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What's Wrong—And Is It Purposeful?

I just got an email from an old friend who took issue with my last article. 1: *There were corporations 100 years before Lincoln.* Yeah, but there was no United States 100 years before 1860. 2: *The Fed was formed in 1913 and the US didn't enter WW1 for more than 3 years.* Okay, 3 years, but Wilson (in the running for the worst president), used Fed funds to fight one of the stupidest, costliest wars in our history. 3: *A million dead Ukrainians is a massive exaggeration.* It's actually a serious underestimate. 4: *Taking- over TikTok (a Chinese company), by Trump/Netanyahu, was not done to quell dissent on Zionism.* That's exactly why TikTok was taken over by new owners and algorithms.

Either my old friend is seriously ill-informed or he's on the *left* (don't be thinking I'm letting the *right* off), with his ears stopped up. Then we have little to talk about. How do I know this? I reside in a highly blue state, Oregon—where most ears are plugged up.

Folks in my town are caring, but can't abide the terms, woke and DEI, so they don't know what the trans movement has inserted into 4th grade schoolbooks. Were they to read it, they'd be aghast, but they don't read it. Are they rendered dumb on purpose?

They are, with a mission to divide us. And it's not just in the left—Trump is

doing his damndest to catch up. Listen to Pam Biondi (way out of her league), defining hate speech (criticizing Trump's mission to blindly support Zionism. This is rendering us a uni-party where a nation of 7.5 million Israelis, controls the political agenda in the US.

Both political parties will deliver schemes to lie the US out of debt, while putting us under complete surveillance/control. If you thought Obama, or think Trump, make decisions with you in mind, then, like my email friend—the body snatchers have you now.

No mention on the networks of gold going up \$100 a day. What's that about? Analysis would be detrimental to the dollar—hence Trump's agenda. Unclassified military info now requires Pentagon approval? How's that 1st Amendment working for you?

How do US adventure wars get their start? Consider FDR (in cahoots with French Indo-China, Dutch East Indies), cutting off 88% of Japan's oil supply 5 months before Pearl Harbor. Hitler? Created in the back of un-payable, German WW1 reparations.

When FDR, confiscated gold in the early 30's, he immediately re-valued the metal, up 70%. Was he thinking about savers who turned in their gold as patriots of the US?

With global debt at \$340T, what are the consequences for US—the largest debtor nation? Begin with, Amtrak, NY to Montreal, a 4 hr. drive—10 hours on the train. NY Subway—Welcome to Mumbai. Being broke, we resort to sanctions/tariff tribute/theft.

It doesn't matter if the cause you support is a just cause. Israel spent \$150M, post Oct. 7th to influence perception. Palestine out-posted them 16/1—with no investment.

Americans are increasingly afraid—this time of Trump. I heard Alex Jones

this morning agreeing with Hegseth's demand of a loyalty pledge for the privilege of hearing Trump speak. That's crap. The function of the press is to go after whomever occupies the role of leadership. Loyalty oath's are a function of the leadership fearing citizens.

Trump is detrimental to the economy—his sanctions/tariffs slow trade. The world needs to keep demand up—conflict diminishes demand My wife's medicine doubled this morning—show Canada who's boss. Americans pay the increase—Trump is boss.

I'm out on the road where some rest areas, travel center bathrooms, look like war zones. Gambling towns (Wendover), relying on interstate traffic look like they're getting ready to die (we're talking \$100s of millions in casinos). I woke up at a rest area this morning to a 13 passenger Chinese bus. It had been some time since I'd seen Chinese's tourists. Then it dawned on me—they were Taiwanese—subsidized tourists?

Then a guy in a new truck with a high breathing tube so he could ford deep streams in a \$75K truck. I asked about it? He was Persian, been here 26 years. I asked how he felt about Trump's B2 raid on his nation? Right away he went somewhere impenetrable, reading from an inner teleprompter—telling me Trump's a good man. He's afraid I'll call ICE. I wanted to ask if good men slaughter Gaza children—I just wished him well.

Trump aligned with Blair/Jared is saving lives in Gaza. But he had to, unless he wanted wiped-away in the midterms. Trump is conducting a party, with an intention for everyone to like him. When he quips about Miriam Adelson being more aligned with Israel than the US, does he see his trash-ing the 1st Amendment says the same of him?

We have to take Trump's tantrum about sending Tomahawks to Ukraine as blather, because if it's not, Donald is off his rocker. I have no memory of

any administration flip-flopping to this degree. Fortunately, Russia doesn't take Trump's threats—seriously.

Trump's dug a deep hole that he can't get out of. But he still has a shovel. He has 2 options—with incredible legacy attached to each. If being the one who is identified as ending the world, maybe the hubris of name recognition is enough. But, if the better part of him wants something better, he can dig his way towards that. He has to remember what he learned in Anchorage—Russia's invasion has nothing to do with land conquest. Putin wants security for his people. Trump could agree to that—on any day.

He could get rid of Keith Kellogg and quit talking to Lindsey Graham. He could tell Miriam he's done enough, and get rid of Marco Rubio. He could admit the dollar is toast and help with the hell that awaits Americans. Forget about lowering interest rates—it can only help (if it does), in the short time. Do something positive—audit Fort Knox.

Admit to being a pirate/highwayman and leave Venezuelan/Syrian assets alone. Understand we have a fentanyl crisis because each president has incrementally destroyed the republic. Begin to fix it, not with dollars, but admitting to the abandonment of sound money and Bill of Rights. Somebody close to him needs to tell him the truth.

If we go to war with China/Russia, we lose. Rational minds around the world will be hoping we lose. Just as we had to vote for Trump, to get the bums out of office, the world will side with the Global South, abiding in the knowledge that the US has to go. Going it is. The rising price of gold describes a bleak future for Americans, and the \$.

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