

## Hear, hear

Re "Insult to injury in Oroville"  
(Guest comment, by Jenny Miller,  
Jan. 10):

I totally agree with this article. There was a meeting slammed together on Dec. 27 to have people come together to discuss using the Koppers site for "sorting debris." I would like to see another meeting that is well-advertised, so I can attend and air my feelings. It is not realistic to have a meeting with little notification to the general public and expect to have people attend, especially during the holidays.

Four hundred trucks a day is a bit much, and I don't like the idea of Oroville being used as a dump. We have a proud community of people who work hard every day to [make sure Oroville is not viewed as a dump]. Now you want to turn it into one with all this debris-sorting, and on top of it, using a known hazardous waste site that could potentially stir up

contaminants.

Dump it in Paradise and clean and sort it there. It would save millions of dollars in transportation costs and handling of the material. They would get it done a lot faster than hauling it 28 miles to another town for a year and a half and 400 trucks a day rolling down the highway tearing up the roads.

Zane Libert  
Palermo

## LaMalfa's weak retort

Re "Whom to watch" (Cover story, by CN&R staff, Jan. 3):

I enjoyed your article on people to watch in 2019. However, the most important person to watch (keep track of) is Rep. Doug LaMalfa to see if he continues as a sycophant to a constituency of one (President Sexual Predator) or will begin to represent the thousands in his district who voted for him (or didn't).

Already his response to Trump's

threat to cut federal fire funds for California was a weak "not helpful." As a self-described climate crisis denier (akin to a flat-earth proponent), unless he changes his position, LaMalfa's name will surely be attached to the predicted fire disasters of 2019. The first one will be LaMalfa Fire #4. Something to watch for!

Beau Grosscup  
Cohasset

## Medicare for All, please

Re "Coverage denied"  
(Healthlines, by Chad Terhune,  
Jan. 10):

It is utterly outrageous that the state of California uses private insurance and managed-care corporations to determine what care low-income people on Medi-Cal need, and going against what doctors order for their patients. Medi-Cal must get rid of this managed care. There must be no middle man

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## THIS MODERN WORLD

## BY TOM TOMORROW

LIFE IN THE STUPIDVERSE:  
GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN EDITIONEXTREMELY PERSUASIVE  
ARGUMENTS

IF DEMOCRATS HATE WALLS  
SO MUCH--WHY DO THEY  
LIVE IN HOUSES?

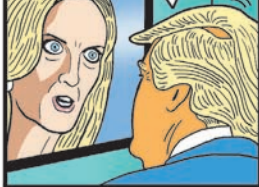
HAHA! GOTCHA,  
LIBTARDS!

NO PUPPET, NO PUPPET,  
YOU'RE THE PUPPET

YOU'RE NOT GOING TO  
CAVE TO THE DEMS LIKE  
SOME KIND OF WEAK  
LOSER, ARE YOU? ARE  
YOU?!

N-N-NO! ABSO-  
LUTELY NOT!

PLEASE DON'T  
CRITICIZE ME.

THE WISDOM OF THE  
NEUTRAL ARBITERS

PRESIDENT TRUMP HAS  
THROWN THE COUNTRY INTO  
CHAOS WITH HIS IMPULSIVE,  
IRRATIONAL DEMANDS!

DEMOCRATS  
COULD HAVE  
PREVENTED  
THIS BY GIVING  
HIM EVERY-  
THING HE  
WANTED!

FACT  
CHECK:  
BOTH  
SIDES  
ARE TO  
BLAME!



## HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS

FEDERAL WORKERS WHO  
AREN'T GETTING PAID  
SHOULD HAVE GARAGE  
SALES! OR MAYBE SELL  
THEIR ORGANS ON THE  
BLACK MARKET!

WHY CAN'T THEY  
JUST ASK THEIR  
RICH FATHERS  
TO BAIL THEM  
OUT?

GOOD  
POINT,  
SIR.



## NIHILIST NATION

HA HA, THE PRESIDENT  
IS A DERANGED SOCIO-  
PATH AND THE COUNTRY  
IS TEETERING ON THE  
BRINK OF FASCISM!

WE'RE ALL  
DOOMED,  
HA HA HA!

LOL,  
NOTHING  
MATTERS!



## A CHAMPION EMERGES

I WILL SUPPORT THE  
PRESIDENT'S AGENDA,  
BUT IN A VERY DIS-  
APPROVING MANNER!

WELCOME TO  
THE RESIS-  
TANCE, MITT  
ROMNEY!

THANK  
YOU,  
JEFF  
FLAKE!



## A MODEST PROPOSAL

SIR, WE SOLVED THE BOR-  
DER PROBLEM WITH AN  
INVISIBLE FORCE FIELD!  
AS YOU CAN SEE FROM  
THIS VIDEO OF AN ILLEGAL  
IMMIGRANT TRYING TO  
GET THROUGH, IT'S IM-  
PENETRABLE!

ANOTHER WIN  
FOR "TRUMP"!

NEXT: SOMETHING  
EVEN DUMBER

NOW I WANT A ROOF  
OVER THE ENTIRE COUNTRY,  
TO PROTECT US FROM  
ILLEGAL SPACE ALIENS!

THAT SHOULD  
KEEP MUELLER  
OUT OF THE NEWS!

AND, UH, KEEP  
AMERICA SAFE.



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1161 East Ave, Chico 95926

QUESTIONS? Contact Sandra Morales at 893-8527 x 104  
or [sandra@actionctr.org](mailto:sandra@actionctr.org)



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CENTER  
Formerly ILSNC

## AGE WITH COURAGE

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a sign of weakness

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