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## Draft, "Chapter III, Bull Connor's Birmingham," Why We Can't Wait

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3/1/1963  
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5/11/1963  
Names: Popper, Hermine I.  
Connor, Eugene  
Wallace, George C. (George Corley)  
Shuttlesworth, Fred L. [Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)]  
Jefferson, Thomas  
Lincoln, Abraham  
Pitts, Lucius H. [Miles College]  
Gaston, A.G. (Arthur George)  
Gardner, Edward Hall [Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)]  
Shores, Arthur D. (Arthur Davis)  
Rockefeller, Nelson A. (Nelson Aldrich)  
Wagner, Robert F. (Robert Ferdinand)  
Drew, John  
Walker, Wyatt Tee  
Boutwell, Albert Burton  
King, Tom  
Belafonte, Harry  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Organizations: United States. Supreme Court  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)  
Congress of Racial Equality  
Alabama Christian Movement for Human Rights (ACMHR)  
Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (U.S.)  
Western Christian Leadership Conference  
Virginia Christian Leadership Conference  
Miles College

	Wales College
	Southern Regional Council
Places:	Birmingham, Ala.
	Chattanooga, Tenn.
	Savannah, Ga.
	Albany, Ga.
	Montgomery, Ala.
Topics:	Nonviolence
	Direct action
	Why We Can't Wait
	Montgomery Bus Boycott
	Albany Movement
	Bombings
	Martin Luther King, Jr. - Threats/attacks against
	Southern Christian Leadership Conference--strategic planning
	Birmingham, 1963
	Police - Complaints against
	Student movements
	Voter registration
	Martin Luther King, Jr. - Publications
	Jim Crow
	Discrimination in public accommodations
	Southern Christian Leadership Conference--relations with other organizations
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## Draft, Chapter V, "Methods of the Opposition," Stride Toward Freedom

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2/21/1956  
5/1957 - 5/1958  
Names: Abernathy, Ralph  
King, Martin Luther  
Walden, A. T. (Austin Thomas)  
King, Yolanda  
Mays, Benjamin E. (Benjamin Elijah) [Morehouse College]  
King, Coretta Scott  
Marshall, Thurgood  
Diggs, Charles C.  
Carter, Eugene  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Shores, Arthur D. (Arthur Davis)  
Hall, Peter A.  
Langford, Charles D.  
Yates, C.R.  
Scott, C. A.  
Alexander, T. M. (Theodore Martin)  
Gray, Fred D.  
Billingsley, Orzell  
Langford, Charles  
Jones, Major J.  
Carter, Robert L.  
King, Alberta Williams  
Jenkins, Herbert T.  
Gilman, Georgia  
Mays, Benjamin Elijah  
Clement, Rufus E.  
Lewis, Rufus A. (Rufus Andrew)  
Organizations: Fisk University  
Morehouse College  
Atlanta Daily World  
Atlanta University

Places: Nashville, Tenn.  
Birmingham, Ala.  
Atlanta, Ga.

Topics: Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Arrests  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Threats/attacks against  
Montgomery Improvement Association--trials, litigation, etc.  
Stride Toward Freedom  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Publications

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## Draft, Chapter VII, "The Violence of Desperate Men," Stride Toward Freedom

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3/22/1956  
3/19/1956  
5/1957 - 5/1958  
Names: King, Martin Luther  
King, Coretta Scott  
King, Yolanda  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
French, Edgar N.  
Yates, C.R.  
Alexander, T. M. (Theodore Martin)  
Walden, A. T. (Austin Thomas)  
Marshall, Thurgood  
Carter, Eugene  
Scott, C.A. [Atlanta Daily World]  
Diggs, Charles C.  
Gray, Fred D.  
Shores, Arthur D. (Arthur Davis)  
Langford, Charles D.  
Hall, Peter A.  
Billingsley, Orzell  
Carter, Robert L.  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Gayle, W. A.  
Sellers, Clyde  
Jones, Major J.  
King, Alberta Williams  
Clement, Rufus E.  
Mays, Benjamin E. (Benjamin Elijah) [Morehouse College (Atlanta, Ga.)]  
Organizations: First Baptist Church  
Morehouse College (Atlanta, Ga.)  
Atlanta Daily World

Places: Fisk University  
Nashville, Tenn.  
New York, N.Y.  
Birmingham, Ala.  
Atlanta, Ga.

Topics: Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Stride Toward Freedom  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Trials, litigation, etc.  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Threats/attacks against  
Montgomery Improvement Association--trials, litigation, etc.

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## Draft, Chapter IX, "Desegregation at Last," Stride Toward Freedom

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10/30/1956  
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11/13/1956  
1/31/1957  
5/1957 - 5/1958  
Names: Alexander, T.M. (Theodore Martin)  
King, Coretta Scott  
Gayle, W. A.  
Johnson, Frank Minis  
Thomas, Rex [Associated Press]  
Gray, Fred D.  
Hall, Peter  
Johns, Vernon  
Langford, Charles D.  
Billingsley, Orzell  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Johnson, Frank M.  
Sellers, Clyde  
Till, Emmett  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Black, Hugo LaFayette  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Smiley, Glenn E. [Fellowship of Reconciliation (U.S.)]  
Graetz, Robert S.  
Abernathy, Juanita Odessa Jones  
Hall, Grover C.  
Patterson, Merle [First Presbyterian Church]  
Shores, Arthur D. (Arthur Davis)  
Carter, Robert L. [National Association for the Advancement of Colored People]  
Organizations: Lloyd's (Firm)  
Associated Press

First Presbyterian Church  
Men of Montgomery  
United States. Supreme Court  
Fellowship of Reconciliation (U.S.)  
Montgomery Improvement Association  
Hutchinson Street Baptist Church  
Bell Street Baptist Church  
Mount Olive Baptist Church  
St. John A.M.E. Church  
The Montgomery Advertiser  
Southern Christian Leadership Conference  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People

Places: First Baptist Church  
Atlanta, Ga.

Tallahassee, Fla.

Topics: Stride Toward Freedom  
Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Threats/attacks against  
Montgomery Improvement Association--trials, litigation, etc.  
Plessy vs Ferguson, 1896  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Public Speaking  
Montgomery Improvement Association--Assaults against  
Churches-vandalism  
Nonviolence

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Genre: Essay  
Document Length: 214 pp.  
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Names: Popper, Hermine I.  
King, Coretta Scott  
King, Martin Luther  
King, Alberta Williams  
Gandhi, Mahatma  
Muste, A. J. (Abraham Johannes)  
Rauschenbusch, Walter  
Johnson, Mordecai W. (Mordecai Wyatt)  
Parks, Rosa  
DeWolf, L. Harold (Lotan Harold)  
Brightman, Edgar Sheffield  
Hughes, Robert E.  
Thrasher, Thomas R.  
Trenholm, H. Councill (Harper Councill)  
Gayle, W. A.  
Sellers, Clyde  
Parks, Frank A.  
Bagley, J. H.  
Crenshaw, Jack  
Totten, C.K.  
Russell, Henry E.  
Russell, Richard B. (Richard Brevard)  
Graetz, Robert S.  
Nixon, Edgar Daniel  
Lasley, Russell R.  
Lewis, Rufus A. (Rufus Andrew)  
Burks, Mary Fair  
Robinson, Jo Ann Gibson  
Matthews, Robert L.  
Johns, Vernon  
Parker, Henry  
Abernathy, Ralph  
Hubbard, H. H.  
Wilson, A. W.  
Nehru, Jawaharlal

Williams, Robert  
Gray, Fred D.  
Thomas, Lillie  
Bennett, L. Roy  
French, Edgar N.  
Fields, Uriah J.  
Dungee, Erna A.  
Seay, S. S. (Solomon Snowden)  
Scott, Obie  
Jones, Moses W.  
Shores, Arthur D. (Arthur Davis)  
Clement, Rufus E.  
Mays, Benjamin E. (Benjamin Elijah)  
Wilkins, Roy  
Morgan, Juliette Hampton, 1914-1957  
Marshall, Thurgood  
Diggs, Charles C.  
Billingsley, Orzell  
Thoreau, Henry David  
Till, Emmett  
Marx, Karl  
Niebuhr, Reinhold  
Abernathy, Juanita Odessa Jones  
Myrdal, Gunnar  
Frazer, George Stanley  
Harper & Row  
Dexter Avenue Baptist Church  
Montgomery Improvement Association  
United States. Supreme Court  
National Association for the Advancement of Colored People  
Alabama State College  
National City Lines, Inc.  
White Citizens Council  
Men of Montgomery  
Ku Klux Klan  
Morehouse College  
Fisk University  
American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)

Organizations:

Topics:

Montgomery Bus Boycott  
Segregation in transportation  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Publications  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Biography  
Montgomery Improvement Association--meetings  
Montgomery Improvement Association--threats  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Family  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Threats/attacks against  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Arrests  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Trials, litigation, etc.  
Martin Luther King, Jr. - Political and Social views  
Brown vs. Board of Education, Topeka, Kansas

Other Topics: ~~Stride Toward Freedom~~  
Three Dimensions of a Complete Life  
Montgomery Advertiser  
Essay on Civil Disobedience  
1 Corinthians 13:13  
Matthew 18:22  
Christianity and the Social Crisis  
Paul's Letter to the Corinthians

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