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Keep in touch
with this
Wednesday
(2nd attempt)



Call at 9:00 A.M.

NORTH FLORIDA CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION PROJECT
Rt. 3, Box 428-F
Quincy, Florida
Phone 627-8458 - 305

December 9, 1964

Mr. Richard Haley
CORE Southern Office
2211 Dryades Street
New Orleans, La.

Dear Richard:

This comes to inform you of an event which will take place on Saturday December 12, 1964.

We are going into Liberty, County which is twenty-five miles away from Gadsden, County.

There are approximately three hundred to five hundred Negroes eligible to register in Liberty, County but so far, none are registered.

Some years ago fourteen Negroes went down and got registered but was threaten by the K.K.K. until they had their names taken off the registration book.

One negro home and landowner(a minister) was driven out of the County. He is now residing in Tallahassee, Florida.

I feel that this is a big challenging but worth while task.

So until the next letter or phone call I remain,

Yours For FREEDOM,

Spiver W. Gordon,
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It might be noted that there are no Negroes registered to vote in Liberty County at this time.

We consider this an outrage when American Citizens have to loose a day's work to attempt to register, only to find out that Liberty County doesn't consider the price they had to pay enough a basic right considered free by the U. S. Constitution.

We urge that you move against this great injustice with great speed.

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