

'Shoot The Neighbor's Cat!'

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Frankly, the 24-hour brainwashing network, CNN, has gone over the edge. The terror-bombing and mass-killing have pushed CNN, and many others, into the state of mind of the man, who, returning home to find his house has been robbed, takes out a shotgun and obliterates the neighbor's cat. Indeed if his wife had said, "Henry, it's just the neighbor's cat," the maddened fellow would have threatened her, "Don't get in my way, or I might have to kill you, too!"

The United States has been surprised by a mass-murderous attack from rogue forces deployed from within the U.S.A. itself. Since no foreign power has the ability to do to us what was done this past Tuesday, some rogue element operating within our military-security establishment is the only possible principal author of what has just occurred. That mass-murderous rogue is the burglar, who is presently lurking from within the U.S.A., preparing for his next strike, which he certainly intends to deliver soon.

We must defend ourselves, our nation, against that rogue; anything we do to shift the blame to foreign forces which were not capable of organizing Tuesday's attack, simply makes our nation more vulnerable to the rogue from within who has just done this, and is lurking ready to do more.

Cowardly lunatics like the CNN organization, prefer to obliterate the cat, "for revenge," rather than mobilize to defend the nation against the rogue from within. CNN thus expresses the form of cowardly cowardice which the military vocabulary calls "flight forward": the man cowering in his foxhole, filling his pants with fear, who charges the burping machine-gun fire, "To get it over with."

It is time to make certain that the advisors of President Bush are not the sort of cowardly cowards who would rather

obliterate helpless, innocent brown-skinned people, in various distant parts of the world, than face up to the awful reality of the murderous menace of the rogue lurking within our own ranks, where he smirks, waiting to strike us again. Are you so afraid of that enemy, that you therefore prefer to pretend he does not exist, while taking vengeance by shooting down the kid with the pea-shooter next door? Do you seriously consider yourself sane at this moment?

Let the real generals, in the tradition of General Douglas MacArthur take over the job of advising the President. Get the new-fangled, Clockwork-Orange strategists back into their Crackerjack boxes, and let serious professionals develop a winning strategy and program of national defense.

The Risk Of Vengeance

On the record of history, wars and similar operations conducted for the purpose of "revenge," of "retribution," are the most stupid policies any government, or its people, have ever conducted. The "blow-back" of such policies, especially when conducted under the pretext of religious wars, has destroyed repeatedly the very nations which launched such policies.

Let us stop being stupid now. Consider the consequences of using nuclear weapons of any scale, against the nations which veteran mass-killer Henry Kissinger, the proverbial Jack-the-Ripper of modern diplomacy, has just proposed. According to reliable sources who saw him on German television, Kissinger, in a press conference at the Frankfurt Airport this week, listed Afghanistan, Iraq, Syria, and Libya (and possibly other countries) as countries to be targeted.

Think for a change! Ask yourself: What would be the effect of hitting any or several among that list of nations, with or without the use of mini-nuclear bombardment? Examine

Forget justice — we want revenge

CNN and the New York Post are leading the media brainwashing, attempting to rev the American people into a jingoistic frenzy.

this in two successive steps. First, the application of mass-destructive force against some of the nations on Kissinger's hit-list, with or without including nuclear bombardments. Second, the very distinct effect of including the use of nuclear weapons.

The world in general hopes desperately that the United States will not proceed to exact terrible and continuing "retribution" on the nations arbitrarily selected as victims of the current CNN blood-lust. The rest of the world will consent tacitly to such atrocities by the U.S.A. only because they are afraid to do more than politely suggest restraint. Suppose the U.S.A. then proceeds as Kissinger has proposed. Suppose it succeeds in inflicting awful destruction upon the brown-skinned people of those poor nations. When that has happened, what comes next?

In the meantime, the world's present monetary and financial system will disintegrate as a result of the current policies of the U.S.A. and some other influential nations. The problem here, is that the self-deluded idiots in the U.S.A. are clinging to the hysterical belief that by establishing dictatorial measures

they could save the system. Belief will not turn the Moon into delicious green cheese. What next, little man?

Take the second possibility: the included use of nuclear-weapons bombardment. Here, one might say, "Never mention psychology in the house of the mad!"

Since Hiroshima and Nagasaki 1945, especially since professed pacifist and mad nuclear bomber Bertrand Russell published his call for "preventive" nuclear attack on the Soviet Union, in September 1946, through and beyond the 1962 missile-crisis, the world has been terrorized increasingly by the mere word "nuclear." The politics and ideology of the world at large have been shaped and misshaped by awe of that word.

Some people were mad enough, perhaps, even to propose to remove the ominous nucleus from all atoms. Every sinew of politics and most of popular ideology has been saturated with the lust to suppress nuclear-fission and fusion effects, everywhere and forever.

Naturally, people who are as incapable of looking into their own mental processes, as the CNN crew is, will tend to

Sane Voices Attack CNN, Fox-TV

The "24-hour stream of rumors" coverage of the Sept. 11 attacks, with which CNN and Fox-TV have led the U.S. media in attempting to brainwash Americans, has drawn attacks from saner officials.

In a press conference in the immediate aftermath of the attacks, Washington, D.C. Police Chief Charles Ramsey singled out the problem of CNN and Rupert Murdoch's Fox-TV. Ramsey accused both media outfits of sowing panic. "Every five minutes they said that another plane was about to crash into Washington, D.C. We were able to inform other authorities through the emergency control situation room, but [we] could not notify the general public," because CNN and Fox5-TV (the local affiliate) were

spreading of false reports and panic, Ramsey charged.

Georgetown University Professor of Government Diana Owen denounced the "CNN effect" at a Washington panel discussion. Owen defined the "CNN effect" as that of news organizations relying on a constant stream of unverified raw reports, speculation, and rumors, and forcing those responsible for national security and policies to act in response to those unchecked rumors and to "manage the media crises." Answering an *EIR* question, Professor Owen said that CNN had threatened national security by leaking bits and pieces of secret briefings.

There were also "media fools" among elected officials. D.C. Congresswoman Eleanor Holmes Norton was perhaps the biggest. When asked by Fox-TV on Sept. 11 what Americans should do, she replied that they should watch Fox-TV, because "you know more than we [in government] do"!

overlook some of the things lurking in the bottle where their unconscious mental processes reside. The use of nuclear weapons of any type, in warfare, at this time, particularly to target entire nations for crushing blows, will unleash the waiting genie from the bottle. Woe to him who is blamed for unleashing that genie upon the planet.

The trouble is, there are too few people on this planet today, especially in my own country, who have both the knowledge and the guts to tell the truth about such matters. That is why I am a leader among my nation's celebrities, and some others who pretend, or are even elected to be leaders, are not.

As for the current global monetary and financial crisis, which defines the environment of what happened on Tuesday, I have warned you about it. Many of you rejected my warn-

ings, including the leading candidates for the 2000 U.S. Presidential election. You were wrong; they were terribly wrong. Now the devil against which I warned you then is here. I know how to get us safely out of this monetary and financial crisis. I do not know who the treasonous rogues are, who did what happened on Tuesday, but I know we can defeat them if we come to our senses soon enough. Have courage. Stop looking for retribution against those who have been proven guilty of no crime. Face up to what you have lacked the courage to face up to now. Then, together, we shall build this nation out of his horrible nightmare.

I can propose; what you do about what I propose, is up to you. You can reject my warnings, but you can not escape the consequences of your own folly.

For a start, turn off CNN!

Perry Clark: America Needs LaRouche In Time of Crisis

Kentucky State Rep. Perry Clark (D-Louisville) released the following statement on Sept. 15. Representative Clark plans widespread circulation of the statement among his colleagues in the Legislature and the Kentucky Congressional delegation, and has authorized Lyndon LaRouche's Presidential campaign committee, LaRouche in 2004, to circulate it.

The fate of our nation and the future of the world, depend upon the decisions made by the leaders of the United States of America in the coming period. In this most profound crisis of our nation's history, America needs Lyndon LaRouche.

Contrary to all the lying media propaganda designed to stampede our nation into a disastrous geopolitical/religious war in the Middle East and Central Asia, Mr. LaRouche has warned for months of the real motives and control of terrorism and "irregular warfare" targetting America.

"The world is presently gripped by the biggest, most deep-going, most deadly financial and monetary crisis since Europe of the middle to late 14th Century," Mr. LaRouche wrote in an Aug. 24, 2001 statement titled, "Lyndon LaRouche Warns: Jacobin Terror Aims At D.C." The statement continued: "We are in a period in which economic and related circumstances have made the idea of regular modern warfare a sick joke, in which regional and other 'little wars,' terrorism, political assassinations, and other forms of destabilizations, are leading items on the agendas of many of the strategic planners. The financial and monetary crisis in its presently advanced stage drives desperate political forces to the brink, desperate political forces who would rather drive civilization itself to the brink, than tolerate the changes in financial and monetary institutions which the present crisis situation demands."

With his proven track record of excellence as an economic and political forecaster and statesman, our leaders must take Mr. LaRouche very seriously when he characterizes the Sept. 11 atrocities as "primarily a domestic, covert, special operation by people with very high-grade military special operations backgrounds," the purpose of which was to "create a simulated Pearl Harbor effect, to get the United States to go to war against nations in the Middle East."

Our leaders must stop being intimidated by media lies and distortions, including lies and exclusion directed against Mr. LaRouche. We must show the kind of wisdom and courage shown by members of the Russian Duma and Academy of Sciences, who invited Mr. LaRouche to personally advise them on economic policy in public meetings in Moscow, June 28-29, 2001. If President Reagan could call upon Lyndon LaRouche to engage in sensitive, high-level back-channel discussions on the Strategic Defense Initiative with the Soviet Union in 1982-83, our leaders can and must call upon his expertise and international connections in this crisis today.

Lyndon LaRouche is the American statesman with the respect and moral authority to serve as a trusted channel of communication between America and nations around the world, which is the key to solving this crisis, and putting the world back on the path of peace and real economic development.