We The People Must Save Ourselves

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I used to talk of economic equilibrium and its destructor: concentrated wealth. Later I've spoken more often of zero sum equations. Different words to describe the same problem. Money has to get back down to the people who consume, for an economy to work. If we are to use it to represent the goods we produce and trade with one another, we must produce real goods and consumers must be paid enough to buy them. It can go round and round but when it gets concentrated with the rich and their banks and Giga corporations, the system breaks down. Borrowing it back at interest, in order to consume, can only exacerbate the problem. Now the greediest, by their acquisitiveness, have shown that trickle down, a flattery of the masters invented by wannabees, is a delusion of sycophants and fools. It has never worked and never will.

When the elites lose site of the fact that the value of money lies in the goods it represents in trade, they do the perpetual motion of money pyramid fraud that values non substances like derivative [imaginary] assets and credit default swaps. They sell these imaginary securities to one another and lend to one another. They collect fees, salaries, commissions, usuries and bonuses from one another. They hide the money in Caribbean banks and real estate holdings and can't understand what happened to their produce nothing but move paper and money economy. Then we borrow more from China to buy the things we need to live from China and can only increase our debt because our masters won't pay US anything or invest in American production. They just want to loan money or invest in Ponzi scams because that was so profitable for a few decades.

The "institutions" still can't figure out what's wrong with borrowing to invest. Can anyone see that to have a real sustainable economy we must make real goods to live on and be paid to do it? To hell with global competition, trade, and investors' profits! Debt, including trade deficit, has debunked that fraud. All that's left is to try the most improbable: a self sufficient subsistence economy in which we produce everything we need and trade only among ourselves. Our genius economists, politicians, CEOs and banksters have driven US to this end. . . . and theirs. To do it we must have the money, resources and property that's been stolen from the community and hoarded by the rich investors. We need our nation's capital, if We the People are to survive.

No! Our mis-leaders know nothing! The elites and their wholly owned CEOs, academic experts and politicians say consumers must buy and don't see that the interest we pay on the money we borrow to do it and the profit skimmed by the investors and CEOs and all of fraudulent business will just dig US deeper into the hole, in which the geniuses of economics, investment and trade have buried America and the world.

The experts of profit at the expense of our community didn't want solar panels. Now Germany pays entrepreneurs for the electricity they produce on their rooftops, lots and even land they lease for solar panel farms. They produce their own electricity and make a profit on the excess. Our centralized power producing monopolies don't want you to know how much more efficient it is to produce electricity that doesn't need thousands of miles of transmission grid and associated energy losses. Go to Denmark for wind technology to build that site.

Our investors took the great part of America's money and resources they had hoarded and bought magic beans. They've squandered our wealth on get rich quick pyramid scams. They've maximized profit by exploiting cheap labor, outsourcing, inefficient central production, money lending and abstract nonsense transactions and now we don't have an economy because we don't make any real goods and can't borrow any more money to get them but the idiots still haven't caught on! Others are

way ahead of US in alternative energy and economy.

And forget T. Boone. The natural gas, like any other energy, including nukes and geothermal, was stored by gravity, suns or sunlight millions or billions of years ago. The problem isn't too little energy. It's too much stored energy released into the atmosphere. Most of it also releases carbon, which adds to the air's thermal efficiency or blanket effect. But it's the heat itself that causes global warming, no matter how well the gases surrounding the surface of our Planet retain it. Only solar, wind and tides provide energy that is everyday input and has been the only balanced energy source our Planet has ever had. The heat we produce from sunlight will be here one way or the other, whether we use it or not. Only solar, wind and tidal sources do not contribute to global warming. But back to the immediate economic crisis.

We consumed too much and borrowed too much and were conned into it by Walmart and the banks. We didn't make anything because the rich elites had too much profit from outsourcing and they could lend to US instead of pay US and make even more. They did it all out of profit motive greed and are too fracking stupid to see their foolish blunder. We are the dupes of those fools.

The problem is systemic and to know that we must know that money is not wealth, price is not value. To have a real economy we must produce goods ourselves. Until we have a stable, self sustaining economy, we cannot think of excess to trade. The rich don't want to know it and most of US will never know that truth, while we allow them to control our wealth, our media, our politicians and ourselves for their profit. We will never be allowed, of their own volition, to awaken fully, while the rich exist. The only education they will permit is for US to be trained to their service. It is their parasitic profit that is bringing US down. It could never have ended any other way. And it's all traceable to the Adam Smith delusion: profit motive, "each individual working in his own self interest." The outsourcing that started the fall, the housing bubble that accelerated our descent, the imaginary derivative assets, the credit default swaps and all the rest were trying to make something from nothing and all for greedy profit. We need a real fundamental change.

But the rich want it all and they want to take a percentage of profit on everything. They can't see that as our economy approaches the realization of what they want, the less the rest of US have of what we need and the closer we get to the place where we all fall down. They skim and skim until there's nothing left. They have it all and can't see that's a game killer and they are the criminals who are the greatest threat to the Human Race. The rich ruling class are morons. And all the analysts and experts and talking heads see one facet at a time and never see what's really going on. They haven't been trained to see the truth. Until we make products in America and pay good wages to do it and take the hoarded wealth of the parasites to invest in a living economy for ourselves the crisis will continue to worsen. To reestablish the equilibrium and balance the zero sum equation, we must take from the rich until they are no more. Tax them out of existence. Obama and the Dems must call back Bill Frist's "nuclear option," to use against its obtuse, obstructionist inventors. Less and less people fear the truth each day. We can save ourselves by demanding that our representative government represent US.

The amount taken by the rich minus the amount taken from the community must be equal to zero. Anyone with an eighth grade education is able to do the math that proves that profit taken by minimizing the cost, especially of labor, and maximizing the price of the product, can only support a small number of rich investors and the sellouts who minister for or otherwise serve them. The amount taken by the wealthy ruling class elites and their upper level servants minus the amount taken from the rest of US, the community who do the real work, must be equal to zero.

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A Better Understanding or How We Came to This Unwholesome Place

One Reagan Undersecretary of the Treasury has come very close to knowledge of the truth: **The People Be Damned**

The President of Special Interests

By Paul Craig Roberts

"... Treasury and Federal Reserve to support prices of their bad loans and financial gambles, buying out or guaranteeing \$12 trillion of these junk debts..." - http://informationclearinghouse.info/article22018.htm

A better way to commit that twelve trillion dollars would be to pay off all the \$10 trillion in outstanding residential mortgages. The banks would get back the original loans and only they and the investors, at most ten percent of the population, would lose the funny money they wrote up and backed with the imaginary assets of derivatives and the rest. But our leaders are not intelligent, scrupulous, courageous or autonomous enough to do such an audacious end run around the banksters fraud.

By the 1960's, many national union leaders had been co-opted by the corporations, which are owned and/or controlled by rich investors.

In the mid-sixties I was told the following story by an admirer of the BA, a quite man who was present at the telling. In a meeting with a national union vice president and the local union **B**usiness **A**gent in West Virginia, threats were made. The VP threatened to pare back the local's territory, if they refused to accede to the demands of the corporate masters, made through the bought and paid for shill. The BA told the sellout that if so, he'd go home in a box. The VP knew he wasn't bluffing. Local autonomy prevailed. We need leadership of that sort to straighten out the mess that the corporations of the rich investors and banksters have created by their greed, which threatens the survival of America and people around the world today.

Who are we? Why do we work for them, instead of for ourselves? How is work, that makes individual non-working leaders and owners rich, good for our community?

All of the world's fools have ever had in common that they think themselves wise. All of the frauds and cons, including so called free market capitalists, count on that and reinforce speciousness at every opportunity.

Few are always foolish. None are always wise. The question is: who is most likely to be of assistance and can they can be counted on to be honest and sincere? Jerry Garcia wanted to know if you are kind?

!Que se vayan todos! "All of them must go!" That's what Argentinians shouted in unison in February, 2002. "Over a million people took part in Buenos Aires alone, banging their pots and pans and demanding an end to neoliberal policies and corrupt governments." - "An eyewitness account of the financial meltdown and ongoing grassroots rebellion" John Jordan and Jennifer Whitney on Argentina's successful "tin pot insurrection" in answer to the February 15, 2002 repression by President Fernando de la Rúa.

February, 2009 has seen pot banging rebellions "from Iceland to Latvia, South Korea to Greece, the rest of the world is finally having its ¡*Que se vayan todos*! Moment." - http://demleft.blogspot.com/2009/02/all-of-them-must-go.html

¡Que se vayan todos! All of Them Must Go!

By Naomi Klein, *The Nation*, February 4, 2009

"Watching the crowds in Iceland banging pots and pans until their government fell reminded me of a chant popular in anti-capitalist circles in 2002: "You are Enron. We are Argentina." Its message was simple enough. You--politicians and CEOs huddled at some trade summit--are like the reckless scamming execs at Enron (of course, we didn't know the half of it). We--the rabble outside--are like the people of Argentina, who, in the midst of an economic crisis eerily similar to our own, took to the street banging pots and pans. They shouted, "¡Que se vayan todos!" ("All of them must go!") and forced out a procession of four presidents in less than three weeks. What made Argentina's 2001-02 uprising unique was that it wasn't directed at a particular political party or even at corruption in the abstract. The target was the dominant economic model--this was the first national revolt against contemporary deregulated capitalism." - "All of Them Must Go" - Naomi Klein, The Nation, February 4, 2009: http://www.thenation.com/doc/20090223/klein

Most of the people on Earth are awakening to the evil of the World Bank, IMF, WTO, and corporate hegemony led by major banks, insurance and energy companies. In short, all of so called free market capitalism is being seen for the perpetual motion of money and concentration of wealth machine, the source of most Human suffering, that it is.

"Que se vayan todos" Most of the world is awakening to the threat to survival posed by neoliberal free market capitalism and the rest of the delusions of Milton Friedman's sick mind.

Leaders are supposed to benefit the community. Those we have are a threat to the Human Race, by their abominable corruption of social instinct. They lead for their own benefit and that of their class and principal ministers.

Why can't we make the things we need to live at home? Because all the money and property needed to produce goods is owned or controlled by the ruling elite class who profit by impoverishing the rest of US with low wages and wrecking the economy with cheap foreign goods and profit on unbalanced trade. Our existence must be threatened so they may continue to profit or at least not return what their economic scams or outsourcing and pyramid fraud debt have taken from our community. Our survival's endangered by the victory of individuality and private property over common good and sense. The delusional dogma of free market is a suicide pact. The cult of the individual over the good of community and nation is self destructive. Only a few individuals have profited by the scam to which our economy has devolved. They have all the money and we have nothing but debt.

They created most of that money with the derivative pyramid scam. We get inflation and low wages. Banks create money on their balance sheets to loan to US to buy the Chinese products and to each other for the toxic [imaginary] assets derived of our collaterals. The perpetrators of the fraud profited far beyond the inflation they created, on the fees, commissions, bonuses and usuries they extracted. Now wealth is more destructively concentrated than ever but they not only want to keep what they've stolen from the community, they expect to get even more as the tricksy mortgages they hustled onto US "adjust" to a much higher interest [usury] rate. And credit card contracts are being morphed by the owners into 19-30% usuries that will kill America once and for all. The XNATs [Multi-National Corporations ie: corporate hegemons] are treacherous to the end.

We can't do anything about it because they conned US into investing our pensions and 401ks in their scam. That "we" does not include 90% of US, who have always quietly suffered so the few could have most of everything. We don't have 401ks. But most of the profits the neo con artists promised would have come from the \$100 - \$180 trillion the banks and brokers created on their balance sheets with the imaginary assets.(1) That money was pure inflation as opposed to the partial inflation of

housing [The total \$10T in residential mortgages is less than 10% of the funny money banks created with derivatives et al, as is the government debt] that was priced beyond its real value. But at least the houses, unlike the derivatives, had some real value. The brokers, bankers, CEOs and "savvy" investors profited from the game and they want to keep the property they bought and the funny money they still have, from the proceeds of the fraudulent activity.

The 1% and the 9% of sellouts who minister to them want to keep the loot. Only the rest of US must suffer so they can have 95% of the world's produce for themselves. I don't know about you, but working for the well being of 10% of the population doesn't work for me. The founding fathers saw British aristocratic monopolies on production and trade as intolerable. Read the Declaration of Independence. In the latter part of the 20th and early 21st centuries I've heard many people say that the control of our destiny by the rich and the corporations they own and/or control is just the way it is. They say we can do nothing about it. "It will never change. Not in my lifetime." Imagine that Thomas Jefferson, George Washington, John Adams, Thomas Paine and Benjamin Franklin had been so stupid and cowardly. There would be no America. We'd still be British subjects.

But we are Americans. We have risen to successfully challenge and defeat every threat we've faced, both foreign and domestic. We can save ourselves from this global threat to our survival posed to the majority by the greed of a mere ten percent of US. To win this battle we must seize the money and power [by appropriate taxation?] of the parasites who threaten US. We the People must take back the usuries, fees and commissions of the real estate, mortgage and derivatives hustlers that so exacerbate the pyramid scam of imaginary [toxic] assets which enrich the few and impoverish the many by the inflation they create. We must have the capital property and money to invest in American production and living wages for all, in order to once more become independent of unbalanced foreign trade, debt and capitalist usuries. We must break the hold of the ruling elite class who profit at our expense and concentrate wealth to the detriment of all. The rich and the sellouts who minister to them are the greatest threat to life that the Human Race has ever known. Think about what we have become. Then think about what we might be.

(1) Compare the 100 - 180 trillion to the 12 trillion in People's [government] debt and whatever else the [private] central bank, the FED, has printed. In any case the private banks funny money is almost ten times that created in the name of We the People, just as it is ten times what We borrowed for our residential mortgages.

Many people are starting to see what's been going on with our top heavy economy that works for the few at the expense of the many. I won't promise to leave the subject to them in the future. I do hope to devote more time to decrying the excessive use of stored energy that is the fundamental cause of global warming that no one seems to notice. That, as everything, is typical of the contemporary person's desire to have our delicate psychs protected from the truth, even when our denial is self destructive.