



## **DAVID NICHOLLS' PERSONAL PAPERS**

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## Brown boxes – Overview

**Note:** The contents formerly contained in Brown Box B are now contained in Boxes E1, F1 and F2.

**Box A:** Guyana

**Box B** (Obsolete)

**Box C:** DNMT Use

**Box D:** Miscellaneous materials



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### Box A

- Article/pamphlet by the People's Progressive Party (of Guyana), 'Election Results 1964: An analysis of a major British electoral fraud', undated
- Pamphlet by the People's Progressive Party, 'Cheddi Jagan Speaks at Freedom Rally, 9th Feb. 1964' (2 copies)
- Text of speech by Eric Williams, 'My Relations with the Caribbean Commission, 1943–1955', given in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, 21 June 1955
- Text of speech by Eric Williams, 'Perspectives for the West Indies', 30 May 1960
- Text of 'Broadcast to the Nation on the 1968 Budget', by Eric Williams, 5 January 1968
- Text of nationwide broadcast by Eric Williams, 10 May 1970
- Paper by Eric Williams, 'The British West Indian Slave Trade After Its Abolition in 1807', from *Journal of Negro History*, vol. 27, April 1942
- Text of speech by Eric Williams, 'A Review of the Political Scene', address to the Special PNM Convention, 11 September 1966
- Reprints from *The Vanguard*, 'Oil in Turmoil' and 'OWTU Memorandum on the Formation of a National Oil Co.', 1 and 15 April 1967
- 'West India Royal Commission Report, Presented by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to Parliament by Command of His Majesty', July 1945
- *Education in the British West Indies* by Eric Williams, 1945
- 'News Letter: Release the Detainees', published by the London Branch People's Progressive Party, mid-1960s
- 'News Letter: Release the Detainees', no. 2, published by the London Branch People's Progressive Party, mid-1960s
- 'News Letter: Release the Detainees', no. 3, published by the London Branch People's Progressive Party, mid-1960s
- Large bundle of court statements and evidence, June–July 1964 (all pertaining to the May 1964 Wismar massacre)
- 'Report on "An Examination of Iron Ore Potential in British Guiana" by G.A. Gross, United Nations Technical Assistance Board, November 1962
- 'British Guiana and the Graphic: Information that will help you in spending your advertising money wisely', undated (1960s)
- Text of speech by Cheddi Jagan, given at Freedom Rally, 9 February 1964
- Communication from the Government of British Guiana, 'Opening Up the Interior', undated (2 copies)
- Communication from the Government of British Guiana, 'Industrial Development and Trade Expansion', undated
- *B.P.L. [British Paints Limited] Newsletter*, vol. 1, no. 18, September 1964
- 'Report on the General Election of Members of the Legislative Assembly', 1961, from the Government of British Guiana
- *Daily Chronicle (Guyana)*, 19 May 1953
- Article from *Guiana Graphic*, 'Startling Disclosure with Respect to Hon. Dr Jagan's visit to Barbados', (?)November 1952
- Pages from the *New Statesman and Nation*, 10, 17, and 24 October 1953
- Letter from the People's Progressive Party, 15 July 1968



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- Letter from Richard Hart, on behalf of (?)the People's Progressive Party, January 1954
- G.A.W.U. [Guyana Agricultural and General Workers Union] *Monthly News Bulletin*, January 1965
- Booklet from the People's Progressive Party, 'Burnham Before the United Nations', 15 March 1963 (2 copies)
- Election campaign poster from the People's Progressive Party
- Article titled 'Sandys and the Working Class People: A plot against B.G.'s coloured majority', undated
- Booklet titled *May Day 1958: A Review of 1958 May Day Activities in British Guiana*
- 'Rice Brochure', 1957
- Article by Cheddi Jagan, 'For a Truly Independent Guiana', undated
- Pamphlet, *What we Defend*, by the Workers' Liberation League, undated
- *Socialism! (Theoretical organ of the Workers' Liberation League)*, vol. 2, no. 4, April 1975
- 'Speech delivered by the President of the Progressive Youth Organisation of British Guiana to the Executive Committee Meeting of WDFY Ghana 15–19th April'
- *Labour Advocate (Official Organ of the Man-Power Citizens' Association)* (Guyana), 28 June 1953
- Page from *Labour Advocate*, 12 July 1953
- Page from *Labour Advocate*, 5 July 1953
- Page from *Labour Advocate*, 20 February 1953
- *Labour Advocate*, 21 December 1941
- *Labour Advocate*, 18 October 1953
- Communication addressed to the prime minister of British Guiana, 24 June 1964
- Text of statement by Morgan Phillips, secretary of the British Labour Party, 'The British Labour Party on British Guiana', undated
- *Thunder (Organ of the People's Progressive Party)* (newspaper), vol. 4, no. 9, August 1953
- *Thunder*, vol. 4, no. 11, October 1953
- *Thunder*, vol. 5, no. 9, 29 May 1954
- *Thunder*, vol. 5, no. 18, 31 July 1954
- *Thunder*, vol. 7, no. 26, 30 June 1956
- *Thunder*, vol. 7, no. 28, 14 July 1956
- *Thunder*, vol. 7, no. 29, 21 July 1956
- *Thunder*, vol. 7, no. 47, 1 December 1956
- *Thunder*, vol. 8, no. 5, 2 February 1957
- *Thunder*, vol. 1, no. 7 (sic) (=vol. 8, no. 6), 16 February 1957
- *Thunder*, vol. 8, no. 25, 22 June 1957
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 10, 7 March 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 11, 14 March 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 35, 29 August 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 43, 24 October 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 44, 31 October 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 45, 7 November 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 46, 14 November 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 47, 28 November 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 50, 12 December 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 51, 19 December 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 10, no. 52, 26 December 1959
- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 1, 2 January 1960

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- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 4, 23 January 1960
- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 5, 30 January 1960
- Part of *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 16, 16 April 1960
- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 20, 14 May 1960
- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 23, 4 June 1960
- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 24, 11 June 1960
- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 26, 25 June 1960
- *Thunder*, vol. 11, no. 32, 6 August 1960
- *Thunder*, vol. 12, no. 24, 17 June 1961
  
- *Thunder*, vol. 12, no. 40, 7 October 1961
- *Thunder*, vol. 12, no. 45, 11 November 1961
- *Thunder*, vol. 12, no. 49, 9 December 1961
- *Thunder*, vol. 12, no. 50, 16 December 1961
- *Thunder*, vol. 13, no. 14, 7 April 1962
- *Thunder*, vol. 15, no. 3, April–June 1964
- *Thunder*, vol. 15, no. 6, September 1964
- *Thunder*, vol. 15, no. 8, December 1964
  
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 1, January 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 2, February 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 3, March 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 4, April 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 5, May 1968
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 6, June 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 7, July 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 8, August 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 9, September 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 10, October–November 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 17, no. 11, December 1966
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 1, January 1967 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 2, February 1967 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 3, March 1967
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 4, April 1967
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 5, May 1967
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 6, June 1967
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 9, September 1967 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 10, October 1967 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 18, no. 11, November 1967 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 1, January 1968 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 2, February 1968 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 3, March 1968
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 4, April–May 1968 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 5, June 1968 (2 copies)
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 6, July 1968
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 7, August 1968 (2 copies)
- Part of *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 8, September 1968
- *Thunder*, vol. 19, no. 8, September 1968 (complete)



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### Yellow folder:

- Loose pages from *The Mirror*, various issues, 1968–1969
- *Guyana Information Bulletin* (from the People's Progressive Party), 1966
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 3, no. 17, 15 November 1966
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 3, no. 18, 16 December 1966
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 4, no. 3, 16 March 1967
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 4, no. 5, 15 May 1967; (attached) article by Cheddi Jagan, 'Strategy for Development'
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 4, no. 7, 25 July 1967
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 4, no. 10, 24 October 1967
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 1, 2 January 1968
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 7, 6 September 1968
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 8, 16 October 1968
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 9, 20 November 1968
- *British Guiana Bulletin*, 29 June 1955
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 2, 14 February 1968
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 3, 23 March 1968
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 4, 2 May 1968
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 5, 13 July 1968
- *Guyana Information Bulletin*, vol. 5, no. 6, 10 July 1968
- *The Mirror*, 21 April 1976
- *The Mirror*, 18 April 1976
- *The Mirror: Supplement*, 10 March 1975
- Part of *The Mirror*, 30 April 1967
- Part of *The Mirror*, 11 June 1967
- *The Mirror (Guyana)*, 11 February 1965
- *New Beginning* (newspaper), 5 March 1971
- *Sugar Special*, October 1975
- *Guyana Chronicle*, 22 April 1976
- *The B.P.I. Supplement*, 21 September 1952
- Part of page from *Guyana Graphic*, 2 March 1971
- Part of page from *Guyana Graphic*, 23 February 1971
- *Ratoon*, February 1971
- Page from *Liberator*, February 1971

## Box D

- 1 CD in case. National Archives and Records Administration in St. Louis, Mo. Documents related to Haiti.
- Brown folder with financial records for DNMT
- White binder (Cover: "NARA at St. Louis, Missouri National Personnel Records Center, United States of America") containing printouts (presumably from records center) as well as various photocopies, notecards, newspaper clippings