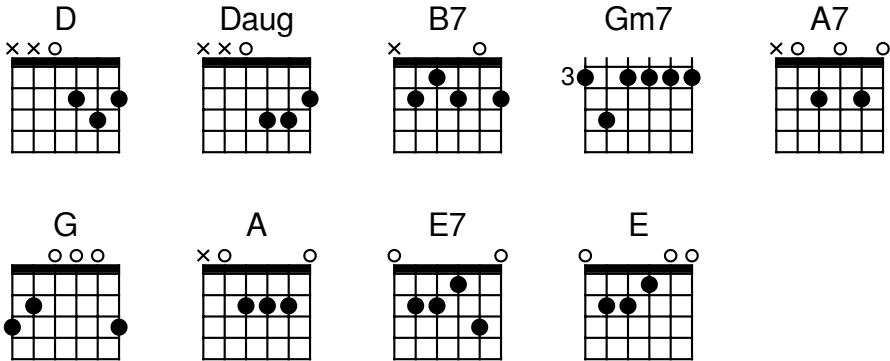


# Political Science

Randy Newman, 1972



Original key Eb

## Verse 1

[D] No one likes us, I [Daug] don't know why.  
We **F#7no5** may not be perfect, but [B7] heaven knows we try.  
But [Gmaj9] all around us, even our [Gm7] old friends put us down,  
Let's [D] drop the big one and [A7#5] see what [A13] happens.

## Verse 2

We [D] give them money, but [Daug] are they grateful?  
**F#7no5** No, they're spiteful, [B7] and they're hateful.  
They **GMaj7** don't respect us so [Gm7] let's surprise 'em.  
We'll [D] drop the big one; [A7#5] pulver- [A13] ize 'em.

## Verse 3

[D] Asia's crowded and [Daug] Europe's too old,  
**F#7no5** Africa is far too hot and [B7] Canada's too cold.  
[Gmaj9] South America [Gm7] stole our name,  
Let's [D] drop the big one; there'll be [A7#5] no one left to [A7] blame us.

## Bridge

[G] We'll save Aus-[D] tralia.  
[G] Don't want to hurt no kanga-[D] roo.  
[G] We'll build an all-American a-[D] musement park there.  
[A] They got surfin' too.

#### Verse 4

[D] Boom! goes London, [Daug]boom! Paree,  
**F#7no5** More room for you, and more [B7]room for me.  
And [G]every city, the [Gm7]whole world 'round  
Will [D]just be another A-[B7]merican town.

#### Coda

Oh, how [E7]peaceful it will be; we'll set [A7]everybody free,  
You'll wear a **F#7no5**Japanese kimono babe, there'll be I-[B7]talian shoes for  
(Slower)  
They all [G]hate us any-[D]how,  
So let's [E]drop the [G]big one [D]now.  
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