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THE COUNTY-WIDE LEAGUE  
OF LOUDOUN COUNTY  
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Supt. O. L. Emerick and  
Loudoun County School Board  
Leesburg, Virginia

March 20, 1945

Gentlemen:

The local leagues and the County-Wide League have endorsed the following recommendations made by Mrs. Janie Redwood at the public forum at the Douglass High School on March 6.

Decrease in grade load of teachers by consolidation of school with adequate transportation.

Consolidation

1- At Willisville

Rock Hill School

Howardsville Community

Willisville

2- At Middleburg

Middleburg

Bull Run

Marble Quarry

St. Louis

3- At Purcellville

Purcellville

Hamilton

Powell's Grove

Hillsboro

Lincoln

Bluemont

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Roundhill

Hughesville

4- At Leesburg

Leesburg

Lucketts-Community

Sycoline- "

Ashburn

Mt. Gap

Waterford

Watson

Respectfully Submitted

## 5- Adequate Supplies and Equipment

Free textbooks

Maps

Globes

Construction Materials

Adequate Supplementary Books

## 6- Provisions for Enriched Curriculum

Offering General Shop and

Home Economics on an

elementary level

## 7-Provisions for an adequate

modern high school

We are requesting that some of these needs be fulfilled by September. There are some that need your immediate attention for the safety of the health of the Negro children of Loudoun County.

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These needs are outlined on separate papers attached to this letter.

We want to express our appreciation for the views you expressed on equal opportunities and facilities for Negro students under our dual system of education.

The Leagues will support the proposed increased tax rate made by Board of Supervisors of Loudoun County.

Respectfully Submitted

County-Wide League

President

Secretary

*John W. Wanzer*  
*Eva Sanford*

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## SOME IMMEDIATE NEEDS IN LOUDOUN COUNTY NEGRO SCHOOLS

### 1. Buildings

Hamilton- New building or transfer children to another.

Purcellville- Closets for coats and dishes.

Floors and ceiling repaired.

Toilet for girls.

Douglass Elem.- Indoor toilets- New door.

Marble Quarry- Closets

Interior Painted

Lovettsville

Lincoln

Waterford

### 2. Supplies

Window shades

1. Nokes

2. Lovettsville

Teachers Desk

Lincoln

3. Willisville

Douglass Elem.

Table and  
chairs for

4. Douglass

5. Lincoln

Beginners

### 3. Services

Water

Marble Quarry

Willisville

Douglass Elem. Running water inside building

Lincoln

Waterford

Instructional

Hamilton- Additional teacher

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Purcellville- Additional teacher

Janitor

All Schools

Telephone

Purcellville

Transportation

Willisville- Howardsville and Willisville

high and elementary children

Hamilton-( If new building is not constructed.)