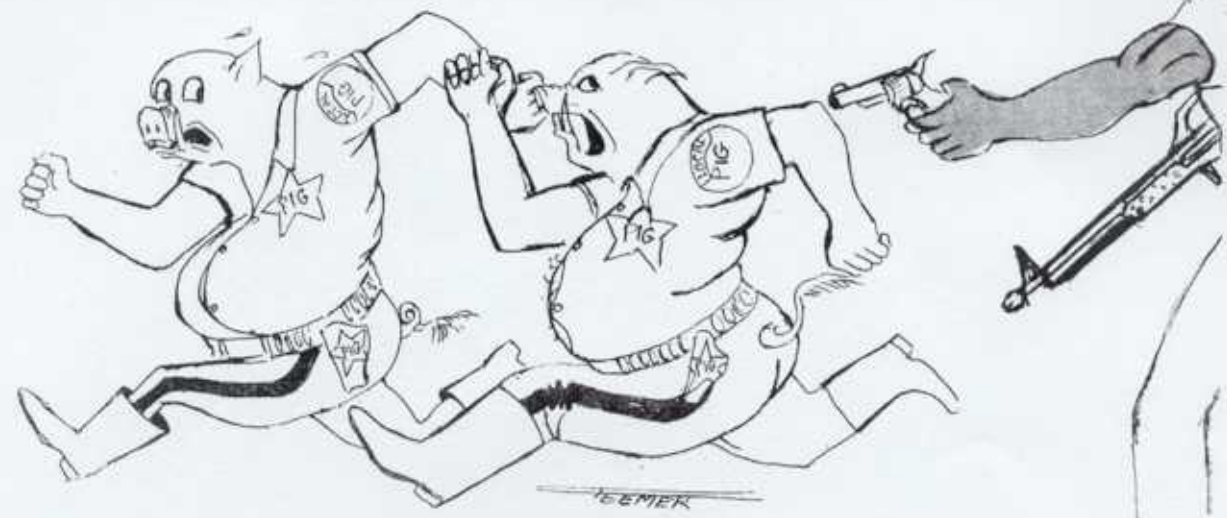


PRESS RELEASE:

ILLINOIS BLACK PANTHER PARTY



We, the Black Panther Party, understand that because of repression and the barbaric tactics of the pig power structure which are being leveled on the vanguard of the people's revolution; it clearly shows the line of demarcation between the enemies of the people and the servants of the people. The Black Panther Party's program is based on going forth to ensure that the needs and desires of the people are answered. We see our role as that of "oxen to be ridden by the people down the path to social revolution".

The jailing of Huey P. Newton, murder of Bobby Hutton, forcing of Eldridge Cleaver underground, indictment of Bobby Seale, conviction of Fred Hampton and Bobby Rush, plus all other arrests clearly

shows that we're on the line of social revolution. The people understand that anytime that there is an attack launched on the servants of the people, it's an attack on the people. We, the Black Pan-

ther Party, know that there is a distinct and profound difference between the enemy and the people-- that our case should be taken to the people. The people will not tolerate any oppressive system or oppressive force that attempts to jail the very people who feed their hungry children. The vanguard party of the people's revolution initiated a Free Breakfast for Children Program in April, 1969, with 53 children being fed. Within 7 days, we have fed 1100 children. This is a program based not on rhetoric but to show the people a concrete example of the aspirations and sincerity of the Black Panther Party. This clearly shows the contradictions between the pig power structure if attempting to reach the moon, the Black Panther Party is down on earth trying to

meet the needs of the people. Another obvious attempt that is recognized by the people is the attempt to engage the Illinois Black Panther Party in a war against the people; for example, a war between the Illinois Black Panther Party and the Black "P". Some Nations or other segments of the people. The people understand that members of the Black Panther Party, the Black Disciples, Young Lords, Young Patriots, and all other revolutionary forces are class brothers -- the lower class fighting the upper class. The people can clearly differentiate between revolutionary and counter-revolutionary forces. We say enemies of the people will never be able to divide and create hostilities between class brothers. We ask those persons who read

about attacks against the Black Panther Party and who hear about the vanguard party of the revolution being defined as enemies of the people, to seek out the vanguard of the people's revolution and find, as the people have found, that the vanguard is the servant of the people. People who launch attacks against the servants of the people are enemies of the people.

Those persons who base their actions on the lies and hypocrisy of the pig power structure (enemies of the people) should re-evaluate them and join in the counter-attack being launched by the masses of the people to protect the vanguard party and other revolutionary forces throughout the world. We say all power to the people and Panther Power to the Vanguard.



Agents Leave Their Scar

Bobby Rush, (left), Deputy Minister of Defense for the Illinois Black Panther Party and Russ Meek, chairman of the Black Impeachment Committee (center) look down at debris on floor of Panther office, 2350 W. Madison, after FBI agents broke in and arrested six persons. Un-

identified man (right) shows Daily Defender photographer door that agents broke through to get into Panther headquarters (Daily Defender photos by Ted Bell).

HARASSMENT OF ILLINOIS PANTHERS

On June 4, Wednesday at 5:15 a.m., FBI agents, aided by local pigs, vamped on the Illinois Chapter Office of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY. By 5:15, when the brothers realized what was happening, there were about 30 pigs on the roof of the office and next door. The officer of the day was informed that the pigs were on the phone. One brother, Allen Bruce Dixon, broke down the door where the guns were kept and he and two others started loading them up. Pigs were outside with a bullhorn telling them they had 30 seconds that they (pigs) would start using tear gas. The two sisters that were in the office started getting rags and gas masks ready. The pigs had an area of 2 miles barricaded off from people and cars.

The Officer of the Day then realized that the streets and roof were infested with pigs and ordered all out of the building. While brother Larry was coming out of the office a pig tried to come in and he kicked the door closed. The Officer of the Day realized that two brothers were still in the building. He got a bullhorn and ordered them out. Before the pigs were taken away they saw about 15 FBI agents entering the building. FBI agents ransacked the Westside office. They confiscated seven rifles, two shotguns, boxes of ammunition, destroyed a mimeograph machine, and confiscated four typewriters. Also taken was \$3,000 in cash and checks. The majority of the money was for the free medical clinic and the political prisoner defense fund. Over 5,000 essays of Huey, several hundred petitions to free Fred, red books, and other educational supplies were taken. Records were confiscated. The walls of the office were stripped of pictures and posters, desk drawers were taken out of the office. Propaganda that was to go out that morning was also taken. Paint (black) and cereal was thrown all over the second floor. Food for BPC was ripped open and scattered throughout the building. The pigs, who were heavily armed with machine guns, shotguns, bullet-proof vests, hand weapons of all calibers, and a helicopter, took the following people

1. Patrick Keen, charged with harboring a fugitive -- \$4,000 bond, 2-5 years, released on recognizance bond.
2. Bruce Allen Dixon (education cadre) charged with harboring a fugitive, released on \$4,000 bond, recognizance.
3. Larry Roberson (security) was charged the same as above; released on recognizance.
4. Andrea Graves (registered nurse/health cadre) charged with harboring a fugitive, \$3,000 bond, released same as above.
5. Georgia Washington (secretary/ distribution) charged same as Andrea.
6. Harvey Holt (security), same charge, released on recognizance.
7. Jessie Ward (education cadre) same charge, released on signature.
8. Lockett Bibbs (section leader) same charge, released on signature.

The FBI claims they were looking for George Sam Jr. No such person was found in the building. The pigs never told the eight inside what they wanted; they just shouted for all to come out before they lobbed tear gas in. No warrant was ever presented. Community realists estimated that more than 500 pigs cordoned off a 5 square block (2 mile) area. Everyone goes to court on June 30th, U.S. Commissioner, Federal Building.

On June 10, 1969, Tuesday; sixteen major indictments were levied on 16 Illinois Panthers by the Cook County Grand Jury. Edward V. Hanrahan immediately had arrest warrants issued for the sixteen. They are:

1. Frederick Allen Hampton-Deputy Chairman of the Illinois Chapter of the BPP; charged with aggravated kidnapping; bond standing \$100,000. Chairman Fred is being held at Menard Prison, sentenced from 2-5 years on an ice cream robbery. He has not been brought to bond reduction court as of yet.
2. William N. O'Neal-rank and file member picked up the same day. Charged with kidnapping and unlawful use of weapons.
3. Richard Powell, picked up the same day, charged with conspiracy to kidnap.
4. James White, charged with

2. David Valentine, charged with conspiracy to kidnap, illegal use of weapons.

Also, 10 people are being sought by the pigs, mostly for the crimes of kidnapping and illegal possession of weapons.

We see the indictments as a calculated move to destroy the leadership of the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party. After the imprisonment of Deputy Chairman Fred Hampton failed to stop the programs of the Party, pig states attorney Edward V. (Vulture) Hanrahan has tried everything in his power to destroy the party. Through the news media, Hammerhead Hanrahan is trying to portray the Party as a gang of criminals, dangerous to the people and not their friends as we rightfully are. We are combatting this tendency with an increase in daily propaganda and an increase in sales of newspapers. We are trying to put a newsletter together to combat the daily racism perpetuated by the city newspapers.

The Justice Department admitted to the newspaper that they are carrying out intensive investigation into the activities of the Party. Since the former gangs have turned into political groups threatening the home rule of Daley's and the government political structure, the Grand Jury has been working day and night to frame all political groups and individual revolutionaries. The Grand Jury is conducting investigations into the former gang's activities and into the political groups that are putting together programs to aid the communities. Gang warfare has been brought to a halt.

Several members of the Young Lords have been indicted, including chairman Cha-Cha Jimenez who has gone into hiding. The pigs are trying everything to co-opt the members. It isn't working. They want no part of the power structure. Deputy Chairman Fred was moved from Stateville to Menard Prison. They moved him on June 3rd without notifying his attorney or his family. They are trying to keep him from the people and the party. No appeal bond has been issued. He was moved to Menard to

He has been indicted for aggravated kidnapping. The charge carries a sentence of the electric chair. The attorneys are working hard on the case.

We are assing to it that every living soul knows about the frame-up and the attempts to destroy the party. Thousands of petitions are being sent out. Donations will be solicited all across the Midwest. The section leaders are going to start teaching classes in their sections that the community can attend. New center for the Breakfast and Lunch for Children Pro-

grams are being sought. We are intensifying the struggle on all levels. As revolutionaries, we understand the two most important things in a people's struggle are leadership (the vanguard) and the active support of the people. We will combat the pigs' attempts to destroy the vanguard, imprison the youth and deceive the people.

A Pig Is Nothing But An Enemy Soldier!

Lt. Eugene Charles, Information Illinois Chapter, Information

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NEW YORK**

ILLINOIS CHAPTER FREE MEDICAL CLINIC

The Black Panther Party understanding the needs of Black people and other oppressed people is opening a People's Medical Center.

We are opening this center; to answer the basic needs of Black people, to educate the people to the fundamentals of socialism, and to heighten contradictions within this racist, fascist, capitalistic society. This program like our breakfast for children program was formulated by our Minister of Defense Huey P. Newton.

When we say answer the basic needs and desires that's what we mean. This is done by giving people food and medical care which are essentials for survival.

Understanding that injustice and oppression does exist in America and a revolution or change in this society must occur, we must educate the people to the reasons for such a change. Therefore these programs are geared toward being educational. They are educational in that they show people by example the way socialism works.

These programs heighten the contradiction by showing the people that the Black Panther Party, an organization that has only been in existence since 1966; the Black Panther Party, an organization that has been labelled a gang, the Black Panther Party, a so called subversive group, is in fact making an attempt to meet the needs of the people. The federal government however, with all of its wealth and resources are not doing anything to meet the needs of the people.

The people will then say any form of government which is not meeting their needs should be altered or changed and a different form of

government should be instituted based on the principle of serving the people.

Anyone here in America can take an objective look at the medical profession and will come up with a conclusion that will say: The medical profession is not responsive to the medical needs of the people and the medical profession within this capitalistic society is composed generally of people working for their own benefit and advancement rather than the humane aspects of medical care. We say this because there is no reason, no excuse, no justified cause that the medical profession with its present level of technology and advancement is not responsive to all of the needs of the people.

To remedy the problem of people suffering from malnutrition, infant mortality, sickle cell anemia, and other health problems found in most oppressed communities, we must socialize the medical profession. We must socialize it because then, it will be in the hands of the people.

In opening the people's medical care center, we will be setting an example by instituting a program which will be serving the people but at the same time will be controlled by the people. It will eliminate the age long problem of medical personnel alienating themselves from the people they are in fact suppose to be serving.

The center will open within the next two weeks at 3860 W. 18th st, Chicago.

Ronald Satchel
Dep. Min. of Health
Ill. Chapter B.P.P.



BOB RUSH, BLACK PANTHER PARTY AND
CHA CHA JIMINEZ, YOUNG LORDS

FASCIST PIGS ATTEMPT TO DESTROY THE MINDS OF BLACK YOUTHS

The racist U.S. government has stepped up its efforts to commit genocide against Black youth.

The Nixon-Agnew regime's special consultant, Dr. Arnold Herr Hutschnecker, has devised a plan to place six to eight year old Black youth in concentration camps to see that future Black ghetto criminals should be separated from the rest of society.

These are the same type of tactics that were used in Hitler's Germany. The youth are the future warriors of Black people. And this is a clear attempt to destroy and pervert the minds of our young Black warriors. This plan was gladly received by mealy mouth Nixon and his Machiavellian madman, Spiro Agnew, who made it very clear that Black people have no rights that a racist power structure is bound to respect.

The plan further states that "The role of the government would be to conduct mass testing on all 6 to 8 year old children and corrective treatment should begin at that time to make them they learn the meaning of responsibility."

This means that any objective or revolutionary ideas that our Black youth might have would be stifled and they would be taught to be responsible to the pigs of this oppressive power structure.

Herr Hutschnecker further states: "There are those determined to seek vengeance on those he believes have forced him to a life of disadvantaged and with little opportunity. As he grows older he becomes more determined to take by force what he feels like has been denied him. We now have the future criminal who commits acts of sex crimes assault, homicide and other antisocial acts."

Administrators that perpetuate madness such as this, attempt to destroy our youth. But they must be destroyed; they must be crushed, they cannot be allowed to live. This is an act of aggression on the Black community. And our Minister of Defense, Huey P. Newton, teaches us that in order to have security from the unceasing aggressions of the enemy, we must always be in an position to inflict a political consequence upon the aggressor for each act of aggression.

Michael McCarthy
COUNTER ATTACK
Black Community Information
Center



Nurse who works at Center, brother from community and "Doc".

HANDS OFF THE PEOPLE'S MEDICAL CARE CENTER

Chicago

The Surgeon John Winters People's Medical Care Center, 9850 W. 10th Street, continues to operate and to serve the people despite the harassment by the Board of Health and other city agencies.

We have time and time again tried to impress on the city agencies and officials that the People's Medical Care Center is NOT performing as a drug dispensary. Each individual doctor prescribes his own drugs if needed, the center is not the dispensary.

Black Panther Party member, Ralph Bostick must appear in court on March 31, at 2:00 in room 1308 at the Civic Center in answer to an injunction that was presented to the clinic on February 9th. The injunction was issued because the Board of Health persistently says that we are operating illegally because we have no license as a dispensary.

In a survey performed by 20 medical students, it was found that there are "50" centers that are operating in the same way as ours that don't have a license as a dispensary. Yet only the People's Medical Care Center and a clinic

operated by the Young Patriot Party have received injunctions.

This is purely a case of harassment, an attempt to keep the Black Panther Party and other progressive people from fulfilling their primary task, to serve the people. Our center is inspected by agents from the Board of Health and other city agencies who are constantly trying to find something wrong with our clinic. They ask irrelevant questions such as "How many Panthers work in the clinic and what are their names?" or "How many people are in the Party, etc." questions that don't have anything to do with the service and the welfare of our people.

Black people and other oppressed people have constantly cried-out to the corrupt power structure for decent health care. The Black Panther Party has heard the cry; we will not allow a corrupt structure to practice genocide and gross neglect on our people. We will no longer allow our wives, husbands, and children to be murdered because of inadequate facilities and overcrowded conditions.

Malnutrition is running rampant, the infant mortality rate is 30% higher in the Black community than in the White and many Blacks are victims of brain damage caused by lead poisoning.

We will not continue to allow ourselves to be exterminated by subtle legal trickology; we will continue to serve the people. We can't and won't let the medical center close. We call on all the people to rally to the defense of the medical center, because it's yours. It is owned and controlled by you.

BE AT COURT ON MARCH 31ST, ROOM 1308 AT 2:00 AT THE CIVIC CENTER.

CITY OFFICIALS, BEWARE, THE SPIRIT OF THE PEOPLE IS GREATER THAN YOUR PAPER LAWS.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

BLACK PANTHER PARTY
Illinois Chapter
2350 W. Madison
Chicago, Illinois

PEOPLE SEE NEED FOR MORE BREAKFAST PROGRAMS

CHICAGO

In March of 1969, the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party opened its first breakfast program, and since then has taught the people how to combat hunger. Thousands of children throughout Chicago have been fed, with people consequently realizing the value of such a program.

Other groups and organizations have followed our example by setting up their own breakfast programs. Operation Breadbasket, the ISU of Englewood, and the Black Disciples are a few of the followers.

City officials who are responsible for keeping people hungry, have now been forced into all types of apologies and denial positions, while the people have been voicing a concern about them.

come forth to cook and donate their money and time as they see that the program is for their benefit. Also, they see it as a bright example of them using their resources and energies, without the burden of a bureaucratic program and tax dollars.

We honor the people who care about our youth enough to see that they get at least one nourishing meal a day. And those who can't relate to our free breakfast program will be dealt with by the youth—satiated and hungry.

Locations for Breakfast Centers:
48 N. Hayne
1101 N. Larrabee
6430 S. Harvard

BLACK PANTHER PARTY
Illinois Chapter

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HANRAHAN SEEKS TO SMASH BLACK YOUTH

Fred R. "Bobby" Gore, leader of the Conservative Vice Lords Inc., was found guilty of murdering Thurman Williams, 23, outside the T-Box Lounge, 5420 W. Ogden. Gore was also sentenced to serve 4-10 years for aggravated battery stemming from the same incident.

Incidents like these are appearing time and time again. Young Black leaders and the youth in general are constantly being taken off the streets and railroaded on some trumped up charge and sentenced to spend the remaining part of their youthful and productive years incarcerated in prisons or penitentiaries, or in some cases sentenced to the electric chair. State's Attorney Hanrahan says that he has declared war on gangs. But it seems that he has ignored the Mafia and the crime syndicates and instead has decided to commit genocide on Black youth.

His gestapo GANG INTELLIGENCE UNIT constantly stir up and perpetuate gang antagonisms. They have infiltrated the gangs and when they see them acting in a progressive manner, they act as provocateurs, stirring up trouble in an attempt to give the gang a bad name.

The Vice Lords are not a gang. They are a youth organization and have set up 3 Black owned and operated businesses in their community. The Black Disciples have a Breakfast for Children Program which feeds more than 150 kids each morning.

We must be able to differentiate between the desirable and undesirable in our communities. Hanrahan has no knowledge of the Black community. His storm

crimes in our communities than all the Black youths put together.

They are relating to the old Roman law of "divide and conquer" keeping us isolated from our youth while they are constantly kidnapping them and murdering them. They, as we understand that the youth make the revolution, so in turn all youth are enemies of the state and they will stop at nothing to snuff out this force—Genocide and extermination at any price.

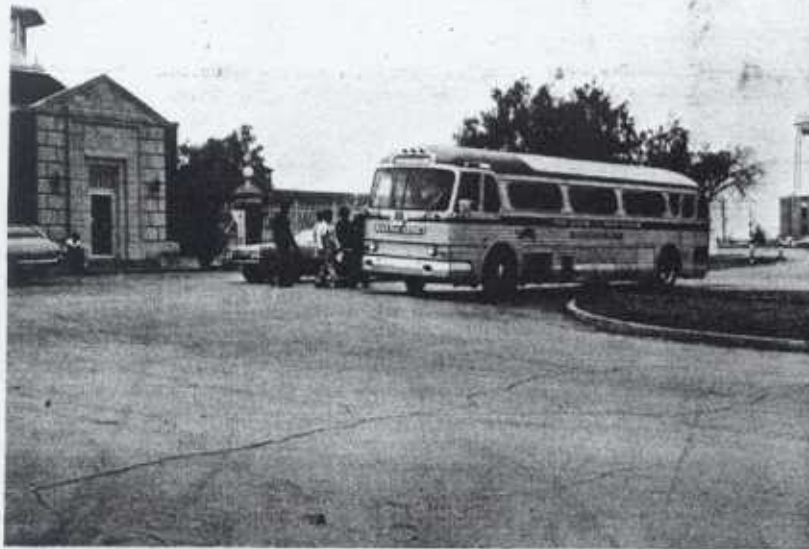
We see through their vow to "serve and protect." We know that it is just a smokescreen to hide the murder and brutality. The State's Attorney and Mayor Daley have both shown through their practice that they have no regard for the rights and protection of Black people. This is manifested through their early morning raids in our communities.

We must make a critical analysis of the present situation. The Grand Jury has just brought down 200 indictments on gang members and there are more to follow. Black people, we must bring Hanrahan's and Daley's fascist machinery to a screeching halt. Pigs, we see through your smokescreen; we are no fools. We Want An Immediate End To Police Brutality And Murder Of Black People. The Racist Dog Police Must Withdraw From The Black Community. Cease Their Wanton Murder And Brutality Of Black People Or Face The Wrath Of The Armed People.

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YOU DON'T NEED NO TICKET

BLACK PANTHER PARTY'S ILLINOIS CHAPTER OWNS FIRST PEOPLE'S BUS!



No longer will a Brother or Sister be quietly tucked away in some "adjustment hole" to be heard from no more. The people from the community, the people who care will be there every week, because there is a People's Bus that will now guarantee it.

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Prisons Program. It's a fine bus for the People, valued at \$13,000.00, with a 39-passenger seating capacity, air conditioning and a washroom.

No longer must the People wait until the funds are available to see loved ones. No longer must school

buses be rented at astronomical prices. No longer must the trip to Joliet or Vienna or Menard be an ordeal. The acquisition of the Greyhound bus means, besides all that, that the funds formerly spent on rented buses can be used in other Community Survival Programs, such as the related Prisoners' Free Commissary Program. The People's Bus will be used now

to transport, on a regular basis, the loved ones and relatives of inmates incarcerated throughout Illinois. These prisons are: Joliet penitentiary, Stateville, Pontiac, Dwight (Women's penitentiary), Vandalia Prison Farm, Vienna, Menard, and Marion.

Weekly trips are scheduled for Sundays, and a minimum of two prisons a week will be visited. There is no service to Marion yet, since a large portion of its prison population comes from out of the State. There are also plans to make trips to the various Illinois Youth Institutions which include Sharidan and Geneva.

The Greyhound bus was manufactured to charge people exorbitant prices to travel comfortably on long distance trips. The Black Panther Party has turned this former money-making scheme into a benefit for the People, to enable those who had never before been able to afford or make the long journey to prisons to visit their loved ones to do so. The link between the outside and the inside can be stronger, forging greater strength for our united thrust for liberation. It will no longer be easy for pigs at prisons like Menard and Vienna, both of which are about 500 miles from Chicago, to brutalize and murder on the sly. No longer will a Brother or Sister be quietly tucked away in some "adjustment hole" to be heard from no more. The people from the community, the people who care will be there every week, because there is a People's bus now that will guarantee it.

It's just a bus, one single bus, one piece of transportation to do a big job. There'll be people to take to downtown Chicago to register to vote and many other uses to which the bus will be put. It's just one bus, and so many other groups have so many more. But this is a People's Bus. We own it. We run it. It will serve our interests. It's a beginning for the People, and it's beautiful, 'cause just like the Freedom Train, the thing that will carry us to complete liberation, which must be built through our united effort, you don't need no ticket, you just get on board.

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