

Mableton Ga.

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Hon. Mayor I. Allen,
Atlanta City Hall,
Atlanta Ga.

Dear Sir,

Maybe to-day one or part of one headache will be put in legal form, but that is not the caption of this letter. The other night a T.V. Station in Atlanta Ga went on the National Network to try and blow up the closing of two streets in Atlanta Ga to prevent blok busting. I see no merits in this type of showing of these local affairs, and some measure of protection to the people of Ga and Atlanta should be adopted. To prevent or stop such nuisance showing of these pictures in an attempt to stir up the minds of people who eat up this stuff,

It was printed by the Atlanta Journal that pictures made and shown at Athens Ga was manufactured, and the Ga legislator noted the facts.

And this type of picture producing by news papers and T.V. people have lost it's punch to most people. But those that live on racial strife and gain politically all over the world can and use these things for personal gains.

To this writer if this type of closing had taken place some years ago instead of what did happen where the City near used it's power to move in these blok busters while baby sitting with them to assure that there protection would be above all. Half the burnings and boomings would have never happened.

And most of the people that moved out of the Capitol City would still be there. This writer was near blown out of his home and also his wife because of this blok busting buisness, so I moved out.

I had no protection from those that was supposed to protect property and lives. It is amassing how much you have grown in the eyes of most people in and around Atlanta Ga for your stand to consider this protection to the citizens of both races. As I have stated time and again, to the Former Mayor and to the Governor, if I were in either shoes the day the School took up trying to run the city and it's buisness by grades and outhar infested so-called futherance of the cause, I would colse that school so tight it would take the United States Army to open the door.

To me to expect to public to eat crow at the table of taxation to furnish money to schools either public or private and have these people taught outhar that what these schools are there to teach, is simply too much to hope for.

It is reasonable to expect that these people have to have homes, it should be also reasonable to expect that they has the means to build and start a home in the new stage.

As explained to me by one of these Negroes that bought my place, they the Negor wont trust there own negro real estate men, and have to have a white man to see the deal through.

It could be that these people affraid that they may buy some home and in a few years find they have not. I don't know but that was my impression.

Thanks again for your stand.

Yours Truly,
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