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Letters to the Editor

Connecticut Crazies

As to your October 5 article about gun control ("Obama Ramping Up the Rhetoric on Gun Control"), my family and I lived in Connecticut and attended church in Sandy Hook when the heinous murders took place. The Connecticut/Newtown hearings were nothing more than a charade. As a Second Amendment supporter, I testified in Hartford only to have Senators Looney and Williams shamefully refuse to look at me when I addressed them, and Senator Coleman put his head down and went to sleep. The female Connecticut Capitol police officer pictured on page 18 of your magazine, while holding a bolt-closed rifle and with her finger on the trigger, pointed the firearm at the attendees on her left. The Second Amendment supporters instantly saw this breach of basic firearm safety and immediately called for her to point the gun in a safe direction. Senator Looney, the hearing's chair, failing to recognize a serious yet elementary point of safety, verbally lashed out at us and threatened to have us removed from the hearing. This is a prime example of government officials making laws on a subject that they know absolutely nothing about. Law-abiding Connecticut gun owners became villains, and were severely restricted and punished with new laws, while criminals became even more empowered by not being held accountable to existing laws.

Connecticut gun control laws were the last tyrannical straw. We were no longer free and decided to move from Connecticut.

We live in an era our Founding Fathers warned about. Molon Labe!

V/R, Lt. Col. John T. Coffindaffer, USAF (ret.), Combat Air Rescue Sent via e-mail

Understanding Being Broke

Well, it has finally happened. As Margaret Thatcher once proclaimed, "Eventually you run out of other people's money." Greece has run out of other people's money, as well as its own. The people of Greece are refusing to acknowledge that fact. They also seem to think they can continue without more austerity, and that other people will keep giving them even more money.

Does this not make you wonder how much longer we can continue using other people's money here in the United States? The situation in Greece has finally proven that a national debt really does matter.

Bill Hineser Arvada, Colorado

Police Abuse Comes Home

In 1993, there was a big case of police brutality in Waco, Texas, against a cult called the Branch Davidians. It was perpetrated by a federal agency (BATF), and all the cop-haters failed to complain about it. In fact, a New York congressman named Chuck Schumer took the lead in protecting the brutal policemen from being brought to justice. And then the people of New York promoted Schumer to senator in 1998. In my opinion, the people of New York City have no right at all to complain about police brutality.





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Barnum, Baily, and Trump

It seems that Donald Trump has trumped the headlines, and it is quite an example of media hype and power. Trump has managed to get himself to the top of the pile of Rinos by shooting his mouth off, saying unacceptable stuff, and ruffling the feathers of the other bozos. And because he has struck a cord with fed-up folks who don't much care how he says things, his lead remains. It is time to bring him down.

So his opponents are dragging out their best weapons and accusing him of making "racist" statements while his companies import workers. And no doubt they will find some other politically incorrect statements and detestable sins he's made against the establishment. Sins are only sins for some. What a circus it is.

A likely guess is that he might get his fill, use his money and power to jump ship to a third party, and give us Hil-lary. It's probably all part of the game, as it is doubtful Hillary could manage all her baggage into the White House on her own.

Joan Longjohn Sent via e-mail



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