

✓ January 22, 1964

Hattiesburg : Forman

10 am: about 50 ministers there -- going out to courthouse in about 1 hour

10:30-- about 1/200 picket downtown picketing by courthouse and not being arrested-- Ministers included there- trying to get more in to register. Fairly successful school boycott as well/ about 3-400 out of school (some observing, some picketing)--

George Greene was let out of jail without bond but must go to trial on Monday--

Selma: Benny Tucker  
nothing happening

Pine Bluff: Iris  
several people down in Hattiesburg from Pine Bluff including Hansen

Greenville: Carol Delton  
has to go back to school next week- will leave no one in Greenville office

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Hattiesburg : John Bradford  
Moses arrested- 28 yrs. old, New York City

Jackson Saturday  
conf. on jobs and particularly job training-- esp. since there is a NASA space center being built.  
conf. will be about 100 community leaders-- trying to get congressmen down this really a preliminary meeting. Next meeting will be with technical people- in this meeting SWCC people will be discussion leaders

Hattiesburg: Mike Bayer 11:50  
70-~~All~~ 100 people there- pouring rain  
Moses arrested: telegram to John 35 & Kennedy (on top)  
The sheriff and police officials of Forrest County Miss. are keeping potential Negro registrars

We demand immmed. correction of this sit.  
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he was wearing a sign saying Register to Voter: Moses tried to FBI must arrest the officers who arrested moses

'failure to obey an officer'-- no bond-- at 10:15 am  
two picket lines  
lines of people waiting to register  
interfered with Moses, Forman and others who have tried to bring prospective registrants down to courthouse. It was one of those situations when they arrested Moses. Police have a cordon of deputized officers with raincoats and helmets-- marched up the street four abreast in cadence and have blocked off traffic. All stores closed. No one allowed on main street except reporters or prospective Negro registrants. Ministers (episcopalian, methodists, presbyterians, church of christ, etc.) also