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NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:00.000 --> 00:00:01.600 UN I think quote.

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00:00:01.600 --> 00:00:03.927 it's so relevant that we're

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00:00:03.927 --> 00:00:07.490 speaking at this at this moment of.

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00:00:07.490 --> 00:00:09.471 All that's going on in the department

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00:00:09.471 --> 00:00:11.308 but also in the wider world.

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00:00:11.310 --> 00:00:14.181 So and I and I did want to just

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00:00:14.181 --> 00:00:17.426 say thank you for your shout out to

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00:00:17.430 --> 00:00:19.411 to the staff of the department and

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00:00:19.411 --> 00:00:21.709 cream and I are both members of it

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00:00:21.709 --> 00:00:24.019 and have been happy to have this

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00:00:24.019 --> 00:00:28.040 opportunity to do special project.

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00:00:28.040 --> 00:00:31.183 So we're really honored to be here

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00:00:31.183 --> 00:00:33.749 and we appreciate your support.

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00:00:33.750 --> 00:00:35.717 So Karima is going to do the
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:35.717 --> 00:00:37.721 first half of our presentation on
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00:00:37.721 --> 00:00:40.255 urban renewal and Keith and I will
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:40.325 --> 00:00:42.737 present the second-half on what we
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:42.737 --> 00:00:45.274 call the CMHC controversy of 1969.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:45.274 --> 00:00:48.046 We originally did these two presentations
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:48.046 --> 00:00:50.977 in longer form earlier this year and
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:50.977 --> 00:00:54.369 we're leaving out a lot of material today.
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00:00:54.370 --> 00:00:56.802 We can share the links to the full
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:56.802 --> 00:00:58.666 presentations in the chat at the end.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:00:58.670 --> 00:01:01.190 Today, our lens is purposefully somewhat
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:01.190 --> 00:01:04.077 wide and there's a lot more to say.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:04.080 --> 00:01:06.475 About CMHC's early history including
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:06.475 --> 00:01:08.870 its various programs and services,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:08.870 --> 00:01:10.630 our history work is continuing.
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00:01:10.630 --> 00:01:12.934 So please feel free to get in touch if

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00:01:12.934 --> 00:01:15.227 you have any questions or if you just
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:15.227 --> 00:01:17.970 want to talk about anything you hear today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:17.970 --> 00:01:19.970 The CMHC history exploration
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:19.970 --> 00:01:22.990 project is a component of CMHC's
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:22.990 --> 00:01:25.070 larger anti racism initiative.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:25.070 --> 00:01:27.662 So one of the principles of anti racism is
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:27.662 --> 00:01:30.280 that it's important to know one's history.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:30.280 --> 00:01:31.100 Since 2020,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:31.100 --> 00:01:33.560 we've been working at CMHC toward
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:33.560 --> 00:01:36.259 becoming an anti racist organization.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:36.260 --> 00:01:39.172 But we aren't the first CMHC people to
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:39.172 --> 00:01:41.578 struggle with questions about racism.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:41.580 --> 00:01:44.100 As CMHC's early history shows,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:44.100 --> 00:01:46.260 race and racism were decisive
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:01:46.260 --> 00:01:47.988 factors from the beginning.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:47.990 --> 00:01:50.738 Staff and faculty today who are
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:50.738 --> 00:01:52.570 working on anti racism.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:52.570 --> 00:01:52.976 Yeah,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:52.976 --> 00:01:55.412 that's CMC and in the department
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:55.412 --> 00:01:57.341 are actually standing on the
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:57.341 --> 00:01:59.567 shoulders of some of the first people
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:01:59.567 --> 00:02:01.790 to walk the corridors of CMHC.
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00:02:01.790 --> 00:02:04.046 Those people were struggling with many
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:04.046 --> 00:02:06.841 of the same issues and even at times
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:06.841 --> 00:02:09.130 using some of the exact same terms.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:09.130 --> 00:02:12.618 I think CHC of the 60s embodied the
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:12.618 --> 00:02:15.149 deep contradictions that still exists
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:15.149 --> 00:02:17.774 in American Society more generally.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:17.780 --> 00:02:20.041 There was great hope for the new
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:20.041 --> 00:02:21.480 Community Mental Health Center.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:21.480 --> 00:02:23.528 Its people were forward-looking,

NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:23.528 --> 00:02:24.544 optimistic, loquacious,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:24.544 --> 00:02:26.056 even somewhat innocent,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:26.056 --> 00:02:29.756 while at the same time trapped in
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:29.756 --> 00:02:32.140 historical patterns and assumptions,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:32.140 --> 00:02:35.045 stumped by the same problems of structural,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:35.050 --> 00:02:36.646 institutional, interpersonal,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:36.646 --> 00:02:39.040 and individual racism.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:39.040 --> 00:02:42.010 There still vexing us today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:42.010 --> 00:02:44.404 So this has been quite a journey for us
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:44.404 --> 00:02:47.150 and at times a very emotional one actually,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:47.150 --> 00:02:49.422 as we have talked with people and wrestled
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:49.422 --> 00:02:51.689 with what we've learned in our research.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:51.690 --> 00:02:53.808 But fortunately we haven't been alone.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:53.810 --> 00:02:55.749 So on behalf of our history team,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667
00:02:55.750 --> 00:02:57.570 I just want to thank Mike Sarniak,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:57.570 --> 00:02:59.818 Bob Cole, Maria Oliva,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:02:59.818 --> 00:03:02.066 the restorative CMHC committee,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:02.070 --> 00:03:04.614 Marco Ramos, Matt Jacobson,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:04.614 --> 00:03:07.302 Crystal Feemster, Ellie Rubin,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:07.302 --> 00:03:10.126 Karen Roffman, Daniel Hosang,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:10.130 --> 00:03:10.988 Ronald Lewis,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:10.988 --> 00:03:11.846 Britt Lewis.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:11.846 --> 00:03:15.040 The family of the late Serena Spruel,
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:15.040 --> 00:03:17.356 the Greater New Haven African American
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:17.356 --> 00:03:19.979 Historical Society and the New Haven Museum.
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:19.980 --> 00:03:21.575 And the special shout out
NOTE Confidence: 0.638794061666667

00:03:21.575 --> 00:03:23.170 goes to fellow members of
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857

00:03:23.236 --> 00:03:25.240 the history exploration project,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857

00:03:25.240 --> 00:03:28.400 Karima and Keith, Melissa Dennis,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857

00:03:28.400 --> 00:03:31.000 Erica Richard and Richard Ewens.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857

00:03:31.000 --> 00:03:34.304 And finally, we've been very deeply grateful

NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:34.304 --> 00:03:37.558 and privileged to speak with some people,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:37.560 --> 00:03:40.146 excuse me, whom we interviewed who
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:40.146 --> 00:03:43.250 were at CMHC in the late 1960s.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:43.250 --> 00:03:46.430 Doctor Claude Thomas, Apostle Fred Harris,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:46.430 --> 00:03:48.530 John Doctor John Seely,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:48.530 --> 00:03:51.155 doctor Howard Zenana and the
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:51.155 --> 00:03:53.400 first historian of CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:53.400 --> 00:03:54.585 Doctor Selby Jacobs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:54.585 --> 00:03:56.165 So on that note,
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:56.170 --> 00:03:57.689 I'm going to turn it over to
NOTE Confidence: 0.866462212142857
00:03:57.689 --> 00:03:58.950 Karima for the first half.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333
00:04:01.860 --> 00:04:03.198 Thank you, Lucille.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333
00:04:03.198 --> 00:04:04.536 Good morning everyone.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333
00:04:04.540 --> 00:04:06.796 I want to thank John Christow
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333
00:04:06.796 --> 00:04:08.300 for the opportunity to
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:08.374 --> 00:04:10.398 present this material today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:10.400 --> 00:04:11.910 Our committee has been working
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:11.910 --> 00:04:14.062 hard over the last two years to
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:14.062 --> 00:04:16.260 mine the archives of CMHC and and
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:16.333 --> 00:04:19.245 other archives and I really we all
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:19.245 --> 00:04:21.407 appreciate the opportunity to share
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:21.407 --> 00:04:23.915 this material with the department today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8073939333333333

00:04:23.920 --> 00:04:25.700 I'm gonna share my screen.
NOTE Confidence: 0.56908137

00:04:34.310 --> 00:04:34.550 That.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8504109966666667

00:04:40.340 --> 00:04:44.250 OK, can everyone see my screen? Just put
NOTE Confidence: 0.8991237125

00:04:44.260 --> 00:04:46.180 it in your slideshow mode.
NOTE Confidence: 0.379943605

00:04:47.320 --> 00:04:50.448 OK, perfect. OK, great.
NOTE Confidence: 0.379943605

00:04:50.448 --> 00:04:52.768 So as Lucille said earlier,
NOTE Confidence: 0.379943605

00:04:52.770 --> 00:04:55.178 this is just an overview of our
NOTE Confidence: 0.379943605

00:04:55.178 --> 00:04:57.070 presentation that we did earlier.
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00:04:57.070 --> 00:04:58.845 So this presentation was actually

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00:04:58.845 --> 00:05:01.216 given in January of of this year

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00:05:01.216 --> 00:05:03.078 and this is kind of a summary

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00:05:03.078 --> 00:05:05.247 of that presentation in January.

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00:05:05.250 --> 00:05:07.630 So some of it will look familiar,

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00:05:07.630 --> 00:05:09.028 some of it is abbreviated and

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00:05:09.028 --> 00:05:10.674 we encourage you to go back to

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00:05:10.674 --> 00:05:11.769 the YouTube channel and look

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00:05:11.769 --> 00:05:13.119 at the full presentation.

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00:05:15.830 --> 00:05:17.729 So I want to start today with just what

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00:05:17.729 --> 00:05:19.334 was our intention with this project

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00:05:19.334 --> 00:05:21.130 and our approach to the project.

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00:05:21.130 --> 00:05:23.038 So we wanted to humanize the

NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:23.038 --> 00:05:24.310 concept of urban renewal.

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00:05:24.310 --> 00:05:26.308 Urban renewal is certainly not new.

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00:05:26.310 --> 00:05:27.830 It's been happening for

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00:05:27.830 --> 00:05:29.350 decades in this country,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:29.350 --> 00:05:31.548 and we've been studying it as scholars
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:31.548 --> 00:05:33.489 in this country for a long time.
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00:05:33.490 --> 00:05:35.446 But our goal today is to
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:35.446 --> 00:05:36.750 really humanize that concept.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:36.750 --> 00:05:38.878 What did it actually mean to the
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:38.878 --> 00:05:40.946 people who lived here and were forced
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:40.946 --> 00:05:43.328 to move to make way for a new city,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:43.330 --> 00:05:43.714 essentially.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:43.714 --> 00:05:47.170 So we want to work to do that today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:47.170 --> 00:05:50.082 We also want to situate CMHC within the
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:50.082 --> 00:05:52.638 geographical and social landscape of change.
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00:05:52.640 --> 00:05:54.620 So we have a rapidly changing
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:54.620 --> 00:05:55.940 landscape across the city,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:55.940 --> 00:05:58.376 and seeing HCC fits into that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:05:58.380 --> 00:06:00.545 and also a rapidly changing

NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:00.545 --> 00:06:03.191 social landscape in the city of
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:03.191 --> 00:06:05.579 New Haven and across the country.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:05.580 --> 00:06:08.075 CHC opened its doors in 1966,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:08.075 --> 00:06:10.685 right in the middle of the
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:10.685 --> 00:06:11.990 civil rights movement.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:11.990 --> 00:06:13.325 Lots of controversy,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:13.325 --> 00:06:15.550 controversy about that issue as
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:15.550 --> 00:06:18.175 well as other issues around race
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:18.175 --> 00:06:20.665 and and later the war movement.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:20.670 --> 00:06:22.650 So CMC sort of comes right in the middle
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:22.650 --> 00:06:25.027 of all this other things that are happening.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:25.030 --> 00:06:26.722 So I wanted to make sure that we sort
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:26.722 --> 00:06:28.342 of ground ourselves and where we were
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:28.342 --> 00:06:30.590 and how we fit into this larger landscape.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:06:30.590 --> 00:06:31.790 So I'm doing part one,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:31.790 --> 00:06:34.010 which makes urban renewal,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:34.010 --> 00:06:36.785 makes it possible for CMHC
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:36.785 --> 00:06:39.426 to exist at 34 Park St.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:39.430 --> 00:06:41.014 There's no other way we could
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:41.014 --> 00:06:43.145 physically be here and if it weren't
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:43.145 --> 00:06:44.509 for urban renewal simultaneously,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:44.510 --> 00:06:46.990 it is the thing that has impacted our
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:46.990 --> 00:06:49.137 clients and our community partners
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:49.137 --> 00:06:51.089 both positively and negatively.
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00:06:51.090 --> 00:06:52.868 So we'll talk about that as we
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:52.868 --> 00:06:54.748 interact with our community around us.
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00:06:54.750 --> 00:06:56.982 We have to know that they have been
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:56.982 --> 00:06:58.997 impacted by seeing by urban renewal
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:06:58.997 --> 00:07:00.742 even if it's decades removed.
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00:07:00.750 --> 00:07:03.476 Still they are kind of the the
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:03.476 --> 00:07:05.106 recipients of that legacy of

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00:07:05.106 --> 00:07:06.590 urban renewal and Part 2,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:06.590 --> 00:07:08.095 which Lucille and Keith will
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:08.095 --> 00:07:09.299 bring to you later.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:09.300 --> 00:07:11.610 Examines our early fumbles through
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:11.610 --> 00:07:13.920 this new and tense relationship
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:13.997 --> 00:07:16.097 between CHC and the Community,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:16.100 --> 00:07:17.756 and that's the larger question I
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:17.756 --> 00:07:19.458 want people to hold inside them
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:19.458 --> 00:07:21.355 today as we think about this work,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:21.360 --> 00:07:23.920 what is our relation to the to the
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:23.920 --> 00:07:25.620 Community given this history of
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:25.620 --> 00:07:27.345 urban renewal and this relocation
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:27.345 --> 00:07:29.418 of many people across the city?
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:29.420 --> 00:07:31.436 How do we relate to that community then?
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:07:31.440 --> 00:07:33.678 How did we begin that relationship
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:33.678 --> 00:07:35.818 and what is our relationship
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:35.818 --> 00:07:38.086 today with our community?
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00:07:38.090 --> 00:07:39.390 So our methodology for this,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:39.390 --> 00:07:41.268 we had a variety of ways
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00:07:41.268 --> 00:07:42.520 of approaching this work.
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00:07:42.520 --> 00:07:44.350 We started off with the oral
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:44.350 --> 00:07:45.570 histories of the displaced,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:45.570 --> 00:07:47.568 so we have our guest speakers,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:47.570 --> 00:07:49.546 which I'll get into in just a moment,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:49.550 --> 00:07:52.084 and we did extensive interviews with them.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:52.090 --> 00:07:53.968 We also borrowed some clips from
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:53.968 --> 00:07:56.270 the New Haven oral History project,
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:56.270 --> 00:07:58.545 which we played in the original presentation.
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:07:58.550 --> 00:08:00.212 So altogether we had a wide
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:08:00.212 --> 00:08:02.113 variety of voices that you heard
NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524

00:08:02.113 --> 00:08:03.943 of different people from different

NOTE Confidence: 0.887168093809524
00:08:03.943 --> 00:08:05.041 class backgrounds and
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:05.101 --> 00:08:06.905 cultural backgrounds talking about
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:06.905 --> 00:08:08.709 their own personal experience.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:08.710 --> 00:08:10.630 Urban renewal in New Haven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:10.630 --> 00:08:11.885 We also had secondary sources
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:11.885 --> 00:08:13.864 that we read as a community and
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:13.864 --> 00:08:15.524 talked about and brought that
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:15.524 --> 00:08:17.270 material into this presentation,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:17.270 --> 00:08:19.235 as well as several interviews
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:19.235 --> 00:08:20.807 with early CMHC faculty.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:20.810 --> 00:08:22.784 So all of that was our our
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:22.784 --> 00:08:24.328 background research or part of it.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:24.330 --> 00:08:26.990 We also looked at our CMHC scrapbooks,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:26.990 --> 00:08:29.096 which are pretty extensive and very
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725
00:08:29.096 --> 00:08:30.950 detailed on this particular period,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:30.950 --> 00:08:32.351 and the newsletters.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:32.351 --> 00:08:34.686 We also borrowed several photographs
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:34.686 --> 00:08:37.126 from the New Haven Museum and
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:37.126 --> 00:08:39.198 we had a chance to look at
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:39.198 --> 00:08:40.938 several items out of the unit.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:40.940 --> 00:08:43.590 Yale University Manuscripts and archives.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:43.590 --> 00:08:44.830 And then there's a moment
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:44.830 --> 00:08:45.574 of experiential learning,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:45.580 --> 00:08:47.524 which I will get into in just a minute,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:47.530 --> 00:08:50.077 where we sort of got to learn in the
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:50.077 --> 00:08:53.300 moment as we were doing this work.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:53.300 --> 00:08:55.732 So our big things for this portion are
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:55.732 --> 00:08:58.737 what was New Haven like before urban renewal?
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:08:58.740 --> 00:09:02.108 What was Old Oak Street like and old
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:09:02.108 --> 00:09:05.319 Dixwell Ave like before urban renewal.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:09:05.320 --> 00:09:07.160 But I'll get into the origins of CHC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:09:07.160 --> 00:09:08.960 How did this physical space come

NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:09:08.960 --> 00:09:11.237 to be and what is our legacy

NOTE Confidence: 0.9022608725

00:09:11.237 --> 00:09:12.585 today of urban renewal?

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:14.840 --> 00:09:16.415 So this is our first guest speaker.

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:16.420 --> 00:09:17.698 He was with us in January.

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:17.700 --> 00:09:18.939 He might be on the call today.

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:18.940 --> 00:09:20.720 I'm not sure. Ronald Lewis,

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:20.720 --> 00:09:23.141 who was very gracious with his time with us

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:23.141 --> 00:09:25.640 and we interviewed him several times about

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:25.640 --> 00:09:28.179 his his lived experience as a young person,

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:28.180 --> 00:09:30.100 as a child in New Haven,

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:30.100 --> 00:09:31.626 when the city was going through all

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:31.626 --> 00:09:33.160 of this change with urban renewal.

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:33.160 --> 00:09:34.912 So he is a longtime educator

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:34.912 --> 00:09:37.040 and the New Haven School system,

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:37.040 --> 00:09:38.648 semi professional tennis player.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:38.648 --> 00:09:41.060 He served in our nation's military,
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:41.060 --> 00:09:43.280 including active duty in Vietnam.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:43.280 --> 00:09:44.760 And for us, it's CHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:44.760 --> 00:09:45.735 He's the proud.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:45.735 --> 00:09:47.035 Father of Brett Lewis,
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:47.040 --> 00:09:48.756 he's who's one of our amazing
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:48.756 --> 00:09:49.900 social workers at CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:49.900 --> 00:09:52.005 So we're delighted that that
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:52.005 --> 00:09:54.510 Brit recommended him and it was
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:54.510 --> 00:09:56.771 great to know him and to include
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:56.771 --> 00:09:59.148 him in our larger CMC family.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:09:59.150 --> 00:10:01.910 So Serena's rule?
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:01.910 --> 00:10:03.618 You know, I interviewed her quite a
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:03.618 --> 00:10:05.530 bit in January and she passed in July.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:05.530 --> 00:10:07.427 So this was a big shock for

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:07.427 --> 00:10:08.910 all of us at CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:08.910 --> 00:10:10.630 And it's a little sad.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:10.630 --> 00:10:11.678 It was pretty sudden,
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:11.678 --> 00:10:13.250 but I am including her in
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:13.310 --> 00:10:14.648 this presentation today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:14.650 --> 00:10:17.062 She was a huge part of it in January.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:17.070 --> 00:10:19.464 So you will see photographs of her,
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:19.470 --> 00:10:20.688 you'll see video clips of her,
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:20.690 --> 00:10:21.918 you'll hear her voice.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:21.918 --> 00:10:25.168 I don't mean that to be upsetting to anyone.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:25.170 --> 00:10:26.787 I want it to be a celebration.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:26.790 --> 00:10:28.421 You know, this is part of the
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:28.421 --> 00:10:29.949 legacy that she left us at CMC,
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:29.950 --> 00:10:30.970 and I think she would want
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857
00:10:30.970 --> 00:10:32.040 us to continue to tell her.
NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:32.040 --> 00:10:34.128 Story so I've included her in that way.

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:34.130 --> 00:10:36.650 Today she was up here on

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:36.650 --> 00:10:37.910 recovery support specialist,

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:37.910 --> 00:10:39.101 a proud mother,

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:39.101 --> 00:10:40.689 grandmother and great grandmother.

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:40.690 --> 00:10:42.422 She earned her associates

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:42.422 --> 00:10:44.154 degree from Gateway Community

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:44.154 --> 00:10:46.321 College and was a gourmet chef,

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:46.321 --> 00:10:48.667 a vegetarian chef from the Natural

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:48.670 --> 00:10:50.710 Natural Gourmet Institute of New York.

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:50.710 --> 00:10:52.222 So she had a lot of great

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:52.222 --> 00:10:53.382 accomplishments and she was just

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:53.382 --> 00:10:54.780 an all around wonderful person and

NOTE Confidence: 0.913545187142857

00:10:54.780 --> 00:10:56.269 she added so much value to CNBC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:10:58.840 --> 00:11:00.730 OK. So this is what Oak Street looked like.

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:00.730 --> 00:11:03.634 This is a park on Oak Street before

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:03.634 --> 00:11:05.688 urban renewal, before the demolition and

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:05.688 --> 00:11:07.680 the the reorganization of this area.

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:07.680 --> 00:11:10.310 So I just wanted to show a little moment of

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:10.371 --> 00:11:12.940 what it looks like physically before then.

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:12.940 --> 00:11:14.100 So the other street neighborhood,

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:14.100 --> 00:11:15.720 just a little bit of background,

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:15.720 --> 00:11:18.627 in 19 the 1950s, Oak Street was the most

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:18.627 --> 00:11:21.437 densely populated neighborhood in New Haven.

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:21.440 --> 00:11:23.075 It was racially integrated with

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:23.075 --> 00:11:24.383 African American residents and

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:24.383 --> 00:11:25.700 Eastern European immigrants.

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:25.700 --> 00:11:27.550 It was mostly Eastern European

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:27.550 --> 00:11:29.400 immigrants in this particular area,

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:29.400 --> 00:11:31.352 with some African American

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:31.352 --> 00:11:32.816 residents also included.

NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:32.820 --> 00:11:33.996 And again, there was no division.
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:34.000 --> 00:11:35.878 Everyone sort of kind of mixed
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:35.878 --> 00:11:37.130 together from different countries
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:37.185 --> 00:11:38.897 and different cultural backgrounds,
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:38.900 --> 00:11:39.875 very densely populated.
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:39.875 --> 00:11:41.500 We had open air markets.
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:41.500 --> 00:11:42.988 We had mom and pop shops.
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:42.990 --> 00:11:43.474 Restaurants,
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:43.474 --> 00:11:45.410 tenements and cultural organizations
NOTE Confidence: 0.801933395555556

00:11:45.410 --> 00:11:47.830 in the Oak Street neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:11:50.040 --> 00:11:52.714 The demolition began in the late 1950s.
NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:11:52.720 --> 00:11:56.386 There were 900 households and 250 businesses
NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:11:56.386 --> 00:11:58.857 that were forced out of the area.
NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:11:58.860 --> 00:12:01.468 So just think of 900 families had to
NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:01.468 --> 00:12:04.400 move and 250 businesses were closed,
NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:04.400 --> 00:12:07.696 many of them not to ever reopen again.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:07.700 --> 00:12:09.970 56% of those households were

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:09.970 --> 00:12:12.204 white households, and many of them

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:12.204 --> 00:12:14.215 moved to the nearby suburbs with.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:14.215 --> 00:12:16.700 But it's a very different story for

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:16.700 --> 00:12:18.749 the African American residents.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:18.750 --> 00:12:19.625 So I want to play a clip.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:19.630 --> 00:12:22.228 This is from the January presentation,

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:22.230 --> 00:12:23.106 so I'm just going to play.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:23.110 --> 00:12:25.189 I think it's about a minute long

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:25.190 --> 00:12:27.900 so you can hear some of our story.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:27.900 --> 00:12:29.310 And I think this is Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:29.310 --> 00:12:31.190 Lewis talking about his life.

NOTE Confidence: 0.869226568571428

00:12:31.190 --> 00:12:32.380 He used to live on Oak St.

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:33.650 --> 00:12:35.780 My mother worked at Winchester

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:35.780 --> 00:12:36.810 where they made the list,

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:36.810 --> 00:12:38.350 guns and things like that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:38.350 --> 00:12:40.564 and she bring bullets home and what we would
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:40.564 --> 00:12:43.005 do is my brother a little bit older than me.
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:43.010 --> 00:12:44.530 It would take the bullets,
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:44.530 --> 00:12:46.510 put in a big garbage can in the back
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:46.510 --> 00:12:48.884 of the yard and we would duck the
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:48.884 --> 00:12:50.688 bullets firing through the trash cans.
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:50.690 --> 00:12:52.628 And when they weren't doing that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:52.630 --> 00:12:54.930 they were selling rat tails.
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:54.930 --> 00:12:56.328 The church had put out sort
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:56.328 --> 00:12:57.869 of a bounty on rat tails.
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:57.870 --> 00:12:59.510 I think it was \$0.25.
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:12:59.510 --> 00:13:01.400 That's so many rats were in the
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:01.400 --> 00:13:02.769 community down on oak tree.
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:02.770 --> 00:13:04.900 You talked about the small businesses.
NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:04.900 --> 00:13:07.030 I know it's a long time ago and I can't

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:07.090 --> 00:13:09.388 remember any black small businesses there.

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:09.390 --> 00:13:10.854 There were businesses there,

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:10.854 --> 00:13:13.050 but I don't remember any black

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:13.116 --> 00:13:15.286 store down in that Oak Street area.

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:15.290 --> 00:13:16.310 Maybe it's just my memory

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:16.310 --> 00:13:17.126 slipping at the point,

NOTE Confidence: 0.886307142

00:13:17.130 --> 00:13:18.030 but I'm not sure.

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:20.400 --> 00:13:22.680 And the rattails, just to explain

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:22.680 --> 00:13:24.735 to the audience that that was

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:24.735 --> 00:13:28.000 a form of extermination, right?

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:28.000 --> 00:13:29.687 Because to get an exterminator and they

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:29.687 --> 00:13:31.448 asked the children to go and kill the rats,

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:31.450 --> 00:13:32.174 essentially exterminator,

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:32.174 --> 00:13:34.708 that wasn't something we knew about that,

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:34.710 --> 00:13:36.264 which is something where the church

NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:36.264 --> 00:13:38.169 had said to try to get rid of
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:38.169 --> 00:13:39.750 some of the rats that were there,
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:39.750 --> 00:13:41.510 you just had to put out a bounty
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:41.510 --> 00:13:43.753 on them and the bigger kids in the
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:43.753 --> 00:13:45.310 neighborhood would hit the tails,
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:45.310 --> 00:13:47.830 turn them in and get the money
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:47.830 --> 00:13:50.088 and probably go to the movies.
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:50.090 --> 00:13:51.682 Wow, that's amazing. Amazing.
NOTE Confidence: 0.823905082222222

00:13:51.682 --> 00:13:54.340 Thank you for sharing that with us.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821810202

00:13:57.300 --> 00:13:59.250 My mother worked at winter. OK,
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:13:59.260 --> 00:14:01.042 so that was Mr. Lewis talking
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:01.042 --> 00:14:02.919 about his childhood on Oak Street.
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:02.920 --> 00:14:05.856 And just you can just hear how terrible
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:05.856 --> 00:14:07.958 the conditions were for that area,
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:07.960 --> 00:14:09.740 which was deemed Islam
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:09.740 --> 00:14:11.965 and was later torn down.

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:11.970 --> 00:14:14.994 40% of African American households were

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:14.994 --> 00:14:18.280 assigned to relocation areas across the city.

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:18.280 --> 00:14:20.240 Many of them once they were assigned,

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:20.240 --> 00:14:22.536 some of them were reassigned later on

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:22.536 --> 00:14:25.384 as the project moved through the various

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:25.384 --> 00:14:27.629 phases of construction and demolition.

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:27.630 --> 00:14:29.316 But the for the White House,

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:29.320 --> 00:14:30.944 those many of them were able to

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:30.944 --> 00:14:32.607 save money and eventually move out

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:32.607 --> 00:14:34.425 to the suburbs and purchase homes.

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:34.430 --> 00:14:37.596 So it kind of forced them into

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:37.596 --> 00:14:39.070 this track of upward mobility.

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:39.070 --> 00:14:40.398 Whereas African Americans never

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:40.398 --> 00:14:43.059 quite many of them were not able to

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:43.059 --> 00:14:45.187 regain that putting in terms of home

NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:45.187 --> 00:14:46.787 ownership and able to eventually
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:46.787 --> 00:14:48.641 move out of the relocation area.
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:48.650 --> 00:14:51.305 So they were sort of ended up kind of
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:51.305 --> 00:14:53.902 stuck in those areas for generations
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:53.902 --> 00:14:55.820 actually the Hill neighborhood
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:55.820 --> 00:14:56.800 was overcrowded.
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:56.800 --> 00:14:58.634 So you had an overcrowded hill neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:58.640 --> 00:14:59.765 You had people moving from
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:14:59.765 --> 00:15:00.890 Oak Street into the hill,
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:15:00.890 --> 00:15:03.380 which made it made it worse,
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:15:03.380 --> 00:15:06.116 and eventually large public housing projects,
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:15:06.120 --> 00:15:08.751 including the Elm Haven projects we're
NOTE Confidence: 0.841292208333333

00:15:08.751 --> 00:15:10.406 builds in the Dixwell neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:12.540 --> 00:15:15.276 So just a little background on old Dixwell.
NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:15.280 --> 00:15:17.085 Dixwell was the 5th Urban
NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:17.085 --> 00:15:18.168 Renewal Project area,

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:18.170 --> 00:15:20.258 so you had several areas across the city.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:20.260 --> 00:15:22.712 Oak Street was first.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:22.712 --> 00:15:25.542 Dixwell was 5070% of the

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:25.542 --> 00:15:27.678 neighborhood was African American.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:27.680 --> 00:15:29.180 1100 households were relocated.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:29.180 --> 00:15:32.048 So on Oak Street we had 900

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:32.048 --> 00:15:33.484 households relocated on.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:33.484 --> 00:15:36.101 In the Dixwell neighborhood we had 1100.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:36.101 --> 00:15:39.958 30% of those home units were demolished.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:39.960 --> 00:15:41.515 Many families from Oak Street

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:41.515 --> 00:15:43.380 landed in Dixwell and then some

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:43.380 --> 00:15:44.856 had to move a second time.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:44.860 --> 00:15:46.358 And this is the original Q House,

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:46.360 --> 00:15:47.904 which is a major,

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:47.904 --> 00:15:49.834 very important Community Center for

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:49.834 --> 00:15:52.580 youth and the whole community on Dixwell,

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:52.580 --> 00:15:56.630 which was also later torn down.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:56.630 --> 00:15:58.763 So **** Swell was a cultural hub in New

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:15:58.763 --> 00:16:00.578 Haven and for the Northeast region.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:00.580 --> 00:16:05.680 You had many famous jazz clubs and jazz

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:05.680 --> 00:16:07.630 luminaries come through New Haven.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:07.630 --> 00:16:09.478 We also had lots of programs like

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:09.478 --> 00:16:11.069 the dance school was well known

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:11.069 --> 00:16:12.805 to everyone's child had to go to

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:12.861 --> 00:16:14.409 the dance school and the annual

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:14.409 --> 00:16:16.666 recital was a big deal in New Haven.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:16.666 --> 00:16:18.933 So there was a lot of culture

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:18.933 --> 00:16:22.710 that was shared in in old Dixwell.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:22.710 --> 00:16:24.579 Is also, you also had small businesses,

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:24.580 --> 00:16:27.730 you had a vibrant small business economy.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:27.730 --> 00:16:29.844 You had 200 businesses that were forced

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:29.844 --> 00:16:32.350 to close as a result of urban renewal.

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:32.350 --> 00:16:34.234 So again this also disenfranchised people

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:34.234 --> 00:16:36.574 lost their homes and also some of them

NOTE Confidence: 0.78413282625

00:16:36.574 --> 00:16:38.430 also lost their small business as well.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:40.700 --> 00:16:42.597 This is why this is so important

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:42.597 --> 00:16:44.739 with the small businesses of Dixwell.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:44.740 --> 00:16:46.740 And this quote is from an old newspaper,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:46.740 --> 00:16:49.350 but it talks about the Dixwell

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:49.350 --> 00:16:51.583 neighborhood being the cultural hub

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:51.583 --> 00:16:54.109 and shopping hub for the neighborhood.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:54.110 --> 00:16:55.790 And also, I'll just read the part

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:55.790 --> 00:16:58.367 of it that says the fact that the

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:58.367 --> 00:16:59.807 downtown restaurants wouldn't serve

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:16:59.807 --> 00:17:02.528 ***** wasn't too much of a problem.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:02.530 --> 00:17:04.574 Because, and it goes on to talk

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:04.574 --> 00:17:06.342 about the restaurants that were on
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:06.342 --> 00:17:07.998 Dix Rd that would serve *****.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:08.000 --> 00:17:09.690 So those small businesses and
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:09.690 --> 00:17:11.927 that cultural space in the Dixwell
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:11.927 --> 00:17:13.859 neighborhood was very important.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:13.860 --> 00:17:15.556 It protected African Americans
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:15.556 --> 00:17:17.676 from having to go downtown,
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:17.680 --> 00:17:19.510 where they would shortly face
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:19.510 --> 00:17:20.974 different forms of racism.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:20.980 --> 00:17:23.364 So they could avoid that by by going
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:23.364 --> 00:17:25.856 to their own cultural centers and
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:25.856 --> 00:17:28.598 restaurants in the Dixwell Ave neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:28.600 --> 00:17:30.120 When these are torn down,
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:30.120 --> 00:17:31.440 people are forced to confront
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:31.440 --> 00:17:32.496 racism in different ways.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:32.500 --> 00:17:34.544 Were forced to go outside of their

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:34.544 --> 00:17:36.089 neighborhood for their basic needs.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:36.090 --> 00:17:38.130 So that's another reason why those

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:38.130 --> 00:17:40.620 that space and those stores and

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:40.620 --> 00:17:43.258 that cultural space was so important

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:43.258 --> 00:17:45.518 to people in that neighborhood.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:45.520 --> 00:17:48.376 Many African Americans work at the

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:48.376 --> 00:17:50.280 Winchester repeating arms factory.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:50.280 --> 00:17:53.276 Earlier on in the century it was

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:53.280 --> 00:17:55.728 it provided jobs for many European

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:55.728 --> 00:17:58.087 immigrants and later on around the

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:17:58.087 --> 00:18:00.840 50s and 60s, many and even the 70s.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:00.840 --> 00:18:03.342 Many African Americans who came up

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:03.342 --> 00:18:05.842 from North Carolina worked at the

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:05.842 --> 00:18:07.370 Winchester Repeating Arms factory

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:07.370 --> 00:18:10.114 and many of the workers also lived

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:10.114 --> 00:18:11.634 in the Dixwell area.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:11.640 --> 00:18:13.396 OK, Freddie Fixer parade.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:13.396 --> 00:18:16.030 This was a major tradition started
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:16.108 --> 00:18:17.059 in the 1960s.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:17.060 --> 00:18:18.840 It was to a doctor.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:18.840 --> 00:18:20.298 Fred Smith wanted people to get
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:20.298 --> 00:18:21.785 out to the neighborhood and clean
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:21.785 --> 00:18:23.189 up the neighborhood and take pride
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:23.189 --> 00:18:24.280 in their neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:24.280 --> 00:18:25.720 And at the end there was a big party,
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:25.720 --> 00:18:27.100 like a block party to celebrate.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:27.100 --> 00:18:29.452 This became an annual tradition and
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:29.452 --> 00:18:32.844 a parade that is still a staple of
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:32.844 --> 00:18:35.466 of the African American community today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:35.470 --> 00:18:38.487 And that went up on Dixwell Ave.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385

00:18:38.490 --> 00:18:40.387 So this is a clip from Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850240544615385
00:18:40.390 --> 00:18:40.810 Lewis.
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:43.070 --> 00:18:43.634 Could scramble,
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:43.634 --> 00:18:45.326 and that's what it was called,
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:45.330 --> 00:18:49.404 scramble and they would hurt each other.
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:49.410 --> 00:18:52.217 Going for these coins and it still
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:52.217 --> 00:18:54.650 maddens me now to think about
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:54.650 --> 00:18:56.142 these privileged young white
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:56.142 --> 00:18:58.850 yalies had the nerve to come into
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:18:58.850 --> 00:19:00.865 our neighborhood and throw coins
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:19:00.870 --> 00:19:02.706 at the young black kids there.
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:19:02.710 --> 00:19:04.663 I was too young at the time to participate,
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:19:04.670 --> 00:19:06.770 but my brother and my other brother,
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:19:06.770 --> 00:19:09.730 Edward Tio Lewis, would participate,
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:19:09.730 --> 00:19:11.375 and he'd get knocked about and beaten
NOTE Confidence: 0.7684977275
00:19:11.375 --> 00:19:13.330 about for a little more than nothing.
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:16.610 --> 00:19:18.130 Thank you so much, Mr. Lewis.
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:18.130 --> 00:19:20.050 We've heard, I've heard about that
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:20.050 --> 00:19:21.930 scramble from other people in New
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:21.930 --> 00:19:23.370 Haven about being thrown pennies
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:23.370 --> 00:19:25.119 from the Yale students and the
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:25.119 --> 00:19:26.787 little kids would run after it,
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:26.790 --> 00:19:28.210 not realizing how, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:28.210 --> 00:19:29.800 some of them not didn't realize
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:29.800 --> 00:19:30.860 how demeaning it was.
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:30.860 --> 00:19:32.328 They have enough nerve.
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:32.328 --> 00:19:34.163 They didn't have enough nerve
NOTE Confidence: 0.926626634

00:19:34.163 --> 00:19:35.980 to send dollars change.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832196346666667

00:19:38.310 --> 00:19:40.342 Thank you so much.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832196346666667

00:19:40.342 --> 00:19:42.269 You're welcome. They could swim.
NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:42.920 --> 00:19:45.314 So what are we talking about is the scramble
NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:45.314 --> 00:19:47.464 which was kind of the Yale students sort

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:47.464 --> 00:19:49.420 of mocking the pretty fixer parades.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:49.420 --> 00:19:51.556 You would have our African American

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:51.556 --> 00:19:53.676 celebration and and pride in our

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:53.676 --> 00:19:55.566 neighborhood and then you would have

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:55.566 --> 00:19:57.226 the yellow students would actually

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:57.226 --> 00:19:59.980 rent a float and ride the float up and

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:19:59.980 --> 00:20:01.730 down Dixwell Ave and throw pennies at

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:01.730 --> 00:20:03.758 the at the African American children.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:03.760 --> 00:20:06.001 So this is a a very strong memory for

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:06.001 --> 00:20:08.460 lots of people people of that generation.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:08.460 --> 00:20:10.532 I've heard many of them talk about

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:10.532 --> 00:20:11.710 the scramble and how.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:11.710 --> 00:20:12.406 Degrading it was,

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:12.406 --> 00:20:14.317 once they got older and were able to

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:14.317 --> 00:20:15.990 realize what was happening that it was,

NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:15.990 --> 00:20:19.380 it was insulting and it was making a
NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:19.380 --> 00:20:21.690 mockery of the Freddie Fixer parade.
NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:21.690 --> 00:20:23.697 So this is this is a clip from Serena,
NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:23.700 --> 00:20:25.750 who talks about her childhood
NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:25.750 --> 00:20:27.185 being moved from several different
NOTE Confidence: 0.810616089130435

00:20:27.185 --> 00:20:28.333 locations across the city.
NOTE Confidence: 0.44044435

00:20:31.430 --> 00:20:34.500 Way in 1956.
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:34.500 --> 00:20:37.084 I was around two years old and my
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:37.084 --> 00:20:39.140 baby brother was six months old.
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:39.140 --> 00:20:42.194 My father had some kind of
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:42.194 --> 00:20:45.350 agreement with the City of heaven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:45.350 --> 00:20:48.368 Where they would purchase the properties
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:48.368 --> 00:20:52.368 of land that they wanted to use for
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:52.368 --> 00:20:54.360 some future redevelopment development.
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:54.360 --> 00:20:58.320 Those inhabitants would move out in,
NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:20:58.320 --> 00:21:00.460 my family would move in,

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:00.460 --> 00:21:02.518 and we would then stay in the

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:02.518 --> 00:21:04.322 property until the city of New

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:04.322 --> 00:21:06.331 Haven was ready to begin working on

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:06.401 --> 00:21:08.264 that particular renewal project.

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:08.264 --> 00:21:12.729 It was a way for the properties to remain

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:12.729 --> 00:21:16.299 occupied and not contribute to blight.

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:16.300 --> 00:21:18.980 The city didn't have to then worry about

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:18.980 --> 00:21:21.298 squatters or taking over the property,

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:21.300 --> 00:21:21.742 either.

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:21.742 --> 00:21:24.836 Our family would stay in a house,

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:24.840 --> 00:21:28.440 usually for one to two years at a time.

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:28.440 --> 00:21:31.359 I did get attached to the house

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:31.359 --> 00:21:32.845 on 432 Chapel Street.

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:32.845 --> 00:21:35.330 That was the only place where we

NOTE Confidence: 0.909389729285714

00:21:35.401 --> 00:21:37.555 live that was above a business.

NOTE Confidence: 0.76411825

00:21:39.630 --> 00:21:40.898 The way in 1950.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:41.430 --> 00:21:42.286 OK, so I'm sorry.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:42.286 --> 00:21:44.170 That was a little jarring for some people.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:44.170 --> 00:21:45.986 I know the first time I watched it,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:45.990 --> 00:21:47.810 it was a little upsetting.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:47.810 --> 00:21:49.637 But again, I think she would want to be
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:49.637 --> 00:21:51.276 included in this and I think it's a great,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:51.280 --> 00:21:53.968 great way to honor her memory.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:53.970 --> 00:21:55.986 So that was her talking about her
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:55.986 --> 00:21:57.381 childhood where her father had
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:57.381 --> 00:21:59.083 to deal with the city to again,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:21:59.083 --> 00:22:00.721 she had 1211 siblings and her
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:22:00.721 --> 00:22:02.768 father was a single dad and had
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:22:02.768 --> 00:22:04.223 to provide for his children.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:22:04.230 --> 00:22:06.064 So he had a deal for housing.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:22:06.070 --> 00:22:08.246 He took advantage of urban renewal in a

NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:08.246 --> 00:22:10.536 way and said let's see if we can get.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:10.540 --> 00:22:13.276 Housing for free and these empty
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:13.276 --> 00:22:15.100 spaces until construction starts.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:15.100 --> 00:22:16.748 So you would find kind of a loophole
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:16.748 --> 00:22:18.549 in urban renewal and say I'm going to
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:18.549 --> 00:22:20.316 house my children in these empty homes
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:20.316 --> 00:22:22.234 until it's time for construction to start.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:22.240 --> 00:22:24.940 So there was a year or two in between
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:24.940 --> 00:22:27.768 when people had to evacuate the space and
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:27.768 --> 00:22:29.678 when the construction actually started,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:29.680 --> 00:22:31.672 and that's the moment he would step into
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:31.672 --> 00:22:33.416 this family and house them for years.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:33.420 --> 00:22:34.920 So because of that,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:34.920 --> 00:22:37.170 she moved quite a bit throughout
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333
00:22:37.242 --> 00:22:40.212 her childhood and had lots of
NOTE Confidence: 0.8215771683333333

00:22:40.212 --> 00:22:42.752 different experiences in New Haven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.821577168333333

00:22:42.760 --> 00:22:44.864 So this is a second clip from Serena
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:22:45.500 --> 00:22:47.610 Chain link fencing and see
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:22:47.610 --> 00:22:49.720 the park on the other,
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:22:49.720 --> 00:22:51.320 which was around the corner.
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:22:51.320 --> 00:22:53.030 And I absolutely love this
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:22:53.030 --> 00:22:55.110 house and I really, really was
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:22:55.110 --> 00:22:57.595 devastated when we had to leave it.
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:22:57.600 --> 00:23:01.740 But they changed it into Department
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:23:01.740 --> 00:23:04.168 of Transportation and you can see
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:23:04.168 --> 00:23:05.478 the highway going right through,
NOTE Confidence: 0.73599821

00:23:05.480 --> 00:23:07.349 right through the back of that building.
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333

00:23:12.020 --> 00:23:14.274 This is 111 Winter St This is
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333

00:23:14.274 --> 00:23:16.315 behind the Stetson Library in the
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333

00:23:16.315 --> 00:23:18.660 parking lot and back of the Stetson
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333

00:23:18.735 --> 00:23:21.129 Library on Dixwell Ave and where I'm

NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:21.129 --> 00:23:23.292 standing at is where my house was.
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:23.292 --> 00:23:25.546 So they for my house down to be
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:25.546 --> 00:23:27.506 a part of parking lot and back of
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:27.574 --> 00:23:30.640 the Stetson Library on ***** lab.
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:30.640 --> 00:23:34.090 And yeah. That's me,
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:34.090 --> 00:23:37.333 and that's where my house was. Yeah.
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:37.333 --> 00:23:39.790 So this is not related to the highway at all.
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:39.790 --> 00:23:42.568 It's just part of the neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:42.570 --> 00:23:44.490 Was torn down, yeah, right.
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:44.490 --> 00:23:46.044 Part of the change that they wanted
NOTE Confidence: 0.805951080133333
00:23:46.044 --> 00:23:47.927 to make in the in the neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.795231633333333
00:23:50.560 --> 00:23:51.310 The chain link.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:23:52.070 --> 00:23:54.104 Because I just want to go back a second.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:23:54.110 --> 00:23:56.112 So what she was talking about is
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:23:56.112 --> 00:23:58.170 this space here behind Dixwell Ave.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:23:58.170 --> 00:24:00.042 This was winter St the street no longer
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:00.042 --> 00:24:02.147 exists and it's been made into a parking lot.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:02.150 --> 00:24:05.434 So this, this brings the point of
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:05.434 --> 00:24:07.363 urban renewal was to to tear down
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:07.363 --> 00:24:08.989 these spaces to build the highway.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:08.990 --> 00:24:10.460 Right. But you also have spaces
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:10.460 --> 00:24:11.950 that were just deemed slums and
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:11.950 --> 00:24:13.567 had nothing to do with the highway,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:13.570 --> 00:24:15.090 but we're also torn down.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:15.090 --> 00:24:16.578 So where she's standing is would
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:16.578 --> 00:24:18.430 have been the front door of the home
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:18.430 --> 00:24:20.098 that she lived in and one of the
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:20.098 --> 00:24:21.547 homes that she loved as a child.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:21.550 --> 00:24:22.780 So it's. It's, you know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:22.780 --> 00:24:25.125 this is a kind of iconic picture
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:25.125 --> 00:24:26.570 of Serena and also.

NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:26.570 --> 00:24:28.480 Her occupying this now essentially
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:28.480 --> 00:24:29.244 empty space.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:29.250 --> 00:24:30.630 It's a parking lot with very
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:30.630 --> 00:24:31.550 few vehicles in it.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:31.550 --> 00:24:33.726 So it almost sort of begs the question,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:33.730 --> 00:24:35.812 what was the point of destroying
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:35.812 --> 00:24:38.229 that row of houses in that space?
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:38.230 --> 00:24:40.710 So it's a interesting moment.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:40.710 --> 00:24:42.518 We got to talk about how long River
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:42.518 --> 00:24:44.202 renewal not only impacted the spaces
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:44.202 --> 00:24:45.966 for the construction of the highway,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:45.970 --> 00:24:47.910 but also just other spaces
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:47.910 --> 00:24:51.249 that were designated as slums.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:51.250 --> 00:24:55.746 4. OK, so. Hope St CMH sort.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:24:55.746 --> 00:24:58.045 It was born out of this idea
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:58.045 --> 00:24:59.865 of the Oak St Connector.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:24:59.870 --> 00:25:01.566 So the goal was to have a highway,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:01.570 --> 00:25:04.258 a short stretch of Hwy that would
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:04.258 --> 00:25:06.247 reconfigure the highway system to
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:06.247 --> 00:25:08.485 connect I91 with I-95 in the heart of
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:08.485 --> 00:25:11.136 the city by directing traffic to a
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:11.136 --> 00:25:13.366 downtown shopping and parking district.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:13.370 --> 00:25:15.525 Secondary purpose of urban renewal
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:15.525 --> 00:25:17.680 was to eradicate existing slums,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:17.680 --> 00:25:19.138 and that's sort of what Serena
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:19.138 --> 00:25:20.810 was saying in that earlier clip.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:20.810 --> 00:25:22.305 Hundreds of families were removed
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:22.305 --> 00:25:24.430 to make way for the connector.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:24.430 --> 00:25:27.726 We don't have in the hospital and our
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:27.726 --> 00:25:30.378 medical school campus including CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778

00:25:30.380 --> 00:25:32.484 So this is a map of what the

NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:32.484 --> 00:25:33.914 neighborhood looked like before
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:33.914 --> 00:25:35.598 demolition and after construction.
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:35.600 --> 00:25:37.728 So you can see that this was
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:37.728 --> 00:25:39.000 very densely populated area,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:39.000 --> 00:25:41.010 lots of homes, tenement buildings,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:41.010 --> 00:25:41.668 small businesses,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:41.668 --> 00:25:41.997 etcetera,
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:41.997 --> 00:25:44.300 all torn down and to make space
NOTE Confidence: 0.787951277777778
00:25:44.359 --> 00:25:46.089 for the highway coming through.
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822
00:25:48.450 --> 00:25:50.810 So this is our block, CMHC's block.
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822
00:25:50.810 --> 00:25:53.210 You can see here the housing that was
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822
00:25:53.272 --> 00:25:55.505 here and some of the small businesses,
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822
00:25:55.510 --> 00:25:57.190 you had 114 households that
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822
00:25:57.190 --> 00:25:59.631 were forced to move to make way
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822
00:25:59.631 --> 00:26:02.032 for CMHC and you had five small
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:02.032 --> 00:26:04.126 businesses that had to move as well.
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:04.130 --> 00:26:06.230 So this is what this is a,
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:06.230 --> 00:26:08.984 I think it's a fire map from 1961 and I
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:08.984 --> 00:26:11.840 added the names from the phone book of 1960.
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:11.840 --> 00:26:13.401 So you can actually see the names
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:13.401 --> 00:26:15.102 of people who lived here and the
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:15.102 --> 00:26:16.578 names of the businesses of people
NOTE Confidence: 0.897651822

00:26:16.634 --> 00:26:18.195 who who lived on this city block.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:20.540 --> 00:26:22.670 You know, I've highlighted some of
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:22.670 --> 00:26:25.076 the major small businesses and some
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:25.076 --> 00:26:27.196 of the major apartment complexes.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:27.200 --> 00:26:29.120 You had Howard's cleaning and pressing.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:29.120 --> 00:26:31.300 You had Howard's shoe repair.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:31.300 --> 00:26:33.136 You had Harry and Bernie's grill,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:33.140 --> 00:26:34.500 American window and cleaning,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:34.500 --> 00:26:35.860 and a doctor's office.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:35.860 --> 00:26:37.448 You also had apartments

NOTE Confidence: 0.8590934275

00:26:37.448 --> 00:26:39.036 and rooming houses here.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:41.190 --> 00:26:42.552 So land acquisition,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:42.552 --> 00:26:45.730 29 properties were purchased by the state,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:45.730 --> 00:26:49.090 14 successfully negotiated with the owners,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:49.090 --> 00:26:52.390 15 working were condemned,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:52.390 --> 00:26:54.135 but courts were court awards

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:54.135 --> 00:26:55.880 were higher than the proposed,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:55.880 --> 00:26:57.254 than the appraisals.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:57.254 --> 00:26:59.544 These had to be renegotiated.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:26:59.550 --> 00:27:01.412 And in the midst of construction you

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:01.412 --> 00:27:03.689 had one home owner who refused to move,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:03.690 --> 00:27:05.736 who continue to haggle over the

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:05.736 --> 00:27:07.538 price and continue to renegotiate

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:07.538 --> 00:27:10.128 for a higher price with the state.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:10.130 --> 00:27:11.366 So here you see.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:11.366 --> 00:27:13.220 Actually the construction site of CMHC
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:13.284 --> 00:27:15.328 being built and that one homeowner in
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:15.328 --> 00:27:17.416 the corner who is is still negotiating
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:17.416 --> 00:27:19.804 with the state for a higher price.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:19.804 --> 00:27:23.381 So it suggests also the deep attachment
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:23.381 --> 00:27:25.960 to the space and the pride and home
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:25.960 --> 00:27:27.800 ownership that this person refused
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:27.800 --> 00:27:30.260 to leave until until the bitter end,
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:30.260 --> 00:27:32.836 until he was able to negotiate something
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:32.836 --> 00:27:35.530 that he or she thought was fair.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:35.530 --> 00:27:38.407 We had a terrible crane accident really
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:38.407 --> 00:27:41.059 quickly where a crane was toppled.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:41.060 --> 00:27:42.494 And nearly killed.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:42.494 --> 00:27:45.079 Two people were seriously injured
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:45.079 --> 00:27:47.985 with this crane crash that it fell

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:47.985 --> 00:27:50.460 across the length of Oak Street,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:50.460 --> 00:27:53.659 which is now like S frontage Rd.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:53.660 --> 00:27:56.639 And there was a person who was who was

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:56.639 --> 00:27:59.164 crushed underneath the crane and had to

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:27:59.164 --> 00:28:01.658 be sort of pulled out by first responders.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:01.658 --> 00:28:03.970 And so he ended up writing a letter

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:04.030 --> 00:28:05.734 of thanks to the first responders

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:05.734 --> 00:28:07.613 who saved his life that day and

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:07.613 --> 00:28:09.521 we're able to pull him out of the

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:09.521 --> 00:28:11.628 crane and take it to the hospital.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:11.630 --> 00:28:13.646 Once the two men who were on a

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:13.646 --> 00:28:15.160 scaffolding that was helping to

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:15.160 --> 00:28:16.740 construct the second floors CHC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:16.740 --> 00:28:20.345 They were also injured, but not seriously.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:20.350 --> 00:28:22.838 Or just a little little bit of insight

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:22.838 --> 00:28:25.058 into the archives that we found.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:25.060 --> 00:28:27.202 We also had a tree topping topping
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:27.202 --> 00:28:29.009 ceremony when the building was complete
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:29.009 --> 00:28:31.501 and had sort of this is a Scandinavian
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:31.501 --> 00:28:33.942 tradition and construction to place a
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:33.942 --> 00:28:35.790 tree and often a flag on the highest
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:35.843 --> 00:28:37.899 room of the building and have that have
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:37.899 --> 00:28:40.196 that sort of mounted onto the the building.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:40.200 --> 00:28:42.360 It was sort of a a sign of a blessing
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:42.427 --> 00:28:44.513 of the building and all the people
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:44.513 --> 00:28:45.650 who would occupy it.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:45.650 --> 00:28:46.868 So for those who work here,
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:46.870 --> 00:28:48.210 the building has been blessed,
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:48.210 --> 00:28:51.306 everybody, just to let you know.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:51.310 --> 00:28:51.507 OK.
NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:51.507 --> 00:28:52.689 So this is before and after.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:52.690 --> 00:28:55.251 This is the fire map from 1961,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:55.251 --> 00:28:57.357 you see the densely populated block.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:57.360 --> 00:28:59.690 Then this is 1965 after

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:28:59.690 --> 00:29:02.020 construction where all those homes,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:29:02.020 --> 00:29:02.930 apartment buildings,

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:29:02.930 --> 00:29:05.205 businesses have been removed and

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:29:05.205 --> 00:29:10.080 we have our building CMHC remains.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:29:10.080 --> 00:29:11.340 And this is opening day.

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:29:11.340 --> 00:29:13.566 This is the Department of Psychiatry

NOTE Confidence: 0.850647951

00:29:13.566 --> 00:29:17.290 faculty opening the doors of CHC in 1966.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8947231525

00:29:19.710 --> 00:29:22.050 OK, so just one more clip

NOTE Confidence: 0.8947231525

00:29:22.050 --> 00:29:23.859 from Ronald, Mr Ronald Lewis.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:26.020 --> 00:29:28.636 Freedom. We had clean running water.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:28.640 --> 00:29:30.880 We had we had pets.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:30.880 --> 00:29:31.960 Reminds me of one story.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:31.960 --> 00:29:33.736 I had a dog named Rover,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:33.740 --> 00:29:36.076 and because we let our dogs run free
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:36.076 --> 00:29:38.098 because of the open spaces there,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:38.100 --> 00:29:40.460 the dog would come back to the house
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:40.460 --> 00:29:42.369 running wanted we'd go outside when
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:42.369 --> 00:29:44.247 he wanted to the maintenance man.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:44.250 --> 00:29:46.278 Loved our dog away from us.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:46.280 --> 00:29:47.876 What he did was he'd feed
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:47.876 --> 00:29:49.460 my dog and love my dog.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:49.460 --> 00:29:52.020 And I see my dog somewhere down in the park.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:52.020 --> 00:29:52.692 And I called him.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:52.692 --> 00:29:53.364 I said come here.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:53.370 --> 00:29:55.358 Rover and Rover would wag his tail
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:55.358 --> 00:29:57.635 and he come to me in a loving way.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:57.640 --> 00:29:58.900 He'd roll on the ground,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:29:58.900 --> 00:30:00.734 I pet his belly and then he

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:00.734 --> 00:30:02.740 would go back to this new owner.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:02.740 --> 00:30:04.868 And we never tried to get Rover back

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:04.868 --> 00:30:06.878 because we think the man loved him

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:06.878 --> 00:30:08.810 and that's all that really matters.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:08.810 --> 00:30:10.458 But I had a good experience in rocky

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:10.458 --> 00:30:13.916 premiere. I went on to the service.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:13.920 --> 00:30:14.484 Thank you.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:14.484 --> 00:30:15.816 So for you, it's a,

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:15.816 --> 00:30:17.031 it was a positive experience

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:17.031 --> 00:30:18.617 moving to Rock You at that time,

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:18.620 --> 00:30:21.176 away from the raps and living in the store.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:21.180 --> 00:30:23.460 I'd say it was a very positive experience.

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:23.460 --> 00:30:24.585 I understand what you're saying

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:24.585 --> 00:30:26.128 about the army knowing a lot of

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:26.128 --> 00:30:27.423 people were pushed out and I don't

NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:27.423 --> 00:30:28.660 know where a lot of them went,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:28.660 --> 00:30:30.655 but a lot of people did come
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:30.655 --> 00:30:32.230 to Rockview and Brookside.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:32.230 --> 00:30:33.926 And for a lot of people it was,
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:33.930 --> 00:30:36.580 it was moving on up and have the
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:36.580 --> 00:30:38.610 things that we had there that we
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:38.681 --> 00:30:41.329 really want accustomed to down on oak St.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:41.330 --> 00:30:42.642 OK, perfect.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:42.642 --> 00:30:43.298 Perfect.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:43.298 --> 00:30:44.610 Thank you.
NOTE Confidence: 0.836911785

00:30:44.610 --> 00:30:44.890 Item.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:30:45.900 --> 00:30:47.628 So this is an interesting point that Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:30:47.630 --> 00:30:48.760 Lewis is bringing up about.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:30:48.760 --> 00:30:51.100 His experience was actually positive,
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:30:51.100 --> 00:30:52.830 moving away from the rats,
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:30:52.830 --> 00:30:56.632 moving into a much nicer housing situation

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:30:56.632 --> 00:30:58.774 where you had lots of green grass.

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:30:58.780 --> 00:31:00.580 It was very diverse group of

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:00.580 --> 00:31:03.220 people from all over the world and

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:03.220 --> 00:31:04.597 different cultural backgrounds.

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:04.600 --> 00:31:06.868 And he had the open spaces on the sort

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:06.868 --> 00:31:09.071 of over by Southern campus in that

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:09.071 --> 00:31:11.447 area and there were a lot of open

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:11.447 --> 00:31:13.444 space for him and his friends to play.

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:13.444 --> 00:31:15.368 So we talked a lot about playing with the

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:15.368 --> 00:31:16.946 different animals and putting his dog.

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:16.950 --> 00:31:17.988 Which is a sharp contrast to

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:17.988 --> 00:31:18.990 what he was doing before,

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:18.990 --> 00:31:20.520 which was being tasked with

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:20.520 --> 00:31:22.530 killing the rats on Oak Street.

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:22.530 --> 00:31:24.708 So for him it was a very positive experience

NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:24.708 --> 00:31:26.763 and for some other people it was to it.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:26.770 --> 00:31:28.456 It wasn't all terrible for everyone,
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:28.460 --> 00:31:30.357 but there for some people I think
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:30.357 --> 00:31:32.210 it depends on where you landed.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:32.210 --> 00:31:33.580 If you landed in rock for you at the time,
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:33.580 --> 00:31:34.870 you had a good experience.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:34.870 --> 00:31:36.268 If you landed in the hill,
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:36.270 --> 00:31:38.280 you didn't have a good experience
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:38.280 --> 00:31:39.620 because you experience overcrowding
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:39.674 --> 00:31:41.570 and probably more rats actually inhale.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:41.570 --> 00:31:43.675 So just depends on where
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:43.675 --> 00:31:45.359 you were relocated to.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:45.360 --> 00:31:47.264 So this is the last clip from serving.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83407644375

00:31:47.270 --> 00:31:48.238 It's about 30 seconds.
NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:31:50.550 --> 00:31:53.634 Kevin Carlile St and I had
NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:31:53.634 --> 00:31:57.409 just made a new white friend.

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:31:57.410 --> 00:32:00.065 And then one day she came to me crying.

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:00.070 --> 00:32:03.310 And then when I asked her why she said that,

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:03.310 --> 00:32:05.983 her father said that they had to move away.

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:05.990 --> 00:32:08.846 And, you know, we had just become friends,

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:08.850 --> 00:32:10.985 you know, so we both were devastated.

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:10.990 --> 00:32:12.406 So, and I think, you know,

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:12.410 --> 00:32:14.626 that was like the beginning of white flight,

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:14.630 --> 00:32:17.906 you know, at that time in my life and

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:17.906 --> 00:32:20.690 in the neighborhood and everything.

NOTE Confidence: 0.75934526

00:32:20.690 --> 00:32:23.279 Most, you know, snowballed after that.

NOTE Confidence: 0.41516506

00:32:26.180 --> 00:32:29.130 Seven, Carlos OK, so just to

NOTE Confidence: 0.41516506

00:32:29.130 --> 00:32:30.830 to emphasize Serena's point

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:30.830 --> 00:32:32.972 again, many of the white households

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:32.972 --> 00:32:35.822 were able to eventually move out of the

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:35.822 --> 00:32:37.856 those relocation areas and find housing,

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:37.860 --> 00:32:39.730 homeownership and housing in the
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:39.730 --> 00:32:42.862 suburbs and so in a way urban renewal.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:42.862 --> 00:32:45.778 Eventually ended up segregating the city.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:45.780 --> 00:32:47.733 It didn't maybe intend to do that
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:47.733 --> 00:32:49.069 necessarily because everyone was moved.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:49.070 --> 00:32:51.620 It was more segregated by class,
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:51.620 --> 00:32:55.526 but it gave, it prompted people,
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:55.530 --> 00:32:56.322 the white families,
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:56.322 --> 00:32:58.766 to seek more to try and get ownership of
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:32:58.766 --> 00:33:01.320 a home and to move outside of those areas.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:01.320 --> 00:33:03.308 So then it became sort of people
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:03.308 --> 00:33:05.211 of color dominated areas in those
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:05.211 --> 00:33:06.856 relocation areas and the white
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:06.856 --> 00:33:08.477 families were able to eventually
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:08.477 --> 00:33:10.584 move out and move into the suburbs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:10.590 --> 00:33:13.094 So she talked about the white flight also.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:13.100 --> 00:33:13.780 I just want to say.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:13.780 --> 00:33:15.950 Before I leave this issue of Serena,

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:15.950 --> 00:33:17.462 she didn't have any photos of her

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:17.462 --> 00:33:18.638 childhood like Mr. Lewis did.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:18.638 --> 00:33:19.430 Mr. Lewis had.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:19.430 --> 00:33:19.756 Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:19.756 --> 00:33:21.060 Lewis had different photographs

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:21.060 --> 00:33:23.493 because she moved so many times and

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:23.493 --> 00:33:24.989 she experienced extreme poverty.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:24.990 --> 00:33:26.908 There were no photos left of her

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:26.908 --> 00:33:28.349 as a as a child.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:28.350 --> 00:33:30.758 And so she and I were tasked with

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:30.758 --> 00:33:32.934 driving across the city to get current

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:32.934 --> 00:33:35.009 photos of where she used to live.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:35.010 --> 00:33:37.116 And so this is part of the bond with

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:37.116 --> 00:33:39.159 Serena that we had this this whole
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:39.159 --> 00:33:40.722 Sunday together and we took lots.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:40.722 --> 00:33:42.617 So I'll just go back quickly to see
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:42.617 --> 00:33:44.250 some of the photographs that we had.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:44.250 --> 00:33:46.810 So we she shared a lot with me that
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:46.810 --> 00:33:48.325 particular day about her life,
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:48.330 --> 00:33:49.450 which was really interesting.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:49.450 --> 00:33:51.682 And so the photos you see of about
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:51.682 --> 00:33:53.425 her story are current photos of what
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:53.425 --> 00:33:55.227 the space looks like now as opposed
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:55.227 --> 00:33:57.254 to what it looked like at that point.
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:57.254 --> 00:33:58.790 So that's kind of the experiential
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:58.841 --> 00:33:59.600 learning for me,
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:33:59.600 --> 00:34:01.904 learning about the city and seeing
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:34:01.904 --> 00:34:04.559 the city through the eyes of Serena,
NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:34:04.560 --> 00:34:05.918 who was a child at the time.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:34:05.920 --> 00:34:08.176 So that was a really interesting

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:34:08.180 --> 00:34:10.860 way of of doing this for me.

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:34:10.860 --> 00:34:11.520 It was research,

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:34:11.520 --> 00:34:12.920 but also building a really

NOTE Confidence: 0.867551644

00:34:12.920 --> 00:34:14.040 nice friendship between us.

NOTE Confidence: 0.7582952825

00:34:15.810 --> 00:34:16.670 I lived that way.

NOTE Confidence: 0.89705163

00:34:17.330 --> 00:34:19.724 OK, so this is just I'm finishing up here.

NOTE Confidence: 0.89705163

00:34:19.730 --> 00:34:20.906 This is the past and the present.

NOTE Confidence: 0.89705163

00:34:20.910 --> 00:34:23.420 So this is Winchester repeating

NOTE Confidence: 0.89705163

00:34:23.420 --> 00:34:25.838 arms factory earlier in the century,

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:27.910 --> 00:34:28.918 1950s and earlier.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:28.918 --> 00:34:30.934 And then this is Winchester building

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:30.934 --> 00:34:33.150 today which is now been turned into

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:33.150 --> 00:34:34.810 really I'm sure expensive condos.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:34.810 --> 00:34:36.880 So, so Winchester is still exists

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:36.880 --> 00:34:39.440 but it's in a different form.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:39.440 --> 00:34:41.348 This is the Freddie Fixer parade
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:41.348 --> 00:34:43.518 in the in the 60s and 70s,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:43.520 --> 00:34:45.200 and this is the credit Fixer parade today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:45.200 --> 00:34:46.080 So it still exists.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:46.080 --> 00:34:47.400 It had several years where it
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:47.450 --> 00:34:48.824 didn't happen and then people had
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:48.824 --> 00:34:50.420 to raise money to bring it back,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:50.420 --> 00:34:53.270 but it's still an important tradition
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:53.270 --> 00:34:55.170 in the Dixwell neighborhood.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:55.170 --> 00:34:57.618 This is the old Q House which is a
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:34:57.618 --> 00:35:00.158 much loved Community Center in Dixwell
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:00.158 --> 00:35:02.850 that was eventually torn down again.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:02.850 --> 00:35:04.668 Nothing was in its place for about 15 years.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:04.670 --> 00:35:06.974 And then this is the brand new Q House
NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:06.974 --> 00:35:09.209 which just which just opened last year.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:09.210 --> 00:35:12.178 So that idea of a Community Center in

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:12.178 --> 00:35:14.749 the Dixwell area has been restored.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:14.750 --> 00:35:17.025 And this is, this is ours, this is Sean.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:17.025 --> 00:35:20.226 We've seen in 1966 and it's a CMHC today.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:20.230 --> 00:35:20.958 So again,

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:20.958 --> 00:35:23.360 I just want us to think about our

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:23.360 --> 00:35:24.670 relationship to community as we

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:24.728 --> 00:35:26.038 continue this conversation and I

NOTE Confidence: 0.84299745

00:35:26.038 --> 00:35:28.198 want to turn it back over to Lucille.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:30.200 --> 00:35:32.020 Thank you so much, Karima,

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:32.020 --> 00:35:35.836 for providing that really crucial context.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:35.840 --> 00:35:39.330 Keith and I are going to just jump right into

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:39.415 --> 00:35:41.756 civil rights now and the 691969 controversy.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:41.756 --> 00:35:43.953 And I just want you to know we're probably

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:43.953 --> 00:35:46.140 going to go toward the bitter end here today.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:46.140 --> 00:35:48.191 And I I, I'm sorry, we're not going
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:48.191 --> 00:35:49.620 to have a lot of time for questions,
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:49.620 --> 00:35:52.516 but unless people want to stay on after,
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:52.520 --> 00:35:53.640 we can definitely be here.
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:53.640 --> 00:35:57.138 So Umm, so CMHC's birth coincided
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:35:57.138 --> 00:36:00.530 with the civil rights movement.
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:00.530 --> 00:36:02.945 And was made possible by new funding
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:02.945 --> 00:36:05.470 streams that opened up during civil rights.
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:05.470 --> 00:36:07.108 During this time in New Haven,
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:07.110 --> 00:36:08.940 residents of The Hill neighborhood
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:08.940 --> 00:36:10.404 where CMHC is located,
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:10.410 --> 00:36:13.186 and you just learned a lot about it,
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:13.190 --> 00:36:15.125 we're fighting back against the
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:15.125 --> 00:36:17.520 many forms of injustice they faced.
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:17.520 --> 00:36:18.810 The Hill Coalition,
NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:18.810 --> 00:36:21.390 what we call today the community,

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:21.390 --> 00:36:23.146 included primarily black residents,

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:23.146 --> 00:36:26.310 but also Puerto Ricans and poor whites.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:26.310 --> 00:36:27.078 At CMHC,

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:27.078 --> 00:36:29.766 the staff and faculty both embodied the

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:29.766 --> 00:36:32.007 progressive activist spirit of the time,

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:32.010 --> 00:36:34.398 standing in solidarity with the community

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:34.398 --> 00:36:36.549 and acted in opposition to that.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:36.550 --> 00:36:39.022 Community creating walls and

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:39.022 --> 00:36:40.258 reinforcing boundaries.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:40.260 --> 00:36:41.940 They embraced a new vision,

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:41.940 --> 00:36:45.360 yet they also resisted that vision.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:45.360 --> 00:36:47.984 And one of the core issues they wrestled

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:47.984 --> 00:36:50.060 with was what is CMHC's relationship

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:50.060 --> 00:36:52.700 with and accountability to the community.

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:52.700 --> 00:36:55.238 What is community mental health anyway?

NOTE Confidence: 0.828941042

00:36:55.240 --> 00:36:56.400 Who is it for?
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:02.060 --> 00:37:04.314 In 1963, a mental health had taken
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:04.314 --> 00:37:06.937 a giant leap with the passage of
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:06.937 --> 00:37:08.917 the community Mental Health Act.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:08.920 --> 00:37:10.960 This legislation reduced the
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:10.960 --> 00:37:13.000 patient populations inside asylums
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:13.000 --> 00:37:14.020 through deinstitutionalization
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:14.079 --> 00:37:15.979 and made funds available for
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:15.979 --> 00:37:17.499 community based mental healthcare.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:17.500 --> 00:37:19.594 And two years later in 1965,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:19.594 --> 00:37:21.764 landmark legislation came with the
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:21.764 --> 00:37:24.180 passage of Medicare and Medicaid.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:24.180 --> 00:37:26.882 And so before Medicare and Medicaid in
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:26.882 --> 00:37:29.900 the South, black patients and doctors
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:29.900 --> 00:37:32.140 experience complete medical segregation.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:37:32.140 --> 00:37:34.580 In the north we had de facto segregation,

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:34.580 --> 00:37:36.458 and due to poverty and racism,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:36.460 --> 00:37:38.735 if Black, Puerto Rican and poor people,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:38.740 --> 00:37:40.738 poor white people, received any care,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:40.740 --> 00:37:43.200 they were treated in charity hospitals,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:43.200 --> 00:37:45.348 publicly run hospitals or state asylums
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:45.348 --> 00:37:47.740 where many people stayed for their lives.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:47.740 --> 00:37:49.420 And this picture here shows a
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:49.420 --> 00:37:50.540 doctor's office in Merigold,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:50.540 --> 00:37:53.159 Ms in 1939.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:53.160 --> 00:37:54.138 And so suddenly,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:54.138 --> 00:37:56.420 with the passage of Medicare and Medicaid,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:56.420 --> 00:37:58.244 a huge influx of federal dollars
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:37:58.244 --> 00:38:00.441 began to enter the healthcare system
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:38:00.441 --> 00:38:02.736 while also creating incentives for
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:38:02.736 --> 00:38:04.906 hospitals to desegregate and respond
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:04.906 --> 00:38:07.096 to respond better to community needs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:07.100 --> 00:38:08.996 This was very important for the
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:08.996 --> 00:38:11.319 proposed CHC because it meant that the
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:11.319 --> 00:38:13.317 organization would need to quickly adapt
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:13.317 --> 00:38:15.674 to the demands of medical civil rights
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:15.674 --> 00:38:17.642 or risk not receiving federal funds.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:17.642 --> 00:38:20.657 And so a quote from the book Medicare and
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:20.657 --> 00:38:23.337 Medicaid at 50 says Medicare in its essence,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:23.340 --> 00:38:25.636 was the gift of the civil rights struggle.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:25.640 --> 00:38:27.410 The civil rights movement's gift
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:27.410 --> 00:38:29.180 forced the racial and economic
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:29.245 --> 00:38:31.157 segregation of American hospitals.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:31.160 --> 00:38:33.130 Desegregation of American hospitals and
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:33.130 --> 00:38:35.553 American hospitals went from being the
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:35.553 --> 00:38:37.508 nation's most racially and economically.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:37.510 --> 00:38:39.670 Segregated institutions to

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:39.670 --> 00:38:41.830 its most integrated.

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:41.830 --> 00:38:44.190 And so now we're going to introduce you

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:44.190 --> 00:38:46.968 to the two main characters of our story,

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:46.970 --> 00:38:50.330 Doctor Fritz Redlich and Mr Fred Harris.

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:50.330 --> 00:38:50.687 Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:50.687 --> 00:38:52.829 Harris, today known as Apostle Harris,

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:52.830 --> 00:38:54.726 was born and grew up in New Haven.

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:54.730 --> 00:38:56.704 His father was a native new havener.

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:56.710 --> 00:38:58.846 His mother's family descended to slaves,

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:38:58.850 --> 00:39:01.082 left North Carolina during the Great

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:01.082 --> 00:39:03.219 Migration and resettled in New Haven.

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:03.220 --> 00:39:04.697 As a young man he was smart,

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:04.700 --> 00:39:06.680 handsome and, by his own description,

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:06.680 --> 00:39:09.470 well dressed and a great dancer.

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:09.470 --> 00:39:11.552 Fred Harris was just being born

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:11.552 --> 00:39:13.470 when Doctor Frederick Fritz Redlich,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:13.470 --> 00:39:15.166 a young psychoanalytic psychiatrist,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:15.166 --> 00:39:18.138 left his native Vienna in 1939 following
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:18.138 --> 00:39:21.106 the annexation of Austria by the Nazis.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:21.110 --> 00:39:23.245 And Doctor Redlich had grown up Catholic,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:23.250 --> 00:39:25.266 but he learned of his family's Jewish
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:25.266 --> 00:39:27.170 origins when he was a young adult.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:27.170 --> 00:39:29.552 He came to the Yale Psychiatry
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:29.552 --> 00:39:30.857 Department in 1942,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:30.857 --> 00:39:34.406 and he became the chair in 1960.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:34.410 --> 00:39:35.244 Fred Harris, meanwhile,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:35.244 --> 00:39:37.534 he grew up in New Haven and settled
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:37.534 --> 00:39:39.536 in the hill with his young family.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:39.540 --> 00:39:40.072 In 1965,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:40.072 --> 00:39:41.934 when he and his wife discovered that
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368

00:39:41.934 --> 00:39:43.722 their children's elementary school had

NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:43.722 --> 00:39:45.738 no toilet paper, they took action.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:45.738 --> 00:39:47.880 They got a group of parents together,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:47.880 --> 00:39:49.968 protested, and eventually won.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:49.968 --> 00:39:52.056 The Hill Parents Association,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:52.060 --> 00:39:53.999 a legendary activist group in New Haven,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:54.000 --> 00:39:56.114 was born, and its members chose Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:56.120 --> 00:39:57.656 Harris as their leader.
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:57.656 --> 00:39:59.960 The Hill Parents Association picked up,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:39:59.960 --> 00:40:02.040 fixed up a neighborhood park,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:40:02.040 --> 00:40:03.870 opened a summer camp for kids,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:40:03.870 --> 00:40:05.182 started a freedom school,
NOTE Confidence: 0.874106168947368
00:40:05.182 --> 00:40:05.838 raised money,
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572
00:40:05.840 --> 00:40:08.522 and most of all, they spoke out when they
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572
00:40:08.522 --> 00:40:10.629 decided to go to the welfare commissioners.
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572
00:40:10.630 --> 00:40:12.856 Was in Hartford to protest the
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:12.856 --> 00:40:13.969 welfare departments disrespect
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:13.969 --> 00:40:16.124 towards people in the community. Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:16.124 --> 00:40:19.162 Harris, along with his fellow protesters were
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:19.162 --> 00:40:21.898 violently beaten by police and by 1967 Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:21.898 --> 00:40:23.710 Harris was locked in a pitch
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:23.779 --> 00:40:25.769 battle with New Haven mayors,
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:25.770 --> 00:40:27.210 with the New Haven Mayor ****
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:27.210 --> 00:40:30.330 Lees and his city government.
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:30.330 --> 00:40:32.320 The Hill Parents Association had
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:32.320 --> 00:40:34.753 exposed the lie of Lee's quote
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:34.753 --> 00:40:36.967 Model City and Lee was furious.
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:36.970 --> 00:40:39.262 He'll activists jumped aboard tour buses
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:39.262 --> 00:40:41.370 and redirected them around the city.
NOTE Confidence: 0.923870521428572

00:40:41.370 --> 00:40:43.407 Going towards the wreckage of urban renewal.
NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:40:48.240 --> 00:40:51.272 By now, it's well documented that the
NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:40:51.272 --> 00:40:53.974 police were sowing discord and confusion in

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:40:53.974 --> 00:40:56.777 active and activist communities nationwide.

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:40:56.780 --> 00:40:59.900 An escalation of violence began in

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:40:59.900 --> 00:41:02.216 1967 with the outbreak of rebellions

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:02.216 --> 00:41:04.219 in black and brown communities

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:04.219 --> 00:41:06.733 across the US and law enforcement's

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:06.733 --> 00:41:08.482 increasingly militarized response.

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:08.482 --> 00:41:12.969 This was just one year after CMHC opened.

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:12.970 --> 00:41:15.771 Here in New Haven on August 19th,

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:15.771 --> 00:41:17.576 1967 when a white restaurant

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:17.576 --> 00:41:19.730 owner shot a Puerto Rican man

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:19.730 --> 00:41:21.963 who came toward him with a knife,

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:21.970 --> 00:41:24.688 a four day rebellion broke out in the hill.

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:24.690 --> 00:41:26.860 The state declared martial law in the

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:26.860 --> 00:41:29.047 hill and state police were sent in,

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:29.050 --> 00:41:31.090 much to the disgust of Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:31.090 --> 00:41:31.885 Harris and others.
NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:31.885 --> 00:41:33.740 And here you can see if you
NOTE Confidence: 0.92074208

00:41:33.800 --> 00:41:35.760 headlines from the Hill rebellion.
NOTE Confidence: 0.788475018333333

00:41:41.300 --> 00:41:43.778 Buses left from CMHC to take women
NOTE Confidence: 0.788475018333333

00:41:43.778 --> 00:41:45.760 and children to the suburbs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:41:51.910 --> 00:41:54.802 And then on April 14, I'm sorry,
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:41:54.802 --> 00:41:57.466 April 4th, 1968, Doctor Martin
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:41:57.466 --> 00:42:00.036 Luther King Junior was assassinated.
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:00.040 --> 00:42:02.336 The next day, a memorial service for
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:02.336 --> 00:42:05.097 Doctor King was held in the CHC Auditorium.
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:05.100 --> 00:42:06.200 And just two months later,
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:06.200 --> 00:42:08.740 Robert F Kennedy was assassinated.
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:08.740 --> 00:42:12.240 It was a very, very violent time.
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:12.240 --> 00:42:13.420 So at this point,
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:13.420 --> 00:42:15.584 you might be imagining that CMHC staff
NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:15.584 --> 00:42:17.894 and patients looked in those days like

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:17.894 --> 00:42:20.038 the diverse CMHC community of today.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:20.040 --> 00:42:21.872 But in the 1960s,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:21.872 --> 00:42:24.620 CMHC was a heavily white institution,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:24.620 --> 00:42:28.178 attracting mostly white patients into care.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:28.180 --> 00:42:29.434 And here again,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:29.434 --> 00:42:31.942 you see the Yale Department of

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:31.942 --> 00:42:34.157 Psychiatry photo of CMHC faculty

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:34.157 --> 00:42:36.312 and staff with Rachel Robinson,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:36.320 --> 00:42:37.955 the first director of nursing

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:37.955 --> 00:42:40.086 and one of CMHC's only black

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:40.086 --> 00:42:42.378 leaders on the left hand side.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:42.380 --> 00:42:44.678 The front row.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:44.680 --> 00:42:46.608 And we know from this and other photos

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:46.608 --> 00:42:48.739 that the staff was overwhelmingly white.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:48.740 --> 00:42:51.001 We looked at census information and we

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:51.001 --> 00:42:53.940 saw that the the New Haven population had

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:53.940 --> 00:42:56.420 actually shifted during the 50s and 60s,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:56.420 --> 00:42:59.228 with a growing black population or

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:42:59.228 --> 00:43:01.100 burgeoning Puerto Rican population

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:01.173 --> 00:43:03.495 and declining numbers of white people

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:03.495 --> 00:43:06.128 due to white flight to the suburbs.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:06.130 --> 00:43:09.266 So in 1966 in terms of race.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:09.270 --> 00:43:11.652 The heavily white composition of CMC

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:11.652 --> 00:43:14.633 faculty and staff at this point really

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:14.633 --> 00:43:17.279 didn't reflect the community it served.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:17.280 --> 00:43:20.688 So this is a report of

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:20.688 --> 00:43:24.279 the 1st 100 days of CMHC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:24.280 --> 00:43:26.782 20% of patients were seen were

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:26.782 --> 00:43:29.029 young people ages 16 to 20.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:29.030 --> 00:43:31.490 And during that window of time,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:31.490 --> 00:43:33.665 20% of patients were adolescents

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:33.665 --> 00:43:35.405 ages 16 to 20.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:35.410 --> 00:43:35.950 Overall,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:35.950 --> 00:43:38.650 86% of patients were white,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:38.650 --> 00:43:41.834 only 14% were black and there is no

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:41.834 --> 00:43:44.549 reference to Puerto Rican patients.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:44.550 --> 00:43:46.281 So by 1969,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:46.281 --> 00:43:49.166 the demographics had slightly shifted.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:49.170 --> 00:43:51.826 And CMHC knew that it had a problem.

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:51.830 --> 00:43:53.816 It was working to diversify its

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:53.816 --> 00:43:55.770 patient population and its workforce,

NOTE Confidence: 0.80178948

00:43:55.770 --> 00:43:58.738 especially in the hill West Haven Division.

NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:02.480 --> 00:44:03.908 CMHC's largest service was

NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:03.908 --> 00:44:05.693 the Hill West Haven Division.

NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:05.700 --> 00:44:07.275 It was headquartered on the

NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:07.275 --> 00:44:09.120 5th floor of 34 Park St,

NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:09.120 --> 00:44:11.390 and it was separate from CMHC's
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:11.390 --> 00:44:12.790 General Clinical service and
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:12.790 --> 00:44:15.060 different for a couple of reasons.
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:15.060 --> 00:44:17.420 It serves 2 geographical areas,
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:17.420 --> 00:44:18.588 the Hill neighborhood and
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:18.588 --> 00:44:20.340 also the town of West Haven,
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:20.340 --> 00:44:22.140 offering clinical services,
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:22.140 --> 00:44:23.340 community organizing,
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:23.340 --> 00:44:24.630 research and training.
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:24.630 --> 00:44:25.490 And importantly,
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:25.490 --> 00:44:27.054 the division partnered with
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:27.054 --> 00:44:28.618 two community advisory boards,
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:28.620 --> 00:44:31.490 The Hill Health Board and the Community
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:31.490 --> 00:44:33.509 Services Association of West Haven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:33.510 --> 00:44:35.854 And so the hill West Haven Division is
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667

00:44:35.854 --> 00:44:38.270 where CMHC's most activist community

NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:38.270 --> 00:44:40.390 oriented staff members worked.
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:40.390 --> 00:44:42.238 And it was federally funded and
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:42.238 --> 00:44:43.984 brought in extra state dollars
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:43.984 --> 00:44:45.808 through required matching funds.
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:45.810 --> 00:44:49.621 And so this chart shows that in 1969,
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:49.621 --> 00:44:52.454 the division accounted for 61% of
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:52.454 --> 00:44:55.706 grant funding awarded to the center
NOTE Confidence: 0.803075336666667
00:44:55.706 --> 00:44:59.270 and 20% of CMHC's overall budget.
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333
00:45:04.130 --> 00:45:05.990 This next chart shows in green
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333
00:45:05.990 --> 00:45:08.031 that the hall West Haven Division
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333
00:45:08.031 --> 00:45:10.233 employed the largest number of staff
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333
00:45:10.233 --> 00:45:12.880 of any unit at CMHC with 118 people,
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333
00:45:12.880 --> 00:45:17.270 or 27% of the total staff. Let's CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333
00:45:17.270 --> 00:45:19.358 And then here you can see a breakdown
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333
00:45:19.358 --> 00:45:20.883 of different staff positions within
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:20.883 --> 00:45:23.142 the Hill West Haven Division in 1969,
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:23.142 --> 00:45:25.002 with the largest group being
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:25.002 --> 00:45:26.870 mental health workers and AIDS,
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:26.870 --> 00:45:28.590 second largest being nurses.
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:28.590 --> 00:45:31.734 Nurses and tied for third are social
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:31.734 --> 00:45:34.656 workers and psychiatrists with 11 each.
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:34.660 --> 00:45:35.710 And in 1969,
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:35.710 --> 00:45:37.810 the hill West Haven Division won
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:37.810 --> 00:45:40.620 its second grant in part to support
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:40.620 --> 00:45:42.520 the creation of field stations
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:42.520 --> 00:45:44.737 in the Hill and West Haven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:44.740 --> 00:45:46.180 And so in West Haven,
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:46.180 --> 00:45:48.172 the field station was located in
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:48.172 --> 00:45:49.500 the First Congregational Church,
NOTE Confidence: 0.797902202083333

00:45:49.500 --> 00:45:50.828 which is shown here.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:45:53.090 --> 00:45:55.344 And in the hill, the Hill Field

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:45:55.344 --> 00:45:57.560 station was based in the newly

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:45:57.560 --> 00:45:59.742 established Field Hill Health Center.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:45:59.742 --> 00:46:02.062 And by embedding themselves in

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:02.062 --> 00:46:03.910 the neighborhoods, the staff,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:03.910 --> 00:46:06.734 they were really able to meet the

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:06.734 --> 00:46:08.702 Community people literally where they were.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:08.710 --> 00:46:11.302 And the hill West Haven Division saw mental

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:11.302 --> 00:46:14.146 health as being connected to social problems.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:14.150 --> 00:46:17.270 And we're to address both.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:17.270 --> 00:46:21.770 And so still at this point.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:21.770 --> 00:46:23.456 CMT's relationship with the hill explicit,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:23.460 --> 00:46:25.230 especially with the black community,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:25.230 --> 00:46:26.516 was mixed.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:26.516 --> 00:46:29.088 Community members complained about,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:29.090 --> 00:46:31.290 quote, red tape. At CMHC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:31.290 --> 00:46:33.411 There was a huge concern about drugs
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:33.411 --> 00:46:35.088 across all communities in the region,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:35.090 --> 00:46:36.900 and CMHC struggled to meet
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:36.900 --> 00:46:38.710 the demand for drug treatment.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:38.710 --> 00:46:38.966 Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:38.966 --> 00:46:40.502 Harris himself felt that the staff
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:40.502 --> 00:46:42.585 didn't know how to interact with people
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:42.585 --> 00:46:44.165 from the neighborhood and community.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:44.170 --> 00:46:44.992 People wanted jobs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:44.992 --> 00:46:46.910 They felt that the center should contribute
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:46.957 --> 00:46:48.829 to the neighborhood economy through hiring,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:48.830 --> 00:46:50.090 and that it should have staff
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:50.090 --> 00:46:51.260 members who were part of the.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:51.260 --> 00:46:51.607 Community.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:51.607 --> 00:46:53.342 Many staff and faculty also
NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:53.342 --> 00:46:55.229 cared about these issues as well,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:55.230 --> 00:46:57.540 and the division responded to these

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:57.540 --> 00:46:59.080 employment concerns by creating

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:46:59.147 --> 00:47:00.967 a robust training and employment

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:00.967 --> 00:47:03.054 program that launched in 1969.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:03.054 --> 00:47:06.798 Jobs available as CMC gets funds,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:06.800 --> 00:47:08.738 read a headline in the crow,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:08.740 --> 00:47:11.140 which was new heaven's African

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:11.140 --> 00:47:13.540 American newspaper at the time.

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:13.540 --> 00:47:15.717 And this photo shows the house where

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:15.717 --> 00:47:17.917 the hill West Haven Division Training

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:17.917 --> 00:47:20.390 Center was located at 122 Davenport Ave,

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:20.390 --> 00:47:21.840 just down the street from

NOTE Confidence: 0.840260888

00:47:21.840 --> 00:47:23.180 Yale New Haven Hospital.

NOTE Confidence: 0.845222

00:47:25.320 --> 00:47:27.548 Perhaps in a sincere effort

NOTE Confidence: 0.845222

00:47:27.548 --> 00:47:29.633 to be more community minded,

NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333

00:47:29.640 --> 00:47:32.160 perhaps as a public relations move,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:32.160 --> 00:47:36.272 or perhaps it was both, on April 10th 1969,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:36.272 --> 00:47:37.916 Doctor Gerald Clareman,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:37.920 --> 00:47:39.448 the new CMHC director,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:39.448 --> 00:47:41.740 announced the appointment of Fred Harris,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:41.740 --> 00:47:45.044 a special assistant to the director of CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:45.050 --> 00:47:46.958 In this press release,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:46.958 --> 00:47:49.413 Doctor Clareman acknowledged season CHC's
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:49.413 --> 00:47:52.596 concern over its relationship with, quote,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:52.596 --> 00:47:56.324 the Black and the poor of New Haven.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:56.330 --> 00:47:58.186 And he explained that he was hiring Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:47:58.190 --> 00:48:00.850 Harris to help CHC become a more
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:48:00.850 --> 00:48:02.520 meaningful and useful institution
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:48:02.520 --> 00:48:04.805 to the New Haven community.
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:48:04.810 --> 00:48:06.082 He acknowledged that this
NOTE Confidence: 0.9189398483333333

00:48:06.082 --> 00:48:07.990 would not be an easy process.

NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:07.990 --> 00:48:11.626 And he stated, quote, we are aware that Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:11.630 --> 00:48:14.534 Harris, as one of the most militant and
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:14.534 --> 00:48:16.789 outspoken leaders of the black community,
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:16.790 --> 00:48:18.374 is a controversial person.
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:18.374 --> 00:48:21.590 That is one reason why we hired him.
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:21.590 --> 00:48:23.405 His evaluations of our practices
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:23.405 --> 00:48:25.610 here in the center have been.
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:25.610 --> 00:48:28.382 And will doubtless continue to be
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:28.382 --> 00:48:33.030 painful and upsetting, but useful to us.
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:33.030 --> 00:48:35.250 So Mr. Harris accepted the position,
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:35.250 --> 00:48:36.082 he said,
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:36.082 --> 00:48:38.578 because he wanted to try making
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:38.578 --> 00:48:40.050 change from within.
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:40.050 --> 00:48:42.730 He began A6 month contract at CMHC and
NOTE Confidence: 0.918939848333333
00:48:42.730 --> 00:48:45.330 the news was reported in the press.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:48:48.510 --> 00:48:50.826 So just a few weeks later,
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:48:50.830 --> 00:48:53.806 an unfortunate episode occurred at CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:48:53.810 --> 00:48:55.602 Mr. Harris and the Hill Board had
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:48:55.602 --> 00:48:57.079 worked out an agreement whereby
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:48:57.079 --> 00:48:59.041 the CMHC would accept young people
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:48:59.041 --> 00:49:01.022 in need of drug treatment. Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:01.022 --> 00:49:03.066 Harris told us that he would simply
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:03.066 --> 00:49:04.997 walk these young people into the
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:04.997 --> 00:49:06.923 center where they'd be cared for.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:06.930 --> 00:49:08.330 On April 24th, 1969,
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:08.330 --> 00:49:10.888 police entered CMHC in search of a
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:10.888 --> 00:49:13.222 teenage patient who was receiving drug
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:13.222 --> 00:49:16.049 treatment and they who they were to arrest.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:16.050 --> 00:49:18.528 Doctor Clareman was at a conference
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:18.528 --> 00:49:20.761 in Washington and the hospital
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:20.761 --> 00:49:22.629 administrator faced a decision.

NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:22.630 --> 00:49:24.355 He called the state attorney
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:24.355 --> 00:49:26.407 general's office who advised him to
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:26.407 --> 00:49:28.283 allow the police to arrest the man.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:28.290 --> 00:49:30.642 They did arrest the patient inside
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:30.642 --> 00:49:33.946 CMHC and charged him with two counts
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:33.946 --> 00:49:36.470 of possession and sale of drugs.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:36.470 --> 00:49:39.310 Everyone at CMHC was very upset over this.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:39.310 --> 00:49:40.070 Doctors, staff,
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:40.070 --> 00:49:41.970 community members and the news
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:41.970 --> 00:49:43.570 also hit the press.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:43.570 --> 00:49:45.730 And here we would like to play for
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:45.730 --> 00:49:48.207 you the the first of two audio clips.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:48.210 --> 00:49:50.721 By the 1st audio clip of a by actors
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:50.721 --> 00:49:53.047 from CMHC Theater group comprised of
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667
00:49:53.047 --> 00:49:55.623 people in recovery who are reading
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:55.623 --> 00:49:57.747 aloud primary source documents.
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:57.750 --> 00:49:59.988 So listen to the voices of
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:49:59.988 --> 00:50:01.480 leadership expressed their outrage
NOTE Confidence: 0.940169891666667

00:50:01.548 --> 00:50:03.080 over the patients arrest.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:05.140 --> 00:50:07.426 Excerpts from drug patients arrest angers,
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:07.430 --> 00:50:10.654 doctors here, April 1969.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:10.654 --> 00:50:12.826 Commissioner Wilford, Bloomberg.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:12.826 --> 00:50:17.274 It seems to me to be elemental medicine
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:17.280 --> 00:50:20.997 that a patient not be moved from a hospital.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:21.000 --> 00:50:23.315 When medical judgment decides that
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:23.315 --> 00:50:26.669 the patient is too sick to be moved.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:26.670 --> 00:50:30.228 Dean Fritz. Relic.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:30.230 --> 00:50:32.250 Tradition cannot be solved
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:32.250 --> 00:50:34.440 by primitive procedures.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:34.440 --> 00:50:37.356 Drug addicts are sick people and need
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333

00:50:37.356 --> 00:50:40.056 skilled treatment and education,

NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333
00:50:40.056 --> 00:50:42.388 and we have abilitation.
NOTE Confidence: 0.627603128333333
00:50:42.390 --> 00:50:45.160 To interfere with such treatment and
NOTE Confidence: 0.77936554
00:50:45.170 --> 00:50:46.758 replace it with jailing
NOTE Confidence: 0.841452416666667
00:50:47.240 --> 00:50:50.155 of drug addicts without any
NOTE Confidence: 0.841452416666667
00:50:50.155 --> 00:50:52.487 communication with the therapist
NOTE Confidence: 0.841452416666667
00:50:52.490 --> 00:50:54.850 is a most unfortunate act.
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:50:57.300 --> 00:50:59.640 Joint statement by Doctor Relic
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:50:59.640 --> 00:51:02.554 Dr Liz at CMC Executive Committee
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:51:02.554 --> 00:51:05.977 under arrest of Jimmy Jones at CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:51:05.980 --> 00:51:09.053 We wish to protest such disruption of
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:51:09.053 --> 00:51:11.084 therapy and interference with CMHC's
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:51:11.084 --> 00:51:13.208 efforts to cooperate with the serious
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:51:13.208 --> 00:51:15.228 and intensive efforts of the hill
NOTE Confidence: 0.701020999444445
00:51:15.228 --> 00:51:17.240 community to combat the addiction problem.
NOTE Confidence: 0.5760102
00:51:20.950 --> 00:51:23.218 And after the patients arrest,
NOTE Confidence: 0.5760102

00:51:23.218 --> 00:51:26.170 150 protesters occupied a recently closed
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:26.247 --> 00:51:28.851 City Hospital building to dramatize the
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:28.851 --> 00:51:31.750 need for a narcotics facility quote,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:31.750 --> 00:51:34.840 where people could receive drug treatment.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:34.840 --> 00:51:36.784 22 people were arrested and later
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:36.784 --> 00:51:38.080 found guilty of trespassing,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:38.080 --> 00:51:40.176 and we cross checked their names against an
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:40.176 --> 00:51:42.149 internal list of Hill West Haven Division
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:42.149 --> 00:51:43.740 staff members and discovered that Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:43.740 --> 00:51:45.895 Harris, plus four Hill West
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:45.895 --> 00:51:47.619 Haven Division staff members,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:47.620 --> 00:51:49.404 two mental health aides,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:49.404 --> 00:51:51.634 one nurse and one psychiatry
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:51.634 --> 00:51:53.959 resident were one were among those
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:53.959 --> 00:51:56.410 who were arrested at the protest.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636

00:51:56.410 --> 00:51:58.942 So what was Mr Harris's experience

NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:51:58.942 --> 00:52:01.734 like in the CHC? CHC gave Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:01.734 --> 00:52:03.206 Harris an uneasy feeling.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:03.210 --> 00:52:05.080 He was cynical about the
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:05.080 --> 00:52:05.934 organization's mission,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:05.934 --> 00:52:08.923 which he saw as being mostly self-serving.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:08.930 --> 00:52:09.270 Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:09.270 --> 00:52:10.630 Harris was deliberately provocative
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:10.630 --> 00:52:11.650 in the workplace,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:11.650 --> 00:52:13.743 and in the short clip from our
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:13.743 --> 00:52:15.986 interview with him that we had last May,
NOTE Confidence: 0.840895871363636
00:52:15.990 --> 00:52:18.270 he offers a few vivid details.
NOTE Confidence: 0.77981612
00:52:21.490 --> 00:52:23.689 It was crazy.
NOTE Confidence: 0.77981612
00:52:23.690 --> 00:52:25.810 And I treated them like that, too.
NOTE Confidence: 0.77981612
00:52:25.810 --> 00:52:28.330 I bring my German shepherd to to work
NOTE Confidence: 0.77981612
00:52:28.330 --> 00:52:31.690 with me. I'd come with no shirt.
NOTE Confidence: 0.77981612

00:52:31.690 --> 00:52:33.730 I'd come with my hair.
NOTE Confidence: 0.77981612

00:52:33.730 --> 00:52:37.588 I had big axle wire hanging on my ear,
NOTE Confidence: 0.77981612

00:52:37.588 --> 00:52:40.640 warping, no shoes. But I
NOTE Confidence: 0.811863115

00:52:40.650 --> 00:52:42.590 get to work. Hmm.
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:43.290 --> 00:52:45.450 That either either they were afraid
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:45.450 --> 00:52:48.437 of me or they thought I was crazy.
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:48.440 --> 00:52:50.490 But I would get the work done.
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:50.490 --> 00:52:52.930 The projects that that they were doing,
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:52.930 --> 00:52:55.792 that I was involved in, they were done.
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:55.792 --> 00:52:58.080 You know, and they were able to
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:58.080 --> 00:52:59.866 be utilized to make them look
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:52:59.866 --> 00:53:01.833 good and and make it look like,
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:53:01.840 --> 00:53:03.352 look like they're doing all this
NOTE Confidence: 0.783371691428571

00:53:03.352 --> 00:53:04.830 for the community and all that.
NOTE Confidence: 0.907601882222222

00:53:07.210 --> 00:53:09.035 Some of them were doing
NOTE Confidence: 0.907601882222222

00:53:09.035 --> 00:53:10.495 their best they could.

NOTE Confidence: 0.9076018822222222
00:53:10.500 --> 00:53:12.360 But they weren't knowledgeable of
NOTE Confidence: 0.9076018822222222
00:53:12.360 --> 00:53:14.520 the people they were working with,
NOTE Confidence: 0.9076018822222222
00:53:14.520 --> 00:53:17.470 and they weren't aware of
NOTE Confidence: 0.9076018822222222
00:53:17.470 --> 00:53:19.240 the political influence.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83978397
00:53:21.690 --> 00:53:23.189 Despite the challenges, Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.83978397
00:53:23.189 --> 00:53:25.590 Harris continued his work with the CMHC
NOTE Confidence: 0.818716481
00:53:25.654 --> 00:53:27.768 and the Hill Health Board to help
NOTE Confidence: 0.818716481
00:53:27.768 --> 00:53:29.462 determine how CMHC would provide
NOTE Confidence: 0.818716481
00:53:29.462 --> 00:53:31.989 services and what the nature of its
NOTE Confidence: 0.818716481
00:53:31.989 --> 00:53:33.710 relationship to the Community would be.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382
00:53:35.440 --> 00:53:38.390 On September 2nd, 1969,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382
00:53:38.390 --> 00:53:41.295 a private meeting took place between Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382
00:53:41.300 --> 00:53:43.379 Harris, members of the Hill Health Board,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382
00:53:43.380 --> 00:53:44.496 and doctor Fritz Redlich,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382
00:53:44.496 --> 00:53:47.550 who was now the Dean of Yale Medical School.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:53:47.550 --> 00:53:50.340 Doctor Clareman, who hired Fred Harris,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:53:50.340 --> 00:53:53.077 had left CMC, and a new CMHC
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:53:53.077 --> 00:53:54.840 director in Psychiatry Department
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:53:54.840 --> 00:53:57.864 chair doctor Mort Reiser had begun.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:53:57.870 --> 00:53:59.236 We don't exactly know what
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:53:59.236 --> 00:54:00.248 the meeting between Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:00.250 --> 00:54:01.778 Harris, the Hill representatives
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:01.778 --> 00:54:03.688 and Doctor Redlich was about.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:03.690 --> 00:54:05.628 There's a reference to problems with
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:05.628 --> 00:54:08.363 the treatment of a black patient at CMHC
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:08.363 --> 00:54:10.811 and mention of the communities demand to
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:10.811 --> 00:54:12.967 have more power in in determining care.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:12.970 --> 00:54:13.277 Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:13.277 --> 00:54:15.119 Harris said they were asking Dean
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:15.119 --> 00:54:17.591 Redlick to sign an agreement with the
NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:17.591 --> 00:54:19.446 community and that Redlich repeatedly

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:19.446 --> 00:54:22.144 held up his pen as if he were going to sign.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:22.150 --> 00:54:24.806 But then you didn't sign for Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:24.806 --> 00:54:25.304 Harris.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:25.304 --> 00:54:27.794 Dr Redlich's attitude was condescending.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:27.800 --> 00:54:29.620 He didn't understand why Redlick

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:29.620 --> 00:54:31.440 wouldn't sign the agreement and

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:31.503 --> 00:54:33.435 felt his community was being used.

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:33.440 --> 00:54:36.257 He told us that in his anger and frustration,

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:36.260 --> 00:54:38.360 as was reported in the papers,

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:38.360 --> 00:54:40.130 he put his hands on Dean

NOTE Confidence: 0.8940382

00:54:40.130 --> 00:54:42.240 Redlick's neck as if to choke him.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:44.270 --> 00:54:46.170 A joint statement from Redlick

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:46.170 --> 00:54:48.667 and Riser aligns with Mr Harris's

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:48.667 --> 00:54:50.767 description of what happened.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:50.770 --> 00:54:52.786 They wrote quote when Dean Redlich

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:52.786 --> 00:54:54.910 was requested to sign a statement,
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:54.910 --> 00:54:57.040 he asked for 24 hours to
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:57.040 --> 00:54:58.105 consider the statement,
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:54:58.110 --> 00:55:00.336 declaring that he would not sign documents
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:00.336 --> 00:55:03.378 or act in an atmosphere of direct coercion.
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:03.380 --> 00:55:05.697 And interestingly, in our interview with Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:05.700 --> 00:55:06.564 Harris, this is like,
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:06.564 --> 00:55:08.011 you know, 50 years later,
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:08.011 --> 00:55:10.932 he told us that he later learned that
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:10.932 --> 00:55:13.357 the experience had reminded Doctor
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:13.357 --> 00:55:16.050 Redlich of being interrogated by the
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:16.050 --> 00:55:18.988 Nazis in Austria in the 1930s. But Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:18.988 --> 00:55:21.396 Harris said that as a young man,
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:21.400 --> 00:55:23.175 he didn't know or understand
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:23.175 --> 00:55:24.240 anything about this,
NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:24.240 --> 00:55:26.225 and that Doctor Redlich had

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:26.225 --> 00:55:28.210 not mentioned it to him.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:28.210 --> 00:55:30.415 Frederick and Riser stated that due to

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:30.415 --> 00:55:32.239 Mr Harris's actions in the meeting,

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:32.240 --> 00:55:34.778 which they said violated HR rules,

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:34.780 --> 00:55:37.414 they would not renew his six

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:37.414 --> 00:55:39.170 month contract with CMHC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:39.170 --> 00:55:41.767 The state also declined to hire Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.810706794

00:55:41.770 --> 00:55:42.460 Harris.

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:55:45.280 --> 00:55:47.338 This situation hit the newspapers and

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:55:47.338 --> 00:55:50.465 thus began a round of public protest that

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:55:50.465 --> 00:55:52.575 demonstrated widespread support for Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:55:52.580 --> 00:55:55.618 Harris. And one article printed Mr Harris's

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:55:55.618 --> 00:55:58.560 list of community complaints about CMHC,

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:55:58.560 --> 00:56:00.192 which I will read right now

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:00.192 --> 00:56:01.640 in the interest of time.

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:01.640 --> 00:56:03.836 So the complaints are as follows.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:03.840 --> 00:56:05.824 The staff is not responsive to Black and
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:05.824 --> 00:56:07.818 Puerto Rican people and the inpatient units.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:07.820 --> 00:56:09.549 There are not enough black people accepted
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:09.549 --> 00:56:11.377 for treatment in the mental Health Center.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:11.380 --> 00:56:12.736 Too many black and Puerto Rican
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:12.736 --> 00:56:14.410 people are sent to the Connecticut.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:14.410 --> 00:56:16.286 The hospital CMC does not deal with
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:16.286 --> 00:56:18.140 the majority of problems presented by
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:18.140 --> 00:56:20.132 poor black and Puerto Rican people.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:20.140 --> 00:56:22.260 No Spanish speaking spat staff,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:22.260 --> 00:56:23.696 not enough community staff,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:23.696 --> 00:56:25.491 poor training of professionals who
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:25.491 --> 00:56:27.457 need to understand urban problems,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:27.460 --> 00:56:29.340 research problems undertaking with
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:29.340 --> 00:56:31.220 patients without informing patients,

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:31.220 --> 00:56:32.695 not enough fully trained people
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:32.695 --> 00:56:33.940 seeing the white, poor,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:33.940 --> 00:56:35.740 black and Puerto Rican people.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:35.740 --> 00:56:36.300 And lastly,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:36.300 --> 00:56:38.260 the Community has no official voice in
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:38.260 --> 00:56:40.242 the setting of the priorities of the
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:40.242 --> 00:56:42.606 CMHC and so in a large meeting with
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:42.606 --> 00:56:45.100 members of the Community doctor Riser.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:45.100 --> 00:56:47.014 The new CMC director reiterated that
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:47.014 --> 00:56:48.899 although he would not rehire Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:48.900 --> 00:56:49.185 Harris,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:49.185 --> 00:56:51.465 he wanted to work with the Community to
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:51.465 --> 00:56:53.839 hire the representative of their choosing,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:53.840 --> 00:56:57.056 and in turn, the community chose Fred Harris.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:56:57.060 --> 00:56:59.466 And then the negotiations stalled again.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:56:59.470 --> 00:57:00.262 For two months,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:00.262 --> 00:57:02.110 there was a great deal of publicity,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:02.110 --> 00:57:04.486 mostly unfavorable to Yale and CMHC,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:04.490 --> 00:57:07.388 and multiple emergency meetings were called.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:07.390 --> 00:57:08.682 Throughout all of this,
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:08.682 --> 00:57:10.620 doctor Redlich and Doctor Reiser were
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:10.682 --> 00:57:12.314 communicating with Yale President
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:12.314 --> 00:57:14.354 Kingman Brewster about the negotiation
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:14.354 --> 00:57:16.308 over the rehiring of Fred Harris.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:16.310 --> 00:57:18.074 Brewster stated in a letter to
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:18.074 --> 00:57:20.084 doctor Riser that the university is
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:20.084 --> 00:57:22.394 quote first and foremost in academic
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:22.394 --> 00:57:24.556 institution quote and that he did not
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:24.556 --> 00:57:26.806 want the university to fall quote to
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:26.806 --> 00:57:29.554 second rate academic quality quote by
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105

00:57:29.554 --> 00:57:32.730 shifting its focus to community concerns.

NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:57:32.730 --> 00:57:35.488 He urged Doctor Roger to find a
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:57:35.488 --> 00:57:37.390 balance between service teaching.
NOTE Confidence: 0.825902446842105
00:57:37.390 --> 00:57:38.188 Had to research.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:40.940 --> 00:57:42.712 So inside the CMHC,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:42.712 --> 00:57:45.370 many staff members were upset and
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:45.462 --> 00:57:48.400 questioned CMHC's values and commitments.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:48.400 --> 00:57:51.760 On October 16th, Doctor Reiser held a center
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:51.760 --> 00:57:54.280 wide staff meeting that became very tense,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:54.280 --> 00:57:56.000 with doctors and others asking
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:56.000 --> 00:57:57.720 pointed questions about Fred Harris,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:57:57.720 --> 00:58:00.050 the controversy, and the relationship
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:58:00.050 --> 00:58:02.380 between CMHC and the community.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:58:02.380 --> 00:58:04.596 From the transcript we have of this meeting,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:58:04.600 --> 00:58:07.300 we can tell that it was long and difficult.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:58:07.300 --> 00:58:09.680 During one especially heated exchange,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:09.680 --> 00:58:11.924 Doctor Reiser asked a doctor are
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:11.924 --> 00:58:14.649 you calling me a racist or what?
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:14.650 --> 00:58:17.560 Clearly something needed to give.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:17.560 --> 00:58:18.944 A few weeks later,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:18.944 --> 00:58:21.280 CMHC reached an agreement to rehire Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:21.280 --> 00:58:22.800 Harris as Community advocate.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:22.800 --> 00:58:25.340 They worked out a deal whereby Mr.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:25.340 --> 00:58:29.138 Harris would be rehired not by CMHC or Yale,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:29.140 --> 00:58:31.620 but by 7 together,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:31.620 --> 00:58:34.100 a collective organization representing
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:34.100 --> 00:58:37.259 7 inner city neighborhoods.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:37.260 --> 00:58:39.822 So this deal left a lot of
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:39.822 --> 00:58:41.760 people with mixed feelings.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:41.760 --> 00:58:43.195 One doctor stated that the
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:43.195 --> 00:58:44.646 controversy had left, quote,
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:44.646 --> 00:58:47.576 psychological scarring on both sides.

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:47.580 --> 00:58:49.764 And you can see here the quote

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:49.764 --> 00:58:51.898 Doctor Riser was quoted as saying.

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:51.900 --> 00:58:53.555 We consider this agreement an

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:53.555 --> 00:58:55.210 important breakthrough in the whole

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:55.264 --> 00:58:56.740 area of Community involvement

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:56.740 --> 00:58:58.216 with the treatment facility.

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:58.220 --> 00:58:59.918 But in contrast,

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:58:59.918 --> 00:59:01.616 missus Patricia Galliot,

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:01.620 --> 00:59:03.858 the secretary treasurer of seven together,

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:03.860 --> 00:59:07.332 said the whole process shows the kind of

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:07.332 --> 00:59:09.977 institutional racism that exists at the CMHC.

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:09.980 --> 00:59:11.709 They don't really care about the community

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:11.709 --> 00:59:13.628 and they don't want Freddie there either.

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:13.630 --> 00:59:15.226 But we made them take him.

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:15.230 --> 00:59:16.724 Freddy's just going to have to

NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727

00:59:16.724 --> 00:59:17.720 be on his toes.
NOTE Confidence: 0.832066627272727
00:59:17.720 --> 00:59:18.728 All the time.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:21.060 --> 00:59:23.140 Unfortunately, things didn't calm down
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:23.140 --> 00:59:26.300 for the hill West Haven Division staff.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:26.300 --> 00:59:27.443 In December 1969,
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:27.443 --> 00:59:30.110 Doctor Reiser wrote a proposal for the
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:30.178 --> 00:59:32.558 reorganization of services at CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:32.560 --> 00:59:33.940 He proposed moving clinical
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:33.940 --> 00:59:36.457 services out of the Hill West Haven
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:36.457 --> 00:59:38.362 Division into the in-house general
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:38.362 --> 00:59:40.439 clinical service at 34 Park St,
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:40.440 --> 00:59:42.156 in effect to isolate the Division,
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:42.160 --> 00:59:44.113 Social and community
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:44.113 --> 00:59:46.717 aspect from clinical care.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:46.720 --> 00:59:49.625 He also proposed a new position of
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
00:59:49.625 --> 00:59:52.145 psychiatrist and chief to oversee all

NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
00:59:52.145 --> 00:59:54.145 clinical care and the establishment
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
00:59:54.145 --> 00:59:56.988 of a Community relations office.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
00:59:56.990 --> 00:59:57.833 In January 1970,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
00:59:57.833 --> 00:59:59.800 the staff of the Hill West Haven
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
00:59:59.861 --> 01:00:01.991 Division sent a memo to Doctor
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:01.991 --> 01:00:03.411 Reiser expressing their concern
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:03.478 --> 01:00:05.430 about the proposed reorganization.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:05.430 --> 01:00:07.105 Riser shared their memo with
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:07.105 --> 01:00:09.602 staff and faculty and sent a copy
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:09.602 --> 01:00:11.106 to President Kingman Brewster.
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:11.110 --> 01:00:14.430 Doctor Reiser enclosed this note
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:14.430 --> 01:00:16.230 to President Brewster saying I've
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:16.230 --> 01:00:18.030 underlined the statements that I
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:18.090 --> 01:00:20.470 feel point up the major sources of
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333
01:00:20.470 --> 01:00:21.466 serious disagreement, conflict,
NOTE Confidence: 0.8476681183333333

01:00:21.466 --> 01:00:22.098 and tension.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:22.098 --> 01:00:24.310 On the left you can see some
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:24.376 --> 01:00:25.781 of doctor risers, underlinings,
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:25.781 --> 01:00:26.834 and exclamation points.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:26.834 --> 01:00:28.589 It's clear that he didn't
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:28.589 --> 01:00:29.419 appreciate the memo,
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:29.420 --> 01:00:31.107 although more than 50 years later we
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:31.107 --> 01:00:33.002 think it's one of the most compelling
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:33.002 --> 01:00:34.397 documents in the CMHC archive.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:34.400 --> 01:00:36.075 Riser particularly did not like
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:36.075 --> 01:00:37.750 the suggestions that CMHC should
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:37.807 --> 01:00:39.764 address the Community, social,
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:39.764 --> 01:00:42.980 economic and institutional problems.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:42.980 --> 01:00:44.835 Nor did he like the idea that
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:44.835 --> 01:00:46.361 CMHC should share decision making
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:46.361 --> 01:00:48.359 power with the Hill West Haven

NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:48.359 --> 01:00:50.050 divisions to community boards.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:50.050 --> 01:00:53.109 Tensions were still very high within CMC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:53.110 --> 01:00:55.525 The crisis of 1969 was winding down.
NOTE Confidence: 0.847668118333333
01:00:55.530 --> 01:00:58.014 But what price had been paid and by whom?
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:00.220 --> 01:01:02.664 On January 27th, 1970,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:02.664 --> 01:01:05.719 Doctor Redlich wrote to President
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:05.720 --> 01:01:09.440 Brewster's trouble again in psychiatry.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:09.440 --> 01:01:12.366 Evidently, Mr. Harris had accused Dr Reiser
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:12.366 --> 01:01:15.786 of hiring an aide who was a police agent.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:15.790 --> 01:01:18.526 Quote This story turned out not to be true,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:18.530 --> 01:01:19.778 Dean Redlich noted,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:19.778 --> 01:01:22.274 but added that something needed to
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:22.274 --> 01:01:24.628 change within the CMHC, he wrote.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:24.628 --> 01:01:27.351 Quote many things at the Mental Health
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457
01:01:27.351 --> 01:01:30.007 Center have deteriorated even further.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:30.010 --> 01:01:33.041 There is no discipline and people from
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:33.041 --> 01:01:35.750 the community and confused and radical
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:35.750 --> 01:01:38.837 staff are doing just about what they
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:38.921 --> 01:01:41.707 want in the hill West Haven service.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:41.710 --> 01:01:44.640 And this is a drawing of hospital
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:44.640 --> 01:01:46.800 administrators with butterfly Nets
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:46.800 --> 01:01:48.906 trying to capture the community based
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:48.906 --> 01:01:51.659 staff in the hill West Haven Division.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:51.660 --> 01:01:54.276 And this is from one of the articles
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:54.276 --> 01:01:56.182 that appeared in the aftermath
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:56.182 --> 01:01:58.147 of the Fred Harris controversy.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:01:58.150 --> 01:02:00.550 So this is where we'll end
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:00.550 --> 01:02:02.150 our story for today.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:02.150 --> 01:02:04.285 Doctor Riser left the CHC
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:04.285 --> 01:02:05.566 directorship soon after,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:05.570 --> 01:02:07.726 but remained for years as chair of

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:07.726 --> 01:02:09.509 the Yale Department of Psychiatry.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:09.510 --> 01:02:12.350 Dean Redlick left the deanship in 1972

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:12.350 --> 01:02:15.290 and retired from Yale five years later.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:15.290 --> 01:02:15.685 Mr.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:15.685 --> 01:02:16.080 Harris,

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:16.080 --> 01:02:19.290 after serving for the second time as CHC's

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:19.290 --> 01:02:21.930 community advocate for a brief period,

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:21.930 --> 01:02:25.190 left New Haven in 1970.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:25.190 --> 01:02:27.630 And As for the hill West Haven division?

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:27.630 --> 01:02:30.102 The West Haven Mental Health Clinic

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:30.102 --> 01:02:32.403 today remains as home to CMHC's

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:32.403 --> 01:02:34.568 Young Adult and child services.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:34.570 --> 01:02:37.587 But the field stations and the vision

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:37.587 --> 01:02:39.599 they represented ended long ago.

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:39.600 --> 01:02:41.622 As Doctor Selby Jacobs wrote in

NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:41.622 --> 01:02:43.720 his book Inside Public Psychiatry,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:43.720 --> 01:02:44.374 by 1982,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:44.374 --> 01:02:46.663 with the start of block grants to
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:46.663 --> 01:02:48.598 states under President Reagan,
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:48.600 --> 01:02:50.700 The Hill West Haven Division
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:50.700 --> 01:02:52.800 was folded entirely into CMHC.
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:52.800 --> 01:02:54.725 The CMHC lost a division that for
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:54.725 --> 01:02:56.636 15 years had provided a vision
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:56.636 --> 01:02:58.341 of community mental health and
NOTE Confidence: 0.84115457

01:02:58.341 --> 01:03:00.398 had been a key agent of change.
NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:02.260 --> 01:03:04.676 And in closing, we liked we'd like to
NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:04.676 --> 01:03:07.257 give the final words to James Baldwin,
NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:07.260 --> 01:03:10.370 who in 1966 wrote this.
NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:10.370 --> 01:03:13.700 For history, as nearly no one seems to know,
NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:13.700 --> 01:03:16.150 is not merely something to be read.
NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:16.150 --> 01:03:17.746 And it does not refer merely,

NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:17.750 --> 01:03:19.928 or even principally to the past.

NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:19.930 --> 01:03:20.893 On the contrary,

NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:20.893 --> 01:03:23.140 the great forces of history comes from

NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:23.205 --> 01:03:25.309 the fact that we carry it within us,

NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:25.310 --> 01:03:26.315 are unconsciously controlled

NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:26.315 --> 01:03:27.990 by it in many ways,

NOTE Confidence: 0.858360572666667

01:03:27.990 --> 01:03:29.286 and history is literally

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01:03:29.286 --> 01:03:31.230 present in all that we do.

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01:03:31.230 --> 01:03:33.310 It could scarcely be otherwise,

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01:03:33.310 --> 01:03:34.976 since it is to history that we

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01:03:34.976 --> 01:03:36.429 owe our frames of reference,

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01:03:36.430 --> 01:03:40.140 our identities and our aspirations.

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01:03:40.140 --> 01:03:40.960 Thank you for listening.