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QuickQuotes

Community Cancels Wind Turbines, Faces Financial Loss

"The town was warned. The damage can never be reversed for many of us wind turbine victims. Some of my friends have serious health issues now."

*Nine years after erecting the first of two wind turbines, the town of Falmouth, Massachusetts, has concluded that the project was a costly mistake. Local resident **Dave Moriarty** fought against the project from its inception, moved to a new residence to get away from the noise, and now finds friends with health issues brought on by the turbines. The town spent \$10 million to build the turbines and now must find \$2 million more to remove them.*

Soviet Spy Admitted Guilt After Denying It for 60 Years

"Yeah, yeah, yeah, call it that. I never thought of it in those terms."

*Convicted in a 1940s trial for supplying the Soviet Union with atomic weaponry secrets, **Morton Sobell** spent 18 years in prison, while his partners in the sensational crime, Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, were executed. He regularly insisted he was innocent of collaborating with the Rosenbergs. But in 2008, he reversed his claim while insisting that his activity wasn't treasonous. Death conquered him at age 101, in December 2018.*

Sexual Assaults at U.S. Military Academies Occur Regularly

"Our cadets and midshipmen must be role models if they're to lead the world's finest fighting force. This year's report demonstrates that there is more work to be done to meet this goal."

*A Defense Department survey of three military academies reported 747 assaults during the 2017-2018 academic year. Undersecretary of Defense **James Stewart** noted that the number of assaults had risen by 50 percent from the total noted in the previous year.*

Teens Propagandized About Global Warming

"To us, it is so self-evident that we can't keep on going in this direction. We come here with the right intentions to protest in peace and to raise awareness about climate change because we want to be on the right side of history."

*Tens of thousands of young people skipped school in Belgium in order to protest government inaction regarding the supposed environmental threat facing mankind. Teenage sisters **Axelle and Elisa Kiambi** spoke for thousands in Brussels while similar youth-led demonstrations were held in several Western European nations.*

Socialism Brought Venezuela to Its Knees

"Conspicuous by its absence in much of the mainstream news coverage of Venezuela's political crisis is the word 'socialism.' Yes, every sensible observer agrees that Latin America's once-richest country, sitting atop the world's largest proven oil reserves, is an economic basket case, and a dictatorship whose demise cannot come soon enough. Just don't mention the S-word."



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New York Times columnist **Bret Stephens** rightly blames socialism for Venezuela's economic and political catastrophe.

Pelosi's Guest at State of Union Speech Is a Leading Abortion Provider

"As an immigrant, a mother, a doctor and the President of Planned Parenthood Federation of America, I am honored to attend the State of the Union address as the guest of Speaker Pelosi."

Dr. Leana Wen leads the organization that performs more abortions than any other group in the United States. The grisly work she oversees receives more than half a million dollars annually from the federal government.

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