

# Kenya farmer preaches new approach to racial amity

It is no longer enough for the White man to provide the African Native with a home, a job, medical care and other material assistance. He must satisfy deeper needs—"the needs of the heart."

This idea has made Mr. Wilfrid Hopcraft leave his farm in the Lake Naivasha district in Kenya, where he lived for more than 20 years, to spread the gospel of the new approach in race relations in Africa.

"Unless there is a change of heart on the part of all races in Africa we will continue to live in a state of crisis. There must be a new approach by all parties to the important problem of living together," Mr. Hopcraft said today on his arrival in Johannesburg from Kenya.

He will join the Moral Rearmament team in the Union and one of his first jobs will be the presentation of a play "We are Tomorrow" which will have its first production in Umtata tomorrow evening.

## OPENED EYES

The Lyttelton Plan for increasing the representation of the various races in Kenya's Government had proved a success and brought the races more closely together, said Mr. Hopcraft.

"The main effect of the Mau Mau emergency, to my mind, is that it has opened the eyes of the Europeans to the non-material needs of the non-Europeans.

"Unless these non-material needs are satisfied, we will have failed completely to fulfil our role in Africa. The bitterness will continue and with it things like the Mau Mau."

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