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Chapel Hill; J.V. Henry

Lincoln

There was a school walkout this afternoon from ~~the~~ high school. About 65 students in a 360 person high school walked out and marched downtown to ~~the~~ sing at town hall. From there they came back to the office for Freedom Schools with courses in Negro history. The students had walked out of school because they've been forbidden to pass out leaflets or talk about 'freedom' on school grounds.

Selma: Charles Robertson

Alvery Williams, who was in jail under a \$1000 peace bond, was bonded out today.

Greenville: Emma Bell

five of the twenty students who walked out of school yesterday went ~~back~~ to the white school today to attempt to enroll. The five were Roleen Jackson, Charles Taylor, Eddie Brown, Jack Lefton, and Carol Bolton. The principal and ~~the~~ a reporter (most~~ly~~ likely from Delta Dem. Times) met them there. They were told by the principa~~l~~ that they had to talk with the superintendent of schools. The then went to Superintendent Buckham's office and he spoke with Roleen. He asked her why they had walked out of school and she said because of Abraham Lincoln's birthday, because he had 'freed' them, and in order to exercise their first amendment rights to demonstrate. The superintendent told them he would have to speak with their parents about their re-entry to school. He told them to come back at 2pm and ~~th~~ he would speak to them one by one. Their position is that they will only speak with him together.

After speaking with the superintendent initially they went to a basketball were Carol Bolton was spotted by some teachers and ordered to leave. They don't think that Carol will be able to get back in to school and want to know what other arrangements could be made.

Canton:

to corr ect previous mis-information : the following was reported by Att. Carole Hall concerning the cases of Ed Hollander and Claude Weaver: both were tried on Monday: Claude pleaded nolo contendere. Both were found guilty and sentenced to 6 months in jail, \$500 fine and \$500 bond.

The bonds have been raised in the north and they should be able to come out of jail next week if their appeals have been filed.