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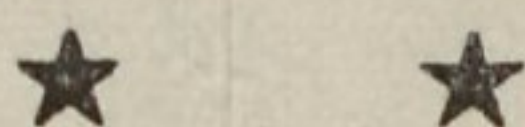
This picture was made of Miss Brooks boarding her plane when she left Birmingham. See the back page for further information about her voyage to Africa.

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Silence is requested when organ prelude begins

9:45 A. M.-----The Church Teaching
10:50 A. M.-----The Church Worshipping

ORGAN PRELUDE Glenn Gibbs
CALL TO WORSHIP
DOXOLOGY
INVOCATION AND RESPONSE
ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION OF VISITORS
TRAINING UNION SPECIAL
HYMN 16 "Safely Throught Another Week"
READING OF SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER
JUNIOR CHOIR "Give, Oh, Give"
"Precious Jewels"
"Higher Ground"
HYMN 242
WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS
OFFERATORY Sammy Howard, Pianist
JUNIOR CHOIR "I Am So Glad that My Father in Heaven"
VIOLIN SOLO Carlos Purgailis
MESSAGE Carlos Purgailis
INVITATION HYMN 123 "Where He Leads Me"
BENEDICTION
POSTLUDE



EVENING WORSHIP

6:15 P. M.-----The Church Training
7:30 P. M.-----The Church Worshipping

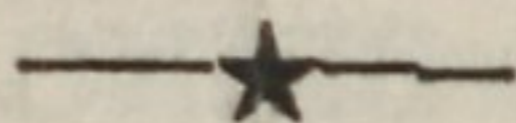
ORGAN PRELUDE Glenn Gibbs
HYMN 318 "Leave It There"
PRAYER
ANNOUNCEMENTS
HYMN 267 "Since Jesus Came into My Heart"
SPECIAL
HYMN 246 "At Calvary"
WORSHIP IN GIVING
CHOIR SPECIAL
MESSAGE "Broken Hearts—Broken Homes" Pastor
INVITATION HYMN 121 "Just As I Am"
BENEDICTION
POSTLUDE

Miss Ruth Ernelle Brooks
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CALLING ALL FAIRFIELD BAPTISTS TO HEAR CARLOS PURGAILIS

Sunday Morning, November 30th

Carlos Purgailis was born in Latvia. When Russia absorbed Latvia and the iron curtain was moving westward, he fled with other refugees to South America. While in Brazil, Dr. L. R. Scarborough discovered that this young man possessed unusual possibilities and persuaded him to go to the Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas. When Carlos finished the Seminary he went to New York as pastor of the First Latvian Baptist Church. After his varied experience in New York he began to do evangelistic work. Since the close of the war has dedicated himself to the cause of our Baptist people who are suffering in the occupied zones. Do you think that we are living in uneventful times? Do you think there is no reason to fear the threat of Communism? Hear this great man of God Sunday morning as he tells of what the Communists are doing to all who will not line up with their party.



A LETTER FROM MISS BROOKS

Dear Friends:

I have just received word that I sail Thursday, November 20th, on the S S Emeraire, Barber Line, Pier No. 36, Atlantic Basin, Brooklyn, New York. This is a cargo ship that goes direct to Dukar, Accra, and on to Lagos. The trip should take around three weeks. I shall notify you when I arrive.

The box you sent, through error went to Greenville, South Carolina. My brother has received it and will have it sent on to me. He called me last night and told me about it. I do appreciate your thoughtfulness.

I shall write you more details as soon as I have opportunity.

Sincerely yours,

Ernelle Brooks

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