

SUPPLEMENTARY OFFENSE REPORT

ATLANTA POLICE DEPARTMENT  
175 DECATUR ST., S. E.  
ATLANTA, GA.

OFFENSE Mass Meeting *file* SERIAL NO. 9-7-67  
COMPLAINANT \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS West Hunter Baptist Church, Hunter & Chestnut Sts.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF OFFENSE, PROGRESS OF INVESTIGATION, ETC.

Persons who addressed the audience:

1. Rev. A. B. Boone - Local Minister
2. Rev. J. D. Ward - Spokesman for Operation Bread Basket
3. Rev. Clyde Williams - Metropolitan Grass Roots Council
4. Mr. Smith - Summer Hill Youth Council
5. Hosea Williams - Southern Christian Leadership Council

The meeting was opened by the Rev. Clyde Williams and Rev. J.D. Ward. At that time there were about 50 people present and about 50% of these people were Local Ministers and various Community Leaders. Rev. Ward recognized the presence of Police and asked that we leave without him having to point us out, but we did not leave. He pointed us out and asked us to leave the building because they had no need for Police Protection. After we did not leave they decided to continue the meeting but to hold all plans for a Committee Meeting which was to follow the Mass Meeting. The speakers were called upon as follows:

Rev. A.B. Boone related his convictions to the members concerning the Education Problem in Atlanta. "I am tired of seeing of seeing our children get up at dawn in order to get to school". "We are going to have to turn Atlanta upside down if it is not corrected". Rev. Boone's entire talk was along these lines. He also referred to the Program on Urban Renewal that was

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~~pushing negroes out of slums and not replacing them. He offered a challenge to city officials, that if schools are not opened "we will use force to open them".~~

Next speaker was Mr. Hosea Williams:

~~Mr. Williams target was the police Aldermatic Committee, and the Chief of Police. He proposed that telegrams be sent to President Johnson, demanding that Chief Jenkins be evicted from the Riot Committee. And that each member of the Police Committee, not be allowed to forget that "Al Capone Marshall, and other policemen, have been given a license to beat people, because of their vote, on last night". He then imphasized the Detroit, Chicago and Milwaukee riots, and how the demands of the negroes in those communities, had to be resolved. "I hope that Atlanta would not have to go through what Detroit and other cities did, but if this the way it must be done, it must be done". Mr. Williams continues to lash away at the Police Committee, Chief Jenkins, and Mayor Allen. He criticised the Mayor, for not having control of the departments, under his command. Such as putting Negroes in responsible jobs, within the water department, board of education and etc..~~

Next speaker Rev. J.D. Ward:

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~~Rev. Ward stated that he would attack the board of education, Dr. Ietson and others, along two main lines. One through demonstrations, and Two, through the ballot box. He told the meeting that the Atlanta Board of Education and Dr. Ietson, had agreed to meet with a committee on Monday night at Six P.M. He urged the members to go back into their community and get everyone possible, to attend the meeting. Stating that "We will overrun the meeting on Monday night and if we don't get what we want there, we will fill every Board Members office on Tuesday morning. I will personally be in the Mayor's office, on Tuesday, if we don't get what we want."~~

~~After about one hundred people arrived, it was put to a vote, that a proposal be submitted to President Johnson, in the form of a telegram, asking him to evict Chief Jenkins from his appointment. At that time they voted unanimously to send the telegram. At that time they asked that news paper reporters and police to leave. We then left.~~

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