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- **Ed. Note:** What the heck is going on with all the breathless reporting on the new spaceport bonds? What municipality on God's Green Earth is suddenly going to build a spaceport now that tax-free bond financing is on the menu? We checked in with our friends in Oxbow, North Dakota and they reported back that they currently have no plans to construct a spaceport. Well, at least not until their particle accelerator is operational.
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- And Finally, Kicking People When They're Down: It's Good To Have a Hobby is brought to us this week by [Nguyen v. State](#), in which, "a rookie Baltimore Police Officer responded to a report of two men fighting inside a gold Lincoln sedan." Any day you find yourself fighting in a gold Lincoln sedan is a good day. Upon arrival, one of the men was bloodied and lying unconscious on the ground. The rookie officer observed the ambulatory combatant walk up and kick the unconscious guy in the head. Hardly sporting, that. What really got the officer in trouble was his statement to the perpetrator that, "You did what you got to do to get your property back," and then asked him if he had ever considered being a professional fighter. Have you ever considered being a professional cop?