

tremendously important. I believe this election is tremendously important because it may affect greatly within the next 10 yrs. the continuance of the U.S. as a nation. It may have a tremendous importnace in that regard.

The third thing~~x~~ that it was said the Supreme Court justices would be against if Jerry Falwell had his way was a verifiable nuclear freeze. Brown University last week, the students were demanding probably as a result of the propoganda given them by their professors, they were demanding that the university stock poison pills so that in case of a nuclear war each of them could be given one of these pills! How different from the attitude of the people of Afganistan. Five years ago the Russians decided they wanted to take over Afganistan. An Afghan killed the Prime Minister, or the President rather, and declared himself president and declared himself in favor of communism.for the country.

When the people rose in protest the Russians sent in over 100,000 troops in order to bring the Afghans to their knees. And during these last 5 yrs. it is estimated that at least 200,000 Afghans have been killed. Many of them burned by fire dropped on them from above. Many of them shot. Many of them have stepped on small explosive things that have been dropped from the air. Over 2 million of the people it is said have fled into Pakistan. And are living there as refugees.

Pres. Carter was so upset with the attitude of the Russians when they made their attack on Afghanistan he asked that our athletes not go to the Olympic Games in Moscow and most other countries stood behind him in that. During these years the Russians have carried on a constant slaughter of the people in Afghanistan, but when this years olympic games were held the great fear was Maybe the Russians won't come! Maybe they won't come! When they d dn't come people said, What good are our medals? What good are our medals? How do we know but what the Russian athletes would have beaten us? (We read this in some of our papers). They are not worth anything.

The olympics have always been supposed to be a meeting of amatuers. But in a totalitarian country if they decide it is worthwhile for their objectives to try to get athletic medals, they pick the boys that are best in these regards, they give them extra training from childhood. They give them a little more food than the bulk of their people get. They give them special honors. They do not have to do the work? Is that amatuer? It is every-thing is controlled.

Now of course if things are equal, a free society will out-play a controlled one every single time. They had an article in the National Geographic two or three years ago about some Americans who went and lived on a communal farm in Russia. They told about how nice the people were, and the Russian people are a very nice people. They are like all people--there are those who are good and those who are bad. But on average I would say they are as fine a people as there are anywhere in the world. But they are

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