

RECENT POSTINGS TO THE CANADIAN FIREARMS DIGEST

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POSTS FROM CANADA

EDITORIAL: CRACK DOWN ON ILLEGAL GUNS

Over the past three years, 60 per cent of crime guns in B.C. came from Canada, according to the national weapons enforcement support team. Times Colonist - DECEMBER 1, 2017

<http://www.timescolonist.com/opinion/editorials/editorial-crack-down-on-illegal-guns-1.23109826>

BULK OF CRIME GUNS DOMESTICALLY SOURCED? TRY 33% AT MOST.

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<https://calibremag.ca/bulk-of-crime-guns-domestically-sourced-false/>

CBC OTTAWA - VICTIM CHARGED AFTER MIDDAY SHOOTOUT

Mohamed Ribih showed up at hospital with serious, but non-life-threatening gunshot injuries. He's charged with: Careless use of a firearm, Pointing a firearm, Possessing a dangerous weapon, Possessing a firearm without a licence, Knowingly possessing a firearm without a licence, Occupying a vehicle with a firearm, Possessing a loaded, regulated firearm, Discharging a firearm. CBC News - Dec 01, 2017

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/ottawa/victim-charged-rochester-street-shooting-1.4428075>

MONTREAL GAZETTE - CALLOUS PLAN BY 'GUNNIES' REMINDS US WHY WE NEED GUN CONTROL

It's hard to think of a more outrageous place to hold a rally against gun control than a park dedicated to the memory of 14 women murdered by a gun-wielding maniac. By Allison Hanes, Montreal Gazette - Last Updated: December 1, 2017

<http://montrealgazette.com/opinion/columnists/allison-hanes-callous-plan-by-gunnies-reminds-us-why-we-need-gun-control>

NEW GUN LAW UNLIKELY BEFORE LATE JANUARY AT THE EARLIEST

"It's in the near future," Scott Bardsley, a spokesman for the minister's office said today. The plan will be a set of "legislative measures," not Orders in Council which are approved without parliamentary consent. Bardsley, who declined to elaborate on the timing or content of the new laws, commented further by e-mail: (Read the rest at the link below)

TheGunBlog.ca - Friday 01 December 2017

<https://thegunblog.ca/2017/12/01/new-gun-law-unlikely-before-late-january-at-the-earliest/>

CBC - MASSACRE SURVIVORS, FAMILY MEMBERS PRESS LIBERALS FOR STRONGER GUN LAWS

Tony Bernardo, executive director of the Canadian Shooting Sports Association, said directing tougher gun control measures against law-abiding members of society is contrary to Trudeau's commitment to evidence-based laws. "The push for constant incremental laws directed against the 2.1 million lawful and trustworthy firearms owners of Canada seems more emotion-based than evidence-based," he said. "Being fathers, mothers, sisters and brothers, Canada's firearms community feels the grief of senseless tragedies. However, passing laws against those who do not commit these crimes seems lacking in effectiveness." By Kathleen Harris, CBC News - Nov 30, 2017

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/politics/gun-massacre-liberal-government-laws-1.4426086>

NATIONAL POST - WATERLOO REGION WEAPONS AMNESTY BRINGS 87 FIREARMS, 5,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION - Police said Friday that 87 firearms, 5,000 rounds of ammunition and 27 pellet guns have been

collected, and 30 calls were still waiting for pickup. The Canadian Press - November 30, 2017

<http://nationalpost.com/pmnn/news-pmn/canada-news-pmn/waterloo-region-weapons-amnesty-brings-87-firearms-5000-rounds-of-ammunition>

<https://www.cambridgetimes.ca/news-story/7973654-guns-ammunition-surrendered-during-waterloo-regional-police-amnesty-program/>

GUN-CONTROL ACTIVISTS URGE TRUDEAU NOT TO COMPROMISE WITH FIREARM LOBBY

"The new committee ... has had only two meetings — one in March and one in May," she said. "When the minister (Goodale) was asked when the gun control bill would be tabled, one of his responses was the committee was 'hard at work.'" Rathjen said the delays are due to the "objections of firearm owners."

by Melanie Marquis, Hamilton Spectator November 30, 2017

<https://www.thespec.com/news-story/7973694-gun-control-activists-urge-trudeau-not-to-compromise-with-firearm-lobby/>

QUEBEC SHOOTING VICTIMS WANT TRUDEAU TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT GUN VIOLENCE

Still, Canadian gun lobbyists, however benign they may be compared to their American cousins, have outsized political influence. Their votes are crucial in rural ridings throughout the country. By Karl Nerenberg - November 30, 2017

<http://rabble.ca/news/2017/11/quebec-shooting-victims-want-trudeau-do-something-about-gun-violence>

FAMILIES, SURVIVORS OF GUN VIOLENCE CALL ON GOODALE TO TABLE GUN CONTROL BILL

A spokesperson for Goodale told CTV News that the government will not be introducing anything before year's end, but "in the near future" Goodale will introduce legislation consistent with what was promised during the campaign: a multi-pronged plan to "take pragmatic action" and make it harder for criminals to get and use handguns and assault weapons.

By Rachel Aiello, Ottawa News Bureau Online Producer - November 30, 2017

<https://www.ctvnews.ca/politics/families-survivors-of-gun-violence-call-on-goodale-to-table-gun-control-bill-1.3700851>

IPOLITICS AM: QUEBEC MOSQUE SHOOTING SURVIVORS CALL FOR GUN CONTROL TIMETABLE

By Kady O'Malley. Published on Nov 30, 2017 5:18am

<https://ipolitics.ca/2017/11/30/ipolitics-scheer-gun-control-disability-tax-credit-secret-ballot-vote-lead-hill-agenda/>

EXCERPT: Also on the precinct agenda today: Families of the victims and survivors of the Quebec mosque shooting descend on the parliamentary press theatre to urge the government "to provide a precise timetable for the tabling of a gun control bill," as well "offer reassurance that a serious efforts will be made to correct the flaws" in the current gun control regime, "most of which," the advisory notes, "were inflicted by the previous government."

YOUTH TARGET SHOOTING PROGRAM OFF TO STRONG START

The Sunshine Coast Rod and Gun Club's new youth target shooting program has attracted about a half-dozen participants so far, with lots of room to grow, according to organizer Allan Harding. Harding, a champion air pistol shooter from Gibsons, approached the club about starting a program earlier this year, and they held their first sessions in November. By Sean Eckford / Staff Writer NOVEMBER 30, 2017

<http://www.coastreporter.net/sports/local-sports/youth-target-shooting-program-off-to-strong-start-1.23109389>

LETTER: GUN REGULATIONS IN JAPAN A GOOD EXAMPLE FOR CANADA AND THE U.S.

Extremely low rates of gun-related homicides show regulations working, reader writes

By Phil Timmer, Saanich - Victoria News - Nov. 30, 2017 LETTERS OPINION

<https://www.vicnews.com/opinion/gun-regulations-in-japan-a-good-example-for-canada-and-the-u-s/>

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MOST ILLEGAL GUNS IN B.C. FROM WITHIN CANADA: REPORT

A provincial task force on illegal firearms says the majority of guns used in criminal acts come from Canada, and it's calling for new laws to better track gun sales in this country.

By Lindsay Kines / <http://www.timescolonist.com> NOVEMBER 29, 2017 Times Colonist

<http://www.alaskahighwaynews.ca/province/most-illegal-guns-in-b-c-from-within-canada-report-1.23107624>

<http://www.timescolonist.com/news/local/most-illegal-guns-in-b-c-from-within-canada-report-1.23106048>

SURPRISES FOUND IN STATSCAN'S RECENT HOMICIDE REPORT

Justice for Gun Owners - November 2017 Update

<http://mailchi.mp/bb6e5f0ea716/do-big-cities-have-more-gun-violence-than-small-towns-or-rural-areas?e=bc1823b8e2>

<https://dennisryoung.ca/2017/11/29/surprises-found-statscans-recent-homicide-report/>

CBC - B.C. FIREARMS TASK FORCE TO TARGET HOMEGROWN ILLEGAL GUN TRADE

Police data indicates almost 60 per cent of the guns seized in B.C. were purchased, traded or stolen in Canada, Public Safety Minister Mike Farnworth said Monday. The Canadian Press - Nov 28, 2017

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/illegal-firearms-task-force-bc-1.4422565>

ANALYSIS: RCMP STATISTICS ON 'DOMESTICALLY SOURCED' CRIME GUNS ARE WRONG!

http://canadafreepress.com/print_friendly/critique-of-canada-firearms-program-2014-fiesd-annual-report

PROFESSOR MAUSER DISSECTS RCMP's FALSE CLAIMS ABOUT 'DOMESTICALLY SOURCED' CRIME GUNS <http://dennisryoung.ca/2017/06/23/3205/>

CANADA MUST DO MORE TO STOP TROPHY HUNTING OF ELEPHANTS, CONSERVATIONISTS SAY

In the last decade, Canadians have legally imported more than 2,600 trophy animals that are on an international list of endangered species. The imports also include thousands of animal skins, skulls, feet, ears, tusks, horns and tails of everything from antelope to zebras from all corners of the earth. By MIA RABSON, The Canadian Press - Tues., Nov. 28, 2017

<https://www.thestar.com/news/canada/2017/11/28/canada-must-do-more-to-stop-trophy-hunting-of-elephants-conservationists-say.html>

AFTER OUTCRY, GUN ADVOCATES CHANGE LOCATION OF PLANNED PROTEST RALLY IN

MONTREAL - Justin Trudeau is among the politicians condemning plans by a pro-gun group to stage a demonstration at the memorial for the victims of the Polytechnique massacre in Montreal.

By Jason Magder, Montreal Gazette - November 28, 2017

<http://montrealgazette.com/news/local-news/gun-advocates-to-rally-at-ecole-polytechnique-memorial-site-in-montreal>

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/montreal/polytechnique-shooting-gun-rally-1.4422675>

<https://www.thestar.com/news/canada/2017/11/28/politicians-denounce-quebec-pro-gun-lobby-plans-for-rally-at-site-of-ecole-polytechnique-memorial.html>

THE REBEL - STUDY BLOWS MASSIVE HOLE IN PRO-GUN CONTROL NARRATIVE

A yearlong study from the leftwing group The Trace found that criminals stealing firearms from gun owners is actually what's fuelling gun crimes across America. By REBEL STAFF - November 28, 2017

https://www.therebel.media/study_blow_massive_hole_in_pro_gun_control_narrative

VICTIMS OF RURAL CRIME SPEAK OUT; ALBERTA CONSERVATIVES CALL IT 'AN EPIDEMIC'

Dozens of victims of rural crime across Alberta came to the legislature on Monday as the United Conservative Party pushed for an emergency debate on the issue. By Sarah Kraus, Reporter - Global News - November 27, 2017

<https://globalnews.ca/news/3884077/rural-crime-alberta-legislature-attack-ucp-victims-assault/>

<http://edmontonjournal.com/news/politics/whats-growing-in-rural-alberta-rural-crime-say-residents-visiting-legislature>

MOST ILLEGAL GUNS IN B.C. FROM WITHIN CANADA: REPORT

It's a myth that most guns used to commit crimes in B.C. are smuggled across the border from the United States, a new report shows. A provincial task force on illegal firearms says the majority of guns used in criminal acts come from Canada, and it's calling for new laws to better track gun sales in this country.

By Lindsay Kines - Times Colonist - NOVEMBER 27, 2017

<http://www.timescolonist.com/news/local/most-illegal-guns-in-b-c-from-within-canada-report-1.23106048>

<http://www.570news.com/2017/11/27/bulk-of-illegal-guns-in-b-c-from-domestic-supply-province-tackles-trafficking/>

B.C. ILLEGAL FIREARMS TASK FORCE REPORT TARGETS GUN VIOLENCE

The Illegal Firearms Task Force (IFTF) convened last fall to examine current legislation and enforcement policies, and has now provided the Province with 37 recommendations to deal with issues relating to policing, legislative and policy changes, education and prevention. News Release - Monday, November 27, 2017 12:30 PM

<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2017PSSG0074-001971>

B.C. TASK FORCE ON ILLEGAL FIREARMS FINAL REPORT - SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

Appendix 1: Recommendations of the Illegal Firearms (Page 117 to 124)

NOTE: Pay very close attention to all the recommendations for more Federal Legislation (i.e. Inspections)

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/law-crime-and-justice/criminal-justice/police/publications/government/iftf_final_report_pdf.pdf

CSSA - GRACE PERIODS, GUNS & GANGS AND THE LIBERAL GOVERNMENT'S AGENDA

Like you, we must wait until December 6 to know what this means, but as far as the Liberal "gun control agenda" goes, there is little left on their list, unless they want to degrade public safety by forcing gun owners back into a paper Authorization To Transport (ATT) system, where police no longer have access to ATT information, as they do today as a result of the changes implemented by the Common Sense Firearms Licensing Act.

By Canadian Shooting Sports Association - Posted on November 27, 2017 by Ammoland Editor Joe Evans

<https://www.ammoland.com/2017/11/grace-periods-guns-gangs-and-the-liberal-governments-agenda/#axzz4zjuuX8Gk>

<https://cssa-cila.org/2017/11/team-cssa-e-news-november-27-2017/>

OLYMPIC SHOOTER LYNDIA KIEJKO IS FIRST CANADIAN IN VIDEO SERIES

It's the first time the Olympic Channel featured a shooter and a member of Team Canada in its new series.

TheGunBlog.ca - Monday 27 November 2017

<https://thegunblog.ca/2017/11/27/olympic-shooter-lyndia-kiejko-is-first-canadian-in-video-series/>

NOTE: Published November 27, 2017 in the print-edition of Calgary Herald under the following headline:

CALGARY HERALD - TAKING AIM AT GUN MARKETING

AR rifle ads fall under scrutiny after high-profile mass shootings.

FINANCIAL POST - SHOOTINGS PUT SEMI-AUTOMATIC RIFLES ADS UNDER NEW SCRUTINY

But the marketing tactics for the semi-automatic weapons known as AR rifles are under new scrutiny following the recent attacks. Gun-control activists say the ads risk inspiring the next shooter, while gun-rights advocates insist the weapons are being blamed for the works of deranged individuals.

By Lisa Marie Pane And Ryan J. Foley, The Associated Press - November 20, 2017

<http://business.financialpost.com/pmn/business-pmn/gun-ads-continue-after-mass-shootings-but-with-new-scrutiny>

CBC - NORTHERN ONTARIO WOMAN LEADS HUNTING CAMP FOR WOMEN

By the end of the first day of a hunting trip, women are 'smiling and making plans for next year'

CBC News Posted: Nov 26, 2017 <http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/sudbury/northern-ontario-women-hunting-1.4415944>

885 PAGES OF HIGH RIVER CHARTER RIGHTS DOCUMENTS WITHHELD

The Justice Department is hiding the truth about rights that every homeowner in Canada has a right to know: Why didn't the Charter of Rights and Freedoms protect High River homeowners from having their doors kicked in and their homes searched, and property seized without warrant? By Dennis R. Young – Nov 25, 2017

<https://dennisryoung.ca/2017/11/25/885-pages-high-river-charter-rights-documents-withheld/>

JUSTICE DEPARTMENT RELEASES JUST 117 OF 972 PAGES OF HIGH RIVER CHARTER RIGHTS DOCUMENTS: 669 PAGES WITHHELD CITING 'SOLICITOR-CLIENT PRIVILEGE'

[https://dennisryoung.ca/wp-content/uploads/Custom_Uploads/Justice Dept. ATIP Response - High River Charter Violations - Nov 7, 2017.pdf](https://dennisryoung.ca/wp-content/uploads/Custom_Uploads/Justice_Dept._ATIP_Response_-_High_River_Charter_Violations_-_Nov_7,_2017.pdf)

BRANTFORD EXPOSITOR - WHY NOT REQUIRE SUITABILITY TEST BEFORE GUN PURCHASE?

The second amendment of the constitution is not sufficient reason to allow every citizen the right to bear arms. For example, totally blind people or violently insane people should not be allowed to purchase guns.

By Goldwin Emerson, London professor emeritus of education - November 24, 2017

<http://www.brantfordexpositor.ca/2017/11/24/emerson-why-not-require-suitability-test-before-gun-purchase>

GUN CONTROL OFFERS SIMPLISTIC NON-SOLUTIONS

The people who buy and own guns in Canada are, by definition, law-abiding citizens, and they often use their guns for hunting and for protecting their homes, families, and livestock from wild animals in rural and northern parts of the country. These people are not a problem. However, crusading politicians who ignore real criminal or terrorist risks to restrict the freedom of their fellow peaceable Canadians are more problematic.

By Ian Madsen, Frontier Centre for Public Policy - November 22, 2017

<https://fcpp.org/2017/11/22/gun-control-offers-simplistic-non-solutions/>

STATISTICS CANADA - POLICE-REPORTED CYBERCRIME, BY CYBER-RELATED VIOLATION, CANADA - Cyber-related violation - Total all violations in 2016 = 23,996

<http://www5.statcan.gc.ca/cansim/a26?lang=eng&retrLang=eng&id=2520095&pattern=&stByVal=1&p1=1&p2=31&tabMode=dat aTable&csid=>

POSTS FROM THE UNITED STATES & OTHER COUNTRIES

ROSIE O'DONNELL AND KIM KARDASHIAN WEST AREN'T ENTIRELY AGAINST GUNS, JUST YOU HAVING THEM - FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2017

<https://www.nraila.org/articles/20171201/rosie-o-donnell-and-kim-kardashian-west-aren-t-entirely-against-guns-just-you-having-them>

THE OUTDOOR WIRE - TUSKGATE? AND THE BUSINESS OF SELLING THE HUNT

Facts are important, but in the end the most powerful way to help people understand and appreciate hunters and fishermen is when those facts get woven into some good stories that millions can enjoy.

By James A. Swan, Ph.D. - Thursday, November 30, 2017

<http://www.theoutdoorwire.com/features/232215>

THESE ARE THE GUN OWNERS WHO FEEL MOST 'EMPOWERED' BY THEIR WEAPONS

A new study finds a link between economic despair among white men and pro-gun policy views. The study, which was published in the journal Social Problems on Nov. 20, utilized data from the 2014 Baylor Religion Survey of 1,527 Americans. The survey asked the 577 respondents who reported owning firearms about their reasons for gun ownership (recreational vs. protection vs. collection), their views on gun policies measures like semi-automatic weapon bans and arming teachers to protect schools, as well as how owning a gun made them feel (safe, responsible, confident, patriotic, in control of their fate, more valuable to their family, more valuable to their community, respected).

By Erin Schumaker, Senior Healthy Living Editor, HuffPost - 11/30/2017

http://www.huffingtonpost.ca/entry/white-men-money-guns_us_5a20461de4b0a8581e68f59a

U.S POLITICS: HOUSE PANEL BACKS BILL EXPANDING GUN OWNERS' RIGHTS

On a party-line vote, the Judiciary Committee backed a bill that would allow gun owners with a state-issued concealed carry permit to carry a handgun in any state that allows concealed weapons. Republicans said the reciprocity measure would allow gun owners to travel freely between states without worrying about conflicting state laws or civil suits. The bill was approved 19-11 and now goes to the House floor.

Associated Press - November 29, 2017 <https://www.voanews.com/a/house-panel-supports-gun-bill/4143089.html>

<https://www.nbcchicago.com/news/politics/House-Panel-Backs-Bill-Expanding-Gun-Owners-Rights-460861523.html>

HAWAII, WHICH REGISTERS GUNS AND MEDICAL MARIJUANA USERS, STARTS DISARMING PATIENTS

- Hawaii is one of 29 states that allow medical use of marijuana, but it is the only state that requires registration of all firearms. If you are familiar with the criteria that bar people from owning guns under federal law, you can probably surmise what the conjunction of these two facts means for patients who use cannabis as a medicine, which Hawaii allows them to do only if they register with the state. Some of them recently received a letter from Honolulu Police Chief Susan Ballard, instructing them to turn in their guns. By Jacob Sullum- Nov. 29, 2017

<http://reason.com/blog/2017/11/29/hawaii-which-requires-registration-of-al>

WASH. TIMES - DENZEL WASHINGTON ON BLACK INCARCERATION: 'I CAN'T BLAME THE SYSTEM,' 'IT STARTS IN THE HOME'

"If the father is not in the home, the boy will find a father in the streets," he said. "If the streets raise you, then the judge becomes your mother and prison becomes your home," he added.

By Jessica Chasmar - The Washington Times - Monday, November 27, 2017

<https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2017/nov/27/denzel-washington-on-black-incarceration-i-cant-bl/>

HOW ANY NEW GUN CONTROL LAWS COULD ACTUALLY MAKE BLACK PEOPLE LESS SAFE

Gun violence in the U.S. already kills more Black people than any other race. Something's gotta give.

By Bruce C.T. Wright - Posted November 27, 2017

<https://newsone.com/3761443/gun-control-laws-us-black-people-safe-racist/>

SUPREME COURT GUTS SECOND AMENDMENT BY REFUSING TO HEAR SEMI-AUTO BAN CASE

Today the Supreme Court let stand the Fourth Circuit's holding in *Kolbe v. Hogan* that semi-automatic rifles are not constitutionally protected "arms," and in doing so declared the Second Amendment guarantees only a second-class right.
NOVEMBER 27, 2017 by Margot Cleveland

<https://thefederalist.com/2017/11/27/supreme-court-guts-second-amendment-refusing-hear-semi-auto-ban-case/>

FBI CONDUCTED OVER 200,000 GUN BACKGROUND CHECKS ON BLACK FRIDAY

The National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NCIS) is designed to allow instant background checks on prospective gun owners. As the FBI website notes: "Before ringing up the sale, cashiers call in a check to the FBI or to other designated agencies to ensure that each customer does not have a criminal record or isn't otherwise ineligible to make a purchase." By Kevin Nielsen National Online Journalist, Global News - November 26, 2017

<https://globalnews.ca/news/3881965/fbi-gun-background-checks-black-friday/>

HOW THE TEXAS, VEGAS AND CALIFORNIA SHOOTERS GOT THEIR GUNS

The big picture: Their stories reveal cracks in a system that lets mass killers slip through.

By Erica Pandey - November 26, 2017

<https://www.axios.com/how-the-texas-and-vegas-shooters-got-their-guns-2507913985.html>

PEOPLE WHO CAN'T BUY GUNS

<https://www.axios.com/who-can-and-cannot-purchase-a-firearm-in-the-u-s-2507546504.html>

1. Felons
2. Fugitives
3. Domestic abusers
4. Drug addicts
5. Those who renounce U.S. citizenship
6. The mentally ill
7. Receiving a restraining order for stalking
8. Those who were dishonorably discharged
9. Non-U.S. citizens

SHOULD WE TAKE A PAGE FROM CANADA ON GUN CONTROL?

Canada has a novel idea when it comes to those applying to own a firearm: The applicant must list all current and recent partners. Police would then interview and ask about the applicant's history of violence, anger and fitness to own a firearm. It could be argued that this process could be an easy way for a former lover to get back at the person who left them.

Maybe, it also could be a better way to screen for mental stability than only checking psychiatric admissions or domestic violence convictions. By MITCHELL ROSEN - November 25, 2017

<http://www.pe.com/2017/11/25/mitchell-rosen-should-we-take-a-page-from-canada-on-gun-control/>

SIPSEY POLICE TO HOST GUN SAFETY CLASS

Sipsey Police Department will be hosting a free gun safety class at the end of this month.

BY LEA RIZZO, DAILY MOUNTAIN EAGLE - November 25, 2017

<http://mountaineagle.com/stories/sipsey-police-to-host-gun-safety-class,13743>

MY COMMENT: What a great community policing project.

OTHER POSTS THAT MAY BE OF INTEREST

KEVIN LIBIN: THANKFULLY, MOST CANADIAN BUSINESSES KEEP IGNORING POLITICIANS' GROWTH-KILLING CLIMATE CRUSADE

Anyway, try and find a prominent conservative in Ottawa or Alberta who hasn't agreed to go along with the manmade-climate-change orthodoxy. Or an oil industry representative, for that matter. So conservatives, westerners and oil executives have tried the hell out of the not-denying-manmade-climate-change approach, and the pipeline enemies still win every time. By Kevin Libin - December 1, 2017 <http://business.financialpost.com/opinion/kevin-libin-thankfully-most-canadian-businesses-keep-ignoring-politicians-growth-killing-climate-crusade>

NATIONAL POST - THE LIBERALS ARE DANGEROUSLY WRONG ON CHINA. THEY ALWAYS HAVE BEEN

- In a recent analysis prepared for Global Affairs Canada, Ottawa's Centre for the Study of Living Standards calculates that at least 150,000 Canadian jobs were lost to Chinese imports during the first decade of this century, and at least 100,000 of those jobs were in manufacturing. Trudeau is prepared for more of the same collaboration and connivance with this monstrous gangster state, only strengthened, and 'even greater'. By Terry Glavin - December 1, 2017 <http://nationalpost.com/opinion/terry-glavin-the-liberals-are-dangerously-wrong-on-china-they-have-always-been>

STUDY: SATELLITES SHOW NO ACCELERATION IN GLOBAL WARMING FOR 23 YEARS

Global warming has not accelerated temperature rise in the bulk atmosphere in more than two decades, according to a new study funded by the Department of Energy. University of Alabama-Huntsville climate scientists John Christy and Richard McNider found that by removing the climate effects of volcanic eruptions early on in the satellite temperature record it showed virtually no change in the rate of warming since the early 1990s. By Michael Bastasch - November 29, 2017 <http://dailycaller.com/2017/11/29/study-satellites-show-no-acceleration-in-global-warming-for-23-years/>

VIDEO: SCHEER RIPS TRUDEAU FOR OFFERING "POETRY" & "GROUP HUGS" TO ISIS FIGHTERS IN CANADA

- The Conservatives changed the criminal code to make it a crime to leave Canada and fight for ISIS, yet the Trudeau Liberals seem unwilling to jail the Jihadis. By SPENCER FERNANDO - NOVEMBER 29, 2017 <https://www.spencerfernando.com/2017/11/29/video-scheer-rips-trudeau-offering-poetry-group-hugs-isis-fighters-canada/>

NATIONAL POST - 'BIT OF AN ECHO CHAMBER:' STUDY FINDS CLIMATE DENIER BLOGS IGNORE SCIENCE

- Jeff Harvey's study was co-authored by an A-list of international climatologists and biologists who have between them published hundreds of peer-reviewed papers on climate change and its impact on environments, especially polar bears. The Canadian Press - Bob Weber - November 29, 2017 <http://nationalpost.com/pmnn/news-pmnn/canada-news-pmnn/study-finds-climate-denier-blogs-ignore-polar-bear-sea-ice-science>
<https://www.thestar.com/news/canada/2017/11/29/writers-behind-climate-change-denial-blogs-ignore-science-study-finds.html>

JOHN ROBSON: DOES CANADA OIL INDUSTRY REALLY AGREE THAT IT'S DESTROYING LIFE AS WE KNOW IT?

At a Manning Centre conference in Red Deer, a senior Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers spokesperson was asked about challenging climate change alarmist science, he replied, "We can be right or we can be happy but we can't be both ... the politics of climate change in this country are decided. If we spend time as an industry or as Western Canadians arguing about climate, I tell you, we'll not get any more pipelines built..."

By John Robson - November 28, 2017

<http://nationalpost.com/opinion/john-robson-does-canada-oil-industry-really-agree-that-its-destroying-life-as-we-know-it>

PETITION TO THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

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