defeat of the British genocide plans, Russian Railway Corporation head Vladimir Yakunin gave an interview to the British tabloid the *Sunday Express*, highlighting the Bering Strait high-speed rail tunnel proposal, calling for its implementation within the next decade. This was tantamount to a slap in the face to the British Monarchy, that plans for a global land-bridge are alive and well. What is crucial, though, is to add the fourth pillar to the Four-Power alliance: the United States. That is where the battle will rage in 2010.

## The Legacy of Edward VII

This is all too familiar to London. One can imagine the ghost of King Edward VII pitching a fit in the drafty halls of Windsor Castle. As *EIR* historians have reported, in the post-Civil War period, the Abraham Lincoln/Henry C. Carey faction spread the American System around the globe, particularly in Eurasia (see *EIR*, May 2, 1997). With the American-Russian collaboration in building the Trans-Siberian Railroad, following the 1869 completion of the Trans-Continental Railroad in the United States, the world was moving in the direction of what Lyndon and Helga LaRouche today call the Eurasian Land-Bridge. The first calls for the building of a rail tunnel under the Bering Strait came when Nicholas II was still Czar of Russia.

Queen Victoria's son Prince Edward Albert, later King Edward VII, took the lead in fomenting regional wars all over Eurasia, often resorting to assassination as a weapon—as in the cases of French President Sadi Carnot and American President William McKinley. The result: World War I, and, later, World War II.

That is how the Brutish think, and that is how they operate. The war drive successfully led by Edward VII is being revived today from the same British Monarchy. So, when President Obama, returning from his Hawaiian vacation in a few days, fumes against U.S. intelligence for "failing to connect the dots," and failing to catch the would-be Nigerian "underwear bomber." someone should tell him to check out the Union Jack sewn into his own underwear! You don't stop asymmetric warfare by connecting dots. You take a top-down approach and nail London as the imperial enemy of the United States and the world. London is betting that, from the President on down, this Administration will not do it. The fate of humanity will be decided, by proving that London is wrong.

## Four Powers Plan Can Defuse ME War Threat

by Jeffrey Steinberg

Dec. 29—There is a growing, imminent danger that Israel, under British pressure, will launch a preemptive attack against Iran, ostensibly to prevent the Islamic Republic from obtaining a nuclear weapon. Were such an attack to occur, Lyndon LaRouche warned today, it would be a virtual trigger for World War III, particularly if Israel resorted to the use of nuclear weapons in the attack. LaRouche assessed that the prospect of such an Israeli attack has greatly increased, as the result of growing desperation in London, due to the British Monarchy's abject failure to impose its policy of global depopulation at the recently concluded Copenhagen conference on global warming.

Sources closely tracking events inside Iran warn that an Israeli attack would provide the most radical factions of the Iranian Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC) with the pretext to carry out a "Night of the Long Knives"-style extermination of the leadership of the opposition. The assassination on Dec. 27 of Ali Mousavi, the nephew of former Presidential candidate and Speaker of the Parliament Hussein Mousavi, was carried out by IRGC-controlled assassination teams from the Basij militia, and was indicative of a larger planned operation, by right-wing factions of the IRGC/Basij, if the opportunity is presented.

LaRouche observed that the threat of Israeli nuclear strikes against Iran is a factor driving Iran to seek its own nuclear deterrent. "It is all part of the continuing Sykes-Picot trap that hangs over the entire Southwest Asia region," LaRouche warned.

## In the Interests of All

LaRouche emphasized that it is in the interests of the United States, Russia, China, India, and all the neighboring states, that the threat of an Israeli attack be removed. Iran, LaRouche said, has every right to nuclear power, including to its own enrichment capability. But Iran should not be allowed to develop a nuclear weapon. The best and only outcome, LaRouche em-

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phasized, is for the Four Powers—the United States, Russia, China, and India, which LaRouche has identified as the key to establishing a new, just world economic order—to coordinate a diplomatic effort to secure an agreement with Iran to export their low-enriched uranium, in exchange for higher-enriched uranium rods, needed for their medical isotope reactor. Such an agreement, which is in the vital interests of everyone—except the British Empire—must be rammed through now, LaRouche declared. The alternatives, including a possible Israeli strike against Iran, triggering permanent chaos throughout Eurasia, are unthinkable.

"We are facing an immediate threat of war, possibly nuclear war. Only a Four Powers concerted effort can prevent this. There is a nuclear threat against Iran coming from Israel," LaRouche continued. "Israel is acting as a Sykes-Picot puppet of London, and the Iranians know this. But we cannot allow this British-manipulated situation to continue. It would mean the destruction of India, the destruction of Pakistan, and chaos throughout the extended region, were the Israelis to be allowed to carry out an attack. We must prevent such an Israeli action, and we must prevent the present Iranian

government from obtaining nuclear weapons. That can only be accomplished by a concerted effort by the Four Powers. Nothing short of that will trump the British game."

## Will Israel Follow in Hitler's Footsteps?

"If Israel is willing to go to war, under the direction of the British Monarchy, then they are placing themselves in the same British camp as Adolf Hitler and the Nazis, who were sponsored by London to launch their 1939 war against Poland," La-Rouche continued. "At the same time that Hitler was launching his war on Poland, on the same kind of pretext that some in Israel are now using to justify an attack on Iran, the Nazi dictator was also launching a so-called health-care reform, called T-4, which was the original euthanasia program, that led to the Holocaust. Does anyone in Israel really wish to be in that

camp? It is not irrelevant to this situation that the same Nazi T-4 health-care 'reform' adopted by Hitler at the start of the invasion of Poland, was imposed on Great Britain by then-Prime Minister Tony Blair—and is now being pushed on the United States, through the Obama Administration. Blair, who has the mysterious backing of factions within the Vatican, is aggressively pushing this policy down the throat of the Obama White House, with the enthusiastic backing of such White House figures as Rahm Emanuel and the London School of Economics' Peter Orszag."

LaRouche concluded: "Iran is a sovereign nation-state, and the Iranian people deserve the opportunity to sort out their situation, without the threat of attack, currently coming from London, via Israel. We must remove this factor from the political equation, through the only means available: a concerted intervention by the Four Powers, to secure an agreement from Iran on the nuclear fuel issue, that also guarantees that they will not be subject to a London-ordered attack from Israel. The alternative—a perpetual war in the heartland of Eurasia—is totally unacceptable, no matter how much the hysterics in the British Monarchy wish it to happen."

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