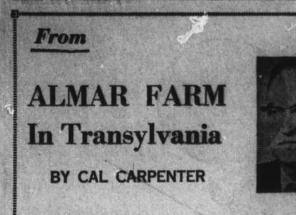
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(This is the second in a series of columns in which I state my objections to the d new gun control

Here is another thing I see wrong with the proposed gun permit - gun registration laws. These laws are entirely too subject to abuse.

You might disagree about the Constitutional right to have guns. You might nitpick about the wording, as do the anti - gun people, and maintain that the guarantee is extended only to organized militia.

I do not agree with this, for concern about guns for a militia when this was written into our law. Militia always have guns; what the founding fathers were guaranteeing was that the individual frontinersman's long rifle would not be taken away from his as had been done in Europe. Had they only meant the militia they would probably not have made specific mention of "the right to bear arms." It seems to me they would only have specified the right to a "well regulated" militia. That would have been sufficient, and the writers of the Constitution and its Bill of Rights were not men given to enough to have them. superflous wording.

But whatever an individual

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might conclude as to the extent of the writers of this framework of our country's laws, it must be conceded that the wording does not specify that only the militia has the right to bear arms. It therefore stands as intending that the individual shall have this right; as it has been interpreted now for upwards of two hundred years.

Now, in a time of sentimental reaction, in a time of liberal emotionalism when social theorists ride high and the rights of criminals, rioters, looters and so-called civil disobedience adherents are judged by many to be placed paramount I do not think there was much to those of patriots; when the courts in many people's opinion

have elevated legal technicalities above justice - now is not the time to change this interpretation. Thus we must accept, as many acknowledged experts on Constitutional Law do. that the right to "keep and bear arms" in a Constitution-

ally - guaranteed freedom With this in mind, lets think a bit about how the hard-line chapel this summer. gun permit and registration laws can be abused; indeed, how they have been abused in those states unlucky

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must issue the permits. It is his perogative to deny them for any reason or for no reason. If he doesn't like the way you part your hair, he can suddenly decide there are too many guns in the city or county and deny you the permit, No gun.

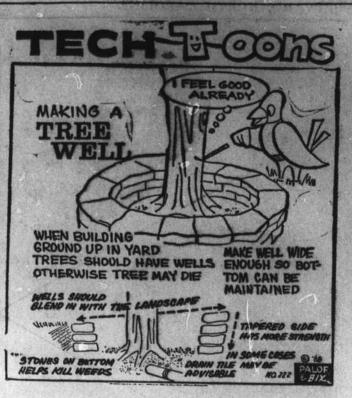
If you've had a parking tick- Jr. and Malcolm F. Niven. et he can buy a gun permit on the grounds that you have a police record, which you have.

There is little to stop him from conducting a personal campaign to reduce the number of guns in his territory, an aim which a lot of law enforcement officers support for reasons I'll mention later.

Proponents acknowledge this might happen but say you always have recourse to the courts.

Sure you do. You can take Fairview Presbyterian Church your case to the courts and af- North Augusta, S. C. yers and court expenses, after taking many days away from ly are a law - abiding citizen. your job over a period of And you can get your gun permonths and even years fighting mit

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W. Frank Harrington, Pas or

In The Superior Court State of North Carolina.) County of Transylvania.) Under and by virtue of an Order of the Superior Court of Transylvania County made in

the special proceedings entitled "Dav.d Norton, Executor of the Estate of Sarah Champney (deceased), plaintiff, versus Wesley Young, et al, as Trustees of the Church of the Nazarene", the undersigned Commissioner will on the 9th day of September, 1968, at twelve o'clock Noon at the Courthouse door in Brevard, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land lying and being in Brevard Township, Transylvania County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

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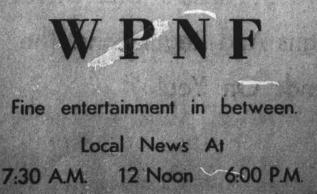
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But who can afford the lost time and this kind of money? Most of us would just find it easier to forget the gen and do without it. And this is exactly what the anti - gun fanctics want us to co. Moke no mistake about that They de not want to

I co not contend that these abuses would happen here in Transylvania now. I know both the Sheriff and the Chief of Police, and I'm sure it would not during their ten-ures. But I do not know the Sheriff and Chief of Police who may one day hold these positions. And I do know the officials in the many other cities and counties all over

use to oppose laws that ake such abuse easy.

(To be continued in max column)

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30' East 92.9 feet to an iron pin, Rogers Northwest corner; thence along the Rogers line South 5 deg. 39' West 443.6 feet to a concrete post, corner of Brown and the Rosenwald School property; thence along the line of the Resenvald School property, North 50 deg. Wet 305.5 feet to a stake in the Eastern margin of Rosen-wald Road; thence with he Eastern margin of Rosenwald Road North 17 deg. 6' West 159 3 feet to a stake; thence still with the margin of Rosenwald Road, North 9, deg. 24' Fact 52.4 feet limit gun ownership as they cluim. For reasons of their own, they want to take them North 2 deg. 34' East 53.4 feet to a stake, Southwest corner of Or, once given the permit

to have a gun, there is noth- the property described in Tract One; thence South 64 deg. 36 ing to keep the local law enforcement ch'ef from harass- Fost 100 feet to a stake; thence ing you. You can be required North 30 deg. 55' East along the to come in and bring your gun line of Tract One and the Park-for repealed re - registrations. er lot, 192 feet to the BE for repealed re - registrations. You can be required to appear GINNING.

The said property shall be sold in the parcels designated above, and the highest bidder intermittantly and fill out new 5 rage forms which need information and records you don't at the time of the sale shall be required to deposit ten per cent of his bid as evidence of good faith; the said sale shall be subhave. You can be frustrated until you just get tired and give up your gun. This is still doing exactly what the people who support the hard gun laws ject to confirmation of this would like. They want your guns, one way or aother. Court.

This the 9th day of August 1968.

David Norton 8-15-4tc

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