

~~FREEING OUR CASTE SOCIETY~~

Our brahmins are the larger landholders. Franklin: They controlled the Constitutional Convention. (Washington owned land in 8 states) Rousseau: Who owns the land owns the people on the land) Assess, progressively, over 5 years, the full ground rent - a value created by nature, population and community development - worldwide, without exception; absorbing this "unearned increment," whose capitalization (plus speculation) constitutes sale price; equally reducing improvement taxes; forcing all land into its best use, raising the productivity of marginal land - the base wage - and so all wages; making sites available at a nominal sale price and assessments or rentals equal to their superiority over marginal land, which commands no rent; equality in this vital factor of production assuring work opportunities for ANY SKILL; the ample choice enabling EVERYONE to obtain a wage equivalent to his production (instead of offering all increases above the base wage for each skill, as ground rent, to avoid unemployment in economies with perpetual job shortages; landholders thus benefiting from all progress - PROGRESS AND POVERTY, Adam Smith, Ricardo, Churchill), in a safe (MUSCLE AND BLOOD; Hawk's Nest Tunnel, 2,000 died), desired occupation and business structure - individual, partnership, cooperative, government - at one's skill level; with the ability to change work or residence; inhibiting undesirable projects, almost irrespective of government action. (Henry George: All could live well, and travel, on a few hours of pleasant work a day) Marry when biologically ready. Land would be available for any public purpose - parks, playgrounds, parking, roads, resource reserves, wildlife - at cost of improvements; removing monopoly support of under-assessed sites; allowing decentralization of larger cities (THE UNGOVERNABLE CITY), with their massive corruption, collapsing infrastructure (TRIBUNE, 2-7-82), fire trap, rat-infested, over-priced slums, pervasive crime, dissipation, incompetent schools ("Schools should BE life, not preparation for it"); utility, building, transportation costs beyond cities' incomes. HUMAN SCALE - Aristotle: "A large state 'is almost incapable of constitutional government.'"

Churchill: "Land monopoly...is the mother of all...monopoly."

Government to own natural monopolies - everything in limited supply: natural resources, banking, insurance, utilities, rails, airlines, local transport - requiring mainly technique - paying present owners for improvements. Patents available at reasonable royalties. Postal service to private competition, each class paying its own way. Subsidize sparsely settled areas. Cancel the national debt. Bonds should have been tax receipts for current benefits. No large debt has ever been paid off. Any believing in economic interest - a return above insurance - can set up a sinking fund, accumulated interest to pay the debt, as William Pitt and Alexander Hamilton unsuccessfully tried; even set up a fund, the interest on which will eventually do all the world's work. Only monopoly and taxes can assure a pension. 18% of private pension funds pay out. In a free economy, without contributing judgment to operations, there can be no net return on investments. Savings, available work, and taxes would constitute security for the aged.

"which two factors (land and labor) by their union produce all wealth." - Henry George

Activist ombudsmen to check ALL government agencies, projects, perquisites, consultants, for utility; set wages as in private industry - incentives for efficiency. TRIBUNE, 6-5-77: The Imperial Congress; FISHBAIT; THE SWEETEST LITTLE CLUB IN THE WORLD; THE FEDERAL RATHOLE; ad infinitum. No campaign contributions. Equal free media time and space for petition qualifiers. Professional and trade associations to be consultative. Training, rules and wages by agreement, group or individual. Private agencies to advise on occupational, residential hazards, food quality, health care, other matters, from which one can freely choose. Government promotes nuclear power and arms (unusable), permits known carcinogens, black and brown lung disease, thousands of poisonous and radioactive dumps. 91% of hazardous wastes - 635,000 metric tons a year - are exempt from RCRA regulations - in quantities under 2200 lb. or 244 gallons/month. Propose easing ban on cancer-causing food additives. Governments enslave, rob, starve, torture, slaughter the Third World, their own peoples. Millions unemployed and homeless. Effective illness cures or ameliorations are long delayed or yet unapproved. (Latest, DMSO) Operations - 50% unnecessary - and dangerous drugs are approved. Vastly reduced problems, with full employment, better health, low white collar and street crime, no tax loopholes - exemptions only for the poor - a 15% flat tax rate is adequate, assuring funds for all needed services: medical, dental, handicapped, disaster, retirement, adjustments to a free economy.

Many imported foods are poisoned with U.S.-banned pesticides, forced on the Third World.

"Exposure, 1-82: EPA "neutron bombed"

"New Republic," 3-24; "Poison At The EPA," "Reagan's I.Q.," "The Budget Of Oz," "The War On The Poor"

to show or cause work problems, everywhere.

With popular control, no favoritism, no monopoly. Corporations become cooperatives; no overcharges, ecological damage, tax evasion. Firms reduce to optimal size, retrofit, utilizing most energy. Nuclear energy replaced; clean increased, decentralized. Pollution controls consider only life and the ecology. U.S. ends Third World exploitation, encouraging others. Nuclear arms frozen. Organic foods grown near markets, on small farms; no pesticides (THE ONE-STRAW REVOLUTION), saving preservatives, health, money. Africa uses 22% of its arable land, S. America 11%. Third World to feed itself; Africans cease eating family dead. Natural gas, solar energy, 50% savings in efficiency, reduced health, unemployment, bureaucracy, military, synfuel, boondoggle costs permit a balanced budget and energy independence. Credit issued against goods on the market, offered as security. No inflation. U. N. to feed the half billion hungry, 10,000/wk. starving, others on deficiency diets; replace IMF and World Bank, lend to democracies, for local development, with full ground rent assessments. Arabs free 750,000 slaves; S. Africa 10 million. We adopt a vegan diet, healthful, economical, non polluting, using much less space and energy; no animal torture. Useful experiments performed mechanically, replacing U. S. 64 million annually tortured animals. No experiments performed on helpless humans, anywhere. Surplus jobs, worldwide; no hunting, trapping or capture of rare or other species, for income, sport, human or animal food, nor for zoos. Animal parks replace zoos.

Producers limit marketed quantities of 47 crops, to raise prices. - Consumer Reports, Feb. Balzac: "Behind every great fortune there is a crime." Colonialists and monopolists are legalized thieves. (Kipling's "The Widow at Windsor") British colonial investments yielded 30 to 300 % annually. U. S. monopoly estimated to overcharge 30 to 40 %. A French drug here marked up 1000 % wholesale. One price fixing case cost more than U. S. street crime for the period. Corporations consent to end crimes. Politicians resign. Not Willie Sutton, bank robber. G-M, for eliminating over 100 electric lines, fined \$ 5,000. Survey of business men: 92 % admitted to imprisonable crimes. In one year, 3 Dallas blacks sentenced to 1000, 1500 and 1800 years for minor theft. Bag of chicken feed, 7 years. Islamic Law: cut off hand of habitual thief, only if work was available. 40 % of police pick-ups are kidnappings; 25 % beaten, many crippled or killed, with impunity. 5 % of prisoners innocent. NO MORE LIES, p. 239: "Indian reservations ...inflicting of conditions...calculated to bring about physical destruction...the...transfer of...children...to other homes...official policy." (5 to 6000 a year to Mormons; Indian homes "unfit") p. 240-3 - July 4, 1970: "A Declaration By concerned Black Citizens..." (Hemisphere Indians Declaration should include nationhood, as sole means of survival) p. 251-2: Possible martial law, cancellation of '72 election. p. 268: "The small men of history, those of ... limited morality...always began...by...keeping close watch on the...citizenry." (Hitler bought one of our first computers) Henry Steele Commager: "It would be incorrect to say that the United States is a police state, but not to say that it is in danger of becoming one."

THE WASHINGTONIAN, Feb.: GEORGE WASHINGTON RECONSIDERED

Poverty, race, policy opposition, necessary thievery, cheap prison labor make discretionary sentencing horrendous. Free representative mediation needed; money penalties, not beyond damages ("an eye for an eye," equalizing judgments, ending sumptuary laws - Celtic Wicca: "Do as thou wilt, so thou injurest no other" - and compulsory, monopoly-directed schooling - slavery - with faddist waste of life and money. A 12-yr.-old can learn 8 years' essentials in 4 months), nor reasonable ability to pay; normal as possible detention for the dangerous. Convert current sentences, judging relative guilt of inmates and government. Truth tests for innocence and injuries. Government to pay for latter, in or out of detention, except for what guilty individuals, judged as usual, can pay. "In the Belly of the Beast," p. 102: If they think the American government and its ruling classes and flunkies have not always committed violence on the American lower classes and weaker nationalities, they live in a dream all by themselves." U. S. Gulag: no burning or disemboweling alive, nor 800,000 mutilated by torture, as in Vietnam; no extracted nails or roasting on metal beds, but similar "parrot perch," as in Iran; no attacks, nor rape by trained dogs, as inflicted on Indians; no smashing against mountains, landing from helicopters, as in Chile; but a brutal, sodomized (10 million, now free, to come), filthy, stinking reign of terror, to break humans into crawling worms, as exploitation requires. 4 prisoners a day killed, 100 wounded; 10 % a year seriously wounded or murdered, with impunity. ACLU useless. Government owes colonials, prisoners, police pick-ups \$ _____ billion. DRY GUILLOTINE and HELL ON TRIAL closed "Devil's Island." All must close. Consensus government and free land will end our caste society, civilize and humanize us. (Save "interest" on debt; 25% by arms bidding; 20 %, assessing site plats; 100 industries' depletion gifts)

*Inquirer, "2-2: Energy, 736 lawyers, DOD, 1500 P.R.A.; etc.
NBC, 2-11: \$5 1/2 billion oil royalties unpaid.*