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Stan Cox observes an unprecedented need for rationing in the face of abundance.
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Dawn Paley documents that the presence of drug traffickers in Laguna del Tigre hasn't affected oil production.
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Christian Parenti asks how dumping oil stock is supposed to hurt the enemy.
- 11 Reducing Production: An Unfolding Goal**
Don Fitz explains that Western existence rests atop a mountain of commodities that play no role in making our lives better.
- 16 Product Redesign, E-waste and Nigerian Burning**
Paul Palmer predicts that under the present regime of egregious wasting the amount of e-waste going to Africa will increase.
- 21 For a Class Struggle Approach to Climate Change and Energy Transition**
Karl Cloete advocates that technology transfers to developing countries must not be fettered by intellectual property rights.

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Brian Tierney points out that Wal-Mart was the target of worker protests because it dictates industry standards for contractors.
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Arundhati Roy reports that since India became a sovereign republic, it has deployed its army against its own people.
- 40 How to Save the Postal Service**
Ellen Brown anticipates that postal savings banks serving low-income and rural populations can be quite profitable.

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Rob Urie recognizes that successful interpretation comes down to social power, not the specifics of language.
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Alan Broughton charges that because customary landholders do not have land titles, governments can legally evict them.
- 29 How Rural America Got Fracked**
Ellen Cantarow perceives that frac-sand corporations count on a combination of naïveté, trust, and incomprehension.
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Poem by Jenny McBride.

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Kim Scipes reviews Michael Staudenmaier's Truth and Revolution: A History of the Sojourner Truth Organization.
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G.S. Evans believes that Carter dared to suggest that limited supplies of energy placed real limitations on America.
- 48 Parable of Smoke**
Poem by Henry Robertson.