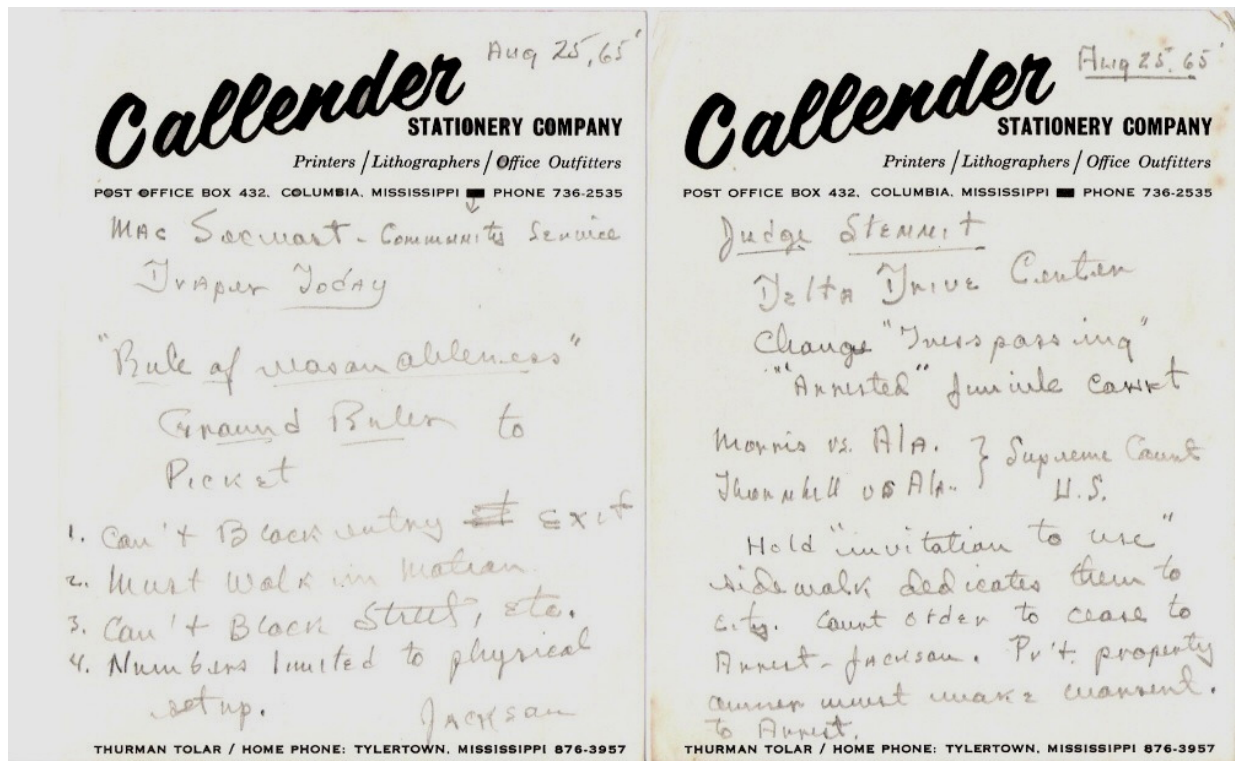


**Letters from Mississippi / Document**  
**August 25, 1965: Picketing Ground Rules**

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This particular set of notes by Mayor McLean appear to be of an August 25 conversation considering the "legal" basis for our subsequent arrests on August 28.



Aug 25, 65'

Mac Stewart [?] -- Community Service  
Draper Today

"Rule of reasonableness"

Ground Rules to Picket

1. Can't Block entry & exit
2. Must Walk in Motion
3. Can't Block Street, etc.
4. Numbers limited to physical setup.

Jackson

Aug 25, 65'

Judge Stemmit  
Delta Drive Center  
Charge "Trespassing"  
"Arrested" Juvenile [?] Court

Morris vs. Ala. } Supreme Court  
Thunhill [?] vs. Ala. } U.S.  
Hold "invitation to use"  
sidewalk dedicates them to  
city. Court order to cease to  
Arrest - Jackson. P't property  
owner must make warrant  
to Arrest.

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