

Editorial

Countdown to a New Dark Age

It should be clear that nothing has been resolved by the outcome of the midterm elections, just passed. The world stands at the brink of chaos and a New Dark Age, unless the British Empire's economic policies, which President Barack Obama represents, are immediately dumped, and replaced with the policies promoted by Lyndon LaRouche.

To get an idea of the price we will pay if Obama and his policies are not removed from the Presidency, look at the microcosm that is Haiti. Recall the scenes being reported, including by an eyewitness in the town of St. Marc, in the wake of the cholera epidemic that broke out a mere two weeks ago:

"I had to fight my way through the gate as a huge crowd of worried relatives stood outside, while others screamed for access as they carried dying relatives into the compound. The courtyard was lined with patients hooked up to intravenous (IV) drips. It had just rained and there were people lying on the ground on soggy sheets, half-soaked with feces. Some children were screaming and writhing in agony, others were motionless with their eyes rolled back into their heads as doctors and nursing staff searched desperately for a vein to give them an IV. The hospital was overwhelmed, apparently caught out suddenly by one of the fastest killers there is."

One is powerfully reminded of scenes from Boccaccio's *Decameron*, about how the Black Death ravaged Florence, Italy, in 1348, or the famous chronicle of the time by Agnolo di Tura, of Siena:

"The victims died almost immediately. They would swell beneath the armpits and in the groin, and fall over while talking. Father abandoned child, wife husband, one brother another; for this illness seemed to strike through breath and sight. And so they died. None could be found to bury the

dead for money or friendship. Members of a household brought their dead to a ditch as best they could, without priest, without divine offices.... I, Agnolo di Tura ... buried my five children with my own hands.... And so many died that all believed it was the end of the world."

The tragedy in Haiti is *not* what is happening to the Haitian people—that is merely an unnecessary horror and crime. The true tragedy is that what is now happening was "foreseeable, and foreseen," as Lyndon LaRouche put it, and yet virtually nothing has been done to stop it. The tragedy is that LaRouche warned you, and all of our fellow citizens, that Barack Obama's policies would mean the death of Haiti, unless he were stopped.

LaRouche warned back in February, following the earthquake that struck the island, when he outlined a precise plan for mass relocation of Haitians out of the cesspools of Port au Prince, that a new holocaust would hit, if Obama, who had rejected the plan, were not removed. How many Haitians have to die before Obama is impeached?, he asked.

Yet our nation has watched, as all of Obama's policies, one by one, have been implemented; and we have watched as, one by one, they have each produced *exactly* the genocidal results LaRouche warned would be the case—emphatically including his hyperinflationary defense of the British imperial financial system.

And Obama remains in the White House—although the pressure to remove him grows by the day.

Remind yourself, and others, of what's at stake, by revisiting LPAC's 2009 video feature, "The New Dark Age." And then turn to LaRouche's Nov. 6 webcast to find out how to *act* to prevent that global tragedy from playing out.