

There is no crime behind Liberty Dollar

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To the editor:

The Liberty Dollar issue is an important one to consider. It speaks not only to the very notion of freedom, but also to what the Founding Fathers intended our constitutional republic to be.

For those who doubt the legitimacy or legality of the Liberty Dollar, I ask only that you visit the Web site and read the affidavit the Feds used to get the warrant. Then ask yourself, "Where's the crime?"

When you're done with that, check out your Constitution, particularly Article I, Section 10, Clause 4: "No State shall... make any thing but gold and silver coin a tender in payment of debts."

Now it is up to you to explain why we allow a privately run Federal Reserve to print our money with no gold or silver backing when it is expressly called for in the very Constitution that is the basis of our Republic!

Never mind for a moment that the Federal Reserve itself is acting illegally and has been since the early 1970s. You must also wonder about the timing of this raid and the motives behind it, at a time when the U.S. dollar is tanking against other currencies and presidential candidate Ron Paul is making serious headway toward the Republican nomination.

This whole thing stinks, and putting perfume on this pig by saying the Liberty Dollar must be wrong and dismissing the issue is just intellectual laziness.
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