

February 23, 1964

Oxford, Mississippi

The Rust College Choir has been invited to sing at a white Methodist Church in Oxford tonight. Students from Rust have been invited to attend, and ~~the~~ the minister has said he will seat anyone who comes. The Kappa Alfa's, a fraternity who are known to be extremely anti-integration, are planning to give the choir a "reception" when they come off the bus into Oxford. The Kappa Alfa's are evidently retaliating for the smooth way last Thursday evening's visit to Oxford went. There will be police protection for the choir, but trouble is expected.

Jackson: Emma Bell

CANTON

This afternoon at about 2:30, Richard Jewitt was arrested by a highway patrolman for reckless driving. He had three passengers with him, Joe Lee watts, Marcelus Byrd and a third person. Our reports are that he was not driving recklessly. We do not know the bond or when his trial will be.

Jewitt was released from jail in Canton this past Friday (the charges he had been convicted for were publishing libel and disturbing the peace).