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This is Phil Arnot for community comment on K INS radio.

In a wonderful article in the publication by the National Rifle Association, Mark Chestnut talked about our first freedoms. He says that Pres. Barack Obama has proven to be the most anti-gun Pres. in our history, but he has been good for a few things, mainly increased gun sales and some good belly laughs.

In an address the president made at Benedict College the Washington Post said his laughable comments earned him three Pinocchio's from the fact checkers at that newspaper.

These are the whoppers: the president said what we also have to recognize is, is that our homicide rates are so much higher than other industrialized countries, I mean by like a mile. And most of that is attributable to the easy, readily availability of firearms, particularly handguns. As the Post reported, the homicide rates in the United States are five times lower than in Brazil and four times lower than in Mexico. One might even say their murder rates in those countries exceed that in the United States by like a mile.

The president went on to say and as long as you can go into some neighborhoods and it is easier for you to buy a firearm that it is for you to buy a book, there are neighborhoods where it's easier for you to buy a handgun and clips that it is for you to buy a fresh vegetable, as long as that's the case were going to continue to see unnecessary violence.

The post stated that the president didn't say exactly where those neighborhoods were but it's likely that