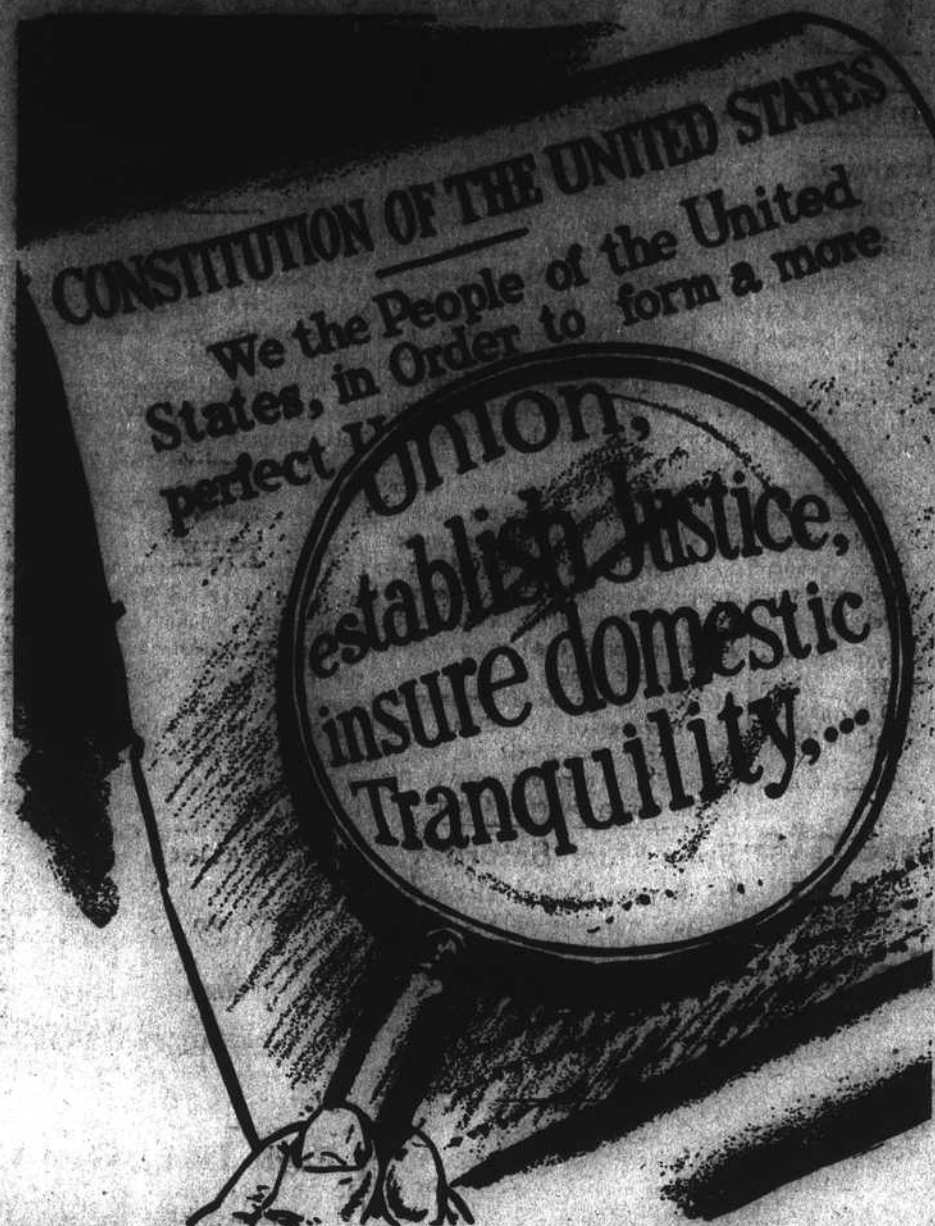


Be Sure To Get The Large Print



EDITORIALS

Never Forget That These Editorials Are The Opinion Of One Man
And He May Be Wrong

Not Hard To Find

Now that Arizona Senator Barry Goldwater is being called the top choice of Republicans for their presidential candidate it is good for the public to ask how Goldwater stands on specific issues. The answers are not hard to find because Goldwater is a very forthright figure.

Fiscally: Goldwater is militantly for a balanced budget and reductions in federal spending.

State Rights: Goldwater voted against a constitutional amendment to end state poll taxes. He believes that it is morally wrong to deny negroes equal access to public accommodations but he feels any attempt to solve the problem by law will not "solve anything."

Unions: He supports state right-to-work laws, thus opposes the union or closed shop in which every worker has to belong to a union whether he wants to or not.

Filibuster: He has voted in each instance since he has been in the senate against invoking cloture, which is the parliamentary device used to cut off debate in the senate.

Education: He is against any federal aid program to education.

Foreign Affairs: He is opposed to the

continuing huge expenditures of American money in such places as The Congo. On several occasions he has urged that diplomatic recognition be withdrawn from Russia.

Generally he feels that there is more to fear from the extreme left than from the extreme right.

One may rest assured that as nomination time draws nearer the "gliberal" press will slant more and more of the acts of Senator Goldwater to attempt to make him appear ridiculously conservative. In fact the Socialists Editorial Cartoonist Herblock, who plies his trade in such socialist house organs as the Washington Post and the Raleigh News and Observer, has already begun wielding his poison-drawing pen on Goldwater. Which is, if any were needed, a very strong recommendation in Goldwater's favor.

In the event any one may be interested; if the race is between Goldwater and John F. Kennedy, this paper is for Goldwater all the way.

If the race is between Nelson Rockefeller and Kennedy this paper favors a third party nominee from the South in the hope of throwing the election into the house of representatives.

Chub Is So Right

The Right Honorable Chub Seawell of Carthage is noted across Fair Tar Heelia for his folksy wit, brilliant intellect and desertion of the Party of his Forefathers.

Between earning a living as a lawyer, making speeches to the delight of dozens of audiences each year and contemplating the comings and goings of the seasons Seawell writes the most readable "letter to the editor" in the South.

In the current issue of "The State" Seawell says, "These demonstrations demonstrate that the demonstrators don't know the meaning of the word, integrate."

He asserts, and we concur, "True integration will have to be accomplished by peaceful, cultured and refined conduct and not

by flop-downs on private property.

Seawell reminds, "The best friend the negro ever had said this, 'Let not him that is houseless tear down the house of another, but let him strive diligently and build one for himself.'"

And Chub concludes, "The negro can't help his color, but he can certainly help his manners and his disposition. In 6,000 years of human history we have had no integration, and we are not likely to get it now, overnight."

There is much more than humor in the writings of this Carthaginian Chronicler of the American Folkway. All of us in general and negroes in particular would do well to reflect upon this wisdom.

Solution Suggested

One of the most pressing social problems of our nation today is the mass of unemployed teen-agers, estimated to be nearly a million strong. A large percentage of these are negroes, and in areas where large groups of these jobless negroes exist they constitute a dangerous situation, when similar groups of white youths come up against them.

Effort is being made to ease this burden on society with all of its many sinister overtones. Additional job training, adult education and adding many of them helter-skelter to the federal payroll are parts of the effort.

We suggest that a simple, immediate and effective solution is available that requires only one brief stroke of the executive pen: Drafting a substantial part of this group into the armed forces.

A large per cent of this group has already been rejected by the armed forces as unfit because of intellectual, physical or moral defects and the armed forces today are striving for a superior type man, rather than for the misfit.

But all other armed forces in the world have labor battalions, which are made up of men not fit for combat or not fit for the highly technical tasks that modern military hardware demand.

But the armed forces have a trained staff of supervisory personnel, have quarters that are available and have had experience in handling groups such as this. Drafting into the armed forces of a goodly percentage of this group would serve as a stimulus to those not drafted to look for work, and to give an honest day's work once they find a job.

We surely do not recommend making concentration camps for juveniles out of our military bases, but we do strongly believe

that the discipline and job training that could be made available in the armed forces would be good for the individuals, and above all good for our nation at this particular time when these youths represent friction points that might spark into terrible flame at any moment.

No new bureaucracy is needed to supervise this plan since the draft boards are ready and the armed forces are able to cope with this problem.

PERSONAL
PARAGRAPHS
BY
JACK RIDER

A friend of mine who began practicing law in the early thirties says the current frenzy over minority rights and especially the craven acts of politicians are a direct parallel to the Prohibition era. First, he says, not one per cent of the men beating their breasts about equal rights for negroes give a tinker's dam for the negro, just as less than one per cent of those who voted "prohibition" really favored drying up the country.

The parallel between the frenzied activities of the church continues. Even now the anti-alcohol kick hangs over churches which refuse to use wine in communion services. The Christian Church which has flourished for nearly 2,000 years never recognized until 1954 that the Creator was wrong when he created different races, of different habits. But since 1954 when the United State Supreme court went upon the mountain with Swedish Socialist Gunnar Myrdal and returned with an 11th Commandment: "Thou shalt not honor they race, but shall do all in they power to end it by hastening the merger of all races into one," the churches have all got this "new religion" and have forgotten "old time religion."

The Next Step?

A majority of our preachers have approved the supreme court's banning the Bible in the public schools. We cannot avoid wondering if these same preachers will voice the same loud approval when the supreme court inevitably takes the next step to install atheism as the national religion?

The next step is making all church property taxable. The growth of foundations to hide big chunks of property from the taxpayer make this an inevitable economic question as well as a pertinent political question.

If it is unconstitutional for children to say the Lord's Prayer or to listen to the reading of a chapter from the Bible how can it possible be legal for billions of dollars worth of church owned-property to be exempted from taxes?

The answer is fairly obvious. Until now no one has raised the issue, but it soon will be posed. Huge fortunes such as the Duke and Reynolds fortunes that have hidden tax free behind the curtain of church exemption may soon find that they are no more qualified to dodge taxes than the average citizen who is trying to operate a business — big or little.

Parochial schools should not expect any more consideration from the tax collector than a private school. Churches are big business today. Even small churches have budgets that run beyond \$100,000 per year. Church owned summer camps are in direct competition with private resort owners who must pay heavy ad valorem taxes.

If we are going to accept part of this atheistic loaf from the United States supreme court we might as well take the whole loaf; heel, crumbs and all.

This we agree is completely foreign to the principles incorporated in the Constitution by those wise men who wrote it nearly 200 years ago, but it is the vagrant philosophy of a majority of those men who now wear the black robes of justice on our nation's highest court.

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My lawyer friend reminded that nobody paid prohibition much attention except revenue officers, who were half thieves and half drones on the government payroll. Everybody who wanted a little dram could get it, and in hundreds of places rather than in regulated places where reasonably sanitary whisky can be found.

The federal marshals and federal troops who are enforcing the current racial mongrelization go about their task with the same robot like lack of zeal. The Great White Fathers in Washington have decreed and their duty is to implement. Legality, common sense and morality are not involved any more. Truth is absent when this Project Integration is under discussion.

My lawyer friend who is older, and I trust wiser, takes a more philosophical view of this current mess than I. He sips his cider and say, "Time will take care of it." I hope he's right, and he may be. Because common sense and truth cannot everlastingly be ground into dust by even the crudest politician.

Congress in a different era permitted itself to be blackmailed into destroying our armed forces after World War I in an emotional exercise in ignorance called Pacifism. Before World War I had ended the same kind of no-think action demoralized the country and created the prohibition nightmare. Our country seems fated to stagger from one moral experiment to another, rather like the starry-eyed missionary, who quits civilization to convert the happy heathen. Finally to be barbecued by his converts when they find that he has been serving his own interests while posing as a martyr.

Congress cannot avoid responsibility for this psychotic mumbblings of our government. Acting under the blackmail pressure of voting blocs such as the WCTU, the NAACP, the National Council of Churches, The Catholic hierarchy, and the United Nations it abuses common sense, enshrines quixotic chivalry and demoralizes that majority segment of the public which recognizes the absurdity of such congressional stupidities.

The executive and judicial branches of government are children of the legislative branch. It is the duty of parents to discipline.

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