

A PRAYER FOR WRITERS AND NEWSPAPERMEN

O THOU GREAT SOURCE of truth and knowledge, we remember before thee all whose calling it is to gather a window of facts for informing the people. Inspire them with a determined love for honest work and a staunch hatred for the making of lies. Let the judgement of our nation be perverted and we be taught to call light darkness and darkness light. Since the sanity and wisdom of a nation are in their charge, may they count it shame to set the best members of men on fire for the sake of gain. May they never suffer themselves to be used in damaging the mind of the people with falsehoods and prejudices.

Poverty A Factor in the High Rate of Delinquency

The efforts of Dr. Andrew A. Best to arouse Negro citizens of North Carolina as to the high rate of illegitimacy, illiteracy and poverty among their people, especially in eastern North Carolina, should receive the support of all good citizens. The newly organized North Carolina Joint Council on Health and Citizenship will go far in decreasing the high rate of the three scourges if Negro leaders will fall in behind Dr. Best and give the organization both moral and financial support.

considered when any plan for the eradication of the problems is being considered. Unless the economic level of Negroes is to be improved, the NCJCHC is certain to have an uphill struggle in its program.

Register Now So You May Vote Next Month

The hour is fast approaching when this nation will be called upon to choose a new president. The event which takes place every four years on the first Tuesday in November should be viewed by every intelligent citizen of the United States as among the most important of his life.

privileges that can be conferred upon a citizen living under a democratic form of government. Under no circumstances must you fail to exercise it.

Justice Under The Law For The Indians

It now appears that the Harnett County Board of Education will have to admit the Indian children to the all-white Dunn High School and that under a federal court order. Thus it now appears that what members of the Board should have done voluntarily because it was morally right they are going to be forced to do by law. This is unfortunate.

men that He made some of them lower than the others and designated those with a white skin as the crowning piece of His handiwork is not only stupid but it is sickening. That is the miserable conception some southern white people appear to have of God and will die to perpetuate. Thank God this particular segment is fast diminishing and will soon cease to be a menace to the future of this country which is now part of a world that has shrunk so small that men living in the remotest parts of it are now practically next door neighbors.

STILL ON THE RAMPAGE



By REV. HAROLD ROLAND

Mission of Preachers Is To Preach The Gospel of Jesus Christ

"Paul was occupied with preaching . . . that the Christ was Jesus . . . Acts 18:5. God has used preaching for the saving of a lost world from sin. Preaching at its best is a spirit-inspired proclamation of the word or with the aim of bringing lost souls to a decision about the saving of their souls. Effective preaching is fed by the passionate flames of the Holy Spirit. If there is no spirit, there can be little effective preaching.

Christ and him Crucified. Christ must be preached to the soul, lost in sin, if there is to be any salvation of the lost.

Christ must now have the pre-eminence in preaching so that humanity might be rescued from the brink of its disaster. Christ-centered preaching turned the tide in the dark of old. Christ-centered preaching captured the ancient world. Holy men preaching a Christ-centered gospel can turn the tide and rescue humanity from its impending disaster. Spirit-filled men preaching a Christ-centered Gospel can save our world. Let us preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ the Son of God and see what the results will be. God will bless us with a rich harvest of redeemed souls.

Must Face Responsibility

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—Negroes jeopardize their movement toward first-class citizenship when they make no bold, open effort to deal with problems that are particularly acute among Negroes, is the opinion of Carl T. Rowan.

"Negro leadership is beginning to realize that it is not enough to blame every Negro misdeed on segregation, or to pretend that integration will be a cure-all for every social problem in sight."

New Pills Reduce Cholesterol

Twelve capsules a day of a combination of concentrated liquid fats markedly reduced elevated blood cholesterol in a group of twenty patients—and was most successful in those whose starting levels were highest.

Another, a 50-year-old diabetic man, had a cholesterol reading of 420 when treatment was begun. Twelve weeks later, Dr. Hirschleifer wrote, "his level had dropped to 197 . . . Thereafter, there was a gradual rise to 359. The administration of Lenic Capsules was then resumed but at a lower dose of 2 t. i. d. / 4 a day. In two weeks the cholesterol level had fallen to 245 . . ."

The Debates Between Presidential Candidates Alright in Principle, But They Cloud the Issue

Presidential campaigning has gone into the space age with all the pomp and pageantry that formerly rode on the back of campaign trains. When we note the bare knuckled television fights of both candidates on the same stage discussing the same issues, it is much like the pugilistic contests in which the victor's hand is raised in a desecration of victory.

can tell whether this proof will be forthcoming or whether shrewd salesmanship will cause voters to overlook the facts and go along with the eloquence of cold facts of candidates.

the president for leadership in executive matters and the knowledge that the vice president is not a cabinet member, it must be remembered that as presiding officer of the Senate the vice president is of necessity an influential man. The merits of these two men should not be overlooked in the coming campaign and this may prove the key to the civil rights issue. The Democrat's selection of Senator Johnson as a running mate for Senator Kennedy is considered a compromise to the south on the civil rights issue in many schools for thought. Senator Johnson has been known to vote against many civil rights proposals in the senate and on senate committees.

Snail's Pace of School Integration

Schools have opened throughout the South this year without the disorders and excitement that have made previous such openings an occasion for anger and sorrow. It would be more of an occasion for self-congratulation if the orderliness meant that the South had given up its massive grudge and that Negro children were attending white schools in steadily growing numbers.

year. But the snail's pace at which integration is being achieved makes the bitterness of young Negroes understandable and does nothing to persuade them that the rule of law is superior to the rule of demonstration which some of them have fruitlessly tried.

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Highway patrol headquarters in a Midwestern City received the following letter:
"Dear Sir—or, to whom it may concern:
"This is the second time I have sent this correction notice in."
"A month ago I wrote to your office requesting a duplicate citation for a traffic offense of which I was guilty of."
"I couldn't go to court and I didn't have the \$14 required at the time."
"When I did have the \$14 my small boy ate my citation paper. That is why I asked for another. Here is a check for \$14, will you cancel off the records this debt."