"GIVE ME FREEDOM OR I'LL GIVE YOU DEATH"

Bro. Lynn French
April 11, 1969
Well brothers and sisters, welcome to the first edition of the BLACK LIBERATION EXPRESS. We sincerely hope that you enjoy this edition, and will contribute your support to our next edition. First we would like to start off by giving you a run-down on some of the events of this week.

As you know, Monday, April 21, Governor John J. McKeithen visited our campus. Over 500 students had to go down on St. Charles street and nearly kidnap him to bring him here. As he walked over to the cafeteria, he was flanked by Mr. George Haggar and Dean Emmett "Tom" Bashful. As he stepped into the cafeteria, he was met with a round of applause from the students crowded in the cafeteria.

The first thing that our arrogant political boss wanted to know was what kind of flag was he standing under (in reference to the Black Liberation Flag). After Bro. Val Ferdinand explained, the Governor requested that our flag be removed. We would like to know, why in the fuck he didn't want to speak under our flag, when he does not kick about speaking under the confederate flag.

His speech in general didn't amount to shit. All he said was that if we be a good bunch of niggers that he would "hep" us. He told us to act like first class citizens "and stop raising hail" which means that we will have to cut the nappy hair from our heads, shave our beards, and take a bath, and act as much as possible like a nutless faggot honky. And then turn ourselves into conservative House Niggers, and spend the rest of our lives on our knees, begging the white devils for a break.

I don't know about you brothers and sisters, but I refuse to be pacified by this racist bastard, because I know motherfucking well that he don't give a shit about a bunch of rowdy niggers.

After illustrating to the students just how ignorant a honky bastard can be, he then went into a meeting with Dean "Tom" Bashful, concerned parents, and the Afro-American Society and the Bad Niggers For Regression. Brothers and sisters, I wish that you could have been in this meeting. You would have died laughing. Bro. Val made a complete ass out of our governor (which ain't too hard to do).

Don't be tricked brothers and sisters, McKeithen is first of all a politician, and as you know politicians have been the enemies of Black people for years. McKeithen is damn good at evading issues, and he simply refuses to give you a straight answer to anything. It all amounts to this, your honorable governor would just as soon close SUNO down than to admit defeat at the hands of Black men.

J. MARSHALL (PIG) BROWN VISITS SUNO

By special request of Gov. John (hoof-in-mouth) McKeithen, J. Marshall Brown of the State Board Of Swine visited SUNO. He wanted to know what the niggers were doing, so he went over our 10 demands with us. He claimed that he agrees with all of the demands except #6 which deals with the $50 hike in tuition.

Old "Tom" Netterville was there. He was Browns "yes" man. Everything that that fascist bastard would suggest, "Tom" would shake his head like a child, and say "yes." Brothers and sisters, we were told all kinds of bare-faced lies, all part of the man's pacification program directed at selling us down the river.

The demands were not met, the committee can only recommend the demands to the State Board Of Swine which will meet on May 2, 1969.

SOUL BROTHERS AND SISTERS OF THE WEEK

The BNR would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the faculty members, administrators, and civil service employees who supported our boycott. Those persons who did not support the boycott can go to hell.
UNDERPAID MAINTENANCE MEN

Who are the guys that every one takes for granted on this campus? You guessed it, the poor over-worked and under-paid maintenance men. It has been brought to the attention of this staff that they are being exploited by the Southern University System. They are under the same dictatorial system that oppresses all of us.

This coming July 1, 1969 will mark three years that the maintenance men have not had a raise, while at the same time the maintenance men on the main campus have gotten all of the raises that were promised to them. Part of the purpose of our $50.00 hike in tuition was meant for this purpose. Where has the money gone Dr. Netterville? I'll bet that they don't call you a well-to-do nigger for nothing. Wash all that glue off your hands, and give these men their money back. It is beyond the comprehension of this staff why the maintenance men are not being dealt with fairly.

It's cover snatching time Mr. Perkins. Why in the hell don't you speak up now in the defense of the men whom you work like slaves all day long. And stop being such an ass-kisser for the dean. Why in the hell do you want to be a Tom for a Tom? You Tom. Stand up like a man Perkins, and admit that you are an ignorant, bastardly, thieving, House Nigger deluxe for the Dean.

Now is the time to revolt maintenance men. Now is the time to unite and bring the operations of this school to a stand-still. We the Bad Niggers For Regression, and I'm sure, most of the student body are behind you 100%.

TOMS OF THE WEEK

This week we have four boys whom we feel deserve the title of TOM OF THE WEEK. As you know, it is not easy to make the title of TOM OF THE WEEK, it takes real dedication, diligence, and hard work. So at this time the BLACK LIBERATION EXPRESS proudly presents TOMS OF THE WEEK.

1. Dr. G. Leon Netterville
2. Joseph Tilly
4. Dean Emmett "Tom" Bashful

What's the matter dean baby? You only came in at fourth place this week. You should be ashamed of your self. Work just a little bit harder for ole master this week, and we might be able to get you back up to first place.

TOM OF THE YEAR

Yes, that's right brothers and sisters TOM OF THE YEAR. We have one boy here that because of his great taste for ass-kissing, we had to open up a special column just for him. This cat is so dedicated that we don't have space to put in all of his fine qualities, but here he is SUNO, the biggest house nigger of them all:

SMITH PERKINS, SUPERINTENDANT OF MAINTENANCE

If you don't believe that this boy deserves this high title, just check out some of the maintenance men about him. Ask them how he has been stealing food out of the cafeteria. Ask them how he has been stealing chairs from the lounge. Ask them how he has been stealing plywood and other commodities from the new gym. I guess that he has been hooking all of this for...his ace boon coon, dean "Tom Bashful."
NEW YORK—Who is plotting against whom? Twenty-one members of the Black Panther Party were indicted here April 2 for allegedly planning to dynamite department stores, a police station and the tracks of a commuter railroad. Manhattan District Attorney Frank S. Hogan announced the indictment by a grand jury which charges the Black defendants with plotting to destroy "the power structure."

Scooping up most of the Black people indicted, the pigs made arrests as if they were after Al Capone, John Dillinger or Bonnie and Clyde. Heavily-armed and wearing bullet-proof vests, they crashed into the homes of the Panthers sought, or homes in which they were visiting friends in the wee hours of the morning. Detectives made summary arrests of persons on the premises.

All of those arrested were arraigned by Supreme Court Judge Charles Marks who held each in $100,000 bail. Defense attorney Gerald Lefcourt complained that the indictments were "an attack on the Black Panthers directed from Washington. The desire of the government to wipe out the Panther Party is obvious," he said.

David Brothers, deputy chairman of the N.Y. State Panther Party said that "historically, all reactionary forces (the pig power structure and their cultural Negro capitalist lackeys) on the verge of extinction invariably conduct a desperate struggle against the revolutionary forces. Scooping up most of the Panthers sought, or homes in which they were visiting friends in the wee hours of the morning. Detectives made summary arrests of persons on the premises.

They are the real conspirators where we see obvious attempts to destroy the Panther Party's leadership. They, of course, try to do this by murders, jailings, unfair court trials and the forcing of Eldridge Cleaver into exile and the imprisonment of Huey P. Newton."

PHILADELPHIA—Despite increasing incidents of unprovoked police attacks on defenseless Black citizens, in which the offending officers almost invariably go unpunished, legislators consistently have refused to seek stiffer laws to protect citizens.

Instead, District Attorney Arlen Specter is seeking legislation that will provide a maximum penalty of 20 years imprisonment for persons using weapons on police officers.

Specter said he has also requested his assistants to review all cases involving guns, knives, and other weapons used by citizens in police conflicts. At the same time, efforts of Black leaders to encourage Specter to vigorously prosecute offending police officers have fallen on deaf ears.

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