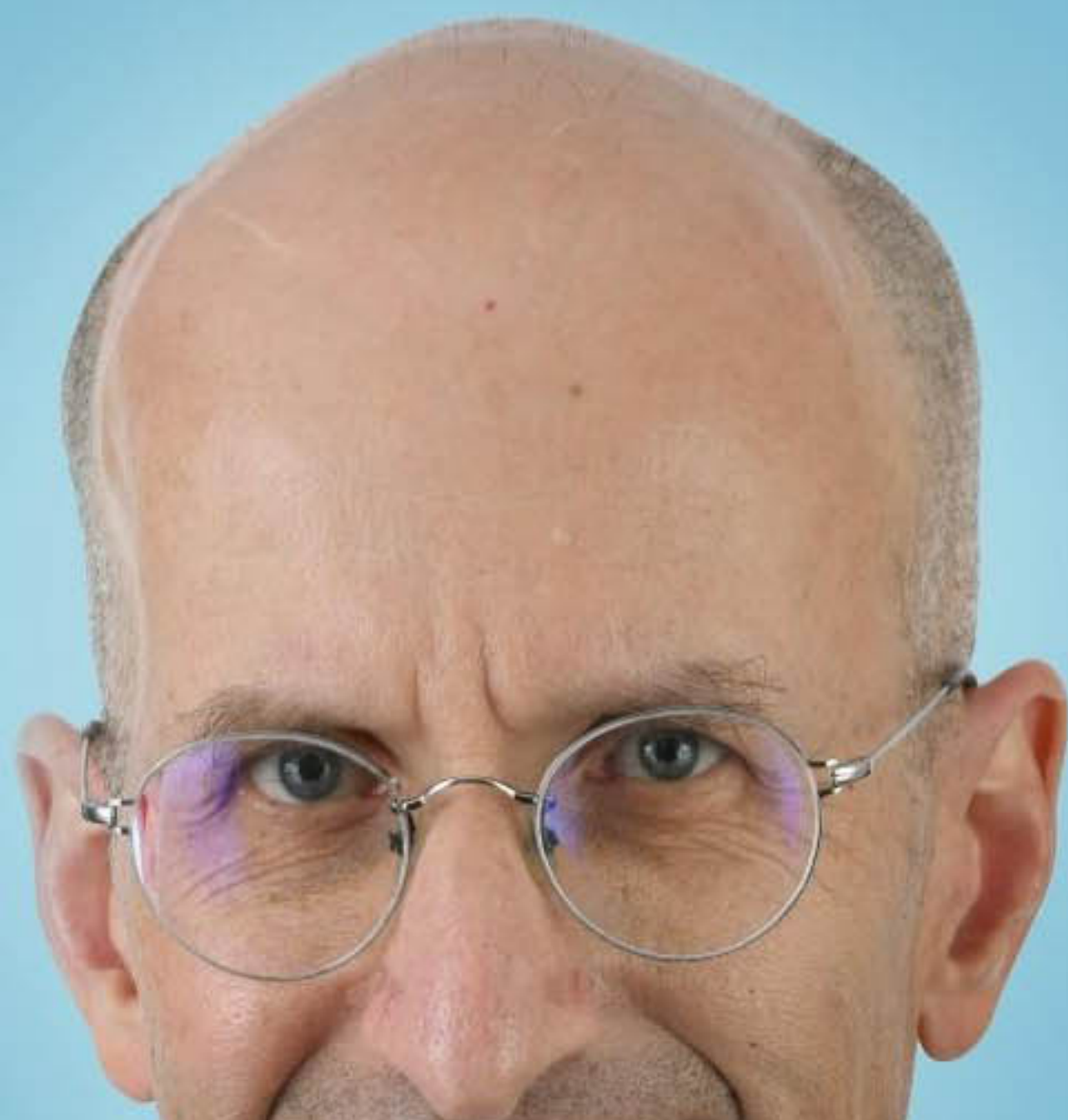


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Richard Gage, AIA, architect
Richard Gage 9/11

“We face together similar challenges at the political, the economic, the cultural, and the spiritual levels. The pressures and the threats seem overwhelming at times because the traditions in America we thought were made of solid marble have grown soft and mushy beneath our feet in a culture of indulgence and greed. But for all the hypocrisy and selfishness that sadly blinds our neighbors, our friends, and even our families, we can sense that truth and justice are leading us forward even as our foes seem so overwhelming.

The truth is, as I heard it said somewhere, that the Kingdom of Heaven is within you and it waits for you to unlock it and thereby to transform our nation. What is required is the bravery to confront the truth, the compassion to find commonalities with our neighbors, the righteousness to stand up for what is decent even when the corrupt and sick is promoted everywhere, the tenacity to carry on the battle for months, years, and decades until those who were blind start to see what we stand for, and the decisiveness to realize today what others thought will take centuries.

We Americans will not let this nation be reduced to a moral wasteland.

We will not allow a handful of the rich to employ banks of supercomputers, running sophisticated algorithms, to manipulate and to dumb down our people, to use hidden persuaders in movies and dramas that induce narcissism and self-centeredness in our children, to run mass media campaigns to distract us from the current crisis by obsessing over the insignificant, to fabricate financial crises that destroy our lives, nor will we allow them to launch false-flag operations that will herd us into a Gaza of the soul.

We will not permit them to wall us in on all sides with economic bankruptcy, institutional collapse, cultural banality, spiritual depravity, intellectual barbarism, or physical slavery.

We will not follow the cardboard messiahs that they have prepared carefully for us backstage, nor will we use the flawed logic they feed to us through their public intellectuals and talk shows so to confuse us, nor will we fall for the cultural, racial, or identity conflicts that they have stirred up in order to divide us against each other.

Nothing will stop us from coming together, *e pluribus unum*, coming together to build a new nation, one that is built up from the basement of solid moral fiber, that follows exactly the plans that we have all agreed on; a mansion for the people that is built, not out of money and debt, not out of pornography, social media, and games, not out of weapons systems and surveillance technology, not out of offshore trusts and billionaire funds, but built out of the stuff of the human soul, and build by our people, each and every one of us, gathering together to write a new contract which binds us together as equal partners for the common good within a new nation state that follows the spirit and the word of the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence. We will replace the private security and intelligence firms, IT, AI, and PR strategy teams, the investment banks and multinational corporations that now pose as a government with an honest government, a real government, a government for the people, of the people and by the people.”

Emanuel Pastreich

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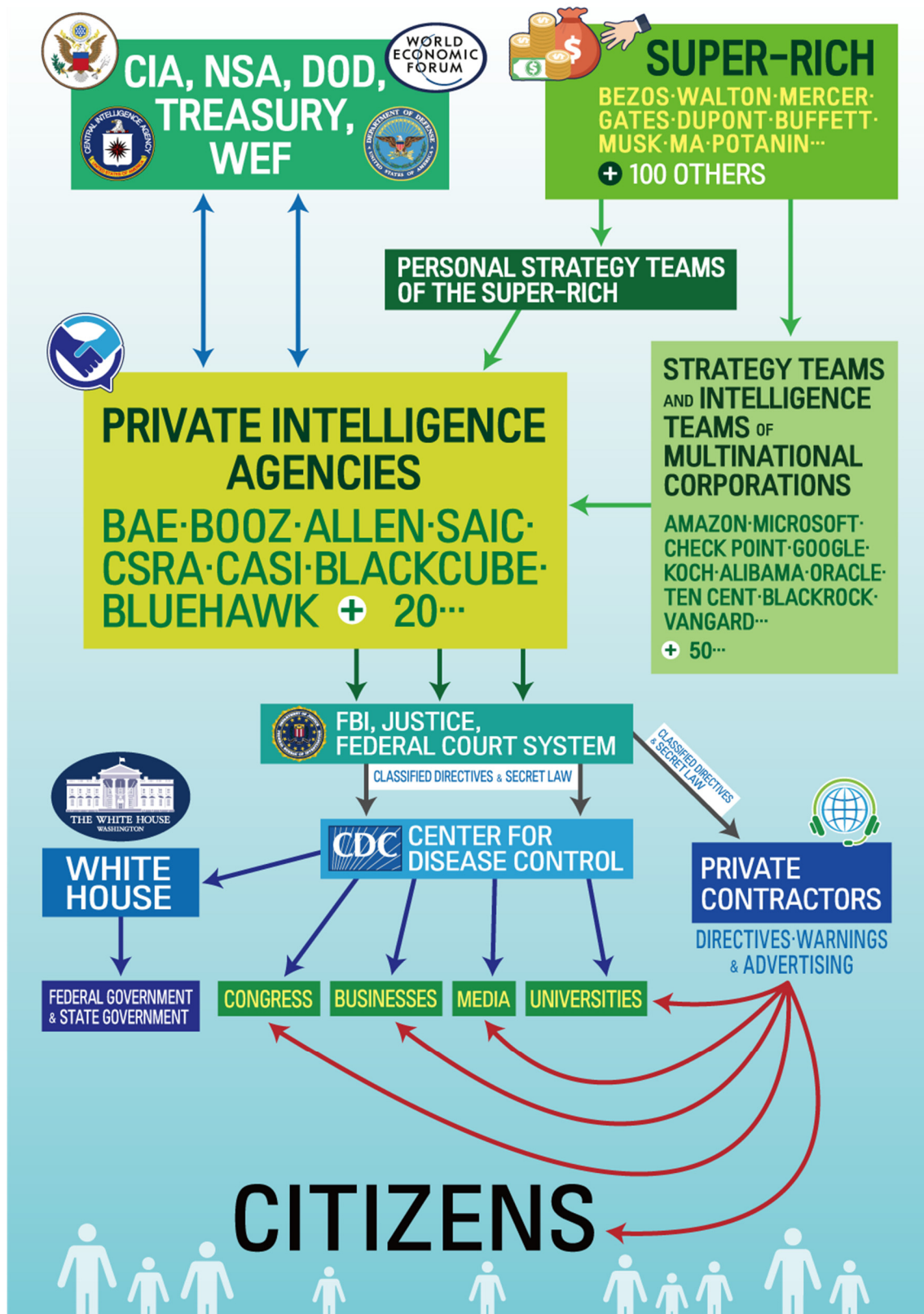


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Introduction

“History in the making; off-camera”

The 2024 campaign for president was a natural and unbroken continuation of the 2020 campaign, because we never recognized the legitimacy of the election of Joe Biden as President of the United States, in one of the most corrupt elections in American history. The fact that both political parties made a mockery of the law in that zombie apocalypse carried out between two tired old men did not justify placing Donald Trump under house arrest using the ridiculous excuse that he had COVID-19, a non-existent disease. Nor did the fascistic statements made by Donald Trump justify setting him up as a “domestic terrorist” by using a fake “insurrection” at the Capitol made up of clowns, gawkers, and crisis actors on January 6, 2021.

We come not to praise Trump here, but to end his narcissistic run on Broadway. The billionaire supporters of Trump were just as criminal in their intent as the masterminds who ran the Biden campaign, even if they lacked the Ivy League pedigree.

Although I was all but forcibly thrown out of the United States within two weeks of my declaration of candidacy in February, 2020, I was able to continue giving speeches in Korea, maintain strong support on the ground in the United States, and afford the opportunity to deliver many of my most important talks to a broad American audience via publication in platforms such as Global Research, Lew Rockwell, and elsewhere.

In August 2023, a surge in support for me, seen and unseen, forced the limited hangout “reformers” to deal with me, rather than simply pretending that I did not exist. Their personal attacks, written up no doubt by teams at Booz Allen Hamilton and CASI, fell so flat as to vanish into thin air—but the message was clear: Pastreich was not a candidate who was permitted to be covered in the mainstream media, or even in the “approved” alternative media.

I delivered a series of speeches for the Green Party’s Green Liberty Caucus that addressed serious issues like the COVID-19 operation, the September 11th attacks, and the takeover of the economy by

global finance in August and September of 2020 that led to my endorsement as a candidate for president within the Green Party.

While members of Green Liberty struggled for months to get the basics in place for me to run in the Green Party, Professor Cornel West, a Democratic Party insider who did not dare criticize the COVID regime (and is famous for having praised Fauci), was crowned as the nominee from day one, and treated like the presumed contender by all the media sources that interviewed him.

By contrast, my supporters in the Green Party were subject to internal rectification campaigns, and as a result, the promising campaign could not get off the ground.

Interestingly, the favored Green Party candidate Cornel West had an interview with Steve Clemons on “The Bottom Line” (June 22, 2023) in which he famously stated, “It is fascinating to me that those who are, on the one hand, supposed to be committed to democracy, are so interested in excluding a variety of different voices, especially when those voices are highly critical of unjust status quos.”

Yet West had no problem with a complete silence regarding his most competent (and only) opponent within the Green Party—but, then again, Homeland Security classified advisories most likely made him a bit shy about talking about anything too serious. It was clear to us all that there was no role for me in the Green Party, so I pulled out, stating,

“I call on the Green Party to revive the tradition of progressive politics in the United States, to realize the full potential of our Constitution, and to pass on the torch of liberty and equality. I imagine...no, I demand a Green Party that will call out the big lies, fight for justice and transparency without exception, and give real opportunities to those who have been so long oppressed. We need a Green Party that will take up the banner of truth and justice dropped in the mud during the horrific political killings of the 1960s. In other words, we need a Green Party that will win by standing for our moral principles; not by bending down to collect dark money.”

But, in a real sense, my campaign was only getting started. Cornel West also withdrew from the Green Party a week later. He said he was running as an independent candidate, but in fact he ceased to lobby out of fear. Robert F. Kennedy, after taking a brave stand on many critical issues at the start of his campaign, took to hugging billionaires, backing Zionist ideology and the attendant Israeli carnage in Gaza, and buying into militaristic solutions to the real, but artificially created, immigration crisis.

Meanwhile, Trump was threatening to return with the backing of his personally loyal forces and be “dictator for a day.”

And Biden? Where was he? I have no idea what Biden was thinking, but his handlers were promoting global governance under the thumb of the billionaires via a criminal pandemic treaty, “self-regulating AI”, and digital currencies that assured that your money would belong to the same billionaires.

The Democratic and Republican parties, when not passing the most monstrous defense budget in history to pay off their clients and prepare for world war, were publicly censuring the deeply compromised and cowardly presidents of Harvard and MIT for allowing students to suggest that the slaughter in Gaza was not in defense of the Jewish people.

No, I had no option but to leave the election. If anything, even when in Tokyo and Seoul, I was getting into the election more deeply, as literally the only candidate who was upholding truth and justice, and who had refused to fold like the rest of the candidates who were chasing after money, begging for the approval of progressive-minded rich families, and sinking even deeper in the putrid corruption of Washington.

The question was no longer one of who will be elected president, but rather whether there would be an election at all, and whether whoever claimed to be president would be accountable to the public for the reign of terror that would follow this “election.” Would that “president” have any control over the wasteland of private firms that had seized control of policing, prisons, and administrative functions in local government, over the cluster of private equity firms, opaque funds and trusts run by the billionaires that dictated policy to politicians, or over the gang of multinational IT firms and media giants that manipulated the public, inducing apathy and despair by using sophisticated psychological techniques perfected at DARPA. And yet, no one was willing to even ask these critical questions.

“My Promise”

June 1, 2022

I may be elected president. I may end my days in extreme poverty—which is nothing to be ashamed of. I might be locked up in a prison, or in a mental hospital, on trumped up charges, or I may be found floating in some river. That part of this struggle is totally unimportant to you.

What I promise you is that Warren Buffet, Bill Gates, Elon Musk, Jeff Bezos, the families of Windsor, Saud, Walton, Koch, Rockefeller, and DuPont, and the rest of that crew of techno-tyrants and bio-fascists in Washington and Berlin, in Tokyo and Moscow, in London and Beijing, are going down.

They will be punished, and their true crimes will be made known to the world.

We don't care how many politicians they own, how many billions they claim to possess, or how many celebrities and authorities they keep as pets.

“General Statement on the 2024 Campaign”

August 15, 2023

We continue our campaign with even more determination, facing the drive to control and modify our bodies through injections and pills, confronting the destruction of our economy by the printing of money for multinational corporations by the Federal Reserve, responding to the poisoning of our environment with deadly chemicals and emissions, and now investigating the attack on Hawaii, following other such false-real operations, that threatens to become the start of a world war—a war like no previous war.

Please do join us now, while you can still make your own decisions without the permission of Siri or Bixby, and get reliable information without having to identify which squares have boats or bicycles in them.

We stand for ordinary people like you; people who have had enough of watching the United States occupied by global financial interests that hide behind progressive or conservative masks while dishing out destruction with the ruthlessness of a serial killer; seizing control of local government using IT multinationals and privatized police and intelligence services.

We know that these people will never give up the loot; they must be taken down. I promise that they will be taken down, one criminal at a time.

Our Constitution empowers you, and the elected officials chosen by you—and reporting to you. The Constitution does not include a single word about corporations, IT firms, private equity, billionaires, or the Democratic and Republican parties.

If we read the words of the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, or examine the words and deeds of George Washington, Frederick Douglass, Abraham Lincoln, Susan B. Anthony, Eugene Debs, Franklin D. Roosevelt, or John F. Kennedy, we will uncover the ethical foundations for good governance in the United States that have been buried in a shallow grave by public relations firms, lobbyists, journalists, and legions of self-appointed experts.

The Declaration of Independence states:

“When a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same object, evinces a design to reduce them under absolute despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such government, and to provide new guards for their future security.”

You will not find such leadership anywhere in the US Congress, or anywhere in the White House. The gangrene of the soul has gone to the bone in Washington D.C.

We must rebuild from the ground up, with faith and determination to do what is right; with humility, righteousness, frugality, and charity.

Together, we can move away from the deadly culture of consumption, extraction, and endless war that has infected the nation like a horrific virus.

**“Address to the Green Party of the United States”
September 11, 2023**

This campaign is committed to truth and justice, and to the reestablishment of a constitutional republic through the transformation of the corrupt privatized institutions that claim to be the federal and local governments.

Specifically, our campaign demands an end to scientifically unsupported COVID-19 policies, including compensation for those who have been injured, and paid out by the multinational corporations who carried out this reign of terror; an international commission to investigate the 9.11 incident, an accounting at the Federal Reserve of the exact amount of money dispensed to financial institutions in all of the quantitative easing and COVID relief programs, a full audit of the Department of Defense and all the intelligence agencies for the last twenty years, and the end of secret governance by IT corporations and private intelligence firms using classified directives and secret law.

Our country will have no citizens who stand above the law. The authority of law will be based on the principles of freedom and liberty enshrined in the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence, and not the threat of force. Moreover, communities, local farms, and local production for the people, not the stock market, must be at the heart of our economy.

Our campaign will lead in the start of a national movement to establish local mutual support groups capable of fending off the predations of corporations without prejudice based on race, belief, social status, or physical handicaps. Sadly, multinational corporations had begun to consider the government as a mere appendage of their own affairs, while they hid behind puppets labeled as “conservative” today or “progressive” tomorrow.

And so, we now know that government run by organized money, to wit, Vanguard, State Street, BlackRock, and Goldman Sachs, is just as dangerous as government run by organized mobs. The fact that Russian, Chinese, German, Indian, Japanese, Israeli, and Saudi billionaires also have a stake in this game does not allow us to pin all our sins on foreign

enemies, real or imagined. Never in all our history have these dark forces been so united against one candidate as they are today. These corporations and private equity firms, accustomed to a warm welcome in the halls of government, are unanimous in their hate for me, and I welcome their hatred.

“FEAR NO EVIL”

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TWENTY PLANKS

1) END THE COVID-19 OPERATION AGAINST HUMANITY AND RESTORE SCIENCE AND ETHICS TO HEALTH

The super-rich, hiding behind corrupt government officials, bogus NGOs, and decadent celebrities, promoted an unconstitutional and immoral mask and vaccine regime, implemented criminal lockdowns in a systematic effort to isolate us from each other and destroy our constitutional right to freedom of assembly, and took any number of policy decisions aimed at crushing the economy of the people and increasing the domination of multinational corporations.

Scientific studies have repeatedly proven that the masks are damaging to health, and, as such, are a blatant form of tyranny, and that these “vaccines” are not vaccines at all, but biological weapons. Yet the rich were able to use their control of the media, government, academic research, and finance to force this operation on the American people—leaving countless numbers dead, seriously injured, or scarred for life.

The rich bribed experts to argue for these vaccines, which were exempt from legal liability and developed in secret. They contain modified RNA which has caused cancer, Alzheimer’s, Parkinson’s, and numerous other afflictions.

The use of psychological manipulation and bioweapons constituted a declaration of war against the people, cloaked in the saccharine syrup of health, safety, and security.

The COVID-19 vaccines must be stopped, the assets of the wealthy families that promoted this war on the people must be seized, including the assets of the multinational corporations and investment banks who planned and implemented this regime of terror.

Full compensation must be forthcoming, but it must all come from the assets of those who planned and carried out this war; not the tax dollars of the citizens. All classified documentation related to this attack must be declassified and released to the public so that a full investigation, resulting in criminal prosecutions, can be pursued.

2) LAUNCH INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE PAST THAT POLITICIANS REFUSE TO CONFRONT, STARTING WITH THE “9.11 INCIDENT”

We cannot make long-term policy or conduct transparent governance if we fail to address the spread of totalitarian politics in our nation.

We must launch an international, transparent, and scientific investigation into the actions taken by a tiny handful of powerful men after the 2000 election, culminating in the so-called 9.11 incident, that destroyed constitutional rule and started the criminal administration of large sections of the federal government.

We will use the power of the scientific method to uncover the true story of what happened, and determine who plotted and carried out these actions through an international investigation.

Granted the seriousness of the crime, all related materials must be declassified and made public. We will not be satisfied with simplistic explanations that blame just one group or another. “Murder on the Orient Express” was a solvable crime.

3) CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE COLLAPSE OF BIODIVERSITY ARE THE OVERWHELMING SECURITY THREATS: THE RESPONSE MUST INVOLVE EVERY ASPECT OF DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN POLICY

The climate of the earth, and the quality of our soil, bodies of water, and forests, are being destroyed by ruthless policies driven by corporate greed to a degree that threatens humans with extinction in the next two hundred

years.

The fact that forest fires are set on purpose to scare people into supporting bogus climate change policies intended to concentrate power in the hands of the rich, that geoengineering is used to create unnatural weather patterns for political and economic reasons, and that totalitarian “smart cities” are promoted as a solution to a hyped-up climate change threat, does NOT mean that climate change, and the collapse of biodiversity, are not imminent threats to humanity.

We will commit to a hundred-year plan for the mitigation of, and adaptation to climate change, with a focus on the misuse of petroleum and coal for fuel and plastics, and the destruction of natural habitats for profit.

We must devote immense resources to this plan, committing to the equivalent of a war economy wherein the dangerous substances petroleum and coal, that enrich the few, are eliminated, and citizens are allowed to produce their own energy at the local level, and not forced to subsidize energy companies through exploitative distribution and retail systems, car-oriented city planning, and other forms of deep corruption that are destroying the ecosystem.

We will set forth directives that demand the rapid reduction in the use of fossil fuels, the end of the use of private automobiles, and the restriction of the use of airplanes. Unlike the fraudulent electric automobile scam aimed at creating a false dependency on corporations and empowering them to shut down the economy at any time, this push for an end of fossil fuels will empower the people at the local level and end the damage to the environment caused by the petroleum economy first imposed through the bribery of the Rockefeller family.

We will finance the installation of solar and wind power generators in every neighborhood for the people; not for corporations. All intellectual property rights for these technologies will be placed in the public domain for this purpose. Upgrades will be available for all buildings to cover the costs of insulation and solar and wind power that employ 50-year loans, which

make renewable energy cheaper than fossil fuels immediately by calculating costs over the long term.

Oil and gas corporations have made trillions of dollars by pushing dangerous substances like petroleum, coal, uranium, and natural gas that they knew full well were destroying the environment. Such actions were criminal. The assets of these corporations, and of their owners, should be seized by the government and those funds used to finance the transformation of our economy at the local level.

We will recognize the waste of energy, food, and natural resources as the abomination that it is, and consumption will no longer be promoted as a symbol of a better life. Growth and consumption will not be held up as economic ideals. Frugality will be a virtue again.

We will create sustainable urban and rural communities and undertake the restoration of wild areas to assure biodiversity. That will mean tearing down many of the malls, parking lots, factories, and freeways that have defiled our sacred forests and our precious wetlands.

4) END SECRET GOVERNANCE

The United States is no longer governed by the Congress, executive branch, courts, or any other accountable and transparent government office at the federal, state, or local level.

The functions of government as defined by the Constitution have been outsourced illegally to private contractors and IT firms, including many based in Israel or other nations.

Governance is not carried out by elected officials, or by civil servants, but rather by using secret contracts that defy the democratic process.

There are three forms of secret governance employed by the powerful who run the government: 1) the use of classified directives issued by privatized government agencies, 2) the use of secret law passed by Congress which

has the effect of federal law, but whose disclosure is punishable with fines, and 3) the use of non-disclosure agreements that force anyone involved in secret governance of the country to agree to silence on state crimes.

All these forms of secret governance must end and the entire structure of secret governance since 2000 must be completely declassified and released to the public.

5) 13TH AMENDMENT DEMANDS THE END OF SLAVERY

The 13th Amendment of our Constitution explicitly prohibits slavery. Yet our citizens are forced into debt by the dishonest and deceitful actions of banks, the privatization of education, and the spread of slave labor practices through factories and warehouses.

In addition, citizens are thrown in prisons, often on trumped-up charges, and forced to work for little or no pay under humiliating conditions for the benefit of corporations.

American workers are treated with contempt by multinational corporations that pretend to be American. Even public servants, police officers, and the military are treated as slaves, by the corporations that have seized control of our government.

Education and healthcare have been purposely privatized so as to create a population of debt slaves.

These despicable practices must be ended, without exception, through the rigorous application of the 13th amendment in the United States.

6) STOP THE DANGEROUS INFLUENCE OF TECHNOLOGY ON OUR CITIZENS

The media teaches our citizens that the exponential evolution of technology is an unmitigated positive, yet exposure to technologies (vaguely defined as AI) robs us of the ability to focus, deprives us of the wherewithal to think

for ourselves, and creates dependency on corporations by stripping citizens of their rationality and forcing them to rely on online services run by multinational companies for the tasks that they, their neighbors, and their families could easily undertake themselves.

Technology is used to induce addiction to short-term stimulation to generate profits for corporations.

Citizens must interact with each other, and we need jobs that let us do so cooperatively. But all we encounter is recorded messages, manipulated social media, and automated checkouts that we do not need or want. Behind the plastic façade we face lurk rows of supercomputers coldly calculating corporate profits to be gained by replacing citizens capable of resisting tyranny with obedient robots and drones.

Democratic process has been destroyed by the misapplication of technology. That was no accident, but rather a premeditated crime.

A scientific understanding of the state of our earth, and of our society, must be the basis for the implementation of technology. The long-term impact on the body and mind of 5G, or other technologies, is essential. As Paul Goodman wrote, “Whether or not it draws on new scientific research, technology is a branch of moral philosophy, not of science.” We confuse science with technology at our peril.

7) CORPORATIONS ARE NOT PEOPLE; THE RICH GET ONLY ONE VOTE

Corporations are not people, and they should not play any role in the formulation of policy for the nation.

The same is true for the super-rich, and for the investment banks that they employ to exert their will.

The information required by policy makers to make informed decisions must be supplied to them by accountable civil servants, professors, and

other experts engaged in the objective evaluation of the current state of our country; people who address technical and administrative problems with an eye towards the long-term interests of the people.

There should not be any pressure on those engaged in governance to derive profit for patrons.

The rich are just people, and they have no more rights than anyone else. They are not entitled to special privileges in public places, to inside information concerning policy and economic planning, or to special meetings with government officials.

We must empower a true constitutional civil service so that the government can regain its independence and we can produce strict regulatory systems to protect the people from the predations of banks and corporations. In that process, many enterprises, such as banks, or communications and energy companies should be nationalized, and run by competent staff of civil servants as public monopolies.

Other public services should be run as collectives at the local level, owned and controlled by citizens. Such ethical governance has precedents dating back to ancient times and does not require ideological decoration. It also provides solid long-term jobs at the local level.

8) TRANSFORM THE MILITARY-INTELLIGENCE COMPLEX

The out-of-control military no longer reports even to the corrupt federal government. The billionaires behind the screen take our tax dollars and transfer them directly to their bank accounts through the sale of overpriced weapons produced in response to hyped-up or mythical threats from abroad.

None of these threats, or these weapon systems, are subject to meaningful outside review, or any scientific assessment. The ridiculous missile defense system is a perfect example of the boondoggles resulting from a fantasy world that enriches the few.

Make no mistake; there is a war going on: fifth-generation warfare in which the dumbing down of the people and massive psychological warfare operations against citizens are undertaken to isolate and divide us so that the super-rich can destroy us.

We need men and women willing to give their lives for their country; to save their families and friends. The bravery of soldiers must be focused on the dangerous work of ending the rule of our country by the masters of global investment banks, fossil fuel conglomerates, IT giants, and their swarms of lackeys.

Tragically, the noble sentiment to defend family and countrymen against external threats has been cynically misdirected. The military, and the intelligence “community” that surrounds it as a penumbra, must be transformed, and must be dedicated to a new target: taking back the economy, the discourse on policy, and the means of communication from the billionaires, and then confiscating their ill-gotten assets to pay for their crimes.

Once we have control of our country again, security policy must focus on employing the scientific method to determine how climate change, the collapse of biodiversity, and the destruction of oceans and rivers pose a deadly long-term threat, and how those trends can be reversed well into the future. The effort must stop the destruction of farmland, the spread of dangerous GMOs, the implementation of geoengineering projects, the release of dangerous chemicals in the air, soil, and water, and other schemes that are destroying the environment.

In violation of George Washington’s warning of the dangers of “entangling our peace and prosperity,” we have rushed headlong into numerous secret treaties, casually termed as “intelligence sharing” and “security cooperation,” that are leading us towards a catastrophe like 1914.

9) NEITHER THE REPUBLICAN PARTY NOR THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY ARE DESCRIBED IN THE

CONSTITUTION AND NEITHER HAS AUTHORITY IN THE FORMULATION OF POLICY

Politics in the United States has degenerated into a gilded bribery machine wherein lobbyists convey the demands of the rich and powerful, and the banks and corporations that they control, to government officials and then that wish list is rendered as law in violation of the Constitution and the will of the people.

Governance is dead.

All debate surrounding the formulation and implementation of policy must be handled in a transparent manner within the government offices as defined by the Constitution. It is illegal and unconstitutional to formulate policy within consulting firms, lobbying organizations, or multinational corporations.

Central to the current fraud are two criminal syndicates, joined at the hip, known as the Democratic Party and the Republican Party.

The Democratic Party and the Republican Party are not described in the Constitution, and they have no authority to make policy, or to play any role in its implementation.

These “parties” no longer represent the people in any sense. Rather, they serve to mask and to paper over the criminal influence of billionaires on our government and to promote the fairy tale that a democratic process is at play.

10) TRADE MUST BE ECOLOGICAL AND TRULY FREE

Trade can be a valuable opportunity for economic exchange between communities around the world. Trade as it is practiced today, however, is entirely controlled by multinational corporations and it is employed to undermine the economic well-being of our citizens while damaging ecosystems.

Massive container ships, controlled by investment banks, spew out a huge volume of carbon dioxide emissions as they transport goods across oceans for the profit of the few, but not for the benefit of those who make the goods, nor for the welfare of those forced to consume them.

It is not a positive for the citizens of the world, and is certainly not “internationalization,” for global finance to be allowed to destroy local industries and farms through dishonest trade policy aimed at making citizens dependent on imported goods, rather than products produced in their vicinity.

We must, together, completely rethink trade and create a 100% fossil fuel-free ecological trade system that is accessible to everyone, that does not undermine local economies, and that meets the needs of citizens, not corporations.

11) WE WILL NOT RECOGNIZE ANY ELECTION THAT IS UNFAIR

The current election system is so corrupt as to be meaningless. Qualified candidates are blocked from the start in a blatantly unconstitutional scheme run by the so-called “political parties” beholden to the rich and powerful.

The media, slaves to multinational corporations, purposely deny citizens access to critical information about policy, making it impossible to evaluate the candidates and their practices. Fake personalities take the place of policy and facts in the “analysis” offered to the citizen.

Votes are counted by computer systems designed to be hacked. Impoverished neighborhoods are assigned so few voting machines that tired mothers and fathers must wait for hours in line as dusk descends.

We will not recognize any election for president, or for any other office, until the nation holds internationally supervised, transparent elections in which every citizen is guaranteed the right to vote in a manner that can be

accurately verified, and in which every qualified candidate can present his or her policies directly to the people.

The entire election process must be honest, and commercial advertising for candidates needs to be banned.

It would be better to set up a provisional government that follows the Constitution and runs legitimate elections than to allow this fraud to continue.

12) ESTABLISH AN ECONOMY OF THE PEOPLE, BY THE PEOPLE, AND FOR THE PEOPLE

The citizens of the United States must regain control of the economy from the dictatorial rule of a handful of wealthy American and foreign clans. Most of their wealth has been created through subterfuge, bribery, and monopolistic practices, and even via the criminal printing of money to pay off private banks—and not by any contribution by them to the economy. We will establish true monetary equality in the United States and will strictly regulate finance to make a democratic economy possible.

We will empower thousands of professional auditors at the Internal Revenue Service and other government bureaus, who, supported by a reformed FBI, will go forward to fearlessly conduct complete audits of all branches of government, including the Department of Defense, to uncover and release to the public the full extent to which the federal government has been taken over by multinational corporations and the obscenely wealthy.

We will conduct a full financial audit of the Congress, and of all its members to make clear the deep corruption bred of the unconstitutional system of lobbying and consulting. Similar efforts will be undertaken to expose graft in the executive branch, as well as the judiciary.

Once the government is again dedicated to the concerns of our citizens, we will undertake similar audits of corporations, and of the super-rich, to ascertain their true assets, and the exact source of that wealth. We will

confiscate their assets if derived from criminal operations like the one surrounding COVID-19, or from other immoral and nefarious activity.

Once the assets of the criminal elite have been confiscated, and they no longer have the money to bribe or bankroll journalists, politicians, educators, or opinion leaders, we will be able to create an environment in which ethical and scientific planning for the future of the United States economy can be undertaken, wherein all citizens will have access to finance and will be free to run their own local economies.

13) BRING THE US MILITARY HOME AND UPGRADE THE UNITED NATIONS

The United States must bring home the vast majority of troops deployed around the world and return to a peacetime economy for the first time since the 1940s.

Tragically for the US and the world, most of America's overseas troops are employed by the multinational corporations that have seized control of the federal government for mercenary enterprises that serve their interests, and not for the security of the nation.

We must be ready to fight, and to die, for true international security, but we must do so following the strictest sense of national security and we must uphold the original charter of the United Nations.

We have enemies at home and abroad who would make us slaves, destroy our food supply, and force us to take dangerous medications.

The United Nations must be the primary space wherein we plan the future for our fragile planet. We must use that platform to address global issues, with peace and cooperation as our priority, before resorting to military action.

However, before we can do so, the United Nations must undergo a complete reform so that it represents the people of the planet in a

transparent and democratic manner, and no longer takes money from the rich, the banks, and multinational corporations for any of its efforts. It must be transformed into an international organization that is democratic in nature, and not a globalist tool of the powerful to justify their predations.

14) SUPPORT TRUE EDUCATION AND INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM

We cannot have transparent governance or sincere politics unless citizens have access to the education necessary to help them to think for themselves, to investigate the world around them in a scientific manner, and to consider their moral responsibilities to society. Education never ends, and it depends on access to diverse, relevant, and ethical information about the natural and human world provided by a vibrant and independent ecosystem of investigative journalism dedicated to the truth.

We must give all our citizens the opportunity to learn history, literature, philosophy, and science from a young age, thus supplying them with the means to comprehend the complex issues of our age. Everyone will be entitled to a quality education because we expect everyone to be an active citizen in accord with the demands of our Constitution.

Funding for education must be available for all members of society, and not tied to local real estate taxes. Teachers must be at least as well rewarded for their contribution as the many parasitic professions that dominate our economy today.

Families must be given the free time at work that allow them to participate fully in the education process at home, and at school. The cost of the time spent with children is a small price to pay for raising an informed and independent future citizenry.

Most importantly, youth should be encouraged to make full use of the infinite potential to be found in the imagination. Music, art, movies, and other forms of entertainment will no longer be the monopoly of multinational corporations but will be created directly at the local level by

citizens, thus making study of the humanities again a sought-after career.

We must free youth from the banal and manipulative consumer culture fed to them against their will by corporations; a culture that directs them towards short-term pleasures and robs them of the ability to contribute to their society.

The government, independent of banks and corporations, will support activities that give citizens the confidence to express themselves, and to articulate a vision for our future.

Sadly, journalism has degenerated into a disgraceful sludge that fills newspapers, TV broadcasts, and internet postings with grotesque images, meretricious phrases, and debased content that appeals to our worst angels.

Journalism must inform our citizens about real issues, not promote sensationalist happenings; and it should teach citizens how to think critically about the forces behind the economic and cultural realities they observe. The government must support an independent media at the local and national level that is dedicated to the pursuit of truth, and that encourages citizens to think for themselves.

15) MORAL DECADENCE LIES AT THE CORE OF THE CURRENT POLITICAL CRISIS

The current crisis is, above all, a spiritual one. While we slept, our nation drifted into decadence and narcissism. We mistook the surface appearances of prosperity for the depths of human wisdom.

Modesty, frugality, and integrity have vanished from our vocabularies. The invisible inner world of values and character that should stand at the center of the moral reasoning of citizens has been replaced by a shallow culture of the spectacle which has transformed the citizen into a passive consumer of the filth produced by media companies.

Until we control our own actions, and then can form communities that

demand righteousness of their members, until we can trust our neighbors, can talk frankly with our children about the truth, and can uphold common values, not shared fictions, we will be incapable of standing up to the dark powers that have seized control of our country.

16) THE CREATION OF MONEY, AND THE DETERMINATION OF ITS VALUE, MUST BE UNDERTAKEN WITH THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE CONGRESS AND BE HANDLED IN A TRANSPARENT AND DEMOCRATIC MANNER

The creation of money, and the definition of its value, must be assigned to the Congress of the United States by the Constitution and monetary policy needs to be conducted in a transparent, scientific, and democratic manner.

Private banks, corporations, and wealthy individuals have no authority to interfere in the process by which the amount of currency is determined, or its value assigned.

Sadly, the unconstitutional Federal Reserve Act of 1913 established a monetary system controlled by private banks which has resulted in a radical concentration of wealth over the last century, and especially the last decade. The control of money by the few has destroyed the government and democratic process.

Today, swarms of mythical creatures like derivatives are cooked up by financial institutions and treated nationally, and internationally, as the equivalent of money.

When these international financial institutions create money out of thin air, they thereby dilute the value of the money belonging to citizens through resulting inflation. That is to say that they are engaged in thievery, not “investment.” And yet the newspapers that they control tell us that inflation is the equivalent of rain or snow—an inevitable natural phenomenon.

The wealthy hoard money tax-free in offshore accounts, accumulate vast amounts of real estate, create bogus foundations, funds, and NGOs that

hide their fortunes and that influence government policy.

The wealthy use their illegal control of money to promote wars, build useless or fraudulent infrastructure, buy stocks and bonds, and engage in other illegal practices that increase their wealth at the expense of the citizen.

We will immediately establish a national bank accountable in a transparent manner to the Congress, and to the citizens; one which will determine the worth of money with respect to actual value, and will render all fake money used by these multinational banks as void, including their digital currencies and other ephemera used by global finance to buy tangibles in our nation like farmland and water, and to purchase influence over our government officials.

Moreover, the illegal manner in which money and finance has been taken over by the few will be fully investigated, and their crimes made public—including the declassification of all actions undertaken by the Department of the Treasury and other monetary institutions—especially the massive transfer of money to private banks in 2020.

The illegal actions taken by private bankers and their shareholders are sufficient to warrant public disclosure of ownership and to pursue the confiscation of assets of those responsible for criminal actions.

Money will be created in accordance with its constitutional purpose, tied to real assets, and distributed in an equitable manner to the various states and local governments to provide for the economic necessities of the people.

17) HALT THE ANTI-INTELLECTUAL CAMPAIGN TO DUMB US DOWN

Our citizens are subject to unending campaigns by corporations in advertising, entertainment, social media, news, and education that are meant to induce anti-intellectual sentiments, to inhibit the ability to focus, and to promote vague and impressionistic thinking that undermines civil

society, destroys families, and renders us passive before the forces of technofascism.

This shift in our culture is not natural, but rather induced by hidden forces in the corporate world who strive to render citizens docile, indulgent, and narcissistic. We must raise the level of intellectual engagement in every corner of our country, encourage people to think for themselves, and inspire them to propose solutions for problems as citizens of their own volition.

We must encourage citizens to be true citizens; to read, write, and argue about the critical issues of our age in a democratic process.

Entertainment that glorifies waste, and the idle lives of the rich is a criminal action against our citizens. The advertising and PR industry must be subject to the strictest regulations so that people are no longer brainwashed or have false value systems implanted in their minds.

18) REVIVE THE IROQUOIS PRINCIPLE OF SEVEN GENERATIONS; END THE CULT OF GROWTH AND CONSUMPTION

End the cult of growth and consumption.

Although the constitution of the Iroquois Nation, “The Great Law of Peace” of 1722, had a profound influence on the United States Constitution, the focus on sustainability was tragically overlooked after the founding of our country.

The traditions of the Iroquois, and of other native nations, who valued the water, soil, wildlands, and the ocean, and who demanded that humanity live in harmony with nature must never be forgotten.

Among the cultural roots of the United States, the Seventh Generation Principle is primary and must be made central to our economy.

This Iroquois principle, and the native tradition, demand that we consider

how our decisions today will influence the lives of our descendants seven generations in the future in all policy decisions.

This doctrine is scientific and rational, and it stands in marked contrast to the unsound and false assumption that the oceans, forests, and grasslands are commodities that belong to individuals or corporations, and that can be destroyed for personal profit.

The Seventh Generation Principle must serve as the basis for the complete revaluation of our economic and cultural assumptions about economic priorities. We must stop the use of deceptive metrics like “growth” and “consumption” to assess the well-being of the nation. We must consider together the health of all our citizens, the weal of the environment, and the prosperity of wild animals and plants in our decisions.

19) FARMING FOR THE PEOPLE AND FOR A HEALTHY AND FAIR ECONOMY

The depletion of our soil, the poisoning of our water, and the destruction of ecosystems will result in an exponential rise in the cost of food over the next decade; a process made worse by the efforts of multinational corporations to destroy the food supply and monopolize seed, fertilizer, and water.

Because farming will be the most critical activity for survival, we must leave behind the bankrupt system of industrial farming that employs the use of toxic fertilizers and pesticides, and which has introduced harmful GMO plants and that forces us to pay for foodstuffs we could produce ourselves.

We must return to farming by the people and for the people. The land must be distributed to large numbers of citizens to be used as family farms as the foundations of a self-sufficient democratic society.

The soil and the water granted to us by Mother Earth has never been, and never will be, the property of corporations. It must be broken up and returned to the people so that we can produce food for ourselves and our

neighborhoods through food production and distribution that is independent from multinational corporations.

Family farms offer the greatest future opportunity for meaningful employment.

We will not allow the few to destroy our soil and water to make fortunes from agricultural exports. Organic sustainable farming aimed at supporting humanity is the only true source for food.

20) ELIMINATE NUCLEAR WEAPONS BY ANY MEANS NECESSARY

Humanity faces an unprecedented risk of nuclear war; one made even more dire by the promotion of “usable” mini-nuclear devices and the mad rush for war in Ukraine, Taiwan, the Middle East, or elsewhere.

It is a sad travesty that the United States is spending trillions of dollars that would be more wisely spent to educate our children and create independent and sustainable communities, to stockpile nuclear weapons. This practice must be ended in accord with the Non-Proliferation Treaty.

We commit ourselves to the elimination of these dangerous weapons from the earth for the sake of our children.

We will forcibly confiscate and destroy all nuclear weapons, starting with those in the United States, and then those in all other nations. The Strategic Command, and the entire military, will be made accountable parts of the federal government following the Constitution in this process.

We will work with committed groups of citizens at home and abroad, inside and outside of government, to make sure that the development of nuclear weapons is stopped permanently and that none are left behind.

SPEECHES

**“A fabulous show, but most certainly not an ‘election’:
Remarks on the 2020 presidential election”
November 20, 2020**

By now you have heard a hundred times from the corporate media that the 2020 presidential election is over; that everyone accepts that Joseph Biden won in a fair and open election, and that any comments from a peevish Donald Trump and his foolish followers about a “stolen election” are about to be swept away as a progressive and scientific new administration, with support across party lines, takes control from the chaos again, and brings us to the Kingdom Come.

But there is another candidate who refuses to recognize this corrupt and fixed election besides Donald Trump and who says that although Donald Trump’s statements about election fraud are not 100% accurate, they are also not entirely false.

We must have another election, and this time a fair and meaningful election in which big money, corporate power, the corrupt media, and the various parasites that feed on them (whether they are colored red or blue; conservative or progressive) will not play a role. We also have no choice but to clean house this time. There are always little lies in politics. We cannot expect too much from a sinful creature like man. But we can still hold up an ideal for what is possible, and as something to strive for.

But the 9.11 incident was not something you can just sweep under the carpet. That incident, a horrific crime in our midst which we still cannot bear to look upon, was like gangrene. We should have had the stamina and the determination to lop off that infected limb twenty years ago. But, instead, we just piled bandages on the wound, put blinders on our eyes, and now, don masks over our mouths.

The rot spread through the blood until it reached every corner of the body politic, leaving a living corpse where once stood a government.

That disease of the spirit has metastasized into COVID-19, the fatal virus of spiritual blindness

that will lay low not only the most powerful nation, but an entire global system. Yes, even as we sip lattes on the Upper West Side, we can sense that the Titanic is beginning to tilt.

The COVID-19 offensive is at the heart of this post-election hangover. NO! I will not allow you to enjoy these few weeks of multicultural performance art and progressive rhetoric.

As Moderna and other corporate criminal syndicates prepare to employ the military in a campaign led by a multi-ethnic “COVID-19 Taskforce” that empowers the US military to make every American receive this vaccine, we need to ask ourselves whether this is the enemy, and not the ballyhooed cyber-hacking by “Russia” or by “China.”

Developing this vaccine at warp speed has been a tremendous challenge that has kept scientists up late at night.

How do you develop a vaccine for a bogus virus? It is like landing on the moon. An impossible task beyond any mortal man. Certainly, Moderna has done well to develop vaccine mRNA-1273 that introduces gene-altering RNA into the human body and will leave you forever changed.

And the corrupt media, in bed with the corporations developing these vaccines, tell us that although they were developed overnight for a non-existent disease, that they are 95% effective, or 97% effective, and that the only thing to worry about is whether poor people or those in the “global south” will have access to this elixir of immortality.

Oh, how delightful!

Why don't they just say the vaccine, the golden calf, is 100% effective? Or maybe 150% effective. The figures for the infected, the ill, the dead, for everything are made up. At this point, the sky is the limit. Verily, the Fauci “mania” has opened the gates of hell.

I am not sure what words best describe recent events, but "election" is most certainly not one of them. We can be sure of one thing, however: No one has a mandate after this election, and no one who has closed his or her eyes to this corrupt process deserves a mandate.

Let us start with Donald Trump and Joe Biden, the candidates forced on us by the Republican and Democratic parties. My heart went out for these two men as I watched them give endless speeches in the days leading up to the election.

Two worn-out, old, hollow men, repeating hollow words for empty rooms; speeches that were broadcast to the world, over and over, until we were begging for this election to end.

We saw how Biden and Trump had their chains yanked and we saw how they suffered.

Now is the moment of truth that we have waited for.

We need to focus on reality. We need to focus, and to act, because the chaos that has been intentionally set off by the promotion of "civil war" scenarios by the ultra-rich — abetted by the moral corruption that destroyed the government's role as a moderator, as a regulator, and as an arbiter — could set off a chain of crises in the following weeks, or days, that will spiral out of control locally, nationally, and globally.

There are those, in their comfortable homes, behind tall gates, who — shame on them! — are hoping, foolishly, for exactly that outcome.

Trump and Biden talked a lot about issues at a terrible distance from what concerns you, or from the true threats to our country.

Neither candidate demanded an international investigation of the 9.11 incident.

Neither candidate has demanded that the public know where that 10 trillion dollars or more, paid out by the federal government to bail out banks, buy worthless stocks and bonds, and help Wall Street out of the mess it intentionally created, has gone.

Neither of the candidates has demanded that the money be returned, that the internal documents related to those payments be declassified, or that those involved should be sent to jail for their felony crimes.

Both candidates blamed our financial woes on COVID-19. Such a response is not just bankrupt and irresponsible. It is malfeasance in public office to cover up a criminal conspiracy—a felony.

Neither of the candidates has made climate change the central issue for security or even touched on the catastrophic collapse of biodiversity.

Neither candidate demanded that the Department of Defense budget be subject to an audit, or that

the efforts in the military and intelligence to run domestic propaganda campaigns be stopped.

Both candidates set their agendas on the basis of what the corporate (bank-controlled) media will tolerate, and in many cases on what was dictated to them by political consulting firms that worship at the cruel feet of Mammon.

Our demand for Trump and Biden is simple. Both of them must pull out as candidates.

So, you ask, what do we do next?

Well, we already know what the powerful want: they want this election to slide into a massive division, much like the election of 1860. They are hoping to use their commercial media to pit the white man against the black man, the rural woman against the urban woman. They want to create as much chaos and confusion, to stir up enough muck, that they can distract us from the rape of our country by Goldman Sachs, BlackRock, Bank of America, and the host of rich folk who hide behind those marble facades. Those rich see you, and your families, as a banquet waiting to be devoured.

First, we must have a legitimate election in which everyone is allowed to vote, and in which none of these stunts are permitted that stop people from voting, invalidate their votes, or limit the opportunities for the citizen to vote.

When we do have a legitimate election next year, in accordance with the Constitution, we must make sure that anyone qualified to run is not blocked out of the media or marginalized by the criminal corporations and their pawns in the political parties.

We must also make sure that every American has access to journalism that is objective and based on the scientific method and is not subject to interference from the rich and the powerful. We must make sure that our precious citizens are not blinded to or distracted from how our country has been placed on the chopping block like a slab of meat.

I do not want to say what the process must be for establishing a fair and open election next year, or how I think the government should be administered until then. I am hesitant to make any declarations, not because I do not have any ideas, but rather because I want you, the citizen, to be involved in the process, to start to organize yourselves without any help from the rich and the powerful, to create institutions that will demand that the Constitution be adhered to, and to create

truly independent media that addresses real issues.

We need to rip the masks off the politicians and to reveal that behind every virus lurks a parasite.

Let us come together now and work with each other to turn this crisis into an opportunity, and to make America great for the first time.

“When Technology Buried Science in a Shallow Grave”

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Even young children can sense that we live in an age in which literally none of the information available is reliable or believable. Information on a global scale is subject to Gresham’s Law: low-quality information spreads everywhere and the truth is hoarded by the few.

What went wrong, and why?

In a sense, the original sin was the confusion of science, the philosophical pursuit of the truth by means of confirmation of accuracy through systematic experiments, with technology, the tools, and the systems based on tools, that serve to create an effect, or to complete a task.

Technology is not science. The Internet, and the supercomputers that lurk behind it, are employed by the rich and powerful to create a virtual reality for us with the intention of convincing us that the images and the effects generated by technology have some relationship to the truth; to science. They want to reassure us that everything is fine when it is not.

If we want to find our way out of this nightmare, we must first recognize that technology today has become the complete opposite of science: a distraction, or a weapon employed to render us passive and ignorant.

As Paul Goodman wrote, “Whether or not it draws on new scientific research, technology is a branch of moral philosophy, not of science.” It is the moral aspect of technology that should be foremost in our minds, and not the gaudy special effects that enchant; that pretend to be science.

Before we develop a smartphone, a satellite system, or a supercomputer, we must first employ the scientific method to determine what the impact of that technology will be over the long term on the earth and on humanity. Such a combination of science and technology literally never happens.

Today, thousands of supercomputers calculate the worth of derivatives as part of a money game for the extremely wealthy, a fixed round of poker. Few supercomputers are calculating how the use of massive amounts of electricity to power the next generation of AI will affect the climate over the next fifty years, or what the impact of the use of plastics will be on the oceans for that the next century, or what the prospects for the production of food for future generations will be in light of the rapid degradation of soil.

Supercomputers are being employed to calculate profit, and not sustainability, and they are so assigned for a political, not scientific reason. Technology serves as a sheepskin for the most ruthless forms of economic exploitation. The powerful know that if AI were focused on sustainability over centuries, the answer from its calculations would be that we should stop using AI if we wished to survive.

We confuse science with technology at our peril.

How to dumb down youth

Our youth are told by the corrupt media that they must prepare for a technology-driven future that is inevitable, that is coming in accord with some law of nature. They are exhorted to prepare for a supposed Fourth Industrial Revolution that will somehow improve their lives, even as their jobs are automated away, as their minds are destroyed by video games, pornography, and online gambling.

When the bankers and CEOs call it the Fourth Industrial Revolution, they are not kidding. It is a revolution in which a tiny handful of people seize control of the means of production, and the ideological apparatus for the entire earth.

We are bombarded, against our will, with information produced without review by third parties and corporations. Much of it is spurious and misleading. The content of movies and dramas, of commercials and advertisements, promotes waste and indulgence and glorifies the idle lives of the rich.

We are forced to rely on corporate-controlled sources like Google or the New York Times for information, and we are not told that these organizations have a long history of providing false information for profit. The entire media-education-advertising complex has been mobilized to promote campaigns to dumb down people and to encourage anti-intellectual sentiments. The drive to force all education to be conducted online speeds up this dangerous trend.

How many times have you heard old-timers remark that young people are self-centered, superficial, and isolated? The assumption underlying this statement is that youth, who are our future, have gone bad because of the poor choices that they have made.

Nothing could be further from the truth. Those youth are identified by corporations as the target for a decadent consumer culture that encourages them to buy, and to be distracted by services that they must pay for. They cannot escape from this unrelenting ideology because corporations are free to pump this trash into the lives of youth, from nursery school on. There is no force present to defend our children.

The main purpose of the games, the pornography, the foolish and shallow television programs citizens are subject to is not sales.

No. Much of this disinformation is offered to us for free because the purpose is to alter our thinking. The funding of the media by advertising from corporations allows them to dictate to journalists the content of their articles, to make journalists present consumption and development in a positive light, even as it destroys the environment and alienates our citizens.

The ultimate product is the viewer or reader, not the item presented in the ad. The reader is rendered up to the investment banks and multinational corporations, as a prostrate consumer, not a citizen, a dependent and limited individual with no moral compass to guide him, incapable of distinguishing images from reality. We desperately need to interact with others. We need jobs that let us work together with others to create a better world.

Technology could help, but it does not because it has no relationship to science, and it has no moral content anymore.

In our daily lives, our interactions with the world are limited to prerecorded messages, automated checkouts, and online classes.

Our culture could be changed if we wanted to change it. The fact that most people cannot read books or focus for more than 10 minutes on a topic is a result of habits created by exposure to technology that could be reversed if there were a will.

We could treat serious issues in a serious manner in our society, and we could discuss the history of how we got here, the reality of how our society works, and the wisdom of learning for oneself through art, music, philosophy, and literature. We could give more emphasis to the wisdom passed on to us by our parents and grandparents than to the superficial sayings of those made famous by the media.

The murder weapon can be found in the hands of the advertising firms, and the puppeteers behind the screen of media. They create a false reality that degrades; they label those who tell the truth false. They make sure that the citizen faces a wasteland on every TV channel, in every newspaper, in every corner of every mall and every office building. Their destruction of intellectual inquiry made possible the rise of clown tyrants and laid the foundations for a media circus dominated by the willful and the indulgent.

We can trace this war on intellectual inquiry back to the efforts of Sigmund Freud's disciple Edward Bernays in the 1950s to develop concrete methods for manipulating the public through powerful images and simplistic slogans. Bernays gave corporations long-term strategies to make use of weaknesses in human psychology to turn citizens into consumers who are drawn to conventional interpretations presented by authority figures.

The manipulation of the human mind by the powerful has a long history. Yet the situation would not have become so dire if our seduction by the stunts of computers, by the legerdemain of mechanical reproduction had not blinded us to the murder of scientific inquiry.

How the Super-Rich Destroy Our Minds

The death of science is an extension of the death of philosophy. Universities are extirpating philosophy departments left and right, supposedly because they can no longer find jobs for their graduates. The study of philosophy is treated in the media as a quaint field for the impractical. In reality, however, philosophy must be the foundation for all understanding. Without an understanding of the invisible principles according to which the universe and human institutions function, our society drifts, our government becomes an unmoored ship, and we slide into treacherous straits.

The death of philosophy means that the visible — the hurricane, the mass shooting, the speech by a politician — is the only thing that registers in our minds. Climate change, cultural decadence, and political mannerism, the most serious dangers we face, seem like abstractions that do not even enter our discussions.

Without a philosophical foundation, without a methodology for confirming what is true, science is reduced to visual stimulation and rhetoric.

The destruction of the intellectual

The obsession with the seen, and the neglect of the invisible and the abstract is related to the precipitous decline of the intellectual in society.

This process was pushed forward by wealthy ideologues seeking to defend their power, such as the Scaife, Koch, and Coors families. They paid top dollar to create and circulate narratives in the media that suggested that business administration and marketing were practical and fundamental because they create wealth. They paid newspapers to endlessly repeat that the intellectuals who try to understand the fundamentals of the universe and society are impractical and elitist.

The exploitation of nature, or of fellow humans; the manipulation of currency and capital by investors, was lauded by the new gurus that these groups funded, and then that argument was fed to us through the commercial media. The criminals who made wealth out of nothing through financial fraud like Elon Musk, Warren Buffett, and Bill Gates are presented to us as icons for genuflection.

Thus, an enormous number of Americans were convinced to pursue careers in business, and they dedicated themselves to the proposition that their fellow men should be objects for exploitation, and that the key principle in all interactions ought to be competition, rather than cooperation.

If you do a search for a job, you will find that the only jobs available are in exploitative fields that promote consumption and value growth over values or understanding. Even the careers possible at NGOs with important missions require that one beg ruthless businessmen for funding to keep going.

The decline of the role of the intellectual in a society controlled by corporations did not lead academics to build bridges with working people, or to find solidarity with the impoverished. Quite the opposite, rather. Intellectuals sought refuge in an even more narcissistic and elitist institutional culture, one that alienated workers and allowed for the discontent to turn rather to the far right for vision.

The commercialization of the university

The degradation of the intellectual is part and parcel of the commercialization of the university over the last two decades.

Institutions that once promoted intellectual inquiry have devolved into top-heavy academic bureaucracies focused on rewarding deans and provosts with high salaries and serving the corporate clients that have replaced government as sources of funding. More often than not, the top decision makers are not even academics, but MBAs and accountants who consider research and education a service, the equivalent of supplying broadband to the consumer, and not a moral goal.

The professor has become a day laborer subject to market forces whose value is determined by his or her popularity with his students, the funds he or she raises from corporations, and his or her ability to publish in specialized journals that have a low tolerance for originality.

The administrators, responding to market forces compel professors to write in obscure language inaccessible to anyone who has not attended graduate school so that they can publish in journals that few will ever read. Professors who do not write for those academic journals cannot keep their jobs.

To top it off, those journals are inaccessible to the average citizen, and will never show up in a Google search. Paywall services like JSTOR (a cover for Elsevier and other parasite corporations that make money off the intellectual labor of others) charge enormous fees for access to research that has been funded by tax dollars.

When the American programmer Aaron Swartz, founder of Creative Commons, publicly released JSTOR articles based on research funded by the people, he paid for that act with his life.

Course offerings at universities have been cut back because, supposedly, students are no longer interested in the humanities or the arts. The fact that the decision of corporations not to hire those with backgrounds in the humanities is not an economic reality, but an explicit political act which is never mentioned.

The promotion by corporations of a shallow materialistic culture in the media that discourages interest in literature and art is considered to be a fact of life, not a criminal conspiracy to dumb down citizens.

The media tells us constantly that democracy is critical, but a society without ethically committed intellectuals, without institutions that can support those intellectuals, is like a body with no bones. No degree of elections or of heated media debates can save such a doomed society.

The ideological commitment to public service and to self-sacrifice on the part of intellectuals has vanished. Corporations and banks have pressured institutions such as universities and research institutes, museums and libraries, orchestras and theatres, as well as government and corporate institutions to glorify overpaid executives and to marginalize and demean the intellectuals, artists and writers that those institutions were meant to support.

When Drew Faust retired as president of Harvard in 2018, she immediately joined the board of Goldman Sachs. Such a blatant conflict of interest would have been unthinkable twenty years ago.

Harvard, once famous for its research and teaching, is now prized primarily by investment banks for its \$50 billion endowment. The brand value of Harvard has esteem for corporations who find strategic alliances with select professors helpful for pushing their agendas on the American people.

The corporate takeover of academics was fatal for science. As Marc Edwards and Siddhartha Roy detail in their article “Academic Research in the 21st Century: Maintaining Scientific Integrity in a Climate of Perverse Incentives and Hypercompetition” (Environmental Engineering Science, Jan 2017), truth does not hold a candle to profit maximization.

Professors are hired and fired on the basis of quantitative performance metrics: “publication count, citations, combined citation-publication counts (e.g., h-index), journal impact factors (JIF), total research dollars, and total patents.”

Seemingly scientific, this dark alchemy has little or nothing to do with the search for the truth.

The increase in direct or indirect corporate funding has increased the number of taboo topics for research (the privatization and militarization of space and the Arctic, the takeover of government functions by multinational banks, or the corruption of academics). Intellectuals cannot discuss these topics unless they are ready to be exiled to the margins; to have their writings labeled as “alternative” or “conspiracy theories.”

How technology shut down the American mind

It has become a commonplace remark that the entire world seems to have gone crazy. This compelling impression usually does not develop far beyond that primitive formulation.

Yes, the United States is governed by the insane. Yes, it has become a literal psychopathocracy.

The question is whether we are observing a periodic decadence akin to the collapse of the Roman empire or a different phenomenon?

We witness all around us extremes of cognitive dissonance that allow highly educated people to blithely ignore catastrophic climate change, the preparations for world war, and the radical privatization of the entire economy.

Could there be something beyond simple denial and self-centeredness at play here?

When we spend our days staring at smartphones, stay up late playing games, watching pornography, or chatting with friends about popular music or trends in fashion and food, is that smartphone serving as a portal that allows us access to information that we need?

Or could it be that the smartphone is modifying how we think and behave, setting our priorities for us and suggesting to us what values to uphold, or how to act?

Are, perhaps, those smartphones that expose us to video games glorifying military combat, to YouTube broadcasts showcasing stupid cat tricks, weapons created and distributed to undermine the capacity of the citizen to think deeply, to distract us so we cannot comprehend the radical transformation of our world into a techno-tyranny?

Are those smartphones intended to create addictions and obsessions in us that inhibit organized action to create our own systems of governance?

Advances in technology not only transform the landscape of human society, but they also undermine our capacity to comprehend the shifts taking place. Our brains are being reprogrammed by the smartphones that we assume help us to communicate.

Technologically induced passivity that destroys human society is as devastating as it is invisible. It is a cultural holocaust that first kills the concept of the citizen and of the family member by using seemingly innocuous, even helpful technology to enter the private lives of the individual.

Nicholas Carr's book, "What the Internet is Doing to Our Brains: The Shallows," provides extensive scientific evidence of how the Internet remaps our brains to be inclined to respond to

instantaneous stimulation and disinclined from complex, long-term thinking.

Over time, such stimulation renders complex, three-dimensional contemplation of contemporary affairs virtually impossible.

In the case of youth encouraged by corporations to depend on such external devices from infancy, the impact is crippling. It is a form of fascism by subterfuge, or as Sheldon Wolin explains in his book, "Democracy Incorporated", such technology creates an "inverted totalitarianism" in which we are controlled by corporations in our daily lives but continue to imagine there exists some form of democratic process because of what we see on television.

We are encouraged to use social media like Facebook or Twitter, but we cannot vote on, or even offer our opinions as to how that social media (technology) is developed, or what the rules for these social media platforms are. We are told that we have a choice of social media, but no one can set up a social media platform of critical scale without enormous amounts of capital. Not a single communally administered social media platform of significant scope has been permitted to be developed. That means that global investment banks determine the manner in which we interact with others.

Carr explains that the brain's neuroplasticity allows it to evolve, often in a negative sense, in response to incentives from the internet. Our neurons want us to keep exercising the circuits we have formed through our internet surfing because they offer a seductive stimulation. Quick responses from a Google search, or from a Facebook posting, stimulate neurons and release pleasing stimulants.

The unused neural circuits that were once employed in complex three-dimensional consideration of long-term personal experiences and of shifts in culture and society are ruthlessly pruned away in an invisible neural Darwinism in that process. The result is not technological flexibility and liberation, but rather rigid thinking and behavior.

The neurologist Norman Doidge writes: "If we stop exercising our mental skills, we do not just forget them: the brain map space for those skills is turned over to the skills we practice instead." That is to say that it becomes impossible for the brain to return to its original capacity for deep thinking after being subject to this diet of intellectual junk food.

Hours on smartphones, exploring social media and chatting with friends has rendered us incapable

of comprehending risk involved in climate change, or in the arms race, or in the promotion of a bogus COVID-19 virus to justify totalitarian corporate control.

The psychopath behind the psychopath

There is one more piece to this puzzle.

Is it simply the case that greedy billionaires use technology as a means to reduce us to slavery, as they seek to further increase their wealth, or are they also being drawn into the transhuman realm and losing their bearings in the process?

If we peer behind the curtains, will we discover that technology has taken over the entire system of things?

Could it be that there is an ultimate psychopath behind psychopaths like Bill Gates and Elon Musk?

The psychopath playing the flute for the billionaires as they lead us to our collective doom is not a specific monster, but the network connecting together tens of thousands of supercomputers around the world. Those supercomputers are the real power that stand beyond the reach of the constitutions of any of the pathetic little nation states, or of any misshapen global institutions like the United Nations.

Those supercomputers purr softly as they calculate to the tenth decimal point how to maximize profit every day, every minute, and every second. They make the ultimate decisions for international banks and corporations, and not only because they are fast and perfectly integrated. They are capable of something that no human can do: they can assess the monetary value of the entire planet and extract profit from every aspect of human society in perfect accord with the algorithms they were assigned, and do so without any hesitation, without the slightest ethical qualm. They were not programmed to calculate the sustainability of the earth.

We do not have to wait for supercomputers to achieve consciousness to lose control of our civilization. All we need is for computers to set the priorities for our society based on profit, without any consideration for our long-term needs. If social media, videos, and games remap the neural networks of our brains, the computers will take over by default long before they have consciousness. We have delegated the administration of our economy to supercomputers without

even noticing it.

Do those supercomputers act depending on what we ask of them? Perhaps, or perhaps not.

There is one critical imperative for the network of supercomputers consuming electricity on a huge scale. That command has nothing to do with the id or the ego. These networks are compelled by the second law of thermodynamics to create greater entropy; to consume more energy. It is this drive, rather than any fuzzy consciousness more appropriate for science fiction novels, that powers their decisions as a system.

The result?

The one-eyed humans whose reasoning and perceptions have been degraded by the stimulation of technology, who have been deprived of science and metaphysics, are being led to the precipice by a massively parallel blind man.

“The ‘Corona Crisis’ and the War of the Super-rich Against the Earth’s Citizens”

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Corporations, multinational investment banks, and the super-rich that hide behind them have launched the final stage this year of a ruthless war of a tiny few against the great majority of humanity.

Although they pay off their puppets in the media to float happy tales of some happy resolution to the dire situation of the moment, they already know that the die is cast, that they are committed to a strategy of distracting, seeding division, undermining rational thinking, and using a combination of blatant intimidation with open bribery to slowly and systematically overpower and reduce to slavery 99.98% of the world’s population.

They know already, according to the calculations of their supercomputers, what will happen if they are not successful in this plan. They also know that disastrous climate change and biodiversity loss will make it impossible for them to monopolize the wealth and the resources for long.

There is literally no limit to how far they will go.

The tools they use to pursue this war against the inhabitants of the planet are technology, propaganda and disinformation campaigns, threats against individuals who display leadership skills, and massive bribes for the leaders who are allowed to be covered in the media to represent the conservative and the progressive causes.

They also employ as part of this strategy an intimate knowledge of certain key weaknesses in the brain, and the potential for exploiting the human inclination to determine truth based on a vague sense of the mood of the herd, rather than logic. That is to say they are investing billions in hidden money to systematically create social pressure that makes citizens conform with pointless mandates for masks or vaccines that are launched from diverse platforms as a means of inducing the population to police itself.

Without such a strategy, the super-rich could not possibly seize control of the entire world.

There has been extensive research by corporations, as well as the CIA and Department of Defense

(government organizations exploited to hide the true entities demanding such research) into how humans can be manipulated without their knowledge, and compelled through imperceptible persuasion to permit, or even aid their own disenfranchisement without even being aware of this silent and invisible takeover.

Such operations have been undertaken before, but never on this global scale. New developments in supercomputing and the global integration of, and deregulation of finance has made such a master plan possible for the first time.

Recent developments are best viewed as the final acceleration of a process by which corporations bribed and lobbied all authority figures in government and academics to go along with a practice of privatization, commercialization, and automation that now means that a tiny handful of people can control every aspect of human experience in an absolute sense while the vast majority of citizens cannot even conceive of what is taking place. We have not reached that state yet, but Elon Musk, Bill Gates and others believe, based on the calculations of supercomputers, that it is now possible.

The super-rich have also invested wisely in the establishment of a panoply of sham activists, or toothless “feel good, do nothing” NGOs.

These “movements” are allowed to appear in the corporate-controlled media, and they pretend to respond to corporate power, but they purposely discourage citizens from organizing themselves (they ask only for donations, or attendance at protests, but they pointedly do not empower people to form their own groups or achieve financial and ideological independence).

Such NGOs are silent about the mass manipulation of the media and politics by global finance, even though that is the primary cause of the political problems we face.

If we follow the current trajectory, there will not be a single part of our lives that is not completely controlled by a global syndicate in the next few years.

We do not have that long to act.

The push for mandatory COVID-19 “vaccines” in the face of the overwhelming scientific evidence against them is not a matter of mistaken science or bad policy. It is, rather, a process of preparing government officials, doctors, reporters, and other media figures to follow orders from

above that have no rational basis.

After this “softening-up process,” which is carefully calibrated on the basis of secret CIA torture programs designed to test the weaknesses of the human psyche, a rougher and more brutal form of the rule can be implemented.

The mask mandate was the first step in the implementation of this form of massive psychological warfare. It is, to use the technical term, a slow “rape of the mind.”

The enormous restructuring of governance and the economy described by the World Economic Forum as the “Great Reset” is not a secret, and anyone who takes the time to read that book, and related documents, can discern a large part of what is their real agenda is.

The citizen will be convinced that he or she operates within a functional country, and that there is some process by which the politicians at the top take actions on their behalf. But the superrich care nothing for nation-states and their populations, and they use politicians to deflect attention away from themselves. Every time a politician takes a fall, it is to distract you from the predations of the rich. Every attack on minorities is a trick to get you hooked on race and diversity and distracted from the concentration of wealth.

We are increasingly subject to the whims of unaccountable global powers, and they intentionally render us passive, open to persuasion, and therefore incapable of resistance, by the media that they control.

The super-rich rely on two approaches to psychological manipulation that go back to before the 1930s which have been perfected by recent research.

The first technique is the use of traumatic events that are reported on in a sensationalist and unscientific manner in the media to induce a deep sense of shock, disorientation, and confusion in the population as a whole. The mental trauma of such events, whether the 9.11 incident, or the hyped-up COVID-19 crisis, or the “armed insurrection” at the Capitol, is used to induce passivity and receptivity to profound institutional shifts that would otherwise be impossible.

Naomi Klein describes this approach as the “shock doctrine,” and although she hesitates to delve deeply into the degree to which it has become national policy, she accurately traces the approach back to the torture programs designed to test the limits of the human psyche.

Such trauma affects the reactive and emotional part of the human brain known as the amygdala, bringing on a fight or flight response in the psyche that overrides the rational, integrative, response to external events that would be carried out by the prefrontal cortex in normal conditions.

Because we as individuals, and as populations, are unaware of how the amygdala has taken over decision making from the prefrontal cortex because of these engineered shocks, we are unable to organize, or even conceive of a response to the real threat. Instead, we focus on cooked-up threats offered to us by the commercial media like Islamic terrorism in the case of 9.11 or the spread of a dangerous virus in the case of the COVID-19 operation.

The second strategy is to induce a hypnotic state in the brain of the individual, and the population as a whole, through the constant repetition of certain themes and images through advertisements, commercials, images, and themes articulated in movies, TV shows, reporting, and even the packaging of products.

The stimulation alternates between intentionally boring and distracting images and direct appeals to the pleasure centers of the brain such as the desire for food, sexual arousal, or pleasant experiences.

The advertisements promoting the enjoyment of food and encouraging low-level sexual arousal are not only, or even primarily, aimed at selling products. They are intended to induce a state of passivity in the population.

The CIA explains the process:

“Hypnosis is basically a technique which permits acquisition of direct access to the sensory motor cortex and pleasure centers, and lower cerebral (emotional) portions of the right side of the brain following successful disengagement of the stimulus screening function of the left hemisphere of the brain. The right hemisphere, which functions as the noncritical, holistic, nonverbal and pattern-oriented component of the brain, appears to accept what the left hemisphere passes to it without question. Consequently, if the left hemisphere can be distracted either through boredom or through reduction to a soporific, semi-sleep state, external stimuli to include hypnotic suggestions are allowed to pass unchallenged into the right hemisphere where they are accepted and acted on directly.”

(FOIA document CIA-RDP96-00788R001700210016-5 “Analysis and Assessment of Gateway Process” June 9, 1983 (US Army Intelligence and Security Command))

The scale of this experiment in mass hypnosis to render the citizens of all the world passive, and unable to resist persuasion from authority figures is unprecedented. This process has been undertaken slowly, over a period of many years, following complex algorithms that are kept secret.

It is critical in this process that individuals be isolated from each other, unable to communicate except through mediums controlled by monolithic global corporations, and that they be offered only ineffective and superficial organizations to join, in which they will be incapable of participating in the decision-making process or effecting change. Quarantines, lockdowns, social distancing, and the promotion of a narcissistic consumption culture are critical to that process.

The result is that the citizens of the United States, and around the world, are being reduced to consumers of products supplied by multinational corporations who cannot even conceive of how the world has been radically transformed in this great reset.

They are being rendered passive and unresponsive, so that the super-rich can quickly seize complete control of the systems by which countries are governed, by which money and finance are determined, the means by which information is distributed, the universities and research institutes by which authoritative perspectives backed by science are presented, the farms and distribution systems by which food is provided, the aquifers and irrigation systems by which water is provided, and every other aspect of human experience.

When we awake from this slumber, if we ever do, we will discover that each part of our lives is controlled by unaccountable powers that we cannot understand, have no way to challenge, and which will increase, slowly and systematically, the means by which we are made slaves, and, if necessary, destroyed.

**“The Big Lie Strategy of the Super-rich:
The Weaknesses of the Human Mind”
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The massive concentration of wealth over the last few years has made it possible for a tiny handful of individuals to control the means of extraction, production, distribution, and sale of food and related products, as well as determining the value of money.

They are free to demand at will the statements they need to justify totalitarian rule, customized to the tastes of specific communities, from their pet experts at Harvard University, the World Health Organization, the New York Times, and in the government of the United States, and of most other countries.

The rate at which wealth has been concentrated recently is unprecedented in human history, in part because of the exponential evolution of technology that permits a global manipulation of currency and other financial products in a complex manner beyond the capacity of most to comprehend.

New AI technology allows for the promotion of false information globally through the commercial media in a confusing manner. The super-rich use this confusion to divide and confuse the citizens of the United States and the rest of the world, presenting contradictory opinions through the authority figures that they promote; opinions that often lack any scientific basis.

Understanding why so many highly-educated Americans are incapable of responding to the current crisis, and endorse a vaccine regime that they do not believe in, requires us to look at the larger strategy for manipulating choices offered to establishment intellectuals. In part, it is a matter of lag time. Intellectuals are shocked by the rapid shifts in geopolitics. They find it easier to wallow in self-pity, or to bury their heads in denial. The period of time required for a new generation of committed intellectuals to emerge is not fast enough to keep up with the rate of change, and thus, there has been a failure to organize anti-fascist movements like those of the 1930s that formed a kernel of true resistance to totalitarianism.

It is helpful to focus on a few of the false choices, the baited gambits, that have been skillfully set up by the advisors to the super-rich so as to create fissures in American society that fragment the establishment, and create internal conflicts in a predetermined manner, so that no broad consensus

is reached, and citizens unknowingly do the dirty work for the super-rich.

Let us consider the central “baited gambits” being utilized today.

“The New Cold War”

The commercial media is pumping out a uniform story about “The New Cold War” between the United States and China that has been reformatted in different political flavors for distribution on hundreds of media platforms. There are conservative and progressive versions of this story about unprecedented tensions between China and the United States born of Chinese expansionism.

Not everything about Chinese actions in Xinjiang, or in Hong Kong is false, but for the most part the tale is so grotesquely distorted that we might as well file it under fiction in our library.

I have not found any serious discussions about how this New Cold War is being promoted by media interests whose stock is owned by the same concerns who want to make a fortune from the massive increase in the US military budget that resulted from the Defense Appropriations Bill of 2020.

Nor does anyone mention the process by which multinational banks and corporate interests have encouraged conflicts over territory and ethnic identity to push for militarization in the years before the First World War, or how that cynical ploy was related to overcapacity and overproduction and how the alchemy of wartime demand was used to make liability into a godsend. French, British, and German banks were happy to play footsie in that tragicomedy, and the hidden profiteering continued even after the war began.

It would not take more than a few minutes of comparison between the tricks used by global finance leaders in London, Paris, and Berlin in 1914, and the similar schemes being employed by US and Chinese financial interests today for citizens to get the idea.

In place of analysis, we are force-fed the tired and banal tale of the “Thucydides trap” endlessly promoted by the highest-paid minion of the investment bankers, the made-to-order prophet lauded and feted by CEOs in New York and Shanghai; Harvard’s own éminence grise, Graham Ellison.

If we want to understand what is taking place in the unhealthy “Frankenstein Alliance,” in the pact signed between elites in Washington and Beijing, we must first break out of this foolish

“nation state” schemata peddled to intellectuals by global bankers, and look directly at the massive collaboration between the super-rich globally for the purpose of destroying the lives of workers, and unfold and unravel their schemes to play American workers against Chinese workers so as to stop any unity of purpose on the part of citizens.

Graham Ellison and his Harvard friends are never going to talk about how Harvard’s de facto majority shareholder Goldman Sachs plans to use economic conflict between the United States and China as a means to push through the complete automation of factories and the massive implementation of AI in both countries in the name of “competition.”

The battle is not so much between Beijing and Washington, although that battle is also plenty real, but more about the drive of global finance to control the assets, money, activities, identity, and the body of every single worker in both countries. What cannot be forced through in China will be forced through in the United States first, or vice versa, or in another country first.

Maybe Elon Musk and Jack Ma are not voices of reason crying out against a nationalistic narrow-minded agenda in the United States and China, but partners in a scheme to monopolize the resources and assets of the entire world.

That process, even though it can be documented without too much effort using open-source materials, must be dismissed as a conspiracy theory beyond the pale. The only accurate means to understand the conflicts between China and the United States today, we are told by the authorities, is through an analogy to a war between Sparta and Athens in the fifth century B.C.

The possibility that neither China nor America currently exist as political units in light of the radical concentration of wealth is the most likely explanation for what we witness today. You will not read that analysis anywhere.

What are the immediate results of the increase in defense spending for this “New Cold War?”

The opportunity to massively increase defense spending in the United States, China, and throughout East Asia—and now throughout the world—has the banks drooling. Many financial interests stand to benefit from all that spending; that artificially created demand. Citizens are force-fed cold war fiction without a word about who makes the money from weapon systems globally, including in China.

The spending, in the US Department of Defense, or the intelligence community, is no longer aimed at training people in Chinese, or developing a new generation of people who understand the politics and cultures of the nations of Asia. Increasingly, those who have studied in China (to learn Chinese) cannot get the security clearances required to work in government.

Most of that money is tagged for ridiculously overpriced fighter planes, tanks, anti-missile systems, and satellites that, in many cases, have already been shown to be ineffective, or useless.

Those at the lower ranks of the military and intelligence are still trying to do their jobs despite the increasingly absurd orders that they receive. To some degree they can convince themselves that the reports of threats from Chinese AI, drones, and robots are credible. Certainly, the round-the-clock work schedule that is forced on them (similar to what was done before the Iraq invasion) has made it nearly impossible for them to concentrate.

What no one is going to tell citizens, or even personnel with top secret/SCI clearance, is that the AI being developed is meant to be a weapon to degrade the ability of citizens to think (starting with military personnel) through destructive stimulation of the brain using commercial media, and to divide and confuse the populations of both nations, using different time frames and agendas, so as to soften up the citizens of the world for the absolute rule of the super-rich.

Will the next generation micro drones and robots and energy weapons on low-orbit satellites be used in some glorious Normandy landing, or a kind of Athens-Sparta conflict between civilizations and nation states? Or might the final intention be to employ these weapons so as to attack the citizens of China and the United States if they try to resist this global power grab?

The war has already been declared. Both China and the United States, and many other countries, have become the battleground in the drive to completely corrupt science, and to make all sources of information spigots for propaganda in support of “bio-fascist” regimes like COVID-19.

Whether in Dallas or Wuhan, Osaka or Dresden, AI algorithms are being used now to shut down civil society, and stacks of drones and robots that can attack whomever they are programmed to attack are waiting in the wings.

It is worth noting that the New York Times have taken a sudden interest in police violence over the last year after completely ignoring the issue for decades. Moreover, they are not interested in systemic corruption, but rather in gaudy incidents that are played up in the news cycle just long

enough to create a consensus for a policy shift.

Perhaps the goal is not to reduce police violence, but rather to undermine public confidence in police officers as a means of defunding law enforcement agencies. But, is the intention of such a move to create a more human police force with closer ties to the community? Or might this rather be the first stage in softening up the public to accept the replacement of human police with drones and robots that may have smiles on their faces but are capable of a ruthlessness beyond anything human?

Your Choice: Climate Change or COVID-19?

Multinational investment banks, corporations, and the super-rich that control them have paid their operators to set up a false choice for citizens that is meant to divide us and discourage organized resistance. Prefabricated liberal-conservative conflicts are core to this undertaking. Although this effort has gone on for decades, the classified programs to engineer conflicts based on ethnicity, culture, or gender has gone into warp drive as the blatant power grab of the elite becomes increasingly obvious.

Central among the baited gambits offered up is the false choice between addressing climate change and acknowledging that COVID-19 is a massive fraud. Anyone who tries to take on both issues at once will find that he or she cannot get anything published anywhere. Everyone is given a choice of choosing one or the other or disappearing from public discourse altogether. For the ego-driven “public intellectuals” so accustomed to seeing their precious names in print, the compromise is of little significance.

You can either recognize that the climate is adversely impacted by emissions, the destruction of ecosystems, and by an economy driven by a dangerous model of growth and consumption, or you can argue that COVID-19 has no scientific basis and that the forced vaccine regime is an attempt by the rich and powerful to take control of our bodies, deny us the right to work, go to school, or seek medical treatment for our own reasons.

On the one side, we see progressive-flavored intellectuals like Noam Chomsky or Chris Hedges talking about the danger of fossil fuels and the ignorance of science displayed by Republicans in the pay of the oil companies. Some parts of their arguments are true. Other are tailored to the needs of investment banks. For example, they are happy to push for solar power and wind power, but they do not mention that these renewable energy projects are planned and pushed through by

corporate banks. Nor do these intellectuals describe how citizens produced their own renewable energy before John Rockefeller forced them to become dependent on big oil.

These progressives also leave Bill Gates' book *How to Avoid a Climate Disaster* alone, preferring to give the Gates Foundation all the slack it needs to use the "climate crisis" to tighten political and ideological control.

In the other corner we find those, often associated with Donald Trump or Robert F. Kennedy Jr., who stand united in their condemnation of the COVID-19 "pandemic," mask mandate, and vaccine regime. These forces have developed increasingly sophisticated media sources and they support their critiques with substantial scientific data. For the most part, these groups are dismissed out of hand by *The Nation* or Greenpeace as extremists, or anti-science when they speak the truth.

As good as the science for these groups may be regarding COVID-19 (and it is not always accurate), they are silent on, or even dismissive of the threats of climate change, the collapse of biodiversity, and the destruction of the environment by fracking and microplastics. They are willing to stand up to Bill Gates and George Soros but get wobbly knees when it comes to BP and Exxon.

Another part of this scheme to drive a stake through science in the United States establishment is the engineered split in interpretive communities concerning the 9/11 incident: a powerful shibboleth in American politics. This obvious fraud, which defies the principles taught in high school physics, is a taboo for the progressive groups standing up in self-righteous indignation over climate change, social injustice, and systemic racism.

9/11 is not taboo, however, for conservative groups. But there is a catch. Some of the scientific discussions of 9/11, or of COVID-19, are narrated with reference to Christian philosophy concerning the nature of evil and are supported with references to the Book of Revelation. Although such references may be valid, they inherently limit the appeal of these reports for the public.

The critiques in these reports lack a systematic analysis of the interlocking financial interests around the world that were behind that tragic event. These conservative news sources lack the methodical examination of who owns what found in books like *Giants: The Global Power Elite*, by Peter Phillips.

The focus on child trafficking for pedophiles by high-ranking political figures and their alleged participation in satanic practices also limits the impact of these conservative reports. There is plenty of evidence of pedophilia among power players in Washington D.C., and there exists documentation that such incidents have been purposely set up to collect damaging information about politicians.

But this political practice is but one of a variety of methods for buying off and intimidating and is not as central as these reports suggest.

It is possible that high-ranking politicians engaged in satanic rituals as well, but from what I have seen of the exercise of power in Washington D.C. it seems rather unlikely that these diabolical practices are that prominent. I suspect that although there may be some truth to those claims, stressing satanism is a condition for getting the word out because it limits the audience. Perhaps secret law not only blocks reporting on COVID-19 in the mainstream media, but also requires that those who are allowed to report on the topic introduce a heavy dose of Christian ideology that cuts down on circulation among progressive groups.

**“Interpretation and Investigation:
The Conspiracy Theory Trap”
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The creation of events that will promote irreconcilable interpretations in different communities has become a cottage industry for the rich and powerful. The radically divergent tales concerning mass shootings and attacks on minorities does wonders to exacerbate rifts between groups in the United States who might otherwise find common ground. These deep fissures in the basic assumptions about events render cooperation between these groups impossible.

Two common themes among conservatives are that attacks on minorities, and major mass shootings are fake, false flag operations, and that climate change is a fraud used for the interests of the rich and powerful.

Let me start with a disclaimer. As no open, international investigations have ever been conducted concerning the incidents that I describe, my interpretation is by nature speculative. I would venture, however, that the critical points that I make are purposely left out of coverage in both the mainstream media and in conspiracy blogs.

What is clear is that public intellectuals and reporters intentionally avoid difficult questions concerning these incidents, falling back on the argument that it is disrespectful to the families of those who were killed to suggest that the event was fabricated.

Two central cases are the Sandy Hook Elementary School shooting in 2012, and the Boston Marathon bombing the following year.

In the case of Sandy Hook, it is certainly possible that the attack was carried out by a loner suffering from mental illness. Yet the vicious manner in which the mere suggestion that there might have been an incentive to create an event designed to increase police powers raises questions as to the motivations of those who deny even the possibility of a conspiracy.

In the case of the Boston Marathon bombing, significant evidence exists that the chronology of events is inconsistent. The remarkably clean way the entire incident was pinned on two Chechen brothers who supposedly killed a police officer while trying to steal his gun sounds rather far-fetched. It is undeniable, however, that the bombing was used to carry out an unprecedented

lockdown of the entire city of Boston without any constitutional guarantees for citizens, or due process.

That event was a frightening adumbration of the lockdowns of the United States in the name of COVID-19 seven years later.

The significance of the Boston Marathon as commemoration of Patriot's Day (granted it was held a few days earlier that year), a critical day in Boston history when American militia opened fire on the British at Lexington, was completely ignored by the media when they pinned the story on the two brothers.

Yet, it was on Patriot's Day, April 19, 1993, that the federal government brutally crushed the Branch Davidians at Waco, an assault that included a needless fire that left seventy-six people dead.

It was on Patriot's Day, April 19, 1995, that the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building was destroyed in an attack attributed to Timothy McVeigh, an incident about which many questions remain unanswered.

In addition, two days after the Boston Marathon bombing in 2013, a massive explosion (employing ammonium nitrate just like the explosion in Oklahoma) near Waco, Texas, killed fifteen people. None of these facts were mentioned in the media.

The Las Vegas shootings on October 1, 2017 suggest a possible strategy behind these attacks. The suspect, Stephen Craig Paddock, supposedly killed more than 60 people in less than 15 minutes of shooting from the 32nd floor of the Mandalay Bay Hotel. This fact alone raised serious questions among experts.

As he committed suicide, we never learned Paddock's version of the story.

The striking part of the story is the contradictory reports from eyewitnesses.

The now deceased political leader of the truth movement in the United States, Debbie Lusignan, best known as "the sane progressive," presented a series of now deleted videos explaining how the Las Vegas incident involved both real shootings with live ammunition in one part of the hotel while in other areas the sounds of gunfire were broadcast over a speaker with no actual gunfire or

causalities.

The intention of such an approach (which may well have been used in other incidents) might well have been to create divergent interpretations of the event from the start. Those who argued that there was a real shooting had facts to back up their claims. Those who suggested that the shootings were a fraud, a false flag, were given also solid evidence.

A similar game appears to be under way concerning climate change.

Scientific evidence for catastrophic climate change in terms of spreading deserts, the warming and acidification of oceans, the spread of microplastics through the water and soil, and the long-term warming of the atmosphere is indisputable. The campaigns of fake scientists receiving corporate funding to dismiss this complex phenomenon has not succeeded in convincing the public.

Because the launch of the COVID-19 operation is directly linked to climate change, specifically to the need to assure the well-being of the 0.5% at the expense of the rest of the earth, in light of the impending collapse of the ecological system, the highest priority is to make sure that no political figure emerges who addresses both COVID-19 fraud and the threat of climate change.

Climate change advocates covered by the media, and bankrolled by foundations, must argue for big green projects led by financial institutions that Bill Gates and friends can control, and they must back the COVID-19 myth.

The conservatives claim that climate change is a conspiracy cooked up by the rich and powerful to oppress us and they present evidence in alternative news to support their perspective.

The assumption among the progressives, however, is that granted the scientific evidence for climate change, the conservatives must be “crazy” or “stupid.” Whether it is Rachel Maddow or Cenk Uygur of The Young Turks, or even socialist activists, the assumption is the same.

But might there be a more complex game at play?

Let us consider the case of the forest fires that swept the earth in 2018, specifically the California wildfires. The gradual warming of the planet, reduction in rainfall, and the siphoning of water from aquifers for use in commercial agriculture is clearly the cause of the increase in forest fires

globally.

But can we be certain that the argument made by conservatives that the California wildfires were started by arson, or enhanced thereby, with the purpose of frightening citizens into adopting a response to climate change commandeered by corporate power is ludicrous?

When Representative Marjorie Taylor Greene claimed that the wildfires were started by lasers in orbit owned by the Rothchilds as part of a conspiracy to get a high-speed rail project approved by the state of California, she set off a firestorm in the liberal media. Everyone, literally everyone, rushed out to attack her as a “nut” without considering for a moment that perhaps some part of her story might be accurate.

I have read her claims carefully, and I have read related materials concerning the political conflicts in California at the time, and I do not find her argument convincing. It would be a mistake, however, to assume that because progressive causes attack her for anti-Semitism, and climate change advocates attack her for her ignorance of science, her claims are unfounded.

One need only look at the photographs employed in the BBC report “California wildfires: The day Paradise burned down” to see that real cause for doubt was intentionally provided.

Specifically consider the following two photos.

In the first photo, we see that the houses in a development have been cleared down to the foundations in a manner that would be absolutely impossible in a forest fire, while the trees nearby stand virtually untouched.



This photograph, from a mainstream media source (Reuters), presents information that immediately raises serious questions.

The second photograph indicates what appears to be melted aluminum that flowed from the automobiles burned in the forest fire. It is similarly improbable that a forest fire would burn at a temperature sufficient to melt steel or aluminum.



Following the basic principle of Occam's razor, I would like to propose a more probable explanation for what happened. Perhaps the California wildfires, which are slowly increasing due to climate change, were purposely enhanced by artificial means, and in this case the houses were destroyed either by a strike from low-orbit military satellites or were simply demolished in a manner so as to suggest that such an attack had happened. Similarly, weapons were employed that were hot enough to melt metal, or perhaps this photograph was simply inserted in the article to suggest such an interpretation to the reader.

The real conspiracy might not be the alleged Rothschild family's ambitions in California, but rather the creation of an event that will be read in a radically divergent manner by different elements of society, so as to inhibit the formation of a broad consensus on the danger of corporate power and to discredit the real threat of climate change by creating real examples of falsified climate disaster.

Operation Civil War

The media of the left and the right are cranking out stories about a possible civil war in the United States like there is no tomorrow. There are real reasons for fearing that such a domestic conflict may be in the offing. Already, the low-intensity killings involving police and other vigilante groups are approaching the level of "Bleeding Kansas" of the 1850s in scale.

We must also ask ourselves whether the fascination of the mainstream media with this theme suggests a more devious plan to divide and conquer. Forcing authority figures to put their reputations on the line pushing a COVID-19 narrative that they do not buy has completely discredited the federal government, universities, the mainstream media and all the experts we rely on. The stage is set for open defiance of the entire system, which was perhaps the plan all along.

Civil war would serve to tear institutions apart and create an environment in which the super-rich, unimpeded, can push through even more radical institutional change. The actual class war between a handful of multibillionaires and the rest of the country would be hidden behind orchestrated fighting between so-called white nationalist terrorists and Black Lives Matter minorities that would be narrated in different media to stoke emotions, and blind people to the real agenda.

This work is rendered easier by of the mistaken assumption of the upper middle class that they are on the same side as the extremely wealthy; that Bill Gates or Elon Musk are just like them,

only more successful.

Nothing could be further from the truth. The super-rich have so completely monopolized the financial system, and amassed such wealth, that for them the difference between a Harvard professor, US senator, successful real estate mogul, and a homeless man is insignificant. They have launched against the rest of humanity that targets not only workers and immigrants, but the entire upper middle class as well.

It is critical for the strategy, however, that the upper-middle class, all those with measly assets under one brick (100 million dollars), be convinced that they are on the side of the super-rich, and not on the side of the working class.

The new economic reality, however, is clear. The forced quarantine at airports, mandatory lockdowns of schools, even in upper-middle class neighborhoods, makes it clear that that policy is made for a handful of people, and that even families with millions of dollars in assets are not significant for the planners.

The recent decision by Princeton University to require COVID-19 vaccines for all students, or be denied admission, indicates just how extreme the concentration of wealth and power has become.

Most people assume that the students at elite Ivy League colleges are so privileged that they could not possibly be sacrificed for corporate profits through the use of dangerous “vaccines.” If Princeton students must take the vaccine, obviously students in India, Brazil, Spain, and Japan will have to do so too.

As far as the extremely well-to-do are concerned, the lawyers, doctors, bankers, and professors who send their children to Princeton are of no consequence. They are betting that the lag time between the start of this COVID-19 operation and the point when educated people finally grasp the new political reality will be sufficient to vaccinate the vast majority of humanity.

The Collapse of Civilization

Ultimately, the contagion of massive fictions in the United States cannot be explained simply in terms of the economic interests of the rich. Much of the scientific evidence about COVID-19 is accessible on the internet with a bit of effort and anyone who reads it with care will be forced to admit that the testimony of hundreds of scientists is convincing. Moreover, advocates for

mandatory vaccines are never forced to engage in public debates with the medical experts who criticize the entire COVID-19 regime.

Educated Americans willingly refuse to read these scientific materials, or to engage in thoughtful discussions with their peers.

American lawyers, doctors, executives, and professors resemble the characters in *The Sleepwalkers* (German: *Die Schlafwandler*), a novel by the Austrian writer Hermann Broch that describes the lives of the ruling class of Germany caught up in the collapsing cultural order before the First World War. Broch's novel describes the bizarre psychological state of the educated classes of Germany. People lived like sleepwalkers; functional in society, competent at their jobs, even capable of appreciating fine music and art. Yet those same intellectuals were in the most profound sense blind, completely oblivious to the signs of systemic collapse. Because they could perform sophisticated jobs while remaining unmindful to the spread of militarism, the end of the rule of law, and the demands on the economy made by overproduction, they made the unthinkable possible.

The origin of this crisis is not corrupt politicians and CEOs, or bad policies and poor planning.

Deep down the entire system, the civilization, is decaying. The educated and informed who could be leaders are left confused and engaged in self-destructive acts as a result. We see unfolding the human version of colony collapse disorder, when the majority of worker bees in a hive inexplicably disappear, leaving behind the queen, plenty of food, and a few nurse bees.

We cannot even start to get a handle on this civilizational crisis because our discussions of politics and economics have been stripped of all dialog regarding philosophy and literature; aesthetics and history. The push for the efficient and practical forced education by corporations has left us blind and helpless, and unable to grasp the invisible shifts taking place at a subterranean level within society.

Paul Levy argues that our current society is wracked by the psycho-spiritual disease “wetiko” (a native American term) which is impervious to the anti-psychotics dished out by therapists like candy at Halloween. Wetiko is a disease in our civilization that feeds like a parasite on the spirit, a collective psychosis that has seized control of the entire system of things.

Levy notes that for those captured by wetiko,

“You’re blind and you do not know you are blind, and in fact imagine that you can see clearly. You come to believe that you can see more clearly than those who are clear-sighted. You then become unaware of what it is to be sighted, as you have no reference point for comparison. You do not see how you are unwittingly colluding with wetiko’s pernicious effects and thereby you are unaware of how you are having negative or ill effects upon others and the world.”

Such words describe perfectly the vast majority of the ruling class in the United States who, now spiritually crippled, are leading the entire population of earth to the edge of the cliff.

“Declaration of The Establishment of a Provisional Government for the United States of America”

May 26, 2021

As grievous as was the blow, as terrible as is the suffering, as overwhelming and demoralizing as has been the ensuing chaos, and as discouraging as has been the spread of falsehoods, and the seduction of the educated, it is no surprise to the historian that a mighty nation like the United States could rapidly decline into moral depravity.

It is no mystery to the scholars of Babylon and Rome, of Byzantium and Athens, that great governments are brought to their knees, not by an external enemy, but rather by the substitution of superficial rituals for moral action, and a spiritual blindness that strikes down the best and the brightest.

This moral virus has infected the minds of those who should have known better, and the door was left ajar for the crafty and the cunning to surreptitiously sneak in and slip a collar around the eagle’s neck, rendering justice a pet for their idle amusement.

We have no time now for laments, standing here on the battlefield. The cruel powers have unleashed their dogs of war and they are ripping our institutions to shreds, tearing the living heart out of our government and our schools, and leaving behind our values and beliefs as rotted carcasses for the jackals to feed upon. These stealthy forces keep shifting their forms to confuse us, now conservative, now progressive, now black, now white.

What we know with certainty is that the current lull in the battle is the bait they have laid out for us. They are planning a final assault, as we stand here, dazed and confused. They want us to be absorbed in our selfish needs, stewed in the narcissism of the smartphone, lost in the cult of the self, and incapable of organizing our thoughts, mustering bravery, or rising to the occasion.

Their weapons are different. Rather than a tank, they use a vaccine syringe for their first melee. They use AI and commercial media to reprogram our brains, rendering us docile beasts that chase after food, pornography and glittering images. We did not even notice how they made us dependent on them for food, energy, information, and now even for our very identity.

Not a single column still stands in the temple of government that our founding fathers erected.

The beasts have carved the executive branch up into private fiefdoms, and leased them out to foreign banks. These days, those involved in governance are patted on the head and rewarded for tearing apart the edifice; for doing the bidding of the hidden masters.

The members of the Congress, regardless of their color or flavor, thrust their snouts deep in the public trough, where they devour the slop shoveled their way by the high priests of Mammon.

There are only two parties: the pimps and the whores.

The gangrene flowing through the veins of the judiciary is foul. It corrupts everything it touches, rendering judges and prosecutors unfeeling, incapable of and unwilling to uphold the Constitution, or do anything that might displease their true masters.

Newspapers and magazines; universities and research institutes; and corporations and foundations are all spigots that spew forth lies.

An evil spirit has possessed the public sector, rendering it a monstrosity. It slouches towards your neighborhood with a syringe in hand.

Declaration of an Acting Government for The United States of America

In light of the collapse of all branches of the federal government, and the slip of civil society into the dark abyss of decadence and narcissism, we citizens declare that an Acting Government of the United States of America is established hereby, that will serve as a midwife in the painful, but promising rebirth of this nation.

The words of this declaration will limn the direction forward for our nation and suggest the contours of our future.

The acting government of the United States will distinguish itself from the wreckage now occupied by jackals and hyenas by its strict adherence to our sacred Constitution and to the spirit of the law.

The acting government will administer as much of the United States as it can, granted the tremendous challenges that we face.

The roots of our government are planted firmly in the hearts of patriots; of citizens committed to liberty, justice, and freedom. The acting government will lay the foundations for an accountable government capable of addressing common concerns about the economy, society and security, hand in hand with those patriots.

The United States has a noble tradition of democratic governance. The inspiration for our nation, however, must be traced back to the American Revolution of 1776, and to the uprising against slavery of 1860. Our political philosophy is revolutionary, and this is a moment when that tradition must be revived.

The Declaration of Independence was the first step; a break with the British Empire. This declaration of independence is a break with the insidious empire of finance and speculation run by billionaires and their servants.

We hereby declare our independence from that empire of corruption and pillage; that empire of foreign wars and manipulative media; that empire of processed foods and needless medications forced on us for profit.

Our founding fathers declared,

“We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness--That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed,”...
“But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security.”

We do not need any more media-savvy swiveling between the fraudulent flavors of “progressive” and “conservative,” the Pepsi and Coke of debased politics.

Before we recognize anyone as president, we must first take these six actions:

1) We will list the billionaires, investment banks, private equity funds and the other parasitic financial institutions that have taken control of our nation’s government and detail how they

govern us illegally.

We will make all information public regarding their criminal takeover and illegitimate administration of our country. We will bring criminal charges against the leaders, and seize their assets, regardless of how many politicians they own, or how many billions of dollars they claim to possess.

2) We will take control of the economy, starting with money and finance (especially the Federal Reserve), and create an economy of the people, by the people, and for the people.

The speculative economy will end, and all fiscal policy will be drafted in close coordination with citizens using scientific data concerning the true short and long-term challenges facing our nation. For-profit organizations will play no role in the formulation of economic policy, nor will foreign economic concerns. Corporations whose stock is owned by foreign interests, that have their headquarters outside of the United States, will not be considered American.

3) We will establish true journalism, starting with journalism produced by networks of patriotic citizens, that is dedicated to the pursuit of truth, and which does not shy away from taboo subjects. This journalism will have no corporate sponsors and will be accompanied by social media networks and search engines that are run as regional and national cooperatives responsible to the people, that have the pursuit of truth, not profit, as their paramount goal.

4) We will establish an international committee of ethical citizens to oversee an investigation of the criminal actions by those who have pretended to be the United States government for the last twenty years. Base on the findings of those public investigations, we will make proposals for a revolutionary restructuring of the government so as to make the citizen again sovereign.

Only then will we be able to hold transparent and accountable elections for the president and the Congress that allow the citizens to vote on the basis of accurate information, elections from which corporate money and private wealth will be banned.

Criminal syndicates like the Democratic and Republican parties, not described in the Constitution, will play no role in these open and fair elections.

5) We will set down national security priorities related to the threats facing our citizens. The

process of assessing those security concerns will be immune from the lobbying of weapons manufactures and investment banks. We will consider crucial issues such as the collapse of biodiversity, destruction of our climate, concentration of wealth, and misuse of technology to destroy the minds of our citizens. We will also stop the use of automation and communications technology by corporations to wreck our livelihoods. We see the war of the rich against the citizens of the earth as the primary security threat of our age.

6) We will reform the United Nations so that it will become a space for true “Earth” governance that takes an internationalist perspective, and not a tool for globalism. We will banish from the United Nations the money chargers and the plutocracy who have shredded the United Nations Charter and made its employees into their lapdogs.

The demands are simple, but achieving them will require vision, inspiration, tenacity, and sacrifice. The rebuilding of the United States, in accord with its sacred Constitution, will be both a national and an international project.

We call out to all Americans, to all patriots who can hear our voices, and especially to those who were lucky enough to receive outstanding educations, privileged enough to obtain specialized training in the sciences; in international relations; in economics; and in medicine. It must be you! Lawyers, doctors, professors, technicians, government officials, corporate executives, and business owners! This is your moment of truth.

This is the moment when you must choose to stand with the downtrodden and help citizens who have not been so fortunate as you have, to distinguish truth from falsehood.

Those who possess extreme riches are not your friends. They care no more for you than they do for the homeless.

We declare today that in our streets, in our neighborhoods, in our states, and in our nation, the United States of America, the super-rich and their minions shall have no dominion. The government titles or institutional trappings that they have stolen, or bought, grant them no authority over us.

If truth slips from our grasp, the powerful can easily twist our sentiments. The evil that they stir up shifting patterns, so as to blend into any scene, like a moth, like a chameleon.

Our acting government will adhere to the Constitution, to the sacred truth, and to our moral indignation. We know no other masters.

“The War by Corporations on Our Children”

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The older generation takes a strange pleasure in reiterating comments about the absence of responsibility, lack of focus, and the indulgence of young people, using these arguments as a means of excusing the bleak future that their children and grandchildren face. Those arguments are rarely original, but rather they are force-fed to baby boomers by the media as a means of relieving them of all responsibility and of distracting them from the true causes of the tragic shifts that they observe obliquely.

It is assumed that for reasons unknown, somehow young people are less capable, attentive, motivated, or little concerned with planning for their careers and their futures. This argument makes the previous generation feel somehow more worthy and superior, and that is precisely the hook that is lodged in the sweet treat.

Nowhere in the discussion about the challenges youth face is any mention made of how corporations have targeted and exploited them from cradle on, or how the fundamental structure of government has shifted since the end of the Cold War so that it no longer plays the role of defending or protecting the citizen, the child, against the vultures and jackals of the corporate world, but rather serves as a marionette with a smiling face through which arguments to justify the dictatorship of finance are promulgated and made to seem scientific, authoritative, and even ethical to the public.

To be sure, the breakdown of a sense of community, concepts of personal responsibility, and ethical commitment among youth is a sad reality. It is accompanied by isolation, loneliness, and uncertainty about the future that undermines all aspects of life.

But the problems that our children face are not brought on by themselves, but rather are the result of a brutal assault on their childhood by corporations that seek to dominate their values and thinking not long after infancy, so that they are unable to think for themselves, create their own communities, or even their own lives. They are made dependent on content, and on relationships designed by those corporations and the investment banks that lurk behind them.

When our children should be playing outside, catching frogs in the woods, building forts out of tree branches, or helping their parents to plant lettuce and carrots, thereby understanding the relationship between humans and nature, they are encouraged, even compelled, to get all

information from the television or internet which is dominated by these multinational corporations; organizations that see our children not as future citizens, or as the building blocks for a constitutional democracy, but as consumers to be mined and manipulated for profit.

When our children should gain wisdom and insight from their own experiences, from their interactions with friends and teachers, and should learn first from their parents, extended family, and neighbors, they are forced to watch television, surf the internet, and play endless video games from an increasingly younger age. Their parents are told that exposure to technology will make their children competitive and modern; it is a sickening lie.

The purpose of getting children connected with images presented by television, movies, and the internet from an early age is to addict them to a consumption economy, to reduce their ability to think for themselves, and to encourage superficial thinking dominated by excitement and immediacy that destroys their capacity to understand complex issues and their ability to concentrate.

The War of Corporate Wealth Against Humanity and the “COVID-19 Scare”

The bombarding of our children with commercial images that suggest how they should behave, and what is of value, is a direct assault on the Constitution, because it intentionally undermines the capacity of the individual to be a citizen. That is to say that the advertising and public relations employed in the commercial media and entertainment is illegal.

Also, the assault on our children through the media cannot be detached from pornography. Even in the most innocent cartoons, corporations insidiously insert messages suggesting that we should evaluate others in terms of how they please us, that humans are commodities, and that we must market ourselves, and our sexuality, in order to be successful.

This subtle attack on the core values in children feeds into real pornography, starting with boys. Corporations plant sick images of violence and humiliation of women in the minds of young boys in an attempt to addict them to a false, violent, and perverse sexuality that can only be purchased, and that is incompatible with love for women.

If boys have their sexuality torn away from love, and attached to competition and narcissism, girls will be the clear victims. Whether they end up with boys who can no longer express affection, or are compelled to behave like the women in pornographic movies so that they can get attention,

girls are sacrificed to profit in this debased culture.

This whole process of degrading and destroying our children must stop now.

We must understand that the commercial advertising with which our children are bombarded is not primarily aimed at selling products. The primary agenda of what had degenerated into brainwashing and propaganda is to inculcate in them a passive, dependent, reactive and flippant attitude that will render them incapable of thinking for themselves, and searching for solutions on their own. They are indoctrinated to turn to the media, controlled by corporations, for solutions to every aspect of their personal lives.

It is a scientific fact that the use of social media and internet surfing remaps the connections between brain cells, training the individual to favor short-term stimulation, constant changes, and intoxicating, seductive imagery.

As a result of such behavior modification, the capacity of the individual to read and comprehend long and complex texts, understand multidimensional problems in the economy and society, and to engage others in meaningful dialog is destroyed. A few years soaking in the narcissistic consumer culture forced on youth produces individuals who are incapable of anything other than working to feed themselves and releasing accumulated stress by indulging in self-centered video games, pornography, food consumption, or action films.

For those marinated in this consumption culture, what does not appear on TV or the internet seems unreal; insubstantial. By contrast, the falsehoods propagated through commercial media are assumed to be real, and more substantial than the reality that surrounds them.

When this political crisis, this social disaster, is brought up in polite conversation, the knee-jerk response is that we must make our messages brief and dumb them down so that youth will listen. No one in the room suggests that we need to create a culture to protect our youth from this war, allow them to focus, to read and digest books, enjoy art and music, and to create it themselves.

Children assaulted by the commercial media from infancy have no chance to preserve their own liberty. They are not permitted to develop their own metaphysical compass. No moral or scientific forces exist for them other than what can be seen, especially in the mainstream media.

Many are left incapable of evaluating the impact of forces that are not explicitly visible. They do

not even realize that the smartphone that they hold in their hand does not belong to them at all, but is constantly updated and changed so as to manipulate them by multinational corporations pursuing agendas about which they understand little.

The commercial media, advertisers, and entertainment moguls have intentionally created a culture of forgetfulness. We are trained by the media to forget what happened yesterday, to lack any historical perspective on politics, culture, society and technology. But if we cannot remember our past, other than the slick images fed to us by the media, then we cannot establish our own interpretations, and democracy becomes impossible.

So, we also forget what happens to the plastic that we dispose of. We forget what the implications for the world of foreign wars are. We forget what will happen to future generations if we continue to destroy the ecosystem in the pursuit of a narcissistic consumption culture.

The commercial media also wants to crush our imaginations; our creativity.

Of course, commercials suggest that somehow using your smartphone will make you more creative and innovative. A closer look reveals that what is called “innovative” and “imaginative” is the manipulation of images and symbols supplied by multinational corporations. There is no freedom and no autonomy to be found anywhere in that world.

Imagination also means the ability to form a picture of things that are not visible. That is a skill that the corporations wish to crush. They do not want us to be able to recognize the hidden powers that shape our world for their profit. They do not want children to have the imagination to see how the cynical players on Wall Street and Madison Avenue set out to destroy their minds, and how the brutal road ahead is decided for them by invisible powers.

The Constitution defends freedom of speech for the citizen. It does not grant corporations the right to brainwash and destroy people’s minds from childhood, rendering them incapable of making their own decisions.

As long as this criminal operation is tolerated, we will have no democracy and no government. This nefarious action must end now, and the kings of advertising and public relations must face jail terms for their criminal deeds against our youth, and their use of technology and marketing to enable the “rape of the mind.”

Corporations, banks, and the advertising and public relations firms that they fund are destroying our minds, and our ability to perceive reality. Because they stealthily attack the means by which we perceive, we are unaware of the tremendous damage that they do. Just as the brain does not feel pain, so also our schemata for perceiving the world are blind to how they are undermined by false narratives and stimulation aimed at behavior modification.

Nothing less than a revolution will end this war on our children; this extermination campaign against our future.

“A Tribute to John Brown and the War Against Slavery” January 31, 2022

When John Brown was led from his cell to be hanged by the neck until dead on December 2, 1859, he passed a scrap of folded paper to his guard.

John Brown had been convicted of treason by the state of Virginia, the first such conviction in American history, in a show trial. “Treason” referred to how Brown had organized a group of armed citizens who raided the federal armory at Harpers Ferry, Virginia, with the intention of starting a mass uprising against the institution of slavery, and, by extension, the entire political economic system that defined the United States.

The hand-written note asserted that the guilt was not his, but that rather guilt permeated the entire nation, corrupted by the filthy institution of slavery.

The note read,

“I, John Brown, am now quite certain that the crimes of this guilty land will never be purged away but with blood.”

His words were prescient in a sense that few understood. His contemporaries, and future historians, bent over backwards to describe him as a madman, and to dismiss his raid as a folly.

Now that we see before our eyes the employment of COVID-19 lockdowns, masks, quarantine camps, vaccine mandates, and other institutions that are intended to reduce all but a handful of the rich (the planter class of our age) to slavery, we must ask ourselves exactly what did John Brown do, and why was the reaction of the establishment to him so severe?

For those who are absolute pacifists, pass over John Brown. The rest of you, listen closely.

John Brown had been fighting against slavery since 1848 and his activities in Kansas included explicit violence in opposition to the institution of slavery.

He spent two years preparing for the uprising that would start and end at Harpers Ferry. His invitation to action was turned down by most everyone, including leading anti-slavery figures like

Frederick Douglass, who considered it too dangerous and too provocative.

That raid, that decision resolve the issue of slavery by force, no matter how small the number of people in the group, made Brown an extremist because he undermined the progressive cause of ending slavery through negotiation and compromise.

But John Brown's logic was impeccable, and his contemporaries had to ignore what he wrote in order to dismiss him. Frederick Douglass himself would come to agree with Brown's position.

The true nature of slavery, just like the true nature of lockdowns, masks, and vaccines, had been intentionally suppressed by progressive politicians and intellectuals who wanted to heatedly debate the policy process, but not the nature of slavery.

Slavery, according to Brown, was not a mistaken policy, not a "peculiar institution" distinctive to the South, not a matter of state's rights, or property rights, and not an issue that could be worked out through compromise. No, John Brown made it clear in his writings that slavery, like vaccines, was a war against the people and that the people must respond to this assault in kind, as they would respond to a war.

His actions were attacked by Democrat and Republican alike, but he galvanized the nation when he revealed a hidden horrid truth by charging madly into the horns of common sense.

Frances Ellen Watkins, a freed slave and abolitionist, sent a letter to John Brown in prison reading,

"Dear friend: Although the hands of Slavery throw a barrier between you and me, and it may not be my privilege to see you in the prison house, Virginia has no bolts or bars through which I dread to send you my sympathy. In the name of the young girl sold from the warm clasp of a mother's arms to the clutches of a libertine or profligate, - in the name of the slave mother, her heart rocked to and fro by the agony of her mournful separations -- I thank you that you have been brave enough to reach out your hands to the crushed and blighted of my race.

She continues, "We may earnestly hope that your fate will not be a vain lesson...and that your martyr grave will be a sacred altar upon which men will record their vows of undying hatred to that system which tramples on man and bids defiance to God."

Brown did what the other anti-slavery forces, the Robert Malones and Naomi Kleins of that era,

were afraid to do. He insisted that words or protests alone would not work. It was a war, and dedicated organizations of men ready to die for the cause were the only means of resistance.

In 1858, Brown drafted a “Declaration of Liberty” that extended the Declaration of Independence to its full logical conclusion of freedom for all Americans.

The Declaration of Liberty rewrote the Declaration of Independence to cover all races, men and women, without exception.

“That when any form of Government, becomes destructive to these ends, It is the right of the People, to alter, Amend, or Remodel it, Laying its foundation on Such Principles, & organizing its powers in such form as to them shall seem most likely to effect the safety, & happiness” of the Human Race, To secure equal rights, privileges, & justice to all; Irrespective of Sex; or Nation; To Secure Fraternal Kindness to all Friends of Equal Moral privileges, to all who honestly abandon their Despotic oppressive rule.”

He and his followers also drafted a provisional constitution for the United States that laid down the logical, ethical, and legal justifications for the raid at Harpers Ferry.

He explained that the cancer of slavery had rendered the United States so corrupt, and its policies so distant from the word and the spirit of the Constitution that it lacked legitimacy. This new constitution presented a blueprint for the rule by law, and his actions were entirely just from the point of view of the position articulated.

We watch today the horrific final stages of the decay of civilization and the rule of law in the United States, a decay that has allowed COVID-19 to fester and blossom. COVID-19 has taken the place of slavery as the weapon, one that cowardly intellectuals cannot name, that is deployed in the war on citizens.

COVID-19 regulations, cooked up in secret by consulting firms funded by the rich, are fed through a shadowy network to the pathetic politicians who rubber stamp them and then appear on television to justify them.

This COVID-19 regime has entirely replaced the Constitution in same sense that the radical expansion of slavery in the 1850s gutted constitutional guarantees and opened the door for the transformation of all working-class Americans into slaves.

Brown's provisional constitution identified the true nature of slavery as "none other than a most barbarous, unprovoked, and unjustifiable war of one portion of its citizens upon another portion."

The war against the people today, the campaign to make us into slaves, is made possible by denial and by the embrace of falsehood, by the treason of the intellectuals who value their status more than the pursuit of truth.

The false, limited-hangout critics of COVID-19 suggest that posting something witty in social media platforms like Facebook or Twitter is an act of defiance. But these arenas, as well as Wikipedia and YouTube, are not even public platforms, but rather are controlled by multinational corporations whose ultimate purpose is to allow and even encourage you to complain to your friends, but render you incapable of taking any action that could lead to fundamental institutional, financial, or ideological change.

We must not enter the dead-end tunnel of moral outrage for the like-minded aimed not at painful change through sacrifice, but rather self-importance.

We observe today, as Tomáš Garrigue Masaryk, the first president of Czechoslovakia put it,

"Egotism hidden under the mask of humanity and nobility in mind; cowardice passing itself off as fortitude; sophistry deceiving the sensible and wise."

John Brown may not be the appropriate model for us at this historical juncture, but his decision to act, rather than to debate, speaks volumes.

As the billionaires use supercomputers and complex algorithms to induce mass psychosis; fear and passivity; narcissistic obsessions with one's image; fixations on sex; and addictions to food, and as the first steps are taken to create a permanent slave class at home and abroad, we must see the actions of John Brown, or of Spartacus (who led the slave revolt in Rome of the 1st century A.D.), with new eyes.

It may be far worse this time.

While the trashy media continues to suggest that the COVID pandemic will be over in a few months, we need to consider the other possibility.

Plato wrote, “Only the dead have seen the end of war.”

Perhaps the proper revision should be,

“Only the dead have seen the end of this pandemic.”

Once you put it that way, the solution becomes crystal clear.

“Dear America: Enough Is Enough”

February 3, 2022

We cannot even begin to formulate a response to the COVID-19 fraud until citizens snap out of the deadly slumber of narcissism and decadence, of passivity and consumption, that permeates every aspect of our lives.

We call out to all citizens of the world to stand up and to fight together against this COVID-19 slavery and genocide.

If you think, however, that this campaign can be won without immense personal sacrifice, without daunting risks, and without total moral commitment, I suggest that you watch CNN news, or some other source of alternative reality that suggests a logic wherein chaos reigns, a selfishness that holds sway, and a community in which extreme isolation is the norm.

COVID-19 is not just any disease. It is a disease of the heart, in both the physical and the spiritual sense. Moreover, is it a virus that infects the mind and lacerates the soul.

It is also a disease of civilization, fed by moral corruption that festers out of sight, deep down among our values and principles, at the foundations of who we are.

It would be impossible for such a blatant fraud to undo so many if we were not afflicted by a blindness of the mind.

And so, we find ourselves, at this late date, like King Oedipus, who demanded that he be told the truth; a truth that his advisors wanted to shield him from.

When King Oedipus forced himself to see the truth, in spite of his long denial, and the denial of those around him who wished to avoid anything unpleasant, he learned that he himself had been the cause of the horrible plagues sweeping his nation.

He had killed his own father without knowing who he was. He had married his own mother without knowing who she was. And he had engaged in the most horrid actions in complete ignorance.

Is that not us? Did we not allow pharmaceutical corporations to gradually increase the vaccines that have been given children over the last 30 years without stopping to think about what was happening? Did we not ignore the exponential increase in the assets of the super-rich over those 15 years, and decide not to dwell on what the ultimate implications would be of such a class society?

Did we not see how global finance slowly took control of our government and reduced it to a shell; a toy for the amusement of banks and multinational corporations?

Like Oedipus, we knew something was terribly wrong with the United States, but we did not want to face the truth. And now that we are forced to see the horrid consequences of our actions everywhere we look, we cannot avoid the torment of Oedipus.

What was King Oedipus' torment? His affliction was that everything that he looked at, including his beloved wife and daughters, reminded him of his evil actions. Ultimately, he was driven to put out his eyes in despair, and through that act, through that acquired blindness, he learned to see, to perceive things as they are, not as he wished them to be, for the first time.

Enough is enough. There is no time left for polite words; no time left for compromises with the rich and powerful; no time left for twisted, half-truths that spare us from acknowledging how our own failure to serve as citizens allowed this horrific monster to spawn in the dank waters of indifference.

Enough is enough!

Professors!

There you were, in your comfortable offices, reading articles in established, reputable journals, articles that presented impossible fairytales about a COVID-19 pandemic. You knew from the start that this narrative made no sense, that it flew in the face of everything you learned in graduate school. Yet you went along with it; you told your friends and your family that this fraud was the truth. Worst of all, you taught your students that these lies were truths.

It was a horrific blasphemy, an insult to the intellectual training you received. None of that training was free. None of it belongs to you.

It was paid for with the tax dollars of working people. It was supported by the sacrifices of scholars and librarians over the last three thousand years.

You used your education, your social status, and your skills as writers to present falsehoods as facts, propaganda as truth, and political manipulation as policy.

You allowed classes to be cancelled, universities and schools to be shut down, and a pathetic online exchange to take the place of teaching. You knew it was not justified, that it had never been done to schools, even in wars, and yet you went along with it.

And many of you took payments, seen and unseen, to write editorials for newspapers, to publish articles for so-called peer review journals, and, on occasion, to appear on television for bogus interviews. The purpose of this operation was to convince the public that experts agreed with false stories that the media had fed them.

You used the trappings of authority with which you have been invested to glorify and legitimize a travesty, to put angel's wings on a demon, and to open the doors of hell wide open so that universities, research institutions, and academic journals could be reduced to brothels, and all scientific and academic debate be poisoned by a gangrene of the mind.

You knew that every word that you read in the newspapers was wrong. Yet you read them anyway, repeated them anyway, and you imparted a legitimacy through your fancy words, or your cowardly silence, that it would not have had otherwise.

You were afraid, but not afraid that the Gestapo would take you away in the middle of the night. No. You were just worried that you might not get that promotion, that grant, that perhaps you might not be able to publish that book, or not have enough money for your kids' private school tuition.

For two years you, a teacher, someone who possesses a certain understanding of the world that working people will never have, supported this crime.

But now, enough is enough.

Stop your criminal deeds! Stop your immoral behavior! Adhere to the highest principles and cease and desist immediately!

Government officials and politicians!

You convinced yourself that it was fine to follow the policies fed to you by banks and corporations, and the billionaires who hide behind them. You told yourself that it was not your problem, that it was just inevitable circumstances, that you had no choice but to violate the Constitution, the law, and your conscience.

You convinced yourself that the criminal concentration of power and the deception of the population by the government was just political realism, not something to worry yourself about.

And you watched in silence as the techniques for inducing mass psychosis through the use of fear-promoting false reports, masks to train for compliance, and social distancing to break down bonds between community and family members were implemented.

You know the true nature of this campaign, but you looked the other way, you tried to drown your feelings of guilt in fine food, vacations with the family, and the acquisition of property and assets.

You knew that you were no longer working for the government or the people anymore, but rather for an international criminal syndicate, a shadow government that makes policy in secret.

Yet you kept signing those hidden contracts with investment banks, pharmaceutical corporations, and private intelligence firms. You did so without batting an eye. You thought you were being so sophisticated, and that you understood political reality.

You permitted the making of health and financial policy, through classified directives put out by private intelligence firms working for the super-rich, and you assumed that no one would ever know how you had betrayed the people.

But now, enough is enough.

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Officers in the military and intelligence!

Your job is to protect the nation and to risk your lives defending it against all enemies, foreign and domestic. You have obtained tremendous benefits that are only appropriate if you adhere to that code and if you are ready to risk your lives for the nation, if you are willing to make sacrifices for the greater good.

But you have intentionally ignored your vows and stuck your snouts deep into the national security trough to suck up all the money flowing down. You have betrayed your honor and forfeited your status. You are not entitled to anything but the just desserts of your fine work.

So many of you have grown quite familiar with corruption that it was second nature to rubber stamp the COVID-19 operation.

It did not even occur to you that this was a Pearl Harbor, a historic sneak attack that demanded commitment and sacrifice now, not later.

No, COVID-19 was not another opportunity to make money on the side, to buy a house in the countryside, or to make ugly deals with twisted people for benefits off the books.

The result of your indolence and your perfidy? The United States and the world suffered the greatest attack in history, one that has already killed hundreds of thousands, indeed millions, and will kill many millions more. You turned your glance the other way when a global totalitarian regime, whose name cannot be spoken, was launched to replace the Constitution and the United States.

You played stupid. You, the brave soldier, were a coward, an accomplice, a collaborator.

You acted as if the missiles and tanks of North Korea and Iran were the threat when the true menace was international banks and corporations, and the super-rich who live right here, at home.

You followed the orders of generals who did not follow the Constitution, did not adhere to the rule of law, and did not strive to protect our citizens. They, and you, were happy to sell the people out to privatized intelligence and military firms who were paid in full to tear the United States apart for profit using the ghastly weapon COVID-19.

But now, enough is enough.

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Judges and lawyers!

You knew the law and you knew how the federal and local governments are supposed to function. You watched as the entire judicial system upon which citizens depend to defend them against international corporations and their parasite operatives was torn apart after January, 2020.

You saw how the court system was defanged and neutered, how the Congress was made into a circus whose clowns had no say in policy and who most certainly cared nothing about the people they represented.

And yet, you who have the special training, expertise, and intimate knowledge that working people can never obtain chose, against the Constitution, against the interests of the nation, and against your own conscience, to aid and abet the billionaires and betray the common men and women of the United States.

It is not philosophers nor artists; poets nor dreamers who decide the value of things these days. Nor is it lawyers or judges, bureaucrats, or professors. That critical job belongs to investment bankers and their parasite friends.

But you, the representatives of the law that citizens depend on, allowed these secret forces to hide themselves behind you. You enabled them to carry out this COVID-19 reign of terror and you blocked the efforts of citizens to defend themselves.

When secret law was passed that made it impossible to even process legal responses to these illegal acts, you willingly helped out. When large swathes of the government were taken over by a shadow regime, you looked the other way.

But now, enough is enough.

Stop your criminal deeds! Stop your immoral behavior! Adhere to the highest principles and cease and desist from these actions immediately!

Doctors!

Your responsibility is the greatest. You took the Hippocratic Oath to work for the health of your patients and you are paid lavishly for that service in our society.

Yet you readily went along with the unscientific and unhealthy COVID-19 regulations, and you used your status in the eyes of the public to promote a hoax, a fraud that you knew was deadly and that you knew benefitted the rich and powerful.

You stood with the moneyed class against your own patients, encouraging them to have dangerous PCR tests, engage in unscientific social distancing mandates, and receive deadly mRNA vaccines.

You have violated the most basic ethical principles of medicine; you have turned your back on the Nuremberg Code of 1947, turned medicine into a war on citizens and turned science into mind-numbing propaganda.

We cannot call you a doctor anymore. You are a monstrosity, and you became that way not because the rich threatened your life, but just hinted at a reduction in your benefits if you did not comply.

But now, enough is enough.

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Parents!

Yes, I am so sorry, but we must talk about what you did, too.

You knew full well that these orders for masks were stupid, that this vaccine rollout made no sense, and that the social distancing rules at school were nonsensical and deeply damaging for the kids.

You saw those occasional postings on Facebook, Twitter, and elsewhere that suggested another more horrific interpretation than what was constantly repeated on television. You sensed truth in those conspiracy theories, but you, out of cowardice, selfishness, and your own petty convenience, decided to look the other way.

You did permanent damage to your own children. You hid the truth from them, and you reinforced at home the lies that they were exposed to at school.

You thought that your duty as a parent was to keep the kids happy, comfortable, and enjoy your time with them.

But that was never your job. Your job was to do your best to protect your children, stop them from exposure to deadly vaccines, and pull them out of school, if necessary, and tell them the bitter truth about what has happened to our society.

You found it easier to lie to them than to protect them, easier to repeat the fictions from the news than to speak the truth, and easier to be the image of a parent than to take the actions necessary to be one.

But now, enough is enough.

Stop your criminal deeds! Stop your immoral behavior! Adhere to the highest principles and cease and desist from these actions immediately!

“The Terrarium Economy”

June 8, 2022

We, the vast majority of humanity, and especially the citizens of the United States, live in a terrarium economy. The accelerating concentration of wealth over the past decades, and the resulting control of agriculture, manufacturing, distribution, information, and communication by a handful of multinational corporations means that the ultimate decisions of consequence are made by powers beyond our ken and our control.

The terrarium is a self-contained ecosystem within a glass bottle. It may maintain the humidity of the tropics conducive to the growth of ferns and mosses, or orchids and heliconia. It may serve as the home for rare frogs and salamanders, exquisite butterflies and jeweled beetles, or tropical fish and shrimp. It may contain within it a food chain ranging from algae up to iguanas.

But the terrarium’s fragile ecosystem is completely under the control of invisible powers far beyond the grasp of the flora and fauna within its glass walls. The denizens of the delicate rainforest have no idea that unseen hands determine the temperature and the moisture, and provide the fertilizer and nutrients essential for their survival. If the masters outside of the terrarium fail to keep up that routine, for even a few days, no one will survive.

Today, citizens find themselves in a similar fix. They inhabit an economy that appears to be functional, that keeps them fed and with a roof over their head, if they are lucky, and the economy makes sense to them on a daily basis.

This seemingly complete ecosystem includes the homeless, the middle class, lawyers and doctors, and even the wealthy with assets up to 50 million dollars. Those little rich men take great pride that they are somehow the equivalents of Jeff Bezos or Bill Gates, and so they lord over the little people.

The inequities and contradictions of human society are replicated perfectly in this terrarium economy. It has its rich and its poor, its good guys and its bad guys.

But that economy and that political process is enclosed in a hermetically sealed bottle. It is a closed system into which the billionaires pour a bit of financial liquidity here, a bit of inflation there, a bit of positive news when appropriate, and some ominous signs when required.

The owners of the terrarium can manipulate and modify the system without the consent, or even the knowledge of its citizens. The people, by contrast, like captive Amazon tree frogs, are blithely unaware of their dependency on this contrived hidden hand.

If, suddenly, petroleum and liquid natural gas stop flowing; if, suddenly, corn, wheat, and rice stop traversing the waves in container ships; if, suddenly, accurate information stops circulating in the newspapers; and, if, following Gresham's law for the aristocracy, reliable currency dries up, we will be helpless and doomed.

The vast majority will be unable to ascertain the source of the sudden changes, and will no doubt attack the politicians and CEOs who occupy the upper stories of the food chain within the visible economy; the economy of the terrarium.

The powers that hide behind comical politicians, however, will watch the show with detached amusement.

Digital sharecropping

The residents of the terrarium pay a hidden price in every transaction and interaction. They are subject to digital sharecropping, whereby the invisible master gets a pound of flesh every time money, products, or services are exchanged. The launch of digital currencies will make that prison into a living hell.

The distributors in the supply chain; the retailers; marketing and advertising firms; manufacturers of unnecessary plastic and paper wrappings; hospitals; insurance companies; lawyers; and of course, the private equity firms that lurk behind them; all of them, and more, take their generous bite from the breakfast cereal that you buy at the supermarket, or the gallon of gas that you put in your automobile.

You are free to work, but the hidden hand decides what kinds of jobs are available, what the salaries will be, and what the requirements for employment are.

The banks provide endless loans to massive corporations outside of the terrarium, much of which is never paid back, but they show extreme reticence to offer even paltry loans to us.

Intellectuals of all shapes and sizes crawl around in the terrarium proclaiming that this is the best of all possible worlds, praising the market economy and the genius entrepreneurs who have risen to the top.

The public intellectuals get extra grubs from the masters for their arguments in bestseller books that the only solutions are money solutions, and not cooperatives, or barter systems that offer citizens economic independence.

Democracy and the Republic

The terrarium economy became possible because the term “democracy” was purposely misinterpreted.

We were told over and over that there are democracies, and that they are superior, but we almost never heard the word “republic.” Yet if a democracy, a government system in which citizens vote for candidates running for public office, loses the administrative infrastructure of a republic, it will become like a tiger without bones.

If there is no functional constitution that regulates the republic, defines the administration of the system, and describes the means for resolving conflicts, then democratic processes like voting for candidates or passing laws degenerate into superficial rituals.

A republic is essential to protect the minority against the wrath of a deluded and misguided majority. That threat is all too real. The desires of the citizens are easily fanned and misdirected by the few, and will not correspond with the long-term interests of the citizens.

These days, that is the norm.

A smaller group of those informed on policy and on the state of the world, people who are committed to ethical principles, must serve as a regulator, to assure that the system functions ethically.

After all, the truth is by its very nature undemocratic.

A great ocean liner can include thousands of devices maintained by hundreds of sailors. Yet the compass is a unique device that only a limited number of people can create and employ effectively.

If we are voting on the truth, or if we think that the truth is a matter of opinion, then there is no longer a republic, and therefore no democracy, either. That, sadly, is precisely the current situation within our terrarium.

The terrarium economy has resulted from the transfer of massive parts of the economy and the administration of daily life to the control of accountable third parties. An abominable fourth branch of government, beyond the executive, legislative, and the judicial, slouches towards the desert.

The rise of corporate governance

That rotten, twisted branch, covered in horrific thorns, is neither government as defined by the Constitution, nor the small stores, family farms, and local manufacturing that made up traditional society.

A new player, described nowhere in the Constitution, has weaseled its way in through the back door to play the central role in governance.

Who might that be? None other than massive, multinational corporations and their evil twins, investment banks. Both are awash in free money printed up for their use by the prostrate Federal Reserve.

They have seized control of much of the economy, and of daily life, over the past 40 years in a gradual process invisible to the naked eye. They have lulled us to sleep with a culture of narcissism and indulgence that keeps citizens from focusing on the covert takeover.

These corporations have generously sprinkled money on their intellectuals to cook up arguments justifying this new tyranny.

Those experts argued that “the private sector” could handle the tasks of government more efficiently than the wasteful federal government of the United States of America.

But when they said, “Let the private sector do what the bumbling bureaucrats can’t,” what they really meant was, “Let us take authority away from a poorly run and demoralized government and give it to a totalitarian and cynical new government.”

Corporations are government, in every sense of the word, but are far more dangerous in that they have no constitutions to define their administration; they are opaque and unaccountable, and they are run for the benefit of stockholders, not for their employees, and most certainly not for the public.

The experts, conjured up by the rich, have run seminars, written books, and set up graduate programs in government in which they have argued that government must be run efficiently like corporations. They have privatized huge chunks of government and created habits and policies within the fragments of government that remain, modelled on the ruthless administration of corporations.

The truth is that the alternative to unaccountable and unresponsive government (something guaranteed to appear in due course in any system) is not private corporations run for profit, but rather, local cooperatives run by citizens in a participatory manner.

Corporations and billionaires seized control of journalism and employed donations to universities and research institutes that rendered those sources of authority as their play toys.

The result was a politics of the self, of the incident, and of the scandal that occluded discussion of the Republic, the Constitution, or of due process.

The Constitution is treated today as just one more voice in the wilderness, a quiet voice of reason drowned out by the screams and howls of pundits, politicians, and plutocrats. Government no longer has the foundations of legitimacy provided by the Constitution, and is no longer the foundation that gives government legitimacy.

Rather than engaging in a serious discussion about how decisions are made in a republic, those in search of a more just society have been dragged down into endless debates on cultural identity, complaining about injustice without taking action.

There are plenty of voices out there that limn real conspiracies with varied degrees of accuracy. In most cases, however, the forces putting forth that information also are run in a totalitarian manner.

Sadly, the opposition to the cancerous combination of government and corporations that run the

United States does not invite you to join local organizational meetings, nor does it offer you a role to play in pushing for change, and it is not interested in your opinion.

The result?

The United States has lost its compass and is increasingly jerked back and forth by obscure battles between tyrannical monsters. The “conservatives” on the one side denounce the COVID-19 fraud, but never demand that the assets of the rich who created it be seized. These conservatives lead the citizen back to ineffective and deeply compromised figures like Donald Trump or Rand Paul. The “progressives,” on the other hand, take the destruction of the ecosystem seriously, criticize the ruthless domination of corporations, but are silent on the 9.11 fraud and the COVID-19 scam; the two catastrophic attacks that broke the back of our republic. The progressives are happy to feed us slop about cultural identity that obscures real class warfare.

In effect, those conservatives and progressives are but colorful fauna of the terrarium, amusing and intriguing, but incapable of effecting anything on the outside.

The population has been dumbed down. Minds have been destroyed by newspapers and schools whose agendas are set by billionaires. Many citizens are no longer capable of even conceiving of a world outside of the terrarium.

On the inside, the walls of the terrarium reflect back to its inhabitant his or her own image.

We have no choice but to seize the largest stones in the terrarium and smash those glass walls until they shatter and freedom is possible again. Then, and only then, will we polish and arrange those fragments to form a more perfect republic for all.

**“Digital Currency Leads Us by the Hand
Down the Primrose Path to Slavery”
September 7, 2022**

The decay of values, the decline of crafts, art, literature, and, above all, intellectual inquiry in the United States leaves us facing a wasteland wherein money is the only sentient beast, demanding due worship by all.

This horrific change was accompanied by the hollowing out of the economy. We went from agriculture, in which there is a clear relationship between labor, product, and the moral and physical wellbeing of the family, to manufacturing, in which production was cut off from daily life and monopolized by global capital, to a consumption and service economy mediated by computers, creating online platforms controlled behind the curtains by unaccountable multinational technological monopolies.

And now, in the last stage of the decay of the angel, we are encouraged to welcome as a sign of advancement the replacements of humans with robots, drones, and AI systems. Citizens have no role in this alien economy, and we can only feed our families by engaging in some banal activity at a tremendous distance from family and neighbors, and then bringing back the dollars so earned to purchase products sold by multinational corporations.

When family farms were replaced with factory farms, local manufacturing replaced with imports from China and Thailand, small businesses ruthlessly exterminated by monster outlets funded by private equity in the name of efficiency and free trade, with banks standing triumphant on the ruins of what was once America, they will unfurl a new slavery, dressed up as fashion, safety, and identity awareness that will crush what remains of ourselves. Fascism will come to America when it is downloaded from a smartphone or posted on Facebook.

Corporate media networks keep repeating the same fraudulent reports about how technological progress had ushered in a better world. Hapless students are taught from elementary school onward that money is the highest priority, that new technology is required, as is competitiveness, in order to secure a happy future.

Because all aspects of human experience have been farmed out to multinational corporations like Amazon, Walmart, Google, Microsoft, Facebook, and Disney, organizations that function like

governments but that are not subject to the Constitution, organizations that keep their finances offshore, we have lost the ability to assess what is true; we have been blinded physically and spiritually.

A Revolutionary Dollar of the People, for the People, and by the People

The private banks ran the show under Presidents Clinton, Bush, Trump, and Biden. They offered us a brave new world in which the stock market determined the health of the economy, a market that was inflated by stock buybacks using fake money generated by quantitative easing.

Citizens were forced by their retirement plans to put their money into this Ponzi scheme. The corporate media encouraged them to think that funny money printed up by the Federal Reserve was real and that farmland, natural assets, universities, research institutes, even government institutions like the Center for Disease Control that the billionaires had bought with that fake money actually belongs to them.

Derivatives (futures, options, and swaps) are the most abominable of the wretched creatures unleashed on the working people. Derivatives form a system wherein multinational investment banks can claim to have a financial interest in goods they don't own using the Mickey Mouse games cooked up by IT experts. The profits from derivatives, in the trillions of dollars, have nothing to do with the real world, but are created out of whole cloth for the billionaire class through the manipulation of information.

Another monster is cryptocurrency, and other forms of digital coinage that crawl the floors of the putrid seas of greed and fraud in search of innocents and fools. These want-to-be currencies follow the primary directive laid down by the grandfather of modern economics, P.T. Barnum: "There's a sucker born every minute."

These cryptocurrencies are promoted as a form of money more stable than the bedridden dying dollar, but the metrics that determine the value of Bitcoin or Ethereum are rigged by bankers stringing along the little man until he can be wiped out in a financial disaster.

That final day of reckoning is not far away. Already trillions of dollars of our money were doled out to billionaires through qualitative easing, dumping our money into rigged markets for stocks and bonds, and of course the grotesque ladling out of trillions more during the 2020 COVID crisis.

We cannot know where that money went.

Why? Because the role of intelligence organizations (now run as for-profit corporations) has been vastly expanded over the last two decades. Along the way, they have merged with international investment banks and private equity to become essentially one, a dark octopus colored by greed and fraud that encircles the earth in its stranglehold, then led by Goldman Sachs, now led by BlackRock and friends; the name does not matter much. What is certain is that its tentacles are wrapped around the neck of every local economy.

The thickest tentacle encircles the Capitol; the United States Congress.

The result? Fiscal and monetary policies are made classified; it is crime to disclose to the public the crimes of global capital. Congress has passed legislation known as “secret law” which has the effect of federal statutes, but that cannot be made public.

I would love to explain to you this process, with concrete examples of how BlackRock, the houses of Saud and Windsor, private equity firms, and other entities behind which the super-rich hide, have used secret and top secret classification to hide their theft of your money, but if I did, I would go to jail and this speech would come to an abrupt end.

The zombie becomes a vampire

The clammy hand of digital currency reaches from the grave to seize us. Now that they have sufficiently degraded our thinking with childish entertainment and a culture driven by narcissistic impulses to keep us unfocused, distracted, and naïve, the time has come for them to launch the final incarnation of money, the vampire that will suck all remaining value out of us, leaving us spiritually and physically impoverished.

I am speaking about the CBDC (Central Bank Digital Currency).

We shall not allow the American worker to be crucified on a cross of ones and zeros.

For yes, verily, the CBDC is the final stage in the decay of the dollar.

President Biden issued an executive order, not a law, entitled “Ensuring responsible development of digital assets” –that means the opposite of its name. This order hands over the treasury to the

bankers.

Everyone knew that a law creating a digital currency could not be passed, even in this corrupt Congress. Only the doddering, tottering, Biden could try to make this power grab seem legitimate.

This digital currency will move your savings from your bank to the Federal Reserve, where it will be used by such monsters as Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac and be unrelated to any aspect of the economy as we know it.

The billionaires must push through digital currency quickly, before any organized resistance is possible. Citizens who are not billionaires must be deprived of the ownership of property, of their labor and their thinking, and even of their own bodies. The right to travel, or to communicate, must be ended so that the billionaires can rule with absolute dominion.

Digital currency will also be linked to a carbon credit system whereby the invisible hands of the World Economic Forum, not those with moral or scientific credibility, will determine what you can buy.

The Federal Reserve, now but an appendage of the financial blob encircling the world, will be empowered by digital currency to turn off your access to capital, to freeze the money held in your name, before you can call a lawyer, or make any appeal, and to do so through multinational IT intelligence firms accountable to no one.

You will not have any right to contest the seizure of your money or your possessions. Your appeal will not go to a judge in a human-based constitutional system, but will be handled by smiling and uncaring AI systems.

In the name of sustainable development, under a United Nations that has become the play toy of billionaires, your money—and **NOT** the money of billionaires—can be designated as legitimate for buying candy bars, but not for buying nails and lumber; legitimate for watching silly Netflix programming, but not for purchasing forbidden books. You will be able to purchase food imported from Mexico at Walmart, but will not be able to buy the lettuce and cucumbers grown by your neighbor.

You will be prohibited from travelling abroad, but those with private planes, those involved in high level public-private partnerships, will be free to do so.

This digital money will be under the control of the Federal Reserve, tracked by corporations on government contracts, and protected by the FBI, Secret Service and other federal agencies that are now on permanent loan to multinational corporations.

Needless to say, this action is a violation of the United States Constitution which grants Congress authority to borrow money, and to “coin money and regulate the value thereof” (Article I, section 8). But if no one stands their ground, the Constitution will be used to mop the floor.

Increasingly, we cannot conduct the transactions of daily life using cash. Already, the United Kingdom, Finland, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, and China are well on their way to eliminating cash. They say it is in the interest of convenience, modernity, and safety. But, in fact, they are opening the gates of hell, paving the road to tyranny.

All we need is a crisis that will force us to embrace this new digital currency. Already they are planting the thermite of hyperinflation in the wobbly columns supporting the dollar. As I speak, they are preparing a controlled demolition that will have us all on our knees when the cardboard messiah of digital currency manifests itself after the crash.

**“The Democratization of Money:
A Revolutionary Dollar of the People, for the People, and by the
People”
September 8, 2022**

We cannot stop this silent takeover of the American economy, and of the earth’s economy, a takeover making use of the covert devaluation of money, the reduction of the Federal Reserve and the Department of the Treasury to agents for the rich, unless we confidently and bravely propose an alternative and simultaneously declare that the monetary and currency policies of the public-private partnership of the billionaires are illegal and immoral.

The rich have any number of tricks to fool us into accepting the false idols that they have prepared so lovingly, to cajole us into welcoming the Trojan horse of digital currencies, just as we were forced to accept COVID payouts that made us dependent on an unconstitutional government, a United States of multinational private equity following a classified constitution for the few.

Creating false money and branding it as our currency is an act of counterfeiting, even if that act is undertaken by firms with fancy Wall Street offices run by gentlemen wearing three-piece suits.

That act in itself, even if covered over with the thin veneer of government institutions, is grounds to arrest the stakeholders (not just the CEOs) of these banks and to seize their assets.

But there are a few steps that must come first.

We must face the reality of contemporary America as it is, not as we wish it were.

That brave act will lead us to the painful conclusion that the takeover of the executive and legislative branches is so complete that lobbying and advocating against the rule of money by the banks is not the first step towards our liberation.

No, we must first establish a currency that will serve as the foundation for a productive, not speculative; moral, not extractive economic system that follows the Constitution and natural law, one that is independent of the poisoned Federal Reserve, one that offers a fully formed alternative to the slavery that awaits us.

The transformation of money must be revolutionary. Progressive change is no longer possible.

But it must be revolutionary in a sense that appeals to the better angels of our citizens, not the dogs of war who bay at our doorstep.

A revolutionary dollar in five easy steps:

1) Education for the citizens about money

Economics is the most corrupt and purposely obscure field of pseudoscience, a devious practice run by high priests who attribute the purposeful destruction of our economy by billionaires to science, suggesting that hyperinflation and overproduction are the equivalent of the snow and rain, proposing that the raising or lowering of interest rates, and the doling out of money to multinational corporations is the way to relieve the suffering of the average person.

Our children are taught horrid falsehoods from elementary school on, told that the destruction of their futures is the result of forces beyond their control, the product of a temporary setback, when the laceration of their dreams is the explicit goal of the rich and powerful.

The first step in our resistance is to educate citizens about what the economy is and how it truly works.

We must go to the streets, door to door, and explain logically, scientifically, and patiently what is going on behind the screaming headlines.

There is no need for juicy donations to the Harvard Business School, or funding for The Economist magazine from billionaires, in order for the man in the street to understand how the economy runs, how money is created for the billionaires, and how debt is created to enslave us.

We must tell them the truth about digital currencies, the stock market, derivatives and other frauds, explaining how these cooked-up indicators of growth are unrelated to our economy.

We must explain to the citizens how banks create money out of thin air, and how digital currencies and cryptocurrencies are but a trap meant to trick them into surrendering the last traces of real ownership to faceless AI.

Our Country has been Torn Apart; We Must Rebuild: A “Democratic Economy”, For the People,
By the People

Citizens must grasp that this digital currency is not money at all, but an IOU note to them from unaccountable powers, a note that can be cancelled at any moment for bad behavior, for no reason at all.

They must understand that its value is determined by computer banks owned by multinational corporations. Digital currency is, in other words, a weapon of mass destruction.

2) Denounce the fiat currency dollar controlled by multinational banks and launch the revolutionary dollar

The collapsing dollar system threatens to take us down with it; white collar or blue collar; man or woman; black or white. But corporate media tries to divide us against each other using ethnic and identity conflicts of their own creation.

Just as other nations must free themselves from the dollar-dominated economic system, so also must the citizens of the United States declare their independence from this banker-driven Titanic.

Taking the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution as our sword and our shield, we will bravely assert the true relationship of the citizen to the federal government, insisting that only we the people have the right to issue currency through a Congress that is accountable, in word and deed, to us.

We will assert that the value of the dollar must be determined in a transparent and accountable manner, in accord with the Constitution.

If that is not the case, and it most obviously IS not the case, then it CANNOT be considered as a currency. It is but pretty printed paper.

We will assert that the new digital currency, and the Federal Reserve's fiat currency dollars, now controlled by multinational banks, are by their self-evident nature unconstitutional, illegitimate, and criminal.

We will refuse to use them for economic transactions and we will allow citizens to convert their fiat dollars for our substantial revolutionary dollars in accord with the true needs of the working people of our country, not the greed of the moneychangers and the speculators.

The “Revolutionary Dollar” will support an accountable and transparent monetary system that is based on value, not forced debt, not the threat of military force, and not chimeric digits floating in cyberspace.

You read that right. The revolutionary dollar will be a democratic currency that is issued directly to citizens following the Constitution.

This new democratic economy will be local in nature, but will include transparent and verifiable systems for national and international exchange that are independent of the casinos run by the gamblers and tricksters.

That independent economy will be based on concrete contributions from the citizens, and will offer a clear alternative to the rotten globalist economy that drags us towards slavery.

3) Establish the value of the revolutionary dollar

The Revolutionary Dollar will be grounded at the local level in credible agreements among citizens that determine its value with regard to concrete goods and services. It will go hand in hand with a transparent, accountable, and democratic banking system; banks that are run as cooperatives by the members of the immediate community first.

But even more important than establishing a free and democratic dollar, we must help the citizen to reduce his or her dependency on money and encourage self-sufficiency, local barter, and cooperation within the community.

Turn strangers into neighbors and you will magically find solutions to many economic needs. It is because you do not know your neighbor, do not trust the man passing you on the street, and have grown distant from your son and daughter that you must conduct all actions via money. That is no accident. That was the plan all along.

The Revolutionary Dollar will permit a true market economy in which the currency is tied, through participatory discussions, to a set value for three kilos of tomatoes grown in your garden, for two hours of babysitting, for fixing a sink, or for walking a dog every day for a month.

That is to say that the currency will return to the original function of money, a marker in our

shared society that allows for a transparent barter system wherein we can cover most needs without ever turning to a multinational corporation or bank.

Trust between neighbors and family members will allow us to govern ourselves, to create an organic system wherein we set the value of money in response to the needs of the citizens in the local economy.

Money will be tied to goods, services, objects, and other substantial things, tangible or intangible, through a participatory process wherein citizens set prices through discussion, and establish markets based on real demand.

That process of determining value through open debate between citizens will mean the restoration of politics in the original sense of the word, not the debased Las Vegas strip show to which we are subject today.

The goods and services essential to life: food, tools, housing, transportation, energy, as well as the fundamentals of civilization: rigorous science, moral education, profound intellectual engagement, and the philosophical, aesthetic and spiritual practices that define humanity, will be assigned value within the Revolutionary Dollar.

There will be no space in this democratic economy for the conversion to revolutionary dollars of ill-got digital fortunes, narco-riches accumulated by billionaires and their intelligence lackeys, money now recorded in the bankrupt fiat currency. The extra billions claimed by multibillionaires by adding a few zeros to the figures in their Amazon or Google supercomputers will also vanish.

Inflation will be vanquished by the Revolutionary Dollar. In addition, no individual, no one family, no class of privileged people will be permitted to monopolize money, goods, or other assets beyond the bounds of fundamental social justice.

So too the debt owed by citizens in that fiat dollar cannot be converted into Revolutionary Dollars. The Revolutionary Dollar will be jubilee in every sense of the word.

4) Creation of local banks for the people

The fiat currency dollar has become a tool for the rich to buy up assets from ordinary citizens using phony money that is backed by the authority of the federal government. This scheme has

worked because the commercial media gave this “money” undue legitimacy, because the dollar was no longer backed by precious metals, and because there were no longer local banks granting meaningful loans to local citizens based on the actual money deposited, to stand in opposition to the international banks.

We must establish local banks that are committed by their charters to being run as cooperatives, committed to investing entirely in the local community, and committed to basing their loans on the money they actually have; tied to real objects, real labor, and institutions of substance.

The loans offered by these banks must be for ordinary people, in real money, and they must be for productive and helpful activities.

These banks must focus on the local, the long-term well-being of the community, the environment, and the future of the nation.

Long-term (say, 30 years) low-interest, and micro-loans will allow the citizen to purchase high quality, locally made shoes that will last for many years, or tables that will last for generations, for less money than it would cost to buy a shoddy pair of imported shoes, or an foreign-made fiberboard table sold by a criminal distributor like Walmart.

5) A global monetary system for the people

Ultimately, a new international, and not globalist, finance and trade system must be built from the bottom up, one that permits healthy and constructive economic interactions starting from the local community, expanding across the nation, and finally reaching out to the citizens (not the corporations) of other nations.

No part of that financial and monetary system will be controlled by the multinational logistics and shipping companies, or large-scale marketing and retail firms run by Wall Street, financial monopolies like BlackRock or Vanguard, families like the houses of Saud and Windsor, the Waltons and Rothschilds, or the Kochs and Mars clans who hide behind them.

A healthy, citizen-centered financial and trade system for the world requires transparent and reliable currencies that are outside of the reach of globalists.

We will bypass the poisoned economic system of the globalists entirely.

The sad state of our economy

The bankers, and their friends at the Treasury Department work day and night to put off the inevitable bursting of the bubble, and they will use any means, even if that means the destruction of our nation. The United States resembles the train in the Marx Brothers film, *Go West*, the cars of which were chopped to pieces to feed the locomotive's engine, leaving behind a wreck.

Money without value is the only thing keeping the ship of state afloat. But over time, creating money without value is a horrific ritual of self-cannibalism for a civilization.

Fear of war or pandemics is essential to keeping the population from understanding how the economy and the culture is being destroyed.

The critiques of this criminality offered by true conservatives like Ron Paul have been replaced with faux conservatives like Donald Trump created by the banks.

The trenchant analysis of markets and global finance offered by Marxists and socialists in a previous age have been supplanted by the indulgent chatter about gender and race put forward by the so-called left.

Enough is enough! Over the last fifty years, the federal debt has increased 75-fold from \$400 billion to \$30 trillion, thus rendering your money nearly worthless. The elite have grown wealthy; the citizen has been driven into poverty.

Verily, it is a sordid, vicious racket that poisons the very lifeblood of the nation. Truly, this market, now a corpse, demands at least an honorable burial.

Affirm the real economy and denounce the fake economy:

Personal morality, the needs of local communities, transparency and accountability, local banks and local finance are concepts alien to the discourse on money promoted in the gaudy media today.

We cannot purchase a solution to this problem with the dollars that are created, regulated, and controlled by the private multinational banks.

Remember that degradation of money is inseparable from the decay of personal ethics, and of the sense of citizenship at the local and the national level.

We can have healthy food, potable water, quality tools and furniture, livable housing, meaningful education, and a profound intellectual, cultural, and spiritual experience which will make life worth living. That is our goal. Money can help to achieve that goal by setting up equivalencies for exchange, but money itself can never be the solution to the problem.

When the ancients said that money is the root of all evil, they had their reasons.

The trust between citizens is the skeleton to which the muscles of the Revolutionary Dollar will be attached. This dollar will be the base on which an independent and moral economy is built.

No longer must our citizens dive into an immoral and parasitic economy in order to obtain the filthy banknotes needed to feed their children. Such contradictions, such abominations, must be abolished.

Remember that we are fighting a techno-fascist global system that will try to outsmart and overwhelm us by creating false value using its digital and fiat currencies.

This global system uses algorithms calculated by supercomputers, and bribes any number of authority figures to convince us of its legitimacy.

Yet, ultimately, we will win because the value of our money, our Revolutionary Dollars, will be rooted in human interactions, in actual value.

The Revolutionary Dollar, backed by the Constitution, and supported by concrete economic transactions between citizens, will allow us to say to the billionaires like Bill Gates that when they bought up farmland in Montana or Minnesota using the money printed up at their request by the Federal Reserve, that they did not gain ownership in any sense, and that their fiat money, their digital currency, shall have no value.

In addition, take notice! The financial crimes of promoting poisonous vaccines are more than enough to justify the seizure of all the assets of these criminals.

Our Revolutionary Dollar, in other words, will be the wooden stake driven through the heart of

the zombie economy, the swift sword that strikes down the vampire market, the silver hammer that knocks over the rotten casino set up by the moneychangers of Wall Street.

What will they do when their goose is cooked, their money is worthless, and their fake assets have evaporated? That is not our concern.

Our nation belongs to its citizens. Our rivers and fields, mountains and oceans cannot be owned by anyone, but remain our cherished common legacy to be preserved far, far into the future, long after the parasitic billionaires are safely entombed in their gaudy graves.

“Rethinking the Second Amendment”

October 5, 2022

As we struggle to bring Americans together from across the political spectrum, to form substantial and committed institutions that will support the battle for freedom and equality, the struggle against slavery and corporate governance by the billionaires, the Second Amendment of the Constitution, the right to bear arms, keeps coming up as a point of contention and division in our discussions.

Although there are real differences of opinion, some based on profound philosophical divergences, the crux of the issue has been intentionally obscured by the corporate powers who have manipulated the public for their own benefit and who block any serious debate about the nature of this amendment to the Constitution from seeing the light of day.

We are drowned in incomplete arguments on all sides about the Second Amendment that mislead and confuse us.

On the one hand, we have those (largely, but not exclusively, people we call progressives) who point to the horrific levels of gun violence in the United States, and who compare the number of gun deaths in the United States with those in just about any other country, thus demonstrating that the United States has a runaway problem with guns. They then suggest that this problem originates with the Second Amendment which the conservatives have misinterpreted as giving the citizen carte blanche to possess and use weapons.

This side of the debate advocates strict regulations on the possession of guns as federal policy as the best way to end this nightmare.

On the other hand, we have those (for the most part referred to as conservatives) who hold that citizens have the right to bear arms as guaranteed by the Constitution, and who hold that 1) if firearms are made illegal then only criminals will have them; 2) arming of the citizens is necessary to resist the tyranny of the government.

Both sides of this argument have been distorted and misused by powerful corporate interests who control the message that is put out in the media and who create needless conflicts and unnecessary misunderstandings as part of their strategy of confusion.

That is no surprise. The corporate sponsors of these defending the right of the citizens to bear arms and of those calling for its restriction have their own agendas.

Part of that agenda is forcing citizens to support either the Republican or Democratic parties in order to move forward. This intentional misdirection of political power toward the whores of the corporations is a big business in itself. But corporations have other reasons for wanting to create this conflict, and to encourage it, as I will detail below.

Let me also tell you how I feel about the Second Amendment. I believe that the unlimited sales of firearms and the culture of guns has created untold tragedy in the United States, and that the mindless loyalty of certain Americans to the broad interpretation of the Second Amendment has been responsible for this sad state of affairs. I have supported gun control measures and the end of the glorification of gun culture, and I continue to do so.

The growing institutional and political chaos that I have witnessed in the United States over the last twenty years, however, which has taken an ominous turn for the worse over the last two years, led me to reconsider the Second Amendment. I came to realize that the steady state of accountable governance in the United States was far from certain, and that the tyranny that the founders of the United States feared is now knocking at the door.

Is it necessary to have local militias in place to defend us against a rotten federal government possessed by the globalists; the minutemen of our age?

The federal government that played a vital role in the fight against slavery under Lincoln, in the fight against fascism under Roosevelt, and in the fight against racial discrimination under Truman and Kennedy has vanished, and in its place stands a lumbering monster, supported by multinational investment banks, military contractors, real estate speculators, and energy monopolies; a monster that is leading us to our doom.

Declaration of The Establishment of a Provisional Government for the United States of America:

There are quite a few good people still left in that federal government, but the FBI, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, and local and state police have been deeply corrupted as the institutions of the United States have decayed following 9.11, COVID-19, and other ongoing crimes.

Let us read the Second Amendment, and read it carefully. None of these talking heads, branded progressive or conservative, has likely done so.

I am not reading the Second Amendment for you because I presume it is sacred, nor because I suggest the Constitution is perfect.

Rather, just as was the case in 1860, it is critical in this moment of chaos that we start from our philosophical and moral foundations. The Constitution forms common ground, and it defines what is and what is not government. Interpreting it in a manner that addresses the current crisis is the best way to form consensus. It does not mean that we cannot modify the Constitution or the Second Amendment in the future.

“A well regulated Militia being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.”

Like psalms, so much meaning is compressed in this short phrase.

The emphasis of the passage is not on the right of anyone to own any weapon and shoot it at will for his or her pleasure. The right of the citizen to “keep and bear” arms is protected in that it is related to a larger, more critical project.

The violence porn, gun worship, and the horrific promotion of brutality in the media that has encouraged such broad ownership and use of firearms is not a product of the Second Amendment. It is a byproduct of the military industrial complex and the cult of war promoted in a decadent empire.

The fortunes made by the gun manufacturers who sprinkle money on the National Rifle Association to promote a reckless vision of the American dream are the result of the pursuit of profit at the expense of the citizen.

Let us read that text again.

“A well-regulated Militia being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.”

The first part is clearly the primary clause that necessitates the right to keep and bear arms

mentioned in the second part.

“A well-regulated militia being necessary to the security of a free state” resonates for us in this age of chaos.

There are three elements missing in the United States of America today that are mentioned therein. Let us consider each one.

The first is “a well-regulated militia.”

The current militia, the military, is an unregulated monster that has merged with criminal forces around the world and has devolved into a mercenary power which strives to extract wealth for the rich and powerful through the use of force, and to generate revenue through the sale of weapons, the enforcement of sanctions, and other services for pay.

Such a “militia” is not well regulated; it is suicidal.

The second word is “security.” The current military, industrial, financial, intelligence, medical, trade complex has nothing to do with security for the citizens of our nation. Of course, there are groups in the military who are serious about security, who remain loyal to the Constitution, and to the people of our nation. But they are not the dominant force.

We need a system for national and regional security that is focused on real security, not threats made up for profit. If we do not have such a system, then the current military is a clear and present danger in that it grants multinational criminal operations access to the full range of weapons, starting with mass psychological manipulation, while the citizens are left unarmed.

The third phrase is “a free state.”

It would be hard to call the current government of the United States, a toy of multinational corporations and billionaires, a “free state.” For that reason alone, addressing the question of who will have the right to bear arms is pressing.

We are looking at a collapsing empire with a military out of control. There is no republic left, although one could be established again.

To promote guns and the culture of guns for profit, either for gun manufacturers or for police and private security corporations is horrible and must be stopped.

On the other hand, to leave the citizens unarmed if they face a predatory federal government is also unacceptable.

The stress in the Second Amendment falls on keeping the military accountable to the people, and not on the sale of weapons to citizens for profit.

Thus, our primary concern must be with getting back to a democratic, participatory, and transparent system for security that includes the citizens that assures that a tyranny cannot emerge from the military or the police, one taken over by private interests, that uses the state's weapons to oppress the citizens of the nation, with whom sovereignty rests.

The answer is to end the mercenary military.

We should not be so naïve as to think that eternal peace is possible. Militias and police are necessary. But standing armies that are not composed of the citizens doing their service, but of men and women who are paid to fight, forced to fight to survive economically, who report to generals who then report to corporate CEOs, such armies are threat to us all.

We must create an accountable military that is linked to us, the citizens, at the local level. If the government is to exercise deadly force, then citizens must know what those weapons are and how they are used.

If deadly force is used, it should be used by trained citizens who are trusted by their neighbors, and not by strangers who are distant from us.

“But what if there is a war?”, you ask.

First, note that the United States is full of weapons at every level that are held in a non-transparent manner by government agencies whose actions are classified, so as to make them unaccountable.

That unaccountable military and police are already at war with us.

The next war may not be like the wars we have prepared for. It may be a world war, or a civil war,

or something hybrid, a matching of likes with likes around the world.

That could mean that you, the citizen, must be armed and ready to defend yourself.

I think that it was such a crisis that the founding fathers imagined back then. They did not adhere to the cult of guns, the sick culture that surrounds weapons today. But they knew that no political system would be stable forever, and it would be a mistake to have the state in control of all forms of deadly force.

It is also clear that many of the efforts to promote gun control recently are fundamentally different from what came before.

Today much of gun control legislation is not about reducing the deaths from gun violence, but rather about extending the authority of the federal government to do whatever it pleases to citizens without accountability. Sadly, I have watched this shift over the last twenty years.

We need to simultaneously combat the twisted gun culture and reduce the number of weapons on the street, while at the same time raising the understanding of firearms on the part of citizens, and creating a military that is participatory and run by citizens; one committed to the long-term interests of our nation. We need citizens who can handle weapons and participate in the local militia while condemning the cult of guns and being committed to peace.

There will be no room for military contractors, investment banks, or promoters of the cult of guns in such a vision for our country.

**“The Third Opium War:
The Agenda Behind the COVID-19 Assault on China”
December 9, 2022**

The corporate media is flooded with reports of the supposedly spontaneous uprisings of Chinese citizens against the oppressive communist regime enforcing inhuman zero-COVID policies that lock down entire cities and that require QR code scans for the use of all public buildings, including public restrooms.

Granted that the media have entirely ignored efforts of Chinese to organize protests, strikes, and online campaigns against the true exploitative forces in China; multinational corporations like Walmart, Amazon, and Foxconn. It seems doubtful that this new flurry of political heavy breathing represents a serious effort to address economic inequality in China.

Rather, we are being fed yet another flavor of color revolution customized to the current ideological environment of narcissistic decay in the United States, one that encourages the projection of internal totalitarianism onto the “other”: China.

China is the only place, within the sickly etiolated intellectual discourse of the United States, wherein the enemy techno-fascism can be accurately limned without political risk.

At the same time, there can be no doubt that China is subject to a massive campaign to destroy governance and to create a docile population prone to the whims of faceless powers who hide behind online systems masquerading as government.

But that communist government turns out to be, if you scratch the surface, private contractors, Israeli, Japanese, American and other IT and intelligence firms who have set up shop across China at the local level and are seizing control of leadership by privatizing all functions of government, using COVID-19 as the wedge to force everything online.

This strategy has no precedent in the policy of the Communist Party of China, or in the communist tradition of Chen Duxiu and Mao Zedong. Rather it draws on the strategies private contractors to seize control of local government using the administration of IT infrastructure. That strategy has much in common with the takeover of local government by contractors that has been implemented in Oklahoma (as documented by Julianne Romanello) and in Louisiana.

The knowhow for contract tracing, facial recognition technology, geofencing, and mandatory PCR tests can be traced back to the technology and policy for the control of Palestinians on the West Bank, as well as American research on social manipulation carried out by DARPA, RAND, and other contractors for the Department of Defense and the CIA.

The reader of the media is offered a choice between two flawed interpretations of what is happening in China. On the one hand, there are those who suggest that the techno-fascist policies we see in China are a product of an alien and dangerous Chinese culture that threatens the freedom of the West and its glorious constitutional tradition. This threat is attributed to communism and a docile Chinese civilization stretching back to antiquity.

On the other hand, there are those who defend China as an emerging alternative civilization, one maligned by the jealous declining Western powers because of its new technological and economic power. But such critics choose to look the other way when it comes to totalitarian governance that Chinese workers face under COVID-19.

Let me illustrate these two perspectives with statements made by two colleagues of mine, men with whom I have had close exchanges in the past.

For an example of China-threat rhetoric, I cite a fellow contributor to Global Research, John Whitehead, who writes,

“The fate of America is being made in China, our role model for all things dystopian. An economic and political powerhouse that owns more of America’s debt than any other country and is buying up American businesses across the spectrum. China is a vicious totalitarian regime that routinely employs censorship, surveillance, and brutal police state tactics to intimidate its populace, maintain its power, and expand the largess of its corporate elite.”

The dystopian world that Whitehead describes in China is beyond dispute. But it is most certainly not “made in China.” Rather, large parts of Chinese local government (and the enforcement of the COVID regime varies immensely from region to region) have been taken over by private contractors tied to investment banks like BlackRock and Goldman Sachs, and private contractors for IT.

The reductive rhetoric used by Whitehouse precludes the most obvious conclusion: that the working people of China and the United States are having their lives, their freedoms, and their

health destroyed by multinational corporations and they should work together to combat this global takeover.

Many American intellectuals feed us a warmed-over “yellow peril” argument such as was advanced in the 19th century, presenting Chinese culture as inherently repressive and corrupt, something that must be stopped from entering the United States at any cost. Such an effort to demonize an alien culture is a classic strategy employed by the rich to deflect a serious discussion of class conflict and of the control of the means of production to a reductionist emotional anger at the foreign.

The alternative view offered in the media is that presented by intellectuals like Martin Jacques, author of the thoughtful study of China’s rise, *When China Rules the World*. Although Jacques offers a more balanced and fair perspective on China than does the “yellow peril” gang, his decision to present China and its civilization as an alternative to a corrupt and decadent West, without mentioning a word about how COVID-19 has been used as an excuse to implement radical social control deeply undermines his arguments.

Jacques stated recently that “for China to embrace common prosperity, to establish a society of greater fairness, greater equity, that is a very important message not only to China, but to the world as well”, while remaining silent on COVID policies. Such an approach is intellectually dishonest and suggests that he has agreed to collaborate with the deeply compromised gang of Chinese, Israeli, American and other teams of investment banks and consulting firms who are radically restructuring Chinese society.

Although China does offer some alternatives to the extraction-based imperialism that drives the Western economies, especially as a nation that has not waged any foreign wars in recent history, and has had almost no overseas military presence, the narcissistic advertisements for designer clothes used by multinational corporations to turn Chinese into consumers, the push to eliminate books and newspapers from hotels and other public spaces, the radical degrading of the quality of journalism (which was superior to the US until the last five years), and the promotion of the lives of the rich and powerful as an ideal for youth suggests a covert war has been launched against the Chinese people by multinational interests that is at least the equal of campaigns in the US and Europe.

The failure of those sympathetic to China to confront this cruel reality, and to limit their analysis to praise for China’s more rational diplomacy, its advances in rail technology and solar energy, or

for its less imperialist approach to investment in Africa is unacceptable.

Why should we call it the “Third Opium War?”

Those struggling to understand the nature of the COVID-19 assault on China would do best to consider the last time that Western authorities, specifically the financial powers in London, set out to take over the Chinese political system, control the Chinese economy, and degrade and diminish the authority of Chinese culture.

That process of political, ideological, and military assault was launched in the two Opium Wars. British corporate interests worked hand-in-hand with corrupt members of the Chinese ruling class, men who saw in the decay of the Qing Dynasty opportunities for personal benefit through the promotion of British propaganda, namely arguing that Western civilization was inherently more advanced than China's.

The first Opium War of 1840 was launched by the British to establish absolute authority in East Asia and to strip China of its autonomy through a political and cultural assault that not only impoverished the Chinese economy, but also reduced the ability of Chinese to think for themselves.

The British employed the same strategy they used in India: developing corrupt relations with the gentry at the local level so as to undermine the central government, attacking Chinese civilization as inherently backwards, and inducing economic dependency on the British imperial trade and finance systems.

At that time, China had the most powerful economy in the world, a highly educated population, and an admirable commitment to stable agricultural production and sustainable long-term development. Unlike other nations, China could not easily be drawn into the tangled spider's web of trade and finance controlled by the British.

The British ruling class could not stand that China ran a trade surplus with England, and that it had no need for British products or British logistics in external trade, but sold the British large amounts of tea, porcelain, and other products on its own terms.

The British cultivated ties with corrupt local gentry and introduced ideas about transportation via trains, mail service, finance and banking, and medicine that were radically different than what

existed in China. The British suggested in the publications that they produced, and later in the missionary schools that they set up, that massive changes were necessary in China in order for it to make progress towards modernity. Some of those suggestions were accurate; most were twisted so as to justify imperialism; some concepts like the requirement for growth and international trade were deeply destructive.

Although the victories in the first and Second Opium Wars (together with France in 1856 to 1860) were a result of British superior military technology, the British were not ahead because they were smarter, but rather because they had waged constant wars in the 18th and 19th centuries that pushed the development of these specific technologies.

At the same time, “Britain” or “England” are misleading terms that habit and institutions force on us so that we can only perceive conflicts in terms of countries, and mistake battles between corporate interests for conflicts between the presidents of China, the United States, and Russia.

It was not “England” that attacked China in 1840 after Governor General Lin Zexu wrote an open letter to Queen Victoria in 1839 asking that she end the immoral opium trade and then proceeded to burn illegal opium that the government had seized. Rather, it was the British bankers in London who formulated and implemented this plan to take China apart, to reduce it to a semi-colony using the knowhow they had from their takedown of India, Bangladesh, and other nations.

The organization at the center of the Opium Wars was the British East India Company, a private corporation reporting to the richest British citizens that was able to employ the authority of the government to justify and advance its activities.

The British East India Company developed a sophisticated system for analysis, the assessment of opportunities for financial benefit, and for the exploitation of weaknesses in other countries in the early 19th century. It had teams of experts prepared to take action for the benefit of the banks, and it lobbied politicians back home to encourage military action that benefited its clients.

The British East India Company was the father of MI6 (Military Intelligence, Section 6), an agency founded in 1909, and more importantly, the grandfather of the CIA (Central Intelligence Agency of the United States) founded in 1947. Both of those organizations pose as government agencies, but work, for the most part, for the benefit of private interests.

Operation COVID-19

Let us move forward to Operation COVID-19, the global coup d'état disguised as a pandemic that was launched against China and the world, in December of 2019, and which continues to the present. Although not directed exclusively at China, this operation resembles the previous two Opium Wars in method and in purpose.

The author does not have inside knowledge as to exactly how the COVID-19 operation was planned and launched; most likely, no one has the full picture. Enough information is available, however, to permit an informed assessment, as opposed to the repetition of the disinformation circulated as journalism these days.

The strategy behind the Wuhan outbreak of 2019, the start of the COVID “war”, had its roots in classified research conducted at DARPA, RAND, and other American institutions on how to conduct warfare using biotechnology, nanotechnology, and cyberwarfare.

The cyberwarfare imagined in security circles was less concerned with hacking computers and more with hacking the minds of citizens so as to render them incapable of independent thinking and encourage psychological and ideological dependency on a consumer culture powered by narcissism. The promotion of this banal consumption lifestyle, which has helped to destroy the intellectual functions of the educated classes in politics was a critical part of the groundwork for the COVID wars.

This new form of warfare is best described as “silent weapons for quiet wars,” to use the term employed in a (supposedly) classified manual from the 1950s discovered in 1986 that describes the use of social engineering and automation as a strategy for domination. Private finance and intelligence complexes like BlackRock, Vanguard, and Goldman Sachs, along with the strategic teams of billionaires are the primary clients of this campaign.

China was selected as a primary target (although the strategy is being carried out around the world) for the radical degradation of the population’s thinking through the promotion of AI and smart phones, thereby creating addiction to consumption culture, immediate stimulation, and forcing dependency on technology.

China was a ripe target because modernization ideology has been so central to Chinese society, and the imperative to surpass the West that humiliated China in the 19th century is so acute among Chinese intellectuals that the promotion of dangerous automation and geofencing could be easily

justified as a means for China to surpass the West and become truly modern. Moreover, Chinese Confucian thought encourages a trust in the role of government that makes it hard for citizens to grasp how corporations have seized control of policy and administration.

The use of QR codes for all public spaces, including restrooms, the requirement of vaccination, and negative PCR tests no more than 48 hours old (in some cases, a mere 24 hours) was initially accepted by citizens because it was perceived as more advanced than the West.

Most likely, the operation was launched by corrupt elements of intelligence in both the United States and China who are pursuing plans to create a slave society in which billionaires set the ideological and administrative rules for the entire society.

The Chinese and the foreign agents involved in COVID-19 policies at the local level follow directives issued by private intelligence companies that work together with the World Economic Forum, intergovernmental agencies like the World Health Organization, which is controlled by the Gates Foundation, and to other multinational institutions tied to global finance.

The promotion of a new cold war between the United States and China in the corporate media is critical to this campaign. Lower-level government officials, and citizens, on both sides, are fed the story that because relations between China and the United States are getting worse, that there can be no cooperation or communication between the two nations. This narrative is made substantial by directives that prohibit, or make difficult, interactions between government officials, academics, and cultural figures.

The reality is that a tiny group of key players representing the super-rich in the United States and China coordinates closely to promote COVID-19 lockdowns in China. If anyone asks who makes these policies in China, who handles the data, or who is control of the programs that undergird QR codes and contact tracing, the answer is inevitably the Chinese government. But the truth is that few or perhaps none of these policies were devised or implemented by the Chinese government itself. It is likely that the Chinese government is occupied by IT corporations that report to the billionaires (often through Israel and the United States,) bypassing the Chinese government altogether.

Those involved in the Wuhan COVID-19 action in 2019 ruthlessly attacked those in the Chinese government who opposed them, setting up their own shadow government in cooperation with private consulting firms and intelligence contractors.

That shadow government in China (or the United States, for that matter) draws its power from its control of IT processes that government depends on. Control of the transfer, storage, processing, and all internal communications in government by private IT firms (often simply private intelligence firms in effect selling off data to the highest bidder) has made possible the construction of a shadow empire that is run for the benefit of the billionaires, using a carefully calibrated process to degrade the thinking of citizens, and to decrease freedom of movement and action over months and years. This plan effects massive shifts in society in a manner that is slow enough as to avoid detection by citizens (especially if they are addicted to smartphones) and rapid enough to make the organization of effective resistance difficult.

Ironically, the Communist Party of China, which is described by the Western press as the unique source of totalitarianism in the world, is often the only force capable of resisting the march of techno-fascism. Whereas Western corporations are busy eliminating humans from organizations and implementing AI-based automation, and transforming political parties into appendages of investment banks, the CPC actually holds meetings with large numbers of people, and conducts concrete debates on policy that involve detailed consideration of specifics.

A walk through any city in China will make it obvious what sort of war is taking place below the surface. Advertisements for smartphones, Italian designer clothes, processed foods laden with sugar, and other consumer goods produced by multinational corporations scream out from every corner to the citizen rendered consumer.

This campaign creates an uncompromising money economy linked to the spider's web of global finance. Youth gather at smartphone lounges to gossip and message each other about banal topics, or eat at fashionable restaurants far removed from any awareness of the reality that faces working people.

At the same time, there are posters put up along the streets that call on the citizens to be ethical, to treat others with respect, keep the city clean, and care for family. These posters encouraging virtuous behavior remind me of things I saw in early childhood that have since disappeared in the United States.

These efforts at ethical government are products of the CPC, not foreign concerns.

“Is the Chinese Communist Party a Threat?”

January 03, 2023

It has become common practice in the alternative media, especially among those that identify as conservative, to provide detailed, and often quite accurate data about the manner in which COVID-19 “vaccines” are employed to kill off the population, and to offer insights into the enormous frauds engineered by corporate elites using the names of the United Nations and the World Health Organization. But all the ultimate responsibility for these actions is attributed by these blogs to the Chinese Communist Party of the People’s Republic of China.

The conclusion in most cases is that the United States is under assault from communists in China and that the Democrats in the United States who abet these acts of treason are “leftists.”

Concerns about the actions of the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) in the United States, and globally, are not without evidence. There are examples of powerful business interests, and the super-rich in China making use of the authority of the CCP to advance their interests. Yet, the simplistic and reductive manner in which the crimes committed by corporate fascists in the United States are fobbed off on the CCP, and attention diverted away from the true sources of evil at home, suggests that we are looking at a carefully organized disinformation campaign, most likely one that is funded by the financial elite at Goldman Sachs, BlackRock, and Morgan Stanley.

The point of attacking the CCP is to throw us off the scent, to keep us from identifying the enemy within. Familiar brands like Microsoft, Coca Cola, Facebook, Oracle, Walmart, and Amazon are the primary source of the rampant criminal policies at home that are turning the nation into a concentration camp, and perhaps a death camp in the near future.

Those corporations are the playthings of the wealthy—who make their deals, sometimes with the Chinese elites as well, behind closed doors.

To put it simply, this psychological operation of blaming the Chinese Communist Party is meant to delay understanding among citizens of the bitter reality of fascism at home until the last possible moment, and to obscure the growth of a radical class society.

The hyping of the “China threat” is a distraction set up by the super-rich. The point is to get you foaming at the mouth over foreigners from an alien civilization and thus unable to comprehend the conspiracy of the wealthy to destroy the lives of ordinary people.

The vast majority of information about the political actions of corporate interests, under the cloak of government, in the United States, China, Russia, Israel, Turkey, Germany, Japan and other major powers, is classified and completely inaccessible to ordinary citizens. We must first understand just how little we know.

Focusing exclusively on the CCP, however, makes sure that no one asks any serious questions about who the important foreign powers besides China are in D.C. Moreover, citizens assume that Facebook, Amazon, and Microsoft are American companies, even as those criminal organizations plot to take the United States apart.

Most bloggers who discuss geopolitics limit themselves to sensationalist stories created for public consumption, and they cannot even mention the possibility that Chinese and American elites created a bogus cold war so as block meaningful dialog between ordinary citizens and increase their profits.

That oversight is not an accident. Those self-appointed experts refuse to address the question of class.

The Chinese Communist Party is a massive institution that is a part of the government of the People's Republic of China, and it represents the people, at least in theory.

The CCP was previously strictly regulated, however, over the last 20 years, it has been deregulated, and large sections of the organization are run today like the Lion's Club. Sizable components of the CCP form a network of the powerful who pursue profits for friends and family, and do not function as a government agency.

This is no secret to the Chinese, and there are demands at home for reform and serious efforts.

There are also factions within the CCP who wish to revive the traditions of the party from the 1940s and 1950s, to stand with the workers, not with multinational banks. Their numbers are growing.

The Democratic Party and the Republican Party are worse than the CCP in that they make national policy behind closed doors, but their role is not defined by the Constitution, and they are not an accountable part of the government.

There are specific goals behind the push by the corporate media, and the conservative blogs, that set the CCP up as the bad man so as to distract from the institutional decay in the United States.

1)

To deviously attribute the loss of freedom and the intentional destruction of the US economy to communism and leftism rather than to the corporate fascism that is the offspring of American finance.

Intentionally mislabeling corporate fascism as communism and attributing the criminal plans of American CEOs to a devious CCP that belongs to an alien civilization is a psychological operation orchestrated at the highest levels, that reinvents the “Yellow Peril” mythologies that dominated the United States starting in the late 19th century as a tool of political control.

2)

The projection of rampant criminality onto China, and away from Washington D.C., through the creation of a drama dominated by an alien and mysterious CCP serves to obscure just how close to home evil is in the United States. The criminality born of familiar brand names in the United States such as Amazon, Facebook, Bank of America, Coca Cola, Walmart, and Microsoft is obscured, and Americans are even encouraged to embrace these dangerous foreign entities as “American” corporations in response to a perceived Chinese threat.

But these multinational corporations have no more right to give testimony in Congress and lobby than does the CCP. They provide profits to the super-rich, men who know no country, and to stockholders around the globe.

3)

The demonization of the CCP is supported by the military industrial complex because this invented existential threat is central to the establishment of a war economy in the United States that assumes that there will be armed conflict with China.

As the United States economy collapses into anomy as a result of the radical deregulation of finance, a wartime economy is increasingly perceived as the salvation. Making sure that this war economy is run through the Pentagon assures multinational corporations will get a thick slice of the pie.

Moreover, the decay of the judicial, legislative, and executive branches in the United States government has created an environment in which the military has an increasingly important role because it is the only part of government that is still somewhat functional.

4)

It is critical for the “new cold war” that no discourse between ordinary Chinese and Americans is possible, no alliances between concerned citizens in both countries are established, and no conversations between intellectuals in the two countries can be pursued.

If Chinese and American citizens spoke with each other, they might figure out how multinational corporations are playing workers off against each other as they proceed to destroy the economies of both countries.

5)

The attack on the CCP and on the “leftists” in the Democratic Party found in the conservative alternative media serves to brand terms like communism, socialism, and leftism as negatives in the public imagination that are falsely associated with social and economic consequences of corporate fascism.

The manner in which the Communist Party USA led the battle for civil rights, and the left fought for many of the benefits that workers enjoy today is intentionally obscured in these anti-leftist campaigns that tie socialism to a threatening Chinese culture.

6)

Perhaps the most devious game of all is forcing Americans to choose an anti-leftist, anti-Chinese (and by extension anti-Asian) ideology if they want to find a voice that criticizes the COVID-19 regime.

The leftists who appear in the media are pro-vaccine, and the only opposition to vaccines we see are the followers of Donald Trump. This political configuration makes it possible for the liberals and progressives to dismiss the obvious dangers of vaccines without fear of backlash.

7)

Blaming everything on a devious CCP is a sneaky way of avoiding any serious analysis of who owns what in the United States and what the true implications of the concentration of wealth has been for ordinary people.

If citizens knew how these billionaires made their big fortunes, not through innovation and imagination, but by stealing cash from the Federal Reserve that belongs to the citizens of the nation, and by creating inflation that punishes them, they would be calling for those billionaires to be put in jail.

Blaming things on a vague CCP that is beyond the understanding of citizens helps people to avoid any discussion about who owns what, and how they took it over.

There are examples of corruption and influence peddling involving the Chinese Communist Party. That part of the story is true. But the ultimate goal of the demonization of the CCP is clearly not to reduce foreign influence in Washington D.C. (which is skyrocketing these days) but rather to find a convenient but wrong way of explaining the deep moral corruption in American society.

“End Governance by Secrecy”

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The takeover of our society by the billionaires and their lackeys cannot be understood unless we grasp how a veil of secrecy has been spread over most of the government and corporations for the last twenty years that makes it impossible for people to even speak about the horrific crimes that are destroying our nation. It has become common sense for most people in the upper middle class to simply assume that there is a set of issues that are simply taboo, which cannot be brought up in any context, ever.

President John F. Kennedy addressed this crisis of governance by secrecy at the beginning in a brave speech he delivered in April of 1961.

President Kennedy spoke,

“The very word ‘secrecy’ is repugnant in a free and open society; and we are as a people inherently and historically opposed to secret societies, to secret oaths and to secret proceedings.

We decided long ago that the dangers of excessive and unwarranted concealment of pertinent facts far outweighed the dangers which are cited to justify it.

Even today, there is little value in opposing the threat of a closed society by imitating its arbitrary restrictions. Even today, there is little value in ensuring the survival of our nation if our traditions do not survive with it. And there is very grave danger that an announced need for increased security will be seized upon by those anxious to expand its meaning to the very limits of official censorship and concealment.”

A massive increase in secrecy in the United States started after President Kennedy’s assassination in 1963, a blatant attempt by global finance to intimidate all politicians that was complemented by the expansion of classified status to cover any document that revealed criminality in government. This move was combined with a purging of committed and responsible individuals from the Department of Defense and from intelligence.

That trend towards secrecy went into an exponential upwards curve after the 9/11 attacks. Those

attacks involved massive conspiracies to destroy the functionality of government, to mislead the public about fundamental policy decisions, and to threaten or suppress opposition while launching endless foreign wars. Laws were set in place, many of which remain illegal to even mention, that set stiff punishments for the disclosure of the truth in any format, for any reason.

To this day, although the contours of the fraudulent attacks on the World Trade Center are known to many, the actual internal process by which it was planned, coordinated, and implemented remains obscure.

There are three main approaches to making secret the corruption and criminality that has spread across government and corporations, and to punishing anyone so foolish as to search for the truth: 1) the use of classifications (Secret and Top Secret), 2) the use of secret law, and 3) the use of non-disclosure agreements.

Rendering corporate and government documents detailing institutional criminality as Secret or Top Secret, and punishing anyone who refers to these criminal actions with massive fines or jail terms for violating the conditions for security clearance is an old trick that has been radically expanded over the last decade. Numerous whistleblowers have gone to jail and have been driven into bankruptcy for simply speaking the truth for the good of the nation. Many are subject to courts agreements, to keep them out of jail, that bar them from even discussing what was done to them illegally.

These days, whistleblowers are few and far between, because in the current reign of secrecy, those who violate the rules will be punished without anyone ever knowing what happened to them. There seems little point in the growing darkness of risking one's life and livelihood.

Just about anything that might get someone in trouble for corruption is immediately stamped as classified and thereby rendered off limits. This practice is what has allowed for the theft of hundreds of billions of dollars by investment banks and multinational corporations from the Department of Defense and the Central Intelligence Agency (and elsewhere) over the last two decades, without a trace. It is also the means that permitted investment banks to steal trillions of dollars from the Federal Reserve in 2020, an act that fundamentally transformed American society by creating such a concentration of wealth as to establish an untouchable all-powerful ruling class.

That could not have been done if most pertinent documents in the Treasury Department and the Federal Reserve had not been classified as Top Secret (in an egregious act without precedent).

These days, documents are classified by the FBI, the Treasury Department, the Coast Guard, the Department of Commerce, and yes, of course, the Center for Disease Control, on a daily basis to protect the interests of investment banks and the billionaires who run them.

This new culture has rendered a government that was already fatally wounded by 9.11 into an undead, zombie-like criminal syndicate that does the bidding of the very few.

Secret law, as opposed to classification, refers to any law or set of laws passed by the Congress which have the full impact of federal law, but that remain secret, and for which you can be punished for discussing their existence.

The very concept of secret law is so blatantly unconstitutional that you would have thought people would be screaming from the rooftops about it. But, in our sad age, decadent intellectuals are too compromised, too caught up in their own little worlds, and too worried about their retirement funds to care about such matters.

I cannot describe here all of the ways in which secret law is employed in the United States to support a shadow government that makes decisions long before any institution described in the Constitution can take action. Secret law is employed to block people from running for public office, or to make sure their ideas are never covered in the media, no matter how relevant their arguments may be.

Secret law renders topics taboo in debates on policy in government, think tanks, universities, and the media; debates on many important issues. It is not simply that the media does not want to cover the truth because of its corporate interests. It legally is not permitted to do so.

Those who violate the regulations of secret law in their pursuit of truth are brutally punished, but their punishments remain unknown to the public, or even to friends.

Finally, there are non-disclosure agreements which people in business and government are forced to sign if they want to have a job at all. These agreements stipulate enormous fines and other punishments for any disclosure of the criminal actions by organizations that demand the signing of these agreements.

In addition, there are non-disclosure agreements that are forced upon citizens by courts whereby,

in order to avoid jail and fines for speaking the truth, individuals must sign agreements that prohibit them, forever, from relating the details of the criminal actions by corporations or governments that led to their misfortunes.

The implications of this sweeping institutional secrecy in the United States, at all levels in the Congress, and in the federal government, and extending to corporations, banks, and privatized intelligence and law enforcement are grave.

More and more critical issues in the United States are becoming taboo, and an increasing number of criminal conspiracies are off limits for the media, academics, and even the man in the street.

This empire of secrecy is the primary driver, not the foibles of any particular politician, that is behind the catastrophic institutional collapse taking place in the United States today, a collapse that is starting to resemble, under the COVID-19 regime, the end of the Roman Empire.

We cannot make any progress in stemming the flow of the lifeblood of our nation until we take on the unconstitutional walls of secrecy that have shut citizens out of the policy process, shut down the fundamental functions of government, and made possible the current totalitarian governance system.

At this point, all classified materials must be made public with exceptions for ongoing discussions on treaties and agreements only. All secret law must be deemed to be illegal and unconstitutional by its nature and made public, and the criminal enforcement of non-disclosure agreements must end.

**“How Tyranny Overran the United States
While You Were Watching YouTube”
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Slowly, against their will, and against their natural inclination to watch football and eat pizza, Americans are awaking to the reality of a totalitarian system with its tentacles wrapped around every aspect of their existence. Sadly, the true nature of this tyranny still eludes the understanding of most citizens, in part because the process by which America was transformed utterly has been slow, and to a degree because the commercial media points us away from the true causes of this slippage and pins all blame on easily identifiable bad guys.

Those steeped in the progressive political tradition sensed a radical loss of justice and transparency under the George W. Bush administration, a trend that only accelerated under the Trump administration, with a perceived reprieve under Obama and the possibility of a positive turn under Biden.

Those marinated in the juices of conservative politics observed an end of freedom under Clinton and Obama and the spread of socialist or “leftist” ideology that oppresses the citizen.

Both interpretive communities refer to the same social and political trends, to the war on freedom that renders us up as sacrificial lambs to the cruel gods of global capital. The rhetoric employed by the two groups is so radically different, however, and the histories of the United States that they embrace are so divergent, that they are lost in intense ideological conflicts even as they describe the same creeping totalitarianism.

That conflict is no accident. That ideological battle over the insignificant is just what the doctor ordered for the interests of high finance. Or as J. P. Morgan put it,

“By dividing the people, we can get them to expend their energies in fighting over questions of no importance to us except as teachers of the common herd.”

The obscenely wealthy already had their consultants come up with detailed studies on how to divide citizens by religion, ethnic identity, cultural signifiers, and by class so that they are incapable of unity even in the face of the complete takeover of the economy, the media, education, and the political process.

Progressives refer to the supporters of Trump in rural areas as stupid, and fundamentalist Christians refer to the followers of the Democratic Party as evil.

This profound misunderstanding is probably reinforced by numerous classified operations in which individuals promoting divisive left wing or right-wing positions are encouraged and paid to do so, thus rendering those who should have common cause foes.

There is another reason why we have such a difficult time understanding the transformation of our society. The nature of this totalitarianism runs against the assumptions we have been taught through movies, novels, and news reports. Our minds are cluttered with archetypes for dictatorship and evil that are at odds with the reality.

The greatest crime of Hollywood was convincing us that evil takes the form of a monster with fangs and claws, of an evil leader with a sinister smile. Corrupt journalists extend this fiction to the public sphere, explaining how evil is embodied in foreign leaders like Kim Jong-un, Xi Jinping, or Vladimir Putin, or in domestic ill-doers like Hillary Clinton (for the right) or Donald Trump (for the left).

As a result, we are unable to detect or understand the takeover of our society that has taken place.

That is to say that we are confronted by “inverted totalitarianism,” to borrow the term of the philosopher Sheldon Wolin, a cultural and political state in which all aspects of our daily lives are controlled by multinational corporations without our knowing, and we lose all freedom.

As a result, our actions are profoundly limited; we are constantly beaten down by an iron fist covered in the soft glove of interest charges, student loans, and constant surveillance.

The totalitarianism that we face is inverted, in the sense that we expect some dictator standing on top and playing the bad guy, oppressing us out of personal greed, vanity, or cruelty. But the true source of our misery is rather the manner in which multinational corporations use supercomputers to calculate profits and then extract as much money as possible from us by making it impossible for us to grow our own food, heal our own illnesses, teach ourselves, or entertain ourselves. Instead, we must buy products, online or in supermarkets, in transactions from which multinational corporations and banks will invariably take a major cut. The only learning that is recognized and accredited is expensive and is controlled by corporations.

We are offered only false choices between Pepsi or Coke, between Taco Bell or Wendy's, between action films or romantic comedies, and between the Democratic or Republican parties.

The process by which citizens lost their self-reliance, their self-sufficiency in food and energy production, and the basic skills of sewing, knitting, and carpentry, growing dependent on products supplied by corporations, began 100 years ago. We can trace the current crisis back to the campaigns of John D. Rockefeller to force citizens to be dependent on petroleum through the promotion of automobiles and trade, the slashing of budgets for public transportation and the massive funding for highways, the push for the mechanization of farming and the widespread use of plastics.

Rockefeller also paid off experts so as to marginalize homeopathic medicine and traditional treatments and create dependency on overpriced hospitals that are tied to corporations, while rendering universities and research institutes dependent on the benevolence of the rich, thus making systematic critiques of the sources of wealth a taboo topic.

To be more specific, the invisible inverted totalitarianism that has taken control of our daily experiences can be traced back to the launch of Windows as an operating system in 1985. Microsoft Word, under the rule of Bill Gates (an ardent student of John D. Rockefeller), set out to control the means by which citizens utilize their computers, and later, to control how they interacted with each other over the internet.

Sure, presidential elections were held every four years, and the public was given a chance express itself. Secret police did not cart off those who criticized the government; in fact, criticism of government was encouraged as way to distract from the impact of bank deregulation.

Most citizens were hardly aware that having one corporation control the system software for all computers that they supposedly owned meant that they had lost their freedom.

Yet the shift was profound. Whereas the individual previously could decide for himself where to place files in his office, how to organize his documents, and place his papers around his typewriter, the manner in which information is organized within Windows is extremely limited, determined in advance by unaccountable forces, and the format and layout cannot be modified by the user.

Needless to say, this first step down the road to tyranny, this fatal loss of basic autonomy, was

carefully covered up in the rhetoric of convenience and efficiency, exciting innovation, and technological advancement, so that few recognized the loss.

Myths about the importance of convenience, connectivity, and globalization were swallowed by the entire population. Critical topics like the scientific method, the control of the means of production, and the decision-making process in government and in other institutions were forgotten.

The next step in this hidden tyranny over our daily lives came in the form of search engines like Google, social networks like Facebook, and other massive, interconnected corporations that mediated the interactions of the individual with the community, often taking over critical functions that previously belonged to the community or to non-profit institutions like schools or research centers.

Under the guise of greater convenience for the individual, businessmen with unlimited funding from investment banks were able to buy up rivals, block out alternatives that offered search engines as cooperatives, and thereby created search engines that posed as transparent institutions but derived money through the sophisticated manipulation of human interactions using algorithms.

Because Google and Facebook had such resources that they could lose money for years, the manner in which they whittled away at the autonomy of the citizen was almost undetectable. Equally important was the strategy of using short-term stimulation of the brain by endless banal postings, instant messages, and gaudy news reports, to remap the connections between synapses so as to render most incapable of complex three-dimensional thinking. That service, the creation of a dumbed down, passive population, was the true product that internet giants offered to their real clients.

Google controls what information we have access to, in what order we have access to it, and it lays out a hierarchy of significance in search results that has some basis in fact, but is primarily a political act for sale to the highest bidder.

Results of Google searches are altered, on a case-by-case basis, in response to the needs of corporations to promote their views to extremely specific audiences.

Although we are trained to think of Google as a public service, its falsehoods, increasingly given authority by the parallel Wikipedia entries created by public relations firms, are not subject to

external review. Google users are never permitted to participate in the process of the formulation of policy, or in the review of content. That is to say, the United States calls itself a democracy, but the primary tool that citizens rely on for information is run as a dictatorship.

Another popular cloak for the slip into tyranny is the framing of opinion as content in the news. Scientific fact ceased to be central in reporting from the 1990s. In its stead, opinion surveys of groups selected by polling companies are held up as a confirmation of what is true.

Public opinion polls are the propaganda equivalent of stock buybacks. The billionaires, having radically deregulated the economy and dumbed down the population, merely force-feed their opinions to the public through the media that they control, and then claim that the policies they want are demanded by the public.

Facebook gives the appearance that the citizen can express himself freely, and can make friends with anyone. Yet, since Facebook, Inc. controls who a citizen can easily find through its network, and who sees what. It does not permit users to operate their own software, design their own pages, own the networks they create on Facebook, or to have any say in how Facebook is administered; the freedom is fiction.

Legal concepts like the contract have been twisted beyond recognition in the totalitarian cyberspace that surrounds us.

A contract is a negotiated agreement between two parties. Online, however, whether it is the decision to accept cookies, or to comply with the rules for a commercial application, the user has no right to make demands of the corporation. He or she is given the false choice of either agreeing with all conditions offered, or not having access to the service. The contract is an empty ritual.

We are accustomed to permitting Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat, or Instagram to determine what becomes of the information that we share, and we are unaware of the billions in profits those corporations make by selling off the information, content, and creative ideas that we supply without giving us any compensation. In a sense, these social networks are a form of virtual slavery.

COVID-19 Totalitarianism

Because the thinking of citizens has been degraded for decades, and they rely almost completely on corporate-sponsored sources for basic information, it became possible for the first time to

create a virtual pandemic, planned by the super-rich, promoted by the news sources that they own, authorized by experts at the institutes and universities that they fund, and legitimated by government agencies (and international institutions like the World Health Organization) that have been radically privatized.

Previously, a significant number of citizens were capable of assessing the accuracy of information on their own. Research institutes like Harvard University still had an ethical commitment to the scientific method and academic integrity.

All that is over now. The façades of the NIH and Harvard remain the same, but the intellectual innards have rotted away. Distinguished professors are easily assembled to give testimony to ridiculous theories about COVID-19.

The dangers of the COVID-19 vaccines are not the primary threat. The danger lies rather in the shift of the decision-making process for policy away from science, and away from a transparent policy debate. COVID-19 serves a successful precedent for invisible forces at private equity funds to decide medical policy in secret and then feed it to us through authority figures.

Those invisible forces now feel they are free to require of us, without any accountability to science, that we have any substance that they offer injected into our bodies as a condition for the right to attend school, find employment, or receive medical treatment.

The process was made possible by the interaction of social networks, search engines, commercial media, and other critical components of daily experience that determine opinions concerning reliable and authoritative voices. That process is run as an invisible dictatorship that controls a distracted, confused, and unfocused population drowning in connectivity.

Nothing will get better until citizens recognize the cause of this nightmare was not the legacy of the Bushes, Clintons, Obamas, or Trumps, although they all played their role, but rather the end of the self-reliant and informed citizen with access to the writings of experts with a deep commitment to the scientific method and ethical principles.

**“What is Reality?
The Case for a Constitution of Information”
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The world has been rocked in recent weeks by reports of rampant fake news stories circulating through social media that have the potential to completely disrupt the political process and undermine the international standards for transparency and accountability that we have come to take for granted. So serious has the problem become that Facebook has proposed a new system to identify and tag news reports it deems dubious, as well as to limit the circulation of such stories. However, in the case of Facebook, the third party assigned to confirm the accuracy of reports is a fact-checking network established by Poynter, a nonprofit school for journalism in St. Petersburg, Florida, in collaboration with ABC News, PolitiFact, FactCheck, Snopes, and the Associated Press.

But is Poynter’s fact checking network the best place for Facebook, or anyone else, to turn for a determination of what is accurate? After all, many of those media organizations have themselves been caught publishing questionable stories in the buildup to the Iraq War and other recent incidents. All this comes on top of the divisive dispute concerning the massive hacking of the emails of the Democratic National Committee in the United States by Wikileaks, an act which has been attributed to Russian intelligence as part of explicit Russian interference in the 2016 presidential election. Assuring that information in the media is accurate or that email is secure is no longer a personal issue.

False information, in increasingly realistic formats, can be profoundly disruptive to the international order. Moreover, the exponential evolution of technology suggests that these current crises are but part of a far more serious transformation of our society that we have yet to address directly. We will face devastating existential questions in the years ahead as human civilization enters a potentially catastrophic transformation driven not by the foibles of man, but rather by the exponential increase in our capability to gather, store, share, alter, and fabricate information of every form, coupled with a sharp drop in the cost of doing so. Such basic issues as how we determine what is true and what is real, who controls institutions and organizations, and what has intellectual and spiritual significance for us will become increasingly problematic.

In the case of the US, the emerging challenge cannot be solved simply by updating the Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986 to meet the demands of the present day; it will require a rethinking of our society and culture and new, unprecedented institutions.

A change in human life itself

The International Data Corporation (IDC) estimates that there were at least 4.4 zettabytes (4.4 trillion gigabytes) of digital data in 2013, and that the total will rise to an astounding 44 zettabytes by 2020. The explosion in the amount of information circulating around the world, and the increase in the ease with which that information can be obtained or altered will change every aspect of our lives, from education and governance to friendship and kinship, to the very nature of human experience. We need a comprehensive response to the information revolution that not only proposes innovative ways to employ new technologies in a positive manner, but also addresses the serious, unprecedented challenges that they present for us. The ease with which information of every form can now be reproduced and altered is an epistemological, ontological, and governmental challenge for us.

Let us concentrate on the issue of governance here. The manipulability of information is increasing in all aspects of life, but the constitutions, whether in the US or elsewhere, upon which we base our laws and our government has little to say about information, and nothing to say about the transformative wave sweeping through society as a result. Moreover, we have trouble grasping the seriousness of the information crisis because it alters the very lens through which we perceive the world.

If we rely on the internet to tell us how the world changes, for example, we are blind to how the internet itself is evolving, and how that evolution impacts human relations. For that matter, given that our very thought patterns are molded over time by the manner in which we receive information, we may come to see knowledge that is presented online as more reliable than our direct perceptions of the physical world. The information revolution has the potential to dramatically change human awareness of the world and inhibit our ability to make decisions if we are surrounded with convincing data whose reliability we cannot confirm. These challenges call out for a direct and systematic response.

There are a range of piecemeal solutions to the crisis being undertaken around the world. The changes, however, are so fundamental that they call out for a systematic response. We need to hold an international constitutional convention through which we can draft a legally binding global “constitution of information” that will address the fundamental problems created by the information revolution and set down clear guidelines for how we can control the terrible cultural and institutional fluidity created by this revolution.

The process of identifying the problems born of the massive shift in the nature of information, and suggesting workable solutions will be complex, but the issue calls out for an entirely new universe of administration and jurisprudence regarding the control, use, and abuse of information. As the American writer and novelist James Baldwin once wrote, “Not everything that is faced can be changed. But nothing can be changed until it is faced.”

An information constitution

The changes cannot be dealt with through mere extensions of the US Constitution or the existing legal code, nor can it be left to intelligence agencies, communications companies, congressional committees, or international organizations that were not designed to handle the convergence of issues related to increased computational power, but end up formulating information policy by default.

We must bravely set out to build a consensus in the US and around the world about the basic definition of information, how it should be controlled and maintained, and what the long-term implications of the shifting nature of information will be for humanity. We should then launch a constitutional convention and draft a document that sets forth a new set of laws and responsible agencies for assessing the accuracy of information and addressing its misuse.

Those who may object to such a constitution of information as a dangerous form of centralized authority likely to encourage further abuse are not fully aware of the difficulty of the problems we face. The abuse of information has already reached epic proportions, and we are just at the beginning of an exponential increase. There should be no misunderstanding: I am not suggesting a totalitarian Ministry of Truth that undermines a world of free exchange between individuals. Rather, I am proposing a system that will bring accountability, institutional order, and transparency to the public and private entities that already engage in the control, collection, and alteration of information.

Failure to establish a constitution of information will not assure preservation of an Arcadian utopia, but rather encourage the emergence of even greater fields of information collection and manipulation entirely beyond the purview of any institution. The result will be increasing exploitation of human society by dark and invisible forces for which no set of regulations has been established; that is already largely the case.

The constitution of information, in whatever form it may take, is the only way to start addressing the hidden forces in our society that tug at our institutional chains. Drafting a constitution is not merely a matter of putting pen to paper. The process requires the animation of that document in the form of living institutions with budgets and mandates. It is not my intention to spell out the full parameters of such a constitution of information and the organizations that it would support, because a constitution of information can only be successful if it engages living establishments and corporations in a complex and painful process of dealmaking and compromises that, like the American Constitutional Convention of 1787, is guided at a higher level by certain idealistic principles.

The ultimate form of such a constitution cannot be predicted or determined in advance, and to present a version here would be counterproductive. We can, however, identify some of the key challenges and the issues that would be involved in drafting such a constitution of information.

Threats posed by the Information Revolution

The ineluctable increase of computational power in recent years has simplified the transmission, modification, creation, and destruction of massive amounts of information, rendering it fluid, mutable, and potentially unreliable. The rate at which information can be rapidly and effectively manipulated is enhanced by an exponential rise in the capacity of computers.

Following Moore's Law, which suggests that the number of microprocessors that can be placed on a chip will double every 18 months, the capacity of computers continues to increase dramatically, whereas human institutions change only very slowly. That gap between technological change and the evolution of human civilization has reached an extreme, all the more dangerous because so many people have trouble grasping the nature of the challenge and blame the abuse of information on the dishonesty of individuals or groups rather than on the technological change itself.

The cost for surveillance of electronic communications, for keeping track of the whereabouts of people, and for documenting every aspect of human and non-human interaction is dropping so rapidly that what was the exclusive domain of supercomputers at the National Security Agency a decade ago is now entirely possible for developing countries, and will soon be in the hands of individuals.

In 10 years, when vastly increased computational power will mean that a modified laptop

computer can track billions of people with considerable resolution, and that capability is combined with autonomous drones, we will need a new legal framework to respond in a systematic manner to the use and abuse of information at all levels of society.

If we start to plan the institutions that we will need, we can avoid the greatest threat: the invisible manipulation of information without accountability. As the cost of collecting information has become inexpensive, it is now easier to collect and sort massive amounts of data about individuals and groups and to extract from that information relevant detail about their lives and activities.

Seemingly insignificant data taken from garbage, emails, and photographs can now be easily combined and systematically analyzed to essentially give as much information about individuals as a government might obtain from wiretapping, although emerging technology makes the process easier to implement and harder to detect. Increasingly smaller devices can take photographs of people and places with greater ease, and that data can be combined and sorted so as to obtain extremely accurate descriptions of the daily lives of individuals; who they are and what they do.

Such information can be combined with other data to provide complete profiles of people that go beyond what the individuals know about themselves. As cameras are combined with mini drones in the years to come, the range of possible surveillance will increase dramatically. Global regulations will be an absolute must for the simple reason that it will be impossible to stop the gathering of this form of big data. In the not too distant future, it will be possible to fabricate cheaply not only texts and data, but all forms of photographs, recordings and videos with such a level of verisimilitude that fictional artifacts indistinguishable from their historically accurate counterparts will compete for our attention. Currently, existing processing power can be combined with intermediate user-level computer skills to effectively alter information, whether still-frame images using programs like Photoshop or videos using Final Cut Pro.

Digital information platforms for photographs and videos are extremely susceptible to alteration and the problem will get far worse. It will be possible for individuals to create convincing documentation, photos, or videos in which any event involving an individual is vividly portrayed in an authentic manner. It will be increasingly easy for any number of factions and interest groups to make up materials that document their perspectives, creating political and systemic chaos. Rules stipulating what is true and what is not will no longer be an option when we reach that point. Of course, the authority of an organization to make a call as to what information is true brings with it incredible risks of abuse. Nevertheless, although there will be great risk in enabling a group to make binding determinations concerning what is authentic (and there will clearly be a political

element to truth as long as humans rule society), the danger posed by inaction is far worse.

What is reality?

When fabricated images and movies can no longer be distinguished from reality by the observer, and computers can easily create new content, it will be possible to continue these fabrications over time, thereby creating convincing alternative realities with considerable mimetic depth. At that point, the ability to create convincing images and videos will merge with the next generation of virtual reality technologies to further confuse the issue of what is real. We will see the emergence of virtual worlds that appear at least as real as the one that we inhabit.

If some event becomes a consistent reality in those virtual worlds, it may be difficult, if not impossible, for people to comprehend that the event never actually “happened,” thereby opening the door for massive manipulation of politics, and ultimately of history. Once we have complex virtual realities that present a physical landscape with almost as much depth as the real world, and the characters have elaborate histories and memories of events over decades and form populations of millions of anatomically distinct virtual people, the potential for confusion will be tremendous. It will no longer be clear what reality has authority, and many political and legal issues will be unsolvable.

But that is only half of the problem. These virtual worlds are already extending into social networks. An increasing number of people on Facebook are not actual people at all, but characters and avatars created by third parties. As computers grow more powerful, it will be possible to create thousands, then hundreds of thousands of individuals on social networks who have complex histories and personalities.

These virtual people will be able to engage human partners in compelling conversations that pass the Turing Test: the inability of humans to distinguish answers to the same question given to them by machines and people. And, because these virtual people can write messages 24 hours a day, and customize their communication to what the individual finds interesting, they can be more attractive than human “friends”, and have the potential to seriously distort our very concept of society and reality. There will be a concrete and practical need for a set of codes and laws to regulate such an environment.

The rise of fake truth

Over time, virtual reality may end up seeming much more real and convincing to people who are accustomed to it than actual reality. That issue is particularly relevant when it comes to the next generation, who will be exposed to virtual reality from infancy.

Yet, virtual reality is fundamentally different from the real world. For example, it is not subject to the same laws of causality. The relations between events can be altered with ease in virtual reality, and epistemological assumptions from the concrete world do not hold. Virtual reality can muddle such basic concepts as responsibility and guilt, or the relationship of self and society. It will be possible in the near future to convince people of something using faulty or irrational logic whose only basis is in virtual reality. This fact has profound implications for every aspect of law and institutional functionality. And if falsehoods are continued in virtual reality — which seems to represent reality accurately — over time in a systematic way, interpretations of even common-sense assumptions about life and society will diverge, bringing everything into question.

As virtual reality expands its influence, we will have to make sure that certain principles are upheld even in virtual space, to assure that it does not create chaos in our very conception of the public sphere. That process, I hold, cannot be governed in the legal system that we have at present.

New institutions will have to be developed. The dangers of increasingly unverifiable information are perhaps a greater threat than even terrorism. While the idea of individuals or groups setting off “dirty” bombs is certainly frightening, imagine a world in which the polity can never be sure whether anything they see, read, or hear is true or not. This threat is at least as significant as surveillance operations, but has received far less attention. The time has come for us to formulate the institutional foundation that will define and maintain firm parameters for the use, alteration, and retention of information on a global scale.

You are being watched

We live in a money-based economy, but the information revolution is transforming the nature of money itself right before our eyes. It has gone from an analog system that was once restricted to the amount of gold a government possessed to a digital system in which the only limitation on the amount of money represented in computers is the tolerance for risk on the part of the players involved, and the ability of national and international institutions to monitor the system.

In any case, the mechanisms are now in place to change the amount of currency, or for that matter many other items such as commodities or stocks, without any effective global oversight. The

value of money and the quantity in circulation can be altered with increasing ease, and current safeguards are clearly insufficient. The problem will grow worse as computational power and the number of players who can engage in complex manipulations of money increases.

Then there is the explosion in the field of drones and robots, devices of increasingly small size that can conduct detailed surveillance and that gradually possessing more military capabilities and other forms of unwarranted obtrusion in human society. The US had no armed drones and no robots when it entered Afghanistan, but it has now more than 8,000 drones in the air and more than 12,000 robots on the ground.

The number of drones and robots will continue to increase rapidly and they are increasingly being used in the US and around the world without regard for borders. As the technology becomes cheaper, we will see more tiny drones and robots that can operate outside of any legal framework. They will be used to collect information, but they can also be hacked and conceivably be able to serve as portals for the distortion and manipulation of information at every level.

Moreover, drones and robots have the potential to carry out acts of destruction and other criminal activities whose source can be hidden because of ambiguities over control and agency. For this reason, the rapidly emerging world of drones and robots deserves to be treated at great length within the Constitution of Information.

Drafting the Constitution of Information

The Constitution of Information could become an internationally recognized, legally binding document that lays down rules for maintaining the accuracy of information and protecting it from abuse. It could also set down the parameters for institutions charged with maintaining long-term records of accurate information against which other data can be checked, thereby serving as the equivalent of an atomic clock for exact reference in an age of considerable confusion.

The ability to certify the integrity of information is an issue that is of an order of magnitude more serious than the intellectual property issues on which many international lawyers focus today, and deserves to be identified as a field entirely in itself, with a constitution of its own that serves as the basis for all future debate and argument.

This challenge of drafting a Constitution of Information requires a new approach and a bottom-up design to sufficiently address the gamut of complex interconnected issues found in

transnational spaces like that in which digital information exists. The governance systems for information are simply not sufficient, and overhauling them to meet the standards necessary would be much more work and much less effective than designing and implementing an entirely new functional system which the constitution of information represents. Moreover, the rate of technological change will require a system that can be updated and made relevant while at the same time safeguarding against it being captured by vested interests or made irrelevant. A possible model for the Constitution of Information can be found in the “Freedom of Information” section of the new Constitution of Iceland drafted in 2011.

The Constitutional Council engaged in a broad debate with citizens and organizations throughout the country about the content of the new constitution, which described in detail mechanisms required for government transparency and public accessibility that are far more aligned with the demands of today than other similar documents. It would be meaningless, however, to merely put forth a model international Constitution of Information without the process of drafting it, because without the buy-in of institutions and individuals in its formulation, the constitution would not have the authority necessary for it to be accepted and to function. The process of debate and compromise that would determine the contours of that constitution would endow it with social and political significance, and, like the US Constitution of 1787, it would become the core for governance.

For that matter, the degree to which the content of the Constitution of Information would be legally enforceable would have to be part of the discussion held at the convention.

Constitutional convention

To respond to this global challenge, we should call a constitutional convention in which a series of basic principles and enforceable regulations would be put forward that are agreed upon by major institutions responsible for policy, including national governments and supranational organizations, multinational corporations, research institutions, intelligence agencies, NGOs, and a variety of representatives from other organizations.

Deciding who to invite and how will be difficult, but it should not be a stumbling block. The US Constitution has proven quite effective over the last few centuries even though it was drafted by a group that was not representative of the population of North America at the time.

Although democratic process is essential to good government, there are moments in history in

which we confront deeper ontological and epistemological questions that cannot be addressed by elections or referendums, and require a select group of individuals like Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Jefferson, and Alexander Hamilton. At the same time, the constitutional convention cannot be merely a gathering of wise individuals, but will have to involve those directly engaged in the information economy and information policy.

That process of drafting a constitution will involve the definition of key concepts, the establishment of the legal and social limits of the constitution's authority, the formulation of a system for evaluating the use and misuse of information and policy suggestions that respond to abuses of information on a global scale. The text of this Constitution of Information should be carefully drafted with a literary sense of language so that it will outlive the specifics of the moment and with a clear historic vision and unmistakable idealism that will inspire future generations, just as the US Constitution continues to inspire Americans.

This constitution cannot be a flat bureaucratic rehashing of existing policies on privacy and security. We must be aware of the dangers involved in trying to determine what is and is not reliable information as we draft the Constitution of Information. It is essential to set up a workable system for assuring the integrity of information, but multiple safeguards and checks and balances will be necessary. There should be no assumptions as to what the Constitution of Information would ultimately be, but only the requirement that it should be binding, and that the process of drafting it should be cautious, but honest.

Private versus public

Following David Brin's argument in his book, *The Transparent Society*, one essential assumption should be that privacy will be extremely difficult, if not impossible to protect in the current environment. We must accept, paradoxically, that much information must be made public in some sense in order to preserve its integrity and its privacy. That is to say that the process of rigorously protecting privacy is not sufficient, granted the overwhelming changes that will take place in the years to come.

Brin draws heavily on Steve Mann's concept of sousveillance, a process through which ordinary people can observe the actions of the rich and powerful to counter the potential of the state or the corporation to observe the individual. The basic assumption behind sousveillance is that there is no means of arresting the development of technologies for surveillance and that those with wealth and power will be able to deploy such technologies more effectively than ordinary citizens.

Therefore, the only possible response to increased surveillance is to create a system of mutual monitoring to assure symmetry, if not privacy.

Although the Constitution of Information does not assume that a system that allows the ordinary citizen to monitor the actions of those in power is necessary, the importance of creating information systems that surveil all information in a 360-degree manner should be seriously considered as part of a Constitution of Information. The one motive for this is to undo the destructive process of designating information as classified and blocking off reciprocity and accountability on a massive scale.

We must assure that multiple parties are involved in that process of controlling information to guarantee its accuracy and limit its abuse. In order to achieve the goal of ensuring reliability, transparency, and accountability on a global scale, but avoiding massive institutional abuse of the power over information that is granted, we must create a system for monitoring information with a balance of powers at the center. Brin suggests a rather primitive model in which the ruled balance out the power of rulers through an equivalent system for observing and monitoring that works from below. I am skeptical that such a system will work unless we create large and powerful institutions within government (or the private sector) itself that have a functional need to check the power of other institutions.

Perhaps it is possible to establish a complex balance of powers wherein information is monitored and abuses can be controlled, or punished, according to a meticulous, painfully negotiated agreement between stakeholders. It could ultimately be that information would be governed by three branches of government, something like the legislative, executive, and judicial systems that have served well for many constitution-based governments.

Accuracy assurance

The need to assure accuracy may ultimately be more essential than the need to protect privacy. The general acceptance of inaccurate descriptions of a state of affairs, or of individuals, is profoundly damaging and cannot be easily rectified. For this reason, I suggest as part of the three branches of government, that a “three keys” system for the management of information be adopted. That is to say that sensitive information will be accessible, otherwise we cannot assure that knowledge will be accurate. However, that information will only be able to be accessed when three keys representing the three branches of government are presented.

That process would assure that accountability can be maintained, because three institutions whose interests are not necessarily aligned must be present to access that information. Systems for the gathering, analysis, and control of information on a massive scale have already reached a high level of sophistication. What is sadly lacking is a larger vision of how information should be treated for the sake of our society.

Most responses to the information revolution have been extremely myopic, dwelling on the abuse of data by corporations or intelligence agencies without considering the structural and technological background of those abuses. To merely attribute the misuse of information to a lack of human virtue is to miss the profound shifts sweeping through society today.

The Constitution of Information will be fundamentally different than most constitutions in that it must contain both rigidity, in terms of holding all parties to the same standards, and also flexibility, in that it can readily adapt to new situations resulting from rapid technological change. The rate at which information can be stored and manipulated will continue to increase and new horizons and issues will emerge, perhaps more quickly than expected. For this reason, the Constitution of Information cannot be overly static and must derive much of its power from its vision.

The representative system

We can imagine a legislative body to represent all the elements of the information community engaged in the regulation of the traffic and quality of information, as well as individuals and non-governmental organizations (NGOs). It would be a mistake to assume that the organizations represented in that “legislature” would necessarily be nation states according to the United Nations formulation of global governance.

The limits of the nation state concept with regard to information policy are increasingly obvious, and this constitutional convention could serve as an opportunity to address the massive institutional changes that have taken place over the past 50 years. It would be more meaningful, in my opinion, to make the members companies, organizations, networks, local governments — a broad range of organizations that make the actual decisions concerning the creation, distribution, and reception of information.

That part of the information security system would only be legislative in a conceptual sense. It would not necessarily have meetings or be composed of elected or appointed representatives. In fact, if we consider the fact that the actual physical meetings of government legislatures around

the world are mostly rituals, we can sense that the whole concept of the legislative process requires much modification. The executive branch of the new information accuracy system would be charged with administering the policies based on the legislative branch's policies. It would implement rules concerning information to preserve its integrity and prevent its misuse.

The details of how information policy is carried out would be determined at the constitutional convention. The executive would be checked not only by the legislative branch but also by a judicial branch. The judicial branch would be responsible for formulating interpretations of the constitution with regard to an ever-changing environment for information, and for assessing the appropriateness of actions taken by the executive and legislative branches.

The terms executive, legislative, and judicial are meant more as placeholders in this initial discussion, not actual concrete descriptions of the institutions to be established. The functioning of these units would be profoundly different from branches of current local and national governments, or even international organizations like the United Nations. If anything, the constitution of information would be a step forward toward a new approach to governance in general.

Vision needed

It would be irresponsible and rash to draft an "off the shelf" Constitution of Information that could be readily applied around the world to respond to the complex situation of information today. Although I accept that initial proposals for a Constitution of Information may be dismissed as irrelevant and wrongheaded, I assert that as we enter an unprecedented age of information, and most of the assumptions that have undergirded our previous governance systems based on physical geography and discrete domestic economies will be overturned, there will be a critical demand for new systems to address this crisis.

This initial foray can help to formulate the problems to be addressed and the format in which to do so in advance.

In order to effectively preside over a new space that exists outside of our current governance systems (or in the interstices between systems), we must make new rules that can effectively govern that space, and work to defend transparency and accuracy in the perfect storm born of the circulation and alteration of information. If information exists in a transnational or global space and affects people at that scale, then the governing institutions responsible for its regulation need

to be transnational or global. If unprecedented changes are required, then so be it.

If all records for hundreds of years can exist online, then it will be entirely possible, as suggested in Margaret Atwood's 1985 novel, *The Handmaid's Tale*, to alter all information in a single moment if there is not a Constitution of Information. But the solution must involve designing the institutions that will be used to govern information, thus bringing an inspiring vision to what we are doing. We must give a philosophical foundation for the regulation of information and open up new horizons for human society while appealing to our better angels.

Oddly, many assume that the world of policy must consist of turgid and mind-numbing documents in the specialized terminology of economists. But history also has moments such as the drafting of the US Constitution during which a small group of visionary individuals managed to create an inspiring new vision of what is possible. That is what we need today with regard to information. To propose such an approach is not a misguided modern version of Neoplatonism, but a chance to seize the initiative and put forth a vision in the face of ineluctable change, rather than just a response.

“Possession Is Nine-Tenths of Your Soul”

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The entire planet is haunted by a specter; the specter of the complete possession of the human and the natural worlds by a band of unaccountable overlords. Those self-appointed global rulers, the billionaires, supported by the politicians and public intellectuals that they play with for sport, have carved out for themselves a separate reality where within they make up new rules for governance, locally, nationally, and globally, and then pass those rules down to us.

Central to this project is the radical alteration of the concept of possession.

Their audacious claim of possession of everything has been successful because it appears to be supported by all institutions of government, universities, and newspapers of repute, as well as other prominent international organizations which previously had legitimacy.

The billionaires have systematically laid down the foundations for this claim of ownership, using diverse tools, whether it be the control of our minds through constant bombardment with advertisements, the launch of natural assets companies (NAC) on Wall Street that claim private ownership of the oceans and the land, water and air; essentially every aspect of the natural world; or the ownership of our bodies through the patenting of DNA and the claim of the right to force citizens to accept injections of privately-patented substances that alter the physical, genetic, and psychological state of the individual.

Through some magic process at the World Economic Forum the imperative to become modern and to be competitive as part of some imagined Fourth Industrial Revolution gives these unaccountable authorities complete possession of all aspects of our existence.

Such a claim to unlimited possession of everything only works if the concepts of possession that we have relied on from the distant past are erased and the citizen loses all sense of affiliation with local or national, ethnic or spiritual roots that might offer an alternative concept of ownership.

The billionaires, above all, do not want any concept of ownership that is linked to a sense of belonging, or of participation. The concept that we own the land, the waters, and the myriad plants and animals only in that we belong to that land and to those waters, and we are responsible to them, is a vision of our world with ancient roots which cannot be tolerated by the high priests of

the World Economic Forum.

Unlimited possession by multinational corporations, and by the governments that they have taken over can only be achieved if all sense of belonging for people is torn to shreds, leaving behind no organizations of substance that can oppose this takeover, except for the toothless controlled opposition that the global elite have prepared for us in advance: the Jeffrey Sachs and Warren Buffets of the world.

Belonging, after all, is the central concept of the United States Constitution. Without the imperative that the citizen must belong to the Republic, the property rights defined by that document are reduced to a travesty. Such was the intended consequence of corporations replacing the citizen with the consumer and the Constitution with markets over the past four decades.

Ultimately, the claim by the individual, the family, or the community to possess a house, a river, or a mountain, to be entitled to clean air or healthy food that does not destroy the body has been undermined by multinational interests who isolate individual from friends and family, from community members and like-minded people, thereby destroying any trace of belonging and encouraging a one-way hypnotic relationship with far off celebrities, cute pictures of fat cats, and glimpses of fashion and food, pornography, and violence.

Fashion magazines, TV dramas, movies, cartoon characters, and video games induce an indulgent narcissistic cult of the self within which the individual competes against everyone. Personal possessions, not community solidarity, become the primary goal in life.

The ability of unaccountable multinational corporations to own everything, from farmland to houses, from transportation and phone lines, to the internet and media is rarely questioned, and an alternative system is never suggested by any public intellectual.

Gone from our society is sharing and cooperation, serving those less fortunate, or for standing together for the common good against the greedy few.

The battleground was well prepared by the corporate consulting firms before the first shot was fired, so as to facilitate this horrific final takeover.

The disenfranchisement of entire populations is not new in human history, but the current project is unprecedented in its scale and in its speed. If we were to look for a parallel, the destruction of

the civilizations of North and South America by the Spanish, Portuguese, French, and English from the 16th to the 19th centuries is most apposite.

Just as was true then, this time a handful of private interests (like BlackRock, the modern equivalent of the British East India Company) have set out to destroy all customs, learning, institutions, values, and concepts in the nations targeted. But this time it is not the Aztecs and the Iroquois who are being targeted. This time, all civilizations on the earth are fair game in the radical shift of ownership being planned by supercomputers.

The wild bid of the billionaires to buy up all farmland in the United States, Ukraine, Russia, and most every country, using the fake money cooked up by multinational investors wielding the cover of the Federal Reserve and other central banks resembles the process by which England and Spain claimed ownership of the “New World” by magic, introducing the alien and completely artificial concept of real estate.

They made up their own maps back in London or Madrid, just as billionaires make up cryptocurrency and derivatives in London and New York, and then used those maps to claim ownership of vast swaths of forest and plains, mountains and bays. The key to their success was the use of false authority, backed by pay-to-play public intellectuals, to define who owned what.

It was a financial operation, and it was often a military operation when force was needed to assure acceptance of the new order. But above all, then and now, the takeover was an ideological operation, an epistemological move whereby the concepts of ownership and nationhood were violently, but silently, remade by the imperialists sitting in their lavish parlors.

The first step toward taking possession of everything today was for the billionaires to take control of money and the institutions that define its value: the Federal Reserve, the Department of Treasury, departments of economics and business at universities, newspapers of repute that report on the economy, and the myriad “experts” within said establishments.

Once the institutions that define value were usurped, corporations could then employ authority figures in those institutions to convince the people that the stock market had a relationship to the economy, that the efforts of corporations benefited the citizen.

We were told that we must, following some obscure law of nature, invest our savings in the stock market, and that the “innovative” geniuses of Wall Street like Elon Musk are entitled, because of

their claims to be working for the good of humanity, to take over everything in the human realm.

The current project was greatly facilitated by the destruction of the humanities in education in the 1980s. Our children ceased to receive education in the fundamentals of metaphysics, aesthetics, morality, and epistemology, as well as art, literature, and history.

My high school had a philosophy club back in the 1980s. Such extracurricular activities for high school students are rare today. Instead, mass-produced images are put out by multinational corporations like Apple and branded, somehow, as being related to the humanities. In reality, the images of people engaged in artistic expression that are broadcast in smartphone commercials are simply a bid of corporations to lay claim to possession of individual expression of emotions and sentiments, rendering creative acts merely a product to be downloaded.

How did we get here?

When global capital shook off the chains that had been wound around its neck in the 1930s (and that required tremendous effort back then) it was able to bribe and seduce intellectuals and policy makers so as to create an educational system that was engineered to destroy the capacity of the individual to understand how society functions, and to undermine the ability of students to think for themselves. In the place of the temple education, they erected a false palace of mirrors, filled with practical studies like economics, engineering, and public relations that are presented as more realistic than those fluffy humanities courses. But these new “practical” studies form a Trojan horse that is filled with an ideological soup mixing narcissism, consumption culture, short-term thinking, and scientism (the religion holding that science is an oracle presented by select authorities at blue chip institutions that cannot be questioned from below).

Economics, business administration, marketing, and public relations are the new fields promoted by the rich that hold that growth and consumption are positives without a scrap of proof, and they create a mythical set of metrics for success in business that are less scientific than bloodletting techniques of the 18th century.

Four decades of our country stewing in this ungodly soup has produced a generation of highly educated citizens who are good at taking tests and following directions, but who are incapable of perceiving the way society is manipulated in an ideological and aesthetic sense.

Unlike the academics of the 1930s (the last time we ran into a crisis on this scale), current

intellectuals are blind to the ultimate causes, incapable of grasping class conflict, ideological indoctrination, or the manipulation of the people by technology. In fact, AI, the primary weapon used to degrade the capacity of citizens to think independently, is promoted as a positive for society by treasonous intellectuals.

For pay-to-play thinkers, scholarship means that facts are piled up in meaningless heaps and then exchanged for grants from foundations. Distinguished scholars whose chairs are endowed by wealthy patrons with agendas to alter the nature of possession, gather at Princeton University or the Brookings Institution to congratulate each other on their latest books.

The purpose of their research is to give legitimacy to the takeover of everything by the few and thus rise in their careers, obtaining the public recognition in the corporate-controlled media that soothes their egos. They are not interested in understanding how the world works; they do not feel any moral responsibility beyond lining their own nests.

This criminal operation, reinforced by subliminal messages in advertising, billboards, commercials, or television dramas and movies, tells us from childhood how we should define possession and belonging. We are told that wealth rightfully belongs to people who demonstrate no moral responsibility and live glamorous lives, consuming grotesque amounts of resources. They are to be envied and admired, we are told.

These images of consumerist possession enthrall us in the manner that one is bewitched by an evil spirit.

There are no longer regulators or independent intellectuals out there stepping forward to declare that manipulative advertising and deceptive education are an assault on the ability of citizens to think for themselves. Few people are confident enough in their understanding of the world to recognize that this harmless advertising we see around us is, in fact, a war waged on our souls.

Possession has ceased to be defined by ancient customs and habits, by obligations and moral imperatives, or even by laws and regulations. Rather, possession has become a magical state which is determined by those with the ability to alter perceptions. If Twitter, the New York Times, and Google announce that someone owns something, it becomes the truth; it becomes theirs.

In this new culture, one can possess objects instantaneously by ordering them over the internet. Just a few dollars of digital currency and it is yours. You are encouraged to possess things that are

insubstantial, like castles in Minecraft. For many, objects possessed virtually seem more substantial than any tangible thing.

But such possessions can be taken away just as easily by unaccountable forces. And there is no rule, no means to appeal in the digital transactions that increasingly define possession.

Just miss a few payments on your mortgage, or fall behind on your bill for internet service, and suddenly you are homeless and cut off from the world. Faceless and unaccountable powers are sanctioned to determine what you can and cannot do.

In effect, the house, computer, internet service, and everything else you possess is ultimately owned by the banks, and you have only conditional rights to use them as long as you conform to certain conventions.

Possession has become radically tangential, unbearably contingent, and tantalizingly ephemeral.

Now that possession only exists for the citizen in an abstract manner, while all the tools that define it are controlled by private IT firms that determine our online communication, and increasingly control local and central government as well, we have been primed for the final stage of disenfranchisement: the introduction of digital currencies that will allow hidden powers to stop ownership with the flip of a switch.

A brief history of possession

Let us consider the transformation of possession that has taken place over the last three hundred years. Ancient peoples lived in small groups and the land was common to them. The home was private property in the sense that it had belonged to the family for generations, but no individual was free to do whatever he pleased with the land he or she inhabited. The individual was part of a family and the family, as part of the community, was but custodian of the land for future generations.

Possession could not be separated from belonging. You belonged to the land, to the mountains and the rivers as much as or perhaps even more than you possessed them.

The growth of international trade in the seventeenth century, the concentration of wealth in the hands of bankers and merchants in the 18th century, the displacement of farmers from their lands

through the enclosure acts in Britain and elsewhere from that time, and the emergence of workers dependent on paid work in factories in the 19th and 20th centuries who did not own anything, could not produce their own food, and did not belong to any social institution or organization revolutionized the concept of possession.

New technologies undid or undermined the ancient technologies for growing crops, forging iron, blowing glass, weaving cloth, cobbling shoes, and generating energy by wind, water, or horse.

All around the planet, land that had belonged to the people who also belonged to it became the property of strangers, of far-off nations, and of corporations and trusts; opaque organizations that protected owners from any personal responsibility.

Along the way, the pseudo-scientific discipline of geography took hold in the universities of London and Paris, Berlin and Boston, an academic field wherein powerful people in cities made up maps with pretty colors that define where nations start and end, and which corporations or individuals owned enormous swaths of Africa, the Americas, Asia, and Oceania.

Those empowered by this seizure were refined and educated men, wearing three-piece suits when they gathered at the club for gin and tonics, surrounded by scholarly books and exquisite paintings. They then had their classmates from Oxford and Princeton pass laws in their national assemblies that made the mountains and rivers, fields and bays, and the islands and peninsulas of far-off lands suddenly theirs. It was a ridiculous magic trick that was justified by using the cloak of science and the fairy tale of civilization.

The destruction of traditional concepts of possession by a tiny handful of colonialists between the seventeenth and nineteenth centuries is immediately relevant to us because the current push to disenfranchise and destroy the mass of humanity today follows virtually that same game plan.

The cult of the new made long-term relations with places and things less important, even a burden, to those who wished to be modern, to be fashionable.

Suddenly, a two-hundred-year-old house in one's native village is worth less than a tiny apartment in the city with which one has no connection at all.

This new apartment offers a television and air conditioning, but it could be easily taken away through the use of eminent domain, rigged-up bankruptcy, or any number of tricks.

The shift in the nature of possession is also a product of the promotion of trade. The growth of global trade routes and supply chains, invisible to all but the specialists, has created a real economy, following strict rules that are never described in any newspaper.

Corporations outsource manufacturing to the far corners of the earth not simply to take advantage of low labor costs, but also for seizing complete control of how things are made, distributed, and sold. There is no recourse the citizen can take in response to the horrific economic implications of how products are manufactured before they arrive at Walmart.

And in this new economy there is no space for a craftsman, farmer, or carpenter; none of the profits find their way back to the community. Almost all gains go to the billionaires hiding behind the corporations.

Mass production is held up, without a scrap of scientific data, as a sign of human progress. A society in which the necessities of daily life are assembled by strangers, often offshore, through unaccountable corporations, is presented to our children as an ideal.

The makers of things and the users of things have been separated by an unbridgeable chasm.

To put it simply, the means of production, distribution, advertising, and consumption have been completely possessed by the billionaires.

This possession takes the form of invisible network of global manufacturing, logistics, distribution, and retail sales that is supported by the private banks that underwrite the entire game.

No political candidate of the left or right will even mention this possession of the entire system when running for office.

Money, not the ancestors, nor the traditions of the village, nor ethical imperatives to be a good son, mother, or neighbor, has become the only determinant of ownership. Money is itself a chimera cooked up by the central banks.

When philosophy was murdered in the educational system and extirpated from intellectual discourse, when citizens were violently torn away from nature, agriculture, and communities as part of a new culture of modernity that glorified the radical dependence of the individual on

systems of production that were controlled by corporations, and on money presided over by banks, they wandered out into the swamp of slavery.

But the posters around them, the popular Hollywood movies they watch, suggest that personal freedom and true self-expression can only be achieved by becoming dependent on a money economy.

As a result, most of us pass our days without asking ourselves what possession means.

Of course, you might answer, we possess our clothes, furniture, the computers that we use, the house in which we live, and that ownership is protected by laws. Our bodies are ours and we are free to choose what we buy and where we live.

That form of possession is fool's gold. Merely default on a loan, even though the money that the bank loaned you was made out of thin air. You will find that you do not own anything.

Debt is roped to possession. Everything you might desire to have, and the things the commercial media from morning to evening brainwashes you into believing that you must possess, requires that you borrow money to obtain it.

You have no choice but to take that loan in order to get the education necessary to find employment, or to buy the automobile you need to go to work.

The banks and the corporations are authorized to penalize you for nonpayment of these loans, and to fine you as they see fit for late payments. You have no right to demand anything in the contracts you must sign to get these loans.

They can easily force you to sell all your possessions to avoid homelessness and destitution. In many cases, the banks are authorized to confiscate those things with the help of the law. And the police are permitted to seize your possessions on the flimsiest of pretenses.

Your right of ownership as a citizen is radically tangential, but the possession of banks and multinational corporations is assumed to be legitimate even when it is obtained using dubious assets like derivatives and stocks. These mythical creatures create value by employing authority, media coverage, and on occasion, the threat of force.

Yet, as unreal as these products may be, the system is set up so that they can be used by institutional investors as collateral to buy up the land that we use to grow food, to control the energy that we need to move, or to heat our homes, and to monopolize everything of value in the world through acts of black magic.

Armies of economics professors and business journalists line up to give this occult form of transubstantiation a veneer of legitimacy. The primary job of experts in economics is to convince us that Wall Street represents the economy, and that the rise and fall of stock values reflect our well-being, not the profits of the rich.

But this Wall Street magic is not magic at all. They create inflation for the rest of us by devaluing the money in our bank accounts; they set up a series of financial crises for ordinary people that allow the rich to use the funny money pumped into the market by the Federal Reserve to buy up stocks or the real estate that the little people are forced to sell.

The trillions of dollars that the billionaires created in this massive Ponzi scheme called the stock market, along with trillions of dollars more produced by money laundering through the military allows them, using their various holding companies to take possession of real things like land and water, food and mineral resources, housing, and transportation systems.

It also allows them to hire advertising firms, consulting groups, and politicians to redefine the nature of possession so that their power will be unlimited, and we will be slowly reduced to slavery.

Possession is the true name of the game.

Our last stand

Sadly, the more brazen the grab for possession of everything that grows the more passive and confused the population becomes. The shifts are so dramatic, so overwhelming, that most are lost in the mad rush forward.

Following the fictions fed to them in the media, many see Warren Buffett or Elon Musk not as criminals trying to destroy humanity, but as models of how one can grow wealthy and independent by being innovative. The enemy of humanity are painted as concerned friends.

We have entered the critical period when the last traces of freedom and belonging are being swept

into the ash bin of history. All that will be left will be possession by the few and the resulting slavery for the many.

Will we have the self-awareness and bravery to make a stand?

“The Treason of the Intellectuals”

May 19, 2023

The opportunity that I had to study at Yale College as an undergraduate and later at Harvard University for my Ph.D., wandering among the gothic buildings, imbibing confidence and purpose, learning to think, and understanding how things work from distinguished scholars was a point of stubborn pride for me when I started my career as a professor, but that legacy devolved into a nightmare; a travesty.

I have watched up close how the thoughtful and insightful men and women who were my classmates at Yale and Harvard, and who were my colleagues as a professor responded to the horrific institutional decay of the United States over the past two decades. Sadly, although I fondly remember the moments of deep insight and kind exchanges of those good old days, I have observed how they, as intellectuals, lawyers, doctors, engineers, executives, professors, and government officials have betrayed their fellow citizens and buried the wisdom they obtained at those temples of learning deep in the excrement of fraud and hypocrisy.

You see, they forgot the entire point of that elite education they received. It was not supposed to be something you boasted about, or that you possessed like a yacht or a racehorse, a special key that got you into the club. No! That sort of thinking is the outgrowth of deep moral decay.

That education was a privilege, all right, but one that brought with it an absolute obligation to serve society, to stand up bravely for the interests of the nation, and above all for the interests of those who have not had the opportunity to learn how the system works, to study about science and technology, about foreign lands and ancient things.

That is right, you were given special tools to which few had access. They were given to you so that you could use them to help society, especially in times of need, in times of crisis.

And yes, that moment of crisis inevitably arrived. The 2000 election came, a moment when the entire federal government was taken over by multinational corporations and a handful of the wealthy. I looked around, and my colleagues and friends acted as if nothing had happened. They took the fictions of the New York Times as their gospel and clung ever tighter to their privileges.

Then came the collapse of the twin towers, the last card in the tarot deck, a modern miracle that

belongs in the Book of Revelations. In other words, a massive fraud that any high school student who has taken a semester of physics could see through.

And yet again, my colleagues from Yale and Harvard were silent; in many cases, they appeared at think tank seminars or on television to promote this blatant fiction and to use it as a justification for endless foreign wars, for the transfer of wealth to the billionaires.

It was, sadly, nothing other than the treason of the intellectuals.

I know that the billionaires were ultimately behind this, using their pawns and pets, but if the intellectuals, the upstanding members of society who have the specialized knowledge and ability to write effectively and the confidence to use those skills had not sided with the establishment and asked the most basic questions, the drive for war into Afghanistan, Iraq, Syria, and another dozen nations, ending at the doorsteps of Russia and China, that downward spiral could never have started.

And then there I was again, in January of 2020, in Washington DC, watching in amazement as the utterly contrived and unconvincing COVID-19 pandemic was rolled out for mass consumption. I knew that my colleagues were smart enough to see through that circus from the start, but almost without exception, they bought into the farce with enthusiasm, pride, and glee.

Some of them with medical expertise lent their credentials to this sinister operation.

I am an extremely limited man and I cannot claim any remarkable achievements, but I can say that it was obvious to me that the 2000 election, the 9.11 attacks, and the drive for war with Afghanistan and Iraq were a fraud, and I spoke openly and unambiguously about these crimes at that moment.

I felt that it was my obligation as an educated American. It was, in a sense, the entire purpose of the schooling that I had received.

My efforts, the dismissal from my job, and how I was forced out of the country remain taboo topics for my colleagues from Yale and Harvard. Mentioning what was done to me and to others like me, for opposing the COVID-19 fraud is also a no-no in the best of circles.

Let me say, dear colleagues, that I was also at fault. I did not do enough, especially to engage

working people, and I overestimated my own capacity to effect change. I was limited by the subtle arrogance of the Ivy League I had imbibed, and it took me two decades to relearn.

That is my confession, my apology, and my pledge to do better.

Now, dear colleagues, it is your turn. Admit to yourself, and to those around you, that you were wrong, that you betrayed the trust placed in you by society, by those around you who did not receive such illustrious educations, when you played stupid in the face of the 2000 elections, the 9.11 incident, the drive for world war starting in Afghanistan, and finally the COVID-19 pandemic operation.

We can be forgiving of your mistakes, but only if you are ready to ask for forgiveness.

We are waiting now for your answers, for your pledges, and for your actions. We hope you will make proper use of the education that you have received at this moment of national crisis.

(*The Treason of the Intellectuals* is the title of a famous book written by Julien Benda in 1927 that describes the failures of the intellectuals to respond to the challenges of the age. I do not entirely agree with Benda's analysis and I am borrowing the powerful title without accepting the entire argument)

“The Bitter Tonic Known as Truth”

July 18, 2023

Our hearts go out to those who were forced to engage in unnatural and unfair activities in a desperate attempt to preserve their sanity and save their families. But we have to admit now that although what we did made sense to us at the time, it was wrong, and it must end.

Playing along with the COVID-19 narrative was immoral and it was illegal.

The repetition of the bland phrase “during the pandemic” must end, too.

We need to make sure that the words we speak correspond with the reality that we see around us. Otherwise, we will be sucked into what Rudolf Steiner called “the karma of untruthfulness.” When we adhere to horrific lies that act will make it easier, precisely because so many people cling to those fabrications, the propagation of even more horrific lies in the future.

Accepting lies as truths makes abominations thinkable and genocide reasonable. No wonder that nuclear war with Russia now seems plausible for policy makers. No wonder that the destruction of our soil and oceans sounds like a good business opportunity for Wall Street.

The first step we must take is to end this pattern and interrupt the fiction that keeps on circulating, the evil that keeps on giving. We must recognize that when we say people died of COVID-19, we are acting as knowing accomplices to a crime. Lots of people have died of different causes, including some who’ve died because of the use of bioweapons, the nature of which remains unclear even today.

But there was never any COVID-19. That was the whole point of the operation. If there had been a real pandemic, it would not have served to accustom citizens to embracing hypocrisy, to accepting lies as truths in daily life.

They could easily have created a real pandemic, one that killed millions with real lethal viruses, but they chose not to do so because the goal was to undermine the authority of institutions, and to weaken the foundations of civil society.

Killing people with a virus was not the point. Killing people with a vaccine, however, was quite

effective.

That was the same script for the 9.11 incident. A real terrorist attack that made sense could have been easily carried out. But they chose to add in buildings collapsing at freefall speed into their own footprint in blatant defiance of the laws of physics.

That was no accident. No, that was the whole point: degrade the public's ability to think and compromise all intellectuals (except a tiny handful who sacrificed themselves and were then completely ignored).

That left us without anyone to trust, and institutions that are dishonest by nature. Call them Harvard or the New York Times if you want; the criminality cannot be hidden by using fancy names.

And so here we are, in the age of monsters.

And what is the solution?

There is only one solution. There is only one medicine in the cabinet that has a chance of curing this gangrene of the soul. It is that alkaline purgative that we are loath to drink, that bitter tonic known as truth.

“Address to the Poor of the United States”

September 27, 2023

I am certain, at the very moment I utter these words, that you are astonished to hear them, amazed to be the subject of a carefully-crafted political speech. Why might that be? You are astounded for the simple reason that, as we know so painfully well, the poor do not exist in American politics.

It is not simply because the two political parties, the Whores and the Pimps, must spend all their time bowing their heads low before the cruel gods, the billionaires, the bankers, and their lackeys in order to enjoy the pleasures of the flesh. No, there is a deeper denial taking place in America as the wheels come off the cart.

A vast blanket of amnesia has been draped over the country, and whereas organizing the poor, or leading the workers in a struggle for justice was a significant part of politics in a previous age, we have only cardboard progressives today, men and women who talk about the needs of the middle class, by which they mean those who are visible from the celestial heights of the billionaires in their spacecraft above.

We hold, however, that if the poor cannot be mentioned, if they are assumed to be as insignificant as cockroaches and maggots to the billionaires who pull the strings, then verily we may pronounce that if the poor do not exist, then democracy does not exist either.

For that matter, if the poor who struggle to earn a few dollars at part-time jobs, or try to keep warm in their makeshift houses rigged up with plastic and cardboard, together with their undernourished children, if they do not mean anything to the overfed politicians, the corporate lobbyists, the revolving door bureaucrats, or the plastic journalists, then governance does not exist in America. The Constitution, the Bill of Rights, and the Declaration of Independence thus become worthless scraps of paper better used to mop up the vomit of a starving man sitting in a private prison in solitary confinement, better used as a diaper for the premature baby born to a girl working at McDonalds who suffers endless diarrhea, or better used to fill the cracks in the wall where the piercing cold wind gets through to an aged man scraping dog food into a bowl for his dinner.

Why they want you poor

We have had enough of that middle class fairy tale that suggests that there is something shameful

about poverty, that being poor means that one is a failure. But it is wealth, not poverty, that is shameful in this age.

We have had enough of that blame the victim routine. The poor are poor because the multinational corporations want them to be poor. They also want you poor, so that you will do anything to get a meal, and never be able to get the education necessary to oppose their tyrannical rule. They do not think the indigent are people. We are all just pieces in a labor market, and the bankers demand flexibility at any cost.

They want you poor so that those who have real jobs will always be terrified that the impoverished will take their jobs. The billionaires want the so-called middle class to be afraid of you, not to be afraid of the billionaires, who are marketed 24-7 as the friends of the middle class, the defenders of Twitter, and other psychological operations meant to dumb down citizens.

Yes, we have had enough of this! Somewhere I heard, “Blessed are the poor, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven”.

What does that mean? Could it mean that our salvation lies not with Bill Gates and Elon Musk or the other gaudy members of the parasite class, but that the promise for our future is there with you, the poor, the downtrodden, and the despised?

Yes, you know exactly how things work, and you are not trying to deceive yourself into believing that somehow things are just fine when they are not.

You have no need to deceive yourselves because you have seen things exactly as they are.

You know how things work in America. You know that there is nothing more expensive than having no money. Whether you are forced to ride on horribly overpriced public transportation, pay a fortune for hospitals because you cannot afford healthcare, or eat processed junk food because your job will not give you the time to feed yourself, you know that you are forced to pay all your money to survive, and then to go into debt, if you are allowed to go into debt. Many of you will go slowly into the cold, into despair, and into hunger.

On race and immigration

Let me say a word about race and immigration because these are the two topics that the billionaires

love to use to divide Americans, to get the little man to fight the little man while THE MAN makes out like a bandit, leaving us confused and docile, ready to accept his murderous demands.

No one knows this scam better than the poor.

Racism has existed for a long time in the United States. It is a product of ignorance, fear, and the projection of deep insecurities onto others. Racism was used by the man to justify holding black people as slaves, so that workers would be forced to labor for less, and industrialists and merchants could become rich.

Contempt for the native peoples was taught to whites in America so that no one would question the seizure of their lands. Now we know that the rich planned to seize all the land of all men and women. They just started with the native people.

We must not forget the racist tales told to our people that resulted in such cruelty, that caused such pain. But we most certainly cannot allow the billionaires to use the race card to cover over, to obscure, the real battle in our country; the battle of class; the battle of all of us against a handful of the super-rich.

The poor do not exist, but race is a hot topic every day. The radical concentration of wealth never happened, but attacks on minorities are broadcast on TV without end.

Some of those attacks are real and are the sad efforts of certain individuals to blame the crimes they have suffered at the hands of the billionaires on blacks, Asians, or other immigrants.

Many of those attacks these days are false flag operations set up by corrupt parts of the police and private intelligence firms so as to give those watching TV the impression that some sort of race war is going on. Maybe one day we will learn which part of the story was true.

Black versus white and fear of Asians or Hispanics would never have become such enormous problems if we had not commercial media telling us for the last 150 years that they are problems.

Some of you are poor immigrants, perhaps forced to come here when multinational corporations seized your land in Haiti or Chile, or when banks destroyed your jobs in Argentina or Mexico. You know that blaming immigrants for the sins of the rich is the oldest trick in the book. We must defeat our common enemy here and back there so that we can all go home again.

The tricks of the trade

Our money economy does not offer anything to support the poor. Occasionally, the government offers scams and tricks to lure you into fatal “public-private partnerships” created to exploit you, to make you even more desperate. Most of the smiling politicians would rather have you locked up in prisons where you can create tremendous profits for their pals in the prison-industrial complex. They would rather you generate 100,000 dollars a year for them as a prisoner than give you a dollar to feed your children. In fact, there is nothing they would like better than to force you to commit a crime so that they can lock you up and shower money on their for-profit police forces.

If we want to save this country, we must start with you, the poor, the downtrodden. If you have the opportunity to feed yourselves, educate yourselves, and be independent of the parasite economy rigged up by the billionaires, then you will transform our nation with your own hands and create a democratic and equal society.

Democracy can never be and will never be trickle-down. It can only be built from the bottom up.

We know that poverty is what awaits most of those in that middle class in the years ahead. The sooner they figure out that their interests are the same as yours, and that the billionaires are not entrepreneurs and innovators, but their sworn class enemies, the sooner they will smarten up and join you in your struggle for freedom and liberty.

On socialism

Perhaps you noticed that Congress passed a resolution by an overwhelming margin on February 2nd entitled “Denouncing the Horrors of Socialism.” The resolution states that “Congress denounces socialism in all its forms, and opposes the implementation of socialist policies in the United States of America.”

You as poor people have never enjoyed the socialism for billionaires by which the Federal Reserve and Congress sprinkle trillions of dollars on the rich, so you are no doubt scratching your head about what is so frightening about the word “socialism.”

Socialism has many meanings, and there have been flaws in various socialist projects over the years. However, the United States has embraced numerous socialist policies over the last century. In fact, whether it is public education, social security, Medicare, workers’ rights, or vacations and

overtime, the socialist policies adopted by the United States are the most popular policies carried out by the government.

No, socialism is being painted as a devil because the billionaires behind the congressmen never, never, never want you to think that the federal government might be empowered to seize the wealth of Pfizer and Moderna, and of its owners, to compensate you for those vaccines, or that the government could be reinvented in order to protect the poor and stand up for workers. No, you have never heard of that idea. Forget that I ever mentioned it.

I stand with the poor

I stand with you, the poor, and I pledge that you will be at the center of our new economy. I do not ask for handouts for you. No! You do not need handouts. Handouts are what our government gives to billionaires and multinational corporations, neither of which are American in any sense of the word.

All you need is to be treated as humans, respected as people with souls and feelings, with families and beliefs. All you need is to be given what those of privilege, those who refer to themselves deviously as “middle class,” get for free.

**“The Forbidden Truth:
Israel and the U.S. are Toys of the Billionaires”
October 15, 2023**

Rivers of blood and piles of rubble mark the wounds that cover both Palestine and Israel, which are made of the same soil and water, and all inhabited by people; plain people. These wounds are traces of a subterranean battle involving Jews, Arabs, and plenty of secret partners, a battle that now threatens the entire world in the manner that the killing of Archduke Ferdinand of the Austro-Hungarian Empire threatened Europe in 1914.

The one thing that the politicians have not been saying to you in the days after the attacks that left Israelis, and then many more Palestinians dead, is that we should make sure we know what happened before we take any action, that we should know who our true enemies are before we start swinging a sword.

They know full well that once the Israeli Defense Forces start the process of starving and killing the impoverished people of Gaza, there will be no way back to reason, to levelheaded policy. We will be committed to a horrific war that we never wanted. That is the whole point. Once you tell millions of people trapped in a ghetto to disappear or else, then anything, any horrible thing, becomes possible.

And the Jewish protesters in New York City demanding that all Palestinians in Gaza be eliminated were clearly crisis actors, not thoughtful citizens. We are witnessing a show, but the deaths that will follow will be no show.

This rush to action, to judgment, this jump deep into clouded hysteria is not accidental.

No, it was the whole purpose of the media blitz, just as was the case after the 9.11 incident, to corral us into taking irreversible steps that will not only leave hundreds of thousands in Palestine dead but could easily extend to a war between Israel and Iran, the United States and Iran, or the United States, NATO, and Israel against Russia and Iran. That is to say a world war, the world war that some sick souls have been hankering after for years.

Let me first declare that I do not know what exactly happened. That puts me light years ahead of those media pundits, politicians, and government representatives who assume that they know everything based on news sources, intelligence reports, and gossip that have been wrong in almost

every case for the last twenty-three years.

We are forced by circumstances to theorize as to what might have happened. I must speculate here in good faith, in accord with the scientific method, while asking to be corrected where I fall short. We do not have time to wait fifty years for all the classified directives to be made public.

First, this attack attributed to Hamas is of a scale and intensity that could not possibly have been carried out without the full knowledge of the IDF, granted the millions that they pay out to informants in the occupied territories, and the tens of billions they pay for sensors, drones, satellites, and the most advanced surveillance technology in the world, partially funded by the American taxpayer.

We also know that Israeli Prime Minister Netanyahu faces extreme unpopularity with the vast majority of the Jewish population that is enraged by his corruption and engaged in massive protests against his vicious oppression of Jewish workers.

Elements in the Israeli military and intelligence have stated that they are in clear opposition to Netanyahu and that they would not tolerate his seizure of control of the judicial branch of government as part of a bid to take over the entire country. That is precisely what he has done since these attacks using the shock doctrine.

What better moment to play footsie with Hamas, which has cooperated with corrupt elements of the Israeli military before, and to create an incident that leads to war?

It is not simply Israel's own little 9.11?

But it just starts there. Now that the United States has completely bought into the war on Hamas, with President Biden referring to Hamas as "pure unadulterated evil", we can feel that the door has been thrown open for something even bigger, even more horrific.

We also know that "pure unadulterated evil" is precisely the language used by the Nazi Party against the Jews before they were disenfranchised, put in camps, and then exterminated.

It is not simply that Israel, with the backing of all the governments of major industrial countries, will cut off water, food, and electricity to Palestinians who are living in squalor while bombing their apartment houses to pieces and driving them into the sea.

A war with Iran is just around the corner. All we need is some headline on CNN screaming that somehow Iran was involved (and Israel, of course, was not). That missing link will be like the evidence for Al Qaeda that suddenly appeared after 9.11.

Iran has always expressed support for Hamas, and a war with Iran will naturally follow the path already carefully laid out towards a war with Russia and Iran, and that, in turn, will drag in NATO, and just about every other country whose leaders have signed these classified agreements for intelligence sharing and military cooperation with the United States or NATO over the last few years of international diplomatic carnivals.

This creation of an unaccountable chain of command for the militaries of each country in the West, farmed out to private IT firms like Amazon, Google, and Facebook follows precisely the model employed to launch World War One.

After the assassination of Archduke Ferdinand, the nations of England, France, and Russia followed a plan for war like clockwork, as if the politicians and generals had been replaced by pre-programmed machines. Later, the world would learn that these countries had signed a series of secret treaties that overruled all national debate on military action and made world war possible.

You might ask, fairly, who could possibly want a world war that would leave hundreds of millions dead and that might even end life on earth in a nuclear holocaust?

Only a psychopath, you might think, would want that.

Ah, there's the rub! For behold, the world is run by psychopaths these days.

World war offers two precious gifts to the psychopathic rich and powerful in the days and months before it leads to mass slaughter and calamity for all.

First, world war reinforces the power of the state, giving new authority to corrupt and discredited institutions, whether the Center for Disease Control, Harvard University, or the New York Times, the institutions that dragged humanity through the mud of the COVID fraud and the controlled demolition of society by global finance. Ratcheting things up to world war may be the only thing left in the toolboxes of the Netanyahu and Biden administrations at this point.

Second, world war creates massive consumption and demand. The killing of millions will create a call for corporations to supply weapons and fuel and other products, an excuse to seize control of the means of finance, production, and distribution.

The deep contradictions of a narcissistic consumption culture, and the dangers resulting from the systematic overproduction thus created can be swept under the rug, at least for a little while, by a war.

As far as the myopic politicians are concerned, the bigger and more destructive the war the better.

The government of Israel is dominated by the wealthy, as are the governments of the United States, Russia, China, Germany, and even Iran. The war between cultures and ethnicities that are being planned serves as cover for a more systematic war of the few against the vast majority of humanity; a global class war.

Did I mention that the rich are psychopaths?

They are willing to take any risk, especially if it is others who will do the dying, in order to protect themselves, and their asses—I mean, their assets.

Let us talk about the peculiar relationship between the state of Israel and the United States.

If we want to pull back from the edge of world war, we must first start to speak honestly about what Israel is, and what it is not, and how Israel is oddly, conversely, paradoxically tied to the United States.

Israel and the United States have a lot in common and perhaps that is one of the reasons that they have been strangely bound together.

Palestine was imagined as a place of refuge for Jews from across Europe from the 1890s, and especially in the 1930s. These Jews had suffered terrible discrimination and violence and had suffered it for centuries. The Jewish settlements in Palestine offered hope to those who were rounded up later in ghettos, deported to concentration camps, and packed into trains for passage to the death camps.

After the Second World War, the state of Israel was established and it offered the hope of a

homeland to surviving Jews, one that they thought could be defended, unlike the ghettos of Eastern Europe that were ruthlessly liquidated.

But that homeland did not appear from nowhere and it was not granted to the Jews by God. It had been thousands of years since Jews had their kingdom there. No, that “state” of Israel was bound up with British imperial interests, and other causes of a completely different nature.

No, the land was seized from the Palestinians who had lived there for centuries, and it was they who were driven from their homes by Jewish settlers, just as Jews had been driven from their homes by Germans, Poles, and Ukrainians.

The promise of a covenant between this new Israel and the sorrowful Jews left behind after the slaughter in the camps of Poland and Russia required that the people of Palestine disappear, just as Jews had been disappeared.

This was the sin that could not be erased, as hard as Jews tried thereafter.

There were plenty of Jews who went to the United States too, and they found in America great promise and opportunity that they could not find in Europe with its deep hostilities against Jews.

I need pause here and mention that my father’s family were Jews who came to America with nothing. Their village outside of Budapest was destroyed during the Holocaust and no longer remains. They found great opportunities here. This tragedy of America, and its ties to the Middle East, and to Israel, is directly related to me, even though I have never stepped foot in Israel.

An odd relationship has developed between the United States and Israel over the last eighty years. It is not a clear relationship, and is not legally defined, and it has been tied to the long shadow of the British Empire that had reached its fingers deep into both countries, especially during the Second World War.

We cannot talk about Israel without talking about the “spider’s web,” the hidden network of finance that lurks in the remnants of the British Empire. You see, Israel was founded in Palestine, a British imperial experiment to extend British power into the Middle East and to get control of petroleum.

Israel should be thought of as a parallel to the British Virgin Islands, the Cayman Islands, Bermuda,

and other former British colonies that became places to hide money, to pay people off in secret, and ultimately the tax-free unaccountable homes for many multinational corporations that claim to be American.

Israel, behind the honest efforts of Holocaust survivors to build a new life, became a part of that spider's web of money, intelligence, and special services for the rich and powerful.

As the wealth of the few in the United States and Israel increased, as the militaries of both countries became a larger and larger part of the economies, a new level of corruption, unimaginable corruption, set in and reached to the bone.

The United States and Israel ended up having the closest of ties in the military and intelligence, and yet there was no formal alliance treaty to define what this alliance was. The special relationship with Israel was not to be found in the Capitol, nor in the Knesset.

No, the heart of the alliance was something informal among military contractors, intelligence subcontractors, financial institutions tied to both countries, and to London and other informal relationships, often controlled by the extremely wealthy, often classified.

Massive amounts of money, supposedly for the defense of Israel, floated around in this spider's web of military contractors, just out of sight, in both countries. Or, maybe not. No one could be sure where that money really went.

That deepening corruption, that underground river of filth that flowed beneath both the United States and Israel fed a rot in institutions, and that made the 9.11 incident possible.

Dark powers in the United States, Israel, and elsewhere created a crisis then that drew attention away from domestic corruption under the Bush administration in 2001, and launched a global war that would distract the world for over 20 years.

9.11 was blamed on Islam, and it was used as an excuse to wage war on numerous nations who had little or nothing to do with any of this "terrorism."

The billionaires made Israel and the United States their toys, using the armies, the economies, and the technologies of these two countries to advance their plans for world domination.

The hidden nature of US-Israel ties was perfect for their preparations.

This informal alliance was the best place to plan for the conquest of the world by global finance, out of sight, in the corners, on the edges.

The commercialization of the surveillance and control technology developed by Israel in the occupied territories, and its employment across the world, is the hidden part of the current operation, but it must be taken just as seriously.

At this very moment the Israeli Defense Forces plan to level Gaza, the United States, the European Union, and many other countries are implementing radical policies to limit free speech on the internet. This is no coincidence. It is the underbelly of the military plan.

The expertise of Israel in surveillance tracking, internet administration, and psychological control has been privatized and sold to corporate powers around the world who use it to track and manipulate citizens in the United States and China, Germany, Russia, virtually everywhere using technologies and expertise controlled by Israeli IT and intelligence firms.

These forces, which have nothing to do with working Jews in Israel, but everything to do with the Israel that is embedded in the labyrinth, have taken over the IT functions of local governments across the United States, and increasingly they are the space where the functions of the police are outsourced to unaccountable forces.

Whether it is the border with Mexico or downtown Detroit, the United States is becoming the occupied territories. To say the United States is occupied by Israel is not correct, but Israel is being used as the conduit, the means, to extend corporate control over us.

Finally, we must recognize that as this scheme for total global control starts to fall apart, the rich and powerful will quickly launch into a “blame the Jews” campaign, just as they did in the 1930s. The financial collapse will be blamed on Israel, and on the vilified Jew. Do not deceive yourself.

If Netanyahu calls the Palestinians “animals” today, future politicians in the United States and Europe will not hesitate to refer to the Jews in similar terms to avoid exposing the true hidden hand of the entangled economy spread out in the tainted ashes of the British Empire.

And so here we are. We see the children of the Jews who watched furious Germans and Poles

screaming for the murder of their ancestors, and what are they doing? They are collaborating with the dark forces planning the liquidation of all Palestinians in Gaza.

A horrible karma has come to pass.

What do we do?

No one in the halls of government in the United States dares to admit that this attack on Israel may have been, or probably was planned by a desperate lot of rich Israelis as a way of making sure their corrupt administration stayed in power, but everyone in Washington knows that forbidden truth. They are just afraid to say it.

No one dares admit that this campaign to flatten Gaza is perfectly designed to spark a war with Iran, which will lead inevitably to a war with Russia, and then to a world war.

But everyone in Washington knows exactly what is happening, and they know why.

Those in the halls of government, looking so respectable and authoritative, repeat fictions, platitudes, and fairy tales, while knowing through a mirror darkly that something quite different is going on, that the gates of hell have been opened wide, even if they are decorated with pretty ornaments to make them seem less dangerous.

And so here we are, in the age of monsters.

What is the answer? There is only one answer. Peace is the answer, but it must be a real peace, a spiritual peace, a peace rooted in the moral, in the righteous. No frauds can bring us peace now.

And what is the solution? There is only one solution. There is only one medicine in the cabinet that has a chance of curing this gangrene of the soul. It is that caustic purgative that we are loath to drink, that bitter tonic known as truth.

**“On Evil and Beyond Gaza:
Response to President Biden’s Speech in Israel”
October 20, 2023**

President Biden rushed to Israel to give his blessings, and those of the United States, and of anyone else so foolish to join the parade, to whatever Israel and the United States may do after the more than ambiguous attacks of Hamas.

President Biden declared, unambiguously stated, that Hamas had “unleashed pure unadulterated evil on the world.” He was repeating a script that someone on his staff had handed him, and he did so without any feelings or insights, just playing the role assigned to him by the rich and powerful as a pathetically broken man in a hopelessly broken system.

One must ask whether President Biden would know what evil is if it was wrapped around his neck, if it was hugging him like a brother, or if it looked him in the eyes from the other side of the mirror.

The cynicism with which Biden’s handlers throw around the word evil should not blind us to the blight wrought by something horrible that we see all around us; whether it is mothers caring for their sons gone blind from vaccines in Atlanta, or fathers carrying their crumpled daughters’ bodies wrapped in cardboard in Gaza.

President Biden’s speech was a fraud, but evil is no fraud.

Although my focus must fall, perforce, on policy, and I should leave debates on evil to learned professors of philosophy or men and women of the faith, nevertheless I feel compelled to speak out today about evil, because our failure to understand its essence will be our undoing. If we fail to grasp evil in its true nature, we may well roll blindly into a world war over the next month that will leave millions dead. There is not much time left, and this is no occasion for self-deception or complacency.

Evil is real and it is not limited to the teachings of religious scriptures.

Evil is rarely an ugly monster that terrifies children with sharp claws and jagged fangs like Godzilla tearing through Tokyo.

No, evil is often seductive, attractive, and even enticing, leading us to accept it as a friend, an ally, because it flatters us and makes us feel more important than others, because it whispers in our ears that it is okay to do terrible things if no one else knows what we have done.

Evil is invisible; it morphs into one form, and then into another, taking on the attributes that we most desire and then vanishing suddenly, mysteriously, leaving us wondering why we have so much blood on our hands.

Although Hollywood movies suggest that evil is perpetrated by some diabolical genius behind the curtains, more often than not the origins of immorality are banal and ordinary, something mentioned in passing at a backyard barbeque. Original acts of evil do not draw attention to themselves at all and therefore are easily passed over without comment.

That is the threat of a trite and undetectable evil that Hannah Arendt described thus:

“Evil is never ‘radical;’ it is only extreme. It possesses neither depth nor any demonic dimension. It can overgrow and lay waste the whole world precisely because it spreads like a fungus on the surface. Evil defies thought because when thought tries to go to the roots of evil, it is frustrated, finding nothing there. That is the ‘banality’ of evil.”

I am struggling to uncover the nature of evil because it threatens us Americans from within.

I am forced to recognize that I do not have to go to Gaza to find evil. No, I do not even need to go beyond the beltway. In fact, I do not even need to leave my comfortable living room or turn off my television.

As I watched President Biden there speaking in Israel, I felt as if he was animated by some power beyond himself, beyond even his staff and his political party. Something was sloughing to Jerusalem to be born in the backrooms of private intelligence firms and weapons contractors hidden behind the Stars and Stripes and the Star of David that adorned the stage.

When President Biden stated,

“I come to Israel with a single message: you are not alone. ... as long as the United States stands ... we’re going to stand by your side.”

He was suggesting that some horrific war has already been decided by those hidden powers and now it is time for Arabs, and Israelis and Americans as well to die in large numbers. If it means the end of Israel and the United States, he hints, so be it. “As long as the United States stands” means “until the United States is destroyed.”

President Biden further stated,

“If Israel didn’t exist, we would have to invent it.”

The investment banks who have made a fortune by using Israeli security forces and IT to intimidate others and increase their profits, they most certainly knew what he meant. For, without doubt, the banks will have to invent a new Israel to do their bidding if this one is destroyed by the apocalypse they have planned out.

But perhaps the most disturbing part of the speech came after Biden said that this was not just “Israel’s 9.11,” it was “fifteen 9.11s.” Most people already know, even if they cannot come out and admit it, that 9.11 was the global military-intelligence-finance complex declaring war on the citizens of the earth.

To think that this is now going to be 15 times the millions killed in blind wars for profit is truly frightening.

Yes, one can almost sense that evil is lurking somewhere there in the corners of Biden’s forced smile.

And then President Biden described the Israeli response to this “9.11 of their own,” saying,

“I am sure those horrors have tapped into some kind of primal feeling, shock, pain, rage, an all-consuming rage. Justice must be done.”

That is to say that an “all-consuming rage” that banishes reason, and stops dead the search for truth, must be the only response possible to this still ambiguous event. That “all-consuming rage” that the commercial media keeps harping on is precisely the door through which the darkest evil can pass unnoticed.

It could be that a catastrophic war with Iran is coming, as Biden implied when he mentioned the movement of military assets such as the USS Ford aircraft carrier strike group to the Eastern Mediterranean, to be joined by the aircraft carrier USS Eisenhower.

Most certainly these massive clusters of weapons are not meant to attack the impoverished people huddled in Gaza. They are meant to start bombing Iran at any moment.

The more I thought about this terrible turn of events, the more I was drawn back to the elegant speech that Reverend Martin Luther King delivered on April 4, 1967, exactly one year before he was assassinated, one of the most powerful speeches delivered in American history.

When Dr. King delivered the speech “Beyond Vietnam: A Time to Break Silence” at Riverside Church in New York City, he revealed to all the true form of a thoughtful and committed man of God who had wrestled with evil, tried to make a deal with lesser evils, and then was forced to come to the painful conclusion that it was his moral duty to break his studied silence about that project of death because it had infected every corner of American society.

Dr. King used the title “Beyond Vietnam” because he knew that the illness was a spiritual one and it went far beyond the specifics of Vietnam. He did not want to get lost in the details. He spoke to the point,

“The war in Vietnam is but a symptom of a far deeper malady within the American spirit, and if we ignore this sobering reality, we will find ourselves organizing “clergy-and laymen-concerned committees” for the next generation.

“The words of the late John F. Kennedy come back to haunt us. Five years ago, he said, ‘Those who make peaceful revolution impossible will make violent revolution inevitable.’

“Increasingly, by choice or by accident, this is the role our nation has taken: the role of those who make peaceful revolution impossible by refusing to give up the privileges and the pleasures that come from the immense profits of overseas investment.

“I am convinced that if we are to get on the right side of the world revolution, we as a nation must undergo a radical revolution of values.

“We must rapidly begin the shift from a ‘thing-oriented’ society to a ‘person-oriented’

society. When machines and computers, profit motives and property rights are considered more important than people, the giant triplets of racism, materialism, and militarism are incapable of being conquered.

“A true revolution of values will look uneasily on the glaring contrast of poverty and wealth. With righteous indignation, it will look across the seas and see individual capitalists of the West investing huge sums of money in Asia, Africa, and South America, only to take the profits out with no concern for the social betterment of the countries and say: ‘This is not just.’”

I had the arrogance, confidence, and craftiness to imagine myself as a president. And yet, heeding Dr. King’s words, I must say as that as I witnessed President Biden invoking a new world war like a vengeful god, I felt that must also say loudly and clearly, that this, my brothers and sisters, this is not just.

We are opening the doors for untold evil to spill out over the world, and the cynical backroom boys are betting that we will convince ourselves that because we were not directly involved in this first step of the war, therefore, somehow, we think that we are not responsible.

Sadly, history will judge us quite differently.

“Protest against the illegal Arrest of Reiner Fuellmich by the German Government”
October 22, 2023

I would like to speak with you tonight about an extremely important and disturbing incident: the arrest of the lawyer responsible for a profoundly significant effort to uncover the crimes being undertaken by a network of criminal elements around the world to lock us down, and to destroy our bodily and mental freedoms.

I am talking about the lawyer, Reiner Fuellmich, who was arrested in Germany, after being taken back illegally from the German embassy in Mexico. I don't have time today to detail all the efforts of Fuellmich's International Crimes Investigative Committee to unveil the criminality creeping up in practically every country in the world.

What I do want to stress is that we must unite to support not only him, but thousands of people like him who are standing up against the efforts to turn governments into the puppets of corporations, international banks, and the billionaire class, the parasite class, that lurks behind them.

We know that if we do not stop this effort to destroy the rule of law, at every level, to create a separate realm that belongs only to the very wealthy and powerful, we are guaranteed a global fascistic system which will, if it can, exterminate us in precisely the way that was attempted in Europe in the 1940s.

I want to also stress that this effort to suppress someone working so hard to enforce the rule of law and to bring the truth to everybody, at precisely the moment that a drive is on to start a world war between Israel and Iran, including the United States and conceivably many other countries is no coincidence, but in fact, they are parallel.

One is an effort to force-feed us war as the basis for law, governance, and the economy; the other is an attempt to destroy all the foundations for the rule of law and for rights for citizens.

Finally, I want to say that although I fully understand those of you who have felt skeptical or doubtful of my campaign, and who perhaps feel that men like Robert Kennedy Jr. or Professor Cornel West would be more appropriate, more famous, or freer to appear on platforms such as CNN or Democracy Now, there is good reason at this moment to support me, because I am

literally the only one who is capable of addressing the true crimes and the threats that we face today.

If we cannot name the crimes, if we cannot identify the enemy, there is no way that either beautiful words or rapid action can have any possible favorable outcome. And we know all too well that these invisible powers have already set up for us a baited gambit, giving us false choices, whether it be between Trump and Biden, or Hamas and the Israeli military, choices which are intended to confuse and divide us against each other so that we cannot come together in opposition to this domination of the entire world by the billionaire class.

“Tribute to the Genius of Elon Musk”

December 6, 2023

In this age of overwhelming threats, when danger and decay lurk in every corner, it is most fitting, most appropriate, for us now to praise famous men. And the most famous of the famous, the most innovative genius who stands out in the star-studded high-tech landscape of innovators is without any doubt Mr. Elon Musk.

It is not merely Mr. Musk’s entrepreneurial spirit in revolutionizing transportation with his Tesla electric car, nor his dream of autonomous transportation which is safer than human drivers, nor his visionary embrace of artificial intelligence made manifest in the numerous products developed by OpenAI. Indeed, it is not only his revolutionary SpaceX or his ambitious Starlink satellite system, nor, for that matter, is his genius limited to his commitment to free speech as articulated in his full-throated defense of X, the social media platform formerly known as Twitter.

No, Mr. Musk has grasped something essential about entrepreneurship, investment savvy, technology, culture, and even geopolitics in a prescient, insightful, and perspicacious manner.

But wait, wait one minute! I seem to have been led astray. I started talking like an American politician!

What was I thinking? Was I assuming that the path to power leads forward over the slippery inflated egos of billionaire predators, of the economic parasites who attribute the loot that they take from innocent citizens to their brilliance, after buying off government officials and privatizing government services? Such thieves are not legends in their own time, but legends in their own minds.

No, I think that dose of intoxicating elitist establishment opium is wearing off, and, verily, I can see clearly now!

Yes, Mr. Musk is most certainly a genius, but a genius of a very different genus.

He has a genius for greed, for cruelty, for hypocrisy, and for a psychopathic inability to recognize the evil of his own deeds.

Telsa? A scam to use tax dollars in the form of subsidies to make a fortune that was then multiplied in the casino known as the stock and derivatives market to produce an overpriced luxury car available to only the few at the expense of workers.

PayPal? A fraudulent means of sending money that was achieved by bribing government officials around the world and granting special rights to a privileged elite class.

OpenAI? The development of systems for dumbing down the population and destroying jobs and civil society at the citizens' expense; the technological equivalent of telling people to dig their own graves.

Neuralink? A project for dangerous experimentation without accountability on the unsuspecting brains of the innocent intended not to enhance the intelligence of the individual, but to allow the multinational corporation to reach its grubby hands deep into your mind and feed garbage into your soul.

SpaceX and Starlink? The launching of numerous dangerous satellites and other classified weapons systems at the taxpayers' expense using the most brutal forms of bribery-driven privatization.

And there are plenty more innovative frauds that Mr. Musk has undertaken. In fact, given all the money he has spread around, he could not go wrong.

Oh, did I forget? No, no, it was Mr. Musk who forgot. He forgot to pay taxes as he made billions and billions of dollars using government credits around the world that were paid for with, well, your taxes; your hard-earned money. That is right, your money is what has made him a billionaire many times over.

At the same time, we must recognize that Mr. Musk would not have gotten this far without the cooperation of a vast horde of collaborators and accomplices, including many who should have known better, and many who did know better, but who took the hook because of their greed and simple evil hidden in the folds of their hearts.

No, Mr. Musk is no hero, and most certainly he is not a workingman's hero. Perhaps he is an idol for rapacious billionaires who seek innovative ways to squeeze the common man even

more. Why Mr. Musk offers tremendous innovations in raking workers over the coals and then brainwashing them into thinking he is their defender.

I must admit that I almost threw up my lunch when I saw Robert F. Kennedy Jr. interview Elon Musk and praise him, gushing, “I just want to tell you how much I admire you for your work, and how grateful I am on behalf of my country. You came here from another country and became a key instrument for rescuing American democracy and freedom of speech.” Mr. Kennedy, a man I once looked up to for his brave stand against vaccines, stooped to praise the self-crowned Musk, just as Elon was in the middle of destroying what was left of free speech in that psychological operation and marketing tool formally known as Twitter.

Kennedy’s glaring hypocrisy then, as much as his embrace of Israeli cruelty later, not only ripped the mask off the Hyannis Port mystique, but it also revealed just how low the standards have fallen for politicians today.

It is clear that if you do not kiss the ring of King Musk, you are finished in the political realm, or in most any domain of public discourse.

Let me draw a line in the sand today, stark, plain, like an iron curtain, a DMZ, between me and the rest of these politicians who swarm like maggots when the billionaires toss out scraps.

My first day in office will be Elon Musk’s last day of freedom to wreak havoc in America. He will be arrested for his crimes; he will have all of his assets seized, including those he hides behind various overseas trusts and funds. All the documents held by his spider’s web of corporations, as well as all the classified documentation related to his covert work with the US, Israeli and other militaries, intelligence agencies, and governments, will be released to the world, in unedited form, so that you the people will have a full picture of his remarkable criminality.

Certainly, we will need those funds to compensate those crippled by the technologies that he has pushed (while brilliantly claiming to be worried about AI), to compensate those he has robbed with his financial scams to enrich himself at the expense of the working class.

Oh, yes!

Holler out, from coast to coast, from sea to shining sea, “There is no man in this country above the law; no man who can simply print up his own money at our expense to enrich himself because he has bought off all the gatekeepers or lulled them to sleep with his AI algorithms.”

For truly, “This land is your land, and this land is my land!”

Without any doubt, “This land was made for you and me.”

And this land is not for parasite billionaires and their spawn, nor is it for the zombie politicians they have licking at palms of their hands. Good riddance and good night!

“Condemn the execution of Kenneth Smith and the ominous slide of the United States into Barbarism”

January 26, 2024

At the precise moment that the hyperventilating media is encouraging citizens to worry about Donald Trump returning to power at the head of a fascist military regime, or to worry about Joe Biden continuing in power as the vegetative head of the deep state pushing for world war on every front, or to worry about the complete lack of choices, a horribly significant event took place in the state of Alabama on Thursday, January 25.

Kenneth Smith was killed using nitrogen gas in the first-ever such use of this method of state execution in our history.

Execution using nitrogen gas means nothing other than the slow, painful asphyxiation of the victim by removing all the oxygen from the air that he breathes.

It is torture, plain and simple. It is the torture practiced on foreigners at the prison camps of Guantanamo Bay now stepping onto the mainland for application on American citizens in broad daylight, with the full approval of the state.

Kenneth Smith had already been subject to one execution round wherein he was tortured for four hours on November 17, 2022, while strapped to a gurney, as a medical team supposedly failed in its efforts to inject lethal chemicals into his bloodstream with an intravenous catheter. That, by the way, was also torture.

Those who witnessed the execution yesterday were unambiguous. The 15 minutes of slow choking was pure unadulterated torture. One close friend of the victim said simply, “It was the most horrible thing I’ve ever seen.”

Mr. Smith, who was convicted of a murder in 1996, left a statement for the world that cannot be ignored:

“Tonight, Alabama caused humanity to take a step backward. I’m leaving with love, peace and light. Thank you for supporting me. Love, love all of you.”

We must remember also that Mr. Smith was tortured for years every night imagining his impending horrific death by chemicals or gases.

The other candidates for president (forget about President Biden or Donald Trump) are mysteriously silent. I am looking for a statement anywhere by Robert F. Kennedy Jr. or Professor Cornel West.

This crime against humanity did not take place in North Korea.

We must forcefully and unambiguously condemn this unmistakable, purposeful, flamboyant, and provocative step into the darkness of barbarism by the United States of America.

This execution was not botched or experimental. It was not a result of differences in political philosophy. It was the product of a clear push to make torture of American citizens normal and to allow the state, now merged with multinational banks and corporations and doing the bidding of billionaires, to do whatever it wants to anyone with impunity.

To speak frankly, this institutional act of torture means that there is no longer a judicial branch of government in the United States.

In a sense, torturing Mr. Smith to death was the beginning of a Gaza operation in Alabama, and if we fail to grasp its significance, it will metastasize and spread from coast to coast, from Democrat to Republican, from urban plazas to rural backwaters.

Our silence will usher in an American age of Nero and Caligula, and the end to the best of our traditions as embodied in the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution.

The Eighth Amendment of the Constitution states clearly what the United States should not be:

“Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.”

Excessive bail has been a reality for decades, as have excessive fines. This time, cruel and unusual punishment has been put on a gaudy pedestal for the entire world to ogle at.

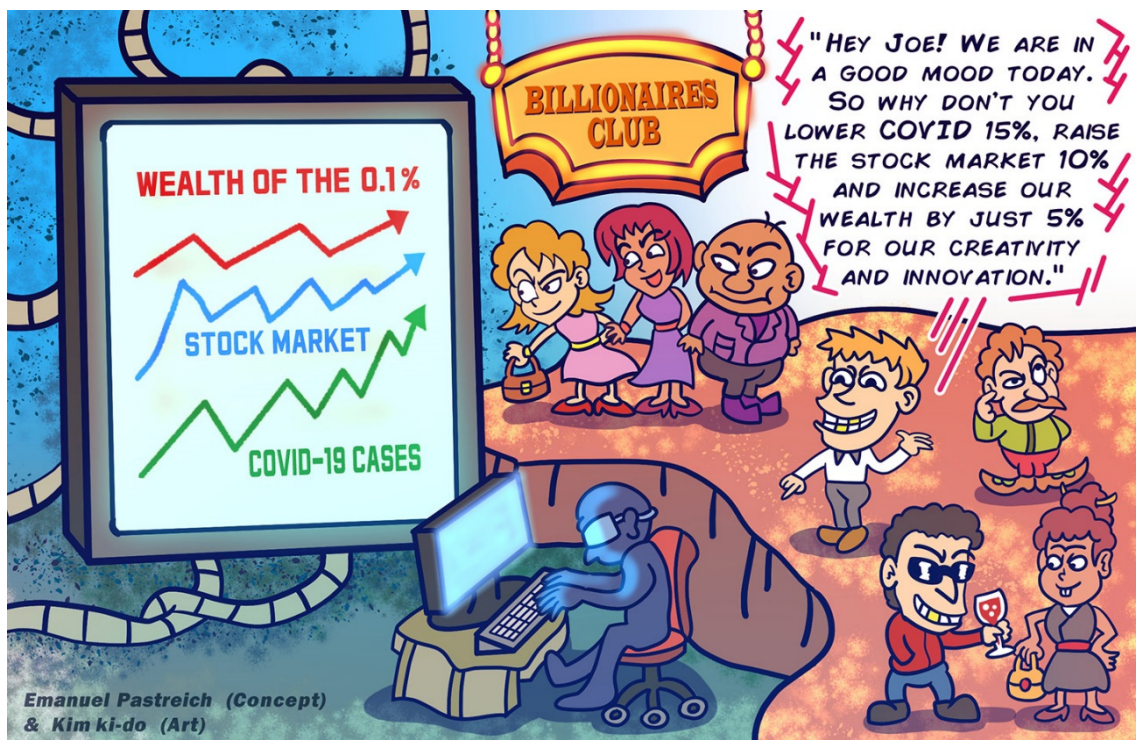
As Ozymandias declared, “Look on my works, ye mighty, and despair!”

While we must condemn the cruel actions in Gaza, and we should support efforts to prosecute Israel for genocide in the most technical and accurate manner possible, we cannot turn a blind eye to the joint statement of January 3rd by four UN monitors stating that the execution of Mr. Smith in this manner would be a violation of the International Convention against Torture (ratified by the United States in 1994) and the Body of Principles for the Protection of All Persons under Any Form of Detention or Imprisonment (approved by the United Nation in 1988).

There can be no doubt that the current world war is unfolding on two different levels. There is the noisy war of bombings and shootings in Gaza, Yemen, Ukraine, and elsewhere. But at the same time, there is also the silent and devious warfare of institutional transformation that renders the police, court systems, and ultimately all branches of government as a brutal weapon for the destruction of the citizen through a unspeakable alchemy of the soul.

No doubt it was a stroke of political genius to try out this nitrogen execution on Mr. Smith, who was not a political opponent of either of the political parties. He was not a member of the party of the pay-to-play corrupt federal government, nor of the party of the multinational banks and corporations. But we can be sure that the next time will be different, and it will not matter who is in the White House. The loathsome beast that demands we call it a government has defecated on the Constitution and forfeited all legitimacy. Verily, the entire decayed and cancerous house must be rebuilt from its foundations up.

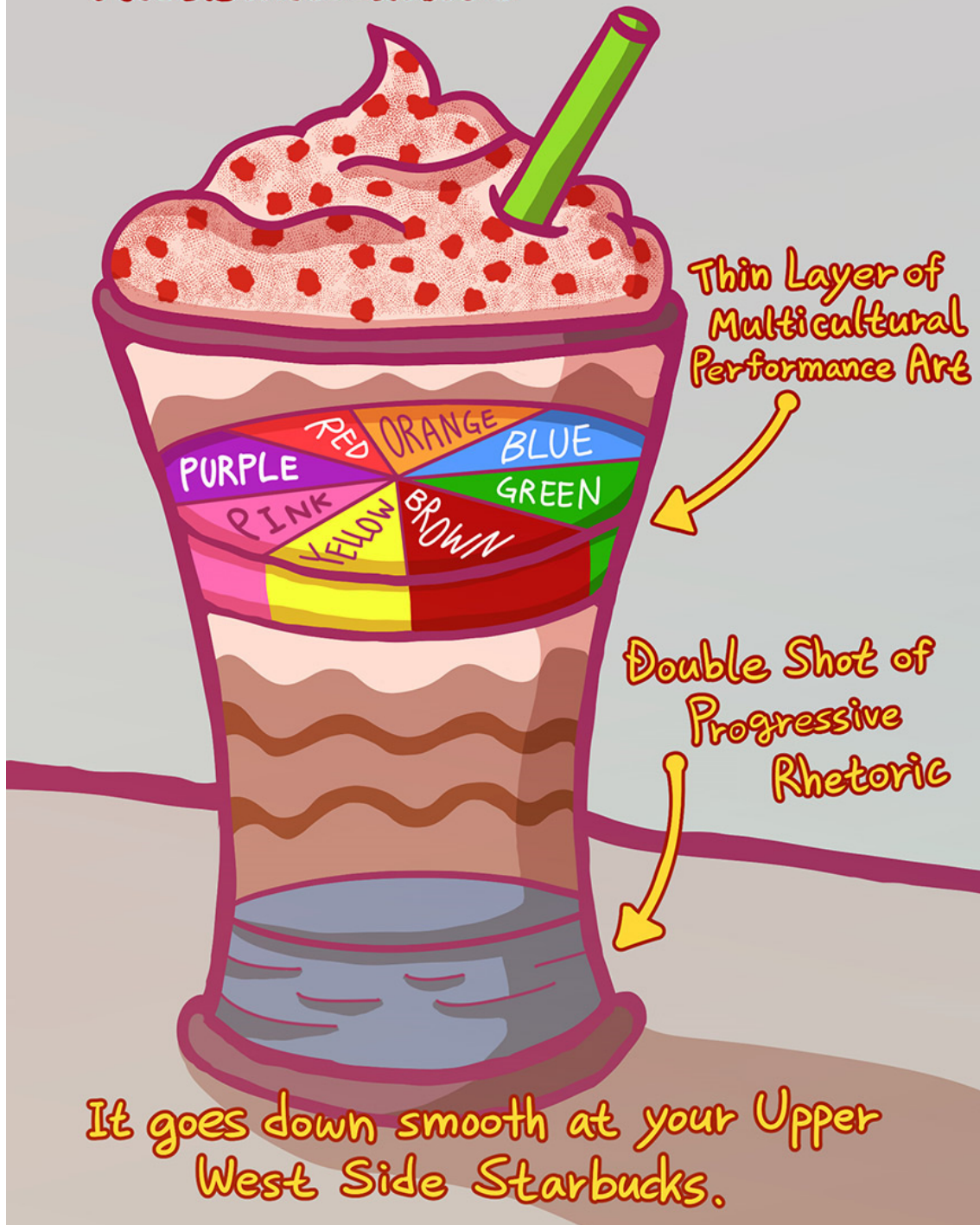
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Who is Emanuel Pastreich?

Emanuel Pastreich has emerged over the last two decades as the leading voice for rationality in economics, science in medicine, strategy in diplomacy, and humanity and the rule of law in all other domains. His stress on long-term planning and his advocacy for addressing the real social, cultural, economic, technological, and environmental dangers that we face at home and abroad, rather than those cooked up by think tanks and consulting firms who take their orders from private equity sets him apart.

Pastreich is the only candidate presidential election focused on the COVID-19 operation, 9.11 truth, the threat of climate and biodiversity collapse, the use of IT, nano, and bio technologies to manipulate and destroy human society, the exponential concentration of wealth, the push for enslavement of the citizens by the super-rich, and the for-profit arms race.

Pastreich refused from the start to take money from the rich and powerful, and he was not discouraged that the corrupt media ignored his carefully crafted speeches and detailed policy proposals. He considers the truth to be the most powerful weapon in his arsenal, one that must be articulated through a nation-wide movement, not a corrupt political party or some public intellectual promoted by dark forces behind the curtains.

Pastreich frequently quotes the philosopher Hannah Arendt when he describes his mission in this presidential campaign:

“Evil is never ‘radical;’ it is only extreme. It possesses neither depth nor any demonic dimension. It can overgrow and lay waste the whole world precisely because it spreads like a fungus on the surface.”

That is to say that he wishes to take on evil, but he will not promote simplistic blame games, or allow the crafty to play one group of citizens against another using religion, ethnicity, or ideological coloration to divide and confuse.

Pastreich is committed to reviving the traditions of internationalism, not globalism, and of a democratic economy that were pursued by Frederick Douglass, Abraham Lincoln, Eugene Debs, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Adlai Stevenson, and John F. Kennedy in their writings and their actions.

He demands that the trillions given to multinational banks and corporations over the last ten years be returned, that conglomerates like Amazon and Facebook be run as regulated cooperatives, that the assets of fossil fuel corporations be seized, and their owners and administrators charged for the criminal action of presenting fraudulent information to the government and the people concerning the catastrophic damage to the environment resulting from their products.

Born in Nashville, Tennessee, and raised in Saint Louis, Missouri, Pastreich attended Lowell High School in San Francisco. He graduated from Yale College in 1987 with a major in Chinese literature and spent a year at National Taiwan University. He obtained his master's degree from the University of Tokyo and his Ph.D. in east Asian languages and civilizations from Harvard University.

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He has one son and one daughter. Pastreich recently remarried following the illness and death of his first wife.

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