

June/July 93.

Fred requested another meeting at Dunadry.

Purpose of meeting was for James to explain to Mr. Brown that N.I.O. led by Chilcott was going to have one last crack at it. The object was to get P.M Major to go from 3 months to 7 days.

James was very buoyant about it.

James just didn't hear Mr. Brown say that he (Mr. Brown) thought the time had passed + that nothing other than a reversal by the Brits could re-open the peace talks.

(From ppl + 2 Jun/July 93 5 July 93 doc)

N.B. Date is probably before 20/6/93 because these meetings are mentioned before it says that Mr. Brown left the country <sup>for Israel</sup> on 20/6/93 and returned 1/7/93 via London.

EMD has problems verifying this return date. He has a return date of 15/7/93 which fits in better with pp3+4 of June/July 5 July 93 doc.

Jun / July 93.

Two meetings with Star, Mr. Campbell + Mr. Brown confirmed nothing to do.

Should set dates for announcements of detailed efforts for peace by Republican.

Two problems.

(1) Hume was under pressure about talks with Adams.

(2) Mr. ~~Brown~~<sup>Campbell</sup> was reluctant to break the secrecy position they had kept for years.

(From pp 2 Jun/July 93 5 July 93 doc)

NB. Date is probably June because these things are mentioned before it says that Mr. Brown left the country on June 20/6/93 and returned 1/7/93 via London.

20<sup>th</sup> June

Mr. Brown left for Israel,  
 Car firm'd by Brit. passport no.  
 008547718 pp 25.  
 entry date stamped 21/6/93.

NB, B.D. says on pp 2 of  
June/July 93 5 July 93 doc that  
 he returned on 1/7/93 via London.  
 There is no exit stamp for that  
 date or any roundabout date in  
 his Brit. passport. The nearest date  
 is ~~2~~ 15/7/93.

Questions.

- 1) Is his Irish passport stamped for exit?
- 2) He hardly stayed from 20/6/93 until 15/7/93 about 25/26 days - unless there was a conference?
- 3) If he did stay that long, why does he claim he came back on 1/7/93 in his June/July 5 July 93 doc? via London.

4) Did he go to Israel twice in quick succession? i.e.

From <sup>20<sup>th</sup></sup> 20/6/93 → to 1/7/93  
 From ? → to 15/7/93

= dates stayed  
 in Brit. passport.  
 pp 25 both.

\* 1/7/93.

E.M.D. has problems with this date that B.D. has put on these events in PP2/3 June/July 5 July 93 doc. His passport suggests that he was in Israel from 21/6/93 - 15/7/93 (25 days). Did he have 1 trip or two trips.

Mr. Brown met Fred [15/7] Matches better.  
Mr. Brown had just arrived from Israel. PO135/300(4)

Fred showed Mr. Brown several photocopies of internal documents.

Fred showed Mr. Brown a copy of the 7<sup>th</sup> Joint Declaration Document where Para 4 had again been significantly amended. -

Sir Robin Butler, secretary to the Cabinet had flown over to Galtonnell airport outside Dublin to discuss this draft doc. with Reynolds. (see also PP178 Mollie book).

(from PP2+3 June/July 5 July 93 doc)

\* E.M.D. actually thinks the date is 16/7/93 because B.D. has an exit stamp from Israel in his British passport pp25 for 15/7/93. This date fits in better with PP3+4 of the June/July 93 5 July 93 doc.

\* EMD has problems with the date of 1/7/93 which SD has put on these events in pp 2/3 of the June/July 93 5 July 93 doc. His passport suggests he was in Israel from 21/6/93 → 15/7/93. (25 days). Did he have 1 trip or 2 short ones? 1/7/93 (cont'd) Actually, 15/7/93 makes better sense. POL 35/300(5)

At this meeting between Fred + Mr. Brown in London in the Airport Forte Creste Floor 10, Fred gave Mr. Brown two significant documents.

- 1) A range of possible questions Mayhew could be asked in the event of a leak.
- 2) An assessment by Tony Beeton of the various options.
  - Conclusion - Joint Declaration was not helpful to Brits + best approach was to continue the Fred/Brown link.

This doc. was handed over to Mr. C. to clarify points in his 10/May offer. (When was it handed over? circa 1, 2 July?)

\* - Pp 4 says it was handed 12.30 Fri 16/July 93) Fred explained that this was a Brit attempt to rebuild the position which had existed from May 10 - 15<sup>th</sup>. It cessation offered in return for dialogue.

(From pp 3 June/July 5 July 93 doc)

\* There is a big time discrepancy however his passport says he left Israel on 15<sup>th</sup> July '93 so 16<sup>th</sup> July makes sense.

8/7/93,

In a Guardian interview, published on morning of an Anglo-Irish Intergovernmental Conference meeting, Dick Spring advocated that Dublin + London set out a framework settlement and use the device of a referendum to appeal directly to the public, over the heads of objecting politicians.

11/7/53.

Molyneux claimed that peace proposals had been put to I.R.A. at the end of 1952 by N.I.O.