

failing banks is increasing, leading Czech President Vaclav Havel to warn of a "cancer" in the banking system which must be cut out. The Swiss daily *Neue Zürcher Zeitung* warned Sept. 19, that "problems à la Mexico" were brewing in Southeast Asia, particularly in Malaysia, Indonesia, and Thailand, all of which have larger foreign debts in relation to Gross Domestic Product than did Mexico when a crisis erupted there in 1994.

"The collapse is already ongoing," LaRouche stated to "EIR Talks." "What we're looking at, is the next shoe dropping, is *not* a banking collapse. That is already happening. It's happening globally. *Every major banking system in the world, except for China, is bankrupt, right now*, and it's in the process of unravelling. *We're already in the Great Depression of the 1990s, fully, as a financial crash*. We just have not been hit by the other shoe, and that's the chain-reaction explosion that sends everything shattered around the globe. And that's what Camdessus is talking about."

Growth versus genocide

The choice which must be faced by governments and people, is between the continuation of the failed policies of the IMF, which treat most of the world's population as cattle, or their replacement by scientific policies of growth based upon the power of human reason.

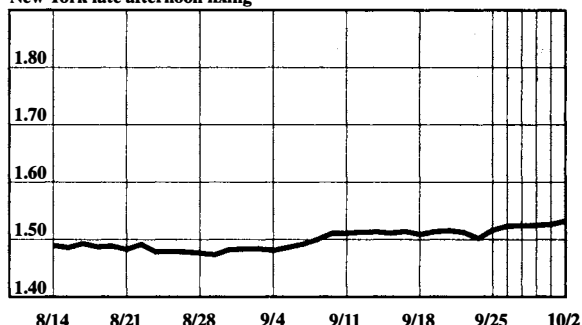
This situation "*can be controlled*," LaRouche observed. "The point is, is me. And, to the extent that I'm in an influential position as the crash comes down, I'm prepared to advise the government, which knows I'm here, ready to advise them, on how to react to the onset of such a crisis. The measures which should be taken, which I've outlined many times in writing, *will prevent Americans from being crushed financially, economically, by such a collapse*. If I'm not on the scene, then I think it likely that the worst will happen, and many people, many Americans, will die of economic causes, as a result of this crash. But, as long as I'm on the scene, and as long as I'm in a position to advise a very reluctant, admittedly, Clinton administration on what it has to do to deal with this crisis, we *can get through this thing, without damage*. As a matter of fact, if we do it that way, respond the way I plan that we must, then we'll come out of this *better* than we have been as an economy in the past 25 years."

In contrast to LaRouche's proposal to put the global financial system through bankruptcy reorganization, followed by a rapid buildup of national productive capabilities, the IMF and its sponsors have committed themselves to further looting, further destruction of nations and populations, in an attempt to postpone the inevitable collapse of the bubble. They do this deliberately, even though they *know* that these policies have killed, and will continue to kill, millions of people around the world. By the "know or should have known" standards established at Nuremberg, the IMF, its sponsors, and its lackeys, are guilty of crimes against humanity.

Currency Rates

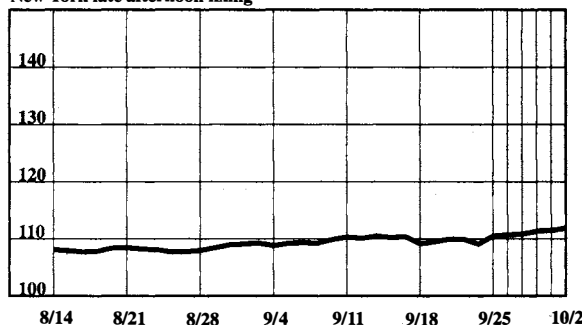
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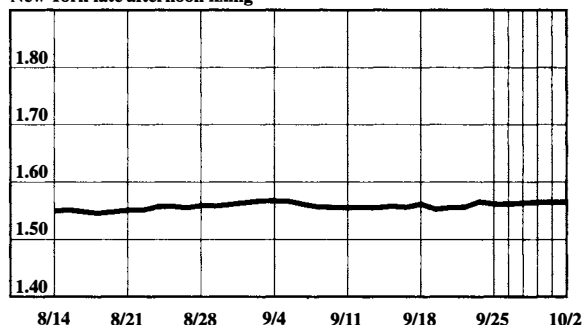
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