

January 27

Hattiesburg: Sandy Leigh

driver pool now (10 drivers) to take people to courthouse--10 pickup points--
work from 7:30am to 5:00 pm

for picketing, having kids staying out of school -- a different 50 kids each day--
that way each kid leaves school only one day. Quiet picket lines- no singing,
very disciplined.

a different group to canvass / again 50 (each day different 50/ students and ministers)
northern ministers will be working with SNCC

northern ministers didn't have real idea of what their relation to SNCC would be--
they will have their offices across 8 street to handle own calls but will work with
us. a new group will be coming down today (20)-- will be keeping them coming down
on a weekly basis (Monday thru Sat) for about three months. Will be helping with
the canvassing--

a female lawyer also coming down from New York.

will try to have legal counsel down with them on rotating basis also--same as ministers.

total of 119 having taken voter registration test now (kkkkkkkkkk Thursday through
Saturday--no figures for Wednesday yet)--

Lynd is supposed to point out errors or omissions in test at the time people take it--
he has not been doing that -- they will have people sign affidavits to that effect.

Raleigh: John Love

three campuses--St. Augustine Shaw University and North Carolina state want
to begin demonstrations within the next two or three weeks. The Negro bourgeois
community will be against the demonstrations, and they are quite powerful.
Though SNCC is working with these schools, we will not be directly connected
with the demonstrations since we are on a VEP grant in Raleigh.

Doug Harris

POLICE IN N.C. have been being trained at Fort Bragg in riot procedures- expect
trouble with them when demonstrations begin.

also are trying to work into the Raleigh Citizens Assoc. by getting students in
as members to kkkk out it's power or change its direction to a certain

SNCC will try to stay in background of demonstrations as much as possible.

registered 50 people yesterday/ started as open house, added by registering 50
people/ their secretary is a registrar--

Jackson: Emma Bell

kkkkkk trials today

1. Bob and Oscar in Hattiesburg/ afternoon
2. Canton- afternoon
3. Greenwood (Ita Rena case- sentencing - this morning)
4. Beckwith trial- now in Jackson