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The Psychology of Turkeys

This page is dedicated to the insane actions, decisions and policies made by our would be leaders.
MY VIEW by *Ernie C. Salgado Jr.*



Army of 100 Navy SEALs Preparing to March on DC to Stop Lynching of Pete Hegseth - Report



Where's the Pardon for Thousands of Black Men Locked Up for What Hunter Did? | Opinion

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MY VIEW: Why is anyone surprised that Biden bailed Hunter? Me. I would have been disappointed in him as a parent, grandfather and great grandfather if he hadn't bailed his son. Family is the foundation of a free people and in my book Creepy Joe did the right thing. Get over it and support the MEGA Agenda.

Daniel Penny, Not Guilty

Daniel Penny is a Good Samaritan hero. But, he is a White man that did a good thing and needs to be punished by the Woke judicial system.

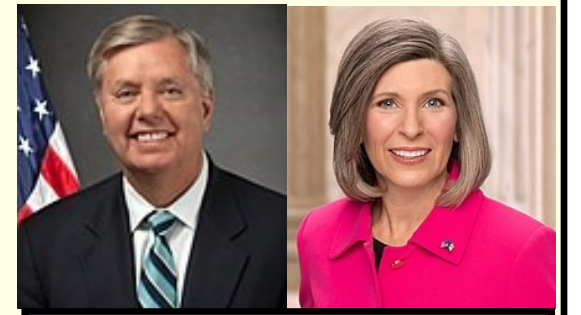


And let's not mention the hypocrisy of Jordan Neely's family. Why didn't they care for their mentally disturbed "Brother" when he was in need? But, given the spotlight and the possibility of a woke wrongful death law suit they are front and center. Real caring folks.

May God bless and protect Daniel Penny from the evils of the woke criminals.

Two GOP senators on defense after Bongino accuses them of sabotaging Pete Hegseth

Conservative radio show host Dan Bongino has revealed that Sens. Lindsey Graham and Joni Ernst are the biggest obstacles to Defense Secretary nominee Pete Hegseth's confirmation.



Lindsey Graham and Joni Ernst

Speaking this week on his radio show, he said he isn't interested in joining the Trump administration because he doesn't have it in him to bow down to the likes of Graham and Ernst.

"Me outside of government is better because if I wanted to get inside of government right now, I'd need the support of senators like Lindsey Graham and Joni Ernst," he said. "And you know what — it's not worth selling your soul over."

"Why do I bring those two up?" Bongino said. "Because very credible sources — unimpeachable sources — have told me that these are the two ringleaders behind sabotaging Pete Hegseth. And it's disgusting because they both share one thing in common: They've run on the Republican Party brand."

Turning then to Hegseth's nomination, he revealed based on his sources that the two are the "ringleaders" behind the attacks on him.

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Denver Mayor Mike Johnston is about to put police officers and U.S. citizens at risk over illegal immigrants — & it's a horrible mistake



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JONATHAN TURLEY: ANTIFA gear for kids? Democrats think it's cute to flaunt support for violent group



Opinion by *Jonathan Turley*

It appears no liberal Christmas is complete without the ultimate stocking stuffer: an actual stocking to wear over your face while rioting. While not yet selling face coverings for anonymous violence, Crooked Media, co-founded by former Obama staffers Jon Favreau, Jon Lovett, and Tommy Vietor, is reportedly selling a line of Antifa items for liberals wanting to make a statement against any "Peace on Earth."

You can now proudly wear your "Antifa Dad" hat to signal your support for political violence and deplatforming. It is the ultimate naughty gift list for putting the slay back into your Sleigh Bells.

These liberal hosts and their "Pod Save America" podcast have been featured on various shows and courted by figures like former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton.

There is no apparent backlash for

their support of one of the most violent groups in the world, which routinely attacks journalists and anyone who holds opposing views. Imagine the media response if a conservative site started selling similar "Proud Boy" items.

As discussed in my new book, "The Indispensable Right: Free Speech in an Age of Rage," I explore the history of Antifa as a movement that began in Germany:

"Antifa originated with European anarchist and Marxist groups from the 1920s, particularly Antifaschistische Aktion, a Communist group from the Weimar Republic before World War II. Its name resulted from the shortening of the German word antifaschistisch. In the United States, the modern movement emerged through the Anti-Racist Action (ARA) groups, which were dominated by anarchists and Marxists. It has an association with the anarchist organization Love and Rage, which was founded by former Trotsky and Marxist followers as well as offshoots like Mexico's Amor Y Rabia. The oldest U.S. group is likely the Rose City Antifa (RCA) in Portland, Oregon, which would become the center of violent riots during the Trump years. The



Tommy Vietor, Jon Lovett and Hillary Clinton speak after the "Pod Save America Live" event during the 2023 Tribeca Festival at BMCC Theater on June 12, 2023 in New York City. (Photo by Jason Mendez/Getty Images for Tribeca Festival) Getty Images

anarchist roots of the group give it the same organizational profile as such groups in the early twentieth century with uncertain leadership and undefined structures."

As I have previously written, it has long been the "Keyser Söze" of the anti-free speech movement, a loosely aligned group that employs measures to avoid easy detection or

association. Yet, FBI Director Chris Wray has repeatedly pushed back on the denials of Antifa's work or violence. In one hearing, Wray stated, "And we have quite a number" — and "Antifa is a real thing. It's not a fiction."

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Our Native Connection * Group by Charlene Valenzuela



Veronica Penney Salgado
Cahuilla Indian Reservation
Me and all 18 of my grandkids



God, Family & Tribe

On January 20, 2025 The KXL Pipeline Is Back!

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Many of our Women go missing from these camps, It's an all around messed up deal how this government is treating its indigenous peoples.

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Biden "looking into" freeing Leonard Peltier as demands for clemency grow

Washington DC - President Joe Biden has said he is "looking at" releasing Indigenous freedom fighter Leonard Peltier as calls mount for him to use his executive clemency power before leaving office.

"Do us a favor and free Leonard Peltier," says President Frank Star Comes Out of the Oglala Sioux Tribe in a video shared on social media by the Indigenous-led activist organization NDN Collective.

"I'm looking at it," Biden responds. The exchange reportedly took place Monday after Biden's keynote speech at the White House Tribal Nations Summit.

Peltier, the US' longest-held Indigenous political prisoner, has spent over 48 years behind bars on

charges of killing two FBI special agents in a 1975 shootout on the Pine Ridge Reservation. His conviction is widely considered to be illegitimate.

Indigenous advocates and allies have urged Biden to grant immediate clemency to Peltier, a step he may take without congressional approval. The calls have amplified after US authorities in July denied Peltier's latest request for parole.

The 80-year-old member of the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa - an icon of the American Indian Movement - has spent his life fighting for the liberation of Indigenous Peoples from US settler-colonial oppression.

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MY VIEW Ernie C. Salgado, Jr.; I don't want to negative but, the reality is Leonard Peltier was framed by the FBI simply because he was the leader of the leading the American Indian Movement forces at Wounded Knee protecting the Tribal families that opposed the corrupt Tribal Government that was supported by the U.S. Government's FBI.

All the evidence has proved that the FBI withheld evidence, lied and framed Peltier. However, a message needed to be sent to others "American Indian Renegades," that if we don't ruin your credibility, destroy you financially or kill you, we will put you in prison forever.

What most American people don't know is that the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) was created and operated by J. Edger Hoover. He made the FBI the most powerful politically corrupt Government agency in the world by illegally assembling personal files on every individual involved in politics and used the negative data to enhance his authority. Anyone that dared to challenged him were quick to find the error of their ways.

President Clinton was the last President to even consider releasing Leonard Peltier but, changed his mind after a visit by the FBI. Hoover may be long gone but, the culture he created is still alive within the FBI. Can you Imagin the size of the file the FBI has on the Biden family.

Even given that the activist organization NDN Collective is a George Soros funded group as is the Biden Administration Leonard Peltier isn't going home.

As of Dec. 15, 2024 Biden has pardon over 1,500 convict people and Leonard Peltier isn't one of them.

Maybe now that President Trump knows what it's like to be "Railroaded" he might be more understanding and use his executive clemency power to free Leonard Peltier.

Here is what we can do to ask President Trump to free Leonard Peltier: Send a simple note to your U.S. Senator and U.S. Congress Rep. asking them to asj=k President Trump to FREE Leonard Peltier.

SEND one to President Trump as well. You may also ask 5 others to do the same.

De-civilization May Already Be Under Way

The brazen murder of a CEO in Midtown Manhattan—and the cheering reaction to his execution—amounts to a blinking-and-blaring warning signal for a society that has become already too inured to bloodshed.

The line between a normal, functioning society and catastrophic de-civilization can be crossed with a single act of mayhem. This is why, for those who have studied violence closely, the brazen murder of a CEO in Midtown Manhattan—and, more important, the brazenness of the cheering reaction to his execution—amounts to a blinking-and-blaring warning signal for a society that has become already too inured to bloodshed and the conditions that exacerbate it.

In recent days, journalists and other observers have worked to uncover the motivations of the

accused killer. This is a worthy exercise when trying to understand a single, shocking event. But when attempting to understand how brutality spreads across society, studying individual ideologies only gets you so far.

As violence worsens, it tends to draw in—and threaten—people of all ideologies. So if in the early stages of a violent upswing, law enforcement can see clearly that the greater threat comes from right-wing extremists, which has been the case in the U.S. in recent years, as the prevalence of violence snowballs, the politics of those who resort to it get messier. That's in part because periods of heightened violence tend to coincide with social and political reordering gen-



erally—moments when party or group identities are in flux, as they are in America right now. As I've written for this magazine, eruptions of violence are not necessarily associated with a clear or consistent ideology and often borrow from several—a phenomenon that law enforcement calls "salad-bar extremism."

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American Indian Women Marketing in The Early Days



This photograph taken in 1893 by Charles C. Pierce features three Luiseño women later identified in the Oceanside Blade newspaper in 1895 as Rosaria, Tomasa and Vaselia. The women attracted visitors to Oceanside and beyond who would bring them food and clothing, while they were said to have recounted stories of the Mission and their younger years.

The image was widely circulated and given the title "Belles of San Luis Rey," which was likely meant to mock the women rather than to regal them. Rosaria's death was noted by the Oceanside Blade as 1894 and her full name was Maria Rosaria Ardilla. Her age was unknown at the time of her death.

Tomasa was born as early as 1796, according to the 1852 census of San Luis Rey. She died on June 8, 1899 and was buried June 10th in the Mission Cemetery. Tomasa's lineage can be traced down several generations and she is the great-great-great grandmother of Mary Lou Beltran, an Oceanside native.

Vaselia or Baselia, as noted in census and burial records, died in 1898. Baselia Pupuca is noted in the 1852 census of San Luis Rey, with her age given as 50. If correct she would have died at the age of 96

*This caption is taken from The History of Oceanside by OHS Director Kristi Hawthorne.

Image: Three Luiseño women identified as Rosaria, Tomasa and Vaselia. They helped to build adobe bricks as young girls. All three are buried at the Mission San Luis Rey.

Facts About Native Americans You Didn't Learn in History Class

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Native Americans have always played a major role in building the United States of America. From their contributions to the American culture to shaping modern society, Native Americans have remained an important aspect of society. Though their history is diverse, rich, and complex but in common education, they are often overlooked. In history class, teachers have always told about their colonization and displacement, however, in reality, there is more to their history. So, in this article, we will tell you the facts about Native Americans that weren't told in the history class.

There Were Female Warriors Who Fought Alongside Men

The fact that has always been left out about native Americans is that there were female warriors who also fought with male warriors. In Hollywood films, it is always shown that male Native Americans go to the fields to fight, whereas the females used to sit at home cooking, sewing, and taking care of the camp. However, this is not true. Many women warriors fought alongside

men, such as the Buffalo Calf Road Woman. She was a member of the Northern Cheyenne tribe and fought in the Battle of Little Bighorn and the Battle of Rosebud. Also, it is said that she was the one who badly hit George Armstrong Custer in 1876.

The Origin Of Hockey

Now, the fact that the sport of Hockey was originated by Native Americans is not known by most people. The Foxes, Saux, and Assiniboine were the Native American tribes who played a game called shinny in which a buckskin ball was hit down a field using a stick that had a curved shape. In summers, the game was played on the field however in winter, it was played on ice. After some time, the game came to the notice of white settlers and it was named Hockey.

The US Constitution Is Modeled On The Constitution Of Iroquois Confederacy

The Constitution of the United States, which outlines the framework of the American government is based upon the political system of the Iroquois Confederacy. It is said that Ben Franklin and other Founding Fathers observed the aspects of the Iroquois Confederacy's Constitution such as decision-making and leadership and

laid them down while creating the American Constitution. However, an official of the Center For Native American and Indigenous Research at Northwestern University has stated that Ben Franklin left most of the critical parts that the Clan Mothers later found out. Also, they held more power because they were responsible for selecting chiefs at the representative level.

Code Talkers Were Finally Recognized When Code Talkers Recognition Act Was Passed

For a very long time until 2002, the heroic services done by the native American Code Talkers weren't recognized. However, when Congress passed the Code Talkers Recognition Act, the story of these heroes came into the spotlight. During the time of World War I and World War II, these servicemen relayed messages behind enemy lines in their native languages. This work was considered one of the most dangerous because, at this time, Native Americans were fighting discrimination. The codes of these Code Talkers were never leaked or broken and this gave the US an advantage.

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Jay Silverheels, born Harold J. Smith on May 26, 1912, on the Six Nations Reserve in Ontario, Canada, was a trailblazing Native American actor best known for his role as Tonto in The Lone Ranger. A Mohawk by heritage, Silverheels was an accomplished athlete, excelling in lacrosse and boxing before transitioning to acting. He started in Hollywood as a stuntman in the 1930s, eventually landing small roles in films that often stereotyped Indigenous people.

Silverheels achieved fame in the 1950s with The Lone Ranger, where his portrayal of Tonto brought dignity and strength to a character often reduce to a sidekick. He used his platform to advocate for better representation of Native Americans in media, challenging the industry's limited and often inaccurate portrayals. While the role of Tonto defined his career, Silverheels appeared in numerous other projects, including films like Key Largo (1948) and Broken Arrow (1950), showcasing his versatility as an actor.

Outside of acting, Silverheels was a dedicated activist and philanthropist. He co-founded the Indian Actors Workshop, which provided training and support for Native American actors seeking opportunities in Hollywood. His legacy is celebrated not only for his iconic performances but also for his efforts to pave the way for future generations of Indigenous talent. Jay Silverheels remains a symbol of resilience and pride, remembered for his contributions both on and off the screen.

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Trump picks North Dakota Gov. Doug Burgum to lead the Interior Department

Trump also wants Burgum to lead a newly formed National Energy Council that will oversee all U.S. regulatory and permitting agencies with an eye toward fast-tracking everything from oil and gas drilling to renewable projects. Burgum is also expected to sit on Trump's powerful National Security Council.

If confirmed as Interior Secretary, Burgum would play a key role in pushing Trump's agenda to increase oil, gas and coal production on public lands.

Interior is also in charge of U.S. national parks, monuments and wildlife refuges.

It also oversees relations with 574 federally recognized Native American tribes,

including Alaska Natives, Hawaii Natives and affiliated Island Communities.

Burgum has worked closely with the five federally recognized tribal nations in North Dakota.

He began his tenure as governor in 2016, entering at a low point in state-tribal relations. His administration has pursued better tribal relationships by increasing collaboration on state-tribal ventures. Burgum aggressively sought to create tax partnerships with Native tribes in the state, which allows tribal nations to share portions of taxes collected on tribal land.

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Manchin, Sinema Deliver Democrats One Last Blow Before Leaving Office



Senators Joe Manchin and Kyrsten Sinema delivered Democrats blocked Lauren McFerran's renomination to the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) on Wednesday, delivering one last blow to Democrats before leaving office at the end of the year.

Manchin explained why he voted against McFerran's renomination in a statement.

"Under Chairman McFerran's leadership, the NLRB passed and sought to

implement a joint employer rule that would have imposed unnecessary regulations jeopardizing thousands of small businesses, their employees and the communities they serve," he told *Newsweek*. *"I came to the U.S. Senate to empower small businesses to do what they do best, create jobs and grow our economy, and that's why I voted against her nomination."*

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Burchett says he's willing to break with tiny GOP majority 'if it's morally correct'

Rep. Tim Burchett (R-Tenn.) said, when it comes to his morals, he is willing to break with the narrow Republican majority in the House on some legislation.



"If it's morally correct, if it's something that I really believe in. If it's, you know, if we continue down this path of economic destruction, spending our great-grandchildren's money, yes, I will, and I have," Burchett said Wednesday in an interview on *"CNN This Morning."*

The Tennessee Republican urged his colleagues in the lower chamber to resort to passing single-issue spending legislation to help out in cutting down the national debt.

"You know, right now we're — Americans are paying around \$600 to \$1,200 more a month just to survive," he continued. *"And the reason is, we are doing that is because of our reckless spending."*

Burchett called it "deficit" spending and warned his fellow lawmakers against perpetuating the cycle.

"Every economist will tell you that is what causes the devaluation of your dollar. And — and we just can't continue on ... this path. All we're doing is really just — just buying our reelection," he added. *"And both parties are guilty of it."*

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'Warrior whose vote cannot be bought': Hundreds of vets pour out in support of Tulsi Gabbard for DNI



First on Fox: Hundreds of veterans across the nation are offering their unequivocal support to former Democrat Hawaii Rep. Tulsi Gabbard as director of national intelligence under President-elect Donald Trump's second administration, Fox News Digital has learned.

"President Donald Trump's selection of Tulsi Gabbard reflects a profound recognition of her steadfast dedication to our nation and her unwavering commitment to safeguarding the American people. While

most Americans know Tulsi as a fearless and principled Congresswoman who stood up to entrenched political systems, we know her as a fellow veteran—one whose worldview was forged through the crucible of serving in combat zones and a lifelong devotion to service," reads a letter, "American Veterans for Tulsi Gabbard," which was published Monday (Dec. 9, 2024) and obtained by Fox News Digital.

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When you put a potato in the microwave and push the pizza button but when it's done it's still a potato



Yeah, that's pretty much how "choosing your gender" works.

'Game on': Tom Homan responds to 'not very smart' Boston mayor who vows to defy immigration reform * [Read More @ BPR](#)

Incoming Border Czar Tom Homan said Boston's Democrat mayor needs to cooperate with the new Trump administration's immigration plans or "get the hell out of the way."

The former acting Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) director who was tapped by President-elect Trump as his new "border czar" told Newsmax on Monday that Democratic Boston Mayor Michelle Wu is not "very smart" for declaring her opposition to the incoming administration's plans to confront illegal immigration and it's "game on" if she wants to try.

Trump plans to make good on his campaign promises of dealing with the border crisis and the influx of migrants coming into the country illegally, declaring that they will be found and deported. Wu is not on board and took her stand in remarks in a Sunday interview with local news station WCVB.

The mayor declared that Boston,



"There's a clear line here, and they can't cross that line. I will suggest she reads Title 8, United States Code 1324 III, which says you can't harbor or conceal an illegal alien from federal law enforcement officers," the former police officer and Border Patrol agent explained.

one of the so-called sanctuary cities *one by causing widespread fear and in Massachusetts, is not having a large-scale economic impact* "cooperating with those efforts that pact." *actually threaten the safety of every-*

"Well, she's not very smart, I'll give her that," Homan told Newsmax host Greg Kelly. "President Trump is going to prioritize public safety threats. What mayor or governor doesn't want public safety threats out of their communities?"

"That's our number one responsibility; to protect their communities and that's exactly what we're going to do," Homan added as he emphasized how the left has come to paint criminals as the victims.

"So either she [Wu] helps us or she gets the hell out of the way because we're going to do it," he continued as he dropped the facts on the mayor and others like her.

"There's a clear line here, and they can't cross that line. I will suggest she reads Title 8, United States Code 1324 III, which says you can't harbor or conceal an illegal alien from federal law enforcement officers," the former police officer and Border Patrol agent explained.

SAN DIEGO SHERIFF DEFIES NEW POLICY TO LIMIT COOPERATION WITH IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS

SAN DIEGO (AP) – The sheriff of the nation's fifth-largest county on Tuesday *Dec. 10, 2024* defied a new policy to limit cooperation with federal immigration authorities, setting up a showdown over a new obstacle to President-elect Donald Trump's mass deportation plans.

Earlier Tuesday, *(Dec. 10, 2024)* San Diego County supervisors voted to prohibit its sheriff's department from working with U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement on the federal agency's enforcement of civil immigration laws, including those that allow for deportations. California law generally prohibits cooperation but makes exceptions for those convicted of certain violent crimes.

"We will not allow our local resources to be used for actions that separate families, harm community trust, or divert critical local resources away from addressing our most pressing challenges," said Nora Vargas, who joined two other

Democrats on the board of supervisors to approve the policy.

Shortly after, Sheriff Kelly Martinez said the board does not set set policy for the sheriff, who, like the supervisors, is an elected official. She said she wouldn't honor the new policy.

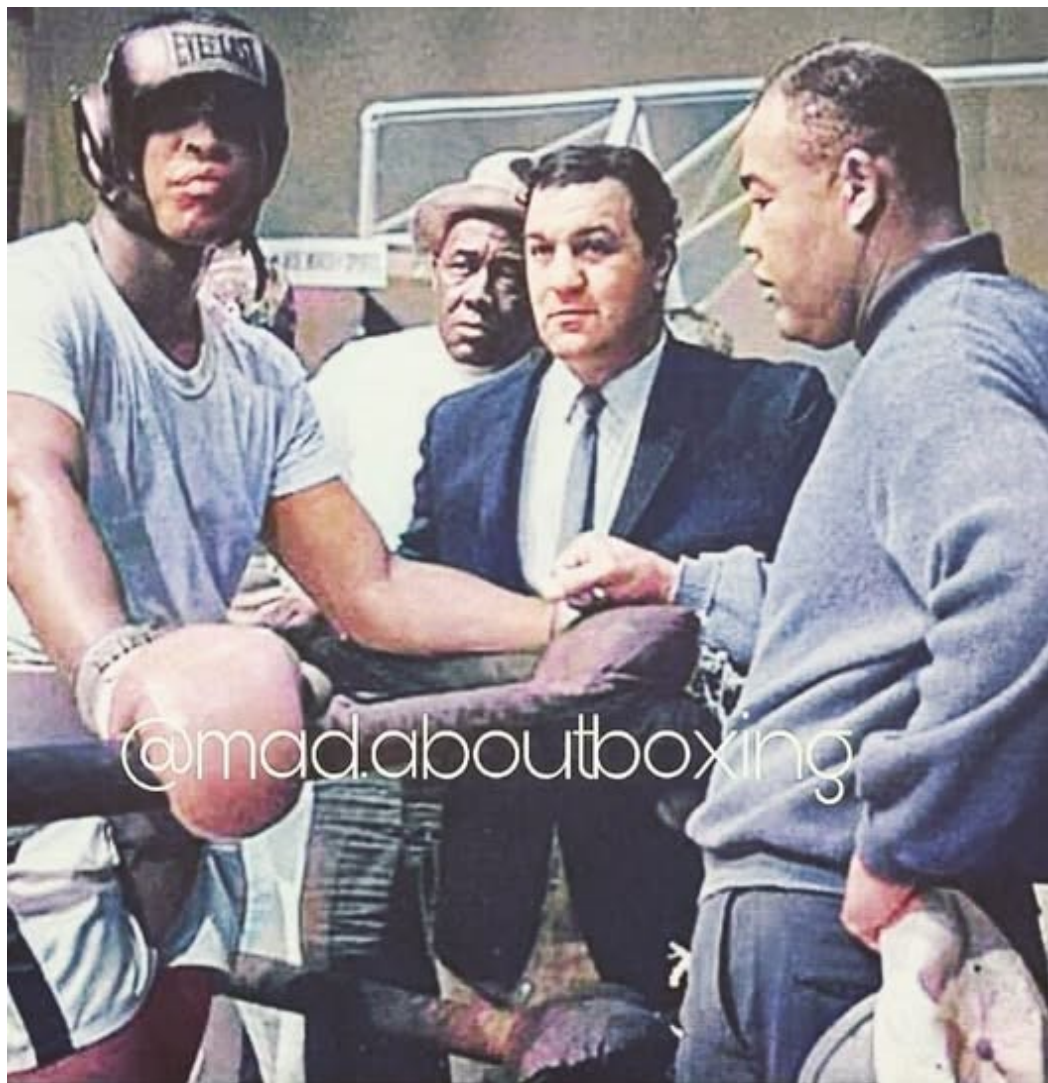
"Current state law strikes the right balance between limiting local law enforcement's cooperation with immigration authorities, ensuring public safety, and building community trust," said Martinez, whose office is nonpartisan but has identified as Democrat.

San Diego County, with 3.3 million residents and its location on the U.S. border with Mexico, is one of the more prominent local governments to ramp up protections for people in the country



illegally. At the same time, some states and counties are gearing up to support Trump's deportation efforts.

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🔴 Muhammad Ali, Rocky Marciano and Joe Louis...
Three former champions who held the world title and defended it on numerous occasions between them...Joe Louis made 25 successful defences of the title over a 12 year reign before a short lived retirement. Rocky Marciano would win the title and make 6 successful defences before hanging up his gloves permanently leaving an unblemished 49-0 record retiring undefeated. Cassius Clay would win the title from the much favoured Sonny Liston, he would shortly afterwards change his name to Muhammad Ali and would make 9 successful defences before refusing to participate in the Vietnam war, in turn Ali would be stripped and suspended from boxing. He would reclaim the titles and make another 10 defences before surprisingly losing to Leon Spinks. Ali would avenge the loss to Spinks in an immediate rematch reclaiming the WBA strap becoming the first man to have won the heavyweight championship three times.

Three different styles of fighter, three different men inside and out of the ring. Three champions all remembered for the careers left behind them long after the gloves were removed and hung up for the final time.

What to know about Linda McMahon, Trump's pick for Education secretary

WASHINGTON (AP) — Linda McMahon has been a constant presence in Donald Trump's tumultuous orbit, serving in his first administration and supporting his presidential campaigns. Now he's chosen her to serve as Education secretary.

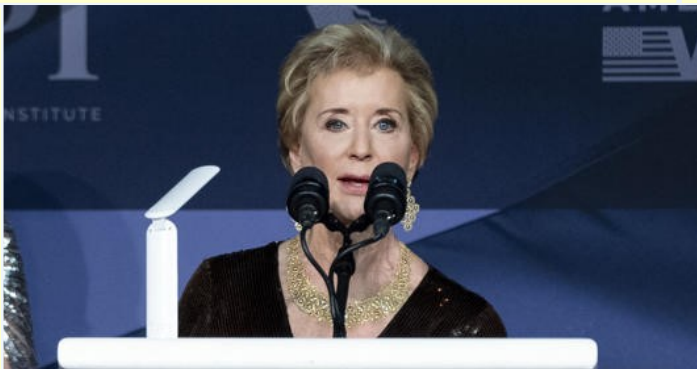
Here's a look at McMahon's background, from business to politics.

When McMahon was chosen, she was praised by Blumenthal and Murphy, the two Connecticut Democrats who defeated her in Senate campaigns. Blumenthal called her "a person of serious accomplishment and ability," while Murphy said she was a "talented and experienced businessperson."

Unlike other members of Trump's first administration, McMahon was not shadowed by scandal or controversy. She frequently promoted his trade and tax policies.

McMahon went from wrestling to politics. McMahon is married to Vince McMahon, whose father was a prominent professional wrestling promoter. They followed him into the business, founding their own company that's now known as World Wrestling Entertainment, or WWE. It became a juggernaut in the industry and American culture.

Once he takes office, perhaps McMahon's biggest task will be to eliminate the agency she was hired to oversee. Trump has promised to close the Education Department and return much of its powers to states. Trump has not explained how he would close the agency, which was created by Congress in 1979 and would likely require action from Congress to dismantle.



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FILE - Linda McMahon speaks during an America First Policy Institute gala at his Mar-a-Lago estate, Nov. 14, 2024, in Palm Beach, Fla. (AP Photo/Alex Brandon, File)

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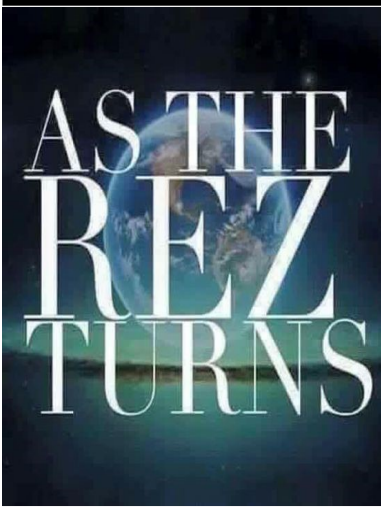
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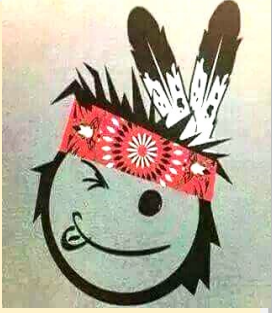
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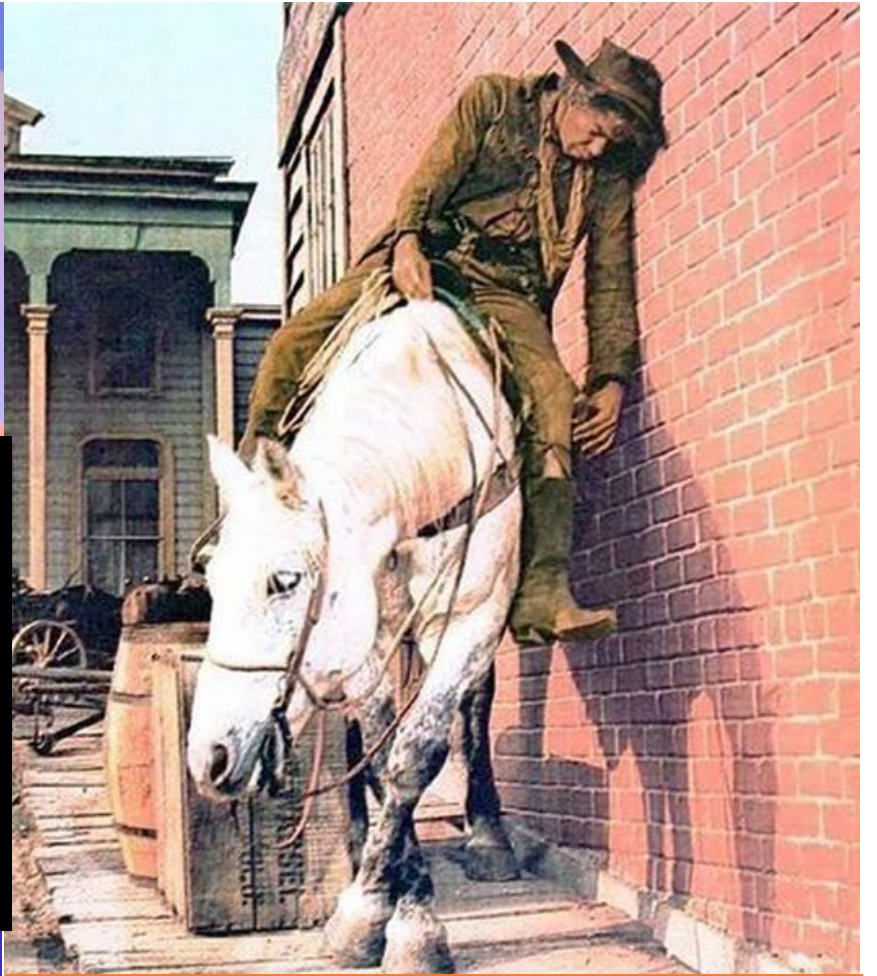
Laughter in the Best Medicine



POLITICALLY INCORRECT AND PROUD OF IT!

Will Rogers, (November 4, 1879 – August 15, 1935)
"America is just like an insane asylum. There is not a soul in it will admit they are crazy." Rogers was an enrolled member of the Cherokee Nation. Shayne's Journal # 4677 May 13, 2020

I don't need anything else for Christmas.
I got my gift on November 5th!



Actor Lee Marvin's horse in Cat Ballou Deserved an Oscar for this scene alone

I don't accept "science" from people who claim a man can be a woman.



COMMON SENSE IS LIKE DEODORANT. THE PEOPLE WHO NEED IT MOST NEVER USE IT.

I know this will make people mad, but I don't accept "science" from people who claim a man can be a woman.

Stop looking for intelligent life on Mars and start looking if there's any in Washington DC!!!

Ice cream then



raw milk
honey
organic vanilla
egg yolks

Ice cream now



pasteurized milk, canola oil, refined sugars, guar gum, carrageenan, fructose, natural flavors, xanthan gum



I'd like a burger.

Is vegan OK?

Is Monopoly money OK?



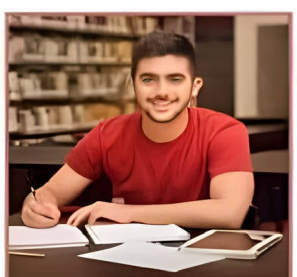
WE DON'T EAT EGGS, MEAT, FISH, DAIRY, OR GLUTEN. WHAT WOULD YOU RECOMMEND?

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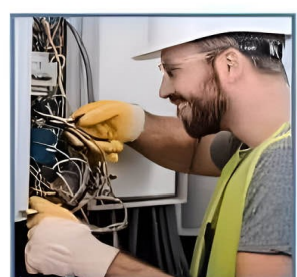
New Rule: If I order my food standing up, I am not tipping.

ADAM



- BACHELORS DEGREE IN PHILOSOPHY
- 100K STUDENT DEBT
- CAN'T FIND A PHILOSOPHY JOB
- BELIEVES PEOPLE WITHOUT COLLEGE DEGREES ARE STUPID

CHRIS



- 4 YEAR PAID APPRENTICESHIP
- NO STUDENT DEBT
- EARNS 80K ANNUALLY
- DISCONNECTED ADAM'S ELECTRICITY

It is only a short trip. Enjoy it



ANIMAL PROTEIN > PLANT PROTEIN

To get 30g of protein, you can eat...



4oz Steak

~180 calories
0g carbs



3 cups of beans and rice

~730 calories
145g carbs

SORRY, IT'S JUST SCIENCE