

Clifton Stansbury

Background information on Maslin

Did not see anything arrived in ballroom  
after storming

Arrested with  
Power 35X-

Weapons  
Charge - Case  
Pending in Queens.

Should be  
seen with  
Blockman -

Clinton Very  
Helpful

Has other  
Record

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COUNTY OF NEW YORK  
District Attorney's Office

3/24/65

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Clifton Stansbury

1655 Madison Ave

Winds for Bro.

TE 1-8458

94 W. 34th

341 94 Ave

Morgan Station

Joined Mosque #7

July 12, 1961. Left April 12, 1964.

Became disgusted about time  
NYK expelled. Told people of  
the illegality and favoritism of  
Elzart.

Had brought in money  
members. Stansbury stayed in  
only to induce others to leave.  
Had brought in about 50 people.  
Relative and friends. Found out  
that G's and other officials  
were being paid money. They had  
told Stansbury that no one was  
being paid.

One Sunday in April,  
Stansbury <sup>was going to meet</sup> ~~had~~ a meeting in his house  
to hear Benjamin, who had  
already left Mosque. Previous  
Friday he went to Mosque to  
get people to meeting.

Captain Joseph X saw him

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Came in. Said "Oh yeah, here he's  
name" Joseph X in Coahoma  
with brother Regan (Brought  
Clifton into mosque in first place)  
and Brother Booker X, and  
a heavy set investigator work  
for Selwady, brother Robert (also  
an investigator - known as eye and ears  
of Captain Joseph) and other men  
there.

Captain Joseph told Clifton  
to come over. Told him to set,  
Joseph asked Regan and Booker -  
is this the brother. They said  
yes.

Heavy set investigator  
said - when is this & how you are  
feeling about our teacher, brother  
Clifton -

Captain Joseph Stopped him  
and ordered everybody out.  
Left nine men named above.  
More Conversation.

Captain Joseph asked about  
meeting.

More Conversation.

Took his pen and told him not to  
come back.

Week later went to a  
Maslem Mosque and meeting  
at Theresa. Joined MX  
Mosque at that time.

After MX left,  
Joseph, James 3X, kept saying  
he should be killed.

Thomas Johnson seeing us  
by Brown when Clifton left. In  
charge of the whole.

Barker was somewhat of  
official because he stood front  
Rostrum during all Mosque  
meetings.

\* Johnson was one of men  
who was sent out to make people  
see more papers and find out  
why they didn't make meetings.  
Johnson visited Clarence 14X  
Brown, 550 Coldwell Ave Bx,

to get him to see more papers.  
Clifton asked Johnson who  
told him that Clarence wanted him  
to see papers as nothing was more  
important than Mohammed.

Johnson was one of the  
Special Group known as  
enforcers. These men wanted  
stay behind at meetings for  
special instruction. Butler  
was one of these men who  
stayed behind. These men  
under Command of Captain Joseph.

Keep Cards listed Brothers  
names, entry date, contributions.

Men were expected to  
have 200 papers every 2  
weeks for 16¢ each and  
see them. Cost them \$4

Dues when Captain Lee  
was \$13/wk

Every Same day had to  
pay \$100. Had to be paid  
before Feb 26 every year.

If you face behind  
in your money, first few times  
they called the brother in front  
of mosque and made fun  
and belittle the brother.

Later they wanted make  
threats. Port. enloy Captain Joseph.

If \$100 not paid, you  
wanted be thrown out.

After that the enforcers  
come visit the brothers. They  
wanted beat up the brother.  
Or wanted threaten them.

wanted often see Butler  
talking with Joseph. Sometimes  
alone, sometimes with Thomas  
Johnson.

These enforcers called  
an Honor Guard by members.

Clifton Gave to Ballroom about  
3:15 on Feb 21.

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About 4 PM, after shooting  
W, Brockwell, Rubin & in  
W's Car.

He was dangerous to spread lies." then put out & don't  
ever come back again." He said go ahead with "Big Red" (Hole x)  
(kill all the other die believers)

One week later I went to Martin Murphy for at hotel there  
+ joined Malcolm X. Filled out a card + gave it to Butler, James Shabazz.  
While in the presence of Malcolm X left. The spoke of Malcolm X  
(Capt Joseph, James 3x, ~~the~~) said he ought to be killed, +  
Allah would do it. if anyone of you did, don't say you -  
must. I knew ~~him~~ <sup>Thomas 15x Johnson</sup> he was acting. It is Bronx change  
of school Bronx, Norman came in with a purple belt on a sign. He was  
an official who stood in front of the podium or maybe? I used to  
live in LI then I moved to Harlem. Brother Thomas 15x + one other  
went to Brother Clarence 14x <sup>530 East 125th St</sup> because he didn't sell too many papers.  
Butler, went to stay behind for classes to get more training, there's a job in  
a special, dedicated class, Thomas 15x Johnson. went to go out +  
rough up people who were behind on dues + slacking off in selling + selling  
papers. There was a group called "Enforcers" - Mr. Alvin X. Walker,  
Richard 8x, Clarence 7x, these brothers would get special training + stay  
behind + late for special training, I don't know if they are getting paid  
but I think so. Order one for Capt Joseph + Dr. Martin Luther King  
but Clarence 7x was chief lieutenant of Alvin X. Walker records.  
Index cards had info on name, address, when joined money given, they would use  
2 cards + one would be false + the other would be true account of money.

Once near 13. week + then sell 200 papers every 2 weeks + then once a year one  
had to donate \$100.00. before on same day, you would pay it next time,  
as long as it was paid before Feb. 26, of the year. If you didn't pay you didn't  
or are not selling papers, they would put you up in front of the group at the  
meetings + make fun of you. then they would threaten you, sell more papers

3-22-65 Monday - ADA Stern's office

CL1 Ston STANSBARY M-33 (8-18-31) Hd.

1695 Madison Ave 7B NYC TE1-8458

Encl. visit office - arrived 9<sup>th</sup> Ave at 10:30 PM #344 9<sup>th</sup> Ave. Morgan Station

Was member of Mosque 7 - 7-16-61 joined  
joined Mosque 7 - left 4-12-64 was forced out  
because he had advised Brothers of Mohammed  
illegal children + misuse of money. Captain Joseph  
found out about it (that I was telling these things to  
some members that I had brought into mosque 7) + told  
me, on our Sunday in April when I was going to have a meeting in my house + bring Brothers  
I had brought about 50 people into the mosque 7. I was unhappy  
that other little officials + instructors were paid money + didn't  
have to sell papers, they would take them out + bring them  
right back + they were getting paid. we were going to speak, he had already left mosque 7. The meeting didn't  
come off because the Brothers were afraid to come. I went to the mosque  
+ before I could take my percent off Capt Joseph was saying "Here he is  
Here he is now" (he was in the jail by the clock, was with Brother Regan, Brother  
Booker (from 2 I) I had told Regan about it + they must have told Capt Joseph about  
the meeting.) + another brother who is an investigator + Brother Robert (Capt Joseph didn't stay  
not around) + about 12 other Brothers, Capt Joseph "These Brothers Clifton now, come over  
here + have a seat, + asked Brother Booker + Regan, "Is this the butterfly, +  
Booker + Regan said "yes" Capt Joseph then sat me down with with Regan  
+ Booker near me + <sup>one investigator</sup> Capt Joseph said "I heard you were telling him  
about our teacher Mohammed". Capt Joseph stopped everything +  
ordered everybody outside left when Brother Regan, Booker, Roberts  
another 2 + Captain Joseph + Brother George at the door.  
In question he about my talk + I said "It's not true", Capt Joseph  
then said, "don't repeat any more lies", + asked about the meeting.

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3-22-65 ADA Home of the Blind PA

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or else. They wouldn't tell you exactly what they would  
 do for this would threaten you. Then the Enforcers  
 would come to pick you. They'd tell you the outside world is no good  
 for you. Enforcers would talk to you & maybe beat you up. Clarence 14x  
 was picked by Thomas 15x Johnson, & ~~sent~~ sent to school. I asked  
 15x Johnson, about it he said "I don't want to hear about school (Clarence  
 14x) you mean to tell me school is more important than Mohammed. This happened  
 in 1963. Butty became high up, always talking with Captain Joseph, alone  
 with Thomas 15x & some other brother. Enforcers were referred to as  
 honor guard. I got to bathroom 3-22-65 at about 3<sup>30</sup> PM.

to Clifton  
 to

Cher Blackwell stated <sup>peaked</sup> behind 2x & Hagen was Robert 16x  
 at fall & 16x had come in hall with Lynwood Lohcort.

Robert 16x so AK2 Benjamin 3x (unusual for 2 room 4's)

3-22-65 Monday AT ADA Stern's office.

CLIFTON ~~XXX~~ STANSBURY M-33 (dob. 8-18-31) Md.

1695 Madison Ave. apt. 7B, TEL-8458 married 4 children

Employed. US Post Office, 341 9th Ave. Morgan station.

Member of Mosque 7 from 7-16-61 and was told to leave by Capt. Joseph in April 1964. Reason: He had brought about 50 members into the mosque and was then unhappy with the mosque because he heard of Muhammad's illegitimate children and knew of persons in the mosque who didn't have to sell papers and heard that some members were receiving money for doing nothing, and heard of some brothers that were beaten up for failure to devote time in selling papers and being behind in dues. Clarence 14X Brown, 550 Caldwell Ave. apt. 18 A or B, was one brother he knew of that Thomas 15X Johnson had visited for lack of selling enough newspapers. He had been telling these brothers whom he had brought into the mosque about these things, and was about to have a meeting at his (Stansbury's) house to discuss them. However this meeting never did come off due to Captain Joseph learning of them and he was asked to leave and never come back to the mosque, with the warning by Captain Joseph, "It's very dangerous to spread lies about the messenger, now you can go ahead and join the other disbelievers with 'Big Red' " (Big red meaning Malcolm X) One week later he went to the Muslim Mosque Inc. (Malcolm's organization (Malcolm hadn't started the OAAU yet) at the Hotel Theresa and filled out a card giving same back to James 67X, and joining. He remembers when he was at the Mosque 7 before leaving that Captain Joseph and James 3X, and others would talk about Malcolm in a bad way saying "He should be dead, and that Allah would see to it, and sometimes adding that if anyone of you does it make sure you don't say you are a muslim if you are caught. Certain members like Thomas 15X Johnson and Norman 3X Butler, would stay behind instead of going out to sell papers, they would get special training in karate and judo. These men were known as the 'Honor Guard', police call them enforcers. Thomas 15X Johnson used to rough up people who were behind in dues or slacking off from attending meetings. In the Honor guard were Alvin X Walcott, Richard 8X, (Clarence 7X, (chief lieutenant) also Investigator Robert was next to Captain Joseph in command if Capt. Joseph were not around. Invest. Robert was the eyes and ears. Maceo X kept the records and they had two sets of records on index cards, it would say name, address, date joined, dues paid, papers sold and then there was the \$100. or \$150. paid for Savers day each year which had to be paid by Feb. 26, of the year.

I got to the Ballroom on 2-21-65 late about 3:20 everything was over but after I drive in my car with ReubinX, and Charles Blackwell to 125 St. where we saw Robert 35X Smith we pulled over to the curb and Robert 35X said "I got my 'action' with me, are we goin' anyplace?" Blackwell told me he had seen Robert 16X, also known by Benjamin 3X seated behind Butler and Hayer, and also Lynwood Cathcart seated up front. He said he told Lynwood and Robert 16 X to hang around after but they both took off.

Stansbury will be back to ADA Stern's office 3-24-65

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10/20/65 11AM-12<sup>30</sup> AM

June 1965 - Queens Supreme Ct -  
Mr. Drum -  
Queens Supreme Ct. ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

Mr. Braun - L1-49300-544 -  
Nov. - probation dept. Queens Ct.

Charles Hall - sold Rubber gun -

2 tone used appearance (Ford or chev)  
Enroute to Audubon saw a 58 or 59 Brown  
Station Wagon coming downtown at 745 + Lenox Av.  
Brother Clarence 7X was in middle front, Robert 19 X Johnson  
was in car. Mother for L.I. name begins with H. Three other  
brothers were laughing. It was about 3:00 PM I had just  
heard news flash on radio that Malcolm X had been shot.  
I didn't see the other brothers too clearly because they were  
hunched over + I was blocking my face so they wouldn't  
see me. We had stopped for traffic. That Capt. Jacobs wagon

Chas 248 Jackson I feel would know about  
the killing because he was close to Cpl Joseph  
& was in on secret meetings.

Note: on 3/21/66 - Stansbury received a  
Suspended Sentence & placed on probation  
Jury Ryan appeared in court & made statement on  
the record

November 5, 1965

Mr. Justice J. Irwin Shapiro  
Supreme Court - County of Queens  
125-01 Queens Boulevard  
Kew Gardens, New York

Re: Clifton Stansbury - defendant

Dear Mr. Justice Shapiro:

Please be advised that the above named defendant, Clifton Stansbury, is to appear for sentence before Your Honor on November 8, 1965, after a conviction for violation of Section 1897 of the Penal Law.

The defendant, Stansbury, has been of invaluable assistance to this office in connection with the current investigation into the death of Malcolm X for which three defendants are presently awaiting trial under an indictment for Murder in the First Degree. The trial of this case has been set down for December 6, 1965.

Since this trial promises to be quite lengthy, and Stansbury's confidential assistance would be indicated throughout the course of this trial, in the interest of justice it is respectfully requested that his sentence be adjourned, if possible, until March 8, 1966.

Very truly yours,

Vincent J. Dermody  
Assistant District Attorney

VJD:jf  
cc:

District Attorney's Office  
Queens County  
126-05 Hoover Avenue  
Kew Gardens, New York

NORMAN.

JOB WELL DONE,  
YOU SHALL BE FREE.

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