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VALLEY VIEW WEEKLY REPORT

SEPTEMBER 13-19

Rick Saling

Monday, Sept. 13: Went over to the Pleasant Green area to Claude Moore's to try arrange a workshop on political education at Pleasant Green. Then over to the Lindsey's to check whether they'd tried to transfer to Madison or not. An apparent runaround: they hadn't.

Tuesday, Sept. 14: I and Rev. Barber (Delta Ministry- Canton) went over to the Henry's and Lindsey's to try a bit more argument, to no avail. Then I cycled out to Mt. Zion, found that Mrs. George got a notice of acceptance at Famhaven. Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Dawson were rejected because they'd previously registered their children at the Negro school (Mrs. George hadn't). Cycled into Canton that night to try get transportation so Mrs. George's child can get to school.

Wednesday, Sept. 15: I and Rev. Barber went out to Mt. Zion, tried to arrange transportation for Mrs. George among the local people, but couldn't because everyone's car was broke down. So Mrs. George's child couldn't go, since Mt. Zion is too far for anyone from Canton to drive twice each day. We went back out there that night, got Mrs. George and the Washington's (the other family waiting notification from Cox) to request to transfer back to the Negro school., so as not to miss school, pending the outcome of the suit. Also gave out clothing for the children to the three families.

Thursday, Sept. 16: Wasted day.

Friday, Sept. 17: When starting out in the morning told by Mrs. Susie Nichols that her kids were thrown out of the Negro school for tuition. So I rode over to check, wasn't true. Tried to see Susie Nichols to arrange political education workshops at Magdalene, not home. Over to the Henry's & Lindsey's to see how were things going. That night over to an alleged precinct meeting at Pleasant Green, which didn't happen.

Saturday, Sept. 18: Went over to Mrs. Nichols & vicinity to tell her about schools. Apparently some kid started the rumor going about kids being thrown out due to tuition. Some sentiment going for a school boycott. In to the Movement meeting, which didn't happen.

Sunday, Sept. 19: Went to church at St. John's. Talked with Susie Nichols there: he seems worried about the split between NAACP and COFO, wants a "summit-conference" to discuss cooperation.