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1948 ... Memo of ...  
...  
July - Sept 1945  
Transportation facilities in ...

DDO Charles, Bernard Joseph ...

July 1948 ... Memo for the record  
July: Connection w/ [ ... ]  
...  
on June 20 after paying a ransom of \$250,000  
(to Haitian Civil) - (handwritten in)

Signed William R. Van Stry

- US Dept of Justice - ...
- Dec 29, 1966 - DOD 4/21/23
- US address - Consulate General of Haiti, ...
- July 17, 1966 - DOD - 7/13/66
- US address - Haitian ...
- May 3, 1967 - DOD 4/21/23
- US address - ...
- Jan 4, 1966 - DOD 4/21/32
- US address - Embassy of Haiti, ...

US Intelligence ...  
Haiti, Mid-Nov. 1966  
...  
course - Haitian student ...  
... movement, ...

Central Intelligence Agency  
has no objection to Release  
Date: AS SANITIZED

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... page from 4 different ...  
... and ... including ...  
... Secretary to Agriculture ...  
... ...

... 3 persons ...  
... after the fall of ...  
... President of ...  
... Minister of Finance ...  
... Minister of Public Works ...  
... there are no signs that they intend to ...  
... themselves.

... the support of former ...  
... Minister ...  
... of ...  
... in [redacted]

July 31 1966  
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Received Message Secret Site [redacted]

... reported July 19 following  
... from a high ranking palace source who  
... obtained info from top palace personality  
... C. J. Charles traveled to Italy to arrange  
... payment of \$125,000 to ...  
... keeping ...  
... (word "word" under in)

1115 papers - 7/14/66 0003417

US address - in transit  
date + place of admission 6/28/66 NYC

Received Message June 20 1966  
... Claude Raymond ...  
... Minister ...  
... Applied US Consulate ...  
... for special mission to London ...  
... stay US ...

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App. up to - est. 1952 - 3/1/57-66

US National, ... for US tobacco manufact.

Through attempts to establish business contact ... learned that a reportedly privately owned tobacco concern in Havana ... is owned by ... a black Haitian ... happened to Pres. of Commercial Bank in Haiti. This cigarette company firm is direct descendant of long defunct American Amer. Tob. Co. ... was eye - to - tobacco firm ordering mod. quantities of leaf tobacco & ... letters of order to pay for it. First accounts of ... attempted to ... source's principal's financial picture. To the sum of \$300,000 offered. the offer offered ...

1946 - app. controller General of Dominican Republic of which he became Gen. Agent in 1948.

1953 - went to London as a Member of Econ Mission to Eng. by Haitian Govt. & in 1954 a contract of GE country.

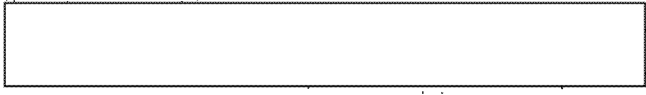
1957 - app. member of Econ Mission to Italy of which he was successful.

1960 - Created Banque Commerciale d'Haiti of which he is Pres. & dir. Gen. Also pres. of 17 other firms.

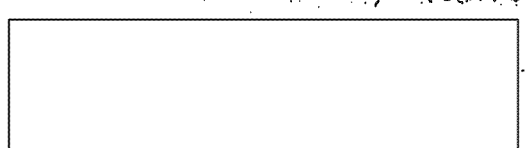
As exclusive agent for GE country & ... of Banks of Commerce of Haiti.

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1st Nat. of Boston  
Boston  
1st Nat. of America - San Fran  
Met. Nat. City Bank - NY  
Hawaii, Hanover Trust NY  
St. Ann - Miami



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at Miami in Puerto

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Memorandum to Chief of Staff  
Date: 24 May 1964

There has been a change of business reportedly ~~is~~ is being advised with the details on their activities in Haiti.

See Memorandum  
Date: 21 May 1963

He has returned to Haiti & is apparently being advised here.

Memorandum May 17, 1963

At the request of May 4, 1963, of S. D. B. had a meeting attended by Haitian banker took place at [redacted] room at Park Sheraton Hotel in W. Charles advised a letter from Wm. Stix Wesserman (40 W. Hill St. W.P.) addressed to <sup>H.H.</sup> Humphrey according to Charles Wesserman & H.H. are good friends. It was a letter introduction for Charles. Due to critical present Haitian relations of Castro & that the Admin might go to look for name of Charles ability Charles is wanted to make another trip to DC to see H.H. asked his friend & business partner, Joe Dyer to present ~~Wesserman's~~ letter to H.H. Offered cooperation of US Coast Guard "one of Captain's long friends."

[Redacted]

was a former

member of Haiti to US. No promises were made concerning his offer. Signed, Joseph L. [redacted]

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Mr. Jones  
April 29 1963 - advised Marlene Johnson's info  
from ACASI telephone in the effort that a broker  
in Haiti had info. Marlene to say earlier - had  
been in NY.

James Dyer had written to Sen. DeLoach concerning  
info to the US govt.

Marlack alerted Col. Sam Kent in Miami to  
renew Dyer for 2 info on background of CJC

May 1 1963 Marlack advised CJC staying at  
Hotel Sheraton NY & had called since her name had  
been supplied to him by Dyer. CJC had appts to  
Sen. LBT, Sen. Keating - Cong. Rogers. CJC willing to  
go to Dept of Marlack's office. Marlack said  
Haitian deal man would go to CJC & visited CJC  
along James Salas unemployed, NY office,  
due to familiarity w/ French language.

May 2 1963 Dyer interviewed by Col. Kent  
West Palm Beach. Dyer had appt CJC as director  
of her bank in Haiti.

Charles wanted to see JFK. It went to  
White House received by special appt. see

May 3 1963 Belog reported a 5 hour  
interview of CJC. For obtaining background info. Copies  
of info sent to ACASI w/ div. & later thru Branch

Meeting held w/ de M & CJC - (see press notes)  
in course of conv. CJC desired to see Mr. Wain (State  
411) to discuss US aid to Haiti. Request passed  
along to State. Mr. Razorski had called her back  
in Paris along to the Haitian deal man's extreme  
pleasure that anyone on the US would be in  
direct contact w/ CJC. Considered CJC steady  
& close to deal. Miss Stuntz checked by  
AC division and as a result of meeting w/ CJC the  
D/P/Haitian deal had ~~SECRET~~ plans to contact  
her

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... on May 4 ...  
... 1957 ...  
... ~~SECRET~~ ...  
... of CIA ...  
... satisfied with handling ...  
... should play ball ...  
... signed H.F. Czajkowski

... in pen envelope "Plus for the Comm. Secret. Dev. ...  
... by CJC

... - Parsons - advisor to Eugene Comm ...  
... Charles ...  
... Paris (taken from Summary of ...  
... by ...)

... - Benque ...  
... of CJC 1963

DOB 4/21/23

... Report CIA May 10 1963 ...  
... - US citizen former journalist ...  
... 4 hour interview. CJC believes this is the ...  
... for us to save faith.

... of personal supporters -  
... Dean - Sec of Commerce + Industry + a ...  
... friend - (in side piece written - Ambrose I. HARRNETT ...  
... told the FBI in Nov 62 that Dean is ...  
... of 2 card carrying Communists in Govt)

... Perot - former ... military ...  
... if CJC was not made president he would accept ...  
... of Finance + Econ Affairs. Present Sec - ...  
... has leftist tendencies (written in: HARRNETT ...  
... as the 2nd card carrying ...  
... to him

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... as ... "The tyrant (devalued) may ...  
... by the army" before 20, May 1963



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from this afternoon. See meeting (the same  
"Thursday" or weekend of 1963. Being (left  
by being US coming to Charles will get a  
copy of strategy re. Wilson after being Charles  
action.

May 3 Memo from Billy NY-2128-3  
After request on May 3 1963 we had an additional  
meeting at CJC. He informed us he had received a  
telephone call from Joe Bryer, Pa. Bryer said CJC  
could not see him over the weekend but would  
see him in NYC next Wed. May 8. Prior to  
that Bryer plans to meet in DC Jacqueline  
Smith 3130 P St., a friend of Matthew's to  
discuss things of mutual interest to them.  
Then Met GDEM & wife

Re Charles DDO from Matthew  
Secret Contact NY. In May 20 1968 James H.  
Gunn told us that CJC is seeking help in raising  
supposed ransom (for his release from prison) from  
himself (James A. of B & B Interim Corp 5th  
Ave NY) + Bryer. Bryer + Bryer are meeting  
during the evening of May 20 1968 after which  
Gunn will take Bryer to airport. Bryer is to fly to  
London on May 24 1968. Gunn said Bryer is a friend  
of the family of Joseph P. Kennedy.

Wilson was arrested on ~~May 11 1967~~ June 23 1967

Charles Memo May 20 1968. Charles uses pseudonym  
"Jacoby" in his Confidential corner 0003425

Letter from Charles to Matthew dated June 6 1967  
re. handling his go to London in 1963

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... the 2 forces (Castro & ...)  
... be properly neutralized ...  
... had ... Mr. Louis Brown ...

Charles stayed in ...  
May 1965

Home Mem - Phone Call June 27 1967

Call used by CJL + Brian

Beal & Co - Major Saloy - DOD

1st City Bank NY - US Govt

D.L. & Co - Donatka Matlack

Howard Corp - Col ~~Bar~~ Barrios a former military  
aid to Pres Johnson

Business Trans - help of US Govt to Charles

"... as far as business is concerned, I received  
at my home a rep of Beal & Co. I am very happy and  
think we have no further worry <sup>concerning</sup> the business  
transaction. He accepted to sponsor the business  
transaction of D.L. & Co, the Howard Corp + other  
business enterprises. This is a very big success & I  
hope that w/ the assistance of the 1st City Bank  
and we'll make rapid progress. After all our  
efforts will not have been in vain & our friend  
Charles' security will be enlarged."

Classified Message June 28 1967 from ~~State Dept~~

Charles' life in danger - relying on US

to ... US flag flies over central

Office of Commercial Bank

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June 23 1967 Memo - Report from George Mastin

Donatka Matlack has now been put out of

contact between DLS & Mr. B. (Reserve

MB - Louis Brown)

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Myra Mottled Secret. ~~W. Mott~~ June 21 1967

Mr. Mottled do recall to say that Mottled by  
never had called to inform him that she  
reached Mr. B. Mottled per instructions. Mr.  
would pass info on Mottled to Bagley in NY.  
Mottled said that from her conversation  
with her he believed Mottled wanted to be  
in on this activity & wanted to receive  
copies of any dissemination.

June 15 1967

Structure Memo - Sun + Bureau discuss events  
Haiti - Bureau who thinks highly of CJC  
and know he fully supports CJC's plans &  
he will see LBJ HSHR.

Memo on Record - June 15, 1967 Agency Contact  
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CJA contact of CJC <sup>in us</sup> dates back to May  
1963 when he was recalled in his suite in Hotel  
Deland to a Leaks DC by a rep of WH dis-  
miss that time he has made every visit to the US  
on mission to talk to some US official. Most  
present of his approaches have been made to  
US/NS which he believes leads him to DD  
has never offered any evidence that he has some-  
thing going for him inside Haiti. Rather he has  
wanted have meant little or nothing. No  
part who has been produced. Fabrication on  
one side to others. CJC is trying to coerce the  
US into supporting his present aspirations.

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-DS- 7/3/67

US address: Building of Astoria - NY