

## **Tax returns**

"THE GOP'S BUDGET WOES BEGIN AT Home" [April 17] is right on the money. No matter how many times leadership feels they have President Clinton cornered, things seem to blow up in their faces. This time, as Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott gets set to lead the Republicans into battle, he will be armed with some very strong weapons in the fight for fiscal conservatism. Whether he is aware of this and sticks to his guns or not will ultimately determine his success. Instead of finding creative ways to spend money, Congress should make another effort to return the surplus to the taxpayers.

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