

DATE June 20, 1952

ATLANTA URBAN LEAGUE NEIGHBORHOOD INFORMATION DATA SHEET

1. Name of Neighborhood Avondale - Scottdale
 2. Origin of Name _____
 3. Location, boundaries, direction and distance from the heart of the city of Atlanta (Map of area, p. 5) East of Atlanta; Avondale - Cedar St. and Columbia Drive; Scottdale - Cedar St. and The Town of Clarkston; Approx. 7 1/2 miles from Atlanta.

4. County De Kalb Incorporated: Yes _____ No *Call DeKalb County*
 5. Population: Negro _____ White _____ Total Avondale - 1,070
 6. Number of Registered Voters: Negro _____ White _____
 7. Number of Citizens over 18 years of age: Negro _____ White _____

8. Name, address, denomination, and estimated membership of churches serving the Negro population:

Name	Address	Denom.	Mem	Pastor's Name
<u>1. Norman Grove Bapt.</u>		<u>Baptist</u>		
<u>2. Old Chapel</u>		<u>A.M.E.</u>		
<u>3.</u>		<u>Holiness</u>		
<u>4.</u>				
<u>5.</u>				
<u>6.</u>				
<u>7.</u>				

9. Schools: Elementary (Negro)

Name	Grades	Enrl	Number of Teachers	Number of Classrooms	Condition of Plant
<u>Avondale Colored School (Elem. High)</u>	<u>1-12</u>		<u>(Total) 23</u>	<u>20 Total</u>	<u>New Brick Structure - Good old Frame Structure - Very Poor Both are parts of same School.</u>

10. Elementary (White)

11. High Schools (Negro)

Name	Grades	Enrol.	No. of Tecs. Total	No. of Class rms.	Condition of Plant
(Same Building as Elem.) <u>Avondale Colored High Sch.</u>	<u>1-12</u>	(High Sch.) <u>700</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>20 (Total)</u>	New Brick Structure - Good Frame Structure - Very Poor
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

12. High Schools (White)

_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

13. Names and purposes of projects sponsored by organized community groups:

- (a) P.T.A.
- (b) _____
- (c) _____

14. Names and function of social work agencies at work in the community:

- (a) None
- (b) _____
- (c) _____

15. Name and kind of social and recreational facilities:

Negro None

White _____

16. Name and kind of health facilities:

Negro County Clinic, Mobile Units, School Health Services.

White County Clinic,

17. Sources of community income:

Negro	White
Local Cotton Mill	
Construction Work	
Domestic work	
Beauty Culture	

18. Community needs according to local resources:

Paved Streets, Sewage, Streets Lights, ^{Improved} Schools, Play-
Grounds, Mail Service.

19. What are the provisions for the following public services:

- (a) Streets None Paved nor Graded
- (b) Sewage and Water None
- (c) Garbage Collection None
- (d) Police Protection _____
- (e) Fire Protection _____
- (f) Mail Service No Home Delivery
- (g) Transportation Facilities Stone Mt. Bus, Two School Buses *are inadequate serving the community.*
- (h) Others No Street lights

20. List the names and kinds of neighborhood businesses operated in the Negro community. (Indicate those owned by Negroes)

- (a) Reese' Grocery Store (owned operated by Negro)
- (b) Grocery Store (owned + operated by Negro)
- (c) _____
- (d) _____
- (e) _____
- (f) _____

21. What is the general condition of the neighborhood in terms of housing, appearance, etc.?

Most of the houses are in need of Paint or Repairs.
Great need of good pave, and well-lighted streets
Need adequate Sewage + running water

21. Are there many Negro home owners in the community? Yes Yes What % 85% - Approx.
No _____

22. List names, addresses and telephone numbers of suggested community leaders:

Pres. of P.T.A. -
Mr. Joe Hill - Box #162 - Scottsdale

23. List names, addresses, professions, telephone numbers of professional persons living in the neighborhood.

None (all elementary & High school Teachers live
outside the Community.

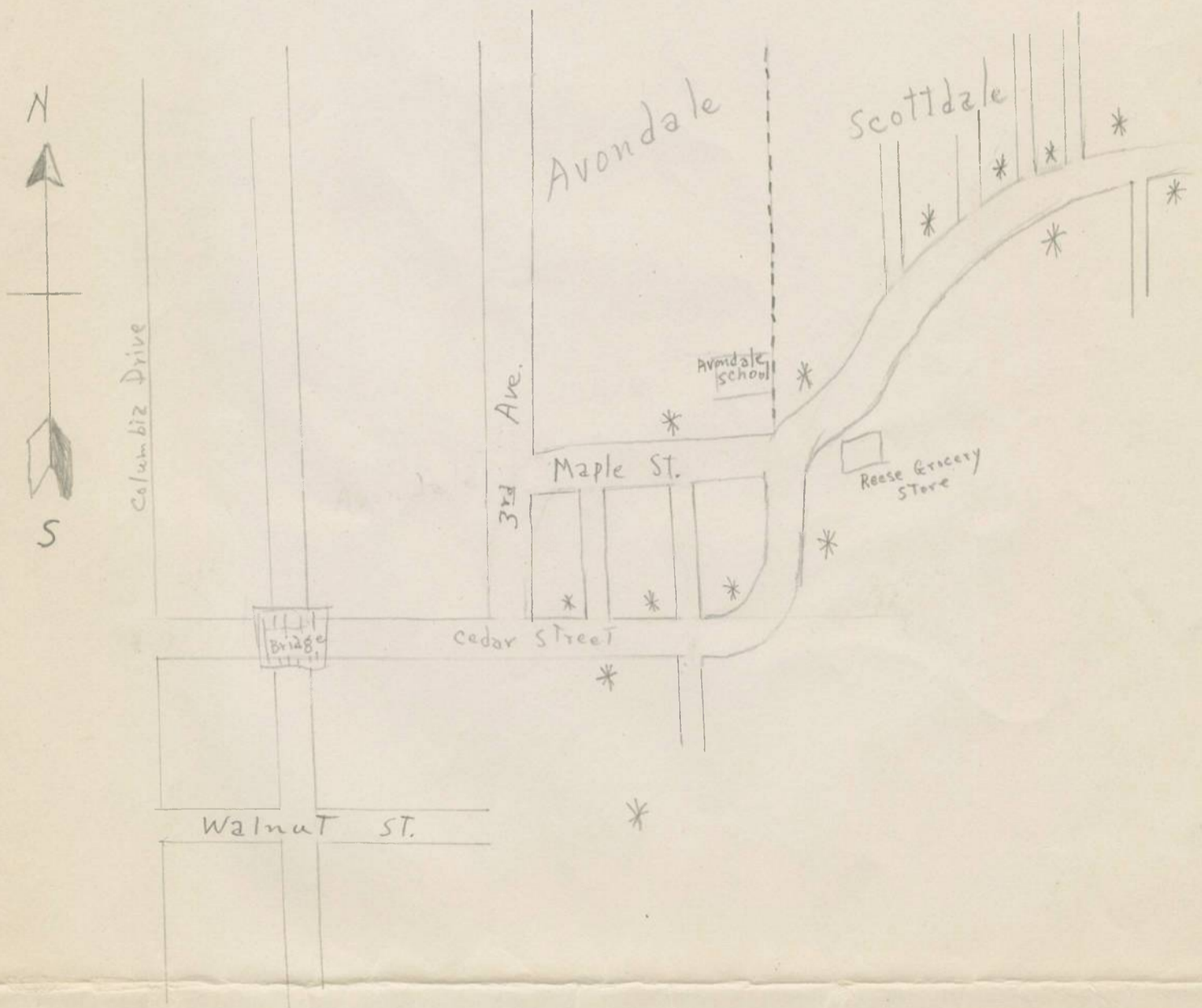
24. What is your general observation regarding race relationship in the neighborhood?

Little if any conflict between whites and Negroes, though residences are not
Little or no thought and consideration given to Negro Community
in government operation and planning for the city.
long distances apart.

Remarks: The School is both High School and Elementary. Only five classrooms are in the new section of the plant. Most classes are held in the old-frame-sections of the school. School drainage runs into ditch in front of school. Space is partially cleared for school playground but no improvement or equipment is provided, thus it is not usable. Need more school-busses. Most of the homes are owned by the people (Negroes) but are in rather poor condition. There is no apparent community co-operation or leadership present in the area. Very few voters but the number is not known. ^{school} Busses serve children from Clarkston, Washington Park, and Stone Mountain. The Churches consist of Sanctified, Baptist, and Methodist, in order of their predominance. Auditorium-Gym-Cafeteria and five classrooms are in New section of School Plant. Mr. George Spruill (contractor) ^{white} built 14 of 100 Houses to go up for Negroes. Private ^{capital} ~~persons~~ are backing this building program. These houses will be for sale.

MAP OF AREA

Scottdale?



* = Negro Residences)