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**Galamison Is Among Those
Held for Blocking Trucks**

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Thirty civil rights demonstrators, including the Rev. Dr. Milton A. Galamison, were arrested yesterday for blocking trucks making deliveries to the World's Fair.

They were among 75 members of the Bronx and Brooklyn chapters of the Congress of Racial Equality and Dr. Galamison's Parents Workshop for Equality who demonstrated at the fair.

Dr. Galamison, who led the two recent school boycotts, said the demonstration was the first of several planned at the fair to focus attention on demands for further school integration. The pickets emphasized that they had no quarrel with the fair, where work is being pressed in preparation for the opening on April 22.

"We won't be able to do much the day it opens," Dr. Galamison said, "so we're starting now."

The pickets arrived at 8:10 A.M. in two chartered buses at the fair's main truck entrance, Rodman Street and Fowler Avenue, on the Flushing side of the grounds.

Accused of Trespassing

As other pickets sat, kneeled or lay in the street, four walked through the gate and sat down in the roadway, inside the fair. When they refused to leave they were arrested on trespassing charges.

The demonstration halted two cement-mixing trucks.

A riot call brought 60 city policemen and 30 members of the fair's protective force. When the pickets, singing and shouting, refused to leave the roadway, they were arrested, but the police had to carry or push them into waiting vans.

At the 110th Precinct station house in Elmhurst, they were charged with disorderly conduct and resisting arrest, as were those seized inside the fair grounds.

Dr. Galamison, who did not have to be assisted into a van, was charged only with disorderly conduct.

Among those arrested was Herbert Callender, the leader of Bronx CORE, whom Mr. Murphy denounced last month as one of three civil-rights leaders with "a lust for power" who were impelled by "sinister motives."

The 30—15 men and 15 wo-

men—were arraigned in Queens Weekend Court in Kew Gardens before Judge Joan O'Neill, who paroled them in their own custody for a hearing on April 15.

A World's Fair policeman who was on his way to work when the demonstration began was arrested for disorderly conduct. The policeman, Alfred Brumbach, 42 years old, a retired city patrolman, of Glendale, Queens, was accused of having kicked a picket.

In an earlier development, civil rights organizations named Dr. Galamison chairman of their next meeting in an effort to reconstruct a united front on major racial issues. No date for the meeting was announced.

A split developed over the second school boycott, on March 16, which proved to be less successful than the first, on Feb. 3.

The goal of the boycotts was to broaden integration of city schools by transferring pupils into and out of predominantly Negro and Puerto Rican areas. The step is opposed by Parents and Taxpayers, a recently formed organization that favors the traditional neighborhood school system.

In a demonstration unrelated to the one at the fair, about 60 members of the Committee for Decent Housing picketed police headquarters, 240 Centre Street, yesterday to demand police action against owners of slum buildings.

The group was led by Jesse Grey, the leader of the Harlem rent strike, who was also denounced last month by Mr. Murphy.

The residence of a Negro clergyman, Bishop James P. Roberts, was picketed yesterday by 25 CORE demonstrators who accused the clergyman of having insulted the mothers and

children of Harlem in opposing the two school boycotts.

The pickets also protested the scheduled speaking engagement at 11 A.M. today of James B. Donovan, president of the Board of Education, at Bishop Roberts's church, the Cathedral Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, 147 West 144th Street.

Bishop Roberts lives at 608 West 147th Street.