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I think that the story that disappointed me the most had to have been "The Emperor Has No Clothes". That article made it very clear how ignorant the Government of these great United States really where; and still are. You can see the mistakes of the of past repeating themselves just in a different part of the world. It boiled down to the US Government did not want to loose face in the international community. So instead of cutting our loses we went head first and head stronge into a hopeless war. The ranking people that actually went to Vietnam and educated themselves knew that we could not win. We could bomb every major city back into the stone age and all it would do is delay the inevitable. To read that the secretary of defense knew in 1965 we could not win that war but yet we still fought it is just unbeliveable.

The only good thing that I can see in his article was that we lost to superior communist forces. Looking back and knowing that more than three hundred thousand Chinese where in North Vietnam helping them. The fact that the Soviet Union provided over 5 billion dollars gives a little relief that we didn't loose to a bunch of peasant farmers.

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