

MR. NADLER. Yes; they will be shown shortly.

Would you like to see the map again locating those particular stores?

MR. ROSENTHAL. Yes; if someone would point them out to us.

MR. NADLER. The Kinloch A-G is right here [indicating]. There wasn't a major grocery store anywhere near it. It is the only grocery store, major supermarket in Kinloch.

MR. ROSENTHAL. How far is the closest competing-type supermarket?

MR. NADLER. Several miles.

MR. ROSENTHAL. Of any chain?

MR. NADLER. Several miles. We didn't sample any others anywhere near it.

The county stores for all chains that had the lowest prices were out here in this section [indicating], north county. A. & P. and IGA are not on this map because they weren't represented today, but they also had the cheapest stores within a few blocks of these two stores up here [indicating]. The Vincent's A-G which was second highest is this store right down here [indicating] by Darst-Webbe public housing.

The Pruitt-Igoe Kroger store is right here [indicating] and the other Kroger store which had the second highest price was this store right here [indicating].

MR. ROSENTHAL. Can you tell us how close the nearest competing supermarket is to the Pruitt-Igoe store?

MR. NADLER. I don't know of another one in the immediate area. I may be wrong. I didn't find another one. They were several blocks away at least, most likely out of walking distance for a person that had to carry bags of groceries.

Gene, do you know of any others through there?

MR. BAUM. The nearest store would definitely be out of reach in terms of carrying groceries or wheeling along in a basket of some type.

MR. NADLER. Now, we have spoken to different chains about this matter and they have indicated that they do not have stores there in the immediate areas.

MR. ROSENTHAL. Well, they will have a chance here today to explain to us their view of how far a person can walk. It may be different than your view.

MR. NADLER. Right.

We have found, as a result of the bar graph that you saw just a few minutes ago, as much as 15-percent difference for an individual organization. A-G stores was over 15 percent, between the highest and the lowest stores that we surveyed.

The total for all poverty stores that we surveyed, versus all non-poverty stores, was about 6 percent.

MR. BAUM. Six percent.

MR. NADLER. Was 6-percent difference with the higher stores being in the poverty area.

MR. ROSENTHAL. Do you have a percentage difference computed as to A. & P., National, and Kroger?

MR. NADLER. A. & P., a very low percent, in fact, it was like about a tenth of a percent. They had very little difference within the total five stores we surveyed.

The National again was very low, less than 1 percent, also.

Kroger was 8.6 percent, I believe. It was over 10 percent between the highest and the lowest.