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 SUBJ PROVIDED INFO TO BKCROWN ON PERSONS IN DOMREP.

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TO SANTO DOMINGO

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1. BELOW ARE ILLUSTRATIVE TRACES HERBERT I T K I N (201-836808), PARTNER LAW FIRM ITKIN, ROBERTS, GREENBAUM, NEW YORK. REGISTERED AGENT FOR "HAITIAN GOVERNMENT IN EXILE" REPRESENTING LOUIS D E J O I E (201-240483) AND OTHER HAITIAN EXILE GROUPS 1965. REPORTEDLY FURNISHED MONEY TO GROUP INVADING HAITI AUG 63. A AND B ARE FOR STATION USE ONLY.

A. HAITIAN GOVERNMENT IN EXILE USED SUBJECT'S OFFICES IN NEW YORK CITY; SUBJ SAID HE MADE PERSONAL LOAN OF \$15,000 TO DEJOIE. (DBA-63510, 19 FEB 64).

B. SUBJECT'S FORMER FATHER-IN-LAW CALLED WODISH, NEW YORK TO SAY SUBJ CLOSELY TIED TO BKCROWN, GIVING IT MUCH ASSISTANCE HAITI AND ELSEWHERE, IMPLYING SUBJ TRUSTED INFORMANT OR AGENT, NOT STAFF EMPLOYEE. WARNED BKCROWN SUB NOT DESIRABLE BECAUSE DOUBTS RE RELIABILITY, DISCRETION, ABILITY TO MEET FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS, AND MENTAL EQUILIBRIUM. (WODISH MEMO, 15 FEB 66)

C. NEW YORK TIMES, 9 MARCH 68, REPORTED U.S. OFFICIAL DESCRIBED SUBJ AS UNDERCOVER AGENT WHO INFILTRATED ORGANIZED

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SUBJ RISKED HIS LIFE TO "STAND UP TO MAFIA." ARTICLE ALSO STATES
SUBJ REGISTERED SEPT 63 AS FOREIGN AGENT DOM REP, MAKING NUMEROUS
TRIPS THERE. (TN-ING COPY THIS ITEM.)

D. WASHINGTON POST, 19 JULY 68, REPORTED SIX ALLEGED
ASSOCIATES OF SUBJ, A KEY FIGURE IN JAMES L. MARCUS (FORMER NYC
WATER COMMISSIONER) KICKBACK CASE, INDICATED CHARGES OF ANOTHER
KICKBACK CONSPIRACY INVOLVING MORTGAGE APPLICATIONS MADE TO
TEAMSTERS UNION PENSION FUND; TWO OF SIX ALLEGED ASSOCIATES
IDENTIFIED AS MAFIA MEMBERS. SUBJ NOT INDICTED BUT NAMED IN
FOUR OVERT ACTS CITED INDICTMENT.

E. NEW YORK DAILY NEWS, 15 OCT 68, REPORTED SUBJ, LABOR
LAWYER, TRYING HAVE HIS TRIAL MOVED FROM STATE TO FEDERAL COURT,
CONTENDING HE ACTING AS LNERGO AND BKCROWN AGENT IN CONNECTION
ABOVE CASE.

2. JULY 68 CHECK NUMEROUS BKCROWN COMPONENTS FAILED REVEAL ANY
CONNECTION BETWEEN SUBJ AND BKCROWN.

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FROM NEW YORK, PROHIBITED FROM ENTERING, AND RETURNED
NEW YORK SAME DAY.

CI/EXO F.E. HUBBARD - IN DRAFT

Theodore G. Shackley
THEODORE G. SHACKLEY
C/WH/D

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SUBJECT ITKIN, Herbert		CASE NO. AND CATEGORY 544867-FB-HRK.	
NAME(S) FROM RECORD (No middle name)		SERVICE	RECORD X
DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH Richmond Hill, LI, N.Y.		ARMY	
ADDRESS (include state) 1738 48 St. Bklyn, NY - (1/4)		NAVY	
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1) Mother: ~~ITKIN~~ Edythe
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WILLIAM P. KOSTERMAN
Special Agent in Charge
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Herbert ITKIN

Date and Place of Birth: [redacted] Queens (also given as Jamaica, L.I., New York).

Description: 5'11". Brown hair. Brown eyes. (Photos in file).

Passports and Travel:

Ppt. B122634, issued 4 Jan. 1961. Renewed 11 Feb. 1964.

Ppt G097867, issued 14 Jan. 1966.

a. Was to depart NYC for UK, BOAC 506 o/a 14 Jan. '66. Had made 4 trips abroad in earlier 12 months.

b. Was to depart o/a 8 Jan. '61, UK & Western Europe. Two weeks vacation.

Father: Arthur ITKIN. Born [redacted] Russia (also given as "Poland", 18 May 1900). US citizen (by naturalization? marriage?)
Last stipulated residence: 118 Front St., Dublin, Ga (?) .

Mother: Edith HAVES, born [redacted] (also given as [redacted])
[redacted] US citizen by birth.

Permanent Residences:

440 E. 79th St., NYC (Jan. 1966)

33 Greenwich Ave., NYC (Jan. 1964)

168 Rim Lane, Hicksville, New York (Jan. 1961)

Shelton Towers Hotel, Lexington Ave., NYC (Aug. 1966)

300 Madison Ave., NYC (Legal offices, 1965).

Marital Status/Spouse:

Adah Itkin, born [redacted] married 12 Dec. 1963

Diana Kane, born [redacted]

LEPT OF STATE PASSPORT APPLICATION

DATE: 14 JANUARY 1966

CLASSIFICATION: NONE GIVEN

SUBJECT: HERBERT ITKIN

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for this person? If so,
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be attached to it
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ITKIM
HERBERT

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630 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK 20, N. Y.



Itkin, Herbert

Bureau of Records and Statistics

Department of Health

The City of New York

CERTIFICATION OF BIRTH

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that *Herbert Itkin*
Sex *Male* was born in the City of New York on
according to Birth Record No. *11185* filed in the *QUEENS*
Office of this Bureau on *Dec. 3, 1926*

In witness whereof, the seal of the Department
of Health of the City of New York has been affixed
hereto this *4* day of *Jan* 19*61*

Carl L. Edwards *John Barth*
Director of Bureau Borough Registrar

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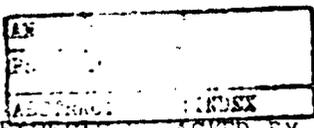
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1. SMOTH (SMUPROOT) EXPECTS BE ASKED BY HMG TO COMMENT ON ACCURACY LONDON TELEGRAPH ARTICLE 16 MAY TO EFFECT THAT MR. HERBERT ITKIN, AMERICAN LABOR LAWYER, WAS ON JKLANCE SECRET MISSION IN BRITAIN IN 1965. ARTICLE SAYS JKLANCE HAS FORMALLY ACKNOWLEDGED IN PAPER SUBMITTED TO NEW YORK SUPREME COURT THAT ITKIN WORKED AS AN AGENT IN BRITAIN AND THAT THIS ONLY SECOND TIME JKLANCE HAS PUBLICLY ACKNOWLEDGED THE ASSIGNMENT OF AN UNDERCOVER AGENT NOT OFFICIALLY ON JKLANCE PAYROLL (POWERS WAS FIRST).

2. ACCORDING LOCAL LNERGO, IT ACTUALLY HANDLED ITKIN IN LONDON AS INFORMANT ON CRIMINAL MATTERS IN 1965. JAGUAR AWARE OF THIS. HOWEVER, LOCAL LNERGO AS CONFUSED AS WE ARE AS TO ITKIN'S JKLANCE CONNECTION AT THAT TIME.

3. REQUEST HQS ADVISE WHAT WE MAY TELL SMOTH.

4. NO STATION RECORD ITKIN.

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Remarks: <i>if one is forthcoming on the</i> Seen by John Greaney and John Warner. Neither has any problems with it. <i>questions concerning G's knowledge of HARBOR. if there is any question</i> <i>as to whether the interest of this dispatch is not clear, HQS would welcome any questions by cable.</i>			
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SUBJECT	Interview of Mr. Luis E. GUTIERREZ	INFO/US

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

See paragraph 1 below.

1. Your assistance is requested in interviewing [redacted] Luis E. GUTIERREZ, for information which would be helpful to this Government in determining the accuracy of certain claims made confidentially by Herbert L. ITKIN. Mr. ITKIN is a prime witness in legal proceedings presently underway in New York City involving the Mafia and related underworld organizations. ITKIN lives under the protection of U.S. Federal Marshals.

2. The following data is for your information. It should not be used in dealing with GUTIERREZ or outside of this Organization. ITKIN has been an FBI informant since March 1963. He has now claimed to have worked for this Organization during the period 1954/55 to 1960. ITKIN asserts that his contact during these years was one Philip HARBIN. This inquiry is concerned solely with ITKIN's claimed relationship with this Organization from 1954/55 to 1960 when he alleges HARBIN was his contact. As will be seen, GUTIERREZ, ITKIN alleges, also knew HARBIN during that time and that fact, therefore, is material to the credibility of ITKIN's story.

ITKIN's first contact with Philip HARBIN was in 1955 when he claims to have been contacted pursuant to a meeting he, ITKIN, had in Philadelphia with a leading personality of this Organization and another high-government official late in 1954 or early 1955. According to ITKIN, HARBIN never made the specific claim of being from this Organization but that was ITKIN's assumption.

ITKIN describes HARBIN as about 42 or 43 (in 1955), an American. He had receding hair, combed back but parted. He was about 5'8" in height,

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well-built with little evidence of fat. He always wore a vest. He spoke fluent Spanish and could have been of Polish or Russian family background. HARBIN always drank tea, never coffee. He appeared affluent with a professorial air about him.

Following an initial meeting, ITKIN alleges that he and HARBIN met periodically in New York City. ITKIN alleges that he passed to HARBIN copies of the correspondence developed by his law firm, Delson, Levin and Gordon, dealing with Indonesia, Burma, and India. ITKIN left that law firm in mid-1957, presumably thereby losing total access. Among the materials ITKIN claims he passed to HARBIN before he left the Delson, Levin and Gordon firm was information he picked up from a friend who worked at the United Nations for the Government of El Salvador. This friend was Luis E. GUTIERREZ (see biographic sketch, Attachment A). ITKIN claims that he became very friendly with GUTIERREZ, who was studying either at New York University or Columbia where he prepared a master's thesis on El Salvador's economic position. HARBIN, he says, was interested in the topic and ITKIN alleges he furnished HARBIN notes of GUTIERREZ' monograph.

Sometime presumably after mid-year 1957, HARBIN asked ITKIN if he knew anybody else who could do (intelligence) work. ITKIN recalled GUTIERREZ, who meanwhile had moved to the position as Consul General of El Salvador in New Orleans, Louisiana. HARBIN--ITKIN says--accepted the suggestion and ITKIN provided an introduction for HARBIN by letter, which he sent to GUTIERREZ in New Orleans. ITKIN asserts that HARBIN--according to his own statement--went to New Orleans and made the "new contact". ITKIN claims he last saw HARBIN in 1960.

3. A comparison between the key points of ITKIN's account as summarized in the immediately preceding paragraph with the data set out in Attachment A and E will show immediate contradictions that tend to destroy any credibility in ITKIN's account, particularly with respect to his relationship to GUTIERREZ. We also point out, solely for your information, that we have found no confirmation in our records of any relationship between this Organization and ITKIN during the period 1954-1960. No traces have been found in our records or anywhere in government thus far of a Philip HARBIN, and there is explicit denial that there was any meeting in Philadelphia in 1954 between ITKIN and the high officials he nominates. Finally, there is no substantiation in our files of any of the intelligence product which ITKIN allegedly passed to HARBIN. This case, however, is of such a nature that we must strive, if possible, to have GUTIERREZ' own statement for the record.

4. We leave to the Station determination of the best manner to approach GUTIERREZ. It is our preference that a Station officer, under suitable cover, perform the interview, but it may well be that a consular or embassy officer might be the best person to do the job. We repeat that we are concerned in this matter solely with the verification or denial of ITKIN's statements, specifically the allegation that he introduced HARBIN to GUTIERREZ in New Orleans and that as a consequence GUTIERREZ would be in a position to identify and describe HARBIN in a way that would permit us to locate him if he exists. The request for GUTIERREZ' assistance in this matter is in no way predicated upon hostility towards ITKIN nor is there any predisposition against his claims if indeed evidence is found to back them up. If GUTIERREZ indicates that he is willing to provide whatever information he can, you can assure him that his information is solely for U.S. Government use and will not be made public by us at any time without his expressed consent. Also, it is clear that we are prepared to accept his decision to give no assistance in the matter.

5. We have compiled a short statement that might be used by the interviewer to explain to GUTIERREZ the purpose of the interview (see Attachment B). A list of questions, which should be given orally, is elaborated in Attachment C. You will note that these questions concern the larger as well as narrower elements of GUTIERREZ' relations with ITKIN. We are willing to settle for a specific answer to the narrower question of Philip HARBIN in preference to generalizations about the whole relationship. If, as a consequence of your handling, GUTIERREZ is willing to talk in depth, we will be grateful.

6. Attachment D is a copy of a New York Times article concerning ITKIN and one of the completed federal cases in New York City. This item is attached for your background reading. This may be shown to GUTIERREZ, of course. Attachment E is a copy of a letter dated 26 February 1965 from GUTIERREZ to ITKIN. Again, the content of this letter tends to support the theory that ITKIN's story, as elaborated in paragraph 2 above, is a fabrication. While possibly based on a real relationship, it appears to be a fabrication with respect to chronology and with respect to the exact mutual interests involved. Also included in this attachment is ITKIN's answer to the letter. We feel in retrospect that GUTIERREZ might be unhappy to read his own letter in the course of a consular interview. We, therefore, suggest that this not be shown to him. However, there is no objection to an indication that the U.S. Government is aware that GUTIERREZ was in perfectly correct correspondence with ITKIN during 1965 on business matters.

7. We would appreciate compliance at your earliest convenience and a preliminary indication by cable of GUTIERREZ' response, if one is forthcoming, on the questions concerning GUTIERREZ' knowledge of HARBIN. If there is anything unclear in this dispatch, Headquarters would welcome any questions by cable. All correspondence should be addressed Chief, WOMUSE, via Chief, WH.

James R. Rumsey

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Attachment A to HSSW-2742

GUTIERREZ, Luis Enrique

Born in San Salvador, El Salvador, on 15 July 1916; son of Luis and Concepcion G.; B. Commerce from Sir George Williams University, 1948; M. A. from New York University, 1951; Ph. D. in Economics, University of San Salvador, 1959; married Lydia DIAZ on 21 September 1940; one daughter, Maria Marta; vice consul of El Salvador in Montreal, 1944-1949; consul in New York City, 1949-1952; consul general, New Orleans, 1952-1958 (30 December 1952-3 April 1958)*; supt. banks and corporations, El Salvador, 1958-1961; general manager inversiones comerciales, 1961 - present; professor of economics, University of El Salvador, 1958 - present; commissioner, City of San Salvador, 1964 - present; served to first lieutenant, Salvadorian Army, 1933 - 1939; member of American Economists Association, Association of Salvadorian Economists; home: 83 avenida Norte 619; office: Apartado Postal 1144, San Salvador, El Salvador.

Who's Who in Commerce and Industry, 1968-1969, page 558.

* Foreign Consular Offices in United States, 1954 through 1959.

SECRET/RYPAT

Attachment B to HSSW-2742

Suggested Statement to GUTIERREZ

I understand you have a friend named Herbert ITKIN, a lawyer, now living in New York. Mr. ITKIN is under the protection of United States authorities because he is the prime witness in very significant legal cases presently pending before the Federal court in New York City. Mr. ITKIN, in private testimony to U.S. authorities, has indicated that you were a friend of his; he met you in New York while you were at the United Nations. He has also indicated that sometime in 1957 he sent a letter of introduction to you in New Orleans, presenting one Philip HARBIN whom ITKIN claims did go to New Orleans and introduced himself to you. Your answers to questions relating to the above would be of great help to the U.S. Government in determining the veracity of ITKIN's statements.

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Attachment C to HSSW-2742

Questions to be presented orally to Luis E. GUTIERREZ

Would you describe the circumstances leading to your introduction to Mr. Herbert ITKIN and the nature of your contacts with Mr. ITKIN? When did you first meet Mr. ITKIN? Where were you working at the time? What was your position?

What school or university were you attending at the time? For what degree were you preparing? In what subject? What subject did you use for your thesis? Did you show it to ITKIN and/or did you give him a copy?

Did you continue to maintain contact with him after your departure from New York? Do you still maintain correspondence with him? When did you last have contact with Mr. ITKIN?

In 1957 or 1958 did you receive a letter from Mr. ITKIN introducing a Philip HARBIN?

Did a man named Philip HARBIN come to New Orleans and introduce himself to you? Did he have a letter of introduction from Mr. ITKIN? (How did he represent himself, i.e., whom did he represent?) Would you describe Philip HARBIN? Would you describe your first meeting with Philip HARBIN? What subjects were covered? How long were contacts maintained? When were they terminated? For what reason?

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H/W att # 3-6 HSSW-2742

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DR. LUIS E. GUTIERREZ
ECONOMISTA

APDO. FISCAL 1964
TELEFONO No. 7195

SAN SALVADOR,
EL SALVADOR, C. A.

February 26, 1965.

Mr. Herbert Itkin,
300 Madison Ave.,
New York City, N.Y.

Dear Herby:

It was a real good surprise to receive your letter of February 15, 1965. I had written you twice in the last three years, and I had no answer. I went to New York to the C.I.O. Convention in September 1963; then I looked for you every where, but I found you nowhere. So I realized that you had disappeared from New York and moved to another place. But what a relief now; You still are in the Empire State kicking around and thinking about your old friends.

As you probably remember we do not see each other since 1952. Let me give you a rough briefing on what happens during this time. In November 1952 I was appointed Consul General of El Salvador at New Orleans; in 1958 I resigned and came back to my country and was appointed Comptroller of the Bank Inspecting Bureau; then in 1960 I was appointed General Director of the Social Security Bureau. Then in 1961 I moved to private business as General Manager of INVERSIONES COMERCIALES, S.A., a small insurance company. Among some of my present extra activities, I am: a) member of the City Government (City Commissioner); b) member of the Advisory Board of the Central Bank and c) Professor of Economics and Business Management at the School of Engineering of the University of El Salvador.

Although, as you can see, I am in the High Brass category I belong at the same time to the low income bracket group. For that reason I have been looking for a more juicy business, but so far I have found nothing. That is why I would say you are just on time offering me to do some business with you. I hope you will write and tell me more about what you have in mind. Also I will be waiting for you in April or any other time; the sooner the better.

There is something else I must tell you. I want to go back to New York and I need your help very badly. You know that in order to work in the States one must have a resident visa and to obtain such visa one must have an affidavit from an American Citizen. Could you be so kind giving me such a help? I hope you will say YES.

With best regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

HW att #5 to HSSW-2742

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XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX 300 Madison Avenue
(14th Floor)

March 2, 1965

Dr. Luis E. Gutierrez
APDO, POSTAL 1144
San Salvador, Central America

Dear Luis:

I will plan to see you in April and will let
you know a few weeks before.

I am sure that we will be able to work out
something together that will be to our mutual benefit
in getting you back to America.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert Itkin

HI:gtc

Contract... City Hall... by 5 per cent of an emergency...
...that Mr. Marcus... contract awarded without bid...
...by the Department of...
...Water Supply, Gas and Elec-
...are... that the inquiries...
...According to some of these...
...tricky would be paid as a kick-
...back.

Government officials would term...
...Grand, Inc. which is owned...
...not specify whether...
...was a part of...
...every city official...
...Mr. Marcus of Mr. Ikin...
...referred to in the Bronx.

Government officials...
...quick to point out...
...Mr. Ikin, despite his...
...freely pending ways...
...Mr. Ikin has been under...
...for several years, did not...
...last Dec. 15, Mr. Ikin, Mr. Motto, and Coralia...
...of money from his business...
...Ikin with the Marcus case...
...it further charges that the...
...activities.

"In fact," said one Federal...
...official, "he is...
...near-law-enforcement...
...only Jan. 1, 1966—eight months...
...before, his family life is...
...in a few close friends...
...as for Mr. Marcus became Water...
...Commissioner on Sept. 1 and...
...and he can't do anything but...
...People who have spoken...
...to Mr. Ikin...
...because awarded the contract to S. T. wait it all out."

Concern has been expressed...
...him as extremely nervous...
...his Grand...
...At the same time the alleged...
...conspiracy began, Mr. Marcus...
...was acting as an unpaid...
...several of Mr. Ikin's friends...
...conspiratorial...
...he took respon-
...sibility for water department...
...case comes to trial...
...real business and Mr. Ikin was his...
...witness in this Marcus case...
...role as an undercover agent...
...lawyer and partner in several...
...and in other cases that might...
...be made clear.

On Jan. 11 the case took its...
...bizarre murder twist when the...
...F.B.I. arrested Mr. Roden on...
...charges of trying to buy the...
...murder—for \$2,000, a Federal...
...official said...
...of an un-
...identified witness in the Mar-
...cus affair. Mr. Ikin was said...
...then to have been that witness.

Four days later, Mr. Schwartz...
...the Long Island lawyer, was...
...arrested in Manhattan as a par-
...ticipant in the same alleged...
...murder conspiracy. He was...
...charged with being involved in...
...an attempt to murder "a wit-
...ness and defendant" in the...
...Marcus case.

Exactly a month after the...
...Federal kickback indictment...
...was obtained by United States...
...Attorney Robert M. Morgan...
...both Mr. Marcus and...
...Mr. Ikin were arrested for the...
...second time on a warrant by...
...District Attorney Frank S. Hagan.

They were charged with hav-
...ing accepted a \$10,000 bribe...
...as a down payment on any...
...emergency contracts that a...
...company called Vintray Enter-
...prises, Inc., might receive from...
...Mr. Marcus's department.

There are very few public...
...documents in which Mr. Ikin's...
...name appears. And even what...
...is available only serves to...
...deepen the mystery surround-
...ing his career.

On Sept. 16, 1963, for ex-
...ample, Mr. Ikin filed with a...
...form with the Justice Depart-
...ment to register himself as a...
...foreign agent of the Dominican...
...Republic.

He declared that his purpose...
...was to act for a Coral Gables...
...company called Westrade...
...in efforts "to negoti-
...ate on behalf of the Dominican...
...Republic and bank or broker-
...age company in the United...
...States, a bond issue in the...
...amount of \$35-million to extend...
...over a period of 15 years."

Westrade, Inc., described as...
...Mr. Ikin's relationship with...
...He was charged in a Federal...
...Mr. Marcus, as far as is now...
...known, was as a friend, busi-
...ness partner and his personal...
...being part of a scheme where...

Mr. Ikin appears to have...
...been many things to many peo-
...ple. To some lawyers who knew...
...as a fast-talking guy, a fast-
...talking buy, who said he knew...
...everybody and could make a...
...deal in the blink of an eye.

He added: "Here was always...
...to ment to register himself as a...
...foreign agent of the Dominican...
...Republic."

Many people regard Mr. Ikin...
...as a socialist in their law, but...
...several labor leaders and me-
...chanics say they know little of...
...his activities for unions.

It was the highly publicized...
...Marcus case, a scandal that...
...stunned Mayor Lindsay's ad-
...ministration, that first brought...
...the Mr. Ikin to wide public atten-
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a concern that dealt in the export of furniture and the production of prefabricated buildings, has since gone bankrupt and was formally dissolved last year for nonpayment of Florida state taxes.

Despite the filed registration, the company's former president, a Italian-born Miami businessman named Robert Deschamps, denies that Mr. Ikin was ever authorized to represent him or the company.

"I spoke to him exactly twice," Mr. Deschamps said recently. "Once in New York and once in Miami in either late 1961 or early 1962. He was sent to me, I recall, by Louis Depoie, a Haitian political exile who opposed the Haitian President, Francois Duvalier. He said he had met Depoie in the Dominican Republic.

"We talked first in a hotel in Miami and he told me he could get us financing from a union pension fund—I think he said the teamsters, or maybe the teachers union. I told him to see what he could do and we'd discuss it again."

"Then I went to New York," Mr. Deschamps said. "I had seen Ikin in his office. I was put off by him right away. One thing he did was to open a black cabinet behind his desk and I saw a secret telephone and a nightstick. I had done some checking on him and I didn't like all the secrecy business."

Can't Recall \$2,000 Fee
Mr. Deschamps insists that the New York meeting was the last he had with Mr. Ikin, and that he is completely unaware of any agreement between Mr. Ikin and Westrade, Inc.

As for a \$2,000 fee that Mr. Ikin stated in the registration form that he received from Westrade, Inc., "Perhaps that was for some expenses he might have had, but I don't remember paying it," Mr. Deschamps said.

Mr. Ikin was also registered as a foreign agent for the Provisional Government of the Republic of Haiti in San Juan, P.R. This exile group was headed by Mr. Depoie.

In an agreement filed with the registration and dated May, 1963, Mr. Ikin was to be paid an annual retainer of \$50,000 for a period of two years— "immediately due and owing as soon as the said Provisional Government becomes the de facto or de jure Government of the Republic of Haiti and Haitian Territory."

The records indicate that the relationship between Mr. Ikin and the Haitian group was terminated in September, 1964, and that instead of getting his retainer, Mr. Ikin personally lent Mr. Depoie \$15,000 for unstated purposes.

Mr. Depoie was unavailable for comment, but Haitian exiles who asked not to be identified, said that during the time the registration was in effect Mr. Depoie was often in the Dominican Republic, and was active in one abortive attempt in 1963

to invade Haiti, across the Dominican border.

A Washington businessman, who also said that Ikin was to be named, said that during that same period Mr. Ikin met with him in New York to discuss the possibility of financing arms and developing a clandestine organization to help overthrow the Duvalier regime in Haiti. In the years since, Mr. Ikin's contacts in the Dominican Republic have been maintained, and records show that he traveled to Santo Domingo numerous times to attend his investment fund.

Dominican Division

According to businessmen, Mr. Ikin made about 20 visits to the Dominican Republic in 1965, before the start of the civil war broke out in April of that year.

A close friend said Mr. Ikin described his trips to Santo Domingo as "trips" having to do with United States efforts to bring stability to the war-torn country.

It is not clear exactly when Mr. Ikin first became involved with Corallo, the reputed Mafia figure, but several individuals say it was before 1963 and after 1961.

The office confirms that Mr. Ikin traveled with Corallo to London—a city Mr. Ikin visited often—in 1964, when the British Government refused to permit Corallo to remain. The reported cause of Corallo's departure was that he was trying to pass control of some of his London legal consulting business for Mafia "handlers" in the United States.

John F. Malone, assistant director in charge of the FBI's New York office, said he would not comment on any aspect of the Marcus case. United States Attorney Morgenthau was unavailable for comment.

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22 OCT 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD:

SUBJECT: Newspaper Article on Herbert Itkin

On 22 October 1968, the attached article from the 15 October 1968 edition of the New York Daily News concerning James Marcus and Herbert Itkin was shown in a low key to Mr. Edward Long, Country Director APA/CAR, by Mr. Paul V. Harwood, Chief, WH/7. Mr. Long expressed no interest in the article.

Bob Berg
WH/7/Ht

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New York Daily News
15 October 1950

Marcus Sentencing Put Off

The sentencing of Julius and Ethel Marcus was postponed the Water Court under Justice L. Wall. The case, which had been pending on state charges of income tax evasion, was put off yesterday for two months because of developments in the related case of labor lawyer Herbert Liska.

Note:

Marcus, 57, is serving a federal term for conspiracy to mail a \$10,000 check on a job he had in Manhattan income tax charges for which he has been indicted with Liska. Marcus pleaded guilty.

Sentencing was put off until Dec. 18 to await the outcome of Liska's effort to have his trial moved from state to federal court. Liska contends he was acting as an agent for the FBI.

Marcus Condemned

The Supreme Court today sentenced Marcus to life in prison for the murder of a woman. Marcus, an ex-convict, was put off yesterday for the state's pending appeal. The court's decision was a surprise to many.

Note:

Marcus, 37, is serving a life term for a robbery in 1945. He was sentenced to life in prison for the murder of a woman in 1948. He was charged for which he had been indicted by the grand jury.

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Reminder: do you Oliver this or does Harwood Long it?
(He prefers the latter.)

JH

e/WH7

Long it
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MEMORANDUM FOR : Chief, WH/FI

SUBJECT : Herbert Itkin (200-13000)

1. There has been no Agency contact with ITKIN. Ray ROCCA, C/CI/R&A stated that CI Staff definitely never was in contact with him. Ray ROCCA's source of info on the DEJOIE-Max BOLTE-ITKIN & Company, activities was Max BOLTE and not ITKIN.

2. Offices checked for possible contact, all of which proved negative, were: Office of Security, Domestic Contacts Service, Domestic Operations Division, CA/3, CA/4, WH/7 and CI/R & A.

3. On 13 May 1963 ITKIN reported to DIA in San Juan the results of his meeting with DEJOIE, BOLTE, FIGNOLE and Luc STEPHEN in their formation of the Provisional Haitian Government in Exile formed in San Juan on 12 May & that ITKIN had been hired by that group as its Attorney. On 10 June 1963 ITKIN registered with the Department of State as a Foreign Agent for this group adding that he made a personal loan to DEJOIE of \$15,000.

4. A 22 May 1963 Memorandum of Conversation from the Department of State sets forth the results of an informal meeting (possibly held on 28 April 1963) attended by Forrest E. ABBUHL (Officer in Charge, Haitian Affairs, State ARA/CRA), DEJOIE, BOLTE, a (fnu) BRODIE, and ITKIN, in which DEJOIE expressed his political views, asked for U.S. support for an invasion of Haiti, U.S. recognition of the Provisional Government in Exile, etc.

5. Appropriate documents substantiating above are herewith attached.

James T. Braafladt
James T. O. Braafladt
C/WH/7/CI

19 July 1968

*cc in 200-13000
Dejoie
Brodie
Bolte
Itkin*

200-836500

18-19 July 1968
Jung
20/2/68

Herbert ITRID (201-836800)

Security (Frederick J. ...)

Security has checked his name out many times
& still comes up NEGATIVE on ^{any} Agency connections

Domestic Contact Service (2000) (SUCRA)

No contact w/ DCS. In 1966 ITRID's (former)
father-in-law (E. ROY KANE, a prominent attorney
in Pennsylvania, Republican politician & close to Hugh
Scott) called DCS in N.Y. asking if ITRID was
affiliated in any way w/ CIA as ITRID bragging of being
agent for CIA. DCS says that for years ITRID has
bragged of being agent or informant for CIA, but he is not

Domestic Operations (John MARKHAM)

No record of any contact.

CA/4 - Lohar - (Mary)

No record of any contact. However, since info in D-7015 file
indicates some Haitian was involved w/ ORIT - CA/4 will
chk w/ an ORIT asset once published & will advise Morley 22
July of any possible connection of ITRID with ORIT.

CA/3 (Allen (house work))

No record of any contact with ITRID.

C/1/1st Long Raven - No contact with ITRID publication
by WH Division or CTR/A. Affected under date 201-836800

ITKIN, Herb

Eric Eisenstadt of Funding Branch reported on 1 Apr 68 that he found a piece of paper which said that subject was once registered as a Duvalle agent. WH/7/lt checked with State who in turn checked with Mr. Lanvin of Registration Section of Justice who said there is no record of Itkin as ever having been a Duvalle registered agent. In Jun 63 he registered as a representative of the Dejoie-Fignole provisional government in exile and was to have been paid \$50,000 when this government took power. No further info.

ITKIN, Report

JUN 26 1968 - added
1 MAR 1968

Louis Dejoie contacted Herbert Itkin, 100 Park Ave., re possible contact for funds a total of \$200,000. Dejoie stated Itkin previously gave Dejoie \$200,000 and Dejoie provides additional financial backing from future sale (JUN 26 1968, 2 July 1968) - added

Unbelievable that Itkin gave Dejoie \$200,000. In 1961 Dejoie still had money following so that if he had that kind of money he could have met the...

ITKIN, Herb

New York Lawyer and friend of Ambassador... Wayne Carley (formerly of WH/11) called Dejoie to advise that sub had advised the embassy for that as a part of revolutionary undertaking would take place on 15th or 20th Jun. Mr. Carley did not know what sub's connections with... nor the source of his info. (Dark Comments: Nothing happened.) Journal Harold G. ... Date 17 Apr 68.

Article about subject appeared in the New York Times on 13 January 1968. Described as a superb story teller, fast mover and wheeler. Article filed in 100-9-16.

ITKIN, Report

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Subj, under the Foreign Agents Registration Act, is as follows:

Foreign agent for Provisional GOVERNMENT of the Republic of Haiti San Juan, Puerto Rico. Had various contact with Mr. Louis BRADY the ex-Lieut of the Provisional Government. On 10 Dec 1963 made payment of \$500.00 to Louis BRADY (Chairman Pro Govt of the Republic of Haiti - San Juan, Puerto Rico.)

AM 65 - San Juan, Puerto Rico.
APR 24 203 Park Avenue, N.Y. 10017
Residence: 33 Greenwich Avenue, N.Y.C.

LAAS-1779
17 OCT 1968
File # 100-112157

cl/d + A

201-5-31818

6 LINKED TO ITKIN INDICTED BY U.S.

Accused of Kickback Plot Involving Teamster Fund

By MARTIN TOLCHIN

Six men linked to Herbert Itkin — the key Government informant in the James Marcus kickback case — were indicted yesterday by a Federal grand jury in an alleged kickback conspiracy involving a teamster union pension fund.

Itkin was not indicted, but was named in most of the overt acts charged in the indictment, and he appeared to be the unifying figure in the conspiracy.

Itkin, who was an informant for the Central Intelligence Agency and the Federal Bureau of Investigation, testified in Federal Court that he had paid off teamster officials and criminals to arrange loans from the fund on behalf of individuals and corporations.

Itkin did not name the persons who allegedly received the payoffs. However, Government officials indicated privately that the indictment — and three previous indictments involving teamster pension funds — had resulted from Itkin's information.

Construction Involved

Yesterday's indictment charged that the six men had participated in a scheme to get a \$1,350,000 mortgage for Big Value Discount Department Stores, Inc., of 24 West 25th Street, for the construction of three discount centers in Pompano Beach, Cocoa and Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Robert M. Morgenthau, United States Attorney, said that the men had obtained a tentative mortgage commitment from the Central States Southwest and Southeast Areas Pension Fund of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, based in Chicago. Mr. Morgenthau added, however, that the loan never was made.

This was the fourth indictment involving the pension fund since May. Three of the

Washington Post
19 July '58

N.Y. Jury Indicts 6 in Marcus Kickback Case

NEW YORK, July 18 (UPI) — A Federal grand jury indicted today six alleged associates of attorney Herbert Itkin, key figure in the Marcus kickback case, on charges of another kickback conspiracy involving mortgage applications made to the Teamsters' Union pension fund.

U.S. Atty. Robert Morgenthau identified two of the defendants, Salvatore Granello, 45, and James Plumeri, 65, both of New York, as members of the Mafia. Their codefendants were David Wenzel, 57, Great Neck, N.Y.; John Kielly, 37, Oyster Bay Cove, N.Y., and Hyman Levine, 58, of Coral Gables, Fla., and Leonard Russo, 45, of Larchmont, N.Y.

Itkin was not indicted but was named in each of four overt acts cited in the indictment.

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ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional)

FROM: LIS/Grant/bm
DCS/Operational Support Staff
900 Key Bldg.

EXTENSION

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DATE

12 March 1968

TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)

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OFFICER'S INITIALS

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1. CCS/Punding
Mr. Erich Isenstead 13 MAR 1968

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Attached is copy of the letter our New York office sent to Kane in answer to his inquiry re ITKII.

13 Mar: 1 cy: DC/WH
Mr. Goodwin

P.O. Box 1294
Grand Central Station
New York 17, New York
February 18, 1966

Mr. E. Kent Kane
R. D. #1
Kane, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Kane:

While in New York on February 15, 1966 on your way to Florida, you phoned me to inquire about a New York attorney. You will recall that I promised to make some inquiries and communicate the results to you. Please be advised that the gentleman in question is not affiliated or connected with my colleagues or myself.

I regret I was unable to convey this information to you prior to your departure from New York.

Very sincerely yours,

W. L. Freund

WLF:rcd:mac

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ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional)

Inquiry Concerning CIA Connection of Herbert Itkin, New York Lawyer

FROM:

Lillian I. Grant/jk
E.S./Operational Support Staff
900 Key Building

EXTENSION

NO.

DATE

2005

5 March 1968

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TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)

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1. CES/Funding
Mr. Lrich Isenstead

6 MAR 1968

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Per our conversation, attached is copy of our file record re: Mr. Herbert Itkin.

This office has no record of direct contact with Itkin at any time.

*1 copy to C1166LOBE
1 copy To Jc/NH
1 copy To Mr. Coagwin*

11 MAR 1968

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NY 104-66
15 February 1966

FOI :

Director, Domestic Contact Service
C. Delaney
Chief, New York Field Office

Inquiry Concerning CIA Connection of Herbert ITHIN,
New York Lawyer

1. A call received on the listed telephone of the New York Office on the afternoon of 15 February 1966 concerned claims by Herbert Ithin, a lawyer now practicing in New York City, to the effect that he was closely tied in to the CIA.
2. The call was made by Mr. E. Kent Kane, R.D. 71, Kane, Pennsylvania. Mr. Kane is a prominent attorney in Pennsylvania, Naval Reserve Officer (USNR 19247), a Republican politician who gave the present Governor and Senator Hugh Scott at references.
3. Herbert Ithin is a former son-in-law of Mr. Kane's. Ithin allegedly claimed that he had been of considerable assistance to CIA in Haiti and elsewhere. The implication was that he was a trusted CIA informant or agent, not a staff employee.
4. Mr. Kane contacted this office for two specific reasons:
 - (a) He wanted to warn CIA that Ithin was not at this time a desirable CIA contact because of doubts concerning his reliability, discretion, ability to meet his financial obligations, and mental equilibrium.
 - (b) He (Kane) did not wish to proceed any further in pursuing his (unspecified) course of action against Ithin if there were any substance to Ithin's claims. Put in another way, Kane is planning to take some action against his former son-in-law, and he wants to disprove the latter's claims of some CIA affiliation or backing before proceeding further.
5. Mr. Kane phoned the New York office from a room at the Hotel Drake, New York City, prior to his departure for

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Florida. He thought perhaps this office could clear up his problem. Recently, Ithkin phoned Kane from New York and put on an alleged CIA staffer, who identified himself only as "Charley" and who dutifully confirmed Ithkin's great value to the Agency. Kane is suspicious of the whole business.

6. He explained that it would take some time to have our headquarters check this out. Although Kane would have liked an immediate response, he agreed that a written reply to his Kane, Pennsylvania, address within two weeks would satisfy him. Such a reply could be quite cryptic and need not be signed. He assumed that it would originate in Washington rather than in New York. Mr. Kane did not ask for our name and was given no name.

Jay B. L. Reeves

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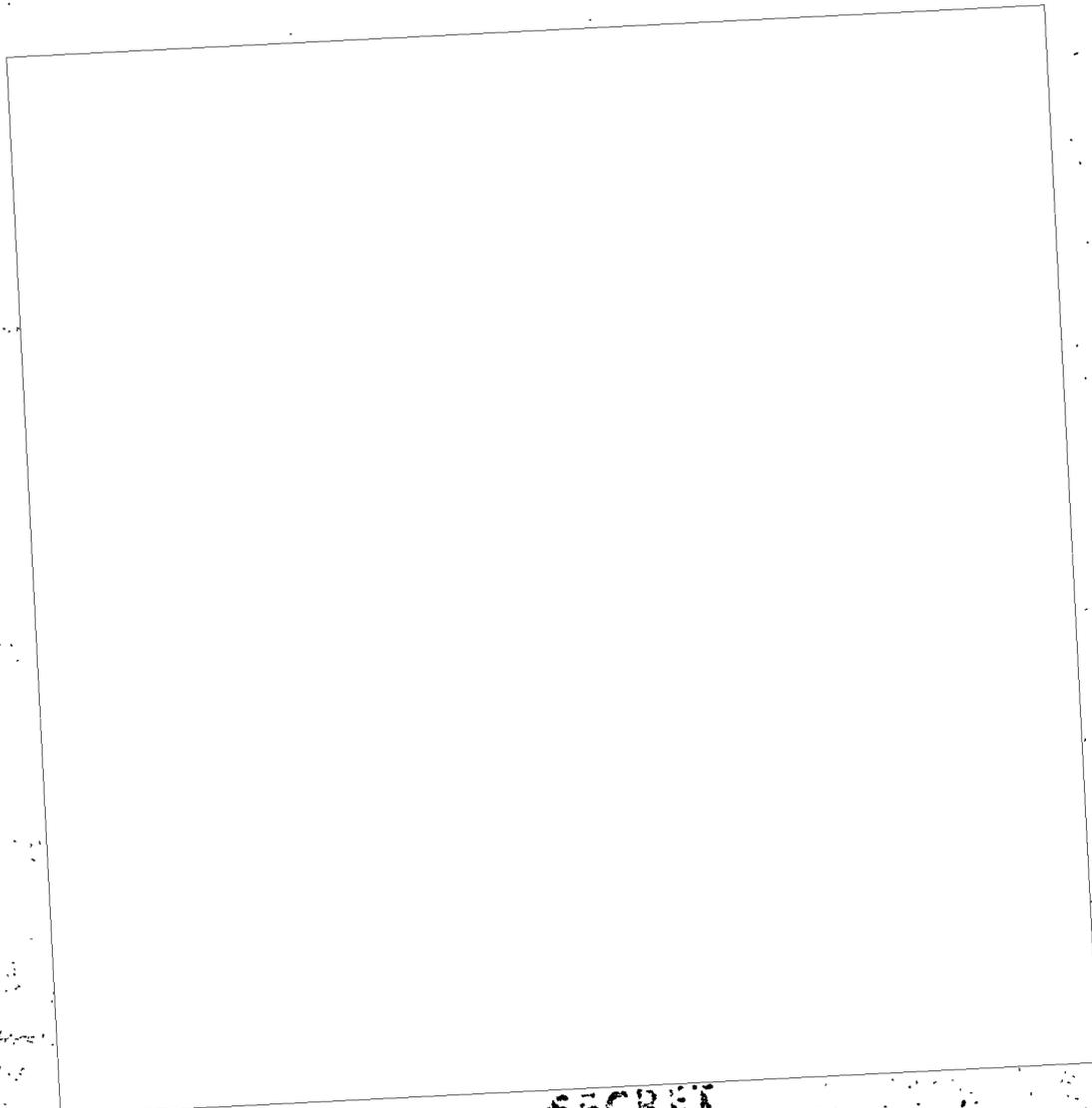
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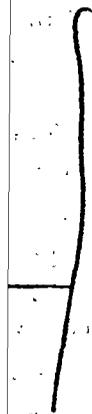
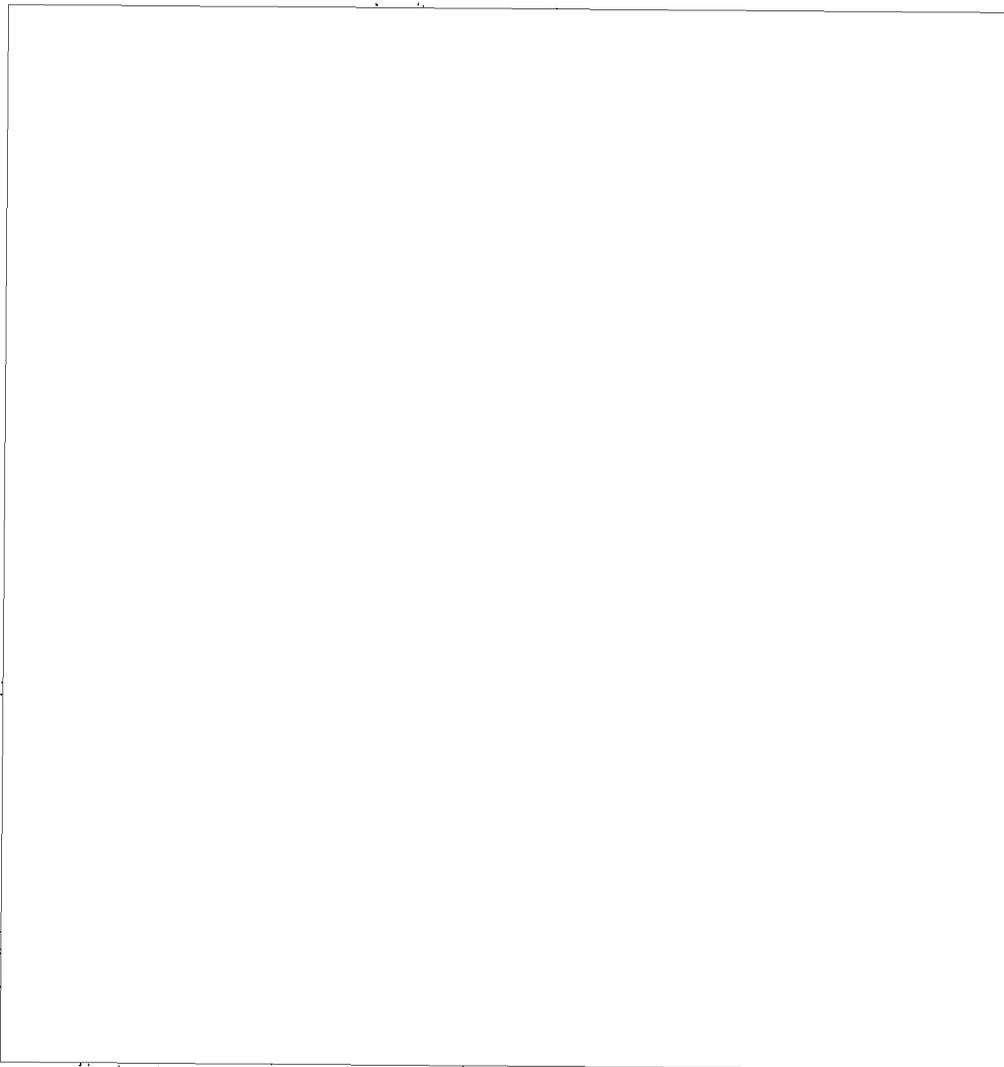
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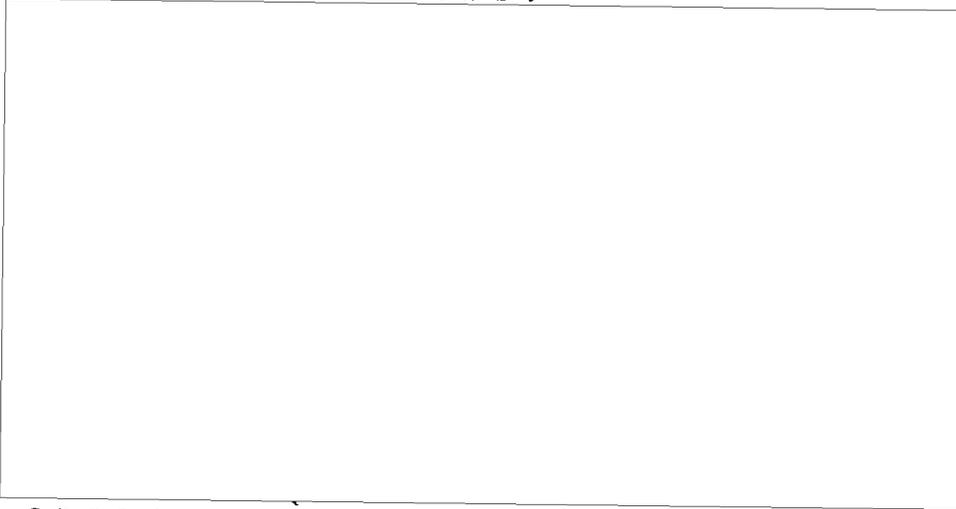
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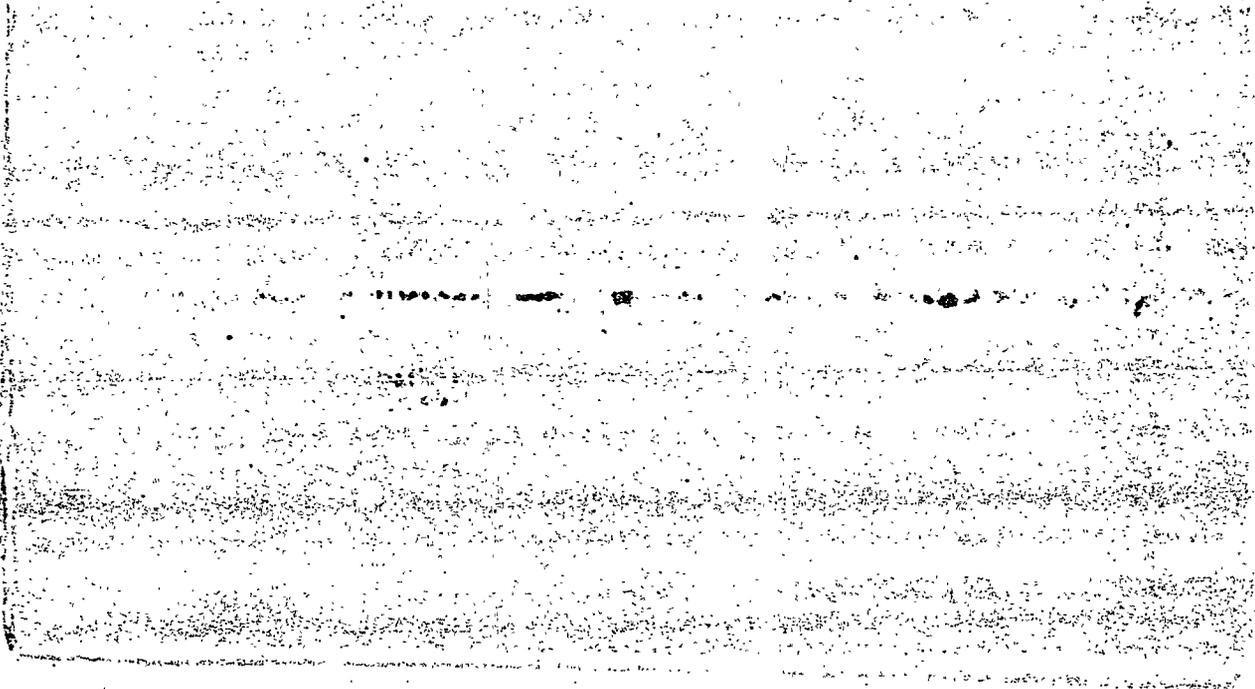
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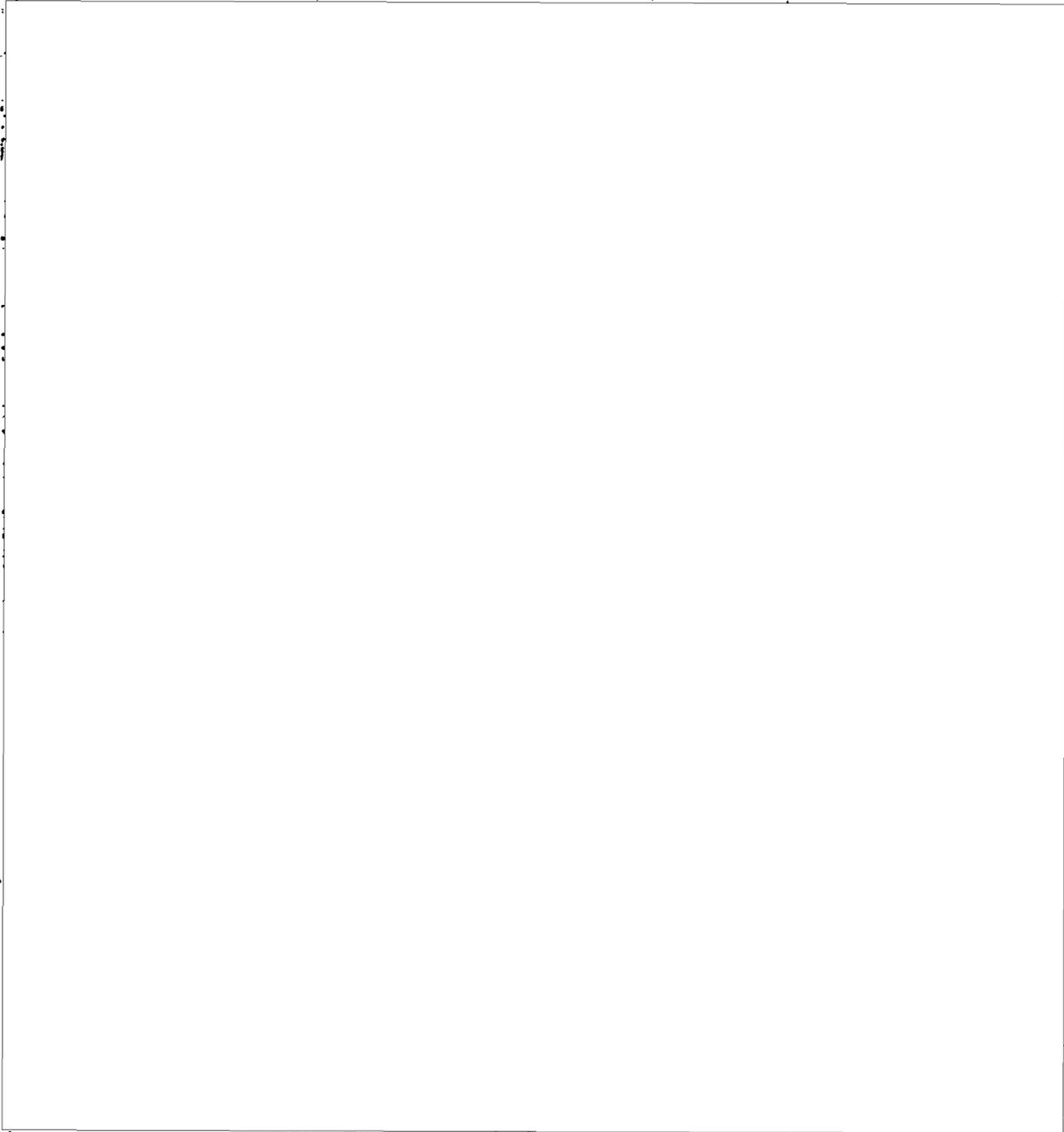
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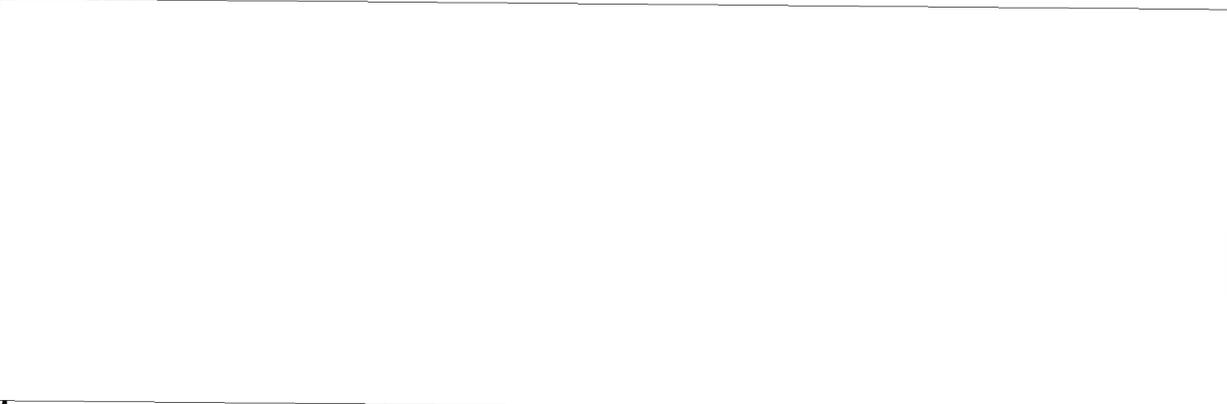
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1. THE FORCE INVADING HAITI ON 6 AUGUST 1963 REPRESENTS ALL OF THE HAITI EXILES AND IS NOT REPRESENTATIVE ONLY OF THOSE ASSOCIATED WITH LEON CANTAVE. ACCORDING TO LOUIS DEJOIE, HAITIAN EXILE LEADER THE PRESIDENT OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES SOME TIME AGO ARRANGED THAT ALL OF THE HAITIAN EXILE GROUPS SHOULD ACT TOGETHER AS ONE BODY.
2. THE FORCE IS COMPOSED OF ~~500~~ ARMED MEN RATHER THAN THE 250 FIRST REPORTED BY THE PRESS. THE GROUP HAS ~~1500~~ ARMED MEN STANDING BY. (FIELD COMMENT. WHERE THE GROUP IS STANDING BY IS NOT STATED.)

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3. THE FORCE MUST RAISE U.S. \$250,000. IN ORDER TO MAKE THE INVASION SUCCESSFUL. HALF OF THAT AMOUNT HAS ALREADY BEEN RAISED IN EUROPE. HERBERT ITKIN, A NEW YORK ATTORNEY REPRESENTING LOUIS DEJOIE AND OTHER HAITIAN EXILE GROUPS, IS PHONING AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN IN AN ATTEMPT TO RAISE THE OTHER HALF.

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