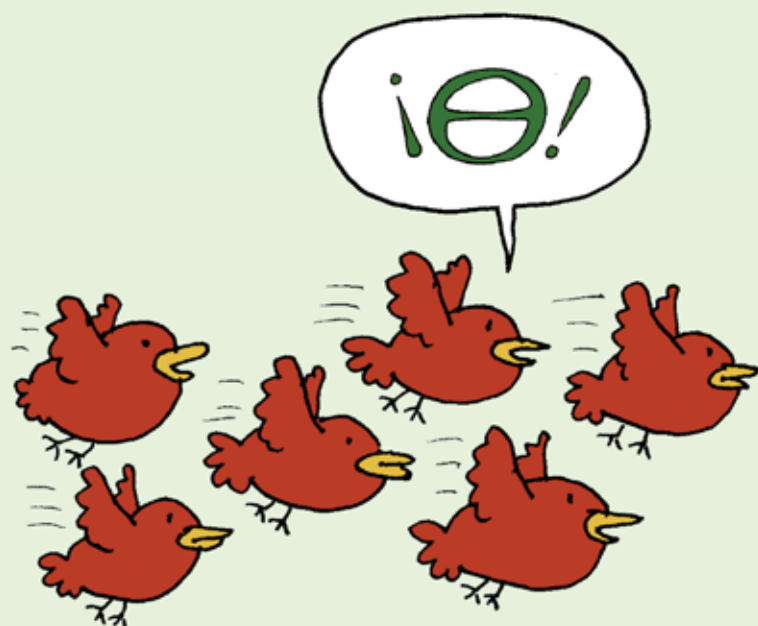


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# INTRODUCTION

A total ecological catastrophe is rapidly unfolding, which may soon threaten the ability of our planet to support life. This is an effect of global capitalism, which requires the unfettered and constantly expanding transformation of natural materials into commodities. Under capitalism, production isn't based on rationally meeting humanity's needs; its purpose is solely for the accumulation of wealth by a tiny minority of the population. The majority of people are exploited in the process, or kept in poverty as a reserve labor pool. Because a capitalist economy compels perpetual growth, no reforms or adjustments can make it sustainable.

Exposing capitalism's effects, such as global warming and pollution, is one crucial part of building a movement to transform society. That was my goal with these cartoons when I drew them during the years 2009-2012. Today there are ever-increasing numbers of people doing this, which is very encouraging. But if we are to find viable solutions, we must do more than describe symptoms and warn of dire consequences. We must get to the root of the problem: figure out how to end global capitalism and eliminate the class divisions that enable private wealth accumulation.

During the years since I drew these cartoons, I have come to understand more deeply that capitalism can only be destroyed by overturning the fundamental social relation underpinning it: the domination of the working class by the capitalist class. By collectively emancipating themselves from wage slavery, the international working class can lead a mass movement capable of defeating capitalism, and thereby open up a way forward for humanity as a whole.

Today there is a need to go beyond asserting that global warming is real or that pollution harms living beings. We can easily see and feel these horrifying facts. The only people who deny them do so because denial is in their economic interest. Profiteers will never change through persuasion. Only by all of us stepping up to build a broad mass movement, with workers in the lead, can we become strong enough to challenge, defeat and overthrow the class currently in power. Only then can we possibly end this omniscidal system and construct a truly sustainable and just way of life. The future of all species depends on it.

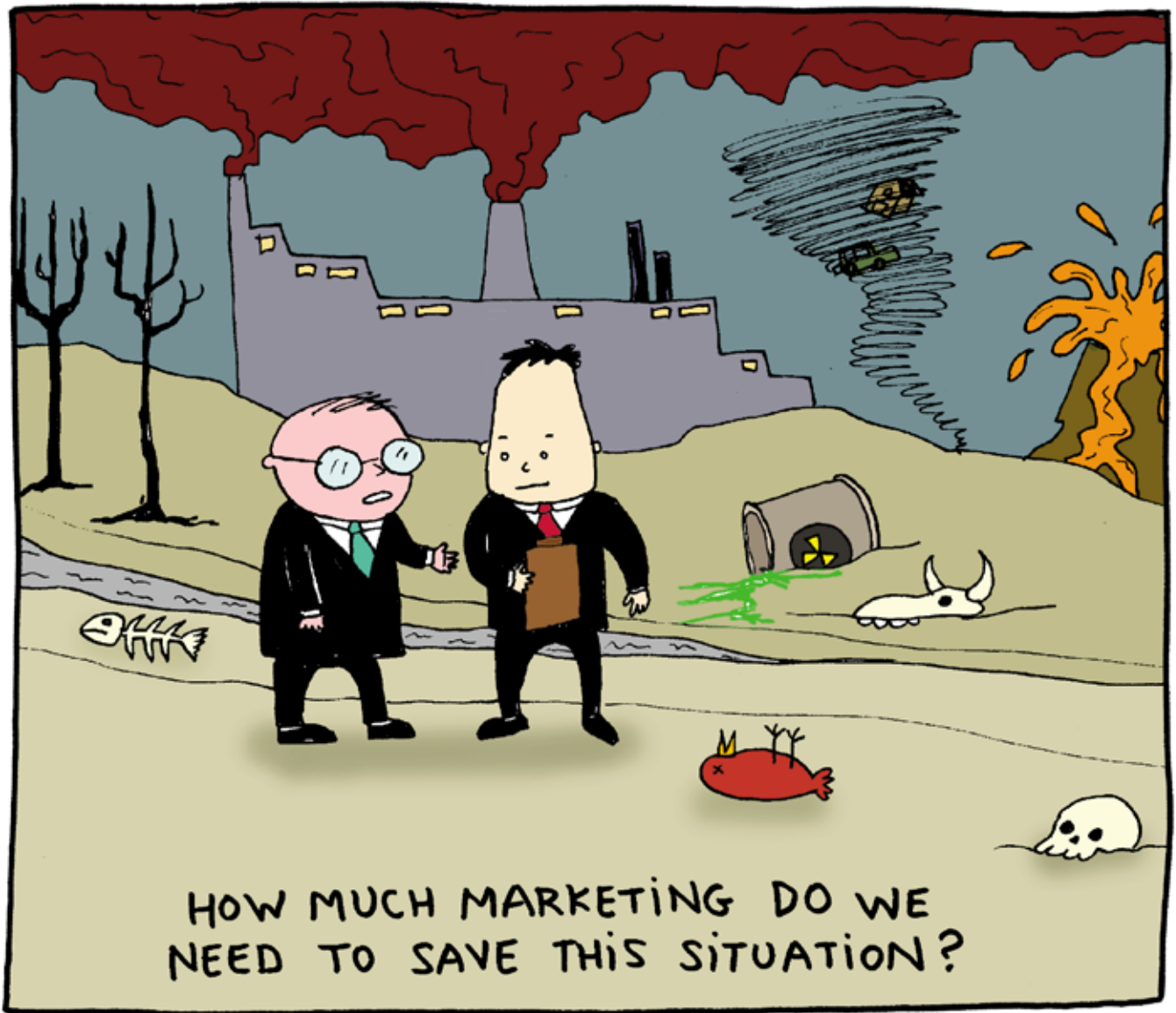
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January 1, 2017

The Secretary of the Interior noted that American children spend a daily average of only four minutes outside.

Outside what?

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INTELLIGENCE ANALYSTS PREDICT  
POSSIBLE MILITARY INTERVENTION  
IN RESPONSE TO CLIMATE CHANGE.



OIL COMPANIES ORGANIZE RALLIES AGAINST GOVERNMENT ATTEMPTS TO REGULATE CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSIONS.

What do we WANT?  
Droughts, floods, heat waves and mass extinctions!!

When do we want them?  
NOW!!



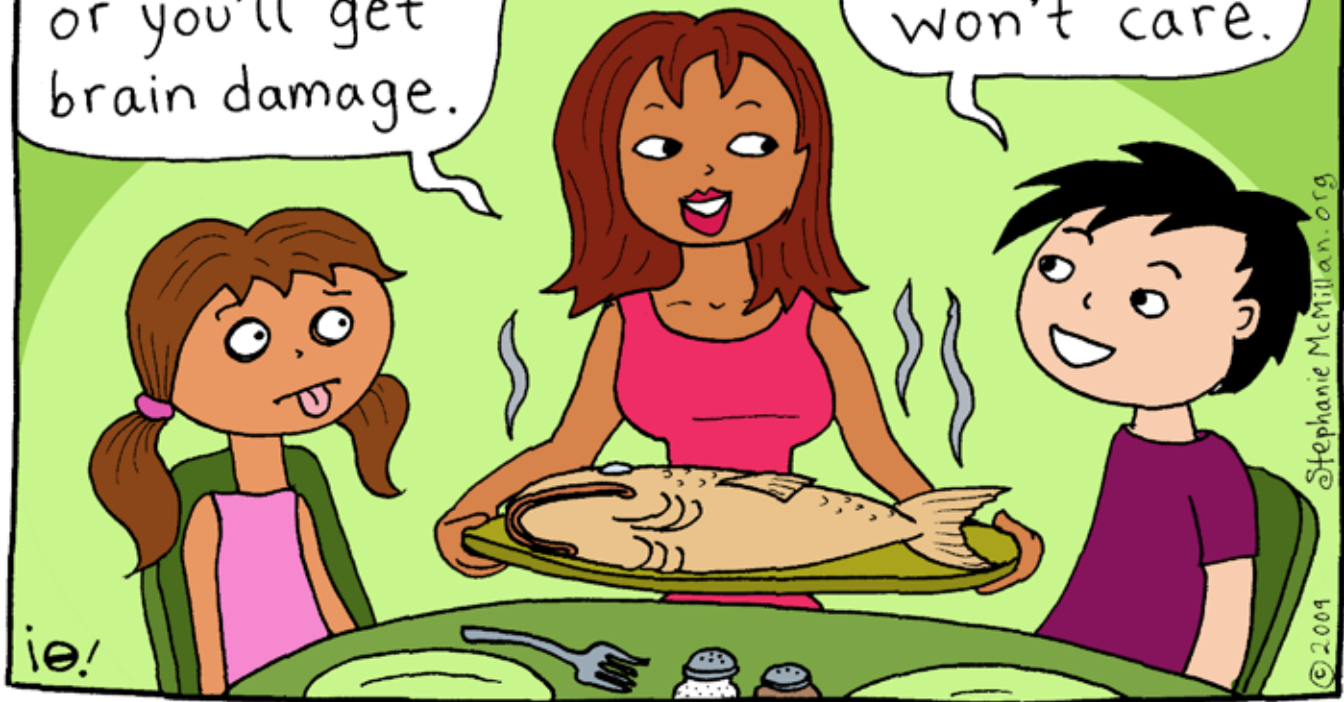




THE EPA TESTED FISH IN 291 STREAMS ALL OVER THE U.S. EVERY SINGLE FISH WAS POISONED WITH MERCURY.

Enjoy! Don't eat too much or you'll get brain damage.

If we eat ENOUGH, we won't care.





Eco-terrorists pushed over the towers of a sports radio station!

"Terrorists"? Was anyone terrified? Or harmed?

Hello ~ I missed part of the GAME!

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Daddy, do the polluters get sick from the water too?

Not yet, but I plan to discuss that with them over drinks.



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It is with extreme urgency that we pledge to propose nonspecific plans to stop global warming. We are committed to generating non-binding resolutions to demonstrate our grave concern.



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The indigenous way of life has worked for 200,000 years. You've trashed the planet in a tiny fraction of that.

Sure, but modern civilization also provides the solution: the Hoover WindTunnel S3639!



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CO<sub>2</sub> regulation  
would be BAD  
for business!

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See? Coal ash is JUST LIKE DIRT!  
(Aside from the lead, mercury,  
arsenic and selenium...)

Who needs bungee  
jumping? Have a  
near-death thrill  
at every meal!

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Today we demand 350 ppms of CO<sub>2</sub>.  
Next year we ask for 370. The year  
after that, we plead for 390. In  
2012, we beg them to please not  
turn the planet into Venus.

Thank you, Derrick!

MODERATE  
CHANGE!!  
SOMEDAY  
SOON!!!

SAVE  
THE  
PLANET

SAVE  
THE  
PLANET

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A recent poll reveals that the number of Americans who believe global warming is a threat has dropped 20%.

But... your head is on FIRE!!

Not a problem!

The hotter it gets, the less it affects me!

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The U.S. at Copenhagen suddenly feels the unfamiliar urge to share.

Look at this terrible mess!  
Let's all roll up our sleeves  
and clean it up!

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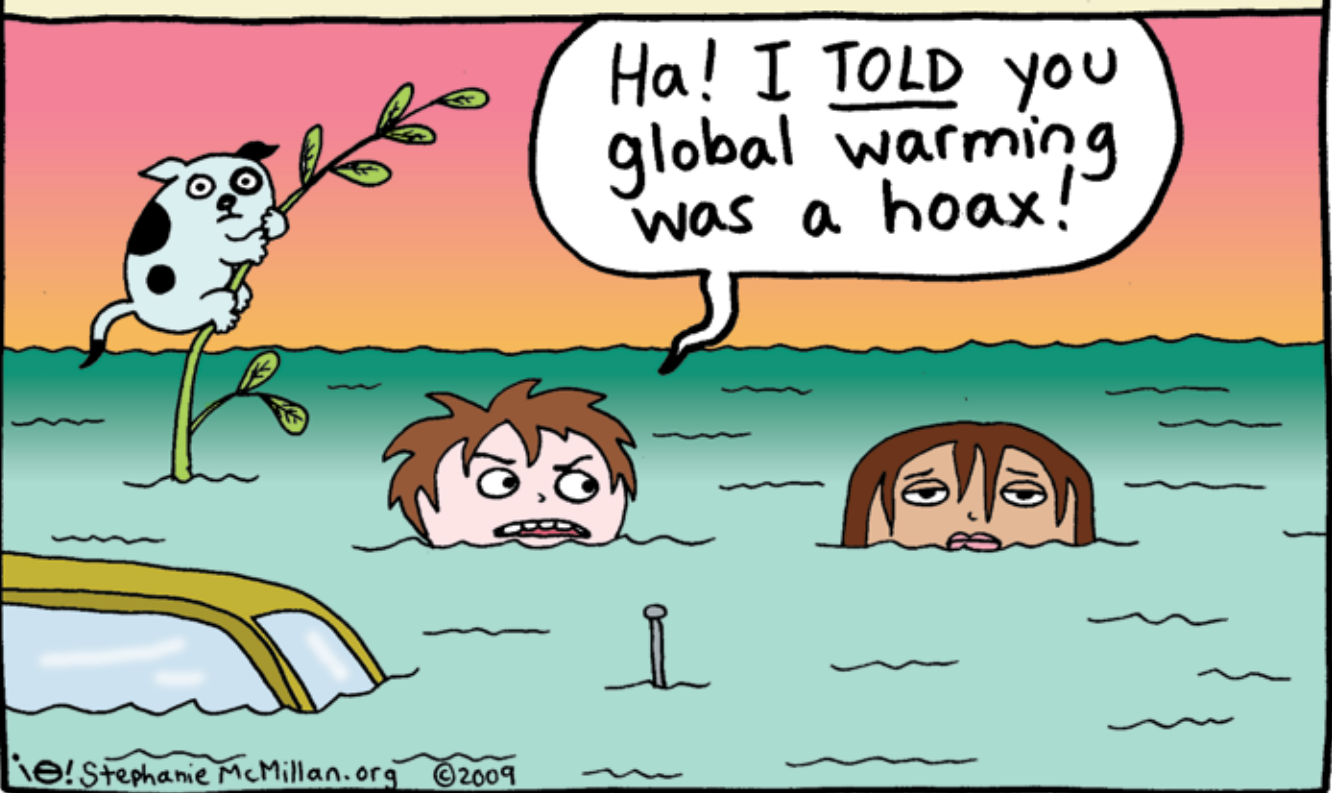
A new study finds that carbon offsets do not actually help decrease greenhouse gas emissions.

Every time I drive my Hummer, a seedling is planted in Uganda. Each gallon of gas I burn saves a penguin!

Heaven must be missing an angel.



Several emails damaged the credibility of data provided by 3 or 4 scientists out of the thousands who assert the proven dangers of global warming.



Ha! I TOLD you global warming was a hoax!

Leaked emails reveal that scientists called climate skeptics "idiots."

Can you believe they called us idiots?!

If they'd called us murdering, lying psychopaths, I could understand it.

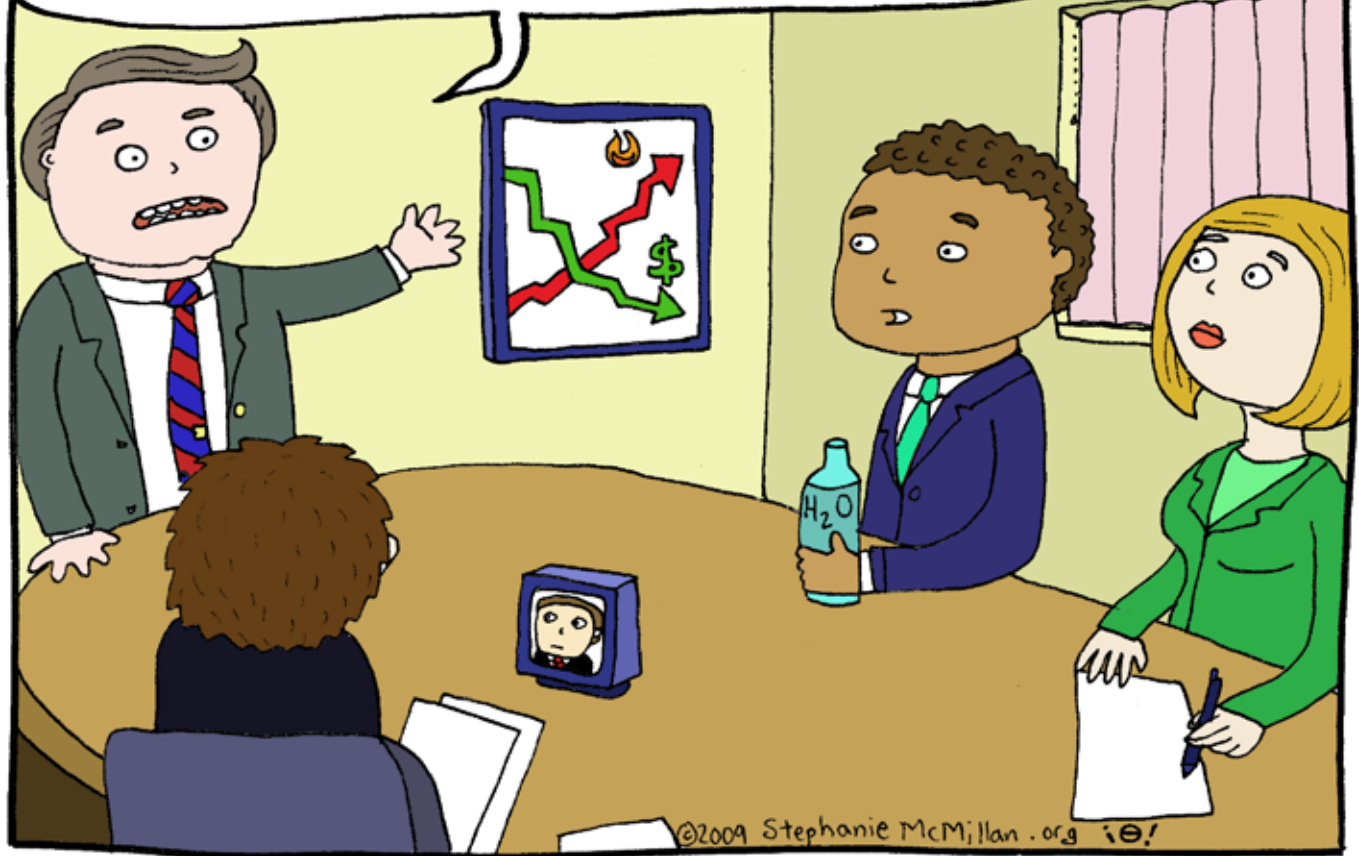
But not IDIOTS!

Thank you Derrick!

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Global warming is serious.  
Without the Earth, we could  
lose 6.8 billion customers!



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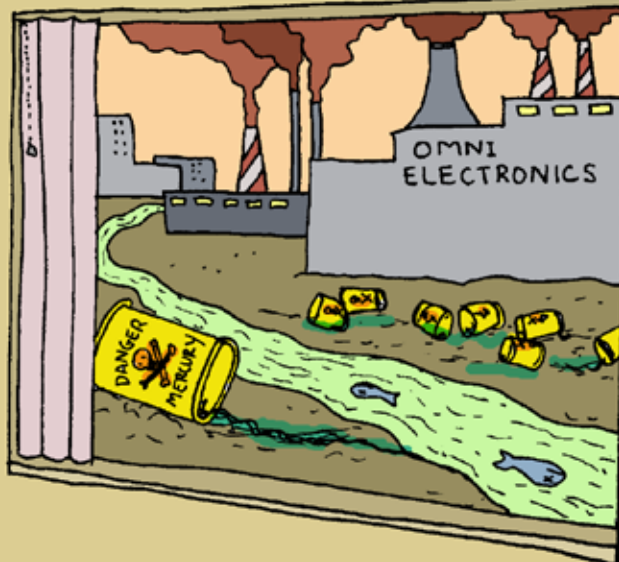


Look at those violent protesters ~  
they smashed a fence!

Quit window-gazing.  
The Amazon rain forest  
isn't going to strip-  
mine itself.



I can't believe you haven't gone paperless. Some of us care about the environment.



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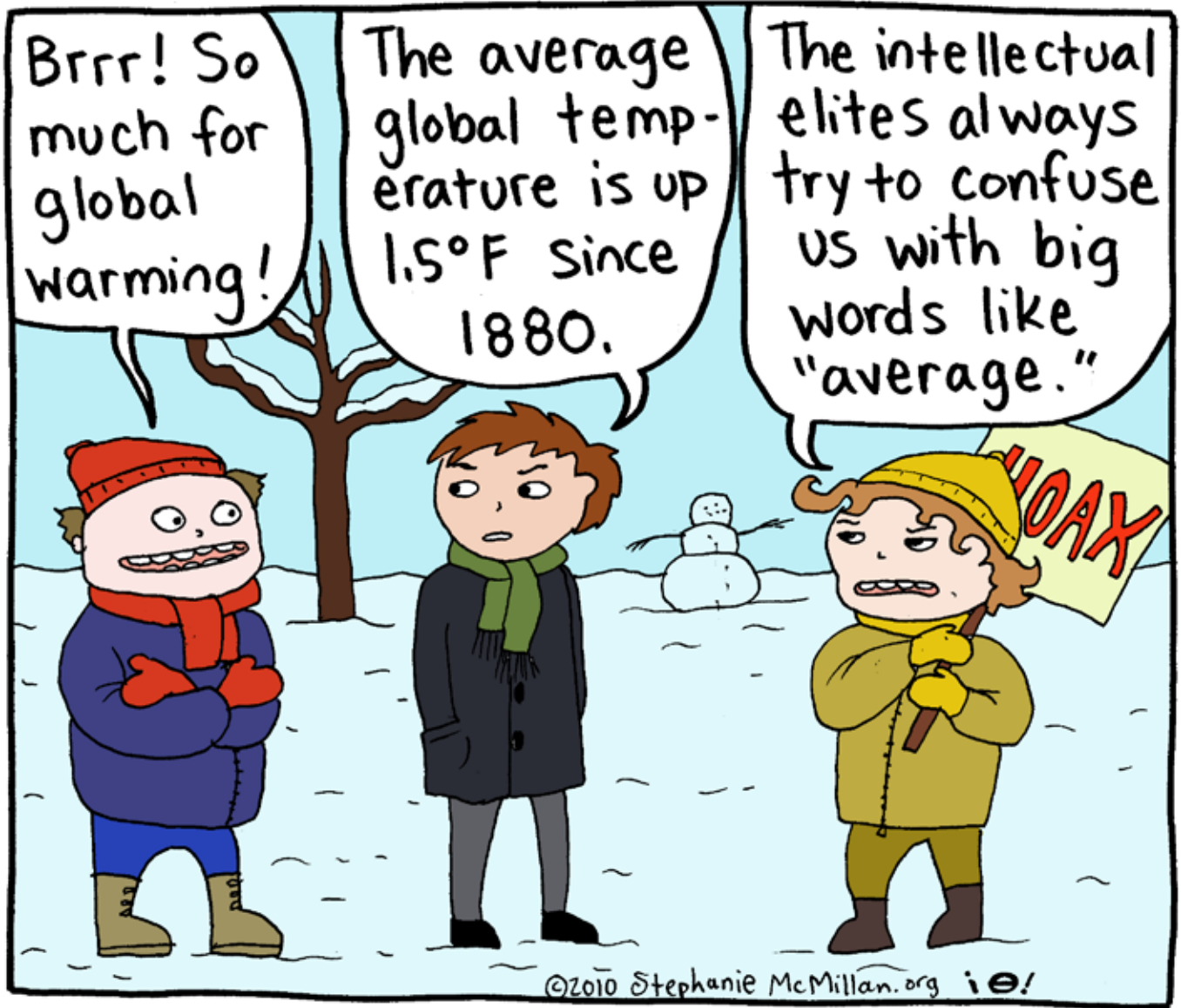




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Brrr! So much for global warming!

The average global temperature is up 1.5°F since 1880.

The intellectual elites always try to confuse us with big words like "average."

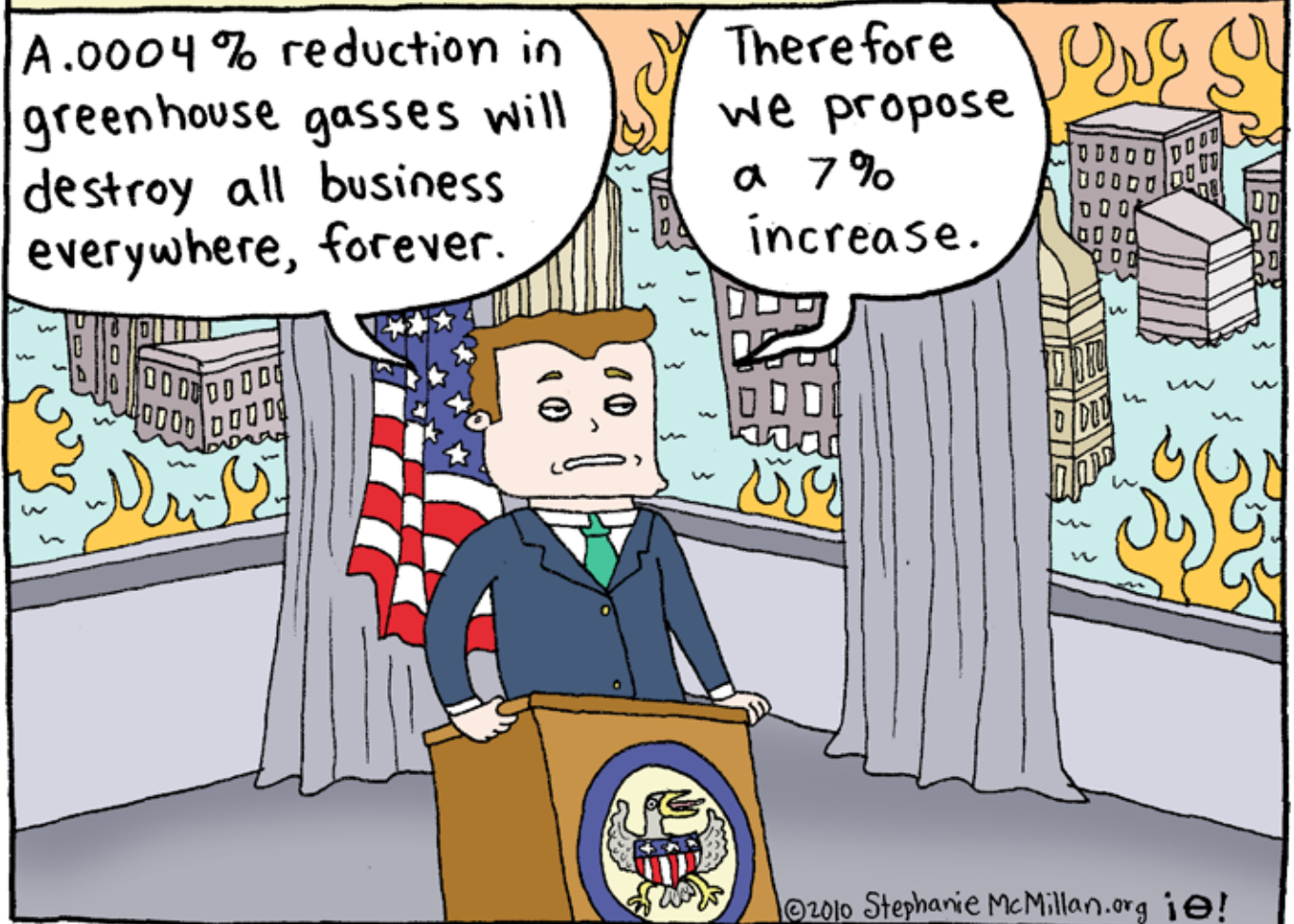
HOAX

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SENATE SPONSORS OF A CLIMATE BILL  
SCALE BACK THEIR SCALED BACK PLAN.

A .0004% reduction in  
greenhouse gasses will  
destroy all business  
everywhere, forever.

Therefore  
we propose  
a 7%  
increase.



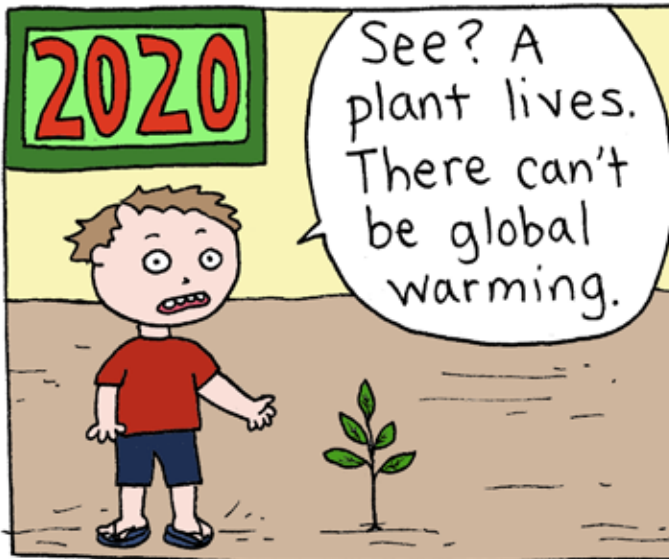
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THE U.S. FOREST "SERVICE" REFUSED TO DESIGNATE CRITICAL HABITAT FOR THE 100 REMAINING FLORIDA PANTHERS.

Species go extinct every day. Get over it.

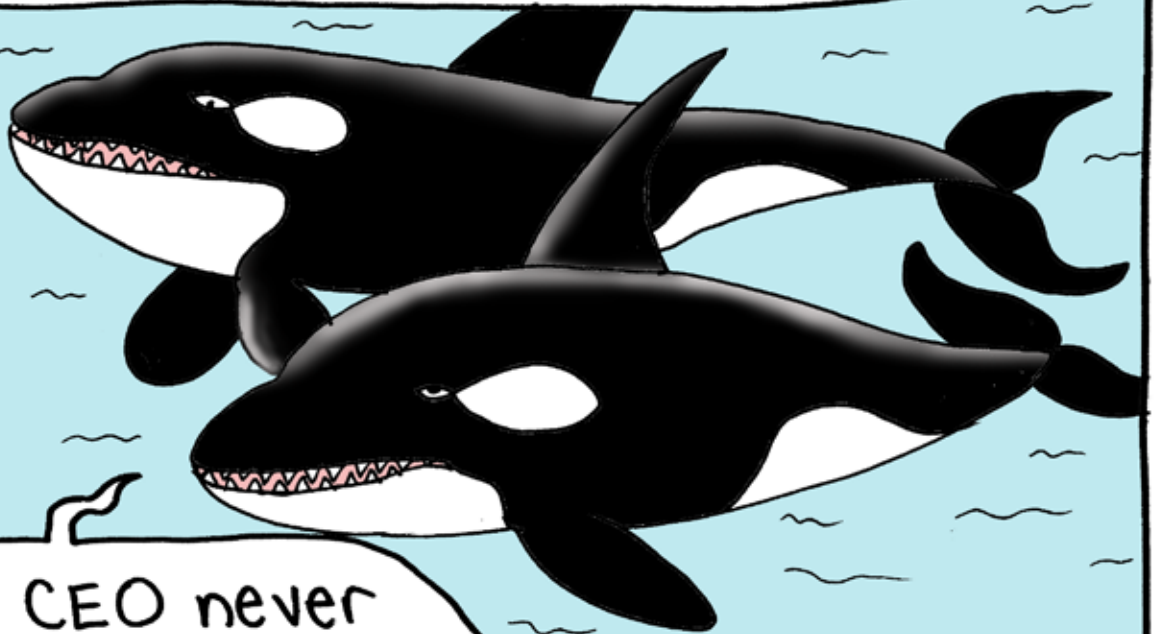
We need to build more houses here that no one can afford to buy.

Eat him.

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Okay, they steal us from our homes and families, imprison us and force us to perform tricks for their amusement. But why did you have to kill her?



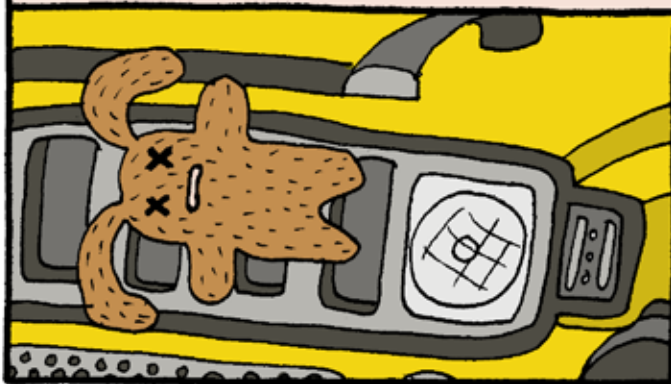
The CEO never came close enough.

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GM'S DEAL TO SELL HUMMER TO CHINA HAS TANKED.

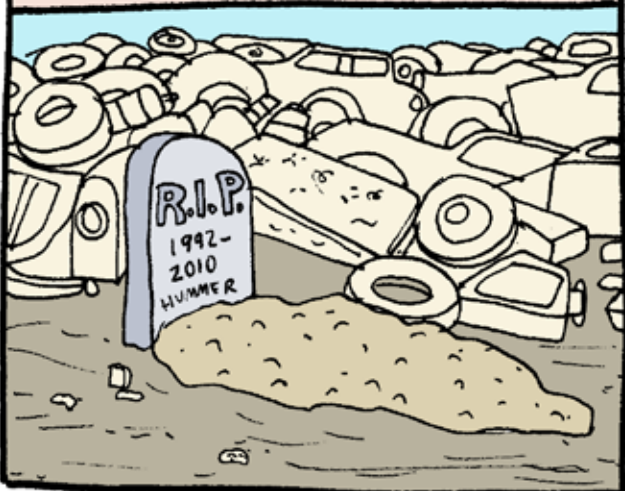


THE BIGGEST, BADDEST SUV OF THEM ALL IS DEAD.



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IT'S THE END OF AN ERA.



WE'LL NEVER BE THE SAME...



# THE MASTER OF COMPROMISE

We must pass a climate bill. I don't care if it's the Democratic one that won't work, or the Republican one that won't work.

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BECAUSE 24-7 ELECTRICITY  
IS A HUMAN RIGHT

Nuclear is the new  
green energy! Look~  
no global warming!

The awesome  
zombie effect  
is FREE!



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Democracy is even sweeter in stereo!

Drill, baby, drill!

Drill, baby, drill!



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A British attorney is campaigning for the UN to recognize ecocide as an international crime.

We'll honor that so hard!

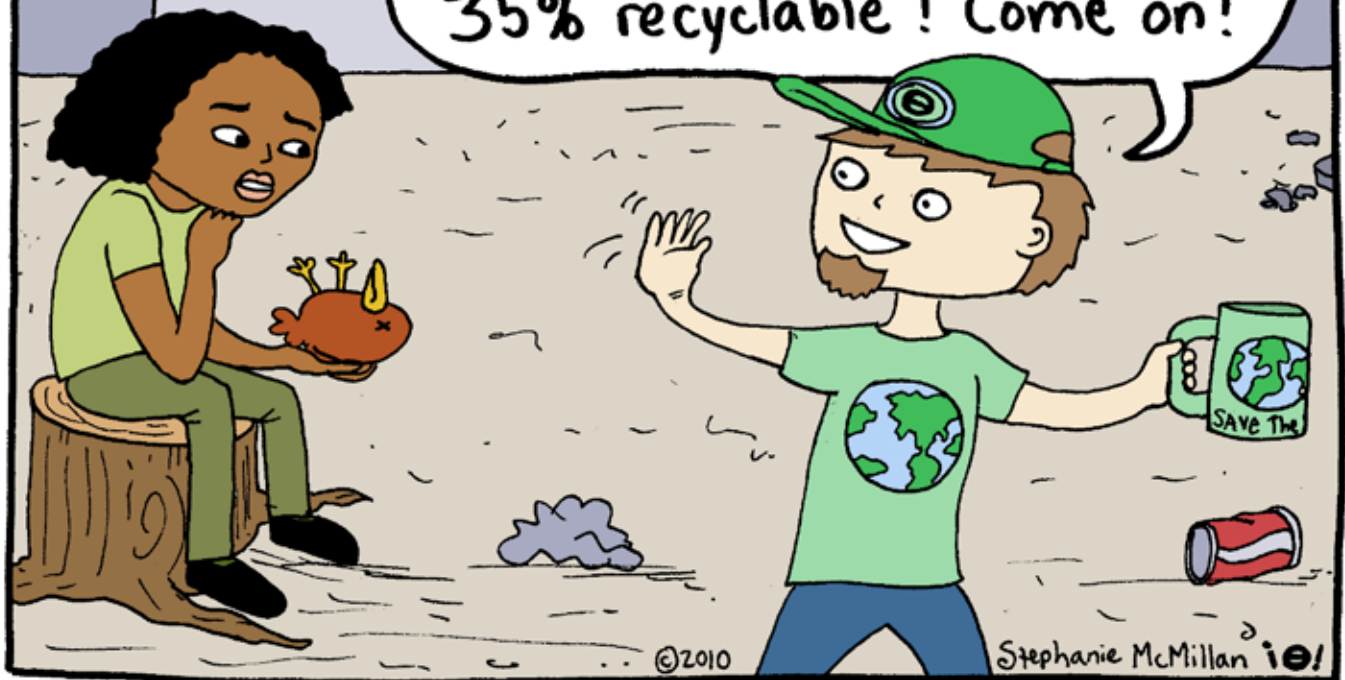
Like we do laws against torture, war crimes, aggression, yadda yadda...

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40 years of Earth Day, but the planet is more poisoned than ever.

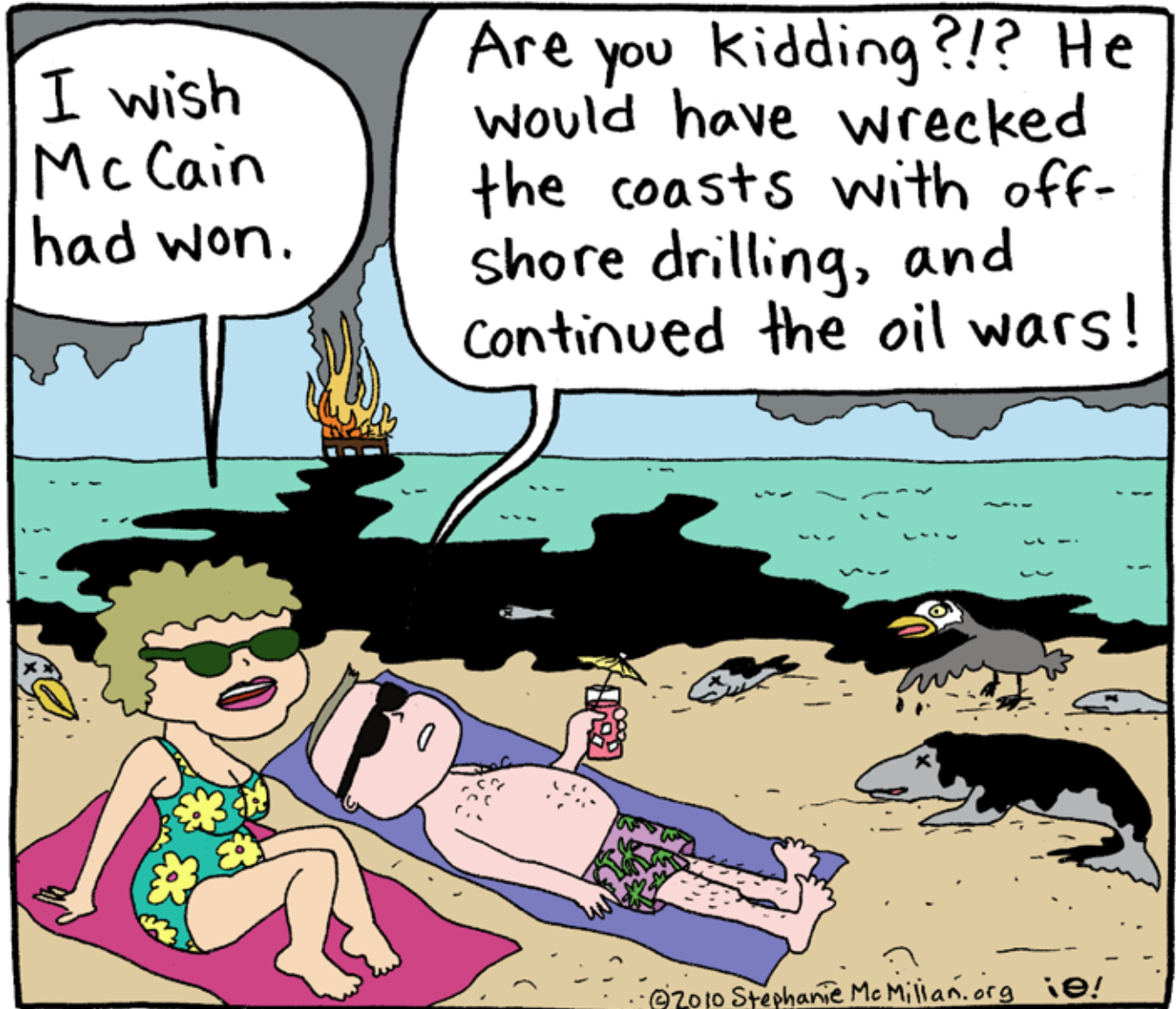
At the Green Consumer Lifestyle Festival, all souvenirs are guaranteed 35% recyclable! Come on!



FIRST THERE WAS A GIANT PATCH OF GARBAGE IN THE PACIFIC. NOW THERE'S ONE IN THE ATLANTIC TOO.

Bad news: no food.  
Good news:  
23 billion sporks.



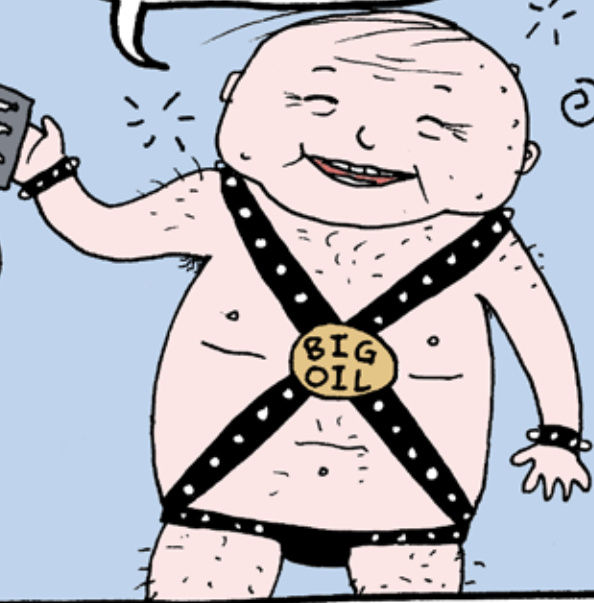


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AFTER DRUGS AND HOT SEX PARTIES,  
GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS DECIDED  
THAT BACKUP SAFETY VALVES ON OIL  
RIGS WEREN'T NECESSARY AFTER ALL.

You bad boy! I'm  
gonna regulate  
YOU REAL GOOD!

I know! I wrote  
the regulations  
myself!



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# BP, TRANSOCEAN & HALIBURTON: HONOR AMONG THIEVES

Your  
fault!

Your  
fault!

Your  
fault!

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If we could gather the top executives of the major oil companies and related industries, plus their government regulators, and put all their heads together...

...then they could figure out the solution?

No~ we could use them to plug the well.

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You ruin my family's way of life,  
then offer \$5000 compensation?  
That's outrageous!

Yeah, I thought it was  
a bit high too, but our  
PR department insisted.

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But without oil, we couldn't  
enjoy our comfortable and  
convenient way of life.



THIS CATASTROPHE WILL FINALLY  
MAKE EVERYONE UNDERSTAND THAT  
OUR WAY OF LIFE IS UNSUSTAINABLE.

I THINK I  
NEED ONE MORE  
OIL SPILL.



We've got them where we want them. Only 1000000000 more hours of protesting, and they'll HAVE to listen!

Don't forget praying.

STOP,  
PRETTY  
PLEASE

OBAMA'S  
✝  
PRAYER  
MANUAL

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I grieve for  
the tourist  
industry.

And fish prices  
are rising.  
Industries always  
suffer the most.

Thanks to Philippa

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In the absence  
of an actual plan,  
there's always  
war rhetoric...

JOIN MY  
GLORIOUS WAR  
ON ERROR!



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THE U.S. MILITARY USES 350,000  
BARRELS OF OIL PER DAY





# THE SACRED PACT BETWEEN CAPITALIST AND CONSUMER

I'll slap on a  
green label and  
call it "eco-  
something."

I'll pretend to  
believe you so  
I can feel smug  
for buying it.



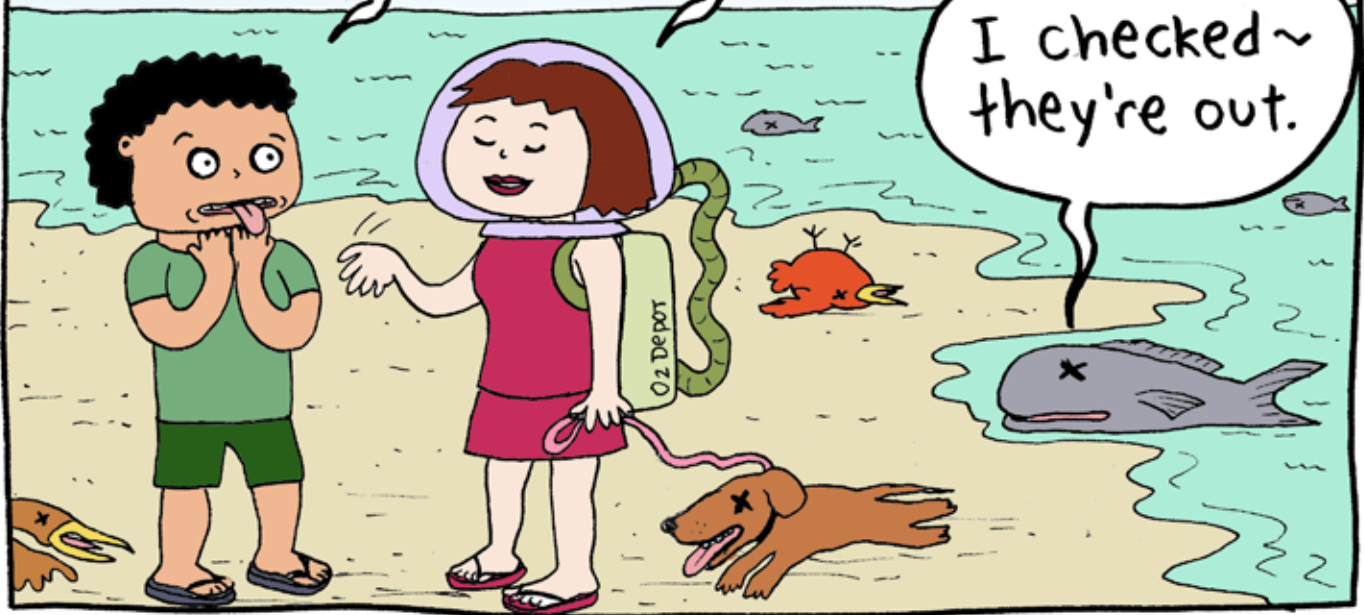
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PHYTOPLANKTON HAVE DECLINED BY 40%, MOSTLY IN THE LAST 50 YEARS.

There goes the source of half our oxygen.

Who cares? I get mine at O<sub>2</sub>-Depot™.

I checked ~ they're out.

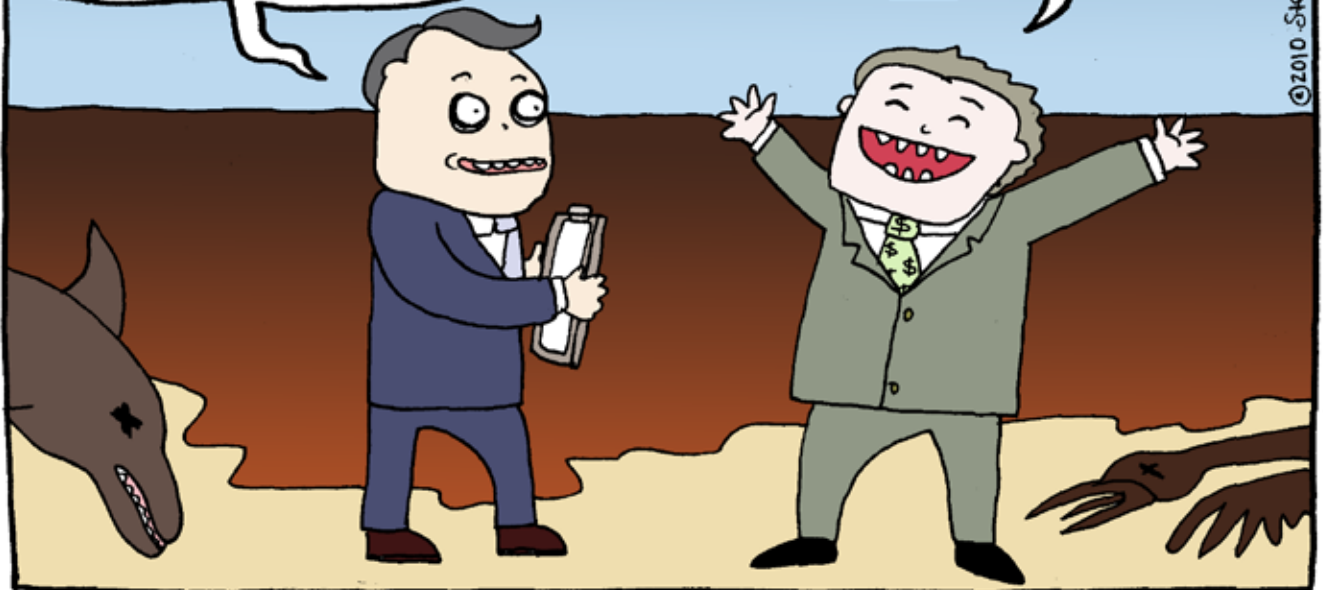


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NO NEW DRILLING UNTIL THE CAUSES OF  
BP'S SPILL HAVE BEEN DETERMINED.

They've been  
determined: greed  
and sociopathic  
indifference.

Let the  
drilling  
re-commence!



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Look at that devastation, son. There's almost nothing left of the natural world.

I'm counting on you to squeeze the last scraps of profits out of it.



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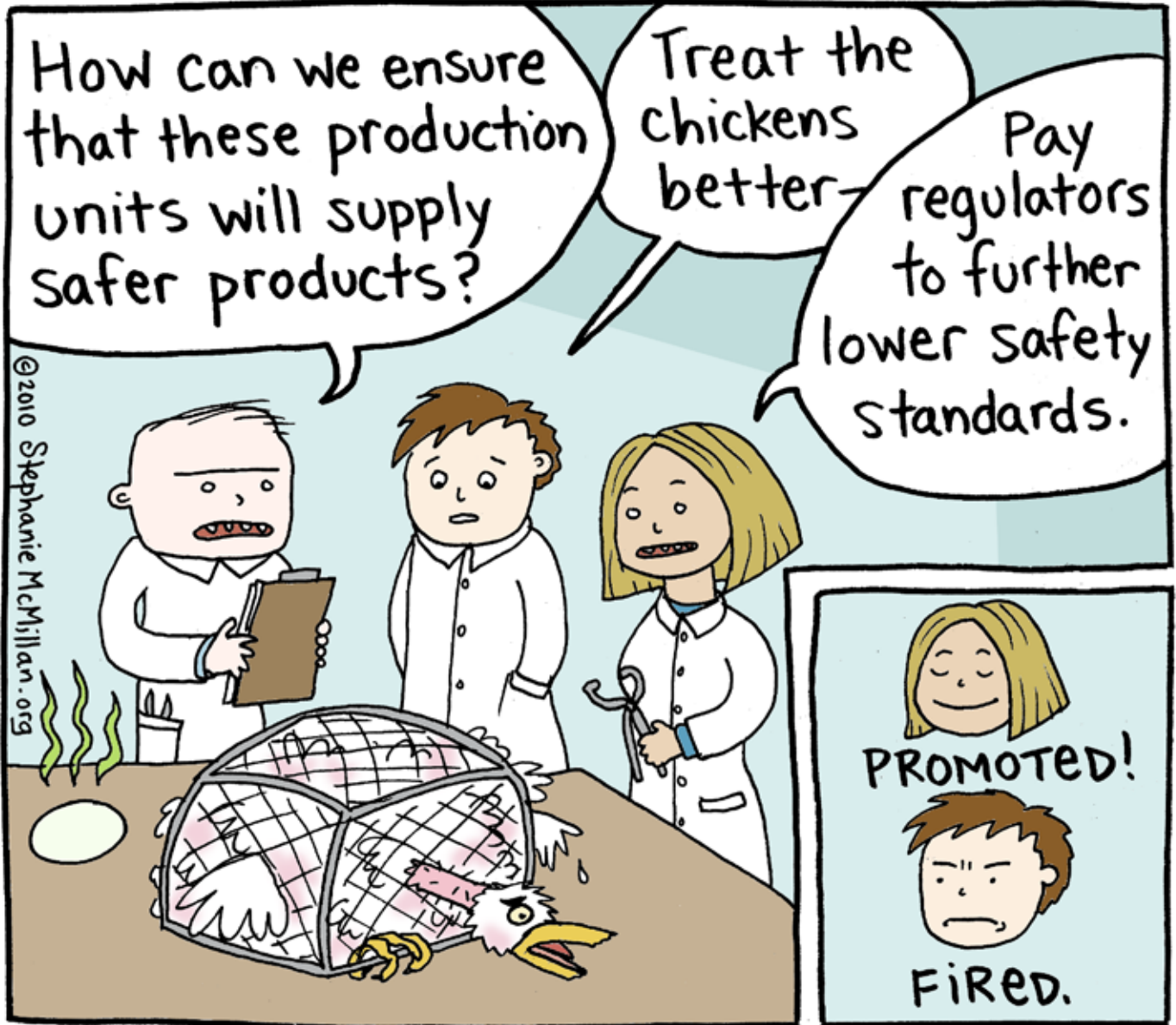
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IF WE HOLD BP TO ITS TV  
PROMISE TO STAY "AS LONG AS  
IT TAKES TO MAKE THIS RIGHT"...

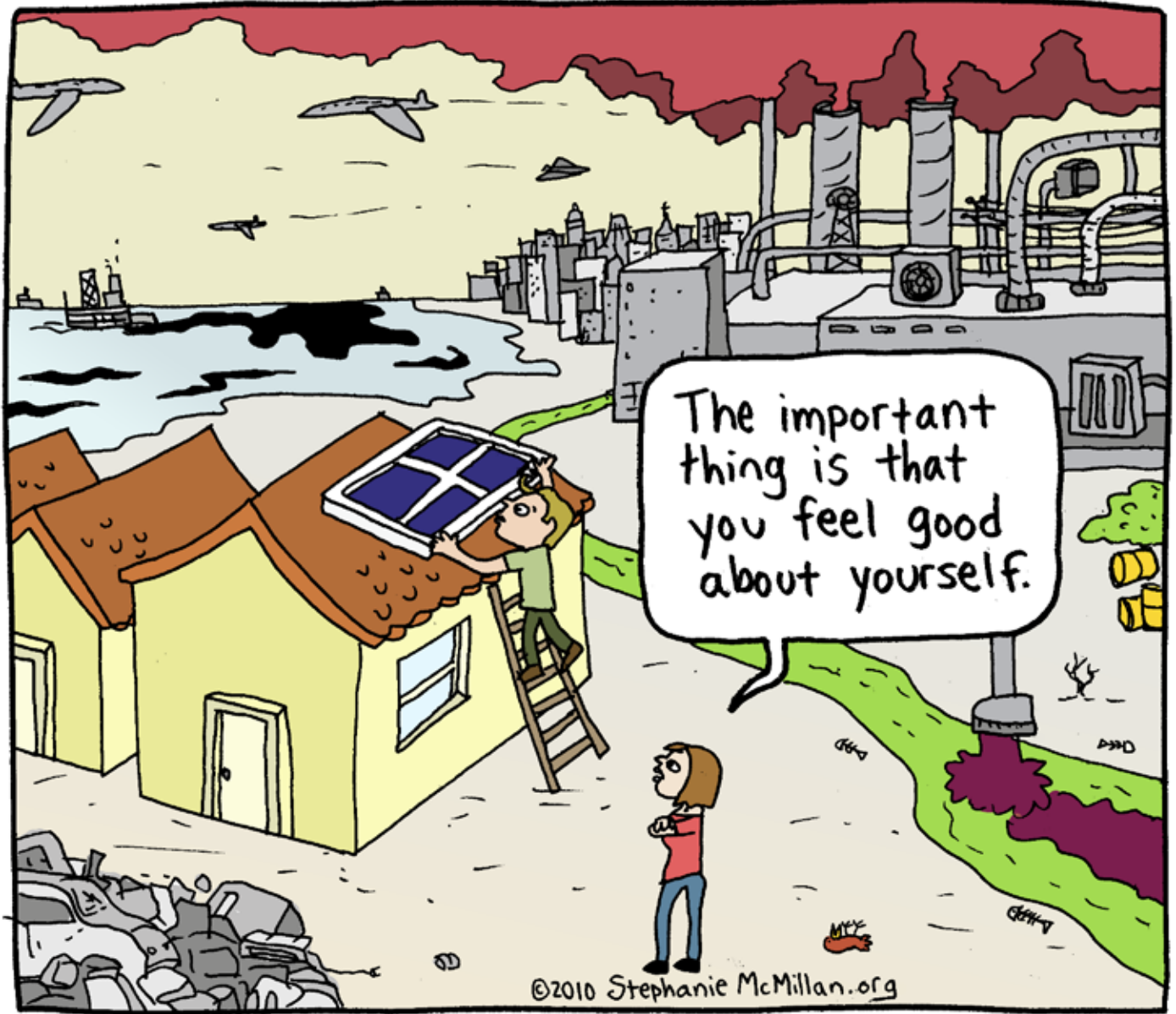
\* Sigh... \*  
Is it right  
yet?

No.

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HOMELAND SECURITY ISSUES WARNING ABOUT POTENTIAL THREATS INVOLVING NATURAL GAS DRILLING.

Finally they'll stop the companies from poisoning our water!

Uh, they're talking about you.



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The oil is **GONE**,  
dispersed by  
chemicals and  
eaten by GM  
bacteria!

They have  
**NOTHING** to do with  
the outbreak of  
mysterious rashes  
and a bazillion  
dead fish.



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MAD SCIENTISTS AND CORPORATE  
THINKTANKS ATTACK GLOBAL WARMING  
WITH "GEO-ENGINEERING."

But we  
could cut  
CO<sub>2</sub> emissions  
instead!

How would  
THAT pay us  
billions of  
dollars?

Or prove our  
Earth-conquering  
superpowers?

The gall  
of some  
people.

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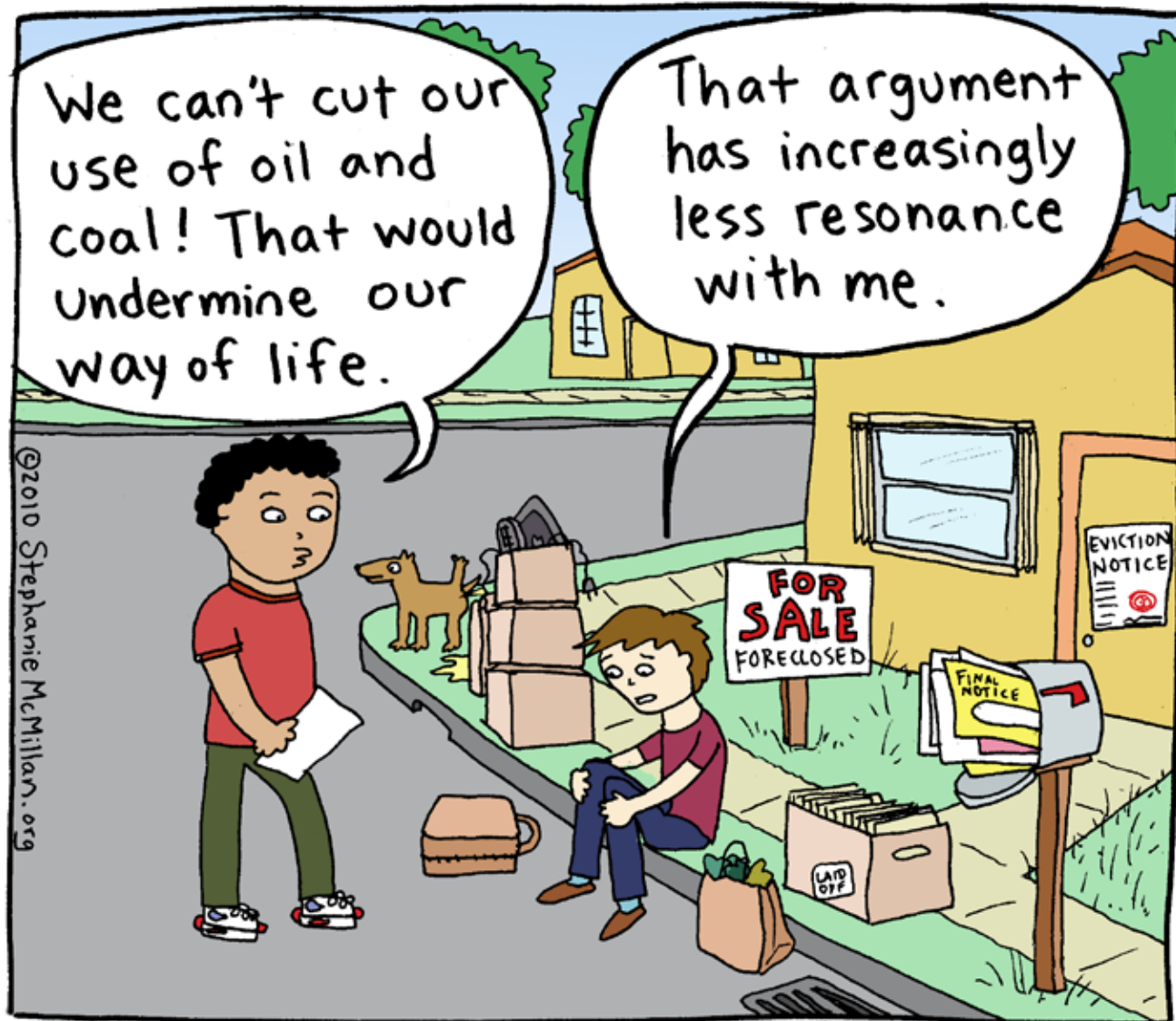
RESEARCHERS SAY HIGH LEVELS OF CARCINOGENS IN THE GULF MAY SOON ENTER THE FOOD CHAIN.

I've lost my appetite.

Live dangerously!  
Every meal is a thrilling game of Russian Roulette!

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## TOXIC SLUDGE IN HUNGARY

Nine people, three villages,  
a bunch of rivers, millions  
of fish ~ all dead. For  
what? Material to  
make beer cans!

Bummer.  
Have a  
cold one.

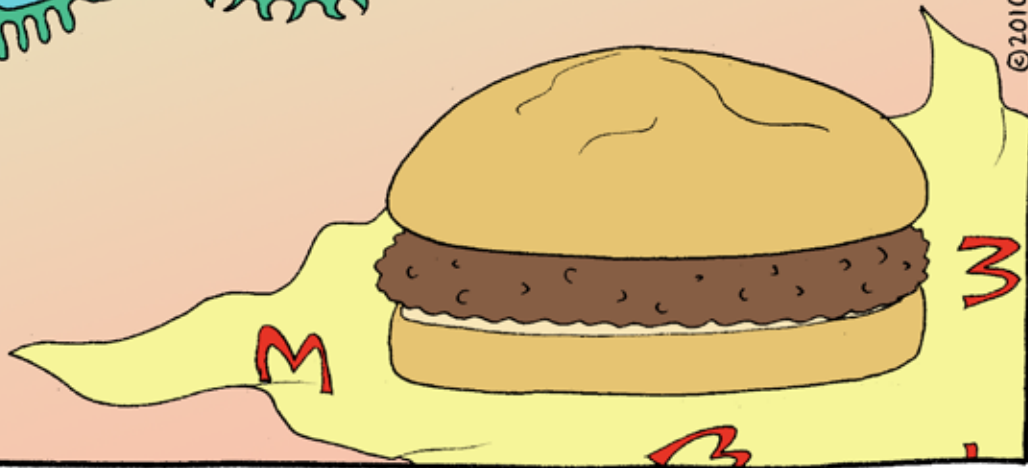
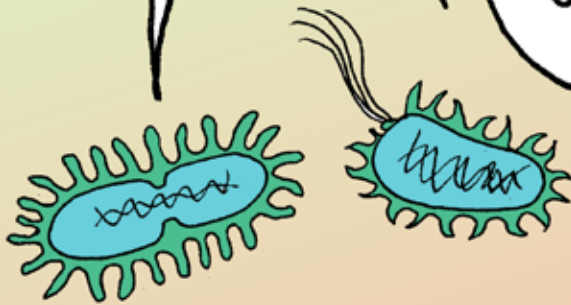


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McDONALD'S BURGERS WON'T DECOMPOSE.

Don't you want it?

Be serious. I'll eat corpses and poo, but NO ONE could be desperate enough to eat THAT.



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193 COUNTRIES AGREED TO REDUCE THE RATE OF EXTINCTIONS BY 10% WITHIN 10 YEARS.

Except me.  
Don't cramp  
my style,  
dude!

574,875 \* species aren't  
enough! I want to  
exterminate ALL OF THEM!



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\* UN SCIENTISTS ESTIMATE 150-200 SPECIES GO EXTINCT DAILY.



AFTER THE ELECTIONS, A GLORIOUS NEW ERA OF ENVIRONMENTAL DEREGULATION DAWNS.

Thanks! I couldn't have won without your corporate gifties!

"Climate change: Pelosi's communist plot." Just keep saying that!

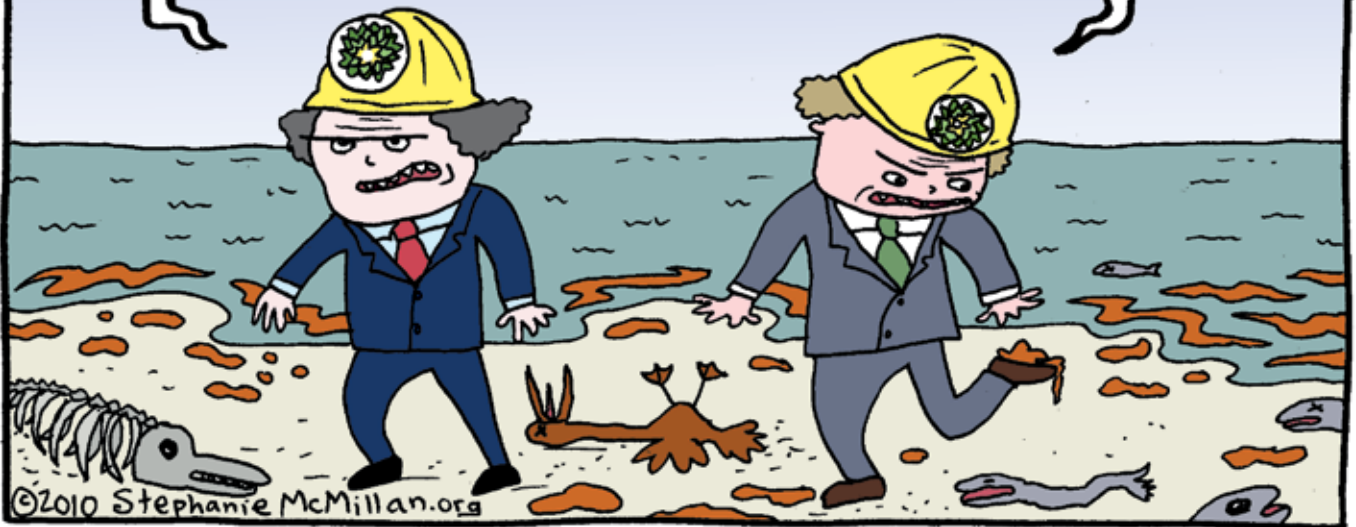
I love your style!

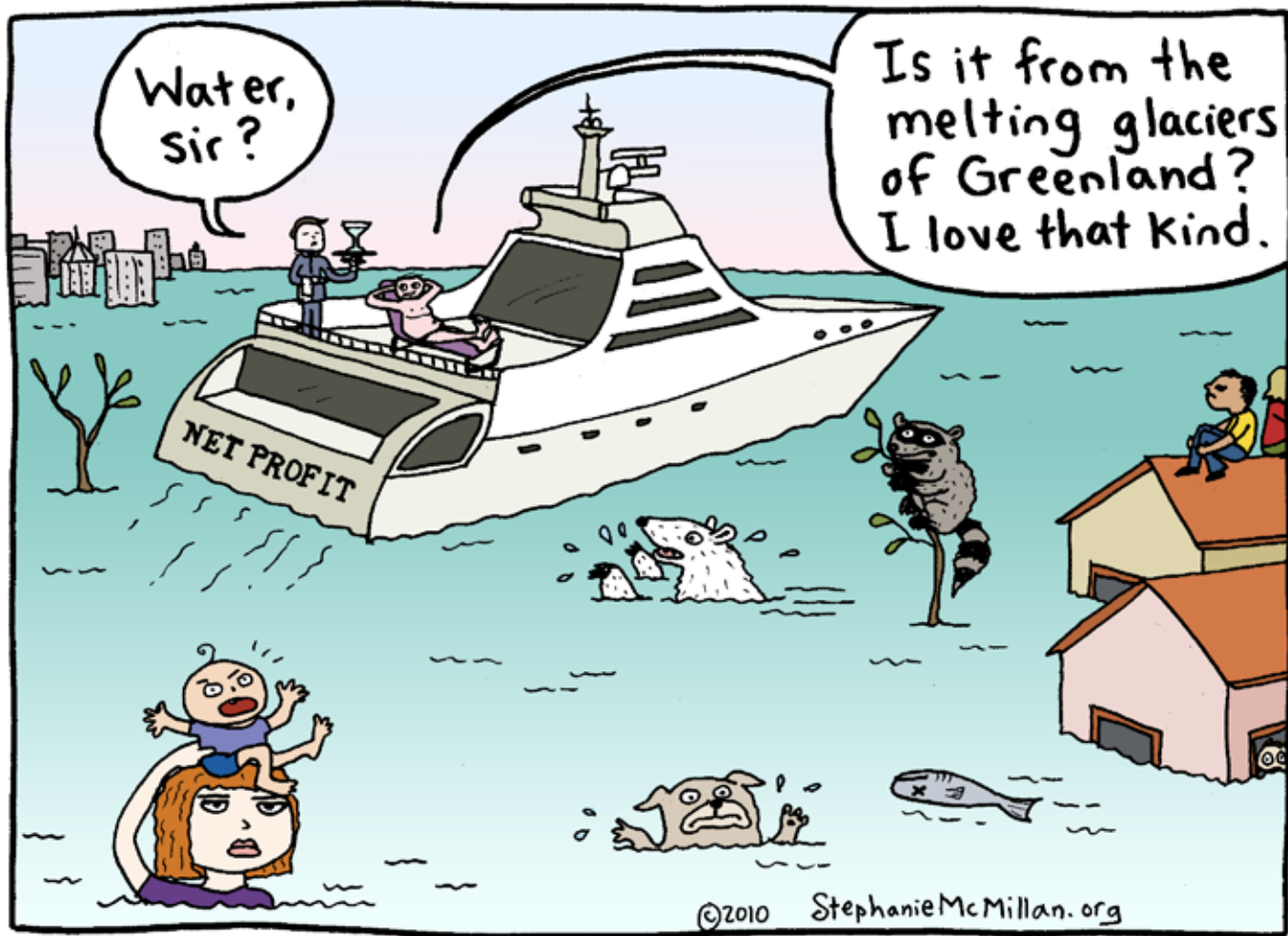


BP's Q3 PROFITS WERE \$1.8 BILLION, AFTER THE OIL SPILL COST THEM \$40 BILLION.

Evil enviro-nazis!  
If not for them, we'd  
have \$41.8 billion.

Make that  
\$41,800,000,500.  
These are Pradas!

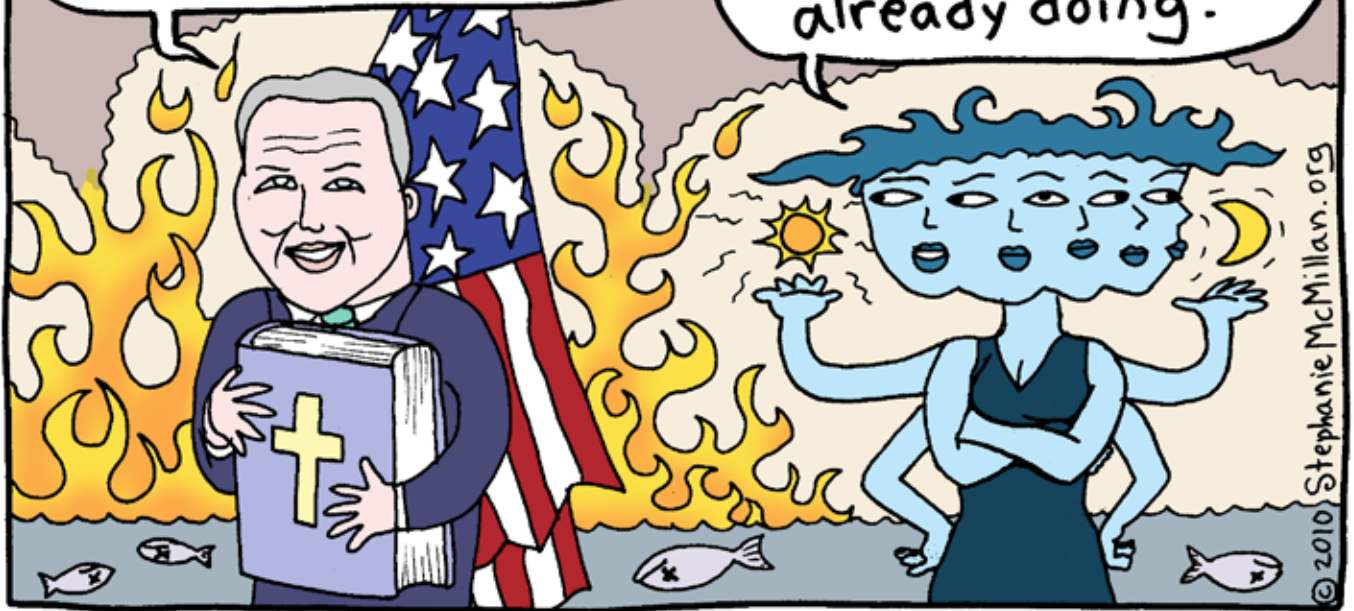




CONGRESSMAN JOHN SHIMKUS, HOPING TO CHAIR THE HOUSE ENERGY & COMMERCE COMMITTEE, SAYS HE'S NOT WORRIED ABOUT GLOBAL WARMING.

God promised not to destroy the world.

I could hardly match the job you're already doing.



OBAMA STOPS SOME OFFSHORE DRILLING. THE OIL INDUSTRY IS SAD.

This isn't about our lost profits. We care about lost JOBS. You know, for the little people.

They care... it brings a tear to my eye.

That's a petro-glob.

Or a tumor.



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EXPECTATIONS FOR THIS YEAR'S UN CLIMATE TALKS ARE "MUTED."

Your smoke ~ it's killing us! Will you please stop?

Smoking doesn't cause smoke! If and when we all get terminal cancer, (which is not caused by smoke), I will form a committee to appoint a commission to think about it.

Maybe.

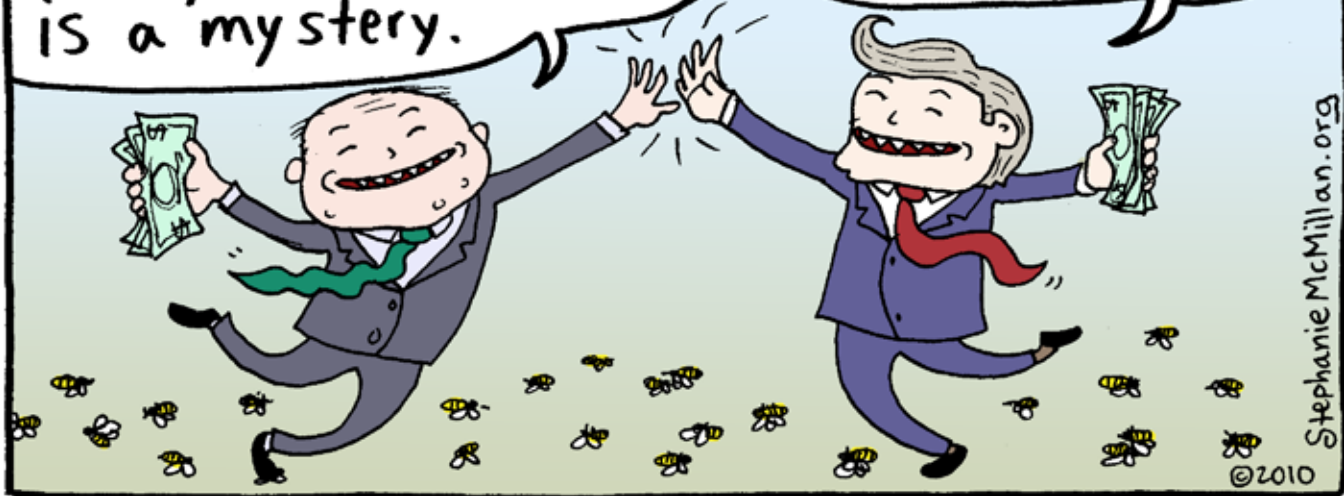


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THE EPA APPROVED CLOTHIANIDIN, EVEN THOUGH IT'S BANNED OVERSEAS BECAUSE IT HARMS BEES. BAYER CELEBRATES.

There's no proof that insecticide kills bees! Colony Collapse Disorder is a mystery.

But \$262 million in insecticide sales is no mystery!



HEXAVALENT CHROMIUM WAS FOUND IN THE DRINKING WATER OF 89% OF U.S. CITIES TESTED.

Our lives are being sacrificed for the manufacture of stuff like chrome?

Well, it is shiny.



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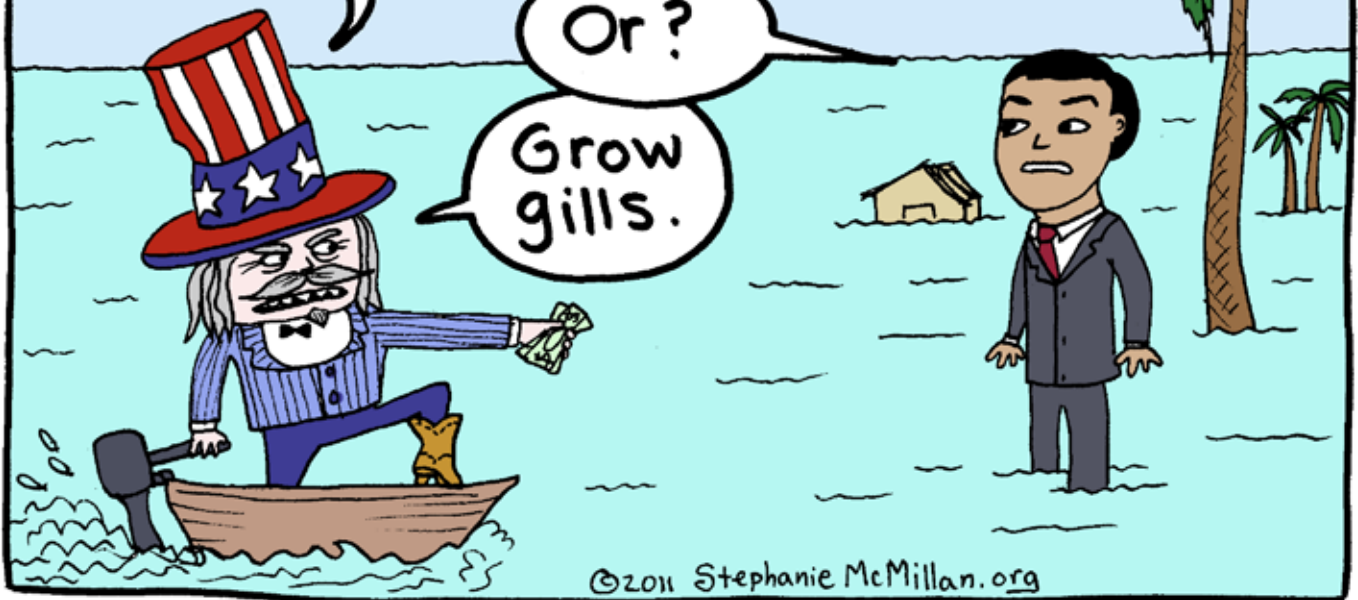


THE U.S. OFFERS THE MALDIVES A DEAL.

You have a choice. Don't complain about global warming, and I'll pay you to relocate.

Or?

Grow gills.



RARE EARTHS ~ LIKE LANTHANUM FOR CAR BATTERIES AND NEODYMIUM FOR WIND TURBINES ~ ARE THE KEY TO A GREENWASHED, TECHNOTOPIAN FUTURE.

The soaring profits from our double-digit growth industry are just an annoying by-product of our love for the environment.

Like this radioactive waste.

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MORE OF THE EVERGLADES WILL BE OPENED TO OFF-ROAD VEHICLES. TOKEN PATCHES OF VITAL PANTHER HABITAT REMAIN OFF-LIMITS.

I can't wait for the last 100 panthers to die, so I can enjoy the ENTIRE pristine wilderness!

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# Diamonds Are Forever...

Forever, like mountains of mine waste? Forever, like the deaths of mine workers?

This was supposed to be a romantic moment here.

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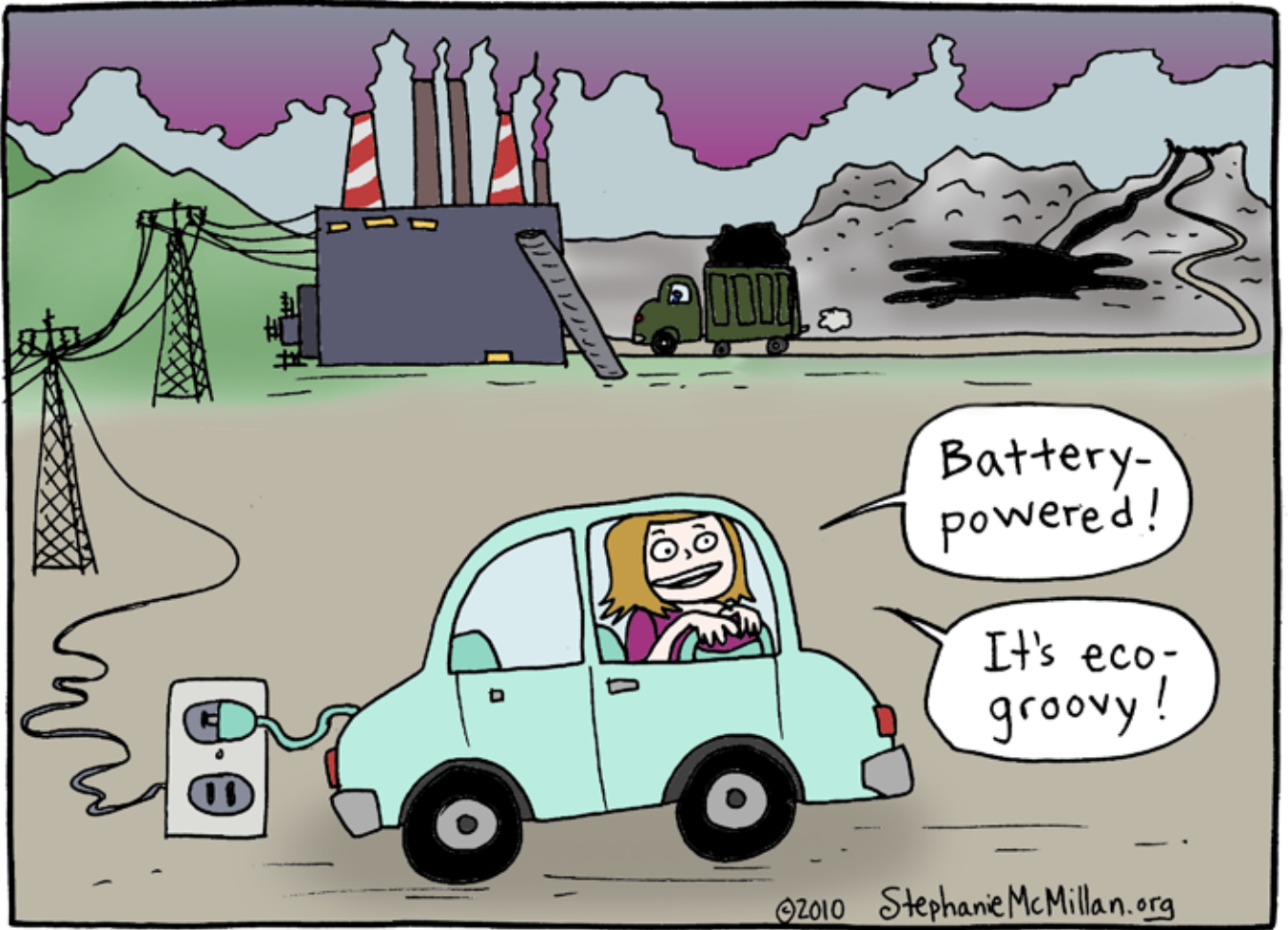
THE AMAZON RAINFOREST EXPERIENCED DROUGHTS OF "ONCE-IN-A-CENTURY" SEVERITY IN BOTH 2005 AND 2010, KILLING BILLIONS OF TREES.

We have to DO something! But what?

I don't know! Should we sell them as unprocessed logs, sawn timber or pulp?

The agony!

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GOP LAWMAKERS DEMAND BUDGET CUTS TO NASA'S CLIMATE RESEARCH.

Spend on space exploration, not pandering to tree huggers.

So we can escape this planet after we're done trashing it.

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THE NATURE CONSERVANCY HAS FORMED A  
NEW PARTNERSHIP WITH DOW CHEMICAL.

They gave us  
\$10 million!

I bought us  
some new  
letterhead.

The ink's  
organic ~ made  
from the blood  
of deformed  
babies from  
Bhopal.



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RADIOACTIVE WASTE FROM "FRACKING" FOR NATURAL GAS WINDS UP IN DRINKING WATER.

I can't get enough!

With luck, a genetic mutation will give me superpowers to fight the evil energy company CEOs.



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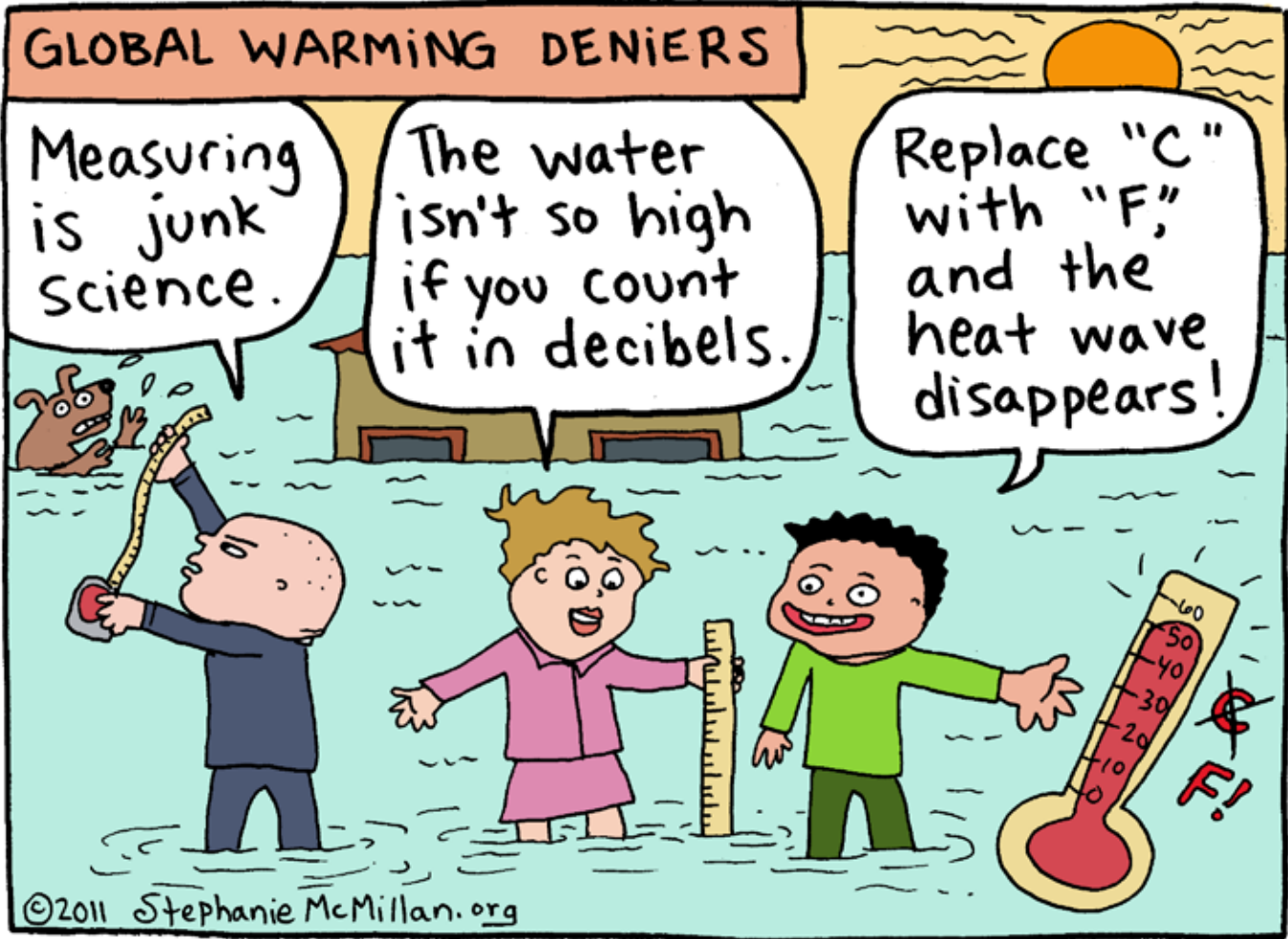
THE DECLINE OF THE BEE POPULATION  
THREATENS \$4.3 BILLION IN CROPS.

No food!  
Auugh!!

No \$4.3 billion!  
Auugh!!







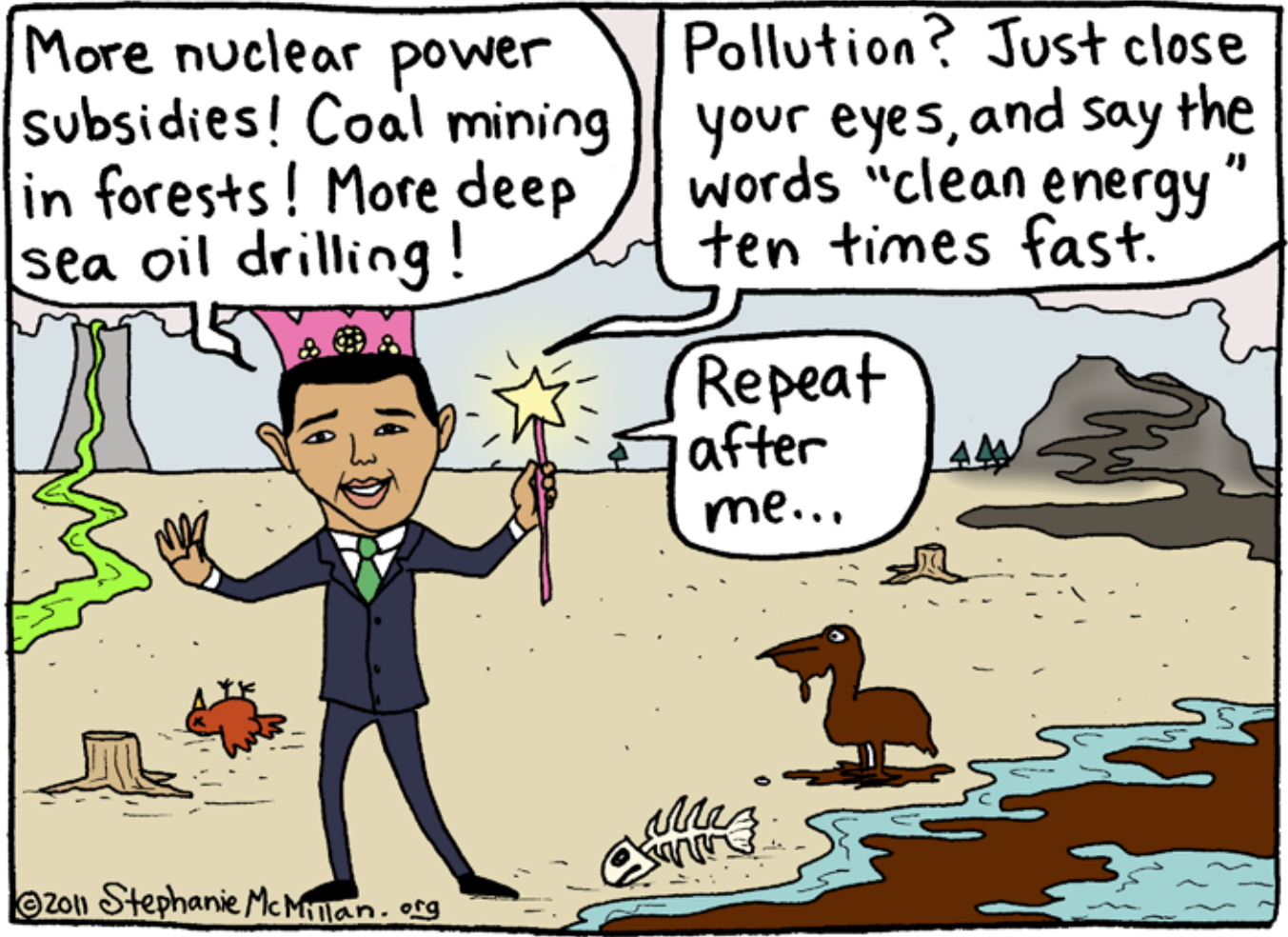
GLOBAL WARMING DENIERS

Measuring is junk science.

The water isn't so high if you count it in decibels.

Replace "C" with "F," and the heat wave disappears!

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More nuclear power subsidies! Coal mining in forests! More deep sea oil drilling!

Pollution? Just close your eyes, and say the words "clean energy" ten times fast.

Repeat after me...

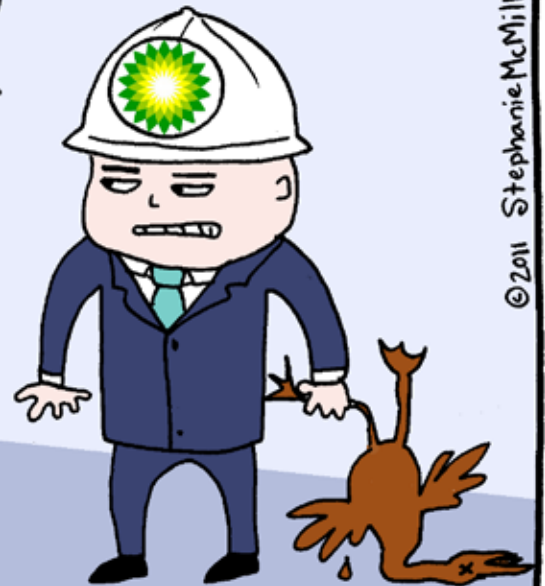
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ONE YEAR AFTER OIL SPILL, BP RESUMES DRILLING IN THE GULF OF MEXICO

Do you promise to follow safety rules this time?

"Rules"?

Good point.

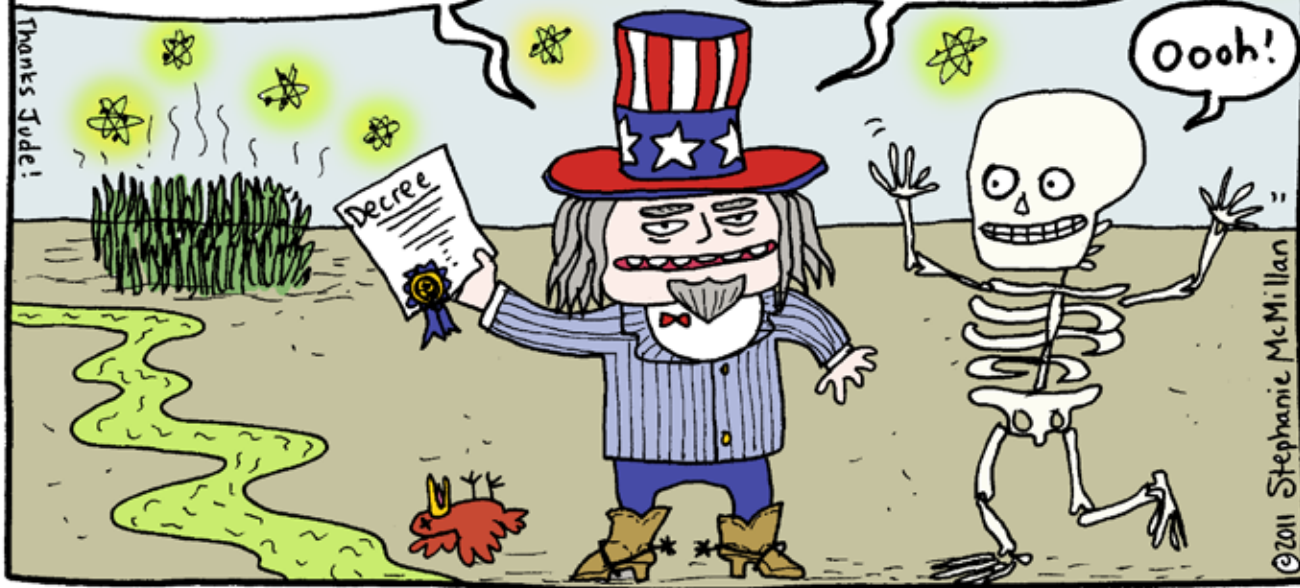


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Due to radiation from Japan detected in the U.S., we're increasing permissible levels for water and food.

We've also re-defined "death" to mean no breathing or brain activity for 30 days or more.

Thanks Jude!



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AS GOVERNORS DECLARE WAR ON ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS, MAINE GOVERNOR PAUL LEPAGE SAYS:

"It's time we start defending the interests of those who want to work and invest...with the same vigor that we defend tree frogs and Canadian lynx."



Once they roamed the Earth. Now this is the only place you can still see them.





Floods, tornadoes,  
snowpocalypses ~  
all frightening.

But none have  
anything to do with  
global warming.



Which isn't  
occurring.

Otherwise, we'd  
mention it.

**NEWS  
FEED**

U.S. DECLARES WAR AGAINST COINKY-DINKS

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The American people demand abundant energy, no matter how filthy, poisonous, expensive and ecocidal.

By "American people" I mean energy company executives.



STOP THE PRESSES: 6 OF 7 PANELISTS ON OBAMA'S FRACKING STUDY TEAM ARE PAID BY THE OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY.

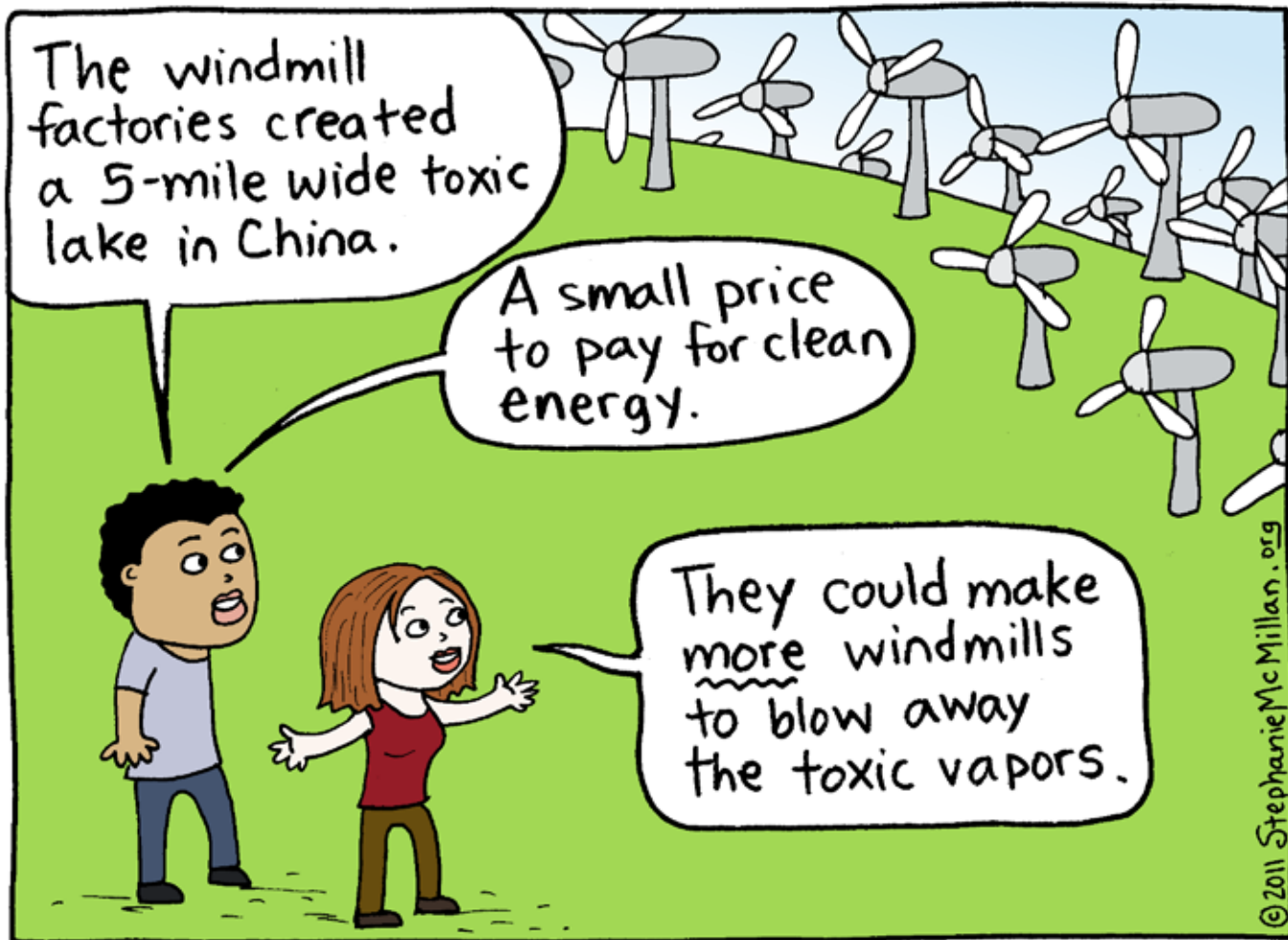
The report's done.  
The study will be  
completed in six  
months.

Where's my check?

Let them  
eat methane!



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The windmill factories created a 5-mile wide toxic lake in China.

A small price to pay for clean energy.

They could make more windmills to blow away the toxic vapors.

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WASTEWATER FROM NEW NUKE PLANTS WILL BE INJECTED UNDER THE FLORIDA AQUIFER, THE REGION'S MAIN DRINKING WATER SOURCE.

Look!  
Irridescent  
squirrels!

I wanna  
ride one  
of those  
crabsnakes!

FPL TURKEY POINT  
WORLD OF MUTANTS



THE U.S. ACCUSES JAPAN OF DOWNPLAYING THE SEVERITY OF THE FUKUSHIMA NUKE MELTDOWN.

Friends shouldn't lie to each other!

What about your lies downplaying global warming?

Lies don't count if everyone knows you're lying!

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IF THE U.S., LIKE BOLIVIA, GRANTED NATURE THE SAME LEGAL RIGHTS ENJOYED BY HUMANS...

\* Sigh... \*



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RADIOACTIVE WATER HAS LEAKED FROM OLD PIPES UNDER 3/4 OF U.S. NUKE PLANTS.

Good news, folks!  
The President says  
not to worry  
about it!

He used to work  
for the Nuclear  
Regulatory  
Commission.



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# MONSANTO'S ROUNDUP CAUSES BIRTH DEFECTS

You can't prove OUR poisons caused that. It could've been anyone's.

But now that you're here, we'll sue you for unauthorized use of our patented product.

BETTER  
BREEDING  
THROUGH  
CHEMISTRY

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A MICHIGAN WOMAN MIGHT GO TO JAIL FOR ~~MURDERING CHILDREN~~ GROWING VEGGIES



STREET LEGAL



EACH TO ONE'S OWN TASTE



IT'S YOUR PROPERTY



EYESORES STOP HERE!

THE GATES FOUNDATION AND MONSANTO PUSH GENETICALLY MODIFIED CROPS ON AFRICA.

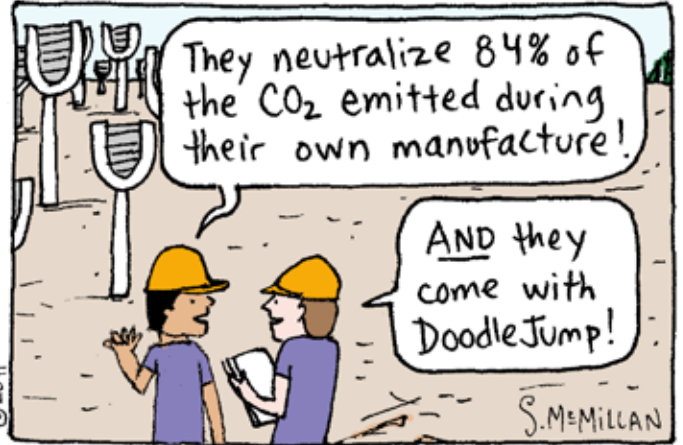
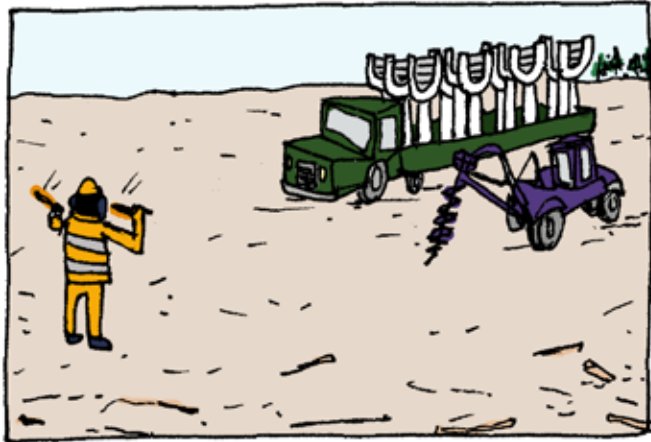
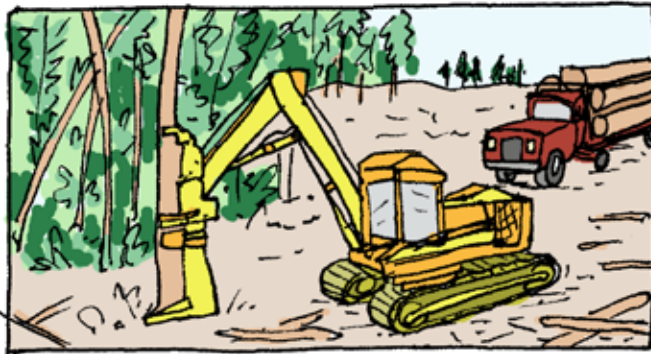
Bill, you evil genius ~ donating to biotech hunger-relief programs while buying 500,000 shares of Monsanto.

Hunger is a business ~ and business is booming!

BILL & MELINDA GATES founde  
"We care. So don't eff with us."



# THE TECHNO-FIX INDUSTRY ADDS FAKE TREES TO ITS LIST OF CLIMATE CRISIS SOLUTIONS



# BIRD WATCHING NEAR WIND TURBINES





GLOBAL WARMING: THE FORBIDDEN PHENOMENON THAT DARES NOT SPEAK ITS NAME

This mysterious massive heat wave is caused by a bizarre dome of heat...

...due to unprecedented soaring levels of uncoldness...

...the result of record high temperatures...

...triggered by intense warmth.

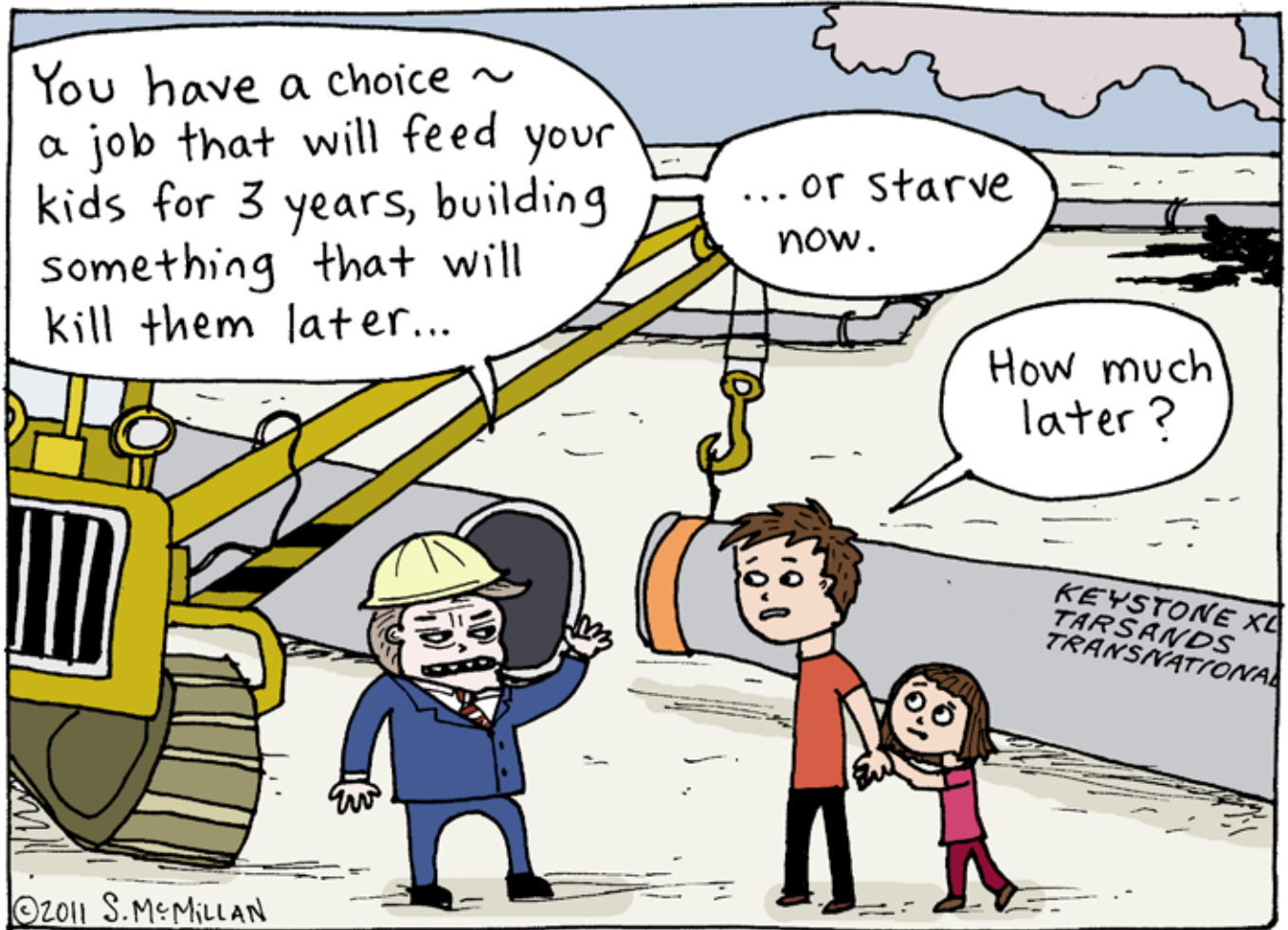
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How may we poison you this evening? Aside from our regular pesticides, super-bugs, radiation and hormones, tonight's special is modified genes.

I'll have the e-coli with U-235 on the side.

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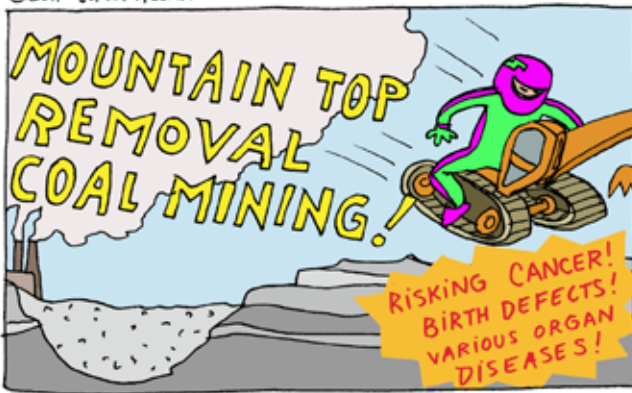
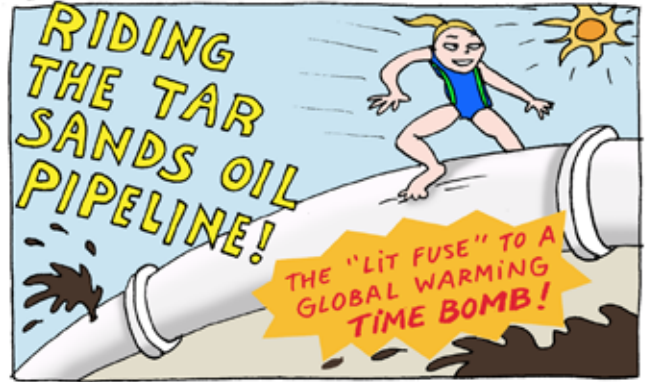
FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT CHARGES CUSTOMERS  
IN ADVANCE FOR PLANNING, LOBBYING AND  
LITIGATING FOR TWO NEW NUKE PLANTS.



# AMERICA'S NEW FAVORITE SPORT: **X-TREME X-TRACTION!**



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FUKUSHIMA HURT JAPAN. BUT CRY FOR THE  
REAL VICTIMS ~ THE ENERGY INDUSTRY

Do you know how hard it is now to re-brand nuclear power as green?

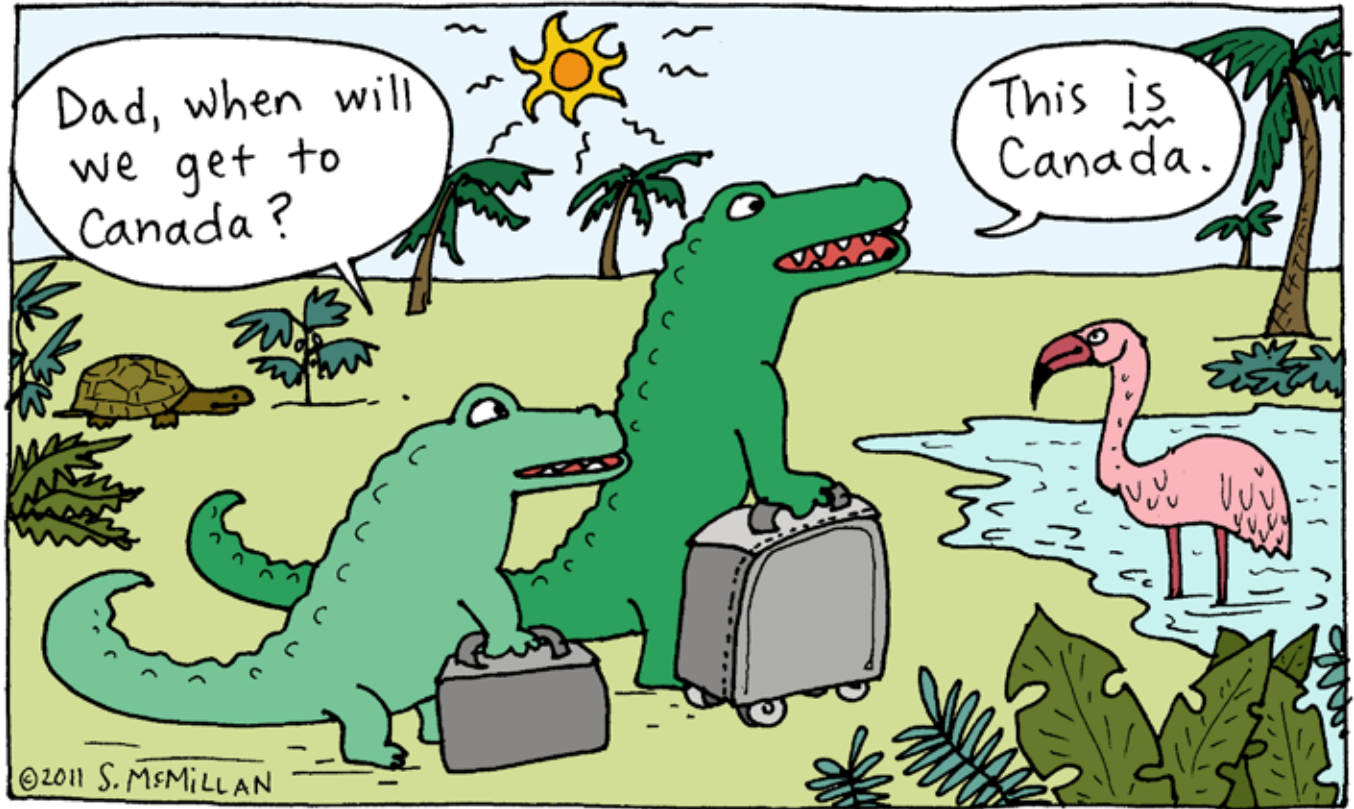
Our crumbly infrastructure is first-rate! Are you going to abandon clean energy because of a few leaks?



FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS & CORPORATIONS GRAB  
LARGE SWATHS OF AFRICA, AND VIOLENTLY EVICT  
LOCALS TO GROW BIOFUEL & OTHER EXPORT CROPS.



ANIMALS & PLANTS FLEEING CLIMATE CHANGE ARE MIGRATING TOWARD THE POLES AT 20 CM PER HOUR.





# A MONSANTO EXECUTIVE FACES THE APOCALYPSE



THE STATE DEPARTMENT OUTSOURCED THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT FOR THE CONTROVERSIAL KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE TO A COMPANY WITH FINANCIAL TIES TO THE PIPELINE.

Amazing... leaks of tar sands crude will make the water cleaner, cure acne, and bring 7 out of 10 extinct species back to life!

For an extra \$500 I'll make it 9 out of 10!



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2 IN 5 PREGNANCIES ARE UNINTENDED. POPULATION GROWTH WOULD SLOW IF WOMEN CONTROLLED BIRTHS.

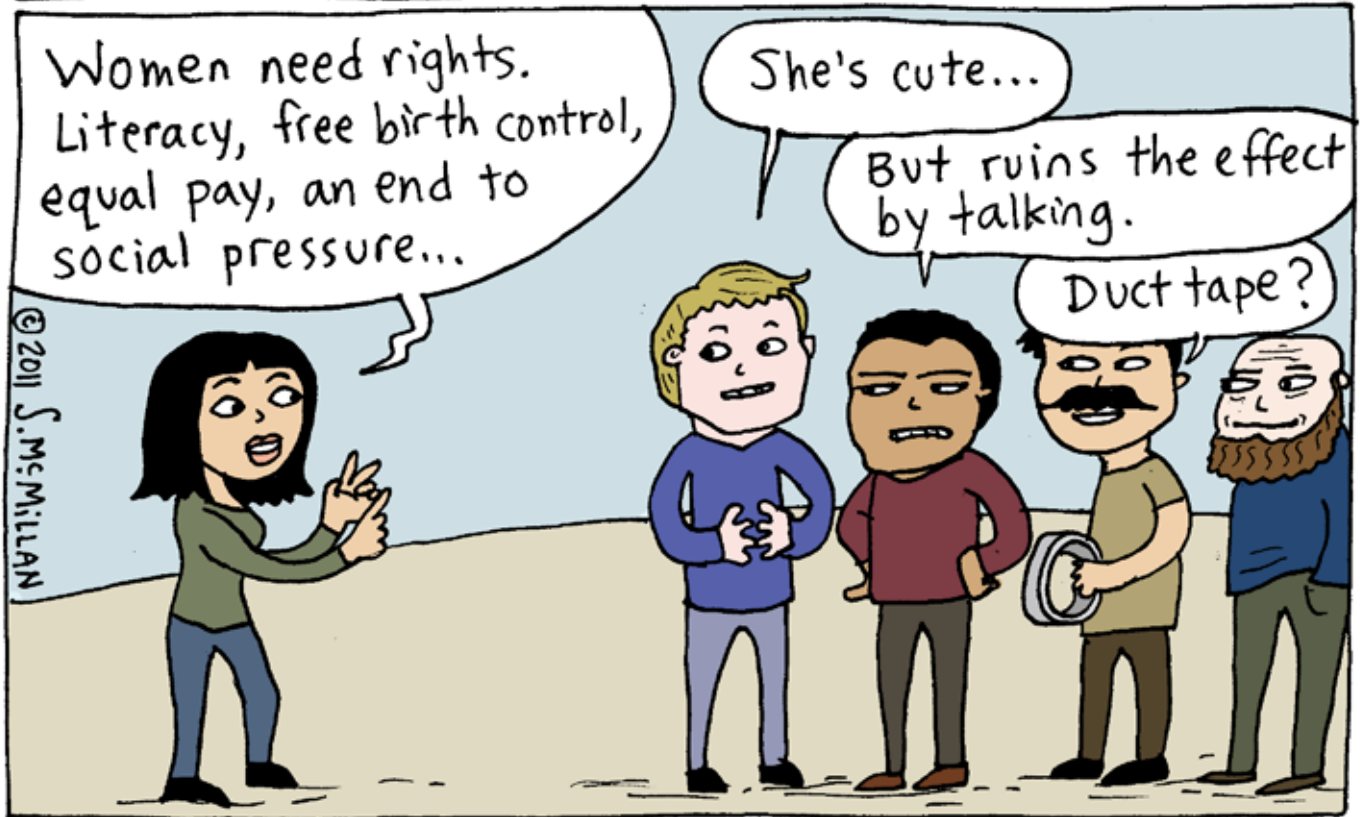
Women need rights.  
Literacy, free birth control,  
equal pay, an end to  
social pressure...

She's cute...

But ruins the effect  
by talking.

Duct tape?

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KILLED BY THE MILLIONS, THE CHAMBERED NAUTILUS HAS BEEN NEARLY WIPED OUT.

After half a billion years of evolution, we're staring at extinction.

Fret not. We shall live forever as earrings and paperweights.



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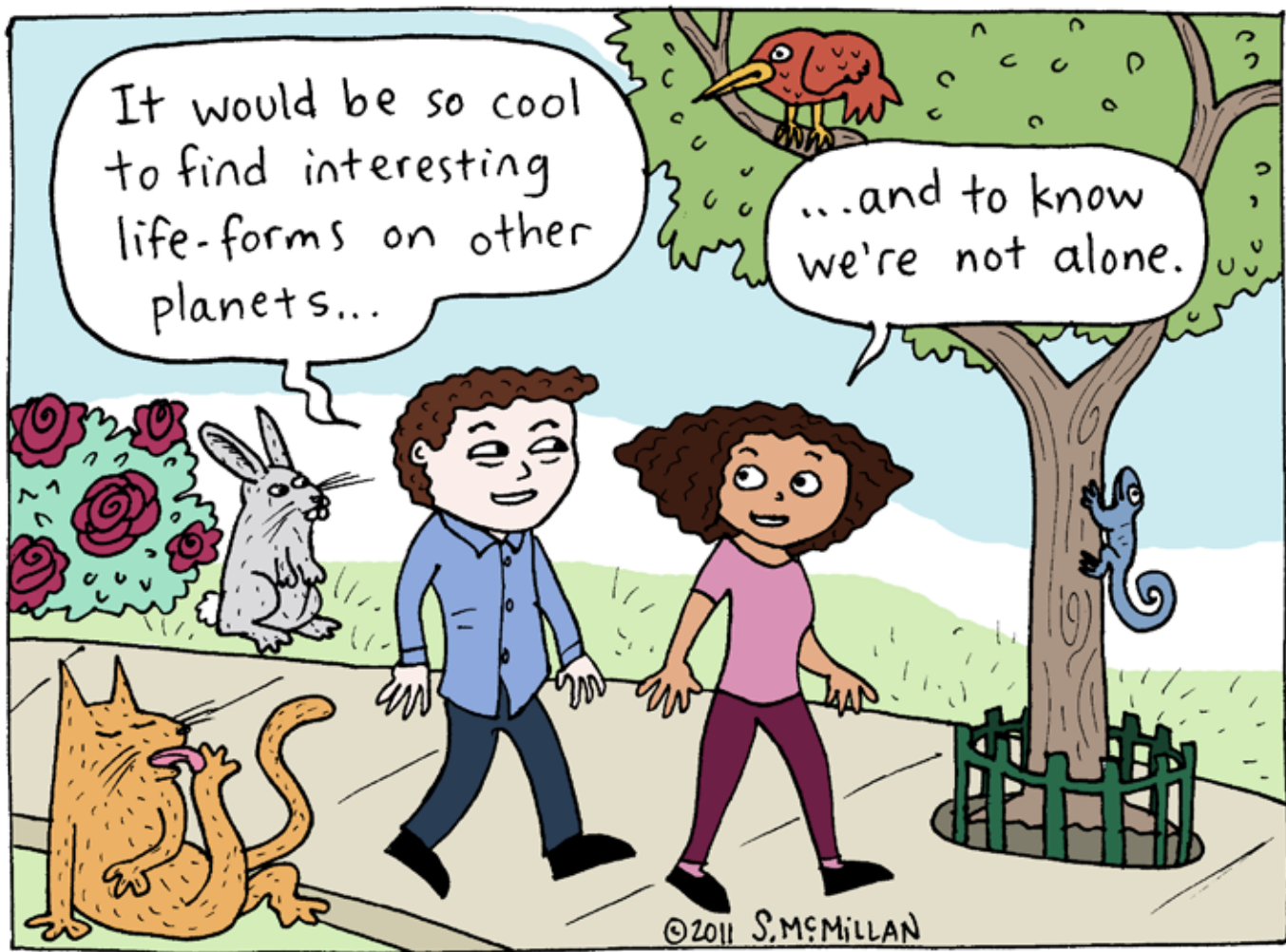


It's been 22 years since the Exxon Valdez spill. Why won't you pay for the rest of the clean-up? You did promise.

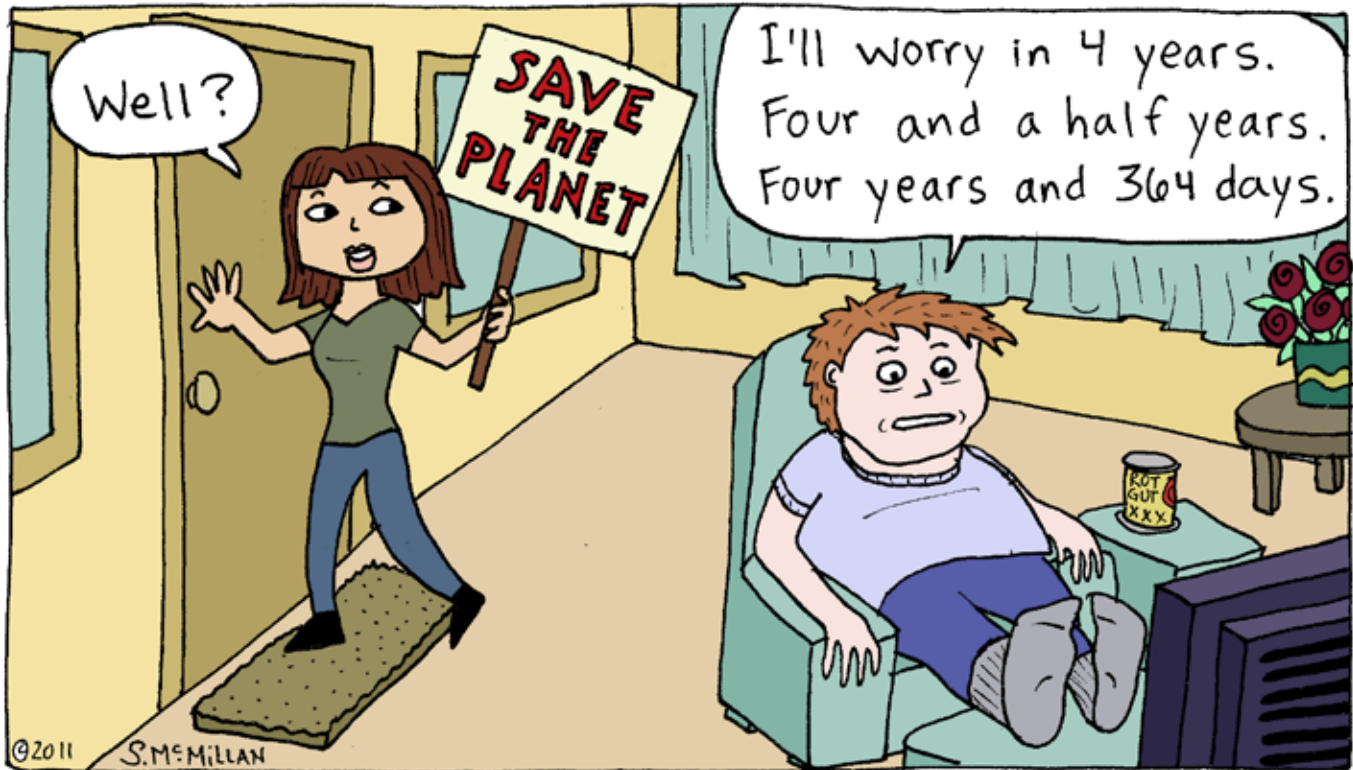
Sorry, pathetic animal thing! IF our latest quarterly profit had risen by \$10.34 billion instead of a measly \$10.33 billion, we might've been able to swing it.

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INTERNATIONAL ENERGY AGENCY: EARTH DOOMED TO RUNAWAY GLOBAL WARMING UNLESS CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSIONS ARE SLASHED WITHIN 5 YEARS.



UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES: FOREST MANAGERS HAVE ALLOWED LOGGING AND HAVE SUPPRESSED WILDFIRES. NOW, PESTS ARE GOING HAYWIRE. IN WASHINGTON ALONE, 3,000,000 ACRES OF TREES ARE DYING.

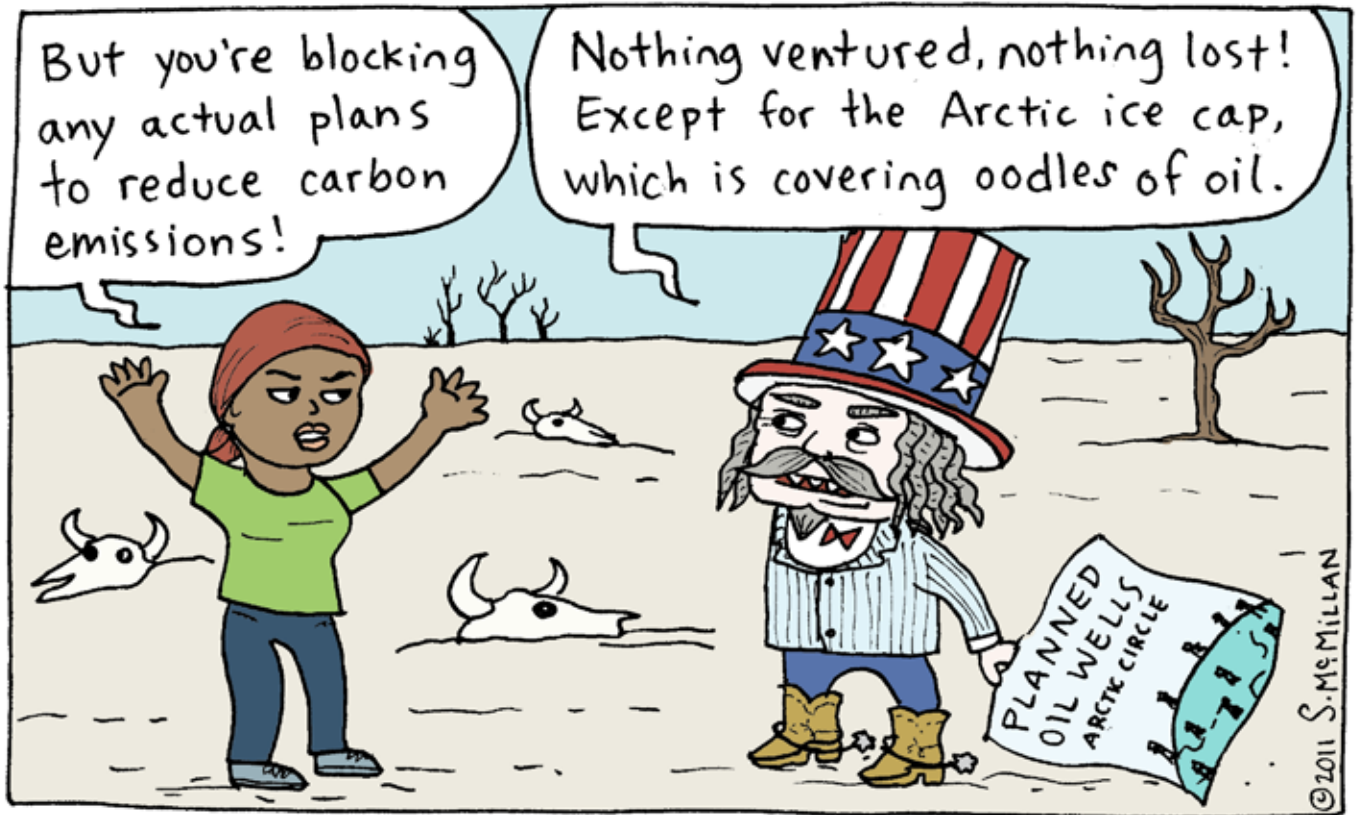




THE U.S. WANTS THE U.N. CLIMATE CONFERENCE IN DURBAN, SOUTH AFRICA TO WORK, SAY POLITICIANS.

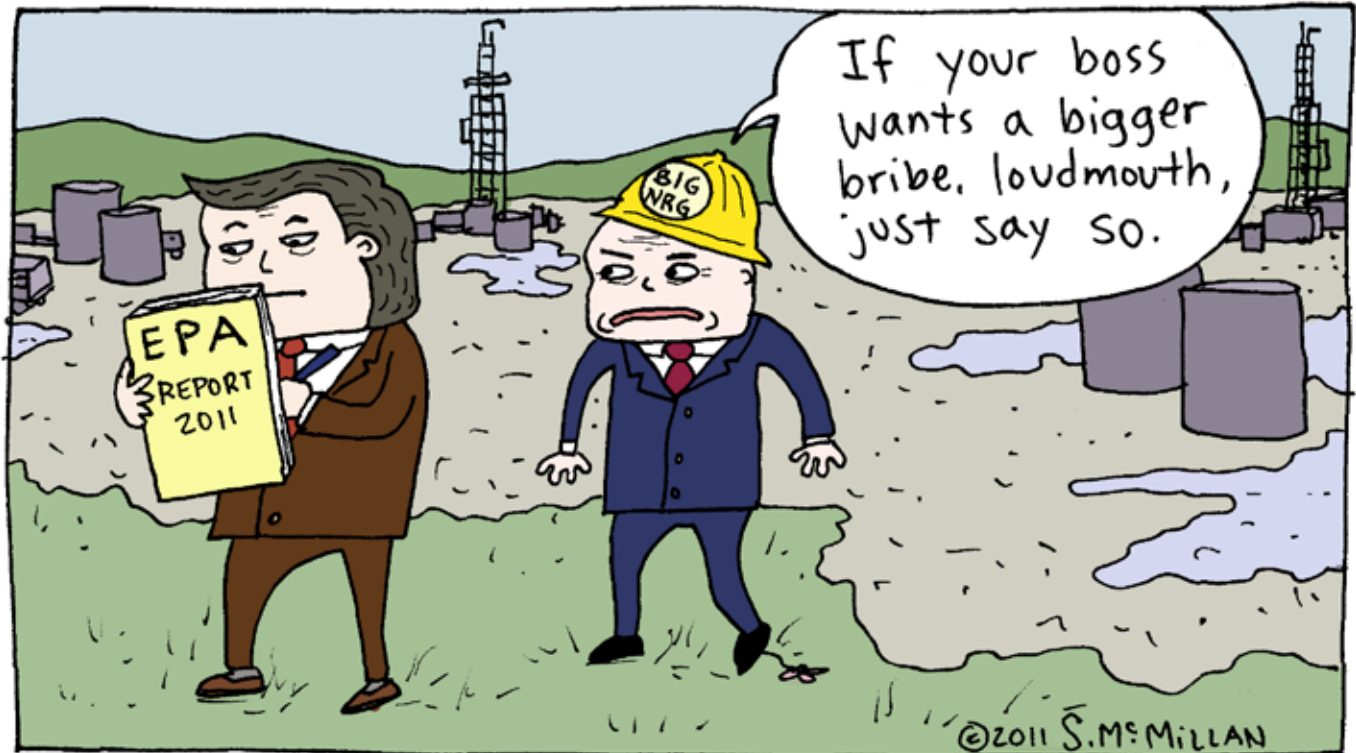
But you're blocking any actual plans to reduce carbon emissions!

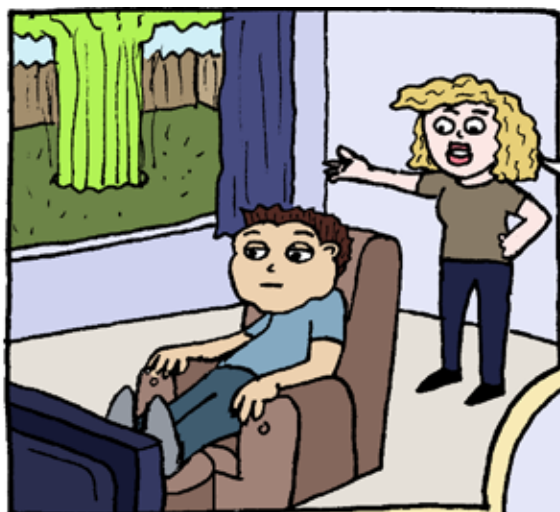
Nothing ventured, nothing lost! Except for the Arctic ice cap, which is covering oodles of oil.





FRACKING NEWSFLASH! EPA DISCOVERS THAT INJECTING THOUSANDS OF GALLONS OF TOXIC CHEMICALS INTO THE GROUND POISONS THE GROUNDWATER!



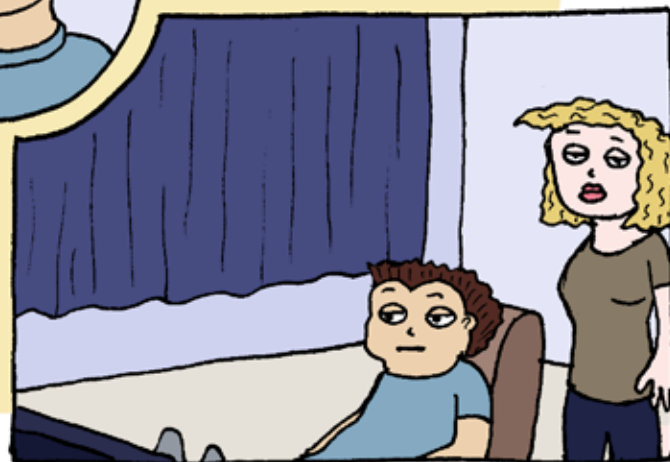


Now a plume of methane is erupting in your back yard! When will you do something about global warming?

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Now! This can't go on!



The candidates will now debate double parking, flash mob fashion, and the threat of nematodes. Followed by the most urgent issue of all...

The environmental crisis! They have to get around to that ~ they've addressed every single other issue!

... Is disco music killing our children?

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AFTER REVIEWING PUBLIC COMMENTS, THE USDA APPROVED MONSANTO'S LATEST GENETICALLY MODIFIED CORN VARIETY

But our comments ran 45,000 to 23 against it!

We will never yield to the tyranny of the overwhelming, essentially unanimous, majority!

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PUBLIC COMMENTS ABOUT MONSANTO'S NEW GMO SOY WILL BE IGNORED THROUGH 2/27/12 AT: <http://www.regulations.gov/#!submitComment;D=APHIS-2011-0095-0001>

DURING 2010 THE 3 MAJOR TV NETWORKS DEVOTED A WHOPPING 14 NEWS STORIES TO THE TOPIC OF GLOBAL WARMING. AIRTIME GRAND TOTAL: 32 MINUTES.

Come on, guys. We can do better.

One story!  
One second!

Every millisecond you save provides the American people with crucial information about Tebow.



OBAMA DECIDED NOT TO AUTHORIZE THE XL TAR SANDS OIL PIPELINE ~ AT LEAST NOT BEFORE THE ELECTIONS.

In return for my 12 months of caving in to environmentalists, they'll back my re-election!

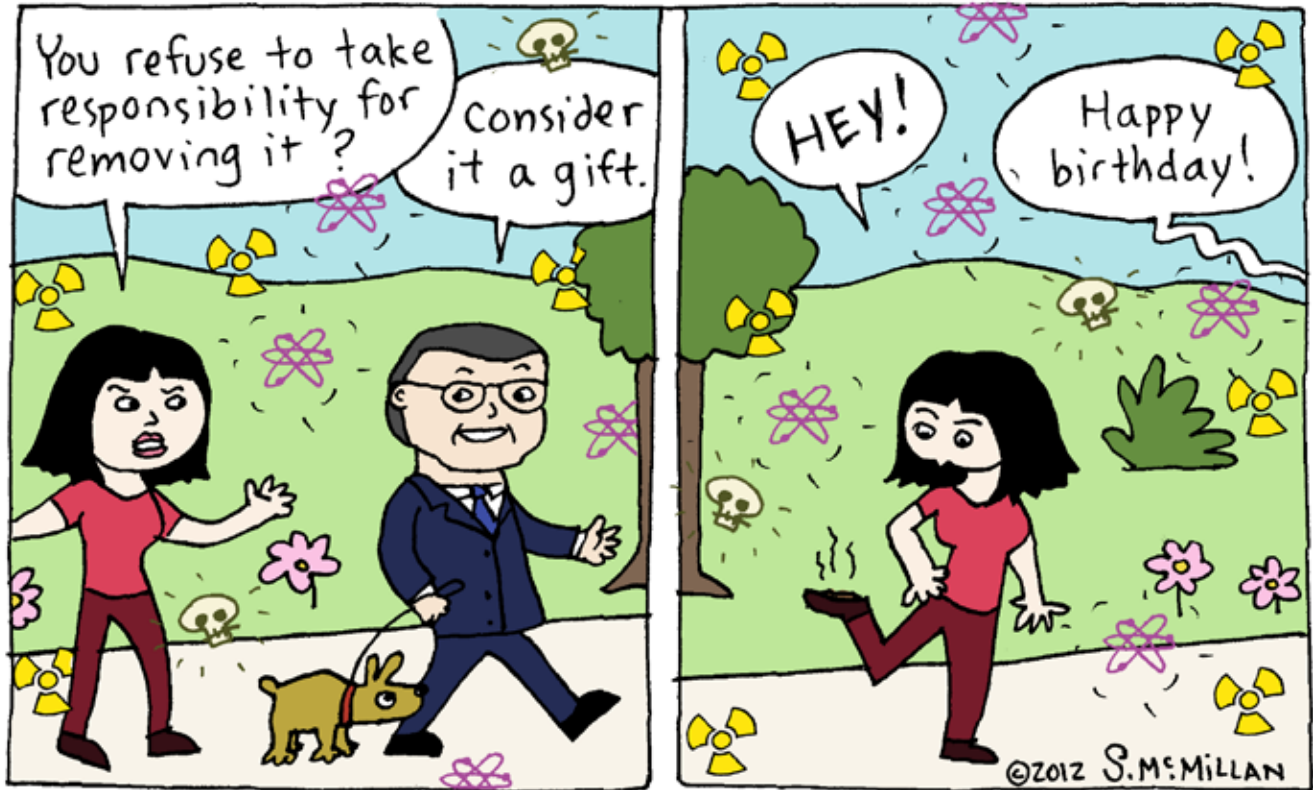
12-month delays helped make the Earth the beautiful non-mess it is today!

We will never stop fighting for sustainability ~ of our donor bases!





TEPCO CLAIMS IT NO LONGER OWNS THE RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL THAT SPEWED FROM ITS FUKUSHIMA PLANT.



THE WALL STREET JOURNAL LETTERS-TO-THE-EDITOR COMMITTEE MAKES ITS PICKS:

Here's one by 225 scientists calling for lower CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

This one is by 16 scientists. It says global warming is a communist lie.

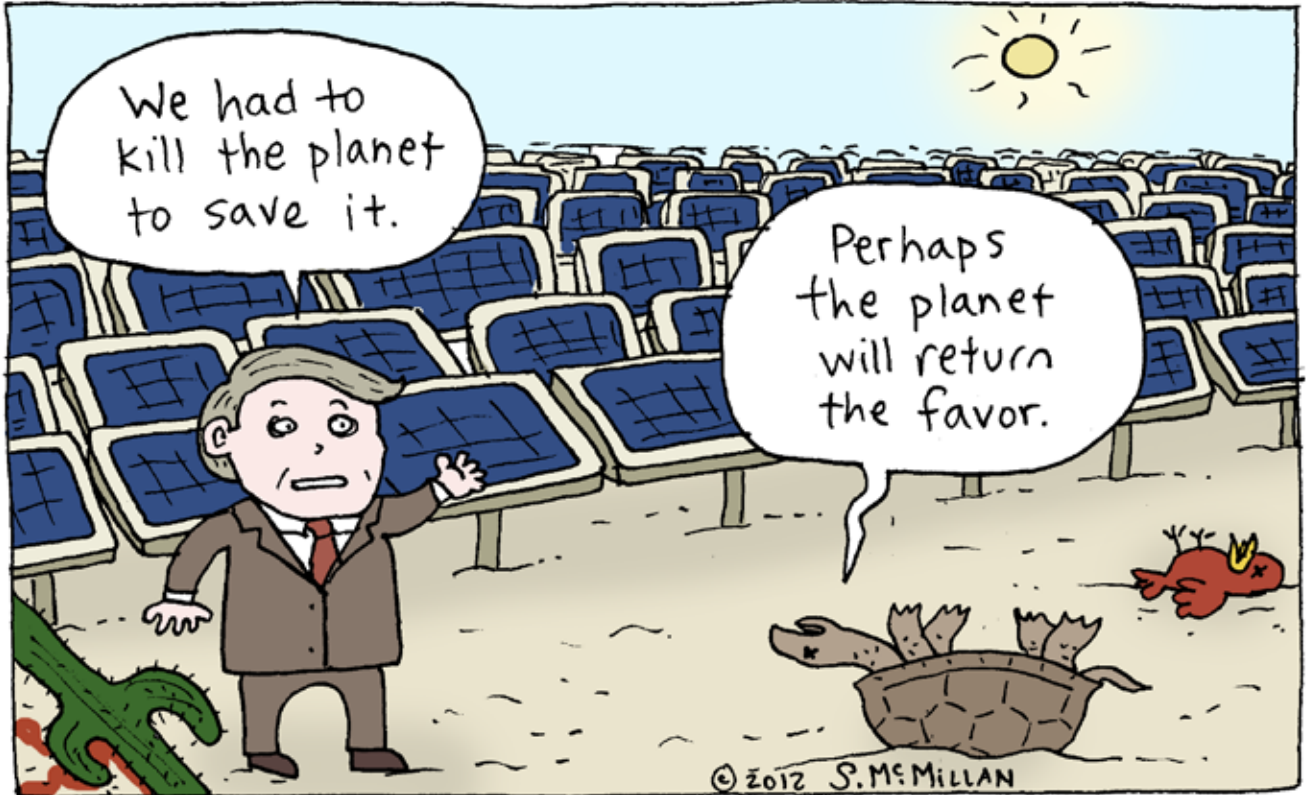
It's on ExxonMobil letterhead.

Pretty!

Let's not kowtow to the scientific majority.

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MASSIVE SOLAR ENERGY FACILITIES ARE SPRINGING UP ACROSS THE SOUTHWEST, DECIMATING VAST AREAS OF DESERT.



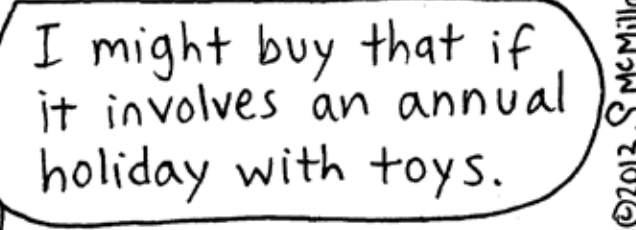
DOW CHEMICAL WANTS TO USE NANOTECHNOLOGY TO  
TURN PLANTS INTO NON-BIODEGRADABLE PLASTIC



THE GLOBAL WARMING DENIALIST THINK TANK, HEARTLAND INSTITUTE, SPENDS MILLIONS TO INFLUENCE POLITICIANS, SMEAR SCIENTISTS, AND LIE TO SCHOOLKIDS.



If we ever stop burning oil and coal, monsters will eat us!



I might buy that if it involves an annual holiday with toys.



They'll start with you!

Still not seeing any toys.

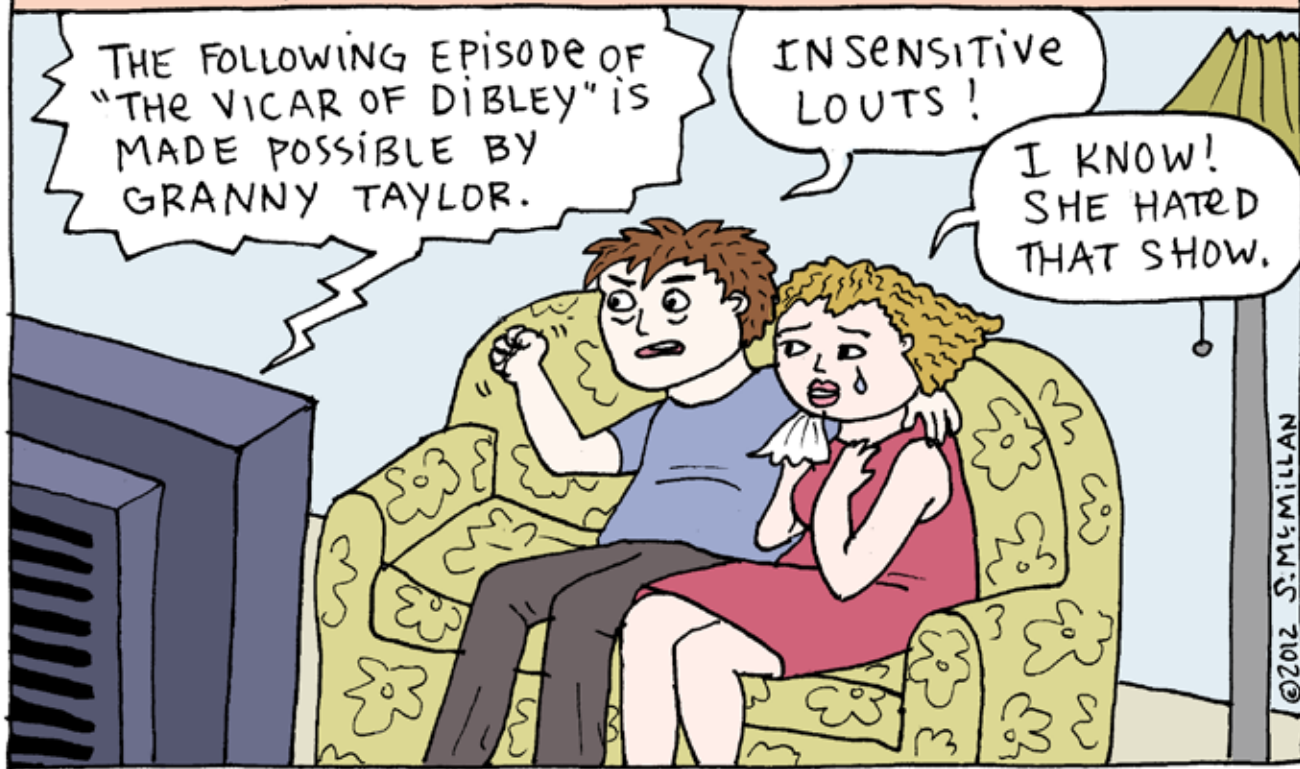
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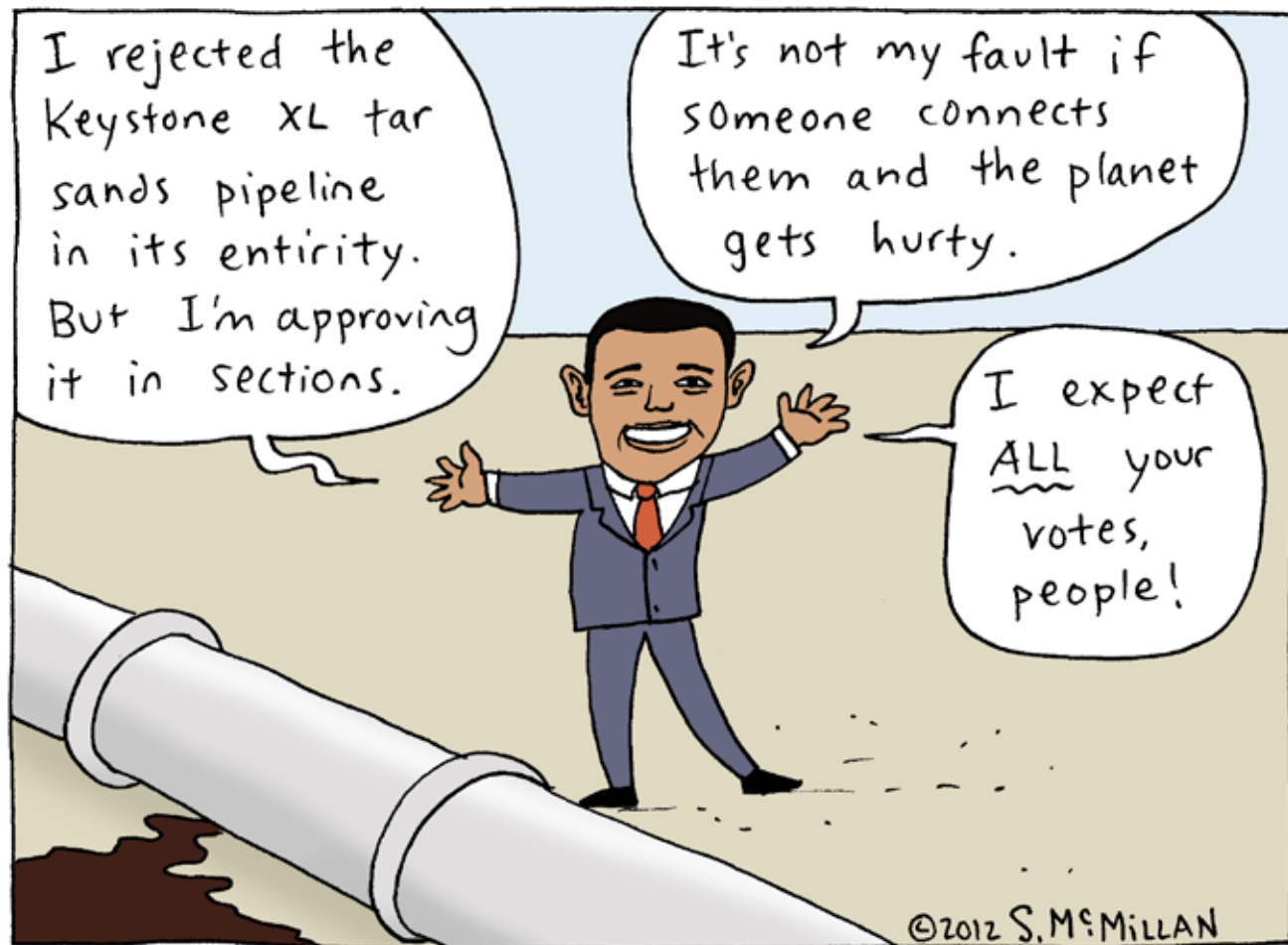
A BRITISH CREMATORIUM CAN CONVERT THE HEAT FROM BURNING BODIES INTO ELECTRICITY. EACH CORPSE GENERATES ENOUGH TO POWER 1,500 TELEVISIONS FOR AN HOUR.

THE FOLLOWING EPISODE OF "THE VICAR OF DIBLEY" IS MADE POSSIBLE BY GRANNY TAYLOR.

INSENSITIVE LOUTS!

I KNOW! SHE HATED THAT SHOW.





According to two new studies,  
neurotoxic pesticides kill bees  
and other pollinators.

That's right ~ the more  
you protect your crops,  
the more you kill them.



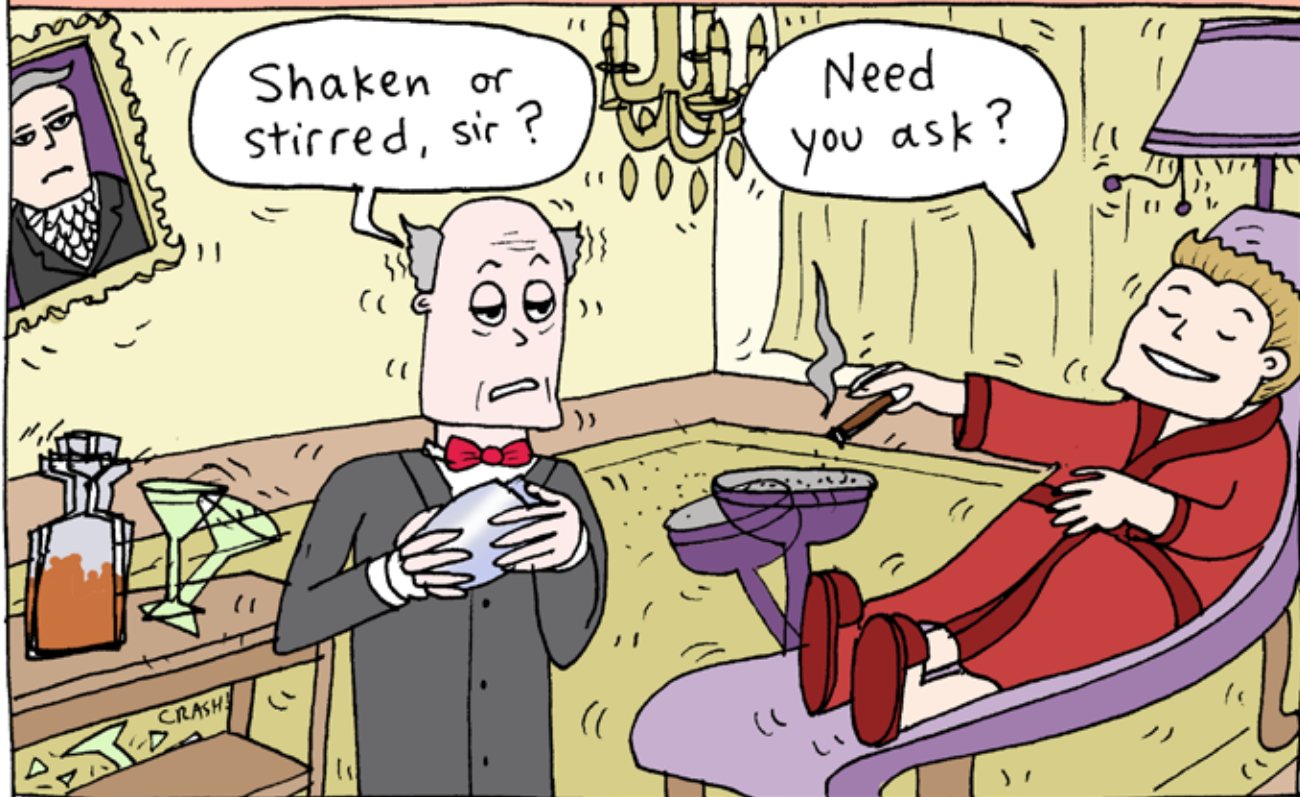
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I give  
up.



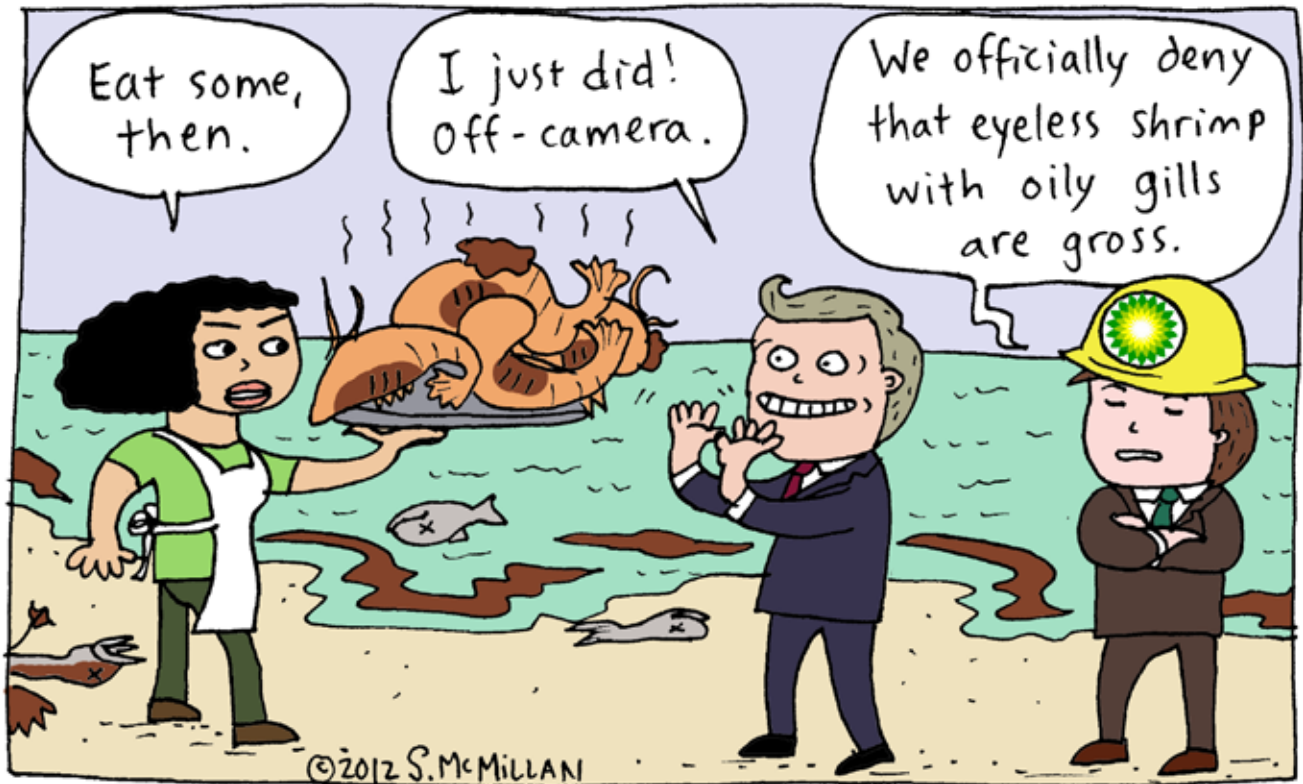


FRACKING FOR NATURAL GAS CAN CAUSE EARTH-QUAKES. FRACKING EXECS LOOK ON THE BRIGHT SIDE.





2 YEARS AFTER THE GULF OIL SPILL, BP AND THE FDA INSIST THE SHRIMP FROM THE DISASTER SITE ARE YUMMY & SAFE.



ONE YEAR AFTER THE FUKUSHIMA DISASTER

Good news! We've contained the leaks.

Um... the fuel rods are still spewing radiation. The contamination is global.

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Idiot! I was referring to leaks of information.



NEARLY 5% OF AFRICA'S AGRICULTURAL LAND WAS BOUGHT OR LEASED BY FOREIGN INVESTORS AS OF 2010.

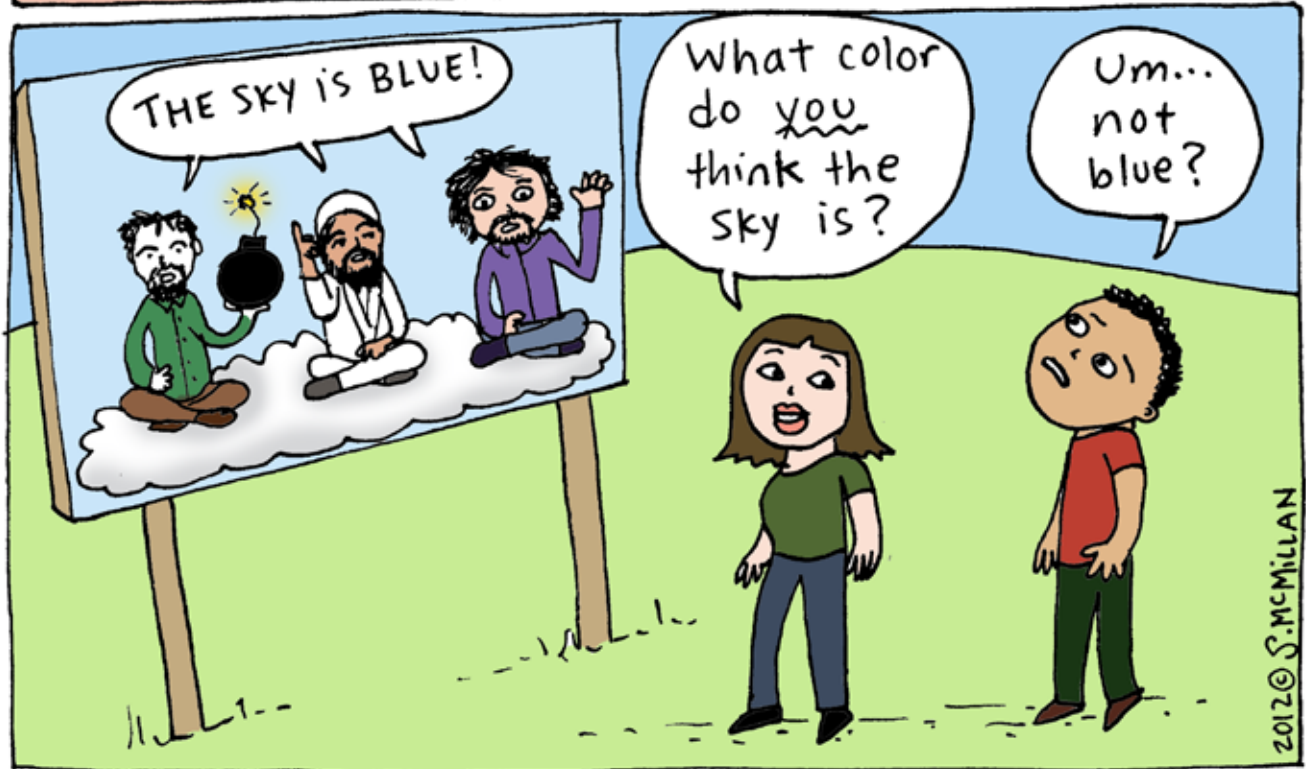
All this has to go. The world market needs this space for palm oil and paper pulp.

But we live here.

LiveD. Don't let one little letter stand in the way of multinational profits.



THE HEARTLAND INSTITUTE'S BILLBOARDS SAY YOU SHOULDN'T BELIEVE IN GLOBAL WARMING, BECAUSE TED KACZYNSKI, OSAMA BIN LADEN, AND CHARLES MANSON DO. NEXT...



THE USDA'S NATIONAL ORGANICS STANDARDS BOARD, STACKED WITH AGRIBUSINESS EXECUTIVES, ALLOWS "ORGANIC" FOOD TO CONTAIN SYNTHETIC CHEMICALS AND TOXIC ADDITIVES



CARBON EMISSIONS ROSE BY 3.2% IN 2011, DESPITE PLEDGES BY COUNTRIES TO REDUCE THEM.

Don't blame us :  
we never actually  
promised anything.

At least WE have policies.  
(We'll carry them out someday).

OUR fictional  
promises go even  
theoretically  
further than you  
two slackers.







We just hit 400 ppm of CO<sub>2</sub>.

"Global warming doesn't exist" had a nice run. Time to roll out our "Too late to stop us, might as well join us" campaign.



OBAMA AND 8 OTHER COUNTRIES WANT TO LET TRANS-NATIONAL CORPORATIONS CIRCUMVENT NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS.

Outrageous! Predatory foreign companies will Poison the American people!

But then you can poison the people in 8 other countries!



They say poison ~ we say profits. Free trade rules!



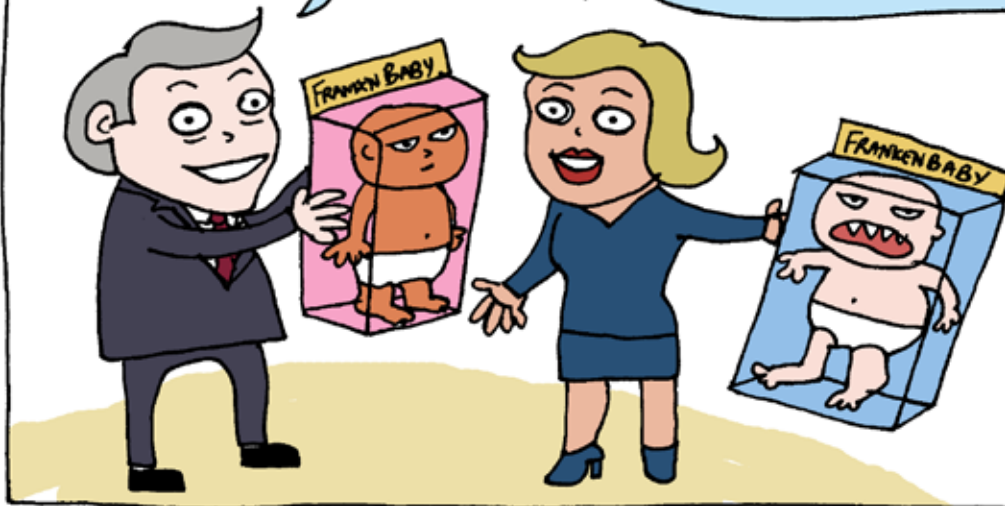
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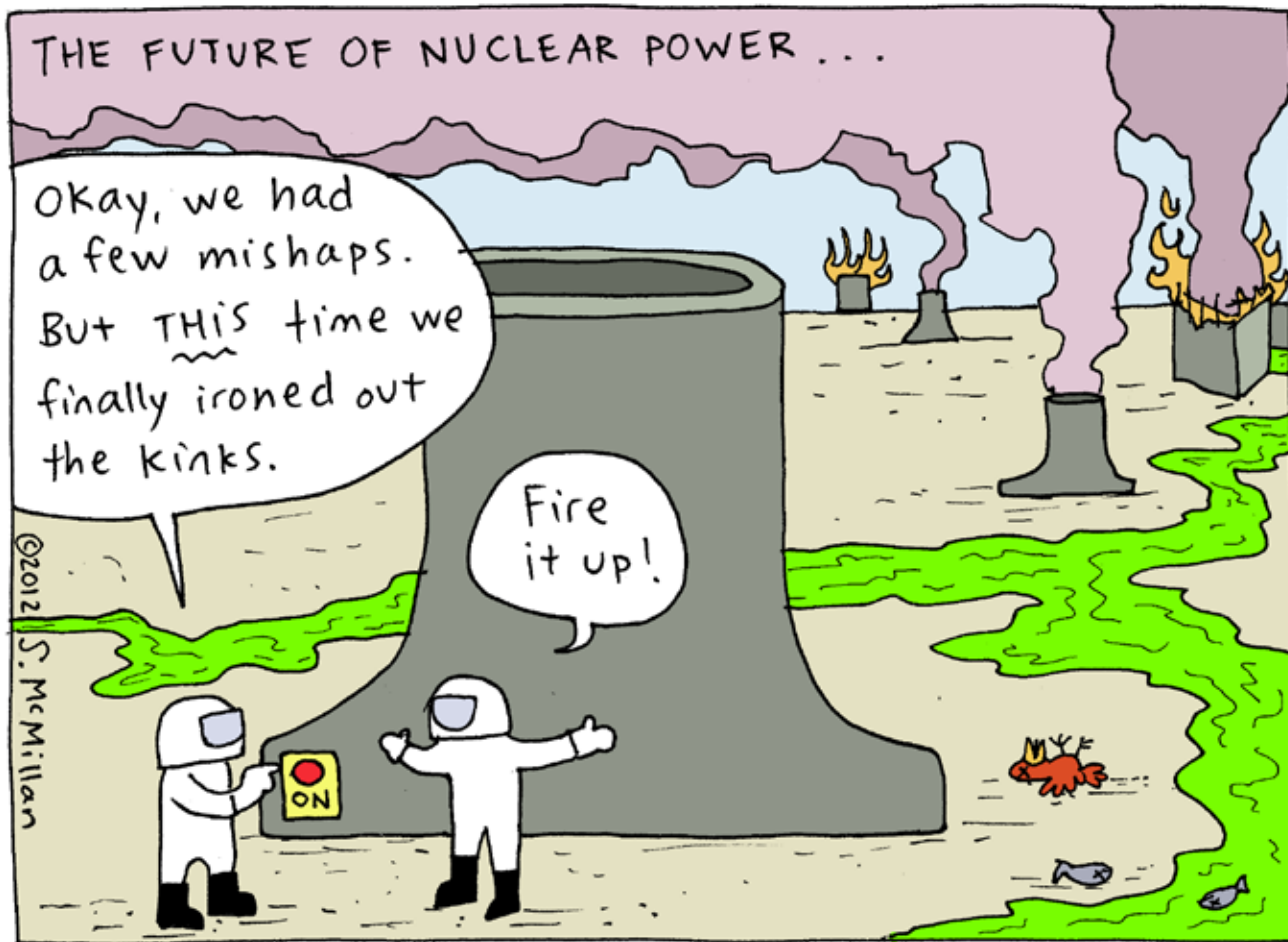
SOME OUTFIT IN NEW JERSEY HAS CREATED  
30 GENETICALLY MODIFIED HUMAN BABIES.

Our FrankenBaby™  
industry will  
revitalize the  
economy!

We're already getting orders  
from executive recruiting  
firms for our unscrupulous  
sociopath line.



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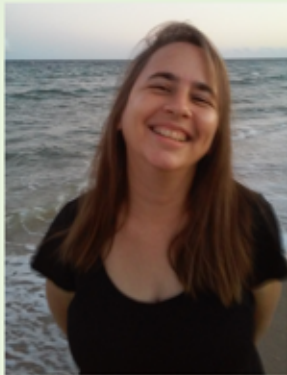


We face two choices:  
omnicide or global anti-capitalist revolution.  
Workers of the world: **UNITE!**

During its three-year run, "Code Green" was the only editorial cartoon in the US to focus solely on ecological issues. In an effort to alert as many people as possible to the global environmental emergency, it covered topics like deforestation, heavy metal pollution, the Keystone XL tarsands oil pipeline, GMOs, species extinction, the BP oil spill, Fukushima, and (of course) global warming.

These cartoons have been reprinted all over the world, from Bangladesh to Saudi Arabia, Iceland to Australia. Protesters at demonstrations have added them to signs. Organizers have put them on leaflets and in their newsletters. Readers share them on social media. The series won the RFK Journalism Award.

Unfortunately, as of this printing, the problems have only intensified, making many of these cartoons more topical than ever.



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