

Presidential powers trump our freedom

You are not free. And chances are you never have been.

We here in the United States have many snappy phrases meant to boost the national ego — "Land of the Free," "Government by the People," just to quote a couple.

However, what if I told you the president, right now, could order the creation of military concentration camps, declare martial law, or dissolve the national legislature on so much as a whim, with absolutely no system to stop him?

It's possible, and legal, and he (or any other president, for that matter), could do it at any moment he pleases.

I'm not talking about the Patriot Act. That repugnant piece of legislation did almost nothing to expand executive power; in fact, the president essentially had all the powers found in the bill prior to its passage.

What I'm talking about here are the powers a president has during a state of "national emergency."

Those powers include some of the ones mentioned above, but also fun little things like the power to draft anyone the president pleases into the military against his or her will, the suspension of habeas corpus and warrantless surveillance. Isn't this fun?

How about this one?:

U.S. Code, Title 33, Section



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855. Navigation and Navegable Waters: The President is authorized, whenever in his judgment a sufficient national emergency exists, to transfer to the service and jurisdiction of a military department such vessels, equipment, stations, and commissioned officers of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, or NOAA, as he may deem to the best interest of the country.

And guess who gets to declare national emergencies?

The funny thing about national emergencies is, unless something undeniably catastrophic happens, such as an invasion, people's opinions about just what a national emergency is can vary widely.

For example, would you consider the Haitian uprisings of the early 1990s cause for the American president to declare a state of national emergency? Because that happened, you know.

The fact is that as long as there is a state of national

emergency, we essentially live under a dictatorship where we as citizens have little or no rights. Some of you are probably relieved at that, but wait, there's more.

A president could technically declare a national emergency for anything, seeing as it's in his power.

And, in reality, this country has been under a sequential, nonstop state of national emergency since the Great Depression. That's right. More than a half a century.

One state of emergency declared by Franklin D. Roosevelt did not end until 1977, more than 30 years since Roosevelt died and more than 40 years since the Great Depression, when the state was first declared.

To me, these facts say we are living, and have been living, under a farce. Checks and balances, separation of powers, they now exist in name only. We have been duped into believing in an illusion of freedom and liberty when really we only have what the president and the people behind him want us to have. What do these facts say to you?

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12 JAN 07. Hail Jason! Many thanks for your letter of 5 JAN 07. No matter what your zoggies do, they cannot seem to make your time in the gulag last much longer, so I'm glad to learn that you are not letting them grind you down.

It's too bad you didn't get to meet Rick Cooper, but I never did, either, although we corresponded for years. Let me know what you hear from D.H. Stewart, if anything. I heard, I believe, from Rick that they split up because of lack of jobs, so Rick left his name on the NSV newsletter, for old times' sake. I don't know if that's true, but who knows if anything in the blightwing is true! I'd be happily surprised if NSV Report continues publication.

According to people I've met who worked with Ben Klassen in Otto, NC, Ben did not care who joined COTC, in regard to race, as long as they weren't obviously Black. Don't be surprised if you find some darkies, mulattos, mestizos, sambos, &c. who claim to be COTC members! You point out two things which apply to any group: the singer & the song. The singer would be the leader & the song his doctrine, program, objectives. Many supporters follow the singer (leader) more than they do the song (doctrine). I knew of one group in Canada in which the leader had no doctrine. His "party" represented whatever he liked at the time. Anybody who served his temporary purposes was "White." Ha! The 'leader,' himself, preferred to surround himself with non-Whites, because he was not quite White himself: more of a Khazar type, possibly Afro-Eurasian!

Anybody can promote a "pro-White program." One of the most pro-White authors I knew in Canada was married to a Mexican woman with mestizo brats. That is where I learned not to judge an organization by its publication. I agreed with the program, but not with the people in the group. Imagine joining a soccer team, only to find out that all the members are involved with any sport but soccer! That's how I felt. The 'leader' even had an obvious jew member who wore his very own "SS sheenie-beany." It would have been comical, if our stated program had not been so serious: to save the White Race.

I discussed Ben Klassen's program of winning our survival via religion, rather than politics (people-power), & I wondered if we had 2000 years to do it in, which is what it took Christians to impose their cult on people, with questionable success. It remains an open question, so my advice is that you go for it & do your best, with my best wishes for your success & ours!

What is "timely"? Whatever appeals to people of today. Some hark back into our Racial Memory with Wotanism; others with southern nostalgia for the Confederacy; others with a return to The Third Reich. Who knows what approach will work, if any? The only key to success which I have found in all my years as a political activist & propagandist is to find people with whom you can work. Doctrines & programs will develop from the people. Otherwise, we can compose a doctrine & try to find the people who fit it. Songs have been written which few people can sing, & some singers are clearly better than others, just as some leaders are. What is obvious is that our minds are incredibly slow, but the change in our population is incredibly fast. One wake up call occurred in May 2006, for some ostensible Whites: They were mumbling about their personal issues, which they thought were the most important things in their universe, when suddenly, they saw a massive Mexican parade from one end of town to another: hordes of marching Mexicans of all ages & sexes, with big Mexican flags, here in Brownest Yakima! A few Whites woke up to the fact that something was wrong, really wrong in "their" country. The rest rolled over & went back to sleep. Reality is something most sheeple want to ignore, as long as they possibly can.

To my knowledge, I never conferred the title of "king" on anybody, but if someone wants to think so, good luck to him! With the Mexicans & other illegal aliens, the employers can pay them less for jobs formerly done by Whites, but there is no such thing as 'cheap labor.' What the employer does not pay, the tax-payers do. Whites will do any job if they can earn a living at it, but low wages + high welfare costs give sheeple a false picture of the real cost of Mexican labor to the USA.

All the best & ORION!

Eric