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Letters to the Editor

What the Future Holds

Many people do not realize that this election is the turning point for America: We could go off the deep end into socialism or create laws degrading our Republic and its principles. Imagine a free flow of illegal immigrants across our now-porous borders. If Hillary has her way, our borders will be an open sieve, with 20 million new “citizens,” 80 percent of whom will naturally vote for sustaining the Democratic Party. This will produce a one-party system.

We now have a deportation system that is a joke. Under the Obama deportation policies, to make the administration seem as if it is deporting lots of illegal immigrants, people who are refused at our borders are a statistic counted in the deportation columns, even though they have never entered the United States. As a reference to judge the lack of border enforcement, take the illegal who murdered Kate Steinle: He had been deported five times, and our congressmen still shelved the proposed Kate’s Law, a mandatory five-year prison sentence for people who are deported and return to the United States. What’s wrong here?

People take the Supreme Court as a matter of fact. Right now we have a “balanced court.” I don’t agree with all of Justice Roberts’ decisions, but our country is sustaining itself despite the judicial decisions that are currently being handed down. If Hillary gets elected, we will be witnessing judicial reviews from a “Progressive Court,” and our country will be down the tubes with liberal interpretations of our Constitution for all least the next 20 years. Can America still remain a Republic while being overburdened by the forthcoming liberal agenda of a progressive Supreme Court.

As to executive orders, they have been issued by prior presidents when the public need for action has been deemed necessary for the continuance of an effective federal government. But during the last eight years, our federal legislature has been overruled by the Obama administration with a flux of executive orders that Obama has deemed necessary for the administration of his policies, without input from either the Senate or House, voices directly from the American voter. With his actions he has undermined the fundamental rights of the citizenry of our country.

Too, the FBI, with its refusal to release documents to the House of Representatives on the various scandals involving Hillary Clinton and/or the Clinton Foundation, has disenfranchised itself as an independent investigative body. Once upon a time, the citizens of the United States identified the FBI as an honest and dependable source of information. What’s happened?

With the possibility of four (maybe eight) more years, with the election of Hillary and Bill, of the continuation of the progressive policies of the last eight years during the Obama administration, the citizens of the United States will be witnessing a permanent divergence of our current political structure. Considering the addition of 16 million individuals as newly registered voters to the rolls of the Democratic Party (illegal immigrants with voting privileges thanks to the rejection of Voter ID Laws), a progressive Supreme Court, and a federal legislature that will be operating in a default venue, the republican form of government and democracy as we grew up with will be a thing of the past.

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Hillary's Honorifics

The *Washington Post* ran an article addressing Hillary Clinton's motives in thwarting investigation and prosecution of her husband's sexual predation. The *Post* not only painted her as a stoic victim deserving of praise for her courage, it then posed the question: Was it protecting her family or was it enabling?

Both of those options carry much less negative connotation than this alternative: "Or was she a simply a sociopath, one equally devoid of integrity and empathy, who cared not one whit for the victims of her rapist husband and focused her energies on discrediting and silencing those victims in order to continue accumulating wealth and power?"

Hillary's defenders, like Hillary herself, can justify anything.

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