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Rev. James H. Ladd	St. Stephen Bapt Church
Rev. R. L. Patterson	Mt. Carmel Baptist Church
Rev. C. M. Hylton	
Rev. Chas. L. Parker	1st Bapt Church
(Rev.) Henry Houston	Mt. Jezreel Bapt Church, Alex. Va.

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Rev. P. K. Foster.

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Res. Isaac C. Brown

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Rev. Percy J. H. Magin

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Rev. L. L. Garrison,

Berean Bt. Church

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Res. J. E. Johnson

Res. Samuel F. Harrison

Res. Joseph Maycock

CHURCH

Pastor of the Evergreen Church
Pastor of St Joseph Baptist Church
Shiloh Baptist
Me. Wesley Mo. Baptist Church

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Figure 1 is a line graph showing the percentage of total energy expenditure (TEE) for different activities over a 24-hour period. The Y-axis is 'Percentage of TEE' (0-100) and the X-axis is 'Time of Day' (0-24). The activities and their approximate percentages are:

Time of Day	Sleeping	Resting	Sitting	Standing	Walking	Running
0	80	10	5	2	1	0
4	80	10	5	2	1	0
8	70	15	10	3	1	1
12	60	20	15	4	1	0
16	50	25	20	5	1	0
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A. B. Myers Chalmers

Wm. Schiebel

Everett Nelson

Washington Friends Meeting

Mount Olivet Lutheran

Berean Baptist Church (member)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Files

DATE: December 19, 1961

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FROM : Jerome K. Heilbron, Attorney
Civil Rights Division

SUBJECT: Telephone call, to and from [REDACTED]
Albany, Georgia, relating to Demonstrations and
Arrests of Negroes (December 12, 13, 14 and 15).

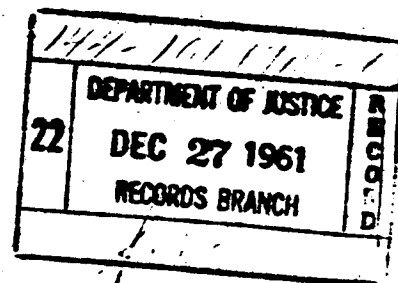
The following telephone calls were all made on Friday
afternoon, December 15, 1961, 2:45 p.m., call to [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], Albany, Georgia.

At the request of Mr. Burke Marshall, I phoned
[REDACTED] to find out the status of the negotiations
being carried on between representatives of the Negro
and white community regarding recent arrest of Negroes.

[REDACTED] told me that it appeared that the white
negotiators had agreed on two points: (1) They would
release all of the persons arrested (except Slater King)
between December 12-14, who had taken part in the
demonstration, (2) A bi-racial board would be established
to meet in the future to work out racial problems.

[REDACTED] said that matters which had not been
agreed upon were whether Slater King could be released
from jail on bond on his own signature or whether he
could perhaps be pardoned or have his sentence suspended
and the disposition to be made of the eleven "freedom
riders" who were arrested on Sunday, December 10th.

[REDACTED] said that these eleven persons arrested on
Sunday, December 10th consisted of nine of the eleven
freedom riders and in addition thereto two local people
making a total of eleven persons arrested. The Negro
negotiators wanted these eleven persons released on
their own recognizance. The white negotiators have not
made any commitments nor have they made any indications
that would ^{enter}tain the idea of releasing these eleven
persons on bond.



[redacted] requested that "Bob Kennedy" call the Mayor of Albany and the City Commission which were then in session and see if the remaining differences could not be resolved. I told [redacted] that I would pass on the substance of his conversation to Mr. Marshall and that I would phone him back later.

4:25 p.m. - [redacted] phoned me. I told him that Mr. Marshall was tied up in a hearing in another part of the building and that I wasn't certain what he had done but that I had passed on to him the tenor of my last conversation with [redacted]. [redacted] advised me that the Mayor and Commissioners were still in session and he had nothing further to report.

4:50 p.m. - [redacted] phoned me and said that he had just received a report that Slater King was being beaten up in the city jail. I told [redacted] that he ought to be sure of his facts on this and asked him what was being done on the local level to determine whether this was or was not correct. He said that Attorneys Donald Hollowell and C. B. King were going over to the jail to check up on this. I told [redacted] that I would pass this information along to Mr. Marshall and requested [redacted] to please have Mr. Hollowell or Mr. King call me as soon as they got back from the jail to let me know what had happened. [redacted] seemed unduly excited in his conversation with me and I had serious doubts concerning the accuracy of his report since he could give me very few facts. I immediately passed this information on to Mr. Marshall.)

5:45 p.m. - I phoned [redacted] to determine the status of the Slater King matter. He told me that Messrs. Hollowell and King had been to the jail and seen Slater King and he was all right. [redacted] said that the Chief of Police had told him that an employee of the jail had pushed Slater King back against the bars of his jail cell bumping Slater King's head; that the employee had been immediately fired by the Chief of Police. I asked [redacted] if the injury to Slater King had knocked him out and he said no that [redacted] appeared to be all right.

[redacted] told me that he expected Rev. Martin Luther King to arrive in Albany by 7 p.m. that evening. He said that he felt that the Mayor and City Council were stalling. I told him to keep me advised of the local situation.

RABBI DAVID POLISH, D.H.L., D.D.
BETH EMET THE FREE SYNAGOGUE

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December 19, 1961

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Mr. Robert Kennedy
Attorney General
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kennedy:

Like many American citizens, I am shocked and dismayed at the treatment accorded to Dr. Martin Luther King and his associates in Albany, Georgia. The flagrant and vicious treatment to which they have been subjected is an outrage to the conscience of America. I call upon you to exercise your official prerogatives to the end, not only that Dr. King and his associates will be released but that this kind of persecution is combatted and decisively repudiated by legal means.

The action of the officials of Albany, Georgia is a deliberate defiance of basic human rights. You have already shown through your office how this kind of defiance can be contested, and I hope that a strong demonstration of determined action in this case will not only show our government's concern in this matter but will contribute to discourage the bigots in our midst.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

David Polish
DAVID POLISH

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**THE HONORABLE ROBERT F. KENNEDY
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES:**

We, the undersigned Christian ministers of the National Capital area, protest the mass arrests in Albany, Georgia, of nearly 800 and the jailing of more than half that number of our Christian brothers and fellow Americans.

That the intention of these peaceful marchers to pray at the steps of a city hall was thwarted is an apparent infringement upon their Constitutional rights of peaceable assembly guaranteed by the First Amendment and demands your personal attention and that of the Department of Justice.

We urge that you act swiftly so that others elsewhere in America who oppose full freedom for all of our citizens will be discouraged from repeating this debacle.

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Rev. A. A. Booher

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Rev. N. W. Smith

Mt. Olive Reformation

Franklin D. Roosevelt

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Rev E E Barker

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Rev. H. E. L. Lee

Little Green Bay, Wis.

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For Carl M. Johnson

oak Grove East Church

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CIV. RIGHTS DIV.
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[Redacted]
2. The Bronx, 87, New York
December 19, 1961

Attorney General Robert Kennedy
Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

#9344

Dear Attorney General:

I strongly urge you to intervene
in the conflict raging in Albany,
Georgia. Intervention on your
part will prove that justice
and equality are not denied
to any citizen. Violence, as
you certainly know, breeds more
violence. Let us demonstrate
to the rest of the world that
"life, liberty and the pursuit
of happiness" are not idle
words we merely repeat. I
also urge you to release Mr.
King. Respectfully yours,

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RE: MARTIN LUTHER KING	
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MANY LOYAL AMERICANS ARE CONCERNED THAT MARTIN LUTHER KING
HAS BEEN JAILED IN ALBANY GEORGIA. WILL YOU PLEASE DO ALL IN
YOUR POWER TO LIBERATE HIM

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ATTORNEY GENERAL ROBERT KENNEDY

WASHDC

WE ARE CONCERNED BY RECENT **MASS** ARRESTS IN ALBANY GA AND BATON
ROUGE LA PARTICULARLY THOSE OF MARTIN LUTHER KING AND NEGRO
LEADERSHIP, WHICH IN EFFECT URGE YOU TO USE ALL THE AUTHORITY
AT YOUR COMMAND TO GUARANTEE CITIZENS IN THOSE STATES THE
EQUALITY OF TREATMENT TO WHICH THEY ARE ENTITLED UNDER THE
CONSTITUTION, IRRESPECTIVE OF RACE OR COLOR
SCOAILISTS PARTY OF ILLINOIS.

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GEN. ⁹ ~~W. L. Dwyer~~ ^{Rich Kennedy} #79344
Washington D.C. 12-10

Dear Sir - It has been often said
regarding the Rev. King - he died
in a rocket throughout the South -
that the Luther King along with
some of his cohorts are truly
backed by the Communist (Hell
Rascals) They do a sensible
man rule or permit such
demonstrations to continue -
if you know you are a party to
such a degrading story. Also
remember the South put J. F. K. in
office - voted for him - But you
cannot count on the South for
another year. - ~~Decision~~

Goodman fight appropriate
lawbreaker even in high places.

Many - Many good colored
people confused by your inability
or indifference to uphold our
State laws. if you are for law
you and J. F. K. rights. 44-101-12M-9
Good colored people - But ~~secretly~~
any one trying to destroy our
own

intellectually and morally
standing. You know
any hypocrite who uses the
title of Reverend is and so is
a damndisgrace to Religion
when the Rev does not in
any way, by word or deed, prove
good Christianity. I am sure

God will turn smile on
a man who looks a ^{GANG} ~~gang~~
to his neighbors damnation for
the purpose of discern or
evil doings. Will not fight
any more because it will
not mean a damn thing to
you and your NIGGER taking
Pictors in Cuba and Congo are
No worse than the NAACP Gang.

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Sir:-

Do you think bombing Negroes
in Georgia is better than
East Berlin and Katanga
dissatisfaction?

I am personally afraid that
these 2000 negroes may learn
that they are not kops and
may try a Castro someday, then
Georgia will call for troops;
would you send them assistance

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(V. A. Lewis)

Atty. Gen. Robert
Washington

Students, California

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : The File

DATE: Dec. 20, 1961

FROM : *[Signature]*
St. John Barrett, Second Assistant,
Civil Rights Division

SJB:arg 9334

SUBJECT: Police arrests at bus and
railroad terminals

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Yesterday I received a telephone call from *[Redacted]*, of the FBI, regarding our investigative request of December 14, 1961, in this case. He inquired whether, in view of the agreement reached between the contending factions in Albany and the further negotiations which were planned in that city, we desired the investigation to proceed.

After checking with Mr. Marshall I telephoned *[Redacted]* and advised him that the investigation should be held in abeyance.

CC: Mr. Murphy
Mr. Newman
Chron.
~~Mr. Newman~~

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ATT GEN ROBERT KENNEDY

DEPT OF JUSTICE WASHDC

THE SOUTHEAST REGION AND GEORGIA STATE CONFERENCE OF THE
THE NAAACP VIGOROUSLY PROTEST THE UNWARRANTED AND ILLEGAL ARREST
OF 255 NEGROS TODAY IN ALBANY, GEORGIA AS THEY
PEACEFULLY REGISTERED THEIR DISCONTENT

WITH SEGREGATION AND DISCRIMINATION THE PROTEST WAS SPARKED
SOLELY BY THE WITH OFFICIALS WHO REFUSED TO ACT IN GOOD FAITH
AND TO NEGOTIATE . WITH OFFICIALS HAVE TAKEN A RECOLITRANT
DEFIANT AND DISINTERESTED ATTITUDE TOWARD THE DESIRES OF THE
NEGRO POPULATION TO ENJOY BASIC CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS. THEY
FOIL TO RECOGNIZE RIGHTS GUARANTEED UNDER THE FIRST
AMENDMENT OF THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION OF FREEDOM OF SPEECH
AND ASSEMBLY. THE RIGHT TO PROTEST IS FUNDAMENTAL IN A DEMOCRACY

AND HAS BEEN USED IN THIS COUNTRY DOWN THROUGH THE YEARS SUCH
EVENAS HAVE OCCURRED IN THE SOUTH OF THE UNITED
STATES CAN HARDLY HELP PRESIDENT KENNEDY SELL DEMOCRACY IN
SOUTH AMERICA

MILLEDREVILLE BRANCH N.A.A.C.P. C O BROWN PRES.

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To President Kennedy.

Is freedom of assembly and freedom of religion just words of the past, or a living reality that boys fought and died for?

How come people in Albany, Alabama were not allowed to demonstrate, they gathering + praying - to end injustice to their race, Why were 700 people allowed to be cast in jail?

Why wasn't the Attorney General in the picture? Why was Washington silent on this flagrant miscarriage of justice. Our jails were set up to protect the innocent, not as concentration camps for those who protect injustice.

Don't it time appropriate action is taken
by the Attorney General and Attorney, etc?

If it isn't politically expedient
to help the negroes obtain their rights
remember it wasn't expedient ~~to~~
politically to save the Lord Jesus either.

Dr. Sinasol
[REDACTED]
very angry citizen

White

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HON ROBERT F KENNEDY ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES

US DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE CONSTITUTION AVE WASHDC

MASS ARREST OF NEGROES IN SOUTHERN COMMUNITIES VIOLATES BASIC
DEMOCRATIC TENETS AND UNDERMINES AMERICA'S POSITION IN WORLD WIDE
STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM (STOP) AFFIRMATIVE FEDERAL ACTION NEEDED
NOW BEFORE SITUATION DETERIORATES FURTHER (STOP) PERSONALLY
AND ON BEHALF OF OUR UNION I URGE THAT YOU TAKE IMMEDIATE STEPS
TO END THE UGLY SPECTER OF DISORDER AND CHAOS WHICH BREEDS
UPON SEGREGATION AND DISCRIMINATION

WILLIAM LEWIS PRESIDENT LOCAL 237 TEAMSTERS 170 MASSACHUSETT STREET
NEW YORK 33 NY.

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The Attorney General
United States of America
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I, an american citizen of the United States of America, am writing this letter in reference to the situation that is going on in Albany, Georgia. It is really pathetic to have people put into jail because they do not approve of the situation that is going on in Georgia.

I am appealing to you to please do something about the matters in Georgia. I am asking you to please send the Federal Marshals.

Sincerely,



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DIV. 1
U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE

December 20, 1961

Attorney General
United States of America
Washington, D. C.

#9344

Dear Sir:

I will not try and make this a fancy letter with lots of words. I'm a poor working Negro and have a heavy heart when I read and see pictures of our negros being jailed because they kneel down to pray in Georgia.

Please sir, I beg of you, to send Federal Troops down in Georgia to help our people.

I know you are a busy man, but want you please help us. We need it badly.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

[Redacted signature]

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ROBERT KENNEDY

US ATTORNEY GENERAL WASHDC

THE NEGRO MINISTERS OF PHILADELPHIA JOIN ME IN ASKING THAT
YOU USE YOUR INFLUENCE TO SEE THAT JUSTICE PREVAILS AND STOP
THE UNDEMOCRATIC PERSECUTION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING AND THE
THOUSANDS OF LOYAL NEGRO CITIZENS OF THE SOUTH

WILLIAM H GRAY JR PASTOR BRIGHT HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH.

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ROBERT KENNEDY, ATTY GENL

USA DEPT. OF JUSTICE WASHDC

DEAR SIR, AS CITIZEN OF A DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
WHICH HAD ITS INCEPTION AND WHICH HAS PRIDED ITSELF THROUGH
ALL THE YEARS OF ITS EXISTANCE ON FREEDOM OF THOUGHT, FREEDOM
OF SPEECH, FREEDOM OF ASSEMBLY, AND FREEDOM OF PRESS AND AS
MINISTERS OF THE CHRISTIAN GOSPEL WHICH ITSELF IS A GOSPEL
FREEDOM, WE DEPLORE THE FLAGRANT ARRESTS AND CRIMINAL TREATMENT
ACCORDED PERSONS WHO SEEK TO EXERCISE THESE FREEDOMS IN DIGNITY,
HONOR AND SOBRIETY WE RESPECTFULLY URGE THEREFORE THAT YOU
WOULD USE THE POWER OF YOUR HIGH OFFICE TO BRING ABOUT IMMEDIATE
CESSATION OF SUCH ARRESTS AND TO RELEASE THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN
THUS INCARCERATED YOURS FOR TRUE DEMOCRACY AND FULL FREEDOM
FOR ALL

BAPTIST MINISTERS CONFERENCE OF NASHVILLE TENNESSEE
AND VICINITY REV B

DRISKELL PRES REV W T BROOKS CORRESPONDING SECY.

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No troops at Albany, Ga.!!!?



Glenn, 14, La.

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ME

Hoover, J. Edgar

MEMO TO ASST A. G., CIV RTS DIV.

Civ Rts Matter inv Unidentified Police Officer, Albany
Police Dept; [REDACTED] age 16, allegedly
arrested on disorderly conduct, obstructing traffic
charge, given improper physical treatment. 12-12-61.

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A. Ga.

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