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The Price of Freedom is Eternal Vigilance

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THOUGHT OF THE WEEK: In Babylonia the law of Hammurabai has long since become a dead letter... That ungodly and cruel order of Ezra compelling the Israelites divorce their foreign wives after their return to what was considered their ancestral homeland, might very well have been related to the needs of total religious, racial, and commercial security, as indeed might the ordinance existing today amongst English Quakers forbidding them to marry outside their own sect, whose leaders, any brief study will show, were deeply involved in the growth and control of modern banking, which had lead, and still leads mankind along a road that offers little peace or rest, and finally, exhaustion and calamity; a road of non-return...

One thing becomes clear out of this turmoil of rising and falling "Empires" of the first millennium B.C., particularly that calamitous succession of Assyrian, Neo-Babylonian, and Persian "Empires", from 933-605 B.C., 625-538 B.C., and 538-332 B.C., respectively, and that is: in a world where treasure had become totally equated in the peoples minds with "Wealth," as expressing relatively large sums of the monetary unit, no sooner had one power gathered all such treasure in a given area into its store houses and safe deposits, by conquest, plunder, and sack, than such treasure, temporarily creating boom, moved on again, as likely as not to form the base of those "credits" granted by international money power towards the purchase of arms and the best of mercenary soldiers by that next power destined to arise and be the new "conqueror". — *The Babylonian Woe - David Astle*

LETTER TO BARNABY JOYCE MP from David Smith, Inverell, NSW

It is good to see that the Morrison Government has raised the credit needed to fund monetary needs from our own Reserve Bank. I commend the move and ask why your Parliament should not emulate our original Commonwealth Bank and issue the credit for all our economic needs. Successive Governments have run up debt like a drunk returning to the bottle, when as you have demonstrated that is not necessary.

Current world events are demonstrating the dire necessity for economic and industrial independence at a time when we have only one steel mill, no woolen mills in the greatest wool producing country in the world. Industry almost all sacrificed on the lie of economic rationalism.

As Bob Katter tried to get across on his grim reaper stunt today we do have the capacity to be truly independent as well as supplying those less endowed than ourselves. There should be no unemployment (problem-ed) in Australia, successive generations are being sacrificed on the altar of world trade agreements, hence the breakdown in societal values. I commend these issues to your urgent attention, Australia cannot continue on its current path without becoming a vassal of China, this I believe is not to your intention, so do you speak up for Australia or the International Party?

MONEY MANIPULATION By Jeremy Lee THE NEW TIMES VOL. 63, No. 9. SEPTEMBER 1999

Even for those who know something about the dominance of High Finance through the 20th Century, looking at past events can prove something of a jolt.

This issue of *The New Times* (September 1999) carries a 1934 article on the founding of the Commonwealth Bank. The most significant detail was carried in the following quote from Dr L.C. Jauncey's book "*Australia's Government Bank*": "*Immediately after the formation of the Labour Government in 1910, a bankers' conference was held in Melbourne, which was attended by the then Prime Minister and Attorney-General, Messrs. Fisher and Hughes. Neither possessed any technical financial banking knowledge, and were easily convinced that there was no profit in banking...."* (Emphasis added).

Jauncey went on to describe Fisher's subsequent resistance to the formation of the Commonwealth Bank - only circumvented by luck and organisation. Most readers will have seen enough evidence to know by now that

the decisive factor in politics is self-interest rather than service and justice. This has been exploited by Finance, which has bought its way into dominance as no one else can. It was Finance which helped dismember the original Commonwealth Bank through Prime Minister Bruce in the early 'twenties. It was Finance, which pressured a reluctant Australia to accept the *Bretton Woods Agreement* at the conclusion of World War II. It was undoubtedly Finance, which produced the somersault of the erstwhile "International Treasurer of the Year" - Paul Keating - to deregulate the Australian economy and then 'privatise' the very Commonwealth Bank, which the Labor Party had founded.

With the passing of Labor and the advent of the Howard Government in 1996, perhaps the most chilling example of the long arm of Finance appeared in the following article (*Australian Financial Review*, June 7, 1996). It described one of the biggest conferences of international financiers ever held in Australia. After meeting all morning, they were ready to deal with Prime Minister Howard in the afternoon:

... As John Howard swept into the chandeliered banquet hall to address top executives of 100 of the world's biggest banks this week, he could hardly have known that a trap had been laid for him.

The bankers, the most internationally influential audience Mr. Howard has confronted since taking office, had spent half a day discussing the price they would demand from countries round the world for bankrolling them. In an increasingly capital-thirsty world, international financiers, the commissars of capital, have become modern potentates with the power to dictate policy to states which have long considered themselves sovereign

By the time Mr. Howard took the lectern in Sydney, the speakers at the invitation-only International Monetary Conference had already set out a checklist of policies. Most explicit was the chairman of the big US investment bank Goldman Sachs & Co, Mr. John Corzene, a former central banker, who was asked by the group to specify conditions for what he called the 'inherently blunt process that leaves many worthy initiatives and investments without resources....'

"Rule Number One: 'There is no substitute for consistent disciplined, fiscal monetary policies....We should not lose sight of the fact that for individual countries, chronic current account deficits are a symptom of structural imbalance taking the form of over consumption and undersavings'."

"Rule Number Two: 'commitment to privatisation, subsidy reduction, progressive tax policies, reduced public payrolls, pension reform . . . will solidify credit-worthiness, enhance competitiveness, and send welcoming signals to investors'."

Modern potentates? Commissars of Capital? Dictating policy to states which have long considered themselves sovereign? It really couldn't be put much more plainly.

John Corzene - the spokesman that fateful day in Sydney - has himself been replaced at Goldman Sachs. Another banker has joined its fold - Malcolm Turnbull of republican fame. Andrew Fisher's manipulation by 'the commissars of capital' occurred in 1910; Howard's in 1996. Not much has changed, except the growth and power of the Masters of Finance.

Read Further here: "Bankers' Assessment of Howard" By Eric Butler The New Times Vol 60 No 07 July 1996

COMMOS BITE BACK! By James Reed

It seems mighty suspicious, that just after, in fact before the conclusion of the Wuhan flu episode, America is in flames from riots, caused by communist groups. All coincidence? Where does our great trading partner fit into this, if at all? This will require further investigation. But for now:

https://liberalsarenuts.com/2020/06/02/trevor-loudon-on-riots-20-plus-communist-groups-are-uniting-to-ignite-revolution/
"This is way bigger than Antifa. These are the shock troops, but there are 20 or more communist groups operating freely in the United States who engage in what they refer to as 'anti-fascist' militant action." – Trevor Loudon, May 31, 2020
In an exclusive interview with RAIR Foundation USA, author and filmmaker Trevor Loudon responded to President Donald Trump's announcement that America would be designating Antifa as a terrorist organization. ...In 2017, Loudon released a mini-documentary on the history of the violent militants of Antifa
Loudon explained that "antifa" works "hand-in-glove"

with American Marxist organizations such as the Democratic Socialists of America.

"Antifa" is a militant tactic that has been used effectively by far-left activists for decades...On Sunday, the *Epoch Times* published an article by Loudon titled "Cities Burn, But None Dare Call It Communist Insurrection" where the expert on subversive organizations detailed several communist organizations calling on their comrades to exploit the death of George Floyd by taking it to the streets. Many of these groups are not shy about calling for violence, justifying it as a natural response to "police brutality" and "white supremacy."...

"Those are the shock troops, but there are 20 or more communist groups operating freely in the United States who engage in what they refer to as 'anti-fascist' militant action."

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THE PRICE OF REVOLUTION by A. L. Rowse

The following from the EDITORIAL (The Salisbury Review)

December 1988 introduction for the main article:

Next year (1989-ed) sees the 200th anniversary of the French Revolution, and, in anticipation of the hypocritical festivities which will be staged in all the territories of Europe, we carry an article by A. L. Rowse, deliberating on the findings of Rene Sedillot — findings which would be common knowledge were it not for 200 years of historio-graphical mendacity.

The fact is that the Revolution was a disaster as great as any in the history of our civilisation, and one that provided the model and the inspiration for the disasters that were to come. In 1789, as in 1917 and 1933, a diabolical force took possession of men's souls, sweeping all before it, and mobilising the religious passions of its victims towards the end of their own destruction.

The Revolution placed its gods upon earth, and described them in "the language of man": liberty, equality and fraternity. And these idols thence forth remained upon their *papier-mache* thrones. Yet what do they amount to? The pursuit of them was to destroy every imperfect human value — freedom, justice and fellowship — which they might otherwise have sanctified. Moreover, they were to threaten, not only the religious and moral, but also the aesthetic values of our civilisation, conscripting people behind one of the greatest acts of organised vandalism in the history of mankind.

These abstractions stepped down into the world of men from the sphere of metaphysics and laid waste the patient work of centuries, finding nothing in the merely empirical world that could match their own geometrical perfection.

At the same time, the Revolutionaries began to adore their idols, not in spite of, but because of the fact that they inspired the world with terror. "Liberty," since it denoted no achievable goal, came to refer to the purely negative principle, that all powers on earth are powers of usurpation, and could therefore be destroyed.

Likewise, "equality" referred to no achievable order: it meant neither justice, nor law, nor that "respect for persons" which was set before us by Kant. It too had a negative application: it was a weapon against privilege, a denial of distinction, and an inspiration to the eye and hand of envy.

Worst of the idols, however, was the third: fraternity. This most potent of abstractions has been the source of socialist dreams from the Revolution to the present day. The General Will of Rousseau, the People of Robespierre, the "phalanstery" of Fourier, the commune of Marx, the *fascio* of the Italian anarchists, the *groupe en fusion* of Sartre: all express the same contradictory idea, of a free society without institutions, in which

people spontaneously group together in life-affirming globules, and from which the dead shell of law, procedure, custom and authority has fallen away.

The aim is for a "society without obedience", indeed, for a "unity in disobedience", where conflict, competition, domination and subservience are all unknown....

As with Robespierre's *peuple*, which cannot be the object of compassion, and at the same time sovereign, and without the need for a condescending love, so too with the industrial worker. The proletarian of the Leninist must mirror the striving individualism of the alienated intellectual; but at the same time he must display the complete social immersion, the "class solidarity", from which the intellectual feels himself so tragically sundered

The worker of the future, like the "People" of Robespierre, must be completely free, and at the same time bound by the consoling solidarity of the oppressed.

The contradictory nature of the idol is the immediate result of its having stepped from the transcendental into the empirical realm. And yet the idol is worshipped as such, in full consciousness of its impossibility.

As with the Revolutionists, the real reference to the transcendental, which is therein the humble forms of ordinary love, is cancelled, on behalf of an earthly idol whose sole reality is to destroy human relations, by measuring them against a standard which they cannot attain.

We are confronted by an astonishing fact — one that we should treat with all due solemnity since it touches on the meaning of our lives. Liberty, equality and fraternity become the objects of religious zeal only to destroy freedom, justice and fellowship. Their earthly reality is precisely Nothing, and the spirit of nihilism blows through them with a force that is all the more mysterious in that we the worshippers provide it.

THE QUESTION OF HISTORY

"Writing differs from memory in being twodimensional instead of being four-dimensional. It is only possible to write about one thing at a time. Genuine history, that is to say, the flow of events, is just as unwritable as a spring morning. You can pick out certain facts about it, which you think are important, but there are infinitely more contemporaneous happenings than you can possibly mention. In other words, written history is five percent fact, and ninety-five percent historian, even at its best."

C.H. Douglas in *The Big Idea*

YES, IT'S COMMUNISM WE FACE, AND THE REVOLUTIONARY PLAYBOOK IS UNFOLDING RIGHT ON SCHEDULE By: Lance D Johnson

One of the primary ways to psychologically manipulate a nation into accepting communism is to divide people into classes and motivate these groups to prioritize their group identity over their individual freedom.

With individual freedom there comes opportunity, risk and personal responsibility that yields both consequence and reward. Freedom itself is the fairest concept, allowing each person to forge their own path, with various results. But there's no guarantee of fairness in the result of our decisions, and there's definitely no equality in the trajectory of our personal reactions, associations and beliefs.

In the inevitable disappointment and grief, we can choose to be a victim of circumstance, a victim of another group, or a victim of "systemic oppression," an idea that has been planted in our minds. In this victim mentality, we cling to group oppression identity, pointing the finger.

Collectivism is the practice of giving a group priority over each individual in it. If we choose to be a victim and succumb to this construct of collectivism, we invite the tentacles of communistic control to coddle us, to ultimately sink in and suck out the very essence of our soul.

Read further here: https://www.naturalnews.com/2020-06-19-communism-playbook-is-unfolding-right-on-schedule.html

URBAN TERRORISTS AND FOOD SUPPLY By Chris Knight

Given that Trump has no manhood left it may be up to truckies to bring the sieges to a hold, as they starve them out

https://www.breitbart.com/crime/2020/06/14/poll-79-percent-truckers-wont-deliver-cities-defunded-police-departments/

"A majority of truckers are vowing to halt deliveries to cities that defund or disband their police departments, according to a recent poll.

Seventy-nine percent of truck drivers said they felt their safety would be at risk if they had to deliver to a city with a disbanded police department, according to CDL News, a website for the commercial trucking industry.

TARGET FOR THE WEEK

The finance for the COVID 19 stimulus packages has been raised by the Government selling approx \$47 billion of Bonds to the Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA). For the Commonwealth Government of Australia to raise funds from an Australian owned RBA makes a lot of sense and I am pleased they have pursued such a policy rather than borrowing from overseas sources.

Taking it one step further; if the Australian Government has borrowed the money from the Australian owned RBA; why will there be any need to repay the debt? It could just as readily be an issue of debt-free credit. Contact MPs - send a copy of our *Pro Forma* Letters on this subject to your MPs, offering support of this initiative. ANY replies please be sent to HQ as this topic is very important to develop a profile on MP's responses. You may also find other *pro forma* letters from the "Actionist Corner" useful as you contact your Fed MPs c/o Parliament House, Canberra ACT 2600

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Long-haul truck drivers have been on the front lines of the coronavirus pandemic for the past year due to stayat-home orders requiring most Americans to buy their goods online, and have had to deal with protests. Now many truckers are worried about going to places such as Minneapolis, Minnesota, where their city council president reportedly planned to dismantle their police department following the death of George Floyd.

CDL News asked drivers on its app to explain their reasoning for not delivering to these cities.

"I will not deliver to an area with a disbanded police department. My life matters and I do this for my family. We are already at the mercy of these towns and cities with laws and hate against us for parking, getting a meal or even using a restroom," one driver responded.

"Simple. We may not like it all the time, but law and order is necessary," another driver said.

Truck driving has historically been ranked as one of the most dangerous jobs in the U.S."

Well, make truck driving less dangerous by not going into occupied territories.

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