

LaRouche Plan Is on The Table in Russia

Oct. 30—The intervention by Lyndon LaRouche at the World Economic Forum, “Dialogue of Civilizations,” on the island of Rhodes, Greece in mid-October, has caused reverberations worldwide. Within days, LaRouche’s speech, entitled “A Four Power Agreement Can Create a New World Credit System,” had been published by the Indian Foreign Ministry in its daily briefing. There was also a proliferation of coverage of LaRouche in Russia.

The Oct. 21 issue of the popular Russian newspaper *Zavtra* features on its front page, a discussion with LaRouche, under the headline “Our Last Chance.” Based on an interview of LaRouche by *Zavtra* deputy editor Alexander Nagorny done Oct. 10, on the sidelines of the Rhodes conference, the publication pres-

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ents LaRouche's incisive ideas on dealing with the crash of the existing global, monetarist system.

The *Zavtra* interview is rapidly spreading through Russian-language Internet sites, appearing Oct. 23 on Biznes Online, the Rossiya—Ring of Patriotic Resources portal, and the site of the Movement for the Rebirth of Russian Science. Quotations in this report are from *Zavtra's* version of what LaRouche said, a Russian translation which paraphrased LaRouche's original formulations with considerable accuracy.

Following this report, we include our transcription of the full interview.

'Our Last Chance'

LaRouche told *Zavtra* that the world is facing two interrelated historical problems. One, is the utter bankruptcy of monetarist economic policies, which are rooted in the Middle Ages. Those policies are now "leading the world to a total crash." The second problem, LaRouche linked with Ukrainian-Russian scientist V.I. Vernadsky's conception of the Biosphere and the Noösphere: the exhaustion of natural resources by human activity, faster than mankind is restoring and creating such resources through technology.

In *Zavtra's* words, LaRouche says that "the current crisis cannot be harnessed and defeated, without solving both these problems; we must do away with the world monetarist system of global finance, and build a new system, a productive economy in accord with Vernadsky's principles."

Zavtra highlights LaRouche's counterposition of the Hamiltonian American System of political economy, oriented toward "physical economy," to the monetarist swindles and financial bubbles of recent years. In addition, the write-up of LaRouche's briefing includes his sharp distinction of the post-Roosevelt Keynesian approaches—because of Harry Truman's dirty deals with Winston Churchill, as against Franklin Roosevelt's continued orientation toward American System physical economy. Also included, is LaRouche's denunciation of the phoniness of current claims that a recovery is going on in the United States, or anywhere else.

LaRouche's reply to Nagorny's question, as to whether or not President Obama would support LaRouche's initiatives, *Zavtra* gave as follows: "In no way. Obama is an agent of influence of that same oligarchical finance capital, which I describe as the British Empire. Among his appointees are a great number

of people like Larry Summers, a direct representative of these circles, who is known in Russia and the world as a thief. He's the one responsible for the pseudo-anti-crisis program in the Obama Administration, which is only funneling additional gigantic sums of money to its friends."

The Four-Powers Conception

By way of contrast, *Zavtra* included LaRouche's description of his Homeowners and Bank Protection Act, which would have worked in 2007, when originally proposed. Now, the paper cites LaRouche as saying, a point of no return has been passed. Derivatives and similar financial instruments must be banned. "But, that is not enough," said LaRouche in *Zavtra's* summary, going on to present the American thinker's "Four Powers" conception:

"Now we are in the middle of a crisis, which could blow up the entire planet in a chain reaction at any moment. . . . While 80% of what a country needs for its economic security used to be internally provided, in the period of globalization the ratio goes the other way. That is why I propose to approach the global crisis, not so much from a national platform, as through joint actions by key nations in the world economy. That means China, the U.S.A., India, and Russia. If these nations take a unified line for the reorganization of world finances, and initiate and force the implementation of a restructuring of the world financial and credit systems in the framework of a Rooseveltian model of physical economy, then the world has a chance to avoid catastrophe."

According to *Zavtra*, LaRouche called monetarism "the plague of the world," since the time of the Peloponnesian Wars. "We must subordinate the money system to the power of sovereign nations," *Zavtra* concludes its report of LaRouche's words.

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