



Stan Greer: Labor wages war against Ohio's private sector

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Ohioans overwhelmingly support the principle that no one should be denied a job, or lose a job, because he or she refuses to pay dues or fees to an unwanted union. They also understand that in a state where, real private-sector compensation has fallen by 6.6 percent over the past decade, but real state and local government compensation has increased by 11.8 percent, something must be done to restore the balance.

Obama's Re-Election Model Is FDR

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FDR told former speechwriter Rex Tugwell late in 1937 that he "wanted to scare these people into doing something." It was an odd strategy, trying to vilify business into creating jobs. And it didn't work well.

Union Case for "Jobs Bill" Underscores Government's Ineptness

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As the unions and Obama administration continue to try to make the case for the Jobs Bill, they're revealing the soft underbelly of government ineptness in the process. It makes you wonder, "if this is how they're spending our dollars, why should we give them more?"

Friends and Family Plan: NEA to Send 100 Staffers and Kin from DC to Ohio.

Education Intelligence Agency Online, Communique, 10/24/2011

NEA will send, and partially fund, the deployment of up to 100 staff volunteers from the union's Washington, DC headquarters to Ohio to participate in the ballot referendum campaign. These employees are in addition to staffers recruited from other NEA state affiliates and, of course, the employees of the Ohio Education Association.

Illinois Business to pols: Shape up or we'll ship out

Chicago Tribune Online, 10/23/2011

The chief executives at some of Illinois' largest companies think economic conditions are better in neighboring states. They expect economic growth here to lag the nation's growth. They believe Illinois taxes are a roadblock to investment. They have no faith that

political leaders will use the 67 percent income tax increase imposed this year to put state government on firmer financial ground.

NY protest lures broad array of activists

Financial Times Online, 10/23/2011

Last week brought veterans of a long-standing activist campaign against Walmart and its labour practices – the union-backed group Organization United for Respect at Walmart, or Our Walmart. But their presence also raised questions about Occupy Wall Street’s vulnerability to being occupied itself by established activist organisations.

New NLRB Rule Presents an Unwelcome Choice for Tribal Businesses

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The National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) has been intruding on tribal sovereignty for several years, by asserting authority over businesses owned and operated by tribal governments, including those located on reservations. And it’s poised to strike yet another blow.