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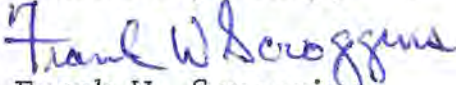
Dear Mayor Allen:

I am writing this short letter to express my admiration and respect for your conduct in the recent disturbances on Capitol Avenue. You demonstrated courage, restraint and judgment which in my opinion brought credit to you and to our City.

I believe that as a result of your handling of this incident even your most severe critics will be forced to re-evaluate you and your administration.

My very best wishes go to you in whatever you choose for the future, however I hope that you will continue to give Atlanta the type of leadership it had Tuesday for many years beyond your present term.

Yours very truly,


Frank W. Scroggins

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