

Dear Mayor Allen:

I thought perhaps you might be interested in the support you're receiving from the "Land of Lincoln," quite close to the home of General Grant, Galena, Illinois.

You are absolutely right. These hoodlums in the streets-- white or negro-must be dealt with as any other law-defiant person, with a punishment to fit their crime.

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The Honorable Ivan Allen, Jr. Mayor of Atlanta Atlanta, Georgia

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