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Re: Objective News Coverage

I chose to watch C-SPAN yesterday to get the immediate results of the latest assault on the Constitution regarding the disarmament of America. Contrary to C-SPAN's claims of impartiality I noticed the typical news media subtleties twisting the facts: the subcaptions regarding a description of what constitutes an assault weapon mentioned that these weapons are equipped with a grenade launcher and bayonet mount. Naturally, anyone that doesn't know the facts would think that this should be illegal, not mentioning that there are permits for "Destructive Devices." Correctly speaking, the "grenade launcher" is commonly described as either a flash suppressor that merely dissipates the muzzle blast, or as a recoil compensator to reduce the force of the recoil and muzzle climb. All NATO forces have abandoned using the attachment for launching grenades because of the dangers involved with the accidental mix up of improper ammunition, since a special blank is needed and the use of a live round would cause an immediate explosion. The system was dangerous and ineffective. Rifle grenades are already a controlled device, there is no chance of an undisciplined criminal wasting time trying to switch between different ammo in the commission of a crime. And the mention of the bayonet lug is pure scare tactics.

The danger to American Society and the Constitution is not from the radical extremes, but rather from the subtle, drop by drop poisoning by the "impartial" media. A perfect example is the comparison of the two Anti-Semitic films from Nazi Germany "Jued Suess" and "Der ewige Jude". "Der ewige Jude" was a blatant comparison of the jewish society to the infestation of rats and was rejected by German movie goers.

Years ago when the action movies started showing all the firepower of Full Auto weapons with Hollywood accuracy this was the beginning of the campaign against Semiautomatic firearms. Within a few months the same proponents of the Brady Bill will be crying that this was not enough, even though they are now claiming a great victory. Rather than admitting that it was a mistake and it didn't work they will push further. They will again circumvent the Constitution by legislating further restrictions to gun ownership by taxing them out of existence. The gullible, uninformed masses will believe whatever they are told, and sleep better knowing Big Brother is watching.

Impartial news reporting involves reporting the facts, not interpreting it.

Sincerely, [REDACTED]

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