

Transcript of interview with Frank Casier (FC) by Brad Edmondson (BE):

BE: In addition to The Defender, did you organize protests?

FC: Oh yes. Yes. As a matter of fact, I had a Chevrolet van we used in the furniture store. We heard about a public meeting that was going to be held, and I quickly took it to a shop and had it all lettered, and we called it the war wagon.

BE: I've seen pictures.

FC: That was a van that I took out of our furniture store. My son David, who was a high school student at the time, drove it, and we put a pile of blankets in the back, and we would take kids with us, and we would attend these meetings with that wagon, and we made some signs. We made protest signs, made them by hand ourselves. Melinda and others would march with these signs.