

LANSING AREA FRIENDS OF S. N. C. C.
(Student Non-violent Coordinating Committee)

THE FREEDOM WALK, 1963

Presently in Alabama, many unfortunate things are happening to the southern civil rights movement:

April 23, 1963-- William Moore, a Baltimore, Maryland postman, was murdered near Attalla, Alabama while en route to Jackson, Mississippi to present a pro-integration letter to Mississippi Governor Ross Barnett.

April 25--Student Non-violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) telegrams Alabama Governor George C. Wallace and U. S. President John F. Kennedy informing them that SNCC will take up the walk.

May 3--The Freedom Walkers, composed of five SNCC members and five Core members, were arrested and are now in jail in Fort Payne, Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM MOVEMENT, 1963

In Birmingham, Alabama, police brutality to children was used to thwart a peaceful demonstration. So far, over 2000 Negroes have been arrested. An appeal from Birmingham, Alabama, to the conscience of America is presently being made.

We urgently need your help.

We urge you to write or wire in protest of what is happening in Alabama. Please address protests to the following:

John F. Kennedy
President
White House
Washington, D.C.

Robert F. Kennedy
The Justice Department
Washington, D.C.

Berl I. Bernhard
Civil Rights Commission
Washington, D.C.

George C. Wallace
Governor
Governor's Mansion
Montgomery, Alabama

Your Congressman, Representative
Your newspaper, radio and
TV station

The following are in sympathy with this movement:

Campus NAACP
Campus United Nations
Lansing area friends of SNCC (information)
Students for Democratic Society--S.D.S. (information)