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NEWARK — Without using nothing counts in this country the explosive "black power" but power," he added. slogan he's credited with Dr. Martin Luther King "has coining, Stokely Carmichael last got to march and get hit on week spelled out for the benefit the head with rocks in order of street-rally audiences what to be able to live next to Negroes should do in a city savages." the youthful SNCC where they are the majority leader stated. group.

"There's no reason and controversial chairman of the much." militant Student Nonviolent first of his two audiences, an orderly group of some 400

He told another gathering in-Central Ward, the Negro community, that Negroes "should already have taken Newark, N.J., over because it belongs to you."

persons.

Not Afraid

"In all other cities, they're afraid of rebellion," the 25-year old civil rights leader declared. "But in Newark, N.J., they're not even afraid of you."

Negroes, he continued, should control city government, the all schools. the police and businesses. They should take over City Hall, raise taxes sol high white property owners will be forced to turn over their holdings for little or nothing to Negroes.

The tall, slender SNCC leader told his audience, which included city officials as well as black; nationalists, "it's white power that keeps us bounded in the ghetto, and we need black power to break out.'

Power Counts

"We've got to move to control our communities because

on Commenting you frfiendship and help, he said: shouldn't run this town lock. "We don't want you as our barrel," the friend because it costs too

On the issue of police civilian Coordinating Committee told the review boards, he flatly stated: "All we need is to control the. police captain on the local level."