Stands krakket gennem LaRouches økonomiske program efter Hamiltons principper. LaRouchePAC Internationale Webcast, 14. oktober, 2016.

Hr. LaRouche har leveret den klare recept, såvel som løsningen. Vi begyndte at forklare dette sidste fredag med vores særlige webcast med Paul Gallagher (dansk: Glass-Steagall: Det presserende første skridt); men vi er gået videre med at forklare dette spørgsmål. De Fire Økonomiske Love efter Hamilton, som Lyndon LaRouche udarbejdede for næsten to år siden, og som begyndte med genindførelsen af Glass-Steagall, men som omfatter en recept, der er en meget præcis og videnskabeligt funderet fremgangsmåde for, hvordan man totalt skal reorganisere og genoplive ikke alene USA's økonomi, men også skabe et helt nyt, økonomisk paradigme for det transatlantiske system, i harmoni med det, der allerede stråler ud fra Eurasien. I sammenhæng hermed har hr. LaRouche prioriteret de fire, økonomiske rapporter, som blev skrevet og forelagt Kongressen af vores første finansminister, Alexander Hamilton, i 1790'erne ved selve den amerikanske republiks fødsel. Disse fire rapporter er: »Rapporten om statslig kredit«; »Rapporten om statslig bankvirksomhed«; »Argumentet for forfatningsgrundlaget for Nationalbanken«; og »Rapporten varefremstilling«. o m

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HAMILTON'S FOUR REPORTS AND LAROUCHE'S FOUR LAWS — BASIC NECESSITIES FOR MANKIND'S CONTINUED EXISTENCE

MATTHEW OGDEN: Good evening; it is October 14, 2016.

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name is Matthew Ogden and you're watching our weekly Friday evening webcast here from larouchepac.com. I'm joined in the studio today by Benjamin Deniston from the LaRouche PAC Science

Team; and we're joined via video by Kesha Rogers from Houston, Texas; and Michael Steger from San Francisco, California. Both

of whom are leading members of the LaRouche PAC Policy Committee.

Now, I just want to begin our broadcast here today by re-emphasizing exactly what Mr. LaRouche has been emphasizing every single time we've spoken to him this week. That it cannot

be said enough that the American people scored a major victory against Obama with the defeat of his treasonous veto of the JASTA

bill and the overwhelming veto override that was delivered as the

final act of the United States Congress before they left for their districts. This only demonstrates what the American people

are capable of when they overcome whatever fear, whatever intimidation has come from this Barack Obama administration; and

we can see that it's been a force for seven and a half years to

try to intimidate the American people out of taking their country

back and acting in their own self-interest. But Obama's decision

to ally with the British-Saudi treason terror faction and to veto

this JASTA bill, demonstrated who he was; it demonstrated his true colors. And the American people drew a line in the sand and

said, "Enough is enough! No more of this."

You can look at what has happened in the weeks following

that event. We are now directly involved through missiles and bombing in the war in Yemen; this is the decision by Barack Obama

to become involved in yet another unnecessary foreign war. We are siding with the genocide and war crimes of the Saudi regime

there in Yemen. The lies and the propaganda that are coming out

of the Obama White House against Russia, and the actions that Russia is taking in alliance with the Syrian government in attempting to defeat ISIS and the terrorists in Aleppo are unprecedented; along with the completely unfounded propaganda and

lies about so-called Russian cyber warfare and hacking and all the rest.

You can see the utter denial of the fact that we are right

on the verge of a complete blow-out of the entire trans-Atlantic

financial system. All you have to do is read the headlines of the major financial press to see that even {they} are admitting

that Deutsche Bank is more leveraged than even Lehman Brothers was at the time of its collapse; and that Deutsche Bank could, in

fact, be the next Lehman.

So, all of these three items combined should show you, as we

emphasized earlier this week on the Policy Committee show on Monday, that you would have to be completely out of your mind not

to see how close we are to the combined threat of a complete blow-out of the financial system and the very real threat of the

eruption of a nuclear war. Even Mikhail Gorbachov is saying we

are closer to a Third World War than we have ever been before. This is the remaining months in office that Obama has.

What Mr. LaRouche has delivered as the prescription, as the

solution, is very clear. We began to elaborate this last Friday

during our special webcast with Paul Gallagher; but we've continued to elaborate this question. The four Hamiltonian economic laws, drafted by Lyndon LaRouche almost two years ago,

which begin with the re-institution of Glass-Steagall, but contain a prescription which is a very precise and scientifically

grounded approach to exactly how to completely reorganize and revive not only the United States economy, but to create an entirely new economic paradigm for the trans-Atlantic system in

accord with what's already emerging out of Eurasia. In conjunction with this, Mr. LaRouche has put a premium on the four

economic reports that were written and submitted to Congress by

our first Treasury Secretary, Alexander Hamilton, in the 1790s at

the very birth of the United States republic. These are: the "Report on Public Credit"; the "Report on National Banking"; the

"Argument for the Constitutionality of the National Bank"; and the "Report on Manufactures".

So, as a key component of our show today, Ben and I in conjunction with Kesha and Michael are going to elaborate a little more on what is the contents, what is the substance of

those reports from Alexander Hamilton; and then, how do they translate today in the four economic laws of Lyndon LaRouche, with a major emphasis on how a breakthrough in terms of man's exploration of space and everything that that entails in terms of

the great economic leap and scientific revolution for mankind, is

the application of the Hamiltonian principle for today.

But before we get to some of that more detailed discussion,

I think we should just revisit a couple of the urgent points in

terms of the current mobilization. The channeling of the spirit

of the JASTA victory into the mobilization for the reinstitution

of Glass-Steagall and the proceeding toward the entirety of the

four LaRouche economic laws.

BEN DENISTON: Plenty can be said, but I would just emphasize — you said it already, but I think given the state of

our nation today; and I hate to mention the elections, but this

is really a form of psychological warfare. This is not an election; this is a Jerry Springer episode, this is insane. But,

as Matthew cited, look at what we did with JASTA. That did not

require either of these candidates to do anything on that; that

was an action demonstrating the institutions of the United States, the republican system of the United States. The integration between the work that we've been leading and the work

the 9/11 victims' families have been leading on the ground,

working with various institutions, various regions of the country

as a totality came together and slammed Obama, slammed the British, slammed these degenerate Saudis on this issue; in spite

of the insanity leading the Presidential election process. So,

that's the spirit we need to take right now to the current Glass-Steagall fight. This financial system is collapsing; as was said, you can see that in any major press at this point. There is no solution left in the monetarist framework the way these guys are playing it. Bail in; bail out; QE; they've been

playing these games for years now, and they're reaching the end.

This can't keep going; we need a reorganization of the system. If we're not going to have a Presidential candidate who's going

to take the lead on that, that doesn't matter; we need to make it

happen. We're not going to wait 'til after the election; we're

not going to wait for one of these ridiculous fools to take the

lead on this. We're going to make it happen. That's what we did

with JASTA; that happened.

So, people who are cynical out there — we did it! That

happened. It can happen again, and it needs to happen again. Glass-Steagall is going to completely cut off Wall Street; this

is going to be a massive revolution in the United States, a massive shift of power in the United States away from the interests of Wall Street and international finance back to the sovereignty of the United States. It is the necessary indispensable first step for opening up this full recovery

program. But I think people need to have the urgency of getting

this through now. Again, don't let your friends, your associates, the people you're talking to, fall into this cynical

pessimism; which is really being pushed at this point, with the

Jerry Springer show — aka these debates. These things can change; we can get these laws through. There's already huge momentum around the country on Glass-Steagall; there's growing recognition of LaRouche's Four Laws as the necessary next steps.

So, I think the message to take away at this critical time is

out and move! This is the time to make this happen.

MICHAEL STEGER: Yeah, I think that's right. I think it's

important to take a look at a couple of things in the context of

this Hamilton question. Because it was about two years ago that

Mr. LaRouche launched the Manhattan Project with the key focus of

Alexander Hamilton at the foundation of that, as well as a commitment towards a Classical renaissance. And what we saw in

the process of these last two years, was the mobilization of a key part of the American population — the New York City area; because of the questions of Glass-Steagall and of Wall Street implicitly, and the question of 9/11. There was a mobilization

of that population around an optimistic vision of the country, both through Hamilton's policies, really the foundation of Hamilton setting forth the most advanced conception of human economy as a scientific practice that has been conceived yet. Mr. LaRouche said this himself, that what he took as the Four

Laws was essentially a patenting of what Hamilton had set forth

in these documents. Both the power of the Federal government, and the means and mechanisms by which you can develop and foster

a perpetual growth of the human species. But I think it's also

important — because I think this is something that too many Americans overlook, either voluntarily, but more so involuntarily, because of the black-out in the media; that in June of 2014, we saw consolidated what Xi Jinping had put out as

an international policy at the end of 2013, which was the New Silk Road perspective. In June 2014, that was consolidated by the BRICS; and largely what we've seen, given the attempts to undercut Brazil and South Africa, but we've seen an increasing level of coordination and collaboration between Russia, China, and India, that has fundamentally shifted world history. We are

talking about a fundamentally new economic system; one that looks

at the very policy Mr. LaRouche laid out beginning in the 1970s.

At the core of that, is the question of an International Development Bank; or what the BRICS have entitled the New Development Bank. Or as a LaRouche-Hamiltonian conception of a

new international credit system; that is there.

Now, not only is that economic perspective there; it is

recruiting nations like Japan, the Philippines, Australia, Canada. Many nations joined the Asia Infrastructure Investment

Bank; nations like Egypt, and Iran. But there is also a very clear strategic component; we see this specifically in Syria. We

see what Russia has done to confront Obama's war agenda. Then

the coordination between Russia and China, India, and increasing

numbers of other nations throughout Eurasia. This is a unique opportunity for the American people to create a new Presidency that looks to realign with Russia, China, and these major nations. All of the propaganda against Putin, all the attacks,

the lies, the mass of lies against Putin coming out of the Obama

operation right now in the Presidential election is a mass cover-up of what really exists for the American people; which is

a chance to go back to a LaRouche-Hamilton perspective in economic policy in the United States with very key collaborators

internationally. That really is shaping the intervention we made

around JASTA, both the Manhattan Project and this Russia-China intervention. The BRICS is larger, but those nations most specifically. We really have a unique opportunity to shut down

this London-Wall Street financial system, which for 50-60 years

and longer, essentially, but since the end of World War II has been a mass genocide program in Africa, in South America. Forced

sterilizations; imposed famines; scientific frauds like global warming, the ozone layer, or human overpopulation; all of these

things have been concocted as ways of undermining and destroying

the human economic growth potential.

And we now see a potential today to change that. An intervention by the American people like we saw with JASTA, around this LaRouche-Hamilton perspective is absolutely key. But

I think this global perspective is essential to that, to

understanding why we can be so optimistic today.

OGDEN: Yeah, I think that if you go and look at what was

presented last week, Paul Gallagher presented a clear picture in

terms of the proximity of the complete breakdown of this financial system; and the causes for that, the reason for that.

The insanity of 0% interest rate QE bail-in, bail-out regime that

has reigned since 2008; but really since the repeal of Glass-Steagall in 1999. The fact that what would be a productive

economy has been completely drowned and suffocated by a shark tank — as he characterized it — of this just robbery, looting, criminal practices and complete insanity as it reigns in terms of

economics. The fact that Mr. LaRouche is on the scene, and has

for 50 years what has now been adopted in part by several major

nations on this planet — I think most clearly evidenced by the policies of the Asia Infrastructure Investment Bank and the New

Silk Road projects coming out of China. We have the ability

bring Alexander Hamilton's principles to bear on this current situation. The vacuum of leadership in the face of this total meltdown of the financial system gives us a great opportunity for

optimism. In fact, through reasoned leadership of the type that

was exerted in the midst of this fight for JASTA, but which was

really a fight against the entire imperial apparatus that has dominated this country since 9/11; you can in fact create a

policy revolution of a type which has not been seen for a long time, especially since John F Kennedy with his commitment to the

space program. But really not since Franklin Roosevelt in the full extent of that kind of economic approach.

I think we should revisit these four economic principles of

Mr. LaRouche before getting a little bit more deeply into the content of the Hamilton economic reports. We begin with [No.1] the principle of Glass-Steagall, re-instituted exactly as Franklin Roosevelt did it. It proceeds directly from there, that

through a restored actual commercial banking system in which you

have the Treasury of the United States restored to its original

intended role, as Alexander Hamilton created it; the power of the

Presidency, as Abraham Lincoln demonstrated very clearly through

his use of the Greenbacks and also his national banking bills of

1863 and 1864, can reorganize this banking system, from the top

down, to restore it to its original intent; that it should be used for the productive investments of productive enterprise in

the United States and the improvement of productive enterprise.

But that's not enough! What you have to have from that standpoint, is [No. 2] a scientifically-grounded and principled

understanding of how credit, through the mechanisms that were provided by Alexander Hamilton, must be directed to {increase} the productive powers of your labor force. [No. 3] What are the

specific projects? What are the specific investments? What are

the specific cutting-edge discoveries that must be pursued that

in a scientifically provable and knowable way that will increase

the productive powers of your labor force, both individually and

as a whole? And that has to be defined from an understanding, as

Mr. LaRouche has uniquely developed it, of the principle of energy-flux density, not a one-to-one labor power, as manual labor per individual member of your society, but the application

of technology and ever-higher forms of technology, to create the

increases of productive powers of labor, upon which progress in

your society depends.

And then, No. 4, what are the specific future-oriented drivers that express the unique character of man? What makes man

different from a beast? How is mankind, as Vernadsky would define

it, a unique and distinct species, distinct from all other forms

of animal and other kinds of life? And, what is our imperative,

as that sort of species? I think it is no better expressed than

in the space program, as it was conceived and elaborated, as Kesha has emphasized, by Krafft Ehricke, who Mr. LaRouche directly mentions in that "Four Economic Laws" paper of two years

ago.

So, that was elaborated on the webcast last week. We've got,

I think, a little bit more specificity for especially that third

economic law, but I think between what Ben and I have, and then

the discussion with Kesha and Michael, you can see the resonance

between what Mr. LaRouche is addressing in these four economic laws, and what Alexander Hamilton originally laid out in the content of those four economic reports that he drafted to Congress in the 1790s.

BEN DENISTON: You had some quotes from those reports that you want to read?

OGDEN: Sure, we can start with that.

DENISTON: Okay.

OGDEN: Let me bring up on the screen the first slide from

these Hamilton reports. [Slide 1] I'm going to focus mainly on the "Report on Manufactures." This was written in December 1791,

but, as I mentioned earlier, this is merely one out of four, and

in the "Report on Manufactures," actually, Hamilton refers repeatedly to his other three reports, "On the National Bank," "The Defense of the Constitutionality of the National Bank," and

"On the Public Debt," or, "On the Public Credit."

I think the "Report on Manufactures" is a very important and

useful place to start, because it really is nothing less than the

study of the science of how the human mind, through its application by means of technology, can in fact increase the potential population density of any given economy or any given nation. This is the way that Mr. LaRouche came at this, but in fact it's very much demonstrated and laid out, explored, in an

exploratory way, in this "Report on Manufactures."

Quickly, the context of the "Report on Manufactures" — you

could really call it Hamilton's "Defense of Manufactures," in the

context of what was becoming a prevailing but fraudulent argument, coming from circles such as Thomas Jefferson circles and others. That the United States, as a new nation, should merely be an agrarian economy, an agrarian economy in one form or

another — landlords and peasants — or just an infinite
extension of agricultural lands westward, and just depend on
the

product of the soil as the driver of the economy. Hamilton said,

this is false, this is a fraud, this must be addressed, and he wrote the "Report on Manufactures" to address this.

What Hamilton elaborates is that in fact an economy which is

dependent merely on agriculture will be able to support far less

people at a far lower standard of living and a far lower density

of population, than an economy which also includes manufacturers,

science, technology, and the application of that, through technology. A kind of argument generally used, said that anybody

who was not farming and was doing something else, like manufacturing, would be producing less food, and so we would have

fewer people; we would be able to support fewer people. Hamilton

destroys this argument, saying in fact that it's the other way around: the more division of labor that you have, if two people

are just doing agriculture, they can only support themselves.

instead one of them is engaged in agriculture and one in manufacturing, not only can they support the two of them, but they can support themselves and others.

Let me go back to that first slide, with that quote. Hamilton says, the purpose of this report is "to evince that the

establishment and diffusion of manufacturers have the effect of

rendering the total mass of useful and productive labor in a community greater than it would otherwise be." So, you can see,

he's very clear in what the purpose of this study is.

Next slide. [Slide 2] He says "It may be inferred that manufacturing establishments not only occasion a positive augmentation of the produce and revenue of the society, but that

they may contribute essentially to rendering them greater than they could possibly be without such establishments." So, without

the use of manufacturing, the ability of the economy would be lesser than it would be with manufacturing establishments.

He says there are seven reasons for this. I'm not going to

elaborate all seven, but you can see on the screen on the next slide [Slide 3] the seven reasons he has listed: "(1) The division of labor." I touched on that briefly. "(2) An extension

of the use of machinery." We'll elaborate on that a little bit more. "(3) Additional employment to classes of the community not

ordinarily engaged in the business." "(4) The promoting of emigration from foreign countries." That's an apropos point. "(5)

The furnishing greater scope for the diversity of talents and dispositions which discriminate men from each other." We'll touch

on that a little bit more. That's an important one. "(6) The affording a more ample and various field for enterprise." And "(7) The creating in some instances a new, and securing in all, a

more certain and steady demand for the surplus produce of the soil." This one is actually often overlooked, but Hamilton says

this is the most important one, and I think it will be appropriate for what Ben's going to get into.

Let me elaborate just a couple of these ones. We're going to

take a look at No. 2: "An extension of the use of machinery." Here's what Hamilton says about that. This is the next slide. [Slide 4] Alexander Hamilton says, "The employment of

forms an item of great importance in the general mass of national

industry. 'Tis an artificial force brought in aid of the natural

force of man; and, to all the purposes of labor, is an increase

of hands; an accession of strength, {unencumbered, too, by the expense of maintaining the laborer}. He's saying you have an increase of hands, almost artificial labor, and you don't need to

feed that labor.

machinery

Next slide. [Slide 5] [Hamilton continues,] "May it not

therefore be fairly inferred, that those occupations, which give

greatest scope to the use of this auxiliary, contribute most to

the general stock of industrious effort, and, in consequence, to

the general produce of industry?" So, that's the use of machinery

in manufacturing.

Let's take a look at the next slide. [Slide 6] This is where

he elaborates the point [No. 5] "As to the furnishing greater scope for the diversity of talents and dispositions, which discriminate men from each other." He says, "It is a just observation, that minds of the strongest and most active powers

for their proper objects fall below mediocrity and labor without

effect, if confined to uncongenial pursuits. And it is thence to

be inferred, that the results of human exertion may be immensely

increased by diversifying its objects. When all the different kinds of industry obtain in a community, each individual can find

his proper element, and can call into activity the whole vigor of

his nature. And the community is benefitted by the services of its respective members, in the manner, in which each can serve it

with most effect."

Next slide please. [Slide 7] He continues, "If there be

anything in a remark often to be met with — namely that there is, in the genius of the people of this country, a peculiar aptitude for mechanic improvements, it would operate as a forcible reason for giving opportunities to the exercise of that

species of talent, by the propagation of manufactures."

OK; next slide. [Slide 8] In this one, he's elaborating his

point [No. 6] about "affording a more ample and various field for

enterprise." This is quoted, but I think it's very important. He

says, "To cherish and stimulate the activity of the human

mind,

by multiplying the objects of enterprise, is not among the least

considerable of the expedients, by which the wealth of a nation

may be promoted."

Next slide. [Slide 9] He continues, "Even things in themselves not positively advantageous, sometimes become so, by

their tendency to provoke exertion. Every new scene, which is opened to the busy nature of man to rouse and exert itself, is the addition of a new energy to the general stock of the effort."

Next slide. [Slide 10] He continues, "The spirit of enterprise, useful and prolific as it is, must necessarily be contracted or expanded in proportion to the simplicity or variety

of the occupations and productions, which are to be found in a society. It must be less in a nation of mere cultivators, than in

a nation of cultivators and merchants, less in a nation of cultivators and merchants, than in a nation of cultivators, artificers and merchants.

Next slide. [Slide 11] I want to put special emphasis on

this one, because I think it opens up the point that Mr. LaRouche

was exploring in his Four Laws paper about physical chemistry. Alexander Hamilton says under this one [Point No. 7], the heading

of "As to the creating, in some instances, a new, and securing in

all a more certain and steady demand for the surplus produce of

the soil." Hamilton says, "This is among the most important of the circumstances which have been indicated. It is a principal mean, by which the establishment of manufacturers contributes to

an augmentation of the produce or revenue of a country, and has

an immediate and direct relation to the prosperity of agriculture."

Next slide. [Slide 12] "It is a principal mean by which the

establishment of manufactures contributes to an augmentation of

the produce or revenue of a country."

Next slide [Slide 13] After elaborating a little bit why

it's advantageous to have a domestic market rather than just depending on foreign markets for your produce and products, he says:

"It merits particularly observation that the multiplication

of manufacturies not only furnishes a domestic market for these

articles which have been accustomed to be produced in abundance

in a country; but it likewise creates a demand for such as were

either unknown or produced in considerable quantities. The bowels as well as the surface of the Earth are ransacked for articles which were before neglected. Animals, plants, and minerals acquire a utility and value which were before unexplored."

Then, jumping forward quite a bit, I just wanted to go to

Hamilton's conclusion of the entire paper, after discussing public credit and national banking. [Slide 14] He says:

"In countries where there is a great private wealth, much

may be affected by the voluntary contributions of patriotic individuals. But in a community situated like that of the United

States, the public purse must supply the deficiency of private resource. In what can it be so useful as in promoting, prompting, and improving the efforts of industry?"

So, just before Ben picks it up, I just want to emphasize

that what Alexander Hamilton is exploring, is the science of how

the human mind can increase the productive powers of labor and through that, by means of the application of technology and principles that were hitherto unexplored or undiscovered, can increase the potential population density of a nation or an economy. I think this seventh point, which he puts the most premium on, is the role that manufactures can play in spurring the discovery of resources that we didn't even know were resources before. What had been previously considered just rocks

or otherwise, become the most valuable resources — minerals, fuels, coal, oil, uranium; the most valuable resources for your

economy. I think Alexander Hamilton would be particularly excited if he knew about the potential of the Moon to be mined for a resource that I'm sure they did not have any conception of

in 1791 — helium-3 — as a source of fuel for nuclear fusion, for example. So, I just wanted to give a little bit of actual content of Alexander Hamilton's Report on Manufactures; and maybe

we can use that to contextualize a little bit of what Ben's going

to present here.

DENISTON: People should know, we are making these $-\ \ \ \$ in

their totality — available on the LaRouche PAC website. This is

admittedly some pretty heavy material for some of our viewers, but this is really what's needed right now. I would just

emphasize looking where we are in the United States right now, and again, a lot of people know Glass-Steagall needs to happen; a

number of people have a sense of having some sovereign control over our money supply. But what Hamilton understood and what LaRouche understands, is what is the science of growth. You can

have sovereign control of your money, you can cut off destructive

speculation like Wall Street; you can throw that in the trash. But how do you create growth? How do you actually create a more

productive economy in totality? That is what Hamilton understood; that a true credit system can facilitate these increases in the productive power of labor. That's what the American people need to understand right now; that's what we have

a chance of joining internationally with what's going on around

the world. But it's going to require that the United States return to our understanding of these core principles. I wanted

to just take a second and pull a little bit out of what Mr. LaRouche defined as his Third Law in his policy document; and just go through a couple of historical examples to put a little

bit more of a picture on this relation of the actual understanding of the productive powers of labor and the critical

role that Mr. LaRouche has defined in his work furthering Hamilton's own understanding to a new degree. Mr. LaRouche's work on what he defines as "energy flux density".

But if we can go back to the slides, I have the full quote

of Mr. LaRouche's Third Law up there. [Slide 15] Again, the policy document as a whole is available on our website. I just

wanted to read this and then go through a couple examples.

Again, the First Law being Glass-Steagall; the Second Law being a

national banking system, as Hamilton had defined. And then he presents a Third Law with this national banking system:

"The purpose of the use of a Federal credit system, is to

generate high-productivity trends in improvement of employment with the accompanying intention to increase the physical economic

productivity and the standard of living of the persons and the households of the United States. The creation of credit for the

now urgently needed increase of the relative quality and quantity

of productive employment must be ensured this time once more, as

was done successfully under President Franklin Roosevelt or by like standards of Federal practice used to create a general economic recovery of the nation, per capita. And for rates of net increases in productivity and by reliance on the essential human principle which distinguishes the human personality from the systemic characteristics of lower forms of life; the net rate

of energy flux density of effective practice. This means intrinsically a thoroughly scientific, rather than a merely mathematical one; and by the related increase of energy flux density per capita and for the human population when considered

as each and all as a whole. The ceaseless increase of the physical productivity of employment, accompanied by its benefits

for the general welfare, are a principle of Federal law which must be a paramount standard of achievement of the nation and the

individual."

I think really, again, illustrates Mr. LaRouche's work

furthering this scientific understanding of economy really rooted

in the work of Hamilton and those who continued this American System tradition; but applying a new scientific understanding to

it. If we go to the next slide [Slide 16], I wanted to highlight

a study that was done under Mr. LaRouche's direction back in the

'80s. Mr. LaRouche has a long history of trying to educate the

American people and institutions about real economics. I thought

this was just one example, but I think it may be a helpful, specific case study to try and put some depth to the idea of the

productive powers of labor and the relation of energy flux density to the productive powers of labor.

So, what do we mean by that? This is one expression of

that; this is a measurement of the productivity of iron throughout the history of the United States up to 1975. Iron being by weight the most-used element by mankind as a whole. Obviously, it's the main component of steel, so this is a major

part of any modern economy, is iron production. This is a rather

fascinating study, where Mr. LaRouche said, don't just look at tons produced; don't just look at people employed. Look at the

relation between productivity — how productive is your average laborer producing iron — and energy flux density; what's the actual energy density per time used in the actual manufacturing

process of blast furnaces? If you examine this historically, you

get this very fascinating and clear demonstration of what Mr.

LaRouche is talking about in terms of energy flux density and productivity. You see a consistent increase in the tons produced

per average iron worker per year in this case is the actual number being used; measured against the energy flux density of the production process. The energy per area, per time; so the concentration and density of energy used in the blast furnaces to

produce this iron. And you see a dramatic, many-fold increase in

how productive each individual worker is as a direct function and

relation of the increasing energy flux density of the productive process.

More interesting, you see this kind of comes in successive

waves; and each of these waves is associated with — you'll get a

rise for a certain period, and then the productivity increase will tend to level off. Then, you'll get a new technological revolution; you'll move to a higher energy density fuel, for example. Moving into better forms of coal was one example of this; types of coal that have more energy per mass, per weight.

Or moving to coke — a derivative of coal that can operate at higher temperatures and enable higher production rates. Or moving to higher technologies in the more recent period of injection of pure oxygen into the process to create even more heat and a more intense productive process. There are various technologies associated with each of those steps; you have increases in technology, increases in the energy density of the

fuel producing the process. You can kind of measure that together as expressed in energy flux density; and you can see that to really understand progress — but also these qualitative

shifts in progress; these leaps that occur, these are the kind of

metrics we want to look at.

When you talk about this idea of — it's not a question of

the number of people you have employed; it's a question of what's

the capability of your labor force to produce the goods needed at

higher rates or efficiency, etc. So, I think it's just one useful case study to give some concept of the relationship between the productive powers of labor and energy flux density.

It doesn't show it in this graphic, but as I think many of our viewers wouldn't be surprised, these metrics have gone down significantly since 1975; since we really settled into a post-industrial economy which has led us to this collapse process

 the abandonment of this real industrial, forward-oriented economic policy.

If we go to the next graphic [Slide 17], it's just another

illustration of the same thing from the same study; but it's also

just interesting to note that with each of these successive leaps, you also get higher rates of productivity per amount of energy. So, this is literally the productive output of iron per

amount of energy put in. This idea that energy as a scalar value

in and of itself means something is not true. The amount of energy you're using does not necessarily tell you what your economy can do, how productive you can be; but it's an issue of

energy flux density. Higher energy flux densities, the same amount of energy measured in just scalar, quantitative terms becomes much more productive; because you're employing it with

higher technologies and at higher energy flux densities.

This is just one example. Similar studies can be done in

various sectors of the economy; but this is the type of process

that enables the productive section of your economy to continue

to — as Mr. LaRouche said in the concluding section of this Third Law: "[T]o continue this process of ever increasing the productivity and ability of your labor force to produce more goods, higher quality goods, that are needed to support society."

Those are the metrics that we need to understand that the credit

must facilitate and go to.

I just wanted to highlight one other illustration of this

energy flux density issue, but on a national scale. If we return

to the slide [Slide 18], you can also see this in terms of the economy as a whole. This is a study that we developed in the Basement Team looking at the history of the United States; looking at what you could consider one metric for the energy flux

density of the nation as a whole. Now, we're looking at the use

of power per capita; not just what any one individual uses, but

everything that goes into all forms of transportation, manufacturing, agriculture. You take the net energy investment

in totality across the entire nation, average it per capita. Then here we have it divided by power sources. You can clearly

see the history of the growth of the United States very clearly

expressed in the increasing energy flux density of the nation.

You clearly see the Great Depression illustrated by a significant

drop in the energy flux density — measured in per capita terms — of the nation. You see a dramatic rise in Franklin Roosevelt's mobilization coming out of the New Deal programs into

the World War II mobilization; you clearly see that reflected in

this graphic. What's the next dramatic rate of increase? Well,

it's certainly associated with Kennedy's space program, starting

there in the early '60s you see a dramatic leap in rate of increase of energy flux density of the nation as a whole.

Then what do you see since then? This leveling off and

collapse, which is directly associated with the collapse we're seeing now today in the United States; expressed in these physical metrics. You see that what should have been an explosion of nuclear fission power was suppressed to just that tiny, red segment there. If you could see it — you might not be

able to at all — there's a little green tiny layer on the very top there which is wind, solar, geothermal all combined. So, if

you think you're going to support the US economy on Green technologies, you're living in a fantasy. All of the massive subsidies and investment and propping up these things has barely

done anything to contribute to our actual net energy flux density

for our country as a whole.

This is where we are today; this is one expression of the

collapse. This is the process we have to reverse. Maybe just to

illustrate one last example, I think it's really worth

comparing

this with the next graphic [Slide 19]; which was the forecast by

the Kennedy administration in the '60s. It was forecast that this process would increase; and the next major component would

be the rapid expansion of nuclear fission power. You'd get this

interesting process of these waves of fuel sources being used and

then surpassed as society moves to the next level. The gray on

the far right, if you haven't read it yet, that's mostly wood-powered; in very early times, wood was the main energy source. That was superseded by coal, as you can see in the brown. That began to fall off as other fossil fuels — namely, gasoline, diesel, and natural gas — became a major component of

the economy. As you can see, under a healthy orientation, it

understood in the early '60s by the Kennedy administration, that $\ensuremath{\text{\textbf{that}}}$

that should then fall off, and we should see a rapid expansion of

nuclear fission power as the next wave. So, this is what a healthy growth process would have looked like. This is the kind

of process we need to return to; and as Mr. LaRouche says, increasing the energy flux density of the nation, of the productive powers of labor, of the labor force, these are the kinds of metrics we need to be looking at. Today, that means fusion power. It's not illustrated in the graphic here, but if

we're going to overcome those 30-40 years of stagnation, if we're

going to overcome the dramatic collapse in the productive capabilities of our labor force; we can't just continue what

was

done before. As you've seen in all these historical examples, we

need to go to the new leaps in technology, the new leaps in energy flux density, to drive the greatest increase in the productive capabilities of the labor force.

Then you have a system that will work; then the Four Laws

will work. Now, a national bank will work; now, Glass-Steagall

will work, because it will facilitate this physical growth process. As we've talked about, this means fusion power, this means the space program. It's no accident that in those graphics

we were looking at, the period of the space program is very clearly expressed in both of those; driving the increase in the

productive powers of labor, even in industries not seemingly related to the space program. But you see that driver program reflected in this iron production, for example; you see it reflected in the totality of the national energy flux density.

Which brings us to Mr. LaRouche's Fourth Law; a fusion drive

program. As he's increasingly emphasized, that is truly integrated with a real space program. So that has to be the front end of a recovery program. That'll come with all kinds of

things: rebuilding our infrastructure; rebuilding the national

transportation system; power systems; all kinds of soft infrastructure. But it has to be understood as unified around this increase of your productive capabilities; that's how an economy works.

That's what Hamilton understood, as Matthew showed us. Smash the idea that we should be just agrarian, or should we be

manufacturing? If you take people away from the other — a

complete lack of understanding of the synergistic relation of actual human revolutions in technology; revolutions in the very

nature of mankind's relation to the environment more generally,

which are driven by real creative discoveries, creative thought,

real unique human growth. This is the message, the unifying conception that the American people need to understand and rally

around, if we're going to get out of the mess we're in now. It's

not going to come from any form of monetarist jiggering of the system; it has to be rooted in a real understanding of the true

science of human growth, of human progress.

I know that might be a lot to throw at our viewers today,

but this is the historical challenge that we're facing. We have

it in our history; we have it in Hamilton; we have in Lincoln; we

have it in Franklin Roosevelt. We have it in a more developed form than even them, with Mr. LaRouche's work. But it's on us to

bring this to bear now as the revolution needed in the United States.

ROGERS: Before we close out, let me just add one principle

from the standpoint that the underlying principle at the foundation and at the core of Hamilton's four Reports and LaRouche's Four Laws gets right at the heart of formation of our

US republic and the formation of Union as Hamilton saw it. It is

what is defined directly in the US Constitution, but more

directly in the Preamble to the Constitution; the idea that Hamilton was instrumental in developing. This conception that "We, the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, ensure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the General Welfare, and

secure the blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our posterity,

do ordain and establish this Constitution of the United States of

America." What's at the core of that is the principle of the General Welfare; which is directly under attack right now by the

actions of Obama. That is explicitly shown in the attacks on not

only the General Welfare of the nation, but attacks on this very

principle of the increase of the productive powers of your society, and on the creative and productive powers of the human

mind. You can see this most explicitly in the insane recent announcement by President Obama advocating the United States go

to Mars under the direction, should we say, and direct support of

private industry. But in a recent conference President Obama was

in — the White House Frontiers conference — the key person he was there with was a man by the name of Atul Gawande. This is a

person who's been promoting the idea that the population doesn't

need health care, we need to cut healthcare; we need to kill off

more people. That's what's at the core of the attack on the General Welfare of our nation, is this idea of population reduction — killing off of the population.

When you look at what it was that was understood by Alexander Hamilton on this question of advancing the productive

powers of labor, that was most directly expressed over a century

later after the death of Alexander Hamilton, with the birth of

great pioneer by the name of Krafft Ehricke. Krafft Ehricke's understanding of the increase in the formation of a more perfect

union and the productive powers of labor, came with the understanding that it was not until mankind left the confines of

one small planet — Earth — and actually went out into the far reaches of our Solar System and developed the Solar System. He

called explicitly for developing the Solar System through the increase in the productivity of society, the increase of manufactures, and the increase of everything that Ben just went

through very thoroughly in his remarks.

I think what we get back to again, which was very clearly

understood by Alexander Hamilton, as Mr. LaRouche in the foundation of his policies on physical economy, and by Krafft Ehricke, is at the heart of this is the conception of, and the principle of, the human mind. The human mind in the power of reason. What I wanted to do is just read a quick quote from Krafft Ehricke on this conception of the reasoning of the human

mind at the foundation of this very principle of what increases

the productive powers of labor in our society — or throughout our universe.

He says: "We are cosmic creatures by substance; by the

energy on which we operate, and by the restless mind that

increasingly metabolizes information from the infinitesimal to the infinite. And on the infrastructure of knowledge, pursues its moral and social aspirations for a larger and better world against many odds. Through intelligences like ourselves, the universe — and we in it — move into a focus of

self-recognition. Metal ore is turned into formationprocessing

computers, satellites, and deep space probes; and atoms are fused

as in stars. I cannot imagine a more foreboding, apocalyptic vision of the future than a mankind endowed with cosmic powers,

but condemned to solitary confinement on one small planet."

He goes on to take the principle which Alexander Hamilton

had defined in his four Reports, in his Report on Manufacturing,

and applies that to the development of space; particularly to the

development of our sister body, the Moon. He says that the manufacturing and the development of the process which would organize the increase of society, the formation of a more perfect

union, off of the planet, would actually start with the development of the Moon. And he says: "Lunar industry should be

viewed as an organism that over time evolves to progressively more complex capabilities and generates sufficiently strong foundations for expansion. Lunar industry must be broad-based and diverse if it is to last. The need for economic feasibility

and early returns will require a skillful interplay between market, consumer-oriented products and services, and infrastructural investments such as transportation, energy, and

surface-space installations that expand food production and diversity in industrial productivity."

So, I think what is essential to understand is that Hamilton's conception was not something that was confined to one

period in time, one period of history. It wasn't confined to one

planet. It was actually organized — as was later understood by

Krafft Ehricke — to the idea that man cannot be confined to one

planet. If we are going to truly form a more perfect union, we

have to get off the Earth and develop the entirety of the Solar

System and universe we live in. And only the human mind can do

that.

OGDEN: Well said. I think Hamilton would concur with that

one. We can only encourage to do your own reading of these four

Hamilton Reports; and as Ben said at the beginning of the show,

we did make those four available on the LaRouche PAC website.
There's a big picture of Hamilton; you can click on it. It's
got

links to the four separate reports by Hamilton; each one is a nicely formatted pdf. You can print them out and read them on your own. I would also just emphasize that

larouchepac.com/fourlaws is the place where you can find LaRouche's paper from close to two years ago, as you can see on

the screen. This contains the four principles of LaRouche.

those two together, and I think if you can do the work, we can create the educated citizenry that's necessary to put these policies into practice.

So, the urgency of the mobilization for Glass-Steagall absolutely persists; we are right on the cusp of a complete meltdown of this financial system. The Glass-Steagall mobilization is one which must be generating the kind of activity

that we had during the JASTA mobilization. That victory rendered

the Obama regime impotent. Don't fall for the bluster and the intimidation; don't give in to the fear that the Obama administration is attempting to project right now. We had a revolution in this country with the override of the JASTA veto;

and it's a completely new situation. If we maintain that kind of

sense of victory and urgency, we can continue to make some very

incredible breakthroughs.

I'd like to thank Ben; thank you, Kesha; thank you, Michael.

Please stay tuned. Obviously, we're going to just elaborate these discussions much more in the days to come. Thank you very

much, and good night.