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RACINI MAITER SANITATION WORKERS STRIKE, MEMPHIS, TENN.; RM.

RE MEMPHIS TELS, MARCH TWENTY NINE LAST.

ON THIS DATE, MARCH HELD IN DOWNTOWN MEMPHIS AREA. MARCH BEGAN AT CLAYBORN TEMPLE, APPROXIMATELY TWO THIRTY PM. FOR FIRST TIME, LARGE NUMBERS OF WHITE PARTICIPANTS INCLUDED IN MARCH. WHITE MARCHERS APPEARED TO BE LATE TEENAGE AND IN FARLY TWENTIES. MARCH ORDERLY. LEFT CLAYBORN TEMPLE, CONTINUED DOWN MAIN STREET TO CITY HALL, AND RETURNED TO CLAYBORN TEMPLE. MARCH CONCLUDED APPROXIMATELY THREE THIRTY PM. NO INCIDENTS OR ARRESTS IN CONNECTION WITH MARCH. APPROXIMATELY TWO HUNDRED PARTICIPANTS IN MARCH .

NUMBER OF ARRESTS MADE IN EARLY MORNING IN CONNECTION WITH LOOTING IN VARIOUS SECTIONS OF CITY. LOOTING GENERALLY RESTRICTED TO NEIGHBOR-F7.107 B APR & 1968 HOOD GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORES.

ALL ABOVE INFO FURNISHED BY LT. GEORGE FEATHERS, INSPECTIONAL to and an inspect

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