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In Memory Of The Two Students At Southern University

RALLY AT NOON AT 30TH STREET

Wingfield Asks Faculty To Excuse Students

Shortly after a committee of students met with President Wingfield last Wednesdays, November 22, to express the plans and needs for participation in a city-wide demonstration today, November 27, 1972 at Noon on 30th Street, President Wingfield made the following statement: "I have asked the faculty to excuse students who wish to attend a peaceful rally for Southern University students who were killed in the disturbance on November 18 and who wish to be excused from classes on Monday, November 27." President Wingfield offered the following statement to the students and faculty. "This disturbance reflects the lack of direction on the part of the administration to manage the student body. The students of Southern University are demonstrating their desire for education, which includes the right to action. The students are not demanding that the administration be removed. The demand was that their needs be met. The administration has not addressed these needs." President Wingfield also offered the following statement: "I have asked the faculty to excuse students who wish to attend a peaceful rally for Southern University students who were killed in the disturbance on November 18 and who wish to be excused from classes on Monday, November 27." President Wingfield also offered the following statement to the students and faculty. "This disturbance reflects the lack of direction on the part of the administration to manage the student body. The students of Southern University are demonstrating their desire for education, which includes the right to action. The students are not demanding that the administration be removed. The demand was that their needs be met. The administration has not addressed these needs." President Wingfield extended his deepest sympathy to the families and friends of these students killed and injured at Southern University. President Wingfield also offered the following statement to the students and faculty. "This disturbance reflects the lack of direction on the part of the administration to manage the student body. The students of Southern University are demonstrating their desire for education, which includes the right to action. The students are not demanding that the administration be removed. The demand was that their needs be met. The administration has not addressed these needs." President Wingfield extended his deepest sympathy to the families and friends of these students killed and injured at Southern University. President Wingfield also offered the following statement to the students and faculty. "This disturbance reflects the lack of direction on the part of the administration to manage the student body. The students of Southern University are demonstrating their desire for education, which includes the right to action. The students are not demanding that the administration be removed. The demand was that their needs be met. The administration has not addressed these needs." President Wingfield extended his deepest sympathy to the families and friends of these students killed and injured at Southern University.
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At first both Governor Edwards and Sheriff Amies stated that none of the deputies could have fired directly. But as the amount of evidence began to mount Edwards was forced to admit that it is obvious that there are discrepancies and uncertainties. Amies contends that he is still in the dark that noise his cases of anything except tear gas.

On Friday Edwards told reporters that the deputies were armed with both regular and "shock" shells and tear gas shells, and that the gun was a special one designed to sound identical to "if I held them up, you couldn't tell them apart." Richard, however, that he was drawing conclusions from the fact that the two shells look alike but said that "In the heat of that kind of action, if a deputy was to reach in his pocket and pull out the wrong kind of shell and slip in the gun, even he may not know that he did it."

By Saturday, Governor Edwards had become more definite: "I have no doubt it was a deputy sheriff who fired," Edwards said in a lunchtime interview with three Federal officials and two reporters, including L.A. Times reporter Nicholas Christ. The "accident" theory of the shooting in fact raised more questions than it answers. There is still the question of why the shots were fired by the two students at all, whether to force Southern University students from the administration building and to drive off the crowd.

County coroner Hypolite Landry reported that both Officer A. Smith, 20, of nearby Independence, and Officer D. Jones, 23, of New Orleans, were shot dead in the middle of the crowd in a room of the administration building and that the building was opened up on the building. The additional report was that as some of the students fled the building they picked up tear gas canisters and returned them to the personnel.

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In order to force Southern University students from the administration building, cops wearing flak jackets used tear gas and shotguns.

Members of Students United, the name given to the protest movement at S.U., say they have no doubts that future protests will also be met with violence. However, Fred Pajemo, one of the students arrested in the pre-dawn hours of the 16th, stated that "the students have no plans to drop the issues or to stifle their demands."