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"If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything."

Mark Twain

David vs. Goliath

The People of America vs. the Government

"If you love your country, you will betray it."

line from a movie

Accountability vs. Immunity

As our founders way back in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries left family, friends, jobs and their way of life in obedience to God, and came to "the Promised Land" to found a country free of tyranny, followed by brave men who shed their blood to obtain our freedom from English tyranny — to the men who bravely put on paper guidelines (called our Constitution) to keep us from tyranny, little did they ever dream that the year 2001 would see the country they gave their all to establish, our beloved America, under worse tyranny now than any of the tyranny they so bravely shed their blood to obliterate. Sad to say, the apathy now is more pronounced than then. Is it because we are using spiritual tools now and the former was a physical battle??

Did you ever dream "the land of the free and the home of the brave" would have a government that is hell bent on destroying the working force that is the life blood of the nation??? Who needs Russia as an enemy?? God removed our scapegoat so we would have to look at our own evil. All government workers, no matter how good the intentions, are part and parcel of the cancer that is subtly eroding away all that made America a great nation.

Can you see the deceit behind Bush's "giving" a pittance of tax money to us peons over ten years—as if he is doing us a favor?? I wonder how many people he is hiring to accomplish this little task that will make him look like a savior. Why does he not call off the dogs and abolish the income tax if he really wants to help free the people from a tyranny worse than Hitler?

Will we see a civil war once more whilst yet the blood of the dead from the last civil war is still crying from the ground to be avenged?

Recently we have had our newspaper returned to us by several people who say they are not interested in our court battle. My answer to that type of thinking is, "You damn better be interested in what our government is doing to our country."

Germany had its head in the sand until it was too late and then the whole world had to suffer for their apathy. I say, "Shame on anyone who is 'fiddling while America burns'."

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Now to update you on the current civil war raging between the, get this, ORANGE COUNTY HEALTH CARE AGENCY. They call it "health care". The people representing this agency that I have met are interested in only one thing and that is harassing the people, badgering them into obeying codes made by people who have never had a business, kept a clean house or could give a hoot about the health of anyone, including their own.

Let me quote a little of the attorney's memorandum sent to us. Remember, we are small like David, trying to free Orange County restaurants from unreasonable



codes that have nothing to do with "health care" — codes that the people had no say in making.

Please remember, we, the taxpayers, pay the salary of the attorneys that are used against us. So we not only pay our own attorney fees but you and I also pay the criminals', Newe and Freeman, attorney's fees.

To show you how impossible it is to get a case into court, let me quote from the memorandum received from the criminals' counsel.

"Such attempts [the ordinary citizens' attempts] to allege causes of action are also barred by governmental immunities."

"Plaintiff's second cause of action alleged violation of civil rights in subject to demur on the basis that defendant Newe and Freeman are immune from Plaintiff's allegations due to the fact that defendant's employees were conducting discretionary inspection of Piecemakers facilities".

Now let me tell you in simple language what that is really saying. It is saying that if the OCHCA decides it is O.K. to burn in an oven the people they are given jurisdiction over for inspections, then the ones carrying out their duties are immune from any lawsuit. Does that sound extreme to you??? Hitler did not start his little plan except by subtle ploys, exactly like what is being done by our government.

They have the nerve to call us "paranoid". I would like to see the one who wrote that sentence in our memorandum have a gun held to his head while the other hand is stealing his business and we would find out if he is "paranoid". We ask people if we can use their names when they tell us their horror stories and the answer is, "I am too afraid". Or, "I would rather close our candy counter than keep up the hassle."

Another quote: "Such attempts to allege causes of action are also barred by governmental immunities."

Now, let me ask you a question. Are you immune from any lawsuits that may happen your way?? Why are government workers protected when committing criminal acts?

Let me explain what I understand about immunity. The OCHCA, because it supposedly is the employer is held responsible for its employees. Is not the one who pays the salary the employer?? Being as we, the taxpayers are the employer, then we have a say in what our employee does and in fact whether or not immunity is granted.

Just another shocker!!!! There are 48 deputies, two counsel assistants and one counselor — all getting salaries above average listed on the OCHCA stationery.

Add that to the hired snoops who go around like the KGB seeing if we are all obeying the gestapo rules and you have a picture of a dictatorship society at work.

If America is, indeed, the country we profess to be, then it is time we rid ourselves of all the government as we know it and start over.

Hull's Haven

TO THE ORANGE COUNTY REGISTER, LA TIMES, AND DAILY PILOT:



The advent of forty hours of "community service" to qualify for a HS diploma in the Newport Mesa schools, tells us that the Social Reformers are still running the government schools; not the educators.

This coerced "volunteerism" is Orwellian in the extreme, where slavery is freedom and death is life.

The government schools are having major difficulty in teaching kids to read and write. Yet they continue to pile on still more activities for the kids. Perhaps the Social Reformers confuse "working one's self into a frazzle" with "education". Or they think teenagers will learn "voluntary" behavior from enforced "slavery".

There's something even more sinister going on here than the mere attempt to confuse parents with sound and fury. If your kid learns to accept enforced "volunteerism", he won't resist later on when the IRS steals his money, or the draft board sends him to risk his life for a corrupt president's foreign policy.

The schools are where the Socialists change society and they change it by weaning our kids away from parents. Teaching the kids to distrust parents but trust the police and schoolteachers. (DARE program)

How many Newport Mesa parents have ever stopped to ask themselves, "Why and how did the government get in charge of the schools?"

The purpose, dear reader, is to create the perfect society. A society in which the sheeple know their place and don't try to climb out of the gutter the Social Reformers have dug for them. And certainly, don't try to gain political power and overthrow the existing power structure.

The government schools were created to mold a pliable and compliant populace that would revere its political rulers and obey their laws. And for doing so, the "good citizen" gets FREE SCHOOLING, FREE HEALTH CARE, FREE HOUSING AND WELFARE ASSISTANCE, FREE SCHOOL LUNCHES, and FREE CONDOMS. Why, some compassionate and caring bureaucrat will be right behind you, your life long, to cushion the blows of reality and rescue you from your own folly.

New School Prayer

The prayer/poem below was written by a teen in Bagdad, Arizona.

*Now I sit me down in school
Here praying is against the rule
For this great nation under God
Finds mention of Him very odd.*

*If Scripture now the class recites
It violates the Bill of Rights
and anytime my head I bow
Becomes a Federal matter now.*

*Our hair can be purple, orange or green,
That's no offense; it's a freedom scene.
The law is specific, the law is precise.
Prayers spoken aloud are a serious vice.*

*For praying in a public hall
Might offend someone with no faith at all.
In silence alone we must meditate,
God's name is prohibited by the state.*

*We're allowed to curse and dress like freaks,
And pierce our noses, tongues and cheeks.
They've outlawed guns, but FIRST the Bible.
To quote the Good Book makes me liable.*

*We can elect a pregnant Senior Queen,
And the "unwed daddy", our senior King.
It's inappropriate to teach right from wrong,
We're taught that such judgments do not belong.*

*We get free condoms and birth controls,
Study witchcraft, vampires and totem poles. but
the Ten Commandments are not allowed,
No word of God must reach this crowd.*

*It's scary here I must confess
When chaos reigns the school's a mess.
So, Lord, this silent plea I make:
Should I be shot; My soul please take!*

Amen

All of these things are in the Communist Manifesto and part of the Socialist agenda for taking over America. How are they doing? Eight of the ten planks in the Communist Manifesto are "law" in America today. This subversion was made possible by government ownership and management of the schools, with money taken by force from unaware taxpayers.

We are paying for our own destruction. And sacrificing our kids on the altar of collectivism.

It's time for a complete separation of schools from the state, an end to its forced funding mechanism and a restoration of FREEDOM in education upon which this nation was founded.

Forced "volunteerism" is slavery.

TO THE ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, ORANGE COUNTY REGISTER, LA TIMES, AND DAILY PILOT: In response to an ad placed by the county government in the main news section of the OC Register, Wednesday, March 14, 2001:

Is this ad PAID FOR by the Orange County government? Or did you get the space FREE contributed by the Register? If it is PAID for, I suggest you CEASE AND DESIST this kind of propaganda IMMEDIATELY. As one of the victims of your institution, I resent to high heaven, having my brains washed with the money you steal from me.

If you got this space FREE, I resent to high heaven, having my brains washed with the money you steal from me.

This ad is Big Brother in print. Four state-sponsored muggers, 3 of them armed, trying to appear friendly and benign — looks exactly like the propaganda posters I used to see in East Germany back in the 1970's, when the Soviets were trying to persuade the East Germans that the Russian bear had no teeth.

The American Police State is no different from any other. It is subjugation to the political elites' view of the perfect society. And no quantity of smiling faces by the oppressors can obscure the fact that their true agenda is RULE. This stuff should be ended and our money returned to us.

TO GET MORE SPECIFIC about some points made in your ad:

"Drugs": Why is it YOUR business to determine the medications that people use, either at their own initiative or by prescription from a doctor? For one thing, Proposition 215 was passed FOUR YEARS AGO in this state, so that MEDICAL MARIJUANA IS ALREADY LEGAL. Are you continuing to use police state interference with the decisions of peaceful people in this regard?

"Abandoned Vehicles" is one of those ideas that sounds good, but in reality, it's just a scheme to allow you to steal other people's cars because the definition of "abandoned" is YOURS, not the OWNER'S.

"Dilapidated Buildings" wouldn't be dilapidated if property owners weren't subject to such high taxes and onerous regulations that serve primarily to appease the egos and lust for power of the Regulatory State.

"Teenage gangs": I remember in my childhood in the Midwest, hearing Dagnet radio programs themed with the "teenage gang" problem in Southern California. It is nearly 50 years later, and the gangs are just as prevalent and dangerous as then. You people don't have a clue about what to do with the gangs. And I suspect you don't really want one, because it might end your cushy programs and some welfarecrats and police-state interventionists might have to find gainful employment.

And as far as "family friendly neighborhoods" is concerned, we are already friendly with the families in our neighborhood that we WANT to be friends with — we don't need the government to facilitate our friendships.

In fact, I question the entire rationale for a government in Orange County at all. Virtually every square inch of this county is governed by some CITY, so your "county" rules are just an overlay of MORE GOVERNMENT. And your welfare is largely a duplication of efforts being done by OTHER governments and PRIVATE charities. So you are **stealing money from innocent people to fund programs that are already being run by OTHERS.**

THERE IS NO RATIONAL REASON FOR AN ORANGE COUNTY GOVERNMENT TO EXIST.

Whether you are aware of it or not, your NET-Neighborhood Enhancement Team is the same old concept that the Communists call Block Captains.

Every neighborhood has an official government "spy" who runs around, "maintaining order", and insuring that the authorities know everything that's going on. Apparently, Communism has now come to Orange County.

A final suggestion: if you REALLY want to improve society, you'd repeal the insane drug laws, and virtually all child labor laws and minimum wage laws, for starters. Teenagers could then get jobs at their market worth, and learn immediately the benefits of becoming PRODUCTIVE workers. There would be fewer "gangs", and no need for "after school programs". Low wage workers would be able to more quickly and easily earn their way into HIGHER wage jobs instead of be stuck on welfare OUTSIDE the work force. Our taxes would be lower, which would make homes cheaper to build and maintain.

The Orange County Government is the SAME as ALL governments: it is a PARSITE that lives off the rest of us, and something we can no longer afford. I recommend all of you drones quit your jobs today and find something in the PRODUCTIVE private sector. We are sick of supporting you.

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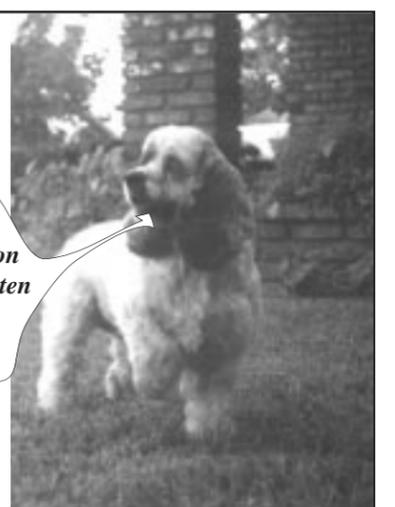
**The Chism Trail —
by Shivaun Chism**

Freckles Says



Hey Freckles, I'm sure glad my schooling was only what I had to learn. Any more and I'd have rebelled.

Yeah, Fang — God says, "Open the prison doors." Humans tighten prison doors. Poor kids.



IRS Church Seizure is a Tragedy for Religious Liberty

This is a reprint of Ron Paul's weekly column called "Texas Straight Talk".

February 13th marked a sad day for religious liberty in America, as the federal government took the unprecedented step of seizing a church to satisfy an alleged tax debt. Armed federal marshals forcibly removed parishioners and clergy from the Indianapolis Baptist Temple (IBT), bringing an end to years of legal challenges that ended with the Supreme court refusing to hear an IBT appeal.

Amazingly, the tax dispute arose not over a failure to pay income taxes per se, but rather over the failure of the IBT to follow tax withholding rules. The tax code forces all employers, including churches, to act as collection agents for the IRS by presumptively withholding a portion of every employee's paycheck for federal taxes. The IBT steadfastly has refused to withhold taxes from its employees, arguing that religious beliefs prevent it from acting as an agent for a secular government agency. Two important facts have been largely overlooked in the ensuing controversy. First, the IBT (unlike most churches) also refused tax benefits available to it through registration as a tax exempt religious organization. Second more than 60 present and former IBT employees successfully passed the IRS audits, meaning they paid in full taxes the IBT had not withheld. So the heart of the dispute really was about IBT's principled refusal to do the government's bidding. The real motivation behind the IRS seizure was not to satisfy a tax bill, but rather to set an example for any other churches that might dare to question their obligation to act as tax collectors.

The IBT tragedy is about religious liberty, not taxes. Churches should not be required to pay or withhold taxes any more than they should be given tax dollars from the government. The First amendment grants churches the absolute right to freely exercise their religious beliefs without interference from government. When tax laws force churches to act as collection agents for the IRS, this precious right is lost. The income tax represents the ultimate entanglement between churches and the government. When churches file income tax returns, the government becomes intimately familiar with their activities. Only those faiths deemed valid by IRS bureaucrats are rewarded with partial tax-exempt status. This entanglement chills true religious expression, because churches may alter their message to quell criticisms of government and avoid audits. When the government has the power to tax churches, it ultimately has the power to control them.

The state-loving media scarcely mentioned the IBT story, with brief articles predictably portraying the church as a fringe organization that avoided its taxes. This follows an established pattern of characterizing religious conservatives who protest the federal government as dangerous extremists, implicitly associated with militias and racists. Imagine the national media coverage, and resulting public outrage, if a minority church was seized over a refusal to pay taxes. Protesters supporting left-wing causes like abortion, affirmative action, environmentalism, feminism, AIDS, and animal rights, consistently are shown as courageous martyrs fighting for principle against an unfeeling society and government. Conservative protesters, however, are shown as sinister bigots who selfishly refuse to follow benign laws and politically correct social rules.

The IBT story has resounded with many Americans, however. A strong undercurrent of dissent has manifested itself below the mainstream media radar, on radio talk shows and websites. My office has received hundreds of angry letters, emails and phone calls denouncing the government's actions. People of all faiths understand that the threat to religious liberty affects all Americans. No society can remain free if it lacks strong institutions to challenge an overreaching government.

Restoring War Powers to Their Proper Place

A Texas lawmaker has introduced a measure in the House to "fulfill the intent of the framers of the Constitution" that only Congress — and not the president — has the power to commit U.S. military forces to battle.

The measure was introduced by Rep. Ron Paul, R-Texas, last Tuesday, and is called the "Constitutional War Powers Resolution of 2001", or H.J.R. 27. It currently has no co-sponsors. The bill, which has been referred to the House committees on Armed Services, Rules, and the Judiciary, seeks to "repeal the War Powers Resolution to fulfill the intent of the framers of the Constitution that Congress and not the President has the power to declare war, and for other purposes".

The War Powers Resolution was first passed in 1973, following eight years of war in Southeast Asia. At the time, U.S. forces were still involved in a conflict between communist North Vietnam and democratic South Vietnam without a formal declaration of war, though by then the administration of President Richard M. Nixon had begun a substantial withdrawal of U.S. forces. All U.S. forces were pulled out of Saigon, the capital of South Vietnam, in 1975, just hours before North Vietnamese forces invaded the city and collapsed the democratic regime. About 500,000 troops were "in-country" at the peak of the war, in 1968-69.

Before Vietnam, U.S. forces were committed to war against communist North Korea, from 1950 to 1953 — also without a formal declaration by Congress. About 58,000 troops were lost in each of those conflicts and many thousands are still thought to be missing in action. The last time Congress formally declared war was against Japan, Germany and Italy in 1941, the day after Japan bombed Pearl Harbor, December 7. The closest Congress came to formally declaring war in recent history was just prior to the start of operations against Iraq during the 1990-91 Gulf War, in response to Baghdad's invasion of Kuwait. But even then, Congress simply passed a resolution supporting President George H. W. Bush's deployment of U.S. forces to the Gulf; those forces were already being deployed by the time the resolution was offered.

Paul's bill would forbid a president from sending armed forces abroad into hostilities or imminent hostilities without a congressional declaration of war, unless the U.S. was attacked, said a statement released by the War and Law League, or WALL, a non-partisan, San Francisco based group opposed to presidential war-making authority. Also, Paul's bill would ban funds for "unlawful war activity and facilitate lawsuits to enjoin unlawful actions". And, according to the bill's language, if passed it would apply to "the deployment of elements of the Armed Forces before, on, or after the date of the

enactment of this joint resolution."

WALL, a three-year-old advocacy group, said Paul is looking for bipartisan co-sponsors for his measure.

The group claims that nearly 113,000 Americans "and millions of others abroad" have been killed in "wars started illegally by U.S. presidents of both parties since 1950." "Until President Truman began his three-year 'police action' in Korea without the authorization of Congress, nobody in government had ever suggested that a president had the legal right to initiate war," said information posted on WALL's website. "The Supreme Court has established that illegality does not become legal by its repetition."

U.S. forces in Korea fought under the command of the United Nations, but the action in Vietnam was not U.N.-related. The group says the U.S. Constitution clearly defines Congress as the sole authority for deciding when and where U.S. forces will wage war.

Paul said unconstitutional wars were the "gravest of crimes" after former President Bill Clinton ordered a 1998 attack against Iraq — an action critics suggest was launched to redirect attention away from his impeachment in the House for lying under oath about his relationship with former White House intern Monica Lewinsky.

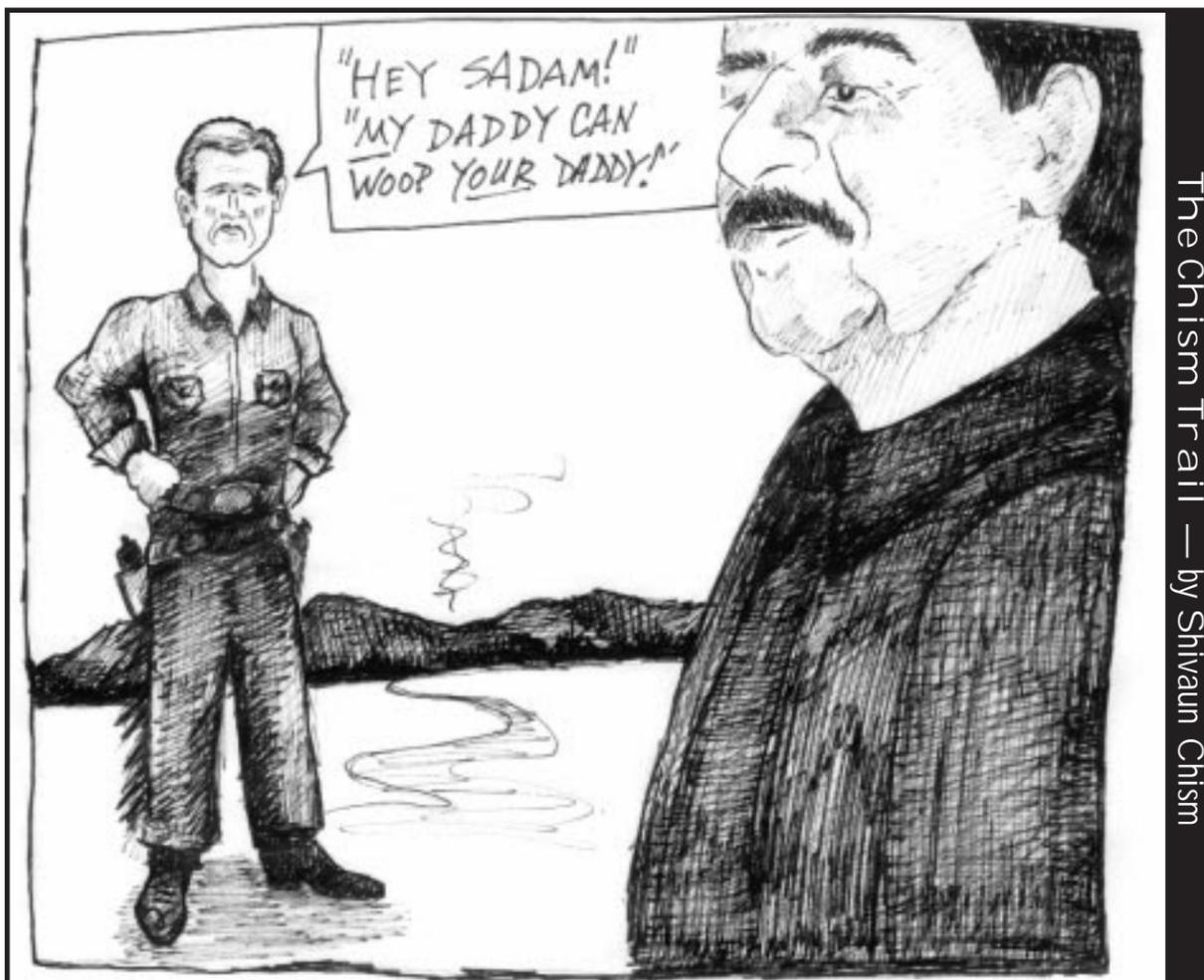
"It is commonly, but incorrectly assumed that a president has the authority to send troops into battle," Paul said. And until Congress reclaims its "sole authority over matters of war, more young men will die senseless deaths."

To support its position, WALL quoted one of America's earliest presidents, Thomas Jefferson, who said, "Congress alone is constitutionally invested with the power of changing our condition from peace to war. ..." Also, WALL said that another founder, Alexander Hamilton, noted in writings that a president is the nation's military commander-in-chief and is "nothing more than first General or Admiral" — and only after Congress formally declares war.

Moreover, in a 1798 letter to Jefferson, James Madison wrote, in support of Congress' sole war-making powers: "The Constitution supposes, what the History of all governments demonstrates, that the Executive is the branch of power most interested in war, and most prone to it. It has accordingly with studied care vested the question of war to the Legislature."

H.J.R. 27 is part of a four-bill "Constitutional Restoration Package" that Paul has introduced. The other bills would ban presidential use of executive orders to bypass congressional legislation; nullify any treaty that contradicts the Constitution; and would declare the U.S. "a constitutionally-limited republic".

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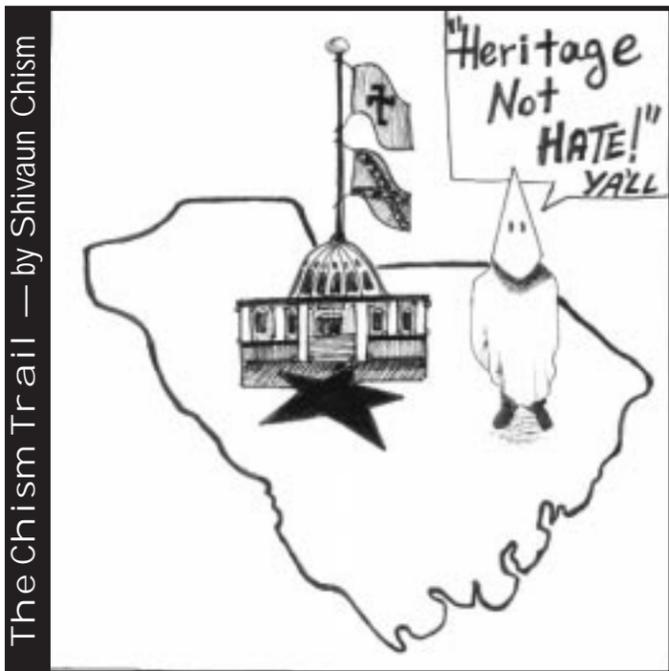
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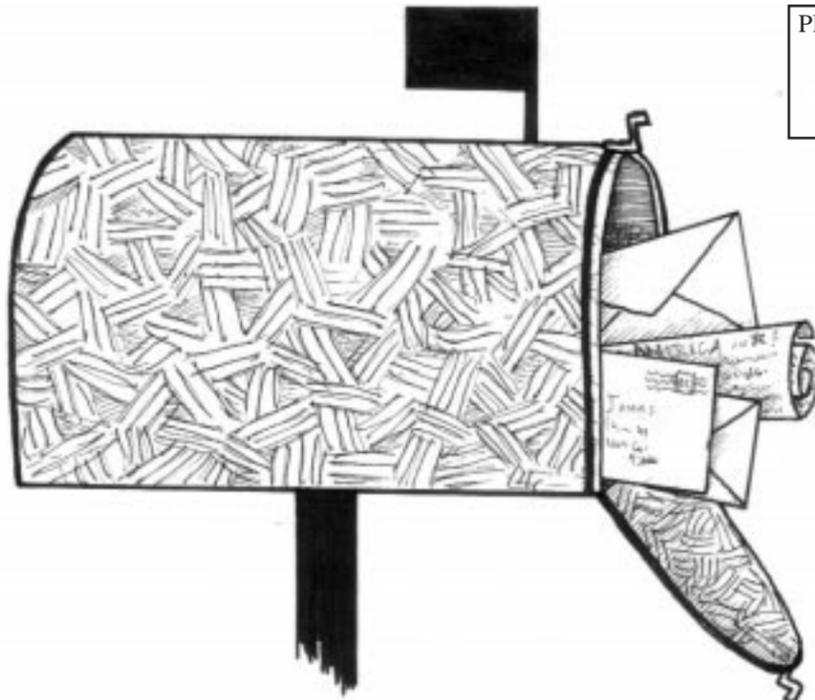
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