February 18, 1964

Pine Bluffs Iris (7pm)

there/about 23 people demonstrating at the Barbeque where Gregory and Hansen
were arrested Sunday night. The state police, the press are there. The door
to the restaurant has been locked, but no arrests have been made. The demonstrators
have been out about 20 minutes, and the truck drivers who eat at the restaurant
should begin to be arriving soon.

Gregory and Hansen have indicated that they want to get out of jail—Iris
is not sure why, but thinks it may be because nothing much has happened and
no one has 'joined them' in jail.
Iris will keep us informed about the demonstration!

Jackson: Emma Bell
Pete Stoner, who is in the county farm in Hattiesburg, was beaten badly
yesterday. One of the workers at the county farm (a Negro) called the
Hattiesburg office to let them know.

Pine Bluffs; Iris 8:15
there are now about 26 demonstrators.
Gregory and Hansen have decided to stay in jail since things are happening now.

Hattiesburg: Frank Smith
police came into the office a short time ago (about 8 our time) and
arrested Henry Baily, Hattiesburg (adult) for hitting a woman and
breaking her eardrum.

allegedly
Frank says they do not know anything about the case and are going to
try not to get involved if the charge is legitimate. Baily has been
working with the movement.