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A democracy is nothing more than mob rule, where fifty-one percent of the people may take away the rights of the other forty-nine. – *Thomas Jefferson.*

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Lenin Helen's Police State Proceeds Apace

By Lindsay Perigo

A Christchurch man looking out for the best interests of his toddlers must be wondering if he's Patrick McGoochan, of *The Prisoner* fame, trapped in The Village.

This, in the wake of the following story in *The Press* recently:



A Christchurch father is fuming after he received a police warning for hitting a child after he flicked his son's ear in public as a reprimand. Professional musician Jimmy Mason flicked the ear of his son, Seth, at the Bridge of Remembrance just before Christmas after the three-year-old disobeyed his instructions while riding his new bike. The toddler took off down a ramp and was followed by his brother, Zach, two, who was also on a new bike. Seth made the tight corner but Zach did not, and injured his eye. "Seth just wanted to go on riding. He didn't realise the seriousness of it with the youngest one slipping in and out of consciousness," Mason said. "So I turned to Seth and flicked him on the ear and told him to shut up while we fixed up the young one," Mason said. A nearby teacher took umbrage, an off-duty policewoman rang the incident in and in minutes later Mason was surrounded by six police officers. "They were going to arrest me and were trying to ascertain whether it was safe for the kids to go home with me," he said. "It was pretty bizarre to tell you the truth."

This is the nationalisation of parents and children opponents of the Bradford anti-smacking bill warned about. Things have come to a pretty pass when you can't do what Mr. Mason did without a swarm of police officers being all over you within a matter of minutes. Adding to this disgrace is that if you report a burglary, a real crime, you won't see a single police officer for weeks, if ever. Such travesties are to be expected in a country where it is now possible to be jailed for expressing an opinion.

The fascist filth that occupies the 9th floor of the Beehive must be removed post haste.

Spate of NZ Murders = Backfire of Collectivism

By Callum McPetrie

No one in New Zealand is pleased with the recent spate of murders across the country recently, with 10 so far in this month. Even less encouraging is the age group of most murderers and their victims.

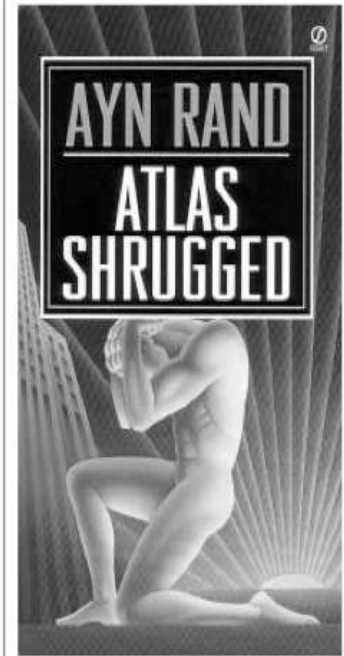
Take the recent murder of 22-year-old Krishna Naidu in a dairy in south Auckland. That was com-

mitted by a 16-year-old, who stabbed and killed the dairy employee after producing a knife. He was tackled by a civilian after acting suspiciously after the murder, and had been arrested when the police arrived at the scene. 18-year-old Michael Hutching was found floating dead down the isolated Clutha River earlier this

month, in a mattress weighted down by wrought iron bars, but was stabbed before being thrown in the river. The accused murderers (a middle-aged couple) also face charges for raping a 15-year-old girl less than a fortnight before the time of the murder. ...

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The Environmentally-Conscious Individual's Guide to Reducing Your Carbon Footprint

By Lance Davey

1) Smoke cigarettes:

Smoking, though contributing 0.000032% of greenhouse gas emissions, is a sure fire way to reduce your carbon footprint. The diminished lung capacity of smokers means they are less greedy when converting oxygen to CO₂, using only what they need. The shortened life span of your average smoker means they can shave off years of carbon emissions altogether.

2) Drink heavily:

Booze production has a low carbon footprint. Packaging consists usually of only a recyclable glass bottle and paper label. A drunken stupor puts you in a low metabolic state similar to sleep. When combined with a smoker's diminished lung capacity, even less CO₂ is produced through selfish, unnecessary over-breathing and metabo-

lising. Drinking can also supplant the desire for food, further diminishing one's carbon footprint.



3) Give up exercise:

See above. Smoking and drinking lower your carbon footprint by shortening your life. Exercise increases your life span and increases your lung capacity. Don't do it—you'll kill polar bears.

4) Don't breed:

Natural, wholesome, sexual intercourse produces babies. Babies become walking carbon factories after upgrading from mere shit machines. SOLO recommends that instead of indulging in natural wholesome sexual intercourse; you indulge in the most depraved and unusual acts that you can imagine. This will sate your desires, but greatly reduce the chance of breeding, if you can come up with new and inventive places to put things.

5) Kill yourself:

But do it responsibly and in a carbon-neutral fashion. SOLO recommends you tie a hemp (must be hemp, no artificial fibre) rope around your neck, attach it to an anvil, sail under wind-power out to the Mariana Trench and throw yourself over the side.

Spate of NZ Murders = Backfire of Collectivism

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A 15-year-old was killed by a 50-year-old for tagging a fence in Manurewa, the same suburb of Auckland where the stabbing of Krishna Naidu took place, which was the suburb's second murder in two days.

Most shocking of all, a 14-year-old (!) - that's my age - has been accused of the murder of a 24-year-old man in Tokoroa two days ago. New Zealand's youngest murderer, who murdered a pizza deliverer when he was just 12 back in 2001, has had his parole delayed. Even so, he's only serving a seven-year jail sentence.

But surely, the 10 murders this month are hardly normal, and hardly representative of New Zealand life?

You may want to think again. We live in a PC, cotton-wool society where no one is ever responsible for his actions, good or bad. Murder someone? It's society's fault. Accomplish something? Society's responsible. This kind of collectivist philosophy, which provides a philosophical incentive to lie, cheat, steal and murder, is the result of

over 200 years of Kantian and Hegelian philosophy.

Back several decades ago, murders were a rarity in New Zealand, and everywhere. If you committed a murder, you were given a long jail sentence without parole, and you did the time right through. It was your fault; you paid. These days, if you murder, you're back out on the street within a few years, and the jails are full of people doing time for victimless crime - all the while, making NZ all the more dangerous.

A perfect example of exactly how far this is entrenched in New Zealand society are the recent absurdities surrounding Grahame Burton. Arrested for murder in the early 90s and thrown into jail, he terrorized prisoners and guards who were too terrified to speak up, and had a successful parole hearing in 2006. The result was the death of a man and the injury of two others above the hills of Lower Hutt.

Now, he's rightfully on trial again. But here's the story: the

investigation into the murder makes a costly legal mistake, wasting \$18,000 dollars in legal fees. So who pays the bills? The murderer? Hell no! Instead, the wife of the murdered man has to pick up the cost, adding to the terrible distress she will undoubtedly be feeling.

So how does a society operate on these premises? You're seeing it in New Zealand. A society of crime is the natural result of a society that philosophically treats murder indifferently, the initiation of force as morally equivalent to retaliatory force. Logically, a society with this underlying amoral, collectivist philosophy will lead to lack of self-esteem, self-responsibility and mutual respect among its participants. And this leads to crime and murder. After all, how can a man with no respect for himself and his achievements possibly have respect for *others* and *their* achievements?

Please Help Protect Ayaan Hirsi Ali

Despite being ostracized by her family, Hirsi Ali decided to seek asylum in the Netherlands and eventually gained Dutch citizenship. She attended university and immersed herself in the ideas of the European Enlightenment. Working as a translator for other asylum seekers and immigrants, she discovered the problems of ethnic enclaves in European cities and began to question the compatibility of integration and Islamism. Upon earning a Master's degree in political science, Hirsi Ali became a researcher and in 2003, became a member of the Dutch Parliament, serving between 2003 and 2006. In 2004, film maker Theo van Gogh was murdered by a radical Islamist for collaborating with Hirsi Ali on her short film *Submission*, which explored the sanctioning of

violence against women in the Koran. In 2006 she left the Netherlands for the United States, where she is now a Research Fellow at the American Enterprise Institute.

Despite living under twenty-four hour personal security in constant threat for her life for saying what she does, Hirsi Ali's laughter is disarming. Even outlining the horrific depths of female subjugation in violent theocratic cultures, such as the Islam practiced in the Saudi Arabia of her youth, her ideas are positive. She is not damning Islam for the sake of being controversial or for book sales, as some critics have claimed, but because she believes that Muslims can achieve an enlightenment of ideas in much less time than it took the West. In her opinion, there are only four generations between her

grandmother's 'iron age' upbringing in Somalia and her own future children's advent into modernity; her children won't need to invent electricity, only to learn to flick the switch. Ayaan Hirsi Ali is one of a handful of female 'troublemakers' struggling to open Muslim minds to the lessons of liberalism.

Ayaan Hirsi Ali is the most prominent advocate of free speech and women's rights in the Muslim world, and for this she must live under perpetual armed guard, even in the West. Unfortunately, on October 1st of this year, the Dutch government officially rescinded its promise to protect her. Now, Ayaan Hirsi Ali's friends, colleagues and admirers must come to her aid

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Greens' Hypocrisy Exposed

By Lance Davey

First, let me apologise for the redundant headline; there's no real exposition here. The Red-Green Party's hypocrisy is a well-established fact. But even I had to flush the coffee from my nasal sinuses and wipe down my monitor this afternoon after reading the latest presser from the eco-communist Red-Greens. Usually the first to tout endless negotiations and appeasement when matters of our own or our allies' national defence are on the line, the Red-Greens are calling upon the New Zealand government to immediately send armed warships to Antarctica, apparently to intimidate the crew of a Japanese whaling vessel—who were acting in self-defence when they detained two militant whaling protesters whom even the radical Greenpeace have explicitly distanced themselves from.

The group in question are known as Sea Shepherd. They were not there

protesting with banners or placing themselves between the whaling vessel and the whales. No, Sea Shepherd were there initiating force, and endangering human life and limb. The two detained men forcibly boarded the Japanese whaling vessel, the *Yushin Maru*, after attempting to entangle the propellers of the vessel using ropes, and throwing bottles of acid onto the decks. Frankly they were lucky not to be shot or harpooned on sight. A captain of a vessel, especially in a notoriously dangerous environment, would have every moral right to use lethal force to ensure the safety of himself, his crew and his vessel. The captain of the *Yushin Maru* showed compassion and restraint in merely detaining the men.

Greens spokesthing Metiria Turei says, "The latest events in Antarctica are unprecedented and may well escalate to a situation where lives are put in

direct danger." What the breathlessly arrogant woman is failing to recognise is that lives *were* in danger! The lives of the crew of the Japanese vessel. But now, with the detention of the two eco-terrorists from Sea Shepherd, those lives are safe (provided the terrorists are kept under close guard). At any rate, what pray tell does she think sending an armed New Zealand warship to "observe" would do to de-escalate the situation? Bloodthirsty hypocrisy of the highest degree.

The fact is that the victims here were the crew of the *Yushin Maru*—they were attacked and boarded by extremists with less regard for human life than animal. And yet the captain and crew of the *Yushin Maru* acted compassionately and with regard for even the lowest forms of human life.

If we're to send frigates to Antarctica, it should be to help the Japanese fend off pirates and terrorists.



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John Key—The Speech He Ought To Be Giving

By Lindsay Perigo

My fellow-New Zealanders,

This past weekend came news that a mother had been reported by her child's school for smacking that child on the hand. It was revealed also that the same mother had earlier been reported to the police for smacking her child on the bottom.

It was my own gutless, appeasing opportunism that allowed the anti-smacking bill to pass into law. I said at the time that if it turned out that the new rules effectively banned light smacking and criminalised the parents, as denied at the time by Sue Bradford and Helen Clark, I would commit my party to overturning it. I make that commitment now. National will reinstate Section 59 of the Crimes Act, allowing parents the right to use "reasonable force" in disciplining their children. Further, in light of the mayhem in our schools, where pupils are routinely terrorising teachers, that provision will extend to those acting in loco parentis.

Real child abuse, including murders, has continued unabated since the passing of Bradford's bill. Real child abuse results when the likes of Bradford and Clark bribe voters unfit to breed to do precisely that—to breed children they don't want because doing so gives them a meal-ticket, involuntarily purchased by you, the honest, hardworking taxpayer. Confronted by children they don't want, the bribees abuse and kill them.

National will stop paying people to breed, and unashamedly rescue and adopt out children who are currently unwanted by defaulting parents.

More broadly, I commit National to setting a better example. Government under Labour has become synonymous with grand larceny. It is so grotesquely obese from its over-eating at the trough of the productive that it may well explode, Mr. Creosote-like, from its bloat.

National will refund the budget surplus to the people whose money it is. At present

levels, this would amount to a \$1000 refund to every taxpayer.

National will also abolish GST. Currently, this compulsory add-on to the price of everything yields about as much revenue as the surplus, so the "synergy" here is perfect. In one fell swoop government can dramatically reduce its bloat, eliminate a major bureaucratic tumour from our tax system and effect dramatic cost-of-living relief, especially for those whom Labour professes to be concerned about—those on low and fixed incomes.

These simple but radical measures, of course, would be merely the start of a new beginning, the first audacious steps in the march toward the free society for which National has always claimed to stand but never really did. I commit my party to renouncing its delinquency and embracing the vision of government proclaimed by Thomas Jefferson:

"A wise and frugal government, which shall leave men free to regulate their own pursuits of industry and improvement, and shall not take from the mouth of labor and bread it has earned - this is the sum of good government."

What is clear is that more Clark-Cullenism is more communism by stealth, of the type advocated by their philosophical parent, Antonio Gramsci. Gramsci's blueprint for the quiet takeover of all major public institutions (especially schools and universities) by totalitarian leftist ideologues spouting seemingly innocuous weasel-words has already come to pass, and it remains only for the body politic to succumb overtly to full-blown tyranny. The Electoral Finance Bill, which National will also repudiate, is one huge nail Clark and Cullen are deliberately hammering into freedom's coffin. National's vision specifically upholds "individual freedom and choice" and "personal responsibility."

What I'm here to tell you today is that we now mean it.

Please Help Protect Ayaan Hirsi Ali

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The money raised by the Ayaan Hirsi Ali Security Trust will pay Ayaan Hirsi Ali's security expenses. In the event that money remains after these costs have been met, it will be used to encourage and protect other dissidents in the Muslim world.

The ongoing protection of Ayaan Hirsi Ali is a moral obligation. It is also a strategic one: for here is a woman doing work that most of us cannot do—indeed, would be terrified to do if given the chance--and

yet this work is essential for preserving the freedoms we take for granted in the West.

If every reader of this article simply pledged ten dollars a month to protect Ayaan Hirsi Ali, the costs of her security would be covered for as long as the threat to her life remains.

The Ayaan Hirsi Ali Security Trust can be found at http://www.samharris.org/site/security_trust/.

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