

Assess full ground rent, worldwide, for value received, ethical revenue, free land, surplus jobs, equal trades, natural order, infinite benefits, consensus government.

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Socialize ground rent, personalize everything.
Jointly advocate, and refuse to vote for any non-advocate of assessments, progressively, over 5 years, of 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; landlords thus benefiting from all progress - PROGRESS AND POVERTY, Adam Smith, Churchill, Ricardo), 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 for any reason; 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.) Land would be available for any public purpose - parks, playgrounds, parking, roads, resource reserves, wildlife, government services, historical sites - at cost of existing improvements; while removing the chief support of monopoly - under-assessed sites - and allowing decentralization of larger cities (THE UNGOVERNABLE CITY), with massive corruption, collapsing physical infrastructure (TRIBUNE, 2-7-82), unheated, fire trap, rat- and cockroach-infested, overpriced slums, pervasive crime, dissipation, poor health, dangerous, incompetent schools, inadequate parking; utility, building, transportation, other costs beyond the cities' incomes, requiring heavy subsidies. HUMAN SCALE - Aristotle: "A large state 'is almost incapable of constitutional government.'" The state was unneeded for 3 million years.

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 way. Subsidize sparsely settled areas. Cancel the national debt. Bonds should have been tax receipts for current benefits. They now tax the unrepresented future, to pay purchasers' descendants. 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 to do all the world's work. Only monopoly or 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.

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 freely chooses. Government promotes nuclear power and armaments (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 - foundations, land, religious, gifts, acquisitions, investments - assure funds for all needed services: medical, dental, handicapped, disaster, retirement, adjustments to a free economy.

Hammurabi: Govt. liable for uncovered Theft. - TIME, 9-11-64

With popular control, no favoritism, no monopoly. Corporations become cooperatives; no over-charges, 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, inducing emulation. 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, other boondoggle costs permit a balanced budget and energy independence. Credit issued against goods on the market, offered as security for loans. U. N. should feed the half billion hungry, 10,000/wk. starving, and others on deficiency diets; replace IMF and World Bank, make loans only to democracies, for local development, with full ground rent assessment. Arabs free 750,000 slaves. We adopt a vegan diet, more healthful, economical, less polluting, using much less space and energy; no animal torture. Useful experiments performed mechanically, replacing U. S. 64 million annually tortured animals. No experiments on misinformed or unwilling humans, anywhere. Surplus jobs, worldwide; no trapping or hunting, no killing or capture of endangered species, for income, sport, human or animal food, nor for zoos. Animal parks replace zoos.

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 merely 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 crimes warranting imprisonment. In one year, 3 Dallas blacks sentenced to 1000, 1500 and 1800 years for minor theft. Bag of chicken feed, 7 years. 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, and cancellation of 1972 election. p. 268: "The small men of history, those of insane vision and limited morality...always began...by... keeping close watch on the private 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's in danger of becoming one."

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 nail extractions, roasting on metal beds, but similar parrot perch, as in Iran; no attacks by dogs, nor rape by trained dogs, as inflicted on Indians; but a brutalized, 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 prisoners, police pick-ups \$ _____ billion. DRY GUILLOTINE and HELL ON TRIAL closed "Devil's Island." All must close. Justice can't be codified, individuals trusted. Consensus government ensures legislative, judicial, economic, ecological justice and sanity, saving both today and tomorrow.