

Graham Levels Criticism at World C. of C.

Montreat, N.C. — (RNS) — Evangelist Billy Graham criticized the World Council of Churches here for actions he said are "totally outside the jurisdiction of the church."

"When the World Council of Churches gave \$200,000 to some militant groups in Africa to carry on violence, the Archbishop of Canterbury criticized the Council," he said. "Well, I agree with him 100 per cent, but I go further."

"This week the London Telegraph carried a big story on the fact that the World Council of Churches had just voted \$200,000 to help Americans who desert from the military. This is totally outside the jurisdiction of the church."

"I don't think the American people who pay the overwhelming majority of the money to the World Council to support it are going to want the World Council of Churches giving money for this type of thing. I think more and more people are going to designate their money when they give, to a local church — if their denomination belongs to the World Council."

"They'll designate it for local expenses or for missions. I think the World Council is making a very serious blunder and they're going to lose a lot of good will around the world except in Eastern Europe. They may please the Communists, but no one else."

"I believe in social action by the church," Mr. Graham said. "I believe the church has a social responsibility, but not exclusively; and in a lot of churches that's all they're doing. They've become humanistic organizations and they've left the Gospel and the Bible. What we need is balance in the church."

'Not Encouraging Lawbreaking,' Official Says

New York — (RNS) — The World Council of Churches is not encouraging young Americans to break U.S. laws by supplying funds to aid "draft refugees" in Canada, the Council's chief executive said here.

Dr. Eugene Carson Blake said the WCC's appeal for \$240,000 over three years, to assist the 30,000 young men who have become military deserters or draft resisters is similar to the help given any other political refugees.

He said the World Council has helped millions of persons, especially from Eastern Europe, in the past 20 years without asking whether they are "good" people — and without agreeing or disagreeing with their cause.

The American-born general secretary defined a political refugee as "one who leaves his country for political reasons." He said that some refugees from Eastern Europe, for example, were "fascist anti-Semites" while others were "liberal anti-Communists."

NEW SECRETARIAT

Hong Kong — (RNS) — Roman Catholic bishops from the Far East will meet here in March to establish an Asian bishops' central secretariat. The decision to create the secretariat and locate it in Hong Kong was approved during the recent Asian Bishops Conference in Manila, which was attended by Pope Paul.

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Aliens Must Report This Month

All aliens in the United States must report their addresses and other information to the Immigration and Naturalization Service during the month of January, the agency pointed out this week.

The law applies not only to immigrants but also to visitors, students, seamen and any other aliens who were in the country on Jan. 1. The only exceptions are diplomats and members of

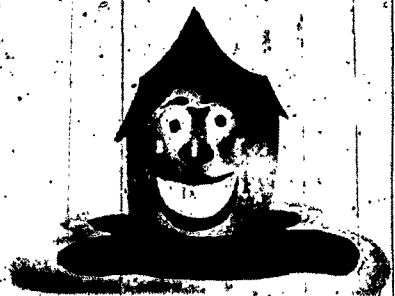
certain international organizations.

One who was in the country on Jan. 1, but absent throughout the 30-day report period, must report during the 10 days following his return.

The Aliens Address Report Card, Form I-53, may be ob-

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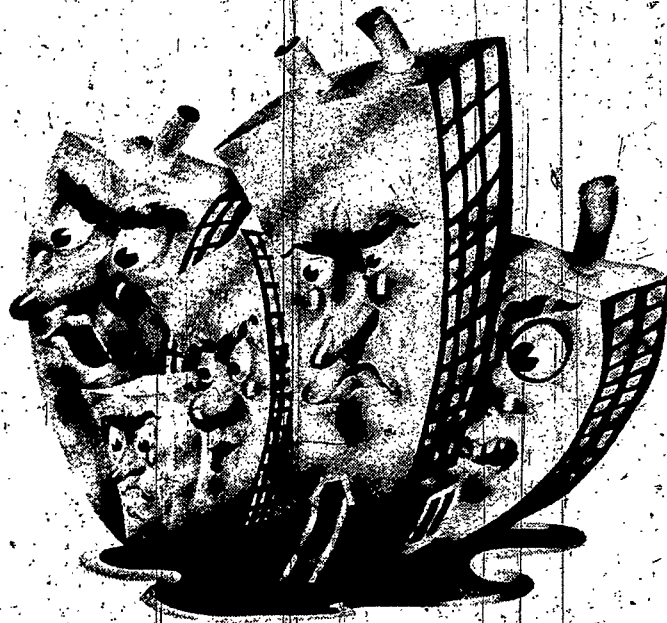
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