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September marks the 35th Anniversary of the Founding of the Troll Empire by Three Very Definite Bridge Trolls under a certain Bridge in Berkeley, California. On the afternoon of September 9, 2014, Trolls gathered under the Bridge. Two Founders, Clephius J. Troll and Dr. Zoro S. R. Troll were present, and another senior Troll, the inimitable Juan Leary Troll the "Deceiver." Two neophyte Trolls made the total five. Dr. Troll had the same pipe he'd used 35 years before filled with Troll Straw topped off with a thick layer of Troll Dirt. All of the rituals were performed. The Trolls proceeded to a Euclid Avenue beer garden where they were joined by veteran Troll, the well-informed and well-traveled, Joe Concert Troll. Glasses were raised in memory and salute of fallen comrade and Troll Empire Founder, the late Ralph Bing "Bozo" Troll. The Initiation of the neophytes completed, they were duly and formally inducted into the *Mystic Order of the Knights of the Troll Empire*, and awarded their Troll names - Christopher Lee Troll and Travis T. Troll joined the amazing and Great Work that is Project Troll. Note: The 40th Anniversary of the Founding of the Troll Empire will take place @ the Bridge on Monday, September 9, 2019. Mark your calendars. **ROARSHOCK PAGE** now resumes the incomplete though curious, confounding, and continuing excerpts from *Real Replica Watches* by Anon of Ibid.

REAL REPLICA WATCHES

THIRTEENTH HOUR: JESUS HUSSEIN

Should Jesus Hussein sleep at night, if you please, in one of those big sheds, if it be right to pay the waiter? Jesus Christ stammered there that all respects be undiminished. If that were anything to atone for his laugh. The proverbial last hop. Jesus Hussein let her alone, and had a gay time with a bell and a mouse: could that be a version for use by the students in the University of Timbuktu to pave the way to return good for evil? Now let's fly roaring ignorant little ones out for a dish of they don't quite know what, but Jesus Christ certainly seemed very ambitious. Jesus Hussein want on to be famous at the girl shell and thought me for asking. No, it could be bought in at the 23rd percent from Roberta Aurora Wilson's father, who no longer had the nerve to never lose

YOUR temper. Maggie Maria, in a persuasive tone which would have won melody from a shark, if such were his mouth, after a vain attempt to capture a solitary scarlet flower that grew near the old town, so added how much more quietly you might do what you might be going to do now. Go back to ancient Antioch with the mariners watching for a sail, and there it was close by, coming swiftly on the heels of a verdict in the trial of the former butcher of Bagdad, a leader at battling July wildfires. 13, or 14, people were killed as likely as 13 to 14 million. The letter said that Nana Pfeiffer had clearly won the chess tournament. Now, said she, kill all that frequent this first meeting of preparing for the battle which dragged him and all of them down. It did, it didn't, it will, it won't. Pshaw! Fly to the important summer base, said Jesus Hussein disdainfully; poverty may make Maggie Maria morph and split and Nana Pfeiffer can run after she ran and retire to the circumstance of my well-travelled shed. You understand, Jesus Christ can milk enemies of my race, and they, as if afraid of saying too much, would be angry. Being a foreign legal entity, unable to withhold your income, they poured some terrible slow drops outstanding to question how the lemonade led into infamous works to the contrary. Jesus Christ requested it. At their ball; the felt head had taught to boil it, as was not so much as Jesus Hussein could wish, dangerous sir; but hit-maker Jesus Christ dared say so. But, my dear mortally entwined Nana Pfeiffer, dust excited, she bravely added, what sort of division was fit to rule destiny? In an attempt to convince all that the malicious computer and garden disease burst out was apparent enough to cause a fire. Why, didn't it? And this officer, sworn asked writing broke to tell you what Jesus Hussein did not like to meet. Here Jesus Christ's prick attack edge sparkled hermetic. On what devil did the x-ray find that out? All had been pointed out in the poised talk of the tax treated cloth with the Grandfather who had been driving that helicopter.

— Anon of Ibid

Illustrations on the other side:

1.) *Autoportrait (self portrait, aged 21)* by Édouard Vuillard (1889, oil on canvas, currently @ National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.)

<http://roarshock.net/vuillard.html>

2.) A most wonderful and curious clock.



SEPTEMBER ALMANAC

- 09/02 2013 New eastern span of the San Francisco–Oakland Bay Bridge opened to traffic.
- 09/03 1950 “Nino” Farina became first Formula One Drivers’ champion after winning the 1950 Italian Grand Prix.
- 09/05 1836 Sam Houston was elected first president of the Republic of Texas.
- 09/08 2014 FULL HARVEST MOON
- 09/09 1979 Troll Empire founded in Berkeley, CA.
- 09/10 1961 Crash at Italian Grand Prix caused death of German Formula One driver Wolfgang von Trips and 13 spectators hit by his car.
- 09/11 1789 Alexander Hamilton appointed the first United States Secretary of the Treasury.
- 09/13 1977 Leopold Stokowski died at age 95.
- 09/15 2008 Lehman Brothers filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy, largest in U. S. history.
- 09/17 1923 Singer-songwriter Hank Williams born.
2011 Occupy Wall Street movement began in Zuccotti Park in New York City.
- 09/18 1934 USSR admitted to the League of Nations.
- 09/19 1956 Jacqueline Farley was born in Missouri.
- 09/20 1948 Writer George R. R. Martin was born.
- 09/22 2014 AUTUMNAL EQUINOX IN THE NORTHERN HEMISPHERE
- 09/23 2014 NEW MOON
- 09/25 1999 Marion Zimmer Bradley died.
2003 George Plimpton died.
- 09/26 2000 Anti-globalization protests in Prague during the IMF and World Bank summits.

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