NOW IS THE TIME TO MAKE OUR STAND

By Roosevelt Fitzgerald

reading what I write or to play it by ear and see cur until after the year They were supposed to Jackson family"? Do we only problem with that is

I feel that on the sub- "You can't change the not have been in exis- republic. Simultaneously. ject of Las Vegas, you world overnight. It takes tence, probably, and they were actively involvmust surely be ex. time." It's a good thing therefore not in a position ed in slavery. Quite a di- that way.

hausted. I think, for the that the "Founding to purchase the Loui- chotomy don't you think? next couple of weeks or Fathers" did not fall for slana Territory in 1803. Well, I do. so, and even after that, on that line of reasoning. Can you imagine inde- Anyway, their "holy ex- that, but just in case you We think more of our an on and off basis, I will Had they done so, the pendence Day being on periment" did not and missed yesterday's news country than our country want to share with you whatever significance it 17th or a history text not some of my observations has for us today. We having Valley Forge, of America, maybe Nev- would not have had Yorktown or the War of ada and people in gen- cause to celebrate a "BI- 1812 in it? I cannot. George Washington would not have been the father of the country nor the country's first President because he would have been too old even If he had lived to see the turn of the century. He died in 1799 at the age of So many things would

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centennial" had they 1776. If you're truly a citi- doctor's office or just through four levels of waited for the next zen then it is a good generation. Indepen- thing. If you're still having dence would not have your citizenship debased After two years of this, eral. I don't really know come about until the and questioned and I'm beginning to wonder what directions this nineteenth century. A bi- debated then you're not. if you're getting tired of might take. I'm just going centennial would not oc- Which are you?

what happens. Here goes. 2000. The country would establish a democratic

pace back and forth? Will consciousness and unfreedom come of its own consciousness. Our final volition and knock on our unconscious thought is doors, each in turn, and one of happiness - hapsay: "Have a freedom piness that the torspecial delivery for the menting has ceased. The sign a receipt, give a tip the cessation is only temand become free? No. porary. Within the next Freedom does not work moment, day, week,

month, year - sooner or I don't want to alarm later, it all starts over anyone or anything like again.

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try a different approach. I year 1776 would not have something like August has not quite worked. We - we are not free. Sure, thinks of us. Our feelings should not diminish towards our country. No. Not by a long shot. What we must do is make our country's feeling toward us increase to a like level. director of ethnic We must make the country as responsive to our needs as we are to the needs of the country. There has not been reclprosity in the relationship between ourselves and our country.

We're rolling around to another election year. they walted in 1776. yet find that in this great we make a few bucks, run The airways are filled Perhaps it is good that country there are still de-down to L.A. every now with commercials and they did not. Or, just bates as to whether or and then, go out and paid political advertisemaybe, it is not so good not we, as a nation, disco from time to time ments. Everybody is runthat they went ahead. I should live up to the stan- but as soon as we finish ning for something. guess it depends on dards agreed upon over those little exercises, we Some are even running whether you're permitted two hundred years ago. are expected to take our- for cover. Are they runto be actively involved in Some of those same selves back to our cages. ning for us? That is the that "great undertaking" people are debating I don't fully understand question. Those "big that they got underway in whether to blow up the it. We have been so con-time" offices, where the world or not. Now I'm no ditioned that we follow a big decisions are made, fountain of knowledge or certain predictable pat- are all up for grabs. Peoworld renowned philoso- tern. Consider this pie are going to be seekpher, nor am I all that scenario. Someone does ing our votes to get into good at being logical, something which is not to office. They'll be spring-However, even to me, our best interest or down- ing up like wildflowers there is something wrong right detrimental to us. and they'll tell us what all with considering or pre- Our reaction is instant they're going to do for us, paring to blow the world and furious. They res- if elected, in the future. pond by doing something They won't have a thing They did what they did which is merely terrible. to say about what they and they did not wait. Our reaction is slower in have done for us in the How does one walt for coming and devoid of fer- past. You know the rea-

freedom? How long ocity. Finally they do son why, I'm sure. should one respectively something which is bad, How many times do walt? What does one do something which we are they expect us to fall for while waiting for free- accustomed to and we do that line? We vote those people into office and Issues of the Saturday The above procedure each time something Evening Post like in a would have debased us comes up which might Improve our quality of life, they vote against it or are off somewhere making speeches and money. We have to almost get down on our knees and beg for street lights, traffic lights, jobs, business to other parts of town. They treat us like they're doing us a favor by letting us vote for them. The only thing we get from them while on our knees is either arthritis or a swift kick and a dash of humili-

Look at those paid political advertisements.

How many black people ments" and say straight else might think that they certain that this has been day.

Ilke us or something. We one of the best kept "Despite twisted inter- an integrated education That means less staff, message has been ignored by most major couldn't have that. Next secrets of the century, pretations of selected will be denied it. such foolishness? They some votes. insist that we are not -

their right mind would come and say to us, in the Joyce said. want to be seen in our privacy of a tollet and Joyce produced a fact the individual. company. Yet, we'll vote without any public ac sheet isting all pay raises Enforcing the law operations, enforcement serious violations of the

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tions, and "yes" to leasbenefits of the tele- ment, no maintenance spectus and informa-

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CHARGES do you ever see in them? out - without all of that LAS VEGAS - Sen. A statement like that clent dime-store treat- the economy. You're right. You know political double-talk - Howard Cannon's record not only defies logic, it ment. why you don't see us? it's that they favor an exten- during 24 years in the defies the constitutional Enforcement agencies. And it sends a messbecause office seekers sion of the Voting Rights Senate reflects clear, un- rights of all school child- have also been hit by the age to employers too, a are apparently ashamed Act as it now stands. swerving opposition to ren. It also means, budget cuts. Especially green light to backslide of being filmed in our I am certain that they pay raises for members despite the Constitution when adjusted for infla- on their legal obligation presence. It seems that probably have voted in of Congress, his cam- and an abundance of tion, their budgets will be to maintain equal opporthey think that someone favor of it. I am equally paign manager said to- court rulings, that child- sharply reduced from pre- tunity in employment.

der what is the position of behind closed doors or Cannon supported a techniques were devised seriously, something that rights of minority Ameri-Nevada's present Con- on the phone. I cannot move to lessen the Im- to deal with systemic can only increase the cans. gressional delegates? I honestly say that I've pact of a pay raise recom- abuses. don't recall reading ever, in the years that I've mended by a federal com- The systemic ap-Bill or not. I'm certain, clate with us in a truly for members of Congress people affected by sysindeed want our votes, true statement, then I Cannon supported a practices.

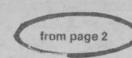
that they'll appear on wonder why? Let's insist measure to limit that to a Shifting the emphasis television, in one of their that they go public or 5.5% raise in 1974 only, to dealing with individual Improvement over the suming process that commission's inevitably means increasrecommendation. When ed backlogs and inaction the Senate later voted to that will cause people to disapprove the raise com- lose faith in their governpletely, Cannon sup- ment's promises of proported the resolution of disapproval and the pay raise did not take effect.

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thing you know, people Perhaps they do not want votes by the media, Administration analysis, and less effection companies where affirwill start believing that non-minority consti- NCPAC and others with spokesmen assert that tive rights protection, as mative action is firmly we're believing that we're tuents to be apprized of little regard for the truth, the federal government is pointed out in an impor- embedded in corporate their equals or one of such behavior out of fear Sen. Cannon's record is still committed to pro- tant recent report by the practice. them. Whoever heard of that they might lose clear - he does not be- tecting individual rights. U.S. Commission on Civil lieve members of Con- But the focus on Indivi- Rights. gress should vote for duals and not on groups
The report condemns where compliance has that we're different - We have to be careful, their own pay raises and and discriminatory sys- what it calls "this retro- been grudging and haltthat, in effect, no one in however, that they don't has never done so," Jim tems must ultimately gressive trend" and says ing, prolonged governmean less protection for that as a result of budget ment indifference to en-

knowledgement, that approved for Congress against discrimination in agencies "have cut back law. There's something they do indeed favor such since Cannon's term employment is a good ex- on activities that more efelse which I've been won- an extension of the Vot- began in 1959. The Sena- ample. There aren't fectively prevent and re- So signing the extendering about which I'm Ing Rights Act but would tor was recorded in oppo- enough lawyers in Wash- solve major civil rights sion of the Voting Rights certain everyone else al- rather not have anyone sition to each of them. Ington to effectively mon- violations." ready knows the answer know anything about it. Joyce took particular itor all job discrimination The rollback in en- step of a new civil rights to. There has been quite a l've seen some people exception to an article in an economy as huge as forcement sends a mess- stance by the governlot of talk lately in Wash- come along and tell us all printed in a Las Vegas ours. So enforcement ef- age to the nation that the ment, a stance that Ington, D.C. about not ex- kinds of wonderful stuff. newspaper concerning a forts focused on large government is not taking should include respontending all or part of the You remember. It was vote on pay increases in employers and on key in- its responsibility to pro- sible enforcement of the Voting Rights Act. I won- usually in a backyard, 1974. In that instance, dustries. Sophisticated tect constitutional rights laws of the land and the

anything where they sup- been here, seen one of mission that would have proach aims at winning ported the Voting Rights the truly big shots asso- brought raises of 7.5% relief for large numbers of however, that if they do public arena. If that is a In 1974, 1975 and 1976, tem-wide discriminatory

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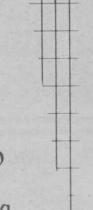
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