

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Against Limiting Yard Sales

Letter to the Editor:

I am against limiting yard sales in Bradley County to two weekends in a sixty day period. I do not want any of Bradley County property owner's property rights taken away from us!

The constables know where the yard sales are being conducted full time. The people that are causing the problem should be told they cannot have a continuous yard sale unless they have a business license. The Bradley County Court Clerk should call and see if a person having a full time yard sale is eligible to get a business license.

When I found out about the complaint of an ongoing yard sale in the Hope Subdivision, I went to the Bradley County Court Clerk and she had an employee call to find out if they were eligible to get a business license. The offending party indicated they were not eligible and that they were not having a yard sale all the time and that they were taking the tent down.

Let's go after the offenders and not all of the Bradley County property tax payers.

- Edward Webb, Cleveland, TN

Ignoring Newsworthy Issues

Letter to the Editor:

What Is This I Hear?

During the midst of the Obama controversy about our President speaking to school children, once again I have heard a piece of news that is a bit unsettling to me. Are you aware that Timothy Geithner met with the G-20 to discuss global banking regulations?

Putting it plainly, he wants to strike while the fire is hot and the past problems are still seared into the minds of top financiers around the world.

I find it hard to believe that all the people in power were unaware of the practices being used to gain big bucks in profit. Personally, I think these practices were encouraged to bring the downfall of the world's banking system, so our country could take control of the world's finances. Only this does not and will not benefit the American people. It will benefit those who lust after worldly power, as money is no longer a goal for them. Yes, I am speaking about the entitled few, who do not see their greed and lust for power as a problem for the rest of us living on the planet. The untouchables.

Once the world's banking system is working under a global entity of rules and regulations, you might as well kiss your freedom good-bye. Everything you do will be affected by these new socialized rules and regulations. This new breed of entitled elitists have put their minds together and figured out a way of taking over the entire planet without firing one single shot. They hit everyone where it hurts, their finances. And don't be surprised that these people are neither Republican nor Democratic. They are beyond the idiocy of our own government. They are the new world leaders.

Looking back through history at those who had the grandiose idea of world power, they were taken to their knees by their own madness. Will we be fortunate enough for this small elite group to be taken down by their own madness? Or are there many years of suffering ahead of us, our children, and our grandchildren, while this small group plays out its role in destroying civilization as we know it?

Now I would like for you to tell me, what is more important, President Obama giving a speech to school children, like many Presidents before him, or global rules and regulations for the world's financial systems.

Once again, the American people are led to ignore the real issue, while a red herring is waved in front of them. When you see the TV news media broadcasting a nonsensical issue in your face, day after day, I suggest you look beyond it for the real newsworthy issue they want you to ignore.

- Valerie Gamblin, Cleveland, TN

History Repeats Itself

Letter to the Editor:

I purchased my home in Cleveland two and a half years ago. My realtor never mentioned the possibility of a new airport being built less than two miles from my property. Had that been mentioned I would have moved on to another location. All was well in the beginning, the area was beautiful and quiet, the home was lovely and the natural surrounding environment was just what I was looking for having grown up in a busy noisy city.

I visited all the attractions, historic and otherwise, I even learned a few things about history that I never knew about, in particular the Trail of Tears. Little did I realize then that I would be reliving this part of history in modern times. No sooner did I hear about the possibility of a new airport nearby, the county tax appraiser raised my property taxes, in the middle of the deepest recession this county has ever seen since the great depression.

Now I find out that this airport is for the benefit of a select few possibly just one individual. The extension of the current airport would be too expensive or too noisy for the affluent neighborhood it currently resides in. So my home and my neighborhood would better suit Allan Jones and friends. My neighbors who live near this new airport are against building it in our backyard while those who stand to gain financially and don't live nearby are in favor of building it here.

So now more homes are for sale and I too have plans to leave. The value of my home has gone down and certainly will drop as soon as that airport is built. After all, who wants to live that close to an airport, apparently no one.

So just like the previous trail of tears I am being forced to move against my will. My property has and will continue to diminish in value and the great white man will rezone and take over my land. Our local politicians have done everything in their power to make this trail of tears come to fruition. The head lines of your next publication should read "History repeats itself in Cleveland Tennessee".

- Joe Cunetta, Cleveland, TN

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