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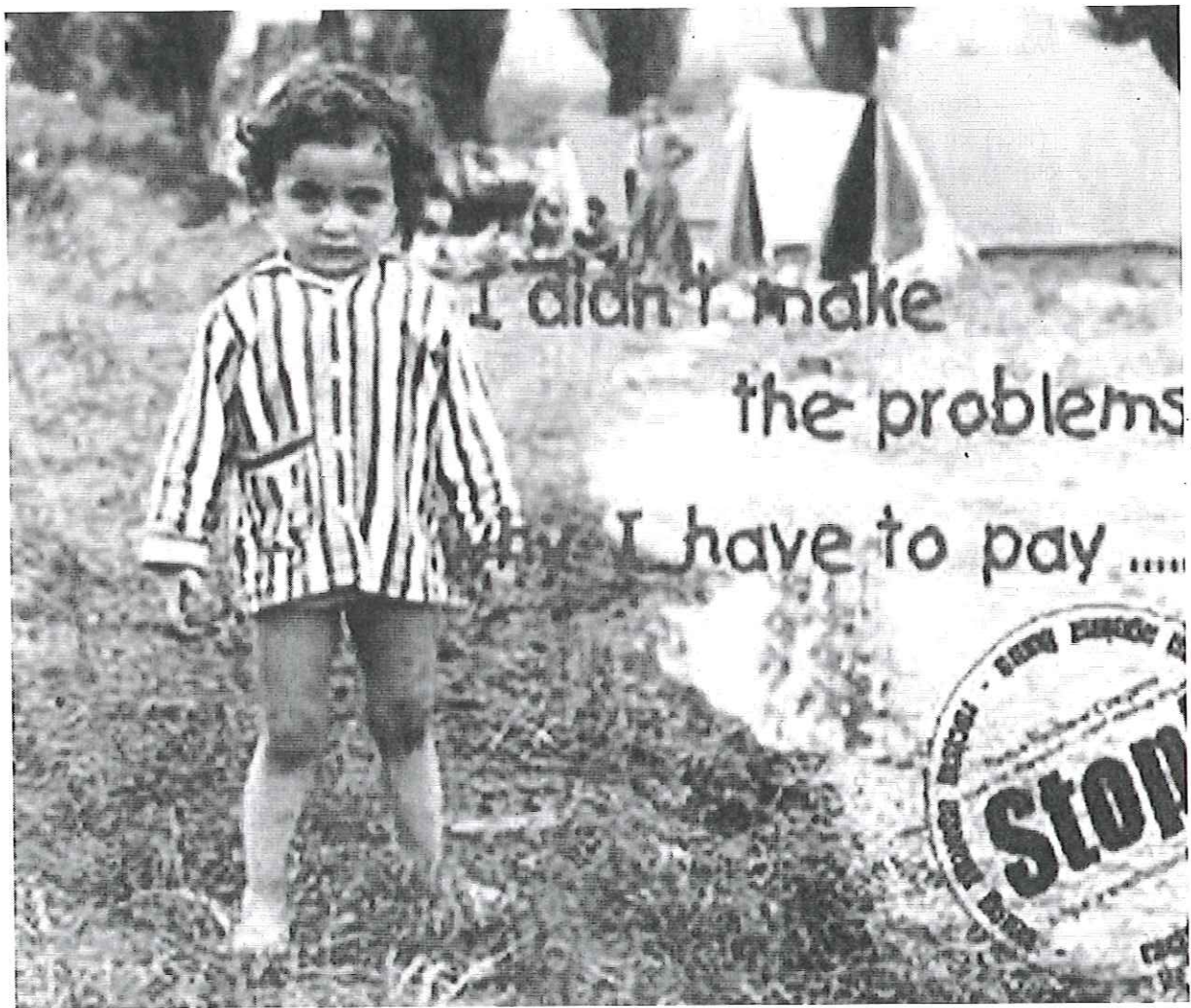
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Texts:

Eswaran, Ekanath, Gandhi: The Man (Nilgiri Press, 2011)

Equivalent of War," HG 176-186; Milne, "The Pacifist Spirit," 186-194

Monday, February 17—Presidents' Day

Wednesday, February 19: Nonviolence as a Way of Life

Ruddick, "Maternal Nonviolence: A Truth in the Making," (HG) 163-176; Thich Nhat Hanh, "Feelings and Perceptions," (HG) 244-247; Không, "Learning True Love," (HG) 249-252; Taylor, "Pacifism as a Way of Life," (HG) 250-253; Abdil-Mu'id, "A Muslim Views the Promise of Nonviolence," (HG) 253-255.

Monday, February 24: On the Permanence of Our Susceptibility to Violence

Gray, Warriors: Reflections on Men in Battle (GG) 3-58

Wednesday, February 26: Introduction to the Thought of Gandhi

Eswaran, Gandhi: The Man (EE) 15-59; Gandhi, "Satyagraha: Congress Report on the Punjab Disorder," (HG) 83-88; Bondurant, "satyagraha in Action," (HG) 88-98

Monday, March 3: Satyagraha: Gandhi's Philosophy of Nonviolence

"The Way of Love," (EE) 59-125

First Discussion Paper Due by 11:59 pm

Wednesday, March 5:

"Mother and Child," (EE) 125-149; "Gandhi the Man" (EE), 149-173; Flinders, "How Nonviolence Works," (EE) 187-205

Monday, March 10—Saturday, March 15—Spring Break

Monday, March 17: Power Politics and Pragmatic Nonviolence

Sharp, "Nonviolent Action: An Active Technique of Struggle," (HG) 255-267; Stephan and Chenoweth, "Why Civil Resistance Works," (HG) 267-279; DuVall, "Liberation without War," (HG) 279-284

Wednesday, March 19: Extending Care and Inclusivity: The Rights Revolution

Pinker, "The Rights Revolution," (SP) 378-442

Monday, March 24:

Pinker, "The Rights Revolution," Cont'd (SP) 443-481

Wednesday, March 26: The Problem with Love and the Perils of Death

Gray, "Love: War's Ally and Foe," (GG) 59-95

Monday, March 31:

Gray, "Soldier's Relations to Death," (GG) 97-129

Wednesday, April 2: Confronting the Inner Demons of Our Nature

Pinker, "Inner Demons," (SP) 481-509; Gray, "Images of the Enemy," (GG) 131-