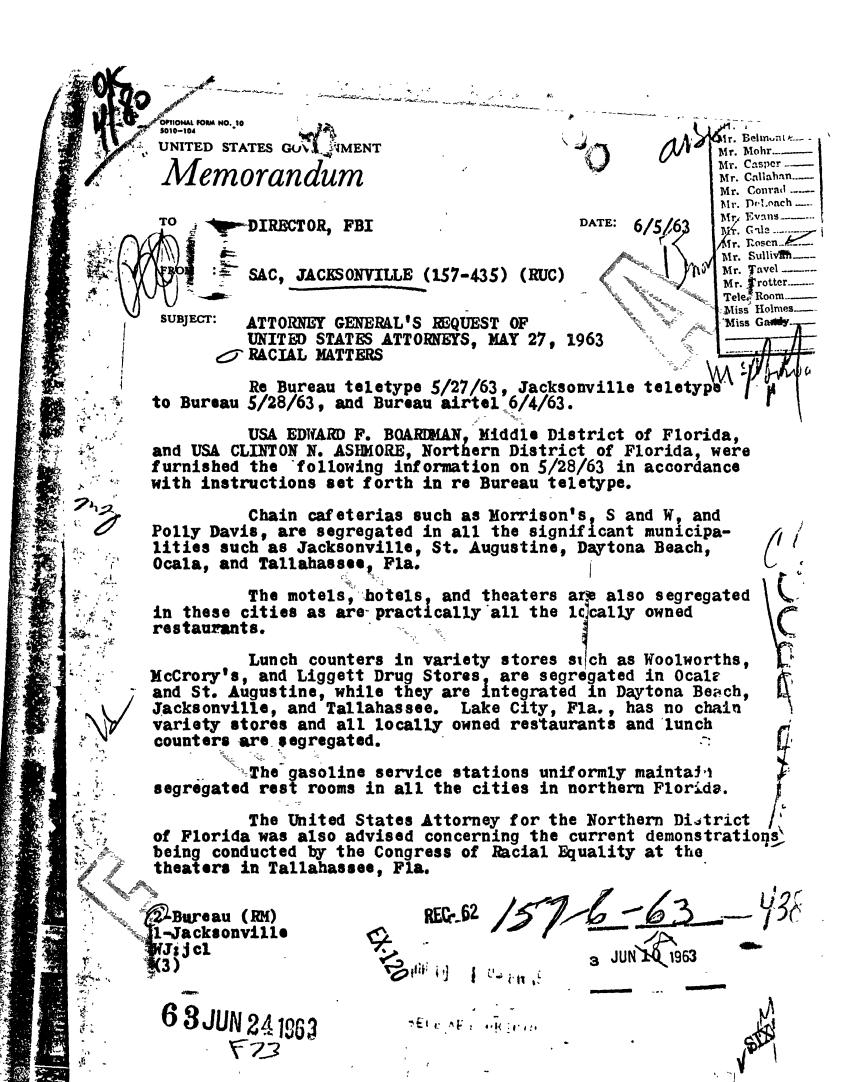
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The United States Attorneys expressed their appreciation to the FBI for furnishing this information.

It is noted pertinent facts in this matter were furnished the Bureau by teletype in accordance with Bureau instructions.

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Jacksonville, Florida June 17, 1963

> RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

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Office of the FBI on June 17, 1963 and furnished the following information:

received a telephone call at approximately 10:00 AN June 17, 1963, from an unknown man who stated "Watch out for the KKK" and then hung up.

the call may have been the result of a meeting he attended on June 16, 1963, between the NAACP and St. Augustine City officials for the purpose of discussing integration problems. He stated that he was required to furnish his rame, address, and place of employment at the meeting. He further advised that the discussion became "heated" at the meeting and therefore felt the phone call may have been instigated somehow as a result.

notify local police authorities concerning the anonymous telephone call.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on June 17, 1963.

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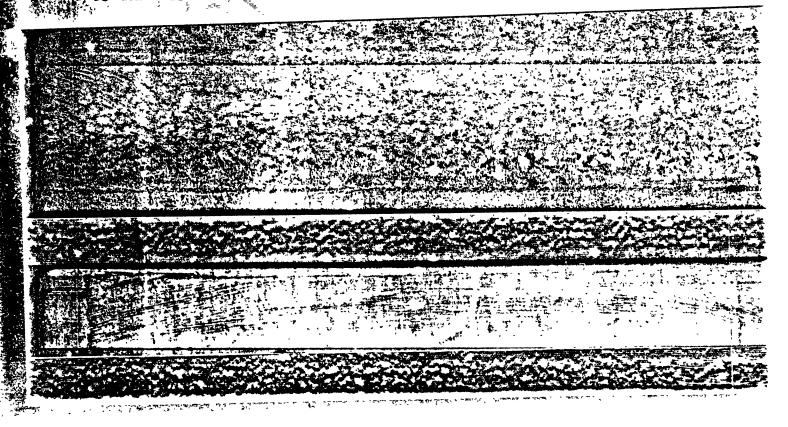
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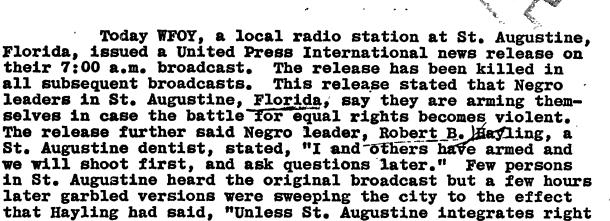


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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jacksonville, Florida June 19, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA



stated he had received numerous telephone calls from white citizens offering their services and their arms to put down any Negro violence.

now, we will come out shooting."

On June 20, 1963, a meeting is scheduled between Negro leaders of the NAACP and the City Commission, St. Augustine, Florida, to discuss the formation of a biracial committee and to give leaders of the motel association, restaurant association and other community businesses an opportunity to present their views on desegregation.

674,67d On June 18, 1963, another leader in the NAACP movement, St. Augustine, Florida, had stated that racial feelings amongst the Negroes were well under control; that there was no Muslim or other violent influence that he could observe; and that the colored community was looking forward with hopeful anticipation to the meeting scheduled for June 20, 1963.

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claimed that he and other members of the NAACP had no knowledge that Hayling was to make such a release, and that he was theroughly in disagreement with the tone and the effect that it would have on the community.

said that as soon as possible he will meet with other local leaders of the NAACP in an effort to repair the damage done by Hayling's release.

On June 19, 1963, Dr. Robert B. Hayling stated that he had spoken yesterday with a reporter of the United Press International and had made the statement set out above. He said he had received numerous telephone calls today from all of the wire services and he had explained to them that the essence of the desegregation movement in St. Augustine is that of nonviolence. He stated that should there be any demonstrations in the future in St. Augustine, that the pickets and persons sitting in would be unarmed and instructed to use no violence.

Dr. Hayling stated he felt that the chief of police was such a segregationist that he would not afford the movement proper protection. Dr. Hayling stated that at a meeting on June 16, 1963, between the NAACP and St. Augustine city officials Chief Stuart on two occasions while reading from a magazine article mispronounced the word Negro as "nigger."

Dr. Hayling also said that after leaving the meeting he had received anonymous telephone calls which stated, "better watch out" and "the KKK will get you." He said he had told the about these telephone calls and had assumed that reported them to the FBI.

Dr. Hayling said that at the June 20, 1963, meeting between the NAACP leaders and city commissioners, Robert Sanders, Florida State Field Secretary of the NAACP, will be present.

contacted him concerning telephone calls received on June 17, 1963.

(INTC), Jacksonville, riorida, was advised of the above information on June 19, 1963.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jacksonville, Florida June 20, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

St. Augustine, Florida, received telephone call from Governor's Office today requesting his Sheriff's Office to investigate a traffic situation on the Bridge of Lions within the City of St. Augustine. According to the Governor's Office, the bridge tender had reported to the St. Augustine City Police that a car filled with Negroes was stopping on the bridge at various times interrupting the flow of traffic. According to the Governor's Office, the bridge tender was told by the St. Augustine Police Department to "shoot them."

have said that he doubted that the St. Augustine City Commissioners would meet with the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) today and if they did not "all hell would break loose." According to the Governor's Office by advised him should Hayling make any statement threatening violence, he should be arrested. In hopes of having a conversation today with Robert Sanders, Florida Field Secretary for the NAACP, who is in St. Augustine, Florida, for today's meeting He will complain to Sanders of Hayling's inciting statements and actions in the hopes of alleviating the racial tension.

Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information.

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Miss Holmes TO DIRECTOR, FBI FROM SACT JACKSONVILLE /105-83/ 2P TRACIAL SITUATION, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA. RACIAL MATTERS. ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA, RECEIVED PHONE CALL FROM GOVERNOR-S OFFICE TODAY REQUESTING HIS SHERIFF-S OFFICE TO INVESTIGATE A TRAFFIC SITUATION ON THE BRIDGE OF LIONS WITHIN THE CITY OF ST. AUGUSTINE. ACCORDING TO THE GOVERNOR-S OFFICE, THE BRIDGE TENDER HAD REPORTED TO THE ST. AUGUST NE CITY POLICE THAT A CAR FILLED WITH NEGROES WAS STOPPING ON THE BRIDGE AT WVARIOUS TIMES INTERRUPTING THE FLOW OF TRAFFIC. ACCORDING TO THE GOVERNOR-S OFFICE, THE BRIDGE TENDER WAS TOLD BY THE ST. AUGUSTINE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO QUOTE SHOOT THEM END QUOTE. STATED DR. ROBERT B. HAYLING IS ALLEGED TO HAVE SAID THAT HE DOUBTED THAT THE ST. AUGUSTING CITY COMMISSIONERS WOULD NATIONAL AUGUSTING CITY COMMISSIONERS WOULD MEET WITH THE NAACP TODAY AND IF THEY DID NOT QUOTE ALL WOULD BREAK LOOSE. END QUOTE. DMR. BELLIONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

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Jacksonville, Florida

June 20, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

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St. Augustine, Florida, advised he had attended the meeting of the St. Augustine City Commission and representatives of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) held at 1:30 PM on June 20, 1963. Approximately 25 white and 50 colored persons attended. Of the five City Commissioners only Harry Gutterman and H. L. McDaniel were present. Florida State Field Secretary for the NAACP Robert Sanders, Dr. Robert B. Hayling, and local NAACP Vice President Clyde Jenkins / represented the Negroes. The meeting was opened by acting Mayor Commissioner Harry Gutterman who defined the terms of conduct and then opened the floor for any speeches to be limited to 3 minutes. Jenkins came forward to speak for the NAACP and advised that they had nothing to say but had come to hear what the Commission had to say. Gutterman remarked that things had been on a congenial level at the conclusion of the meeting on June 16, 1963. However, he accused the NAACP of acting in bad faith by issuing press releases stating they were arming themselves and would shoot first and ask questions later. He said that as far as the city was concerned all of its facilities were integrated and all racial signs had been removed. He then adjourned the meeting until June 28, 1963.

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SERVICES AND THEIR ARMS TO PUT DOWN ANY NEGRO VIOLENCE.

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FORMATION OF A BIRACIAL COMMITTEE AND TO GIVE LEADERS OF THE
MOTEL ASSOCIATION, RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION AND OTHER COMMUNITY

BUSINESSES AN OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT THEIR VIEWS ON DESEGREGATION.

ON JUNE EIGHTEEN, LAST,

NAACP MOVEMENT, HAD STATED THAT RACIAL FEELINGS AMONGST THE

NEGROES WERE WELL UNDER CONTROL, THAT THERE WAS NO MUSLIM OR

OTHER VIOLENT INFLUENCE THAT HE COULD OBSERVE AND THAT THE COLORED

COMMUNITY WAS LOOKING FORWARD WITH HOPEFUL ANTICIPATION TO THE

MEETING SCHEDULED FOR TOMORROW.

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TODAY AND ADVISED OF HAYLING-S PRESS RELEASE. HE CLAIMED THAT

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IT IS NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME WHY SANDERS OR HAYLING SHOULD HAVE TAKEN THE COURSE OF ACTION OUTLINED ABOVE.

INTC, JACKSONVILLE, ADVISED. LETTERHEAD

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Jacksonville, Florida June 21, 1963

File No.

Racial Situation, St. Augustine, Florida



On June 20, 1963, . Augustine, Piorida, advised he had received what he considered to be a threatening telephone call at about 8:30 p.m. The male caller said was in the "Commie Party" and that "He better be careful because he was on the head of the list." 476

<u>On June 21, 1963</u> St. Augustine, Police Department. were advised of this call.

On June 20, 1963, Dr. Robert B. Hayling advised that the results of the meeting with the city commission on that date were unsatisfactory and that demonstrations would not be put off until the meeting set for June 28, 1963. He said that some members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) had criticized him for his statements to the press. He claided that he had not wanted to create the impression of violence but only to state that he would protect himself against violence.

Hayling said that prior to the meeting of June 20, 1963, Charles Berrier, St. Augustine City Manager, is reported to have said that no quorum of the city commission was present and the only purpose of the meeting was to "Let the Negroes blow off some steam."

St. Augustine, FLI and frequently mentioned by Negroes as a leader of the segregationists in St. Augustine, advised that Berrier had foolishly made the statements ascribed to him above in front of reporters from Jacksonville, Florida, prior to the meeting. said that he and other stanch said that he and other stanch segregationists were advocating nonviolence and did not anticipate any violent reaction to a Negro demonstration.

Racial Situation
St. Augustine, Florida

Robert Saunders, Florida Field Secretary for the NAACP, called the Jacksonville Office of the FBI on June 20, 1963, to report rumors of possible cross burnings. The Sheriff's Office and the Police Department at St. Augustine were alerted.

On June 21, 1963,
advised that there had been one incident
during the night, one white person reported being cursed and
slugged. This person,
St. Augustine, advised he was making a business call in the
colored section of town at about 10:00 p.m. last night
when he was blocked off by a car driven by two Negroes.
He was cursed, knocked to the ground by one of the Negroes
and received a slight cut from a knife or beer opener.
He succeeded in escaping without further damage and reported
the matter to the police department.

During the day, Negroes have been canvassing lunch counters and stores in the city to determine if they employ Negroes and will serve Negroes.

Negroes were turned away from a munlcipal putting course leased to Bert Stone, St. Augustine, Florida, despite the city commissioner's statement that all city facilities were desegregated.

be would notify the FBI as soon as a definite date and time had been set for the demonstration which would consist of picketing of all those facilities, both municipal and privately owned which discriminated against Negroes.

Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on June 21, 1963.

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TO DIRECTOR. FBI

FROM SAC, JACSKONVILLE/105-83/ 2P

RACIAL SITUATION, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA. RM.

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People
FROM ONE P.M. TO FIVE P.M., THIS DATE, NAACP SPONSORED

PICKETINGS OF THE ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA, CIVIC CENTER AND WOOLWORTH STORE. PICKETING AT WOOLWORTH-S WAS DONE BY FIVE TEENAGE NEGROES, FOUR MALES AND ONE FEMALE, CARRYING SIGNS WHICH READ QUOTE IF WE SPEND MONEY HERE WHY CAN-T WE EAT HERE?

OUTESTION MARK-UNQUOTE: THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS AND LITTLE ATTENTION WAS PAID THEM. NEGROES AS WELL AS WHITES TRADED AT THE STORE WHILE PICKETING WAS IN PROCESS. THREE BOYS AND ONE GIRL, NEGROES, PICKETED ST. AUGUSTINE CIVIC CENTER AT THE SAME TIME. H.B. CHITTY, CHAMER OF COMMERCE HEAD, INVITED PICKETS IN FOR FREE ORANGE JUICE WHICH WAS ACCEPTED. PICKETING WAS THEN DISCONTINUED AND LATER RENEWED UNTIL UNTIL TIVE P.M, THIS DATE. THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS.

HENRY TWINE, LEADER IN THE LOCAL NAACP, ADVISED THAT

PICKETING WAS SPONSORED BY THAT ORGANIZATION.

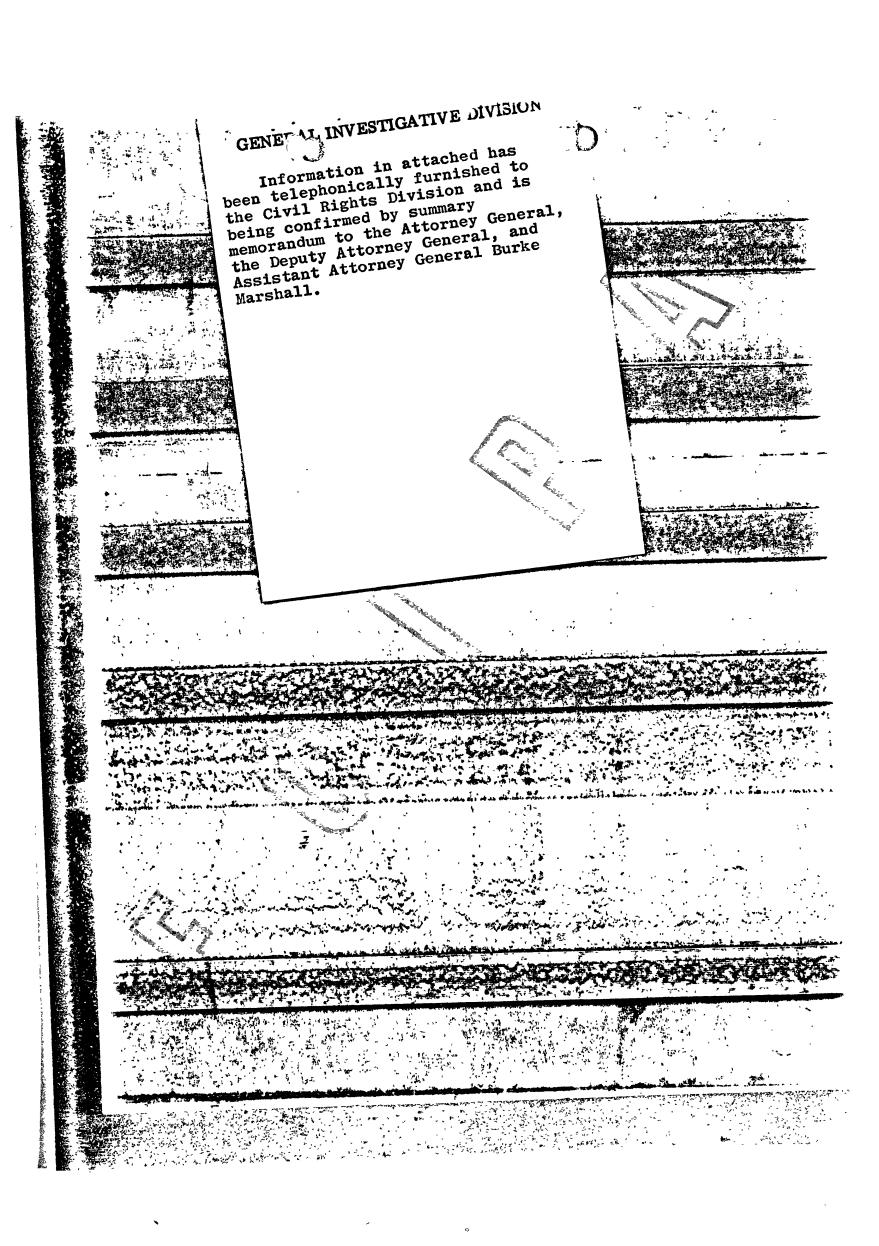
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TO DIRECTOR /157-6-63/

FROM SAC, JACKSONVILLE /105-83/ 1P

RACIAL SITUATION, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA, RACIAL MATTERS

TODAY STARTED AT EIGHT THIRTY A.M. TEENAGE NEGROES PICKETED THE FOLLOWING ESTABLISHMENTS IN ST. AUGUSTINE THE CIVIC CENTER, MC CRORY-S AND WOOLWORTHS.

EFFORTS TO OBTAIN SERVICE AT MC CRORY-S RESULTED IN CLOSING OF LUNCH COUNTER. WOOLWORTHS LUNCH COUNTER WAS CLOSED WHEN STORE OPENED AND HAS REMAINED CLOSED ALL DAY. OTHER DRUG STORES OPERATING LUNCH COUNTERS WERE TESTED WHEN RETUSER AND NEGROES LEFT WHEFSJEFUSED SERVICE. PICKETS WERE REASONABLE IN NUMBER AND THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS. PICKETS CONCLUDED AT THREE THIRTY P..

ON JUNE TWENTYEIGHT, NEST, AT EIGHT O-CLOCK P.M., ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., CITY COMMISSION WILL HEAR PETITION FROM REC- 51 15 7-6-63-4 LOCAL NAACP.

INTC ADVISED TODAY. LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM LOLLOWS.

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The commissioners were requested by the WAACP to appoint a biracial committee and take a definite stand on the racial elimation. The commissioners believe a biracial countries is unappearant and that everything under the control of the City Commission has been decorregated. According to the commissioners, the problem as to further decorregation is now between the Pegrees and private business. An ordinance was passed limiting the size of signs used by pickets and prohibiting leitering or barring the entrance to any business establishment being picketed.

a local NACP spokemen, requested layer theller to reconsider the expointment of a biracial consists at which the Reyer Cheller reltorated the Commission's decision and Dr. Rayling remarked that expothing has to be done; however, he made no threat of demonstrations.

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- 1 The Deputy Attorney General
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SPORATIC PICKETING CONTINUED IN ST. BUGUSTINE, FLA., TODAY OF MC CRORYS AND WOOLWORTHS. BOTH LUNCH COUNTERS HAVE BEEN CLOSED AND THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS. HENRY TWINE, ONE OF THE LOCAL NAACP SPOKESMEN, STATED HIS ORGANIZATION WILL APPEAR BEFORE ST. AUGUSTINE CITY COMMISSION TONIGHT AND PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT BIRACIAL COMMITTEE, A CLARIFICATION OF THE USE BY NEGROES OF CITY FACILITIES AND A REQUEST THAT MINISTERS OF BOTH RACES BE ASKED TO ASSIST IN THE RACIAL MATTER. TWINE STATED HE KNEW OF NO DEMONSTRATIONS OTHER THAN POSSIBLE PICKETING SCHEDULED FOR JUNE TWENTYNINE NEXT.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, JACKSONVILLE 105-83

CRACIAL SITAUATION, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA, RM.

MEETING OF ST. AUGUSTINE CITY COMMISSIONERS, HEARING
PETITIONS OF LOCAL NAACP TOOK PLACE, SIX, TWENTY EIGHT, LAST,
IN HARMONOUS QUITE ATMOSPHERE. NAACP REQUESTED TO BE ADVISED
WHY THEY HAD BEEN BARRED FROM PUBLIC LIBRARY AND CITY OWNED
GOLF PUTTING COURSE.

COMMISSIONERS RESPONDED THAT SUCH ACTION WAS A MISUNDERSTANDING ON PART OF OPERATORS AND THAT ALL CITY FACILITIES HAD
BEEN ORDERED DESEGREGATED. COMMISSIONERS STATED OPERATORS OF
LIBRARY AND PUTTING COURSE HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED TO ADMIT
ANYONE REGARDLESS OF RACE. THEY REITERATED THAT CITY CIVIL
SERVICE JOBS WERE OPEN TO ALL UPON APPLICATION AND THAT RACE
WOULD NOT BE A FACTOR IN ANY APPOINTMENTSREC- 36

NAACP REQUESTED CITY TO APPOINT A BIRACIAL COMMITTIE

AND TAKE A DEFINITE STAND ON RACIAL SITUATION.

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NOT NECESSARY AND THAT EVERYTHING UNDER CONTROL OF COMMISSION HAD

BEEN DESEGREGATED. COMMISSIONERS ADVISED PROBLEM NOW BETWEEN

NEGROES AND PRIVATE BUSINESS, AS TO FURTHER DESEGREGATION.

AN ORDINANCE WAS PASSED LIMITING SIZE OF SIGNS USED BY PICKETS AND PROHIBITING LOTTERING OR BARRING ENTRANCE TO BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS BEING PICKETED.

AFTER MEETING, DR. ROBERT HAYLING, LOCAL NAACP SPOKESMAN, REQUESTED ST. AUGUSTINE MAYOR, DR. JOSEPH SHELLEY, TO RECONSIDER APPOINTMENT OF BIRACIAL COMMITTIE. SHELLEY REITERATED COMMISSIONS DECISION AND HAYLING REMARKED, QUOTE SOMETHINGE HAD TO BE DONE END QUOTE, BUT MADE NO THREAT OF DEMONSTRATIONS.

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RACIAL SITUATION, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, RM.

AT TWELVE TWENTY AM, SEVEN TWO DASH INSTANT, SHERIFFS OFFICE ST. JOHNS COUNTY, ADVISED RESIDENCE OF DR. ROBERT HAYLING HAD BEEN FIRED UPON BY UNKNOWN SUBJECTS. HAYLING A LOCAL NAACP SPOKESMAN STATED BIRDSHOT HAD BEEN FIRED ON PERSONS STANDING IN HIS CAR PORT ABOUT MIDNIGHT. TWO PERSONS WERE WOUNDED SLIGHTLY.

INDIVIDUALS AT HAYLINGS HOME STATED SHOTGUN WAS FIRED FROM NINETEFN FIFTYTHREE GREEN -PONTIAC, FLORIDA TAG TWENTY W THREE EIGHT ZERO TWO.

SO AND PD ST. AUGUSTINE FLORIDA HAVE SET UP ROAD BLOCKS AND INVESTIGATION UNDER WAY TO APPREHEND PERPETRATORS.

JK FOLLOWING CLOSELY. LAB, IDENT FACILITIES AND OUT OF STATE LEAD ASSISTANCE OFFERED BUT NONE REQUESTED AS YET. WILL TELETYPE OR DETAILS OF SHOOTING AND DEVELOPMENTS AS SOON AS ASCERTAINED. TELEPHONE, FURTHER

INTO BEING ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS.

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HE STATES THAT ABOUT ELEVEN THIRTY P.M., SEVEN DASH ONE DASH

LAST, WHILE ALL WERE DRIVING, PONTIAC, THEY CAME ACROSS A VOLKSWAGON

WITH THREE NEGRO OCCUPANTS WHO GAVE THEM DIRTY LOOKS. THEY

FOLLOWED VOLKSWAGON, WHICH DROVE TO DR. ROBERT HAYLING HOUSE.

LANE CLAIMS THAT THEY WERE THEN FIRED UPON BY TALL THIN NEGRO

YOUTH.. THEY WENT TO KEENYS AUTO AND GOT SAWED OFF SHOTGUN AND

SAWED OFF TWENTY TWO RIFLE AND RETURNED TO SCENE AND FIRED ONE SHOT FROM

SHOT GUN INTO GROUP OF NEGROES STANDING IN DR. HAYLING DRIVEWAY.

THEY THEN DROVE OFF AND WERE APPREHENDED BY P.D..

INVESTIGATION BY P.D. VERIFIES THREE NEGRO YOUTHS WERE DRIVING IN DR. HAYLINGS VOLKSWAGON, APPROXIMATELY EIGHT P.M., SEVEN DASH ONE DASH LAST, AND THAT THEY NEGROES WERE OBSERVED EXCHANGING CURSES AND THREATS WITH WHO WAS DRIVING HIS NINETEEN FIETY FOUR WHITE BUICK AT THAT TIME. POLICEMAN BROKE UP ARGUMENT AND SENT ALL PARTIES ON SEPERATE WAYS. THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF DRINKING. DR. HAYLINE WAS NOT IN CAR AT ANY TIME DURING NIGHT.

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NEGROES ALL RESIDING IN ST. AUGUSTINE, WHO SUSTAINED INJURIES AGE TWENTY, BIRDSHOT IN LEFT SHOULDER. . AGE TWENTY ONE. ONE BIRDSHOT IN CHIN. AGE SEVENTEEN. ONE BIRDSHOT IN FOREHEAD AND LEFT ARM. TWENTY FIVE IRDSHOT IN FOREHEAD AND SHOT COMPLETLY THRU LEFT HEEL. CONDITION OF ABOVE INDIVIDUALS DESCRIBED TO P.D. BY DOCTORS

AS QUOTE GOOD AND NOT SERIOUSLY INJURED END OF QUOTE.

P.D. EXAMINATION OF PONTIAC REVEALS DENT, WHICH WHITE SUBJECTS CLAIM WAS FROM SHOT FIRED BY NEGROES BUT NO HOLE OR BULLET FOUND. P. DW. CONSIDERS INCIDENT RESULT OF QUOTE REMARKS BETWEEN HOT HEADED YOUTHS END OF QUOTE AND NOT CONNECTED TO ANY DEMONSTRATIONS OR INTER-GRATION ACTIVITY AS SUCH.

NEGRO MALE, RESIDING b7C,67d ST. AUGUSTINE ADVISED P.D. HAVING HEATED WORDS WITH AT EIGHT P.M. ON SEVEN DASH ONE DASH LAST AND BEING SEPERATED BY POLICEMAN. VERIFIES, STORY OF SHOOTING, AND ADVISED AS FOLLOWS.. WHEN PONTIAC FOLLOWED END PAGE THREE

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HIM TO DR. HAYLINE HOUSE AT ELEVEN THIRTY P.M., ANOTHER CAR

DRIVEN BY NEGROES PULLED UP. HE RECOGNIZED A NEGRO NAMED

AND ANOTHER NAMED

WHO GOT OUT OF CAR WITH

RIFLE AND BELEIVES JACKSON FIRED A FEW SHOTS EITHER IN AIR OR AT

PONTIAC BEARING WHITE BOYS.

WHITE YOUTHS DROVE OFF

AND DID NOT RETURN FOR FORRTY FIVE MINUTES. HE STATES BE NOTIFIED

DR. HAYLINE OF SHOOTING BUT NEITHER NOTIFIED P.D. AT THAT TIME.

CLAIMS HE WAS IN HOUSE WHEN WHITE YOUTHS RETURNED AND

BELIEVES THERE WAS AN EXCHANGE OF SHOTS BETWEEN NEGROES IN DRIVEWAY

AND WHITE BOYS IN PONTIAC AS THEY DROVE BY.

NEGROES

WERE WOUNDED ON THIS EXCHANGE AND P.D. WAS THEN NOTIFIED.

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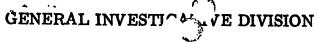
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ABOVE AS VICTIM OF GUN SHOT WOUND.

DR. HAYLING, UPON INTERVIEW BY P.D. THIS AM MAKES CONFLICTING
STATEMENTS. CLAIMS HE DID NOT KNOW NEGROES HAD GUMS OR FIRED SHOTS
YET ADMITS THOMAS CALLED HIM AND HE CAME HOME BEFORE RETURN OF
WHITE YOUTHS. ALSO STATED TO P. D. HE DID NOT NOTIFY THEM BECAUSE
HE CAN QUOTE TAKE CARE OF HIMSELF END QUOTE. HAYLING CLAIMS HE CALLED
GOVERNORS OFFICE AND FLORIDA HIWAY PATROL IN TALLAHASSEE RE INCIDENT.
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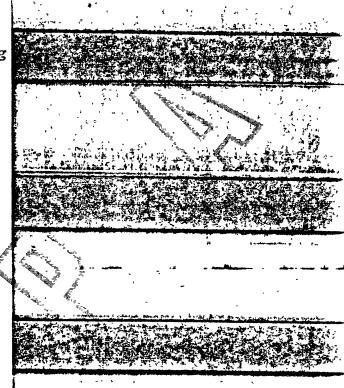
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AWARE.OF ALL FACTS AND ARE ATTEMPTING TO CONTAIN INCIDENT
AND AVOID RACIAL UNREST.

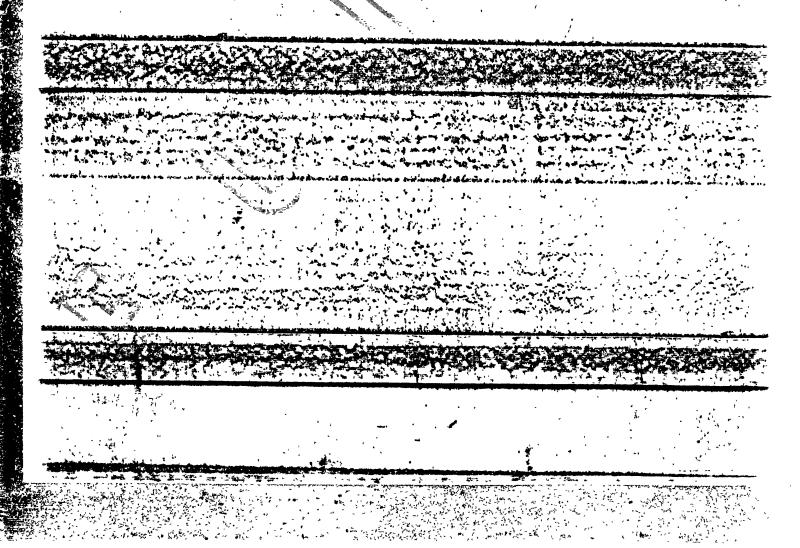
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Information in attached teletype has been telephonically furnished to the Civil Rights Division and is being confirmed by summary memorandum to the Attorney General, the Deputy Attorney General and AAG Burke Marshall.





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FLA., CONTINUED TODAY. THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS.

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RACIAL SITUATION, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., RACIAL MATTERS.

SIT INS AT MC CRORYS, WOOLWORTHS AND SERVICE DRUGS ALL LOCATED ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA. ABOVE ESTABLISHMENTS IMMEDIATELY CLOSED LUNCH COUNTERS AND ALL UNOCCUPIED SEATS WERE TAKEN UP. FIFTEEN NEGROES WERE OBSERVED AT WOOLWORTHS WHILE FOUR OR FIVE YOUTHS SAT IN AT THE OTHER BUSINESSES. AT ABOUT TWO O-CLOCK P.M. THE MANAGER OF MC CRORYS CLOSED THE ENTIRE STORE AND NEGROES LEFT WITHOUT INCIDENT. THE STORE WAS LATER REOPENED. ONE DRUG STORE AT ST. AUGUSTINE REFUSED COUNTER SERVICE TO NEGROES AND ADVISED THEM THAT A REQUEST WOULD BE MADE FOR THEIR ARREST FOR TRESPASSING SHOULD THEY SIT IN. THESE NEGROES LEFT WITHOUT INCIDENT. WOOLWORTHS WAS ALSO PICKETED

BY NEGRO TEENAGERS CARRYING PLACARDS PROTESTING THEIR -63-482

SEGREGATION POLICY. INTE, JACKSONVILLE, ADVISED. LETTERHEAD

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1 - Mr. Evans PACIAL SITUATION STATE OF PERIODS Jar Klondille The following information relates to the racial situation in Florida, the details of which have been furnished to the Civil Rights Division. on July 1, 1963, at the McCrory's and F. W. Colworth's stores. On July 1, 1963, at Panama City, Florida, Negroes appeared at lunch counters at two drugstores and two variety stores in the downtown area. In each instance the lunch counter was closed. No arrests were made. A representative of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NMCP) at Panama City 710. has advised that sit-ins at the same places will probably be attempted again on July 2, 1963. The Daytona Beach Police Department advised that reportedly on July 4, 1963, several bus loads of Negroes from out of town will go on the beach at Daytona Beach. 1/ It was also reported that the Restaurant Association of Daytona Perch has agreed to integrate completely. -17 1 - The Deputy Attorney General 1 - Mr. Furke Harshall Assistant Attorney Goneral WAS:jlt/ers MAJLED 2 avel 63, WL3 1953 MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

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Jacksonville, Florida June 23, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

Sporatic picketing continued in St. Augustine, Florida, June 23, 1963, of Mc Crorys and Woolworths. Both lunch counters have been closed and there were no incidents. Henry Twine, one of the local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) spokesmen stated his organization will appear before St. Augustine City Commission tonight and petition for appointment of biracial committee, a clarification of the use by Negroes of city facilities, and a request that ministers of both races be asked to assist in the racial matter. Twine stated he knew of no demonstrations other than possible picketing scheduled for June 25, 1363.

Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information.

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Jacksonville, Florida June 28, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

On June 27, 1963, at about 8:30 AM, teenage Negroes picketed the following places at St. Augustine, Florida: The Civic Center, McCrory's, and Woolworth's. Efforts to obtain service at McCrory's resulted in the closing of the lunch counter. Woolworth's lunch counter was closed when the store opened in the morning and has remained closed.

Other drug stores operating lunch counters in St. Augustine, Florida, were tested and Negroes left when they were refused service.

The picketing concluded at 3:30 PM. Pickets were reasonable in number and there were no incidents.

On June 28, 1963, at 8:00 PM the St. Augustine, Florida, City Commissioners will hear petitions from local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People representatives.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Frorida, was advised of the above information on June 27, 1963.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jacksonville, Florida June 26, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

Robert Andreu, City Attorney, St. Augustine, Florida, advised that teenage Negroes picketed the St. Augustine Civic Center and F. W. Woolworth Company Store on June 25, 1963, from approximately 1 PM to 5 PM. The pickets marching in front of Woolworth Store were comprised of four males and one female. Signs were carried stating "If we spend money here, why can't we eat here?" There were no incidents and very little attention was paid by passers by. It was noted that Negroes as well as whites traded at the store while the picketing was in process.

Andrew continued that three males and one female were utilized in picketing the St. Augustine Civic Center. He said that H. B. Chitty, Chamber of Commerce head, invited the pickets in for free orange juice and asked them why they were picketing. H. B. Chitty advised that the pickets did not accept the free orange juice and he received no answer. H. B. Chitty advised that he had received no reply to his questions as to why they were picketing the Civic Center as it is an integrated facility. Andrew continued that after this incident, picketing was discontinued for a short time at the Civic Center but was later renewed. There were no incidents.

Menry Twine, leader in the local National Association for the advancement of Colored People (NAACP), advised on June 25, 1363, that the demonstration had been sponsored by his organization. He claimed that he did not know whether the picketing would continue or what future plans would be formulated.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on June 26, 1963.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Jacksonville, Florida June 27, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

Information set out below was obtained from the St. Augustine, Florida, Police Department, Sheriff's Office, and observation by an Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

On June 26, 1963, at approximately 1:00 PM, Negro teenagers conducted sit-ins at McCrory's, Moolworths, and Dervice Drug Store, all located in St. Augustine, Florida. Lunch counters in these establishments were immediately closed and all unoccupied seats were taken up. Fifteen Negroes were observed at Woolworths lunch counter while four or five youths sat-in at the other counters. At about 2:00 PM the manager of McCrory's closed the entire store and the Negroes left without incident. The store as later reopened.

The owner-manager of McCartney's Drug Store, St. Augustine, Florida, refused counter service to Negroes and advised them that a request would be made for their arrest for trespass should they sit-in. The Negroes then left without incident.

Moolworths was also picketed by teenagers protesting their segregation policy Sit-ins, and picketing were concluded at approximately 3:30 PM on June 26, 1963.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on June 26, 1363.

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July 6, 1963

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The following information relates to the racial situation in Florida, the details of which have been furnished to the Civil Rights Division.

Picketing continued in Saint Augustine, Florida, on July 5, 1963, at the McCrory's and F. W. Woolworth's stores. In addition, picketing was instituted at three local drugstores which maintain segregated lunch counters. There were no incidents reported.

On July 5, 1963, Mr. G. M. Eubanks, Vice President of the local chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), advised that picketing of the above businesses would continue on a daily basis until further notice.

Mr. Eubanks further informed that Dr. Robert B. Hayling of Saint Augustine, who has spoken in behalf of the NAACP, holds no office and does not control the local chapter of this organization. 1 1 1 m

On July 5, 1963, a conference was held between City Manager B. Arnold and the Palm Beach City Attorney who decided to admit Negroes to Phipps Park. The public 'beach proper is by ordinance for residents of Palm Beach and their guests only. Policy has been established that 4 if Negroes seek access to this beach, they will be approached by the police, the city ordinance explained and if they decline to leave the beach their names and addresses \$ will be taken.

1 - The Deputy Attorney General NOTE: Mr. Burke Marshall Assistant Attorney General

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Mr. J. Martin, Civil Rights Division, advised of information on 7/5/63 REC- 74 by SA Decker.

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DIRECTOR, FBI /157-6-63/ FROM . SAC, JACKSONVILLE /105-83/

C RACIAL SITUATION, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, RACIAL MATTERS.

PICKETING CONTINUED AT ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., TODAY BY LOCAL TEENAGERS OF NAACP. IN ADDITION TO MC CRORY-S AND WOOLWORTH-S STORES, PICKETING WAS INSTITUTED AT THREE LOCAL DRUG STORES WHICH MAINTAIN SEGREGATED LUNCH COUNTERS. PICKETING WAS ORDERLY, REASONABLE IN NUMBER, AND THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS. G. M. EUBANKS, VICE PRESIDENT OF LOCAL NAACP, ADVISED PICKETING OF ABOVE BUSINESSES WOULD CONTINUE ON A DAILY BASIS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. EUBANKS FURTHER STATED DR. ROBERT B. HAYLING IS ENTITLED TO SPEAK AS HE SEES FIT BUT HOLDS NO OFFICE AND DOES NOT CONTROL THE LOCAL CHAPTER OF 7-6-63 49 $[X-I]_{U_n}$ 4 JUL 9 1963 THE NAACP.

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The Attorney General July 5, 1963 1 - Mr. Belmont 1 - Mr. Rosen 1 - Mr. Malley Director, FBI RACIAL SITUATION Je company of the first state of t 1 - Mr. DeLoach 1 - Mr. Evans In connection with the shooting incident which occurred at the residence of Dr. Robert Hayling, spokesman for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (MAACP), St. Augustine, Florida, on July 2, 1963, as Charged with shooting at or into a Vehicle and pieceu on \$500 bond. Three white juveniles S د مد reportedly will be charged with being accessories to the shooting and will have hearings in juvenile court next wack, no date set. Negro, was charged with shooting Anto a vehicle; and two other Negroes were charged as accessories to the shooting. The Negroes entered pleas of not guilty, and no date has been set for a hearing for them. At Panama City, Florida, a group of Negroes appeared at lunch counters at two drugstores and two variety stores at noon on July 3, 1963. In each instance, the counter was closed. No violence occurred and no arrests were made. Emall Negro groups continued testing lunch counter facilities at four business places in Ocala, Florids, on July 3, 1963. They were denied service at three of the places and were served at a fourth. No incidents occurred at any of the establishments. On July 4, 1963, 75 to 100 Negroes, both male and female, used the public beach at Boynton Beach, Florida, and no incidents resulted REC- 13 157-6-At Palm Beach, Florida, on July 4, 1963, five Negroes, including one female, all of whom citimed in MCP nembership, attempted to use the city beach at Phipps Park. Entry was refused and the beach was closed to the who attempted to enter thereafter. Those leaving the denied re-

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The five Negroes appeared at the City Hall and the City Manager agreed to discuss the matter only with their spokesmon. The group refused stating that the City Manager could speak to all of them or to none.

The Chief of Police at Palm Beach advised that there was some use of the beach on private property by Negroes; however, no complaints were received and no police action was taken.

No racial integration activity was reported at Homestead, Florida, on July 4, 1963. Reportedly, a NAACP leader informed Mayor Richard Conley of Homestead that plans to attempt integration activities had been canceled due to the possibility that too many people would be drinking and any attempt at peaceful integration might get out of hand.

The above information has been telephonically furnished to the Civil Rights Division.

- 1 The Deputy Attorney General
- 1 Mr. Burke Marshall Assistant Attorney General



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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, JACKSONVILLE /157-510/ 1P

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Jacksonville, Florida July 5, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 2, 1963, Doctor Robert Hayling, National Association for the Advancement of Colored Paople (NAACP) Spokesman, St. Augustine, Florida, advised that he had telephoned the United States Department of Justice and other individuals who he did not identify concerning the shooting at his residence. He claimed that at approximately 1 Pl. July 2, 1963, he had received an anonymous telephone call from an unidentified individual who stated in effect that although Hayling was missed last night they would probably be able to get him tonight. Approximately 15 minutes after this call Hayling received another call containing the same warning. Both calls were local and in Hayling's opinion were made by teenagers. On July 2, 1963, Chief Virgil Stewart, St. Augustine, Police Department, was advised of the additional threats received by Hayling.

Hayling complained that the St. Augustine Police
Department and Mayor were not vigorously pursuing the troubles
that occurred at his residence in that they are not and have
not been taking proper precautions to keep the white youths
in check but rather have concentrated solely on the Negro
youths. Hayling further stated that he did not know if he
would be able to contain some of the Negro youths whom he is
advising.

After consulting with Florida States Attorney Dan Warren, Daytona Beach, Florida, Assistant States Attorney Nathan Weinstein, St. Augustine, Florida, on July 2, 1963, directed that be charged with shooting into a vehicle. The affidavit in this matter was signed by Deputy Sheriff and a warrant was issued. was already in the custody of the St. Augustine Police Department.

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were charged as accessories but no warrants were issued since they are being handled as juveniles.

Negro, was also charged with firing into a motor. The affidavit was signed by Sergeant St. Augustine Police Department. on July 2, 1963, and a warrant was issued.

both Negroes, were charged as accessories. Affidavits against them were signed by Sergeant and warrants were issued. All three apprehended by the Sheriff's Office and lodged in the County Jail on the night of July 2, 1963.

On July 3, 1963, the above individuals with the exception of the white juveniles appeared for preliminary hearing before the County Judge at St. Augustine, Florida. The Negroes all entered pleas of not guilty and were released on \$500 bond.

The Judge refuses to accept a plea from since he was not represented by an attorney and his parents were not present. Bond for him was set at \$500 and his hearing was set for July 16, 1963. A hearing for the white juveniles was to be arranged for next week. Hearing for the Negro defendants was to be arranged between their attorney and the States Attorney when convenient.

on July 3, 1963, picketing by Negro teenagers continued at Mc Crorys and Woolworths Stores at St. Augustine. There were no incidents. There were no demonstrations of any type on July 4, 1963, at St. Augustine.

Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on the appropriate dates.

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Jacksonville, Florida July 2, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

At 12:20 AM on July 2, 1963, a call was received from the St. Johns County, Florida, Sheriff's Office, advising that the residence of Doctor Robert Hayling, 8 Scott Street, St. Augustine, Florida, had been fired upon by unknown subjects. Immediately thereafter, Doctor Hayling, a local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) spokesman, called the FBI to advise that birdshot had been fired on persons standing in his carport around midnight. He said that two persons were wounded slightly and that individuals at his home who witnessed the shooting stated that a shotgun had been fired from a 1953 Pontiac, green, with Florida tag 20 3802.

The St. Augustine Police Department advised that at approximately 1:30 AM on July 2, 1963, Deputy apprehended four white youths in a 1950 white Ford and in this automobile located a sawed off 20 gauge shotgun and sawed off .22 rifle. Augustine, riorida, white male, born September 5, 1948, at Bradenton, Florida, and the owner of the 1953 green Pontiac, bearing Florida tag 20 W3802; white male, born May 10, 1946;

31, 1947; and male, born October 8, 1943.

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ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

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about 11:30 PM, July 1, 1963, while the above four individuals were riding in Pontiac, they came across a Volkswagen with three Negro occupants, who "gave them dirty looks." They followed the Volkswagen which drove to the home of Doctor Robert another car drove up Hayling. containing Negroes and that a tall thin Negro youth got out of this car and fired a shot either into the air or at the Pontiac. The four white youths then fled the scene and obtained a sawed off shotgun belonging to and a sawed off .22 rifle belonging to Vaughn and returned to the scene where Keeny fired one shot from the shotgun into a group of Negroes standing in Doctor Hayling's driveway. They drove off and road around until apprehended.

Investigation by the St. Augustine Police Department reflected that three Negro youths were driving in Doctor Hayling's Volkswagen at approximately 8 PM, July 1, 1963, and that these Negroes were observed exchanging curses and threats with who was driving his 1954 white Buick at that Policemen broke up this argument and sent both parties on their separate ways. There was no evidence of any drinking. Doctor Hayling was not in the car at any time during the night.

The Negroes all residing in St. Augustine, who sustained injuries are age 20, who received one pirosnot in his age 21, received one pirosnot in his chin; age 17, West King Street, received one birdshot each in his forehead and left arm; age 25, received birdshot in his forehead and a shot which passed through his left heel. The condition of the above individuals was described to the Police Department by doctors as "good and not seriously injured."

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Police examination of the Pontiac revealed a dent which the subjects claim was made by a shot fired by Negroes, but no hole or bullet was found. Chief Virgil Stewart considers the incident a result of "remarks between hot headed youths;" and not connected to any demonstrations or integration activities as such.

Negro male, residing at 78 Sanford Street, St. Augustine, Florida, advised the Police Department that

He admitted having heated words with Keeny at about 8 PM on July 1. 1963, and having been separated by Police. Verified story of the shooting and rurnished the information set out below:

When the Pontiac followed him to Doctor Hayling's house at about 11:30 PM another car driven by Negroes pulled up. The Pontiac had parked beside Hayling's house with the lights extinguished and the motor running. He observed a rock being thrown from the Pontiac and striking Hayling's house. He called to the Negroes in the other car warning them that a rock had been thrown. He recognized the Negroes in this other car as

got out of the automobile and it is
belief that he fired a few shots from a rifle either B. APPROX.

into the air or into the Pontiac.

white youths drove off and did not return for 45 minutes.

Doctor Hayling at the time of the shooting was at his
office, located at 79 Bridge Street, St. Augustine,
Florida, immediately notified him of the
shooting, however, neither for Hayling notified
any law enforcement agency at that time.
he was in Hayling's house when the white youths returned
and believes there was an exchange of shots between the
Negroes in Hayling's driveway and the white boys in
the Pontiac as they drove by.

Negroes were wounded in this exchange of shots and the
St. Augustine Police Department was then notified.

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Doctor Hayling when interview by the Police Department claimed that he did not know that Negroes involved had guns or fired shots. He admitted that had called him and he returned to his home before the white youths opened fire. He also told the Police Department that he did not notify them because he can "take care of himself." Hayling stated he called the Governor's Office and the Florida Highway Patrol in Tallahassee regarding the incident.

The Mayor and other city officials were present during the questioning and stated they are attempting to contain the incident and avoid racial unrest. On July 2, 1963, Reverand J. H. McKissick First Vice President of the local NAACP at St. Augustine, Florida, said that he was aware of the incident and considered it to be the action of juvenile delinquents rather than a matter of racial importance. He stated that he will make every effort to contain violence on the part of the Negroes.

On July 2, 1963, Doctor Hayling reported at about 2:30 PM he had received 2 series of telephone calls in which the message was delivered to him that "they were sorry they had missed and there will be another night." Chief Virgil Stewart has stated that patrols have been increased in the area of Hayling's residence for the past several nights and will continue.

On July 2, 1963, picketing of McCrory's and Woolworth's by NAACP teenagers continued. There were no incidents.

Chief Virgil Stewart advised that

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as being held on technical charge of vagrancy and that the other white youths had been released. He said that at the present time the states attorney is studying what charges to place against and the other youths including

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jacksonville, Florida June 29, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

Robert Andreu, City Attorney, St. Augustine, Florida, advised that the St. Augustine City Commission met on June 28, 1963, to hear petitions of the local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). The meeting was conducted in a harmonious and quiet atmosphere. The spokesman for the NAACP was a Mr. Shaw, an attorney who gave his address as 411 Eroad Street, Jacksonville, Florida.

NAACP requested to be advised as to why they had been barred from the public library and the city owned golf putting course. The commissioners responded that this was a misunderstanding on the part of the operators and that all city facilities have been designed to the operators of the library and the putting course have been instructed by the commission to admit anyone regardless of race. The commissioners also stated that city jobs are open to all upon application and race would not be a factor.

NAACP requested that the commission appoint a bi-racial committee and take a definite stand on the racial situation. The commissioners advised that they did not feel a bi-racial committee was necessary and that the city had descgregated everything under their control. It was the opinion of the commissioners that the problem was now between the Negroes and private businesses as to further desegregation.

The commissioners also passed an ordinance limiting the size of signs used by picketers and prohibiting loitering or barring entrance to business establishments.

Racial Situation St. Augustine, Florida

After the meeting, Dr. Robert Jayling, a local spokesman for NAACP, requested Mayor Joseph Shelley to reconsider appointment of a bi-racial committee. Shelley reiterated the commissioner's decision and Hayling remarked that "Something had to be done," but made no threats of demonstrations.

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Jacksonville, Florida July 3, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

Members of the Youth Council, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, St. Augustine, Florida, continued picketing at Mc Crorys and Woolworths Stores at St. Augustine. Hours of picketing yesterday were from 11 AM to 4 PM and this has been the usual procedure.

Pickets were orderly and there were no incidents.

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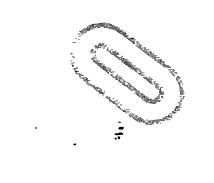
On June 29, 1963, and July 1, 1963, teen-age members of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) continued picketing of McCrory's and Woolworth's Stores at St. Augustine, Florida.

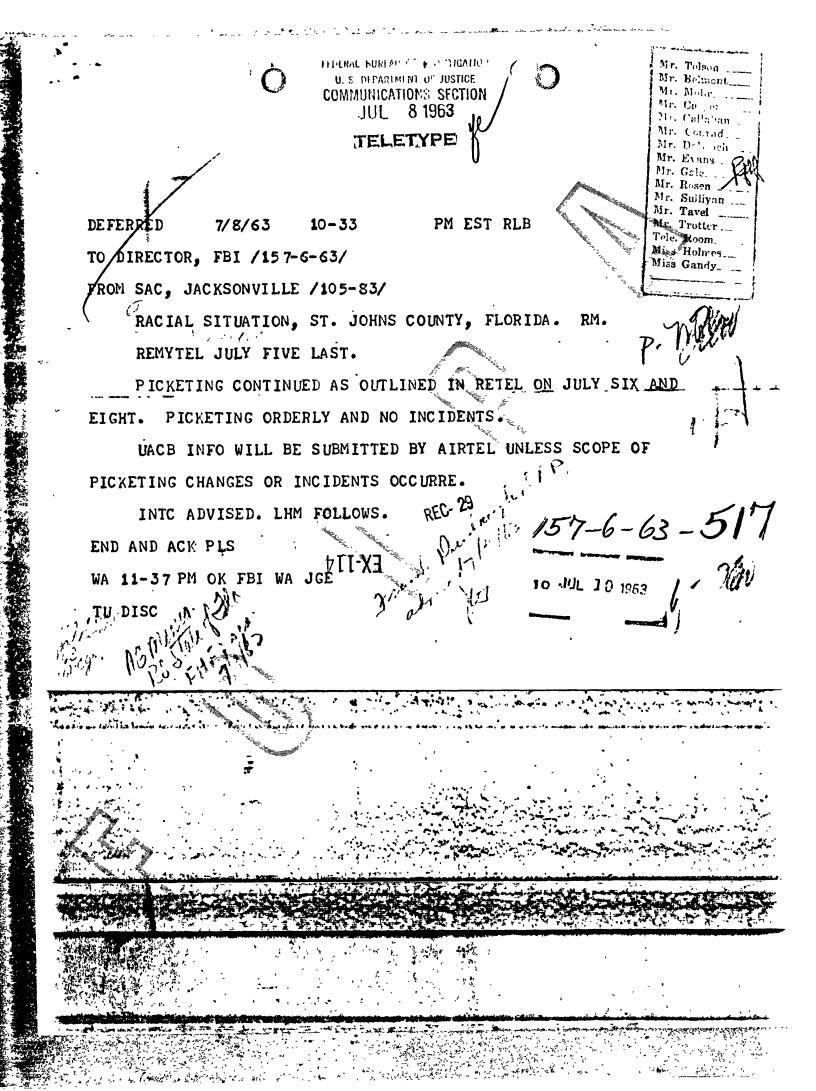
There was no picketing or demonstration of any type on June 30, 1963.

Picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

111 Intelligence Corps Group, (INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above on June 29, 1963, and July 1, 1963.

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The Attorney General July 11, 1963 Director, FBI 1 - Mr. Belmont 1 - Mr. Rosen 1 - Mr. Malley PACIAL SITUATION 1 - Mr. McGowan 1 - Mr. F.J. Mohr STATE OF FLORIDA ... nings - JACK ONVILLE 1 - Mr. J.I'. Mohr 1 - Mr.EvJames P. Austin, local President, NAACP, Lake Wales, lorida, advised that 15 Negro youths of the local NAACP Youth Council will integrate the municipally owned public-beach at Lake Wales, and three nearby tennis courts at 1:00 p.m., July 11, 1963. Local authorities have been Bon kyba R004 Small groups of Negroes picketed the coffee shop in the Coala Notel, Bitting's Drugstore, and Padgett's Drive-In Ocala, Florida, on July 10, 1963. No incidents occurred. A county-wide mass meeting of Negroes sponsored by the NAACP Youth Council of Coals, Florids, was held in the Covenant Baptist Church, Ocala, on the evening of July 10, 1963. The meeting voted to continue the picketing of stores that refuse to serve Nogroes at lunch counters, and it was Supplies and That the purpose of the group in to achieve total Estegration by norwiclent means. Speakers at the meeting were it on Tallshagsee and Altsmonte Springs, Florida, as well as Odala. No iscidents were reported in connection with the meeting. An Wher wass meeting is to be held at the Covenant Baptist Church during the week of July 14, 1963 WLM:sjs;tab

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McCrory's and F. W. Woolworth's stores in Saint Augustine, Florida, were picketed by Negro members of the local NAACP Youth Council on July 10, 1963. The Saint Augustine Civic Center was also picketed but there were no demonstrations at local drugstores. No incidents or arrests were reported.

The above information has been telephonically furnished to the Civil Rights Division.

- 1 The Deputy Attorney General
- 1 Mr. Burko Marshall
 Assistant Attorney General



URGENT 7-10-63 DIRECTOR, FBI /157-6-63/ SAC, JACKSONVILLE /105-83/ FROM RACIAL SITUATION, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, RACIAL MATTERS . PICKETING TOOK PLACE, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., JULY TEN, SIXTYTHREE, AT WOOLWORTH-S AND MC CRORY-S STORES AND ST. AUGUSTINE CIVIC CENTER BY NEGRO MEMBERS OF YOUTH COUNCIL, LOCAL NAACP. LOCAL DRUG STORES WERE NOT PICKETED TODAY. PICKETING WAS ORDERLY AND THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS. INTC ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS. END AND ACK PLS 10 HUL 11 1963 5-20 PM OK FBI WA MSL

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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOINS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 5, 1963, G. M. Eubanks, a vice president of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People at St. Augustine, Florida, advised that picketing at McCrory's and Woolworth's Stores plus 3 drug stores would continue by members of the Youth Council until further notice. He stated all picketing will conform to local laws and that no incidents are anticipated.

On July 5, 1963, picketing was observed as outlined above and continued on July 6, 1963. There was no picketing on Sunday, July 7, 1963.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on July 5, 1963, and July 8, 1963.

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34r. 11-7/11/63 10-40 PM EST TO DIRECTOR, FBI /157-6-63/ FROM SAC, JACKSONVILLE /105-83/ RACIAL SITUATION, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, RM. ON JULY ELEVEN, SIXTYTHREE, PICKETING BY NEGRO MEMBERS NAACP YOUTH COUNCIL TOOK PLACE AT MC CRORY-S AND WOOLWORTH-S STORES ONLY, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA. PICKETING WAS ORDERLY AND THERE WEI NO INCIDENTS. INTC ADVISED.. LHM FOLLOWS. END AND ACK PLS U PLS ACK AND HOLD WA 11-44 PM OK FBI WA LET HOLDING REC. 139 157-6-6.
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The Attorney General July 15, 1963 1 - Mr. Belmont 1 - Mr. Rosen Director, FBI 1 - Mr. Malley 1 - Mr. McGowan 1 - Mr. V.J.Mohr RACIAL SITUATION 1 - Mr. J.P. Mohr. STATE OF FLORIDA 1 - Mr. DeLoach - JACKSONVILLE 1 - Mr. Evans In Orlando, Florida, picketing continued at Publix Super Market store number 12, on July 13, 1963. There were no incidents. Twenty local Regroes appeared at the municipally owned beach, Lake Walse, Florida, on July 19, 1983.
a 23-year-old white man, and an 18-year-old Negro, argued about integration at the beach and then engaged in a fist fight. Both were arrested for fighting and disturbing the peace. The beach was then closed by the police and will reopen on July 15, 1963. .The United Florida Ku Klux Klan held a meeting at Lake Butler on the night of July 13, 1963, which was attended by approximately 400 people including 75 robed Elemen. A spenker announced that a large Klan meeting will be hold ? Saturday, July 20, 1963, at Bull Street, Forest Lark, 7. Savannah, Georgia. All Klansmen were urged to attend and participate in a march through Savannah. What was described as a minor fist fight took place between several spectators at the meeting. This was brought under control by the o pelice and other spectators. Megro members of the local National Association for the Advancement of Colored Poople (NAACE) Youth Council picketed McCrory's and F. V. Woolworth's Stores in St. Augustine, Florida, on July 13, 1983. No incidents were reported. 🚊 A parado sponeored by the NAACO was held in Kanama Ciry Florida, on July 13, 1963. Eighty-eight Negroos, many of whom many toon-agers and children, participated. Folich provided and escort for the parade and there were no lacidente reported. WLM:nkr XEROX 1 MAIL 1074 1963 16 1963

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Ficketing continued without incident at several eating places in Ocala, Florida, on July 13, 1963.

The Florida Theater, Tallahassee, Florida, was picketed by ten Negroes and four white persons on July 14, 1963. No incidents were reported and there were no arrests.

Three Negroes and three white persons again picketed the Florida Theater on July 14, 1963, without incident.

The Student Group for Equal Rights picketed the College Inn and the local NAACP Youth Council picketed the Rumpty Dumpty Restaurant in Gainesville, Florida, on July 13 and 14, 1963. No incidents were reported.

It has previously been reported that two brothers named who were said to be members of the American Nazi Farty and who were alloged to be experienced in the handling of explosives, were in the Tampa, Florida, area. The handling of explosives, were identical with

have been described as gationists. They were formerly associated with the National White American Party and has signed letters indicating membership in the marrican Nazi Party but later said that this had been done in jest. Confidential sources and local law enforcement agencies have been unable to develop evidence that either of the is experienced in the handling of explosives. Recording to rumor, carried one or more weapons in a satchel and local police intend to examine the satchel when is next seen carrying it. The activities of the prothers are being closely followed.

This information has been furnished to the Civil Rights Division.

1 - The Doputy Attorney General

1 Mr. Burke Karshall Assistant Attorney General

1 - Mr. Belmont - Mr. Rosen Director, FRI - Mr. Malley 1 - Mr. McGowan HACIAL STUNTION 1 - Mr. P. J. Mohr 1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr STATE OF FLORIDA Jocksonville Mr. DeLoach At Ocala, Florida, small groups of Negroes continued to picket various stores during the early afternoon on July 11, 1963. No incidents were reported. Freddie B. Johnson, President, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (MAACP), Orlando, CJ. Florida, advised on July 11, 1963, that picketing which took place at lublix Super Market store number twelve. Orlando, Florida, on July 11, 1963, would continue on July 12 and July 19, 1963. No incidents were reported on July 11, 1983. Fifteen Negro youths swam at Lake Wales Beach, 77 Florida, on July 11, 1963. About 12 white males ranging to age from 17 to 24 gathered on the pier while the Negroes word swimming. They were dispersed by Police 14 after they happened the passage of a logro youth who was walkingoon the pier. No other inclinates occurred 7 -/2 ndvised in confidence that the UL 16 1963 hegross callo attempted to obtain service at Borrison's Cafeterin in Winter Maven on July 10, 1963, were not sponsored by the NAACP. WLM:jhm Gale Sullivan JUL 16 1963 1957 Trotter

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since the three Negroes were arrested on July 10, 1963, the NAACP has taken charge of future demonstrations and he advised that Negro demonstrators would appear at Horrison's Cafeteria at about 6:00 p.m., July 11, 1963.

if the demonstrators were arrested, there would be a mass meeting at winter llaven 570 City Hall on July 12, 1963.

Chief of Police Munsey Smith, Winter Haven, Florida, advised that three Negroes were arrested July 10, 1963, for treepassing when they refused to leave Morrison's Cafeteria after boing denied service. The warrant was obtained by James I. Mizell, Manager of the cafeteria. Nine Negroes were arrested for trespassing at Morrison's Cafeteria at 6:30 p.m., July 11, 1963. Three of the group were juveniles and were taken to the Polk County Juvenile Home. Six of the group were adults and were placed in juil in lieu of \$50 bond each. Mr. Mizell also migned the warrant for the arrests on July 11, 1963.

In Saint Augustine, Florida, Negro members of the local NAACP Youth Council picketed at McCrory's and F. W. Woolworth's stores on July 11, 1963. No incidents were reported.

Eighteen Negro youths staged a sit-in demonstration at F. W. Woolworth's store in Panama City. Florida, on July 11, 1963.

East down beside a motel owner of Panama City Doach.

Struck the boy in the face with his open hand and was immediately arrested by the Panama City Police Department.

Fanama City Police Department.

Of guilty to a charge of assault and nattery and paid a Si5 fine.

Chief of Police Thomas McAuley, Panama City, said that the NAACP in Fanama City has lost control of the situation. He related that three Negroes came to his office on July 11, 1963, and demanded a permit to parade and demonstrate along almost the entire length of the

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main thoroughfaro at 4:00 p.m., July 13, 1963. Chief EcAuley told the Negroes he would be happy to give them a permit to parade and demonstrate any place other than the main thoroughfare and would provide police to escert them to City Hall. The Negroes said that that was not what they wanted and that they wanted to parade and demonstrate in the main business district. Chief McAuley pointed out that this would result in violence and they replied that they were aware of that and would welcome violence.

Chief McAuley enid he cannot allow a parade or demonstration on the main thoroughfare when traffic is heavy because it would almost certainly result in violence or traffic fatalities. He stated that he will therefore not issue a permit and will arrest the demonstrators if they persist in such a demonstration without a permit.

A representative of the local NAACP Youth Council,
Gainesville, Florida, advised that picketing would be
undertaken at the Humpty Dumpty Restaurant and the College
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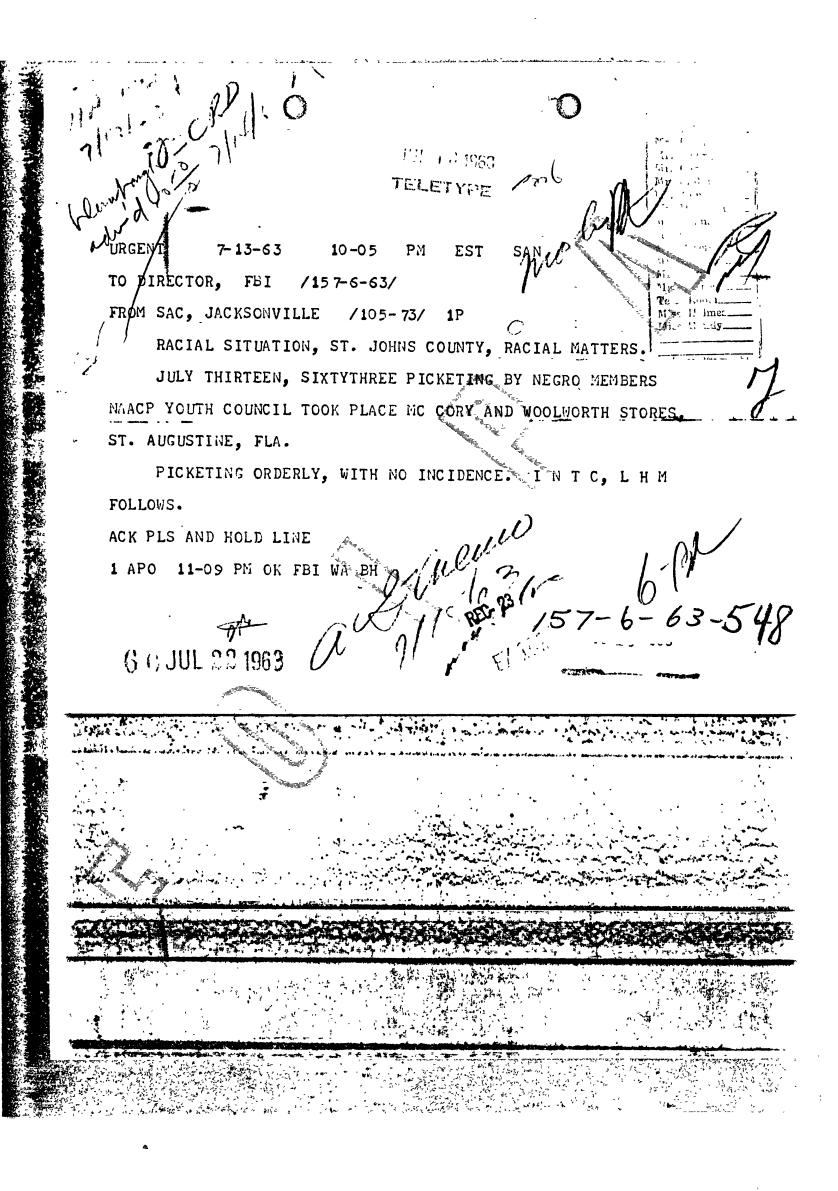
a white student at the University of
Florida who was participating in the picketing of the
Humpty Dumpty Restaurant, was struck in the face and
Wenceked to the ground twice by
male aged 60.

University of Florida, stood in front of the Humpty Dumpty
Restaurant making indecent gestures at the patrons inside.

with disorderly conduct. Trial has been set for July 30, 1963.

The above information has been telephonically furnished to the Civil Rights Division.

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JCL URGENT 7-12-63 DIRECTOR, FBI /157-6-63/ TO RACIAL SITUATION, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, RACIAL MATTERS. FROM ON JULY TWELVE, SIXTYTHREE, PICKETING BY NEGRO MEMBERS, NAACP YOUTH COUNCIL, TOOK PLACE AT MC CRORY-S AND WOOLWORTH-S STORES, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., PICKETING ORDERLY, WITH NO INCIDENTS. INTC ADVISED. LHM FOLLOWS. REC 36 157-6-63-549 END AND ACK PLS AND HOLD PLS WA 12 JUL 16 1963 6-29 PM OK FBI W A BH

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Three Negrees attempted to enter a public payilion at a municipal teach, Clearwater Deach, Florida, to change clothes for swimming. They were refused admittance by three white new who were not employees of the payilion. The beach in question has been integrated and Regrees have been using it for several menths without inclient.

As the Negroes left the pavilien they were followed by a jeering crowd of 30 to 50 people. Additional police arrived and prevented any trouble. Cleveland Insee, a City Chamissioner who was at the beach with his family, suggested to the Negroes that they leave because of the circumstances. The Negroes' car was followed by a white man who allegedly directed coscene remarks and threats of violence at the Negroes. Was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct and will appear in local court on July 22, 1953.

Picketing by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in Cala, Florida, has been discontinued funding a meeting of the Cala Diracial Committee on July 19, 1963.

on July 13, 1804, when a fight occurred between a Regre and a white mank was responded on July 15, 1963. No incidents were reported. Ze

Cn Zuly 15, 1963, Negroes continued to picket solected stores, theaters and restaurants at Crimado, in Pracenton, Winter Haven, St. Augustine and Gainesvilla, Florida. No incidents or arrests were reported.

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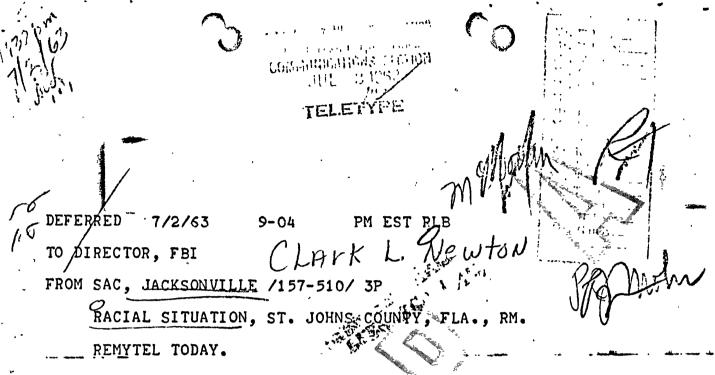
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DR. ROBERT HAYLING, LOCAL NAACP SPOKESMAN, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED JACKSONVILLE FBI OFFICE AT APPROXIMATELY THREE P.M.

THIS DATE ADVISING THAT HE HAD TELEPHONED JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER INDIVIDUALS WHOM HE DID NOT IDENTIFY, CONCERNING THE SHOOTING LAST NIGHT. HAYLING CLAIMED THAT AT APPROXIMATELY.

ONE P.M. THIS DATE, HE RECEIVED AN ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL FROM AN INDIVIDUAL WHO STATED IN EFFECT THAT ALTHOUGH HAYLING WAS MISSED LAST NIGHT, THEY WOULD PROBABLY BE ABLE TO GET HIM THIS EVENING. APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN MINUTES AFTER THIS CALL HAYLING RECEIVED ANOTHER CALL CONTAINING THE SAME WARNING.

BOTH CALLS WERE LOCAL AND APPEARED TO BE MADE BY TEENAGERS.

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HAYLING COMPLAINED THAT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND MAYOR,
ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., WERE NOT VIGOROUSLY PURSUING THE TROUBLES
THAT OCCURRED LAST EVENING IN THAT THEY ARE NOT AND HAVE NOT
BEEN TAKING PROPER PRECAUTIONS TO KEEP THE WHITE YOUTHS IN
CHECK BUT RATHER HAVE CONCENTRATED SOLELY ON THE NEGRO YOUTHS.

HAYLING CLAIMS HE DOES NOT KNOW IF HE WILL BE ABLE TO CONTAIN SOME OF THE NEGRO YOUTHS WHO WANT TO RETALIATE FOR LAST NIGHTAS SHOOTING.

HAYLING ALLEGD THAT THE AGENT WHO TALKED TO HIM LAST

EVENING ABOUT THIS INCIDENT HAD ALCOHOL ON HIS BREATH. SA

WHO CONVERSED WITH HAYLING DURING EARLY

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STORES, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., BEGINNING ELEVEN A.M., THIS DATE.
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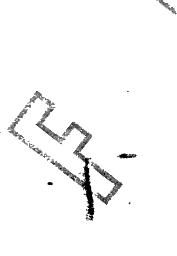
RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 10, 1963, picketing took place at St. Augustine, Florida, by Negro members of Youth Council of local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). The St. Augustine Civic Center, McCrory's, and Woolworth stores were picketed. There were no pickets at three local drugstores having lunch counters, which were formerly picketed.

The picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

Group (INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on July 10, 1963.

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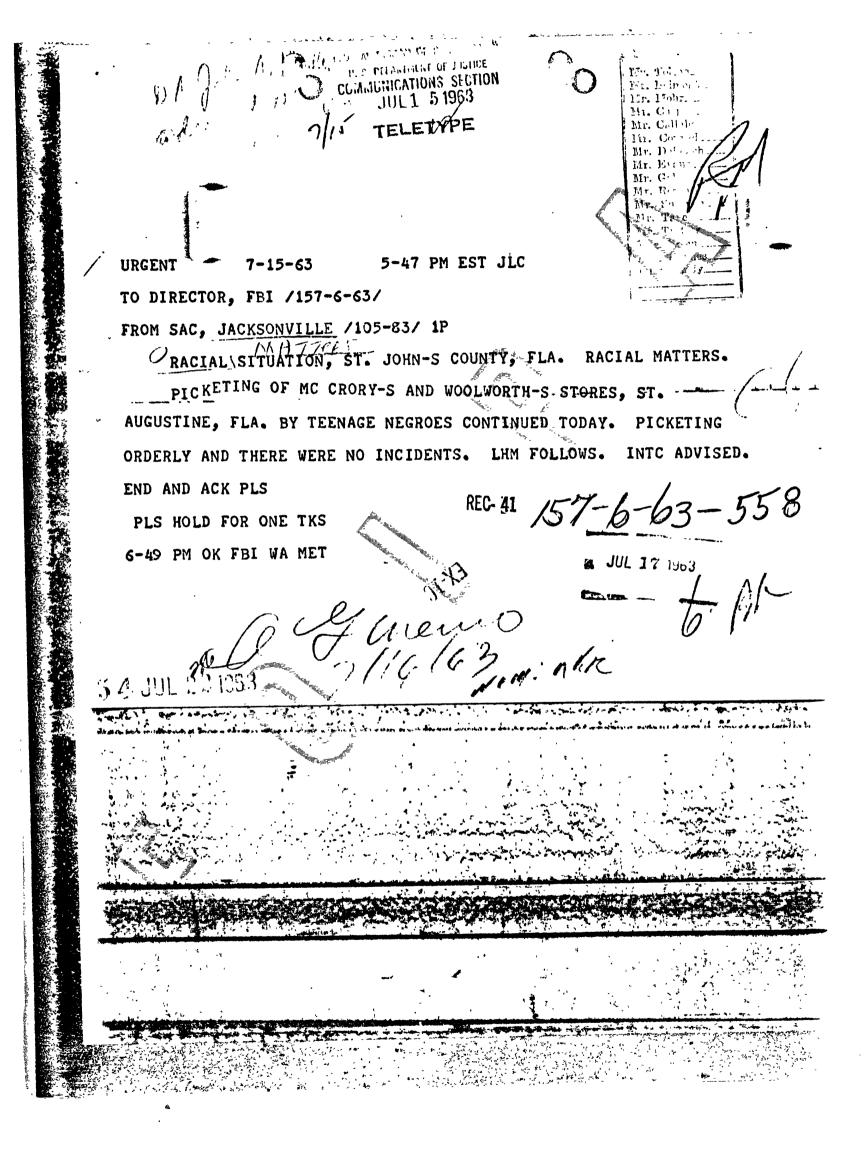
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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOINS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 8 and 9, 1963 members of the Youth Council of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, St. Augustine, Florida, continued their picketing of Woolworth's and McCrory's. They also picketed three local drugstores which maintained non-integrated lunch counters.

Picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

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July 10, 1963

1 - Mr. Belmont - Mr. Rosen Director, FDI Mr. Malley min - Mr. McGowan - Mr. Smith - Mr. Mohr RACIAL/EITUATION EINTE OF FLORICA - Mr. DeLoach - Mr. Evans On July 9, 1963, at Saint Augustine, Florida, picketing continued at McCrory's and F. W. Woolworth's stores as well as three local druggipres. The picketing was spensored by the Youth Conneil of the local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (MACP). LL incidente occurred and no arregta sero repertod. Small groups of Magracs continued to picket the coffee thop of the Ceala Hotel, Ditting's Projetore and Fadgett's Frive-in, Coala, Florida, on July 9, 1963. 9 No incidents occurred and there were no arrests. a white male, was arrested on charges of sample assault by the Saint Petersburg, Florida, Police Espartment on July 9. 1983. The appart was based upon the complaint of of the local MACP, who association on July 9, 1003, when picketing was in progress at the Florida Theater rude remarks, told her to get off the sidewalk and hit her in the face with a piece of paper. ppenrance in City Court on July 10, 1000. He gave his go as fifty-three but the police department has advised Ethat he is at least serventy years of age. UL. 101 ă The above information has been telephonically furnished to the Civil Rights Division. 1 - The Deputy Attornoy General - Mr. Eurke Marchall , 31 Assistant Attorncy 'General NOT RECORDED Loach _ _ 11 JUL 11 1963 MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

The Attorney General July 13, 1963 1 - Mr. Belmont - Mr. Rosen Director, FBI Mr. Malley 1 - Mr. McGowan 1 - Mr. P. J. Mohr 1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr 1 - Mr. DeLoach CKSONVILLE STATE OF FLORIDA 1 - Mr. Evans The following information has been telephonically furnished to the Civil Rights Division. In Saint Augustine, Florida, Negro members of the local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (MAACP) Youth Council continued the picketing at McCrory's and F. W. Woolforth's stores on July 12, 1963. The picketing was orderly and no incidents were reported. Chief of Police Thomas McAuley, Panama City, Florida, advised that after a conference with city officials it was decided that a permit would be issued to a Negro group to parade on July 13, 1963, through the main business district of Fanana City. Chief of Police Thomas Petty, Lake Wales, Florida, advised his department was notified by local NAACP leadors that integration of the beach at Lake Wales, which began on July 11, 1963, would continue on a day-to-day basis. He related That following his receipt of this notice, 35; to 40 liegroes appeared at the beach and swam and used the picuic tables. There were no incidents reported. In Ocala, Florida, small groups of Negroes tested the eating facilities at the Barion Botel Coffee Thop, Forse's Restaurant and Court Pharmocy at noon on July 12, 1963. According to Chief of Police Kenneth C. Alveroz, Ocala, the Negroes were denied service and when they refused to leave, the managements called the Ceala Polico Department. Chief Alverez nivised he confronted each Megro group, asked them to 1017, and all groups did so pracofully with no incident 10000 CJH: cac RECAD BELHONI 15 JUL 16 1963

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Small Negro groups conducted picketing of the Ocala Hotel Coffee Shop, Ditting's Drugstore number one, and Padgett's Drive-In during the lunch hour and early afternoon hours on July 12, 1983, and no incidents were reported. An Ocala biracial group had an organizational meeting on the afternoon of July 11, 1983, and scheduled their next meeting for July 18, 1983.

Chief of Polico Munsey Smith, Winter Haven, Florida, advised that the six adult Megrees arrested on July 11, 1983, at Morrison's Cafeteria were released on 550 band on July 12, 1983, and are scheduled to appear in local court on July 16, 1983. There was no picketing of City Hall on July 12, 1983.

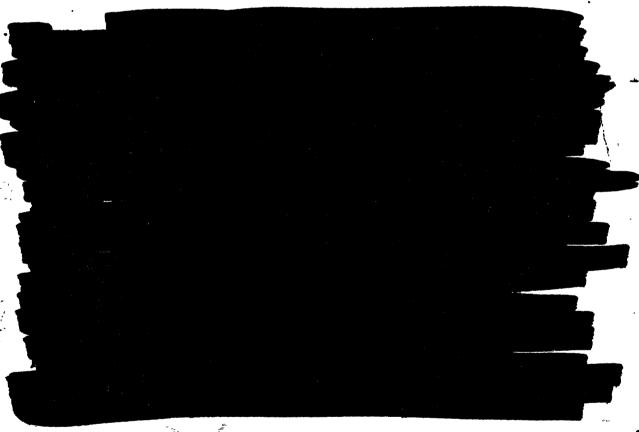
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Department, advised the NAACP set up a mobile picket
line consisting of 14 young Megro men, each carrying a
sign, on the public sidewalk in front of Morrison's
Cafeterin about 4:00 p.m., July 12, 1963. At about 6:00 p.m.,
approximately 24 young white men gathered and briefly
started pushing the pickets off the sidewalk but the
police department immediately established order and the
picketing continued. At about 7:45 p.m. prior to
scheduled closing, the young white men

returned and pucked the pickets off the sidewalk and into the street. The police, who had been nonitoring the situation from one block away, arrived before any additional incidents took place and the Negroes discontinued picketing and departed.

Picketing continued on July 12, 1903, at Publix Super Earket store number twelve, Orlando, Florida, and no incidents were reported.

Picketing of the Numpty Dumpty Restaurant, Cainceville, Florida, by the local MACP Youth Council and of the College Inn by the Student Group for Equal Rights was conducted on July 12, 1963, without incident. The Attorney General

The Florida Theater, Tallahasace, Florida, was pleketed by a group composed of approximately four Negro and cloven white students on July 12, 1963. The pickets-carried signs which read, "With Justice for All" and "Freedom Now." The police maintained a close watch and kept traffic moving, and there were no arrests or incidents.



Investigation is continuing to identify and locate the brothers and determine their activities.

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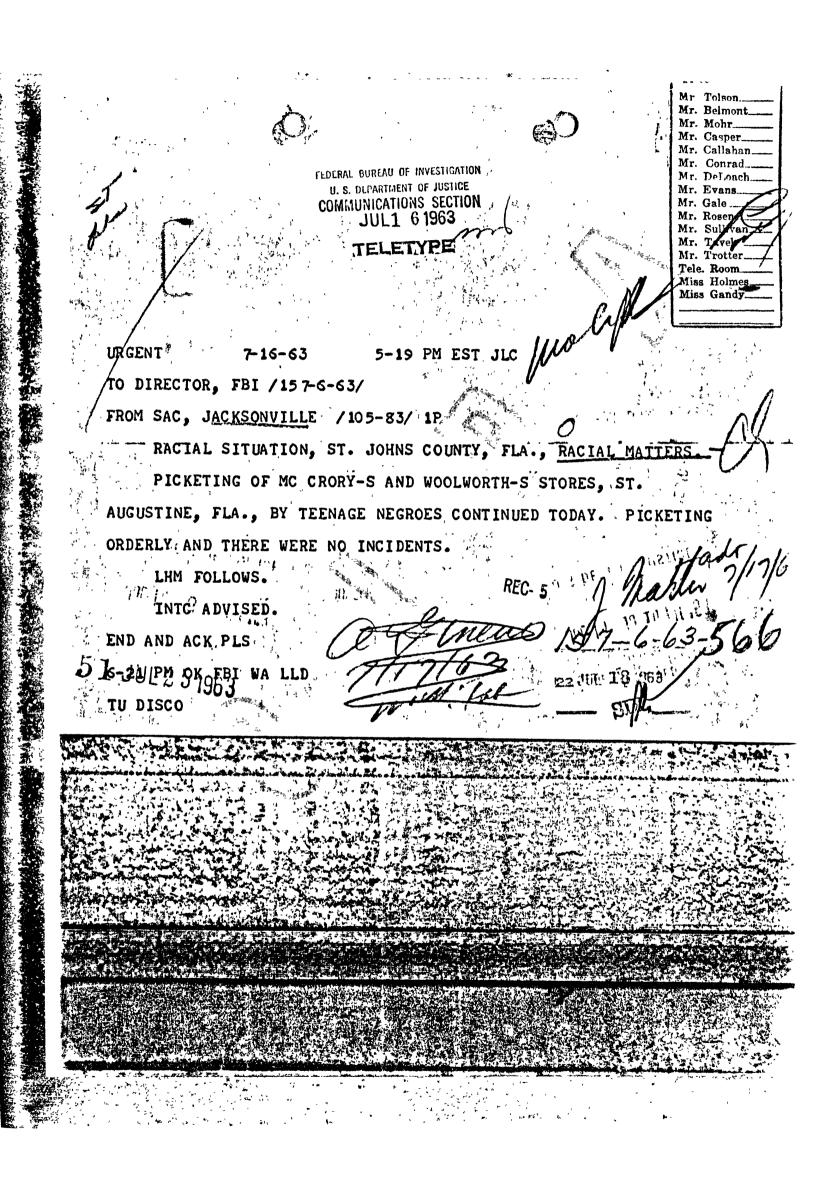
RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 13, 1963 picketing took place at St. Augustine, Florida by Negro members of the local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) Youth Council at McCrory's and Woolworth's stores. The picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

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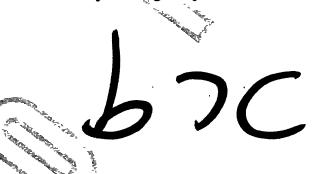
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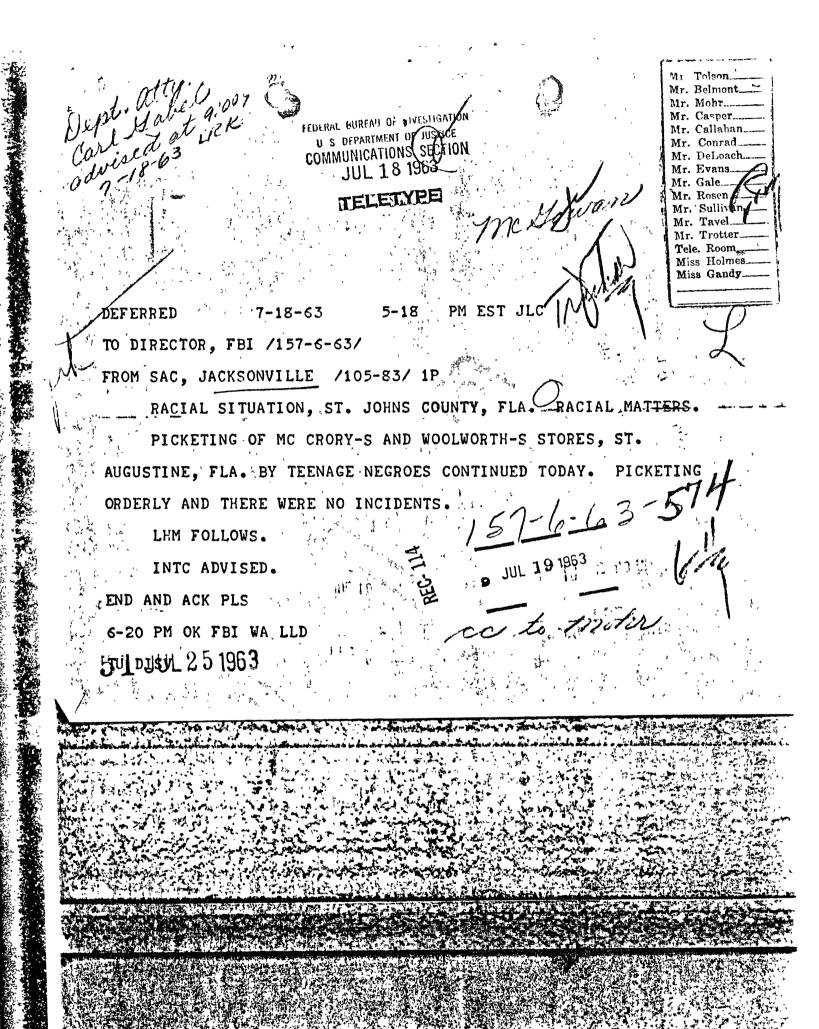
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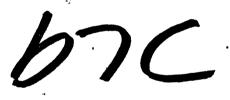
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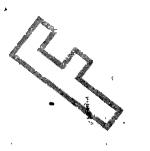
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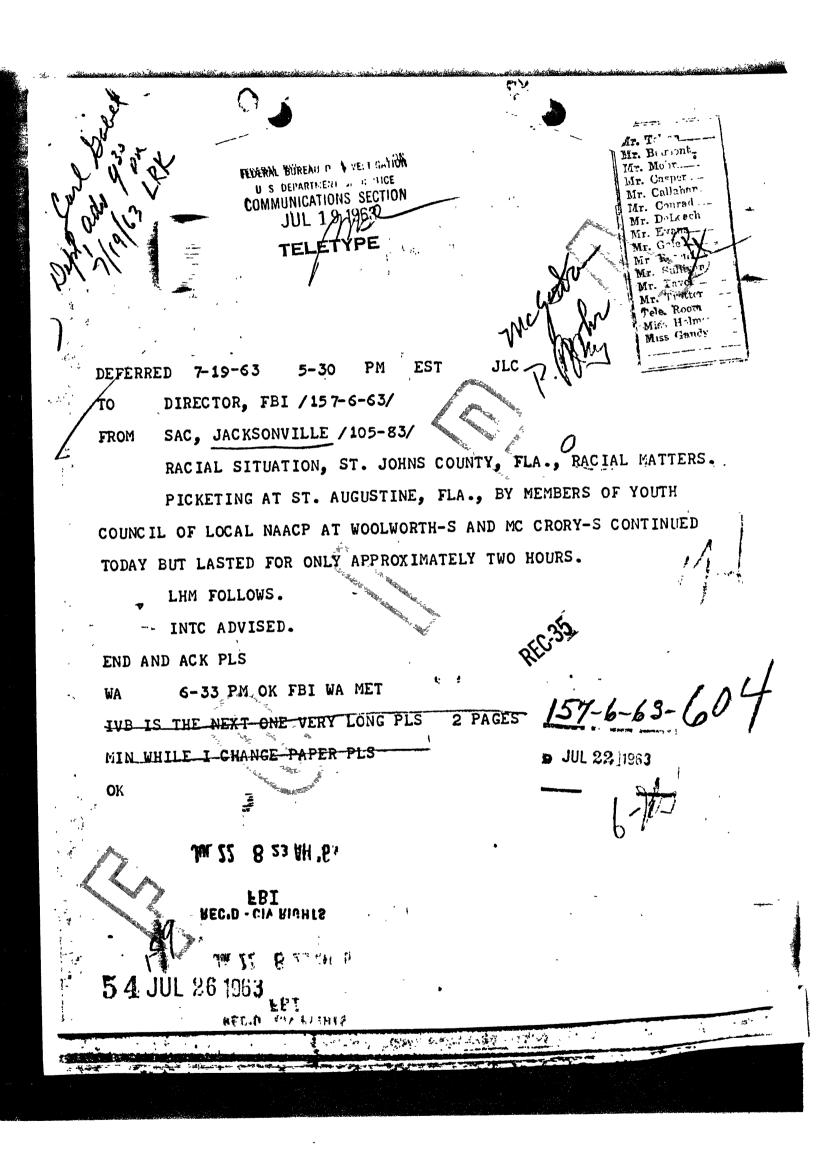
On July 16, 1963, St. Johns County, Florida Judge Charles Mathis dismissed all charges against whites and Negroes involved in the shooting at St. Augustine, Florida, on July 1, 1963. Judge Mathis stated his action was based on lack of evidence, but he advised the youths not to make any more trouble and warned them that other charges could be placed against them.

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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 18, 1963, sixteen young colored persons conducted sit-ins at the lunch counters of four drug stores in St. Augustine, Florida, between 5:00 and 5:30 PM. Police and deputy sheriffs responded to telephone calls from the managers of the drug stores. Negroes were requested to leave by the store managers. Law enforcement officers also advised them individually that refusal to leave the premises when requested would result in arrest for trespass. All refused to leave and were then placed under arrest.

Seven of the Negroes were juveniles. All reside in St. Augustine and were identified as follows:

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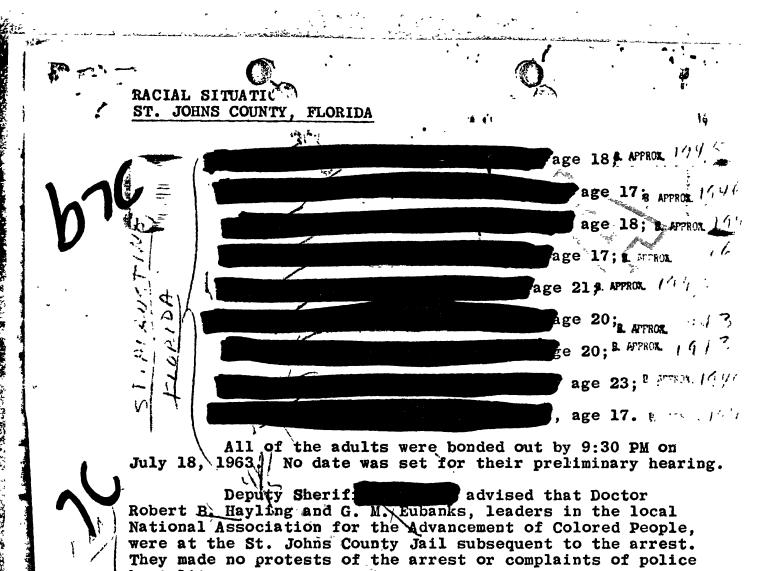
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The above juveniles were turned over to juvenile authorities and then released to their parents.

Nine adults, all residing at St. Augustine, Florida, were charged with trespassing and bond set at \$100. They were all identified as follows:



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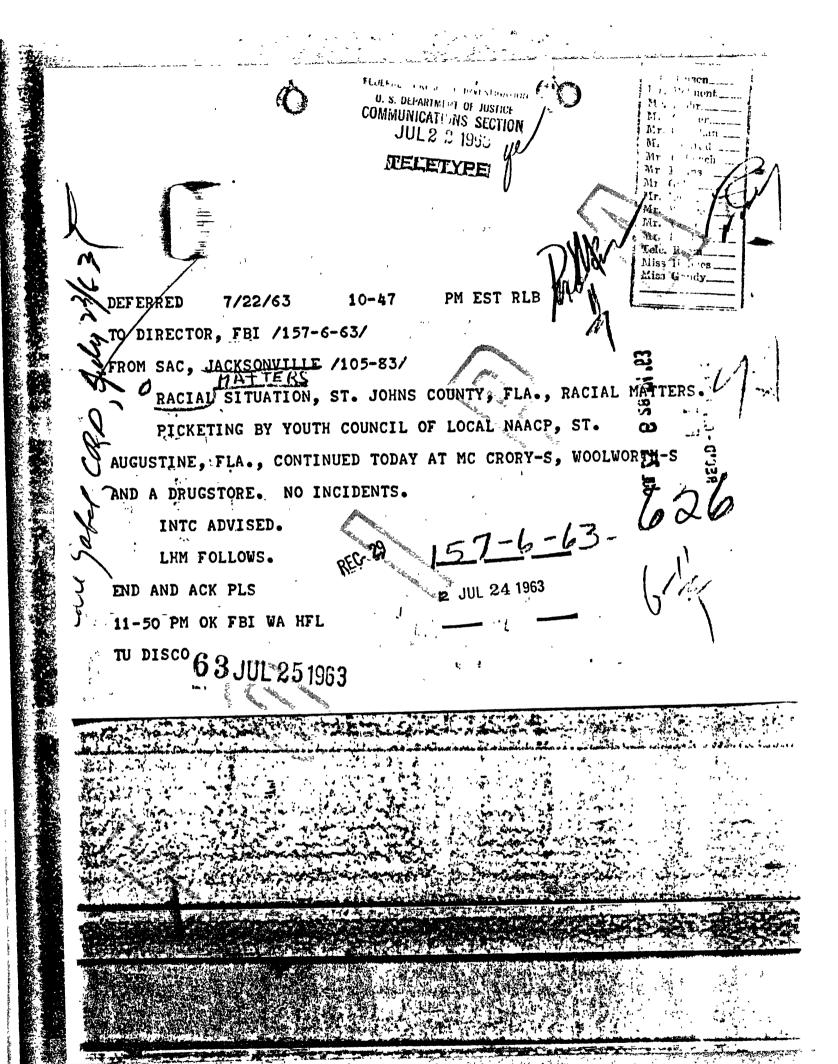
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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

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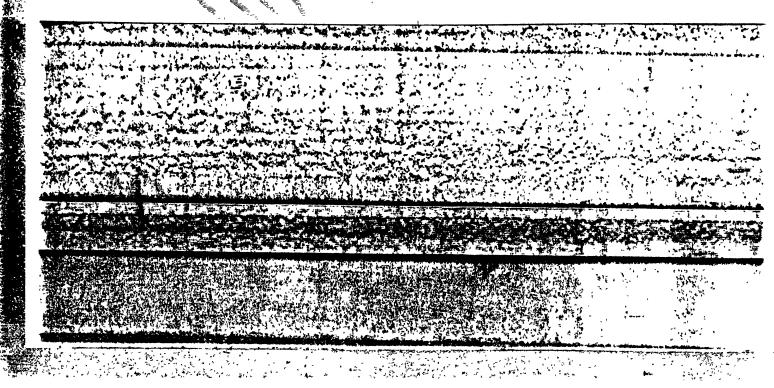
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AS RESULT OF THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIVE JUVENILES WERE TAKEN FROM THE PICKET LINES AT MC CRORY-S AND WOOLWORTH-S TODAY AND TURNED OVER TO THE JUVENILE OFFICER.

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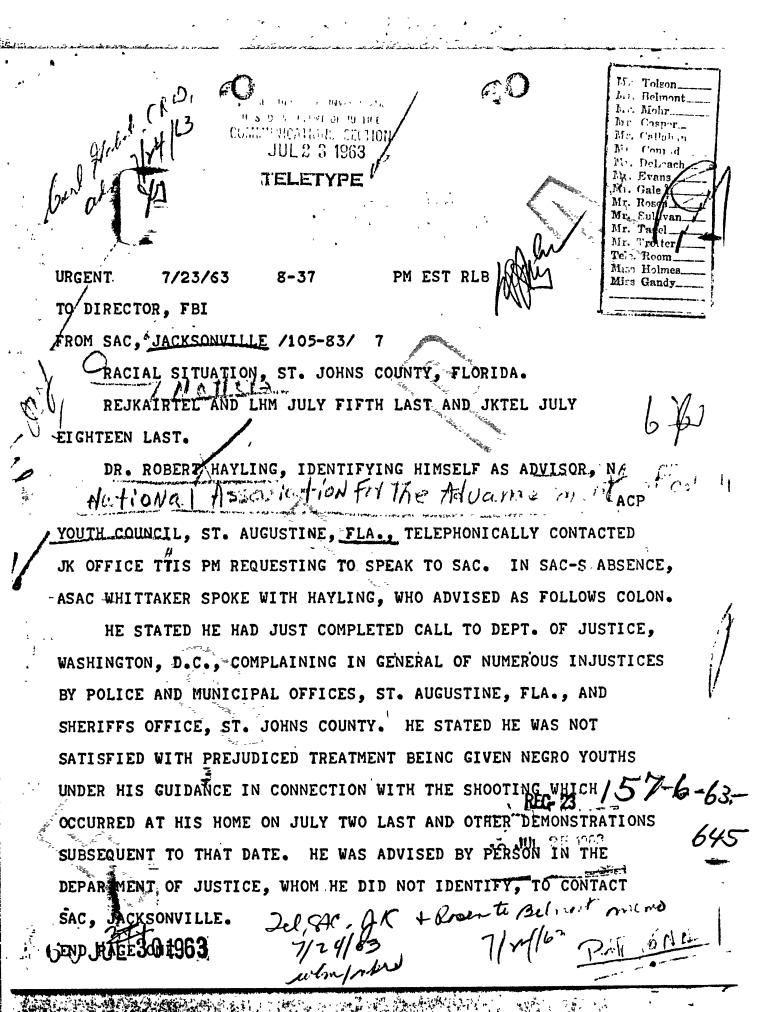
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HAYLING RAMBLED EXCITEDLY OVER A RANGE OF SEVERAL TOPICS.

SPECIFICALLY HE MADE REFERENCE TO AN INCIDENT WHICH HAPPENED

THIS MORNING TO WIT THE REMOVAL OF FIVE NEGRO JUVENILES FROM
A GROUP OF NEGROES PICKETING A WOOLWORTH STORE IN ST. AUGUSTINE.
HE STATED NEGROES WERE REMOVED FROM THE PICKET LINE AND
ARRESTED AS JUVENILE OFFENDERS FOR PICKETING ALTHOUGH UNDER
SEVENTEEN YEARS OF AGE. HE COULD NOT FURNISH NAMES OF PICKETERS
OR SPECIFICS AS TO WHAT AGENCY MADE THE ARRESTS.

WHEN ADVISED THAT AN AGENT WOULD IMMEDIATELY LOOK INTO
THE FACTS AND CONTACT HIM, HE STATED THAT THE AGENTS IN ST.
AUGUSTINE WON-T GET THE FACTS BECAUSE THEY DIDN-T CONDUCT AN
INVESTIGATION AND ARREST THE WHITE BOYS INVOLVED IN THE SHOOTING
ON JULY SECOND AT HIS HOME. HAYLING WAS IMMEDIATELY APPRIZED
OF THE FBI-S ROLE AND JURISDICTION AND MADE TO UNDERSTAND THAT
ALL THE FACTS INCLUDING THE DISPOSITION BY THE COURT WERE
ASCERTAINED AND REPORTED TO WASHINGTON BY THE AGENTS IN ST.
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HE APPEARED TO BE PLACATED BY THIS EXPLANATION, BUT
INDICATED THAT HE FELT QUOTE BOBBY KENNEDY SHOULD AUTHORIZE
THE FBI TO INVESTIGATE AND ARREST THE WHITE PEOPLE INVOLVED
IN THESE DISTURBANCES UNQUOTE. HE FURTHER STATED THAT THE SHERIFF
ON ONE OCCASION, IN FRONT OF PEOPLE INCLUDING HIMSELF, WHILE
READING AN ARTICLE ON INTEGRATION, KEPT PRONOUNCING THE
WORD QUOTE NEGRO UNQUOTE AS QUOTE NIGGER UNQUOTE UNTIL HE,
HAYLING, CALLED HIM ON IT. HE STATED THAT HE HAS NOT BEEN
SATISFIED WITH THE POLICE INVESTIGATION OF THE INCIDENT AT
HIS HOME AND THAT HE RESENTED THE FACT THAT THE PD CURTAILED
THE NEGROES AT HIS HOME AND REFUSED TO LET THEM ORGANIZE A
GROUP AND CHASE THE WHITE BOYS.

HE STATED THAT HE HAS GIVEN GUNS TO SEVERAL OF HIS NEGRO YOUTHS AND WAS GOING TO INSURE THAT HE AND HIS NEGRO YOUTH GROUP COULD PROTECT THEMSELVES. HE STATED THAT HE HAD GIVEN A THIRTY THIRTY RIFLE TO ONE OF THE NEGRO TEEN AGERS IN HIS GROUP AND THAT THE BOY WAS ARRESTED AND END PAGE THREE.

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CHARGED WITH CONCEALING A HIGH POWERED RIFLE IN HIS
AUTOMOBILE. HAYLING SAID THAT ALTHOUGH HE KNEW ARMED VIOLENCE
WAS NOT THE POLICY OF THE NAACP, HE DID NOT CARE. IT WAS
GOING TO BE HIS POLICY.

DR. HAYLING ALSO STATED THAT BECAUSE HE HAS BEEN SPECIAL

AGENTS

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RESIDENT AGENTS, TALKING WITH THE SHERIFF AND PD, HE DID NOT

TRUST THEM. HE ALSO STATED THAT WHEN HE TOLD THE AGENTS OF

HIS PLANS TO PICKET A STORE, THEY ADVISED LOCAL POLICE AND THE SO.

THE POLICY OF THE FBI WAS EXPLAINED TO HAYLING AND IT WAS POINTED OUT QUITE CLEARLY THAT AGENTS ARE INSTRUCTED TO ADVISE LOCAL AUTHORITIES TO INSURE THAT THE APPROPRIATE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES WERE COGNIZANT OF THE POTENTIAL DEMONSTRATIONS AND COULD AFFORD NECESSARY POLICE COVERAGE TO PREVENT VIOLENCE. HE WAS ALSO ADVISED THAT THE FBI-S JURISDICTION OVER NUMEROUS CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS DEMANDS THAT ITS SPECIAL AGENTS CONTACT POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND MAINTAIN LIAISON WITH THEM. HAYLING END PAGE FOUR

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ADMITTED HE SAW THE LOGIC IN THIS, BUT STILL STATED HE DOES NOT TRUST ANY OF THE QUOTE WHITE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES STATIONED IN ST. AUGUSTINE, INCLUDING THE FBI UNQUOTE.

HE SUGGESTED THAT ASAC WHITTAKER ENTER INTO A CONSPIRACY
TO TRAP SPECIAL AGENTS ASSIGNED TO ST. AUGUSTINE BY GIVEING THEM
FALSE INFO. HE WAS IMMEDIATELY ADMONISHED VEHEMENTLY FOR SUCH A
SUGGESTION AND ASKED FOR SPECIFIC DETAILS CONCERNING THESE AGENTS
WHICH WOULD JUSTIFY SUCH A SUGGESTION. HE ADMITTED HE HAD NO
FURTHER DETAILS THAN ALREADY MENTIONED. WHEN ADVISE OF
THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE NATURE OF SUCH A SUGGESTION AND OF THE
INTEGRITY AND CHARACTER OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE FBI IN
CONNECTION WITH ALL PHASES OF THE INTERNAL SECURITY OF THIS
COUNTRY, HE RESCINDED HIS SUGGESTION AND ADMITTED THAT HE
WAS IN ERROR IN SUGGESTING IT.

WHEN HE HAD NOTHING FURTHER TO REPORT, HE WAS QUESTIONED
IN DETAIL CONCERNING THE INDIVIDUAL JUVENILES ARRESTED THIS DATE.
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Association Forthe Advan PAGE SIX HE LEFT THE PHONE AT THIS POINT TO ASCERTAIN THIS INFORMATION, SAYING THAT STATED HE RECALLED SPEAKING TO ASAC PREVIOUSLY AND THAT HE IS A GOOD FRIEND OF SPECIAL AGENT IN OCALA, FLORIDA. STATED THAT DR. HAYLING-S VIEWS AS EXPRESSED ABOVE WERE STRICTLY HIS OWN AND NOT FROM AN OFFICIAL POSITION OF THE NAACP. TEND PAGE SIX



AS INDICATED ABOVE, HAYLING SEEMED EMOTIONALLY UPSET, RAMBLED AND ON OCCASIONS TALKED INCOHERENTLY.

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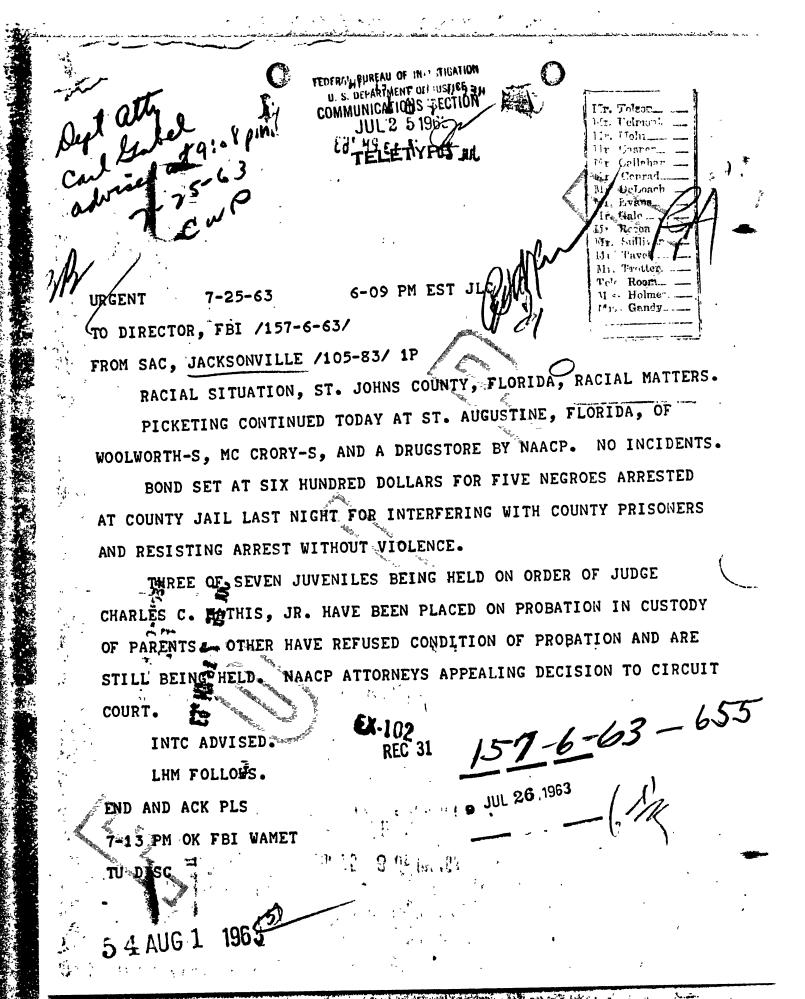
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FROM SAC, JACKSONVILLE /105-83/

RACIAL SITUATION, ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLA., RACIAL MATTERS.

PICKETING BY MEMBERS OF THE YOUTH COUNCIL OF LOCAL NAACP

OF WOOLWORTHS, MCCRORY-S AND A DRUG STORE CONTINUED TODAY

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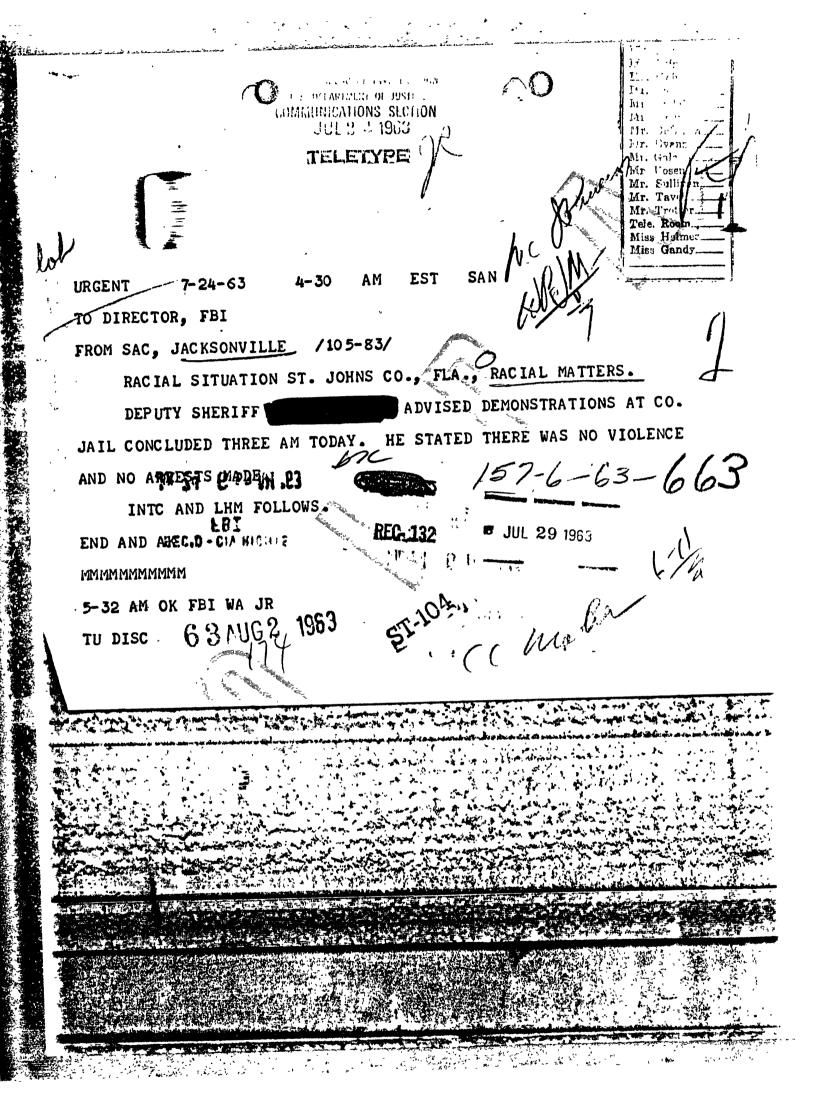
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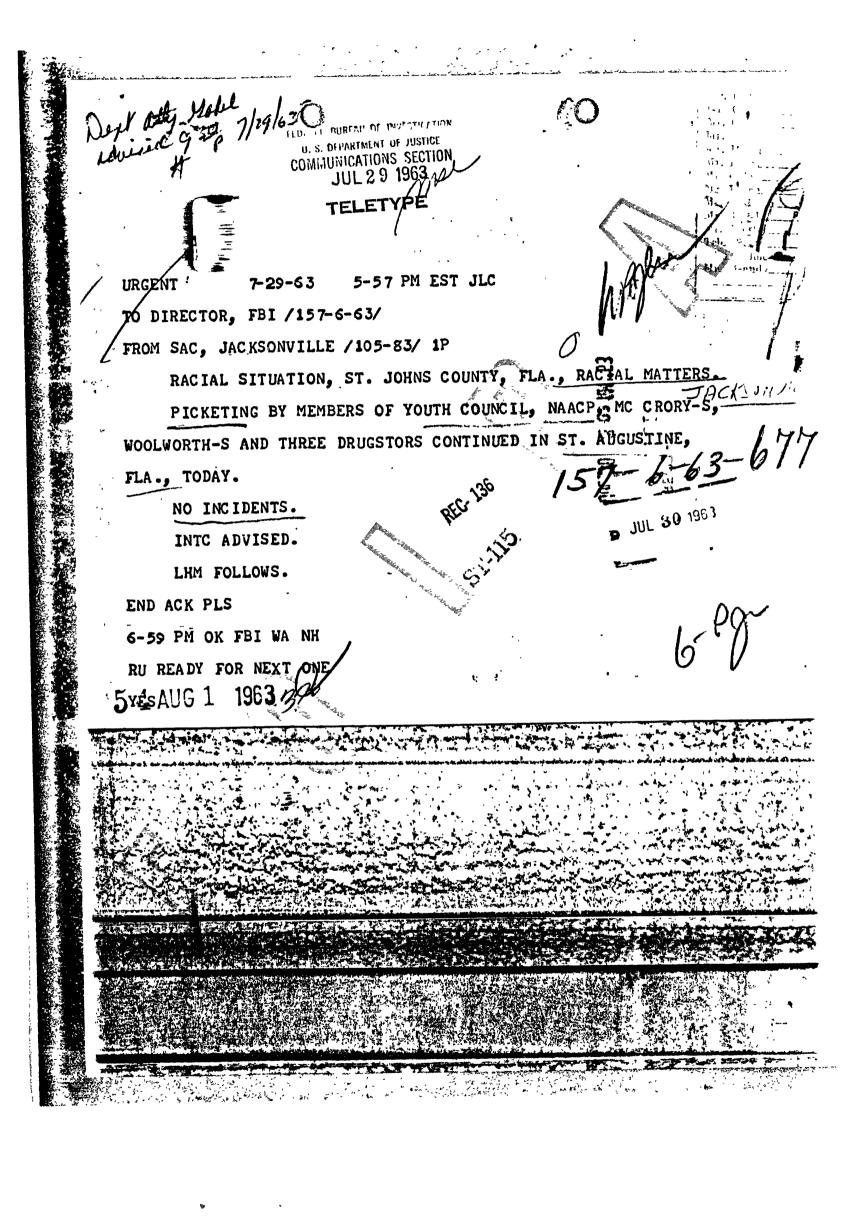
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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

Picketing by members of the Youth Council of Local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) of Woolworths, McCrory's and a drug store continued July 24, 1963, at St. Augustine, Florida. Duration of picketing was curtailed by rain in early afternoon. Sheriff L. U. Davis reported no juveniles were taken off the picket lines July 24, 1963. County Judge Charles Mathis conferred this morning with parents of seven juveniles presently in St. Johns County Jail and parents continued to refuse to comply with court's instructions regarding behavior of juveniles while on probation. Mathis has instructed juvenile officer to make arrangements to place children in state schools. Sheriff Davis expects increased demonstrations on the night of July 24, 1963 at the County Jail and is setting up road blocks to prevent any large assembly at the jail.

On July 24, 1963, Reverend Frank Pinkston, a Field Secretary for the NAACP in Florida, advised that he has been assigned to the St. Augustine area for a two week period and has approximately five more days left of this period. He stated that his primary purpose was to bring together white persons of "liberal thought" who might have some possibility of reducing segregation in the area and making it possible to negotiate without threat of violence. He said the decision of Juvenile Judge Charles Mathis was completely unsatisfactory to the NAACP since economics makes it necessary to use juveniles in demonstrations and on picket lines. In his opinion Mathis! decision was a move geared to discourage demonstrations and any further progress by the NAACP, St. Augustine, Florida. Reverend Pinkston stated he did not know whether a large demonstration would be conducted on the night of July 24, 1963, at the St. Johns County Jail since he had not yet conferred with the parents of the juveniles confined therein.

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111th Intelligence Corps Group (INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on July 24, 1963.

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Jacksonville, Florida July 25, 1963



RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

Dr. Robert B. Hayling, Advisor to Youth Council, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), St. Augustine, Florida, advised that seven juvenile members are still confined in St. Johns County Jail. After the July 23, 1963, demonstration at the jail, six or seven Negro adults remained on the scene throughout the day, July 24, 1963, to ascertain when or if juveniles were moved. He complained that at about 5:30 p.m. July 24, 1963, they were arrested by Sheriff L. O. Davis. He alleged that Judge Charles Mathis refused to release the juveniles unless they and their parents promised that the juveniles would refrain from demonstrating or picketing while on probation. It is his understanding probation would continue until their 21st birthday. He said picketing is a form of freedom of speech, therefore, the juvenile's civil rights were being violated by Judge Mathis' decision. He stated NAACP lawyers were handling the matter. Dr. Hayling also reported to Juvenile Officer Fred Brinkhoff that a 10 year old boy was observed on the picket line at the Florida East Coast Railroad Company presently being struck. Members of the local NAACP observed that the boy was taken to his parents rather than to the juvenile officer in direct contrast to the handling of Negro juvenile picketers. He feels that the Attorney General should take some action to stop above injustices. He said he had been in contact with the Miami correspondent of "Times" Magazine who, Dr. Hayling claims, expressed amazement at Judge Mathis' ruling. Dr. Hayling claims he would make every effort to avoid violence, but that parents of the juveniles wanted their children released. He said the course of action had not been decided.



RACIAL SITUATION
ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

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Deputy Sheriff advised that five Negroes were arrested July 24, 1963, No charges have been placed as yet and Negroes refuse to identify themselves until after they have talked to their attorney. Mr. Smith said these Negroes had been interfering with trustees and deputies in the performance of their duty through verbal harassment.

arrested will be charged with molesting a prisoner and resisting arrest without violence.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information.

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UNITED STATES GOVENMENT *1emorandum* 7/31/63 DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: TO SAC, JACKSONVILLE (157-436) SUBJECT: LIAISON WITH GROUPS SPONSORING INTEGRATION RACIAL MATTERS Re Bureau airtel to Albany with copies to all Continental Offices 6/21/63 and Jacksonville letter to Bureau 6/28/63. NUMBER OF LIAISON CONTACTS LISTED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MONTH - 27 NAACP Daytona Beach, Florida NAACP Gainesville, Florida NAACP. Gainesville, Florida Gainesville, Florida NAACP Jacksonville, Florida 1.57-6-63 - 6 NAACP Jacksonville, Florida Aus 7 12 14 14 16 TO AUG 1 1963 REC-64 Bureau (RM) Jacksonville 117 (1 - 157 - 538)-WJ:nok EX-115 7 (5) 2. Aug 1 2 1963 JK 157 NAACP, Jacksonville, Florida and leader in Negro community Jacksonville, Florida Lake City, Florida Lake City, Florida AACP Panama City, Florida Pensacola, Florida leader in Negro community Pensacola, Florida leader in Negro **community** Pensacola, Florida

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picketing and sit in demonstrations by the Youth Council at the Humpty Dumpty Restaurant, Gainesville, Florida, during July, 1963.

Student Group for Equal Rights, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida, gave advance notice of picketing by the foregoing group at the College Restaurant in Gainesville during July, 1963.

advised on July 12, 1963, that the Ocala Chapter of the NAACP had been reactivated approximately two weeks prior to that date. They advised that the NAACP would continue the picketing of downtown Ocala restaurants as long as they refused to accept Negro patrons.

on 7/19/63 that a Chapter of CORE had been organized in Dunnellon about 6/27/63 and was currently active. She advised that the group had started picketing Mrs. MC DILDA's Cafe in Dunnellon during the past few days and would continue picketing until Negroes were served.

furnished advance information concerning the picketing of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, Jacksonville, by the NAACP during the week of July 22 through July 26, 1963.

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RACIAL SITUATION
ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 23, 1963, the seven juvenile Negroes arrested at lunch counter sit-ins on July 18, 1963, at St. Augustine, Florida, were given a hearing before Juvenile Court Judge Charles Mathis. They had been taken into custody on a trespassing charge.

Judge Mathis advised that the juveniles had defied the court by refusing to agree to obey all laws and that their parents also refused to cooperate in this regard. Judge Mathis, at great length, advised all of the juveniles and their parents that he would release them on probation if they would obey the law and not participate in demonstrations. Upon their refusal of these conditions, he issued a hold order and the juveniles were confined in the St. Johns County Jail.

Judge Lathis then issued a court order to all local law enforcement officers to the effect that juveniles should not be allowed to participate in picket lines at St. Augustine. He advised he based this order on rumors of violence from both white and Negros and felt that it was not safe or constructive for a juvenile to serve as a picket.

As a result of this order, five juveniles were taken from the picket lines which were in place at McCrory's and Woolworth's stores in St. Augustine and turned over to Juvenile Officer then released the juveniles to the custody of their parents. Shortly after this incident, Doctor Robert B. Hayling called Assistant Special Agent in Charge Kenneth W. Whittaker, Jacksonville Office of the FBI, and announced that he had just completed a call to the Department of Justice concerning the St. Augustine Police Department and the Sheriff's Office.

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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

During the course of his conversation, Dr. Hayling stated he was advisor to the Youth Council of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). St. Augustine, Florida, and that he had furnished guns to several youths in the movement. In one instance he purchased a 30-30 rifle and gave it to one of his "boys" to be used for his protection and to also protect Dr. Hayling.

In Dr. Hayling's conversation with Mr. Whittaker, he stated that although he knew that violence was not the policy of the NAACP he did not care and that violence would be his policy. He stated he placed no trust in any white law enforcement.

At approximately 4:50 P.M., July 23, 1963, Special to verify the appointment and was advised that he, Mr. l'inkston, would be at the FBI Resident Agency between 5:30 and 6:00 P.M., or if delayed, would call. to keep the appointment and no call was received from him,

Sheriff L. O. Davis, St. Augustine, Florida, advised that on July 23, 1963, Negroes began gathering at the County Jail starting at about 9:00 P.M., At 11:00 P.M.,

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Sheriff Davis was called to the jail by one of this deputies when the crowd had increased to about one hundred, singing, praying Negroes who were also banging hubcaps to ether to create additional confusion. Sheriff Davis Acarded that prior to his arrival, the wife of the jailer, had been dragged from the doorway by a Negro woman and kicked in the legs. Sheriff Davis state suffered not injuries other than emotional strain. He had been unable to identify the woman responsible for the asspult.

During the course of the evening, NAACP Vice President G. M. Eubanks and Youth Advisor Dr. Robert B. Hayling were present, demanding the release of the seven juveniles. Sheriff Davis advised them that it was a matter to be handled by Judge Charles Mathis and Judge Mathis instructed Sheriff Davis that it was a matter to be handled through the courts and not by demonstrations.

At approximately 12:30 A.M., July 24, 1963, the demonstration was breaking up, after Judge Mathis had agreed to a new hearing for the juveniles, however, according to Sheriff Davis, at this time television photographers from Channel 12 in Jacksonville, Florida, appeared on the scene and the Negroes resumed their demonstrations for the benefit of the cameramen, according to Sheriff Davis. He stated there was no violence and he made to arrests, but that the mood of the demonstrators was such that possibilities of a riot were ever present. He stated he expected additional demonstrations probably involving larger numbers of Negroes to take place tonight.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on July 24, 1963.

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RACIAL SITUATION
ST. JOHNS COUNTY. FLORIDA

Picketing by members of Youth Council, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, continued today in St. Augustine, Florida, at McCrory's, Woolworth's and three drugstores. There were no incidents.

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Jacksonville, Florida July 30, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 26, 1963, Negro youths were arrested for distributing literature on private property. They were found guilty on July 29, 1963, and received sentences totaling \$100 or sixty days in jail for each youth.

Picketing continued today at Woolworths, McCrorys, and two drug stores at St. Augustine, Florida.

111th Intelligence Corps Group, (INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above.

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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

Assistant Special Agent in Charge Renneth W. Whittaker at Jacksonville Florida.

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Hayling has frustrated his every attempt to placate the Negro people and to assume effective leadership. He said that Hayling has telephoned all over the country to Negro and White leaders in the racial movement exaggerating racial conditions in St. Augustine by making "hysterical statements."

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advised of his evaluation of Dr. Hayling.

the principal daily newspaper for Daytona Beach Morning Journal," the principal daily newspaper for Daytona Beach, Florida, printed an editorial highly critical of the decision of Judge Charles Mathis not to release juveniles unless they promised to refrain from picketing. It quoted a staff member of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights as stating "Can such a thing be true in this country?" A copy of the complete editorial is attached.

Augustine, Florida, advised that the "Daytona Beach Morning Journal" had offered to furnish copies of the above editorial to be used as the NAACP saw fit. Eubanks said that the copies were gratefully received and members of the Youth Council of the NAACP were instructed to distribute copies door to door in white neighborhoods.

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

At about 7:00 PM on July 26, 1963 six Negroes assigned to this distribution were arrested by the St. Augustine, Florida Police Department and charged with distributing literature on private property. Two of the Negroes were juveniles. One was immediately released to his parents and the other was held overnight. The four adults were released on July 28, 1963 under \$156 bonds with the exception of one adult whose bond was placed at \$500 since he had an additional charge against him of resisting arrest without violence.

Picketing on July 27, 1963 continued at Woolworth's, McCrory's, and two drugstores at St. Augustine, Florida. There were no incidents.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the foregoing information.

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A Blight On The State's Name

A STAFF MEMBER of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights picked up his copy of the New York times yesterday, and began to read accounts of the nation's racial strife, and he noted the dateline of St. Augustine, Fla.

What he read made him gasp, and he put in an immediate call to the secretary of the Florida Advisory Committee. "Can such a thing be true in this country?" he demanded.

The "such a thing" was the act of County-Juvenile Judge J. Charles Mathis in St. Agustine taking seven juveniles from their parents and lodging them in the County Jail. He did so because the parents refused to sign a form the Judge presented them that said they would keep their children from indulging in any more demonstrations against segregation until they are 21.

SUCH AN ACTION as this is common under totalitarian systems. Fidel Castro has taken young children from their parents and sent them to Moscow for indectrination. Dictators on the right and left think it is their prerogative to tell parents how to rear their children, or to restrict them in what knowledge they get or what actions they may perform.

But to think that such tactics could be exercised in the U.S.—and in its oldest city!

This ancient cradle of the new World has no right to expect that it is going to escape the drive for equality of American citizens that is being pushed down every American thoroughfare. It is doubly a target because there all the harsh methods of denial are being practiced, and are maintained by a combina-

tion of political and business powers

This fact intensified the leterally tion of young Negroes to demand change.

The demonstrations last week were made by 16 Negro teenagers who visited a lunch counter. Wanting to keep their protest peaceful, they responded to a signal of a watcher and left the counter before a Deputy arrived. But they were arrested anyway — arrested on the street as they were walking away from the place, and charged with trespassing.

Their cases were set for last Tuesday, and it was their attorney's understanding that they would get a continuance until their regular attorney returned to the city. But, when the hearing opened. Judge Mathis presented the promise to desist forms for the seven who were under 14—four girls and three hove And because St. Augustine, has no juvenile detention home for Negroes, they were lodged in county jail—a jail that supposedly is the place for common criminals.

FLORIDA is going to get a black eye over this case.

Big brotherism of this stripe has no place in the American system of jurisprudence. It is abhorrent for a Judge to decide he has the right to prevent young people from indulging in peaceful protest because their rights are being denied. It is a disgrace that he would take them from their parents because the parents refused to sign their rights away.

Gov. Bryant should inquire into this case immediately, and let the rest of the country know that the stafe does not countenance such a use of the nation's system of law.

A REFRINT FROM THE MORNING NEWS JOURNAL DAYTONA BEACH, FLORIDA, FRIDAY, JULY 26, 15"

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RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 26, 1963, picketing continued at St. Augustine, Florida, of Woolworth's, McCrory's and a drugstore by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP).

The picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

(INTC), Jacksonville, Florida, was advised of the above information on July 26, 1963.

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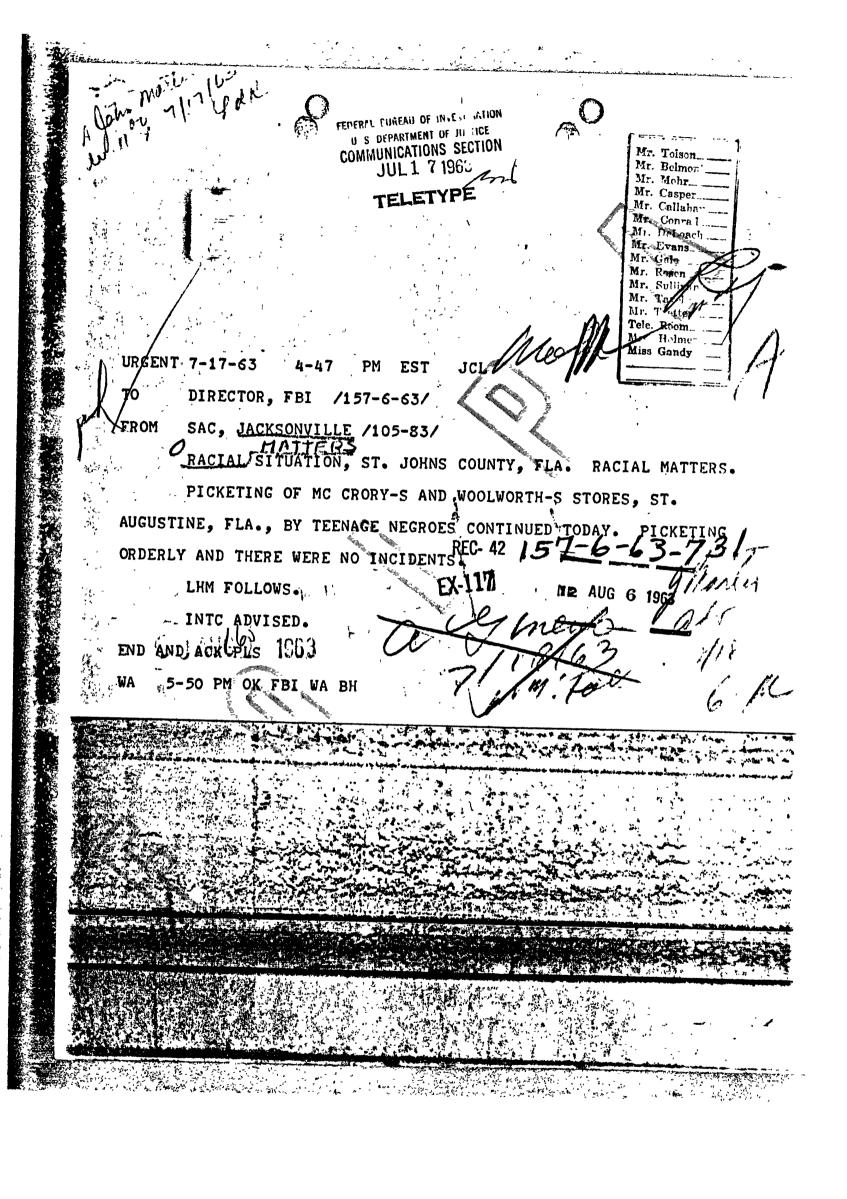
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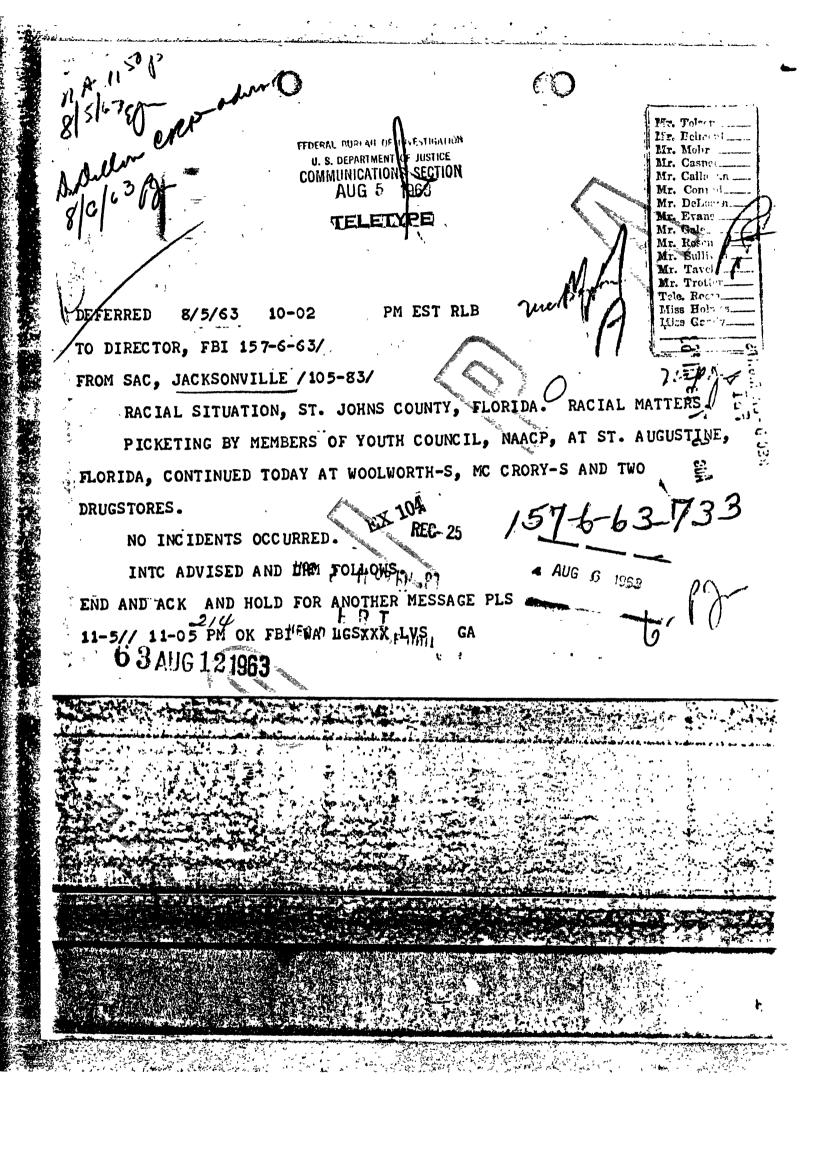
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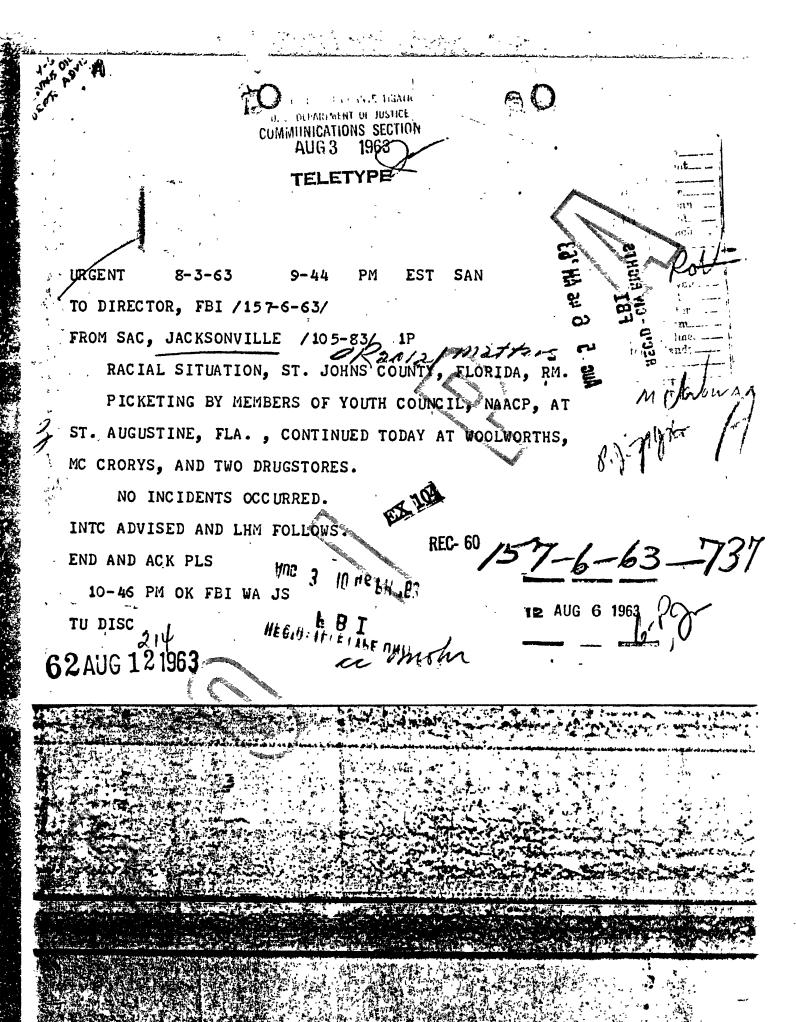
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Jacksonville, Florida August 2, 1963

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ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On August 2, 1963, members of the Youth Council, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, (NAACP), at St. Augustine, Florida, picketed Woolworth's, McCrory's, and two drugstores.

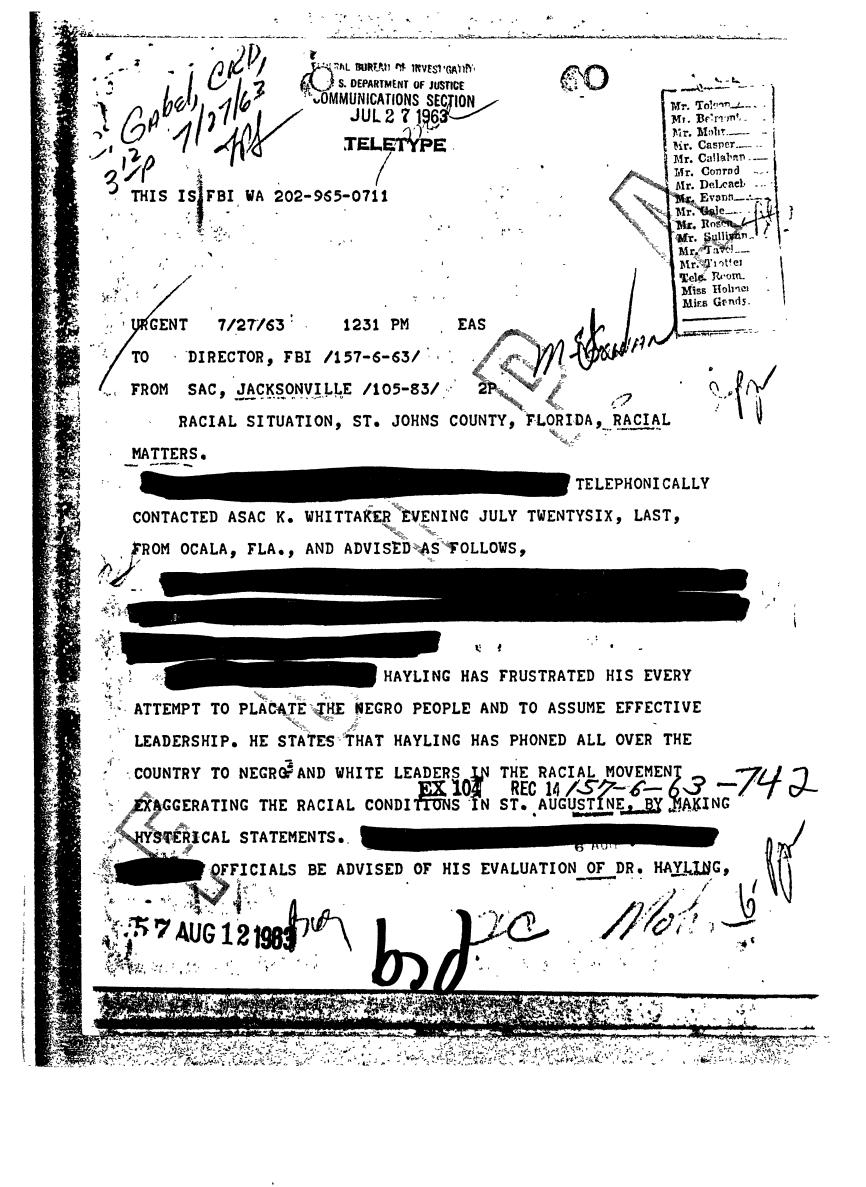
Sentences of \$100.00 fines or fortyfive days in County Jail were handed down by Justice of the Peace G. Marvin Grear at St. Augustine, Florida, on August 1, 1963, in cases of nine Negroes, after he found them guilty of violation of the Florida Undesirable Guest Act during a July 18, 1963, sit-in demonstration at lunch counters in St. Augustine, Florida.

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Jacksonville, Florida July 26, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On July 25, 1963, picketing continued at St. Augustine, Florida, at Woolworth's, McCrory's and a drug store by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). The picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

Regarding five Negroes arrested on the premises of the St. Johns County Jail, St. Augustine, Florida, on May 24, 1963, bond was set at \$600 on charges of interfering with county prisoners and resisting arrest without violence.

With respect to seven juvenile Negroes being held on order of Judge Charles C. Mathis, Jr., three of the R APPROX juveniles have been placed on probation by Judge Mathis in custody of their parents. These three are age 15, age 14, and age 14, and age 15. The others refused the conditions of probation and remained incarcerated in the St. Johns County Jail. NAACP attorneys are appealing the decision to the Circuit Court.

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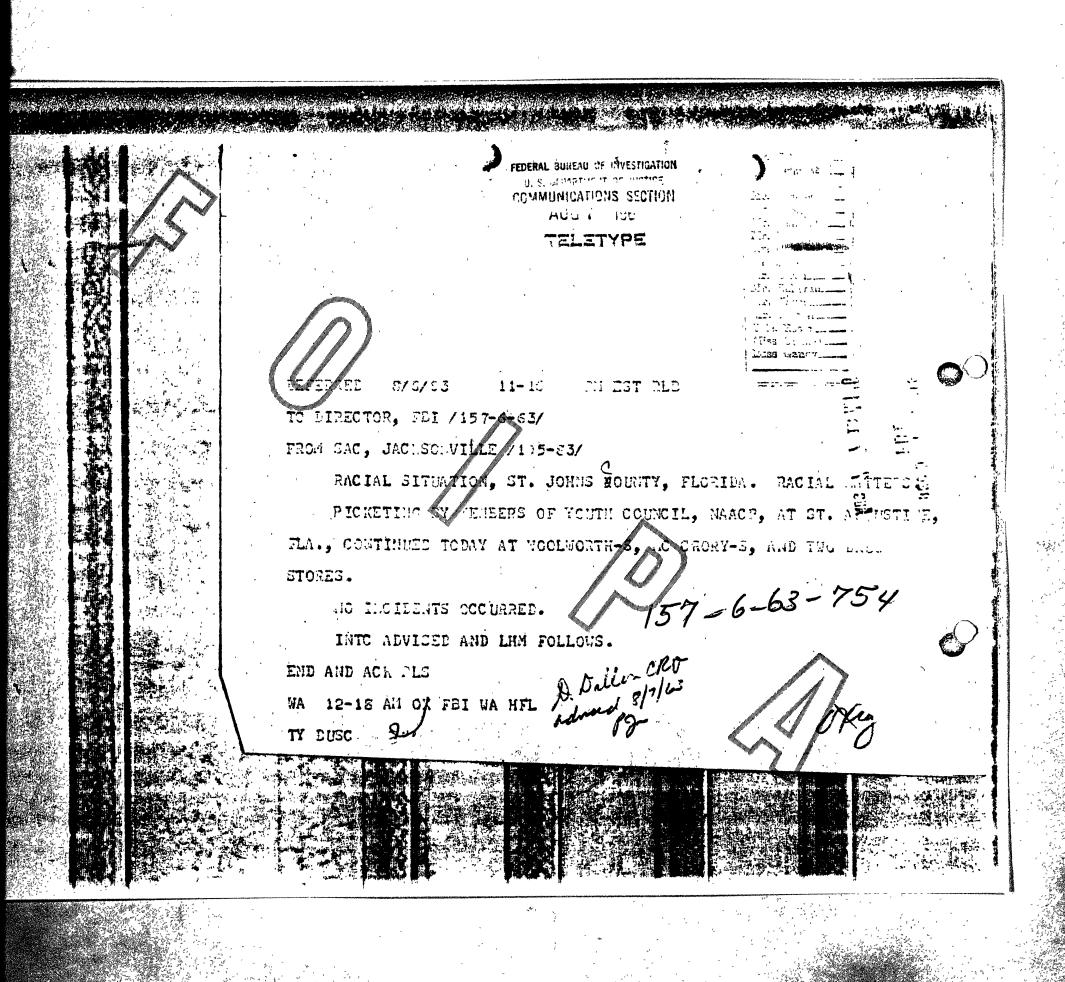
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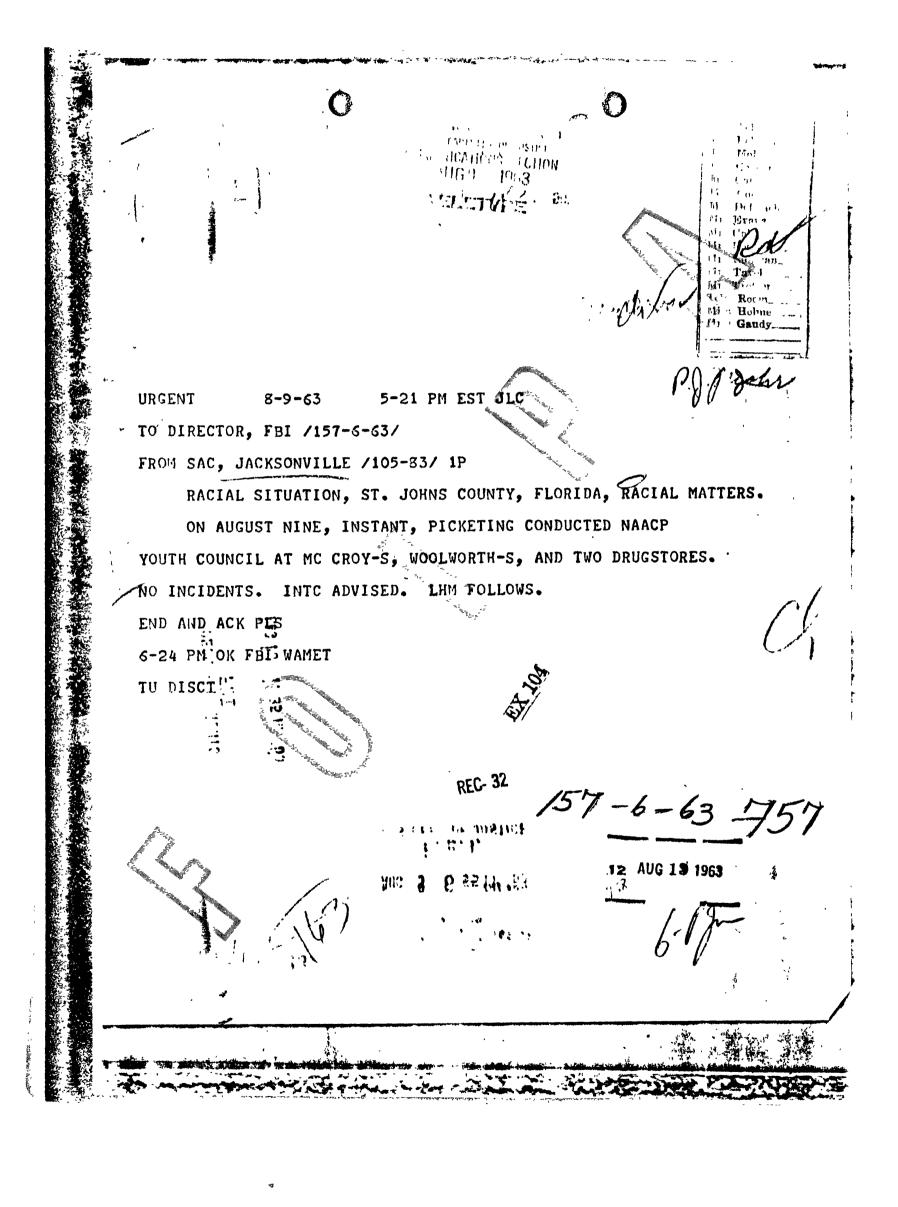
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Jacksonville, Florida August 6, 1963

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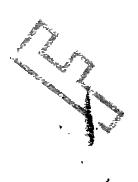
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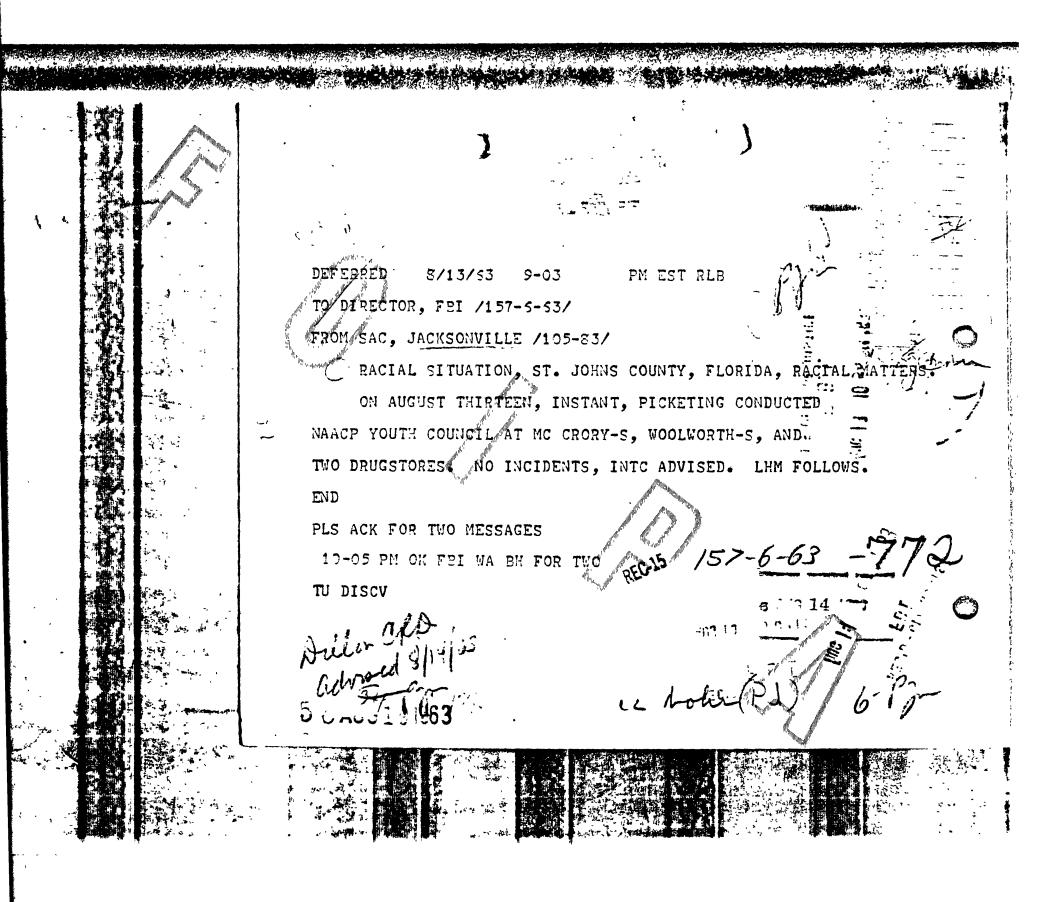
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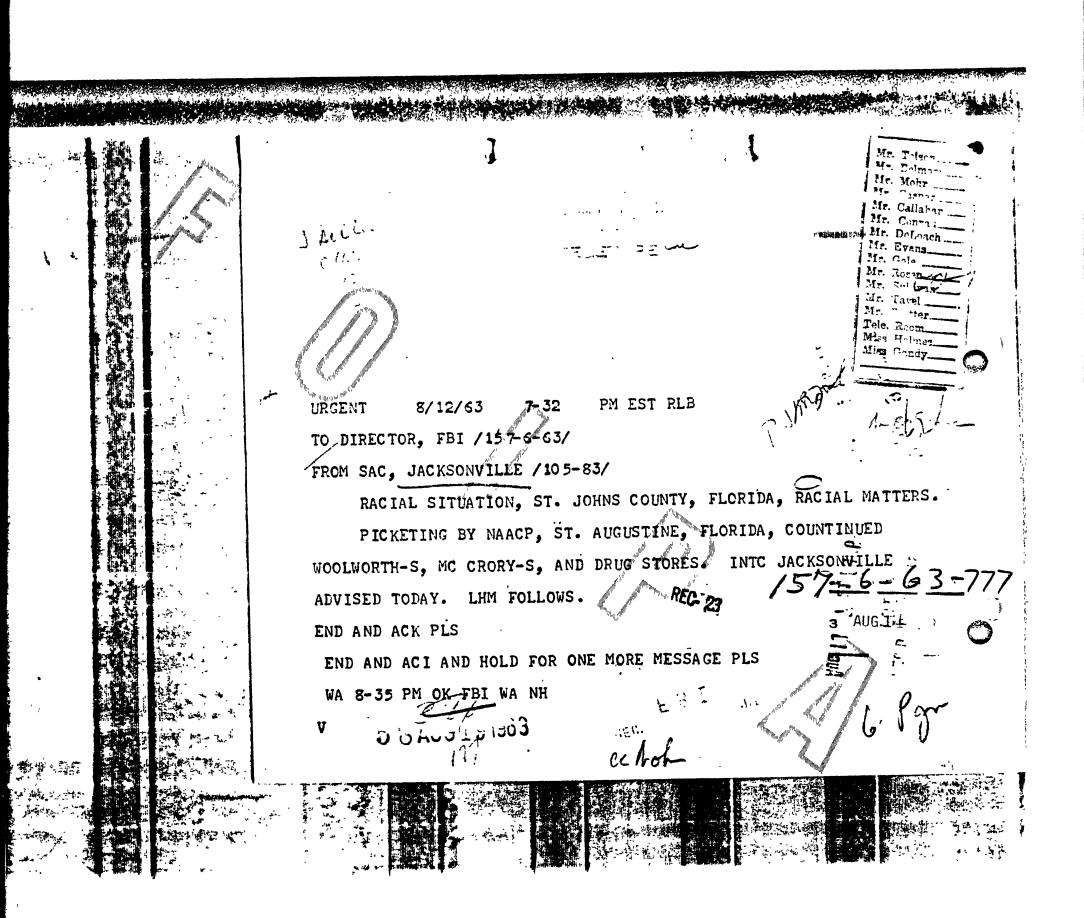
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Jacksonville, Florida August 12, 1963

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Assistant Chief Wayne Todd, Tallahassee Police Department, advised on August 10, 1963, that seven to ten Negroes picketed in front of the P. W. Wilson Department Store in down town Tallahassee from approximately 2:00 to 5:00 PM, August 10, 1963. Chief Todd said the group carried signs indicating that they were sponsored by the NAACP and that the picketing was being conducted in connection with the organization's drive for equal opportunities for Negroes. According to Chief Todd, picketing was peaceful and there were no incidents or arrests. Passersby appeared to pay little or no attention to the picketers.

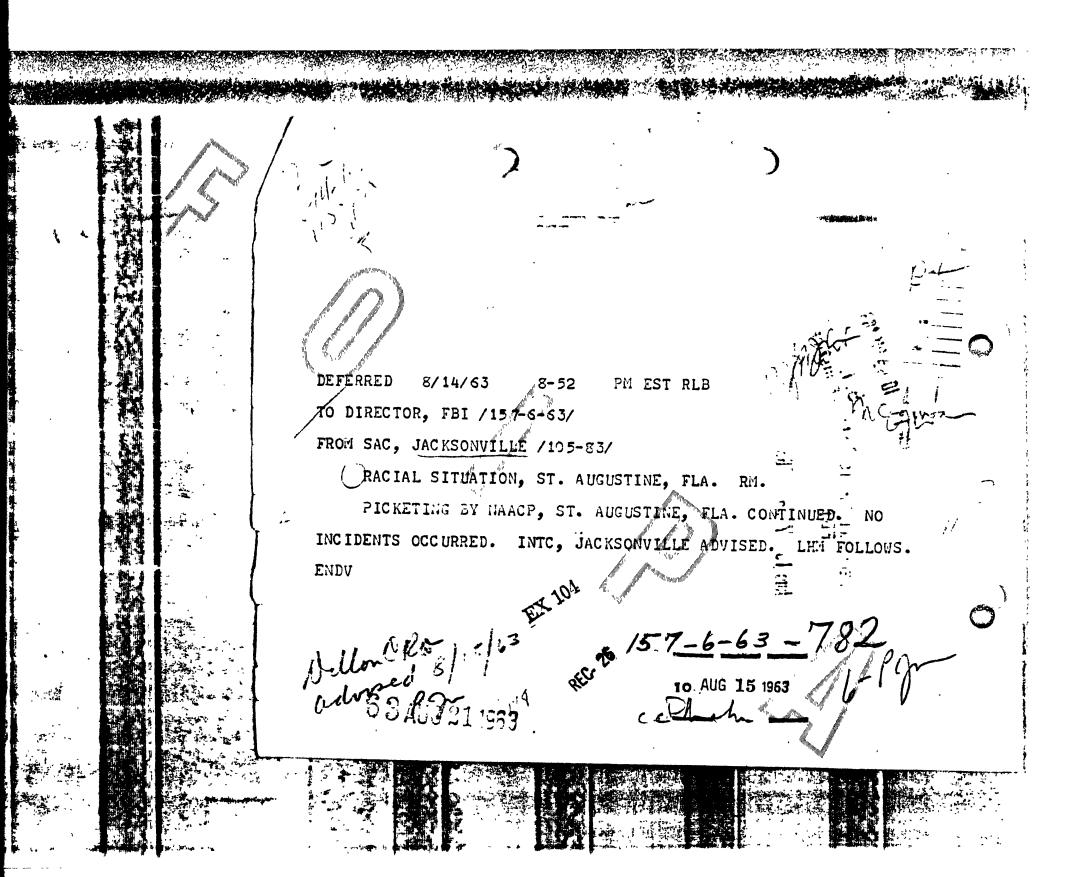
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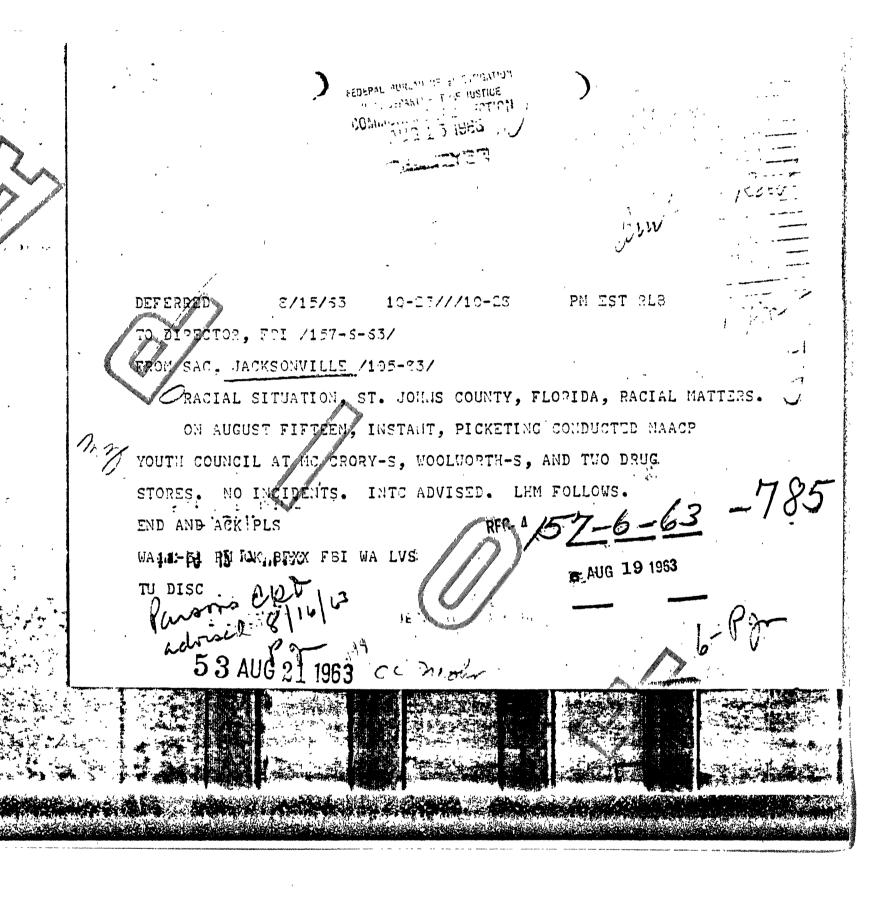
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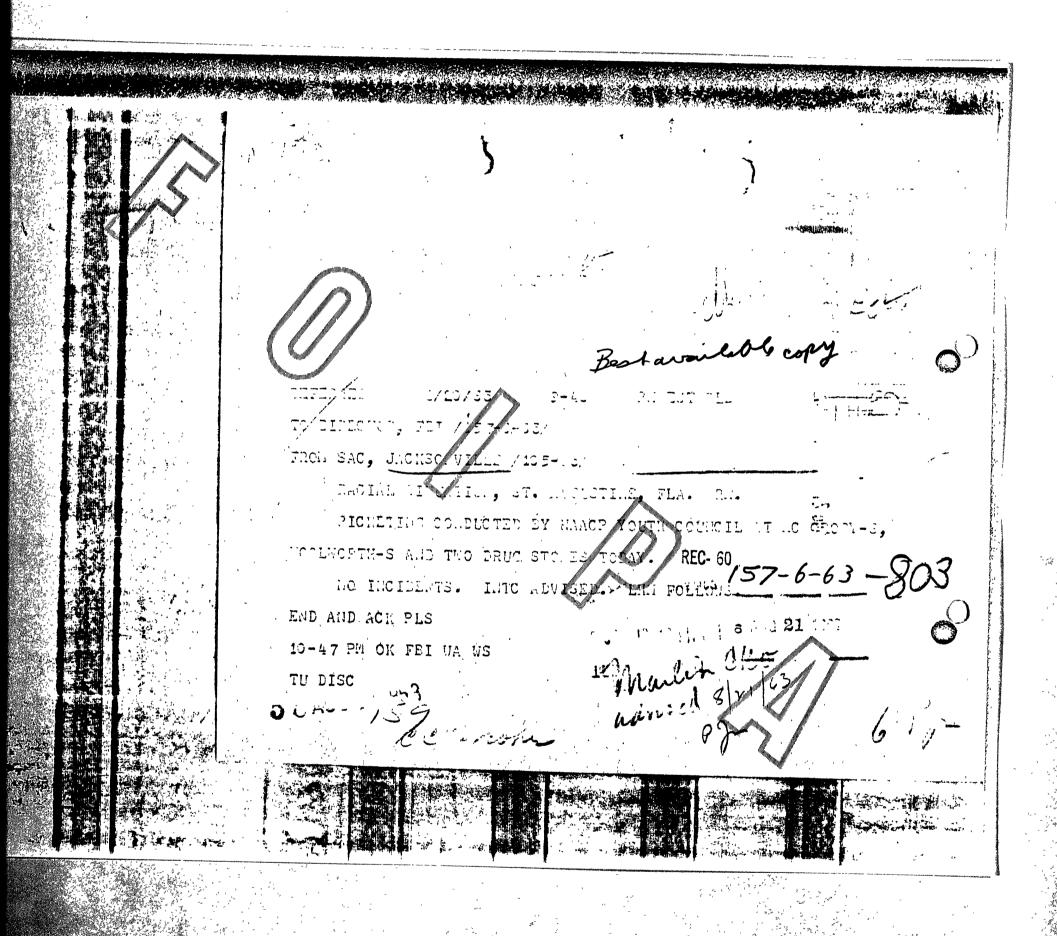
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Jacksonville, Florida August 21, 1960



RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

Cn August 20, 1963, members of the Youth Council, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, (NATCP), at St. Augustine, Florida, picketed Woolworth's, McCrory's and two drug stores. Picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

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Jackschville, Florida August 19, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JUINS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On August 16 and 17, 1963, members of the Youth Council, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, (NAACP), at St. Augustine, Florida, picketed Woolworth's, McCrory's, and two drug stores. Picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

On August 16, 1963, the Florida Advisory Committee to the United States Commission on Civil Rights, met at St. Augustine, Florida. Invitations to appear before the committee had been sent to various city and county officials, none of whom attended. The all day hearing was attended by the large group of Negroes and the Advisory Committee was addressed by several Negro leaders who complained that the City Commission had failed to set-up a bi-racial committee and take the lead in setting up talks with merchants and other groups.

Louis Nitchell of Daytona Beach, Florida, a while Episcopal Minister and Executive Director of the Florida Council on Human Relations compared conditions at St. Augustine with those in Birmingham, Alabama, before violence broke out. The commission at the end of their hearings made the following four recommendations to the United States Commission on Civil Rights:

That the commission seek to halt the use of \$350,000 Federal funds for promoting the St. Augustine Quadricentennial in 1965.

2. That it rule the suspension of Federal contracts for Fairchild Strates Corporation of St. Augustine until it ends discriminatory provides and the intimidation of Regro workers.

3. That immodiate steps be taken against the international union, fuorizan Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO), local 1224, tolend discremination.

EAGIAL SITUATION ST JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

4. That the United States withhold Federal funds from the State of Florida until it releases two minor Negro children sent to a correctional institution for participating in segregation protest.

The commission describes St. Augustine as the most segregated city of the Florida East Coast.

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Jacksonville, Florida August 22, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

Picketing by local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) members of drug stores, McCrorys, and Woolworths continued in St. Augustine, Florida, today.

The local Western Auto Store and a clothing store were also picketed for failure to hire Negro employees. During the lunch hour small groups of Negro youths kept entering local drug stores. Nine colored persons, three females, and six males were arrested for and charged with tresspassing after warning. Bond was set for the females at \$100 and for the males at \$200. All are presently incarcerated in the St. Johns County Jail.

Group (INIC), Jacksonville, Florida, was apprised of the above information.

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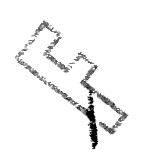
RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On August 23 and 24, 1963 picketing by local National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) members at St. Augustine, Florida continued at four drugstores operating segregated lunch counters, Woolworth's, McCrory's and two retail stores not employing Negroes.

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Jacksonville, Florida August 26, 1963

PACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On August 26, 1963, picketing by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) was continued at Woolworth, McCrorys, Western Auto, and two daugstores. Picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI /157-6-63/
FROM SAC, JACKSONVILLE /105-83/
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Jacksonville, Florida August 27, 1963 In Reply, Please Refer to File No.



RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On August 27, 1963, picketing by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) vas continued at Woolworth's, McCrory's, Western Auto, and two drugstores. Picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

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UNITED STATES GO ERNMENT Memorandum

DIRECTOR, FBI

ȘAC, JACKSONVILLE (157-436)

SUBJECT: LIAISON WITH GROUPS SPONSORING INTEGRATION

RACIAL PATTERS

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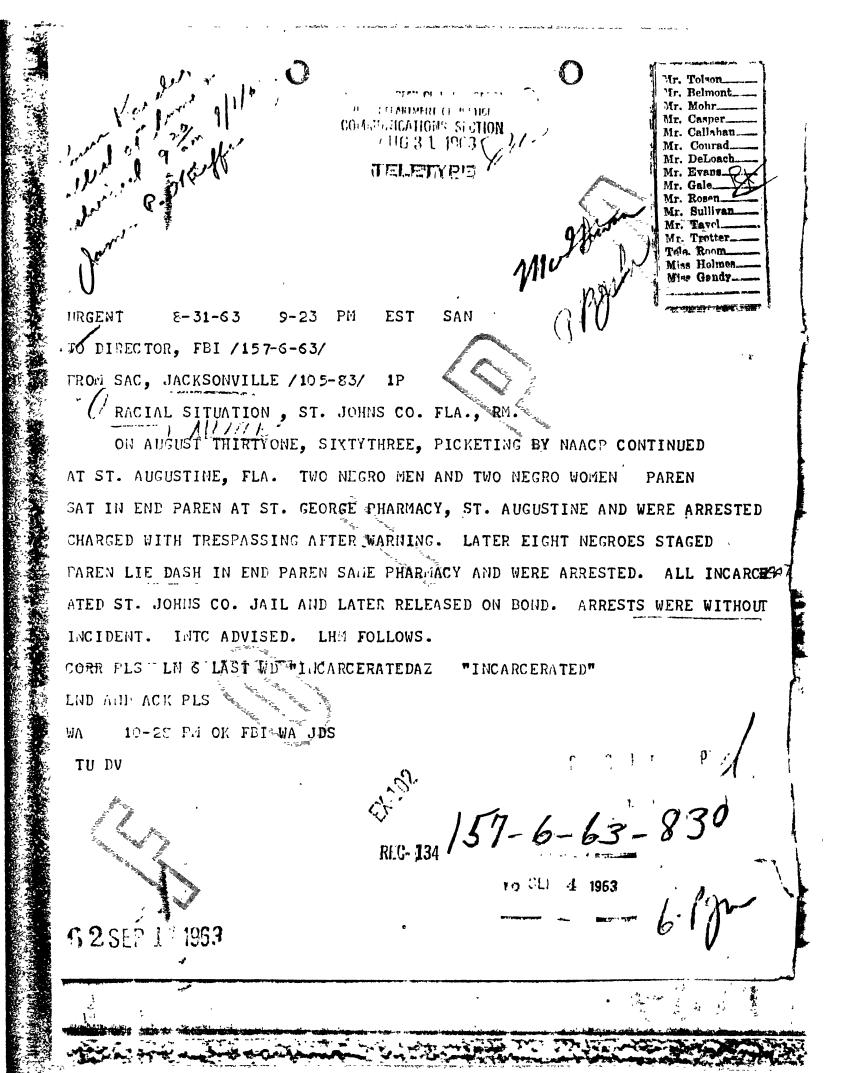
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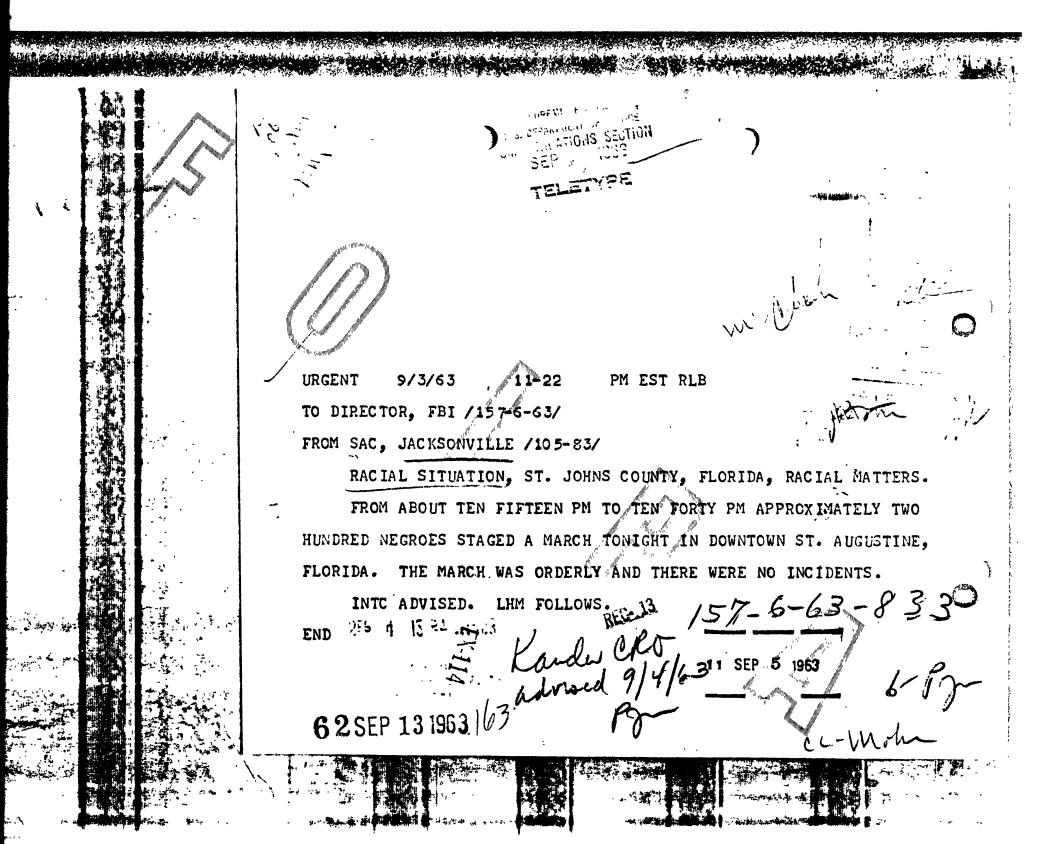
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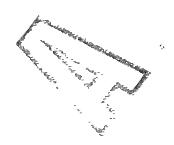
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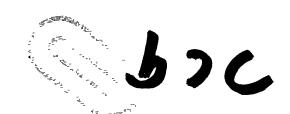


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Jacksonville, Florida August 29, 1963

> RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On August 29, 1963, picketing by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) was continued at Woolworth's, McCroy's, Western Auto, and two drugstores. Picketing was orderly and there were no incidents.

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Jacksonville, Florida August 30, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA

On August 30, 1963, members of the Youth Council, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) at St. Augustine, Florida, picketed Woolworth's, McCroy's, Western Auto, and two drugstores. On the afternoon of August 30, 1963, three Negro women and one Negro man were arrested by the St. Augustine, Florida Police Department while picketing Western Auto and McCroy's Stores at St. Augustine, Florida. The picketers were charged with violation of local ordinance stating picketing shall not interfere with local pedestran traffic. Police charged the picketers were warned several times that they were obstructing pedestrians on the sidewalk of St. George Street, where the picketing occurred. The Negroes were incarcerated in the St. Augustine City Jail awaiting bond. The arrests were made without incident.

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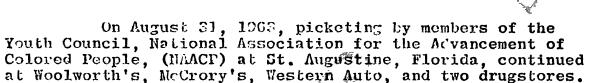
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Jacksonville, Florida September 3, 1963

RACIAL SITUATION
ST. JOUIS COUNTY, FLORIDA



During the afternoon of August 31, 1963, two Negro men and two Negro women "sat-iu" at St. George Pharmacy, St. Augustine, Florida, and were arrested by local authorities and charged with Trespassing After Warning. Later, eight Negroes staged a "lie-in" at the same pharmacy and were arrested. All were incarcerated in the St. Johns County Jail and were later released on bond. The arrests were without incident.

On September 2, 1967, approximately one hundred Negroes held a civil rights rally at the slave market in St. Augustine, Florida. Twenty-six males and one female, all Hegroes, were arrested by the St. Augustine Police Department charged with holding a meeting without a permit. Among those arrested were Doctor Robert Hayling, Adviser to local youth group of NAACP, James Brown, a NAACP official from Savannah, Georgia, and Golde Eubanks, a Vice President of the local NFACP. Eubanks was also charged with resisting arrest.

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