

Making progress

Overlooked in most news coverage late last month was a definite win for health care expenses of U.S. citizens.

Authored by Congressman Steve King (R-IA), the bill passed in the House without much fanfare. Essentially, it caps medical malpractice awards for non-economic damages at a maximum of \$250,000.

Several physicians who were consulted about the bill said this single action would lower costs to consumers through insurers and health care providers. A first move in tort reform, end-users of health care insurance could save as much as 30%.

This action will save millions of dollars in frivolous lawsuits or excessive damage claims. Now it's up to the Senate.

Ramadan body count

During "holy month" – the Muslim celebration of Ramadan – over 1,600 people were killed by Islamist bombings, stabbings, shootings, or other methods they use to spread Islamist terror.

A deadly "holy month" to be certain, the victims were of many faiths, including Coptic Christian children who were butchered by Islamists for refusing to renounce their faith in Jesus.

Most of the dead were Muslims, killed by their radical brothers in the *religion of peace*.

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Bob Mueller's opposition research game

No limits

The plan is in motion. A "special counsel" (prosecutor) appointed by Donald Trump's own Justice Department is searching for dirt on President Trump, to hasten his impeachment. At the very least, the objective is to find enough garbage in his past to deny him reelection in 2020. This is all about opposition research; collect dirt for the DNC to use against Trump in 2020 and against Republican candidates in 2018 (Democrats love guilt by association).

Special counsel Bob Mueller has no specific parameters. He believes there are no limits in his "Russia investigation" of President Donald Trump, Trump's family and his business associates – anyone who has, or had, *any* dealings with *anyone* in Russia, from Russia, or *related* to anyone in Russia or from Russia. Genealogy records of Trump family members are likely being researched as you read this. Mueller will leave no family tree untrimmed. And no tax returns unexamined...

All of Donald Trump's real estate deals are suspect and will be dissected, as far back as need be to affect the outcome desired by Bob Mueller, James Comey, and the progressive Beltway Establishment. Trump will not be allowed to "drain the swamp" without suffering massive amounts of personal discomfort, applied by any number of distasteful methods used by the Democrats. Character assassination comes before the hangman's noose.

Mueller has a staff of 14 (possibly now 15) lawyers, all Clinton and Obama acolytes and members in good standing in the Democrat Party. They all have multiple layers of staff, made of the same cloth. Bob Mueller can look anywhere he desires, unquestioned by congressional committees and urged on by cheerleaders at CNN, NBC, CBS, ABC, AP, and MSNBC.

The scope of the "investigation" (an investigation *without* a crime, as admitted by former FBI Director James Comey) is

unlimited; something will be found, and rest assured that Bob Mueller does not seek to exonerate Trump of any charges, imaginary or otherwise.

This will be the biggest investigation, ever, with no restrictions on dredging operations. No budget has been specified but, rest assured, the money will be there to cover the expanse of Mueller's dragnet.

Progressives will use this so-called investigation as an example to others. In the future, if anyone even thinks of attempting what Trump has done, they will be given a personal warning of what can happen if they attempt to upset the status quo apple cart of the Beltway Elite. The precedent will be set. It's taken decades to establish this finely-tuned system of corruption and pay-back politics. Backs need to be scratched and palms greased. A perfect example is the case of the attempted disassembly of Obamacare. The payoffs and favors dispersed by health insurance company lobbyists must be staggering.

But the message has been sent. Outsiders are not allowed. Candidates will be hand-selected by party bosses or they won't be accepted as legitimate.

President Donald Trump and his Justice Department need to rein in this broad-swatch witch hunt, and sooner than later.

Fire Mueller; expose his opposition research game and clean out the remaining Obamanoids in the DOJ and the FBI. Redirect attention where it belongs – examining the Russia-Clinton connection where the evidence of mischief is abundant indeed.

Assess the situation, name the crime, investigate, then prosecute. Empanel the grand jury now, before the Clinton cash trail is too cold... the emails are still there.

We Be People



Playing with snakes

Establishment Republican leadership remains inept, despite the last election. They were ready to work with Hillary as president and honestly believe Democrats will share power. A "shadow government" is already in place but Republican leadership seems to deny it... or discount it. No worries...

Efforts by Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, unwilling to push through an Obamacare repeal, reveal he thinks it's time to compromise with Democrats in a deal to "fix" Obamacare – "for now." His lack of courage, commitment to principle and inability to lead is sickening.

A newer, hard-left Socialist-Democrat Party and a massive, bureaucratic Deep State stand ready to frustrate the Trump administration at every turn. The Alinsky/Soros/Obama enemies are ALL traditionally conservative, constitutionally-driven Americans, and the GOP.

Alinsky laid the plans, Soros bankrolls them, and Barack Obama, the community organizer, applies them, rallying radical thugs and anarchists to implement the agenda through his OFA (Organizing for Action) organization. Obama cheers #Resist.

The Left will not relinquish control over your lives willingly. When Trump says "cut regulations" or promises to enforce established immigration law it's a slap across the collective faces of the organized Left. Their regulations control you and these must be preserved for the maintenance of power. The borders must be open for the allies of the Left to pour into the nation, to elect Democrats (illegally); to change our culture and abandon the traditions of our nation: *America Transformed*.

Radical leftists will not relent; they must be soundly defeated and discredited. And compromise is not an option with those who seek to destroy our nation. Establishment Republicans seem to believe "sharing" power in a status quo situation with leftist radicals is desirable. In reality, it will result in their demise as a viable political party.

There is a war for control of the nation, politically and *ideologically*. Republicans seem disinterested, unwilling to fight...



The calendar advances as elephants yawn

Repeal dysfunction

Massive unpopularity of the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare) decimated the Democrat Party after 2010. But they want to keep the legacy; just "tweak" the ACA with help from the *other party*. Lie upon lie has been forgotten; all is warmly bipartisan.

Republicans, meanwhile, having been elected to office by conservative Tea Party movement-driven wave elections in 2010 and 2014, slept through the entire destruction of the opposition party, even forgetting who their "opposition" was. They sat for seven years without concocting an Obamacare alternative plan (like returning control to the *free market*) or attempting to starve the offensive health insurance beast.

According to *Ballotpedia*, since Obamacare became law in March, 2010 Democrat seats in the U.S. Senate have fallen from 55 to 46. Democrats were also decimated in the U.S. House, falling from 256 to 194. Electoral damage caused by the illegal, unconstitutional Obamacare law was deeper at the state level, voters punishing Democrats severely for their assault on taxpayers and the health insurance market. Democrat governorships fell from 28 to 16 and elected Democrats in state legislatures suffered catastrophic losses of 958 seats.

Largely due to Obamacare, the eight oppressive years of the Obama Regime cost Democrats 1,042 federal and state elected offices. The voters punished the offenders.

Costs of the radical changes executed by a major political party, in their overreach and forced takeover of one-sixth of the U.S. economy, are obvious, but ignored by Republicans. You won't hear them use these facts to defeat Democrats or pin responsibility for the severe ACA catastrophe on their chests. The GOP has been given a gift, but they cannot explain it and certainly don't understand it, so they don't use it.

In their acute Obamacare repeal dysfunction, the GOP cannot even explain why Medicaid needs to be scaled back and states weaned off this expensive federal teat.

In 1966, when it was created, Medicaid enrollment numbered 4 million. In 2007, Medicaid was provided for 50 million peo-

ple. Today, in 2017, Medicaid serves 70.3 million Americans. It's no longer a program for the poor, disadvantaged and disabled; the parameters are ever-widening and staggering waste in the system is ignored.

Republican Party leadership and most elected party membership have no desire to abandon Obamacare. Promises made on numerous campaign trails across our nation since 2010 have no weight at all. As with other pledges made to sustain their careers, after elections are won, all recollection disappears. Repeal of Obamacare, no different.

On July 20, HHS scored Senator Ted Cruz's (R-TX) amendment (the Consumer Freedom Option) to the Senate Obamacare replacement (BCRA) very favorably. They found that, under Cruz's amendment, 2.2 million more people would be covered. Premiums under the Consumer Freedom Option would drop substantially. Those who choose to stay on Obamacare can; those who want a cheaper plan, go buy it.

Republican Senators who refuse to vote for repeal of Obamacare in 2017 but voted *for it* in 2015 are Shelley Moore Capito (WV), Rob Portman (OH), and Lisa Murkowski (AK). These three senators who say "no" today, but said "yes" when they knew Barack Obama would veto the Obamacare Repeal Bill of 2015, are dishonest; they lied to their constituents.

When there's a chance to free the American people from the shackles of Obamacare they cower and consult with their lobbyist friends in the health insurance industry. This is really who they work for; donors are everything. Constituents are only there for votes, once every six years.

Leaving Obamacare in place is not an option; not for those promised and not for those who suffer under the mandates.

President Trump's bill-signing hand is all warmed up. Republican senators need to fix their dysfunction and repeal Obamacare.

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