The Roosevelt Syndrome

The following excerpt is taken from a statement entitled, “The DLC Wanes: Sewers Are Often Suburban,” issued by Lyndon LaRouche on July 29, 2003 in his capacity as a Democratic pre-candidate for the U.S. Presidency. We publish this excerpt as our editorial in this issue of Fidelio, because it so succinctly identifies the primary threat to the world today as coming from the Synarchist circles of Vice President Dick Cheney. At the same time, it identifies the only alternative to such a threat today as the impeachment of Cheney and his Straussian “chicken-hawk” neo-conservatives, and the implementation of an approach in the U.S. similar to that taken successfully by Franklin D. Roosevelt, when faced with a similar Synarchist threat in the 1930’s and ’40’s.

Today, any serious discussion of electoral strategies begins with a reference to the nearly comparable situation which faced Franklin Roosevelt, from the time of his 1932 election-campaign, until his death. No Presidential candidate should be seriously considered for the nomination, unless and until he or she recognizes certain crucial similarities between the situation which Roosevelt faced then, and what you would have heard already from any competent choice of candidate for the Democratic nomination at this time.

The principal active threat to the security of our republic, now, as during the quarter-century following the post-World War I Versailles Treaty, is an organization which was known to the world’s leading intelligence services as the Synarchists. This organization was classed in the files of various among the world’s intelligence services, including those of the U.S., as “Synarchism: Nazi/Communist.” This Synarchist association, steered by a consortium of private family banking interests, was the creator and controller of a network of fascist governments including Mussolini’s Italy, Hitler’s Germany, Franco’s Spain, and the Vichy and Laval governments of wartime France, and, also, a network of Nazi Party-run Synarchists, coordinated through Spain, and subversive movements run from Mexico on south, throughout South America. This same Synarchist network is the agency behind those so-called neo-conservatives, grouped around Cheney and Rumsfeld, which has used the clearly intended effect of Sept. 11, 2001, to virtually take over the U.S. government’s domestic and foreign policies. This Synarchist faction is the present political enemy which every U.S. patriot must be prepared to defeat; any different view is not only a foolish one, but also a potentially fatal error, an error now already threatening our constitutional form of government.

When the 1940 Nazi defeat of the continental forces of France, Belgium, and Britain put Western Europe under Hitler’s domination, Britain’s Winston Churchill and our Franklin Roosevelt faced the following, horrifying prospect. Were the British naval forces to fall into the hands of Hitler at that time, a combination of Nazi-led, Synarchist-created fascist regimes in Germany, Italy, Spain, France, and Japan, would proceed to gobble up the Soviet Union and then present the U.S.A. with a hopeless situation, a prospective strategic threat to it, from the combined naval and other forces of Britain, France, Germany, Italy, and Japan. On this account, President Roosevelt and Churchill reached agreement on a politically very difficult alliance between them, an alliance which, with all its enormous defects, saved the world from virtual Hell.

We are in an analogous situation today. The difference now, is that the presently grave military threat to the U.S.A. comes not from Europe, but from the risk that the nuclear arsenal of the U.S.A. might fall under the general control of the Synarchists’ neo-conservative circles associated with Cheney and Rumsfeld.

There are certain added parallels of crucial strategic importance, including economic parallels, which must be taken into account as the basis for the Democratic Party’s policies for the present pre-election campaigns.

What became known, after the Versailles Treaty, as
the Synarchist International, was the kept property of a consortium of medieval-Venice-style private bankers, as typified by the Banque Worms complex which ran Vichy and Laval’s France in partnership with the Nazi circles of Hermann Goering et al. The political forces controlled by these bankers were held together by a strange, occult variety of freemasonic sect, known as the Martinists. This sect, whose political forces had later become known as the Synarchists, had been in existence since it was formed within the dictatorship of the world’s first fascist regime, that of the Emperor Napoleon Bonaparte. Following Napoleon’s defeat, the notion of creating a new Europe-wide Empire based on the Napoleonic model, was a design elaborated by the principal writings of such devotees of the Napoleon image as G.W.F. Hegel, as also beast-man Friedrich Nietzsche.

This occult conspiratorial sect was steered by consortia of such private bankers throughout the history of Europe, from Napoleon’s time on. It assumed its present modes of operation in the setting of the Versailles Treaty, after which it surfaced under the rubric of fascism in financier Volpe di Misurata’s Italy, as the Mussolini dictatorship. All of the fascist movements of Europe and the Americas during the following period were products of a single Synarchist network which came to be dominated, for a time, by the Nazi regime of Nietzschean beast-man Hitler.

The key to Synarchist plots, then and now, has always been economic.

From the beginning, as John Maynard Keynes’ treatise on Versailles warned more or less correctly, the international monetary-financial system hammered out at Versailles was doomed from the start. The system was based on Germany’s obligation to pay an unpayable mass of imposed war-debts, chiefly to a France and Britain which carried an enormous burden of war-related debt to New York bankers. The built-in, foreseen doom of that Versailles monetary-financial system, was the motive-force behind the spread of fascist coups throughout much of Europe, just as the presently onrushing, inevitable breakdown-collapse of the post-1971-72 I.M.F. “floating-exchange-rate” monetary-financial system, is the driving force behind the warfare and dictatorship policies of those Synarchists, calling themselves “neo-conservatives,” grouped around Cheney and Rumsfeld.

Germany failed to adopt its needed economic reform in time in the U.S., a reform which ultimately saved the world as a whole from an excursion through Nazi Hell. That is the most crucial of the lessons from history which the Democratic Party must learn today. Time is running out; at some early point, waiting to expel Cheney from office a day too long might prove to be as fatal to the U.S.A. as the choice of Hitler was for Germany.

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The Youth at the Brook

By the fountain sat the stripling,
Flowers wove he in a wreath,
And he saw them ripped asunder,
Driven by the waves beneath:—
And my days are so escaping
As the fountain flows away!
And so pales my youth before me,
As the wreath does fast decay.

Question not, wherefore I sorrow
In the bloomtime of my life!
All is hopeful and rejoicing,
When the spring renews itself.
But these thousand sounds of nature,
Which awakens on the plain,
Rouse within my deepest bosom
Only heavy cries of pain.

What to me are all the pleasures,
Which the lovely spring awards?
One there is, for whom I’m searching,
She is near and ever far.
Stretch I wide my arms with longing
For the precious silhouette,
Ah, I cannot yet attain it
And my heart’s unstilled as yet!

Come below, thou beaut’ous darling,
And thy castle proud depart!
Flowers, born of springtime’s bounty,
Will I on thy lap impart.
Hark, the woods resound with singing,
And the fountain ripples fair!
Room is in the smallest shelter
For a happy loving pair.

—Friedrich Schiller

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