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SPIRITUAL INSIGHT

By REV. HAROLD ROLAND

Truth is the Only Quality of Man Which Does Not Ever Change

"And how I kept back nothing that was profitable." Acts 20:20. There is power, freedom, and durability in truth. Truth, in its very nature, has an indestructible quality about it. Truth is of the essence of Eternal reality. We can build on truth for time and eternity. Thus Jesus admonishes us to know and to build on the truth. Why? He assures us that truth will set us free. Truth, finally, he says, is the gateway to freedom and dignity.

A real life, its best to build it on truth. Yes, some forsake truth for the sake of popularity, quick success and ease. Truth, and truth alone will stand the acid test of time and eternity. Wisdom demands, therefore, that we build on truth amid the many inducements, allurements and temptations for the easy, short cut way. Thus let us fight hard against the ever-present temptation to forsake the basic, durable principles of truth.

realize that a falsehood enslaves you but the truth will give you freedom. Build on the rock of truth, if you would build for endurance. Truth will stand amid the shattered ruins of this life. Truth will stand amid the corrosive powers of time and circumstances. As the poet says there will be times when truth will seem crushed and defeated, but she will rise again. "Truth crushed to earth will rise again."

The Nation's Press

The Freedom 'Riders' Juries

Attorneys for a young freedom rider have lots at least the first round in their challenge to the jury system of Mississippi. A superior court judge at Jackson, Miss., has ruled that the Mississippi system is fair even though 28 witnesses took the stand to show that few Negroes ever serve on a jury at Jackson.

courts and all the way up to the United States supreme court if that is necessary. It is well known that the nation's highest tribunal has already ruled, in other types of cases, that systematic exclusion of Negroes is a violation of due process under the 14th amendment to the Constitution. Furthermore, the high court has also ruled that a token selection of Negroes for jury duty is not enough to satisfy the requirements of due process.

Negroes testified that they had been registered to vote — and hence were eligible for jury duty — for 12 to 40 years in Mississippi and never once had they been called for jury duty. White lawyers took the stand to testify that never had they seen a Negro on a petit jury. And yet in spite of this testimony, the court ruled that the freedom riders had not established that Negroes are excluded from juries in Mississippi.

Things You Should Know
Nicholas BIDDLE...
AN ESCAPED SLAVE WHO
SETTLED IN POTTSVILLE, PA. THOUGH
THE WAR DEPT. DISCOURAGED THE USE OF
"COLORED SOLDIERS" HE ENLISTED AT AGE 65, AND,
ON APRIL 18, 1861, HIS COMPANY MARCHED ON BALTIMORE. HE
BECAME THE FIRST NEGRO IN UNIFORM WOUNDED IN THE CIVIL WAR!
Continental Features

Will it Be a Man on the Moon, Or Civil Rights in Mississippi

For the life of me I can't get worked up over the space flights of Gagarin, Shepard, Grissom, and Titov, nor over the prospect of a flight to the moon. In the first place my one trip to Cloriland, when I'm about 150 years old, will be time enough for me, and I suspect, for about ninety-nine percent of the rest of us. Even then I think I'll be inclined to stick to the use of the golden wings provided to all headed for the Promised Land rather than rely on any new-fangled technological equipment.

Not that I'm all that afraid to travel to the moon and not that I don't appreciate the magnitude of the accomplishment by others. But it's just that there's so much here on earth still to achieve. If I can just have more loving friends, keep my good neighbors, pay all my debts, stay in good health, educate my children, improve in my work, see some more of THIS world, I'll be quite happy.

If it's excitement one craves, what could be more exciting than the earth problems we have such as the head-on battle everywhere with Communism. Achievement? What more to achieve right here on earth than the better, welfare, friendship, and brotherhood of man? Certainly it will be impressive new knowledge to know whether man can live on the moon, but we know about the earth already, and yet there are millions of people, some right here in America, barely living because of the lack of food, clothing, shelter, and good health.

Undoubtedly a few scientists will get a real thrill working out the details of life on the moon, but how good would it be to eliminate the 23 million persons in this nation over 25 years old who have less than seven years of schooling. In many respects it boils down to what somebody said, after reading about America's proposed moon shot within the next six months. "We'll never get a man on the moon," he said firmly. "Why do you say that?"

Veterans' Questions and Answers

Q.—Because of my late husband's military service, I received some \$3,600 in death gratuity payment. Is this money subject to federal income tax?
A.—No.
Q.—My husband is a war veteran and since his discharge from active duty, he has worked under social security. In planning our insurance program, we would like to know what burial allowances would be payable.
A.—It appears that a burial allowance in your case may be payable by either the VA, the Social Security Administration, or both. The VA pays to \$250 to the funeral director, if he has not been paid, or to the person who pays the burial expenses. The Social Security lump sum payment equals three times the worker's benefit, but not more than \$255.

at least 90 days service, part of which was during wartime. During World War II the wartime service dates are December 7, 1941, to December 31, 1946. He must have been discharged under conditions other than dishonorable.
Q.—Has the GI loan guaranty re-use provision been extended for World War II veterans, and if so, how long?
A.—Yes, Public Law 84 by the 87th Congress extended the restoration privilege until July 25, 1967, for World War II veterans, and until January 31, 1978, for Korea veterans. The VA must have been completely relieved of liability and no claim may have been made against it for the previous loan, if restoration is to be granted.

STRENGTH FOR OTHER DAYS
Behold, now is the acceptable time. —(1 Cor. 6:2)
Begin today, right where you are, to practice God's presence. Begin today to prove His perfect laws and promises, for now is the acceptable time to claim God's joy and peace.

Negro Students Can Set An Example For Others

You read in the daily press about the rising tide of riots by drunken hordes and gangs of teen-agers, a goodly number of whom are college students. These outbreaks of heathenism stretched across five states over the Labor Day week-end. According to Police Captain William Brandt of Lake George, New York, scene of an early morning riot, the melee in that city was the worst he has ever seen in his 11 years of police work.

end on account of Indiana liquor laws. Similar uprising occurred at Wildwood, N. J., Hampton, Beach, N. H., Falmouth and Hyannis, Mass. Must the warning of Evangelist Billy Graham be only a voice crying in a wilderness of sin and debauchery? Must it go unheard in these times when the nation stands on the brink of a nuclear war? Is it too old-fashioned to sound a warning to our young college people, supposedly a part of the cream of the crop who are so devoid of morals and self control that they look upon the kind of conduct engaged in at Lake George as modern, cute or having a good time? Is there any hope that the United States can survive if it must turn over its destiny into the hands of a gang of educated rats, such as took part last week-end in the shameful rioting at Lake George and other cities of this country.

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The rioting which took place in the cities mentioned above was just about as sadistic as the party raids that have occurred at some colleges and universities recently. It is our hope that Negro college students will not attempt to ape the disgraceful conduct engaged in by white students. By refraining from such they can set an example of decency and respectability that will be a calming influence for the nation in these times of stress and strain.

Do's And Don'ts

STAMM PAX
START EARLY, TEACHING HER TO BE USEFUL