

Sanitation March

Q.T.-1

In writing an actual account of the sanitation march held in Memphis Thursday, I decided to interview a friend, who was an active participant in the march. Also, in this interview I have selected initials instead of names Miss E. and Miss C. The interview went something like this.

Miss C. tell me all about the march don't leave out a single incident include everything that your eyes witness," replied Miss E. "Well, Miss E. I went downtown Thursday morning about 9:00 o'clock to join in the march. The march was announce on the radio, that all marchers meet at Cleaborn Temple. So I decided to walk down Beale to the church. As I approach Cleaborn Temple I decided not to go inside, but there were other marchers who did. I begin to mingle and talk with the other marchers, who were waiting. As we were talking one of the leaders pass handouts to the marchers. Miss E. interrupted, "what was the leader's name?" "I don't know," replied

Miss C. "I won't interrupt any more ~~from continuing, replied Miss C.~~ But the leader informed the marchers to conduct themselves as orderly as possible. I remembered two rules, which I call rules (1) if any marcher was approach by a policeman, who tries to disturb the march with mace please cover face with coat or any garment to prevent damage to the eyes (2) the marcher should notice the person in front, because if this marcher stops the one behind should stop. After the brief instruction we waited a few more hours more. I check my watch, and it was about 11:00 o'clock, and we were instructed to organize and arrange ourselves, and prepare for the march. The only delayed was Dr. King. Shortly after 11:00 o'clock I'll say 11:15 Dr. King arrived, and the crowd cheered, and we began to walk from the church to Hernandez Street. As we were walking I heard a loud crash, and I turned around to see what had happen. A boy or one could call him a man, broke some glass. I hadn't expected (96)

I hadn't expected violence to enter in the march. At that moment, the marchers begin to panic. So one of Dr. King's marshalls forsook other outsiders to participate in the march. The marshalls were pleading and begging with the outsiders to participate in the march. But the outsiders completely ignored the marshalls pleas, and continued their rampage. Well, I still remain with the other marchers until some of the rioters begin to disturb the marchers. So I decided to leave the march, because I was frightened." Glass was in the street, and people were screaming. I ran all the way home.

My Reaction to the Sanitation March

Q.T.-4.

I feel that the march was plan-
ned carefully to go smoothly, ~~and~~ held
at Memphis, but not feel that the march
doubtful for the march demonstrators, that
teenagers and children, ~~and~~ out of class
nature enough to engage ~~in~~
for example, in the paper I write about
Miss C, how many teenagers would have
remain in the march, when glass was
broken as Miss C did? I could probably
count the teenagers, who would have
remain calm in the march. However,
I feel that more concentration should
have been placed on adults and college
students. For example, examine ~~the~~
strategy members, which is quite different
from the sanitation march. But, I am
trying to make point most of his support
was from college students. I feel that
the strategy members of the sanitation
march should have selected more college
students. I conclude on the whole the
march was plan carefully, and as a result
of the march it has been quite effective