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*Home sweep home.*

*When the Seattle Mariners beat Baltimore 6-5 in 10 innings Tuesday night, it marked the first time in baseball history all 15 home teams won on the same day.*

*Viewing every game as a 50-50 proposition independent of all others, STATS figured the odds of a home sweep on a night with a full major league schedule at 1 in 32,768.*

*Now that’s home cookin’!*

*STATS said previously the best performance by hosts had been 11-0, accomplished six times — three in the 1800s. The most recent occasion was Sept. 16, 1989. ...*

Lots of good Hillary cartoons today.

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## Streetwise Professor

### Chronicles of Hillary, Book the Second: The Felon's Education Plan

by Craig Pirrong

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Where to begin? Start with her formulation of the problem:

Either they say, "We just can't afford it," and pass up on all the opportunities that a degree offers—or they do whatever it takes to pay for it, even if that means going deeply into debt.

Now, for most people, the return on investment of a college degree is still worth it. On average, people with four-year degrees earn over half a million dollars more over their careers than people with high school degrees.

So it's too expensive, but it's worth it. Or something. But what about those for whom it isn't worth it? Then why the hell should they be doing it? And why the hell should somebody else be paying for it?

But the worst part is this: "we'll make sure cost isn't a barrier."

Under my plan, tuition will be affordable for every family. Students should never have to take out a loan to pay for tuition at their state's public university. We'll make sure the federal government and the states step up to help pay the cost, so the burden doesn't fall on families alone.

Further, Hillary proposes to make community college free, and to subsidize the student loans that are undertaken, and to refinance outstanding loans at subsidized rates. (Come to think of it, Hillary's proposal has a lot in common with China's recent bailout of local government funding vehicles.) The refinancing portion is particularly daft, because those costs are sunk. This is just a pure transfer, and likely a regressive transfer because as Hillary herself admits, the college educated have higher incomes.

Most economic train wrecks occur when those who receive the benefits don't pay the cost. One of the virtues of student loans is that the person who borrows out the wazoo to pay for the degree in anthropology (or [puppetry!](#)) has to bear the misery of his/her unwise choice. Their experiences should be spread far and wide, *pour encourager les autres*. A Scared Straight program is in order, but instead Hillary proposes to saddle taxpayers with bearing the cost of the romantic or juvenile or just plain stupid choices college bound students make, which often includes the choice of bounding off to college in the first place.

Here's Hillary's plan, such as it is:

- Under the New College Compact, no student should have to borrow to pay tuition at a public college.
- Schools will have to control their costs and show more accountability to their students.
- States will have to meet their obligation to invest in higher education.
- The federal government will increase its investment in education, and won't profit off student loans.
- And millions with student debt will be able to refinance it at lower rates.

First, I note the massive amount of federal coercion on the states inherent in the plan. Second: I laughed out loud at the "federal government . . . won't profit off student loans." That's pretty much guaranteed.

Third, the South Park Underwear Gnomes plan is about as coherent: "1. Collect underwear. 2. ? 3. Profit!"

The outcome of this plan, if heaven forfend it is implemented, will be: 1. a massive misallocation of human resources, as too many people go to college and too many people choose the wrong degree. 2. Deadweight losses from the taxation required to pay the estimated \$350 billion cost of the program (which is doubtless an underestimate). 3. The cost of college—the real cost incurred, not the cost paid by the beneficiaries of the program—will go up, as surely as day follows night. The objective of the program is to raise the demand for college education, which will increase output, total cost, and marginal cost.

This is the first of Hillary's big, bad ideas. If justice is done it will be the last. But, alas, I doubt justice will be served, and that more big, bad ideas are to come. When they are, I'll add to the chronicles.

**Roger L. Simon**

## Why Hillary Supports the Iran Deal

Hillary Clinton doesn't stand for much of anything anymore other than the most conventional left pabulum. She doesn't answer questions and she won't debate. But she *has doubled-down* in favor of Obama's Iran deal:

"I'm hoping that the agreement is finally approved and I'm telling you if it's not, all bets are off," Clinton told supporters during a campaign stop in New Hampshire.

Clinton said that rejecting the deal would be a "very bad signal to send in a quickly moving and oftentimes dangerous world."

"The Europeans, the Russians, the Chinese, they're gonna say we agreed with the Americans, I guess their president can't make foreign policy," Clinton said. "That's a very bad signal to send."

A bad *signal* to send? That's a pretty tepid reason for supporting something as monumental as a nuclear weapons agreement with a religious-fascist state with an end-times eschatology. Notice Clinton doesn't address the specifics of the deal at all, as opposed to [Chuck Schumer](#) who did so at considerable length in his rejection of the pact. It's virtually impossible to support rationally this absurd agreement in which the U.S. gave in on practically everything and then donated \$150 billion to the ayatollahs for the privilege of doing so.

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Is any of that true? To begin with we don't have to release billions of dollars to Iran, which, as sure as I am typing this, will use a large portion of the funds to enforce its will across the Middle East and kill thousands of people, possibly destroy or take over nations in pursuit of a new Shia version of the Persian Empire, only to get nuclear weapons and ICBMs sooner or later anyway.

Further, is it true that sanctions could not be reinstated? Indeed, Russia and China would not be eager. But in her campaign, [Carly Fiorina](#) suggested another way, using America's ability to restrict Iran's use of the global financial system.

On Day One in the Oval Office, I would make two phone calls. The first one would be to my good friend, Bibi Netanyahu, to reassure him we will stand with the State of Israel. The second

will be to the supreme leader of Iran. He might not take my phone call, but he would get the message, and the message is this: Until you open every nuclear and every military facility to full, open, anytime, anywhere, for real inspections, we are going to make it as difficult as possible for you to move money around the global financial system.

I don't know if that would work, but it sounds like a much better plan than the one Obama has on offer. As for Hillary, she's no more than Obama's "Yes ma'am" at this point. Does she even care or realize that Obama has effectively taken sides in the Muslim civil war between Shia and Sunni that has been going on since the Battle of Karbala in 680? Maybe she should ask Bill.

## Contentions

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by Noah Rothman

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This final shoe dropped after [two inspectors general alleged](#) that, not only did Clinton's unsecure email server contain sensitive information that was marked as such at the time in which it was received, but some of that information was classified "Top Secret." Among the communications Hillary Clinton received on her server included references to [coded information and imagery](#) obtained via secure methods. Carelessly allowing this material to be sent over an unclassified and unprotected email system is a violation of federal law. Full stop.

But Hillary Clinton's privilege does not die easy. Reporters have developed a tic that compels them to assert that Hillary Clinton personally is not the subject of any federal investigation. Only her potentially unlawful conduct has captured the attention of investigators.

"There are several investigations into her conduct, not into her, but into her use of personal email and a personal server," McClatchy reporter Anita Kumar [told MSNBC](#) on Wednesday. She was merely echoing a statement in her employer's report, which averred, "Clinton, herself, is not a target."

This is an oft-repeated refrain. The Department of Justice to which this investigation had been referred last month has [repeatedly asserted](#), "Clinton herself is not the target of the investigation." This transparent effort to preserve Hillary Clinton's rapidly decaying political prospects has roiled even FBI sources.

"It's definitely a criminal probe," a source within the FBI told *New York Post* reporters last week. "I'm not sure why they're not calling it a criminal probe."

"The DOJ [Department of Justice] and FBI can conduct civil investigations in very limited circumstances," but that's not what this is, the source stressed. "In this case, a security violation would lead to criminal charges. Maybe DOJ is trying to protect her campaign."

Maybe. Just maybe.

The rhetorical gymnastics required of reporters and public officials who contend that Clinton is herself not a target of an investigation is simply a marvel. It's also supremely insulting. The contention that only Clinton's behavior and not her gilded personage is of interest to criminal investigators is a familiar dodge. It's of a kind with open borders immigration activists who solemnly scold the public with the contention that "people can never be illegal" and then go about high-fiving one another as if they've deftly scored some stylistic points. No, people are not illegal, but their behavior sometimes is. No, Hillary Clinton is not the subject of an investigation, but her reckless disregard for America's state secrets most certainly is. Only in the minds of Clinton's increasingly desperate defenders is this a distinction with a perceptible difference.

It seems likely now that the swirling controversy around Clinton's conduct will dog her for the remainder of her presidential campaign. There will be no exculpation for her behavior – merely a slow drip of information regarding her conduct and the jeopardy in which it put American national security. Clinton's claim to be a competent commander-in-chief is forever tarnished. Even if someone close to her were to fall on their sword, it is too late to avoid the impression that this attempt at damage control was not done at the behest of a Machiavellian political figure failing in the effort to revive her ailing career.

Judging from the tone of the commentary surrounding Clinton's downfall, it seems as though political observers that they cannot believe what they are witnessing. How could it be possible that a colossus like Clinton who seemed destined to occupy the Oval Office could be undone by such a careless misstep? But in the same way that a mosquito bite can fell the strongest man if left uncared for, what was once a minor scrape for Clinton has grown gangrenous. On Wednesday, a poll of New Hampshire Democrats showed that the eccentric socialist Senator Bernie Sanders has [finally eclipsed Clinton](#). She now faces the prospect of a wounding primary and a competitive general election. If Democrats are forced to choose between advancing the liberal project and Hillary Clinton's reputation, they will choose the latter. That horrible choice was once mere hypothetical. This morning, it is all too real.

## Right Turn

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The Associated Press reports, “A day after Hillary Rodham Clinton turned her personal email server over to the Justice Department, her campaign assured supporters that the Democratic presidential candidate did not send classified information over her private account.” How Clintonian. This does not mean she did not possess such emails or that her receipt of these on an unsecured server was proper. Indeed this is where the plot thickens:

There is no evidence she used encryption to prevent prying eyes from accessing the emails or her personal server.

Two emails that traversed Clinton’s personal system contained information that had been designated “top secret” and “sensitive compartmented information,” one of the government’s highest classification ratings, U.S. officials said.

So is this for real — is Hillary Clinton in some legal peril? There are a couple of reasons to believe this is the case.

First, the investigation is being handled by the FBI, headed by widely-respected director James Comey. He has no reason to slow-walk an investigation or look the other way. Nor does he have an incentive to refrain from forensic investigation and, if need be, reconstruction of the server’s deleted emails. The last thing he or the FBI wants is the allegation that they helped Clinton cover her tracks.

Second, high level officials including Gen. (Ret.) David Petraeus and another former CIA director John Deutch were investigated for improper handling of classified materials. Petraeus was compelled to accept a plea deal. The Post also noted that Deutch in 1996, “resigned after it was discovered that he had stored highly classified documents on his home computer, which was connected to the Internet. After a criminal investigation, Deutch agreed to plead guilty to a misdemeanor and pay a \$5,000 fine. But before the prosecutors could file the papers in federal

court, President Bill Clinton pardoned him on his last day in office." I suppose President Obama could do the same for Hillary Clinton if it comes to that. As one former federal prosecutor put it to me, 'How would it look if they prosecuted them and not her?"

There is something stunning that after all the Clinton escapades, the issue that might bring her down is her own paranoid penchant for control and secrecy. The substance of the emails that she destroyed may or may not prove to be damaging to her with regard to issues like Benghazi. But, as she always feared, once her emails are in others' hands, the leaks will start and we may learn much more about Clinton than we ever have.

## National Journal

### The Queen of Paradox and Her Crumbling Stone Wall

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"The server will remain private," she said in March. Her attorney told Congress at the time that there was "no basis" to support a third-party examination of the server. Besides, he said, the server had been scrubbed. "There are no [hdr22@clintonemail.com](mailto:hdr22@clintonemail.com) emails from Secretary of State Clinton's tenure on the server for any review, even if such a review were appropriate or legally authorized," attorney David Kendall wrote Congress.

It's safe to assume two things changed Clinton's mind: political and legal pressure. First, the public's trust and approval of the Democratic front-runner has plummeted amid revelations that she established an email system that violated federal policy, thwarted congressional oversight, and skirted the Freedom of Information Act.

Second, facing sharp questions and rebuke of a federal judge, Clinton just this weekend declared "[under penalty of perjury](#)" that she has turned over to the government all of the emails that were federal records.

The FBI is investigating the security of her email system, which she unequivocally declared to be ironclad in March. "There is no classified material," she said.

The untruth revealed, Clinton changed her story in July to claim that no email was specifically marked as classified. Not that it matters. Clinton wants Americans to ignore the fact that federal rules put the onus on government officials like the secretary of State to protect classified material, even when it's not marked as such.

Know this: Government officials have been [convicted](#) of mishandling unmarked classified material. And this: The fact is, any chain of events or excuses that led to the disclosure of these documents begins with Clinton's decision to go rogue with government email.

This is her fault, all of it.

Including her no-win situation. If the FBI is able to recover deleted email from her server, it's almost certain that more classified documents will be discovered (given what has already been found in the tiny sample size). That would raise more questions about her judgment.

Furthermore, a thorough autopsy of the deleted email might lead to details about other embarrassing topics, such as Benghazi (a GOP fetish), or the intersection of Clinton Foundation donors and State Department business ("Follow the money," a Democrat close to Clinton [told me](#) in March). Though this is pure speculation, her closest allies worry about what might be found.

If the deleted emails can't be recovered, Clinton will never be able to clear her name. Only the most blindly loyal and partisan voters will accept her word and ignore the [serial deception](#). Even people like me who have known and respected Clinton for years will walk into the voting booth [asking ourselves](#), "What is she hiding?"

Sure, she might win. Just look at the weak spots in the GOP line. But why win this ugly? Why commit Americans to another four years of a politics and government they can't trust? Why run a grind-it-out, 20th-century campaign amid the rise of purpose-driven millennials?

Why not be an aspirational, transformational leader—the architect of a presidency that matches her potential.

## IBD

### [Late Night Humor](#)

by Andrew Malcolm

Conan: Donald Trump has fired a campaign adviser for posting racist remarks on Facebook. Isn't that shocking — Donald Trump has a campaign adviser?

Fallon: Bad news for Donald Trump. He fired a campaign adviser for posting racist comments on Facebook. Apparently, he was supposed to post them on Twitter.

Conan: A woman who just celebrated her 110th birthday credits her longevity to drinking lots of beer and Johnnie Walker. Well technically, her liver is 110, the woman herself is 43.

Conan: Another American is in trouble for hunting a lion. First, a dentist and now a doctor are accused of illegal lion-hunting in Zimbabwe. Here's my question: Whatever happened to golf?

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Conan: The fast-food chain In'N'Out is being sued for allegedly putting meth in someone's milkshake. On the bright side, employee productivity is up 800%.

Conan: In Hong Kong, a woman was sent to prison for assaulting a police officer with her breast. The police officer is demanding an apology and that she do it again.

Fallon: A recent study says standing at work for long periods is bad for you, after earlier research said sitting for too long at work is bad for you. So, really the only thing we can figure is WORK is bad for you.

Meyers: New research found that couples who publicly share things about their relationship on Facebook are more committed to each other. Of course, they have to be, because nobody else will talk to them.

Meyers: A teen couple has won over \$20,000 in scholarship money for making their prom outfits entirely from duct tape. Unfortunately, they had to spend it all on hospital bills after taking the outfits off.

Fallon: Disney has revealed plans for its upcoming resort and theme park in Shanghai opening next year. It's great news for anyone who loves theme parks but wishes the lines were a billion times longer.

Fallon: Shepard Fairey, the street artist responsible for President Obama's "Hope" poster, is now facing vandalism charges in Detroit. It's pretty serious. Detroit officials say the artist's spray-painting caused over \$9,000 worth of improvements.

Conan: One of the new TV shows coming is "Supergirl." Supergirl does the same thing as Superman, but she gets paid 30% less.

Conan: Donald Trump's official Twitter account accidentally tweeted a photo of him that also had images of Nazis in it. The Nazis are furious.

Conan: William Shatner recently read from his book, "The Autobiography of James T. Kirk." Then he read an excerpt from his next book called, "Still Milking It."

Meyers: A couple who got married in Illinois on Friday has the last names Burger and King. Which makes sense because in a few years most of their conversations will end with "Fine, have it your way!"

Meyers: Hillary Clinton says her biggest weakness is her impatience. Said the interviewer, "Mrs. Clinton, I haven't asked you anything yet."

Meyers: NFL training camps have opened. As usual, the Patriots training camp began with the ceremonial burning of the rulebook.

Conan: According to Forbes magazine, the world's third highest-paid actor is Vin Diesel. In a related story, Daniel Day Lewis just jumped off a bridge.

Conan: Among the GOP debaters was Ben Carson, a neurosurgeon. Dr. Carson says he's not there to debate. He's there to diagnose exactly what's wrong with Donald Trump.

Meyers: Angry Birds 2, the sequel to the hit smartphone game, is now available in app stores. In the sequel, the birds kidnap Liam Neeson's wife.

Conan: India is going to lift its ban on internet pornography. Apparently, their porn is a lot like our porn but with much better dance numbers.

## NY Daily News

### All 15 home teams win Tuesday night for first time in MLB history

Home sweep home.

When the Seattle Mariners beat Baltimore 6-5 in 10 innings Tuesday night, it marked the first time in baseball history all 15 home teams won on the same day.

Viewing every game as a 50-50 proposition independent of all others, STATS figured the odds of a home sweep on a night with a full major league schedule at 1 in 32,768.

Now that's home cookin'!

STATS said previously the best performance by hosts had been 11-0, accomplished six times — three in the 1800s. The most recent occasion was Sept. 16, 1989.

"Without saying, it's more difficult on the road," said manager Bruce Bochy of the World Series champion Giants. "There's got to be a slight advantage to playing at home and I think your good teams play well at home, they win at home."

Cleveland and Miami also needed extra innings to come out on top in their own ballparks. Other winners were: Toronto, Tampa Bay, Kansas City, Minnesota, St. Louis, Arizona, San Diego, San Francisco, the New York Mets, the Chicago Cubs, the Chicago White Sox and the Los Angeles Dodgers.



*Miguel Montero of the Cubs watches his tenth inning walk-off home run as the Cubs win 3-2*

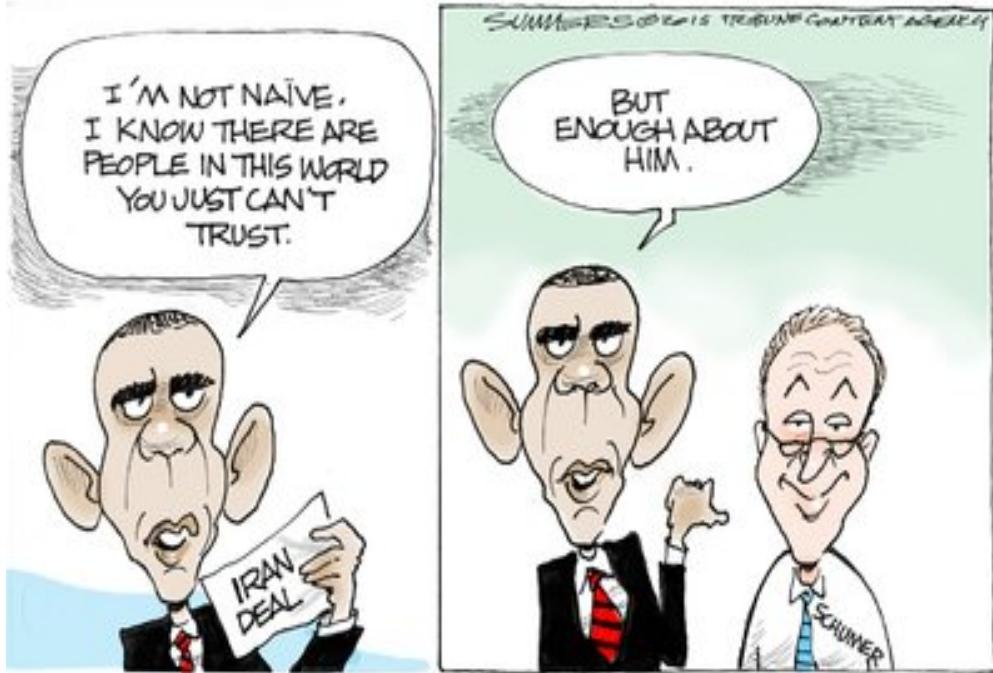
Four visiting teams got shut out: Atlanta at Tampa Bay; [Colorado by the Mets](#); the Angels against the White Sox; and the Nationals at Dodger Stadium.

The last time home clubs went undefeated on a day with more than one game was an 8-0 record on Aug. 28, 2008 — although road squads were 7-0 on April, 2, 2013, according to STATS.

Arizona and Tampa Bay joined the majors as expansion franchises in 1998, bringing the total to 30 teams.

In the last game to finish, Seattle squandered a three-run lead in the eighth inning against the Orioles before Austin Jackson's bases-loaded single down the right-field line won it for the Mariners at Safeco Field.

"I still didn't know if it was fair even when he called it," Jackson said. "I guess it hit the chalk and the rest is history."



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