

NAME Henry Brown
ADDRESS 103 North 10th Street
CITY Monroe
STATE Louisiana
AGE 27

ORGANIZATION AFFILIATION & JOB DESCRIPTION (in the organization):

Congress of Racial Equality, Jack Force
worker, working on Voter Registration and
Freedom School project. on Voter Registration
I canvass door to door if the person is not
registered I teach them in their home, and also
set up Clinics at Halls and Churches and announce
it in various Churches on sundays. I also go to the
registrars office and wait until its close in order to
Keep count of those that pass & those that fail

FAMILY BACKGROUND:

My mother name was Mrs. Leala Anthony
then she married my father Mr. Earl Brown
and then they seperated and she married a
Holmes and divorced him and married
again to Mr. Herman Lafayette. Neither
one of my parents were active in Civil
Rights. My Grandmother ~~name~~ name before marriage
was Mrs. Mary Jane Thompson later married
~~to~~ Bill Anthony. Her mother was an Indian
and she was half Indian that's all I know
about the family background. They are for civil rights
this I can say.

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On Freedom School I've contacted people that have never attended school and they are waiting for the school to begin, I've gotten 3 lists out of 4 the names and addresses of all the teachers in Jackson parish and I've talked with some of the leaders in this Parish and one is going to donate the land and said he and several others will help build the school free of charge. I went to school in East Feliciana

~~PARISH~~:

Parish and finished High School in the year of 1956. My hobby is cooking, I came in contact with Core when Bill Brown, Ed. Vicary and Mike Leaser, and Bette Paul, Danny Mitchell, Missi Flingold, came to Clinton, La. in the year of 1963. In Clinton a Core Chapter were formed and I was one of the first to join on Oct 12, 1963 we picketed the town of Clinton and went to jail there we spent 24 days and several other times for the same. On March 7, 1964 I sat in the Library in Clinton, La. and again was arrested, these were the active part that I took in Civil Rights, because I believe in the work of Core, without these methods ~~we could not have~~

Nothing can be accomplished. Our white brothers
see that we are willing to give up our lives
for freedom. They also see that Tear Gas,
hauent stopped us, Dogs, Cattle prods, and
water Hoses, we are not going to be discouraged
we are going to keep on walking, keep on talking
marching up to Freedom Land.