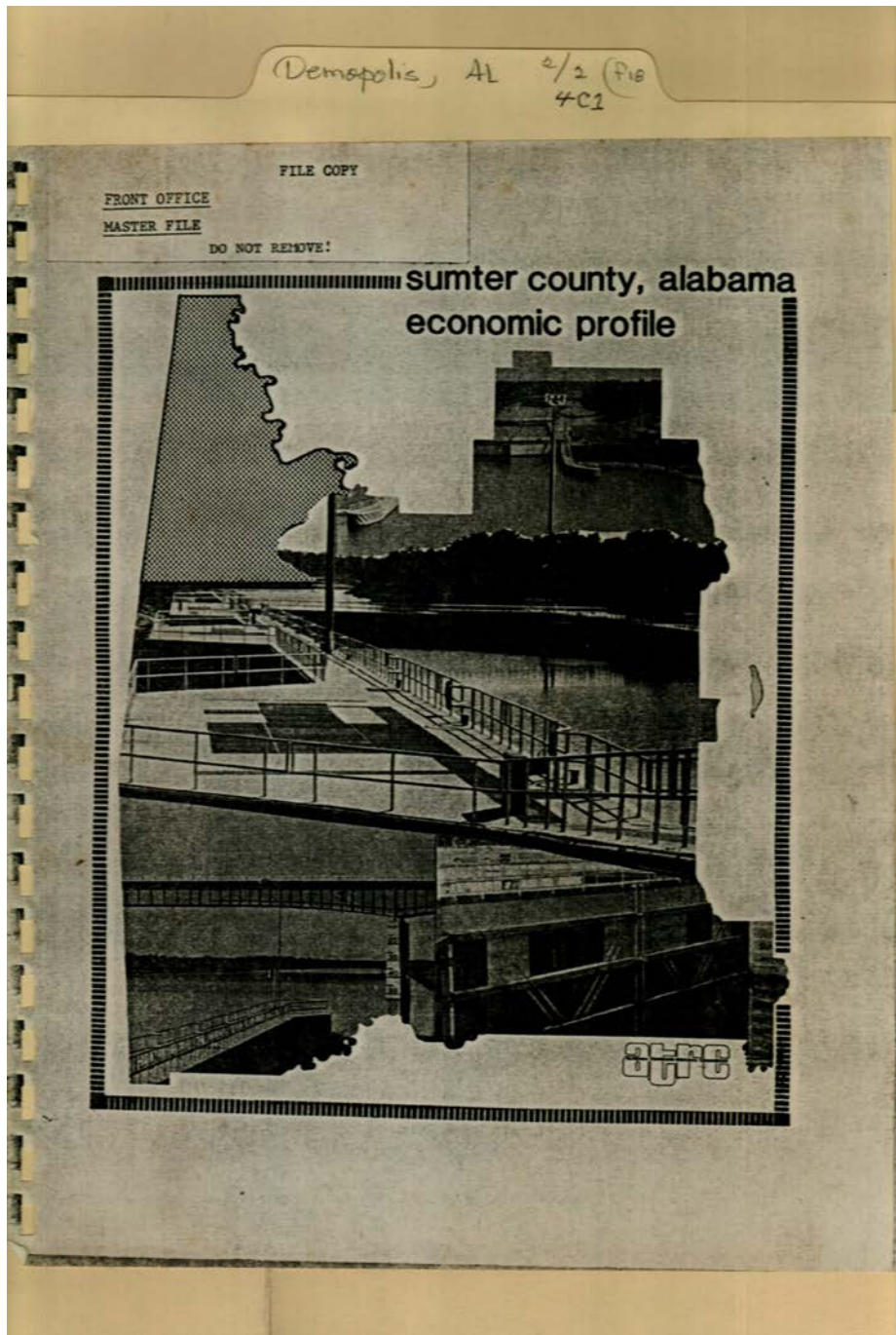


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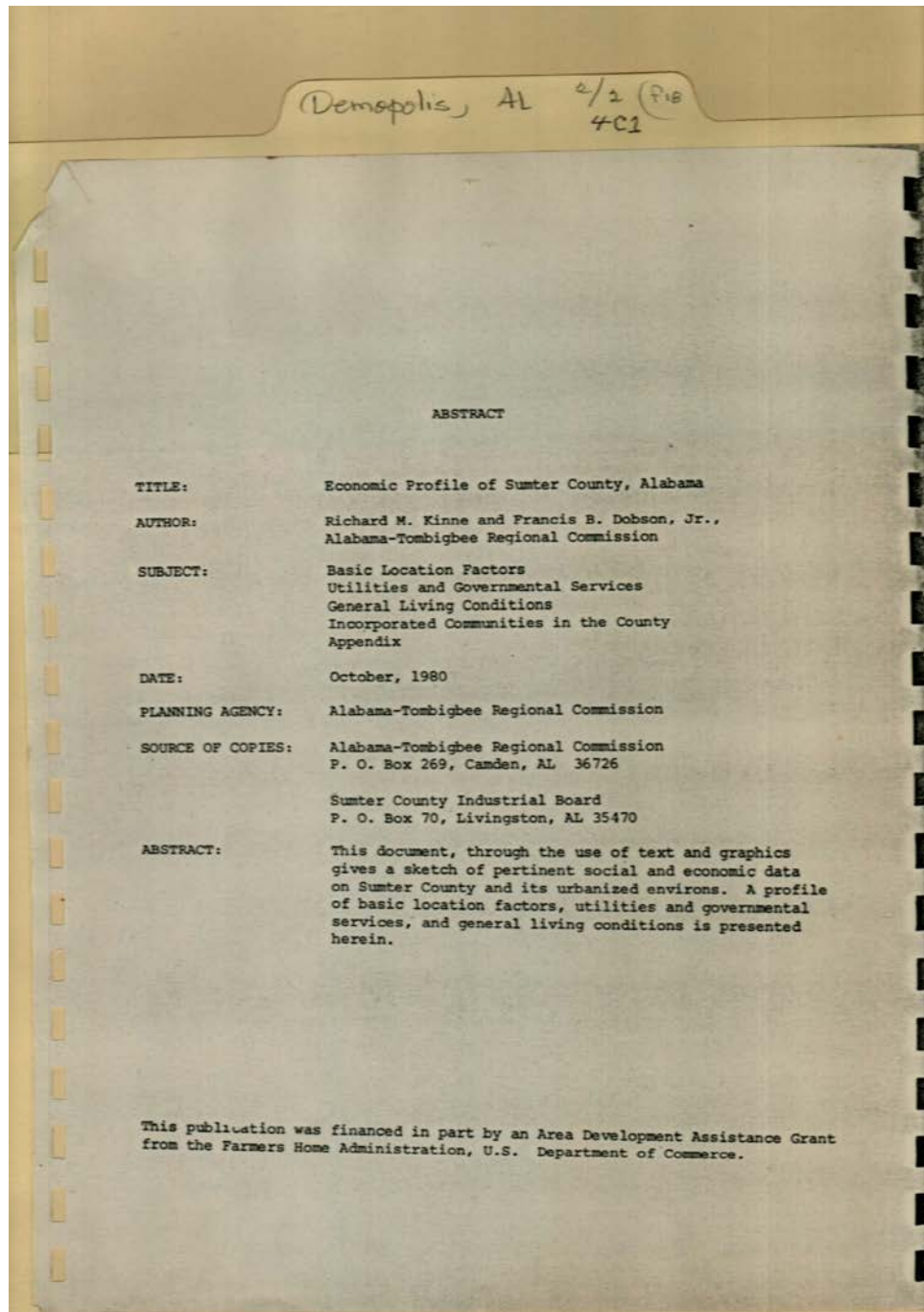
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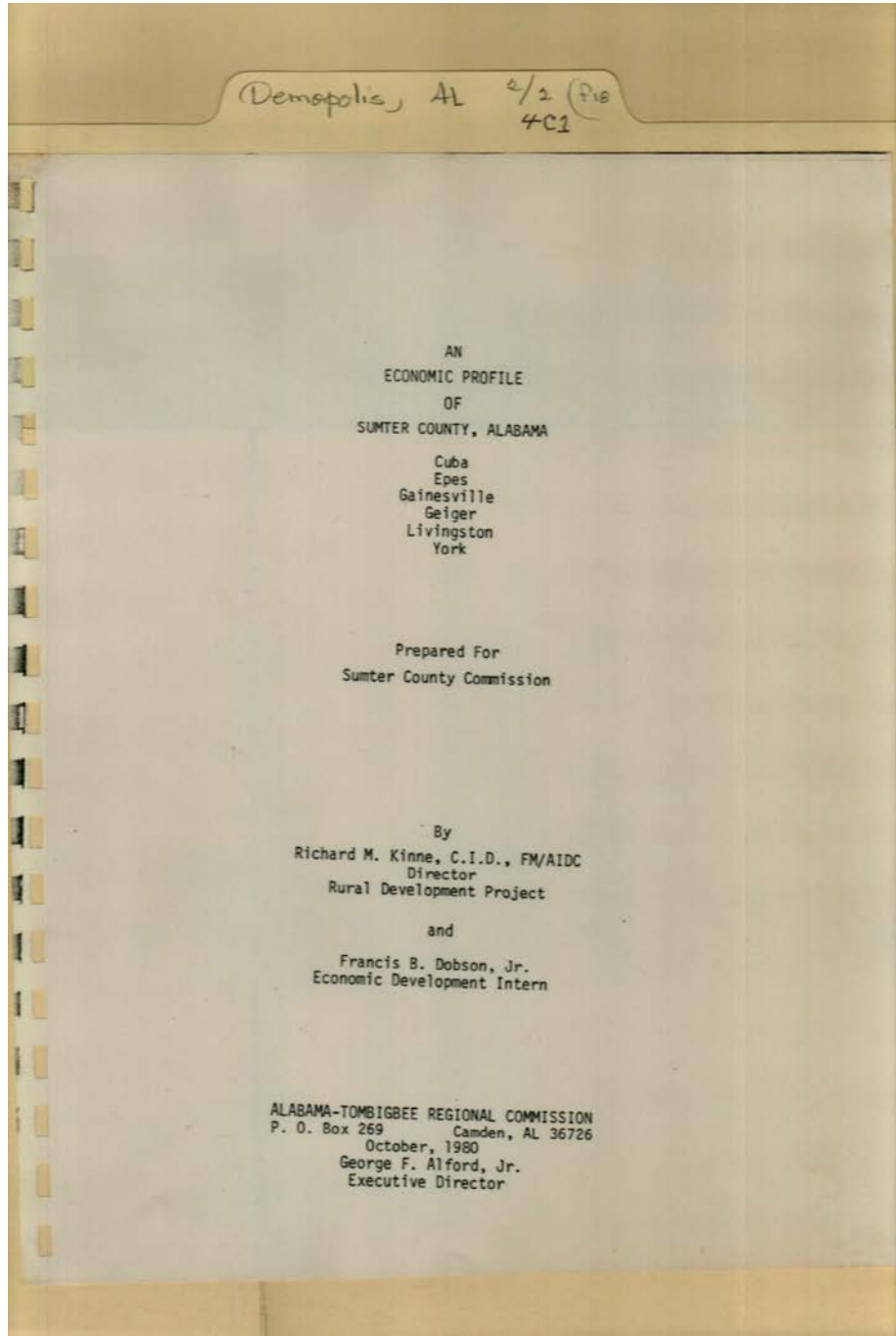
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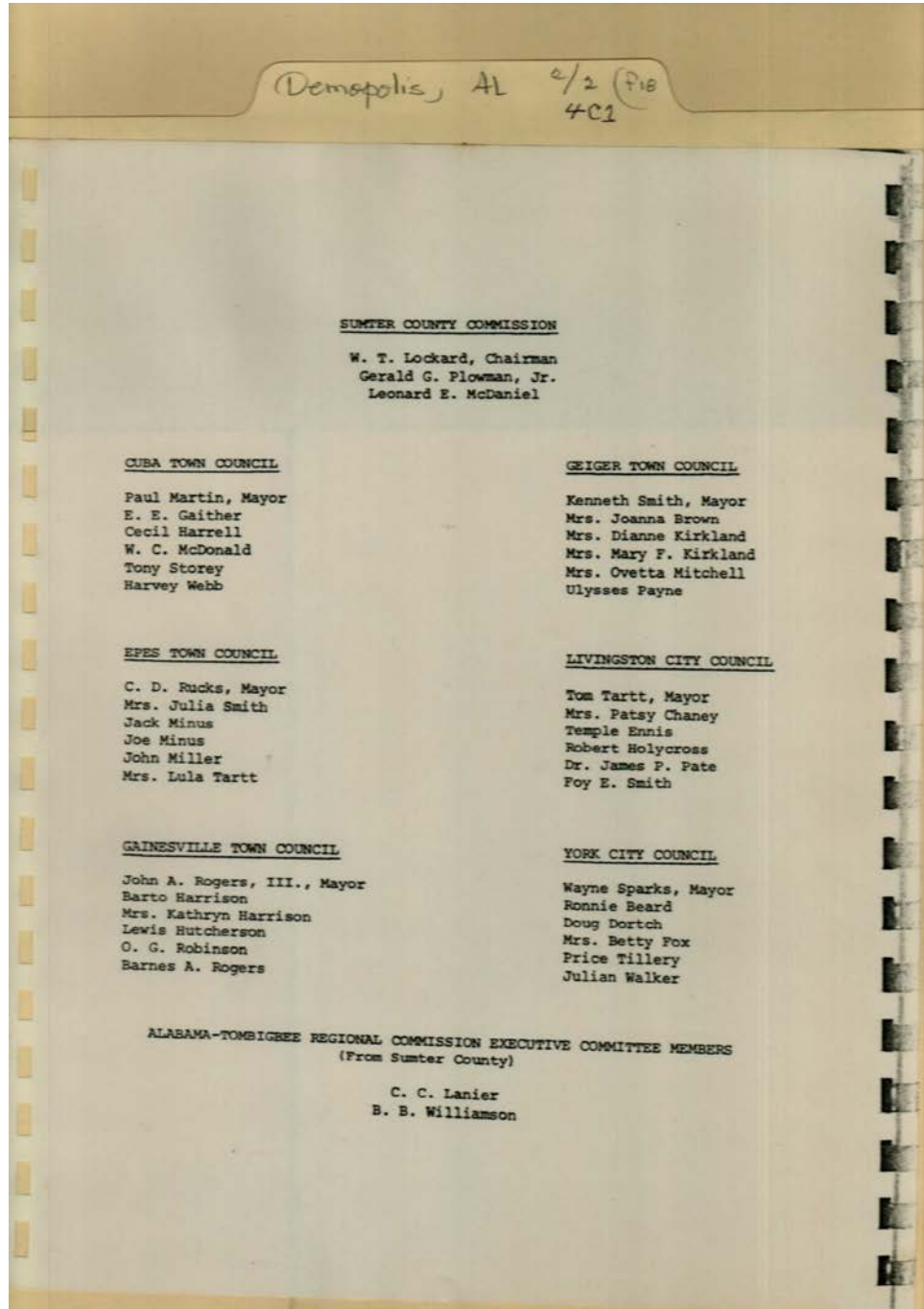
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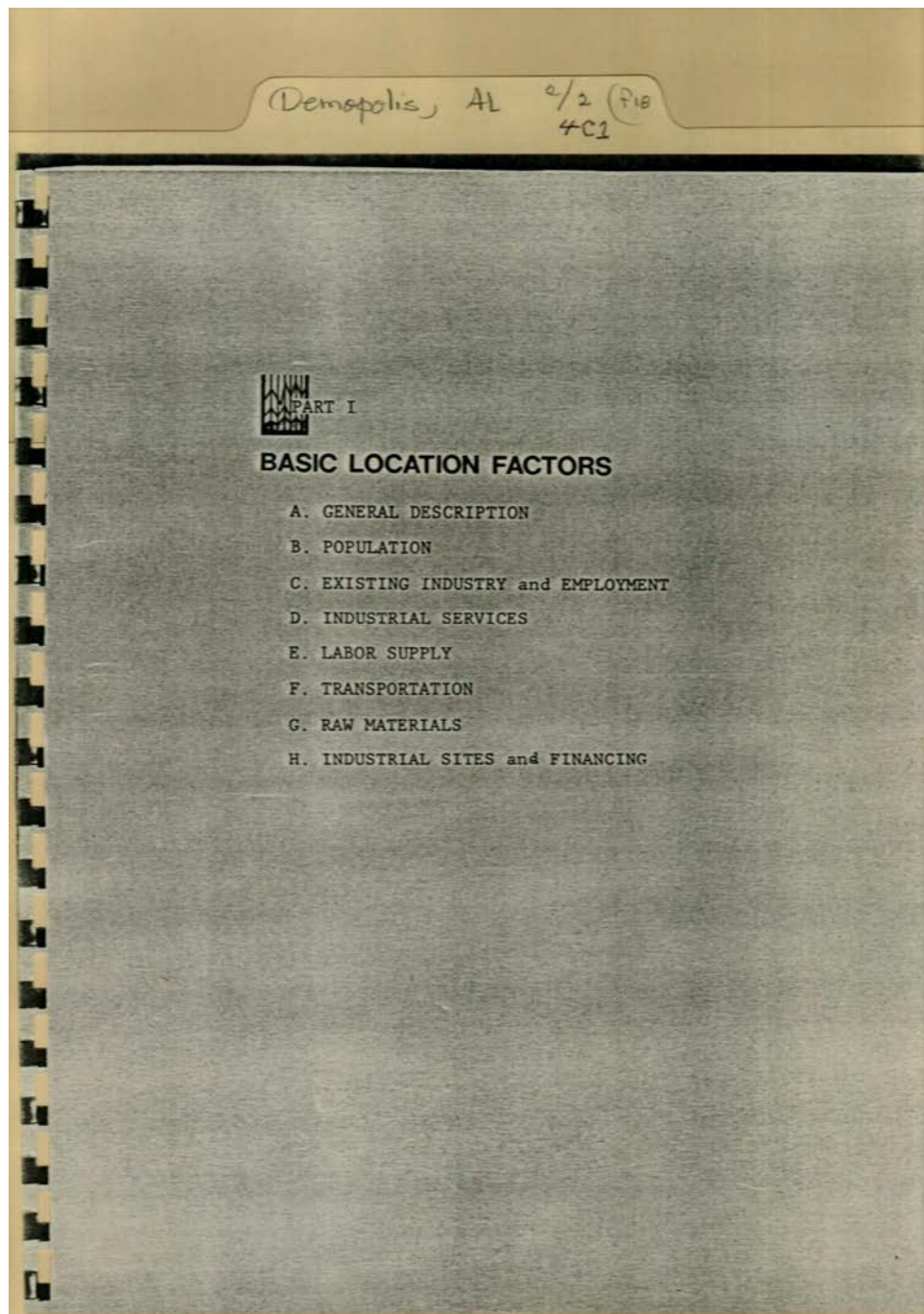
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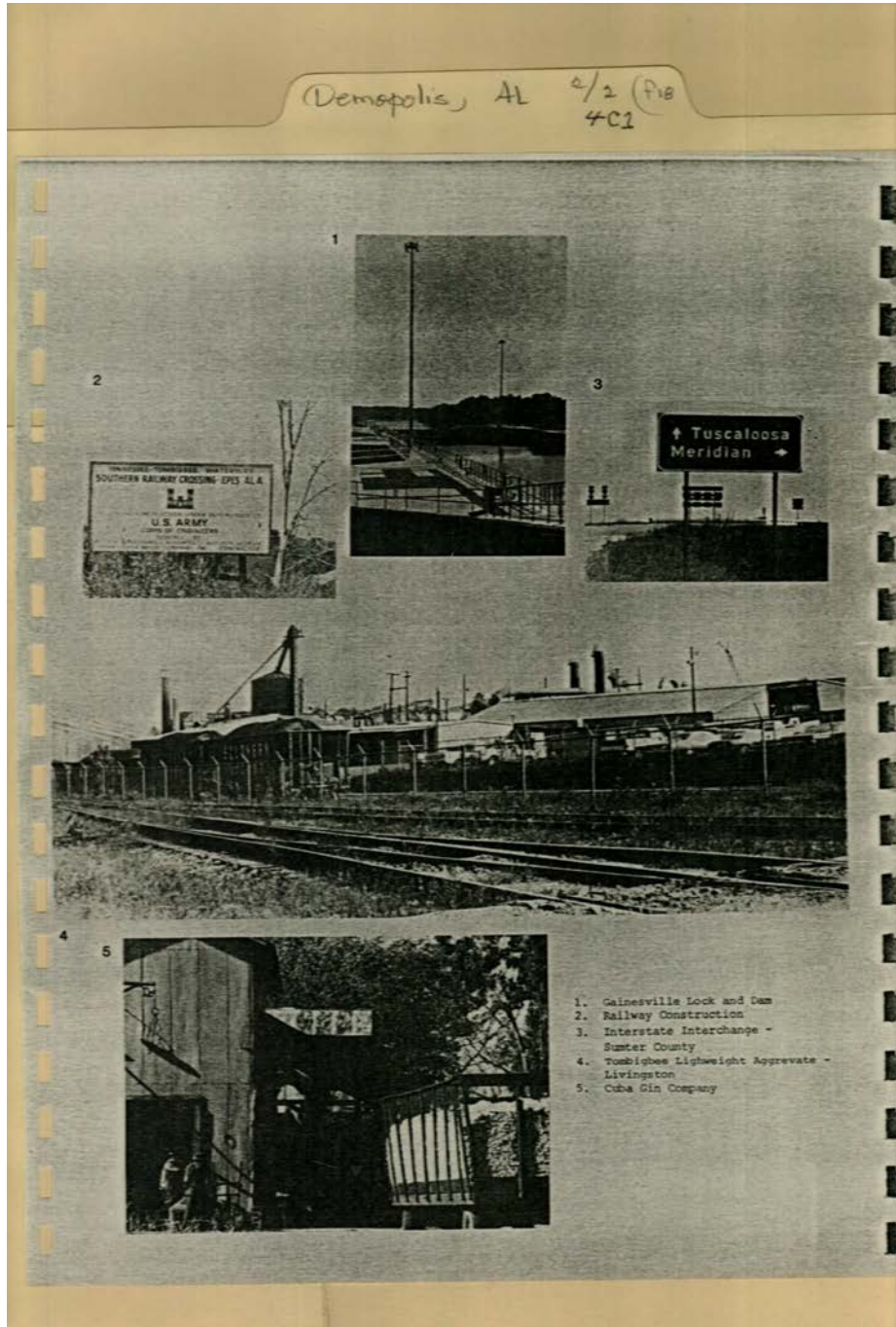
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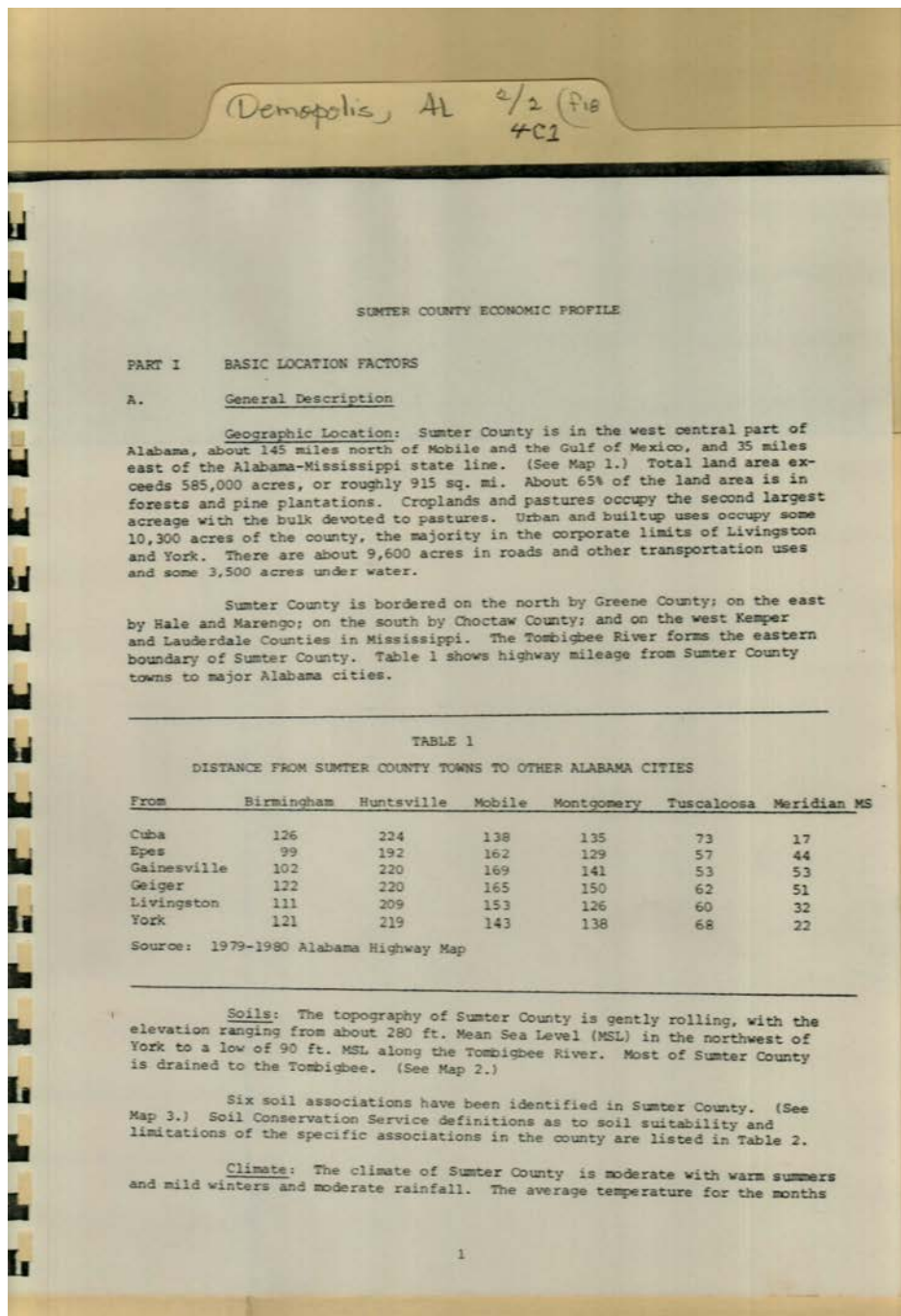
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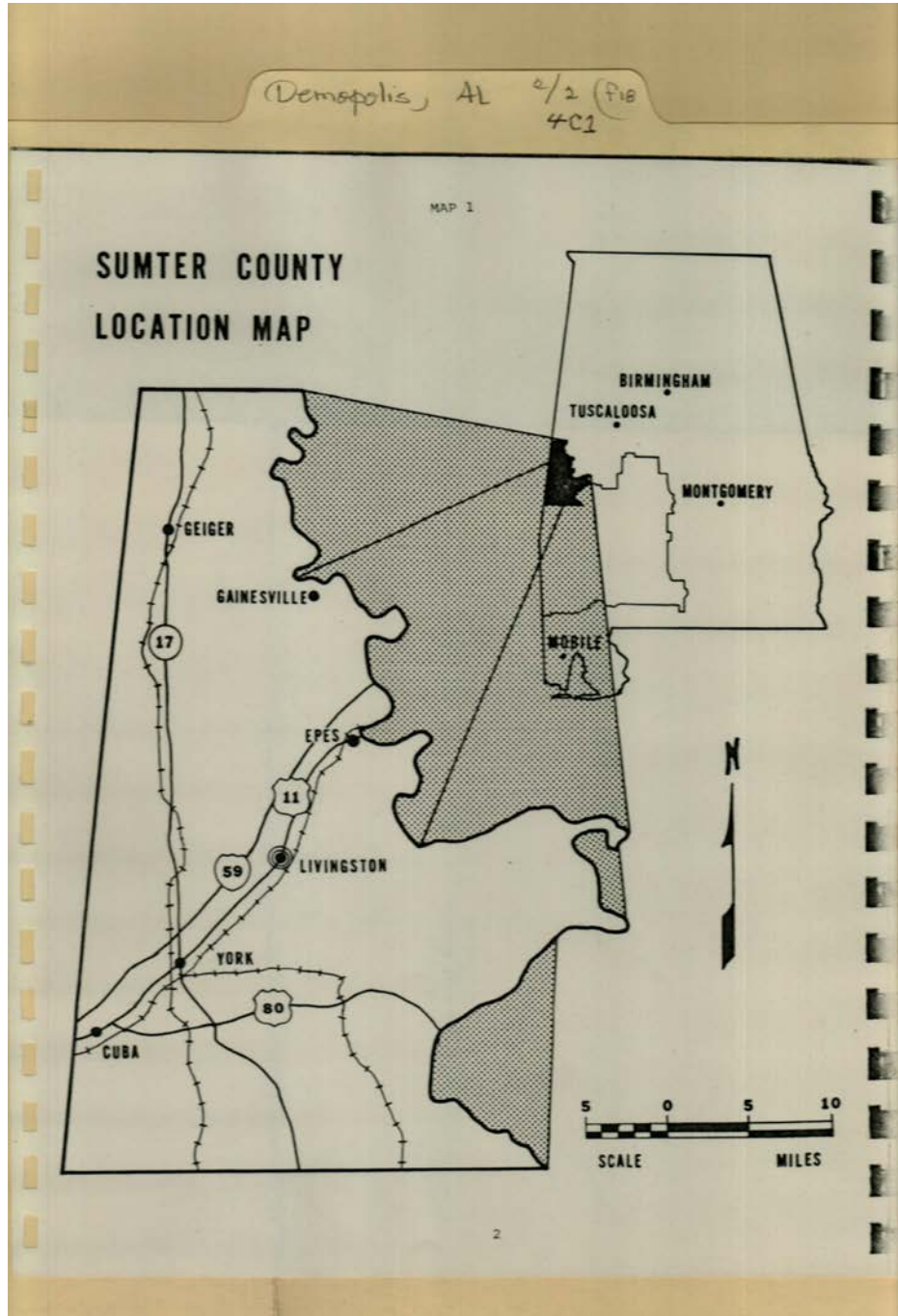
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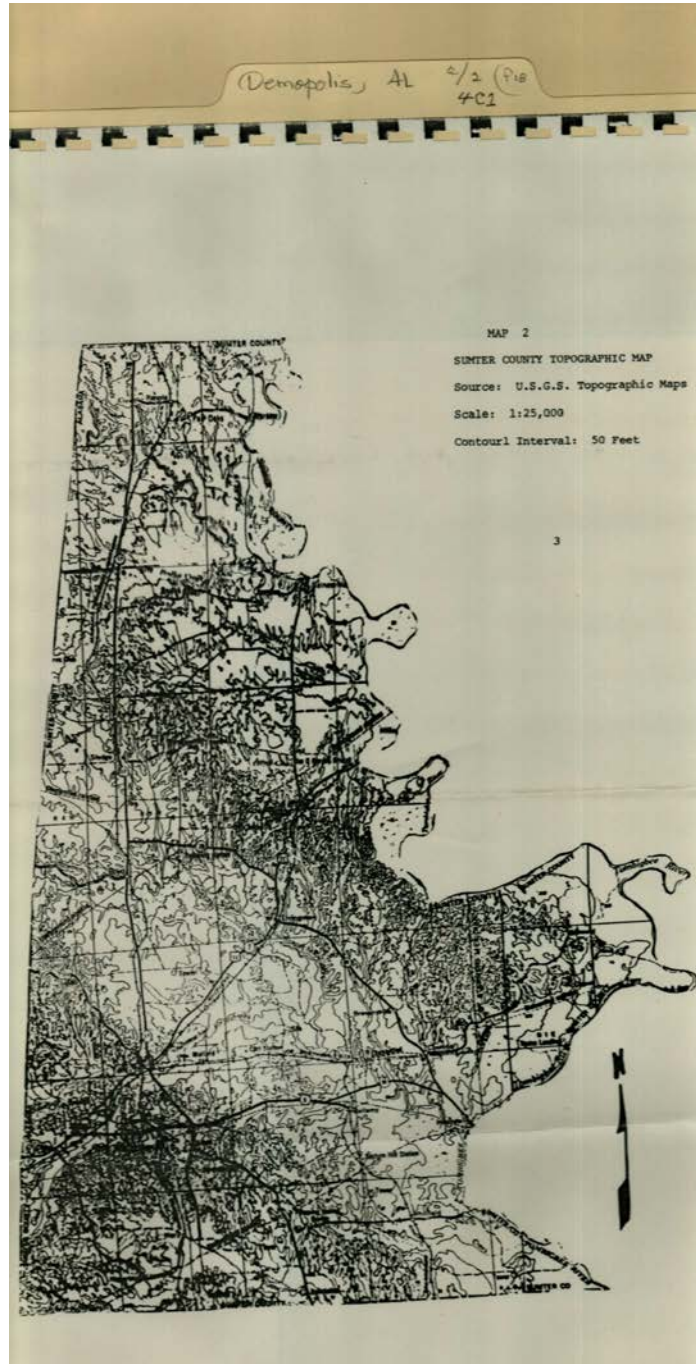
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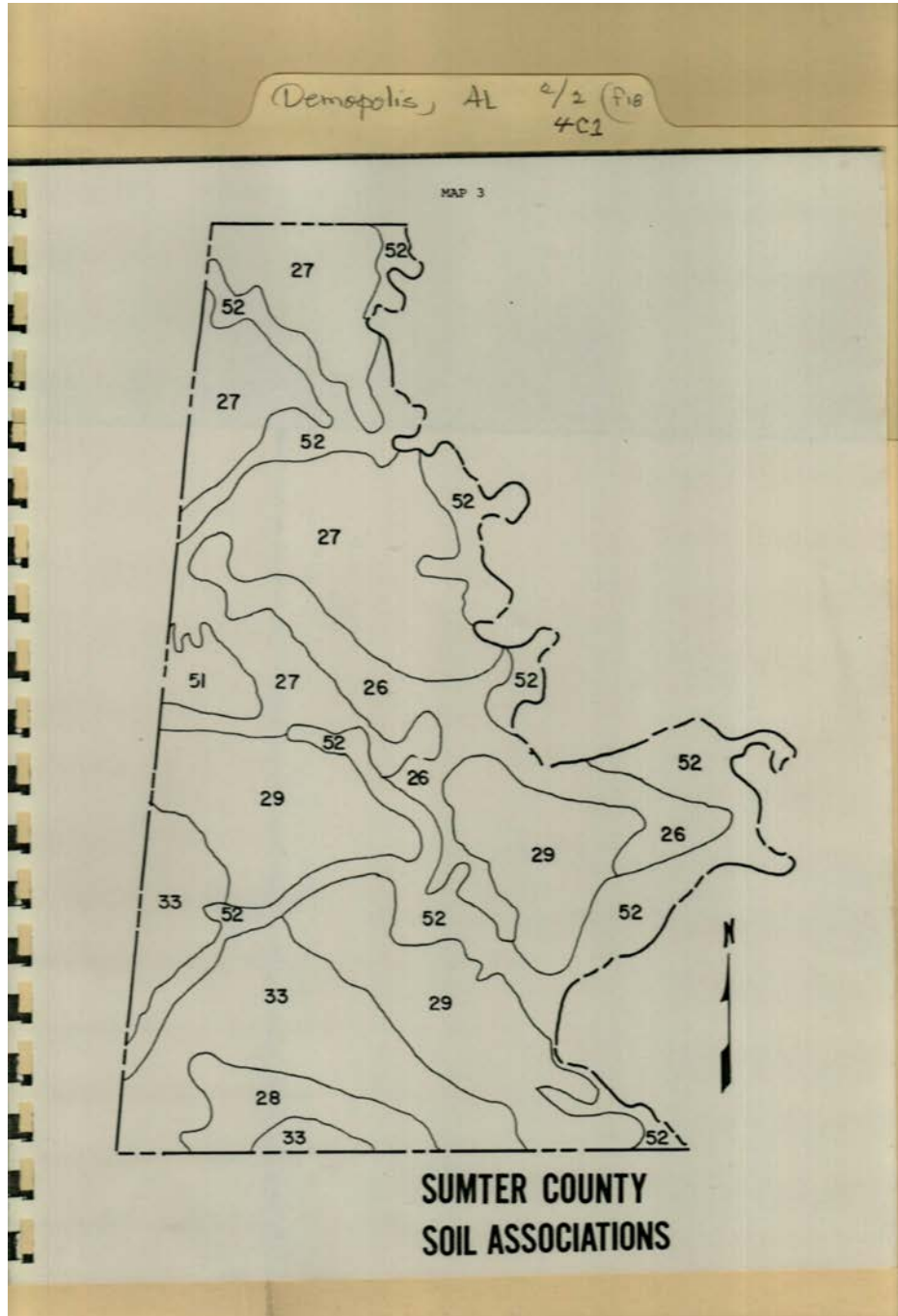
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Soil Associations		26	27	28	29	33	52
Soil Associations		Demopolis- Sumter- Oktibbeha	Sumter- Oktibbeha- Leeper	Wilcox- Waynes- Eucaw	Roswell- Stueghanna	Luvern- Smithdale- Roswell	Red Bay- Orangeburg
Soil Suitability		Poor	Fair	Poor	Poor	Poor	Good
Croplands		Good	Good	Fair	Fair	Poor	Good
Pasture		Fair	Fair	Good	Good	Good	Good
Woodlands							
Soil Limitations							
Roads/Streets		Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Slight
Septic Tanks		Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Slight
Light Industry		Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Moderate
Dwellings		Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Severe	Slight

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service, Auburn, AL 1975.

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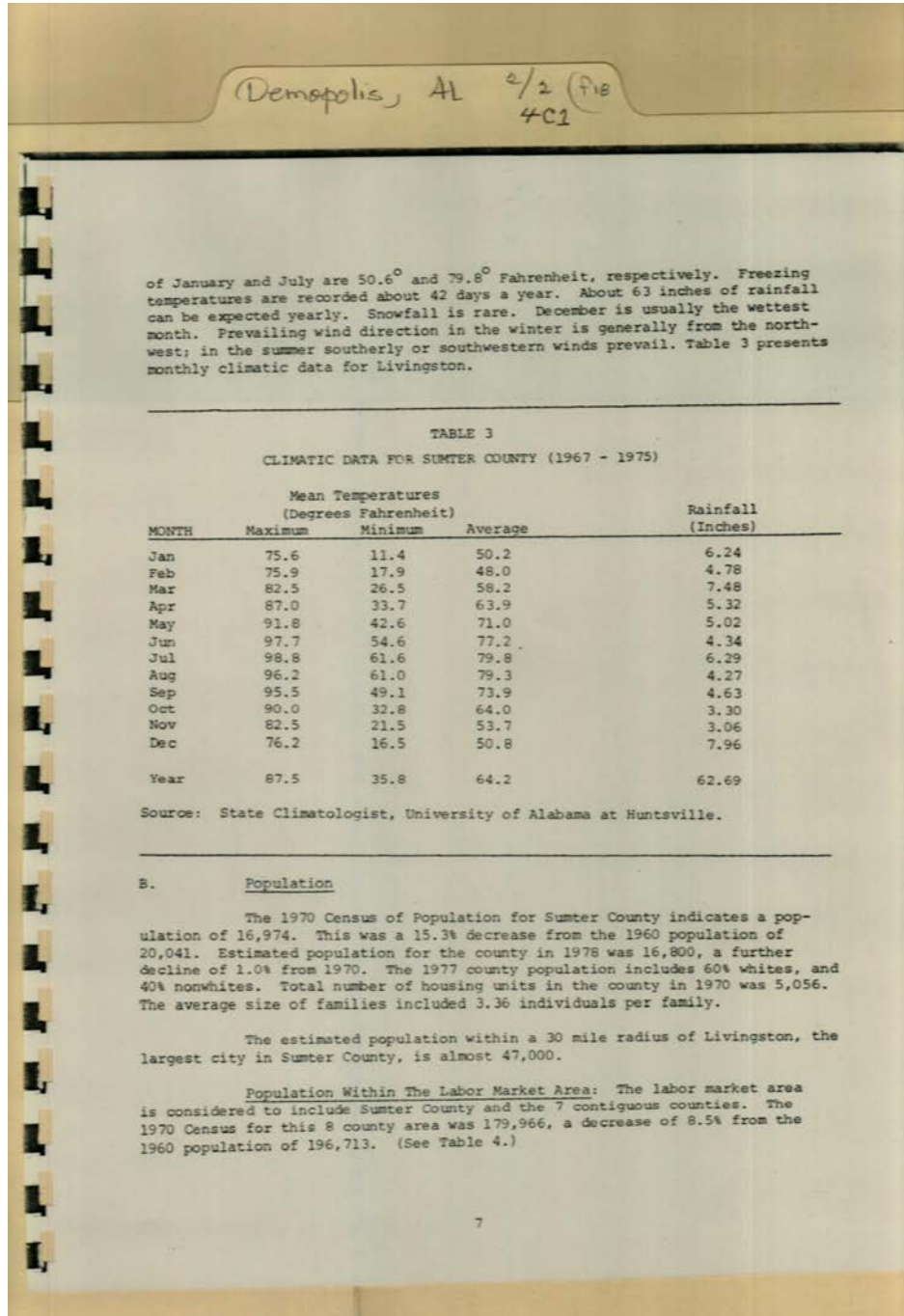
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POPULATION - SUMTER COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA - 1960-1970, by race, sex.

COUNTY	1960	1970 - White		1970 - Nonwhite		% Nonwhite 1970
		Male	Female	Male	Female	
SUMTER	20,041	16,974	2,933	2,789	5,299	5,941
Cuba	390	386	121	131	80	77
Epsom	337	293	23	37	123	185
Gainesville	214	255	34	58	86	115
Geiger	104	120	22	17	55	52
Livingston	1,544	2,358	1,087	899	149	148
York	2,932	3,044	656	713	755	920
Choctaw	17,870	16,589	4,539	4,737	3,523	3,790
Greene	13,600	10,650	1,257	1,362	3,709	4,322
Madison	27,098	23,819	5,135	5,505	6,257	6,922
Pickens	21,882	20,326	5,767	6,087	3,987	4,485
SUMTER	20,041	16,974	2,933	2,789	5,299	5,941
Kemper, MS	12,277	10,233	2,220	2,268	2,651	2,894
Lauderdale MS	67,119	67,007	22,373	23,813	9,484	11,417
Bloxbee MS	16,826	14,289	2,302	2,542	4,477	4,967
TOTAL	196,713	179,966	46,521	49,103	39,587	44,748
Alabama						26.4

\* - Totals for race and sex may not equal total population. Age and sex taken from 5th Census County, 1970.  
Sources: 1960 & 1970 Census of Population, Bureau of Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC.

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TABLE 5  
 POPULATION PROJECTIONS, SUMTER COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA

COUNTY	1960	1970	1975	1976	1977*	1978	1980	1990	2000	1970-80 % Change
SUMTER	20,041	16,974	16,159	17,700	16,800	16,800	16,500	15,900	15,400	-2.8
Cuba	386	351	395		378*					-2.1
Epsa	293	287	271		246*					-16.0
Gainesville	255	306	311		285*					11.8
Galcoer	120	116	117		109*					-9.2
Livingston	1,544	2,358	2,023	3,111	3,235*					37.2
York	2,932	3,044	3,090	3,159	2,983*					-10.1
Choctaw	17,870	16,589	17,132	17,700	17,000	17,300	17,700	18,000		4.3
Greene	13,600	10,650	10,400	10,700	10,500	10,300	9,800	9,600		-3.3
Harengo	27,098	23,819	23,525	23,800	23,700	23,200	22,100	21,500		-2.6
Pichens	21,802	20,326	21,200	21,100	21,800	21,700	22,600	22,900		6.8
SUMTER	20,041	16,974	16,159	17,700	16,800	16,500	15,900	15,400		-2.8
Komper, MS	12,277	10,233	10,463	10,289	10,100	10,500	10,700	11,100		2.6
Lauderdale, MS	67,119	67,087	72,707	71,300	69,700	75,800	84,000	92,400		13.0
Boxbee, MS	16,826	14,288	12,942	13,100	13,100	12,800	13,500	14,500		-10.4
TOTAL	196,713	179,966	184,528	185,689	182,700	188,100	196,300	205,400		4.5
ALABAMA									1970 - 2000	25.8

AL Source: Standard (BEA-GPS) Population Projections AL Counties; Office of State Planning, 1980.  
 MS Source: Mississippi Research & Development Center, Jackson, 1980

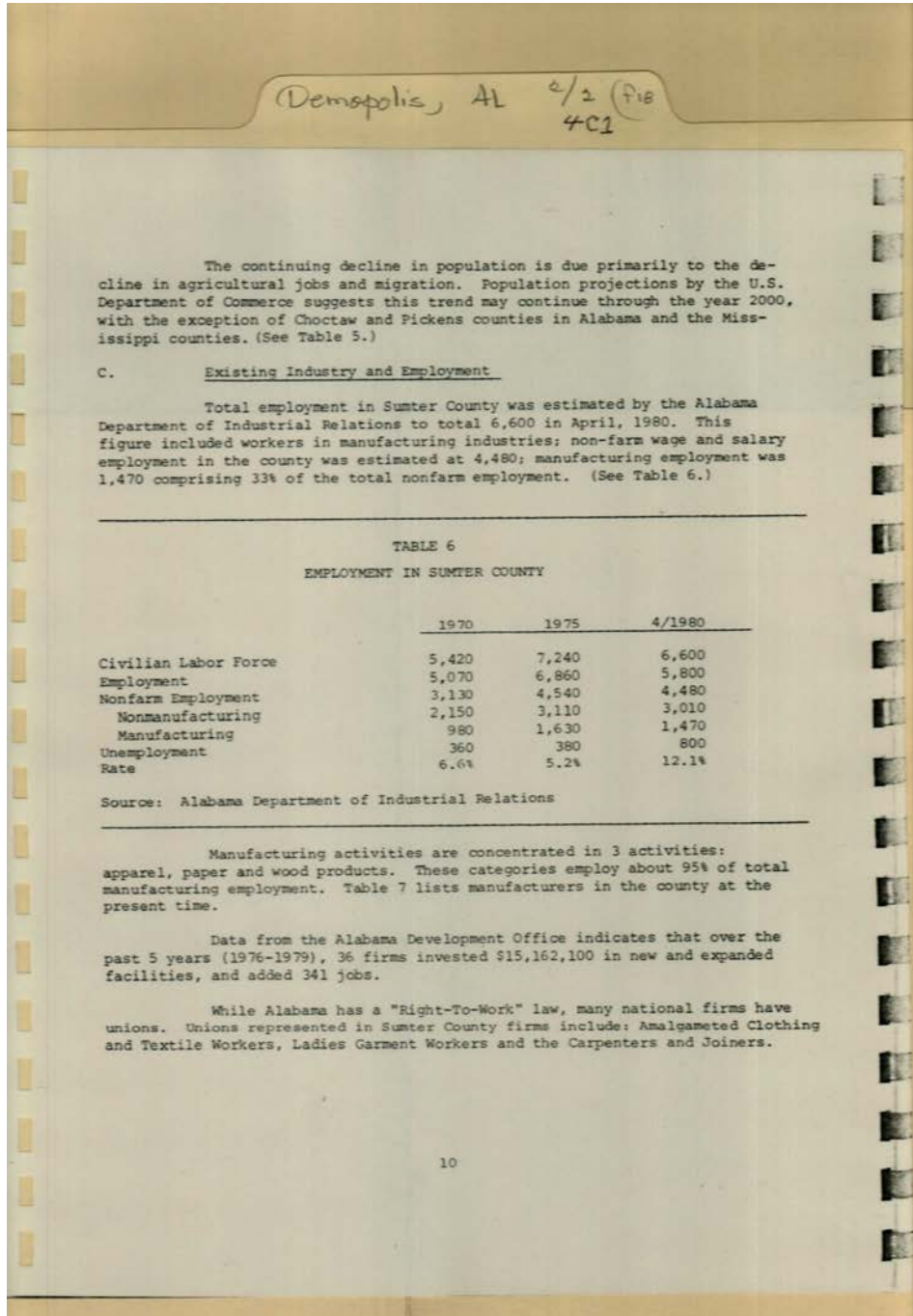
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TABLE 7  
MANUFACTURERS IN SUMTER COUNTY, ALABAMA 1980

Firm	Location	Product	Number Employed
American Can Company	Bellamy	Lumber	200
Allison Lumber Products Div.			
Bibgee Brick Co.	Epes	Concrete block & brick	6-10
Epes Lime Co.	Epes	Lime	6-10
Custom Sheeting Corp.	Livingston	Sheeting paperboard	60
Kieffer Custom Converting Co.	Livingston	Paper converting	30
Livingston Carton Co.	Livingston	Folding Cartons	30
Livingston Fashion Inc.	Livingston	Apparel	151-200
Livingston Manufacturing Inc.	Livingston	Apparel	76-100
Livingston Waste Co.	Livingston	Processed waste paper	28
Livingston Wood Products	Livingston	Pallets	12
Pioneer Molding Inc.	Livingston	Molded wood products	10
Frystup Packaging Products	Livingston	Paper cartons	40
Sumter Plywood Corp	Livingston	Plywood	230
Tombigbee Lightweight Aggregate Corp.	Livingston	Lightweight aggregate	70
Fyrecopy Systems Inc.	York	Carbon paper	9
McGregor Printing Corp.	York	Business forms	165
Miller & Co., Inc.	York	Lumber	45
Moldwood Corp.	York	Paper plugs	100-110
Rob Roy, Inc.	York	Apparel	300
Sumter County Journal	York	Newspaper	6-10
Sumter Manufacturing	York	Pallets	10
York Tie & Timber Co.	York	Cross ties	16-20

Source: Local surveys, 1980.

**D. Industrial Services**

One building contractor, 9 general contractors, 7 electric contractors, and 7 plumbing contractors are located in Sumter County, primarily in Livingston and York. In addition there is an electric motor repair shop in Demopolis. There are also 3 machine shops in the county. The county's proximity to Meridian, Mississippi, provides ready access to additional sources of services required by local businesses.

Building supplies including light weight aggregate, concrete block and wood products are available locally.

**E. Labor Supply**

New or expanding industries in Sumter County can be staffed from the supply of labor now available within the defined labor market area. A substantial number of workers can be recruited from the county itself. In the event of an usually large demand, additional labor might be expected to migrate or commute into the area. This has been the case in other rural areas of Alabama.

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TABLE 8  
ESTIMATED POTENTIAL LABOR FORCE ANALYSIS  
SUMTER COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA (8 COUNTY AREA)

Estimated Potential Labor Supply, 8 County Area

Prime Working Age (20-54 AL only)	53,385		
Less Labor Force Participation Rate	19,806 (37.1%)		
Total Available Prime Working Age Group			33,579
Unemployed, 8/80			6,265
Number High School graduates, 1980			1,511
Total Estimated Recruitable Labor			41,355

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POPULATION CHANGE, 8 COUNTY AREA

1978	183,485	1980	188,100
1970	179,966	1970	179,966
Change	3,519 or +2.0%	Change	8,134 or +4.5%

POPULATION CHANGE, SUMTER COUNTY

1978	16,800	1980	16,500
1970	16,974	1970	16,974
Change	-174 or -1.0%	Change	-474 or -2.8%

Labor Force Participation Rate (LFPR), 8 County Area, 1980 = 36.6%

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CIVILIAN POPULATION, LABOR FORCE PROJECTED GROWTH, 8 COUNTY AREA

	1960	1970	1978	1980	1990
Population	196,713	179,966	182,700	188,100	196,300
Growth		-16,747	2,734	5,400	8,000
Average Labor force participation rate	33.6		34.1	38.5	36.6
Population increase jobs needed	0		932	2,079	3,001
Jobs needed to reduce unemployment to 4%	1,499		1,332	2,678	2,540
Total jobs needed	1,499		2,264	4,757	5,541

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LABOR FORCE GROWTH  
SUMTER COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA

County	1960	1970	1978	August 1980	% Change 1960-80
Choctaw	4,951	5,260	5,353	5,594	13.0
Greene	4,239	3,390	5,332	3,695	-12.8
Marengo	8,534	8,480	8,839	9,146	7.2
Pickens	6,811	7,740	8,101	7,513	10.3
SUMTER	5,898	5,430	6,571	6,832	15.8
Kemper, MS	2,970	2,916	3,550	3,480	17.2
Lauderdale, MS	27,030	23,714	29,170	29,010	7.3
Noxubee, MS	5,690	4,350	4,440	4,460	-21.6
TOTAL	66,123	61,290	70,356	69,730	4.7
Average labor force participation rate	33.6	34.1	38.7	37.1	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Alabama Department of Industrial Relations,  
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CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE - SUMTER COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA 1960 - 1980

COUNTY	1960		1970		1980 (8/80)	
	CLForce	%Unemployed	Employed	%Unemployed	Employed	%Unemployed
Choctaw	4,951	18.3	4,568	18.3	4,860	18.0
Greene	4,239	20.6	4,033	20.6	3,020	30.9
Marion	8,534	40.7	8,604	40.7	7,950	48.0
Pickens	6,811	10.3	6,708	10.3	7,280	4.60
SUMTER	5,898	19.2	5,706	19.2	5,070	36.0
Kemper, MS	2,970	39.0	2,580	39.0	2,673	24.3
Lauderdale, MS	27,030	2,040	23,893	2,040	22,679	1,035
Noxubee, MS	5,690	360	4,788	360	3,932	418
TOTAL	66,123	60,340	4,144	6.3	61,290	3,786
LFPFR divided by population	34.2%				34.1%	
COUNTY	1978	1980 (8/80)	State	1980 (8/80)	State	1980 (8/80)
Choctaw	5,353	383	7.2	5,594	5,046	548
Greene	4,332	434	10.6	3,695	3,234	461
Marion	8,839	605	6.8	9,146	8,262	884
Pickens	8,101	703	8.7	7,513	6,516	997
SUMTER	6,571	380	5.9	6,832	5,947	885
Kemper, MS	3,550	340	9.6	3,480	3,180	300
Lauderdale, MS	29,170	2,159	7.4	29,010	27,370	1,640
Noxubee, MS	4,440	480	10.8	4,460	3,910	550
TOTAL	70,356	61,944	7.8	69,730	63,928	5,294
LFPFR	38.5%	5,492		37.1%		7.7

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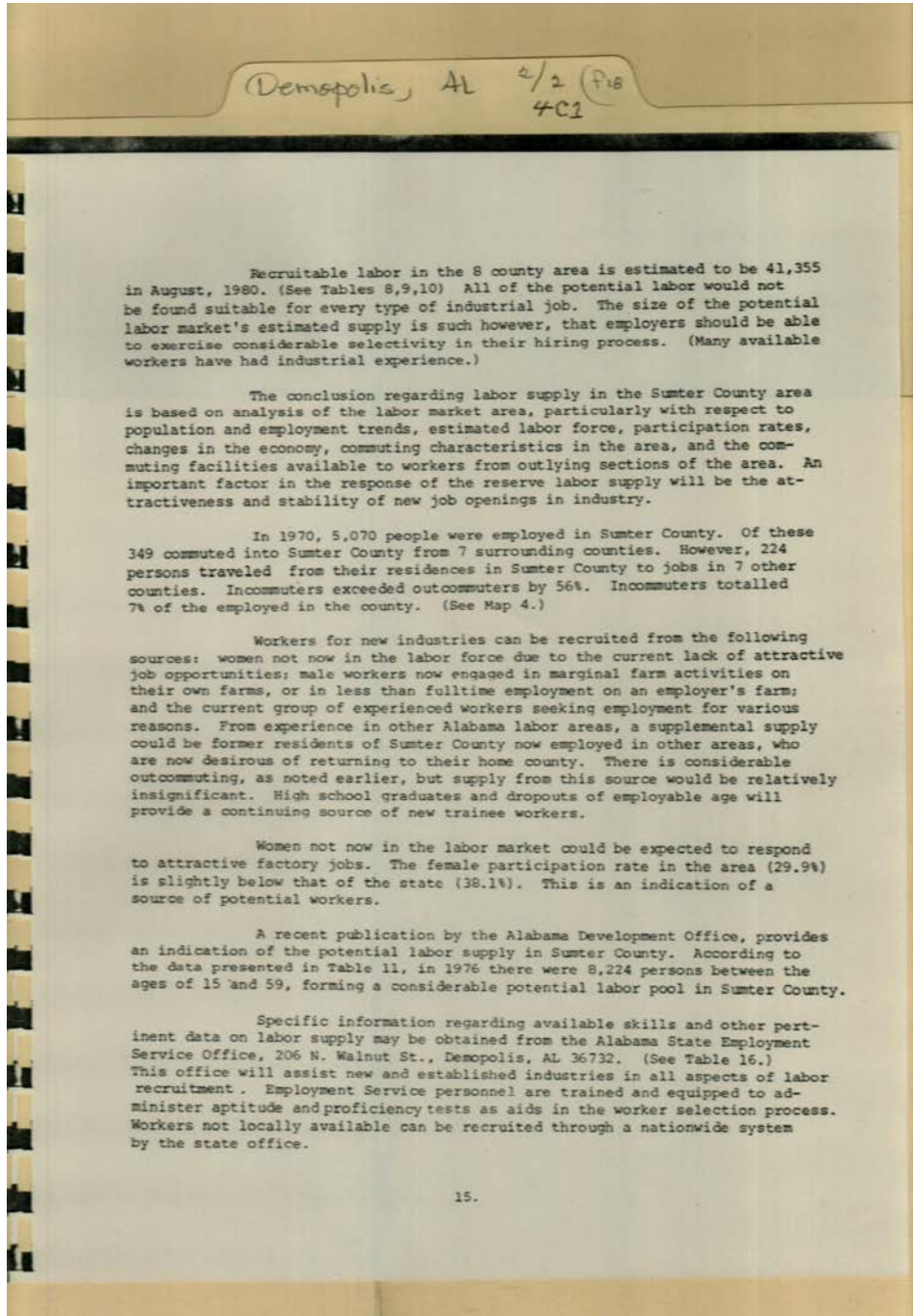
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TABLE 11  
 ESTIMATED POPULATION OF SUMTER COUNTY BY AGE, RACE AND SEX  
 (CONTROLLED TO U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS TOTAL POPULATION ESTIMATE)

Age group	WHITE			NONWHITE			TOTAL		
	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male	Total
0 - 4	190	214	403	581	629	1209	770	842	1613
5 - 9	205	202	406	536	550	1086	741	752	1493
10 - 14	202	217	418	588	598	1187	790	815	1605
15 - 19	223	296	520	693	692	1385	916	988	1905
20 - 24	472	727	1199	531	514	1045	1002	1241	2243
25 - 29	370	635	1006	244	205	449	615	840	1455
30 - 34	194	256	450	166	109	275	360	265	725
35 - 39	158	155	313	194	133	327	352	288	640
40 - 44	139	132	271	197	137	334	337	269	606
45 - 49	148	135	283	207	160	367	355	295	650
50 - 54	156	158	314	250	196	446	405	354	759
55 - 59	155	144	299	268	185	453	423	329	752
60 - 64	171	137	308	270	199	470	441	337	778
65 - 69	175	122	297	271	224	496	447	346	793
70 - 74	136	107	243	269	204	473	405	311	716
75 - 79	105	66	171	158	122	280	263	188	451
80 - 84	74	29	104	92	66	158	166	96	261
85 & up	56	19	74	104	78	182	159	97	256
TOTAL	3329	3750	7079	5618	5003	10621	8946	8754	17700

Note: Details do not necessarily add to totals due to rounding.

Source: Center for Business and Economic Research, University of Alabama, Population Estimates by Age, Race, and Sex for Alabama Counties: July 1, 1976; for Alabama Development Office, Montgomery, Aug. 1978.

The Sumter County Board of Education offers vocational training to high school students in a new facility located in Livingston. This facility is available for adult training courses when not in use by high school students. Livingston University can offer tailor made training programs too.

Alabama also has a system of state technical colleges scattered throughout the state, and generally within easy commuting distance from every community. Map 5 shows the location of these colleges in the ATRC region, in relation to Sumter County. These colleges offer a source of highly skilled workers to established Alabama industries, and to new industries locating in the state. Three major types of training are offered through these colleges; fulltime programs where the students attend classes for 30 hours per week preparing to enter employment; part-time classes where students attend classes 8 to 15 hours weekly preparing for employment; and extension classes for employed workers who need further training or additional information related to their jobs. Some of these classes may be offered "on-site" in company facilities. The nearest technical college is located in Selma. (See Table 16.)

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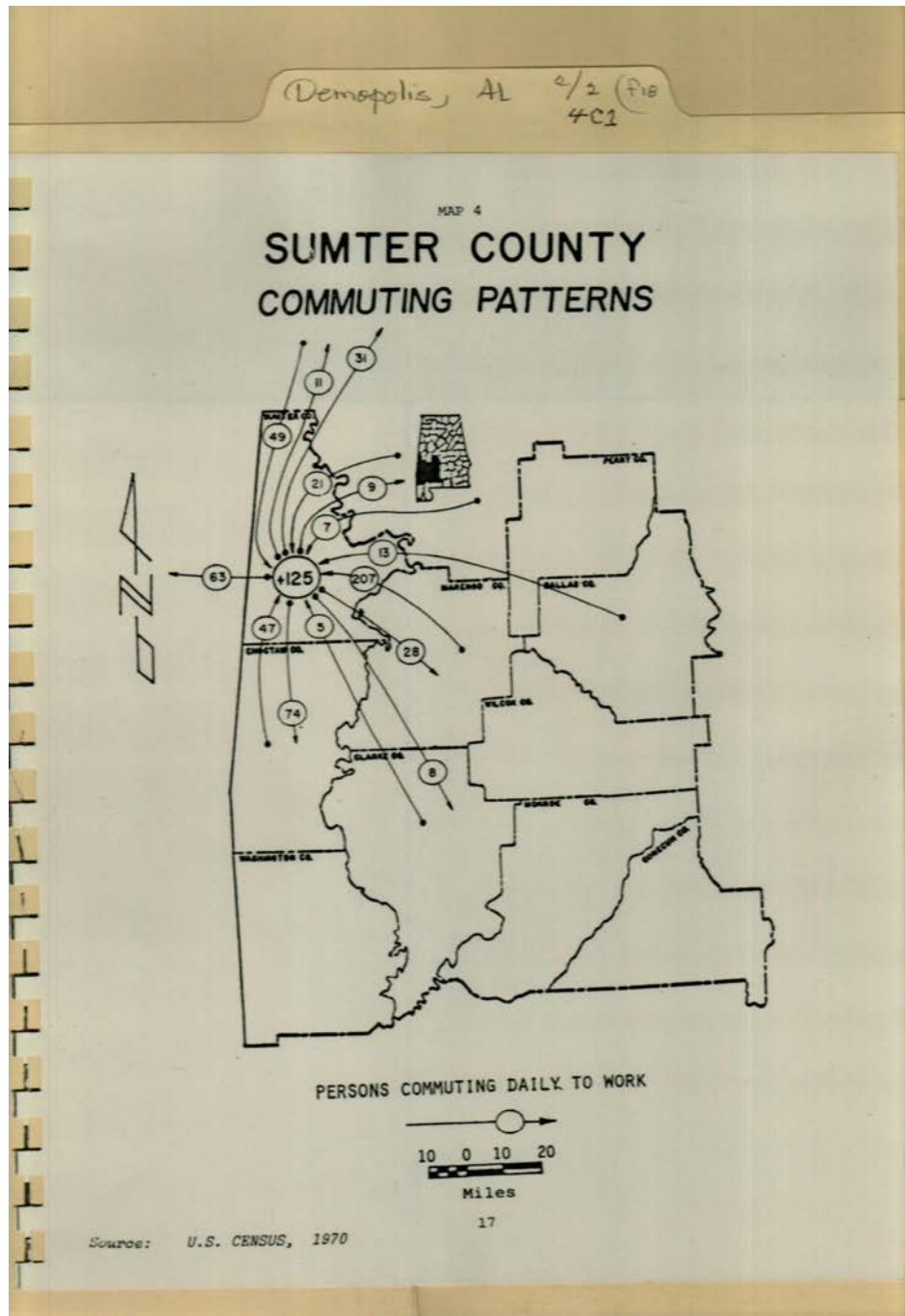
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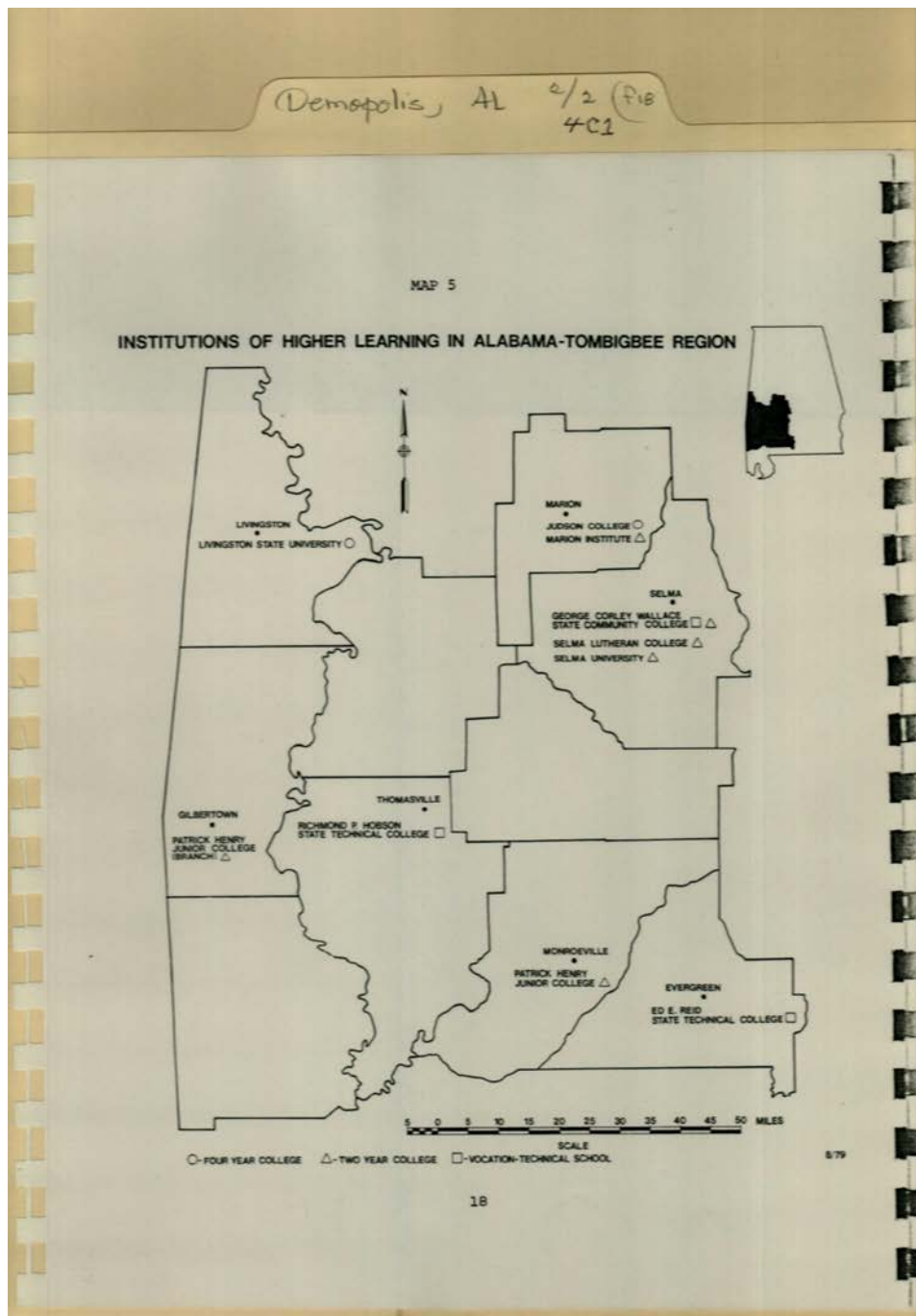
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Worthy of consideration by industry considering locating in Sumter County is the Alabama Industrial Development Training Program. AID provides training, specifically designed to meet skill requirements of new or existing industries in Alabama. This training is provided at no cost to industry. More details on this program may be secured by contacting the Alabama Industrial Development Training Program, P.O. Box 4276, Montgomery, AL 36101. (See Table 16.)

Table 12 reflects current wages paid to a variety of occupations in this area of Alabama

TABLE 12  
APPROXIMATE WAGES PAID IN SOUTHWEST ALABAMA, 1980

Production Personnel	Hourly Wages		Maintenance Personnel	Hourly Wages	
	Minimum	Maximum		Minimum	Maximum
Assembler	\$ 3.10	\$ 7.75	Boiler maker	\$ 4.11	\$ 7.95
Bundler	3.45	3.95	Electrician	3.10	8.05
Cabinet maker	3.10	3.95	Helper	3.10	4.25
Car loader	4.50	6.00	Janitor	3.10	4.20
Chemical operator	3.20	7.30	Machinist	3.10	11.44
Crane operator	4.50	8.20	Maintenance helper	3.10	4.45
Cutter	3.10	6.25	Maintenance man	3.10	8.00
Digester operator	5.50	9.70	Maintenance mechanic	3.25	11.44
Fabricator	3.10	6.88	Mechanic	4.25	8.13
Floor lady	3.10	5.00	Millwright	6.50	10.75
Foreman (week)	170.00	288.00	Painter	3.60	4.25
Forklift operator	3.10	7.89	Sheet metal worker	3.10	6.65
Foundry operator	4.45	X	Tool & die maker	3.91	7.78
Inspector	3.10	12.86			
Kiln operator	3.10	6.75			
Laborer	3.10	7.11	<u>Office Personnel (weekly)</u>		
Loom fixer	3.25	4.70	Accountant	\$174.00	\$400.00
Machine tender	10.71	X	Accounting clerk	128.00	320.00
Machine tool operator	3.10	6.74	Bookkeeper	106.00	322.00
Materials handler	3.10	6.01	Business manager	143.00	330.00
Paint sprayer	3.50	5.95	Clerk/typist	106.00	232.00
Rewinder	4.50	6.25	Computer operator	143.00	342.00
Sewing machine operator	3.10	5.50	Draftsman	117.00	264.00
Spreader	3.60	4.10	Executive secretary	148.00	410.00
Stenciller	3.75	5.75	Industrial nurse	168.00	333.00
Supervisor	4.00	10.00	Keypunch operator	128.00	251.00
Thread trimmer	3.10	5.50	Production scheduler	124.00	480.00
Truck driver (week)	200.00	X	Receptionist/PBX operator	124.00	301.00
Weaver	3.10	3.70	Secretary	106.00	410.00
Welder/grinder	3.10	5.07	Shipping clerk	121.00	415.00
Welder	3.10	6.75			

Note: X - not available.  
Source: 1980 Selma/Dallas County Manufacturing Wage and Fringe Benefit Survey; Industrial Wages in Alabama, 1978, Alabama Power Co.; and local surveys.

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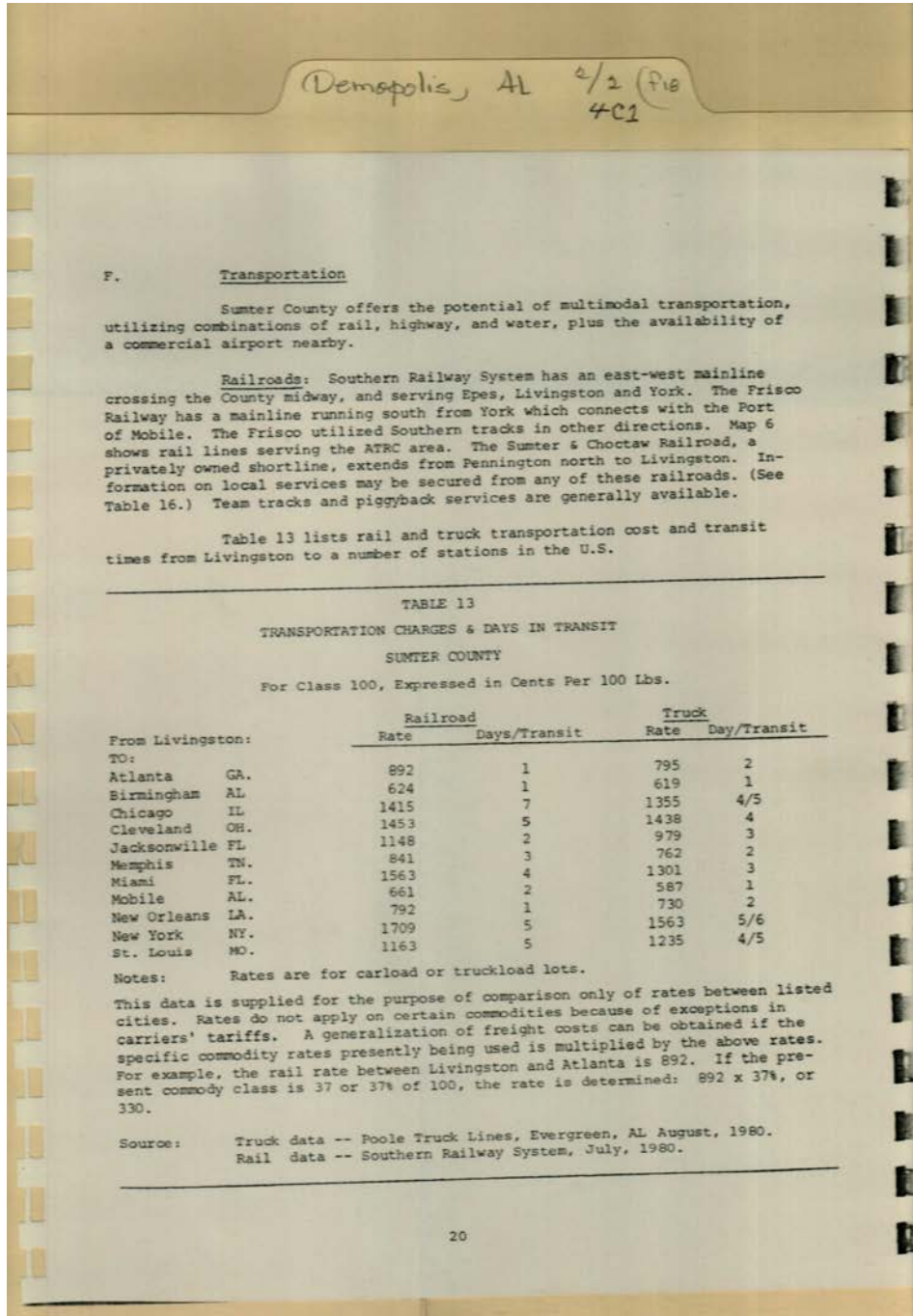
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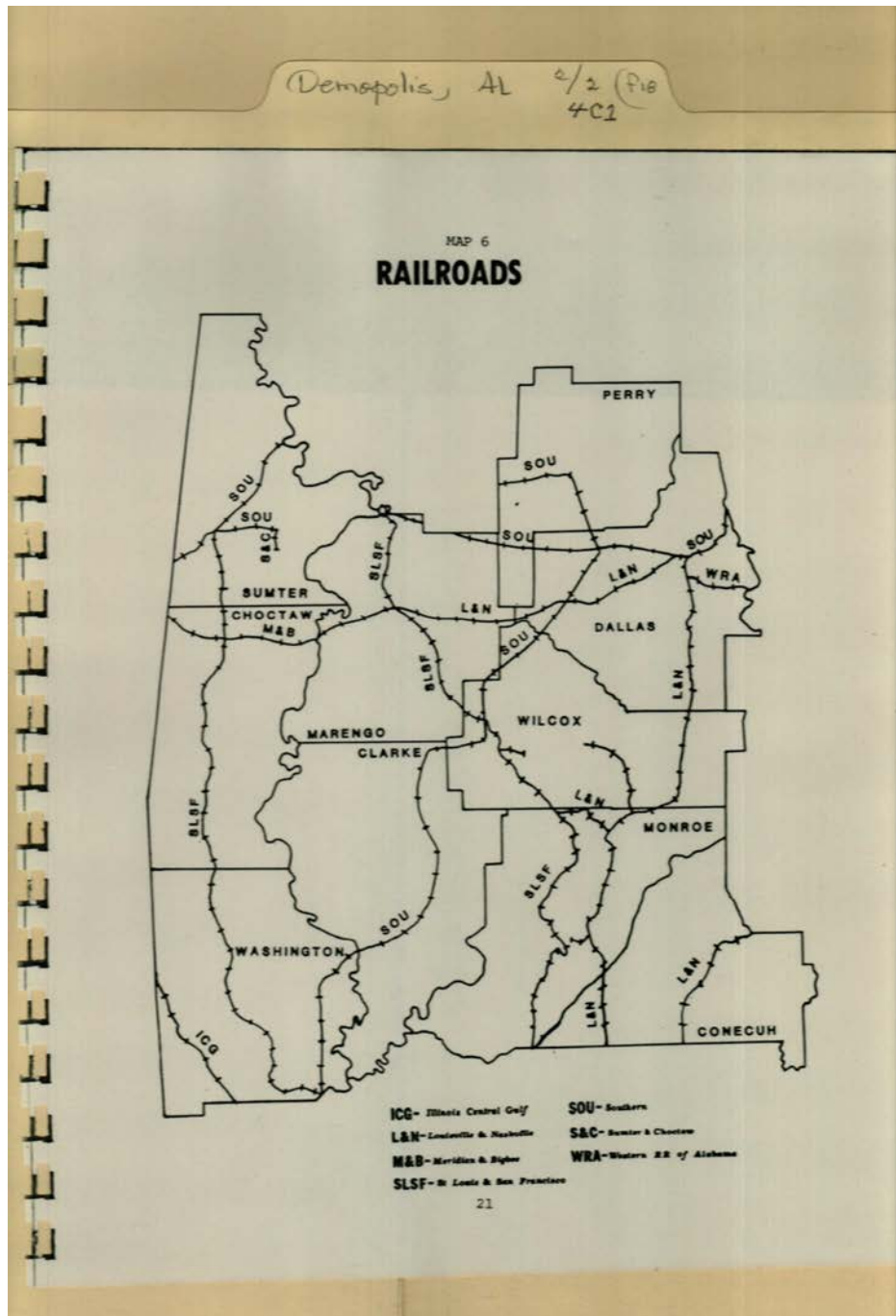
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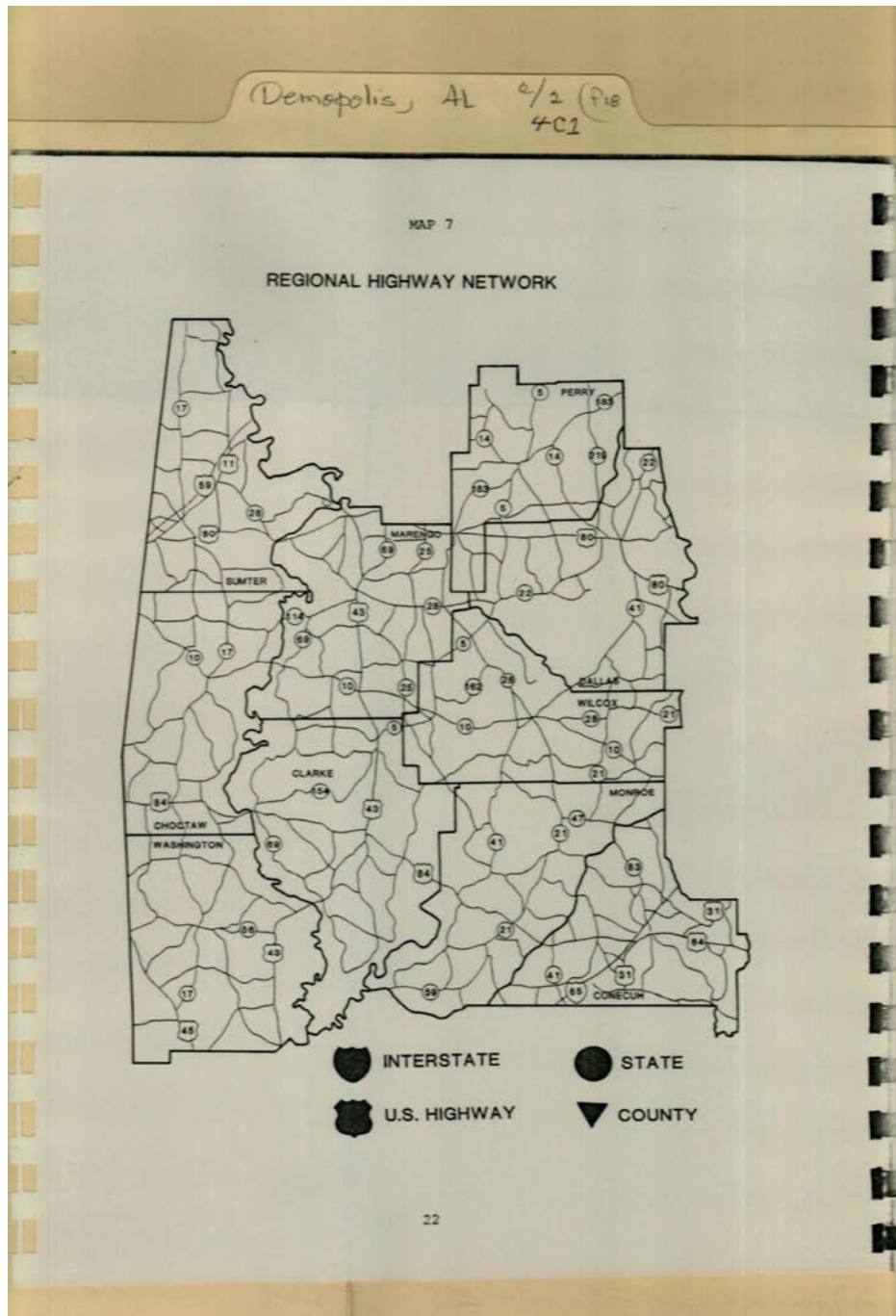
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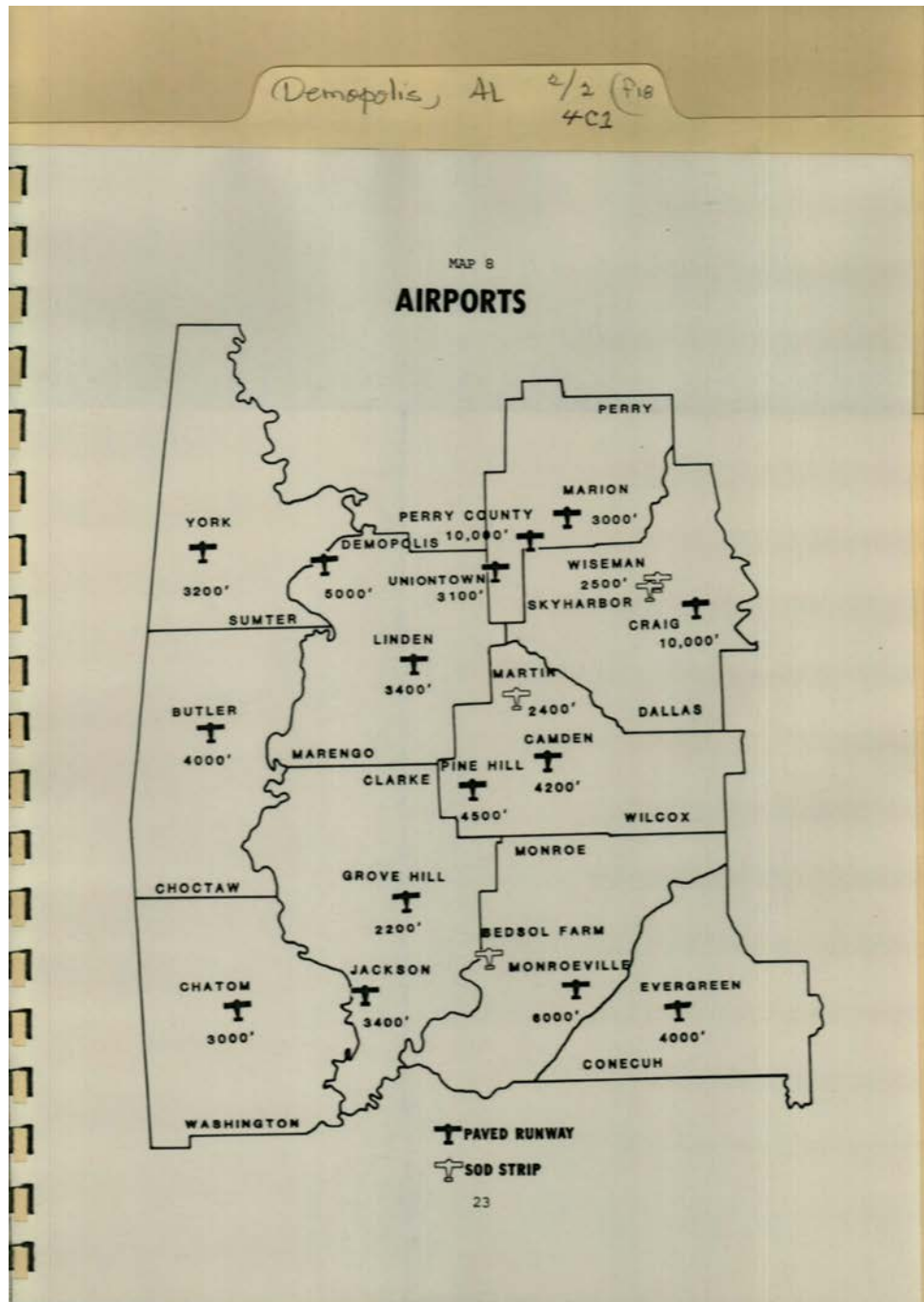
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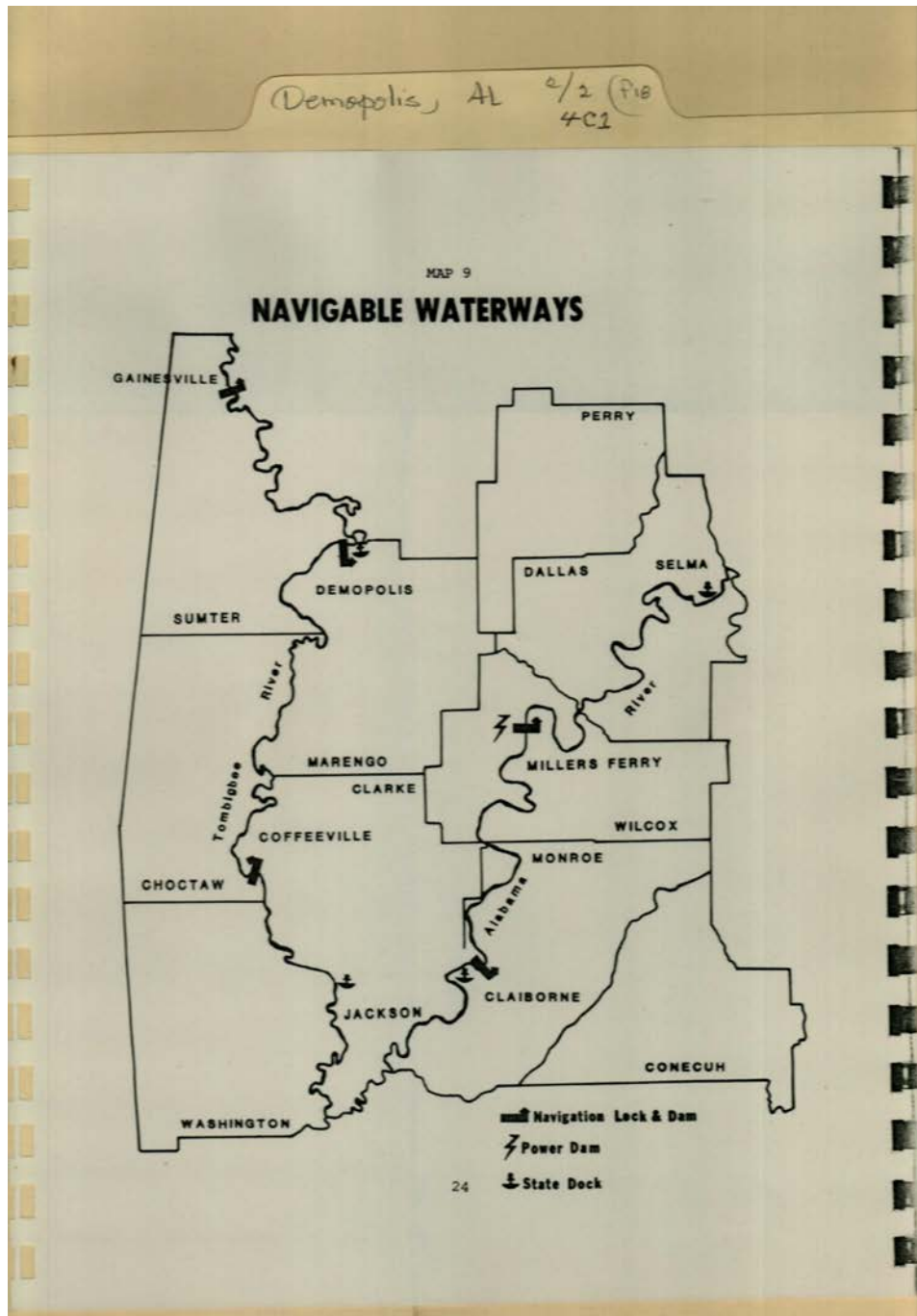
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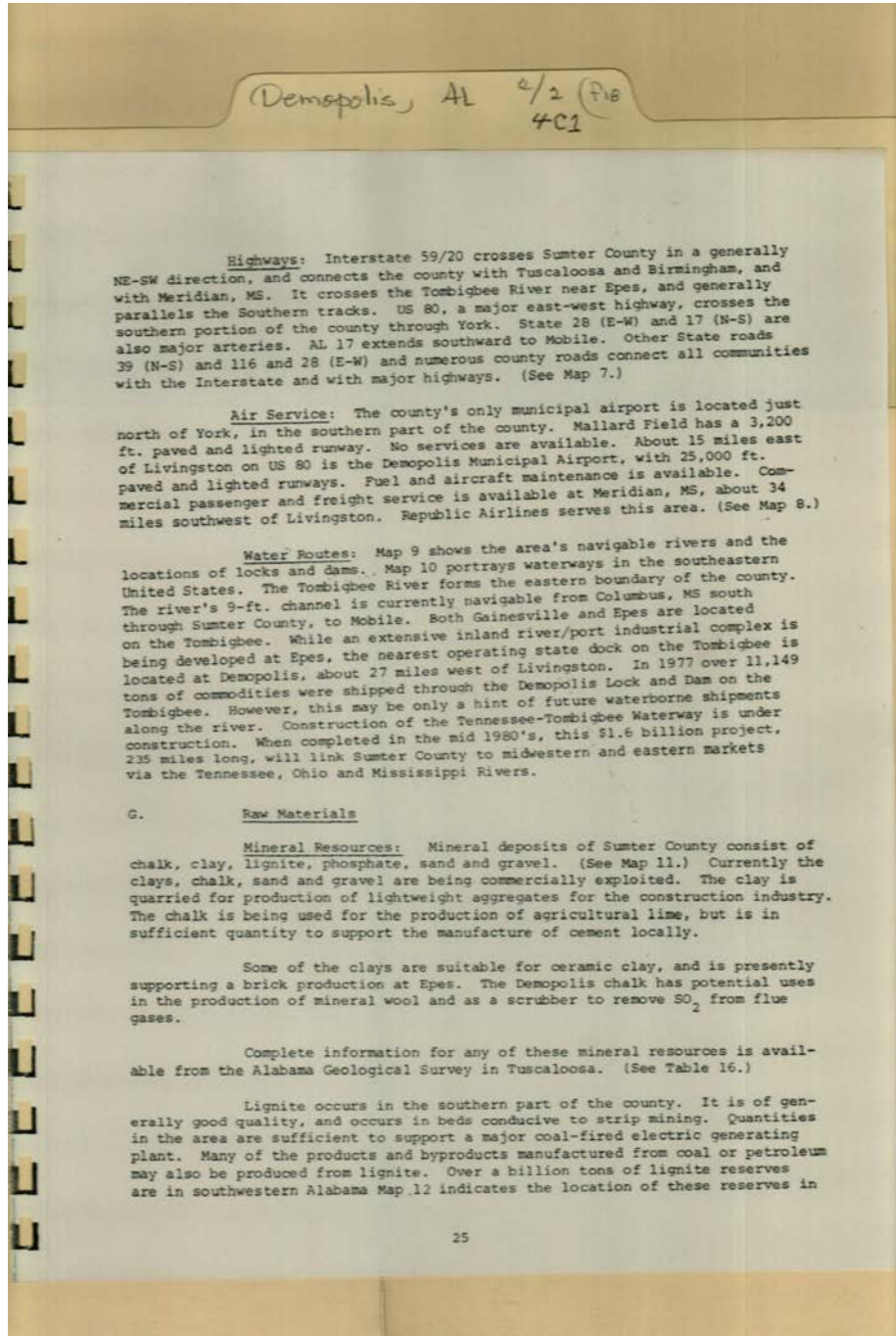
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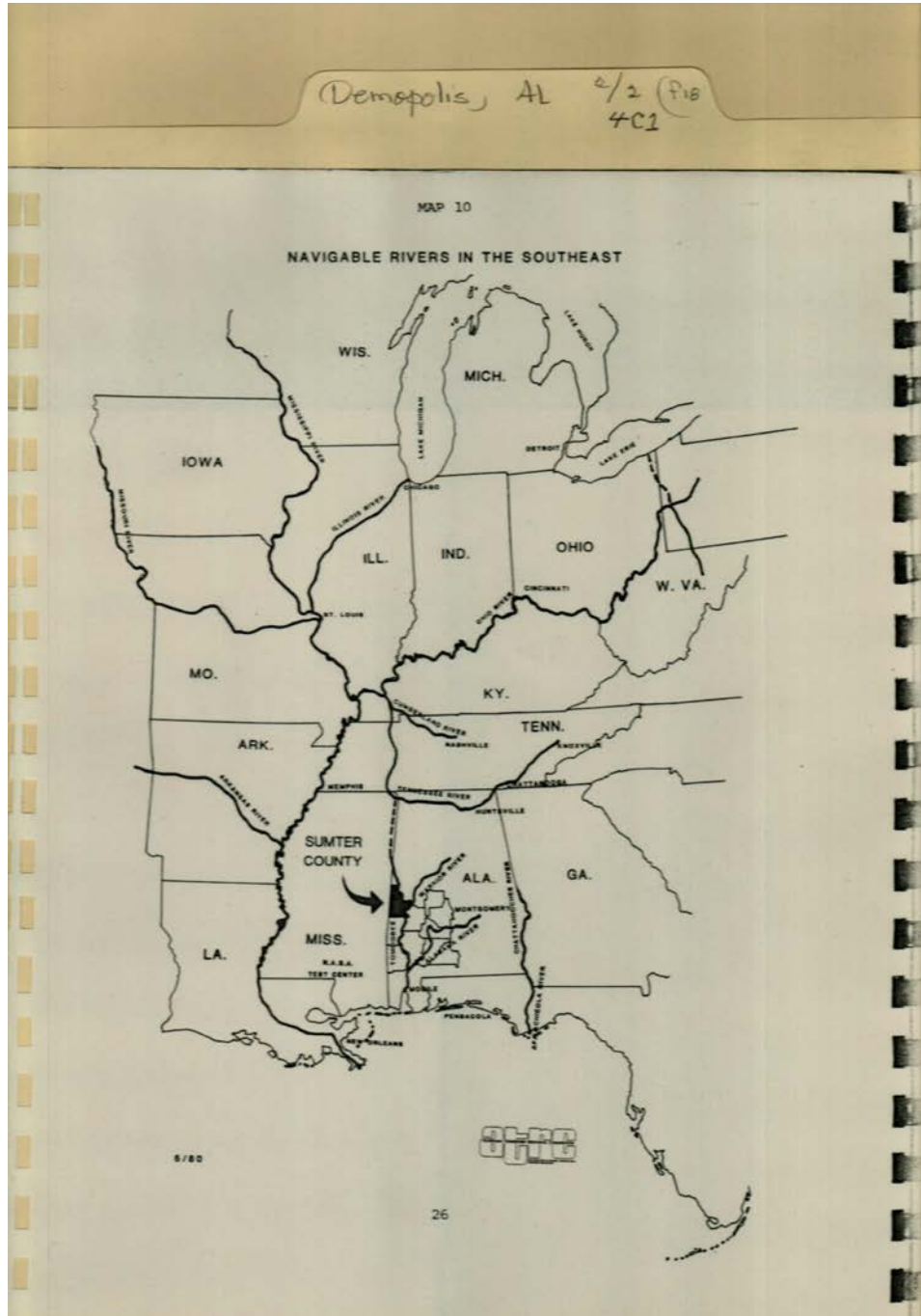
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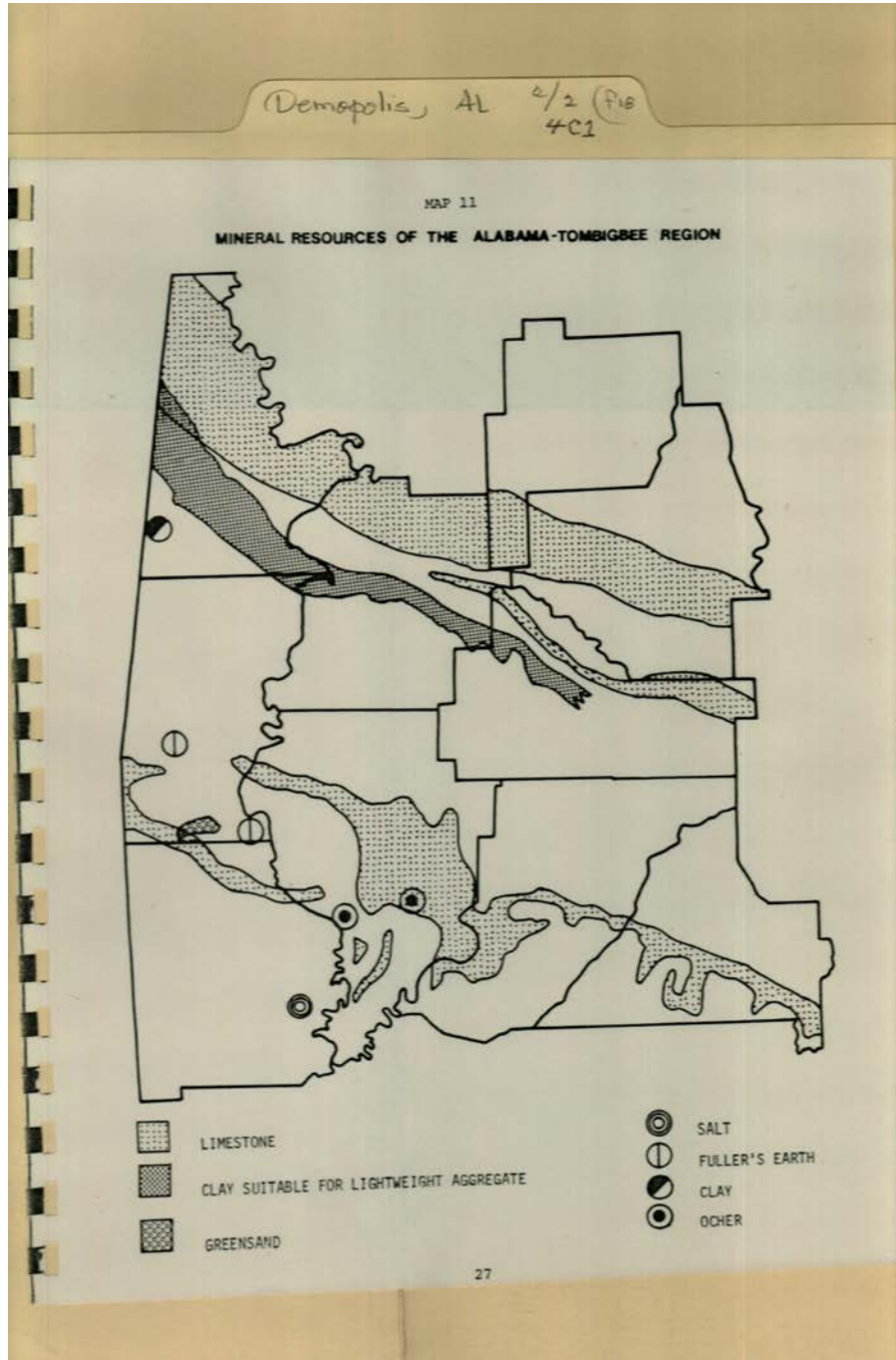
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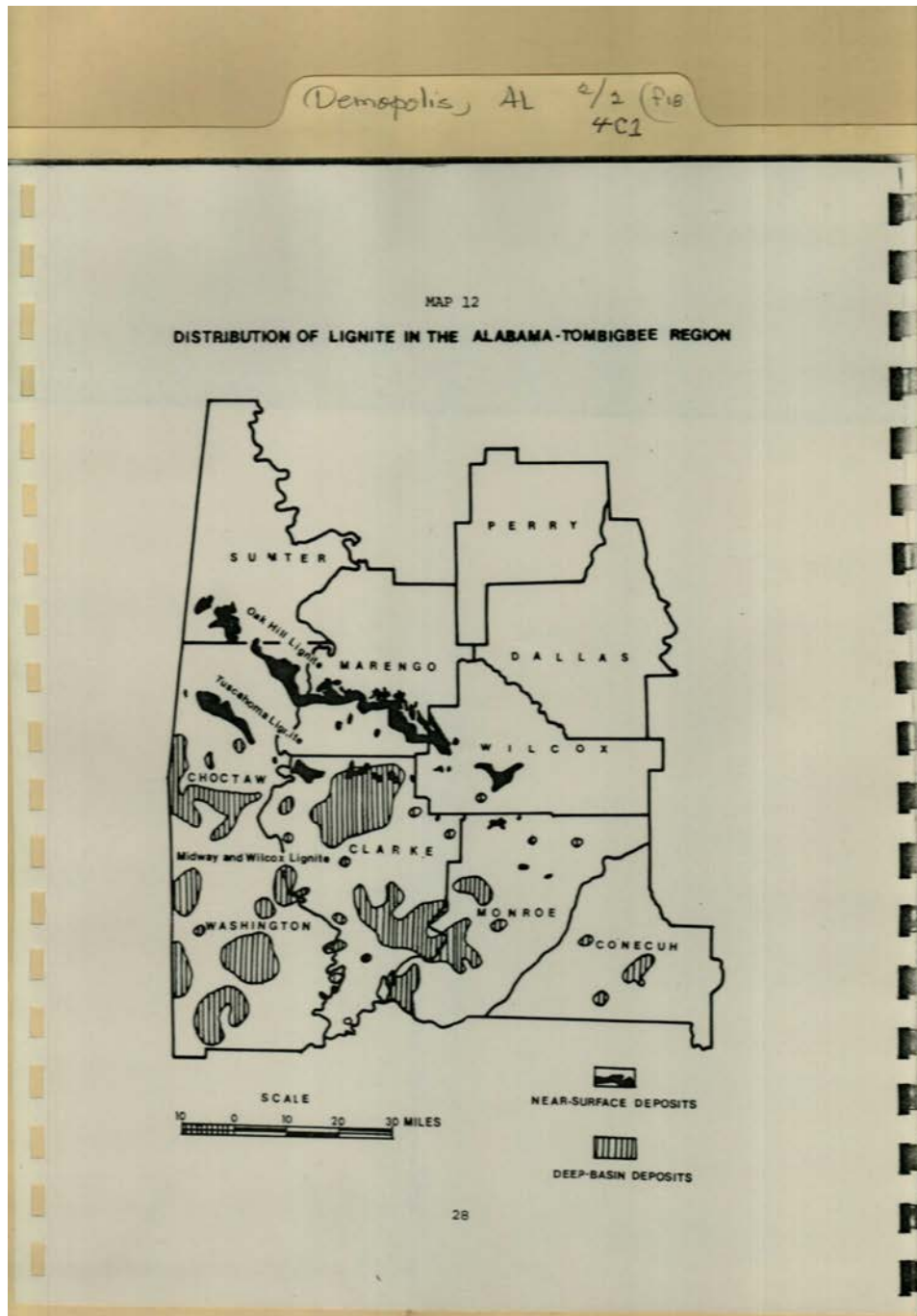
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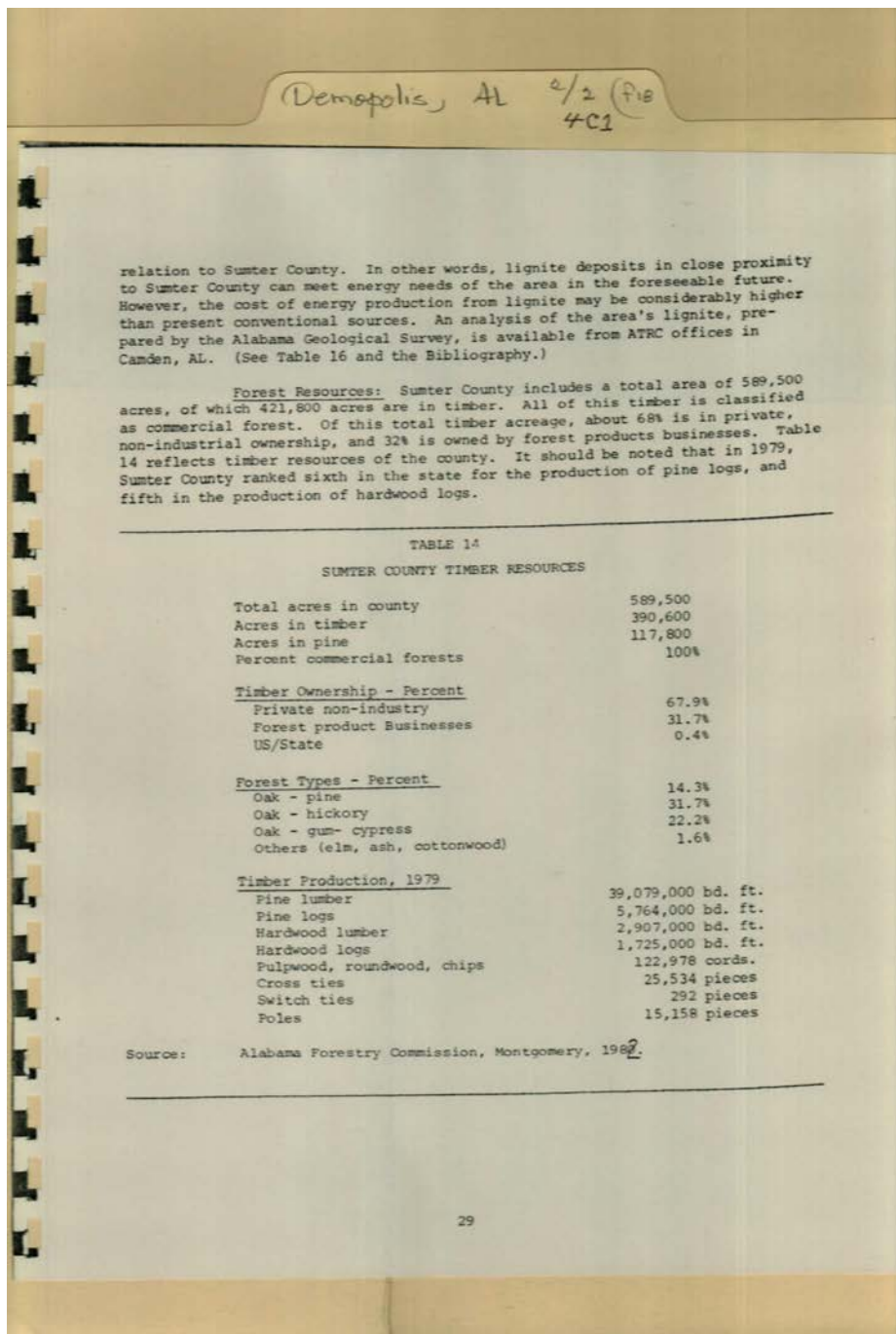
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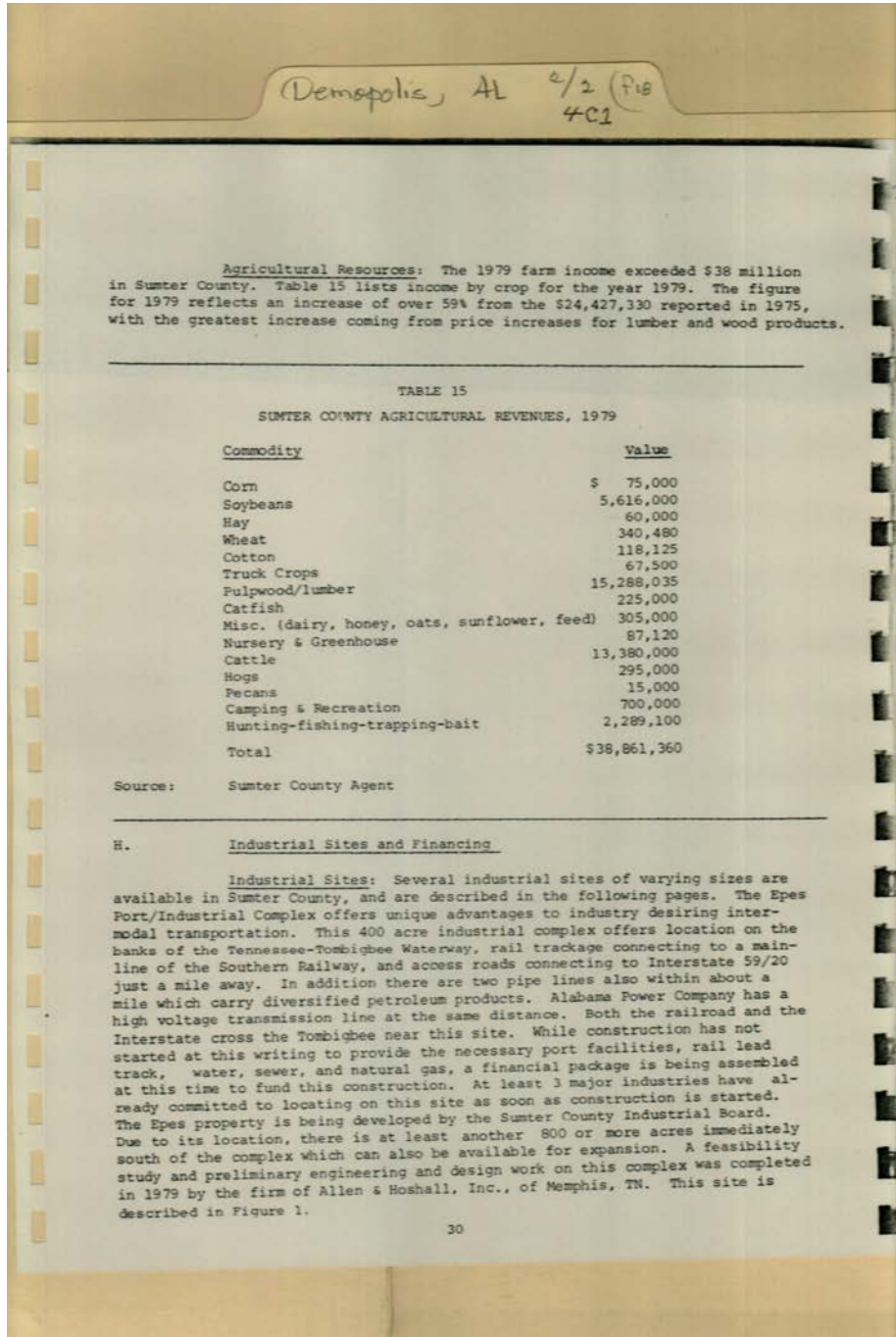
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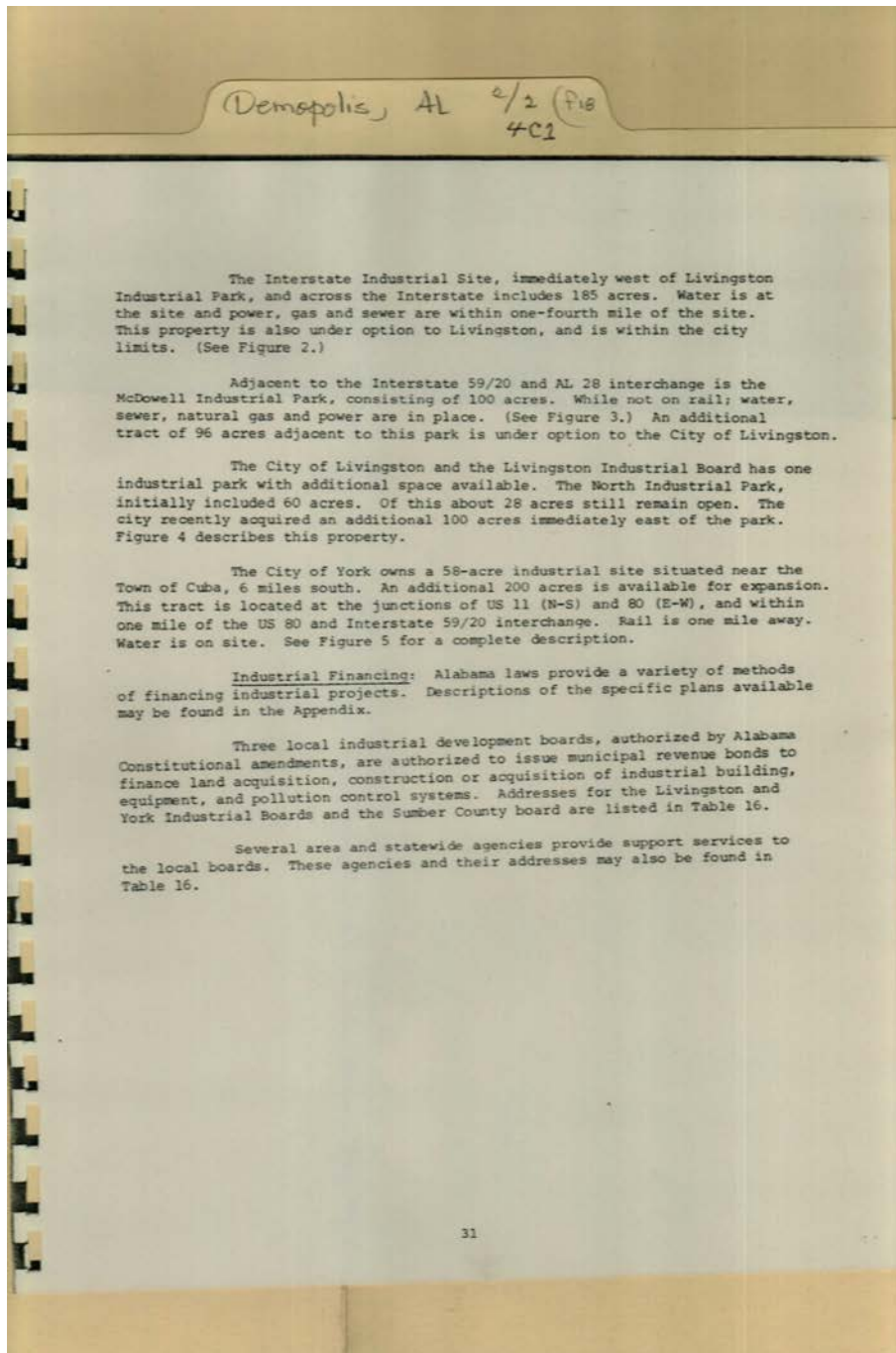
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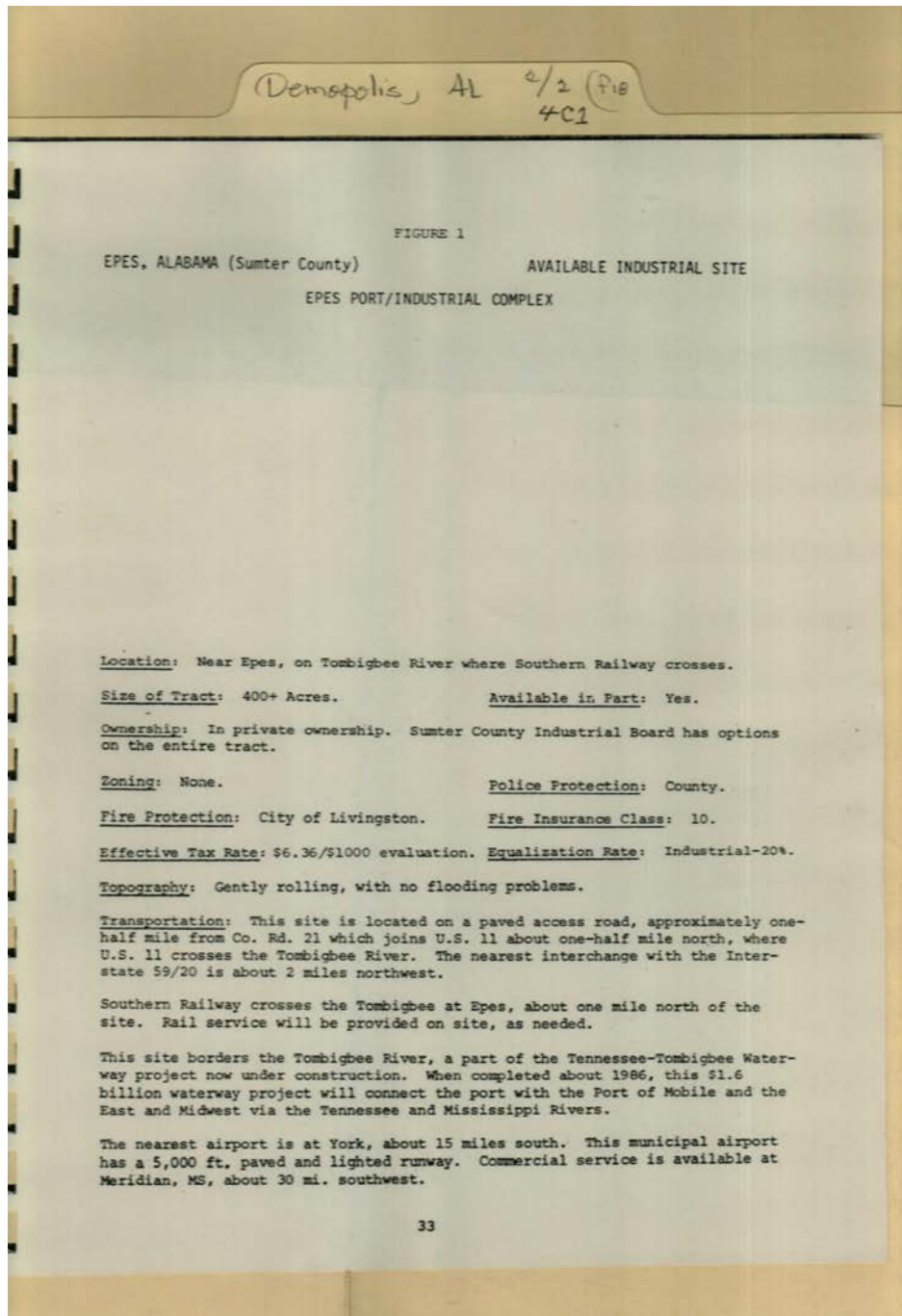
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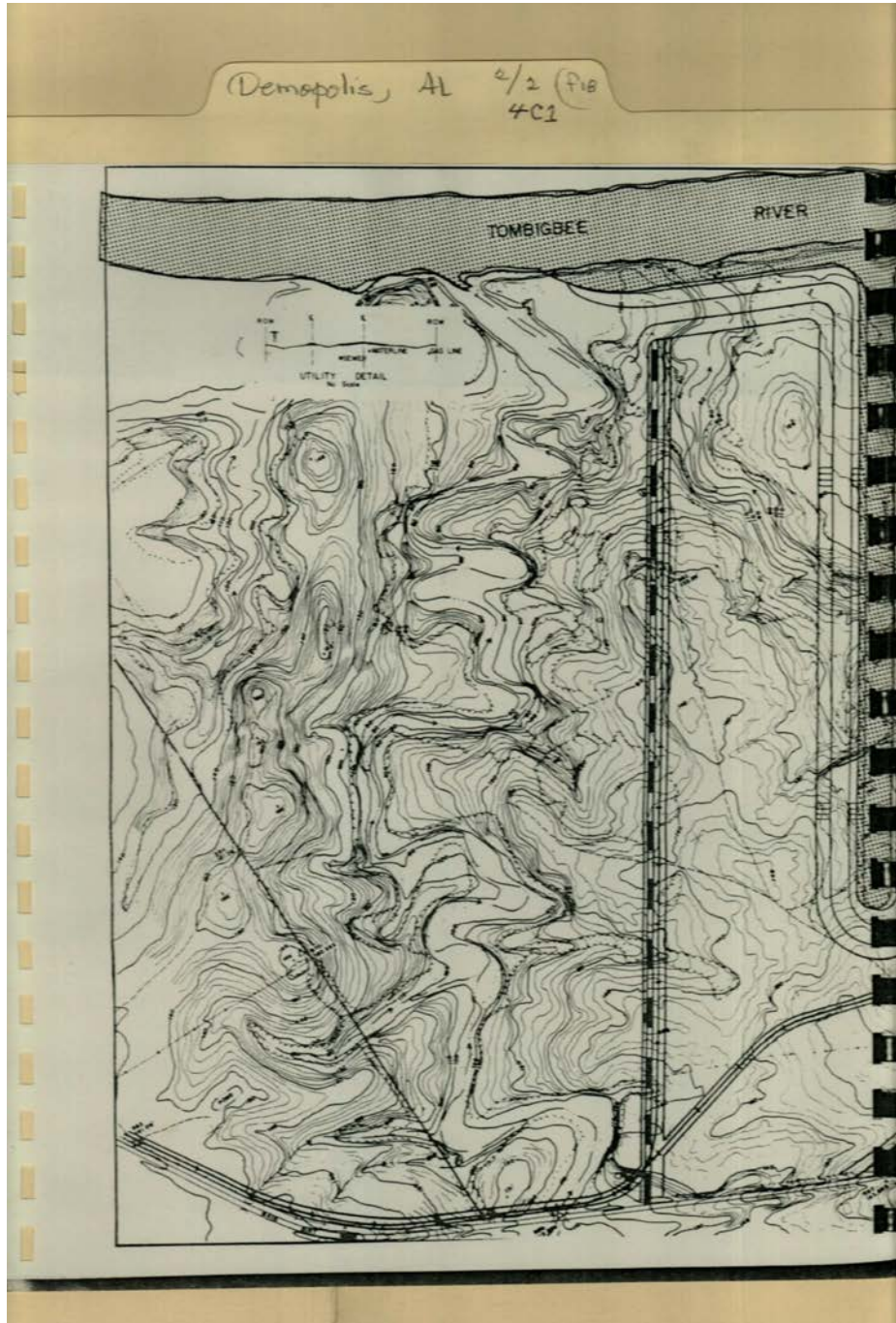
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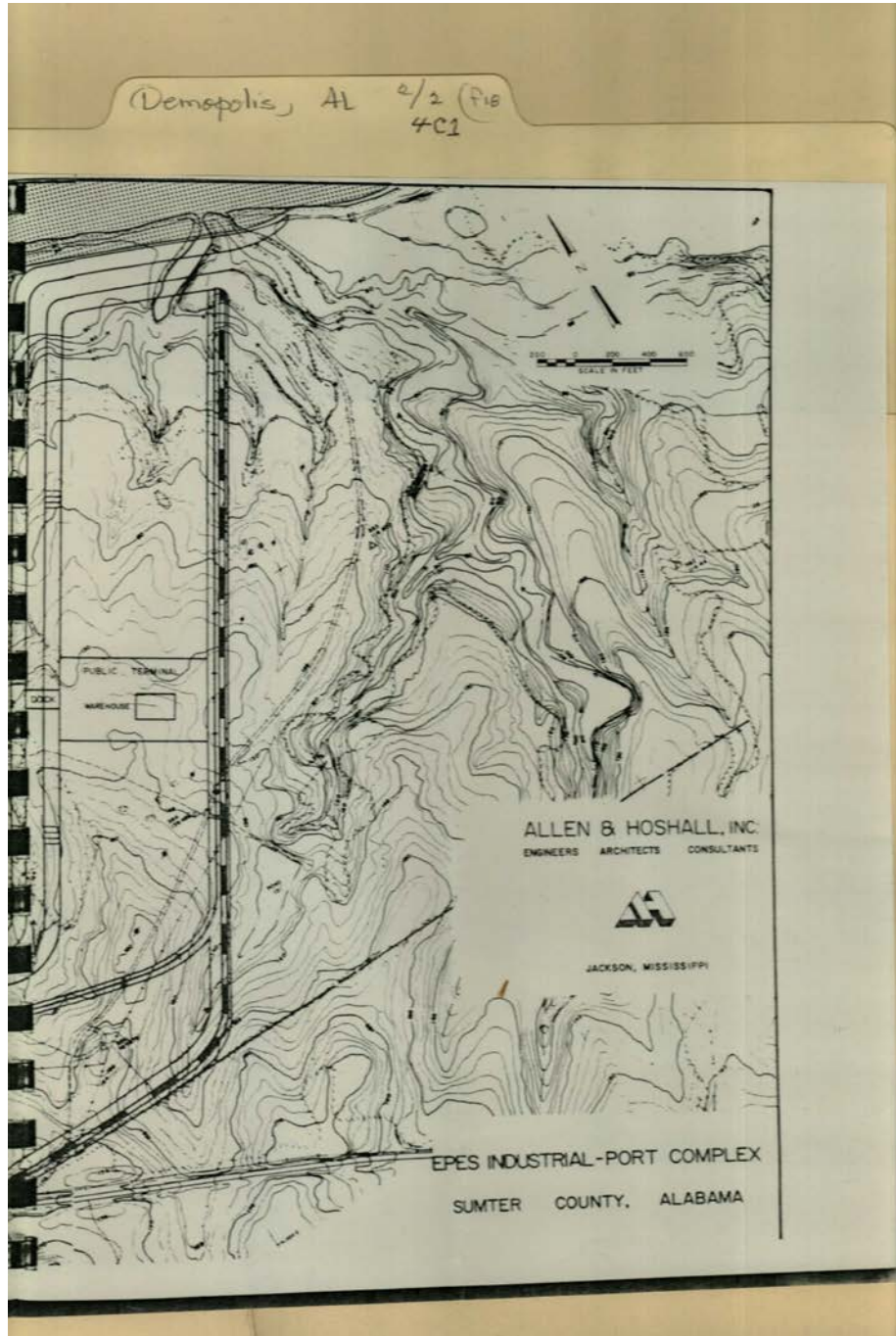
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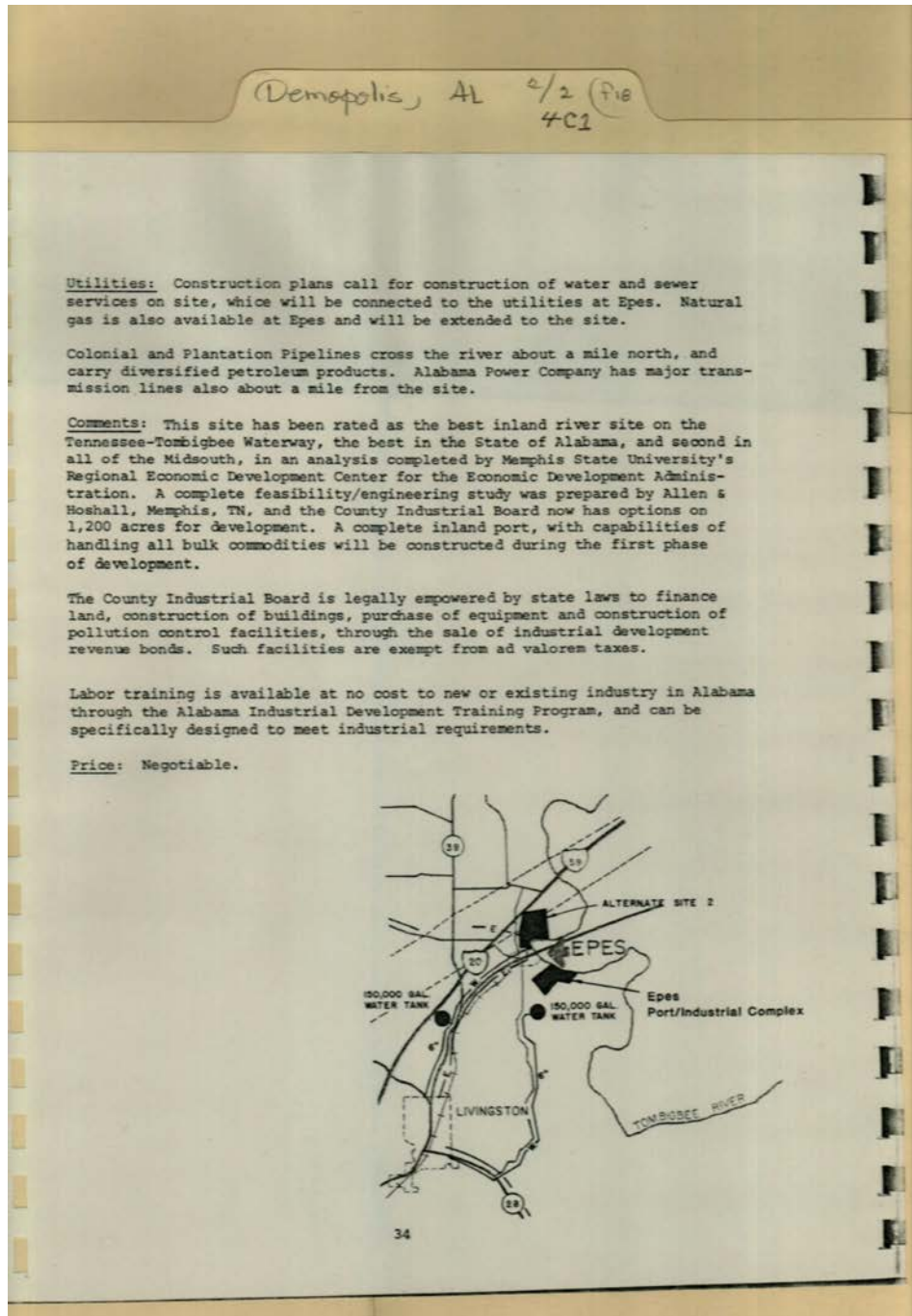
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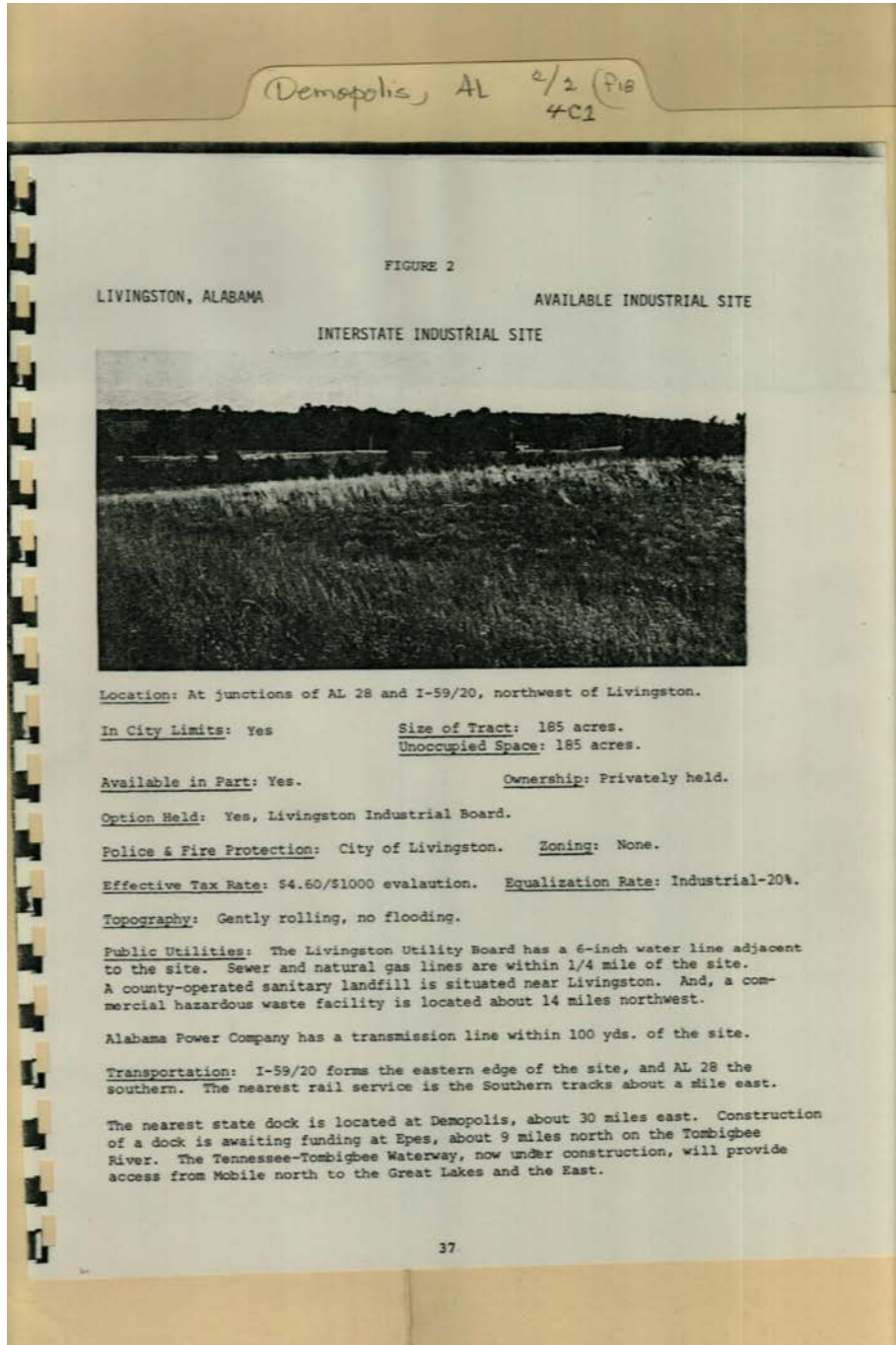
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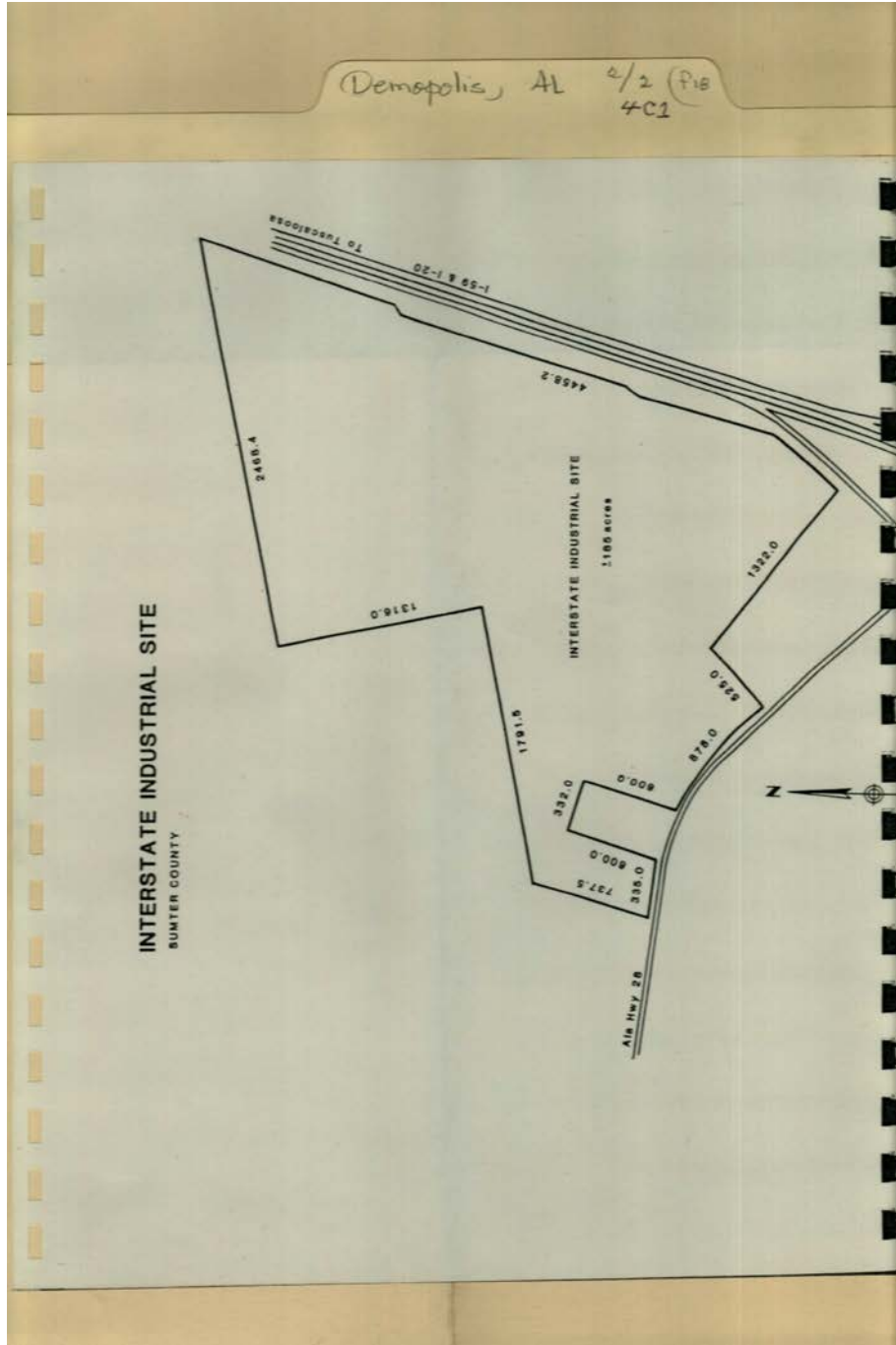
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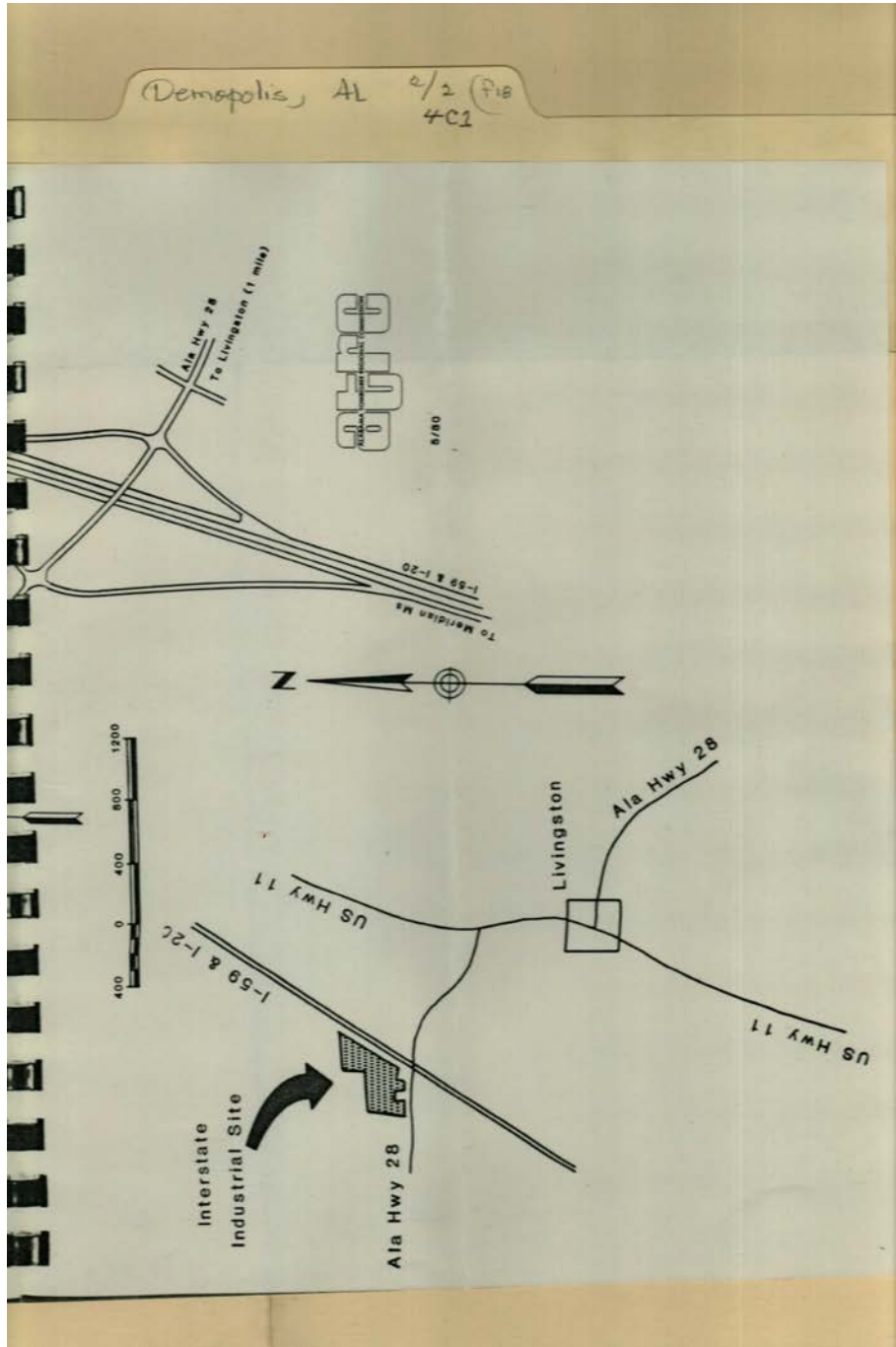
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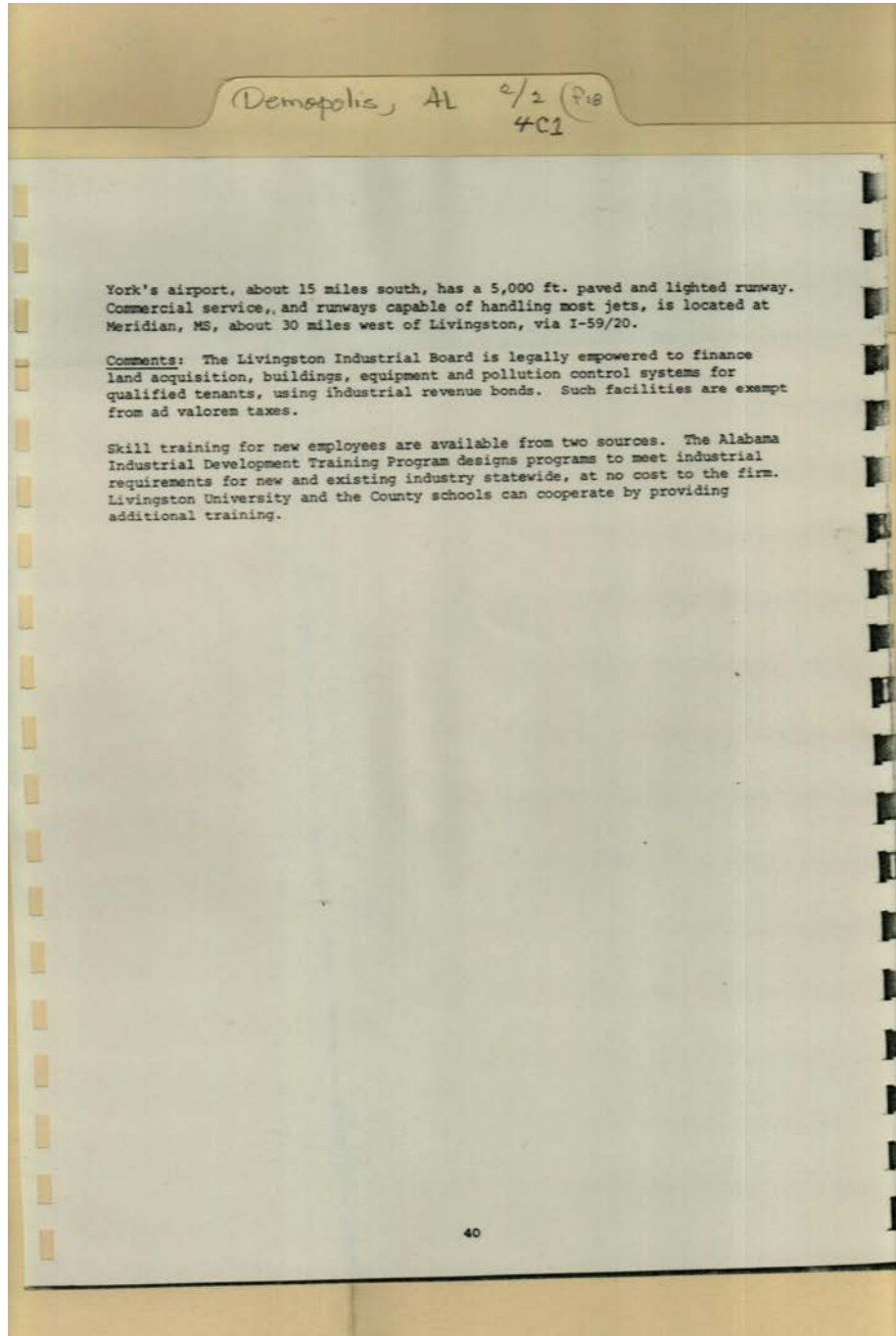
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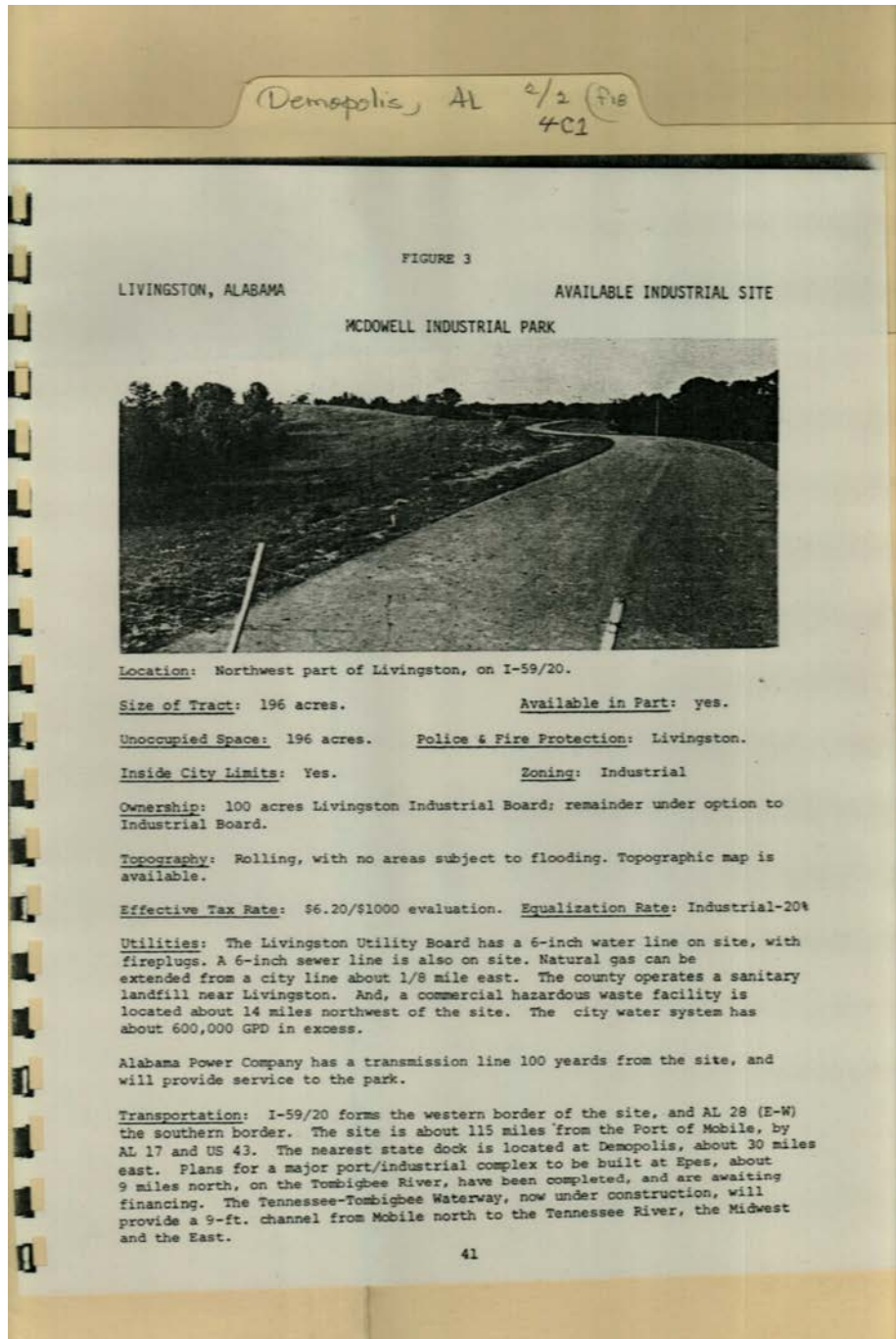
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Table 1. July 1, 1982, Population and Calendar Year 1981 Per Capita Income Estimates for the State, Counties, and Subcounty Areas—Continued

(FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE TEXT)

AREA	POPULATION				ESTIMATED PER CAPITA MONEY INCOME (DOLLARS)		
	JULY 1, 1982	APRIL 1, 1980	CHANGE, 1980 TO 1982		1981	1979	PERCENT CHANGE, 1979 TO 1981
			NUMBER	PERCENT			
CHOCTAW COUNTY.....	18 194	18 839	-645	-4.1	5 882	4 657	27.0
BUTLER.....	1 740	1 882	-142	-7.5	6 894	7 110	26.5
SILBERTON.....	200	218	-18	-8.3	6 918	5 339	22.1
LISMAN.....	824	838	-14	-2.7	6 840	4 123	17.4
WEDHAM.....	118	122	-4	-3.5	7 377	6 033	22.3
PEANUTTOWN.....	354	365	-11	-3.0	7 008	5 705	21.7
SILAS.....	332	343	-11	-3.2	5 068	4 330	17.0
TOLBY.....	240	265	-25	-9.4	6 078	4 986	21.9
CLARKE COUNTY.....	26 598	27 702	-1 104	-3.2	5 833	5 041	17.7
COFFEYVILLE.....	444	448	-4	-0.9	5 307	4 730	13.0
FULTON.....	619	608	11	1.1	5 153	4 944	4.1
GRIVE HILLS.....	1 963	1 917	46	2.7	7 024	5 896	23.3
JACKSON.....	6 229	6 075	154	2.6	7 438	6 952	13.5
THOMASVILLE.....	4 849	4 387	462	10.5	4 848	5 811	18.8
CONCOG COUNTY.....	15 179	15 884	-705	-4.4	5 295	4 904	17.6
CASTLEBERRY.....	802	847	-45	-5.3	4 674	3 681	27.0
EVERGREEN.....	3 970	4 171	-192	-4.6	6 353	5 438	16.8
REPTON.....	322	313	9	2.9	4 001	3 342	19.7
DALLAS COUNTY.....	36 100	33 981	2 119	3.9	5 824	4 604	14.9
ORVILLE.....	345	349	-4	-1.1	5 887	5 124	14.8
SILVA.....	27 532	26 984	548	3.2	6 170	5 284	18.7
WARTSOG COUNTY.....	24 882	25 047	-165	-0.7	5 797	4 730	21.5
DAVON.....	123	117	6	4.8	5 282	4 050	29.0
DEWOLFS.....	7 730	7 874	-144	-1.2	7 072	5 873	19.6
FAUNDALE.....	145	174	-29	-16.9	4 830	4 012	22.4
LINDEN.....	2 778	2 773	5	0.2	7 193	5 824	25.4
MILFORD.....	284	292	-8	-2.7	6 901	5 891	23.4
PROUDENCE.....	381	363	18	4.9	6 121	5 005	22.3
SHEFFERSON.....	229	253	-24	-9.5	6 099	4 673	21.4
THORNTON.....	824	874	-50	-5.8	5 945	4 873	22.0
MONROE COUNTY.....	22 015	22 651	-636	-2.8	5 755	4 913	17.1
BEATRICE.....	621	556	65	11.3	4 826	4 120	17.1
EXCEL.....	365	365	0	0.0	6 369	5 586	13.8
PRISCO CITY.....	1 350	1 424	-74	-5.2	6 242	5 372	16.2
MONROEVILLE.....	5 485	5 474	11	0.2	7 866	6 797	16.0
WREDSBURGH.....	432	433	-1	-0.2	2 546	2 166	17.9
PERRY COUNTY.....	14 914	16 012	-1 098	-6.8	4 088	3 882	14.8
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OAK HILL.....	80	83	-3	-3.6	4 277	3 624	18.0
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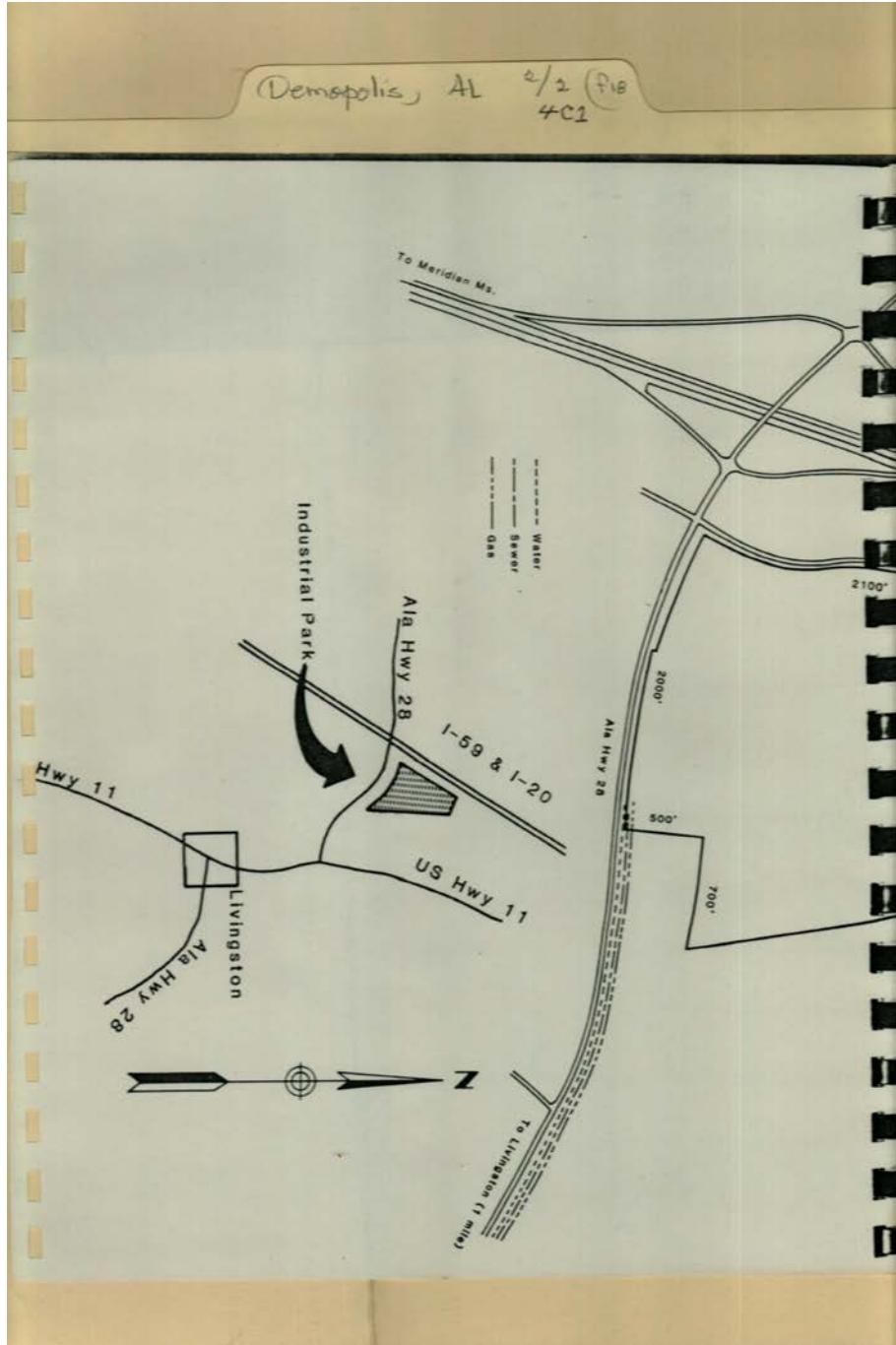
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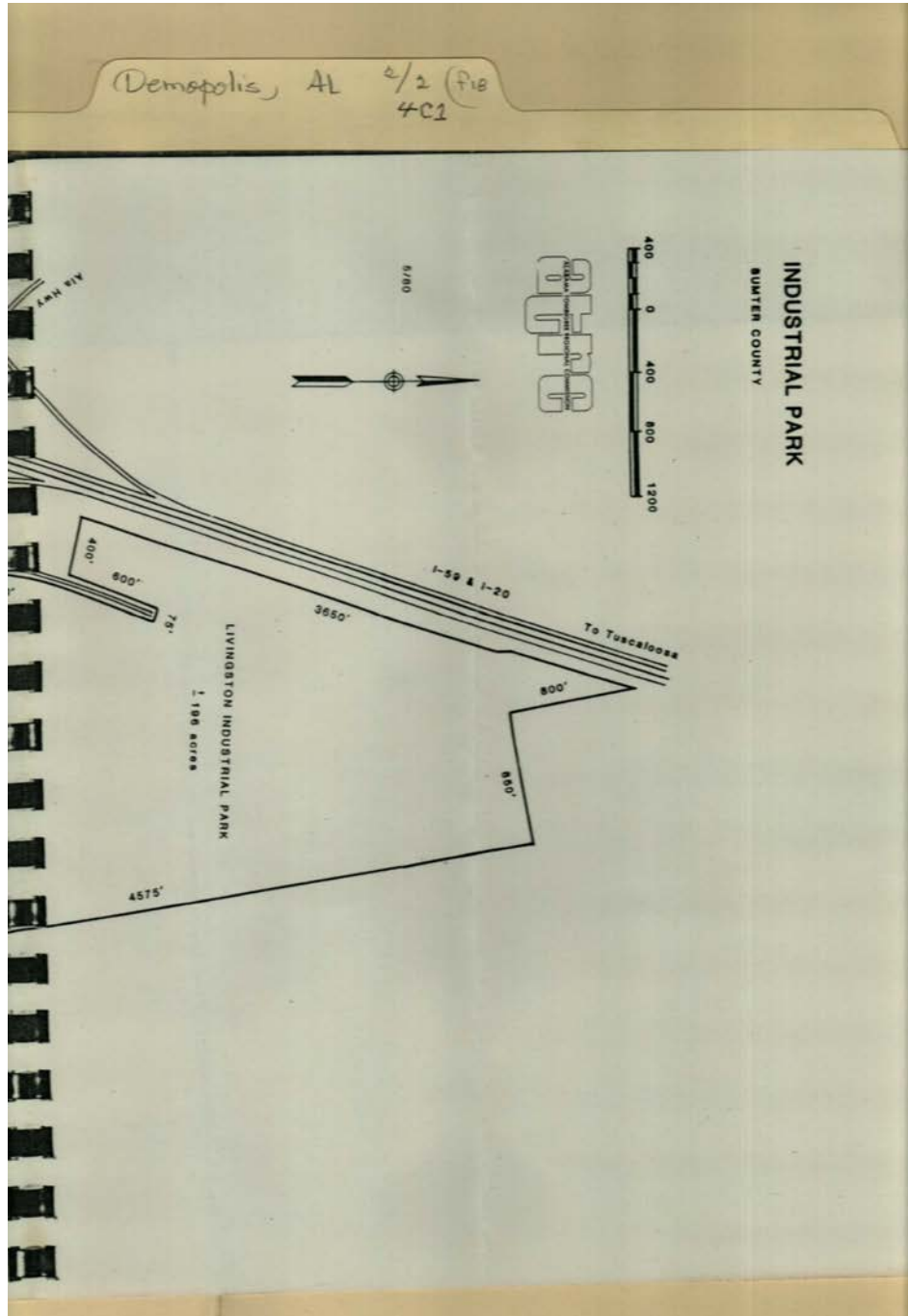
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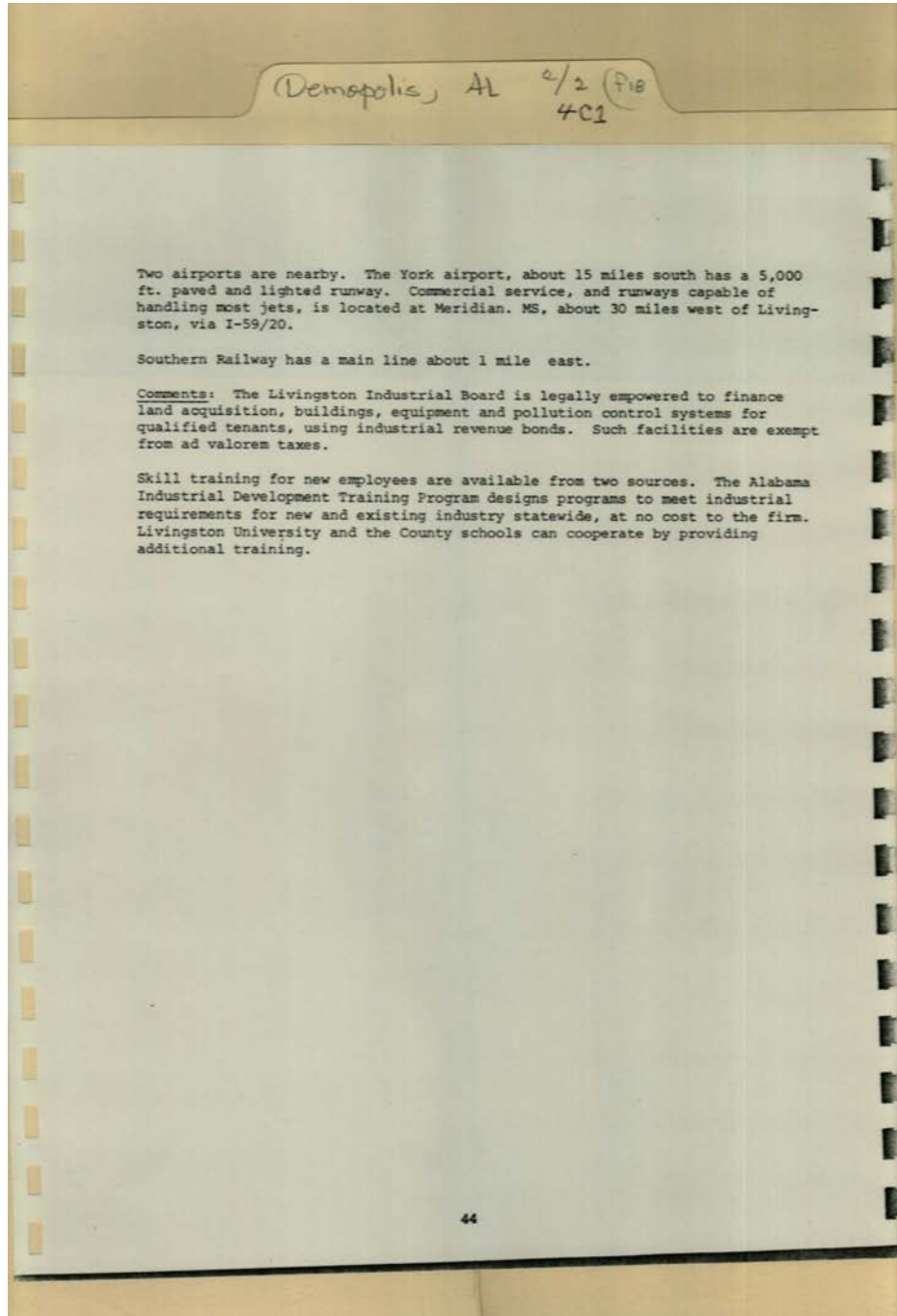
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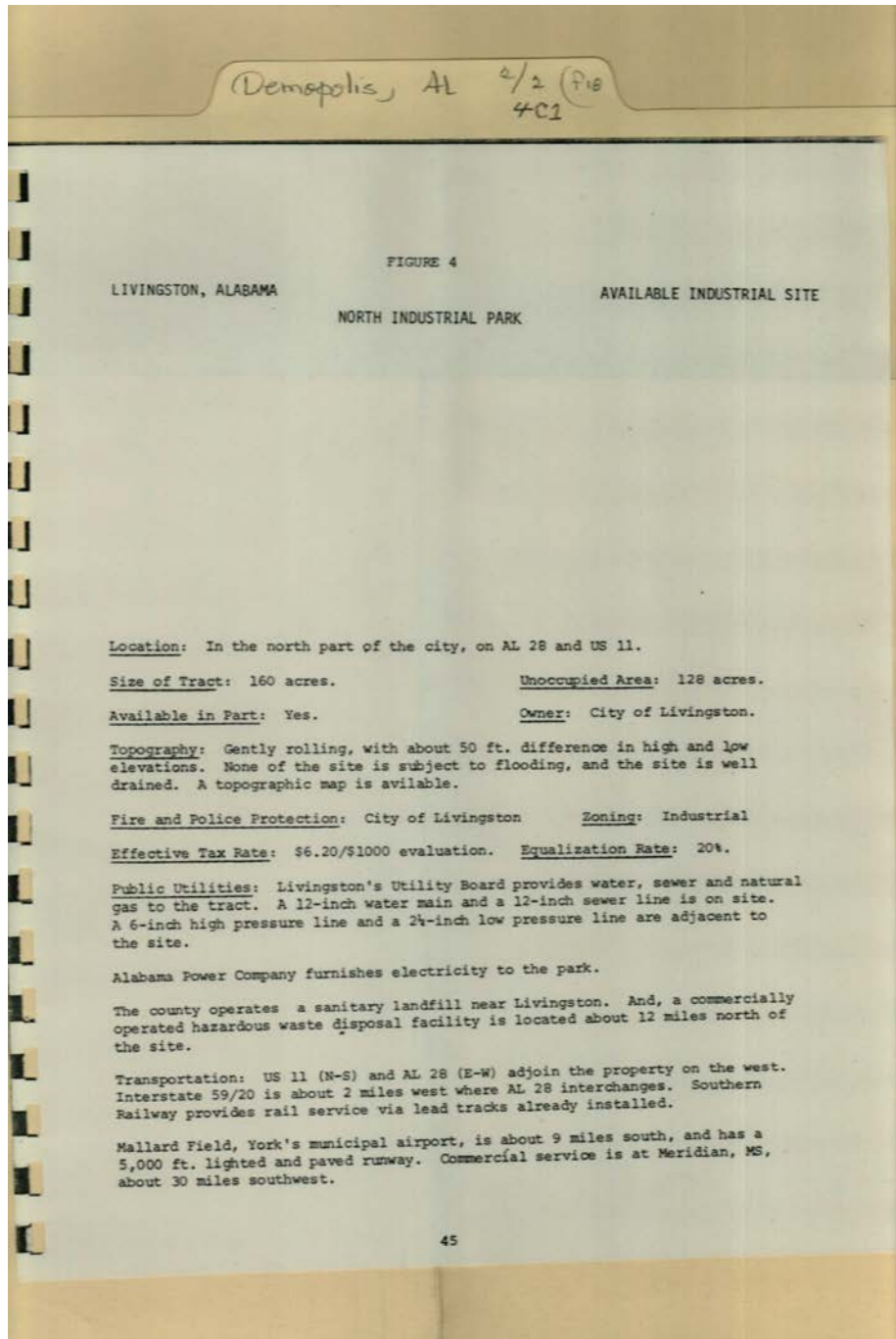
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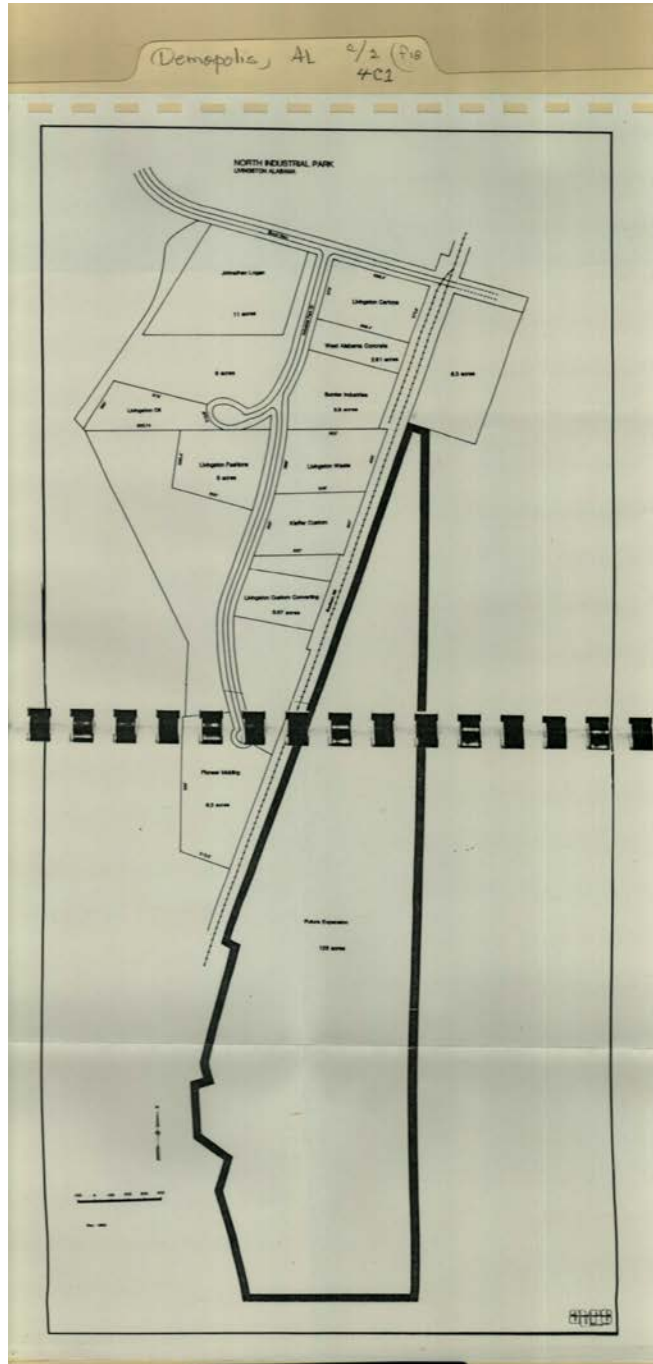
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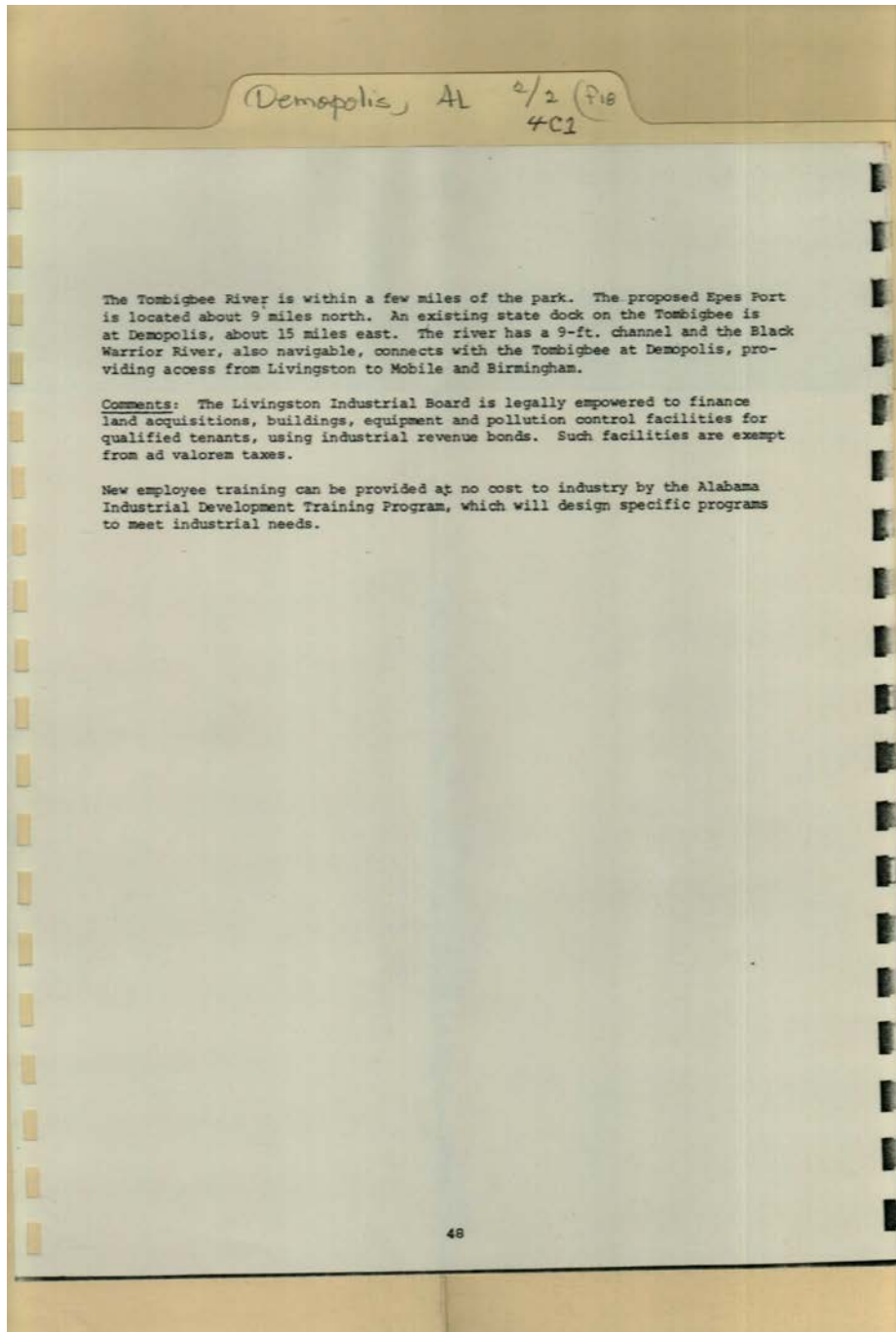
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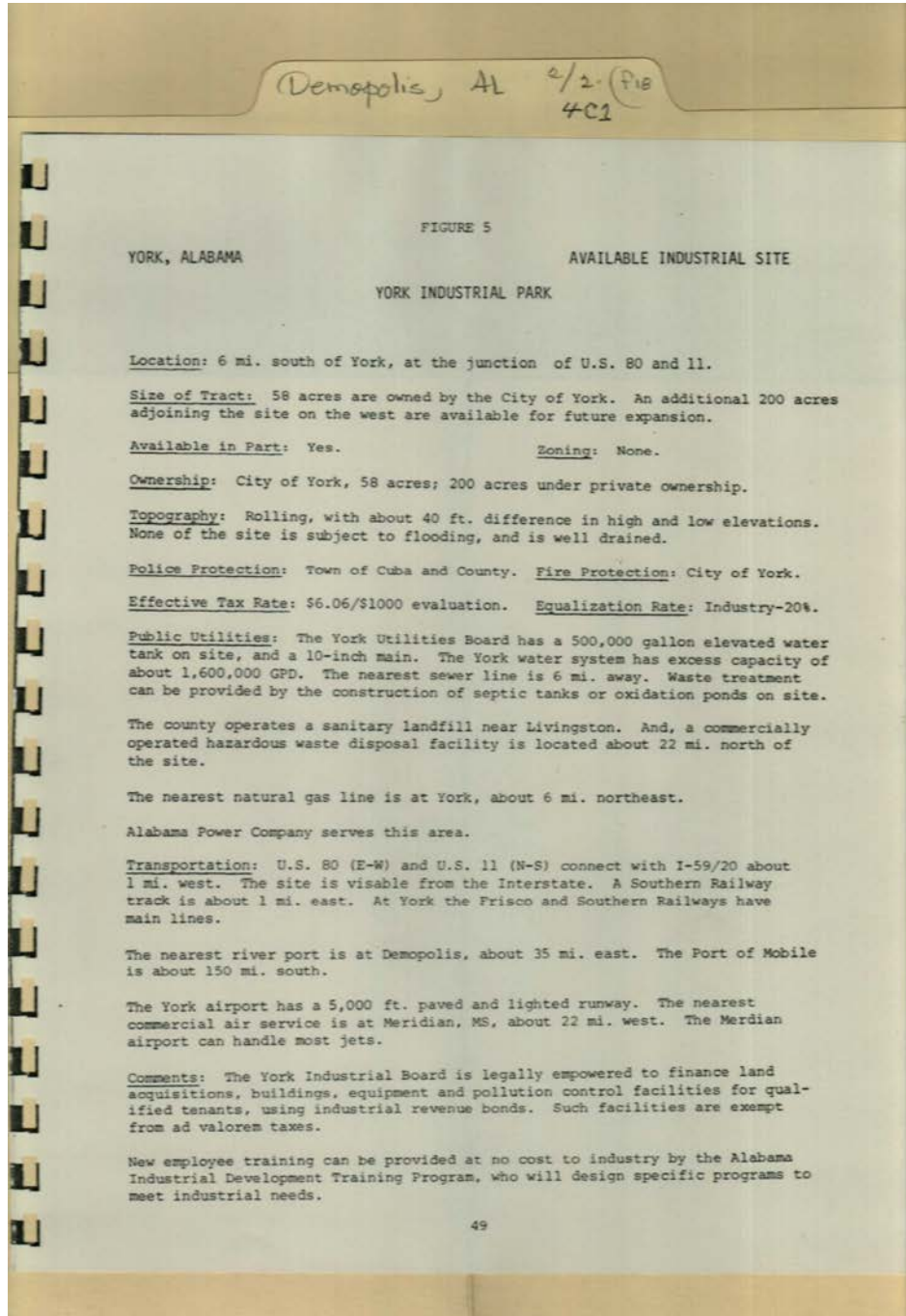
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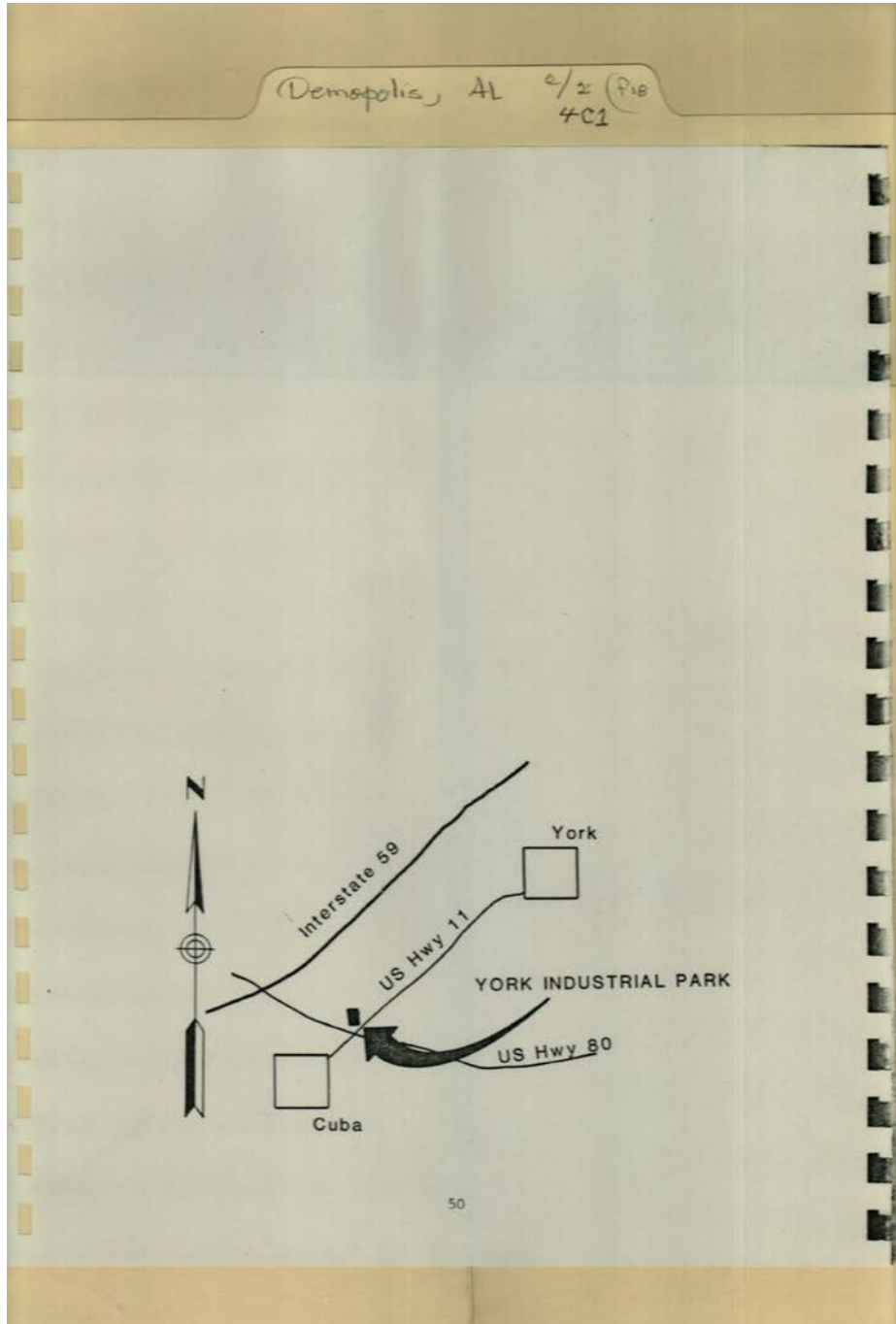
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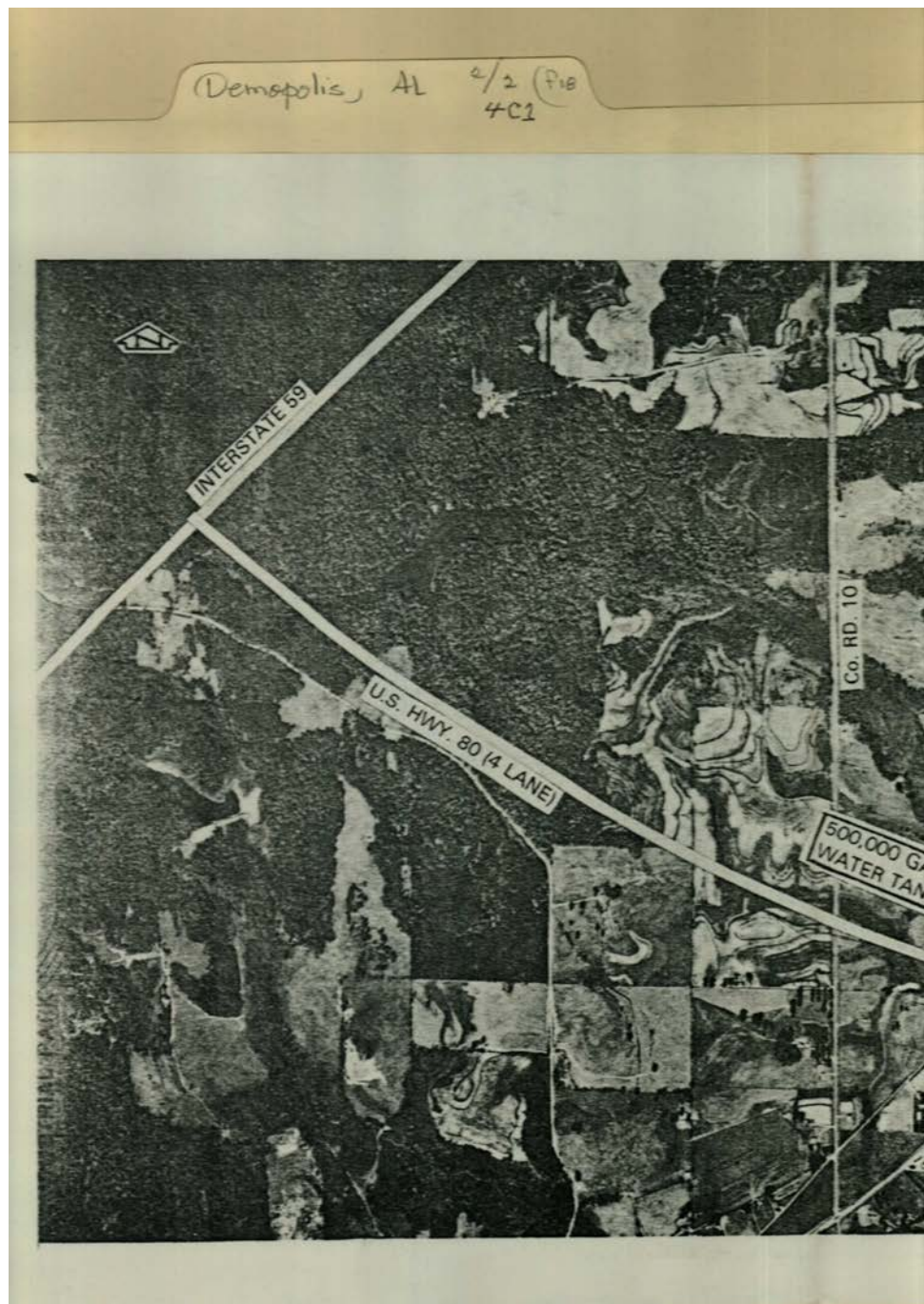
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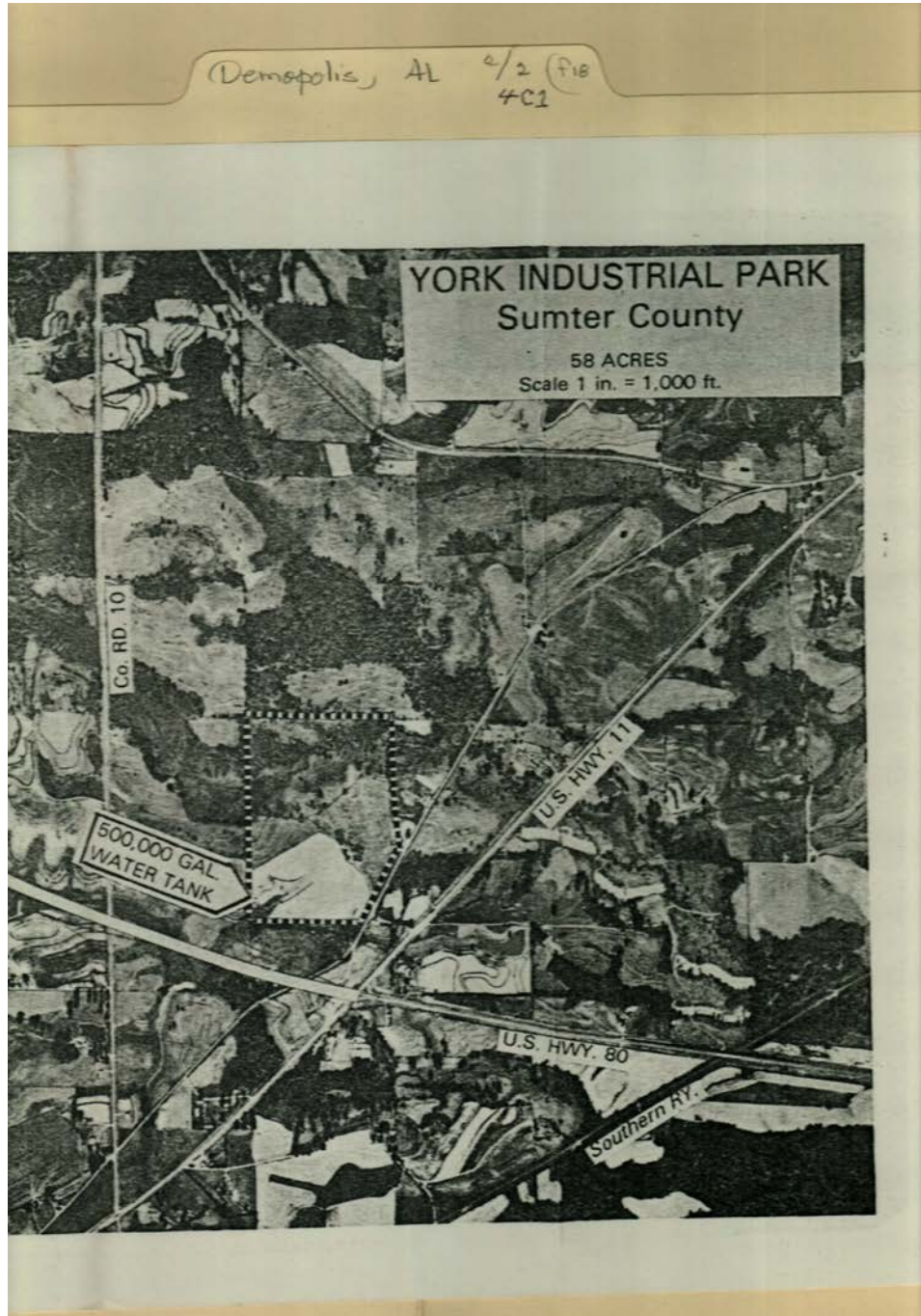
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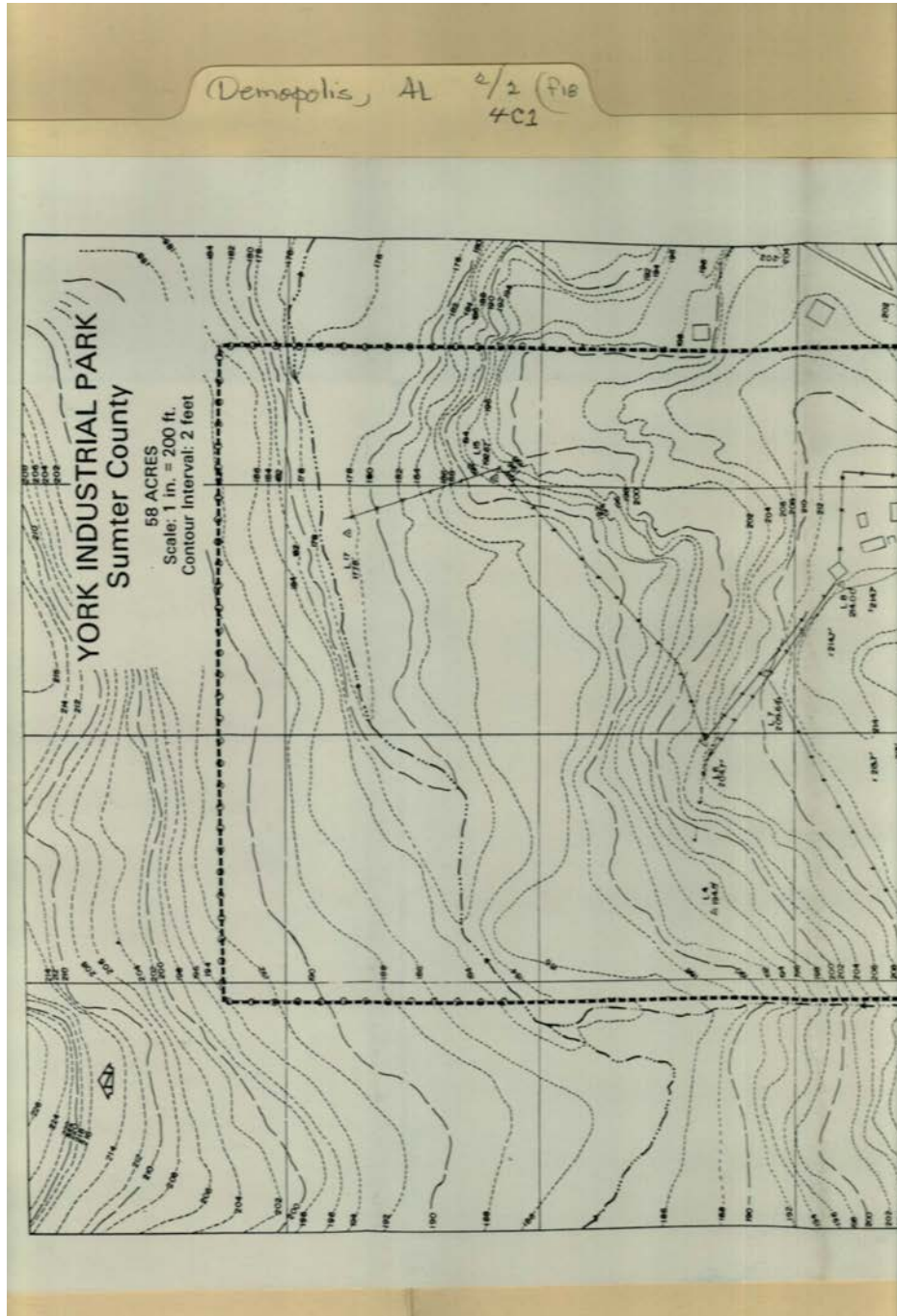
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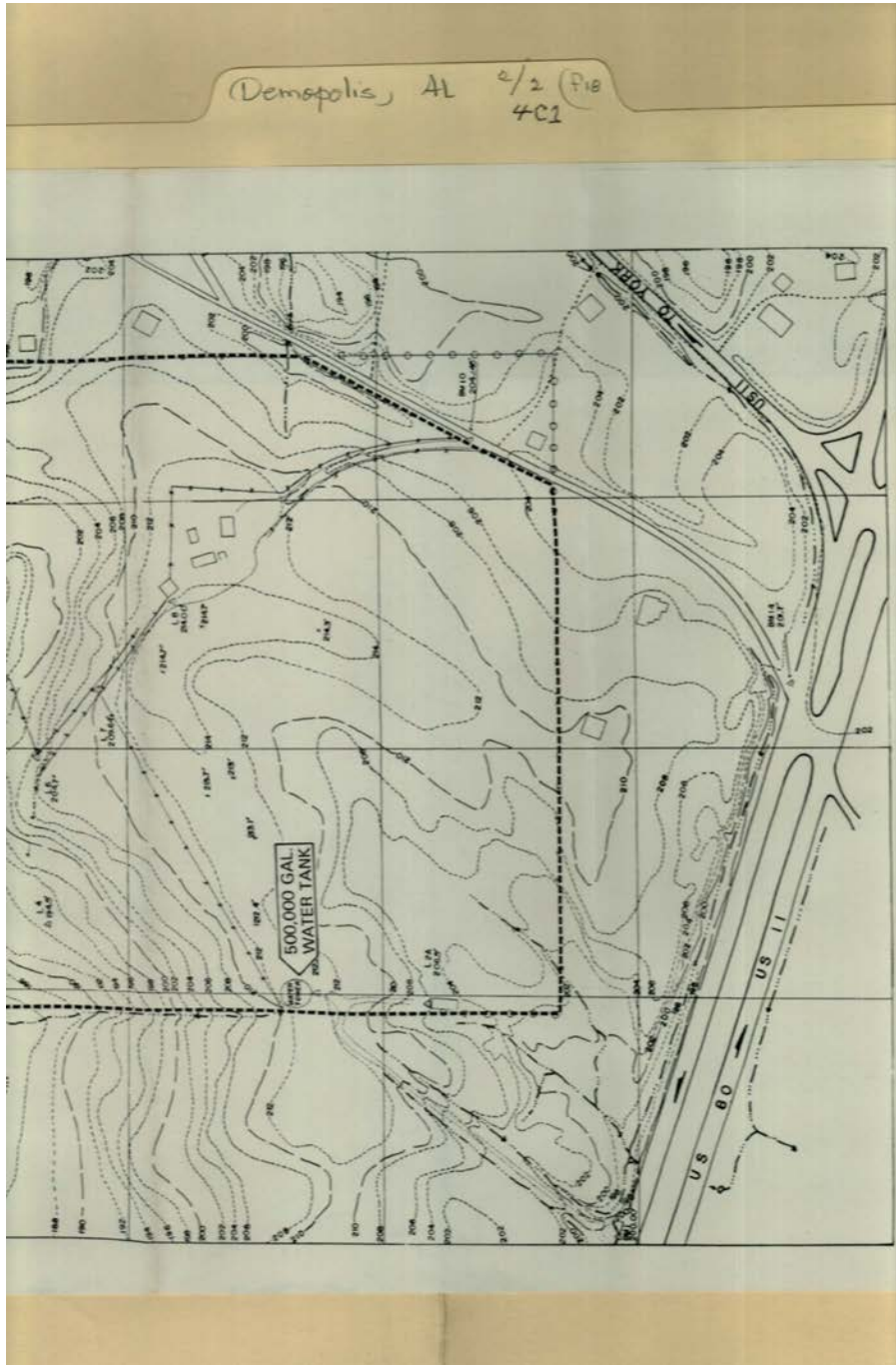
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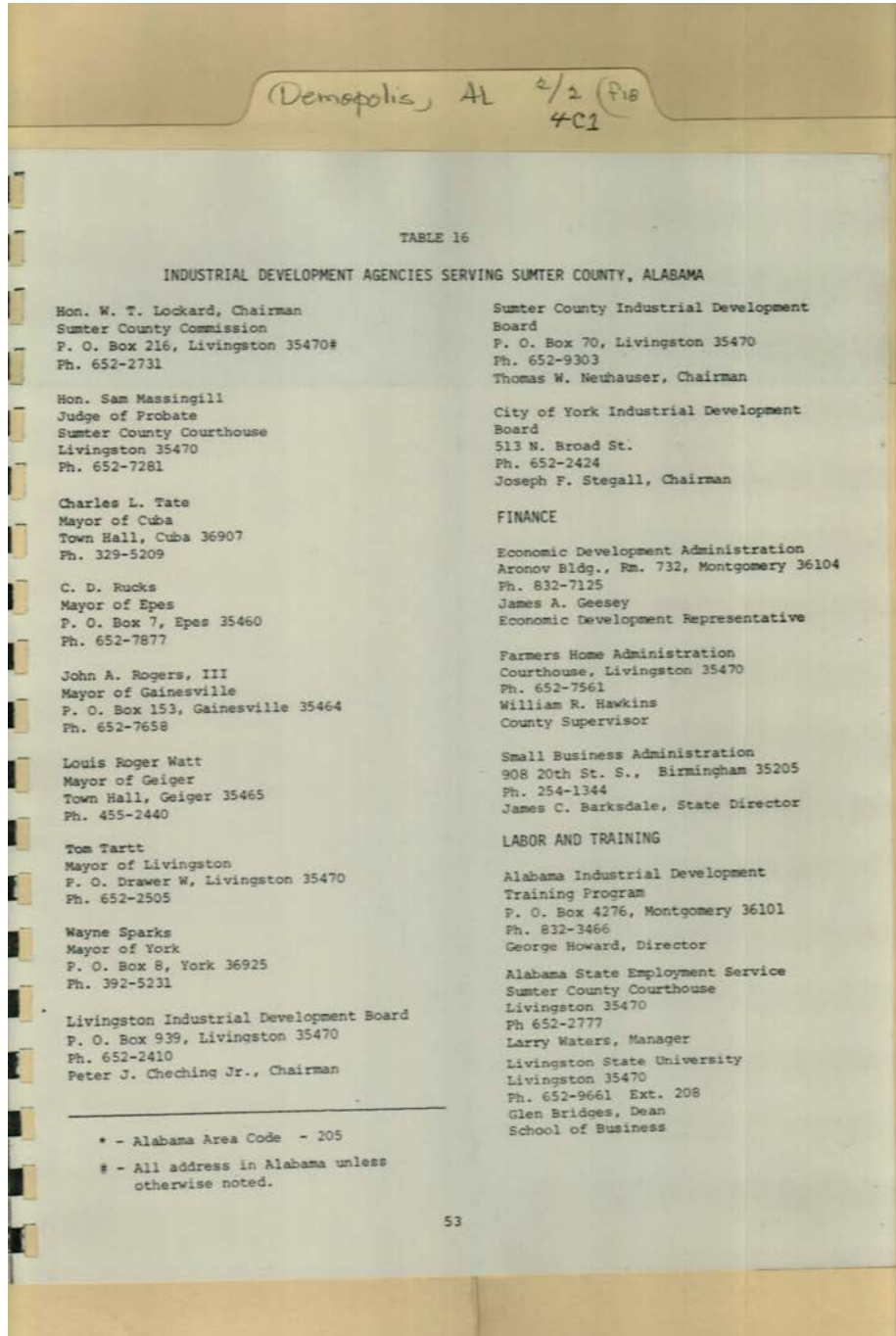
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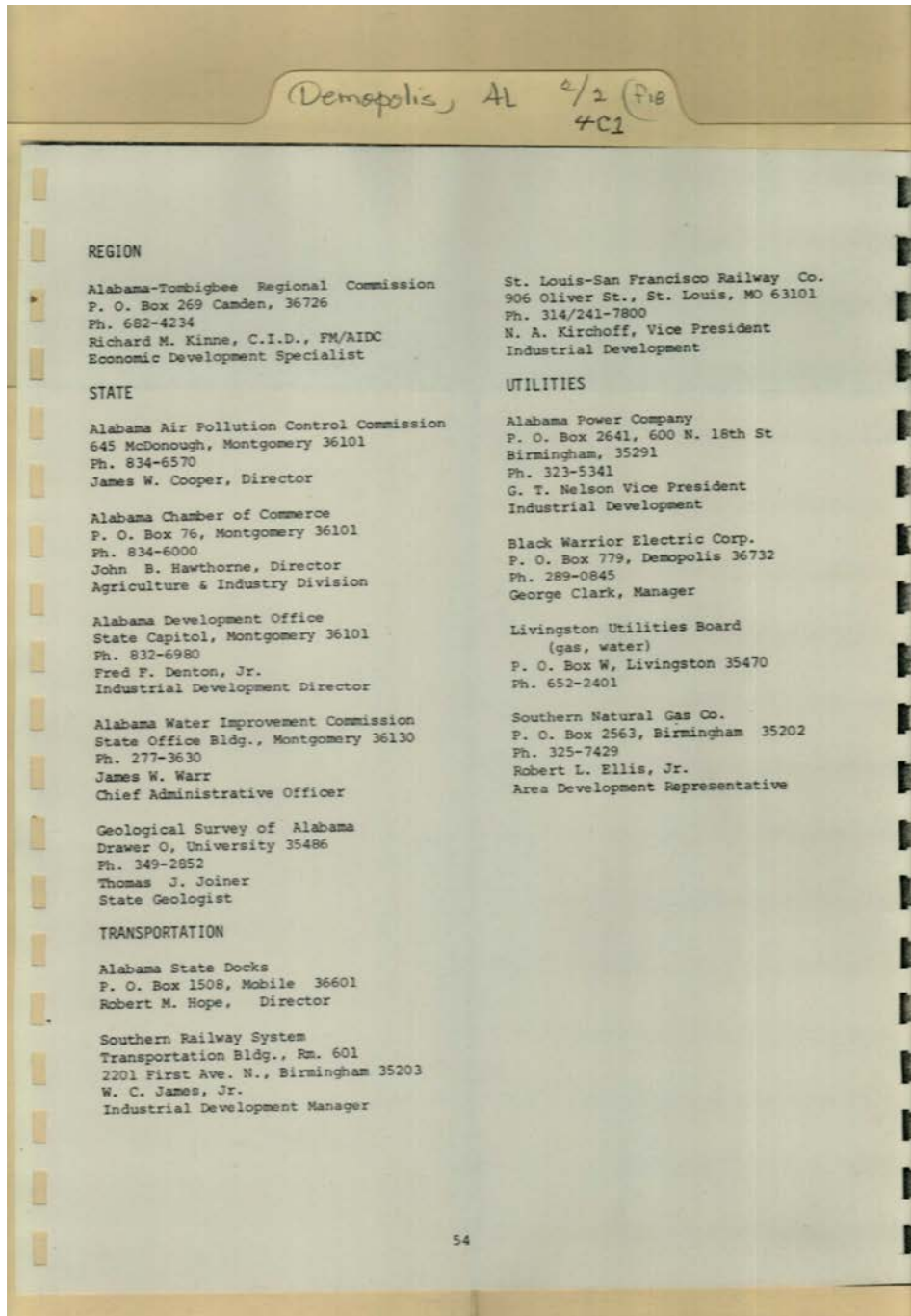
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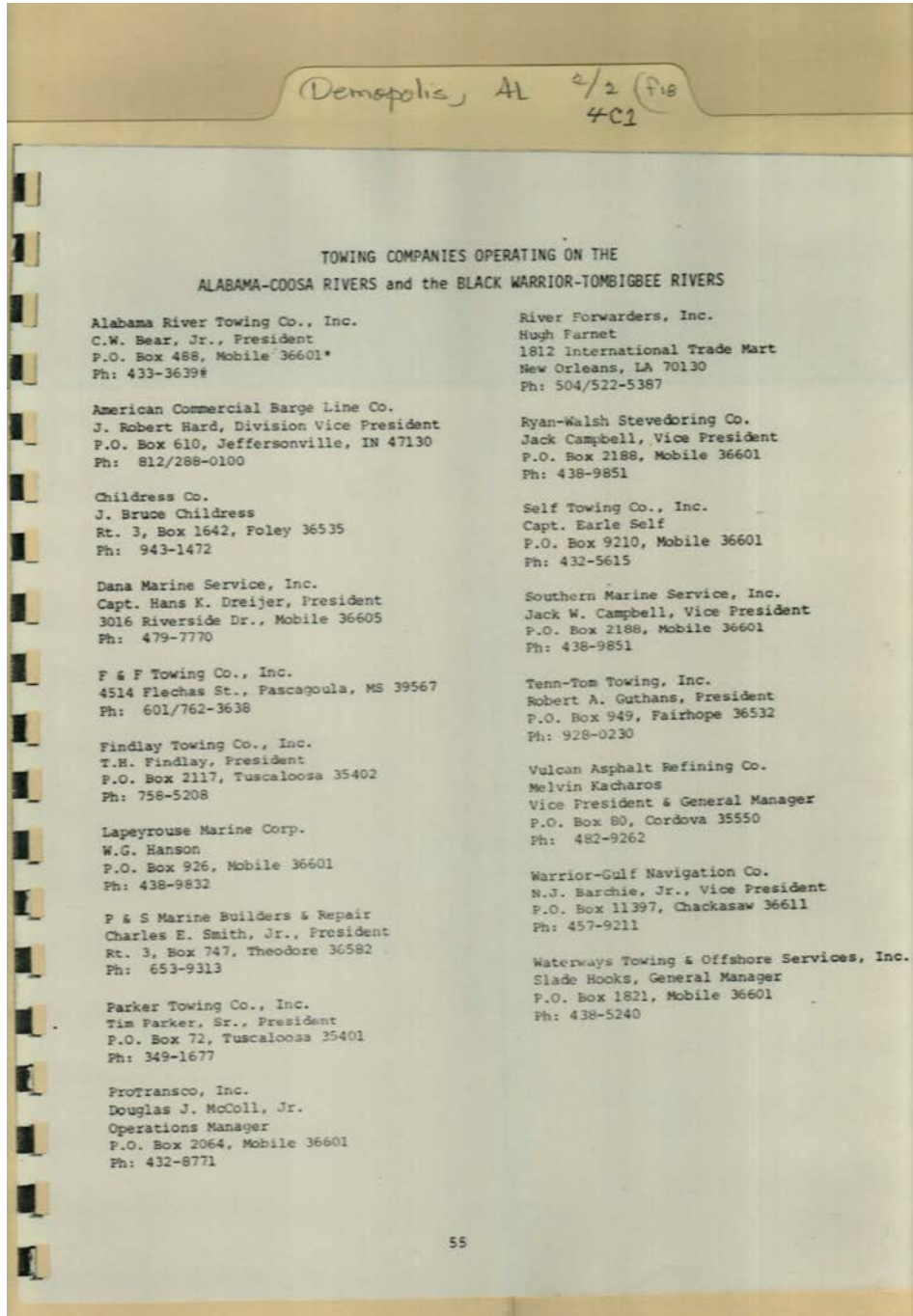
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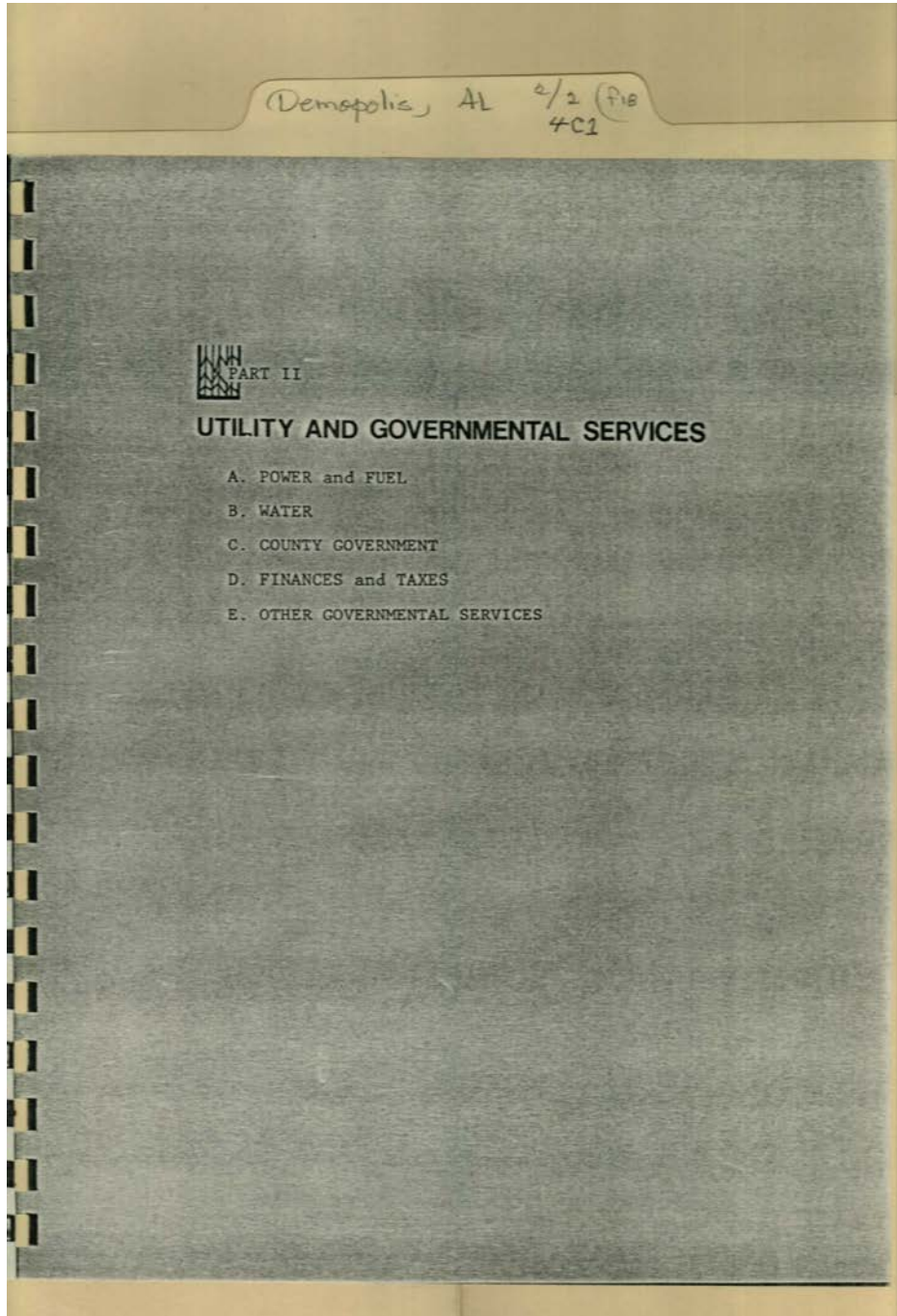
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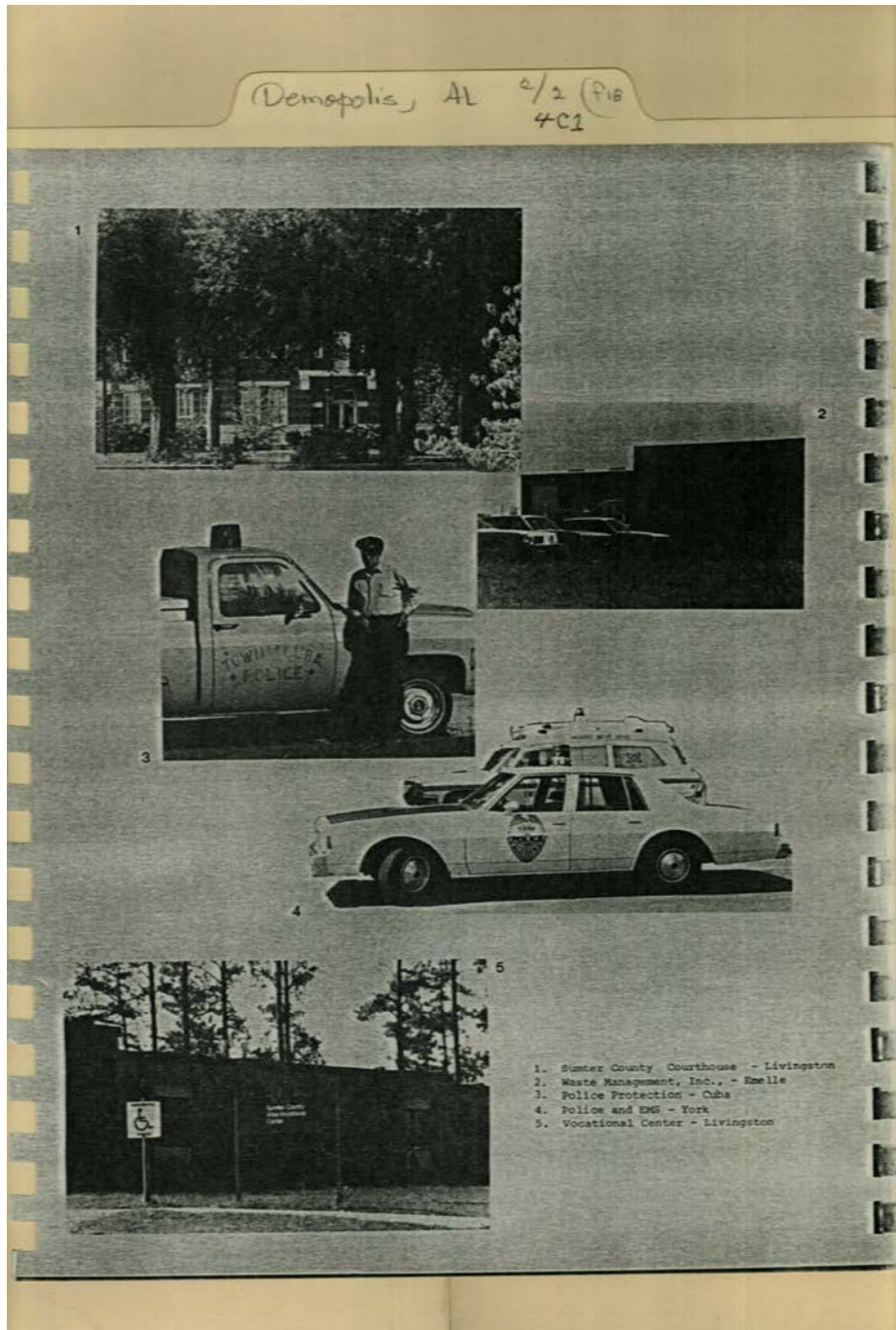
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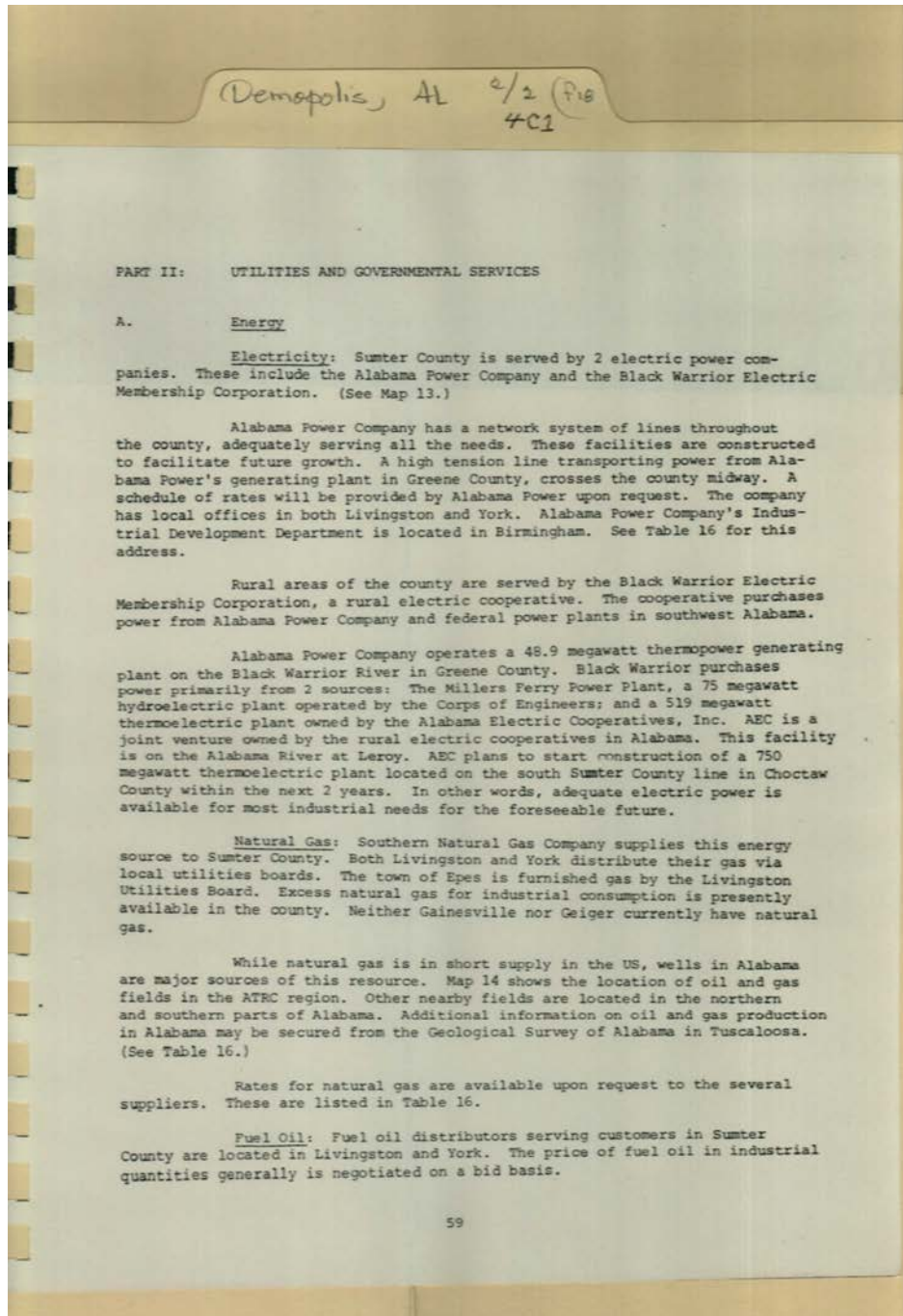
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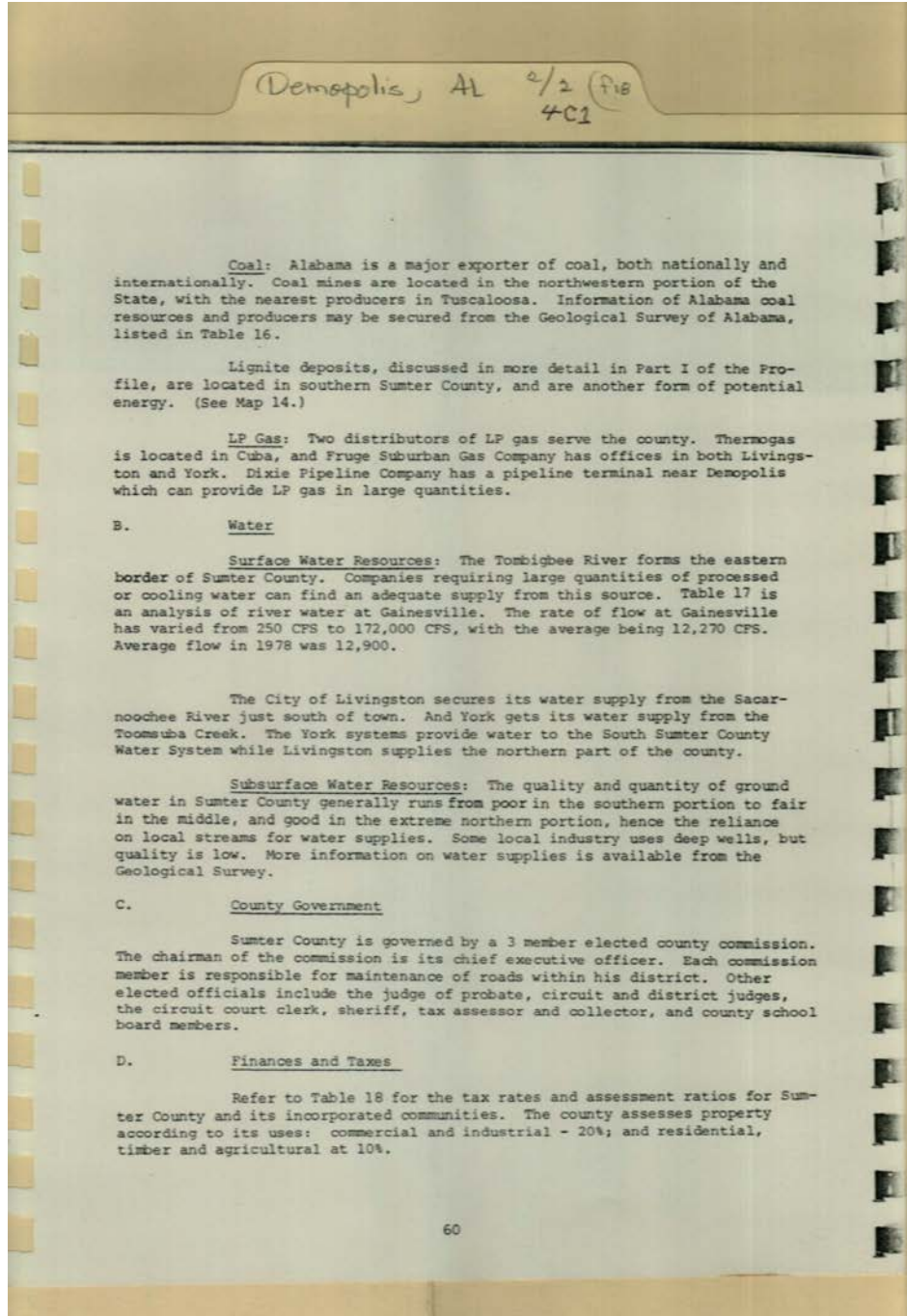
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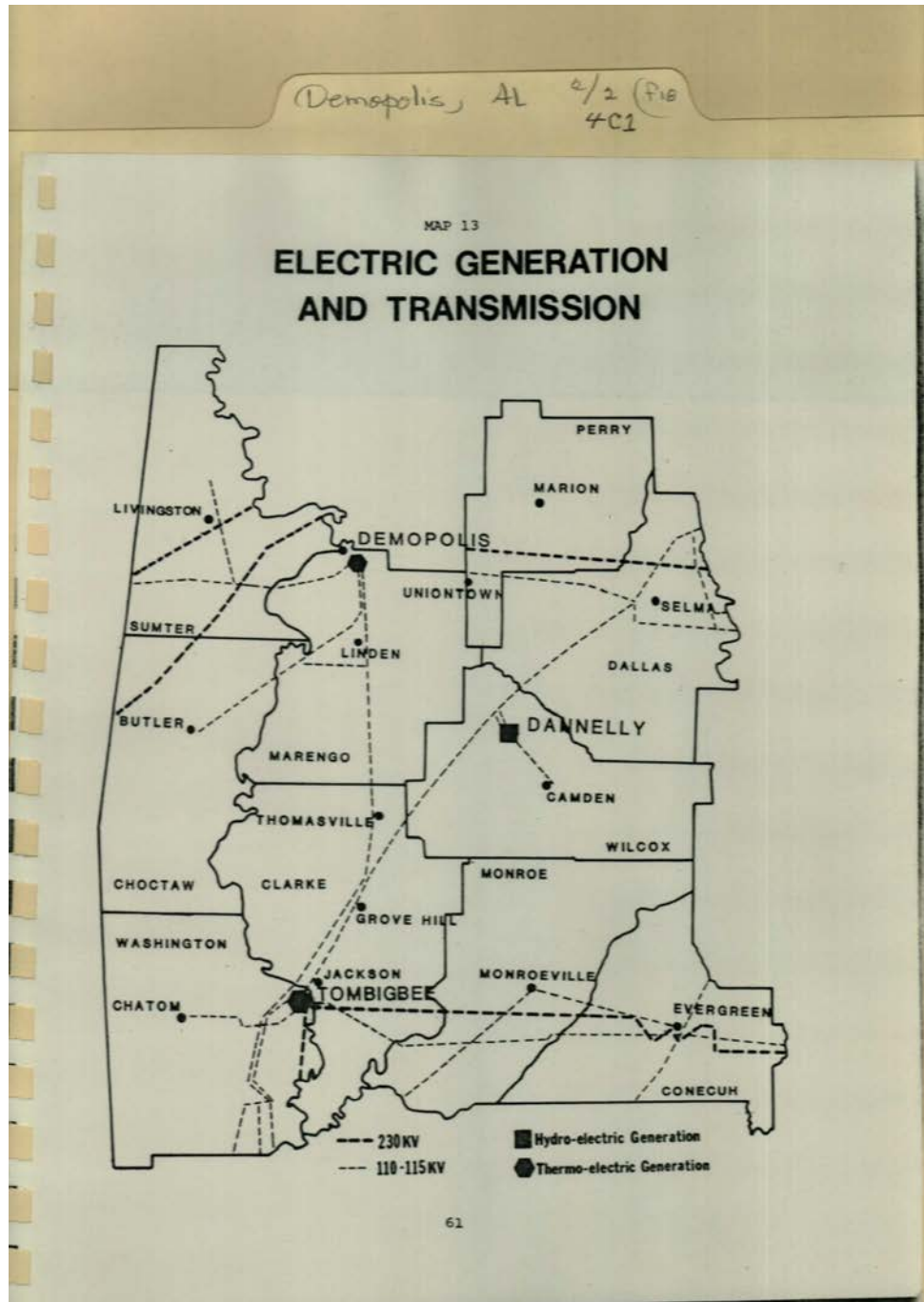
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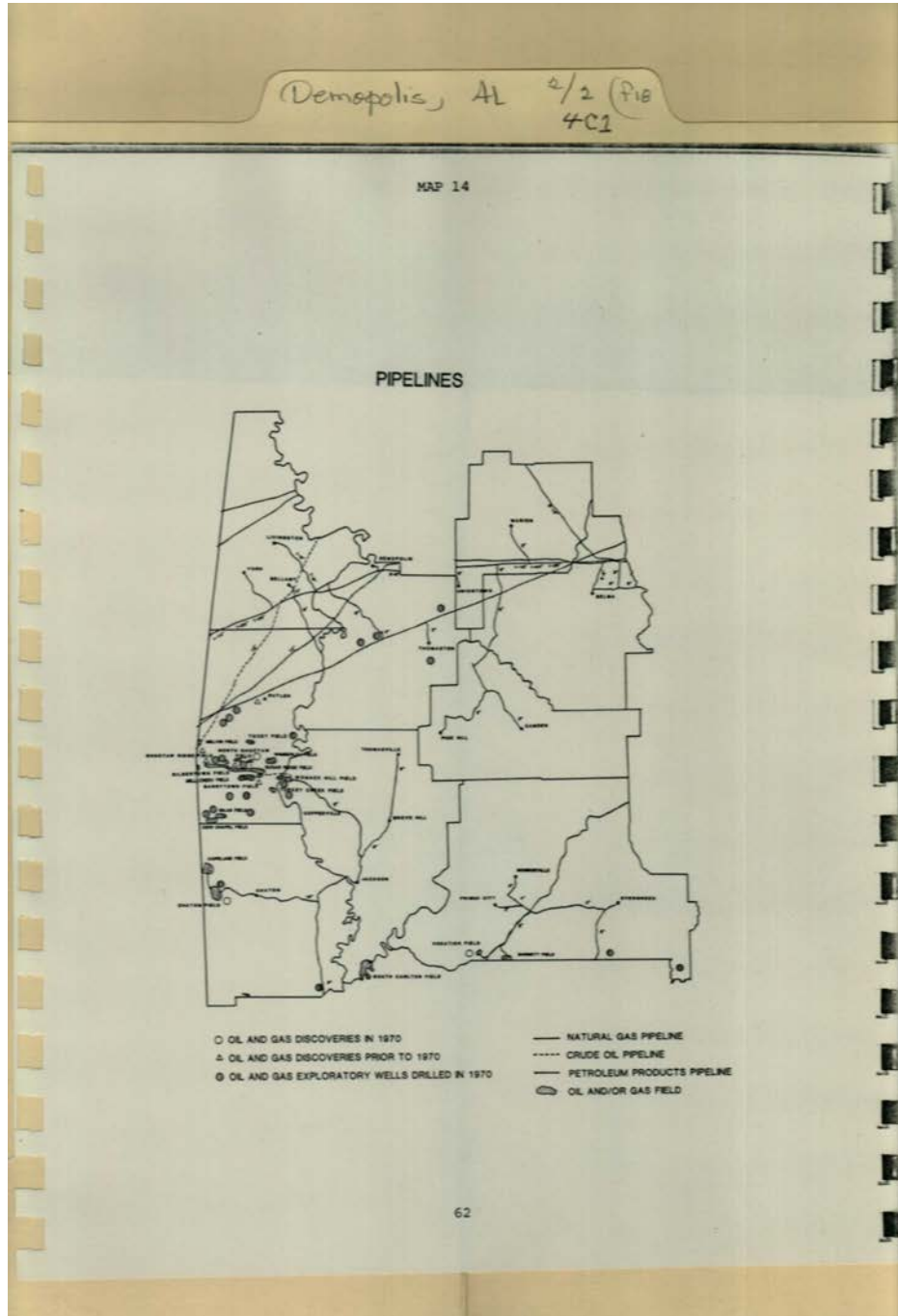
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TABLE 17

CHEMICAL ANALYSIS, TOMBIGBEE RIVER AT GAINESVILLE, ALABAMA, September 13, 1979\*\*

Specific conductance (micromhos)	155.0
PH Value	7.7
Temperature (degrees Centigrade)	27.5
Turbidity (NTU)	4.0
Dissolved oxygen (MG/L)	6.3
Fecal coliform .7UM-MF (Col./100ML)	4.0
Fecal streptococci KF AGAR (Col./100 ML)	45.0
Dissolved sodium (NA) (MG/L)	7.5
Dissolved potassium (K) (MG/L)	1.8
Bicarbonate (HCO3) MG/L)	52.0
Carbonate (CO3) MG/L)	0.0
Dissolved sulfate (S)4) (MG/L)	8.5
Dissolved chloride (CL) (MG/L)	11.0
Dissolved fluoride (F) (MG/L)	.1
Dissolved silica (SiO2) (MG/L)	6.4
Dissolved solids (residue at 180°C) (MG/L)	94.0
Dissolved solids (tons/day)	188.0
Total ammonia-nitrogen (N) (MG/L)	.03
Total phosphorus (P) (MG/L)	.04
Suspended sediment (MG/L)	9.0
Suspended sediment discharge (ton/day)	18.0
Suspended sediment, seive diameter % finer than .062mm	0.0
Dissolved cadmium (CD) UG/L)	1.0
Dissolved chromium (CR) (UG/L)	0.0
Dissolved cobalt (CO) (UG/L)	0.0
Dissolved copper (CU) (UG/L)	2.0
Dissolved iron (FE) (UG/L)	0.0
Dissolved lead (PB) (UG/L)	13.0
Hardness (MG/L as CaCO <sub>3</sub> )	52.0
Sodium O/l	23.0
Hardness, noncarbonate (MG/L)	9.0
Dissolved calcium (MG/L)	18.0
Dissolved magnesium (MG/L) (MG)	1.7

Source: Water Resources Data for Alabama, Water Year 1978, U.S. Geological Survey. Report AL-78.1, 1979

Notes: MG/L - milligrams per liter  
UG/L - micrograms per liter  
\*\* - See map 1.

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Analysis of River  
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TABLE 18  
SUMTER COUNTY REAL PROPERTY TAX RATES, 1979

City*	Rate/ \$1000	Assessment Ratio%	Effective Rate	
			Intown	Outtown
Cuba	\$ 5.00	20%	\$1.00	\$ 0
Epes	6.00	20%	1.20	0
Gainesville	5.00	20%	1.00	0
Geiger	5.00	20%	1.00	0
Livingston	10.00	20%	2.00	0
York	18.00	20%	3.60	0
County	\$17.50	20%	\$3.50	\$3.50
School	\$ 7.80	20%	\$1.56	\$1.56
State	\$ 6.50	20%	\$1.30	\$1.30
Effective Rate/\$1000 Actual Value:				
Cuba			7.36	\$ 0
Epes			7.36	0
Gainesville			7.36	0
Geiger			7.36	0
Livingston			8.36	0
York			9.96	0
Rural County			0	\$6.36

Source: County Tax Assessor Office, 1980

Notes: # Assessment ratio differ according to class: commercial and industrial - 20% residential, timber and agriculture - 10%.  
\* County tax collector collects for all towns.

Alabama tax laws are highly favorable for industrial growth. These laws provide for deductions or exemptions for the amount invested by the taxpayer in all devices, facilities, or structures, and all identifiable components or materials for such uses, acquired or constructed primarily for the control, reduction, or elimination of air and water pollution.

Sales tax exemptions are also applicable for materials which become a part of finished products, lubricating oil and gasoline, transportation, coal or coke used by industry, and fuel oil used in kilns for manufacturing. A brief analysis of state taxes is included in the Appendix.

The county has no outstanding bonded indebtedness. General obligation bonded indebtedness for the county is limited by state law to \$174,461 (5% of the county's assessed valuation).

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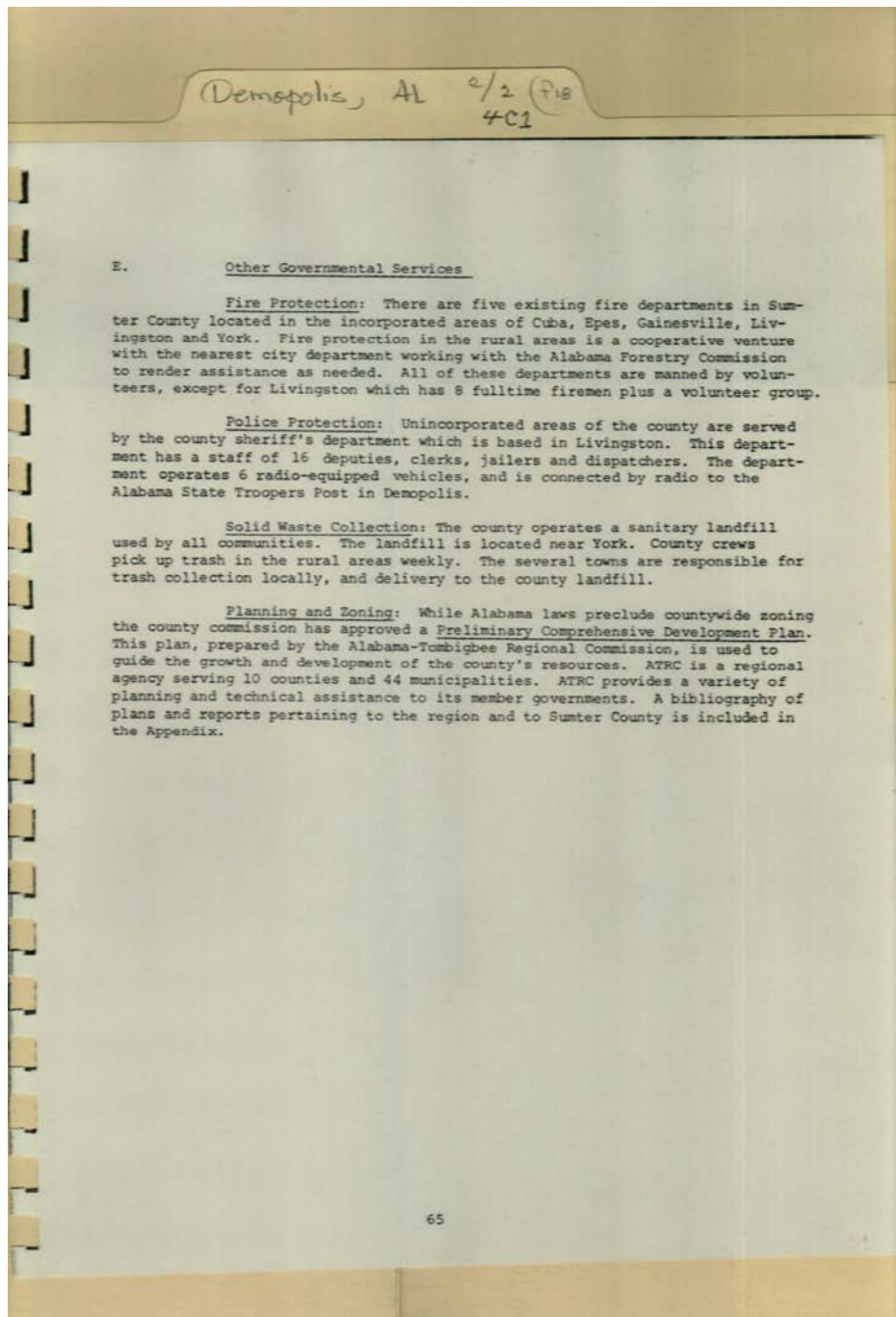
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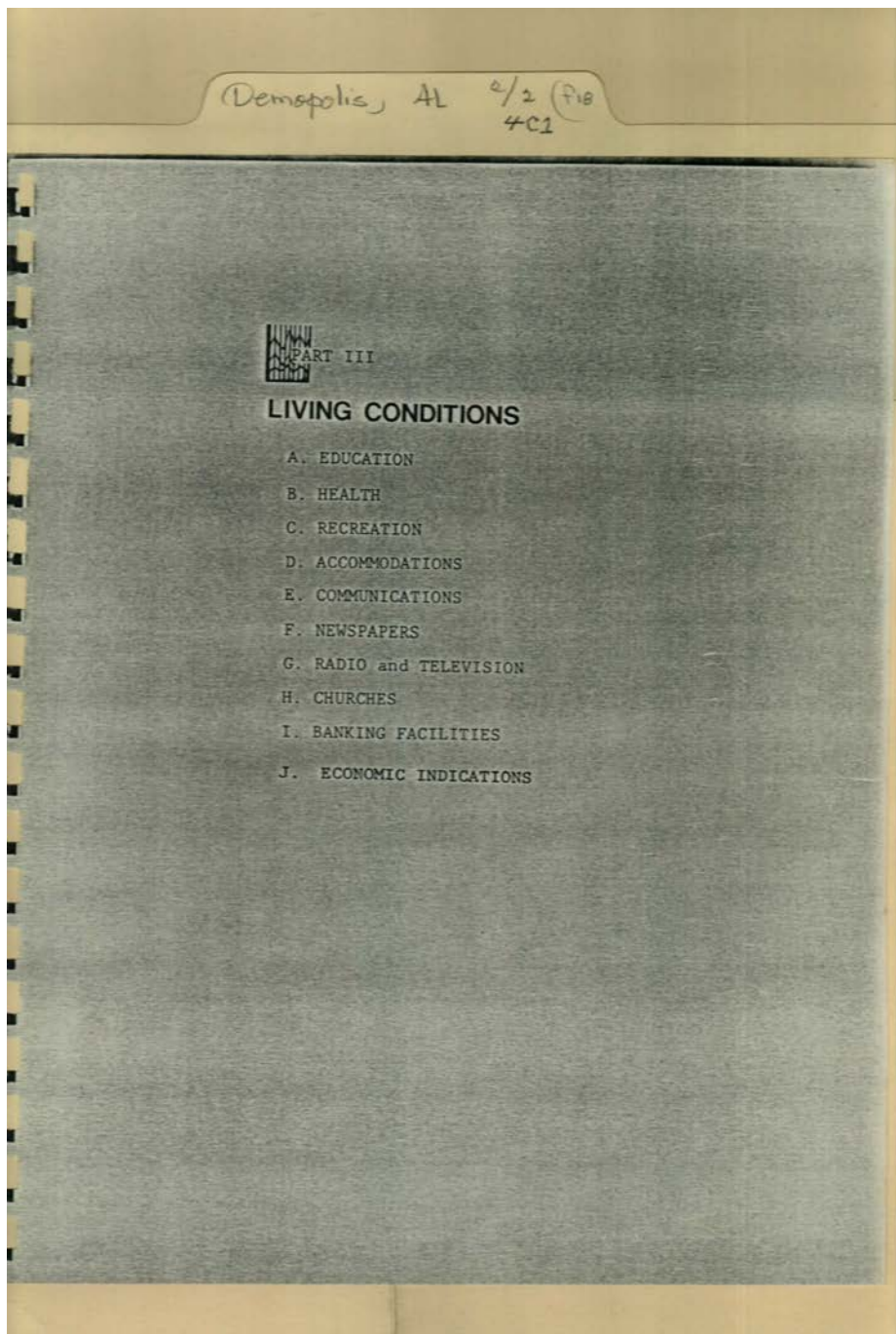
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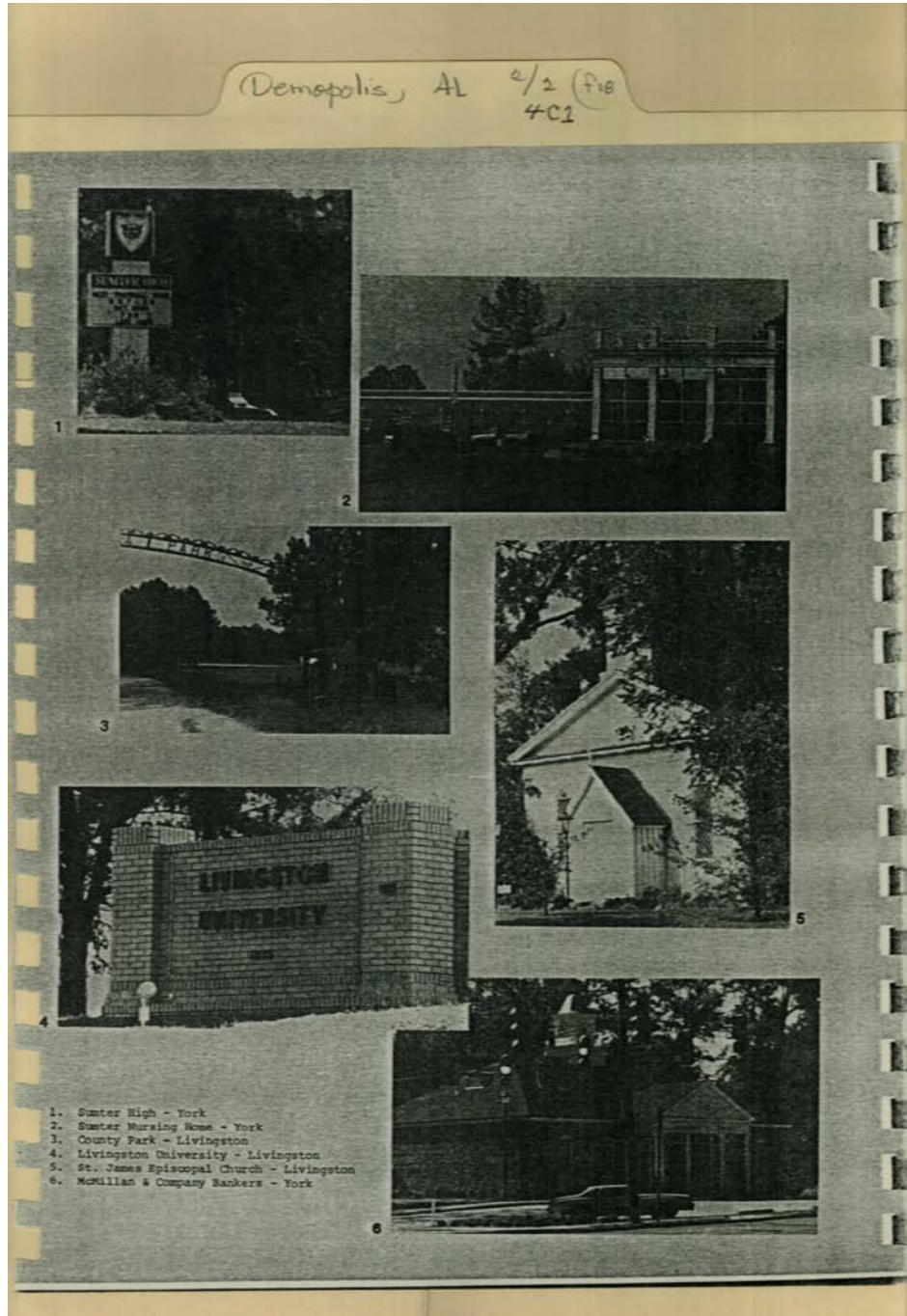
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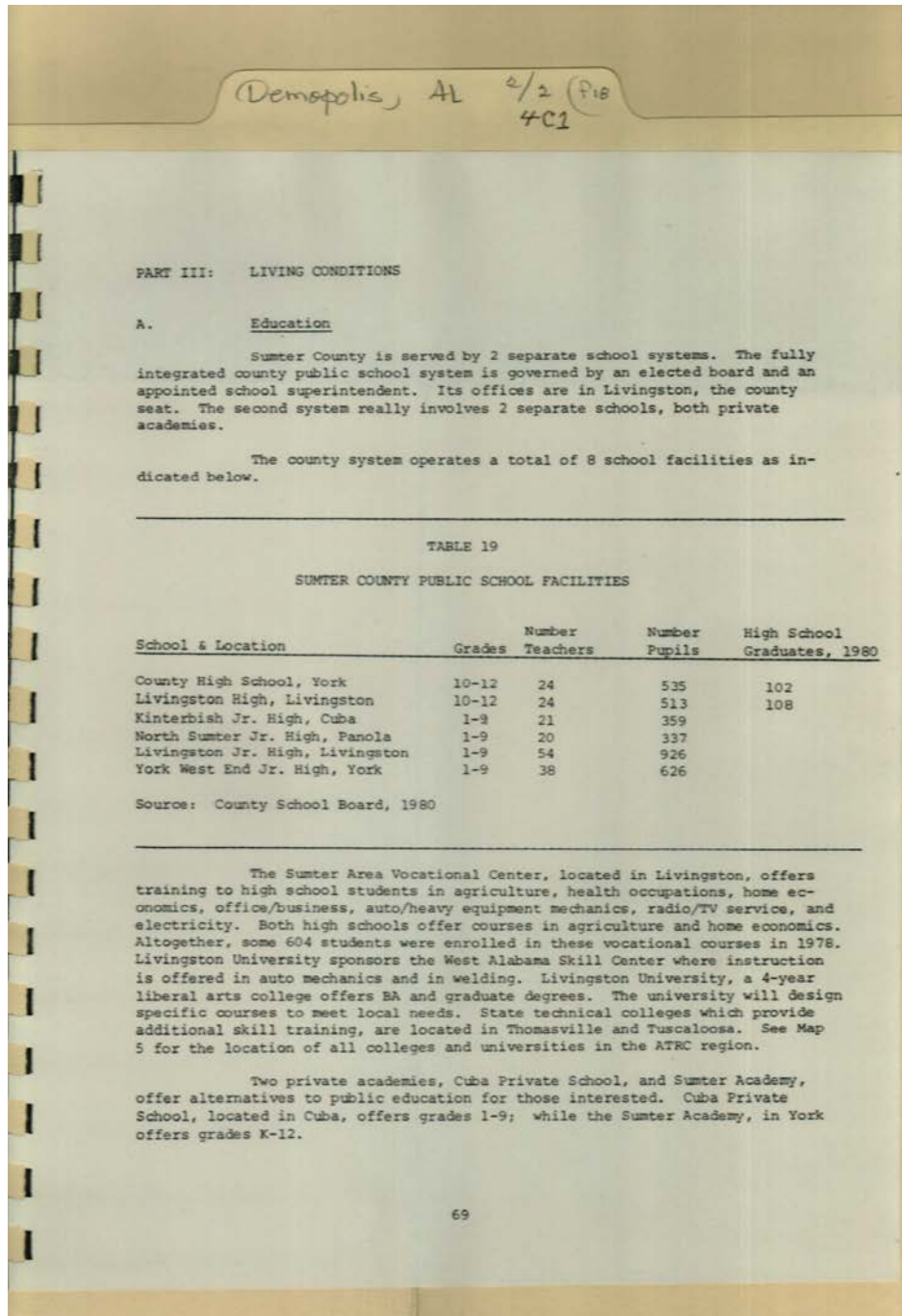
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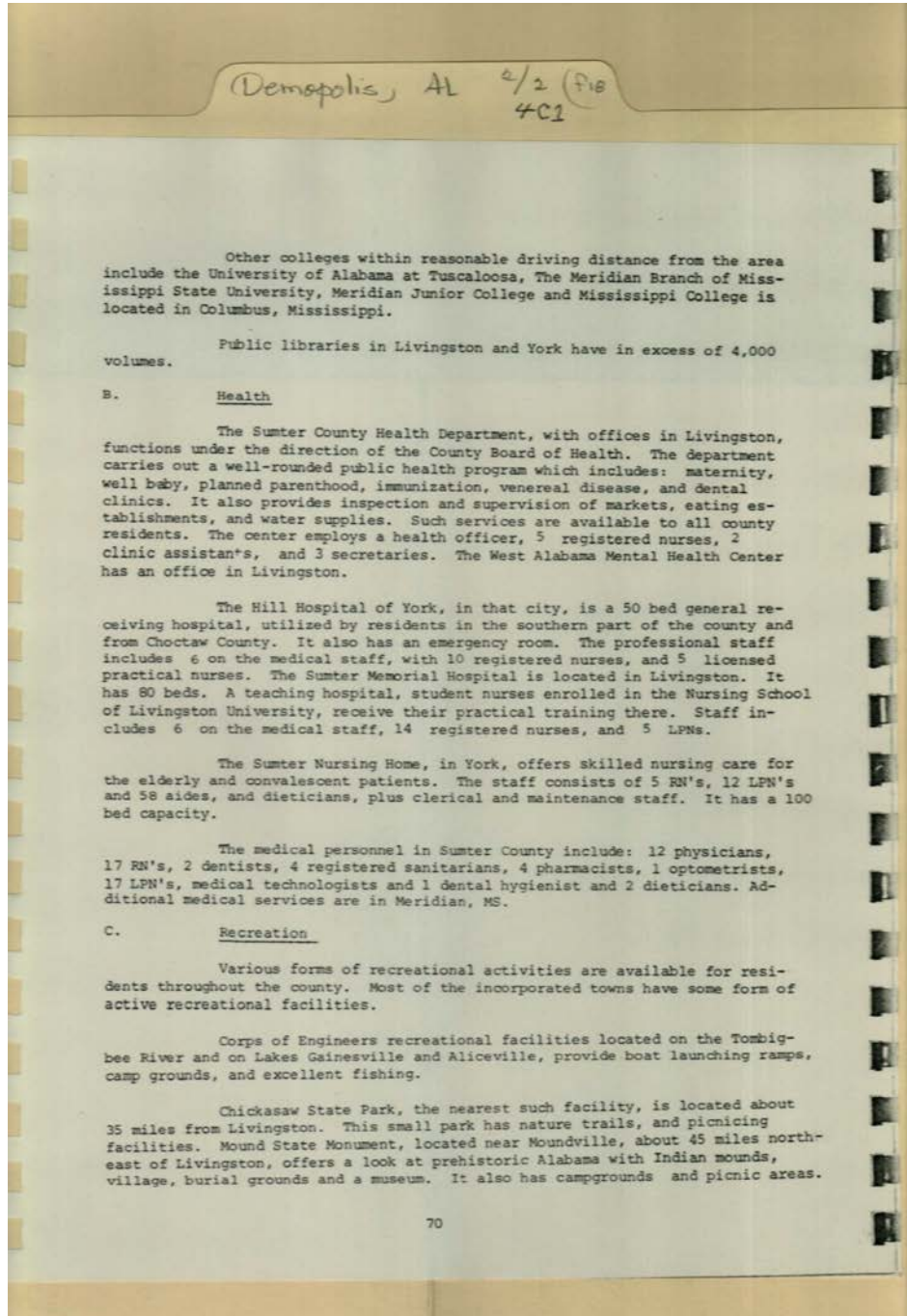
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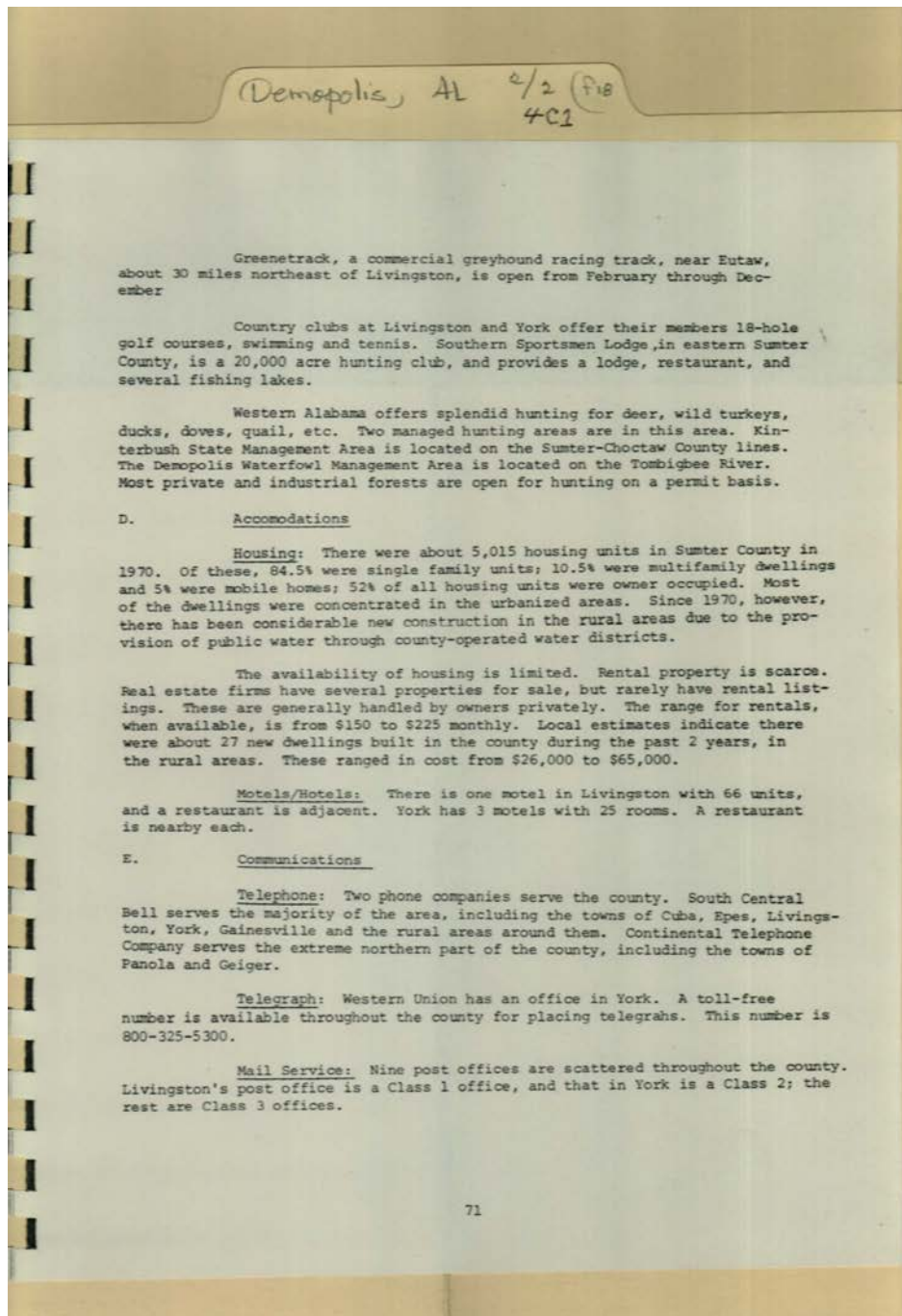
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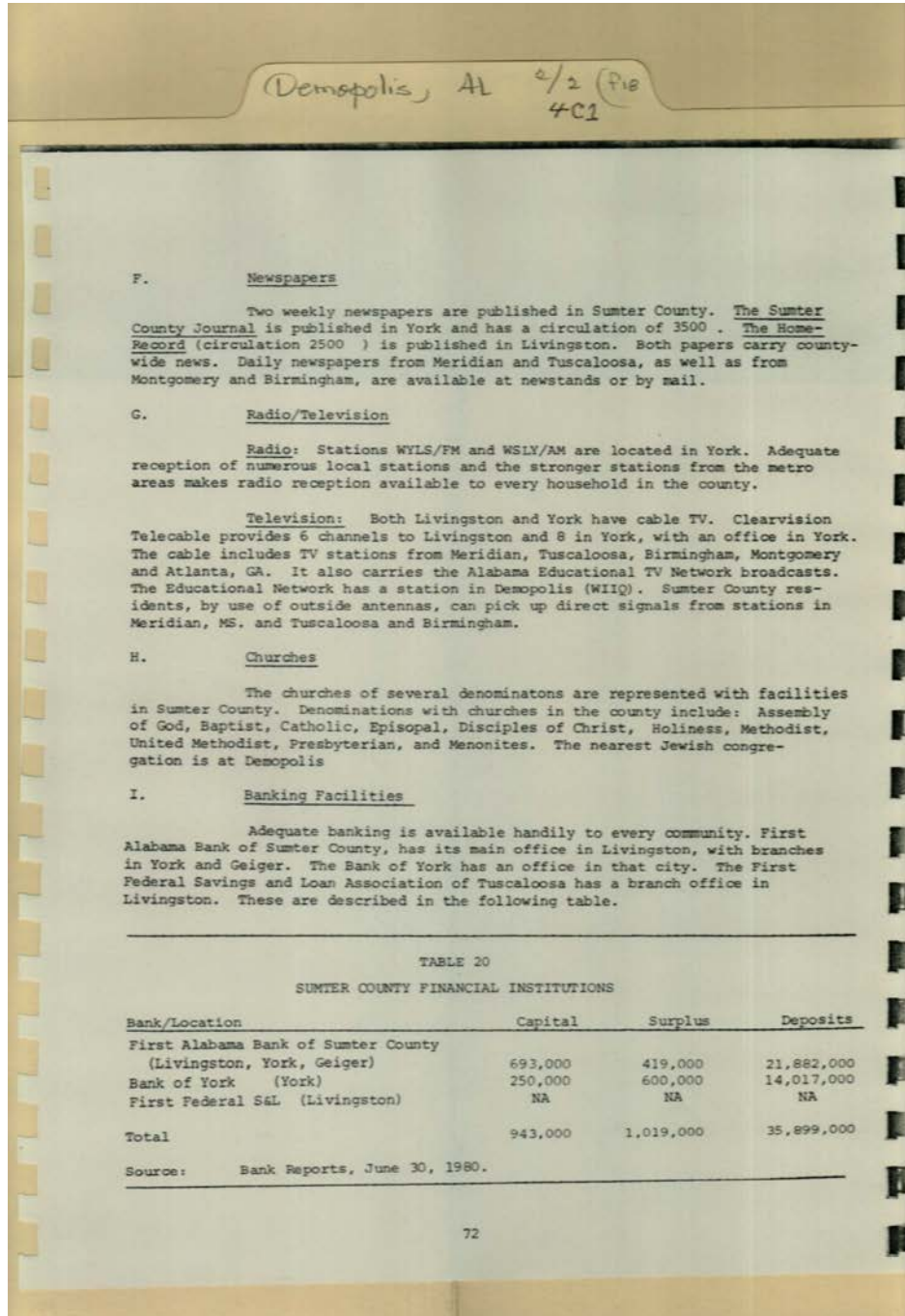
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J. Economic Indicators

Census of Business data for the years 1972 and 1977 reflect considerable growth in retail, service and wholesale trades in Sumter County. When the percent of increase for the county is compared to the increase in the national consumer price index, which is the inflation rate, all indices in Table 21 reflect real growth over inflation.

TABLE 21  
ECONOMIC INDICATORS FOR SUMTER COUNTY, 1972-1977

	Number Establishments	Sales (\$000)	Number Paid Employees
<b>Retail Trade</b>			
1972	160	17,003	427
1977	147	29,224	521
%Change 1972-1977		72%	22%
<b>Wholesale Trade</b>			
1972	17	13,536	81
1977	19	22,742	114
%Change 1972-1977		68%	65%
<b>Service Industries</b>			
1972	56	1,260	64
1977	59	2,097	73
% Change		66%	14%
<b>Consumer Price Index</b>			
1972	125.3		
1977	181.5		
%Change	56.2		
<b>INCOME</b>	1970	1977	%Change
Per Capita Income	\$1,488	\$3,847	158.5
% of Alabama per capita	54%	69%	
%US per capita	38%	44%	
Median Family Income	3,928	5,871	49.4
% of Alabama median family	54%	50%	
% of US median family	41%	42%	

Source: U.S. Census publications

Income in Sumter County, while still considerably below both Alabama and national income figures, is increasing at a rate greater than for the state and the nation. Per capita income in Alabama between 1970 and 1977 increased 143.1%, and nationally only 123.8%. Median family incomes for the same period increased 62.2% in Alabama, and 47.0% in the nation.

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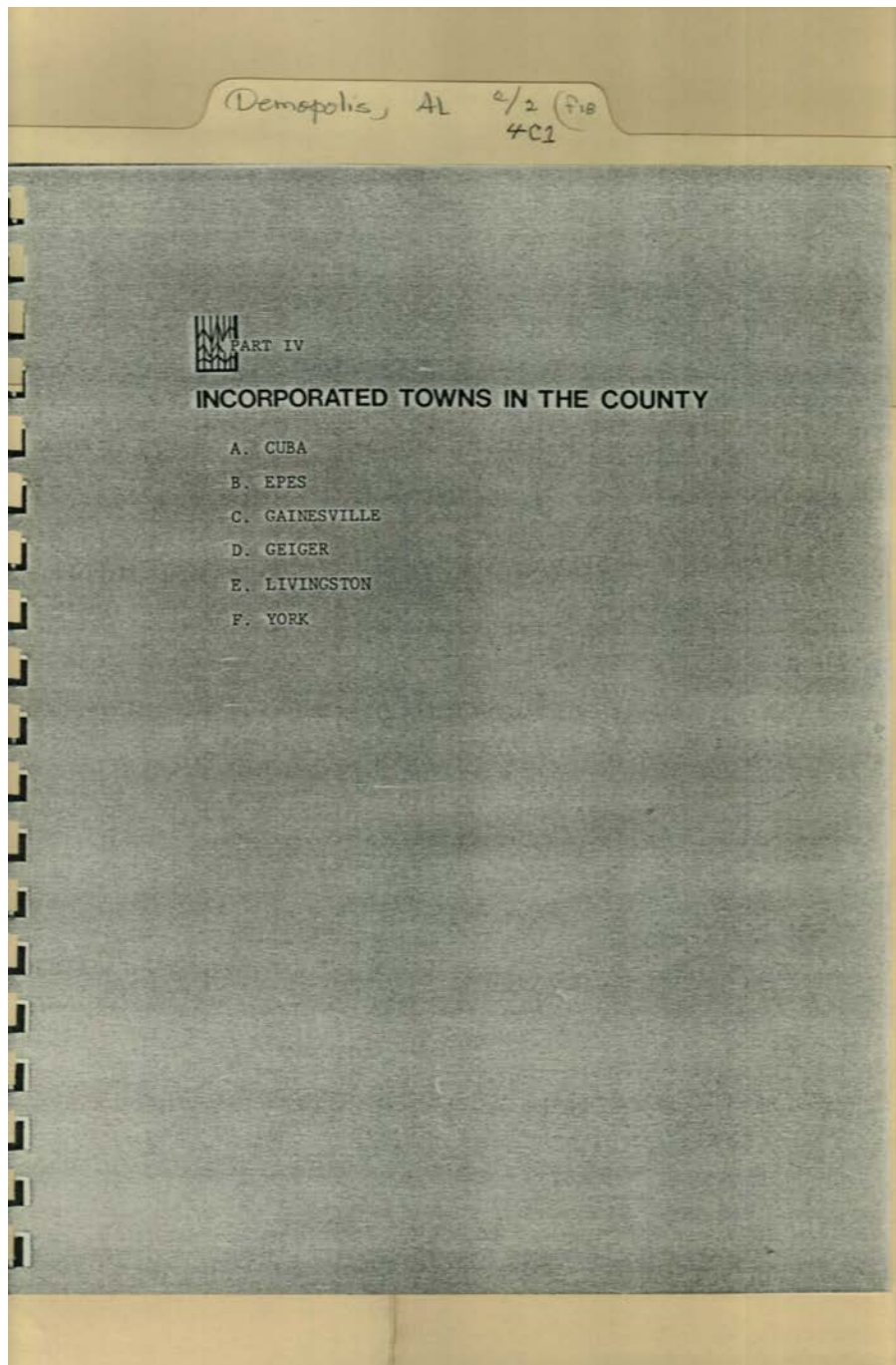
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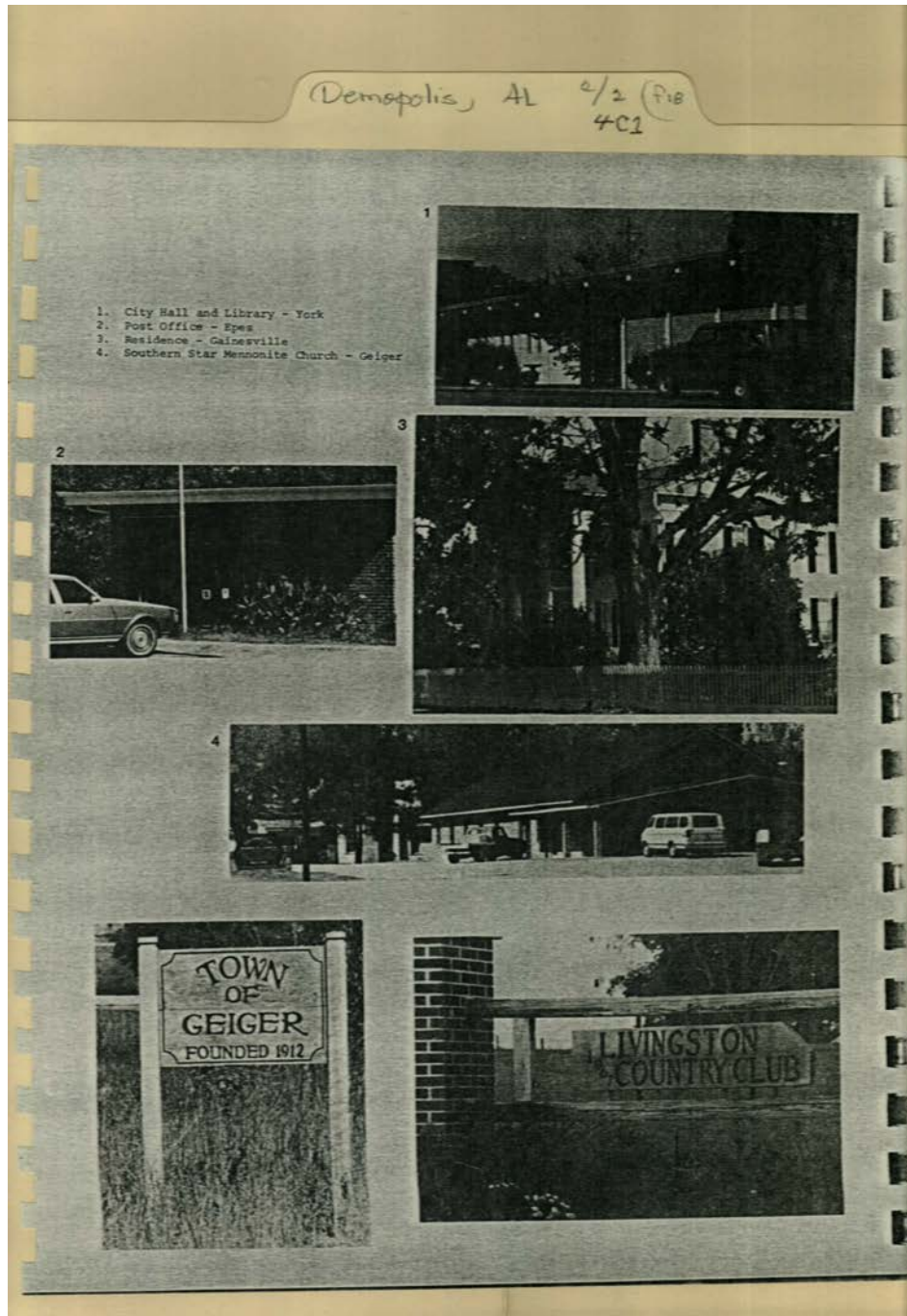
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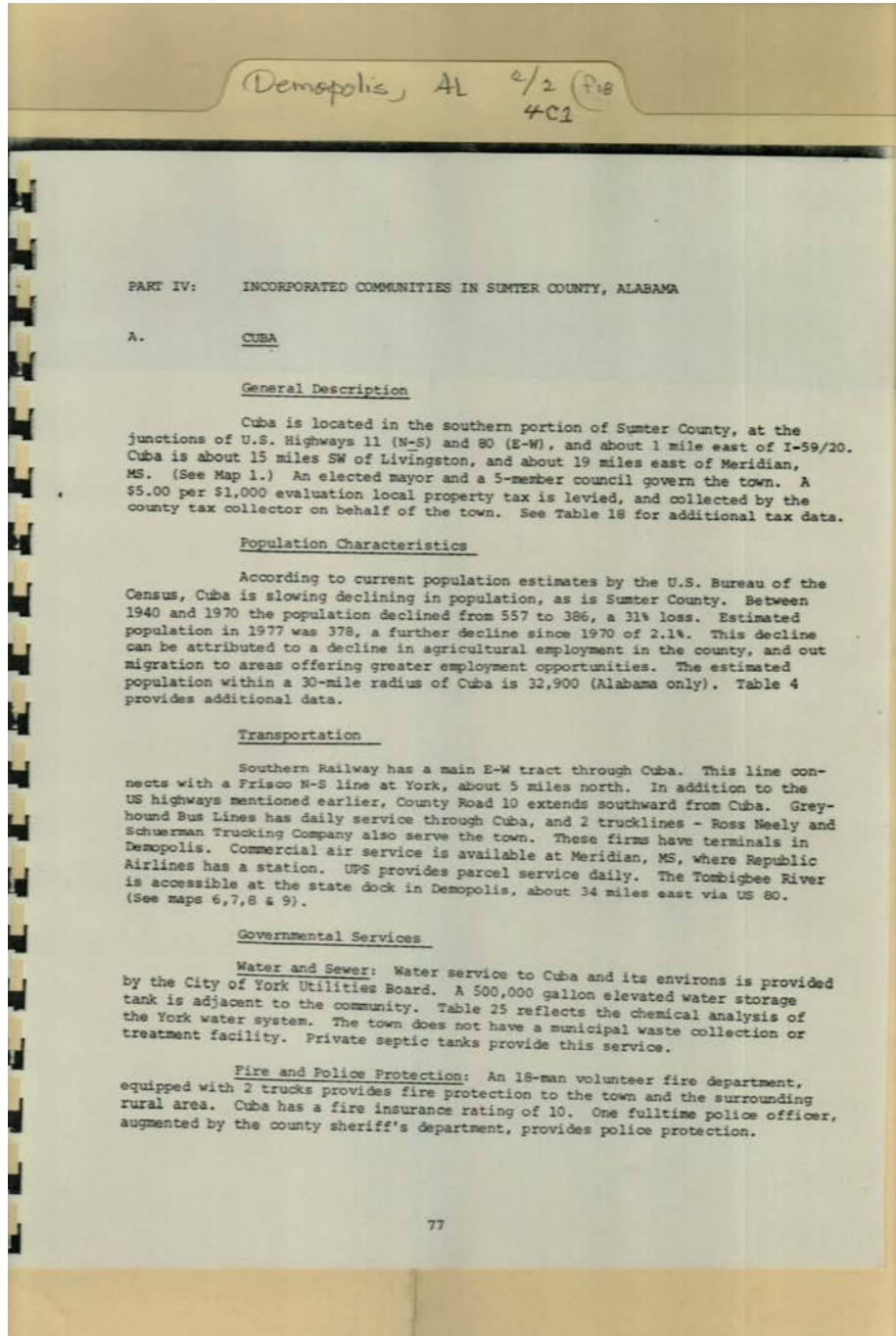
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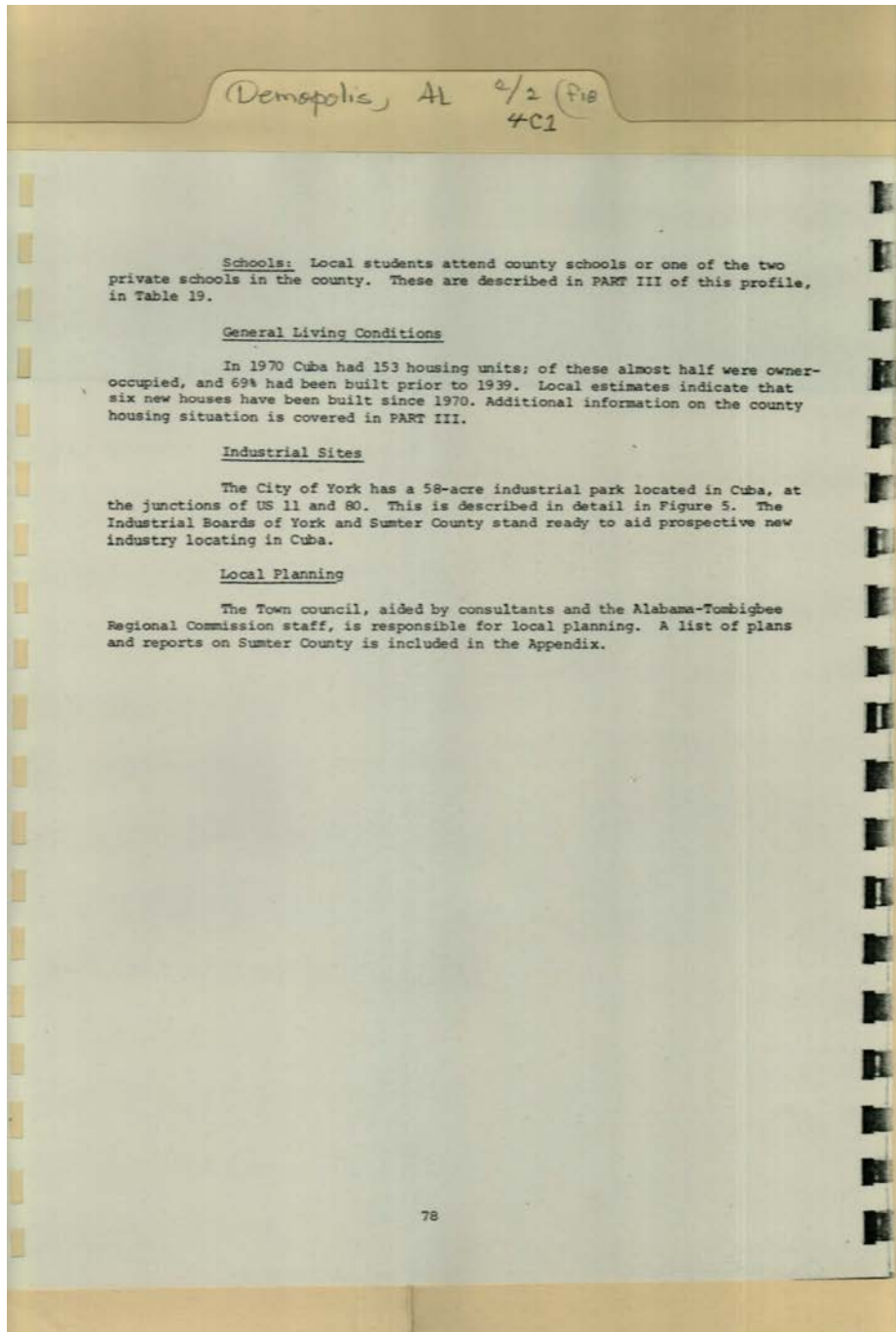
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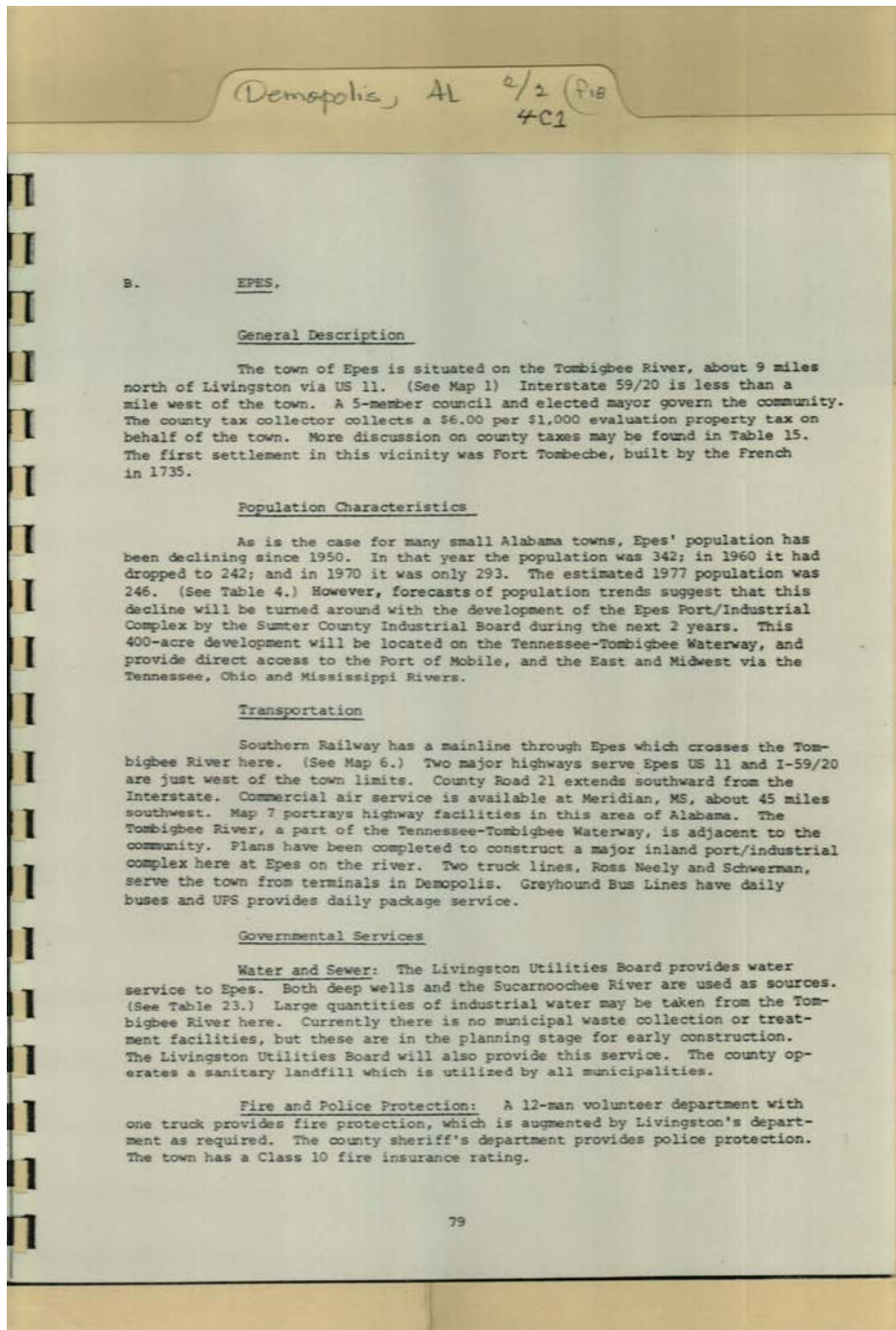
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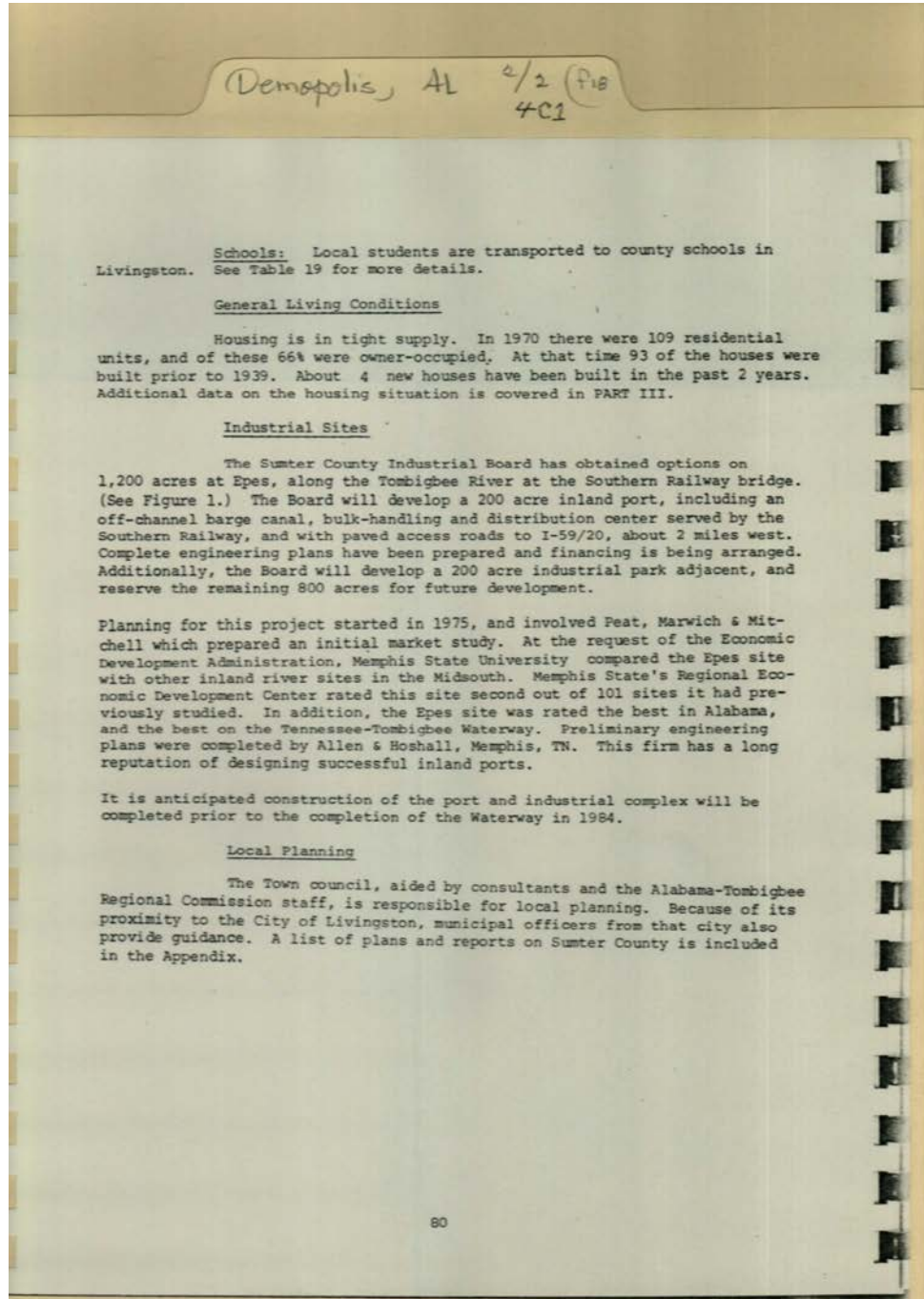
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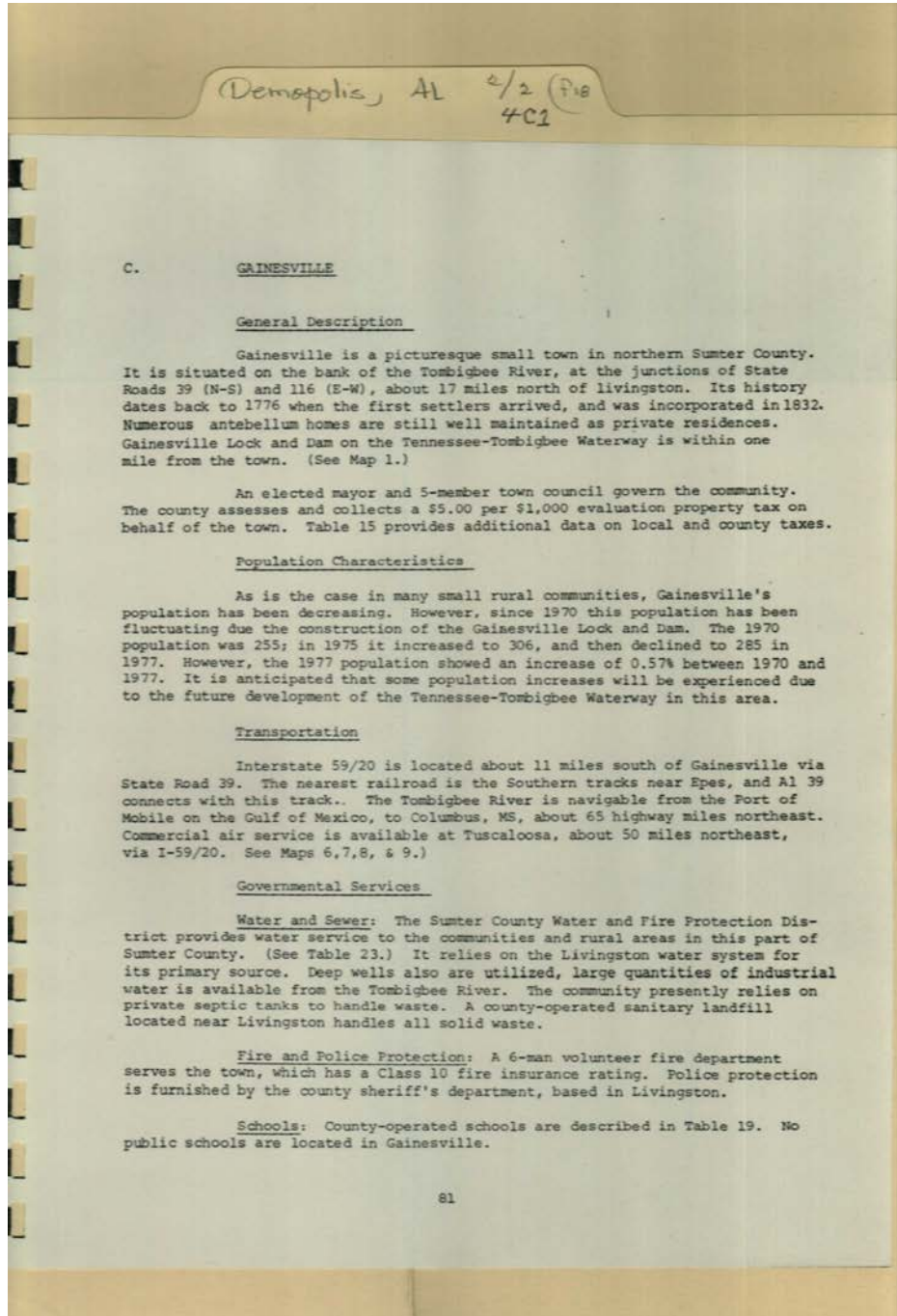
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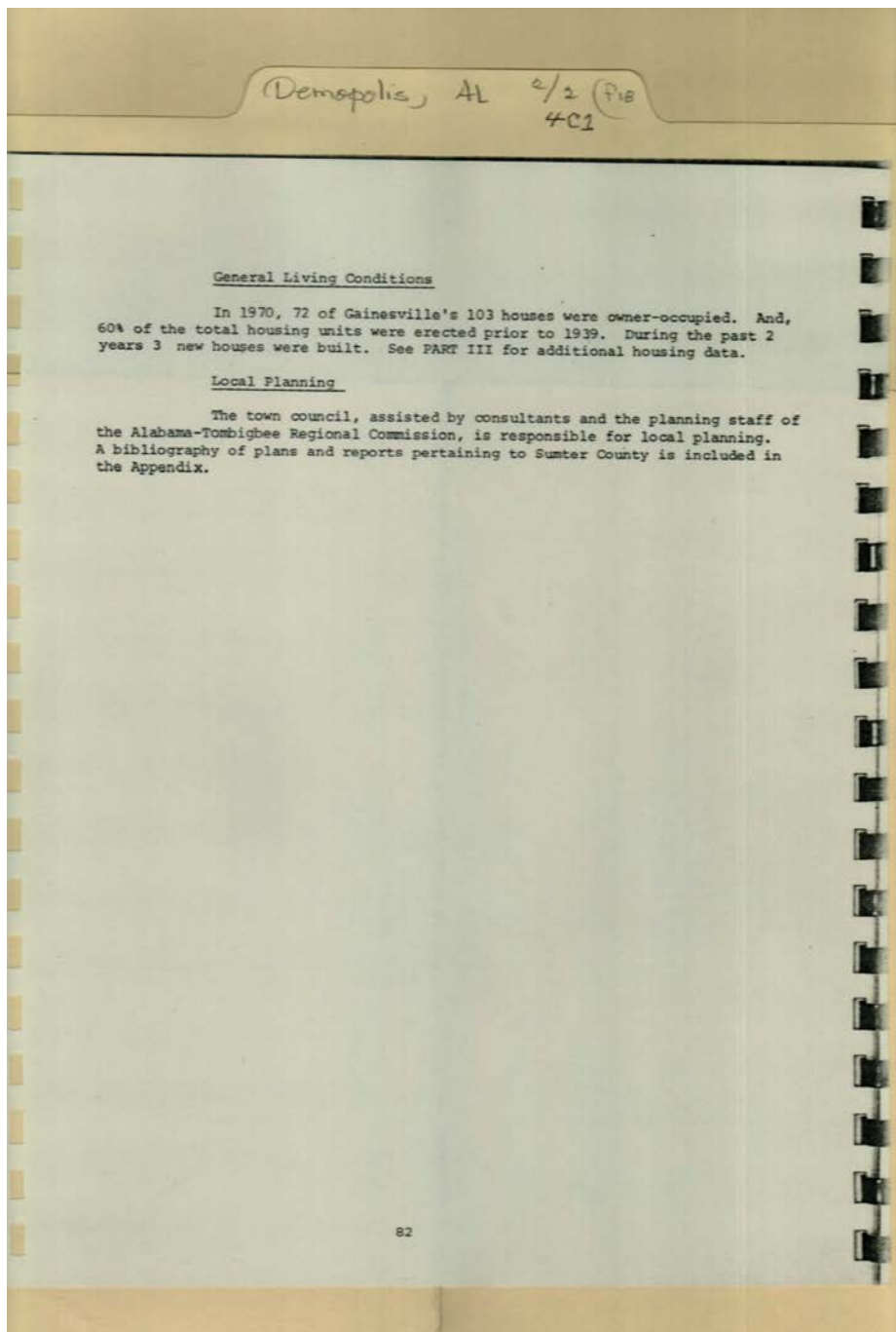
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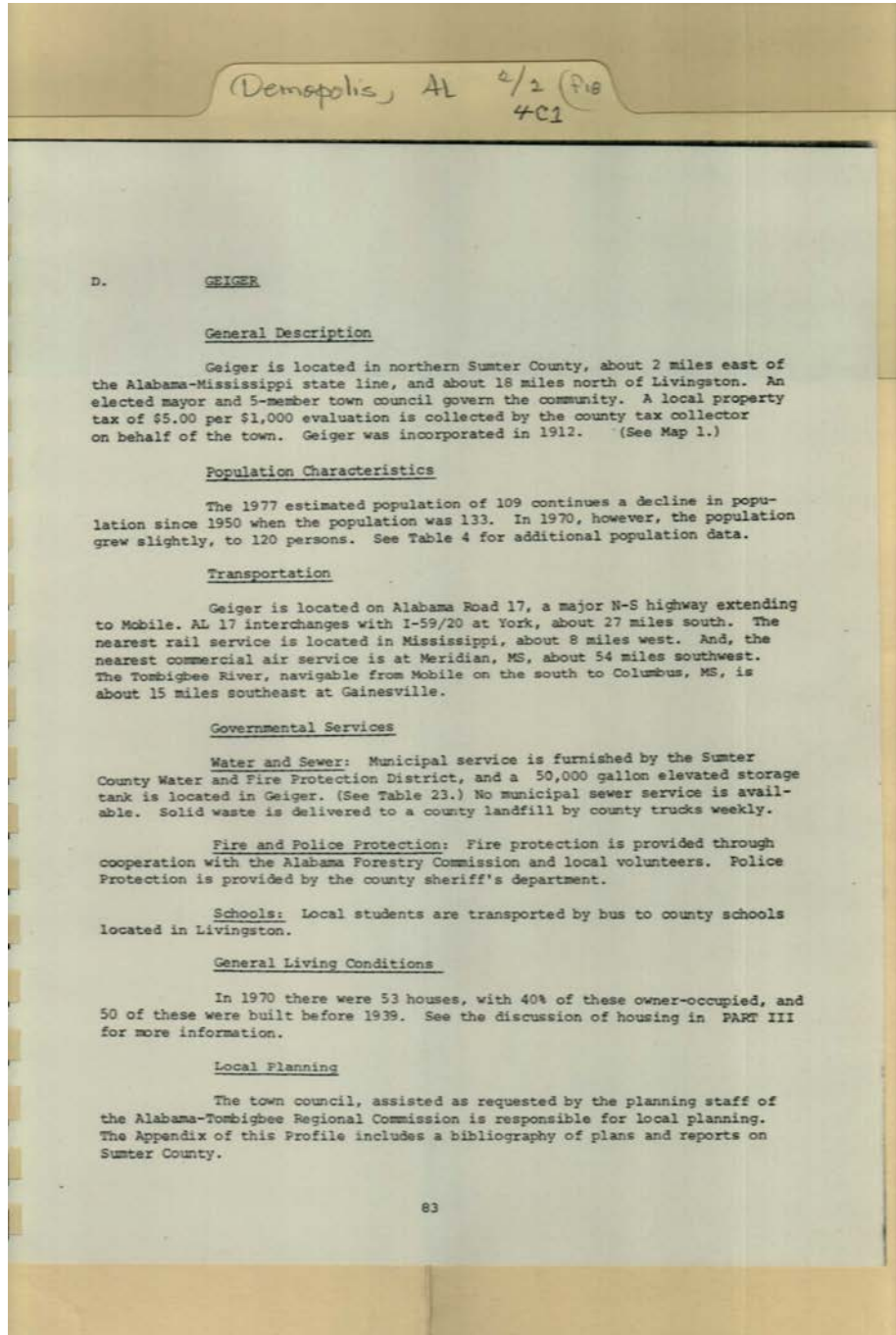
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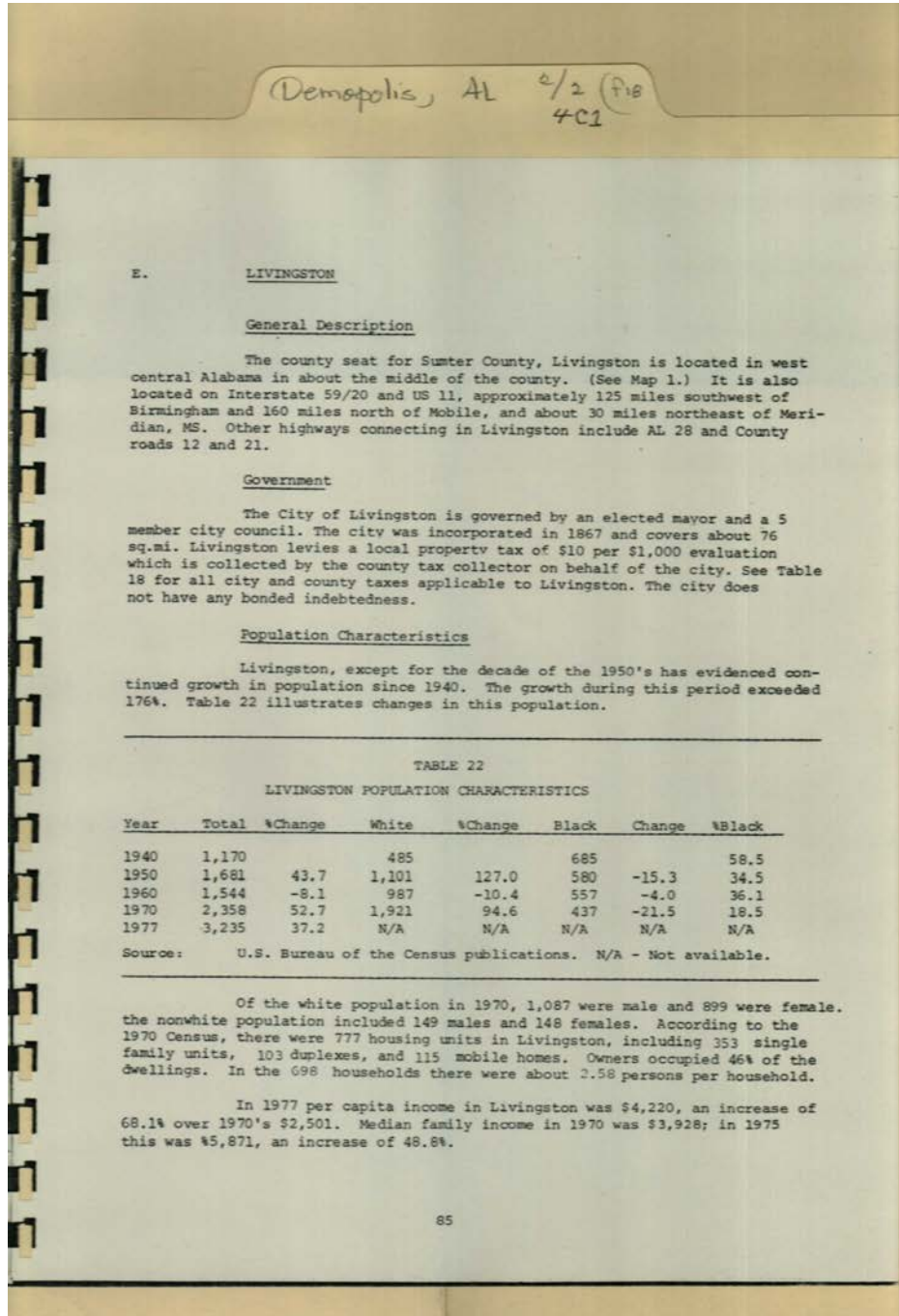
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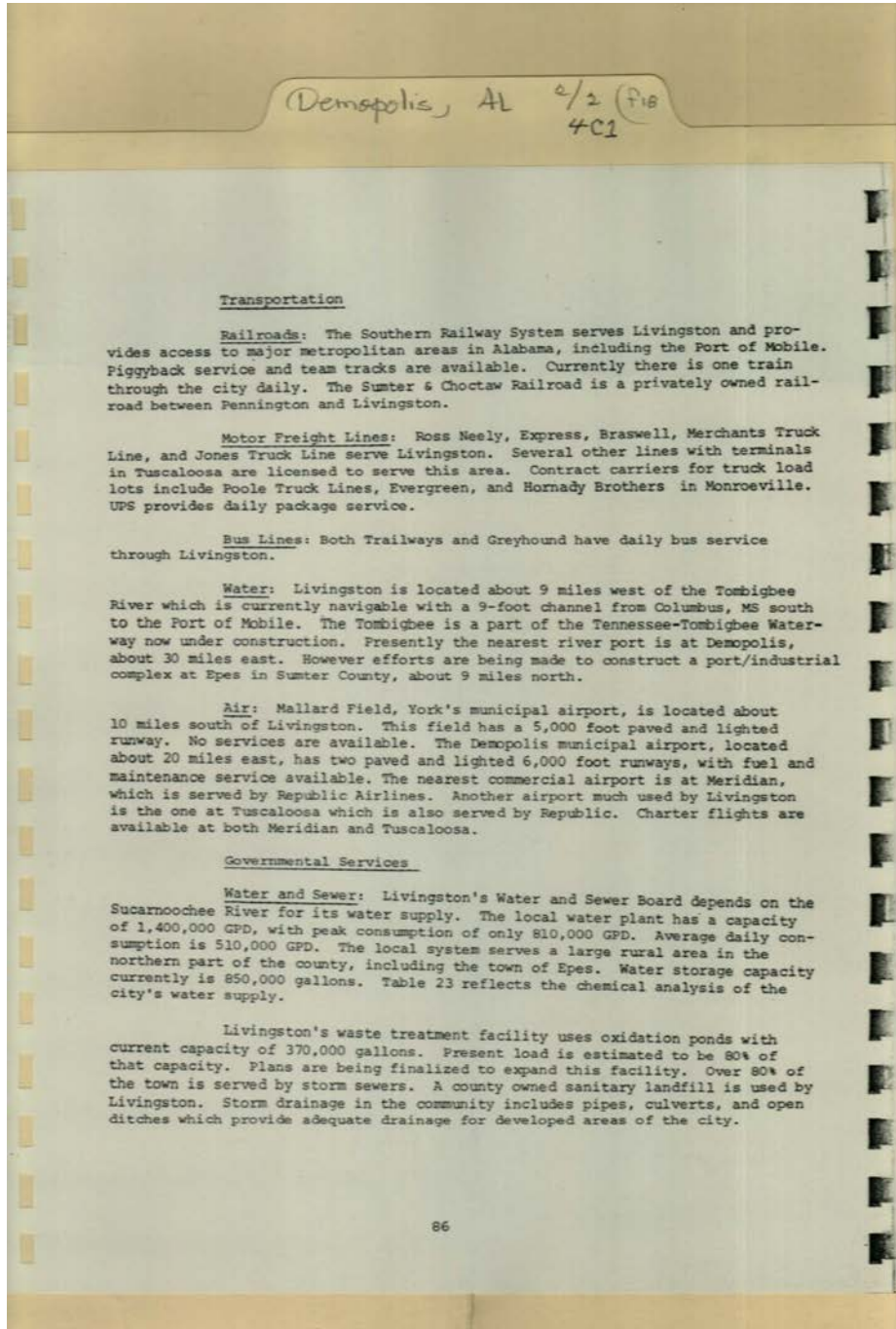
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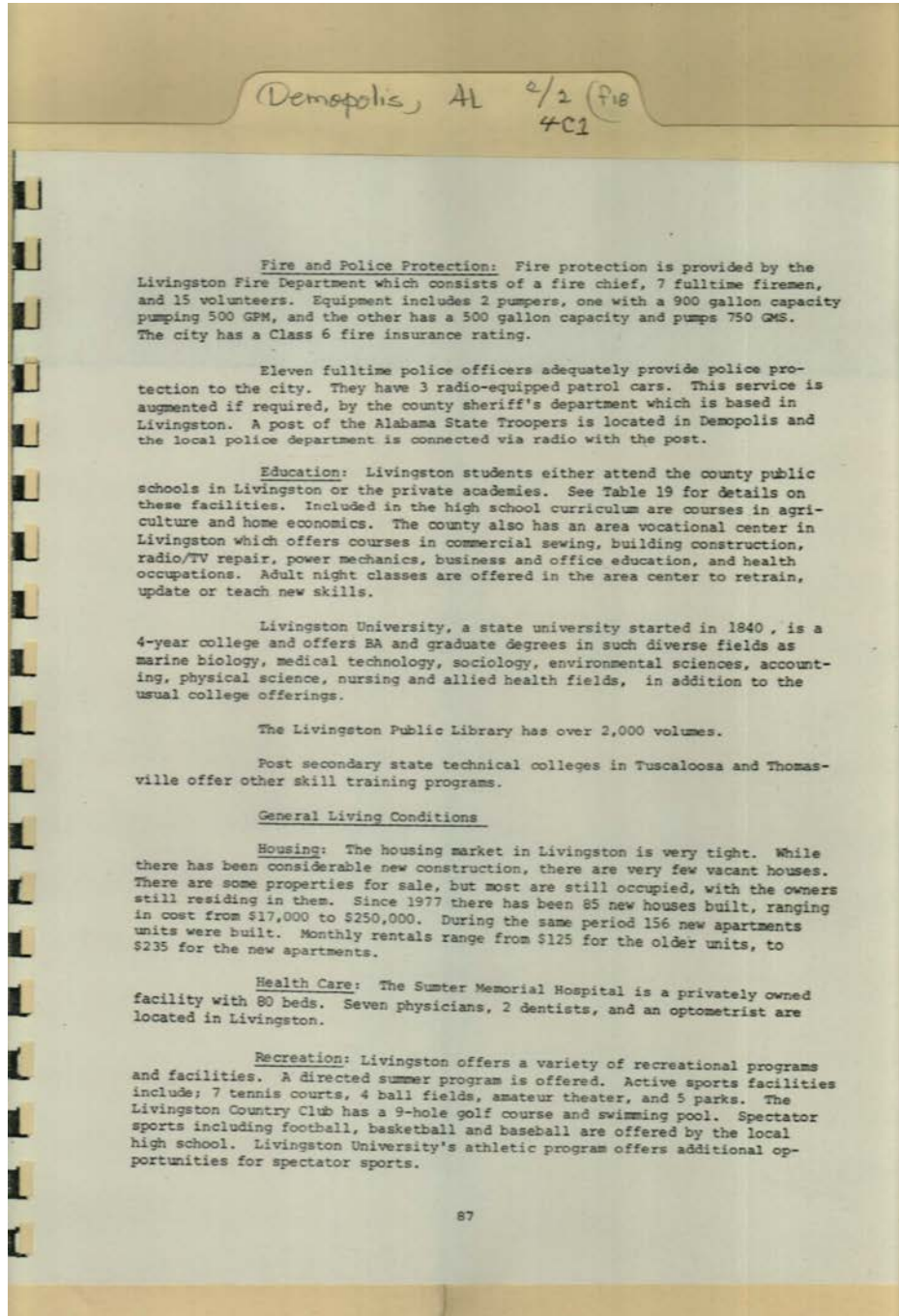
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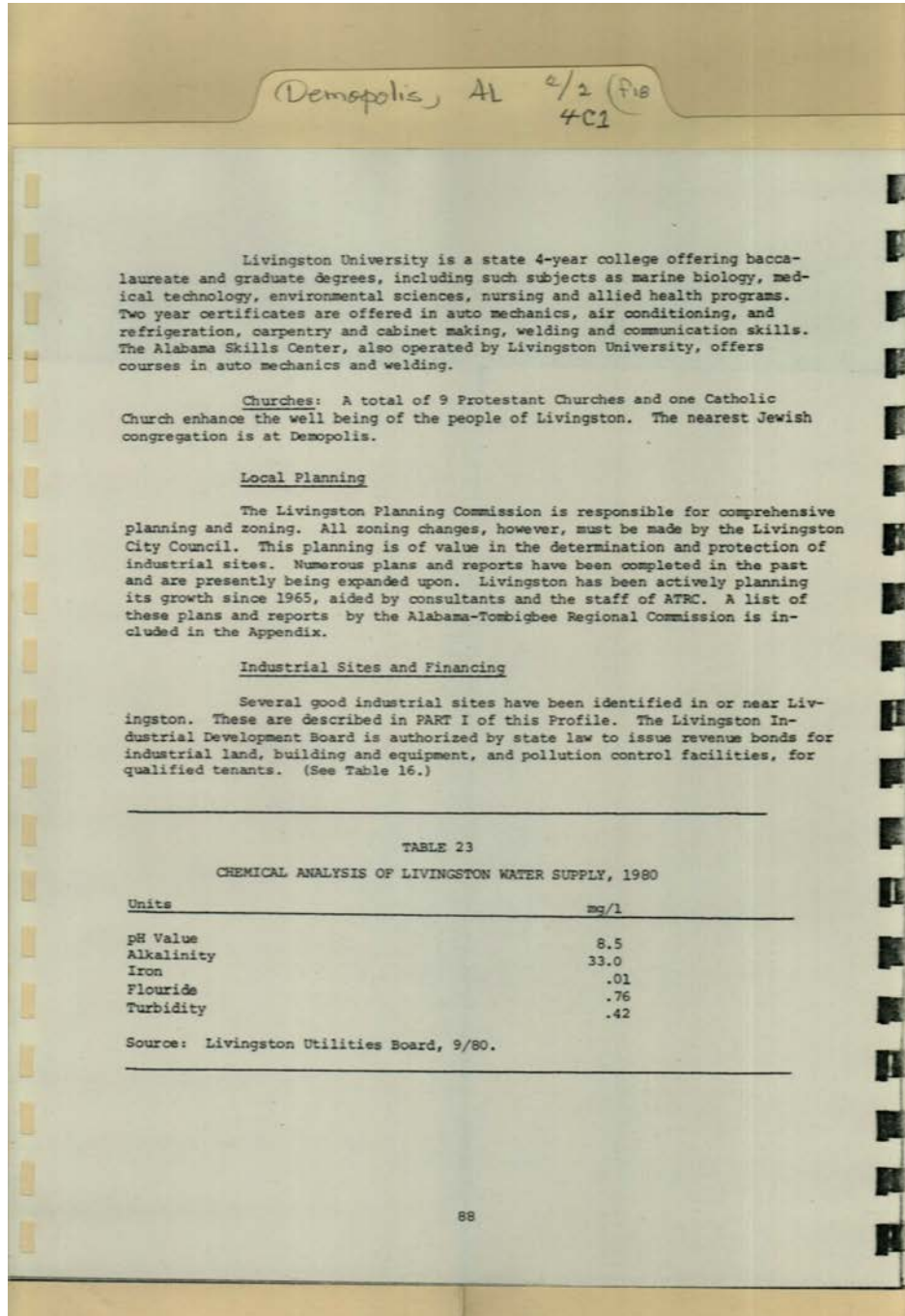
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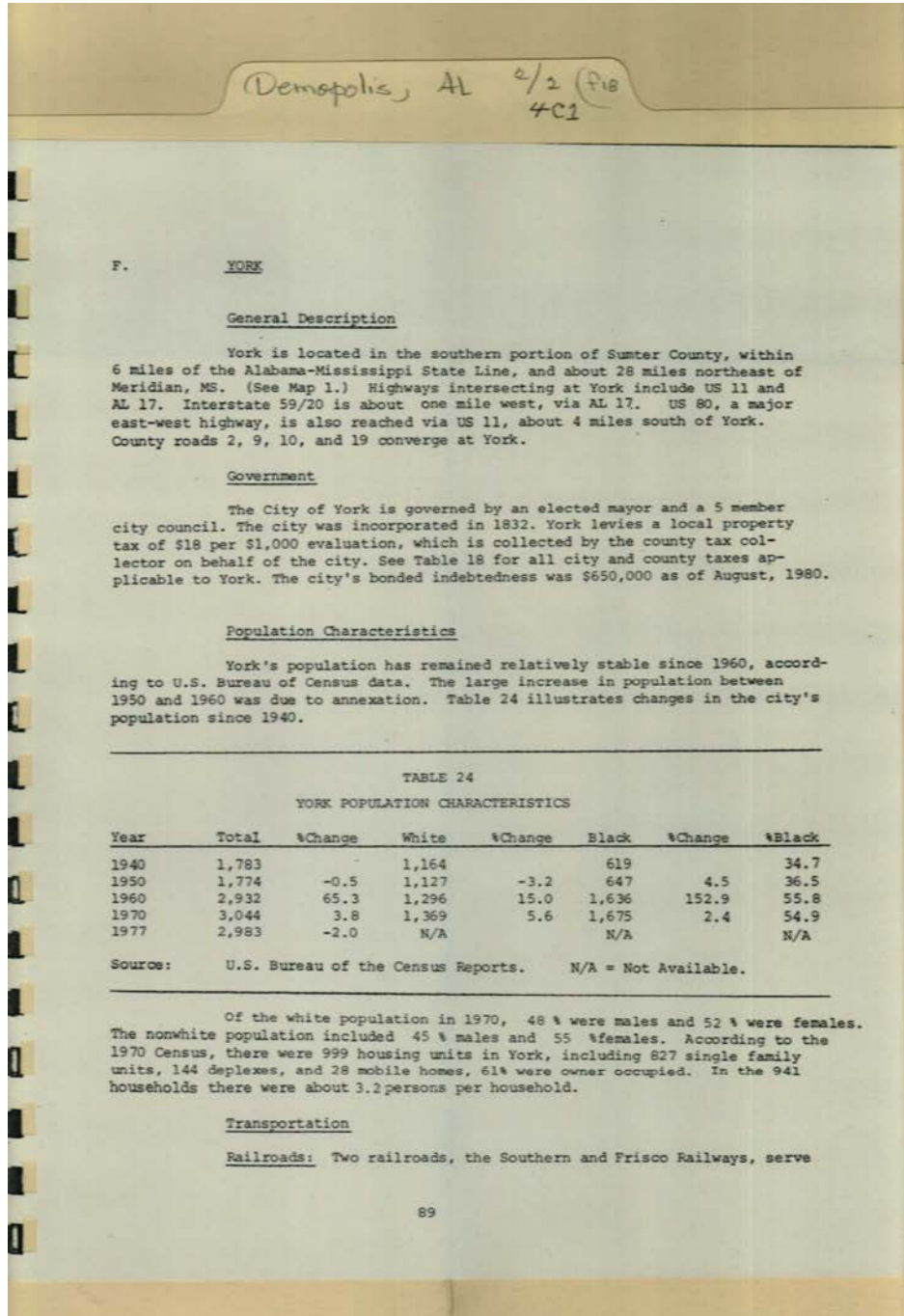
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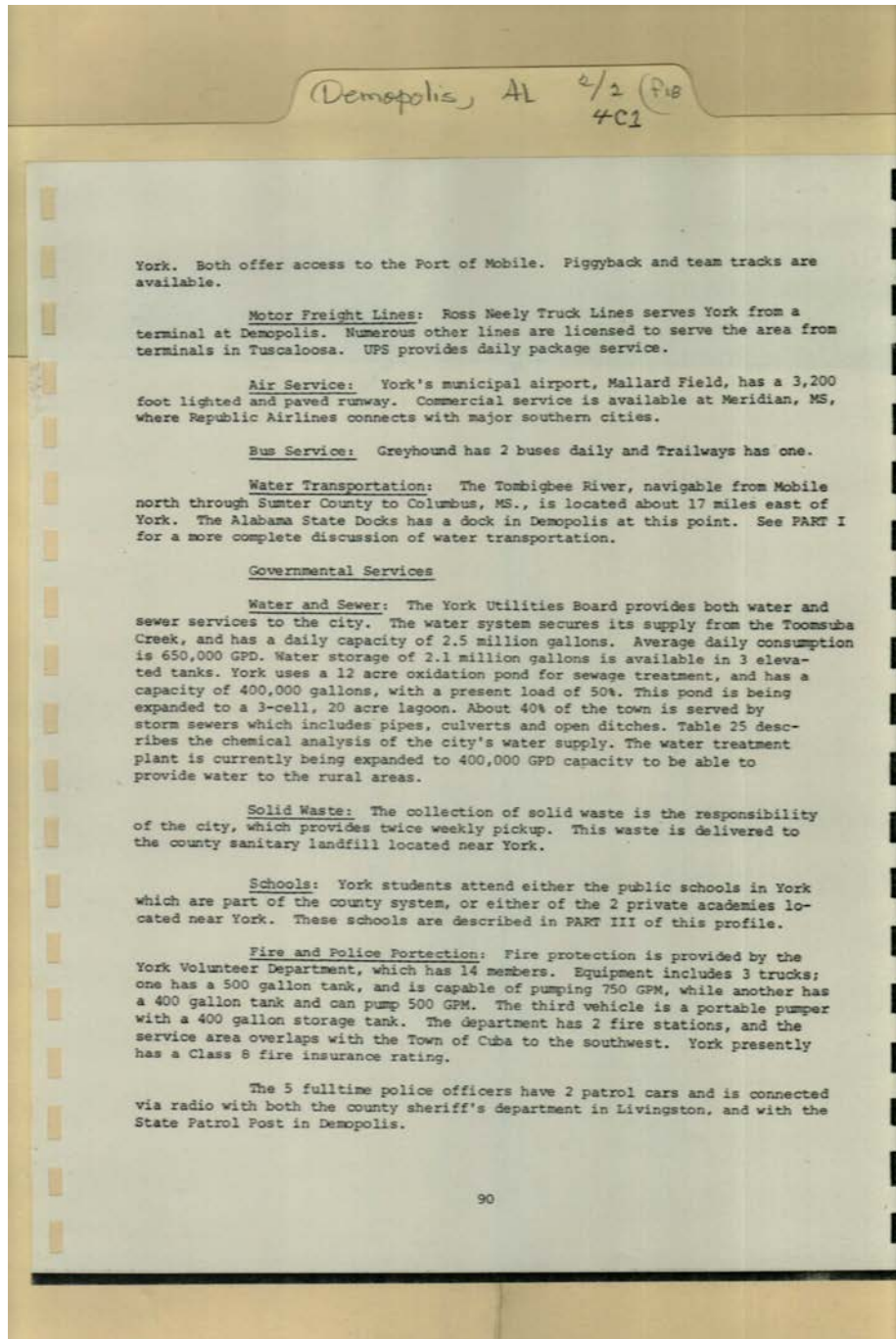
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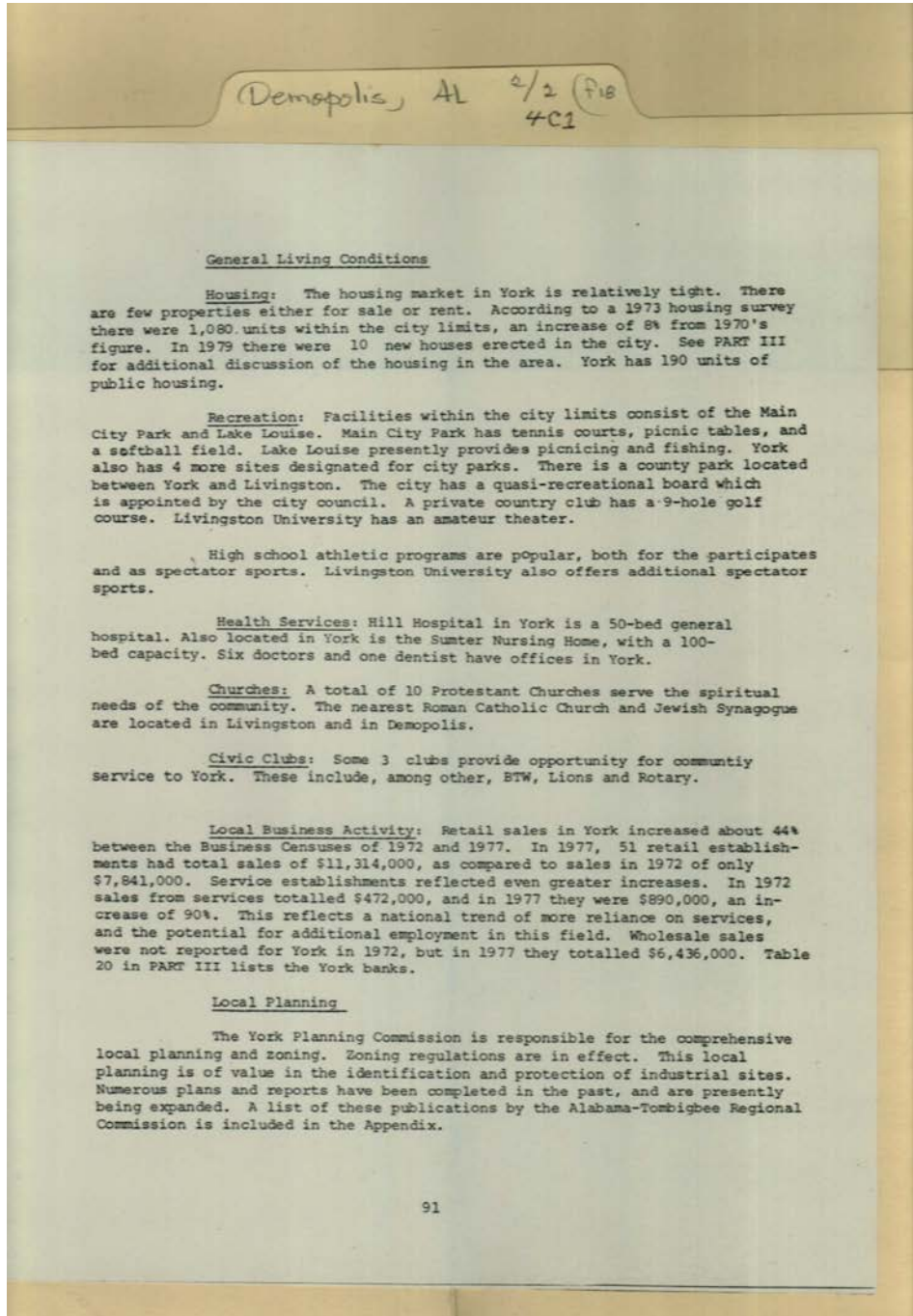
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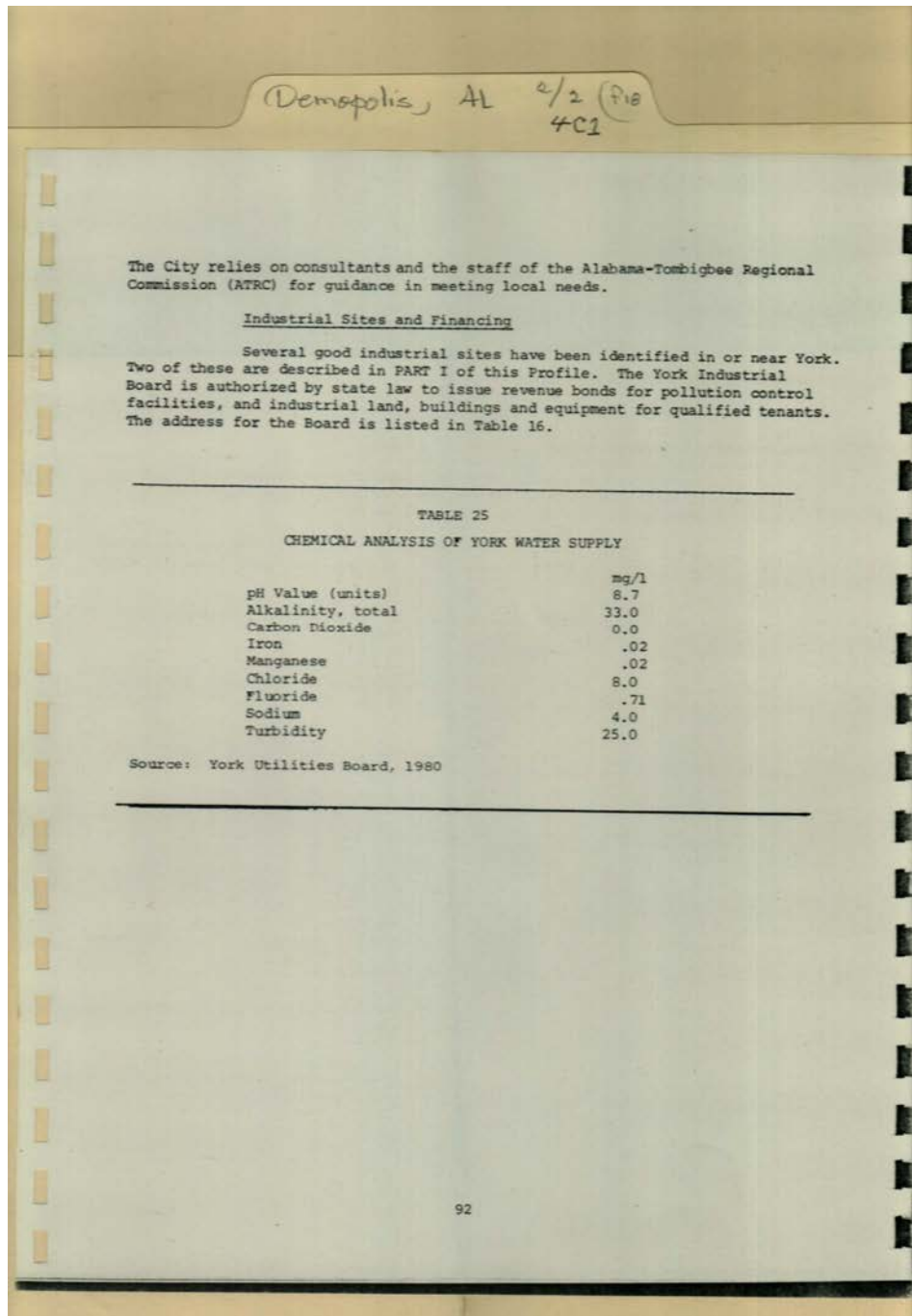
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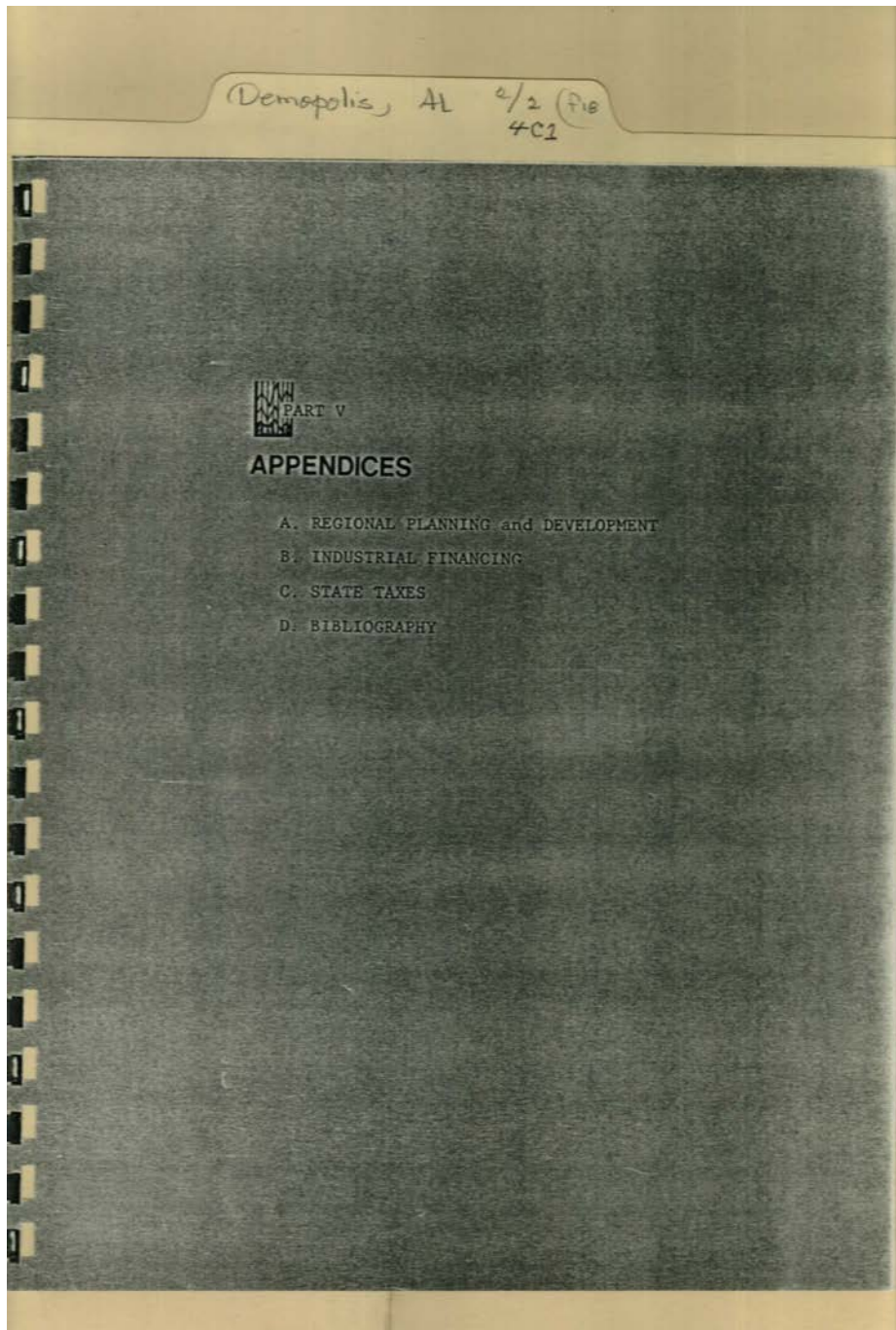
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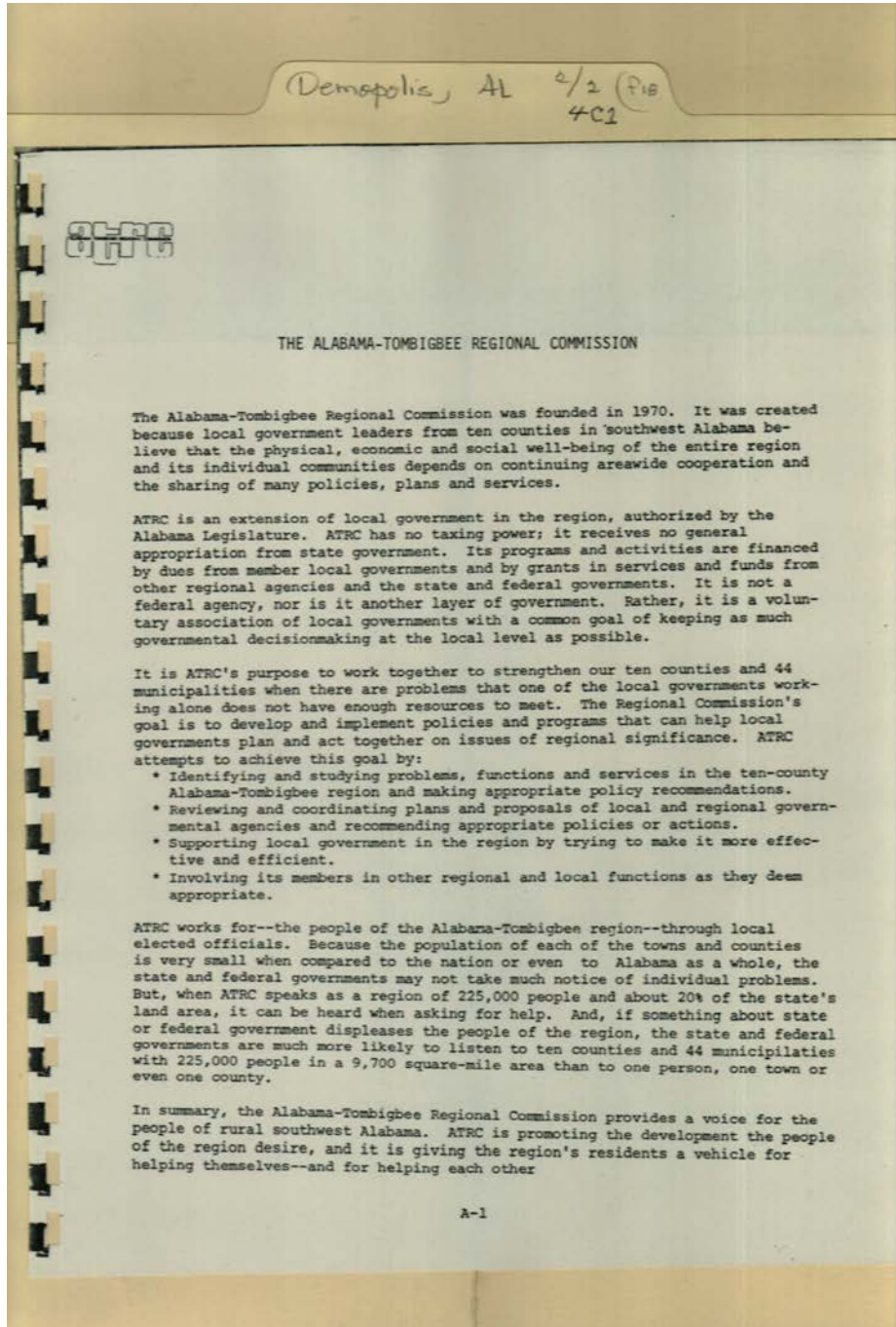


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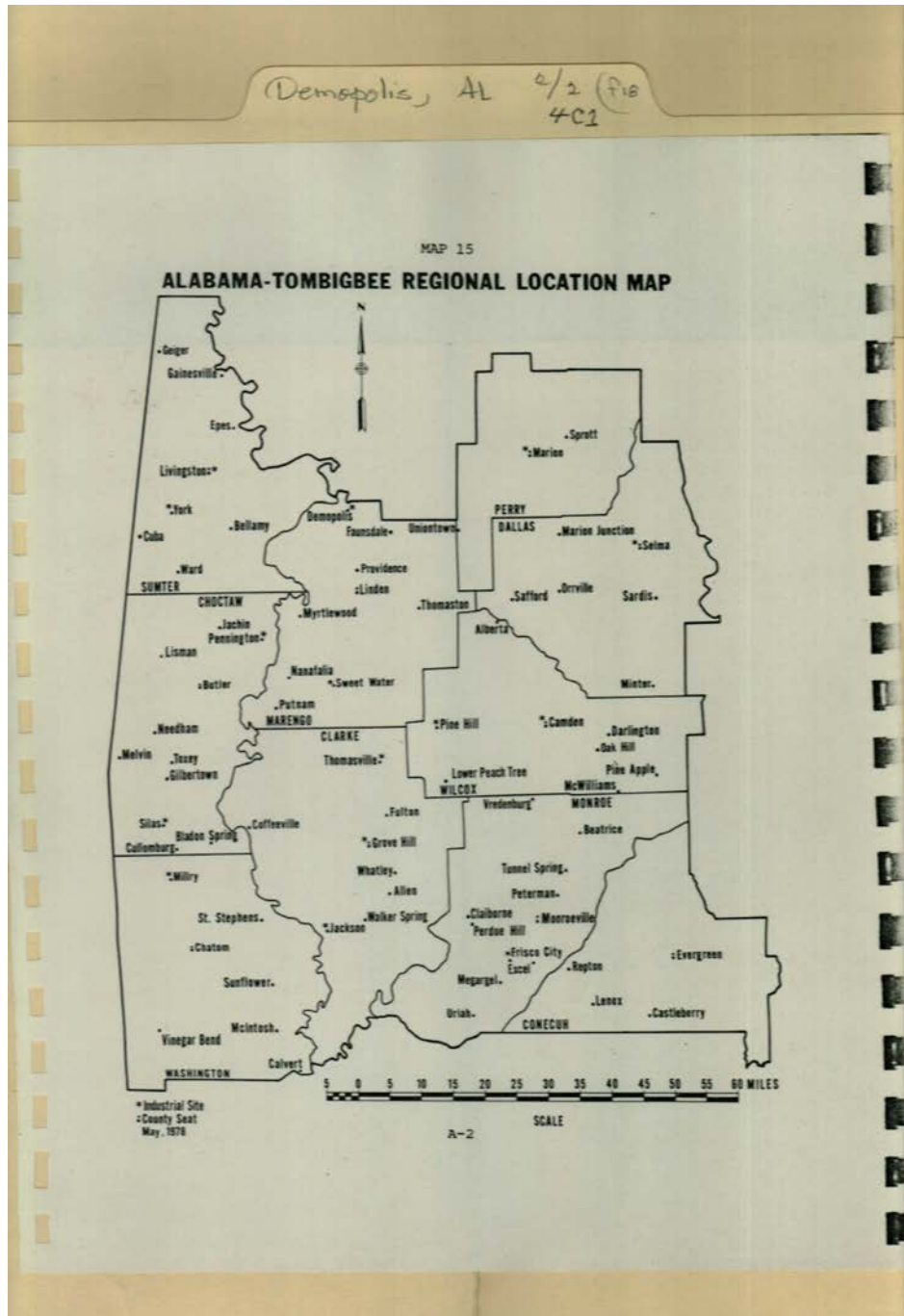
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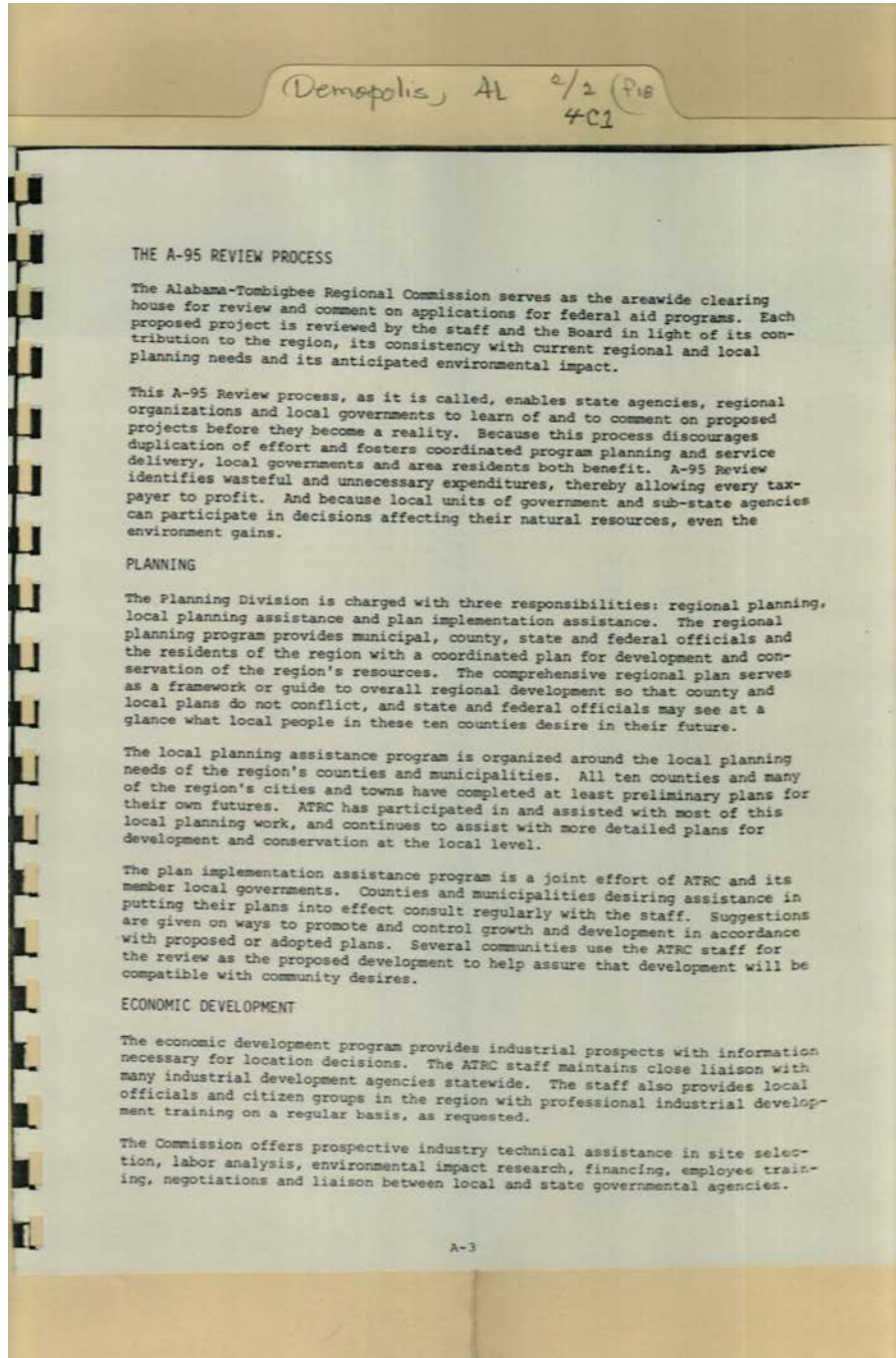
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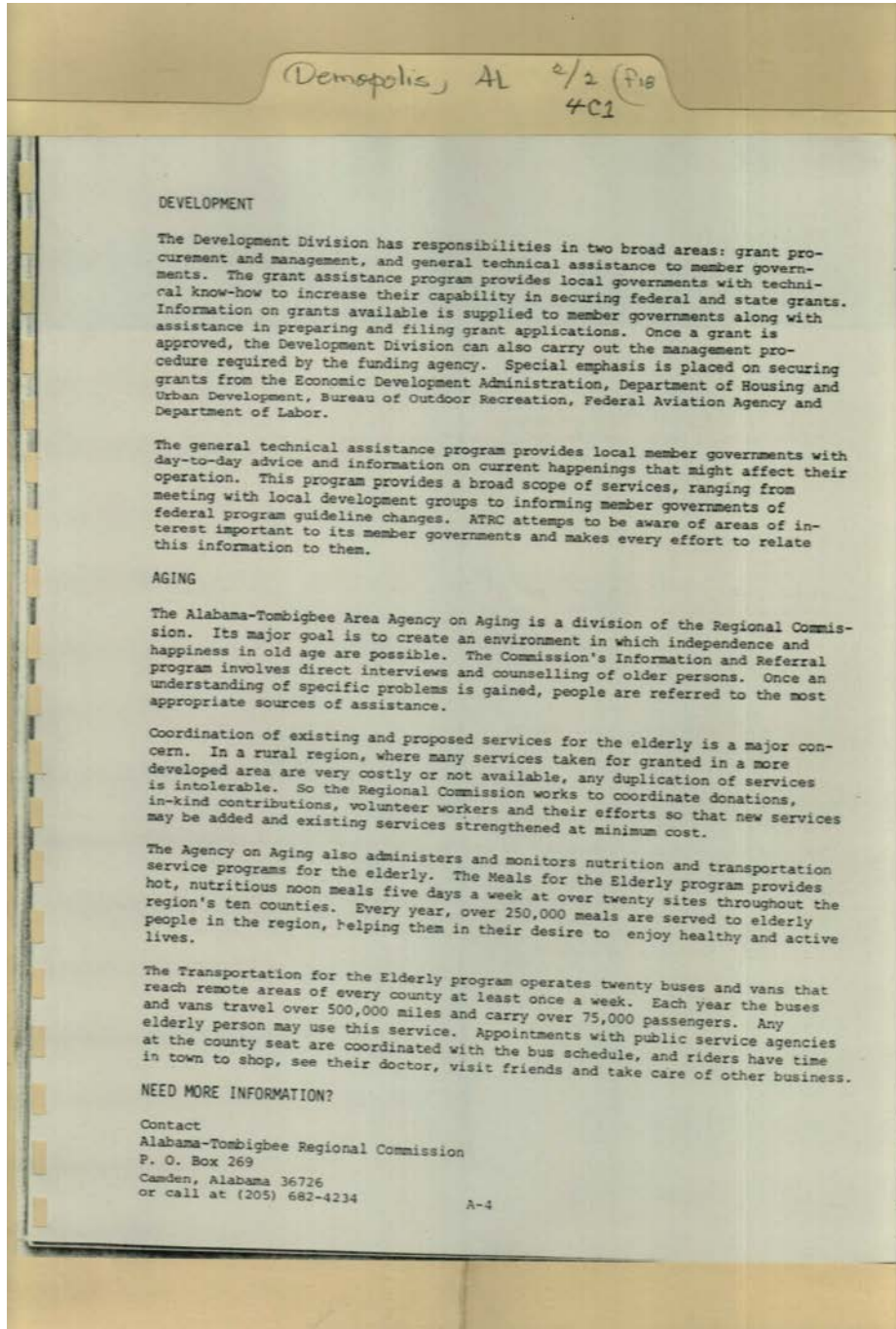
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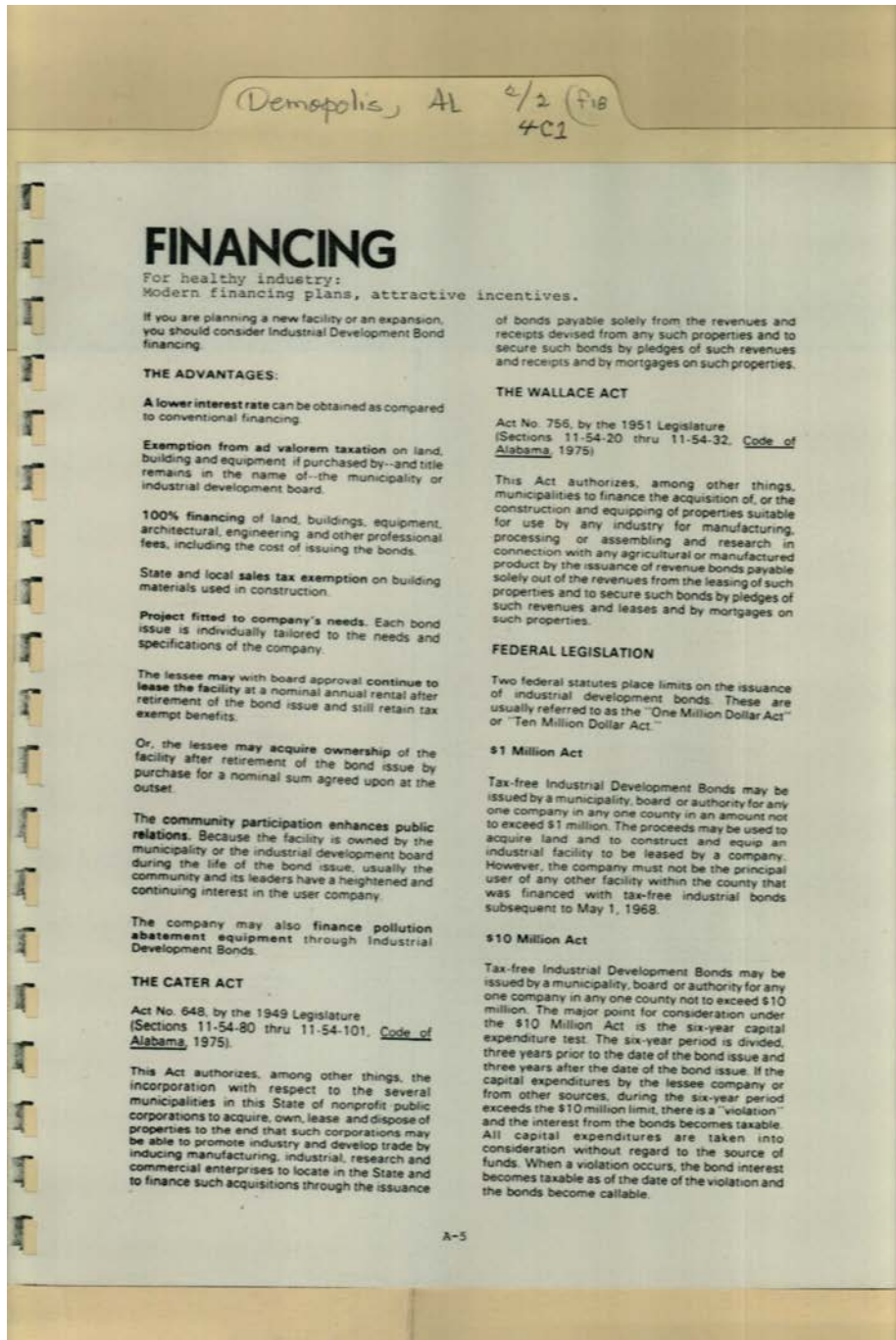
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**SAVINGS**  
Conventional Financing Versus Industrial Development Bond Financing

Assumed Costs:	Example #1		Example #2	
	Conventional	Bonds	Conventional	Bonds
Land	\$100,000		\$1,100,000	
Building - 60% Materials 40% Labor	\$300,000		\$3,300,000	
Machinery and Equipment	\$600,000		\$6,600,000	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,000,000</b>		<b>\$11,000,000</b>	
<b>I. Annual Amount to Amortize Original Cost</b>				
Conv. (\$109,546 per \$1,000)				
Bonds (\$94.40 per \$1,000)				
	<b>5% Interest rate</b>	<b>7% Interest rate</b>		
	\$109,546	\$94.40	\$1,205,006	\$1,189,860
Twenty Year Period	20	20	20	20
<b>Total Amortization Cost</b>	<b>\$2,190,920</b>	<b>\$1,888,000</b>	<b>\$24,100,120</b>	<b>\$23,797,200</b>
<b>II. Sales Tax - Materials - 6% Average</b>				
Conv. - \$300,000 x 60% x 6% =	\$10,800	-0-		
\$3,300,000 x 60% x 6% =			\$118,800	-0-
<b>III. Use Tax - Machinery - 2.25% Average</b>				
Conv. - \$600,000 x 2.25% =	\$13,500	-0-		
\$6,600,000 x 2.25% =			\$148,500	-0-
<b>IV. Ad Valorem Tax - 30 Mill Average - 20% Assessment rate - 15 mill assumed school tax</b>				
Conv. - \$1,000,000 x 20% x 15 mills x 10 years =	\$30,000	-0-		
\$1,000,000 x 20% x 30 mills x 10 years =	\$60,000	-0-		
\$11,000,000 x 20% x 15 mills x 10 years =			\$330,000	-0-
\$11,000,000 x 20% x 30 mills x 10 years =			\$660,000	-0-
<b>Total Dept. Service &amp; Taxes</b>	<b>\$2,305,220</b>	<b>\$1,888,000</b>	<b>\$25,357,420</b>	<b>\$23,797,200</b>
<b>Net Savings</b>		<b>\$417,220</b>		<b>\$1,560,200</b>
<b>% Savings of Financing Costs by Utilizing Industrial Development Bonds</b>		<b>41.7%</b>		<b>14.2%</b>

Source: Alabama Development Office, Montgomery, Alabama, 1979.

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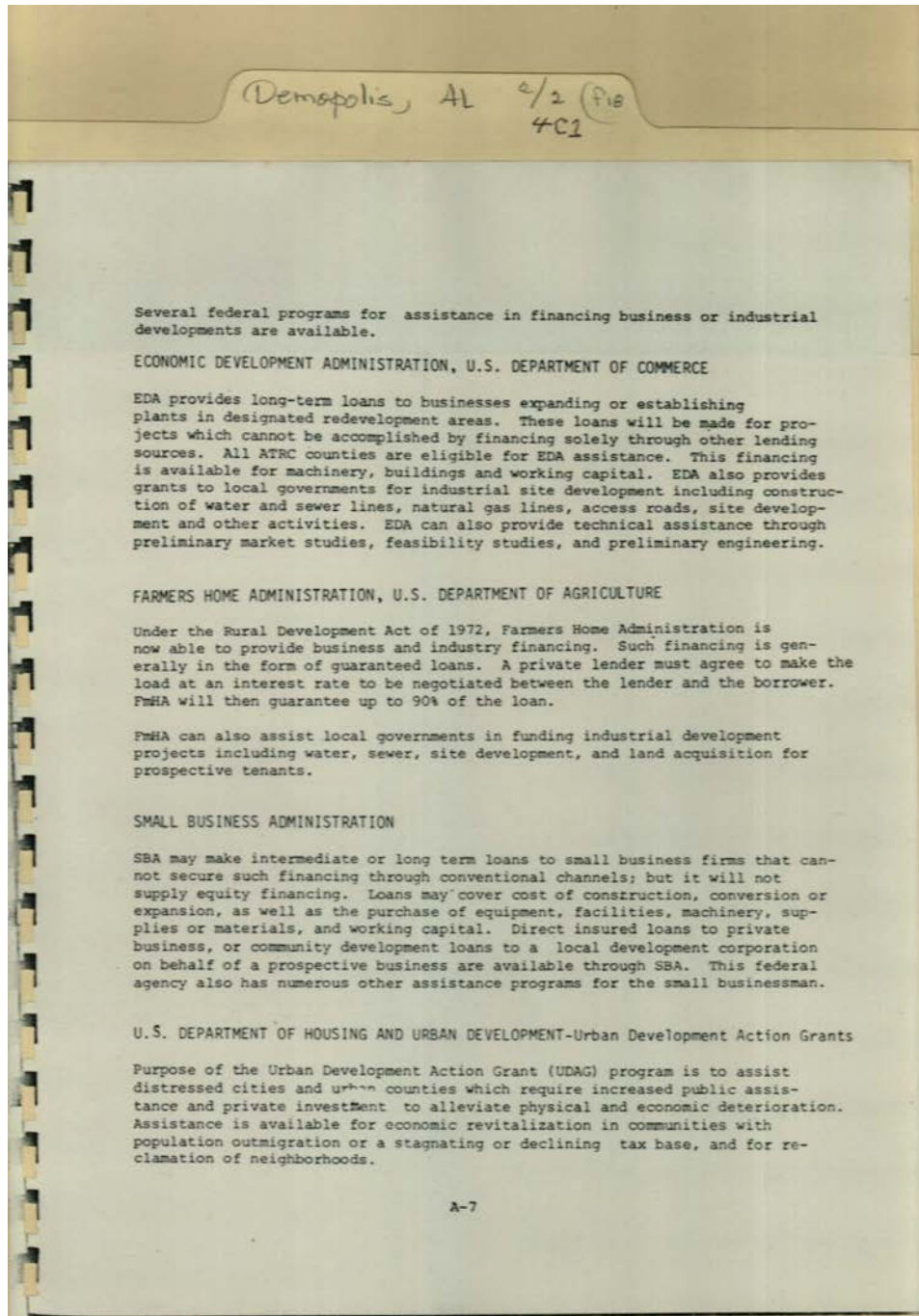
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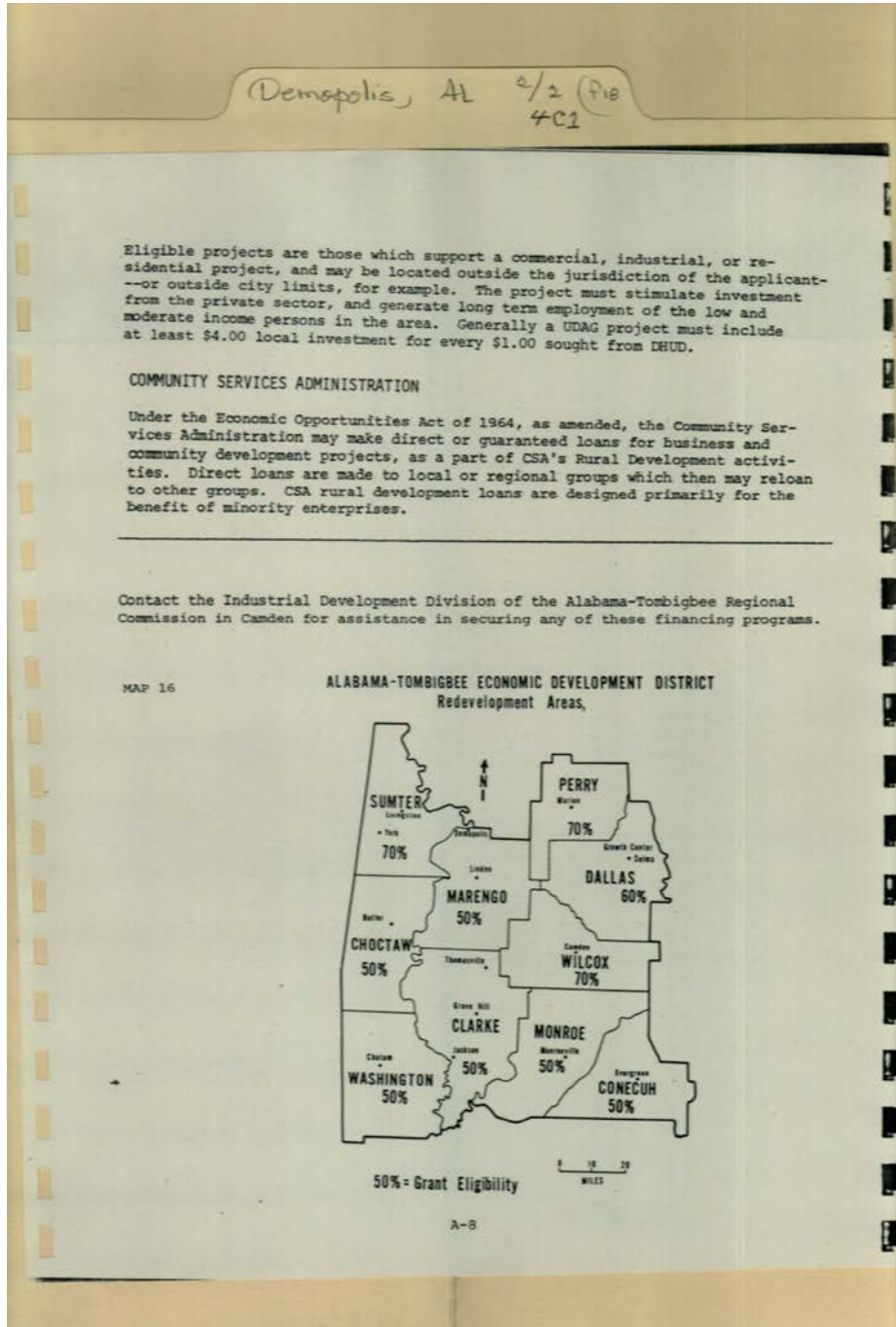
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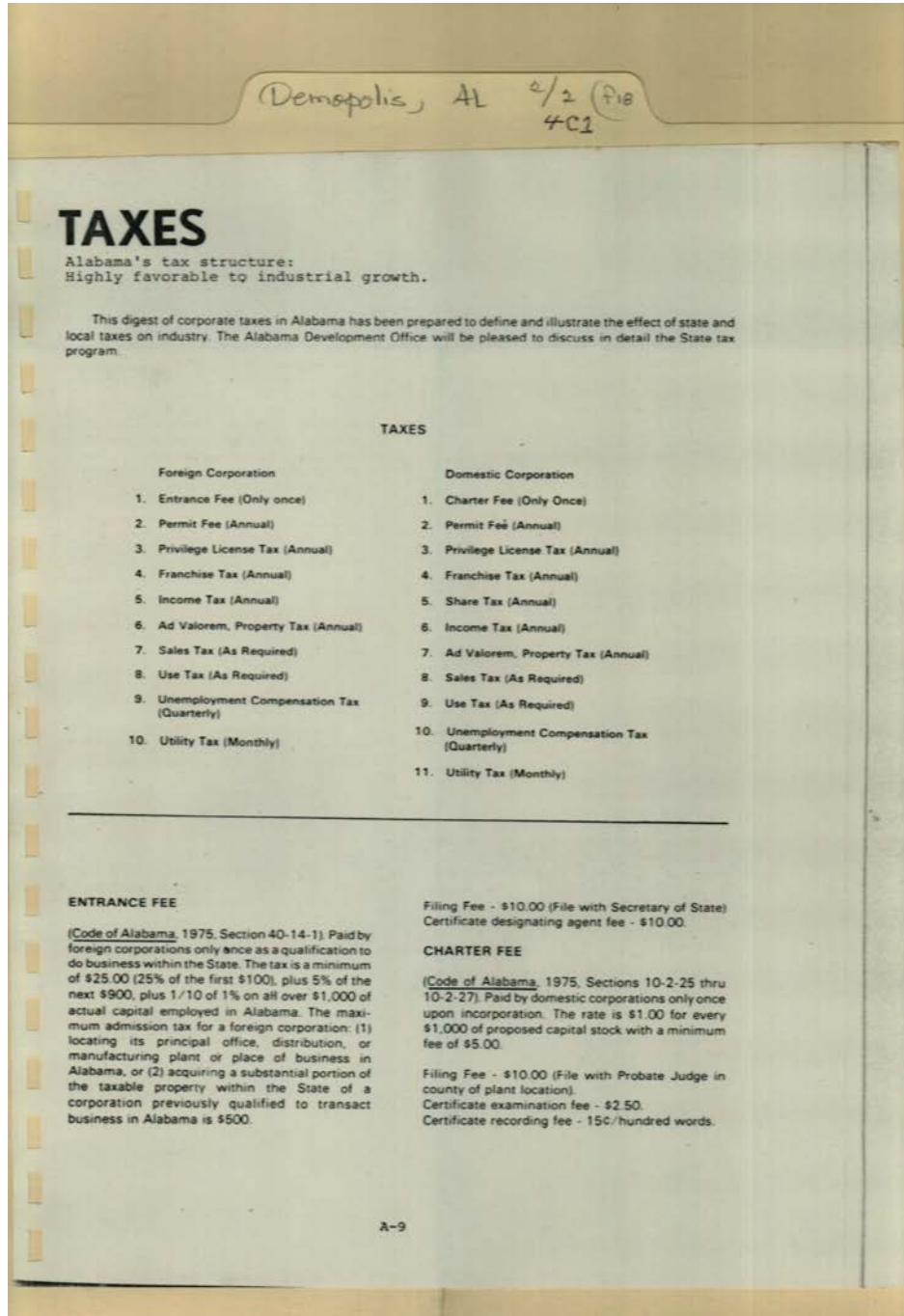
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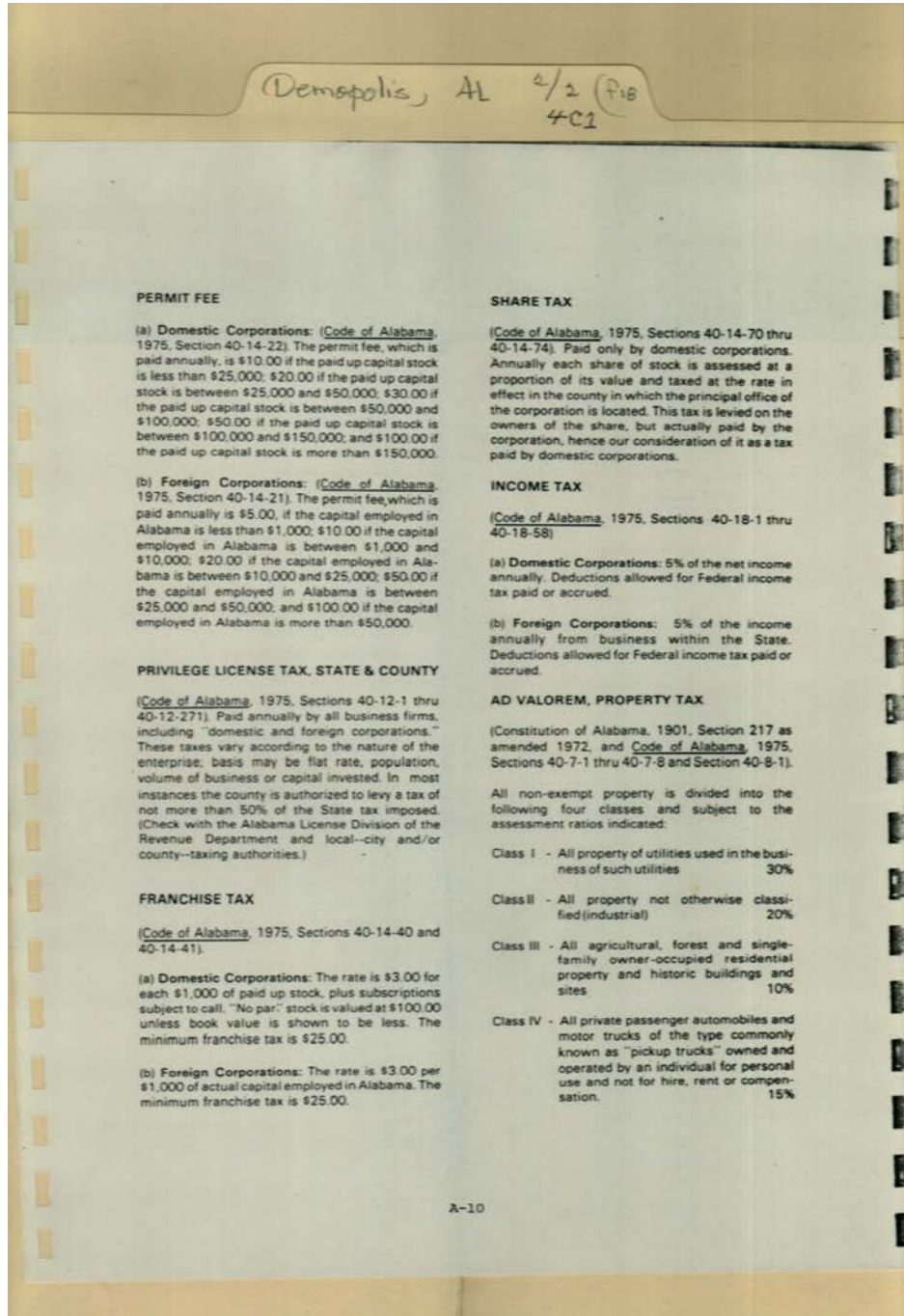
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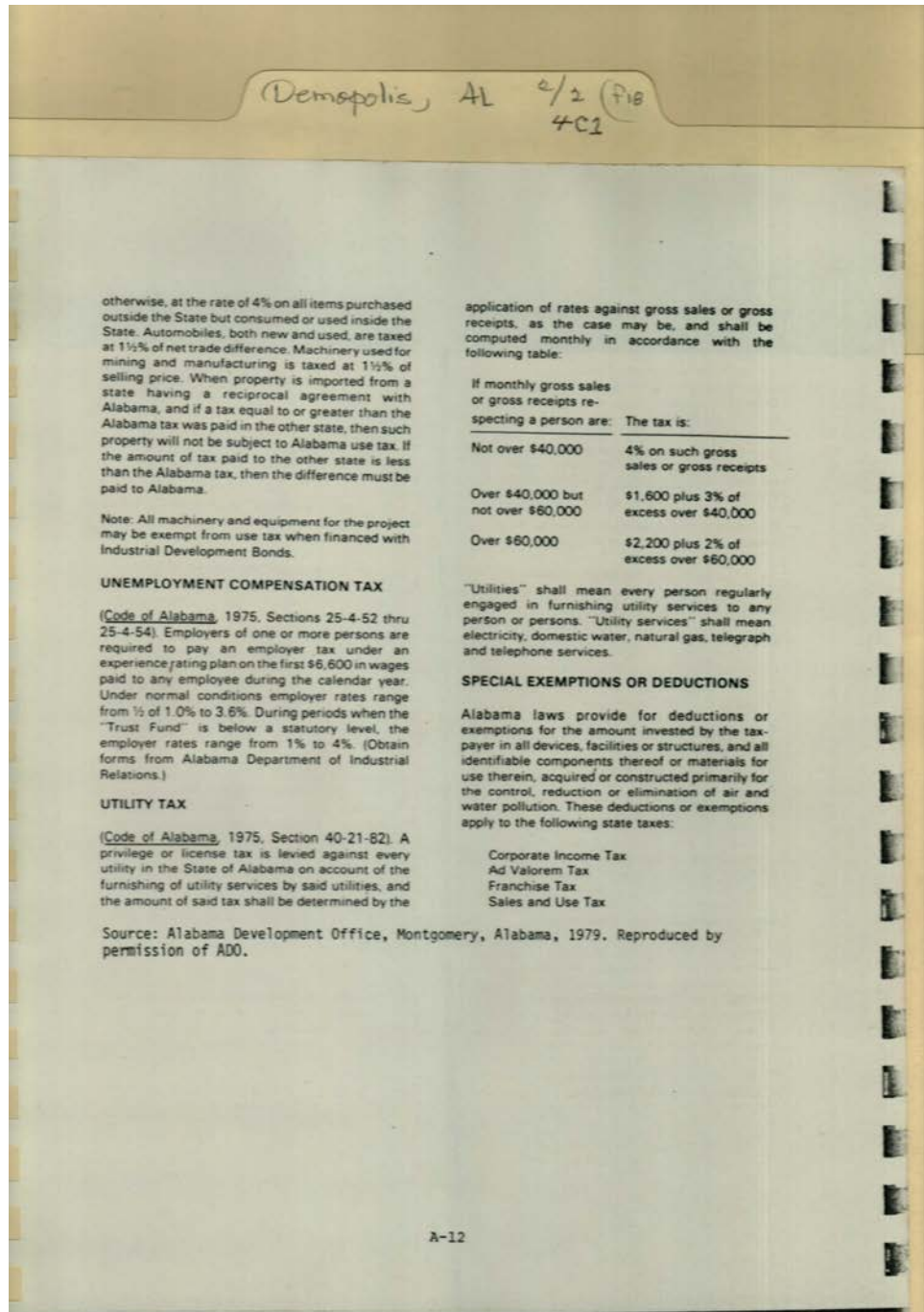
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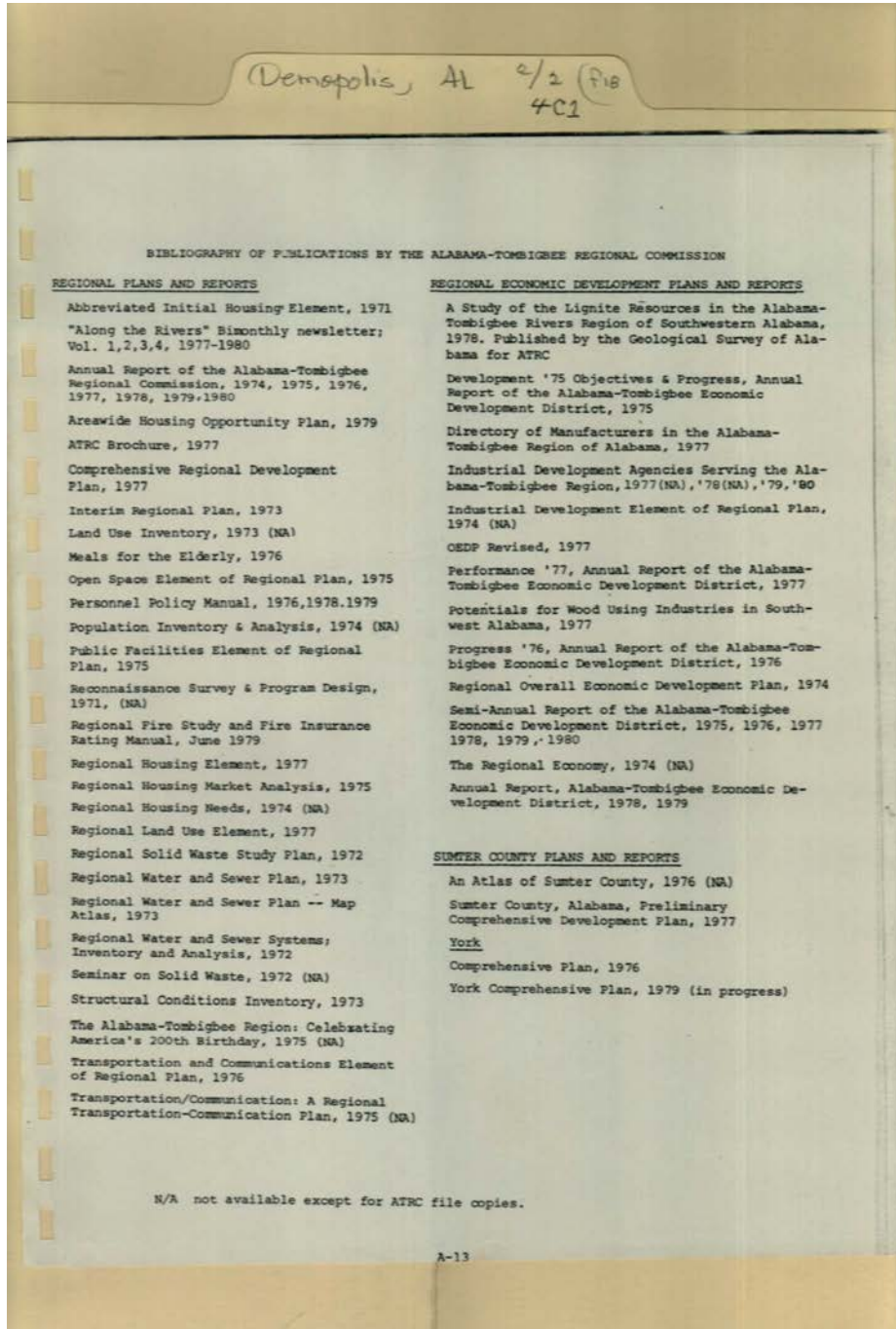
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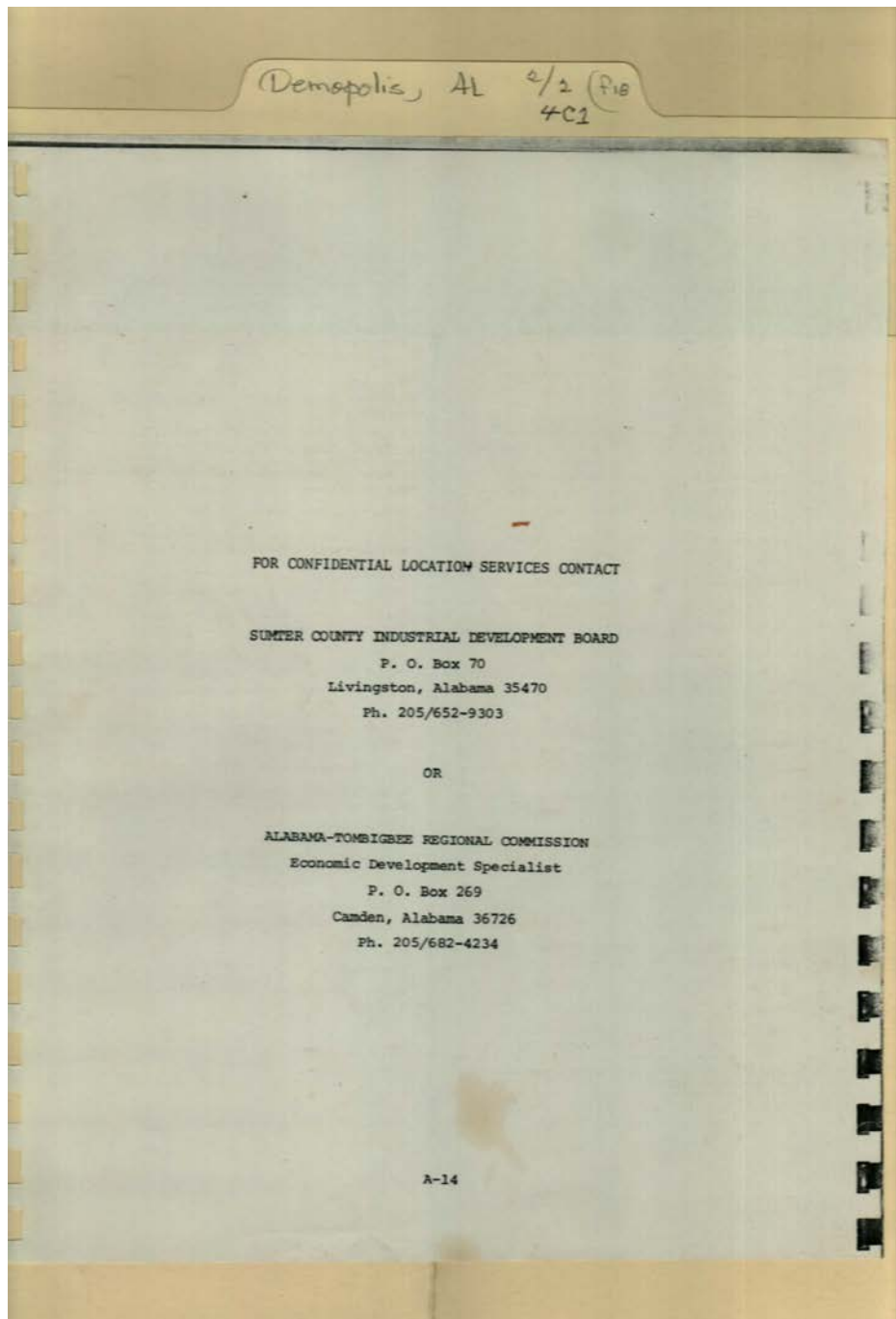
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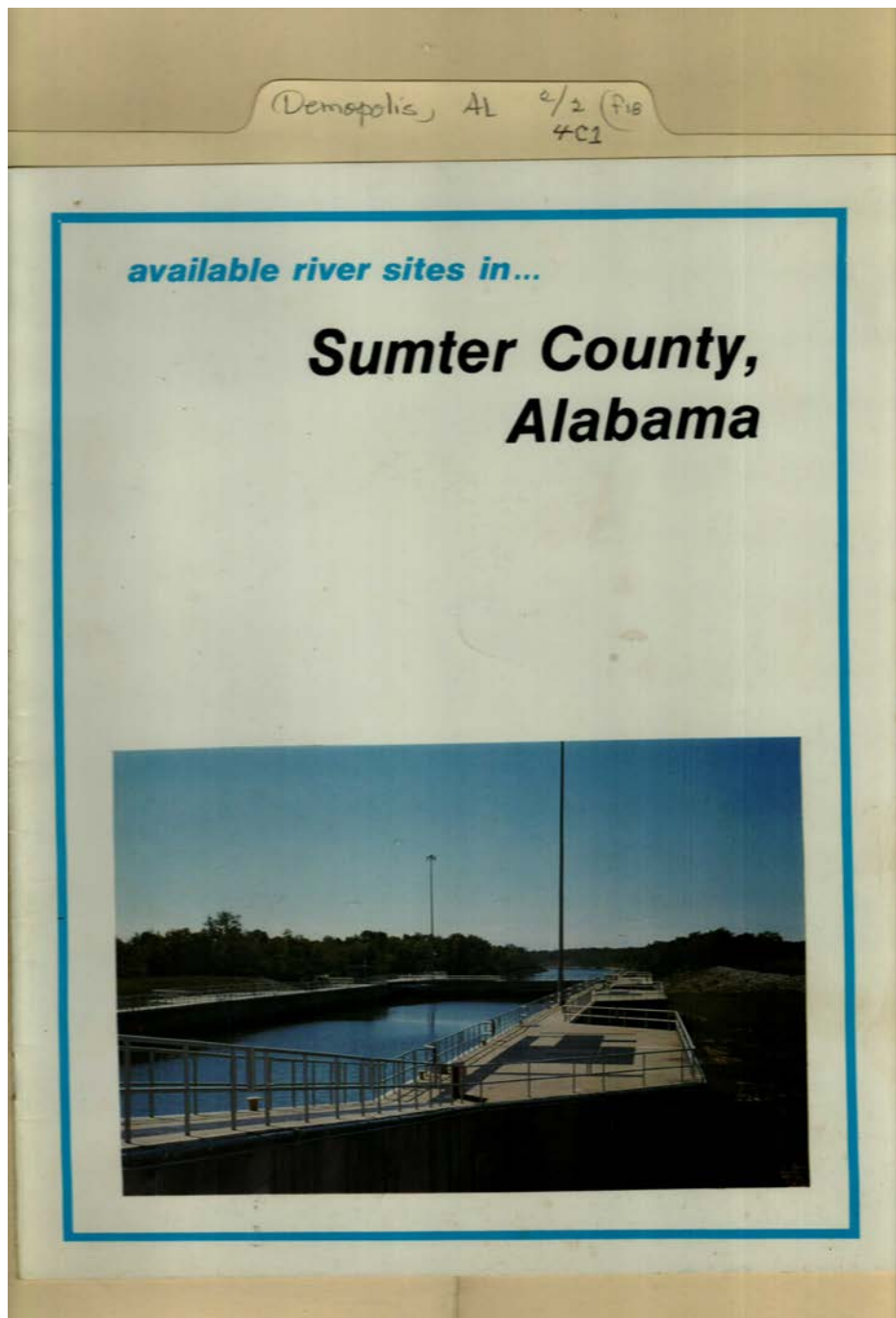
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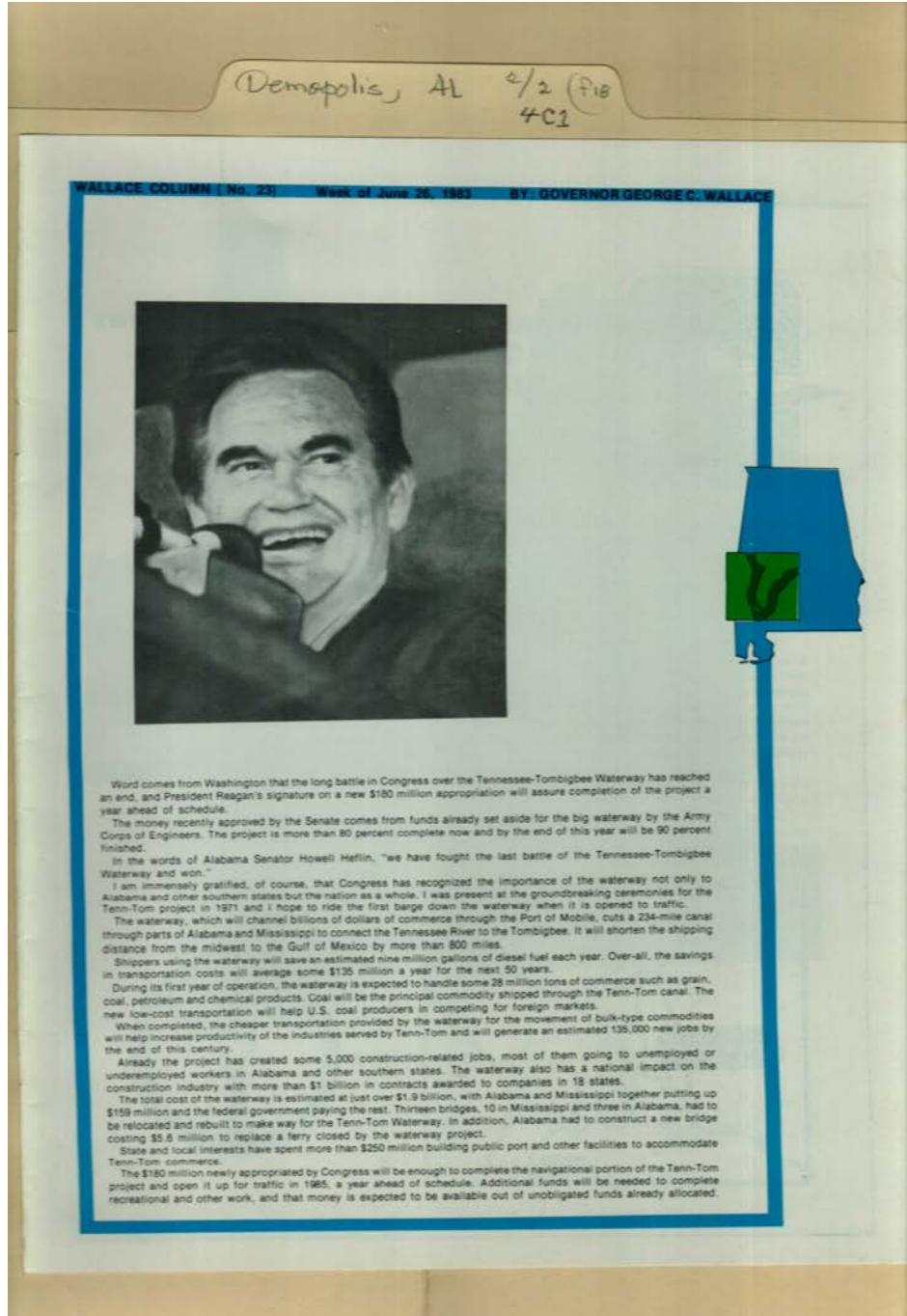
Tenn-Tom Sites

**Types:**

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Tenn-Tom Sites

Names:

Heflin, Howell,  
Senator

Reagan, President

Wallace, George,  
Governor

Types:

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4C1



### Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway Will Shorten Barge Routes to Alabama's Seaport

The Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway is one of the most ambitious waterway projects in U.S. history and one of the most important. It is scheduled for completion in the mid-1980's and will tie together some of the nation's finest river systems into an inland water route that terminates at the Port of Mobile. It will shorten by several hundred miles the barge distance between Mobile and numerous inland cities and industrial centers.

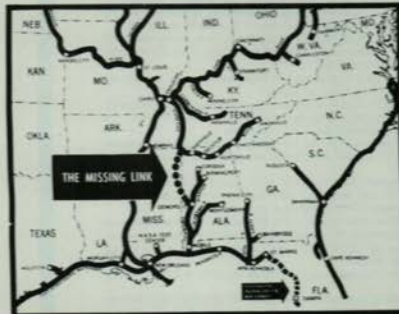
The Tenn-Tom will link together the Mississippi, Missouri, Illinois, Ohio, Green, Cumberland, Tennessee, Warrior, Alabama and Tombigbee Rivers. It will service some 23 states in the heartland of America and create one of the most complete inland shipping routes in the nation. The major products that are expected to move on the waterway are coal, metallic ores, pulp, paper and paper products, chemicals and grain.

The State Docks' system of inland ports will play an even more important role in moving barge cargo when the waterway is completed.

Barge transportation is one of the most energy-efficient ways to move cargo and for this reason the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway takes on added significance for our nation's future.



*The Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway is headed toward completion and is expected to become operational in the mid-1980's.*



Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Tenn-Tom Waterway

**Types:**

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4C1

**POPULATION IN SUMTER COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA**

Area	Total		1980 White		1980 Black		Percent Black
	1970	1980	Male	Female	Male	Female	
SUMTER	16,974	16,908	2,540	2,610	5,448	6,263	69.3%
Cuba	386	486					
Epes	293	399					
Gainesville	255	207					
Geiger	120	200					
Livingston	2,358	3,187					
York	3,044	3,392					
<b>LABOR MARKET AREA</b>							
Choctaw	16,589	16,839	4,637	4,853	3,459	3,860	43.5%
Greene	10,650	11,021	1,134	1,271	3,932	4,664	78.0%
Marengo	23,819	25,047	5,887	5,976	6,203	7,143	53.3%
Pickens	20,326	21,481	6,080	6,371	4,114	4,864	41.8%
SUMTER	16,974	16,908	2,540	2,610	5,448	6,263	69.3%
Kemper	10,233	10,148	2,198	2,359	2,658	2,854	54.3%
Lauderdale	67,087	27,002	10,202	10,371	3,040	3,282	23.4%
Noxubee	14,288	13,212	2,274	2,379	4,025	4,509	64.6%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>179,966</b>	<b>141,658</b>	<b>34,752</b>	<b>36,190</b>	<b>32,879</b>	<b>37,440</b>	<b>49.6%</b>

SOURCE: 1970 & 1980 Census of Population, Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C.

**EMPLOYMENT IN SUMTER COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREA\* 1981**

Industry Class	Choctaw	Green	Marengo	Pickens	Sumter	Total
Total Wage & Salary	4,870	2,470	6,040	4,380	4,580	22,340
Manufacturing	2,700	330	2,100	1,630	1,480	8,240
Mining	100	0	x	x	x	100
Construction	140	80	180	130	100	630
Transportation, Communication, Utilities	100	200	280	180	340	1,100
Wholesale & Retail trade	610	350	1,260	740	640	3,600
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	90	30	200	120	70	510
Services & Misc.	240	500	520	450	530	2,240
Government	890	980	1,490	1,130	1,420	5,910

\*Note: Mississippi contiguous counties of Kemper, Lauderdale, and Noxubee not included.  
x - Included in Services and Misc. to avoid disclosure.

SOURCE: 1982 Alabama County Data Book, Office of State Planning and Federal Programs, Montgomery, Alabama, 1982.

Tenn-Tom Sites

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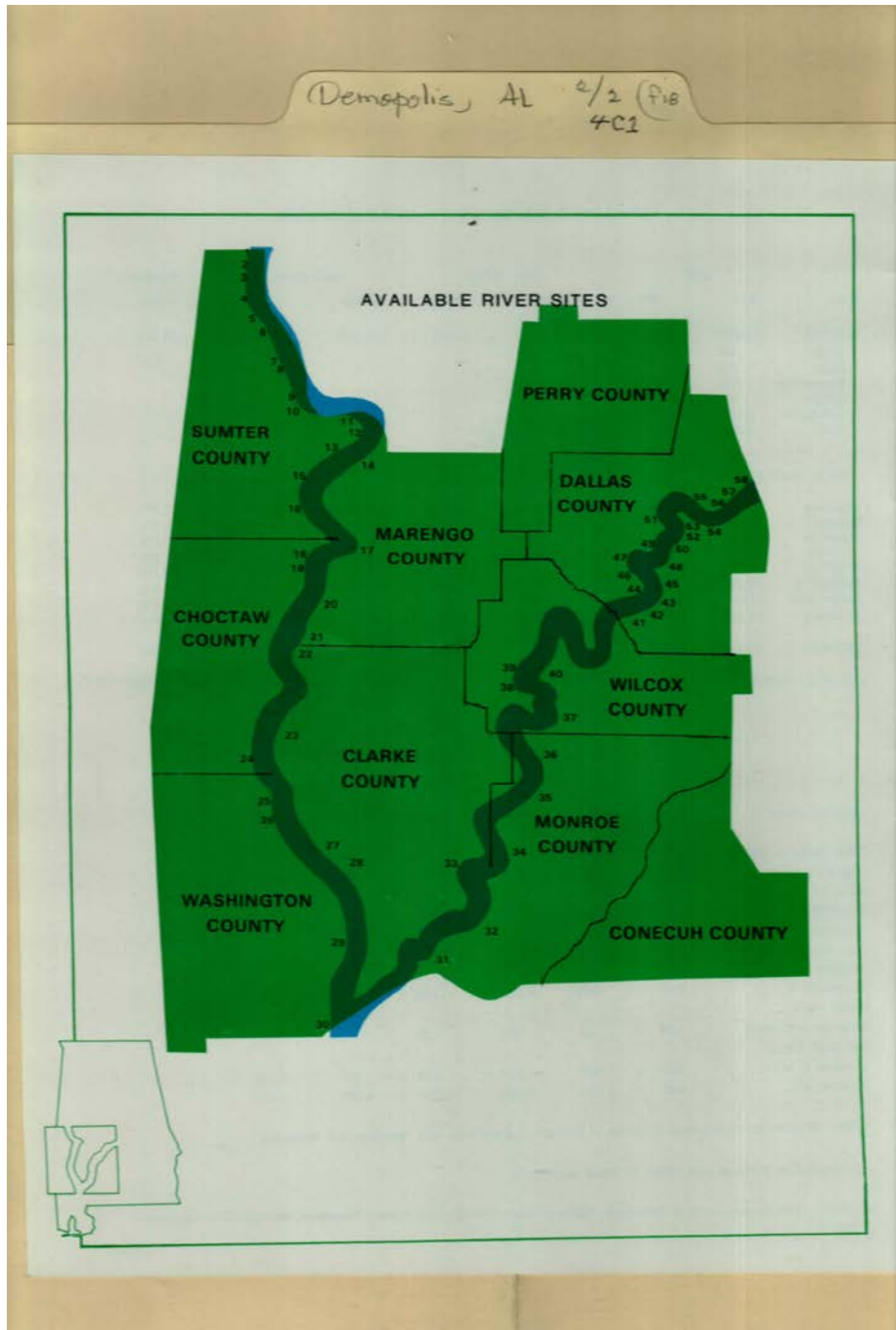
Population in Sumter County

**Types:**

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**Dates:**

1982



Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

River Sites Available

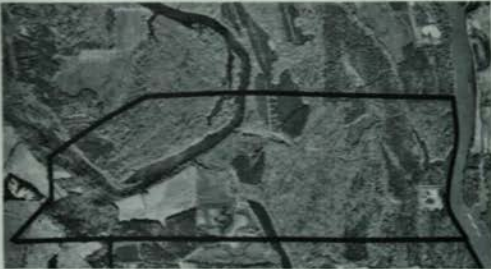

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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (F18)  
4C1



Site Designation: 1  
Location: T23N. R2W. Sec. 8, 9, 10, 11  
Present use: Timberland  
Total Acreage: 948 ac. easement ( 61 ac. ± of waterway); for sale only; not available in part.  
Price: Negotiable  
Water and electricity available on site  
Gravel road access to site; Al. Hwy. #17 is in area.  
Railroad within 17 miles ( Aliceville).  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport 15 miles.  
Large Camphouse on property.  
45% of property under water or subject to flooding.  
Approximately 160 air miles from Mobile.  
River frontage - 1 mile



Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 1

**Types:**

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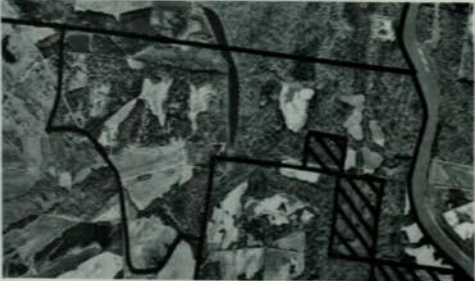


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Demopolis, AL c/2 (F18)  
4C1

Site Designation: 2  
Location: T23N. R2W. Sec. 14, 15, 16, 21  
Present use: Timber, Gravel  
Total Acreage: 850; available in part for lease; possibly for sale.  
Price: Negotiable  
Electricity available on site; nearest water 6 miles; nearest gas and sewerage 16 miles.  
County road access to site; Co. 85 six miles away; Hwy. #17 15 miles away; I-20 in area.  
AT&N railroad within six miles.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River  
Nearest airport 16 miles.  
Camphouse on site.  
50 acres on river and 70 acres from river usually floods.  
260 barge miles from Mobile.  
River frontage - 2.5 miles



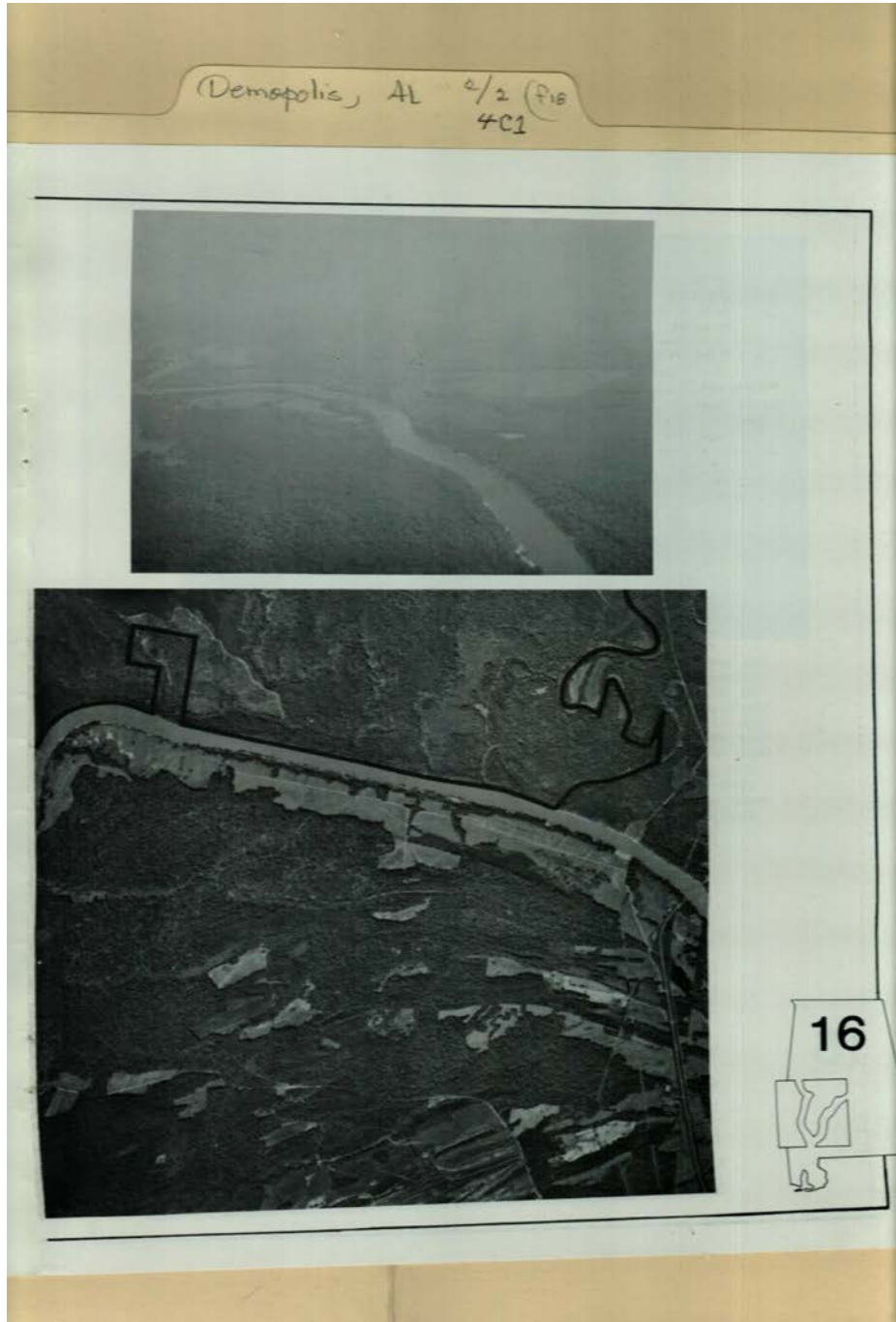
Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 2

**Types:**

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Tenn-Tom Sites

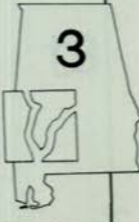

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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (P18)  
4C1



Site Designation: 3  
Location: T23N. R2W. Sec. 15, 22, 23  
Present use: Timber, Farming, Gravel  
Total Acreage: 550  
Price: Negotiable  
Electricity available on site; nearest water 5 miles; nearest gas and sewerage 16 miles.  
Gravel road access to site; Hwy. 17 and I-20 in area.  
AT&N and Alabama Great Southern railroads within 15 miles.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport 16 miles.  
Camping on site.  
50% of property usually floods.  
260 barge miles to Mobile.  
River frontage - 3 miles



Tenn-Tom Sites


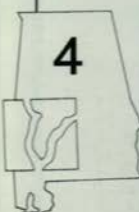
**Names:**

Site 3

**Types:**

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Demopolis, AL 4/2 (Fig 4C1)



Site Designation: 4  
Location: T22N. R2W. Sec. 4, 5, 8, 9,  
15, 16, 21, 28, 27, 26, 35, 34, 33, 5,  
4, 3, 10, 22, 9, 2  
Total Acreage: 1,600  
Price: Negotiable  
Present use: Timber  
Electricity available on site; all other  
utilities available five miles away.  
Gravel road access to site. Co. hwy.  
#65 in area.  
Southern and AT&N railroad in area  
(10 miles).  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport 25 miles.  
33% of property usually floods.  
Approximately 253 barge miles to  
Mobile.  
River frontage - 2.5 miles.

Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 4

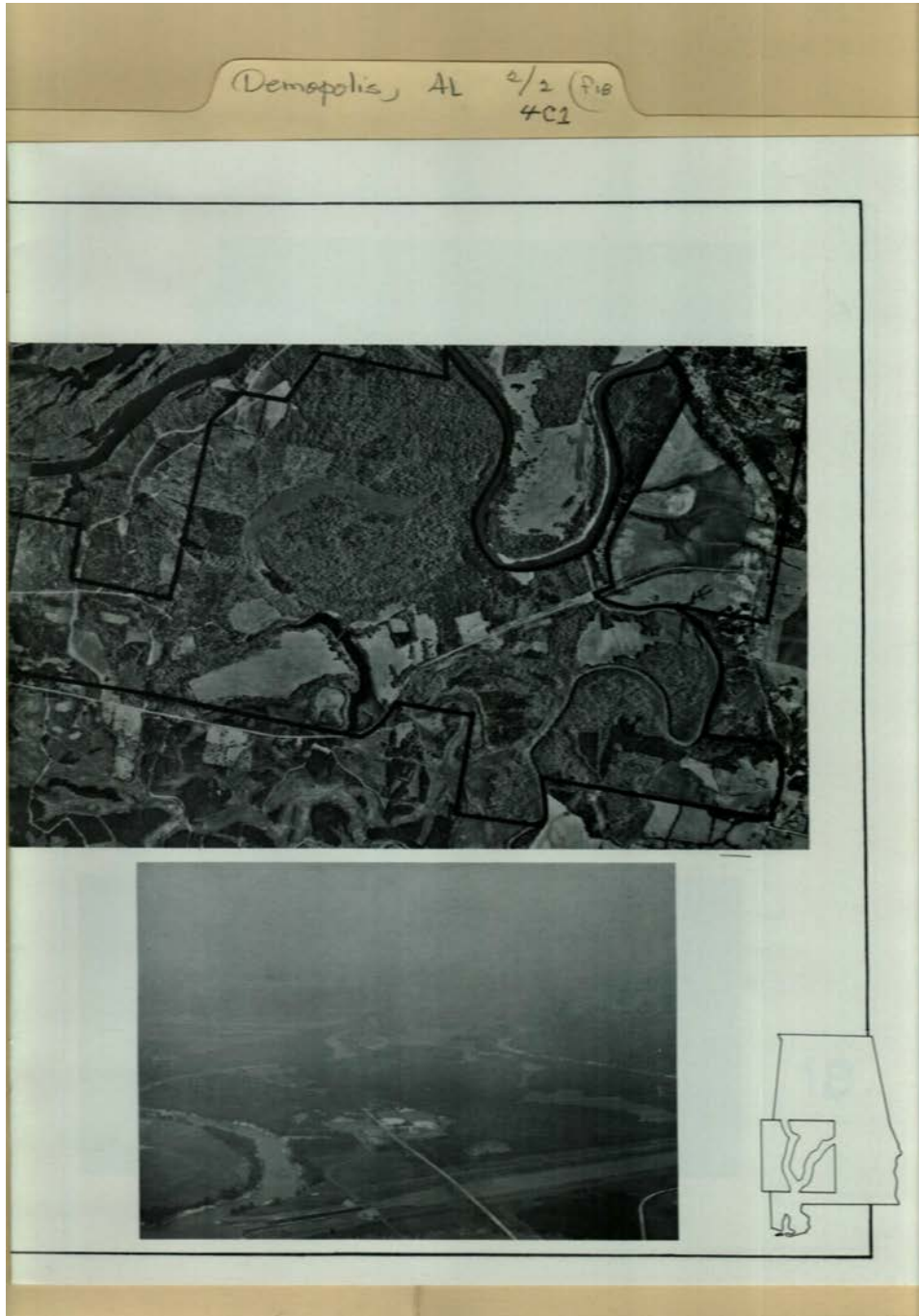
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Tenn-Tom Sites

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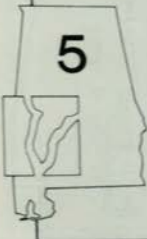

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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (Fig 4C1)



Site Designation: 5  
Location: T22N. R1W. Sec. 6, 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 7  
Present use: Farming  
Total Acreage: 1,016  
Price: Negotiable  
Water and electricity available on site; gas within 6 miles; sewerage within 14 miles.  
Gravel and blacktop road access to site; I-59 in area.

Southern and Great Northern railroads 6 miles.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport on site - 2,500 foot grass strip  
All property covered with water except a small land field of six to eight feet (can create dry land).  
Approximately 250 barge miles to Mobile.  
River frontage - 2.2 miles.



Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 5

**Types:**

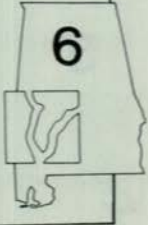


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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (F18)  
4C1

Site Designation: 6  
Location: T21N. R1W. Sec. 7, 18, 17,  
15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 30  
Present Use: Timber  
Total Acreage: 900  
Price: Negotiable  
Water and Electricity available on  
site; gas and sewerage available  
within 10 miles.  
Gravel road access to site; Alabama  
#39 and I-59 in area.  
Southern railroad within 8 miles.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport - 15 miles  
33% of property subject to flooding.  
Approximately 240 barge miles to  
Mobile.  
River frontage - 3.2 miles



Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 6

**Types:**




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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (Fig #C1)

Site Designation: 7  
Location: T20N, R1W, Sec. 29, 28  
Present Use: Port  
Total Acreage: 580; For sale;  
Available in part  
Price: Negotiable  
All utilities available on site.  
Paved road access to site; I-59/20 in  
the area  
Southern Railroad serves site.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Approximately 247 barge miles from  
Mobile.  
All property above flood stage.  
Nearest airport 30 miles.  
River frontage - 1.5 miles



Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 7

**Types:**


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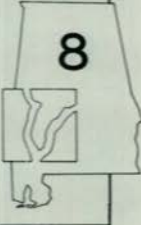

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Demopolis, AL e/2 (P18)  
4C1



Site Designation: 8  
Location: T20N. R1W. Sec. 28, 32, 33, 5, 4  
Present Use: Pasture  
Total Acreage: 440-500  
Price: Negotiable  
Water, gas, and electricity available on site; sewerage available within 10 miles.  
Gravel road access; U.S. #11 and I-59 in the area.  
Southern railroad within 1 mile.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport 20 miles.  
50% of property subject to flooding.  
Approximately 225 barge miles to Mobile.  
River frontage - 0.5 miles



Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 8


**Types:**

photo



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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (P18)  
4C1



Site Designation: 9  
Location: T19N. R1W. Sec. 35, 2, 3,  
4, 9, 10  
Present use: Timber land  
Total Acreage: 565; available in  
part; for lease only.  
Water, gas, and electricity available  
within two miles.  
Price: Negotiable.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport within 15 miles.  
50% of property usually floods.  
Approximately 200 miles to Port of  
Mobile.  
River frontage - 4/5 mile



Tenn-Tom Sites


**Names:**

Site 9



**Types:**

photo

Demopolis, AL 2/2 (P18)  
4C1



Site Designation: 10  
Location: T19N. R1W. Sec. 8, 9, 16, 17  
Present use: Timber and Soybeans  
Total Acreage: 1,000; available in part; for sale only.  
Price: Negotiable  
Water and electricity available on site; currently building gas pipeline; nearest sewerage 8 miles.  
Paved road access to site; U.S. Hwy. #11 in the area.  
Great American Southern railroad within 10 miles.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport 20 miles.  
50% of property usually floods.  
River frontage - 0.5 miles



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Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 10


**Types:**

photo



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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (Fig 4C1)



Site Designation: 12  
Location: T18N. R2E. Sec. 32, 33, 5, 4, 3  
Total Acreage: 773; available in part; for sale or lease.  
Hunting, oil, and gas leases.  
Price: Negotiable  
All utilities available in Epes - 10 miles away.  
Woods road access to site; Hwy. 80, Hwy. 11 and I-59 in area.  
Southern railroad within 10 miles.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport in Demopolis or York. (20-30 miles)  
Some flooding.  
Approximately 200 barge miles to Mobile.  
River frontage - 1.2 miles



12

Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**


Site 12

**Types:**



photo



Demopolis, AL 2/2 (P18)  
4C1



Site Designation: 13  
Location: T18N. R1E. Sec. 24, 25  
Present Use: Farming  
Total Acreage: 1,145; available in part for sale or lease.  
Price: Negotiable.  
Electricity available on site; other utilities available within six miles.  
Blacktop road access to site; Hwy. 80 within 12 miles.  
Southern railroad within 12 miles.  
Nearest airport 15 miles.  
150 acres of property usually floods.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Approximately 210 barge miles to Mobile.  
River frontage - 1 mile



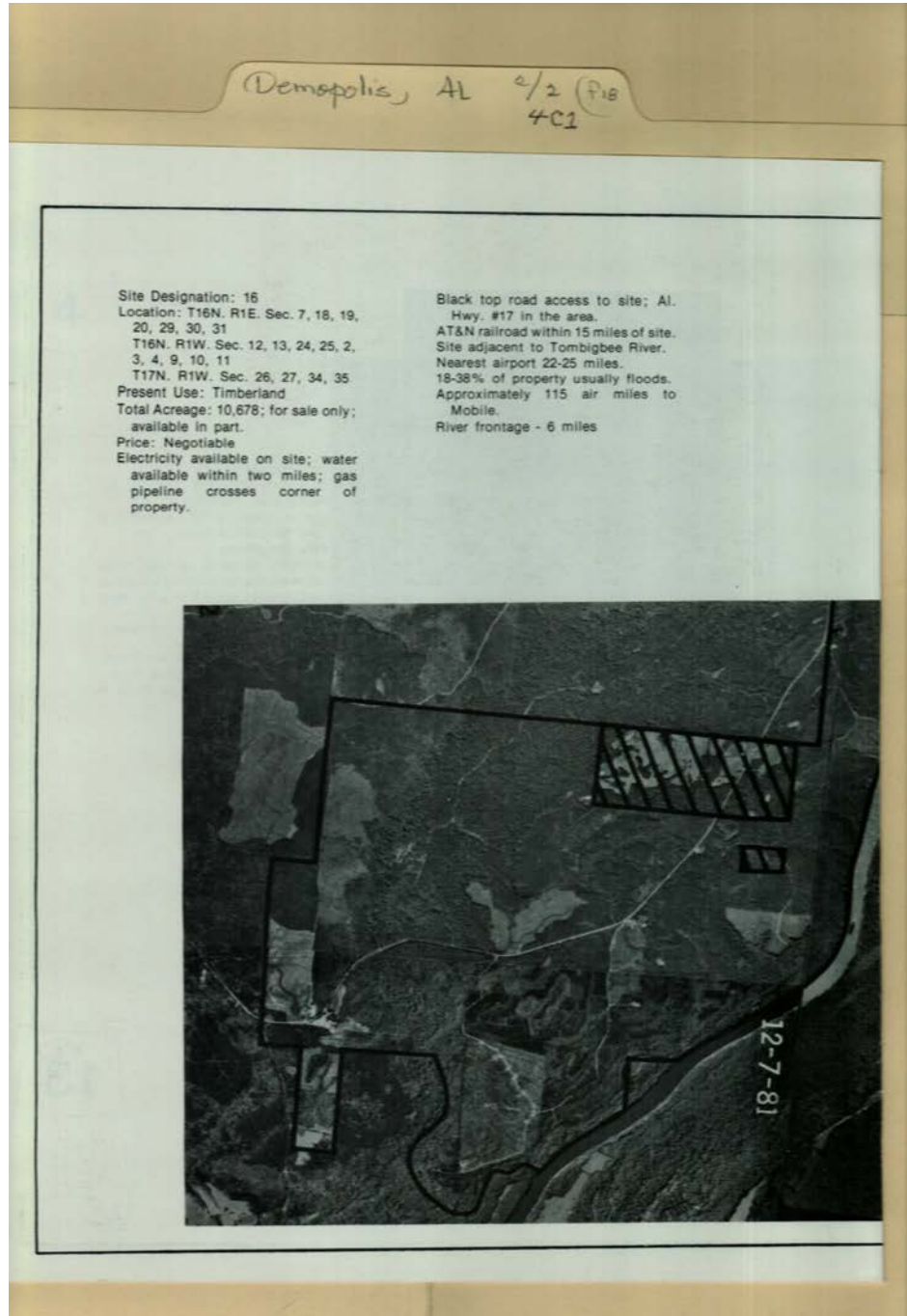
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**Types:**

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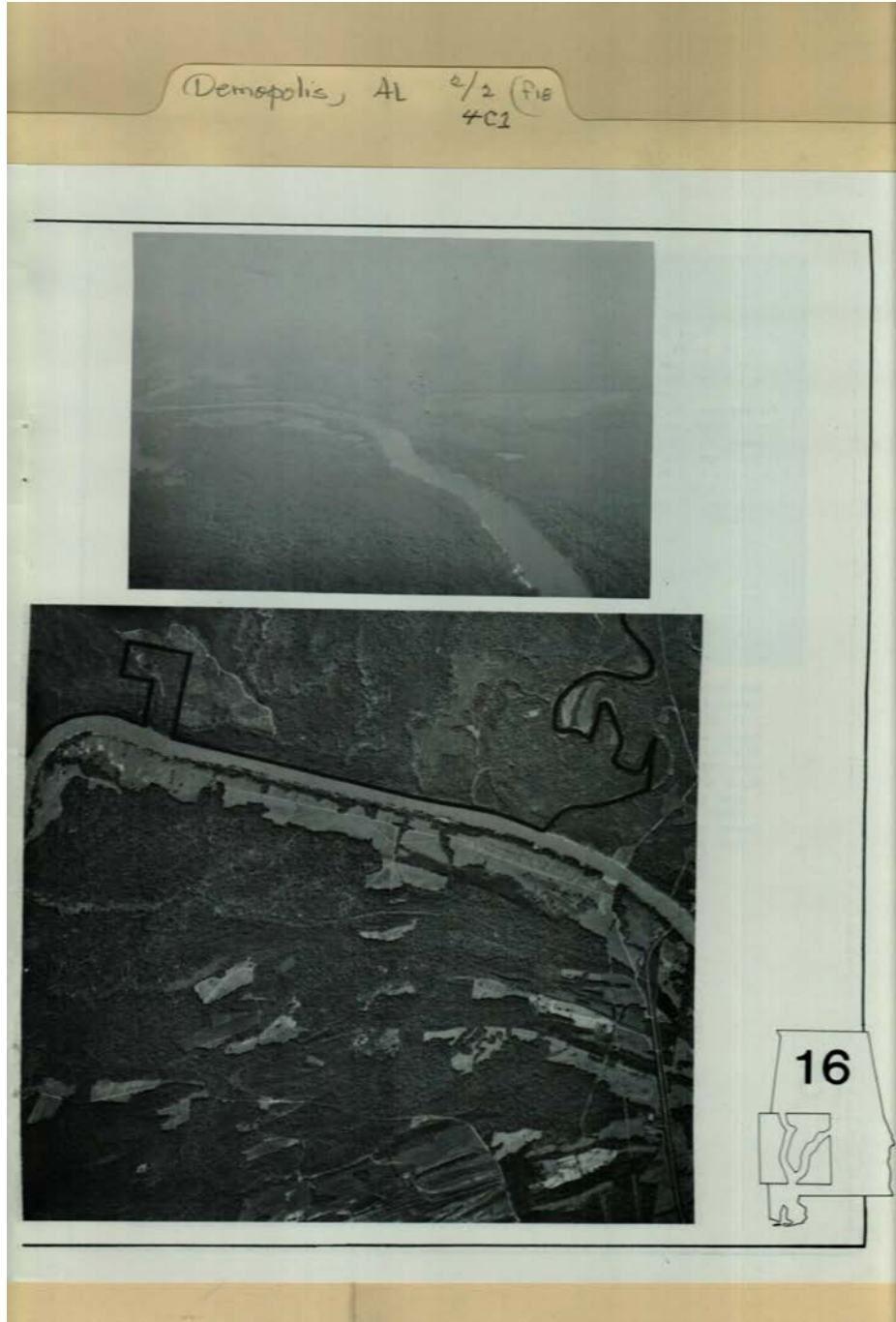
Tenn-Tom Sites

**Names:**

Site 16

**Types:**

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Tenn-Tom Sites

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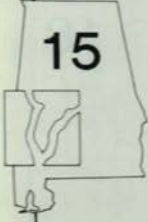

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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (18)  
4C1



Site Designation: 15  
Location: T18N. R1E. Sec. 21, 22,  
23, 25, 26, 27, 28  
Present use: Cattle  
Total Acreage: 2,000  
Price: Negotiable  
Water and electricity available on  
site; gas and sewerage available  
within 15 miles.  
Gravel road access to site; U.S.  
Hwy. #80 within 10 miles.

Southern railroad within 7 miles.  
Site adjacent to Tombigbee River.  
Nearest airport 15 miles.  
Hunting lodge on site.  
25% of property usually floods.  
Approximately 208 barge miles to  
Mobile.  
River frontage - 0.5 miles



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Tenn-Tom Sites

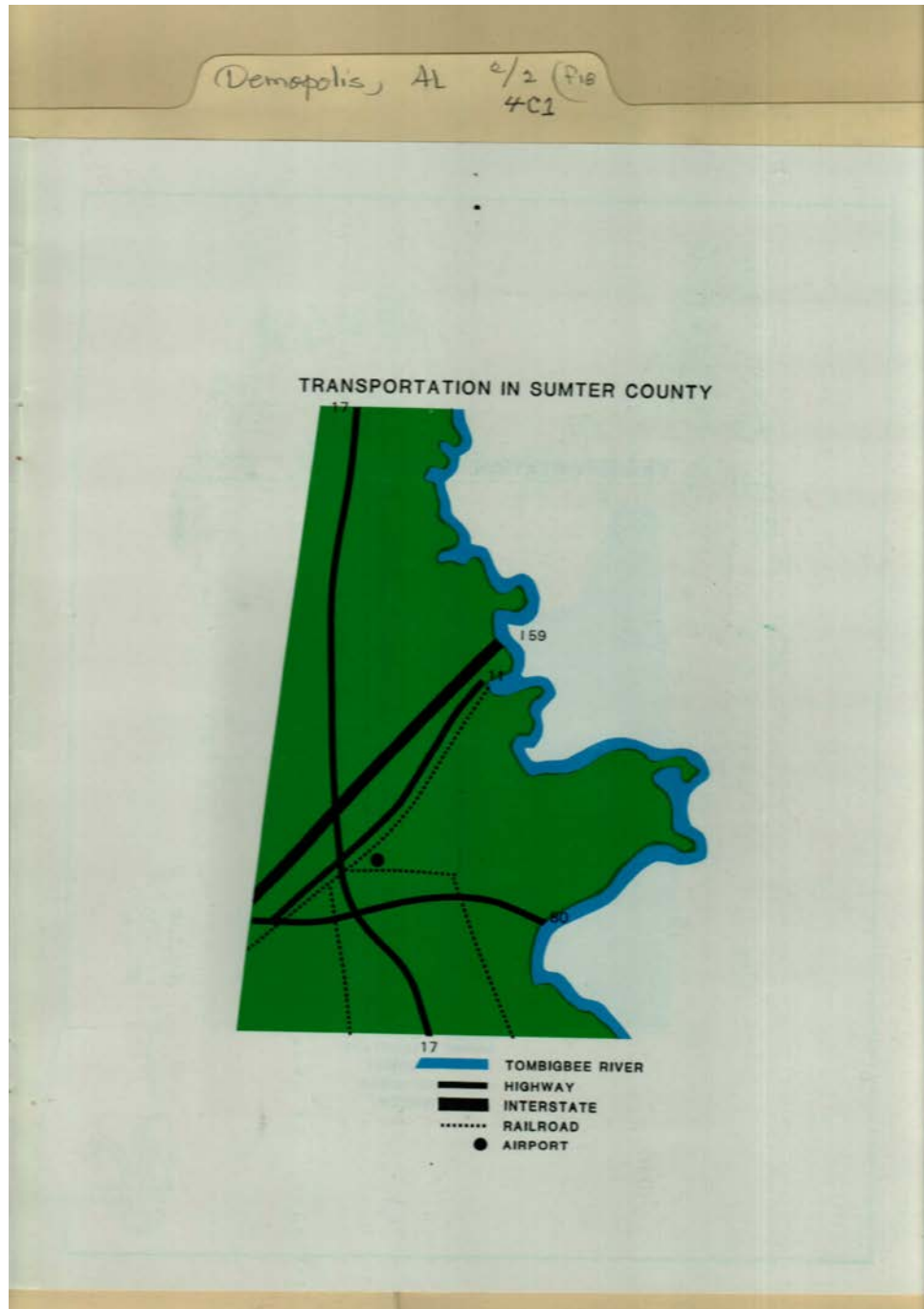
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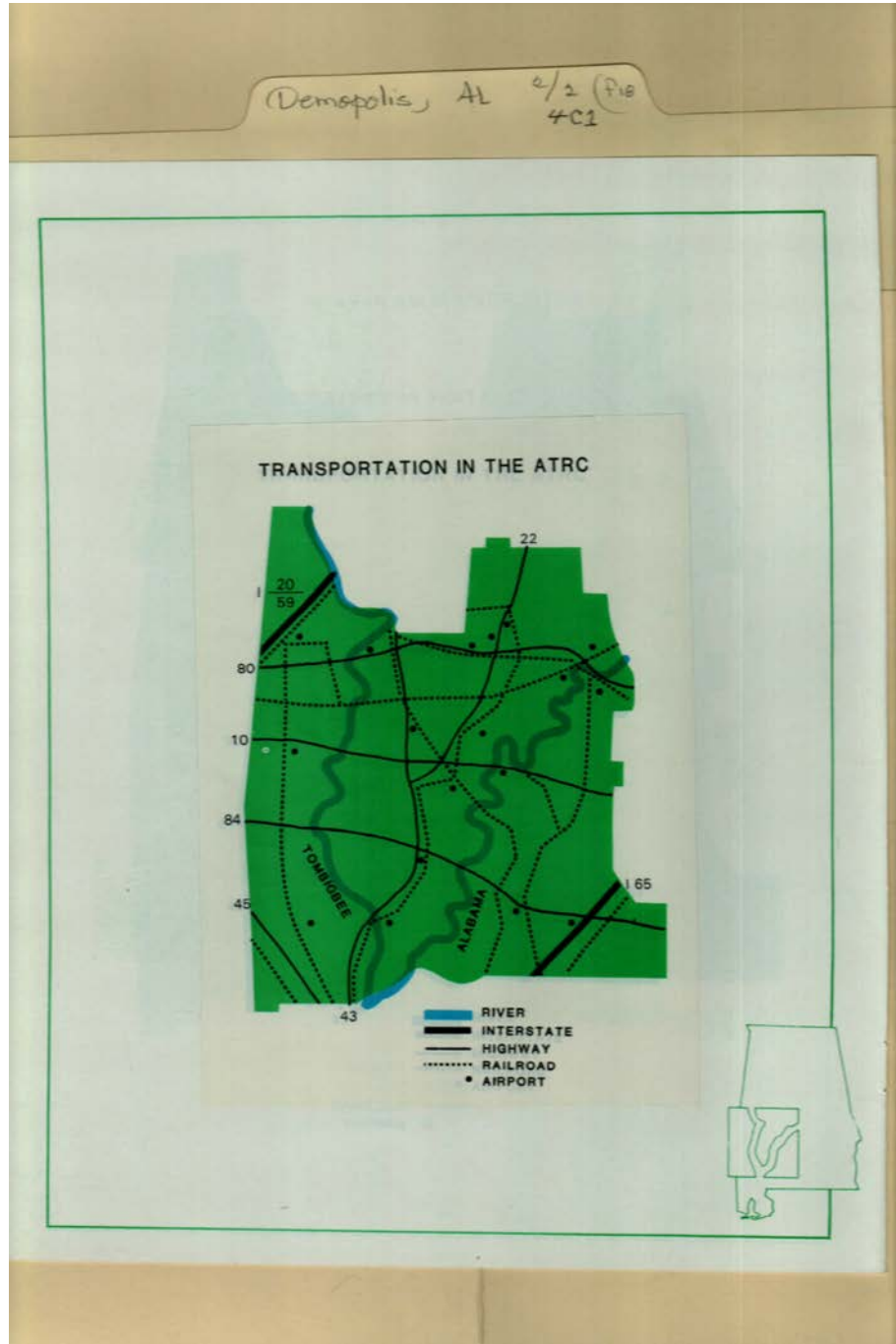


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Transportation in  
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**Types:**

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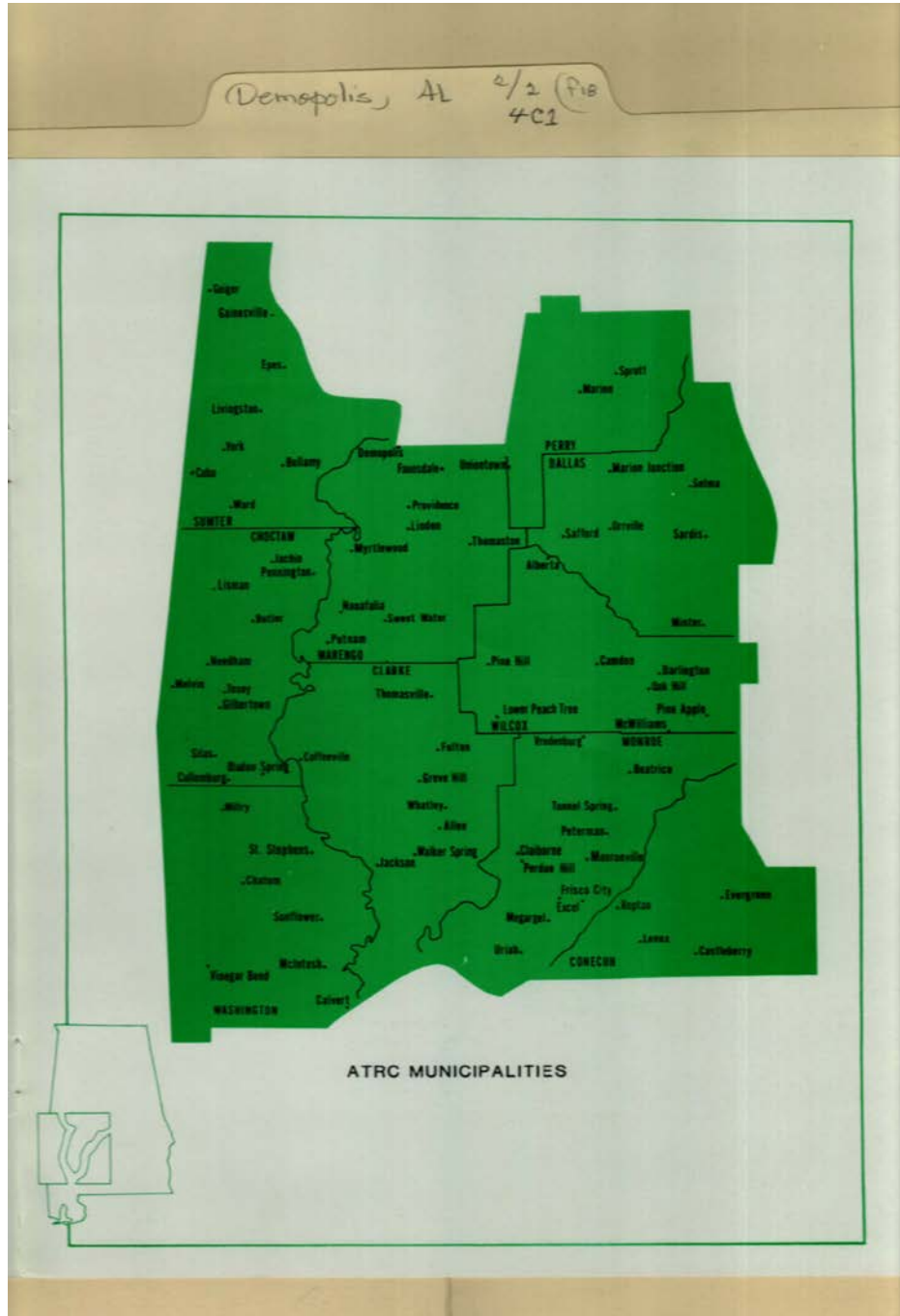
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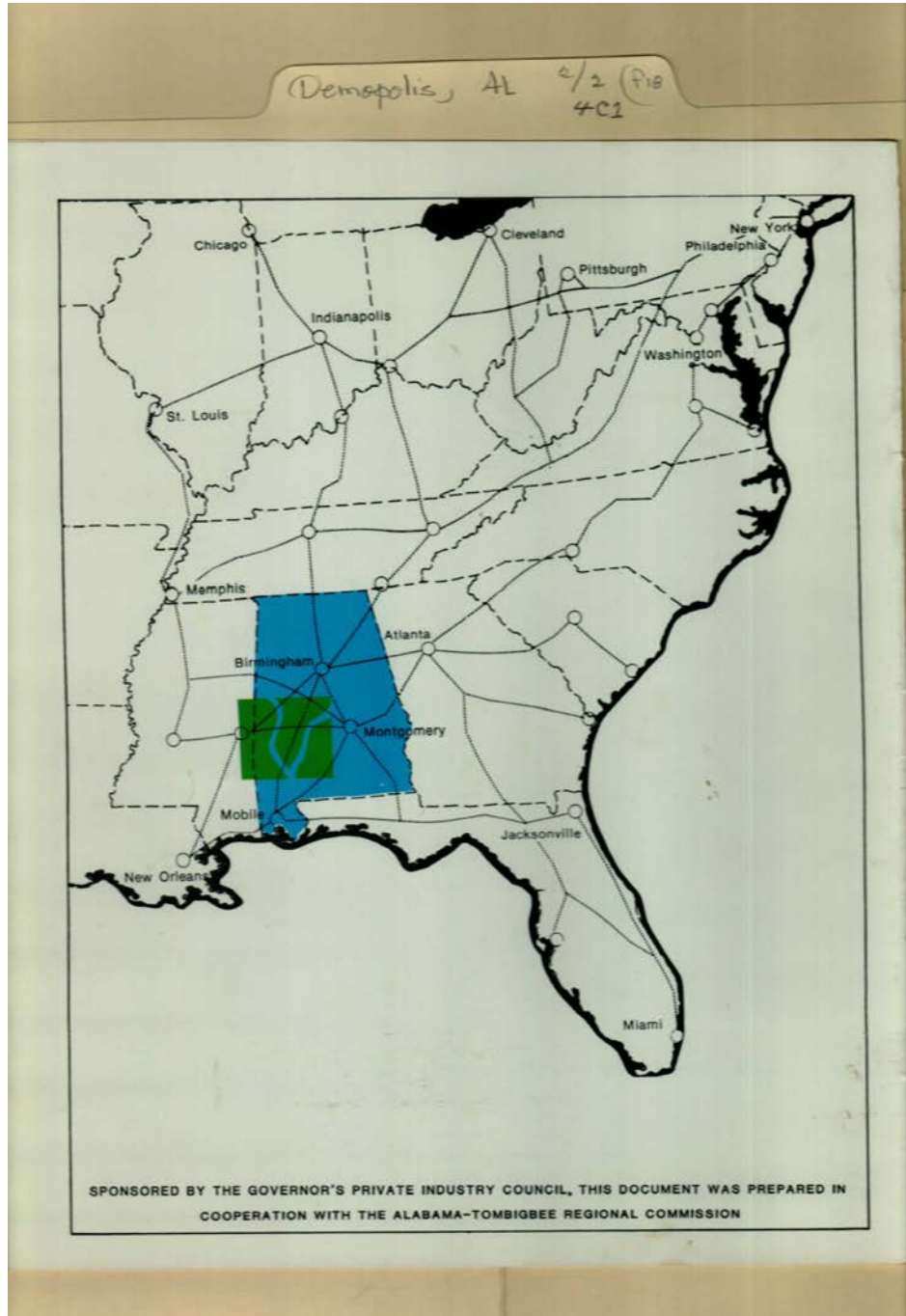
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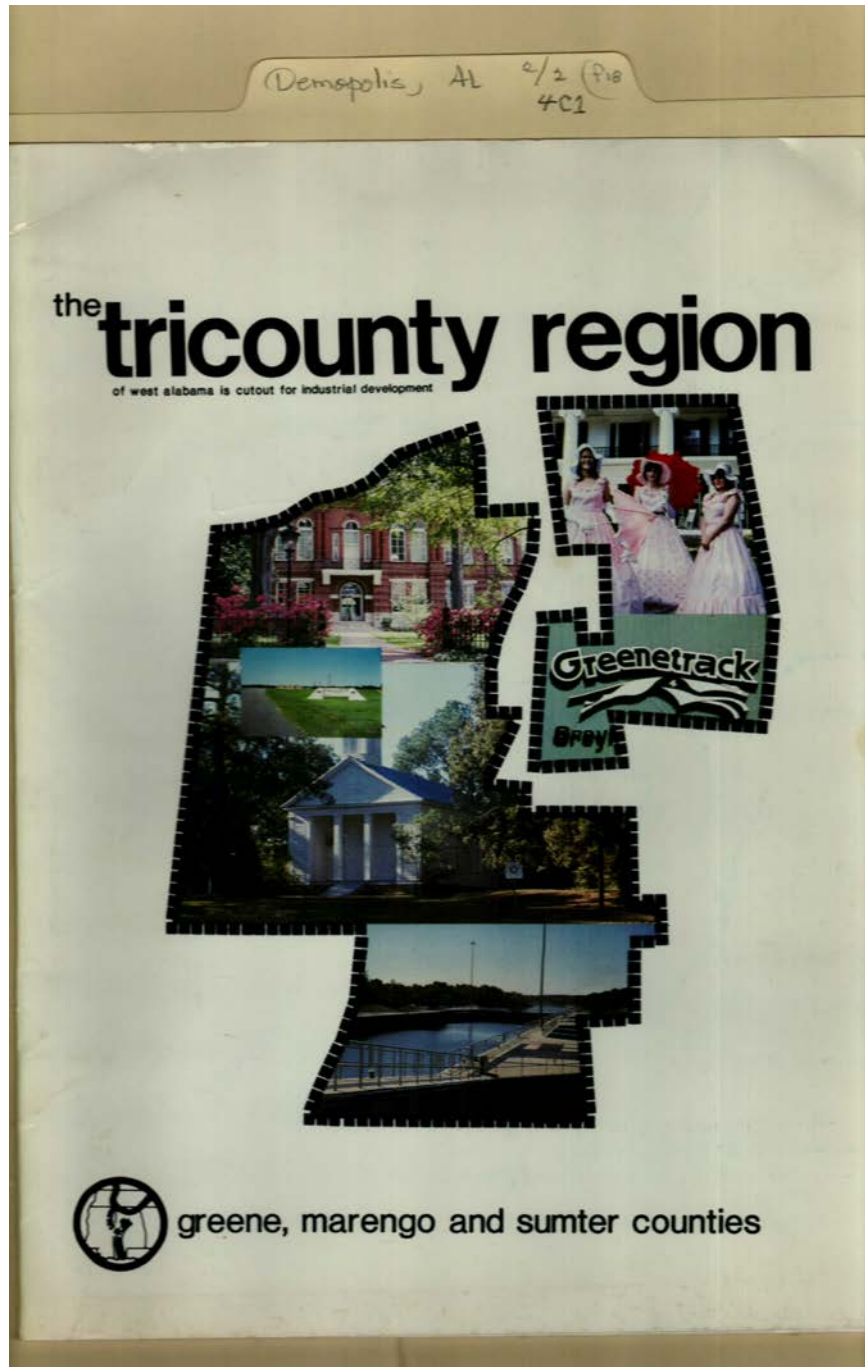
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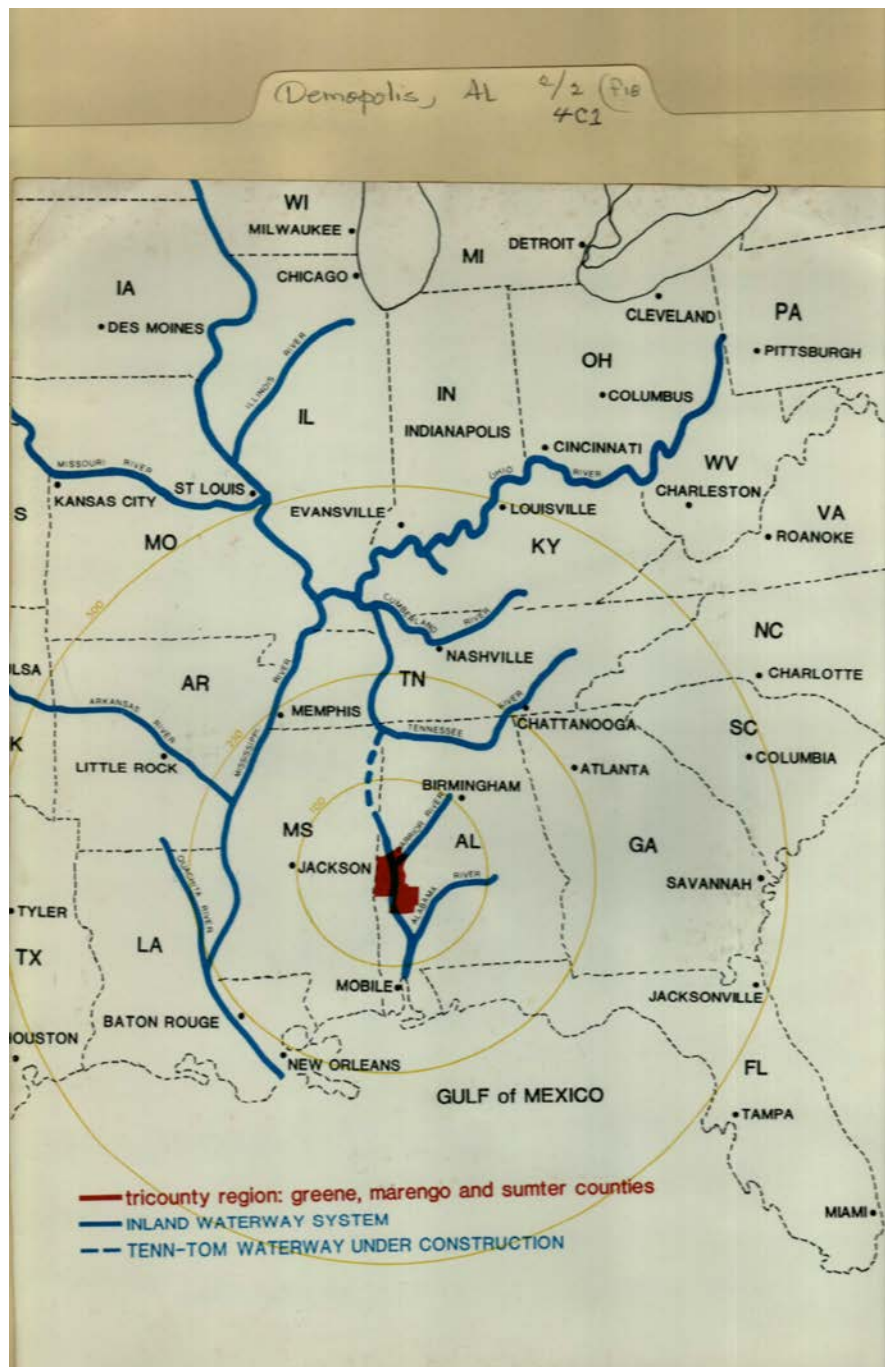
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**Types:**

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Tri-County Sites

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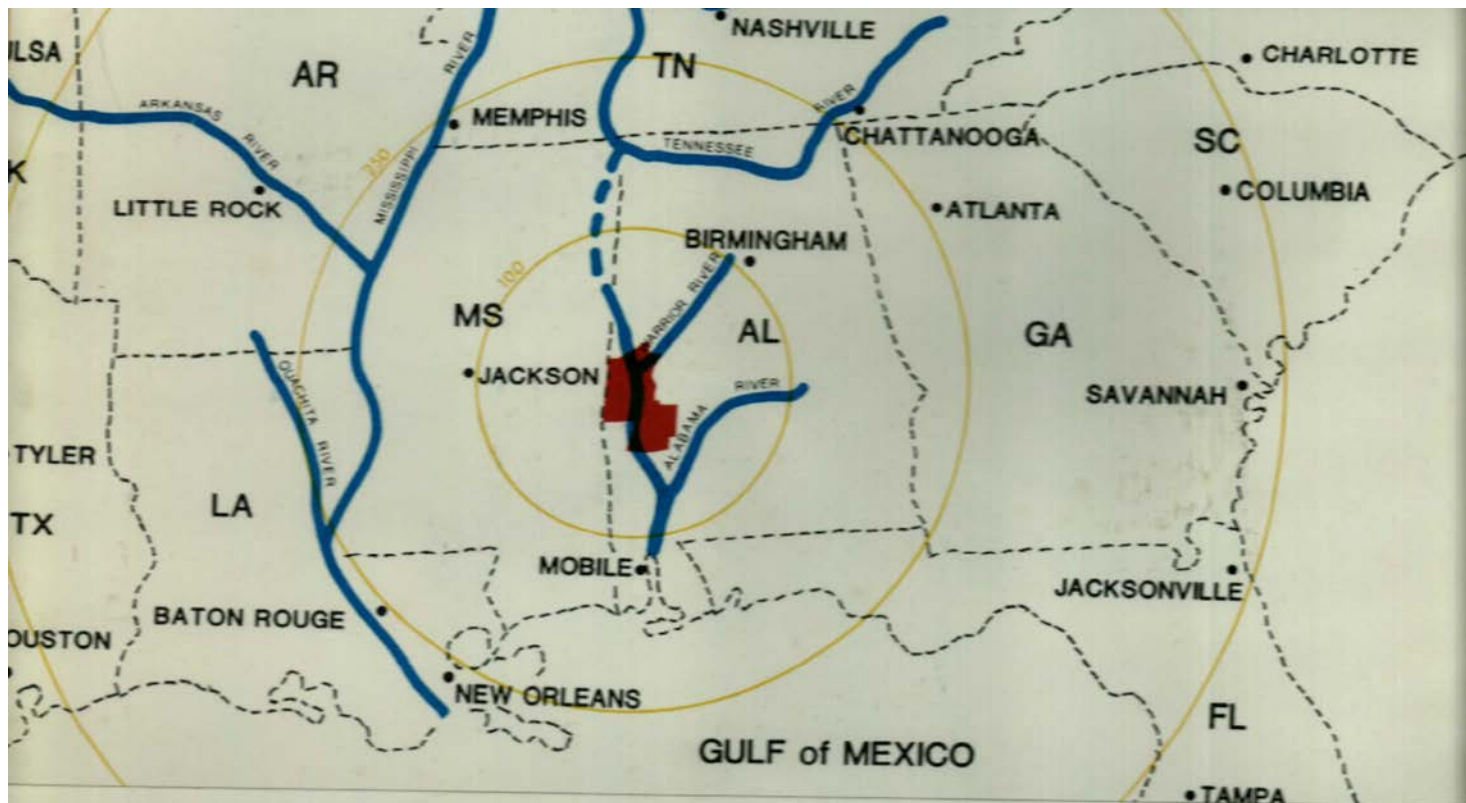
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205/289-0279

Sumter County Industrial Board  
P.O. Box 1059, Livingston, AL 35470  
205/652-9303

Greene County Economic & Industrial Development Board  
P.O. Box 70, Eutaw, AL 35462  
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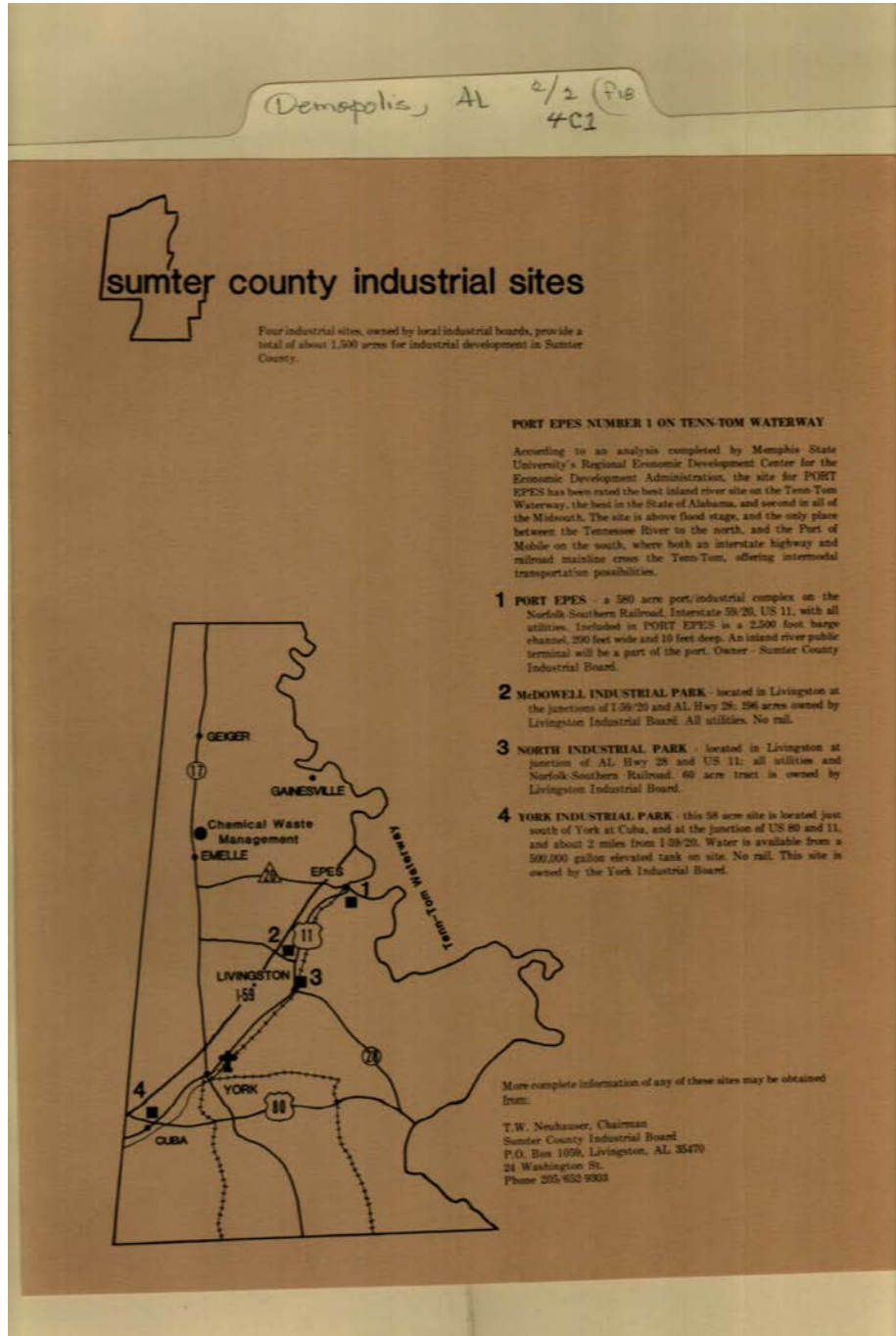
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TriCounty Region

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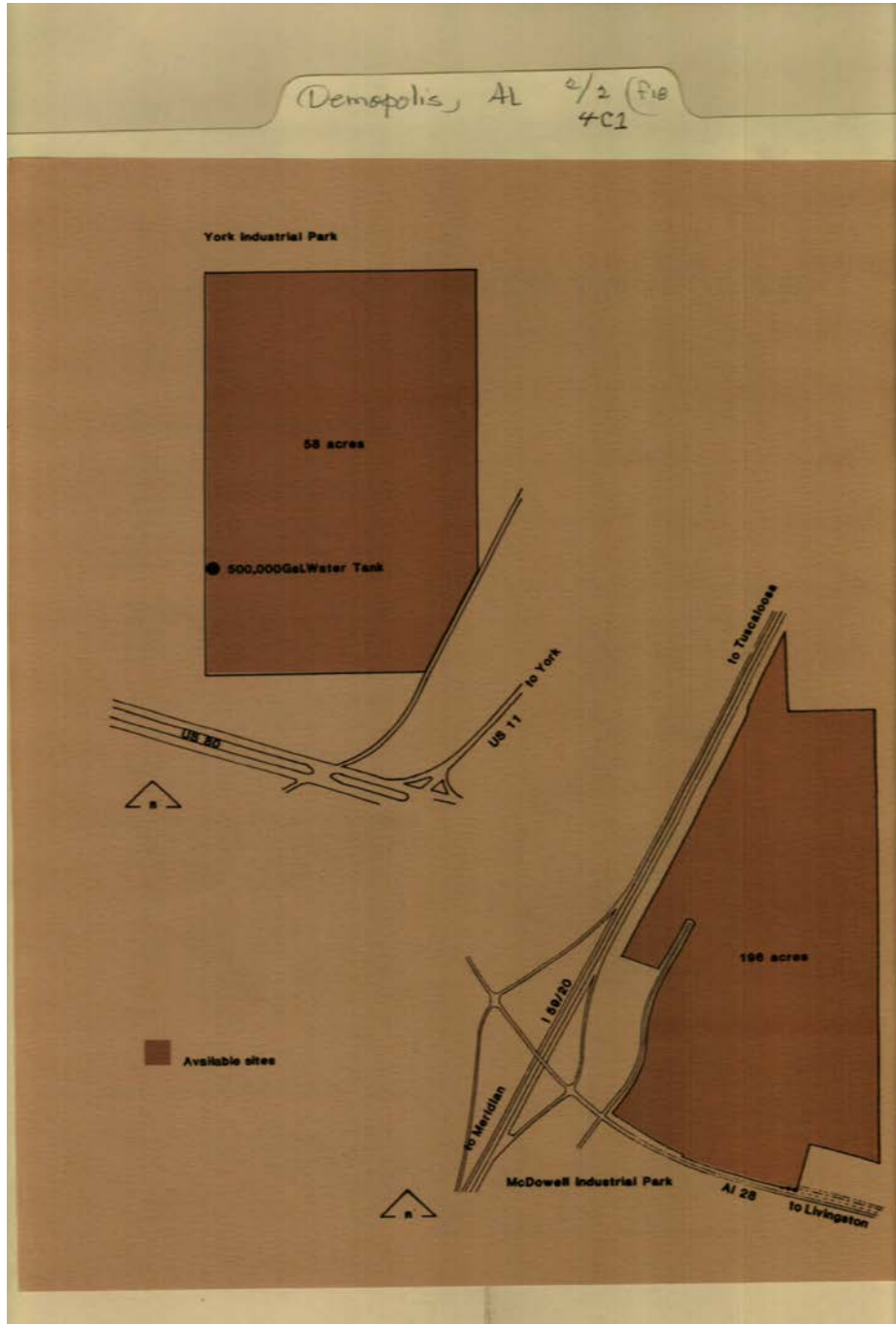
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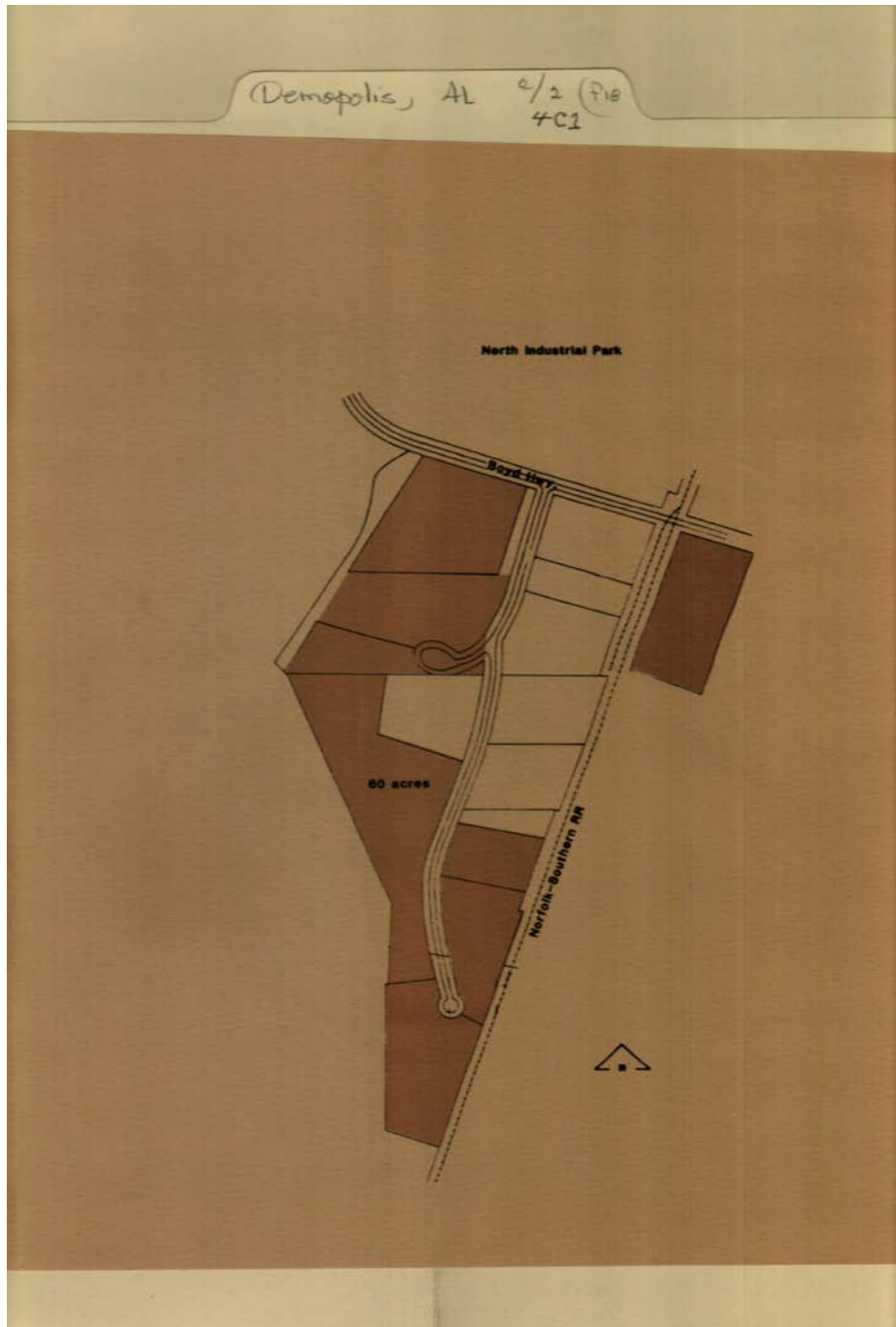
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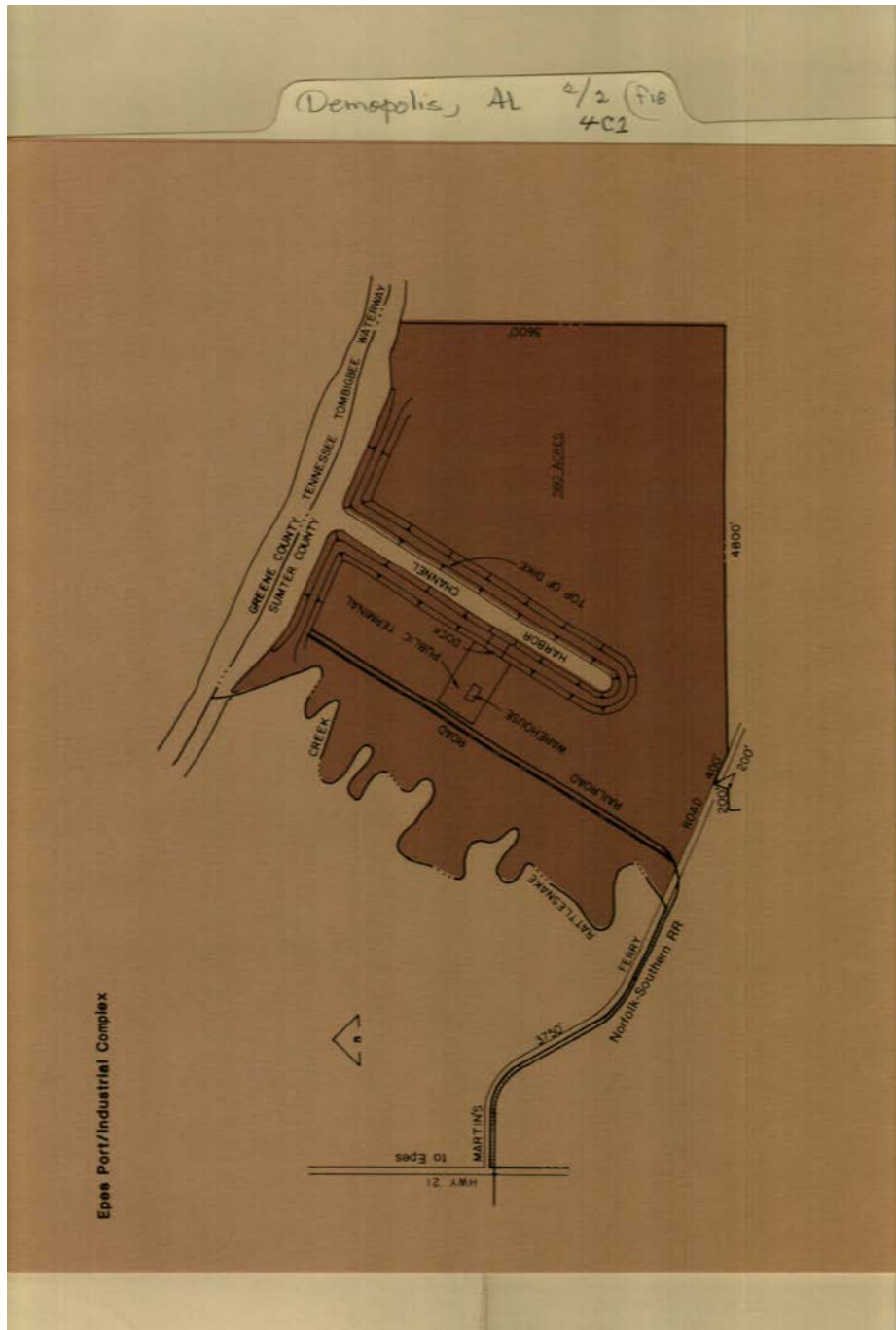
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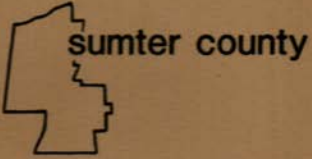
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Demopolis, AL 2/2 (Fig 4C1)



**sumter county**

**LOCATION**  
In west central Alabama with Alabama-Mississippi state line as its western border, and Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway as its eastern border. Sumter County is bordered on the north by Greene County, and on the south by Choctaw County.

**Distance to Major Alabama Cities**

From:	Birmingham	Huntsville	Mobile	Montgomery	Tuscaloosa	Meridian, MS
Cuba	126	224	138	133	73	17
Emelle	117	235	161	142	66	38
Epes	99	192	162	129	57	44
Gainesville	102	220	169	141	53	33
Griger	122	220	163	150	62	51
Livingston	111	209	153	126	40	32
York	121	219	143	138	66	22

**CLIMATE**  
January average temperature: 44.3°  
July average temperature: 80.5°  
Yearly average temperature: 63.2°  
Winds: Wester from northwest; Summer: southwesterly  
Average annual rainfall: 55.16 inches  
Snowfall: Trace

**POPULATION**

Sumter County	16,908
Cuba	496
Emelle	81
Epes	399
Gainesville	207
Griger	200
Livingston	3,187
York	3,292

Livingston is the County Seat.

Population in 8-county labor market area is almost 192,000.

**LABOR**  
Estimated labor pool in excess of 62,000 in 8-county labor market area.  
Civilian labor force in excess of 73,000 in labor market area.  
Production labor costs range from \$3.65 to \$15.06 hourly.

**TRANSPORTATION**  
Multimodal transportation is available in Sumter County.  
Barge transportation via the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway from Mobile to the Tennessee River and points northwest and northeast.  
On mainline of Norfolk Southern Railroad between Birmingham and New Orleans with connection to Port of Mobile.  
On Burlington Northern Railroad with connections to Mobile.  
On Interstate 56 between Chattanooga and New Orleans.  
On US 80 ( east-west) and AL 17 ( north-south).  
Mallard Field, York's airport, has 3,200 feet paved and lighted runway, with commercial service available at Meridian, MS or Tuscaloosa.

**UTILITIES**  
Treated water is available in each incorporated community and throughout most of the rural area of the county, supplied by local utility boards in Livingston and York and the Sumter County Water Authority.

Waste treatment facilities are available in Livingston and York.

Solid waste is handled by each municipality or county crews and disposed of in a county-owned sanitary land fill.

A unique feature of Sumter County is the location of a hazardous waste treatment facility near Emelle, in the northern part of the county. Chemical Waste Management of Alabama, Inc. handles all hazardous wastes except for radioactive or biomedical wastes.

Alabama Power Co. serves all incorporated communities and has 2 steam generating plants within a 30-mile radius. Black Warrior Electric Membership Corporation serves much of the rural area.


Southern Natural Gas Co. wholesales natural gas to Alabama Gas Co. in York, and to the Livingston Utilities Board. Excess natural gas is available for industrial customers.

**RAW MATERIALS**  
Forests: 63% of the county's area is in forests, predominantly pine; 1981 lumber production exceeded 18,815,000 board feet.

Livestock, forest products and soybeans accounted for 82% of 1981 agricultural income which exceeded \$38 million.

**EDUCATION**  
All public schools in the county are operated by the Sumter County Board of Education, including grades kindergarten through high school. Students are transported from their homes to schools scattered through the county by bus. Private schools located in Cuba and between York and Livingston offer grades kindergarten through high school.

Livingston University, a state 4-year university / established in 1835 offers bachelor, master and doctoral programs.



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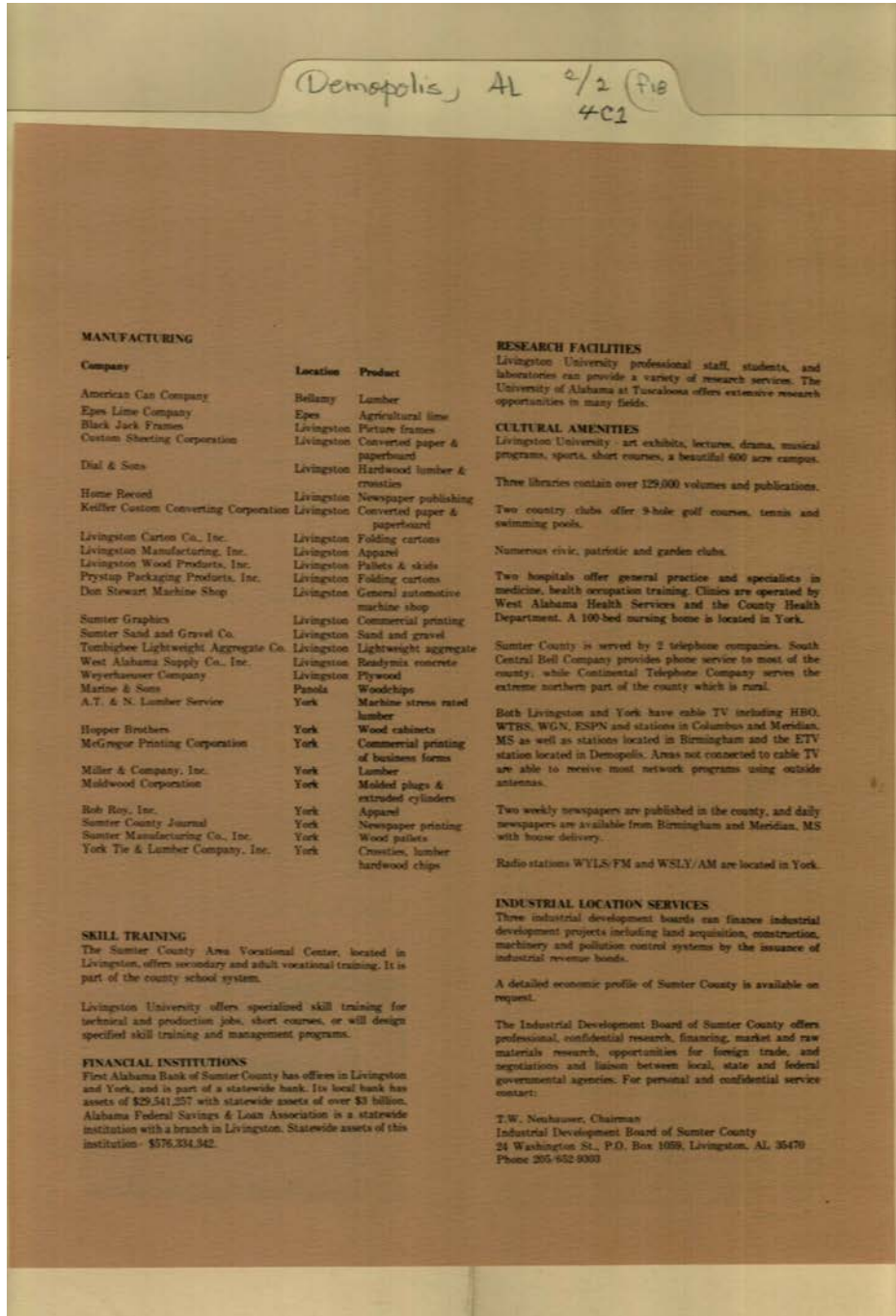
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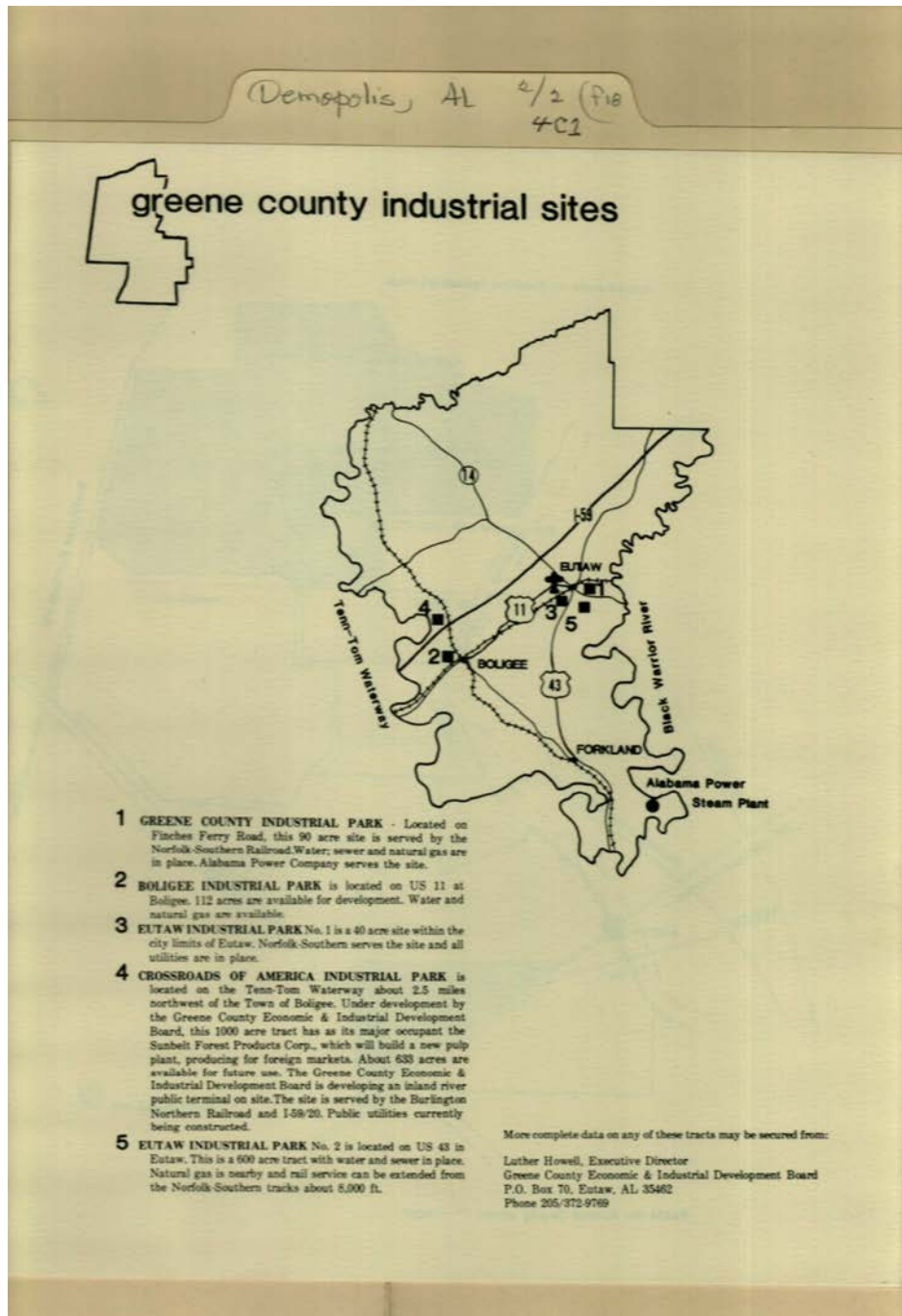
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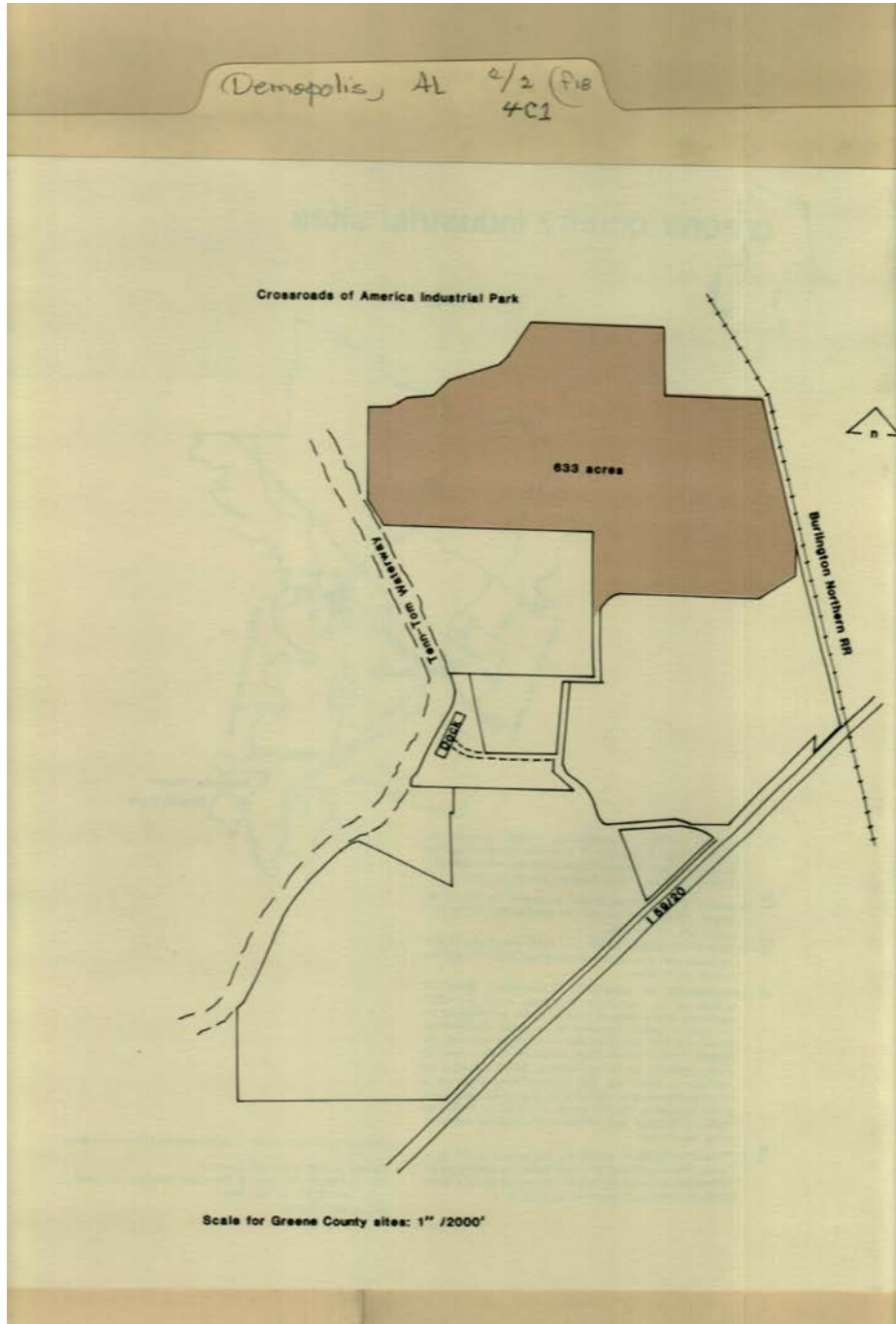
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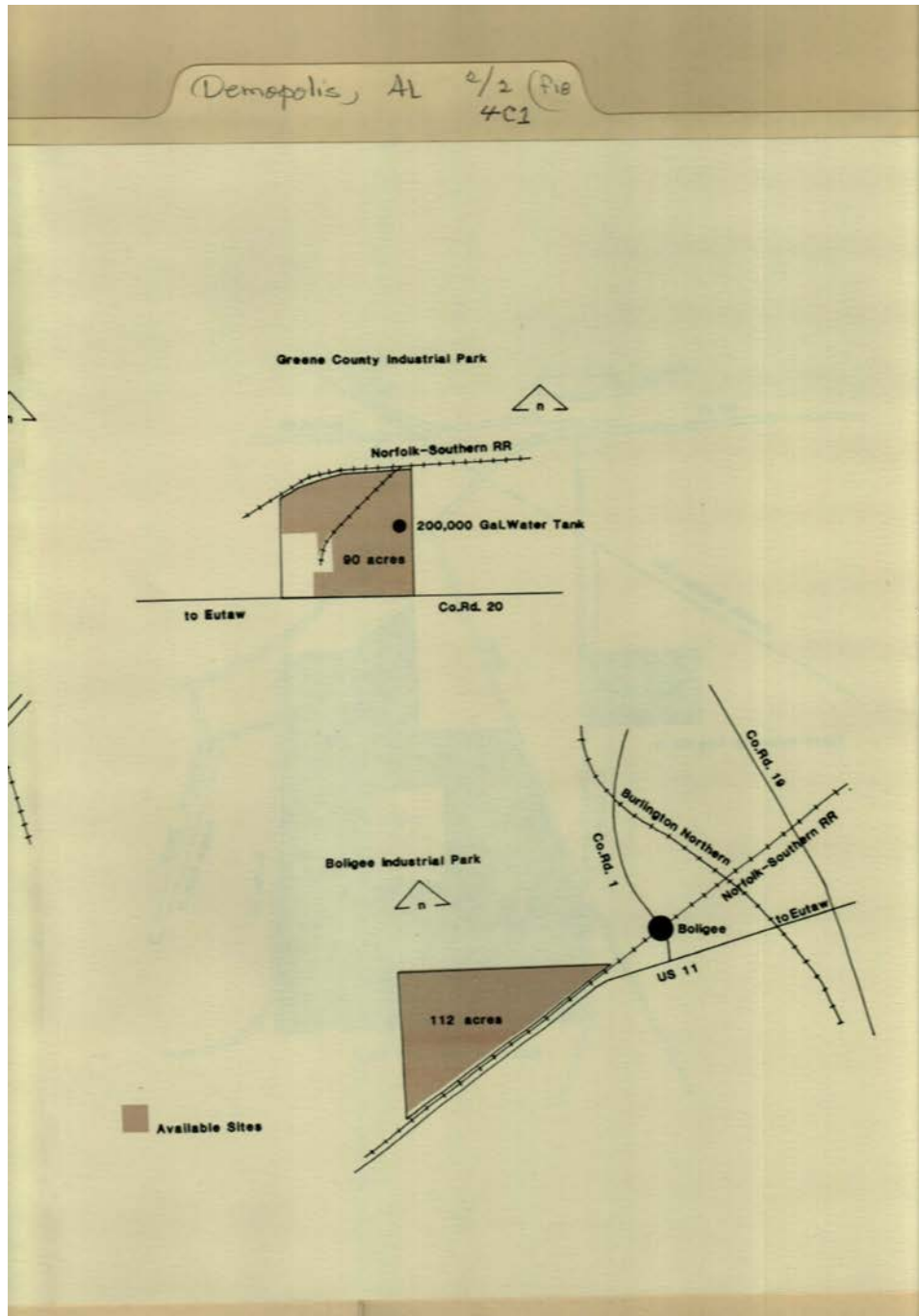
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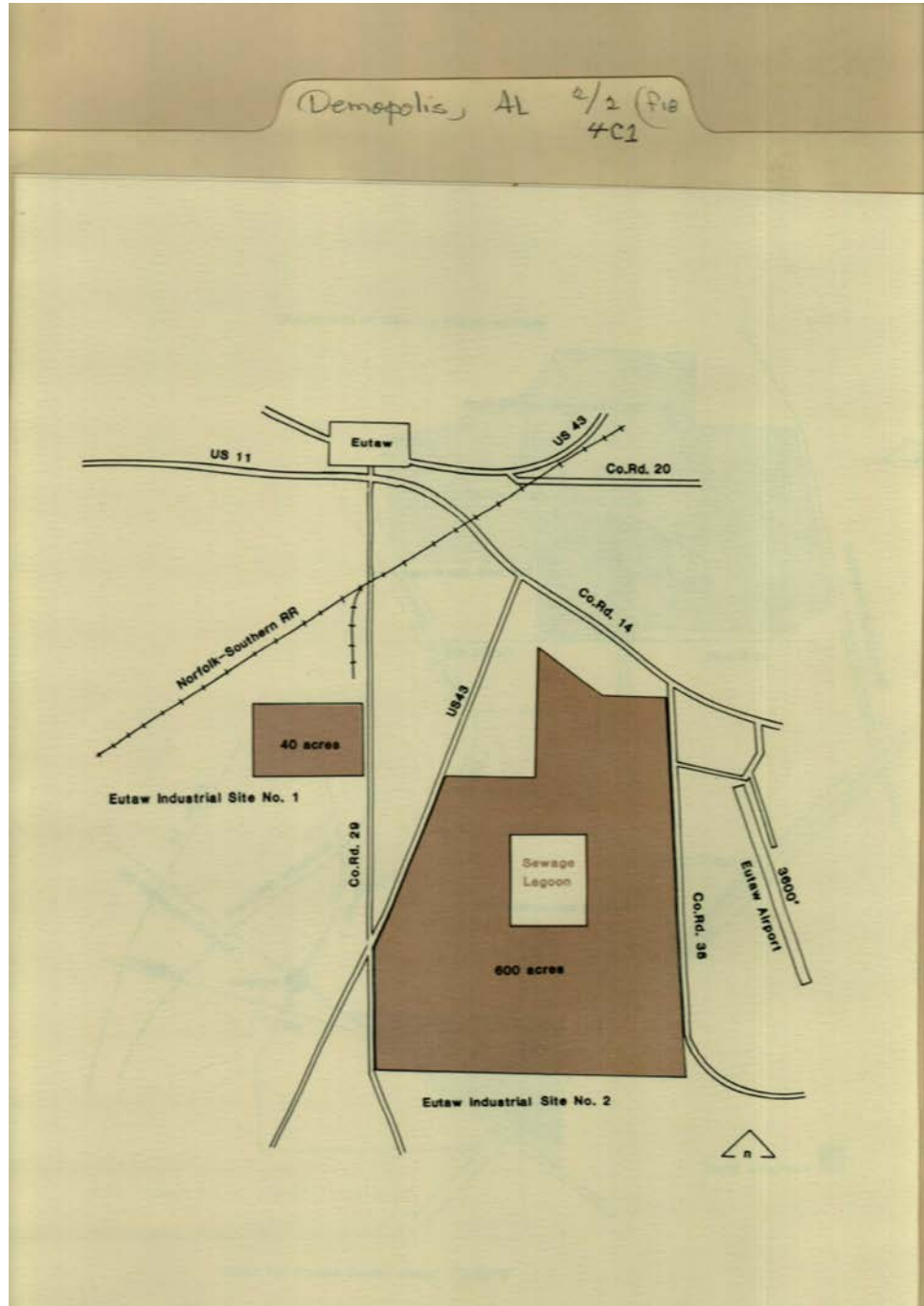
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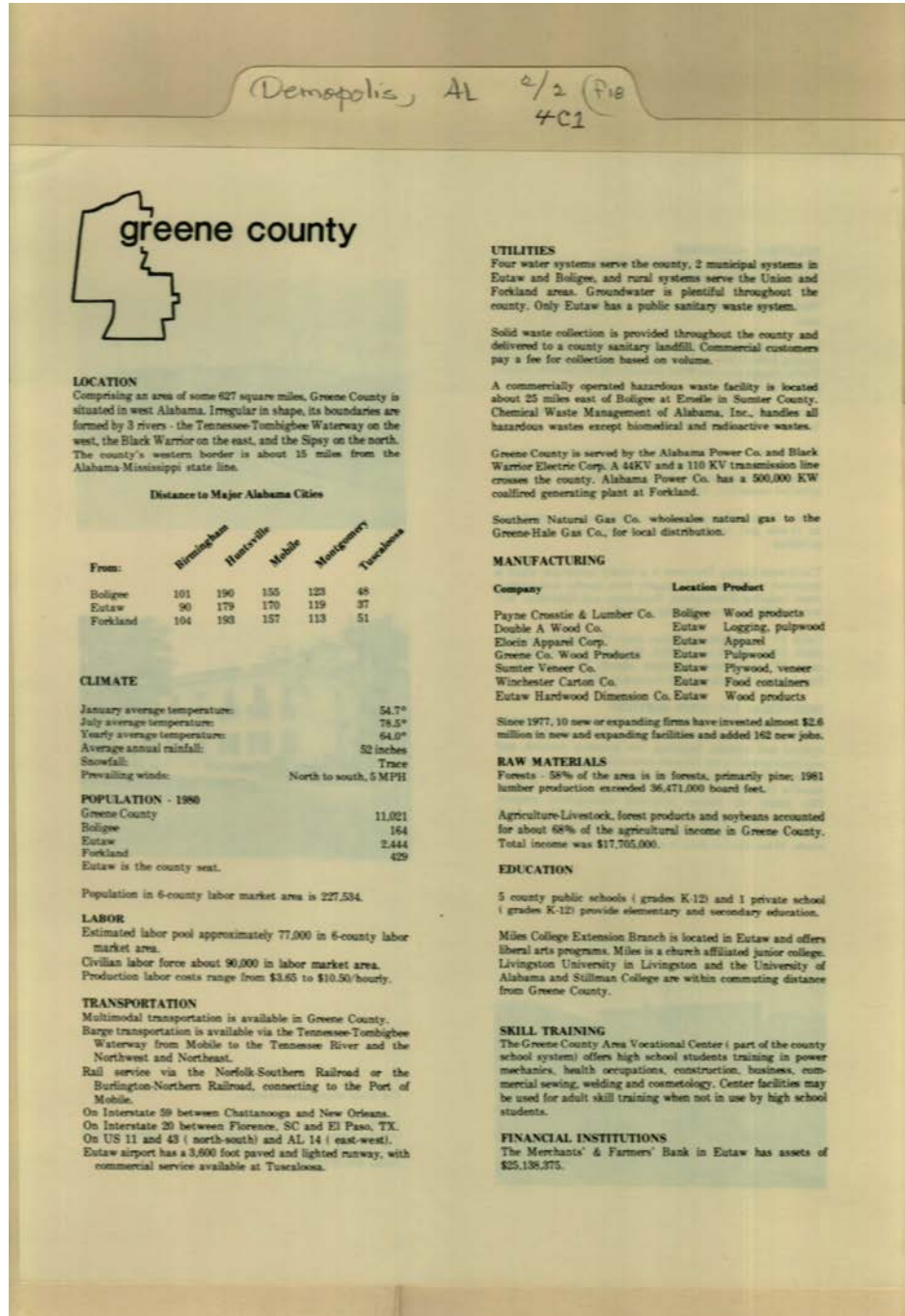
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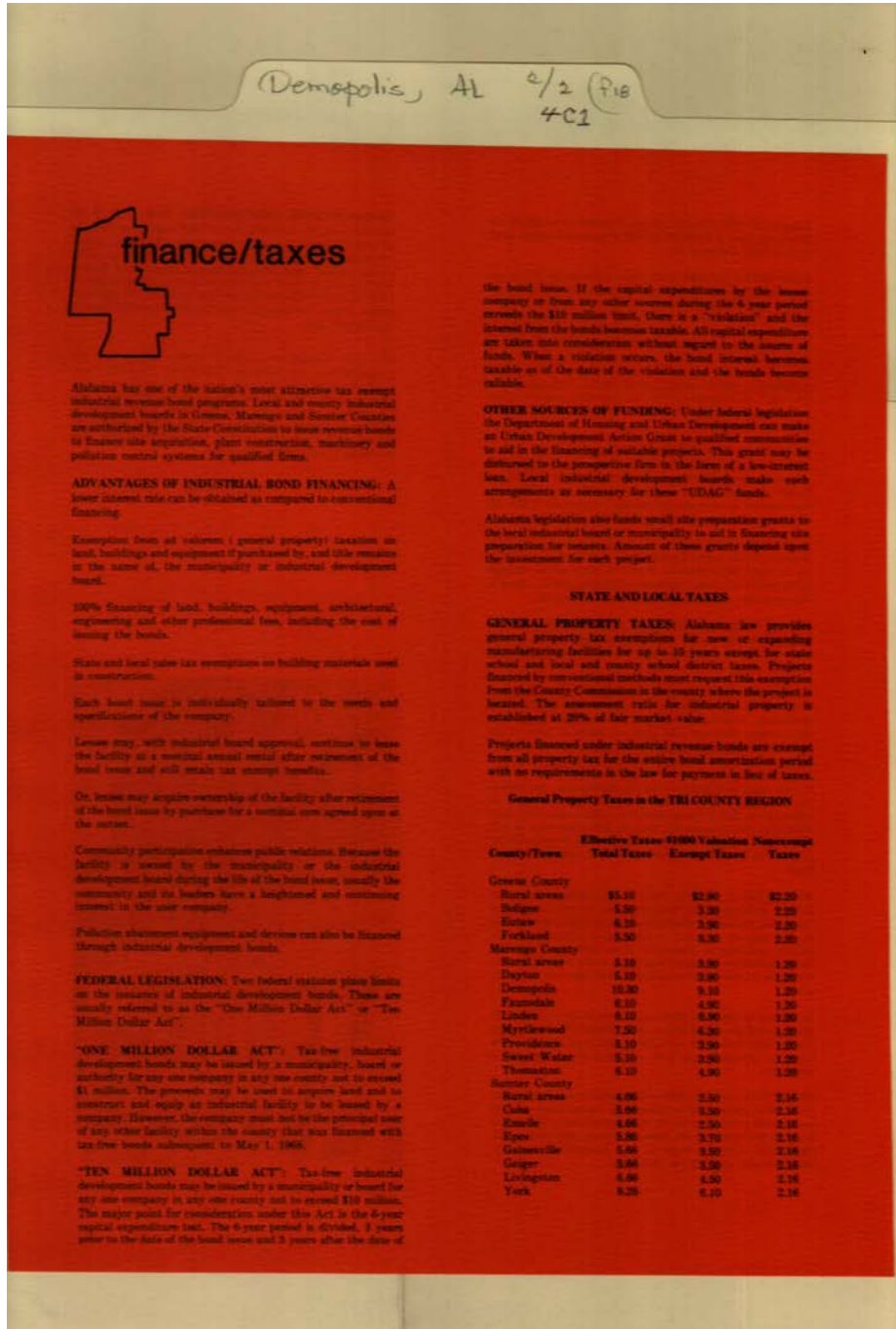
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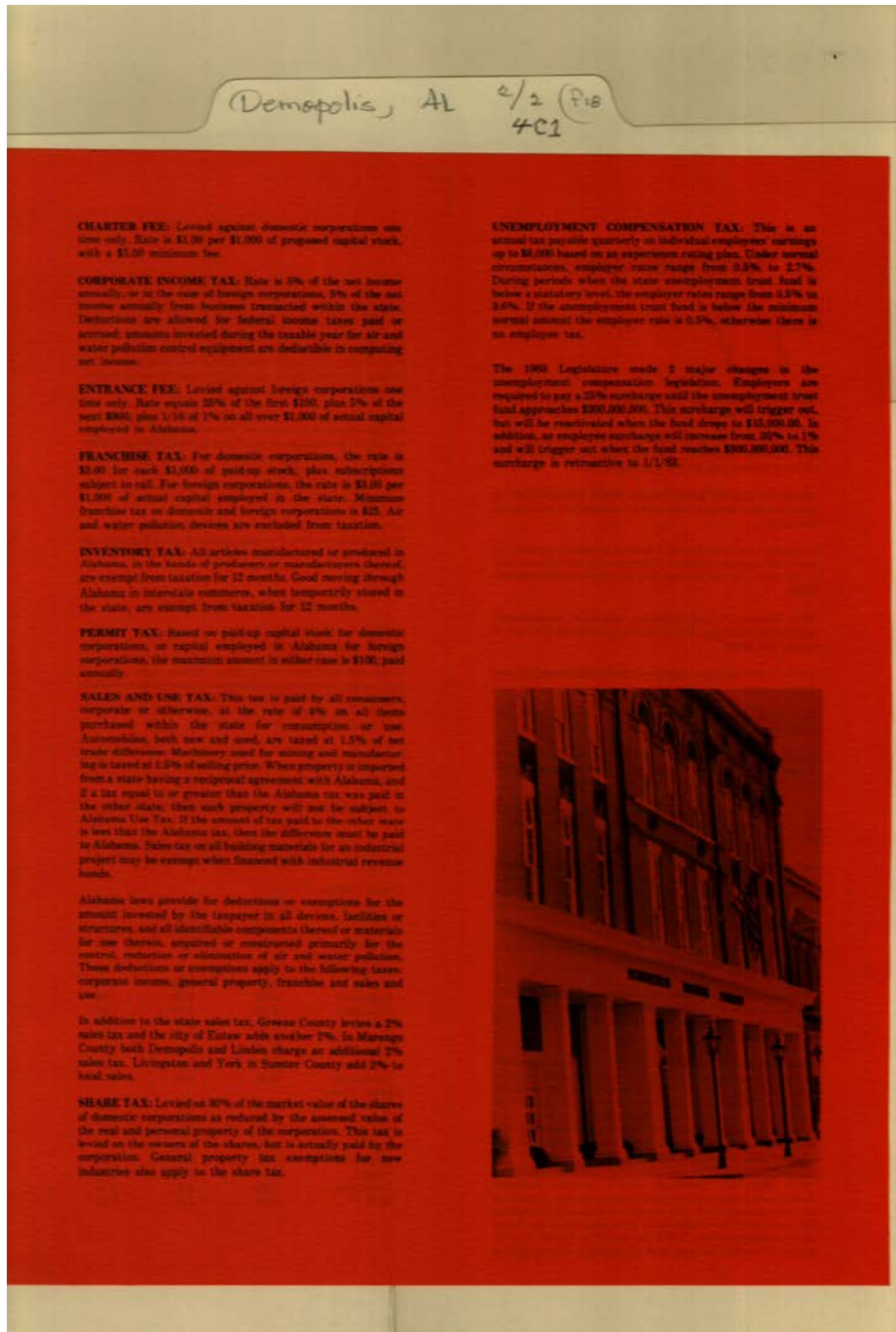
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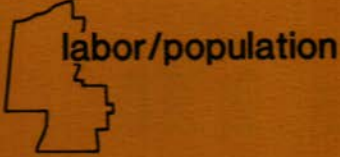
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**labor/population**

The TRICOUNTY REGION of West Alabama draws from a 14-county labor market to supply manpower needs of its businesses and services. In this labor market area the labor force exceeds 179,000 persons of working age. The labor force participation rate in 1960 was 37.5%, considerably above the 28.2% for the State of Alabama. As of April, 1963 the estimated participation rate was 39.3%.

	Counties			Total
	Greene	Marion	Sumter	
Civilian Labor Force	4,660	9,830	7,280	21,770
Employed	3,580	8,180	6,210	18,270
Labor Force				
Participation Rate (%)	42.3	39.2	42.8	41.0
Unemployed	780	1,650	1,000	2,460
Unemployed Rate (%)	16.8	16.8	14.2	15.9

**Labor Market Area, 14 Counties**

Civilian Labor Force	179,370
Employed	154,700
Labor Force	
Participation Rate (%)	39.3
Unemployed	24,870
Unemployed Rate (%)	13.8

It is estimated that the potential recruitable labor pool in this 14-county region is over 138,000.

More information on labor availability may be secured from offices of the Alabama Employment Service, located in Demopolis and Tuscaloosa, and a branch office in Livingston.


Employment in the Greene-Marion-Sumter County area is centered in manufacturing with over 25% of the total employed. Major employment is in apparel, wood and paper industries.

**EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION,  
October 1962**

	Greene	Marion	Sumter	Total
Agriculture	340	400	280	1,020
Construction	90	240	90	420
Manufacturing	360	2,160	1,460	4,010
Durables	90	780	510	1,380
Non-durables	300	1,380	950	2,630
Transportation, etc.	190	270	420	880
Trade, wholesale, retail	360	1,380	640	2,380
Finance, real estate, insurance	30	220	80	330
Service & miscellaneous	110	540	460	1,110
Government	490	1,430	1,490	3,720

**LABOR UNIONS**

Alabama is a "right-to-work" state, employees do not have to belong to a union even if their plant is unionized. Out of 39 industrial plants in the TRICOUNTY REGION, only 14 are unionized. Since those plants which have unions are generally the area's larger employers, about 47% of the industrial employees belong to a union.



**SKILL TRAINING**

Opportunities for training local labor forces for most industrial jobs are available locally or from state agencies. Each of the 9 counties have vocational training facilities for secondary school students. These are vocational centers are staffed with skilled instructors. These centers are located apart from the regular school buildings, and may be used for adult training courses when not used by students.

Livingston University, a state 4-year liberal arts university, also has a skill center offering courses in office, industrial technology, woodcraft, small engines, etc. Special courses can be arranged by its staff to meet local needs.

Alabama has a system of state technical and junior colleges scattered throughout the state and within commuting distance from any community. These colleges offer a source of highly trained workers. The nearest state technical schools are located in Tuscaloosa, Selma and Thomasville.

The Alabama Industrial Development Training Institute (AIDT) is a state financed program. AIDT provides training specifically designed to meet skill requirements of new or expanding industry. Each program is planned for the specific skill or industry, and includes recruitment, testing and training. AIDT uses its own instructors, those from the industry involved, or from local vocational technical schools. Specially designed mobile units are located at or near the plant site for the duration of the training program. Examples of the types machine operation, electrical maintenance, electronics, welding, pattern making, mechanical maintenance, instrumentation, etc. AIDT's programs are available at no cost to the employer.

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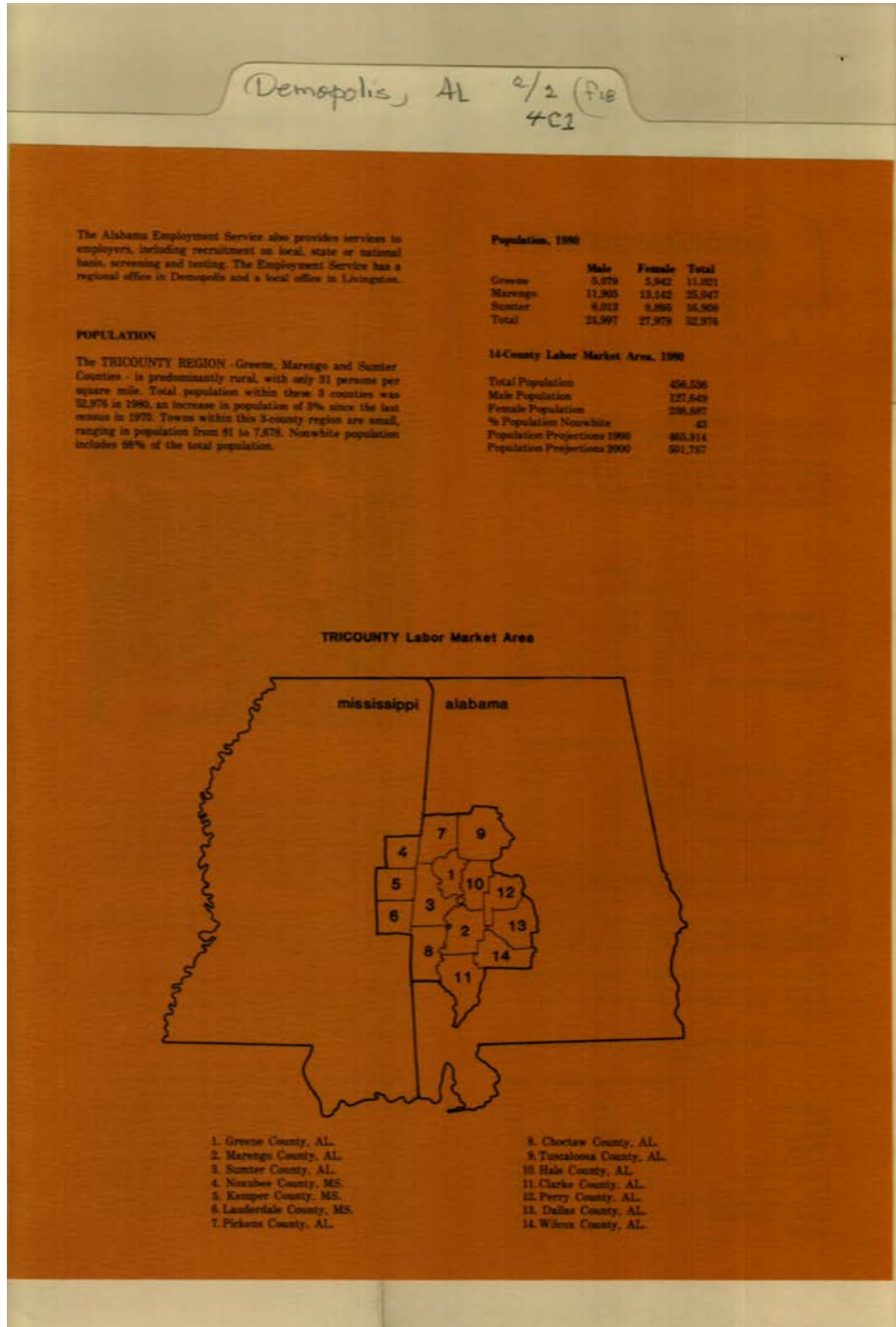
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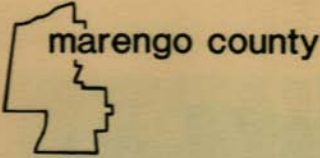
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**marengo county**

Rail service via 3 lines: Norfolk Southern, Burlington Northern, or the Seaboard System, all connecting to the Port of Mobile.

On US 80 ( east-west) and US 43 ( north-south).  
Demopolis Airport has a 5,000 ft. lighted and paved runway, with fuel and maintenance available. Commercial service is available at Tuscaloosa.

**LOCATION**  
Marengo County is in the west central part of Alabama, about 145 miles north of Mobile and the Gulf of Mexico, and 35 miles east of the Alabama-Mississippi state line. Total land area is about 626,000 acres, or roughly 978 square miles. The Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway forms the western boundary, with Greene and Hale Counties on the north, Perry, Dallas and Wilcox Counties on the east, and Clarke County on the south.

**Distance to Major Alabama Cities**

From:	Birmingham	Huntsville	Mobile	Montgomery	Tuscaloosa
Dayton	103	209	136	101	58
Demopolis	115	205	145	101	50
Faunsdale	112	243	130	83	54
Linden	130	220	130	116	65
Myrtlewood	131	237	125	101	73
Providence	118	224	128	106	65
Sweet Water	155	242	122	126	90
Thomaston	128	227	125	88	72

**CLIMATE**  
January average temperature: 44.3°  
July average temperature: 80.5°  
Yearly average temperature: 63.2°F  
Average annual rainfall: 53.86 inches  
Snowfall: Trace  
Prevailing winds: Winter - northeast  
Summer - southerly

**POPULATION - 1980**

Marengo County	25,047
Dayton	911
Demopolis	7,678
Faunsdale	174
Linden	2,773
Myrtlewood	252
Providence	363
Sweet Water	253
Thomaston	679

Population in 9-county labor market area: 196,909  
Linden is the countyseat of Marengo County.

**LABOR**  
Estimated labor pool in excess of 63,000 in 9-county market area.  
Civilian labor force in excess of 77,000 in labor market area.  
Production labor costs range from \$3.65 to \$14/hour.

**TRANSPORTATION**  
Multimodal transportation is available in Marengo County.  
Barge transportation to Birmingham via the Black Warrior River.  
Barge transportation south to Mobile, or northeast and northwest via the Tenn-Tom Waterway.  
Alabama State Docks has a public terminal at Demopolis on the Tenn-Tom Waterway.

**MANUFACTURING**

Firm	City	Product
American Cyanamid Co.	Demopolis	Liquid aluminum sulfate
Bergeron Barge Company	Demopolis	Barges
Borden, Inc.	Demopolis	Formaldehyde & resin
Citadel Cement Co.	Demopolis	Portland cement
Copeland Machine Shop	Demopolis	General machine shop
Demopolis Hickory Mill	Demopolis	Hickory wood products
Demopolis Times	Demopolis	Newspaper publishing
Farmers Meats, Inc.	Demopolis	Meat processing
Griffith Packing Plant	Demopolis	Meat processing
Gulf States Paper Corp.	Demopolis	Paperboard & pulp
Miller & Co.	Demopolis	Hardwood lumber
Plastics, Inc.	Demopolis	Plastic containers
River City Industries	Demopolis	Concrete products
Simco-Turner, Inc.	Demopolis	Parts for rail, cars, farm machinery
Taylor Vetter Co.	Demopolis	Hardwood plywood
Vanity Fair Mills	Demopolis	Ladies apparel
Warrior Concrete Vault Co.	Demopolis	Concrete products
West Alabama Thermogas	Demopolis	Liquid fertilizer
White Bluff Chronicle	Demopolis	Newspaper publishing, offset printing
Antique Today Printing Co.	Demopolis	Commercial printing
Baugh Timber Co.	Linden	Pulpwood
Democrat Reporter	Linden	Newspaper publishing
Dunn Lumber Co.	Linden	Cedar lumber
Linden Cresote Co.	Linden	Treated wood products
Linden Manufacturing Co.	Linden	Ladies apparel
Linden Wood, Inc.	Linden	Pulpwood, logs, poles
Star Paper Tube, Inc.	Linden	Paper cores, tubes
Thomas & Miller Lumber Co.	Linden	Lumber, chips
Central Industries	Sweet Water	Church furniture
Hamilton Logging Co.	Sweet Water	Logging
Cecil Hamilton Pulp Products	Sweet Water	Pulpwood, logging
J.B. White Pulpwood & Logging	Sweet Water	Logging, pulpwood
Black Belt Wood Co.	Thomaston	Pulpwood, logging

Manufacturing employment makes up about 24% of the county's total employment. Since 1977, 53 local firms and 2 new manufacturing firms invested over \$48 million in new and expanding facilities in Marengo County. These 55 firms created over 390 new jobs. Bergeron Barge Co. of Alabama located a new barge building plant on the Tombigbee River in 1981.

**RAW MATERIALS**  
About 60% of Marengo County is in timber, predominantly pine forest. Commercial forests occupied about 375,000 acres, with most in private land holdings. In 1981 lumber production exceeded 41,501,000 board feet.  
In 1981 agriculture produced almost \$24,000,000 income from farm products. Timber, livestock and soybeans accounted for 81% of this income.

**EDUCATION**  
Linden operates a separate city school system, with grades kindergarten through high school. The Marengo County School Board provides educational facilities for the rest of the county.

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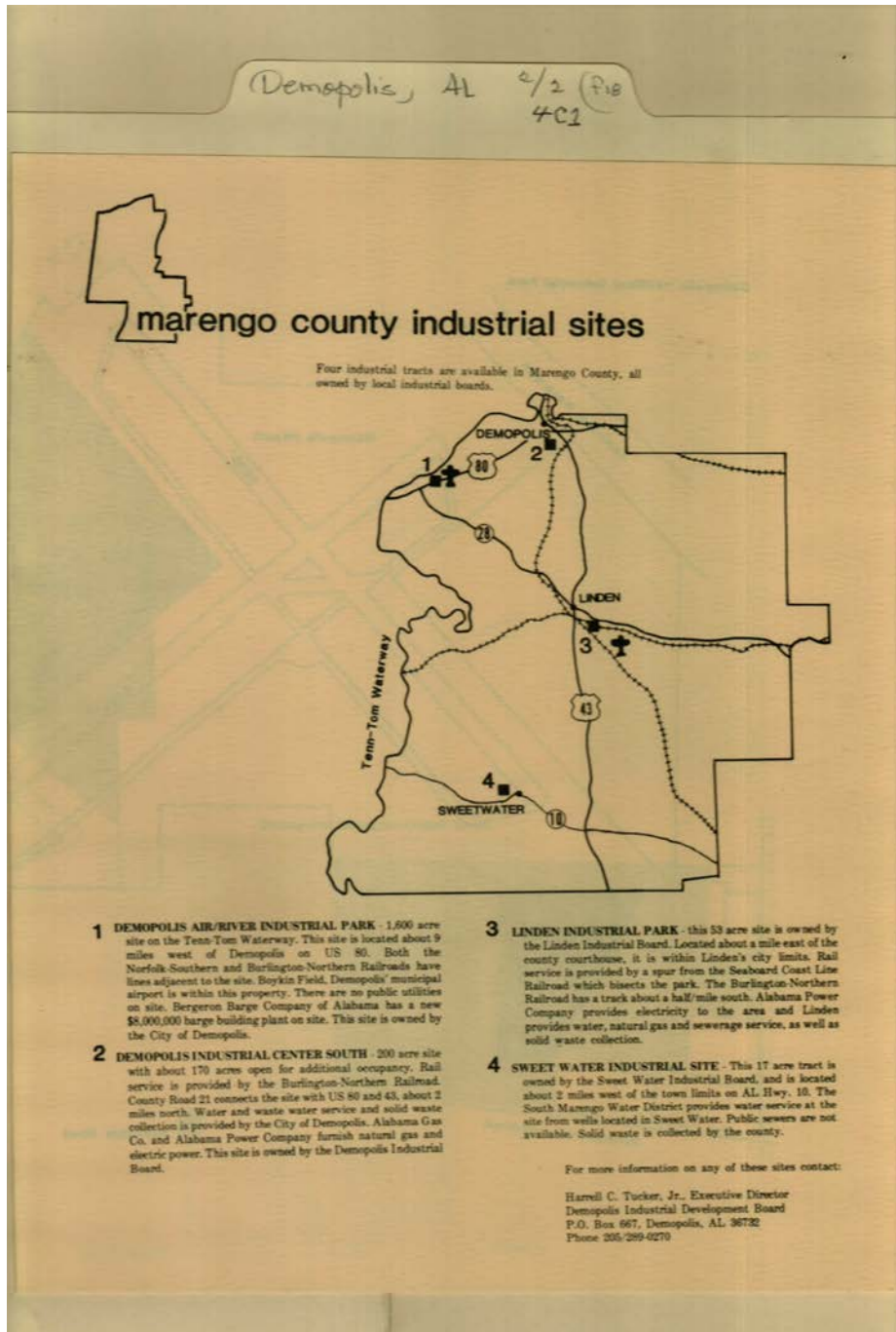
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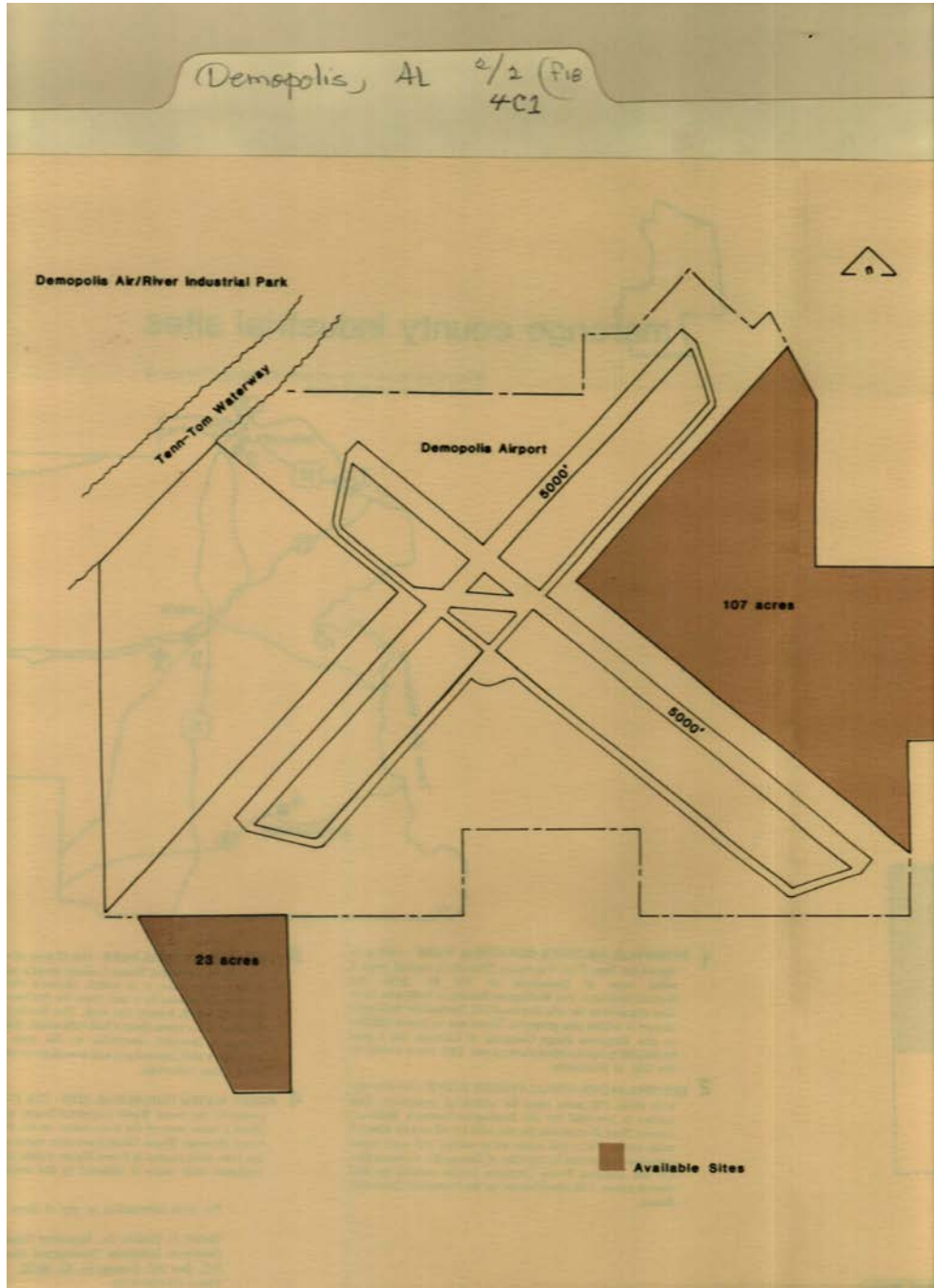
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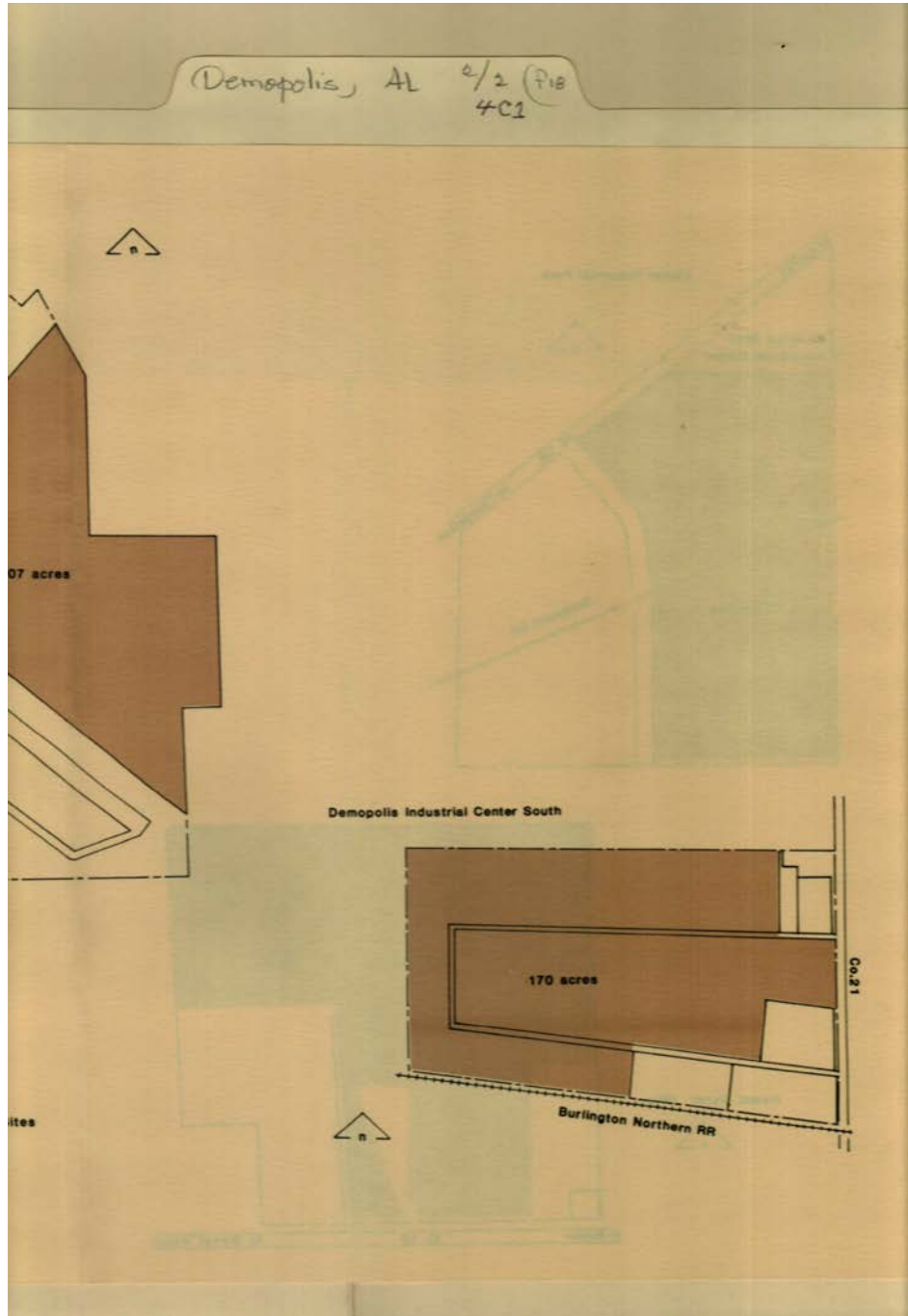
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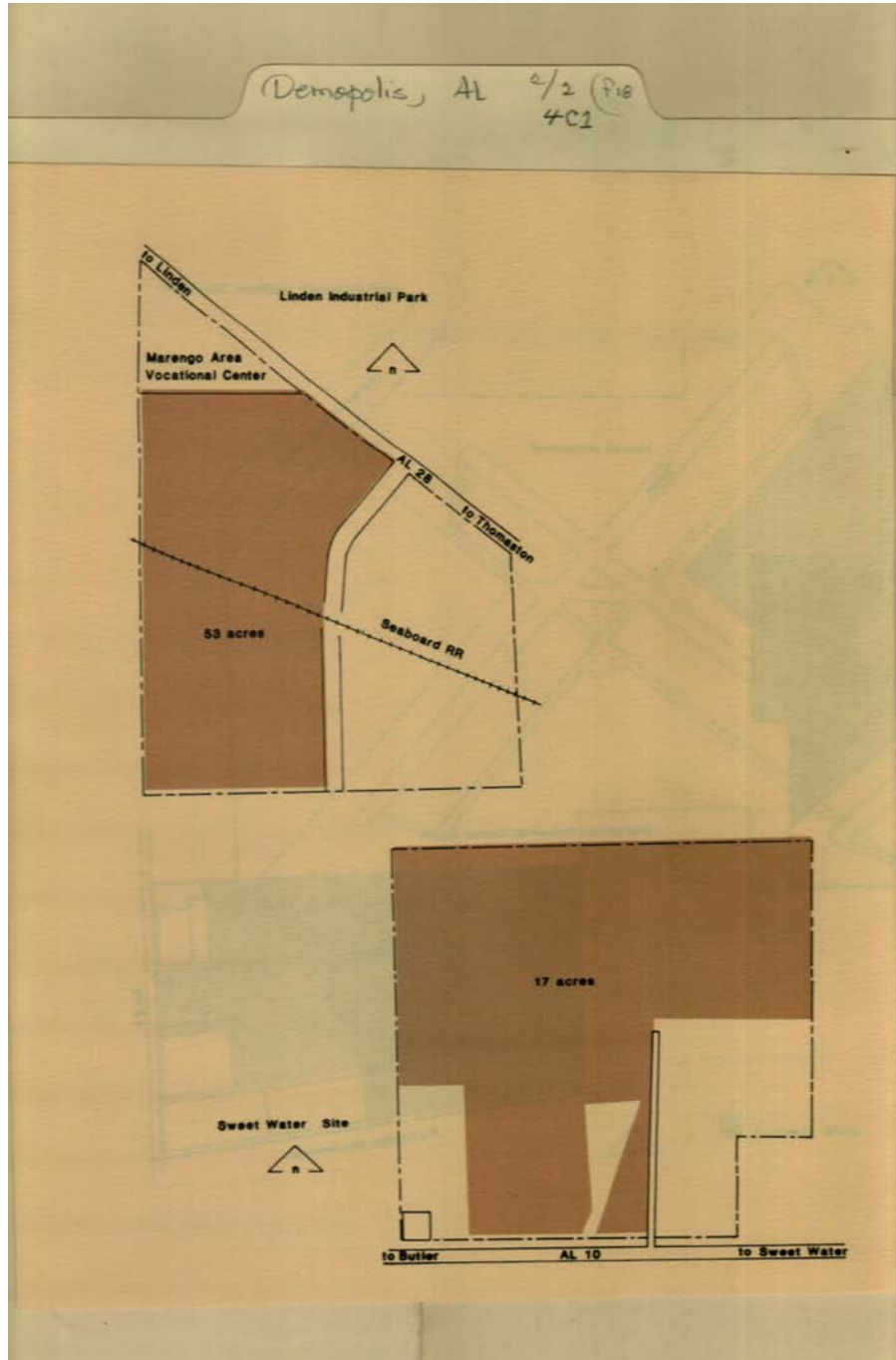
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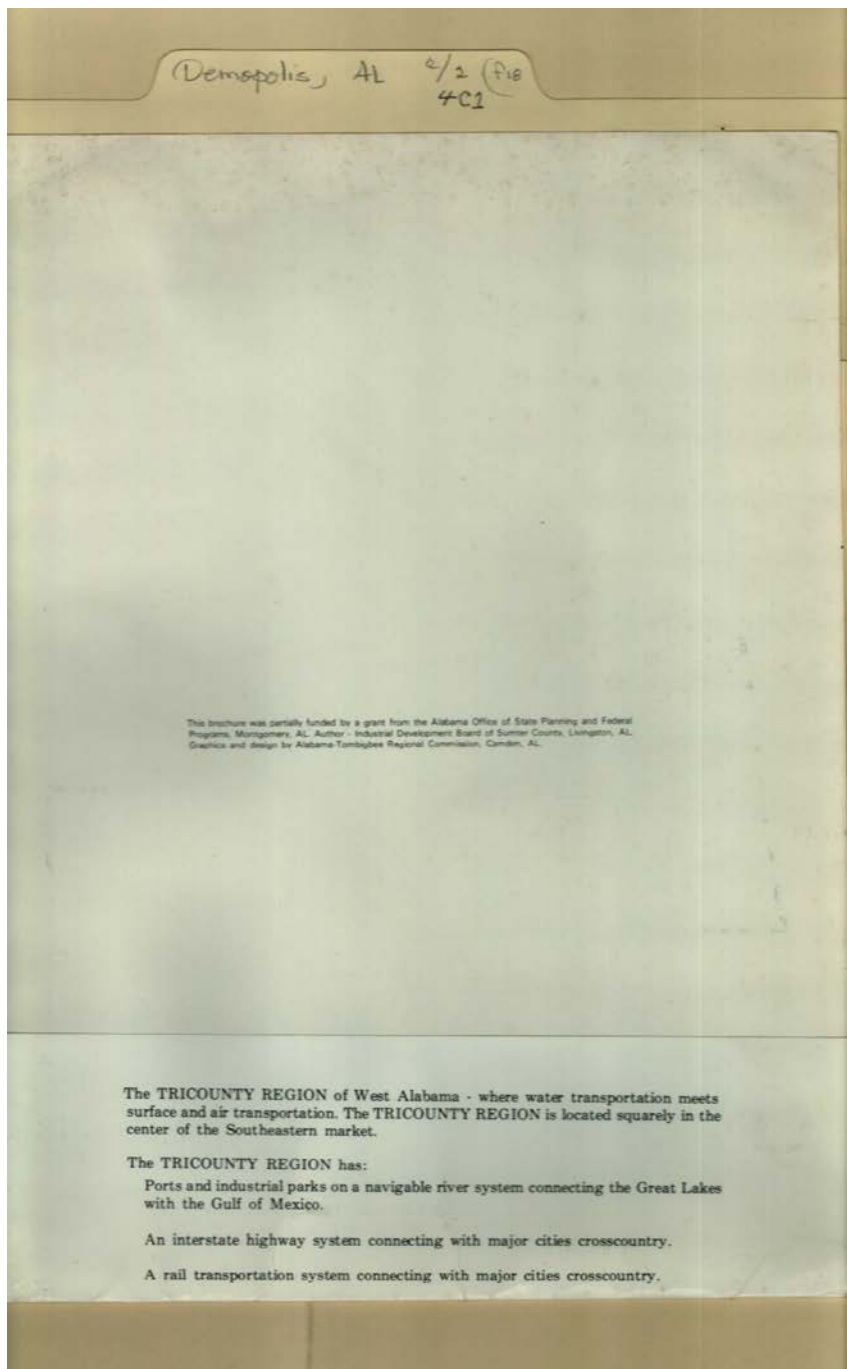
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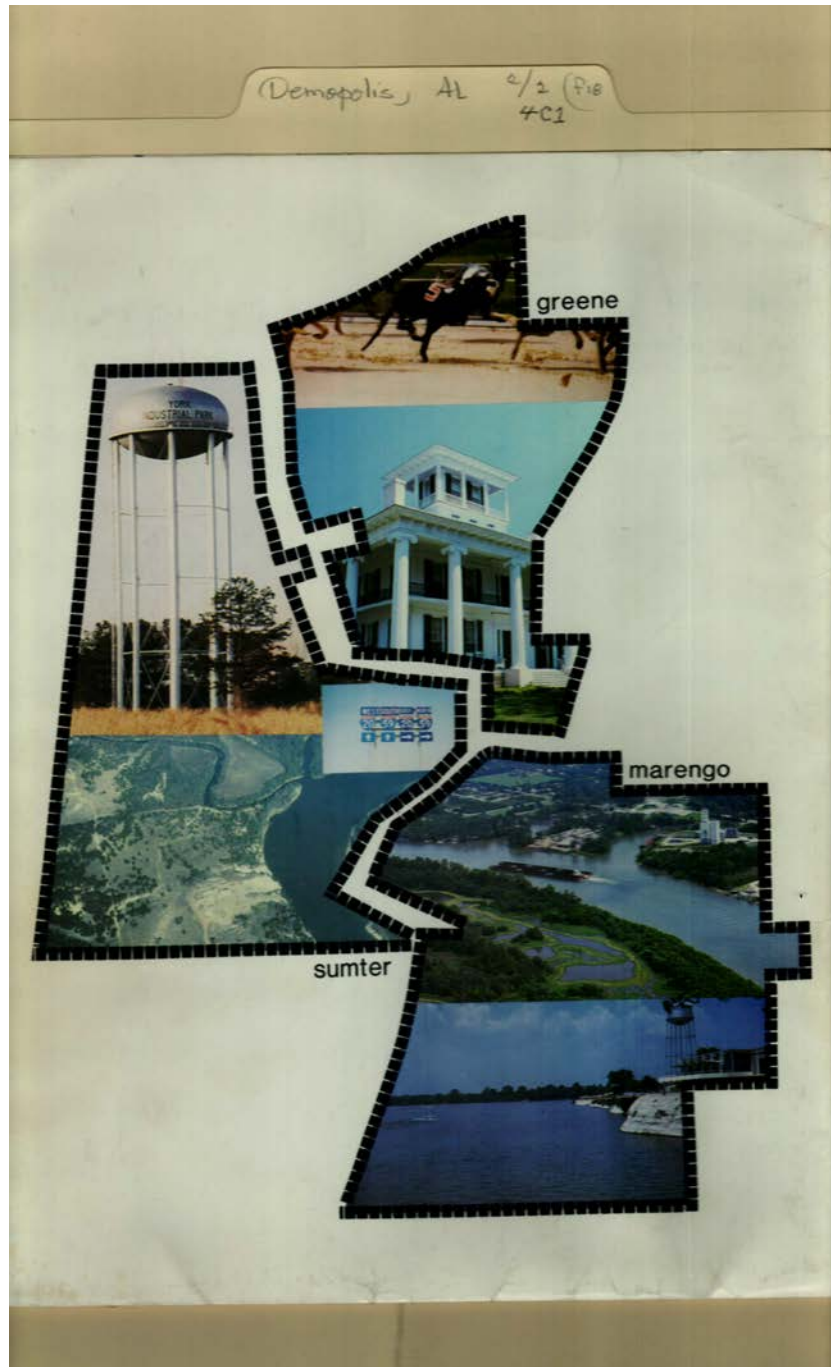
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