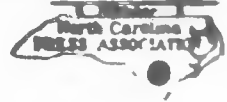


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"Let us have faith that right makes might; and in that faith let us to the end, dare to do our duty as we understand it."—Abraham Lincoln

"I disapprove of what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it."—Voltaire

Bus Strike Illustrates Something

Strike of Greyhound bus drivers and other employees in 10 states Tuesday afternoon was called by the "Amalgamated Association of Street, Electrical, Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL-CIO)" as a result of what the union called a "contract dispute." A union official said the company had not lived up to its contract agreement with the union.

Just what this "contract dispute" amounts to should be of some interest to the general public, for to us it illustrates an attitude on the part of many American workers which is dangerous, and a paralyzing power on the part of their union leaders which is much more dangerous.

The Greensboro paper of Wednesday quoted a union executive to the effect that the company broke its contract by asking a porter in the Portsmouth terminal to put oil in a bus and by suspending him from employment when he refused.

This attitude indicates that the employees are not working for the company, but for the union. It indicates that they do not put first what should come first, namely, the welfare of the company that pays the wages, without which the job wouldn't be there.

The quick draw of the strike weapon on the part of the union should serve as a warning to the American people that many of these union leaders are for themselves and have a "to hell with America" attitude. It demonstrates their tremendous power to cripple the country's economy, and shows that they are much closer than Khrushchev and just as dangerous.

These facts illustrated by this strike are not important just in New York, or Detroit, or Richmond or Charlotte; they are of increasing importance in Raeford, and Bowmore. They are danger to our way of life, and quite conceivably to life itself for many of us.

Arthur D. Gore

Essays on the coming of Spring or Fall, on religion, love or politics, the flutter of a bird's wing or the twinkle in a youngster's eye—all these will be missed by many residents of North and South Carolina who have read with interest the contributions of Arthur D. Gore to the columns of the News and Observer and the Charlotte Observer during the past half century.

Mr. Gore saw things through his own eyes, and often showed us much that was fine in the commonplace, everyday things. He was a master of the English language with great capacity for beautiful and descriptive expression.

Through his writings and his living shone his love of life and people, and his accurate discernment of the little things that make both attractive. Mr. Gore loved his community and its people, and through his illness he fought as hard as he could to get back to it. Failing, as we all eventually will, he took some of it with him. A big link with the younger days of this community is gone.

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GREENSBORO DAILY NEWS

Thoughts in Passing

By JAY WOODARD

The words of Theodore Roosevelt in a speech given in Chicago in 1891 seem as appropriate now as then: Our country calls not for the life of ease, but the life of strenuous endeavor. The twentieth century looms before us with the fate of many nations. If we stand idly by, if we seek merely swollen, slothful ease, and ignoble peace, if we shrink from the hard contests where men must win at hazard of their lives and at the risk of all they hold dear, then the bolder and stronger peoples will pass us by and will win for themselves the domination of the world. Let us therefore boldly face the life of strife, resolute to do our duty well and manfully; resolute to uphold righteousness by deed and by word; resolute to be both honest and brave, to serve high ideals, yet to use practical methods.

Our times need the guidance in the passage above as never before in the history of this country. There are those who claim that this country has no need, indeed no business, attempting to defend the offshore islands in the Quemoy straits. The truth is that we, this nation, must decide where the battleground between our political system and that of Soviet Russia will be. It may be the Far East, it may be the Middle East. But it is one of the strongest tenets of the Communist system that world domination is the eventual end of all efforts. No doubt the Communists realize as we do, that a nuclear war will result in the destruction of civilization. Therefore, the battleground is likely to be in so-called "little situations" such as Quemoy and Matsu. There are no "little situations" as far as Communists are concerned. Every mile won, every diplomatic victory takes them closer to their eventual goal.

"Peaceful co-existence" is a phrase that is mouthed a great deal by politicians and statesmen alike. If we wish to see our way

of life gradually and relentlessly destroyed, then we will leave Quemoy and Matsu to Red China. In another year we will have to leave another territory to "appease" our Communist neighbors. The giving over to them will continue until

ed. It may be that John Foster Dulles will emerge from the ashes being heaped on him as having more foresight than the nation's other leaders and the editors of the newspapers who have denounced him. The fact that seems most clear to me is that we must decide where we will stop and fight not only for our rights but for those of other peoples of the world to whom we have an obligation to extend our strength for their benefit.

The Puppy Creek Philosopher Wants To Be Handled In The Same Way The Mysterious East Is Handled

Editor's note: The Puppy Creek Philosopher on his Bermuda grass farm won't get anywhere with his idea this week, especially with us.

Dear editor: People are always talking about the ignorant toiling masses in other countries, but I have about come to the conclusion they may be smarter than we think.

For instance, I was reading in a newspaper last night about the Mysterious East, how over there what's known as saving face is very important and other countries, especially us, have to consider it very carefully. It's a delicate matter.

Say Red China has taken a few islands away from Formosa and it's up to us to see that she gives them back, although it's not quite clear in my mind why the job always has to fall to us. You never hear anybody saying it's Mexico's turn to solve the Middle East problem, or Spain's, or Switzerland's. It's always us.

At any rate, before we can do it, we've got to figure out some way for Red China to give them back without losing face, because if you solve a problem and cause a country to lose face, the solution is worse than the problem.

This is something we don't understand over here, and it's a shame.

Say I owe the bank some money and the note comes due. Is the bank interested in me saving face? Do the directors go into a summit meeting and say, How can we handle this most delicately?

Say your taxes come due and they're bigger than you expected and you don't have the ready cash on hand. Is the government interested in your face? What happens if you miss the third installment on your television set?

I'll tell you, them Mysterious East people have out-thought us on problems like these. Holding something that belongs to somebody else is a serious matter, all right, but not enough people in this country appreciate this face-saving business. The Mysterious

East has maneuvered the thing around to where, if an installment payment comes due on a set of harness for a pair of oxen, it's the store owner that has to do the bowing and scraping and apologizing, not the fellow that's behind with the payment. That's the kind of system we need around here.

I will appreciate your referring hereafter to my farm as the Mysterious Bermuda Grass Farm, and I hope every store in Raeford will fill in line. Just to lead the way, how about handing my subscription to The News-Journal in this fashion? It comes due soon and you ought to be working on the proper diplomatic approach.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

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