

Germany, France, and other countries — including the USA itself. This has been the policy of both the Rockefeller faction and certain groups affiliated with the Democratic party for some time. The difference between the past period and this spring is that now they are on the verge of actually attempting to put a global fascist system into effect. Now we are all looking directly into hell.

As Schmidt emphasized in his address, and as some Atlanticists contacted today also proposed, among the supporters of a Hitler-Schacht 1933-36 policies there are those wishful fools who imagine that they are merely proposing the 1933-36 policies, without the 1936-45 consequences. That is exactly what most of the same New York and London banking houses, the same West German industrial firms foolishly told themselves back in 1933 when they decided to put Schacht and Schacht's protege, Adolf Hitler, into power the first time.

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demands — as Social Democrat Helmut Schmidt himself emphasized in today's address — a Hitler shock. A mere Bruening regime doesn't work. However, once one accepts a fascist state, one has set into motion institutions and forces which can be stopped only by military obliteration. If 1933-36 Hitler-Schacht policies are adopted, then every horror of the Nazi regime — and much worse — will not only inevitably, but rapidly ensue, with nothing but Soviet military power to arrest it.

Fortunately, it will not be easy to impose this fascist regime. I know the U.S. working people. As they see that Nazi policies are again being proposed for Germany, they will begin to act to stop this horror with debt moratoria and other measures. France, already aroused by Franco-German diplomatic flak of recent weeks, will rise in rage against Schmidt's speech. As for the Soviet Union, Poland and other members of the Warsaw Pact, Schmidt's remarks will have incalculable political effect.

## LaRouche Denounces Whorish Press Conspiracy

PARIS, May 13 — U.S. Presidential Candidate Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. today cited the conspiratorial blackout of Chancellor Helmut Schmidt's televised "Hitler and Schacht" statement as "proof of the extent and degradation of the international press conspiracy against the truth."

LaRouche identified the following agencies as "knowingly complicit in this monstrous fraud:" Reuters, Associated Press, United Press International, Agence France Presse, The West German Press Agency, and major metropolitan newspapers in Paris, New York City, London, Washington, and elsewhere. "What a miserable lot of press prostitutes these cowardly editors and so-called journalists have exposed themselves to be," he stated. "Where is there a press service which is believable after this disgusting exhibition? New Solidarity International Press Service is the only press service in the world which had the independence, honesty

and courage to bring this important news out into the open. Forgive me for saying what is true, but compared to IPS the rest of the journalistic profession has behaved like a bunch of cowardly pigs on this issue."

LaRouche did not include eastern European news services in quite the same category as the major press services and newspapers of western Europe and North America. "There is a deadly difference," he emphasized. "The Soviets are sitting on Schmidt's outburst for entirely different reasons than the western press network. The reasons for this would properly make most people in western Europe and North America tremble. When top Soviet leaders proceed with seeking new military ranks and appearing in public in military uniforms, their silences on certain notable developments are far more significant than anything they might say."

## NY Banker Says: 'Don't Worry About W. Germany, We Control It'

May 8 (IPS) — The U.S. has a deliberate policy of keeping West Germany in the U.S. dollar system by force or arms, an International Department official for a major New York bank told a caller this week. The interview was as follows:

**IPS:** It is said that if hyperinflationary pressures against the Deutschmark continue, the West Germans will dump the dollar and go for a gold bloc with France, as implied in a recent call by French Gaullist leader Michel Jobert. Could you comment?

**Banker:** Yes, you're absolutely right, but there is one nerve we can touch and we're touching it like crazy — security. The Germans will squirm and squawk until we drag them back, kicking and screaming, into the dollar system by the short hairs. Let's call a spade a spade. Even since (former Texas Governor and Treasury Secretary) John Connally came to Europe and began saying "Isn't it curious that West Ger-

many's economic position in Europe happens to correspond to American military deployments there," it has been made clear to them that the price of being a U.S. minion in West Europe militarily is a certain economic dependence. They know it, and we know it. It means they have only partial control over their economic and monetary system... Yes, they will have to go on rolling over these mark loans to the rest of Europe, their only alternative is a Communist revolution in Italy... Yes, I suppose that will leave them no choice at a certain point, but to tighten up domestically, which is politically very painful."

**IPS:** "What would the Germans think of a rightward shift in Italy, the NATO coup that's being talked about?"

**Banker:** "Publicly they would bemoan it, but privately they would support it. They'd be overjoyed. Why? Because they can't break with the U.S. dollar, now can they."