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Mr. Milton N. Kemnitz National Federation for Constitutional Liberties 1410 H Street, N.W., Rooms 100-102 Washington, D. C.

Dear Milt:

Monday night Reverend Knox called us from Chicago, informing us that William Patterson was on his way to Detroit because he received information that Negroes were being deported from the South to work at Ford's, --possible race riots brewing.

Akko, he informed us that he was contacting you and that we were to forward information to you.

I contacted Michael Widman immediately, who informed me that no such condition exists; that it is true that Negroes were imported from the Suth, but that as fast as they are imported, they are recruiting them into the union.

So long.

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Jack Raskin, Executive Secretary, CIVIL RIGHTS FEDERATION

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