

OUT OF DATE--Glenville High School science department chairman Samuel Brooks (left) and physics teacher Ben I. Levine look over old, out-dated lab equipment in school's biology and physics lab. Note three sizes of lab stools. (Staff Photo by Len Watkins)

King Overwhelms

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Birmingham, as in other cities, are the last to be hired and the first to be fired...

"He would learn that Negroes earn about 50% less on the average than the whites, to take home to their families. This was Martin Luther King, president of the Southern Leadership Conference, that is converting Birmingham, Ala., where racial violence has flared to riot proportions because Negroes under King and others have dared to demonstrate for equal rights and human dignity.

OVERFLOWING from Cory where thousands gathered to stand tirelessly until they were told that King would speak at other churches in the area were men, women, and children, the aged and the young, pregnant women, babies in arms, all came to hear the message of the great man from the South.

"I can assure you that I have never seen a more aroused response than that I have seen in Cleveland, Ohio tonight," he told them, and his audiences roared their approval.

"As we face the dogs, the tanks of Bull Connors in Birmingham, our people are not facing them alone... we must blot out segregation-- now, henceforth, and forever more... "THERE COMES a time when people get tired (thunderous applause)... tired of being trampled over by the iron feet of oppression... a time when people get tired of being pushed out of the glittering sunlight of life's July and are forced to stand in the chill November of an Alpine winter." Rev. Dr. King told his audiences.

"Segregation is a cancer... it is a new form of slavery," he told his rapt listeners. "It is the illegitimate child, born out of the illicit intercourse between injustice and immorality... the Negro must take a new look at himself... Birmingham signifies that the Negro is no longer willing to accept segregation... it must be removed before our Democratic health can be realized."

WE WILL NO LONGER sell our birthright of freedom for a mess of segregation pottage. "Now, Birmingham also says to us that the Negro has a new sense of dignity... so long have we felt a sense of inferiority... The Negro has come to feel that he is somebody... to feel that God loves all of his children... and that every man, from a bass black to a treble white is significant to Him... (thunderous applause).

Child Gives Her Present to King

Money rolled into Cory Methodist church Tuesday night like it has never rolled before. It came in envelopes, checks, baskets, cash and one group, unable to pass their contribution to Birmingham down from the crowded balcony, wrapped it in a silk scarf and tossed it down to a committee member.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the dark Moses that packed four Glenville churches like Cleveland has never seen before, has anticipated \$10,000. A final count of the money collected was not available at 3 a.m. Wednesday as it has to be collected and counted from several different sources. Some observers felt the total for the day would go well over the 100 mark. The money collected was earmarked for Birmingham where some of it will be used to bail out convicted demonstrators.

One girl, Robin Rodgers, gave \$50 which had been given her on her 12th birthday by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Linnell Rodgers. "I'm giving this money to the children of Birmingham," she said. Many of those arrested in the riot-torn city were school children.

Money collecting got under way at Cory Methodist church under the direction of Judge Perry B. Jackson while waiting for Dr. King to arrive. Several ministers assisted. Some of the early donations included: George W. White \$10, New Hope Baptist church \$50, Sky Caps \$25, Social Worker club \$25, Divinity Baptist church \$219, Shauter Drug employees \$302.

Other early donations included St. Theresa church \$15, Chase Brass employees \$64, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority \$26, New Bethel Baptist \$17, Real Estate brokers \$87, United Steel Workers \$72, Dearing's restaurant \$100, Elizabeth Baptist \$100, Boyds, \$25, Corinthian Baptist \$25, Lee Seville Baptist \$35, I.J. Franklin Realty \$42, Dr. G. Franklin \$25, Negro Labor council \$42, and numerous others.

Glenville High

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Cleveland School System in 1906. Additions to the building were constructed in 1911, 1922 and in 1939.

Like other high schools in Cleveland, Glenville High has a science laboratory. But unlike other high schools in the city, much of Glenville's laboratory equipment is old and out-dated.

Although the account has been on science in this country for the past few years, students must cope with, or attempt to cope with, out-dated equipment while making scientific experiments.

Glenville's principal is Jack Stafford, described as a "dedicated school official" and a principal who is "really interested" in Glenville and its pupils.

Stafford knows that the school is not doing what is should for the students and says so. He also knows that his faculty could do more and a better job with pupils if there was adequate space.

"For instance," the principal says "there is a great shortage of classrooms. Fortunate teachers have to share nine classrooms.

"A teacher has no time to prepare a blackboard before her class arrives in the room. She must enter at the same time the students enter."

Thus, Stafford, said, teachers cannot be as effective as they would like to be.

"A lot of people think that each teacher has his or her own classroom. But this is not true at Glenville," the principal said. He said the school has no visual aid room.

In the mathematics department, Stafford pointed out, there are only four rooms, and even the business education department shares these four.

The largest classes of all at Glenville are the gym classes. There are 94, 97, 111 and 123 pupils in each class, the principal said.

"We cannot possibly give the students what they should have," he said. "Many people do not understand the overcrowdedness interferes with the educational processes at a school."

In the kind of classroom set-up at Glenville, he said, his faculty is just "going through the motions" of quality education.

"The people must know this now," the principal says. "Pupils have a shorter classroom period. The periods, he said, are a little more than a minute shorter than usual.

"Now this may not sound bad to some people," Stafford explained, "but in a school year this means a lot of time loss-- The students suffer."

He explained that in many cases high school students are above the educational level of their parents, and that therefore parents are unable to help their children with their studies.

"So the school must make this difference... The school must make up for this..." (NEXT WEEK: Parents and community reaction to the Glenville problems.)

Dick Gregory

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participating in marches in Birmingham, is also remembered for his role as "My Brother's Keeper" when he undertook a program to bring surplus food to suppressed Negroes in LeFlore County, Miss.

Clevelanders expected to attend the annual dinner include Judges Perry B. Jackson, Frank J. Merrick, Theodore Williams, Cong. Frances P. Bolton and Charles Vanik, State Rep. Carl B. Stokes;

Councilman John W. Kellogg, chief assistant police prosecutor Paul White, Drs. Martin Sutler, Emmitt McQueen, John Murrelland Manning Roseman, Revs. Donald S. Jacob, Joseph Stallworth, B. Robert Lawson;

Frank Evans, Arthur L. Vance, Warren Chappell, D.L. Morris Jones, Irving Franklin, Wendell Erwin, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Garvin, Atty. Jack Day and Atty. and Mrs. George Johnson, Joseph Williams, Atty. and Mrs. Jay B. White, Howard Overton and Samuel Robinson.

Cleveland companies expected to attend include the Halle Bros., Standard Oil, Fisher Bros., Richmond Bros., Sears-Roebuck, May Co., Sterling Linder, Little Dalton Association;

Pepsi Cola, Coca-Cola, Forest City Materials, Graphite Bronze, Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co., Milgrim-Schaeffer and Carling's Brewing, Crayton Sausage, and G.A. Anderson.

Women's clubs and groups will include the Junior Women's Civic League, the Cubes, the Women in NAACP Service, the Clevelanders and the Reynards.

Financial institutes will include the Cleveland Trust Co., Central National Bank, National City Bank and Parkview Federal Savings and Loan.

Various churches and local unions will also be represented at the dinner.

Name Cleveland Attorney Top VA Regional Assistant

Atty. Douglas Haynes, 1575 E. 108th St. was sworn in Monday May 13, as Assistant Chief Attorney for the Cleveland Regional Office of the Veterans Administration. He was recommended by Rep. Charles A. Vanik (D-21).

The Chief Attorney's Office is responsible under Federal law for the supervision of all estates of incompetent VA beneficiaries who reside in the 38 northern counties of the State of Ohio.

Haynes, who was in general law practice prior to the appointment formerly served as an assistant to the Ohio Attorney General Mark McElroy. Haynes has also worked for the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

A native Clevelander, he attended John Adams High School, Wilberforce and Ohio State Universities and finished at Cleveland College. He attended law school at Cleveland Marshall.

Married, the father of three children, the Attorney is armed with experience plus a B. B. A. and an L. L. B. degrees as he assumes the \$11,150 post.

Approximately 700,000 veterans reside within the area of the Cleveland Regional Office. Of this number, the Chief Attorney is responsible for supervision of estates of 3200 veteran and other adult beneficiaries' estates, and 11,000 estates of minor children. Such estates have a total value of \$16,210,430, and a monthly income averaging \$600,000.

The Chief Attorney's Office acts as legal counsel for the Manager and all operating units of the Cleveland Regional Office, as well as legal counsel for the Director, VA Hospital, Brecksville, and Director, VA Hospital, Cleveland.

Folks Came Early

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Mrs. Mary Baker, 13315 Kinsman, was three of the early arrivals. They saved a seat for a friend, Mrs. Margaret Goodman, 3290 E. 135, who arrived at 5:00 p.m. Mrs. Goodman brought her three friends a bag lunch, payment for saving her a seat and a check for \$10 for Dr. King from the Red Cross where she works.

Some were not as lucky as Mrs. Goodman and her friends. The closest Mrs. Mary Goolsby, 815 E. 125th St., got to the inside of the church and was in the lobby behind the pulpit. She was happy to be even that near to the place where Dr. King was to speak.

"I prayed until I cried that this meeting would be a success," Mrs. Goolsby said. Albert Pugh, 3428 E. 123rd St. got no further than the sidewalk outside Cory.

"Dr. King and the others," said Pugh, "are doing a wonderful job. Now all the people have to do is back them up."

Mrs. Daisy Griffin, 1328 E. 93rd St. was deeply interested in hearing Dr. King speak. She has a son and a sister living in Birmingham. She said she has not heard from them since the demonstrations began. She got as far as the front lobby.

Father Slays

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"abated by death." The Call & Post learned that Williams leaves an aunt, Mrs. Alberta Wright, of 3603 E. 142 St. At that address it was learned that funeral arrangements were being made late Tuesday.

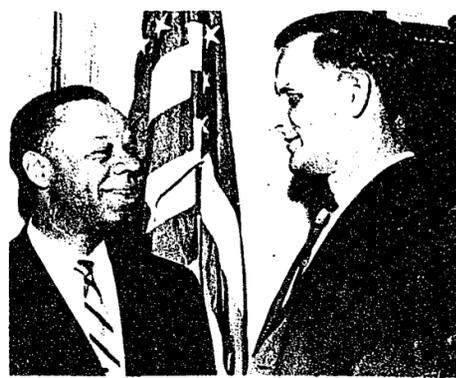
Mrs. Madlene Smith, a sister, from Akron said there were three other sisters and two brothers surviving, including one in Youngstown and one in Montgomery, Ala. Williams was also said to have a woman friend at his home address, 1860 E. 71 St.

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APPOINTED TO VA OFFICE--Atty. Douglas Haynes, sworn in Monday as assistant chief attorney of the Cleveland Regional Office of the Veterans Administration, converse with William Blackwell, manager of the office. (Staff Photo by Allen Howard)

Goes Elsewhere

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wood, Miss. He made the statement about Boutwell when asked if the mass marches were improperly timed.

It is reported that the city has two forms of government, the Connor type, and a moderate type, headed by Boutwell.

"Birmingham is the worst city this side of Johannesburg, South Africa," Dr. King said. He warned that northern U. S. cities is not without criticism.

"No area in this country can boast of clean hands," the fearless integration leader said. "Every state should have a Fair Housing Bill."

"Injustice anywhere," he stated, "is a threat to justice everywhere."

Dr. King stated that he believes the agreement reached with merchants and civic leaders will be adhered to. They were, he said, "very sincere" and would live up to the agreement.

However, Dr. King pointed out the mass marches will continue in Birmingham if the agreement falls.

He pointed out that the Kennedy Administration played a "significant" part in "opening channels of communications."

Dr. King said he did not know where his Southern Christian Leadership Conference, of which he is president, would move to next, but that they have "many requests."

Radio Patrol

New York -- One of the first police radio stations in the country began operation in New York in 1916, used to contact harbor patrol boats.

Adventists Hold 10 Day Revival

A 10 day revival will be conducted by a visiting minister, Elder J. G. Thomas of Atlanta, Ga., beginning May 10 and lasting through May 19 at the Glenville Seventh-day Adventist Church, 737 E. 105 St. Meetings will start at 7:30 p.m.

Elder Thomas has been in the ministry for over 50 years.

Met Fans Honor Willie

At the recent baseball game at the Polo Grounds between the N. Y. Mets and the San Francisco Giants (the old New York Giants), the fans that number some 45,000 plus showed Willie Mays how much they missed him.

Willie was given a plaque on behalf of the club that succeeded the Giants in their old home and mountains of gifts. The great star, however, donated all the non-personal gifts to the Police Athletic League.

In rebuttal, Willie said: "Although I am so far away in California, every time I come here I feel this is my home."

SHOULD BE READ BY EVERY WAGE EARNER

Little known law available to wage earner residents of any state enables any wage earner to stop bill collectors, suits, judgments, attachment of wages and help wife out all debts.

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