**Shaken to the Roots, 1965 - 1980**

**Lecture/Reading Notes 2 (p. 359 - 361)**

1. **The Year of the Gun, 1968**
2. **The Tet Offensive**
3. **The “living room” war**

* Images from Vietnam went direct to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; it was a “living room war.”
* A handful of images stayed in people’s memories – a Buddhist monk \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; a child with flesh \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; a South Vietnamese official executing a captive on the streets of Saigon.

1. **The advice of twenty “wise men”**

* Clark Clifford, the new secretary of defense, as well as twenty “wise men” – the big names of the Cold War – told the president that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. **LBJ’s Exit**
2. **Eugene McCarthy and the New Hampshire primary**

* Minnesota’s liberal Senator Eugene McCarthy had decided to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the presidential primaries.
* McCarthy won a startling \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and twenty of twenty-four delegates in the March 16 election.

1. **Robert Kennedy**

* By showing Johnson’s vulnerability, New Hampshire also drew \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ into the race.
* More than other mainstream politicians of the 1960s, he touched the hearts of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ voters as well as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. **Johnson’s withdrawal from the 1968 presidential election**

* Facing political challenges and an unraveling war, on March 31, 1968, Johnson announced a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, opening the door for negotiations.
* He then astounded the country by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from the presidential race.

1. **Red Spring**
2. **Prague Spring in Czechoslovakia**

* Alexander Dubeek, the new leader of the Czech Communist party, brought together \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ around reforms that caused people to talk about “Prague Spring” - a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ inside the iron curtain.
* In August, the Soviets sent in their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and bring Czechoslovakia back in line.

1. **Red Spring in France**

* In Paris, student demonstrations against the Vietnam War turned into attacks on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. **The “battle of Morningside Heights”**

* At \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in New York, African-American students and its SDS chapter had several grievances.
* Some students wanted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, others a confrontation that would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* They occupied five university buildings, including the library and the president’s office, for a week in April until \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. **Violence and Politics**
2. **The assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr.**

* On April 4, 1968, ex-convict \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shot and killed Martin Luther King, Jr. as he stood on the balcony of a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ motel.
* King’s death triggered a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in black ghettos.

1. **The assassination of Robert Kennedy**

* On June 5, Robert Kennedy won \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. He was still behind Vice-President Hubert Humphrey in the delegate count but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* As Kennedy walked out of the ballroom at his headquarters in the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, a Jordanian immigrant named \_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ put a bullet in his brain.

1. **The presidential election of 1968**

* Election day gave Wallace \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the popular vote, Humphrey \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the popular vote and 191 electoral votes, and Nixon \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the popular vote and 301 electoral votes.