

L.A. S.N.C.C.
MUST SURVIVE!!
FOR THE PEOPLE

The Student Non-violent Coordinating Committee moved into its office on January 12, 1968. Since that time S.N.C.C. and the people working with the organization have been constantly harrassed by the Los Angeles Police Department, the F.B.I., and their friends located in the Black community.

Since January 12th these things have happened:

1. The constant surveillance of the S.N.C.C. office by both marked and unmarked police cars.
2. The spotlighting of people as they leave the office at night.
3. On Friday, April 5, while the staff was attending memorial services for Dr. King, the police broke into the office. At this encounter the police destroyed \$5,000.00 worth of printing equipment, confiscated literature, and put tacks in food cooking on the stove.
4. It is alleged that the proprietor of the building occupied by S.N.C.C. has been pressured by the Los Angeles Police Department. Present rent of \$150.00 per month has been doubled (\$300.00) or out by June 1, 1968.
5. Last night, May 3rd, after attending a fund raising party for S.N.C.C., the racist pig cops broke into a staff member's home, ransacked the house and arrested everyone in-

side--all S.N.C.C. staff members.

Those arrested are:

1. Franklin Alexander, 27, Strong and well known community organizer. Key figure in organization of the People's Tribunal Committee. Demanded City Council bring Los Angeles cop to trial for murder of 18 year old Gregory Clarke.

Project Co-ordinator for L.A. S.N.C.C.

2. "Deacon" Alexander, 21, Well liked and widely known young black leader. One of the first two members of S.N.C.C. Youth Corps. Long involved in black draft resistance with young high school brothers. Campus speaker for NEAWADU.

3. Stanley Wright, 21, Member of T.S.U. 5 (Five brothers at Texas Southern University allegedly accused of killing one Houston policeman.) On the West coast to speak at college campuses and in the community to let black people know what the man will do to us, and how he is moving on us now.

4. Thomas Valentine, 33, Los Angeles S.N.C.C. volunteer staff worker involved in following up leads on all L.A. S.N.C.C. projects.

5. Mark Simeian, 20, L.A. S.N.C.C. Security officer presently working on self-defense project which will enable men, women, and children to learn to better defend their homes and community.

6. George Hopkins, 20, S.N.C.C. security officer responsible for printing and distributing information through-

about the Black community. One of the directors of the
S.N.C.C. Youth Corps.

7. Betty Jo Allen, 18, Dedicated office worker, S.N.C.C. barber and one of the key workers in the newly organized Friends of S.N.C.C. Also involved in S.N.C.C. Liberation School.

Bails totaling \$50,000.00 have been set. We can and we must raise the money ourselves.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

1. Send money to L.A. S.N.C.C.
1994 West Jefferson Blvd.
Los Angeles, Calif.
213 731-7370

2. Write, call, send telegrams to:

L.A. Police Chief Thomas Reddin
150 North Los Angeles St.
Los Angeles, Calif.
213 MA4-5211 ext. 3202

Also L.A. Mayor Samuel Yorty
Los Angeles City Hall
Los Angeles, Calif.
213 MA4-5211 ext. 1175

Demand the immediate release of and dismissal of charges against the L.A. S.N.C.C. 7 arrested. Demand that attacks on L.A. S.N.C.C. by the L.A. Police Department cease immediately!

3. Give house parties, dances, hold rallies, benefits, and whatever else you feel is necessary to inform and enlist support from our people.