Speech by Shukely Car-
michael at New York Anti-War rally:

The black people of the United States of America. It is true that in this nation we have not claim to that humanism which declares no man is an is-land. We therefore fully sup-
port the Martin Luther King's stand and that of CORE, to call attention to the fact that Dr. King was once awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. It seems that at least in Swe­den, the convention between ending war and ending racism is close.

Yet there are those who would remind us that it is tactically unwise to speak out against the war. It will al­locate support. We must to a nation which has been in a constant state of war since 1945. In this nation, war has been a way of life, a way of keeping the economy going, a way of keeping the people divided.

We are living in a world where the war is not just in Vietnam, but in the United States as well. We must not be silent, we must not be afraid to speak out against the war. We must support those who are speaking out against the war.

END THE WAR!!

VIETNAM SUMMER

A call has gone out for 10,000 persons to participate in a Vietnam Summer with the object being the ending of the Vietnamese War. In a statement the committee said the following: "The ob­jectives are two-fold. First and minimally, to prevent bipartian "margories" for keeping the Vietnam War "out of politics," to prevent the peace bloc from being won over by dow-­like murmurs from unreliable politicians, as happened in 1964 and 1966. Second, and maximally, to bring an end to the war and to the process which is creating the Independent political forces initially organized around the demand that the United States withdraw from Vietnam, but subsequently developing a­round multi-issue concerns. To achieve such objectives, it is absolutely essential to begin now. It is already too late, and to get publicized and well-publicized effort during the month of May, thousands of persons could be convinced to devote their summers, either part-time or full-time, to organizing activities. Should we miss the chance to establish a consolidated effort now and lose the en­ergies which might be generated this summer, we will once more enter an election year with no new and disorganized, almost certainly face with a choice between Two­gether and Tweedledee.

The organizational model which for the Vietnam Summer is that of a broadly autonomous and discrete pro­gram, not tied to (no in­)structures such as happened in 1964 and 1966. This is in the hope that the activities of the SNCC, CORE, SDS, and other organizations be endorse, supported, and where possible, aided by these groups - SDS, SNCC, etc.

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The students at Howard University, one of the country's oldest Negro college having an opportunity to address the House for the first time and to revise and extend his remarks.

Mr. Rivers: Mr. Speaker, the day may be a long one to be indignant concerning the treatment Lt. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey received at Howard University yesterday.

Here is a university that is almost completely underwritten by the Federal Government and paid for by taxpayers of this country. But the student does have the courtesy to let Gen. Hershey explain himself before the draft and college deferments.

I disagree with some of the conclusions of the General's recent report. But I do believe that if the country agrees with the views anywhere in America with the General's denunciation by idiotic and irresponsible and subordinated students.

If this conflict, not only at Howard University but at colleges throughout the United States where other officials have received similar treatment, by Secretary of Defense --college deferments may become a thing of the past. This is a fair warning to every college and university and any college or university that can well compete with those thoughts, second thoughts on this vital subject.

Mr. Waggoner, Mr. Speaker, will the gentlemen yield? Mr. River: I yield. Mr. Waggoner: I am delighted to welcome to the distinguished gentleman from Iowa.

Mr. Goss, Mr. Speaker will the gentleman yield? Mr. Rivers: I yield. Mr. Waggoner: I am delighted to welcome to the distinguished gentleman from Louisiana.

Mr. Goss, the legislative committee which deals with Howard University and also the Appropriations Committee to see which deals with it. I ought to take this date of what transpired yesterday.

Mr. Rivers: Every member of this Body will have plenty of reason for the lavish and generous financial support we have accorded to Howard University over the years. Each member who has been here can see the appropriateness.

I believe should be more responsible, situated as we are in the heart of the shadow of the Capitol. Of course, the White House in its current condition should be the shadow of the Capitol. Of course, the White House in its current condition should.

The students went on to the Nation's Capitol, certainly the greatest irony and tragedy of it all is that our nation which insisted so much on the revolutionary spirit of this country, now cast in the mold of being an arch anti-revolutionary.

One of the greatest casualties of the war in Vietnam in the Great Society. This pursuit of this widening war has narrowed the promised fulfillment of the welfare programs, making the poor pocketbook of the American taxpayer, the black man's battle ground.

We defended their right to face up to oppression in any form and at any time that they meet it, and feel confident in our belief that they will continue to do just that. Perhaps in the future Johnson will keep his gestures afloat of black campuses and learn that the black students have no time for their ignorance, or their lies.

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They shouted "America is the black man's battleground" and Gen. Hershey was let from the audience as the students started toward the platform, with the support of the audience. The meeting was continued with a spokesman from Project Agenda, who spoke on the problem facing the black man in America.

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The students could be heard loudly cheering and singing the words to "Red Hot Million Dollar Man." And indeed he did tell it like it is. He told students that black dirt is the best dirt. How the blacker the berry the sweeter the juice."

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BIRMINGHAM DEMONSTRATION

There is a revolution in the art departments of Black colleges. The drawing above was done by Herman Bailey of the Art Institute of Chicago. 

New SNCC Office in DC

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It is more ridiculous because Muhammad Ali knows "where this country is at." The hucksters that call themselves the World Boxing Association and other Athletic Boards have "striped" Muhammad Ali of his crown but we feel that we black persons in this country and around the world know who the world champ is. If the hucksters who have supposedly taken away his crown want it back-let them go into the ring and arrange to make it back.

Puerto Rican Brother

Jose Varona of the Federation Universitarios Pro Independencia in Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico was killed in an American bombing raid while visiting Haiti.

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"Deeply sorrowed to hear of the death of Jose Varona one of our brothers in the struggle. Please convey our condolences to family and all independent groups. With fraternal greetings from the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee.

A new SNCC office has been opened in D.C., at 1254 U., Street, N.W. The programs of D.C. SNCC as reported by the D.C. Director Lester McKinnie are as follows:

Program 1, "An anti-draft Program which enrolls new members every Saturday at 2 o'clock with young people of the black, high school students and toward students had been established. A worker is dealing specifically with high school students attempting to get them not to register or volunteer in the armed services. We have distributed a four-page pamphlet relating the Vietnam war to D.C. and the United States, such as the bombings of churches in the States, the amount of money spent on war compared to domestic budget and the killing of black people in that war.

Program 2, The Omnibus Crime Bill for D.C. This is supposed to be coming up in the House again soon, and we are trying to rally the people around the issue, getting petitions signed, getting buttons stating "I Fear of Cop, standing at the various churches in the nation, distributing leaflets with complaint applications for people to sign if they have witnessed any police brutality or if it happened to them.

(Thus interlocking the police brutality situation with the crime bill. Since we began the police brutality campaign several people have been coming in and calling the office making complaints about brutality.

Program 3, Julius Hobson has called a school boycott for May 1, which SNCC supports. We also endorsed the Spring Mobilization against the War in Vietnam.

At approximately 12:40, a.m. Thursday, March 30, Marion Barry and Lester McKinnie of Washington SNCC, were picked up and beaten by policemen stationed in the 13th precinct. Mr. Barry was alleged to have jaywalked. The policemen at this precinct, Mr. Bryant, looked toward McKinnie as he was falling and was struck himself. Mr. Bryant has a brain condition which has been diagnosed as "Pcultraumatic Neurosis." and he was reported to the hospital for treatment that next day. At the time of the beating he had only been in the station for five weeks.

It should be noted by our readers the type of treatment given to black soldiers who have risked their lives to protect a "so-called" democracy of Vietnamese people.

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V I E T N A M  S U M M E R

The history of Guyana's struggle for independence presents a study of the deceit and trickery which characterizes the policies of those who seek to sabotage the will of the colonial oppressors. Guyana's "independence" from a British colony to an American neo-colony is intricately described through the activities of Dr. Cheddi Jagan, leader of Guyana's first effective independence force, the People's Progressive Party (PPP). PPP's policies were guided by the hollow words of freedom echoed during his studies in the United States; overwhelmed by the persuasive counsel of his many philo-American friends and philosophers of his native India; and deceived by the liberal camouflage of the British Labor Movement. PPP was false to principle when the PPP stood for "democracy" in the sense of the people's unity for independence. With the efficiency of a professional force which succeeded by the baits of interests of the United States and the sugar interests of Britain, the Guyana colonial government systematically set out to crush the independence surge by raking the United States and its colonialist leaders through the propaganda of "independence by stagi..."

Although permitting Dr. Jagan authority of government position, the officially stated position, destroy... all attempts by the PPP to move toward control of the economy of the country. Power slaps were numerous to any substantive quest for economical power. Preliminary promises were of great influence... the PPP into a nationwide effort.

The problem we face is not one of failing democracy... it is true, Lyndon, that there is a... 

"You..."