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The Supreme Court And The Schools: **Operation Successful But Patient Died**

TWE Supreme Court's decision to deny
Little Rock desperately needed
breathing pells 'regreemble'
Strictly on the basis of legal principlegs. the ruling can no doubt be justtifed. There are, however, larger and infinitely more complest considerations.
The court is not dealing with payme
men filled with passionate convictions
on a cheasboard. It is dealing, too, with a sociel
situation which has been festering for
years. Tradition, environment, a sense
of guilt, fear, misunderstanding and anger have all contributed to this regional
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of guilt. fear, misunderstanding and anger have all contributed to this regional tragedy.

There are no quick cures. The wound is too deep for that. The condition can be treated only if there is forbearance and restraint on the part of both doctor and patient. It will take time, and Americans—North and South, white and black—must have patience.

Perhaps Sen. J. William Fulbright got closest to the heart of the problem when he wrote in a brief filed with the Supreme Court in the Little Rock case:

"We are confronted here with a problem, novel and unprecedented in the history of our country and extraordismity and patients of the greatest difficulty may be solved through the discovery and application of a sovereign remedy that will forever dispose of the problem. Yet all this files in the face of human asperience.

"I would suggest, then, that the problem of school integration in Arkansas is more likely—bearing in mind that flesh and blood is weak and frail—to yield to the slow conversion of the human heart than to remedies of a more urgent nature."

HOWEVER it feels about the Little Rock situation, the court must give the South as a whole the time and flex-bility it needs to adjust. If it does not, if it applies impatient and uncompromising sovereign remedies to the entire region, the results will be tragic for all concerned.

Good-Bye To The Cloth Capped Chief

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GlaNTS among American labor, from
Sam Gompers to the Reuthers and
George Mean, have had their headaches
sure enough. But to them, so far as we
caused pain. Style, shape, fabric, fashion has scarcely bothered American labor, except as one of its great ambitions
is always to wear a white collar.
But raiment remains a talking point
with British labor leaders. It was the
source of a realous debate as far back as
1024, when Ramsay MacDonald led the
first Labor Party cabinet into the government, and the question was whether
or not Laborites would appear on state
occasions in the ribboned, white-tie, longtail finery of the King's tradition. Some
members of the cabinet did not even
own a tuxedo.

The explanation of this clothes-consciousness lies in the Labor movement's
identity with socialist ideals. Among the
more ardent betheren, to adopt the styles
clothers are the strain of the cabinet member must have thought how
falls would look among the cloth caps of
the neighborhood pub. Labor in general
may think with horror of the concrete
esplanate of Whitehall, which at lunch-

time every day becomes a bastion of mid-dle-class civil service respectability. fairly crammed with striped pants and morning coats.

All this is why we were interested to read of new twists of the sartorial weatherwane at the Trade Unions' Bourne-mouth conference, in session last week. A correspondent noted 'how British trade union chiefs are gradually beginning to look more like American trade-union leaders' Apparently, many chiefs had doffed the cloth-cap austrily of old and wore business suits.

To be sure, the Labor party has al-

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