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A CLEANER ENVIRONMENT SANS THE COERCION

by Steve Silver

Protecting the environment is a contentious issue for libertarians. In an all too familiar pattern capitalism gets blamed for all our difficulties (in this case ecological) and the call soon goes out for leviathan. Despite intellectual bankruptcy on most issues, the statists appear here to have freedom lovers on the run. Murray Rothbard weeps for Exxon, a Liberty magazine article claims that those with environmental concerns should not be called libertarians, and free market academics suggest that effluent taxes are needed to minimize our pollution difficulties. I for one refuse to run up the white flag on this issue. Freedom works -- even in protecting the environment.

To protect the earth's ecosystem we need greatly reduced pollution. Pollution is an example of the classic "problem of the commons". Our air and large bodies of water are permanent "commons". Everyone uses them; no one owns them. When a resource has no owner, the incentive is to use the resource before someone else does. Whales and elephants have value; however, with no owners they are soon likely to become extinct.

Some environmental problems are relatively easy to solve. If property rights can be established, the problem is eliminated. The Nature Conservancy is a non-profit organization which raises money to purchase property and preserve the beauty of wilderness areas. Ducks Unlimited raises money from hunters to purchase or lease wetlands thereby preserving the duck habitats.

I have some shocking news: government makes environmental problems worse. Municipalities (Boston comes to mind) dump raw sewage into our water ways. The British government makes money processing nuclear waste from all over Europe by dumping the wastes into the Irish sea. In addition to being a major polluter himself, Uncle Sam protects the polluters from suits by damaged parties. Most pollution is, in our legal system, deemed a public nuisance. Since many are hurt, none may sue. Today in Scotland rivers are clean because property owners sue polluters.

It is left to government to solve these problems. In the political arena, the iron triangle of special interest, bureaucrats, and politicians conspire to make matters even worse. A tangled web of government regulation prevents many problems from being solved. An example close to me is used motor oil. Used oil can be recycled. With oil as a scarce



resource, the market was gradually working toward this goal. But the government declared used oil a toxic waste. The additional regulatory burden of this particular product drove most of the recyclists out of the business. Also it is the National Forest Service that is supposed to protect our wilder-Today there are more than ness areas. eight times as many miles of roads in our national forests as exists in the entire interstate highway system, simply to get to remote lumber. Tree cutting, in places like Colorado, destroys the aquifer. Later the lumber is sold, often at a 90% loss.

WE'RE TALKING TAX REPEAL ! -- YOU'RE ON THE AIR ! --

Repeal the 16th (income tax) Amendment? Impossible dream? Haven't a lot of people tried it, challenging its constitutionality among other things?

But how about a truly grass roots movement? Like the one that originally stopped the Congressional pay raise after a number of radio talk show hosts began making it a major topic of discussion?

Libertarian dream come true?

Beginning with radio talk show host Irving Homer, at WWDB-FM, in the Philadelphia suburb of Bally, there is now a rolling talk show movement to interest people in outright repeal of the 16th Amendment. No technical points. No legalisms. Just repeal the darn thing!

How is it working? When Homer started his campaign just after Christmas he intended it to go only through January. But by mid-January he had 40,000 cards and letters supporting his position in favor of repeal. And the mail is still pouring in! And the campaign continues.

Sensing a hot and popular cause, talk show hosts in Washington, DC, San Antonio, Chicago, and Detroit also have picked up the campaign. Detroit listeners sent in 2,500 cards and letters the first week.

Homer is planning to push the campaign at the June meeting of the National Association of Talk Show Hosts in Orlando, Florida.

Homer also reports that four Congressmen have called in to express interest.

"I've used a lot of Libertarian Party material throughout the campaign," Homer adds. "I appreciate the way talk show hosts at least detoured the Congressional pay raise but that's nothing compared to this issue. I don't want my kids to be as burdened as I am by the demands of a government that gives money away to foreigners and to fatcats while expecting

FROM YOUR STATE CHAIR: FRED LITZAW !

It's easy for Democrats and Republicans to maintain their domination of the political arena; they have control of it.

Many of them are quick to point out that if you want change, work within the system. With their domination of the political process, however, you wind up with "sub-Party" groups within the Democrat and Republican Parties. These groups are like back seat drivers; they aren't doing the driving.

The Democrats and Republicans are also quick to point out the right of other Parties to exist, but they control access to the ballot and to the political process. In Oklahoma, petitioning for another Party to be on the ballot a) costs a new Party tens of thousands of dollars which become conveniently unavailable for promoting ideas and campaigning candidates that differ from the Democrats and the Republicans; b) costs the taxpayers their tax dollars to verify tens of thousands of signatures; c) prevents candidates from running under another Party banner at the local, grassroots level unless this Party is "recognized" by the government at the State level; and, d) prevents voters from registering with "unrecognized" Parties, which conveniently discourages participation in the political process with any Party other than the Democrats and the Republicans.

This is all distasteful and very discriminatory. They bellow about crowding the ballot, but allow any number of candidates to run in their tax supported Party primaries. Their domination will prevent competitive ideas from threatening their power and deny you alternative choices to resolving your concerns.

Do you want political domination or freedom of choice?

TAX REPEAL, continued . . .

us to become virtual slaves to their unending demands. I also don't believe that there is anything to be gained by testing the amendment in court. The courts are paid out of our money just as is the rest of the government. This time we should do it the way they've been doing it in Eastern Europe, by getting people to stand up and be counted. If people could knock down the Berlin Wall, why can't they knock down the amendment that keeps separating us from our own freedoms?"

Florida libertarians, in particular, may have a chance to help Homer at the Orlando convention. All libertarians could help by getting talk show hosts in their area interested and putting them in contact with Homer. His address is WWDB-FM, 166 East Levering Mill Road, Bally, PA 19004.

Thanks to Karl Hess, editor of LP News, for permission to reprint this story.

Thanks also to Mary Lou Graham for bringing this to our attention.

ENVIRONMENT, continued . . .

As I mentioned before, our legal system protects polluters. If these polluters had to face the consequences of their actions, they would behave more responsibly. Pollution liability insurance would become prevalent. Insurance companies would then help clients reduce pollutants. Don't doubt the ability of insurance companies to reduce risk. Underwriters Laboratories was formed by the insurance industry to reduce the risk of electrical fires. When was the last time you heard of a house burning because of an electrical fire?

With our improved standard of living, concerns for the environment has mushroomed. This creates enormous opportunities for ecological entrepreneurship. A single individual cannot predict how the market will respond to the desires of large populations of free persons.

I would like to offer a few possible scenarios to stimulate further thought: A charitable organization receiving public donations from concerned citizens could test transportation vehicles. Published results would then detail which vehicles pollute least. With acurate information we could buy cleaner automobiles. Manufacturers would compete to be number one in clean air. Another approach would be for a similar organization for the investigation of pollution sources. Non-coercive means could be used to remedy newly identified problems. Boycotts are just one possibility. Courts would be a last resort. They would likely be handled by the insurance companies that actually could make a profit solving our environmental problems.

There is no reason for libertarians to take an ostrich-like approach to the environmental issue. Government is **the** major polluter. Government stands in the way of market efforts for environmental protection. A growing free market economy will bring increasing resources to bear on solving these critical problems. Freedom can solve these problems. The real pollution threat we face is ubiquitous government coercion.

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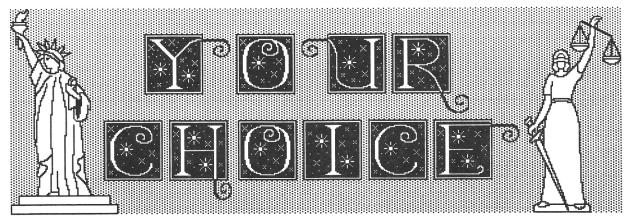
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LOBBY NOTE

When our lobbying effort for fair ballot access is in full swing, you will want to be ready to make a call to your State Legislator. Now would be a good time just to call your Legislator and get acgainted. Andre Marrou recommends a brief hello and that you may wish to discuss your concerns with them in the future. He also suggests that partisan politics not be discussed; that a constituent/representative relationship be the focus. This will help when you call back in the future to ask for their support.

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Democrats and Republicans. Nice folks, I suppose. After all, they are people, just like everyone. If you don't find any at home, there are bound to be some in your neighborhood. If there are so many Democrats and Republicans among our family and friends and neighbors, chances are that most of them are good, hardworking, caring folks.

Have you ever wondered if these folks understand the political consequences to their lives, and yours, by electing candidates from the two-party monopoly?





What's that? A two-party monopoly doesn't make sense? Why not? For so long, it's been customary to vote for either a Democrat or a Republican.

These candidates are usually good folks who have stepped forward and expressed concern about an issue and solicited your vote because they felt they could offer a political solution. A solution most likely to involve money - yours; political control of behavioral lifestyles - yours; political control of business activities - yours! Your money; your life; your work! Do you see? These well-meaning folks get involved with either the Democrats or the Republicans and manage to generate the same results! Either way, we generally see more taxes or more control of our personal lives or more control of our work place. Where's the difference? Where's the choice? It has become, in fact, a two-party monopoly!



Think! Why is this so? If these two parties offered us a choice in their beginnings, why is there no choice today?

Over time, they have compromised with each other until they have become practically

identical. They have created barriers and red tape to squelch your freedom of choice on the ballot and your freedom of choice with your life and with your job. Their decisions aren't based upon principles of human rights! Their decisions are based upon the simple majority which will get them reelected! They win! The majority wins! Everybody else loses and is obviously wrong! Right?!

Actually, we all lose -- including the perceived majority. Through compromise, all political decisions of the Democrats and Republicans are reduced to the lowest common denominator to achieve the majority support needed for reelection. Which seems to bring you one choice, the choice of a political monopoly spending your money on compromised concerns.

What are we doing to ourselves?

What about your rights?



Rights! Rights! Rights! Someone is always screaming about rights! Civil rights! Human rights! Bill of Rights!

What's right?

FREEDOM is right!

Okay, so what does government have to do with this? According to the Declaration of Independence, governments "deriv(e) their just powers from the consent of the governed".

Do you consent to what the political monopoly is doing to you with your government?

Do you consent to the ever increasing intrusion by the government into your religious activities? Do you consent to taxing church property? Do you consent to a sales tax on religious materials?

Do you consent to government censorship of what you say; of what you print; of what you read; of what you see; of what you hear?

Do you consent to be compelled to tell the government how you choose to arm yourself for your self-defense?



Do you consent to have your property taken from you by the government using eminent domain if you don't want to give up your home?

Do you consent to involuntary service in the armed forces by way of a draft or other form of conscription?

Do you consent to the government telling you what you can or cannot eat; what you can or cannot smoke; what you can or cannot ingest, digest, or in any manner absorb or consume into your own body?

Do you consent to the government telling you what consenting adults can and cannot do together?

Do you consent to government manipulation of wages and prices?

Do you consent to government interference in the free marketplace with tariffs, protectionism, subsidies, bailouts, or any other form of intrusion into the marketplace?

Do you consent to paying for global defense and

police protection?

government intrusion in your movements

from place to place; in your travels at home or abroad?

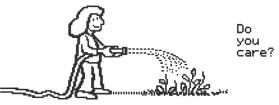
Do you consent to government taking your income and spending your money any way it wants, whether you like it or not?

Do you consent to being told by the government how and what and why and when you must educate your children? Do you consent to being told by the government who must e



the government who must educate your children?

Do you consent to an omnipotent government telling you how to live; why to live; who and what to live for? Do you consent to being numbered, prodded, categorized, analyzed, gerrymanderized, photographed, classified, sampled, or in any other way have the government choreographing your life in order to justify its very existence?!



Some of you care; some of you don't. Some of you might consent to all of the above. Most of you might consent to some of the above. More and more of you wouldn't consent to any of the above!

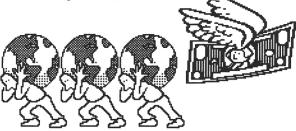
Who's right? Everybody. In a free society, everybody would have the right to live in whatever manner they choose, so long as they did not forcibly interfere with the equal right of others to live in whatever manner they choose.

What's right? FREEDOM is right!

Is your government providing you a society based on freedom? Can the years of compromise between the Democrats and Republicans protect the diversity of a nation of individuals expecting freedom;

OR,

are you being rounded up to become a nation's hybrid herd?



What do you do with your "disconsent"?

If you refuse to pay sales tax on church materials, you may not have access to religious items of particular importance to you. If you refuse to pay income tax, you may not have access to the job market. If you refuse to pay property tax, you may not have access to much real estate -- which the government controls with eminent domain anyway!

If you refuse the government's inquiries as to what kind of arsenal you maintain for your self-defense, you may be considered a criminal.

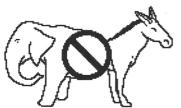
If you refuse to be drafted to fight battles created by politicians, you are considered a criminal.

In the sanctity of your own responsible, peaceful freedom, if you eat, smoke, drink, or consume anything you want, are you a criminal? What about what consenting adults might want to do together? Would that be any of the majority's business, too?

If you refuse to force your children to attend mandatory education classes because your family chooses to live life differently than the majority, does that make you a criminal?

If your choice is freedom; if your choice is self-determination; if your choice is individual-determination; then, how do you get the government out of the business of being in the business of everyone's business?

A political monopoly spending your money on compromised concerns is not acceptable.



Politics is NOT whether you care to address widespread concerns. Politics is about the principle of freedom!

Freedom is NOT compromisable! Once compromised, freedom no longer exists!



Freedom implies not using force to impose your standard of living on those who are not using force to impose their standard of living on you. Freedom exists only in an environment of peaceful coexistence. Accepting diversity is essential. You can't compromise freedom; otherwise, the freedom of each and every one of you is doomed to extinction.

Freedom implies choice. The Democrats spend taxes; the Republicans spend taxes. You have no choice.



This is NOT freedom!

Taxation is a form of forcing a standard of living on others. This archaic control of your life is abominable; contrary to the principle of freedom; and, it should be abolished! Quite obviously, the concerns of the Democrats and Republicans have widespread public attention -- as well they most likely should! This demonstrates the character of a free people -- a willingness to address the concerns of others. And it is highly likely that such willingness can translate into widespread voluntary reconciliation of these concerns. Imposed reconciliation using taxation denies you your choice; your freedom.

THIS is freedom!



Your choice is your freedom!

Your choice is your right!

Are you feeling "disconsent" with your government? If so, join us! Support the LIBERTARIAN PARTY to protect the freedom of your choice. We may not like each other's language or looks or habits; but we like freedom. We accept the diversity of a free society and tolerate those who do not impose their lifestyles on others. We champion political freedom of your life, not political control of your life.



Take a stand! Select from the next page how you can best support the ongoing efforts to safeguard your freedom by contributing to the efforts of the LIBERTARIAN PARTY!

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TAKE THE CHALLENGE AND JOIN TODAY!

THE PRESIDENT'S UGLY AMERICAN POLICY

by Andre Marrou and Michael Emerling

The Berlin Wall is tumbling down. Eastern bloc European countries are moving toward free elections, market economies and human rights. Mikhail Gorbachev is being hailed as "the great liberator", a Russian George Washington.

Where's President Bush? Invading Panama.

Former CIA operative Bush is trying to get his hands on his former CIA subordinate: Maximum Leader Manuel Noriega.

A kinder, gentler invasion?

In the late 1950's, a novel called "The Ugly American" was a bestseller. Set in Southeast Asia, this book showed the arrogant meddling of U.S. diplomats and politicians in the affairs of other countries. Naturally, the "best and brightest", the Ivy League aristocrats, ignored the lessons. So "The Ugly American" became history, rather than prophecy.

Third World people want to come to America, but they hate Americans. Why? What's the source of anti-American sentiment? The Ugly Americans -- the U.S. government's foreign meddlers; the politicians, diplomats and other U.S. government personnel who bully other governments.

Consider the history of Panama. It was originally part of Colombia. President Teddy Roosevelt wanted to build a canal through the isthmus. Colombia just said "no".

Roosevelt backed a "revolt" which founded the Republic of Panama. He sent warships to "protect" the new republic. Panama's infant government signed the canal deal. That's the origin of the phrase "gunboat diplomacy".

For years, U.S. government foreign aid (bribes) and military forces (threats) have kept the Panama Canal in our government's hands. Ill will, unrest and riots convinced the U.S. government to turn over the canal to Panama's government.

Under the guise of the United Fruit Co., the CIA had run covert operations in Central and South America since the 1950s. When the CIA blew it, the U.S. government screamed "communism" and increased the threats and bribes.

FROM THE SMOKE FILLED ROOM



In mid-February, George Bush will be in Colombia to meet with several South American leaders to discuss cooperative policies to prevent the production and shipment of drugs to North America. Mr. Bush is really interested in obedience rather than cooperation, and he will use threats, bribery, and military force to continue the century-old manipulation of the internal politics of central and South American countries for the benefit of powerful business, financial, and political interests in the U.S.

Psychoactive drugs of all kinds have been used in the Americas for thousands of years. Coca, cannibis, psylocybin, peyote, and the ingredients for alcohol all grow here in abundance, and used to be freely available. This changed in the early part of this century, however, when both drug and alcohol prohibitions were used as part of a program to increase the size and power of the U.S. Government.

A coalition of politicians, bureaucrats, businessmen, and bankers transformed the U.S. Government from a benign defender of Liberty into an authoritarian welfare-warfare state. By inventing crises to solve, politicians increased their power and status. By influencing politicians, businessmen and bankers increased their wealth and shut out competition. The War on Drugs is nothing but a manufactured crisis designed to increase the U.S. Government's control of our fellow citizens, and maintain its imperial influence in the Western Hemisphere.

U.S. intervention in the Americas has been a tragic story of frustration, humiliation, broken dreams, and spilled blood. The reactionaries who control our government have not promoted the tolerant, laissez-faire policies promised by Thomas Jefferson, but have instead exported the corporate fascism of Mussolini. They are not interested in human liberty, but only money, power, and obedience to their authority.

It is to be hoped that the people of South and Central America will not trust Nr. Bush's promises, but will learn to trust themselves. It is time for them to tell the U.S. Government what Eastern Europe is telling the Soviet Union: Go Home! Solve your own problems! Leave us in peace!

Needless to say, most of these governments ruled by violence. Is it any wonder the oppressed people hated those who bankrolled and armed their oppressors? Is it any wonder that they hate the real Ugly American -- our government?

Like the boy who cried "wolf", our federal government found that crying "communism" won't work anymore. So they cry, "Drugs! Noriega sells drugs!" Communism was the drug of the '50s, and drugs are the communism of the '90s. Most people respond like Pavlov's dogs.

Is Panama a clear and present military danger to America's survival? No. Is Noriega likely -- or even able -- to launch a military attack on California or Texas or Florida? No. What about naval action? Nevada has greater naval strength docked at Lake Mead than Panama can boast. Is Panama more oppresive than Cuba? Than Nicaragua? Not even close.

President Bush wants us to believe he's serious about rooting out evil in our hemisphere. Fine. Where's the invasion of Castro's Cuba? Does the prospect of facing 500,000 battleseasoned troops perhaps give him pause? What about Nicaragua? Are Daniel Ortega's 300,000-plus loyal soldiers too big an obstacle for Bush? Maybe

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Noriega's 6,500 troops were something Bush could deal with. The last real fighting man from Panama was Roberto Duran.

Bush wants to walk softly and carry a big stick. But only when the opponent doesn't even have a twig.

Don't examine the Bush argument too closely. Just say "Noriega sells drugs" until you're really scared. Then close your eyes and say, "He's right".

Isn't it interesting that the Berlin Wall went up under one Ivy League president and came down under another? Neither one did a damn thing about it.

George Bush is an Ivy League Yale

UGLY AMERICAN, continued . . .

elitist, a man who thinks he's qualified to run other people's lives, a bully in a gray flannel suit.

This "gun yacht diplomacy" is the last resort of the civilized meddlers. It's a relic of racism: a legacy of the alleged "white man's burden".

It is not America or the American people that Third World people hate. It's the Ugly American government policy of foreign interventionism.

Lloyd Bentsen pointed out that Dan Quayle is no Jack Kennedy. True. And the bully in the White House is no Teddy Roosevelt. Bush is just a pale Yale imitation -- an Ivy League war wimp. Bush is the new Ugly American.

Thanks to Andre Marrou for permission to use this op-ed article. Andre was the 1988 Libertarian Party Vice-Presidential candidate and a former Alaskan legislator. Michael Emerling is a longtime political activist and speechwriter.

Andre says this article was published in the largest newspaper in southern Nevada, the <u>Review Journal</u>, in January. Reader response ran 2-to-1 in favor.

He also says that a news release in the same vein was offered the UPI. Initially interested, they refused to move it across the wire. When he asked why, they told him their state editor (in Reno, near the Capitol) wanted to limit articles to statements from incumbent elected officeholders. When Andre suggested that a diversity of opinion in the press was needed, they responded that they disagreed.

LIAISON WANTED FOR LOBBY EFFORT

Can you help? In the coming months of this year and next, we are interested in presenting our message for fair ballot access with a direct lobbying effort of our State's Legislators. To achieve our goal, we are seeking a volunteer willing to be our liaison in the Oklahoma City area to help coordinate our efforts.

Our liaison will be working with Andre Marrou, Director of 51-'92 which is a PAC woking to have the Libertarian Party on all 51 ballots in 1992; Fred Litzaw, Chair of the LPOK currently in Tulsa; The Legislative Council of Oklahoma, a non-partisan PAC based in Stillwater; and with Oklahoma Legislators and their Communication will be the staffs. predominant function of our liaison, but there will be times when two to three trips a week to the Capitol to meet with staffs, and possibly Legislators, may be necessary. To discourage rejection of our efforts solely because of appearance, we feel our liaison needs to be capable of projecting a "professional" image with their appearance and with their business mannerisms.

If you, or someone you know, are interested in helping with our efforts, we would like to hear from you as soon as possible. Please write our PO Box in Tulsa or leave a message with the LPOK Secretary, Debby Wair, at (918) 834-8148.

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