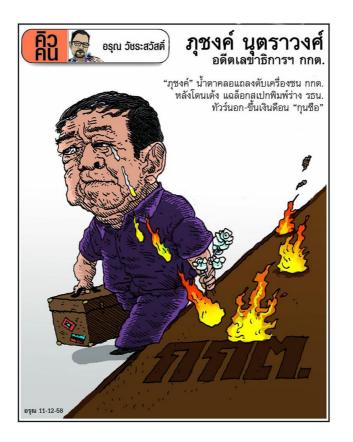
#### **Tears of fire**

January 3, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons – Arun



From Arun, December 9, 2015

Puchong Nutrawong

Former EC Secretary-general

'Puchong' is crying while insisting to fight back the EC

After being sacked. Disclosing that the draft constitution has already set a specification

Traveling aboard-increasing salary of 'the boss'

On a right corner: EC

# **Betrayal Pig**

January 4, 2016

Categories: Analysis, Editorial Cartoons - Manager



08-12-58

From Manager, December 7, 2015

Abhisit: Betrayal Pig!

Caption: After letting him stay in Bangkok for so long... this pig has not come back to his sty.

#### The U.S. ambassador is a meddler

January 5, 2016

Categories: Anti-Americanism, Editorial Cartoons - Manager



04-12-58

From Manager, December 3, 2015 Left, foreigner says: I... Mr.Hunter.

Thai man: Oh... I-han-taer

Left caption: The wrong pronunciation of English names in the past

Right: I... Mr. Davies Thai man: Oh... I-Seuak

Right caption: ... Wrong pronunciation nowadays.

# Slave labor or selling weapons?

January 5, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Komchadluek



From Komchadluek, December 17, 2015

Uncle Sam: Your country uses slave labor in shrimp fisheries. That is not right.

Thailand: Or do you want us to sell weapons like you?

# **U.S.** Conspiracy

January 6, 2016

Categories: Airports and Airlines, Anti-Americanism, Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, December 5, 2015

Caption: Sky target?

Mouse man: An unknown thing in the sky. Mouse: How could they have come this far?

#### In the hot seat

January 7, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, December 8, 2015 On the chair: Deputy Defense Minister Phi Nooring: Hazing or expelling A mouse: Good people don't corrupt

On blowtorch top to bottom: Case of a park, Rajabhakti, commission fees

On fire top to bottom: Pressure, to, resign Caption: Blowing a fire on the junior's butt

More: How to hide Rajabhkti Park? Editorial cartoons from Thai newspapers

# New protest leader steals the spotlight

January 8, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



10-12-58

From Manager, December 9, 2015

Red Shirt leader Jatuporn: Ten! ... The NCPO sets the price for I-New more than us.

A sign on Jatuporn and Nattawut: 10 baht for 2

A sign on Ja-New: 1,000 baht

Caption: A new mischievous man... is considered at a higher price.

# Weekly News Magazines, December 25, 2015-January 8, 2016

January 8, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Matichon Weekly, December 25-31, 2015 Main cover reads: Tuk Tuk Identity of the 'country,' Identity of Thailand

Top right: Roundfinger celebrates the wedding of 'NewStampt'



From Lokwannee, December 26, 2015-January 8, 2016 Main cover reads: Hello, the year of monkey. (Governing the country... is not difficult!) Signs on the bench: Go without return; Sleep and not wake up; Don't revive; Cannot escape



From Manager Weekly, December 26, 2015-January 1, 2016 Main cover reads: Drama of Universe

Bottom left: From Big Tu's heart. I am the country. "Should let die in the jail"

Bottom right: Pete Bodharamik

"A rich man of 4G"

It's time to know this man



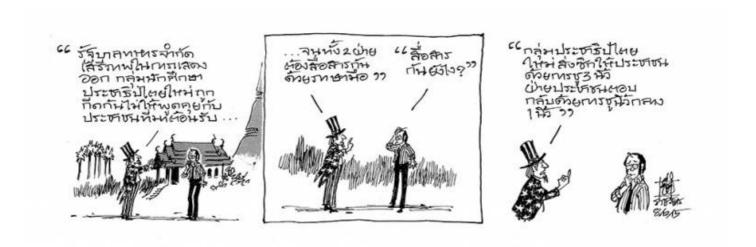
From Nation Weekend, December 25, 2015 Main cover reads: Give me a hug for keeping warm

Drama 'Miss Universe' to 'Thailand's Tuk Tuk'

### The middle finger

January 9, 2016

Categories: Anti-Americanism, Editorial Cartoons - Manager



From Thairath, December 10, 2015

Left, Uncle Sam: The military government is limiting the freedom of the new democracy movement group by not-allowing them to speak with people who come to support them...

Middle: ....finally they use finger language to communicate

Man: What did they do?

Rgiht: The new democracy movement group sent the signal to people by lifting 3 fingers while people answered using the middle finger.

### Opposing the train

January 11, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, December 22, 2015

Title: It's ok... we are rich! On train: Semi-express

The man holding the Thai flag is Deputy PM ACM Prajin Juntong.

On the judge's shirt: Former judge of the Constitutional Court. Now is the NRSA.

On the paper: There is no non-asphalt road in Thailand and our younger generation will have long-term debt.

Phi Nooring: More expensive, but slower than "Poo's" train

A mouse: Only say for destroying

#### The U.S. controls IS?

January 12, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Chai



From Thairath, December 18, 2015

U.S. President: General, prepare the missile to destroy where the IS leader tranquilly lives!

General: Wait a minute, Mr. President.

US President: Why?

General: Why don't Mr. President hurriedly move your family out of the White house first...

# The Eastern Tigers expanding in every direction

January 12, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager, Thai Military



From Manager, December 17, 2015

Caption: Eastern tigers... are trying to expand its influence to the whole forest.

On trees from left to right: NACC, NRC, Military, RTP

#### **The Blasted Court!**

January 13, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



23-12-58

From Manager, December 23, 2015

Above left: Thaksin urinates on the Thai court: Look here... the blasted court.

Caption: Yesterday

Above right, Thaksin pays respect to Thai court: Please punish them... giving me fair justice... salute .

Caption: Today

Below left, Thaksin urinates on the Thai court: Look here... the blasted court.

Caption: Tomorrow

Below right, Thaksin pays respect to Thai court: Please punish them... giving me fair justice... salute. Caption: The day after tomorrow.

# The Biggest Achievement

January 13, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager, Thai Military



22-12-58

From Manager, December 22, 2015

Voice from the Defense Ministry: The problem is... we have a bigger achievement than any ministry, but we can't tell.

A sign in front of the building: Defense Ministry

More: How to hide Rajabhkti Park? Editorial cartoons from Thai newspapers

# Do you want reconciliation or a new crisis?

January 14, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, December 23, 2015 Title: What do you want? Choose. Left hand by flower: Reconciliation Right hand: The cause of the new crisis

On rock: Dismiss

On the man's shirt: Referendum

At right is Constitutional Drafting Committee head Meechai. On his suit: CDC

On the constitution: Weird version Phi Nooring: Flower or rock A mouse: Don't force people

#### New Year's Cartoons, December 31, 2015

January 15, 2016

Categories: New Year's Cartoons, Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Dailynews, December 31, 2015

Top left to right: On a rice bag carried by Yingluck: Rice pledging scheme

Naked Thaksin: Striping the police's rank

Eagle

On flag held by PM Prayuth: Good bye the year 2558

On his shirt: NCPO Tangmo Tono..!!

Middle left to right: Lottery 80 baht

On the trash: Corruption

Bottom left to right:

On the fallen constitution: Draft constitution

On the door: Economy

On the balloons: Inject the funds to help farmers, inject the fund to help SME

On the flag held by the monkey: 2559



From Khaosod, December 31, 2015 On Noah's Ark: Pae

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### Weekly News Magazines, January 8-15, 2016

January 15, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Matichon Weekly, January 8-14, 2016 Main cover reads: Above 'P.' is another 'P.'

Right side: Provoking 'politics,' Calendar model

Happy New Year 2558



From Manager Weekly, January 9, 2016 Main cover reads: #teamtammy

Bottom left: Online drama 'Love story of a 'motorpunk'

Bottom right: The end of Rajabhakti. 'Big Dong' still has a close tie with 'Pom-Tu'



From Nation Weekend, January 8, 2016 Main cover reads: Magic calendar

Top right: The way of 'Big brother' Growing up from two system. A compromiser.



From Lokwannee, January 9-15, 2016 Main cover reads: Peek-a-boo!!

Blurred letters: Happy New Year 2558

### Ban on relatives standing for House, Senate

January 17, 2016

Categories: 2Bangkok News

Ban on relatives standing for House, Senate - Bangkok Post, January 13, 2016

... Under the new regulation, those wanting to contest MP and Senate elections must not have parents and spouses who are active MPs, senators, members of local administrative bodies, or local administrators. They must not hold any political position including being a director at an independent organisation.

Also, people from the same family would be barred from running in an election in the same district, Mr Chartchai said...

More about packing the senate with Thaksin cronies halfway down this page

### Who Is a Terrorist? Lessons from Thailand and the Philippines

January 18, 2016 Categories: Terrorism

Who Is a Terrorist?: Lessons from Thailand and the Philippines – thediplomat.com, January 13, 2015 ... The Bangkok protests differ in both scale and objective from many of the genuine terrorist incidents—conducted by groups such as ISIS, Boko Haram and Pakistan's TPP—detailed elsewhere in the report. Rather than purging domestic or global society of infidels or modern beliefs, they were manifestations of an (albeit unsavory) strategy aimed at securing domestic political power. A quick reading of Thailand's modern political history, where cycles of protest and low intensity violence have typically and frequently preceded changes in political power, shows both how normal and effective such strategies are. Indeed, the use of violence, or threats of it, are a common strategy for securing political and economic power in much of the developing world and beyond—at both the national and local levels. Inter-communal riots in India, organized crime in Guatemala, local land conflicts in Indonesia: each involves the use of violence by non-state groups for political-economic purposes. If one is to include such acts in a definition of terrorism, and consistently code them as such, the number of terrorist acts would rise exponentially in most countries...

### Weekly News Magazines, January 1-8, 2016

January 18, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Manager Weekly, January 2-8, 2016

Main cover reads: Hello ๒๕๔๙ A pig monster eating the country

Top right: Today an influence of 'fat man' is beyond so-called 'big' and will be reach to 'supreme power.' Due to this, we may call Thailand is eaten by a pig monster' almost totally.



From Matichon Weekly, January 1-7, 2016 Main cover reads: Hello the year of the monkey Hello celestial monster

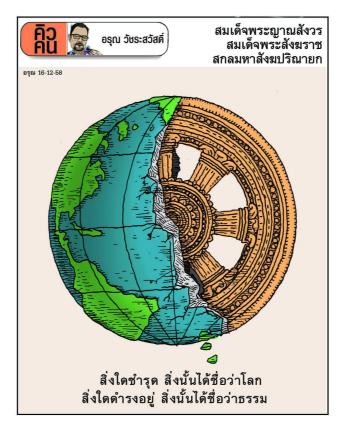


From Nation Weekend, January 1, 2016 Main cover reads: 'The PM is funny.' Top right: Happy New Year ๒๕๔๙

# Things that still exist are called Dharma

January 18, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons – Arun



From Arun, December 16, 2015 Caption: Somdet Phra Nyanasamvara Things that have deteriorated are called World. Things that still exist are called Dharma.

# Are you ready, Thailand?

January 20, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons – Arun



From Arun, January 5, 2016

Caption: AEC: Are you ready, Thailand?

# Refuse to uproot the tree... then have to sweep the leaves!

January 20, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



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From Manager, January 6, 2016

Caption: Refuse to uproot the tree... then have to sweep the leaves!

PM Prayuth: Clean this up! ...it creates an eyesore.

# **Roasted Pork Democrat Party**

January 21, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



08-01-59

From Manager, January 7, 2016

On the sign: Roasted Pork Democrat Party – Delicious... – Certified food safety

On tubs: Roasted pork

Caption: This party is doing another business, after being freed from their usual work.

More: Betrayal Pig

#### They can hang

January 22, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, January 12, 2016

Title: Administrating the country is easy.

Left man: Farmer

Right man: Rubber worker.

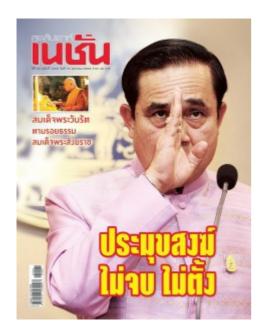
Speech boxes from left to right: Grow cowage. Grow bananas and strawberries. Change to grow Parkia

speciosa and Djenkol beans. Mouse man: People live harder. Mouse: Wish you to be in good place.

### Weekly News Magazines, January 15-22, 2016

January 22, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Nation Weekend, January 15, 2016

Main cover reads: Supreme Patriarch – Don't end. Don't appoint

Left: Somdet Phra Wanrat follows the path of Supreme Patriarch.



From Lokwannee, January 16-22, 2016 Main cover reads: A new likay group? On the curtain: Special committee on peace



From Manager Weekly, January 16-22, 2016 Main cover reads: SLOW LIFE Somdet Chuang

Bottom left: Kamnan happy on the sadness of rubber farmers.

Bottom right: Strong The conclusion of THE FACE 2 – All of them become popular. and Bee . Refers to the famous reality TV show "The Face Thailand" season 2 which now came to an end. The winner was Ticha from mentor Bee's team. In the show, there were many popular catchphrases created, such as "strong" which was later used widely by the public.]



From Matichon Weekly, January 15-21, 2016

Main cover reads: The power of the South-The power of rubber 'Democrat'

On the shirts: Let's help each other.

Top right: Dr. Prawet: Triangle moves the 'tank' – The junta with a wrong strategy

# Our leader's temper

January 23, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Komchadluek



From Komchadluek, January 10, 2016
If the stock market went up depending on our leader's temper, that would be great.

# I ask for your kindness

January 24, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Komchadluek



From Komchadluek, January 12, 2016 Yingluck: Just a calendar. I ask for your kindness.

#### Hello the Year of the Monkey

January 26, 2016

Categories: New Year's Cartoons

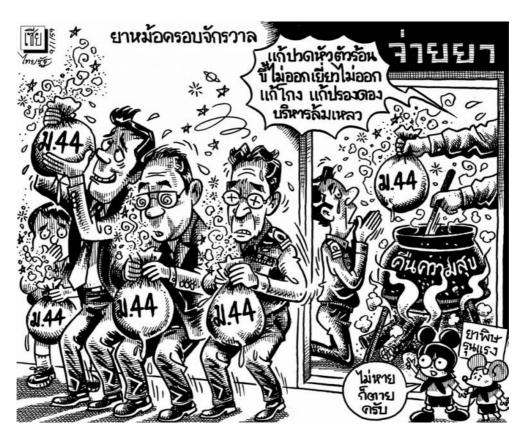


From Thairath, January 1, 2016
Title: Hello the Year of the Monkey
In the year of the goat, there were good and bad things that happened
Sometimes it was good, but sometimes you had to shake your head
But for the year of monkey, don't be afraid
Be prepared to welcome all the good things
If you wish and think for the best
Trying to do all good things
If you think and do badly
Then you will receive whatever you've done.
Nitikorn Kraivixian

#### The boiling drug can cure everything in the universe

January 26, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, January 9, 2016

Title: The boiling drug can cure everything in the universe

PM Prayuth: Headache, having a flu, can't poo or pee, to solve corruption, reconciliation and failure of

government.

On the sign above the door: Dispensary

On the bag: Article 44

On the pot: Return happiness

Mouse man Phi Nooring: Either relieve or die

A mouse: The most dangerous poison

### Karun ordered to pay another 500,000 baht for slander

January 26, 2016

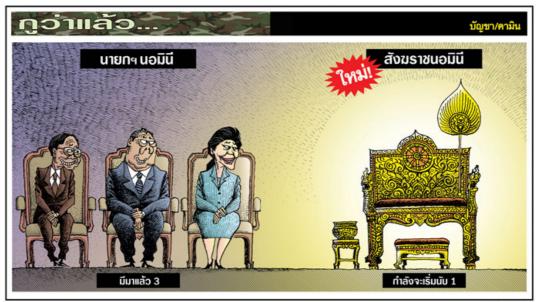
Categories: 2Bangkok News

<u>Karun ordered to pay another 500,000 baht for slander</u> – Bangkok Post, January 26, 2016 ... He said Mr Karun claimed his family descended from hill-tribe people who later changed their surname. Mr Karun also accused him of posing for nude photos for a gay magazine, using money to buy votes and destroying his election banners...

More: Another Colorful Politician: Karun Hosakul

#### For Thaksin

January 28, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



14-01-59

From Manager, January 13, 2016

Left: Nominated PM

Caption: There were already three persons.

Right: Nominated supreme patriarch

In the red bubble: New

Caption: It will begin to count for 1.

# **Passport Power**

January 28, 2016 Categories: 2Bangkok News



World's passports sorted by "power," location and color

# Who will dare question Rajabhakti Park?

January 29, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager, Uncategorized



From Manager, January 7, 2016

Tiger: If you're still questioning whether I swallowed Rajabhakti Park, you're welcome to investigate it...

come on!!

Caption: Who will dare?

# "UNESCOcide" – whenever a city is named a heritage site, it dies out

January 29, 2016

Categories: 2Bangkok News

#### Magical Laotian town preserved by UNESCO loses its soul – AP, January 28, 2016

...Scenes of workaday life are rare because as prices shot up — a small plot of land that sold for \$8,000 three years ago now goes for \$120,000 — residents moved into surrounding areas, selling or renting their properties to the newcomers. As former UNESCO consultant and longtime resident Francis Engelmann has said, "We have saved Luang Prabang's buildings but we have lost its soul."

Similar criticism has been leveled at UNESCO's worldwide program, along with praise for having rescued irreplaceable man-made and natural treasures in 163 countries since its inception in 1972...

# Weekly News Magazines, January 22-29, 2016

January 29, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Lokwannee, January 16-22, 2016

On the sign at top of the gate: Independent agency - Constitutional court-NACC-ECT-OAG

Signs on the gates at bottom, left to right: Legislative, Executive, Judiciary

The big words on the cover read: Agency of God?



From Manager Weekly, January 23-29, 2016 Main cover reads: Everyone loves Por

Bottom left: Analyze the new supreme competition NACC vs. Dhammakaya and a conclusion which win win for both party.

Bottom right: 'Uncle Ram's' fever. Warm and won lady's heart.



From Matichon Weekly, January 22-28, 2016 Main cover reads: Por Thrisadee effect



From Nation Weekend, January 22, 2016 Main cover reads: Burirum's fate 'Tridsadee' An honor of Burirum Tridsadee Sahawong 2523-2559

# So afraid of the Shinawatras?

February 1, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, January 8, 2016

Title: It's really haunted!
On the calendar: Hanny New Ye

On the calendar: Happy New Year 2559

Phi Nooring: They're writhing.

A mouse: Even if you don't believe it, you can't disrespect it.

# Nestlé admits slavery in Thailand while fighting child labour lawsuit in Ivory Coast

February 1, 2016 Categories: Labor

Nestlé admits slavery in Thailand while fighting child labour lawsuit in Ivory Coast – The Guardian, February 1, 2016

...By independently disclosing that Nestlé customers had unwittingly bought products contaminated by the very worst labour abuses, the company said it was moving into a new era of self-policing of its own supply chains. A year-long investigation by the company confirmed media reports that the seafood industry in Thailand is riddled with forced labour and human trafficking and that slave labour was involved in the production of its Fancy Feast catfood brand...

#### **New boss**

February 2, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



27-01-59

From Manager, January 26, 2016

Jatuporn: Next protest... our new boss says that we don't need to wear red shirts.

Monk: But you have to shave your hair too.

Caption: Seem like they will have a new job to do.

# No 99-year land leases!

February 3, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager, Property and Development



21-01-59

From Manager, January 20, 2016

Man in Chinese dress: Hmmm... one day I will definitely make you pay...

A Westerner is holding a paper that reads: Hong Kong rental contract – 99 years

Left caption: Resentment from hundred years ago.

Modern Chinese man with Chinese yuan in his hand hold a paper that reads: Thailand rental contract – 99 years

Right caption: The payback day (today).

# Who do the police really protect?

February 4, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia, Thai Police



From Thairath, January 20, 2016

Left side: In front of the Metropolitan Police Bureau

At bottom: People's guardian. Right side: All over country. At bottom: ...... guardian.

Mouse man: This is the beginning of the process of inequity.

Mouse: Please sympathize with the people.

#### **Critics of the Constitution**

February 5, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Chai



From Thairath, January 25, 2016

Title: Ta board Ta sai

On the elephant: Political reformation constitution

Gives the independent entity power to go against people!

Speech boxes from left: This hole will bring the country into serious crisis for sure! Writing this to suppress corruption is meant to suppress our party! No prescription for the country's corruption cases. Don't you think it is too much? What is this hole under the tail? Is this the hole to let the outsource in? Revoke the husband and wife's council? Don't stop the family institution!

# **Child Angel for the Democrats**

February 8, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons – Arun



From Arun, January 27, 2016

Kon la rueng diew gun (This phrase means something like "different stories, but sometimes these can come together." Here it shows the combination of the resignation of Bhichai and the "Child Angel" doll phenomenon.)

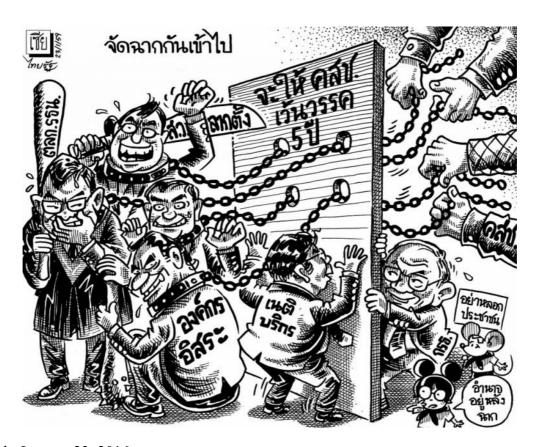
"Pu' Bhichai" resign from the party. Feels depressed-not the same.

"Thai Smile" sells seat for "child angel."

### The power is behind the scene

February 9, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, January 23, 2016

Title: Set the scene

Phi Nooring: The power is behind the scene

Mouse: Don't cheat the people

In a front of the wall: The NCPO will be banned for 5 years

On a suit of Wissanu Krea-ngam: Political counsel

On the suit of the man sitting down: Independent agencies

On the baton: Justice of the Constitutional Court

On the sword: Partisan senators Behind the wall on the sleeve: NCPO

The quilted sleeve refers to Privy Councilor Prem

The man holding the wall is constitution author Meechai's suite: CDC

# Cutting a tail and leaving it at the temple

February 10, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



25-01-59

From Manager, January 24, 2016

Woman: They left it at the right temple.

On the back of the pickup truck: Democrat Party

The man in the pickup is Democrat Party leader Abhisit Vejjajiva.

On the temple gate: Transitional temple The man inside the temple is PM Prayuth.

# Still Falling in Thailand

February 11, 2016 Categories: Falling

<u>Daughter Urges Police to Re-investigate Father's Fatal 'Accident'</u>

Man falls to death from Pattaya condo

Indian gem trader falls to death

American dead in fall from Pattaya high-rise

German falls to death from Pattaya condo

57 year Old Briton Falls to His Death from Bangkok Apartment

Earlier: Falling in Thailand

#### State of the Land

February 11, 2016

Categories: 2Bangkok News

PM erupts after questions about 'cruel' charter – The Nation, February 3, 2016

Longtime Political Cartoonist 'Stephff' Loses Work Permit & Visa – khaosodenglish.com, February 2, 2016

<u>Defamation Suit Hits Veteran BBC Correspondent for Reports on Fraud</u> – Khao Sod, February 7, 2016 ... Head will not be in Phuket for the hearing and is publicly saying as little as possible. Fears include having his passport confiscated by the court if he is to be indicted and needing to seek bail – a move that could jeopardize the two-decade career of the veteran reporter who just finished his term as President of the Foreign Correspondents Club of Thailand.

"I will not comment at this stage because I have not yet been indicted," Head told Khaosod English by telephone...

<u>Thailand projected to be the least miserable country in the world, again</u> – asiancorrespondent.com, February 4, 2016

What do you get when you mash together a country's unemployment rate and inflation? You get a snapshot of how 'miserable' it is – that's the general idea behind Bloomberg's so-called Misery Index...

<u>Use of 'dictator law' rises in Thailand as junta's reforms falter</u> – Reuters, February 3, 2016 ... Last month, activists decried orders to build 14 power plants across the country, despite health and environmental concerns.

Also last month, Prayuth used Article 44 to remove seven officials from a government health promotion foundation, initially citing suspected graft. But he later apologized, and dropped the suggestion of corruption, after doctors complained of interference...

<u>Burning bridges: Police raid threatens 'quality' tourism</u> – Bangkok Post, February 7, 2016

The police raid on elderly card players in Pattaya last week may have earned Thailand international ridicule, but it also looks set to cost the country money as hundreds of "bridge tourists" threaten to cancel their holiday plans...

<u>Thai market vendors pelt police with rocks for cracking down on counterfeits</u> – AP, February 3, 2016 Thai police were licking their wounds Wednesday after an enraged mob of vendors chased them away when they tried to seize fake goods at a famous border market.

The Department of Special Investigation said 12 officers were injured when police and French Embassy observers went to the Rong Kluea market on the border with Cambodia to seize items such as fake perfumes that violate intellectual property laws...

Obama takes heat for inviting Thai coup leader to California summit — Washington Times, February 3, 2016 .... After a brief suspension of some programs and aid after the 2014 coup, the Pentagon will be taking part in this year's 35th "Cobra Gold" military exercises with Thailand, a 10-day, 24-country gathering starting Feb. 9 that is one of the largest annual military exercises in the Asia-Pacific region. While that exercise is proceeding, all 10 leaders of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations — which includes Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam — will gather at Mr. Obama's invitation for the Feb. 15-16 U.S.-ASEAN Summit at Sunnylands in Rancho Mirage, California...

#### The Staying Power of Thailand's Military – The Diplomat, February 10, 2016

...To understand the present and project into the future, it's important to understand Thailand's recent past. The 2014 military coup marked the crescendo of anti-government street convulsions, staged initially against an amnesty bill that would have paved the way for the criminally convicted self-exiled former prime minister Thaksin Shinawatra to return to Thailand a free man under his younger sister Yingluck Shinawatra's elected government.

Those protests later morphed into broad, if not vague, calls for cleaner governance, an end to corruption and an overhaul of democratic politics. The street protest-enabled coup, rather than an answer to a popular reform call, was clearly orchestrated by royalist elites to ensure that top generals, rather than squabbling politicians, are in control at the time of what many view will be a delicate royal succession...

# Weekly News Magazines, January 30-February 5, 2016

February 11, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Manager Weekly, January 30-February 5, 2016

Main cover reads: Farewell Luang Phor Charan

On the left: Doing good thing can be done on every occasion. Negligence makes us miss a chance to do a good thing. A good thing brings you happiness and satisfaction. Bad thing bring you sadness and disappointment. Be appreciate your life without comparing it with others. – Phra Thammasing Burajarn

Bottom left: Chai Moo 'Child angel' the real one who has a power Daddy Thaug protects.

Bottom right: Investigate the suicide of 'Chaokhun Sanoh' a right-hand man of Som dej Kio a senior of 'Phra Namfon' Phra Phromsuthi is not an ordinary.

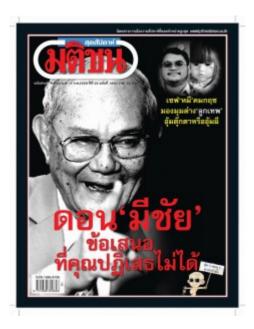


From Lokwannee, January 30-February 5, 2016

Main cover reads: Constitution angel

On shirt: CDC

At bottom: Then! Let's pay respect. What are you waiting for?



From Matichon Weekly, January 39-February 4, 2016 Main cover reads: Don 'Meechai' The proposal that you can't refuse

Top right: Chef 'Mee' Komkrit thinks different on 'child angel' carry a doll or a ghost.



From Nation Weekend, January 29, 2016 Main cover reads: Khun Chai Angel

Left side: Trend of 'Child angel' reflects Thai society. Believe and marketing

# Weekly News Magazines, February 5-12, 2016

February 12, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Matichon Weekly, February 5-11, 2016 Main cover reads: Contingency plan for the NCPC

Top right: 99-year land leasing. Being sincere or Kai-u



From Nation Weekend, February 5, 2016 Main cover reads: A scar of morality



From Lokwannee, February 6-12, 2016

On chalkboard: = NCPO gets out

Main cover reads: This equation... is a bet.

In the red circle: Special edition Collecting of the articles criticizing the draft constitution version by

Meechai



From Manager Weekly, February 6-12, 2016

Main cover reads: Give me three words... (already broke up) Love like a friend

Top right: "Dolrudee" Having a happy life in.... Harvard

Bottom: "I'm worthless" 'Big Tu' mourns. Doing good things but no one realizes it.

#### **Suicide of the Monk**

February 13, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



29-01-59

From Manager, January 28, 2016

Monk: Some monks cheating more money from Klongchan Cooperatives than me... no one does anything to them...

Caption: A last realization of some monks.

#### **Coffin for democracy**

February 15, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, January 30, 2016

Caption: Follow correct specifications... make this really perfect.

On coffin shaped like Democracy Monument: Without people's acknowledgement version. Meechai builds,

Buddhist year 2559

Meechai Ruchuphan, the chairman of Thailand's Constitution Drafting Committee, holds a Hitler doll and a hammer.

On corpse: Democracy

On soldier's jacket: Return happiness On the paper he holds: NCPO constitution

Mouse: Creative or destroying?

Mouse man: Contained. Ready to cremate.

# Thaksin and his ghosts howl!

February 16, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



02-02-59

From Manager, February 1, 2016

Man: This new talisman seems to have a strong power.

On the talisman sign above the door: Constitution Meechai

Caption: To have power or not? Can tell from listening to the screaming of those ghosts. Red words at right spoken by Thaksin and his allies: Greed... d... d... d Ah... h... h...

# The US and ISIS

February 16, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Komchadluek



From Komchadluek, January 28, 2016 here!! Real child angel.

Earlier: <u>Uncle Sam and ISIS</u>

Earlier: No different: ISIS and the U.S.

# **Tough referendum**

February 17, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons

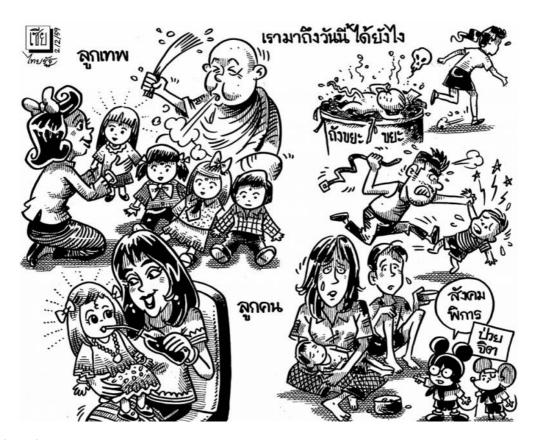


From Post Today, January 31, 2016 On the ladder: Referendum.

Charter writer Meechai holds the ladder for PM Pryauth.

# The irony of child angel dolls

February 18, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, February 2, 2016 Title: How can we have come this far?

Top left: Child angel.

Middle bottom: Human's child.

On the bin: Garbage.

Mouse man: Handicapped society.

Mouse: Mental illness.

# **Angel Child Thaksin**

February 19, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



01-02-59

From Manager, January 31, 2016

Laddawan Wongsriwong, an ex journalist for MCOT who is now a Pheu Thai leader in Phayao Province: The country is not democratic... so people turn to "child angels."

If you do not want to be blamed as credulous, you must turn to "father angel" like us.

# Weekly News Magazines, February 12-19, 2016

February 19, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Manager Weekly, February 13-19, 2016

Main cover reads: My disciple no one can touch him, naja.

Top right: #teamtuptim #teampleum, deeply revealing each others' stories

Bottom left: Already Charoen. When the tycoon shows their power.

Bottom right: End of 'Bang Yi' Team 'Newin' finished the game.



From Lokwannee, February 6-12, 2016 Main cover reads: Falling leads to fear!

On the left: Injustice... falling.



From Matichon Weekly, February 12-18, 2016

Main cover reads: Will it be a massive victory in the referendum?

On fingers: Constitution

Top right: Welcome event for 'PM' – gravel in army boots



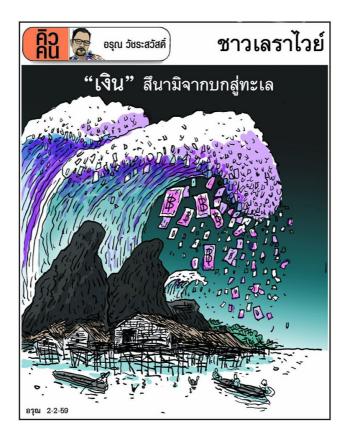
From Nation Weekend, February 12, 2016

Main cover reads: New power Escape from one tiger and meet another tiger

Top: Constitution war 'Maew' opens an attack while the NCPC team is fighting back.

# Money tsunami from land to the sea

February 20, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons – Arun



From Arun, February 2, 2016 At top: Chao Lay Rawi – "Money" tsunami from land to the sea

# What happens after elections?

February 22, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



28-01-59

From Manager, January 27, 2016

Security guard Prayuth: Next year, I will open this gate!

On the gate: Election

Caption: If the security guard says this... the fan club can be in chaos.

#### Thaksin dissatisfaction

February 22, 2016

Categories: 2Bangkok News

#### Fugitive ex-Thai PM denounces 'crazy' constitution plan - FT, February 21, 2016

...He added: "I don't that this junta will not last long," he said. "But any regime that not respect the people will not last long. No one respects North Korea, namely..."

# <u>Thailand's Former Leader Thaksin Shinawatra Says Junta's Election Plans Are a Charade</u> – WSJ, February 21, 2016

... "Please don't be paranoid. Please don't fear that I'll come looking for revenge," said Mr. Thaksin, addressing the current government. "I'm not looking for any conditions to help myself. But if you have a real intention to move the country forward, if you intend to return dignity to the Thai people, then please come to talk..."

#### Thaksin better stay out of the charter debate – The Nation, February 22, 2016

...As a recap of what Thaksin did, he still kept control of his telecom empire through his young son, let his wife buy a potentially lucrative piece of state-auctioned land, delayed the setting up of an independent body to liberate the telecom industry and formed a ministry that, among its first tasks, saw to it that telecom firms did not lose profits following liberalisation. And ever since he was ousted from power, he has led a campaign to discredit the anti-graft mechanism introduced and advocated by the 1997 constitution...

#### Poll 'charade', says Thaksin – Bangkok Post, February 22, 2016

...National Council for Peace and Order (NCPO) spokesman Col Winthai Suvari declined to comment Sunday. But an NCPO source said the moves by Thaksin and Ms Yingluck show they are struggling to maintain their diminishing influence in Thai politics.

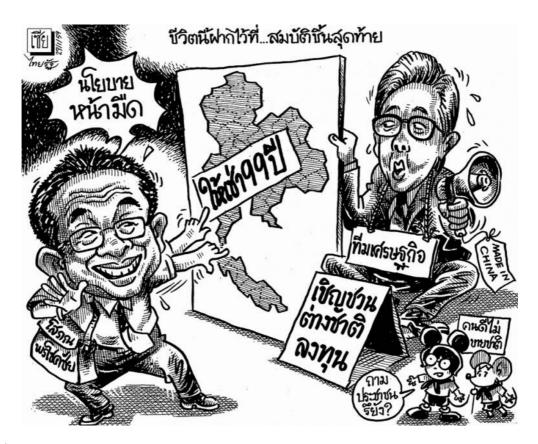
The source said Prime Minister Prayut Chan-o-cha would not accept the proposed talks as he maintains Thaksin must return to Thailand for court sentencing in his conflict of interest case. Indirect talks have been held with Thaksin asking him to support the NCPO's political roadmap which he has not done, the source said...

Earlier: Thailand's Former Leaders Raise Pressure on Ruling Junta - WSJ, February 10, 2016

# Opposing the 99-year lease for foreigners

February 23, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Komchadluek, Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, January 27, 2016

Title: Our life leaves it to... the last asset

On map: 99-year leasing

At right is Somkid with a sign around his neck: Economic team

Sign in front of Somkid: Invite foreign investment

At left is Sopon Pornchokchai who says: Dark horse policy

On his bag: Sopon Pornchokchai

Phi Nooring: Have you asked the people yet? Mouse: A good man will not sell the country.



From Komchadluek, January 31, 2016 99-year land lease.

# Remembering the Thaksin Years: Men walking with their tongues

February 25, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia, The Thaksin Years



From Thairath, February 25, 2003

Caption: Using the head to walk instead of the foot is so simple. Most people walk by using their month and tongue.

On the jackets of the men: Senators; the Opposition; Members of the Parliament; Politicians

# Dictating the constitution

February 25, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, February 5, 2016

Title: Commenting about constitution is okay, but criticizing is NOT.

Vote Yeahs or Nays for the constitution referendum.

On the book: Meechai-version constitution.

On man being strangled: People.

On neckband card: Press

Mouse man: This is a 99.99% democracy.

Mouse: Dictating the constitution.

# The junta goes crazy

February 25, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



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From Manager, February 7, 2016 On the sign: Psychiatric Hospital

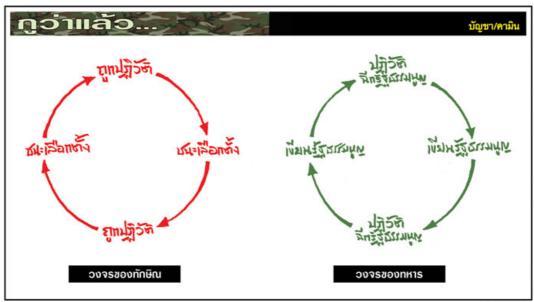
Deputy PM Prawit: Turn right quickly!.. Stop here first!

Caption: They'd better stop here to get treatment before moving forward.

# Thailand's cycles

February 26, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



10-02-59

From Manager, February 9, 2016

Left: Overthrew in a coup – Win an election – Overthrew in a coup – Win an election

Caption: Thaksin's cycle

Right: Coup and dismiss the constitution – Write a new constitution – Coup and dismiss the constitution –

Write a new constitution Caption: Military's cycle

An earlier cartoon with the same theme: Arun's "Grand Cycle"

# No, Stephff! They're afraid of a cartoon!

February 26, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia, Stephff's Cartoons



From Thairath, February 6, 2016

Title: Just a cartoonist?

On the paper: Request to extend visa, work permit, press card

On sleeve: Department of Foreign Affairs Mouse: They're afraid of a cartoon.

### Weekly News Magazines, February 19-26, 2016

February 26, 2016

Categories: Thai Newspapers and Magazines



From Matichon Weekly, February 19-25, 2016

Main cover reads: 2559 Makha Bucha

On a talipot fan held by a novice at bottom right: Soldiers need to protect the 'monks' naja.

Top right: Q and A Poo: Venerable monk from Wat Banglam 'is the rice gone?'



From Manager Weekly, February 20-26, 2016 Main cover reads: Why do we have monks?

The logo at the middle left is from the Department of Special Investigation, Ministry of Justice Under the logo: Honor, Expertise, Honesty

Bottom left: Behind the crisis of 'Nokair' which Patee knows it.

Bottom right: Abolished an inquiry 'Jan' died without making any change 'Chakthip' is scared of having bloodthirsty staff



From Lokwannee, February 20-26, 2016 Main cover reads: A-mit-ta-put



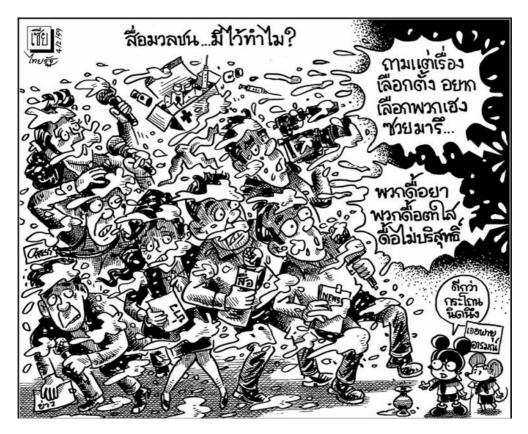
From Nation Weekend, February 19, 2016 Main cover reads: A fight of monks

Top: 'Facing-Off' drama 'Xeping-Cholatis' a war on beauty.

# Storm from the spittoon

February 26, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Sia



From Thairath, February 4, 2016

Title: Mass media... Why are you even here?

Right speech blobs from top to bottom:

Asking only about elections—you want to elect those inferior people!

Resist drug instructions.

Play innocent.

Impurity stubborn.

Mouse man: A little better than spittoon.

Mouse: Temper storm.

#### **Old tanks**

February 28, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Thairath - Chai



From Komchadluek, February 9, 2016

Soldier: Sir!! I would like to ask for your approval to buy new military tanks in order to overthrow the

government.

Prayuth: It's just overthrowing. Why do you need new military tanks?

Soldier: Bangkok has legislated the car over a certain age cannot be driven in Bangkok sir.

Prayuth: ....

# Thaksin will return

February 29, 2016 Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Komchadluek



From Komchadluek, February 10, 2016

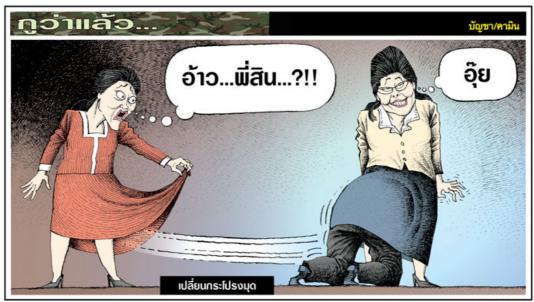
Thaksin: Believe me!! After the election, I still be back into the government again!!

On the baby's blanket: Military government.

#### Under a new skirt

February 29, 2016

Categories: Editorial Cartoons - Manager



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From Manager, February 10, 2016 Caption: go under another skirt. Left, Yingluck: Oh...P' Sin...?!!

Sudarat: Ah

More with the same theme:

2010: Hiding behind her skirt

2011: <u>Hiding Behind Suthep's Dress</u> 2012: <u>Hiding Under Their Dresses</u> 2013: <u>Quick, Hide Under Her Dress</u>