State Chemical, and American Co. In Hungary as well. He have a certain amount of military systems in Yugoslavia. He mentioned something about Tito as one of the three leaders of the non-aligned policy. they were the corner stone of our Eastern Policy...I didn't quite understand this part...

Sharon asked what he thought the decision would be. Dick-Stoen ask me that, everybody ask me the outcome. It was mentioned that Chief Justice Bolders was at our program. Dick said he knew.

Dick-I think it is up to Joyce Touchette, one of the three guys shes going to have to appear in court and testify. Dick said "Sharon, I can't see where any country would go against it's foreign policy in a dispute where none of it's citizens were involved. To them (Guyana) it's a simple case of four or five people. If we don't pressure them, and it comes from this side, don't forget the government has enemies here too. He as the U.S. cant go to the Guyanese Govt. had say, hey, we want that child to be given back to it's parents.

Suppose Touchette has custody and Stones go bizerk, how does the Embassy prove that the Embassy didn't have political intervention. He told stoen to send him something in writing.

SHARON MET BRASBY/CDE, JOE & CDE, LEE... Visited by Sharon, Deb T., Marceline, Ava, Mike F, Kim Yoon Ai, ... Cde. Lee mentioned to Marceline, "you said the U.S. Embassy had given assistance to you", in what way?

Marceline only in that they visited our project and when families asked about the welfare of our children, they kept us from any harm in this way.

Joe asked about project location, how close to water, they said they would like to travel together with us to Guyana, they offered to take the tapes to our house in their car because they said our car was crowded.

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Lee said they may go up in May or June, Lee thought Jim had strong asiatic features. He asked Kim to come next time with her husband, and that Lee come with wife and child. Wanted photos of Jim Jones, family & sons, Kim's children and husband. Asked ge of Stephen, told him another son was married to Sandy, Avas sister.

Lee wanted to know the educational level, all could read and write?

Do we have primary and secondary schools, did we intend to est blish a college?

Could we send our children to the U.S. colleges or a school here? or in another Socialist Countr

Asked if we were self sufficient in food. We explained we have enough, but all is not producing yet.

What do we sell on the market?

Sharon said were sorry we didn't introduce Marcelline to your Ambassador.

Lee said the Ambassador was engaged and would see us another time.

Asked if we've performed at another place besides the Chinese Dragon.

He said their natural resorces were gold, zinc, copper, magnisum, in abundance and they had over three hundred minerals in Korea, they are refered to as the

"Sample of Minerals".

they showed us a couple of films on Korea, as we left, the Ambassador come greeted Marcelline and all of us good by, sent good wishes to Cde. Jim Jones in his endeavors.