

The Political Economy of Extinction

There is truly only one reason why the planet is hovering on the edge of thermonuclear extinction, and it has nothing to do with Iran, North Korea, nuclear enrichment, long-range missiles, or China's alleged growing military prowess.

The simple truth of the matter is that the reigning imperial system of monetarist finance—what Lyndon LaRouche refers to as the British Empire—is facing extinction. Along with the disintegration of the trans-Atlantic financial and monetary system, the political power structure that has governed that system is on the way to the graveyard. The holders of that power, centered in the City of London, and in the structures grouped around the British Monarchy, would rather see humanity go up in flames than lose their power. This is the mentality of the oligarchical system.

It is this British apparatus that is driving the world towards one of two options, if they were permitted have their way. The first option is that the last powerful remnants of the nearly defunct nation-state system—Russia, China, and the United States—capitulate under thermonuclear blackmail pressure, and agree to submit to the radical Malthusian agenda of the Empire. The second option is a British-engineered thermonuclear war, in which humanity will face sudden death extinction.

How is this even conceivable? The answer to that question was delivered clearly on April 11, 2009, during a worldwide webcast by Lyndon LaRouche. LaRouche labeled the newly inaugurated President Barack Obama—fresh from his trip to London, and his first official audience with the Queen—as a dangerous narcissist in the image of Emperor Nero, who was under the thumb of the very British Imperial forces now facing their own imminent doom. Back then, LaRouche was de-

monized for his now clearly prescient warnings about Mr. Obama.

Three years since the 2009 LaRouche webcast, a growing number of thinking people have come to view the President as a man hell-bent on dictatorship and the ripping up of the U.S. Constitution. The U.S. economy is in shambles, while Wall Street and the City of London continue to receive trillions of dollars in bailouts—at taxpayers' expense.

Is there a serious reason to doubt, after the events of the past three years, that Obama is a tool of the very forces now driving the planet to world war and extinction, under the banner "*Après nous, le déluge*"?

Over the coming days, the world will be facing an imminent danger of uncontrolled war, between the British plans to preemptively sabotage the negotiations between Iran and the P5+1 and the scheduled North Korean rocket launch, which is being hyped as a dire threat to Japan and South Korea.

There is an option that fundamentally defeats the desperate British folly. Remove President Obama from office for his crimes against the U.S. Constitution, or by the provisions of Section 4 of the 25th Amendment. Mr. Obama is the British hand on the U.S. nuclear trigger. With that finger removed, the world can proceed with the urgently needed global bankruptcy reorganization and launching of great projects for the betterment of mankind as a whole.

We have come to a crossroad where the two systems—the oligarchical system of monetarist looting and the nation-state system of sovereign credit and the general welfare—can no longer co-exist.