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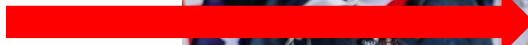
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Who is the sick one here?

Mask refusal and ambivalent social identity in COVID America

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“Tastes like
Socialism”





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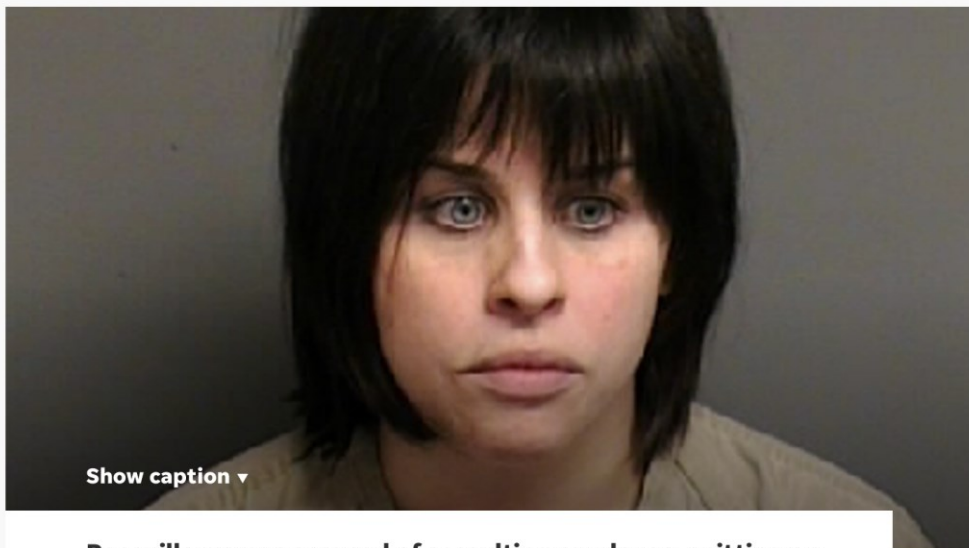
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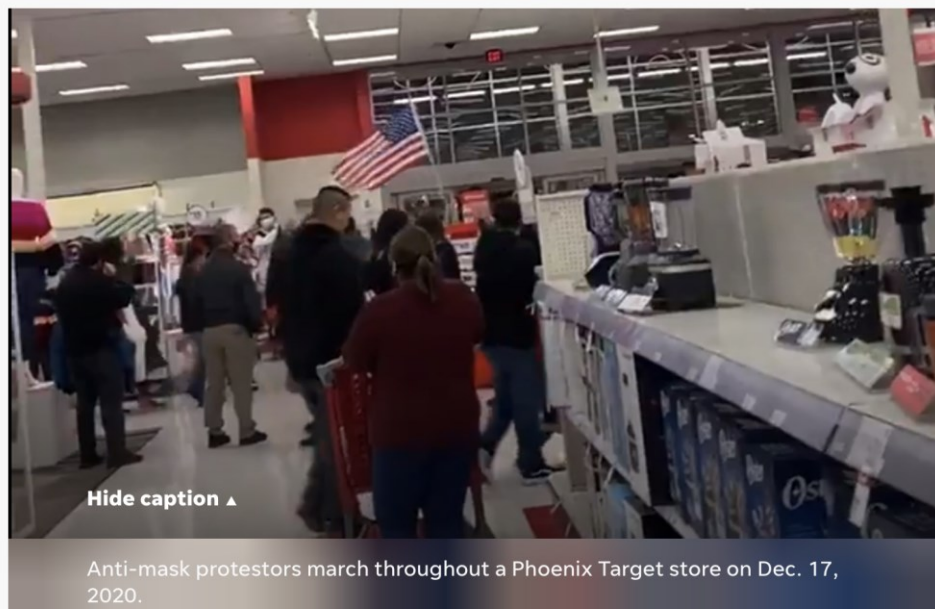




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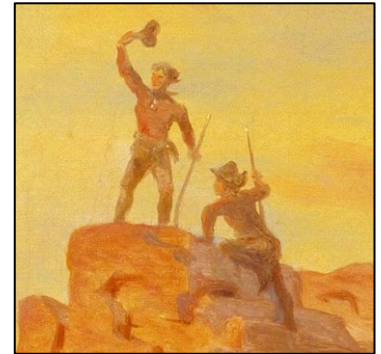
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Across the Continent. "Westward the Course of Empire Takes Its Way"
Frances Flora Bond Palmer, published by Currier & Ives, 1868



A. Gardner, Photographer.

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October 10th, 1867.

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‘My body, my choice’ – a protester at the state capitol opposes wearing a mask. Photograph: Sergio Flores/Getty Images



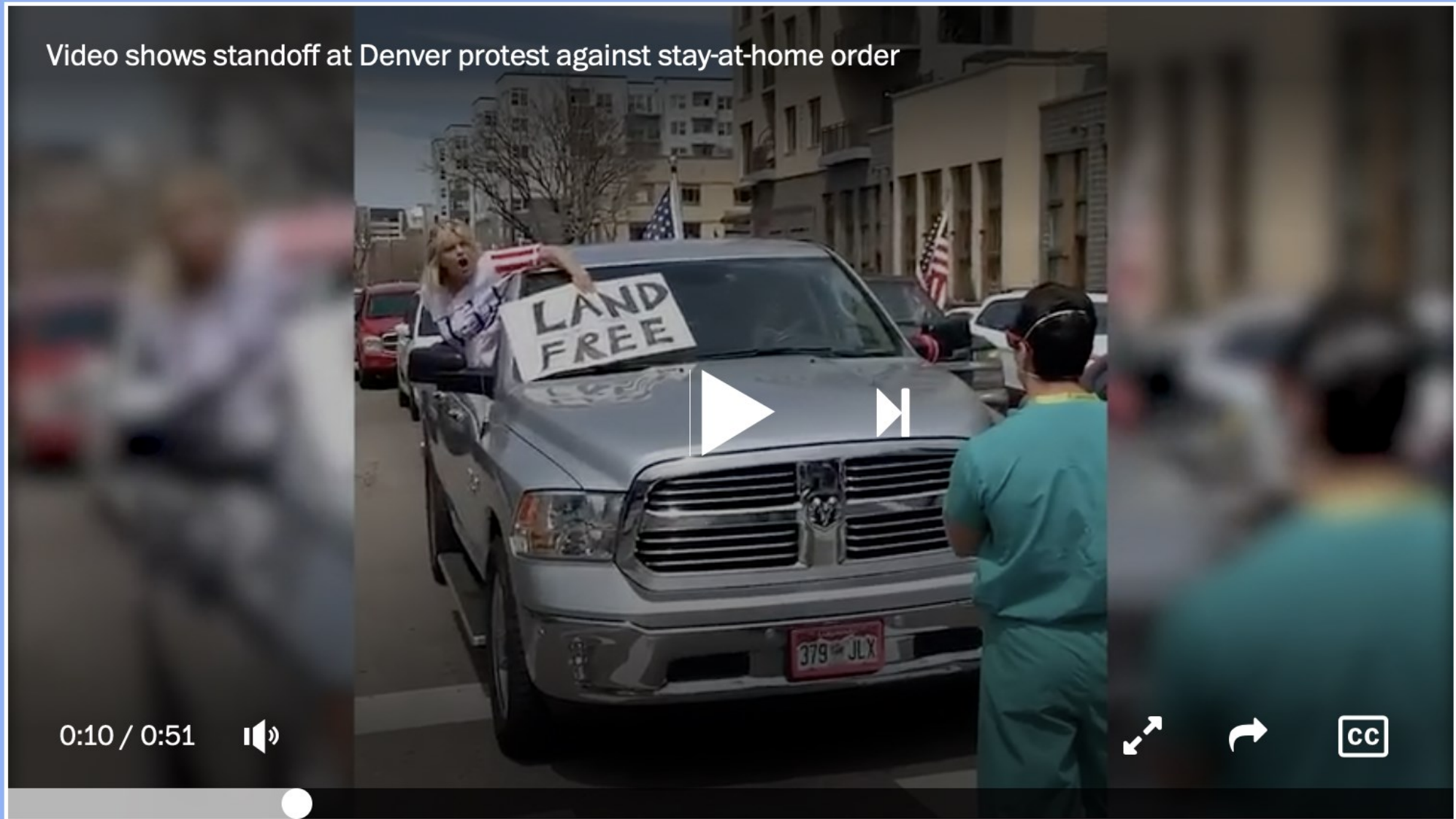
Dr Anthony Fauci told the US Senate that the US could see 100,000 new coronavirus cases daily unless action is taken to reverse the epidemic, 1 July 2020, Photograph: REX/Shutterstock

MICHIGAN – ‘Operation Gridlock’ (15 April)



Operation Gridlock 15 April, Lansing Michigan, Detroit Metro Times

Video shows standoff at Denver protest against stay-at-home order



People wearing scrubs stood in front of vehicles filled with protesters campaigning against Colorado's stay-at-home order on April 19. (Marc Zenn via Storyful)

'A bold statement': ReOpen NC starts 'burn your mask challenge' on social media



(ReOpen NC)



A protest against mask mandates in July in Austin. In Texas, mask-wearing has turned into a partisan squabble.
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Maskless Trump supporters invade the U.S. Capitol, 6 January 2021



Vice President Mike Pence declines to follow protocol during a visit to the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN. on April 28, 2020. Credit: Jim Mone *AP Photo*



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