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Quick Quotes

Support for Nuclear Power From a Surprising Source

"We're supposed to be adding zero-carbon sources, not subtracting."

Department of Energy Secretary Ernest Moniz and some other climate-change enthusiasts are rethinking the benefits of nuclear power as a solution to their worries about carbon dioxide and greenhouse gases.

Advice for College Students

"If you're a college student feeling the Bern, I hope you're wearing sunscreen because if Sanders wins, you and your kids will be paying for his cash burn for eternity."

Writing in the New York Times while Bernie Sanders was still a threat to Hillary Clinton, columnist Thomas Friedman warned about the financial cost of having an admitted socialist in the White House.

UN Peacekeepers Accused of Killing Those They Are Sent to Protect

"In their report, Human Rights Watch uncovered new evidence that Congolese soldiers killed more than a dozen people, including women and children, while serving as UN peacekeepers from December 2013 to June 2015."

Summarizing a recently released report about atrocities committed in the Republic of the Congo, journalist Dionne Searcy told of the misdeeds committed by UN forces.

Trump Targets Political Correctness

"The people are tired of political correctness especially when things are said that are totally fine. It's out of control. It's gridlock with their mouths."

Not backing away from statements others say are "racist" or "out of bounds," Donald Trump promises to wage a lively campaign for president.

No Charges Brought for Mother Whose Son Fell Into Gorilla Exhibit

"If anyone doesn't believe a three-year-old can scamper off very quickly, they've never had kids. Because they can. And they do."

Hamilton County (Ohio) prosecutor Joe Deters said the mother of the three-year-old had turned to attend to another of her four children and should not be prosecuted for negligence.

Conservative Ohioan Backs Away From His Anti-Trump Stance

"I have to eat crow because I did not expect Donald Trump to win the nomination. He may be crass and outspoken. But people need to bite their tongue, hold their nose, close their eyes, and support the nominee of the Republican Party."



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Conservative talk-radio host Tracey Winbush believes that forecasts of chaos during the GOP convention in Cleveland are unrealistic.

A Clinton Supporter Worries About Her E-mail Problems

"As usual with Hillary, she clearly feels the only problem was that people found out. It undercuts her claims that Trump is reckless when she can't fathom how reckless she was."

Writing in her column in the New York Times, Maureen Dowd fears that beating Trump in November isn't "going to be easy."

ACLU Leader Resigns After Her Daughters See Men in the Restroom

"I have shared my personal experience of having taken my elementary school age daughters into a women's restroom when three transgender young adults, over six feet tall and with deep voices, entered. My children were visibly frightened."

The director of the American Civil Liberties Union in Georgia, Maya Dillard Smith, abandoned her post because the ACLU supports legislation favored by the transgender lobby.

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