

C O N F I D E N T I A L

SOUTHERN AFRICA COMMITTEE Minutes - January 15, 1965, T.I.C.

The meeting was called to order at 12:15 by chairman Dave Robinson

Due to the fact that most of the committee was absent, the decision was made to dispense with business until the next meeting which will be January 29th in the conference room on the 5th floor.

Sharon Gorzan reported that letters were going out on Monday to NSCF Coordinators on the Emphasis Week on South African in March. Following the Emphasis Week, the Consultative Council will meet to arrange for a meeting with key people in the State Department and Adlai Stevenson to express student concern on South Africa .

Dave Robinson will look into the tape: 'South Africa Racial Problems'

There were two guests at the meeting, Hank Crane and Linda Leaird. Most of the meeting was spent in informal conversation with Hank Crane. Hank impressed upon us the necessity of seeing that the civil rights struggle here in this country must be seen in its international dimension. This is absolutely essential; domestic and international racial problems cannot be separated if for no other reason than the fact of the power of the U.S. government in the world. As a committee our task is to pinpoint and articulate this in the Church and in Student groups. No one is doing this. We do have a huge responsibility.

AT OUR NEXT MEETING - JANUARY 29 - WE WILL DISCUSS THE STATEMENT ON ENDS, MEANS AND PRIORITIES OF THE COMMITTEE ON SOUTHERN AFRICA. Hilah has reworded it for the third time. Come prepared to decide on this and to make commitments about your time, involvement and specific task.

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