

HOUSING CONDITIONS IN THE BLACK COMMUNITY

Point #4 of the Black Panther Party's Ten Point Platform and Program states that "We want decent housing fit for shelter of human beings. We believe that if the White landlord will not give decent housing to our Black community then the housing should be made into co-operatives so that our community, with government aid, can build and make decent housing for its people."

The Black community of Mount Vernon is in grave need of senior citizens' housing, low income housing and cooperatives --- as in any other Black, poor and oppressed community in America.

lion (America) has always managed to keep everything a secret when it comes to the people knowing about what's going on. As long as the lying demagogic politicians can keep the people duped and in the dark as to what is going on in their community, they are not worried about being moved on.

But, the Black Panther Party is moving to educate the people to the fact that it is their right to know what is going on and about the lies that these lying demagogic politicians are running down to them. The people must understand that these public servants are responsible to them and not the people

years we have been forced to live under the most brutal attacks that could be dealt to a people. We understand that this racist government will do anything to get rid of Black people. We will not let ourselves be fooled by the lying, demagogic politicians.

The people demand cooperatives with low income leasing, so that they can own a share of the total building. The people further demand low income leasing under this program, 200 units of additional low income housing have been allocated to the city of Mount Vernon but only four of these units are being occupied. In previous years, for housing



The city of Mount Vernon has approximately five to ten different housing programs which should be able to provide enough housing for the people. Yet, none of these housing programs are fulfilling the needs of the poor and oppressed Black community. Why? Because these greedy businessmen and lying politicians have gotten together, decided against implementing these programs and run a game on the people. They don't let these programs be known to the general public, and I wonder to this day if the community of Mount Vernon has been informed about the fact that there is a "rent subsidy program" that can be built into any of the housing programs. This is how the rent subsidy program operates: an individual can get the government to pay 10 to 80% of his rent provided he signs a promissory note for 25% of his income to go directly to the landlord. This is basically a sound program, but why don't the people know about it? It is a known fact that the racist government of Baby-

being responsible to public servants. We put them in office and we can take them out. "The spirit of the people is greater than the man's technology" - Minister of Defense, Huey P. Newton.

In the heart of the Black community contractors have been doing their job. Bull-dozers have cleared a huge plot of land and the people's concern at this moment should focus around one very important question. What are they going to put on this plot of land? One wonders whether or not it will become another parking lot! The people are confused and they're saying that they don't know what's going to happen, they may wake up the next morning in concentration camps.

The way that the pigs are moving on the people demanding that they move out of their homes because of the "urban renewal" that has been running rampant across racist Babylon. The Black community understands that the lying politicians don't have the interest of Black people at heart and that for over 400

alone the city government of Mount Vernon has returned from \$10 million to \$7 million dollars to the federal government; this year they have \$2 million dollars to return because they have nothing to use it for. Now, isn't that a laugh, when we know for a fact that the Black community is in need of decent housing.

So there are the facts - the reality is that this government has proven itself unwilling to deal with our problems, that this government does not intend at any future date to deal with our problems. Why should we sit by foolishly and wait any longer? We can move to correct this problem or we can beg for the pigs to do it for us. We want decent housing fit for the shelter of human beings - we know what we want now let's move to get it.

FREE BOBBY NOW!
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

PIGGISH LANDLORD

We want decent housing facilities for shelter of human beings. The Black Panther Party realizes that for over 400 years our people have been forced to live in run down 'death traps' set aside by the pigs for the poor and oppressed people to live in. This problem manifests itself not only in Mount Vernon but all across fascist America.

We have found that the chief source of the problem here in Mt. Vernon is the fact that the avaricious (greedy) landlords who own the buildings in the Black community have no concern for the safety and welfare of their tenants. The only thing that these greedy pigs are concerned with is collecting their rent (money) which they extort from the people under the threat of eviction. Repairs are made very seldom if they are made at all.

One particular building (49 1/2 W. Third St.) has an apartment on the third floor which was destroyed by fire. This apartment is now filled with garbage, which besides being a health hazard to the people, is also a breeding place for rats and

roaches; water drips from the ceiling; the door to the apartment is open, if a young brother or sister were to wander in, they would be seriously hurt.

This is but one example of the indecent, genocidal conditions that these low-lived, murderous pigs have created for our people to live in. We say that this has to stop. We say that if the piggish landlords won't provide decent housing for the people, then the housing should be turned over to the people so that they can create decent housing for our people to live in.

The people of Mount Vernon are tired. We will no longer consent to the oppression and genocide which we have been subjected to in the past. If the pigs don't straighten up their hands, there's gonna have to be some Bar-B-Que!

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James Holley
Mt. Vernon
Nat Turner Community Information Center

FACTS ON THE MURDER OF ROGER LEE DARRETT

Brother Roger Lee Darrett was murdered on April 5, 1970, by pig Harry Robinson. It was stated in the pig press (The Daily News), that pig Robinson caught brother Darrett burglarizing a bar, called the Chit Chat Club at 5144 Market St. It was also stated that pig nigger lackey Robinson gave brother Darrett a warning before he murdered the brother in cold blood.

But brother Gene Jones, who was on the scene, rapped with members of the Black Panther Party, and stated that pig Robinson was shooting and warning at the same time! Another thing that is very important in this case is the fact that Mrs. Darrett, the mother of brother Darrett, has not received any news of the murder of her son. The only information she got was from the pig press, she said a pig came to her house with a piece of paper and told her to sign it,

not bothering to explain what it was for, or to tell her that her son was dead.

Another brother has fallen at the hands of one of Rizzo's fascist pigs. Just like: Harold Brown, Joseph Brooks, and George Hamilton, Roger Lee Darrett was murdered by pigs who patrol our communities, murdering and brutalizing our people. When will the people rise up and put a stop to this madness being perpetrated by these murdering pigs? Just like Thomas Lyons and Brinkley Evans, pig Harry Robinson is a murderer, and must be brought to Justice, by any means necessary. If the courts of Philadelphia will not bring these law-breaking-murdering pigs to justice, then the people must do so!

Fred Hampton Information Center, Philadelphia, Pen.

WE DEMAND THAT YOU RISE TO THE NEEDS OF SUFFERING HUMANITY FREE HEALTH CENTERS

Simultaneously, as the need for medical attention grows in our Black communities, an equal but opposite aversion to that need grows. This need must not be ignored any longer, nor even merely alleviated, but DEALT WITH! With the support of the doctors, though only a few have committed themselves, we will deal with the suffering of our people.

Hospitals are overcrowded, emergency rooms are where people die awaiting their turn or the usual bureaucratic routine of presenting some tangible means of pay for services rendered. Why must people present money before they're even examined...when death may be 30 minutes away? Why must we even pay for a doctor to save our lives?!

Free neighborhood centers or clinics are part of the answer, but there's another side to even THAT coin - NOT ENOUGH doctors, nurses and concerned people willing to commit themselves (in time and energy, free of charge) to the people; and inadequate equipment to accommodate the doctors and nurses who HAVE committed themselves.

Two Free Health Centers will become functional for the people in East and West Oakland by June 1st, 1970, despite the seemingly insurmountable obstacles. There are not

ses have given their precious time and skills, and donations of expensive medical equipment and medicine have been obtained.

Surveys are presently underway to determine what the people want and need most in their Center. A community board of directors will keep us aware of their needs and desires and assist with recruiting more personnel and technical equipment as the Center grows to meet the needs of the people.

An auxiliary program, in which first aid stations will be established in the community is also being developed in a desperate attempt to deal with emergency situations until professional help is at hand. First aid classes will be held at the NCCF-Bobby Seal Community Information Center, 1690 10th Street.

As professional servants of the people, we do not merely solicit your help...we Demand that you rise to the needs of suffering humanity. We remind doctors who are hesitant...that Hippocratic Oath; to nurses, their dedication to comforting the sick; to clergymen, their undying concern for others; and to the laymen, their relentless support of the People's Programs.

For Further Information call-- 465-7089

Free Clothing For School Children Jersey City

On Sept. 2, 1969 the Welfare Rights Organization staged a protest demonstration at the Hudson County Welfare Office demanding their checks (which many had not received) and an additional \$50,000 per child to purchase school clothing and supplies. They also confronted the Board of Education demanding that free school lunches based on the 1964 School Act be started for all the children.

Mothers were inside and outside of this racist institution with pigs oinking all around. At about 3:45 p.m., a pig came out of patrol car #20 and had the nerve to send the hot dog man away so that the mothers and their children could not obtain food. This racist, fascist dog showed his utter contempt for those present by his uncalled for actions.

The lying politicians spend billions of dollars to send someone to the moon but when it comes to the basic needs of the people, namely, food, clothing and shelter... These greedy pigs could care less. Things are now to the point where in order for most welfare recipients to send their children to school without the children being branded, it is necessary that they receive the additional money needed. The Jersey city winters are long and cold, so many warm clothes are needed so that the children do not become ill. Because the Welfare Department, Board of Education and U S Government has and is maintaining a position of... To hell

with the poor and needy, we've got ours and yours, so just suffer peacefully.

The Black Panther Party takes a stand with the poor and oppressed and has started a Free Clothing for School Children Campaign, in answer to the inhuman welfare grants. We have and will continue to support the courageous struggle of welfare recipients in obtaining what is rightfully theirs, by any means necessary. We say all the greedy businessmen (capitalist) who rob and exploit the Black and other oppressed communities in which these bandits operate must return some of the profits they take from our communities by obtaining clothing and supplies for school children. Point #3 of the Black Panther Party Platform and Program says, "WE WANT AN END TO THE ROBBERY BY THE CAPITALIST OF OUR BLACK COMMUNITY" it doesn't matter whether they be White, Brown, Red, Yellow or Black. We are not racist. We have respect for all humanity and we realize that the people should rule and determine their destiny, not be humbled or subjugated to slavery or oppression, so some lying politician, greedy businessman or racist pig cop can exploit and brutalize them.

ALSO YOU CAN HELP

People in the Black Community - mothers, grandmothers, guardians and others who are trying to raise children in the Black Community

and other oppressed communities, where lying politicians and greedy businessmen oppress us - are asked to come forth and support this program. Nourishing food: grits, eggs, bread and meat for the stomachs is where it's at when it comes to properly preparing our children for education. We are also asking all businesses to donate the necessary money, food and utensils to prepare the foods for our children.

Items or funds may be sent c/o:
BLACK PANTHER PARTY
384 Pacific Avenue
Jersey City, New Jersey

(201) 432-3725

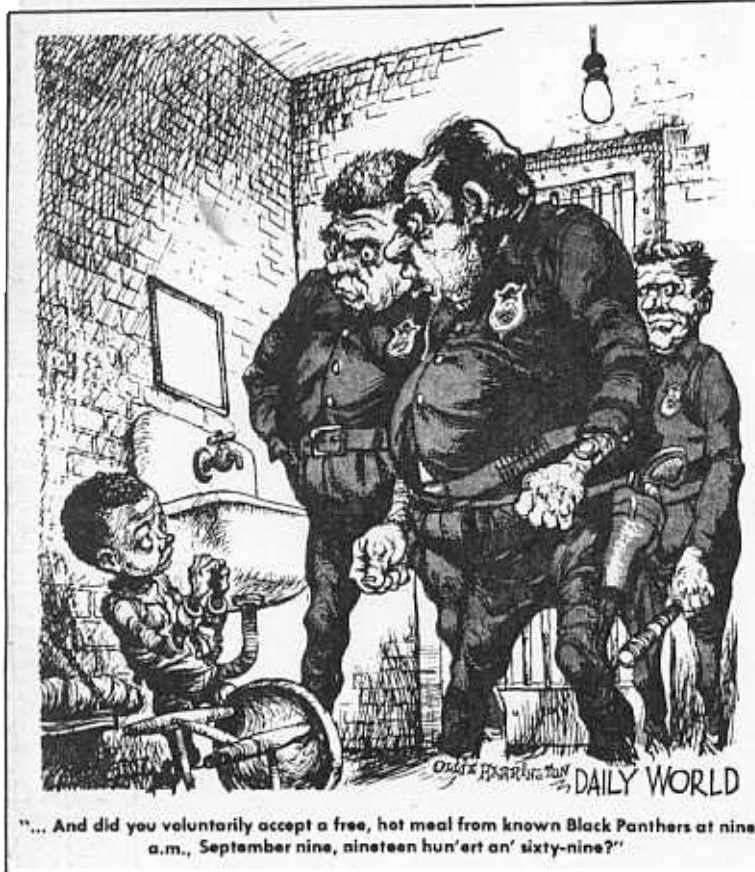
Just let us know, both Black and White communities and citizens, what you can donate in money, time etc.

Make Checks To:
BREAKFAST FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN
Items or funds may also be sent c/o:

Breakfast for School Children c/o
Lafayette Reformed Church
328 Communipaw Avenue
Jersey City, New Jersey
(201) 432-2073 or 333-1992

Breakfast for School Children c/o
Christ the King Church
768 Ocean Avenue
Jersey City, New Jersey
(201) 333-4862

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!



"... And did you voluntarily accept a free, hot meal from known Black Panthers at nine a.m., September nine, nineteen hun'ert an' sixty-nine?"

BEAUTY OF THE PEOPLE'S PAPER

Huey P. Newton, Minister of Defense of the Black Panther Party states, "that the newspaper is the voice of the Party and the voice of the Panther must be heard throughout the land. Because the Newspaper is one of the main tools for educating the masses of Black people." It is a unique paper, one that translates the historical experiences of Black people. A paper that is composed of community news-national news -and international news. A paper that prints the truth.

The Black Panther Party news staff has no fear of telling it just like it is. The People's paper exposes the true nature of the decadent society. Our newspaper has the interest of the people at heart. We refuse to hide anything from the masses of Black people. Because they know the need for the people to attain this knowledge is very important. So that Black people will know the primary contradiction, and know how to deal with it. So we see the reason why we should read the Black Panther Party Newspaper. We, the people, should be coming up to the brothers and sisters who are selling these papers every week to find out what happened with the paper if it is late. Because this is all we have, really no other



Huey would say "THE NEWSPAPER IS THE VOICE OF THE PARTY AND THE VOICE OF THE PANTHER MUST BE HEARD THROUGHOUT THE LAND"

paper is going to tell you the things to the press by intimidating the Black Panther Community News members of the Party who sell the papers on the streets. They have tells you that the main problem is tried to sabotage them and have the avaricious (greedy) businessmen making life miserable for us even ripped off brothers and sisters selling them. So now I hope because of his greed for money. How he manipulates the demagogic stand why the Chairman is facing (lying) politicians to lie to the people to keep them complacent. And how the lying politician, if his lies don't work, will send or give his order to keep those niggers in tact by any means necessary. Most of the time this means a big stick and a .357 magnum meted out by the local pig force. Our Minister of Information, Eldridge Cleaver said, "that information is the raw material for new ideas," you dig, and the pigs are hip to that. That's why they feed the people misinformation so the people will have those messed up ideas. But we are giving the people the correct information to attain their liberation. And this started happening in October of 1966 when the Black Panther Party first came into being by our Minister of Defense, Huey P. Newton and our Chairman, Bobby Seale.

The first paper to be published was in the middle of 1967 and the pigs from that point on have made all sorts of attempts to put a stop

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James Young New Haven Chapter Black Panther Party

THE MURDER OF DONALD MILLER

Today at San Jose City College, a people's inquest was held into the fatal shooting of Donald Ray Miller, age 18, by a fascist pig Ed Jarrott. The prosecution was done by Michael Torrence of the San Jose State BSU. The inquest was presided over by Bill Calhoun, Chairman of the BSU of San Jose City. A crowd of about 500 college students, high school students, and members of the community, were present in the interest of justice, to hear the people's side, and bring about an indictment against pig Jarrott, for murder in the first degree.

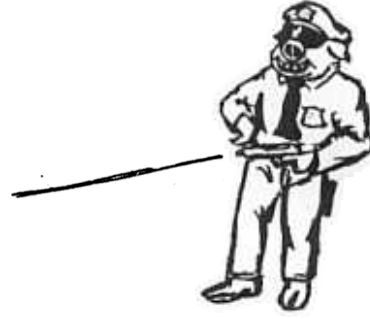
The newspaper report of the incident, which occurred on March 31, at 12 p.m., conflicts considerably with the investigations of the People, and the coroner's report.

According to the media, Donald Miller and one or more accomplices, armed with a .22, attempted to rob the Jack-in-the-Box located at the corner of El Camino and Lafayette, in the city of Santa Clara. Pig Jarrott, responding to a call allegedly given by some unknown off-duty pig, arrived on the scene as Donald Miller and the other brother jumped a fence located at the rear of the Jack-in-the-Box, and were running across the parking lot. Jarrott, the paper says, shouted "halt" several times, fired a warning shot, and then shot and killed Donald Miller. The other person involved the escaped and is still at large. Accord-

ing to the paper Donald Miller was shot in the back, and here is the first contradiction. The coroner's report says Donald Miller was shot in the chest. How can you be run-ning away and get shot in the chest? After speeches from the BSU, and the Revolutionary Action Movement, the prosecution first called upon John Kelch, a member of the Socialist Worker's Party to give some first hand background on pig Jarrott's activities as a strike-breaker at the Pittsburgh-Demolines Steel Plant in Santa Clara. Even then Jarrott had shown himself to be exceptional at brutalizing the people.

The prosecution then read a report by the attendant at the Jack-in-the-Box, who was possibly the only eyewitness to the entire incident. His story contradicts the pig's story very obviously.

He stated that at no time was Donald Miller armed. The alleged .22 was held by the other person. Donald and the second brother ran through the kitchen and out of the back door. They jumped the fence and ran off across the parking lot of the adjoining bar. Pig Jarrott acted in the same manner as all the other fascist blood-hungry "peace officers" in making himself judge, jury, and executioner of Donald Miller. On the basis of nothing more than a call, and the fact that Donald Miller was seen running away from the pig Jarrott found him guilty of "sus-



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WE WANT AN IMMEDIATE
END TO POLICE BRUTALITY AND
MURDER OF BLACK PEOPLE

picion of being a suspicious nigger" into the shooting, and executed him on the spot. By 3) An indictment for 1st degree acting as Judge, Jury, and Executioner this low-lived dog, (who is also a part-time instructor at San Jose City College in the Police Science School), violated Donald Miller's constitutional and human rights, and has shown once again that a Black man has no rights that the fascist pigs are bound to respect. The people found pig Jarrott guilty of murder in the first degree, and issued the following demands:

- 1) The immediate dismissal of pig Ed Jarrott from the faculty at city college, and the Santa Clara Police force.
- 2) An open public investigation
- 3) An indictment for 1st degree murder brought against Ed Jarrott by the Grand Jury.
- 4) The immediate withdrawal of armed pigs from our campuses.
- 5) The establishment of a Community Police Review Board.

On Saturday, April 18, at 2:00, there was a Community Meeting to formulate a plan of action for the implementation of these demands, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church on Kammerer in East Side San Jose.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE SEIZE THE TIME Michael Torrence San Jose State, BSU

THREE PIGS BEAT FIFTEEN YEAR OLD BLACK YOUTH



**WE WANT AN IMMEDIATE END TO
POLICE BRUTALITY AND MURDER OF
BLACK PEOPLE.**

HIRED HENCHMEN ATTACK BROTHER IN FRISCO

We have learned through 400 years of hard suffering and struggle to judge people not by their theories (words) alone, but rather we judge people by their practice (actions). The ideology of the Black Panther Party is the historical experiences of Black people interpreted through Marxism-Leninism. Because of the way of life we have been subjected to and are still being subjected to, because of the lies that kept us in the "dark", and because of the fascist terror that is being unleashed upon us as a race of people, we say "Practise what you preach or suffer the wrath of the armed people."

Our beloved Minister of Information, Eldridge Cleaver, now in exile but on his job, said, "Better to remain silent, than to utter half-truths or irrelevant generalities which leave loopholes for those to escape who rightfully should be condemned for dereliction of duty by those who are still waging life and death struggles for the liberation and security of their people!" Black people already know that the racist policy, disguised in the form of the U.S. Constitution of the U.S. Government is nothing but a sham and a hoax to keep us in slavery from now on.

The hypocrisy of the Muslims, under the "leadership" of Elijah Muhammed, has recently begun to ooze out in the practice of some of its members.

If you remember in a previous edition of "The Black Panther, Black Community News Service" (March 7, 1970, page 7) an article stating "Black Muslims Assault the People at Malcolm X Festival Held at Philadelphia Community College" ran it down.

"The evening of Saturday, February 21st again witnessed the antagonistic responses of reactionary elements within the struggle for the liberation of our people.

On Saturday, because certain Muslims disliked the idea of people honoring Malcolm, they decided to disrupt the program. They did this in the form of throwing chairs at women and children, direct attacks on brothers and total disregard for the human rights of the people. They revealed themselves to the people as an enemy, thus lowering themselves to the level of pigs."

In San Francisco on Thursday, March 19, 1970 around 3:30 A.M., a brother came in where we (Panther members) were getting ready to send out to subscribers, their weekly subscription of the Black Panther, Black Community News Service. This brother came in mad as a BIG-dog and was yelling, "where is those Muslims, I'm gonna kill them crazy fools." As the brother calmed down, he began to run down what had happened. The brother told us that he was walking and a Muslim asked

him to buy a paper and he said "hell" no. For speaking in the language of the brothers off the block, these fools jumped on the brother. These niggers beat the brother in the eye until it was swollen twice its normal size, tore the brother's clothes, and treated the brother in the same manner those foul pigs of the power structure do all of the time.

A short time after the brother left, we were told that there was a fight going on down the street. We went to check it out. There were six Muslims attacking the same brother that had just left us and a friend of his. The people that had been watching finally managed to break up this act of brutalization.

It is crystal clear that many brothers (especially the young brothers who are now members of the Muslims are ready and willing to fight, but because of the misguidance by their leadership, the oppressor is able to use them to undermine the struggle of our people for National Liberation and National Salvation.

If the Muslims choose to act in the manner of fascist pigs, they will surely be dealt with on that level. The people will not suffer brutality from mislead morons. **WE HAVE TO FIGHT TO LIVE!**

**BLACK PANTHER PARTY
Richmond Branch**

Every year the pig power structure advocates Carnivals and so-called fun-fairs for young people and old "to have fun". The whole concept of "fun" is crap--because the pigs are always hanging around to turn it into a nightmare. The murderous pigs' prey are the poor people, young and old alike. These pigs clearly mimick vultures that sit on tree branches and wait for the exact moment to swoop down and devour their victims.

On Friday night, March 20, many youths were attending a fair in San Pablo. There was a lot of excitement in certain areas of the carnival, like the section where people pitched nickels, dimes, and quarters into bowls. Many of the young people were snatching dimes from the bowls and using that money to pitch. Everyone alike was taking part equally, until a pig provocateur stood up and yelled, "no more niggers will get any money from the bowls." This was the stir note for the blood thirsty pigs to move in.

Benny Richmond, a fifteen year old Black youth, was standing there just looking when some idiot swung at him and hit him - Benny defended himself, and in the process, a mad cop pig snuck up behind him and choked Benny until he was almost dead from lack of air. He was weak now, and this was a perfect opportunity for this cowardly pig to handcuff the youth and literally throw him in the cruiser. Even though there were many pigs arriving on the set in different cars - two that had oinked up as Benny was thrown in the cruiser, got in along with the pig abusing Benny, and the three pigs and 15-year-old handcuffed Benny drove off into the night.

"As we rode," said Benny, "no one said anything. They (the pigs) acted as if they were mad. We drove about a mile into a deserted area and then into an alley. I thought they were taking me to jail. When we stopped I asked them if they would take off my handcuffs - they hurt so bad, The

police officer driving said he would take them off when he was finished with me. I was scared by now because I knew I wasn't at any police station. The policemen got out and then opened my door and pulled me out. The one driving said, "when I get done with you, you ain't hitting no more White boys or niggers". He hit me with his billy club; he was standing in front of me so it bashed my cheek bone. I fell down and the next one snatched me up and hit me with his club. He struck the other side of my face in the same place. I fell again and the third police snatched me by my collar and stood me up. He didn't use a club, he smashed my jaw with his right fist. He was so big, I know he is at least 6'6", I guess he figured he'd hurt me more if he used his fist. I didn't remember anything else until I woke up in a jail cell. They must have put me in the car and carried me to the jail - but I don't remember none of that. I was in there until 2:00 a.m. - they must have told my father, cause he came and got me."

Benny has been vomiting and aching since that night. He went to the hospital today and had X-rays. The doctor could not find any broken bones, but said Benny must be awakened every three hours. The situation is, that there is damage to the brain, enough so that he cannot get a solid nights sleep without quite possibly never waking up again.

Benny came to the Black Panther Party because he thought we could do something about what happened to him. We explained to him that under this system of legalized genocide, these pigs would be protected by pigs' law and pig statutes - but the pigs' day is coming! - That they will be found guilty by the people and they will surely suffer the wrath of the armed masses.

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**BLACK PANTHER PARTY
Richmond Branch**

Leroi Jones are not attacked by the pigs. Lackey Leroi was let go on a gun charge that any brother would do time for - let go to write more idiotic poems on "Blackness" and to continue his dirty work for the pigs.

Eldridge was not forced into exile because he was friendly with the pig power structure, and our

they must be dealt with by the people.

On the question of being underground, Huey P. Newton says: "The vanguard party is never underground in the beginning of its existence, because this would limit its effectiveness and educational process. How can you teach people if the people do not know and respect you?" Being underground would not allow us to combat the lies of the press with The Black Panther Newspaper, or establish the Free Breakfast Program, Free Clothing Program, or Health Clinics, etc. In the three years the Black Panther Party has existed, contradictions of fascist America have been layed bare before the public eye. This would never have been done if we had been meek and liberal in word and stagnant in deed. The pigs are enemies of humanity, of all oppressed people, while we are one with the people. So when the pigs attack us it is good because it clearly shows who we are and what we have accomplished.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

**BLACK PANTHER PARTY
Richmond Branch
Gloria**



Gloria Abernathy

Minister of Defense Huey P. Newton, Chairman Bobby Seale and scores of other comrades would not be in jail today if they were not willing to dedicate their lives to the cause of Black Liberation. The members of the Black Panther Party are not criminals. Dig the real criminals: Nixon, Ford, Hoffman, Daley, Hanrahan, Abrams--

QUESTION FROM THE COMMUNITY ANSWERED

While working daily in the Black Community these questions have come up over and over again: "How can the Black Panther Party continue to further the Revolution when all of its leaders are being ripped off, either through exile, prison or murder?" And "Wouldn't the Party be more effective as an underground movement" or "perhaps if we were a little less "violent" or kept a little more quiet that the pigs would allow us to function without harassment and

therefore, we'd be able to do more for the people."

If the vanguard of America, the Black Panther Party, had not been exposing this fascist government for what it is, teaching the people the correct method for resisting the power structure, and implementing programs to serve the people, then we would not be attacked by the pigs. Niggers apologizing for the American way, supporters of "Black capitalism" and the "poverty program" are never

jailed, brutalized or murdered or under constant investigation by J. Edgar Hog and Company; they are instead given the privileged position of being the buffer between the pigs and the people. All these 'mouthpieces for counter-revolution' have to say is: "these niggers are happy; all they need is a little "green power", and Tricky Dick will give them all the protection and crumbs he can afford. Bootlicking murderous cultural nationalists like Ron Karenga and

Statement For Release
To The Black Press

April 6, 1970

During the early morning hours of April 1, one or more terrorists operating under the cover of night and taking advantage of a campus relatively vacant because of spring recess, did apparently plan and, in fact, effectively execute an arson attack against the Africana Studies and Research Center at 320 Wait Avenue, Ithaca, New York.

Arson experts have concluded that the fire was not electrical or started by a cigarette. The material used to start the fire was highly flammable and it was started in more than one place. Apparently the person or persons involved had ample time to look over the whole building and choose the most strategic places to start the blaze. The total destruction of the building points to this being a professional job.

The Black community of Ithaca has consistently been viciously attacked in all aspects of our lives as has been demonstrated by the burning of the Southside Community Center, brutalization and neglect of Black children in the Ithaca Public School System, as well as the repeated attempts on the lives of the Black women living at Wari House.

The clear fact is that this incident reflects historical trulism in America--that it has been in the White community that law and order has never been respected. It has been in the White community that the breakdown of law and order has been most criminal and, of course, most damaging to both life and property of Black people. We see oppression in the form of the political assassinations of Martin Luther King, Fred Hampton and Ralph Featherstone; constant harassment of Black polit-

ical organizations--the Black Panther Party, incarcerations and/or forced exiles of Black leaders and recent repressive legislation such as the Supreme Court decision regarding unruly defendants and the closing of the Black Studies at San Francisco State College.

The consensus of the entire Black community at Cornell reflects that of the larger Black community around this country, that their persons and their property are insecure and are threatened in this atmosphere. Dale Corson, President of Cornell University, rejected the following proposals:

1. Security for residences, for Black people by Black personnel;
2. That the Cornell African Commitment Fund be placed under the auspices of James Turner, Director of the Africana Studies Center;
3. Completion of a new Africana Studies Center, located on Plain Street in the heart of Ithaca's Black community, which was also damaged by fire.

Despite the opposition of the White community we are determined to defend ourselves and initiate programs for the improvement of the Black community. No fire can stop this determination. The urgency of the situation not only at Cornell but around the country makes it necessary that Black people hear the truth from one another. We are sending all communications directly to our Black press and publications.

POWER,
Black Students and Faculty,
Cornell University



PIG BRUTALITY IN FOCUS

The constant sickness and cancerous germs that infest the Black community manifested in the brutalizing forces of the pig department, continues to prey on the people. The brutal arrest of an intoxicated brother late at night on a deserted street stopped at brutality only because the pigs were caught in action by members of the Indiana Chapter who were returning from the seating of one of our members as student president at I.U. The brother was slammed against the pig car and pushed around quite roughly while handcuffed and unable to move or protest. The pigs were approached by members of the Party and asked the charges

on the brother; slinking and slobbering at the mouth, they gave their usual reply of being attacked. When they were asked why so many pigs were attacking this man, the reactionary reply was "move on we will arrest you". Standing their ground no one moved and the pigs, therefore, could not complete their plan of murder; not being sure whether the bloods were armed or not the pigs moved on. Later that night we noticed 4 or 5 pigs cars outside our 'crib' watching the place, no attempt was made to enter the crib by these bahoons, but their mere presence caused an undesirable odor in the community. The raging tide of fascism is

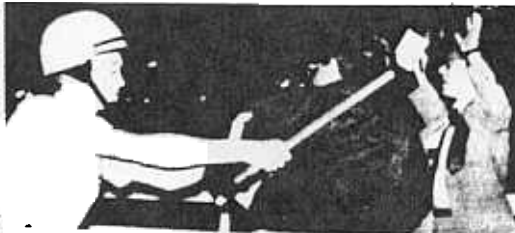
very evident in Indianapolis, prior to this incident, threats were made to Black High School students by the KKK in letter form but the youth have a way of saying stick your threats up your behind. One of the basic elements that meet the needs of the people is to realize that self-defense is a very potent weapon when dealing with cowards who strike in the darkness of night.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

Donald Campbell
Indiana Chapter
Black Panther Party

Health Care - Pig Style

On Thursday April 9, 1970, a five year old sister Yvette Oaks fell off her bike. All that day, and up until Saturday she complained of intense abdominal pain and not being able to eat without vomiting. The little sister was feeling so bad that finally her mother took her to the hospital; her mother, Mrs. Barbara Oaks, took her to the



Mount Vernon hospital's emergency room. The doctors examined her giving her something to stop the vomiting and with no regard to what was causing the vomiting these slip-shod doctors sent Mrs. Oaks and her child home, telling the mother to take the child to her family doctor on Monday. The young sister's "sickness"

persisted and worsened, and on Sunday her mother became concerned and took her child and traveled some eight miles away. Taking Yvette to New Rochelle hospital which is a better hospital. Yvette was placed in the hospital with these conditions: dehydration to the hospital; a possible trauma, also she needed a blood transfusion.

Another case was when Mrs. Julia Butler brought her son to Mount Vernon hospital to be circumcised, and later when she came to visit him, she just happened to pull back his blankets, the bed was soaked with blood, and her son was still bleeding. These are just some of the in-

cidents that have taken place at Mount Vernon hospital in which slip-shod doctors provided inadequate services for poor people of the Black community. The treatment of patients has been so bad in some cases that the people say they will relate to nursing their own wounds, instead of admitting themselves to the Mount Vernon hospital for possible suicide, at the hands of these fools who have little regard for the life of human beings.

The Black Panther Party understands the urgent necessity for a true health care in the community of Mount Vernon which will provide services that will be functional to the poor and oppressed people of the community. We believe that health services can only meet the needs of each and every person when all the funds and resources are controlled within the community by people whose only concern is the well being of the community and the people.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

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LETTER FROM GEORGE EDWARDS

All Power To The People and more revolutionary strength and courage to all of you. Continue to serve the people and struggle against the enemies of the people's liberation movement. I'm sure at times it must seem that New Haven presents an almost impenetrable barrier when it comes to getting the Black people in the community to really move. When I was a political activist developing my revolutionary consciousness before being enlightened by the Panther Party ideology and program, I knew what it was like to engage the oppressor in struggling for the people. As a matter of fact New Haven seemed like the

last place in the world where any meaningful part of the people's liberation struggle could be successfully waged. This is misleading unless we fully examine the historical political climate and know that what matters appear as a difficult challenge is no more in fact than another geographical oppressed situation with a New England Yankee Doodle dressing. New England, and the state of Connecticut supposedly lead the nation in per capita income and the city of New Haven has been held up as the 'model city' of the United States of America before the world. Now when we peel back the scab on this decadent festering

capitalist community we see a crypto-nazi pig, Chief Ahern, his lackey gestapo and storm troopers who patrol and ride herd on the Black and Puerto-Rican communities who are gripped in the terror tactics of his racist and vicious iron fist. A city of administration controlled by the corrupted money and blood of the Mafia element. A Black community controlled by chaos and confusion by a few money and power greedy bootlicking niggers who cut each others' throats over every crumb swept from the oppressor's table. And presiding over this whole 'model city', American pig sty is Yale University. manufacturers of new style capi-

talist enterprising master minds. So I know your work in the city of New Haven is being sabotaged at every turn by professional oppressive forces who have the pig-gish gall to think they will smother the Vanguard of the people's liberation struggle. But just as the Yale Univ.-CIA hatched up Bay of Pigs Invasion met defeat by the revolutionary peoples of Cuba, and as pig chief Ahern and his Mafia controlled city administration were not successful in keeping the Black Panther Party out of New Haven and as all oppressive forces of fascism, their lackeys and flunkies Black, White and whoever have not been able through their sys-

tematic genocide to wipe out the people's righteous revolutionaries, then I know though the struggle may seem hard, you all will not be defeated. We will not be defeated. The people will not be defeated. Continue to serve the people and do not be deluded by the outward strength of these desperate dying reactionary pigs. We will not fall in our arduous struggle to rid the world of these polluters of humanity. Intensity the struggle, save the Chairman.

SEIZE THE TIME
Yours in Revolution
George Edwards
Political Prisoner

TOTAL WITHDRAWAL OR TOTAL AGGRESSION !

To come forth and challenge your oppressor is a sign that you have no fear! To speak out against the oppressor when he inflicts brutality and murder upon your people is a sign that you have no doubt! For Black people to withdraw into an invisible world when attempts are being made to realize who we are is a sign of Fear--Fear of the truth, doubts about our own strength as a UNITED PEOPLE. We are asked to respect laws which do not respect us! (Harold Brown was murdered by Four racist pigs, two were ASKED by the District Attorney, Arlen Specter, to come to court so that they could be charged with Assault and Battery For Murder! Are we going to continue to remain

silent? Silent in our actions to Avenge Harold Brown's murder. Because fear and doubt has been passed on to us from one generation to the next, does not mean that we must continue to suppress that anger which remains inside of us. We are not things, beast, we are human beings! We are not to be ignored or stepped on. Because this racist Society has seen fit to renege on its promise to us, let us transform that fear and doubt about who we are into "JUSTIFIABLE" rage! America is a lie, the leaders are paper tigers, and we can righteously blow them away! We must blow every pig away who stands in the way of our survival, our existence, our LIBERATION! HAVE NO FEAR!

AVENGE HAROLD BROWN'S MURDER DOUBT NOTHING ABOUT THE STRENGTH YOU HAVE TO PULL THE TRIGGER!
Frank Rizzo's trigger-happy fascists have gone berserk in this town! Within the past three months, they have escalated their genocidal attack upon the colony. For each nigger that one of Frank's men pulled off, JUSTIFIABLE HOMICIDE has been the message to the people.

There are Black people in this city, who are afraid to speak out against these savages, but rather have chosen to remain silent out of fear of losing their jobs, their homes, their illusions of security. What will it take to make the people

of this city rise up and say 'right off' to madman Rizzo? Rizzo controls this city. He controls the news media. Everything that is written in the Inquirer or the Bulletin stinks with racism and repression of Rizzo. When some segments of the structure do challenge him, they are intimidated, harassed and silenced! His lackey and RACIST police par-tip off. JUSTIFIABLE HOMICIDE trol the colony--in the day, it's the neo-colonialist Black lackeys. At night it's the racist night riders. This Rizzo wants to be Mayor, at this point he is laying the ground work for taking over this city completely. Rizzo must be stopped there must be total withdrawal of his fascist forces, and man-eating K-9 dogs. If this is not done, the people must

rise up aggressively and use any means necessary to halt further tyranny by this fascist fuhrer.

Total Withdrawal or total aggression. Black People Seize the time, before one of Rizzo's man-hunters seize you.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

Rosemary Mealy
Philadelphia Branch
Black Panther Party

BUSSING DOESN'T MEAN EDUCATION

Basically an education passes the heritage, learnings, the wisdom and the technology of human history to the coming generation" - Eldridge Cleaver

This capitalistic society infiltrates its corruptive heritage, its misinformation, its so-called wisdom and the mass technology of its inhumane deceit into the minds of our future leaders. The main tool it uses is the present school system.

The law states all children must attend school between the ages of 5 through 16. The results are misinformation; how to be a capitalist or how to support them. Schools have been set up and economically supplied by pigs whose survival relies upon the way that future generations relate to their surrounding conditions. The road that the youth will take depends upon the manner in which his surrounding conditions are interpreted. If the youth see reality—the oppression and exploitation of all of those who are used to produce and buy the materials for the pigs to profit and those who do not aid the pigs are driven off the streets and out of the society, they will become subversive. It is All Power To The People, and Later for the Pigs.

So the pigs have to create machinery to deal with the potential subversiveness and reality. The pigs have to make sure that all possible leaks of reality are stopped up; the plugs used are lies

on top of more lies. Fantasies are created, the fantasy that if you believe and work with our pig pro-

The teachings at the school inform that the more a person learns in school the more this will en-



SHARLA WOODS

grams you will be rewarded well throughout your life. Owning a big house, a fine car and lots of boss clothes are imposed as the main objective in a person's life. The means of attaining the goods and where the most money goes isn't questioned as long as these false values are attained.

able him to attain these false values—this is a big farce. The pigs aren't interested in the welfare of the people, because this would mean that the pigs could not stay on top. It is impossible for everyone to receive what they need and the pigs to keep all that they have at the same time. So

the indoctrination at the schools uses those that can't see reality and bends them for use to their own advantage. Those who can't be used as their lackeys become discontent and subversive—a threat to the pigs' survival.

The people that are the most exploited don't count too much as long as they can be used to buy the trash that the pigs sell to make their profit. The pigs have to make sure that the other portion of the people continue to aid and support them by continually working to gain what the pigs have. (The de-facto-segregation or the ghetto schools is used as a method to merely pacify the most exploited (Blacks) to ensure that they will not become subversive to this fact). The white schools are where most of the aid or support to the pigs goes because these are the people that the pigs rely upon to work (to carry out their tool of exploitation). If these people become subversive to the fact that they were being used just as the most exploited Blacks, there would be no machinery to aid the pigs in their plans for their individualistic profits. So the pigs have to make sure that this portion of the people continually receive what they need to pacify them. Racism is instituted to ensure that they are doing well because they're better off than the Black population.

Their schools are provided with the best heating, lighting, food, the newest books, etc.

The biggest farce lately has been the bussing issue. This pig lie is supported because of the fact that better material conditions are placed in the White schools—the fantasy of receiving a better education is created. The manner in which to receive this is defined as bussing. But because this portion of the people are being indoctrinated with lies also, neither the ghetto schools nor the White schools is in the interest of the people.

"We want an education for our people that exposes the true nature of this decadent American society. We want an education that teaches us our true history and our role in the present day society," this is Point #5 of the Black Panther Party 10 Point Program.

With this type of education the pig power structure would be exposed for what it really is. The youth would become subversive. It would truly be later for the pigs. Bussing is not the way to get equality and freedom because equality and freedom only come out of a righteous armed liberation struggle.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

Sharla Woods
S.F. Branch
Black Panther Party

The Verdict Is Almost In, AND THE FASCISTS CAN EXPECT NO MERCY

After having spent about a week in jail, the Chief of Staff, David Hilliard, and the Minister of Culture, Emory Douglas, were released from jail. On April 21st a racist judge in New Haven, Mulrey, generously declared that he would withdraw his decision to jail David and Emory for six months on a ridiculous contempt of court charge. He apologetically stated that his decision had been biased, as he had not realized that all Panthers do not enter courtrooms to disrupt them or to break laws governing courtrooms.

Chairman Bobby Seale was in the courtroom waiting to have injustice meted out to him on a trumped up murder charge. He advised the judge that he should not allow the events that took place in the Chicago courtroom—when Bobby was chained, gagged and bound—to have any bearing on this. Chairman Bobby and also David told this slick fascist that Panthers are upholders of the Constitution; it is only when our constitutional rights are being violated that we act to correct the situation by any means necessary.

The judge stressed his desire to be fair to everyone, including Panthers. He added that he wanted it to be clear that not only would he withdraw his racist decision but that he wanted it known that he would be completely fair and impartial in the murder trial involving Panthers (the trial of Chairman Bobby Seale and the nine other Panthers) now pending in his court. Therefore, David and Emory were allowed to walk out of the courtroom.

But we aren't fooled. No one should be fooled. This is the same New Haven judicial system that viciously arrested, jailed Ericka Huggins on a trumped up murder charge and has incarcerated her, without even mention of a trial



BIG MAN

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date, after almost a year, the same New Haven judicial system that has held Francis Carter and Rose Smith who were forced to bear their babies under the worst conditions and then be separated from them. This is the same New Haven judicial system which has held Lonnie McClucas in its jail along with several other Panthers on this trumped up charge of murder, and this is the same New Haven judicial system which intends to murder the Chairman of the Black Panther Party in the electric chair.

So later for this fascist vulture who is trying momentarily

to hide in the feathers of a dove... the people are the only judges and jury that we respect, and the people have the American judicial system on trial not the Black Panther Party. The verdict is almost in, and the fascists can expect no mercy for their crimes when the people move to carry out the prescribed sentence.

THE POWER BELONGS ONLY TO THE PEOPLE. THE ONLY DEATH SENTENCE METED OUT, WILL BE TO THIS FASCIST SYSTEM

Big Man

RACIST PIGS HARASS THE PEOPLE OF 840 W. SUNNY SIDE

There is another attempt being made on the part of the murderous pigs of racist America to make Black people of this backward society an extinct race of people.

A very clear case of genocidal action is being seen and felt by the people of 840 W. Sunny Side. There are only twenty Black families in this building all of whom are seeking to escape the rampant indecent housing that exists in our Black communities. The pigs have dug on this attempt on the part of the people to find decent housing and have moved fascism off the streets and brought it into the homes of our people. Of the twenty Black families living there, six have received notice of eviction from the Chicago Housing Authority. The majority of the six are welfare recipients and the reasons for the evictions are all of the same nature: CHA gave these reasons for evictions: too much noise, their apartments weren't clean enough, or that the visitors who came calling on the tenants were not considered respectable enough for the pigs in the CHA. All these reasons were lies; the true reason was that the six tenants were poor and Black. This is the real and most common reason why people are evicted in this racist country of America. The CHA is just another chapter in the continuing story of genocide which is being committed against Black people by the American government.

The six families are going to be evicted to live in the streets because if you are on welfare you can't afford to live in any thing but a project and the CHA owns them. Only a heartless criminal would put a family on the streets with nowhere to go to find decent housing. By denying these people decent housing the CHA is saying 'people don't have a right to survive; because shelter along with food and clothing is necessary for people to live.'

So we can plainly see this attempt of CHA to play the part of Hitler and the Germans but we ain't going to play the part of the Jews. We, as Black people, own very little other than our lives, but we say this: "We demand decent housing fit for the shelter of human beings as it is run down in the Black Panther Party's 10-Point Platform and Program. If we are denied our rights then we are put in a position to defend our lives at the threshold of our doorsteps."

the message is there for all to see, from the grass roots to the perfumed parlors of the petty bourgeoisie—From the lowest shack to the highest steeple. The cry has gone out—ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

Illinois Chapter
Black Panther Party

