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THOUGHTS OF THE WEEK:

“The Earth has been called our Mother; but so far as this life, and these bodies, are concerned we never escape from her womb. As Bryan Monahan has pointed out, our bodies are a part of the Earth’s crust, as it were clouds or vortices moving over the surface through which its matter is for ever flowing and passing on, so that in seven years all is replaced. In this we are at one with all the other creatures which are in, and on, and of the soil; and of which, and by which; the soil is made. For the land is not merely a mass of rock fragments, nor even a mixture of these with living things, but a flow of matter through living forms, a continuous movement of unthinkable variety and awe-inspiring complexity, the type of balance known as a dynamic equilibrium – a balance of separated powers constituting, in any given place, one whole, one entity. For a century now the followers of Malthus, Darwin and Marx have emphasised the struggle for existence until it has become an obsession with mankind, and thoughts being things, thinking has made it so. As if there were nothing but war in Nature – as if in Nature there were no peace. No peace in Nature! Do they expect us to believe that?

It is not, of course, that there is no struggle, or that we should not concern ourselves with it, but the struggle is incidental to the existence, for in so far as things exist they constitute an equilibrium. But our Darwinists seem very ready to forget what the struggle is for! A struggle which is not for existence is necessarily for non-existence; and that is the sort of struggle which is brought to mind by phrases such as ‘the survival of the fittest’, ‘Nature red in tooth and claw’, which suggest that it is the aggressive forms of life, the cruel and cunning killers, who are the winners in the struggle for existence. But the plain fact is that, in Nature, it is not so. It is the meek who inherit the earth, and the killers have enslaved themselves to them by becoming parasites whose very existence depends upon the survival, in superior numbers, of their hosts; whom they, the predators and parasites, serve, in their servile and unpleasant fashion, by ensuring that their meekness shall not become weakness. But if these slaves become masters then indeed they make a solitude which may be called peace, but has nothing in common with the peace of Nature; - a desert in which at first the lion’s voice is heard alone (the Prince alone speaks) hungrily roaring for his prey, and then - the universal silence.”

On Planning the Earth – Geoffrey Dobbs (1951) p.87.

HOW MONEY IS CREATED, BUNDESBANK TELLS

In the April-edition of their monthly report, the Bundesbank has belatedly joined the Bank of England in explicitly stating that the treatment of banks and money creation in most textbooks is wrong: banks are not intermediaries; they create money *ex-nihilo*. This helps the Bundesbank to reject criticism that central banks are currently “printing” too much money. At the same time, the Bundesbank rejects the proposal of 100%-money, *i.e.* bank deposits fully backed by central bank money. So far, the Bundesbank has only published an English summary of the article *How money is created*, originally written in German (and a French summary). Once the article is available in full translation, I will write a bit more about the (mostly faulty) arguments of the Bundesbank against 100%-money. The most important sentences regarding money creation are already there in the summary, though:

“The majority of the money supply is made up of book money, which is created through transactions between banks and domestic customers. Sight deposits are an example of book money: sight deposits are created when a bank grants a credit or purchases an asset and credits the corresponding amount to the customer’s bank account in return. This means that banks can create book money just by making an accounting entry. This refutes a popular misconception that banks act simply as intermediaries at the time of lending – *i.e.* that banks can only grant credit using funds placed with them previously as deposits by other customers.” ***

Ref: <https://www.bundesbank.de/en/tasks/topics/how-money-is-created-667392>

FREEZING TO DEATH: UNHEATED HOMES KILLED OVER 16,000 PEOPLE ACROSS UK LAST WINTER, GOVT WATCHDOG FINDS

Staggering energy prices are taking a toll on those unable to pay their bills, a UK regulator has admitted, confirming that thousands of people may have died because of fuel poverty and lack of heating during winter.

“Fuel poverty increases the risk that people [will] develop ill health,” it acknowledged. “Over winter 2017-18, we estimate that fuel poverty may have contributed to 5,500 excess winter deaths and that 16,500 excess winter deaths may have been linked to people living in cold homes”.

The shocking death toll occurred despite the government trying to make energy more “cost reflective” for disabled people, seniors and those living on income support. £2.5 billion (\$3.8 billion) was spent on that effort, and maximum prices for standard

tariffs were cut.

The revelation comes as the UK braces itself for the consequences of its departure from the EU, which – as the government’s own findings suggest – will herald bad news for “low-income groups” in case of a “no-deal” scenario.

Ed– UK is seasonally affected by harsh weather conditions, we see it on the telly every winter, it is usually being reported as surprising, but it cannot be unexpected. The deaths from poverty amidst plenty are unforgivable, but, the spectre of even worse financial poverty if Brexit is achieved, hangs over the land. In the era of climate hysteria what would you rather have: preparedness for winter, or, with EU fighting CO² at an astronomical cost (debt to the society). ***

THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS OF SOCIAL CREDIT THEORY AND PRACTICE

by M. Oliver Heydorn, Ph.D - lecture "introduction" presented 12 Oct. 2019

Consider this short introduction to the ALOR National Seminar 2019: ed

The topic for my talk today has to do with the connection or the intersection between Douglas Social Credit, particularly the financial and economic ideas of Major C.H. Douglas, on the one hand, and the proper care and stewardship which we should exhibit towards the natural environment, on the other. It is my personal conviction that anyone who claims to be genuinely concerned about environmental issues, anyone who is interested in matters of pollution, conservation, environmental repair and renewal, etc., needs to look very closely at our financial system and at the sort of

economic model under which we are forced to live.

The rationale for that thesis is fairly simple and it goes as follows: if you ignore finance, if you ignore economics, you will never be able to deal effectively with some of the key factors that are responsible for environmental damage and harm. As a result, whatever action you do take in favour of the environment will tend to operate more or less at the level of symptoms or symptom management, rather than at the level of root causes. In many cases, such misdirected or misaligned action may turn out to be completely ineffective, or might even make things worse while unnecessarily irritating many other sectors of the society... ***

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

To *The Age*,
Unlike Victoria's Director of Public Prosecutions, I hope that the High Court consents to hear the appeal by Cardinal Pell against his conviction ("Court told to sound final bell on Pell", 9/10). The dissenting decision in the Court of Appeal by Justice Mark Weinberg is enough to show that there is some genuine doubt about the result of this case to date. The DPP does not seem to have found an error in his

approach. Since it is such a high profile matter, with intense emotional investment by large numbers of the public both for and against Pell, a third examination of all the evidence to date by our highest court is warranted. There are high stakes here. The accused must be given every possible chance to answer the charges against him. Only then can the matter be laid to rest with propriety.

Nigel Jackson, Belgrave, Vic

LIMITS TO GROWTH : THE 30-YEAR UPDATE (BOOK REVIEW)

In 1972, three scientists from MIT (Massachusetts Institute of Technology) created a computer model that analysed global resource consumption and production. Their results shocked the world and created stirring conversation about global 'overshoot, ' or resource use beyond the carrying capacity of the planet. Now, preeminent environmental scientists Donella Meadows, Jorgen Randers, and Dennis Meadows have teamed up again to update and expand their original findings in *The Limits to Growth: The 30 Year Global Update*. All three authors (*Meadows, Randers, and Meadows*) are

international environmental leaders recognized for their groundbreaking research into early signs of wear on the planet. Citing climate change as the most tangible example of our current overshoot, the scientists now provide us with an updated scenario and a plan to reduce our needs to meet the carrying capacity of the planet. Over the past three decades, population growth and global warming have forged on with a striking semblance to the scenarios laid out by the World3 * computer model in the original *Limits to Growth*. ***

** The World3 model is a computer simulation of interactions between population, industrial growth, food production and limits in the ecosystems of the Earth.

SCOTT MORRISON: GLIMMERS OF NATIONALISM? By James Reed

I was pleasantly, if not peasantly, surprised to read this glimmer of opposition to the New World Odour, sorry, Order, by our pm. Yes, the NWO even mentioned by name in the article, not an invention of my fervoured imagination. But it seems like only yesterday that when Eric Butler and Jeremy Lee spoke about the New World Order, the mainstreamers poo-pooed it, but now, well here you go:

<https://www.theaustralian.com.au/nation/politics/pm-slap-for-un-in-new-world-order/news-story/b9e5a5f5058d69c7e2ae449275770154>

‘Scott Morrison has declared his government will lead the charge in asserting the authority of nation states over unelected international institutions, such as the UN. The Prime Minister, in a major foreign policy address to the Lowy Institute on Thursday evening, signalled Australia would seek to play a greater role in shaping a new economic and strategic world order. Mr Morrison’s speech was aimed squarely at the push by the UN to set the global agenda on issues such as climate change and refugee policies. As democratic nations increasingly band together to counter a rising China, Mr Morrison announced he would visit India and Japan early next year and Indonesia next month. Mr Morrison’s visit to Washington DC late last month sparked debate about how the nation should balance its relationship with the US and China, but he told the Lowy Institute it was not a “binary” equation. While Mr Morrison recognised the benefits the global economy had brought Australia, he declared that the ballot box should always be more powerful than

international institutions. He warned that where elite opinion became disconnected from the mainstream of societies, it could foster a sense of resentment and disappointment. “(It is) an era of insiders and outsiders, threatening social cohesion, provoking discontent and distrust,” Mr Morrison said. He said Australia would partner with the international community through “practical globalism” and vowed to make fresh efforts to reshape inter-national rules, starting with a new audit of global institutions and rule-making processes. “We should avoid any reflex towards a negative globalism that coercively seeks to impose a mandate from an often ill-defined borderless global community. And worse still, an unaccountable internationalist bureaucracy,” Mr Morrison said. “Only a national government, especially one accountable through the ballot box and the rule of law, can define its national interests. We can never answer to a higher authority than the people of Australia.” He said Australia had played its part over the generations to build a better world through “co-operative and respectful internationalism”. But he warned that pragmatic international engagement was giving way to a new order that sought to “elevate global institutions above the authority of nation states to direct national policies”.’

This is a good start and the pm should be encouraged to march on down the road to nationalism. Who knows, after another 50 years we might be getting back to where we were in 1950, in the great seesaw of history. ***

SURRENDER AUSTRALIA? DONE! By James Reed

Another great story by the even greater Andrew Bolt, Australia’s best journalist.

<https://www.heraldsun.com.au/blogs/andrew-bolt/surrender-victoria-police-raise-the-flag-of-communist-china/news-story/7c...>

“No need for communist China to invade. Victoria’s police have already raised the dictatorship’s flag over a police station in a heavily Chinese suburb. And guess who came to cut the cake to celebrate the dictatorship’s birthday? Why, it’s Gladys Liu, the Liberal MP tied to China’s propaganda arm. My editorial from *The Bolt*

Report.” Sure, it is multicultural madness, but we have not seen anything yet. There has been a public sphere debate about whether Australia should follow the traditional friend, the US, or jump ship against Western civilisation and go with China, as that is what is needed for trade, apparently. What do they call those who sell their bodies for money again? Expect to see in a few years’ time, the communist Chinese flag flying over parliament house, Canberra, since the polities are pretty much owned by China now anyway. ***

GREENTOPIA By Viv Forbes

They planned the Land of Make Believe. They wanted water without building dams, cheap reliable electricity without using coal or gas or nuclear power, transport without using petrol or diesel, food without farmers or fishermen, employment without factories, metals and motor fuels without refineries and bridges and buildings without cement and steel. Their countryside was uglified by paddocks of magic mirrors, forests of whirling bird-slicers and spider-webs of access tracks and power lines

that delivered abundant electricity when it was least needed (and little at peak demand).

But the taps went dry, cattle and crops died, batteries went flat, lights went out, seafood and rice came from Vietnam, metals were smelted and refined in China, trains were built in India, cars and trucks came from Japan, motors fuels were imported from South East Asia, construction slumped and savings fled to Zurich. Welcome to Green Australia. ***

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

To *The Age*, Dvir Abramovich wants "anti-bias and Holocaust education compulsory in every class" ("An anti-Semitism crisis in our schools", 5/10). That is excessive, surely!

What should be taught pervasively throughout the whole primary and secondary curriculum is respect for all one's fellow human beings who, no matter what their ethnic ancestry, are members of the one human race. This means no bullying; it also means the cultivation of long-attested values such as acceptance of the dignity of the person, compassion, fair play, prudence, gentleness, courage, co-operation within community and patience when disagreement arises.

This does not mean that affection for and loyalty towards one's particular ethnic ancestors should be disregarded or demeaned, but it does mean that anything that smacks of political indoctrination should be avoided.

Nigel Jackson, Belgrave, Vic

LETTER FROM OUR SUPPORTER STEVEN HARRISON COMES AT THE TIME OF RENEWED THREATS ON THE MONARCHY

With regard to the letter "Globalists Threaten the Queen" by Mr Richard Miller (*On Target*, 13th of September) I would like to commend and to echo Mr. Miller's admirably loyal sentiments. Considering the veiled reference to Saint King Charles the First, our White King and Royal Martyr, and one of the finest and best men to have ever sat upon our British Throne, and his sad and horrible fate, being the most shameful moment in our modern British national history. Perhaps the Euro-slaves have inadvertently undermined their own position, as the inscription by Sir Edmund Waller upon Saint Charles's Stature in Trafalgar Square demonstrates:

*That the First Charles does here in triumph ride;
See his son Reign where he a Martyr died;
And people pay that reverence as they pass,
Which then he wanted, to the Sacred brass:
'Tis not the effect of gratitude alone,
To which we owe the Stature and the Stone,
But Heaven this lasting Monument has wrought,
That, mortals may eternally be taught:
Rebellion, though successful, is but vain
And Kings so killed rise conquerors again.
This truth the Royal Image does proclaim,
Loud as the trumpet of surviving fame.*

TARGET FOR THE WEEK

Prime Minister Scott Morrison has made some surprising remarks at a Lowy Institute function. They are surprising for being such a change in attitude. No doubt the pressure from our supporters and many others has influenced the PM.

The PM has declared his Government will 'lead the charge in asserting the authority of nation States over unelected international institutions, such as the UN.'

His speech 'was aimed squarely at the push by the UN to set the global agenda on issues such as climate change and refugee policies..... The ballot box should always be more powerful than international institutions.'

"Only a national government, especially one accountable through the ballot box and the Rule of Law, can define its national interests. We can never answer to a higher authority than the people of Australia", the PM went on to say.

The only point Mr Morrison could have improved on concerned our trade with China, which he described as 'mutually beneficial' in his response to Chinese Ambassador Cheng Jinge, who reminded Australia of our dependence on China for economic success. While the benefits can be recognised, the level of trade has grown to such a level that Australia is unduly impacted by Chinese policies.

This will be a very important Target this Week.

Readers should make every effort to flood the PM's letterbox with praise for his new policies which will begin to restore our sovereignty. Not only contact the PM but all Coalition MP's and Senators. Don't miss this golden opportunity to give support because you can bet he will be attacked by the Left. —ND

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