

"They claimed that F.D.R. was a Socialist, too"
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"Barack Obama is a Socialist", or
"wants to bring about Socialism",
you have all heard and read these things.
There are those who believe, and claim,
that his Health Care push is a push to
bring about a "Socialist Health Care system."
"Socialist" and "Socialism" seem to
always be the key words that are used.
O.K. people; time for a little
historical reality check;
does anyone out there believe that
The Federal minimum wage or
Social Security is Socialism? No!
nobody in their right mind believes
or claims that - nowadays in 2009,
that is;
but back in the 1930's they ~~said~~, did!
back then - during the depression
years - most Republicans and
conservatives did believe and did
fear and did claim that Roosevelt's
proposals to pass the first federal
minimum wage laws and to set up
social security were "Socialism"
and were socialistic and they
called Roosevelt a socialist for
proposing them and passing them.
even worse; there were Republicans
and conservatives that called F.D.R.
even a communist for such
programs that today - these many
years later - are taken for granted
and expected and approved of even by
most Republicans and conservatives TODAY!! →

SO WHAT ARE WE TO MAKE OF
THEIR FEARS AND CLAIMS AND
WARNINGS TODAY IN 2009 THAT BARAK
OBAMA IS A "SOCIALIST" AND THAT
HIS POLICIES AND PROPOSALS EITHER
ARE SOCIALIST OR WILL LEAD TO
SOCIALISM? ANDO BESIDES THAT?
BECAUSE, HISTORICALLY SPEAKING, THEIR
TRACK RECORD - WELL, IT SUCKS.
AND THE REPUBLICAN & AN CONSERVATIVE
WRITERS AND EDITORIALISTS AND
COMMENTATORS AND PARTY LEADERS
THAT CLAIMED - AND ACTUALLY BELIEVED! -
SUCH THINGS ABOUT ROOSEVELT AND HIS
POLICIES BACK IN THE 1930'S ARE THE
DIRECT PREDECESSORS AND FORFATHERS
OF TODAY'S REPUBLICAN & CONSERVATIVE
LEADERS AND WRITERS
AND IDEOLOGS WHO TODAY SAY AND
WRITE AND CLAIM ALL THIS "SOCIALISM!"
NONSENSE ABOUT BARAK OBAMA - AND
WORSE, THEY ARE MINDLESSLY REPEATING
THEMSELVES, MINDLESS OF THE PAST THEY
ARE CONDEMNED TO REPEAT THE SAME
"SKY IS FALLING" NONSENSE THAT WAS
CLAIMED WAY BACK IN THE 1930'S!
TODAY'S REPUBLICANS & CONSERVATIVES CAN
BLISSFULLY DO SO ONLY BECAUSE THEY
DON'T KNOW HISTORY AND DON'T EVEN
KNOW THEIR OWN HISTORY; BECAUSE THEY
WERE NEVER CALLED OUT AND MADE TO
ADMIT THAT THEY WERE WRONG BACK IN
THE 1930'S; TODAY'S REPUBLICAN & CONSERVATIVE
LEADERS & ACTIVISTS CAN GO ON BELIEVING THAT
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME AND THAT THEY ARE RIGHT; THEY ARE NOT X