Editorial

Globalization Kills!

There is one root cause of the strategic crises in the world today, and its name is "Globalization," the popular word for the British imperial financial empire which is destroying lives and nations. Until globalization is effectively countered by a return to the principles of Franklin Delano Roosevelt, especially in the major powers of Russia, China, India, and the United States, the world is headed for Hell.

With the results of the recent French election, it has become clear that the campaign for globalization has created a pattern of *ungovernabiity* throughout the nations of Europe, west of Russia, which will accelerate that process of world dissolution. In a discussion recently, Lyndon LaRouche explained:

"When you are pushing hard for globalization as a *fait accompli*, you are de facto destroying the ability of the nation state to cope. You are *deliberately* trying to discredit the nation state as an institution, and therefore weakening the nation state's ability to make the necessary decisions for saving Europe.

"The European people, in general, are paying attention to their personal gripes, not national interests," La-Rouche added. "What Sarkozy represents is, the French population voting *against* its national interests. What it represents, as we covered, is a shift back to Vichy, in France. Away from de Gaulle. That's the key to this thing. And therefore, now what you have, what we really should have, is, one has to look not at the particular issues as they appear. You have to look at that which underlies all the particular issues. The fact that Europe, Western and Central Europe, is putting itself through a process of ungovernability, through its capitulation to the programs of globalization, such as the green program. The green program is a globalization program."

The ungovernability is not going to be restricted to France. As Helga Zepp-LaRouche points out in her article in this issue, Germany is also ungovernable, and the process of disintegration is proceeding apace in the nations which make up Great Britain. Italy is almost in a constant state of chaos, worsened today by the globalization process. And virtually every Eastern European nation is being made ungovernable by virtue of the de-

mands for economic "liberalization" under the European Union, which demands prevent these nations' governments from acting for the welfare of their populations.

The Anglo-Dutch imperialists know that they are deliberately creating chaos; it's actually part of the timetested plan of preventing powerful and progressive nation-states from acting to curb their imperial power. The classic example of this process was the British instigation of World War I, which the British considered necessary to preventing the spread of the American System of economics to Germany, France, and Russia. All they had to do was provoke war between them--and the British financial powers could move in again.

Today, what the Anglo-Dutch imperialists fear is the revival of what LaRouche has called the FDR reflex, a process of the defense of the nation-state in the interests of the welfare of the population. This process is already highly visible in Russia, and driving the globalizers berserk. They are also terrified of the potential of such a revival in the United States, around the leading representatives of the FDR tradition, Lyndon LaRouche and his youth movement.

Unlike many Democratic politicians today, FDR understood that the purpose of the United States government was to put the interests of the *people*, ahead of those of the *markets* and the *banks*, and he was determined to use the powers of the government to accomplish that aim. He made lifelong enemies of the "moneychangers in the temple," and put into effect the programs which built the bulk of the heavy infrastructure--schools, parks, dams, sewer systems, and more-which we still rely on today!

Just as FDR was acting from a deep cultural matrix, last exercised under President Abraham Lincoln, so a large portion of the American population *still* retains the germ of the republican impulse that led Americans to support Roosevelt. In a crisis, with FDR-style leadership, the FDR reflex could, and must, re-emerge.

That's what the globalizers are desperate to prevent, and what patriots here and abroad must accomplish, before it's too late.

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