

SHAW'S STUDENT BODY REPRESENTATIVES BRIEF FOREIGN STUDENTS — Briefing foreign students on school activities and some American customs are left to right Eric A. Harding, president, student body; Miss Shirley Moss, (Miss Shaw University); Humphrey C. Mbugua, senior, of Kenya; Miss Sheila A. Ray, junior Barbados, B.W.I.; Joseph Kollie Acqui, freshman, Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa; Miss Florence Kennedy, sophomore, Caresburg, Liberia, West Africa; Hawa Lyon, Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa. Standing, left to right: Frederick Ouko, and David Suro, both of Kenya, East Africa.

BEHIND THE HEADLINES

BY CHATWOOD HALL
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ON THE ENEMIES WITHIN

The City of Brotherly Love has just witnessed a rampage of vandalism and looting that was as deplorable and disgraceful as it was lawless and purposeless.

Those gangs of irresponsible and reckless Negro rowdies who went on this wild outburst should be rounded up, labelled and read out of the ranks of civilized society. Coming as it did in the wake of

the recent Democratic National convention, at which President Lyndon Johnson pledged full support and enforcement of the new Civil Rights act and warned that his administration will not condone "lawlessness against civil rights or lawlessness for civil rights," the outrageous conduct of these Philadelphia hoodlums was doubly deplorable and disgraceful.

Are these scandalous outbursts and acts of lawless conduct being sparked and financed, overtly or

covertly, by some reactionary and racist organization in order to harm the Negro's just cause? Or to embarrass the Federal government and staunch civil rights supporters? The suspiciously alarming pattern which these outbursts have been assuming causes one to wonder.

But regardless of any assumptions in this respect, the lawless rowdies who engage in this chain of rampages are certainly making anti-Negro organizations and groups exceedingly happy.

It is known in social psychology that frustrations and non-acceptance create moods of hostility. But this can work both ways.

Outward destructive and lawless expressions of hostility, as have been occurring all too frequently recently, can create counter-hostility and hinder the acceptance and non-acceptance by whites.

Months of hoodlumism can also serve to cool the ardor of official proponents of full and equal civil rights for American Negro citizens.

Had the Philadelphia rowdies been intelligent, they would have known that full civil rights are not to be obtained by wrecking and looting shops in their neighborhoods or anywhere else.

If they had been intelligent, they would have reasoned that such a minor incident as a parked car (said to have been parked illegally) can hardly be an acceptable pretext for starting a reign of vandalism and looting.

This same lack of intelligence was shown recently in Dixon, outside Chicago, when stealing of a bottle of gin is said to have sparked a senseless rampage (shoplifting is illegal in Illinois).

This country now has the best and most comprehensive Federal civil rights legislation in its history. The aim ought now to be to close ranks and put forth united efforts to make it work and see that it is enforced.

That is what those Philadelphia Negroes—if they had been intelligent—should have been doing with their energy, time and citizenship rights.

Instead, they went on a wild, lawless and purposeless rampage comparable to those indulged in by semi-civilized tribesmen in the Congo.

On The Home Front

(News this week from Wake, Gates and Edgecombe Counties.)

HOME IMPROVEMENTS NOTED
Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Denning have proven that it pays to plan for home improvements. They have recently added a bedroom and bathroom to their home. These improvements were made possible from selling their vegetable crops for over three years.

Mrs. Mary Graham, associate home economics agent, says the Wake County family is now working on their well so they will have an ample water supply.

HOMEMAKER CLASSES
Many young homemakers were visited in Gates County to secure information about their interests and needs in the foods and nutrition area. Mrs. Pennie Battle, home economics agent, says the homemakers are interested in attending classes this fall.

Mrs. Battle explains that they will also have classes in child care and safety, meal planning, buying and shopping habits, and home management.

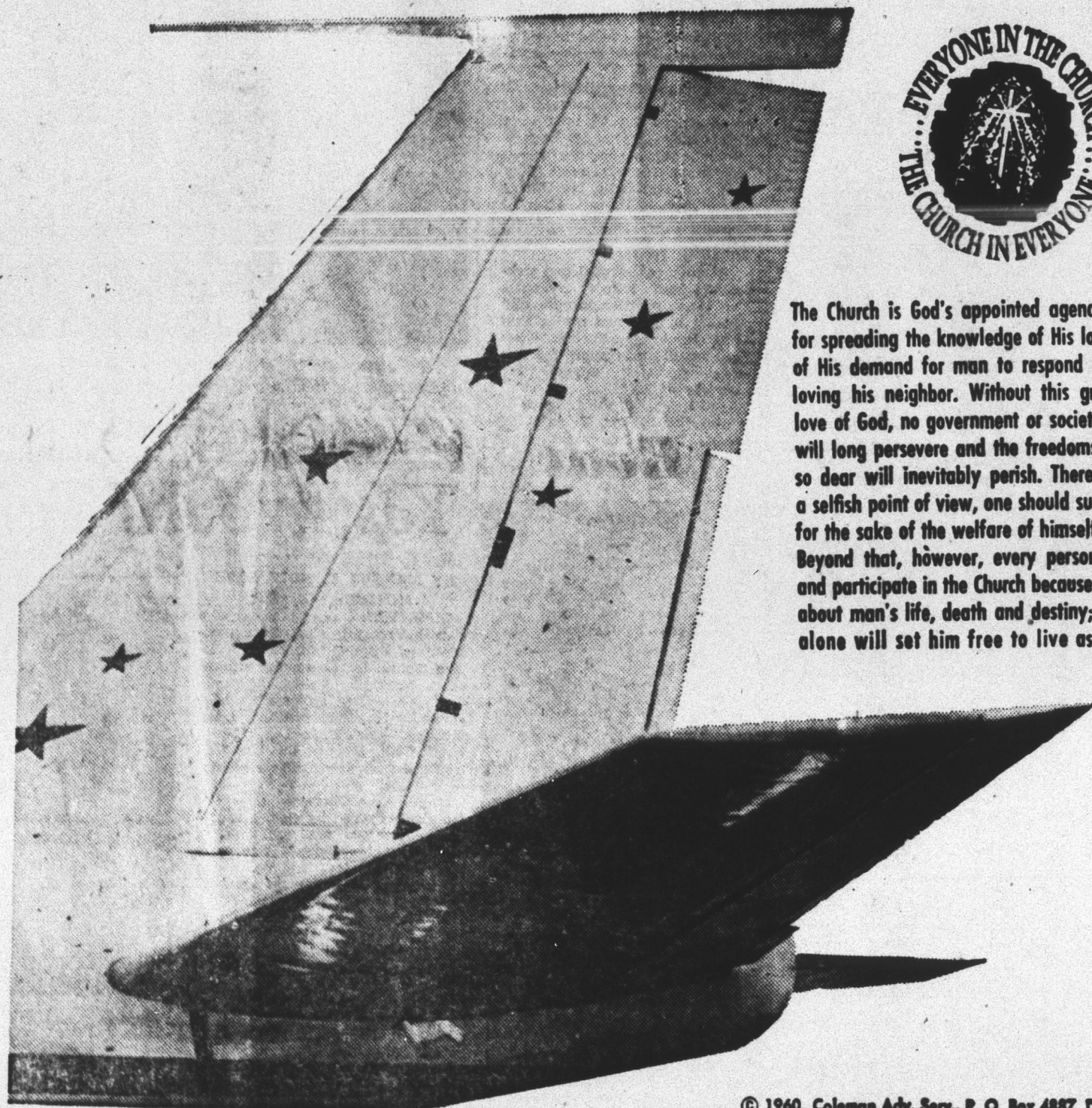
KITCHEN IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS
There are only a few days left before the final judging in the kitchen improvement contest in Edgecombe County. Mrs. Hazel Parker, home economics agent, says the contest has stimulated interest among homemakers in improving their kitchen for easier work.

The two top scoring homemakers in each participating community will receive electrical awards from the Edgecombe Martin Electric Membership Corporation.

THE NICEST THING about being dull is that you are unaware of the fact, and hence are pleasantly blissful.

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The tail assembly of a plane with its trim tabs, rudders, and stabilizer is necessary for flight. Smoother flying may be brought about with a slight adjustment of a trim tab. The rudders steer and keep you flying in the right direction. Let God's word be your guide. Let the church help you guide your life. Seek the Lord's will. "And the Lord shall guide thee continually..." Enter the Lord's house at the beginning of each week, and see how much easier the path is made.



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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TWO MINUTES WITH THE BIBLE
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CHURCH ON FIRE
The Chicago newspapers carried an account the other day of a large church, burned to the ground, at a loss of about half a million dollars. Our sympathy goes out to the pastor and congregation who, at best, will have to carry on for a time under makeshift arrangements.

But the account reminded me of the story of another church on fire. The crowds had gathered to see the fire engines pour water on the burning building, when one man spotted a friend in the crowd. "Hi Bob!" he shouted. "This is the first time I've seen you at church!" "Well," responded the other, "this is the first time I've seen a church on fire."

We write this as a special appeal to true, born-again Christians. Isn't it true that if believers were more "on fire" for Christ, more completely sold out to Him, those

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who are now disinterested would be more apt to become interested and come to know Him as their Savior? We so soon lose interest or become discouraged, and quit. This is why the Apostle Paul, that tireless ambassador for Christ wrote: "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord." (1 Cor. 15:58).

This, we repeat, is his exhortation only to believers, for God will not accept our money or our good works, until we have first accepted from Him "the gift of God, which is eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord" (Rom. 6:23).

Accept that gift; trust the Christ who died for your sins and He'll give you plenty to do—the most rewarding service any man can possibly render.

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