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This "Liberty Pole" is one of hundreds erected in America as a symbol of the colonials' resistance to British tyranny. The poles were often 100' tall serving as places to meet or post political news. The Sons of Liberty erected the first one on May 21, 1766 in Boston. Historical records indicate these poles existed across America, especially in MA, PA, NJ, NY and GA.

International:

EU and Muslim Immigrants: Decades of Integration Failure (Commentary)

1/31/2016 Laina Farhat-Holzman at Family Security Matters: Latest diversity hit is North African men v German women. This article blends history with current events--powerful. (Megan/Neuro7)

http://www.familysecuritymatters.org/publications/detail/europes-good-intentions-hit-the-wall-of-reality?f=must_reads

National:

GOP 'Establishment' v Populists: Family Feud or the Hatfields v McCoys? 2/3/2016

Emily Ekins in The Federalist: Fact-based analysis of the rivalry within the GOP for the party's rudder.

http://thefederalist.com/2016/02/03/establishment-versus-populists-isnt-the-whole-story-of-the-gop-primary/?utm_source=The+Federalist+List&utm_campaign=156e960c27-

[RSS The Federalist Daily Updates w Transom&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_cfc868ceb-156e960c27-83849605](http://thefederalist.com/2016/02/03/establishment-versus-populists-isnt-the-whole-story-of-the-gop-primary/?utm_source=The+Federalist+List&utm_campaign=156e960c27-)

BBC Reporter Tells the Trump Tale of her 1995 Documentary: 1/30/2016 Selina

Scott for the UK's Daily Mail details The Donald's seduce-to-abuse style. Stunning. (BTW: NBC bought the doc and is holding it.) Is it to load the cannons if Trump gets GOP nod? You decide.

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-3424519/The-comb-creep-hates-women-know-SELINA-SCOTT-reveals-Donald-Trump-failed-seduce-stalked-20-years.html>

Glenn Beck: ITV Documentary on

Trump (Commentary) 2/1/2016 Glenn Beck

warns from his heart of "The Donald's" true character.

<http://www.glennbeck.com/2016/02/01/disturbing-new-story-about-trump-fits-his-mo/>

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National (continued)



Obama Corks Oil/Gas Leaks with Climate Change policies

1/22/2016 Joby Warrick in the Washington Post on Department of Interior proposals to stop leaks. Do they apply to the White House leaks? Ha.

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/energy-environment/wp/2016/01/22/obama-administration-expands-climate-fight-with-proposed-rules-for-oil-and-gas-drilling/>

Feds release 300-page plan to cut oil/gas waste on public lands. (Commentary)

1/29/2016 Taxpayers for Common Sense "Weekly Wastebasket"

http://taxpayer.force.com/track/apex/sbm_sbx_email_viewonline?id=701d0000000mB0XAAU&cmid=00vd000000dkLFSAA2&mt=4362312122994

6 MI Cities Beat Flint MI on Levels of Lead in Water 1/29/2016 Carey Wedler at DC Clothesline: More MI cities that can't get the lead out. <http://www.dcclothesline.com/2016/01/29/6-cities-in-michigan-have-even-higher-levels-of-lead-than-flint/>

12 Super Bowl Facts so you Sound Less Clueless 2/2/2016 Scott Stein at CNET through Glenn Beck--a fun read! <http://www.cnet.com/news/12-super-bowl-facts-thatll-make-you-sound-less-clueless-on-sunday/>

Common Core Costs: \$80 Billion in the Nation; \$10 Billion in CA 1/28/2016: Joy Pullman in the Federalist: Ding-dong school? http://thefederalist.com/2016/01/27/estimate-common-core-to-cost-california-nearly-10-billion-nation-80-billion/?utm_source=The+Federalist+List&utm_campaign=0fb23ada05-RSS+The+Federalist+Daily+Updates+w+Transom&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_cfc868ceb-0fb23ada05-83817117

Navy Intel Chief barred from viewing classified data since 2013 1/29/2016 Editorial Staff at American Military News: Gee, I wonder if Hillary has this guy on her server. http://americanmilitarynews.com/2016/01/navy-intel-chief-has-been-barred-from-seeing-classified-info-since-2013/?utm_source=amn&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=alt



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In Case You Missed It:

Papa John's Female Delivery Driver shoots robber; loses car; keeps job.

1/16/2015 Tim Brown of DC Clothesline: Now, this is pizza 'loaded' with hot lead and good news for a dedicated employee.

<http://www.dcclothesline.com/2015/01/16/female-pizza-delivery-driver-shoots-robber-face-papa-johns-lets-keep-job/>

CA Sowing Soaring profits: Marijuana a Hit in the Golden State.

1/18/2015 Stephen Frank in California Political Review: Time for Golden State to be Kona Gold?

<http://www.capoliticalreview.com/capoliticalnewsandviews/one-acre-of-land-creates-19-million-in-revenues-growing-marijuana/>

Benghazi Committee New Email Info: Rescue Interrupted (Video) 1/10/2016

Sharyl Attkisson on 'Full Measure' combines testimony and film '13 Hours' to show decision to halt rescue. <http://fullmeasure.news/news/politics/rescue-interrupted>

Meth Lab Exploded at Fed Institute of Standards & Technology 7/22/2016 Cheryl Hogue at Chemical & Engineering News: Better life through chemistry? Yeah: great tech, low standards.

<http://cen.acs.org/articles/93/web/2015/07/Suspected-Meth-Lab-Explodes-National.html?hootPostID=c003a9edea7753676de721ad7ede0f8a>

Immigration: The Defining Issue of the 2016 Campaign? (Commentary)

12/16/2015 Dan Stein at ImmigrationReform.com http://immigrationreform.com/2015/12/16/the-immigration-question-the-defining-issue-of-this-campaign/?utm_source=ET&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Top512182015

Muslim Brotherhood in the USA: Commentary for Millennials 1/14/2016

Nick Short at Politically Short, which offers a Millennial's perspective on politics outside the Beltway. (MN)

<http://politicallyshort.com/2016/01/14/the-muslim-brotherhood-in-america/>

School (Austrian) Replaces "God" with "Allah" in Christian Hymn: 1/28/2016 Steve

Watson at Infowars.com cites the reason for the change: PC not to offend Muslims. Yep. (TM)

<http://www.infowars.com/parents-furious-after-school-changes-the-word-god-to-allah-in-christian-hymn/>

Environmentalists impose fracking issue on Porter Ranch disaster: 2/1/2016 Chris

Reed at California Watch Dog: CA PUC considers closing 3,600-acre natural gas storage area. Hey, dudes, get the video 'Fracknation' for the fantasy v reality points on the engineering.

<http://calwatchdog.com/2016/02/01/environmentalists-use-porter-ranch-disaster-target-ca-fracking/>

Forget the 'empty suits' in politics, stop the 'empty slogans': 2/1/2016 Michael L.

Brown, guest columnist in ONE News Now: What happened to ethical people of character?

http://www.onenewsnow.com/perspectives/michael-brown/2016/02/01/wanted-a-moral-ethical-leader-who-truly-fears-god?utm_source=OneNewsNow&utm_medium=email&utm_term=16782944&utm_content=872720909807&utm_campaign=23420



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Think Tank:

***Editors Note:** This recurring column is our effort to challenge your frontal lobe by presenting opposite or original views to controversial social, moral or historic issues.*

Rationale: Political Correctness impacts America's politics, policies, classrooms and culture, but its beginnings are murky and its agendas media-driven. We suggest you start with the 4 videos in this section.

John Stossel: Short History of Politically Correct Cultural Madness (VIDEO): A solid pre-requisite on PC in the general culture with its impact on campuses, which follow in the key 'boxed' articles. We suggest a 2-drink minimum with Tums. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9mPEdkN5UoU>

Issue box: Is Campus PC Socialist 101?

'Modern Educayshun': PC on a Futuristic Campus (VIDEO) 11/9/2016

Neel Kolhatkar: Hypersensitive PC and social media in a fantasy Common Core classroom: One scary satire.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iKcWu0tsiZM>

Campus Culture Wars: Race, Gender, Class trigger PC Movement

12/28/93 C-SPAN Michael Pack documentary filmmaker traces Political Correctness on college campus. VIEWER ADVISEMENT: Get past the tonight-on-C-SPAN index and the poor video quality to hear some solid research on the roots of the PC movement in the USA. I listened to it as audio, not video. <http://www.c-span.org/video/?53366-1/political-correctness-college-campus>

Son of PC: A Beginner's Guide to 'Microaggressions' (VIDEO) 7/16/2015

Steven Crowder at "Louder with Crowder": Sarcasm with a 1950s flavor.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=meT-8a83Pfw>

PC Free Speech: The Microaggression

Farce: August 2014, Heather Mac Donald in City Journal: Campus fad or Free-speech choker?

http://www.city-journal.org/2014/24_4_racial-microaggression.html

Right to 'intellectual comfort':

(VIDEO) 8/30/2015 in Prager U; Greg Lukianoff, president of Foundation for Individual Rights in Education (FIRE)

<https://www.prageru.com/courses/political-science/does-free-speech-offend-you>

(Keep thinking...)

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Think Tank (continued)

Wizards of Whimsy: 5 Passages that planted the roots of PC political thought in the culture. 1/29/2016 Nick Sheppard: The Federalist: Plucks the chords of PC voices post 1990s. Smart, deep, murky, but interesting. <http://thefederalist.com/2016/01/29/5-ridiculous-passages-from-the-wizards-of-political-correctness/>

Campus bans app described as Twitter for awful people. Bye 1A

12/14/2015 Eric Boehm in Watchdog: Emory U bans local app, Yik-Yak, on campus wi-fi network. Guess high-school caliber free speech for 'useless, mean-spirited and immature' people is hate speech? <http://watchdog.org/251287/nanny-state-social-media-emory-university/>

MLK's "I have a dream" quote survives a PC nightmare at U of OR 1/29/2016 Perry Chiaramonte (Fox News): Students fail move to remove plaque from campus building. Dream on. (DB) <http://www.foxnews.com/us/2016/01/29/mlk-s-inspiring-have-dream-quote-survives-pc-nightmare-at-oregon-campus.html>

From Yale to Mizzou: Minorities Fight Over PC Identity, Diversity 11/13/2016 Sally Kohn in the Atlantic. Does equality trump decency in the public square and on campus? <http://www.theatlantic.com/politics/archive/2015/11/the-revealing-roots-of-political-correctness/415812/>

'Communist Manifesto' by Karl Marx is most frequently taught college text.

1/28/2016 Trey Sanchez at Truth Revolt: Millennials learn Socialism, not Free Enterprise (Capitalism) on campus. Will 'comrade' replace 'dude' as a greeting. Probably, but watch the hand/arm gestures to be sure. <http://www.truthrevolt.org/news/marxs-communist-manifesto-most-frequently-taught-text-us-colleges>



The Highlight Reels:

'Sticker Boy' video goes viral standing with cheeks full of stickers behind Hillary at Iowa Caucus speech (Video)

2/2/2016 Chris Enloe in The Blaze: Meet Peter Clinkscales, the 18-year-old who stole Hillary's limelight--and he's not even a Democrat! http://www.theblaze.com/stories/2016/02/02/did-you-notice-the-guy-standing-behind-clinton-as-she-delivered-her-iowa-victory-speech/?utm_source=Sailthru&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Firewire%20Morning%20Edition%20Recurring%20v2%202016-02-03&utm_term=Firewire_Morning_Test

Citizen Link: Next Gen Kid explains Big Government (Video) 10/10/2015 Here's the short, logical playground version of Federal debt, welfare and justice. (TF) <https://www.youtube.com/embed/l5VfejeNGsU?rel=0&controls=0&showinfo=0>

Now, here's a true 'Rock house' Man Cave (Video) A 700-year-old cave inspired this carve out of 250 million-year-old sandstone cliffs in the Wyre Forest. <http://biggeekdad.com/2016/01/the-ultimate-man-cave/>

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Highlight Reels (continued)

Post 'March for Life': Enjoy this Fantasy interview with Planned Parenthood Founder: Margaret Sanger (Audio).

1/21/2016 Steve Deace of Conservative Review (Radio Pod cast): This dramatic in-studio with the deceased Ms. Sanger is a vivid re-enactment with eugenic roots in social engineering and bigotry. Wow!

<https://www.conservativereview.com/commentary/2016/01/listen-counter-cultural-ep9-jan21>

Dying wish: Broncos fan Cheers Peyton from the stands—after he calls her.

1/17/2016 Emily Allen KRDO.com

<http://www.krdo.com/news/broncos-fans-dying-wish-to-meet-quarterbac>



Carolina Panthers v Denver Broncos at Levi's Stadium, Santa Clara, CA: Sunday 2/7: 3:30 PST

California/Los Angeles:



Top CA GOP Politicos React to Republican Debate 1/29/2016 Jon Fleischman in Breitbart/California. List includes Celeste Greig, former California Republican Assembly president. <http://www.breitbart.com/california/2016/01/29/california-gop-roundup-reaction-to-the-debate/>

CA Student Segregation: No. 1 for Latinos, No. 3 for Blacks 1/28/2016 Stephen Frank in California Political News and Views: Is diversity the new bigotry? You decide. <http://us2.campaign-archive2.com/?u=99a396202cef94ed9edbc94dd&id=a69ce2746e&e=1d378bb380>

LAUSD: 2 + 2 = 0 for Ethics in Corrupt 'Criminal Cabal': 10/16/2015 Stephen Frank in California Political Review: iPad cronyism and teacher jails rot from inside district. <http://www.capoliticalreview.com/capoliticalnewsandviews/lawsuit-laUSD-is-a-criminal-cabal/>

Obamacare 2016 tax burdens CA farm labor: 2/1/2016 Chris Reed in California Watch Dog: Obamacare mandated health insurance coverage for businesses with 100+ employees, burdens workers, prunes profit-margins. <http://calwatchdog.com/2016/02/01/new-obamacare-rule-roils-ca-farms-farmworkers/>

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At the Hearth:

Editors Note: Welcome to your space for sharing views or original commentary.

The 'Nudge' of Big Brother on Lady Liberty (Commentary) 10/12/2015 Nick Short in Politically Short, politics outside The Beltway for Millennials: (Editor's pick!) <http://politicallyshort.com/2015/10/12/a-government-of-social-and-behavioral-nudges/>

America's First Mass Murder: 236 Years Ago, without a Gun (Historical) 2/1/2016 Dave Jolly at The Constitution: Well-told saga of Barnett Davenport a colonial mass murder from CT. (Editor's pick!) <http://constitution.com/first-mass-murder-in-america-236-years-ago-today/>

What's Wrong with Socialism? 2/1/2016 Tad Cronn, explains the difference between socialism and democratic socialism: none. (Editor's pick!) <http://constitution.com/whats-wrong-with-socialism/>

Groundhog Day: History with a little attitude 2/2/2015 by Bill Bennett and John T.E. Cribb in The American Patriot's Daily

Almanac http://click1.srncmail.com/ViewMessage.do?m=bcblbzld&r=zzblzrzsspz&s=edtqbhvbctccwttkrp_cjzhhjcskhwjst&q=0&a=view

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Web Site of Interest:



Family Security Matters:

<http://familysecuritymatters.org/>

Web site offers news, commentary, national and global info to engage "American families in our nation's security." Recommend you bookmark this one.