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ROUTINE MEETING/POSTER PARADE REPORT

Organisation: N.W.London V.S.C.Ad Hoc Committee Ref: 346/68/15 Pt III

Date, Duration, Place/Route: 16th day of October 1968 from 8 p.m. to 10.15 p.m.

Friends Meeting House, Heath Street, Hampstead, N.W.3.

Source of Information: Informant

Admission - Private/~~Public~~ Private

Police Arrangements: -

Subject: V.S.C. demonstration 27th October, 1968.

Chairman, Speakers, Officials (references; new pars. obtained; descriptions if necessary):

Chairman: Privacy (withered right hand) 346/68/15 mentions

Speakers: See overleaf.

Officials: Secretary

Privacy

Attendance: i) Number: 20

ii) Groups: -

iii) Collection: Taken - amount not stated.

iv) Individuals Identified:

Privacy

[Redacted]

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v) Vehicles: None

Incidents:

Privacy  
attended the meeting but were asked to leave immediately.

Banners/Slogans: None

Literature: None

Future Activities:

- (1) March 2.30 p.m. Saturday 19.10.68, Belsize Park Station - Allitsen Road.
- (2) Party 8 p.m. " " 191A, Gloucester Place. N.W.1.
- (3) Meeting 8 p.m. Wednesday 23.10.68, Friends House, Leath Street, N.W.3.
- (4) N.W.London V.S.C. gather Henrietta Place, W.C.2, before demonstration 1 p.m. 27.10.68.

Remarks:

The Chairman reported that the proposed television recording of the current meeting had been banned by the Quakers who owned the hall. However the same film unit would be present at their March on 19th October 1968 and had promised a £25 cash payment. **Privacy** reported that there was £8 in the "Kitty" but no payment had been made to the National V.S.C. Ad Hoc for posters and none of the £5 pledge had been sent either.

**Privacy** and **Privacy** stated that their draft march instructions had not been edited but would be available, if a printer could be found, on the day of the demonstration.

**Privacy** then virtually took over the meeting. His proposal, which was frequently interrupted and never finalised or even agreed, was that the N.W., V.S.C. Ad Hoc Committee act as official leafleters. He asked if they would distribute the instruction leaflet. This, for the first time, showed how loosely the Committee members are knit because many of those present said that they would be marching under the banner of their particular political party and not their local V.S.C. A few members left protesting the lack of organisation and resolution within the committee.

**Privacy** announced the above future activities and particularly asked for support for item (1).

Officers Present:

- C.I. Dixon [2]
- D.I. HN332 [2]
- D.C. HN329 [3]

Submitted

- 1. Send copy to Box 500 ✓
- 2. Send memo to

- 3. Supts. to see
- 4. To note
- 5. S.B.(R)

(signature)  
Conrad Dixon  
Chief Inspector (rank)

*Conrad Dixon*  
Chief Inspector

Events at "A" will be covered.  
Place copy on "dummy" ✓  
P.A.

M.P.(X)

*J*  
Chief Superintendent