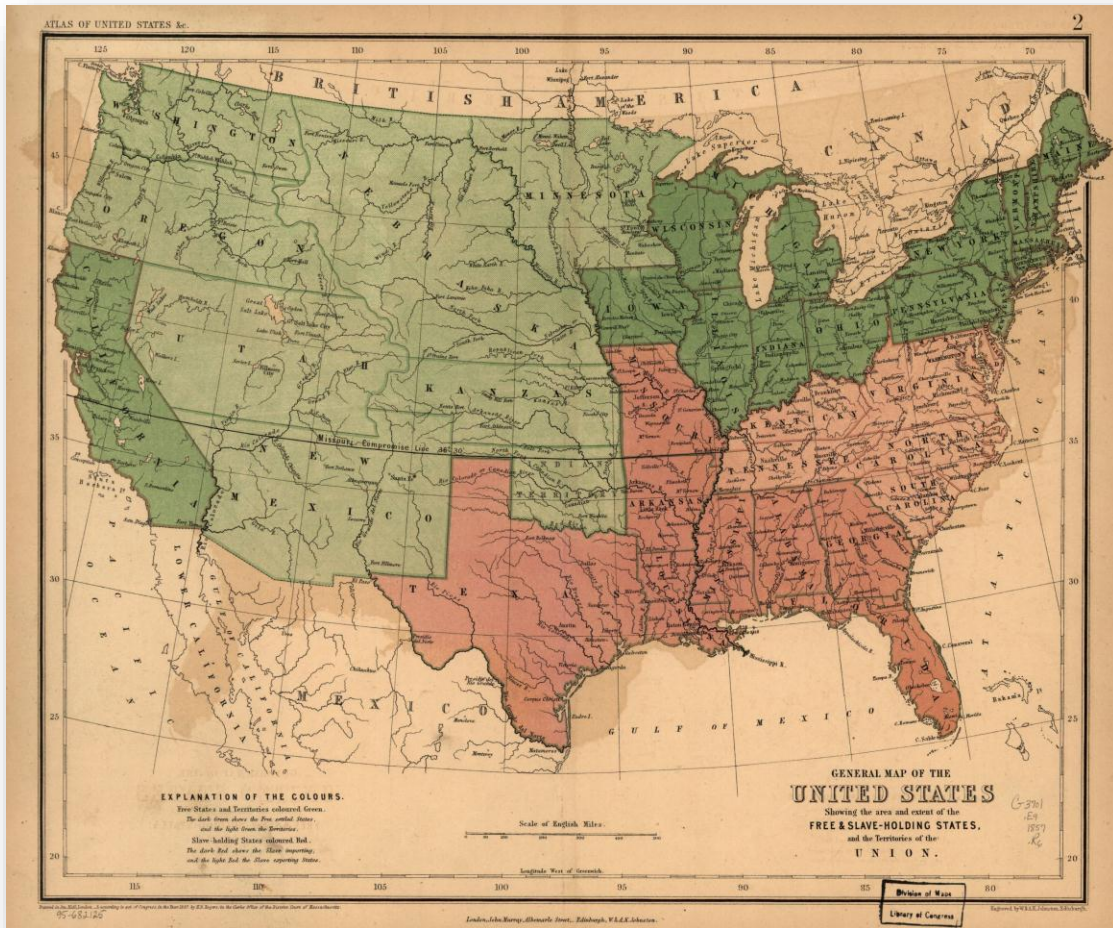
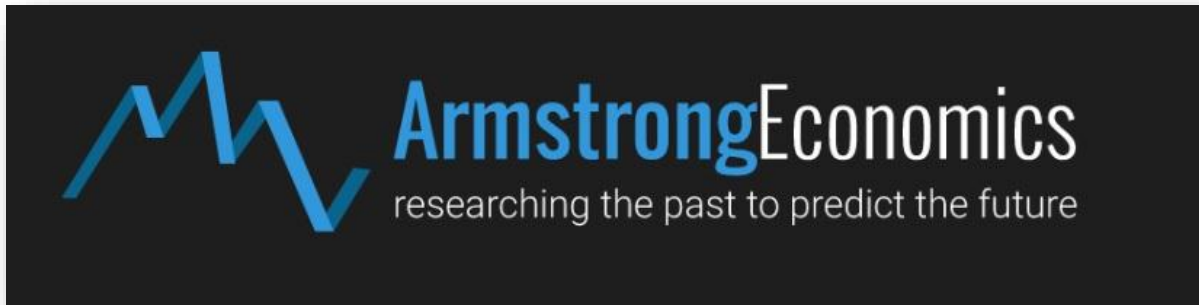


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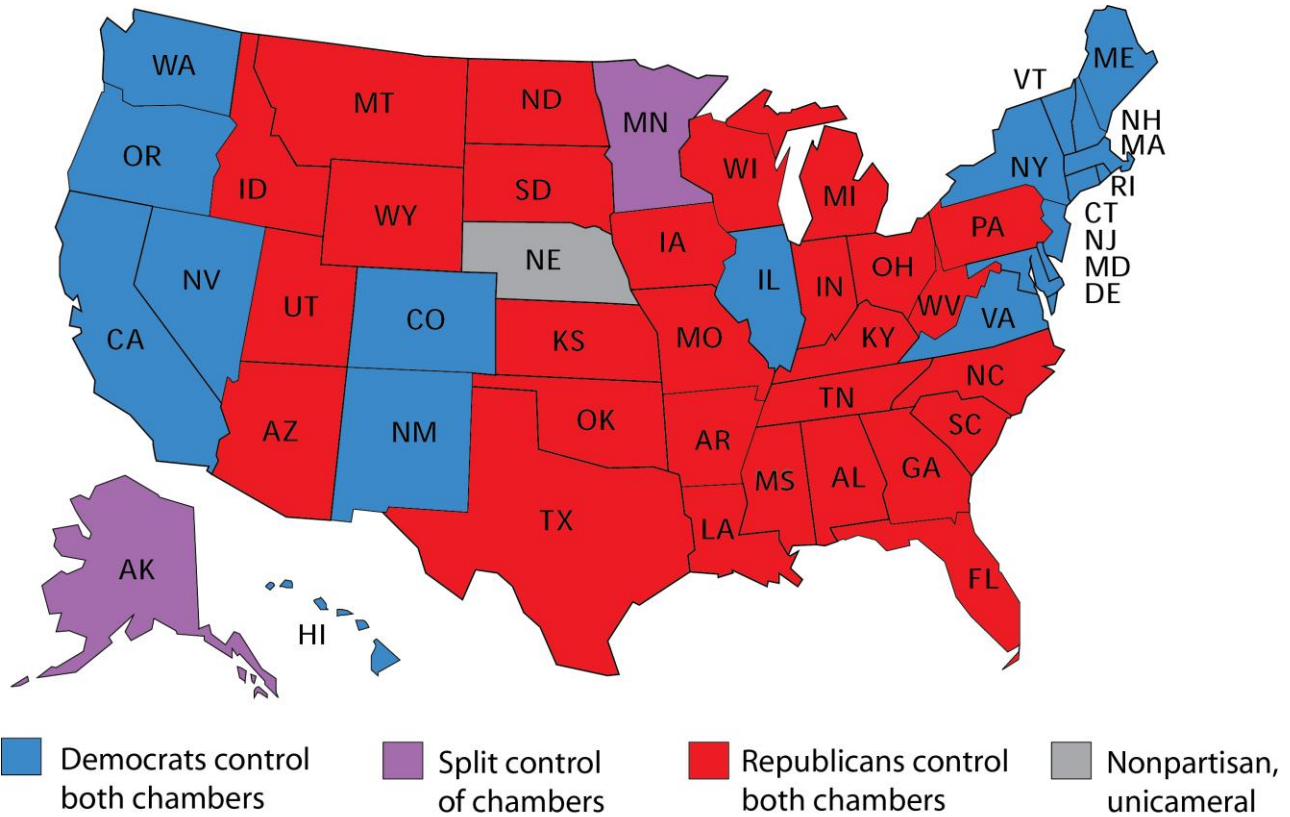
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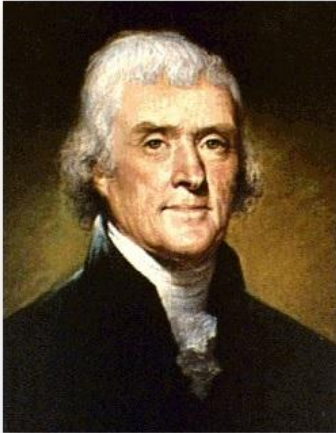
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Introduction



Thomas Jefferson
(1743 - 1826)

"The tree of liberty must be refreshed from time to time with the blood of patriots and tyrants. It is its natural manure."

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Here comes a time in history where governments have always gone too far and they become delusional about their own power. In 1787, Thomas Jefferson wrote a letter to William Stephens Smith, who was the son-in-law of John Adams. It was in this famous letter where Thomas Jefferson used the phrase **"tree of liberty."**

"...There has been one rebellion. That comes to one rebellion in a century and a half for each state. What country before ever existed a century and half without a rebellion? And what country can preserve it's liberties if their rulers are not warned from time to time that their people preserve the spirit of resistance? Let them take arms. The remedy is to set them right as to facts, pardon and pacify them. What signify a few lives lost in a century or two? The tree of liberty must be refreshed from time to time with the blood of patriots and tyrants. It is it's natural manure."

Perhaps it is simply human nature. A small businessman will always try to expand his company and improve on what he has built. That same human trait exists in politicians. The problem always comes down to the same trait to expand when applied to government does so **ONLY** at the expense of the liberty of the people. Thus, remains our plight. It always boils down to the people v the rulers.

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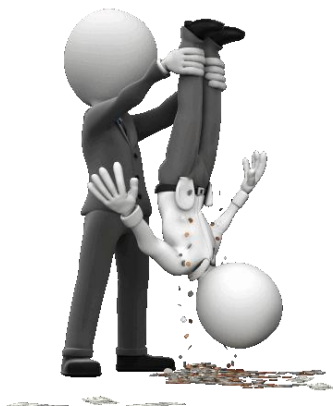
My family has fought in every war for America since the Revolution. They did not fight for this. What the nation has devolved into has disrespected every soldier and what they were told they were laying down their lives to preserve. There is no God that is respected, no less believed in, on Capitol Hill.



When in the Course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature and of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation.

We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.

We have collapsed now into class warfare abandoning everything so many have died to defend. Equality is no longer about rights to pursue happiness and the liberty to do so, this is now about material equality while stripping us of our individual liberty to pursue our diversity. We share a common right of liberty and government is not our creator, but it merely serves at the pleasure of the people.



Socialism has merely been used to bribe the people to destroy the liberty of the nation. Politicians stand and promise all sorts of free things and they will provide that by taxing the rich and redistribute their wealth but somehow nobody else's taxes ever decline.

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British Token - the End of Pain

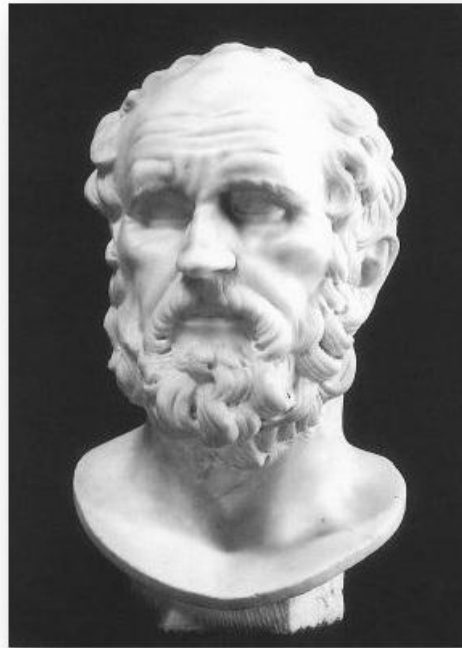
This is an age-old problem where Thomas Paine (1736/1737–1809) saw this very issue how those in government see themselves as all powerful and we, the Great Unwashed, are mere subjects to be dictated to, herded, and exploited. He began his *Common Sense* identifying this problem we still face once again:

Some writers have so confounded society with government, as to leave little or no distinction between them; whereas they are not only different, but have different origins. Society is produced by our wants, and government by our wickedness; the former promotes our POSITIVELY by uniting our affections, the latter NEGATIVELY by restraining our vices. The one encourages intercourse, the other creates distinctions. The first a patron, the last a punisher.

Society in every state is a blessing, but government even in its best state is but a necessary evil; in its worst state an intolerable one; for when we suffer, or are exposed to the same miseries BY A GOVERNMENT, which we might expect in a country WITHOUT GOVERNMENT, our calamity is heightened by reflecting that we furnish the means by which we suffer. Government, like dress, is the badge of lost innocence; the palaces of kings are built on the ruins of the bowers of paradise. For were the impulses of conscience clear, uniform, and irresistibly obeyed, man would need no other lawgiver; but that not being the case, he finds it necessary to surrender up a part of his property to furnish means for the protection of the rest; and this he is induced to do by the same prudence which in every other case advises him out of two evils to choose the least. WHEREFORE, security being the true design and end of government, it unanswerably follows, that whatever FORM thereof appears most likely to ensure it to us, with the least expense and greatest benefit, is preferable to all others.

This is the ultimate treason against our liberty and why civil wars, revolutions, and international wars are inevitable. It would be nice if we could possibly resolve this peacefully. But once those in government taste that power, regardless of the form of state, it is rare indeed for such a resolution to ever take place without spilled blood.

"[T]he different forms of government make law democratical, aristocratical, tyrannical, with a view to their several interests; and these laws, which are made by them for their own interests, are the justice which they deliver to subjects, and him who transgresses them they punish as a breaker of the law, and unjust. And that is what I mean when I say that in all states there is the same principle of justice, which is the interest of the government; and as the government must be supposed to have power, the only reasonable conclusion as, that everywhere there is one principle of justice, which is the interest of the stronger."



Thrasymachus (Θρασύμαχος)
(ca. 459-400 BC)

Our crisis throughout recorded history has always been one of repetitive rebellion against those who rule and as Thrasymachus warned Socrates, it did not matter



what form of state those crated to rule. All forms of governments decreed what they called "justice" and that is always the same in a democracy, aristocracy, or a tyrannical dictatorship – their own self-interest. Perhaps the greatest and most profound example of this inherent corruption is how the politicians in America treated Edward Snowden. They called him a traitor to telling the people that the government was acting illegally.

Unfortunately, history repeats because the passions of humanity never change with the centuries.



Aristophanes (c. 446 – 386 BC)

Under every stone
lurks a politician.

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It was Aristophanes (c 446–386BC) who said there was a politician lurking under every stone. No matter what the century, those who seek power will always further their own self-interest. Nothing has changed in 6,000 years of recorded history. Thus, we will never stop this cycle until we first recognize that history repeats because of this cycle. The **ONLY** solution is to prevent career politicians and decisions must be voted on directly by the people – never bundled into one bill with countless slick laws that are totally unrelated.

Historical Divisions Never Die



When one rummages around through the remnants of empire, nations, and city states left behind throughout the course of 6,000 years, one is suddenly confronted with the fact that the divisions of people always reemerge over time. Julius Caesar (100–44BC) forged Europe with his campaign of Gaul he began in 51BC. When he concluded his conquest and then was forced to cross the Rubicon in 49BC, there was another cycle at work.



Valerian I
(253-260AD)

For you seen, in 260AD when emperor Valerian I (253–260AD) was captured by the Persians, 309.6 years had passed. This was the cycle that saw the Roman Empire divide in a separatist movement.

Gallic Empire 260-274AD



When Valerian was captured, this shook the confidence of everyone in the Roman Empire. Suddenly they no longer looked to Rome for protection. They saw perhaps

for the first time that they were vulnerable. One man rose from the chaos, Postumus (260–268AD) promising to restore the Gallic region separate from Rome. So, what was joined with Rome by Julius Caesar, was not severed.



Postumus (260-268AD)

AR Silver Antoninianus with Reverse type stating "RESTITVTOR GALLIAR" with Postumus standing left with foot on captive barbarian, resting on his spear and raising a kneeling figure of Gallia holding a cornucopiae showing he is saving Gaul

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Unlike previous generals who would march on Rome to seek the throne, Postumus made no such move. It had carved out the Gallic Empire to co-exist with that of a

declining Rome. He issued coins showing himself as the restorer of Gaul. In other words, the culture that was Gaul had remained despite being part of Rome.

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While Britain was actually conquered under Emperor Claudius (37–54AD) when he launched his invasion in 43AD even naming his son Britannicus in that honor, there were two other attempts to carve out Britain as a sole nation state.



Tiberius Claudius Germanicus (Britannicus)
(42 - 55AD) Son of Emperor Claudius
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The first attempt to create a British state was under Carausius (287–293AD). Carausius resisted the incursions of the Picts, repaired Hadrian's Wall and kept the regions generally secure. He attempted to claim that he was a third emperor, but when that was not accepted, he separated on his own.



Carausius (287-293AD)
Usurper of Britain

Æ Antoninianus ("ML" London Mint)
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The second usurpation was that of Magnus Maximus (383–388AD). Magnus held an important military command in Britain, during 383AD when his troops proclaimed him Emperor in opposition to Gratian who took the throne. Magnus immediately set out to invade Gaul in an attempt to overthrow Gratian who quickly found himself deserted, captured, and executed. Magnus was not content with ruling only

Gaul. He thus invaded Italy later that same year thereby breaking the treaty he had reached with Emperor Theodosius I. In the summer of 387AD he invaded Italy and was defeated. Following Maximus' defeat, he was beheaded along with his son. These events were 112 years apart on a 224-year cycle of political change.



Magnus Maximus
(383-388AD)

Usurper of British Revolt
AR Miliarensis 4.52 grams

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Constantine III
(407-411AD)
Usurper of Britannia
AV Solidus (4.48 grams)
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Constantine III (407–411AD) came 19 years after the usurpation of Magnus Maximus. For this many usurpations taking place in Britain it reflects the discontent among the people. This was clearly the people when the barbarians were at the Gates of Rome. In 406AD the Vandals crossed the Rhine led by King Gunderic (379–428AD) and was pillaging Gaul. In 408AD, Constantine expanded his territory to include Spain. In 409,

however, Spain was overrun by the Vandals, Alani, and Suevi, primarily due to treachery on the part of one of his own generals named Gerontius. But in 409AD, there was a rebellion in Britain against Constantine III and this was the end of Roman rule in Britain.



The Vandals Sack Rome 455AD

The Visigoths sacked in 410AD, which was once again a major blow to the confidence in the Empire. The Visigoths spent only three days in the city. Hence, Constantine III was eventually captured and ultimately sent to Italy in 411AD where he was put to death.

Eventually, Rome would be sacked again 45 years later in 455AD which was a serious

destruction of the city. The Vandals plundered Rome for fourteen days even stripping the copper from the roofs. They plundered the burials of emperors that were in Hadrian's Tomb.

The Emperor at the time was Petronius Maximus (455AD) who was seen fleeing the city so the mob captured and killed him.



Petronius Maximus
(455AD)
AV Solidus (4.47 grams)
Killed by Mob Fleeing Before Sack of Rome by Vandals
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Why did regions of the Roman Empire seek separation? While we tend to think that the Roman Empire was one Latin speaking culture, nothing is farther from the truth. Rome was actually benevolent – too much so. There were so many gods because it practiced the freedom of religion. As it conquered a land, it allowed them to retain their gods, culture, and even their language.

Commodus (177-192AD)



Roman Denarius

East Didrachm

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While the Romans conquered the Greek Empire of Alexander the Great (356–323BC), they retained their language and culture. The coinage struck in the East retained even the monetary system of the Greeks. They did not adopt either the language nor the Roman denominations of coins. Here we can see the coinage of Commodus (177–192AD) which is not only different denominations, denarius 3.5 grams compared to the didrachm of 4.5 grams. Also note that the language on the coin is Latin in the West and Greek in the East.

The Roman Empire split along cultural and language lines. Latin and Greek were the official languages of the Roman Empire, but there were also other languages that dominated regionally. Latin was the original language of the Romans and remained the language of **imperial administration**, legislation, and the military throughout the classical period. In the West, there remained a local language of the Gauls, lingua franca, which was used for even local administration of the cities including the law courts.

Certainly, post 212AD, a vast number of Roman citizens even lacked any knowledge of Latin. Latin became more of a marker of culture and sophistication

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as the United States is starting to be divided between English and Spanish. This was really the failure of the Roman Empire. They absorbed cultures and allowed conquered states to retain their culture and their gods. Thus, while all roads led to Rome, language and culture distinguished the Empire unlike that of the Greeks.

When Alexander the Great (356–323BC) conquered the East, Greek had become a shared language around the eastern Mediterranean including all diplomatic communications. Alexander's Empire represented power and to access that power of a single market Greek became the native language even into Egypt. Here is a Roman Tetradrachm of Egypt still in the Greek denomination and language during the late 3rd century AD. Just as English became the main language because the United States was the major power post-World War II, Greek became the mainstay of the world economy at that time as well.



Diocletian

(284 - 305 AD)

Æ Egyptian Tetradrachm in Greek (7.54 grams)

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Alexander III 'The Great' (336-323BC)

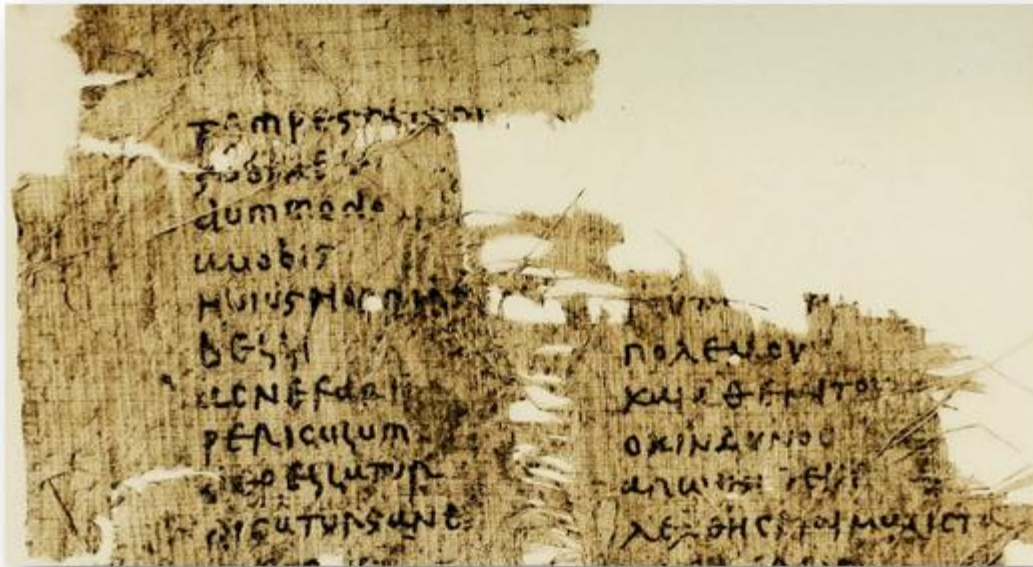


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The international use of Greek was one condition that enabled the spread of Christianity. We do not find coins of Alexander the Great issued in multiple languages. The Romans did not require the same adoption of Latin.

Greek was the language of the New Testament in the Bible and it was used for the ecumenical

councils in Byzantium – not Latin. With the dissolution of the Empire in the West, Greek became the dominant language of the Roman Empire in the East, modernly referred to as the Byzantine Empire.



John Rylands Library - A.S. Hunt Catalogue of the Greek papyri Volume I
A bilingual papyrus of Cicero, (Manchester University, 1911)
Greek and Latin in Parallel

Evidence exists that there was a trade in the Roman Empire of not just moneychangers (FX dealers), but also interpreters. Here is a papyrus of Cicero's speech in Greek and Latin in parallel. The Celtic languages were widespread throughout much of western Europe especially north of Italy and the Po river. The Germanic languages within the Empire existed and there are written texts of Gothic that have survived. There was a large population within the Roman Empire that did not have a heritage tied to either Roman or Greek.

As the Roman Empire crumbled in Europe during the 5th century AD, Latin developed locally in the Western provinces into branches that became the Romance languages, including Spanish, Portuguese, French, Italian, Catalan, Occitan and Romanian. The Germanic languages were not Latin based.

Latin itself was a status symbol of education post-Dar Age. Here we have a coin of Charlemagne (768-814AD) with Latin inscriptions. The denomination was known



Charlemagne (768-814AD)
silver denier

as the denier which was the reference to the old Roman denarius. Even when I went to school in the 1960s, Latin was still a requirement to enter college. I had

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Latin classes in grade school. The tradition that Latin was a mark of culture existed into the 1970s where Latin was mandatory for college entrance. That changed to require just a second language at that time.

The original language of the Roman Christian Church was Greek, not Latin. The New Testament was also written in Greek and not Hebrew or Aramaic. Greek was indeed the language of scholarship during the years of the composition of the New Testament from 50 to 100AD thanks to Alexander the Great.



While the Romans conquered the Greeks, they assimilated Greek culture for their respect of philosophy. Prior to 211BC and the Punic Wars, the Roman coinage was struck in accordance with the Greek monetary standard of the drachm. But it is important to understand that Greek really was the Roman Empire's scholarly language in general. It was the language of the educated class throughout the Empire. Latin was more the language of law and the military (as well as the commoners in Italy).

Outside of the military, though, if you were anybody important you spoke Greek which was a sign of education. Latin did not spread in the East because Greek was so well established, but it did spread in the West because it was the soldiers who built the cities and presumably the Celts looked up to them. Thus, the Empire was Roman, but Greek was the language of education. The original centers of Christianity were indeed Egypt and Syria, which were major centers of Greek scholarship. Spreading Christ's message in Latin would have not been practical throughout the East. *Eucharist* itself is a Greek word, meaning thanksgiving. The

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Last Words of Julius Caesar were Greek, καὶ σύ, τέκνον (kai sý, téknon; 'you too, child') where Shakespeare gave the Latin rendition of this phrase, *Et tu, Brute?* ('You too, Brutus?')

phrase *Kyrie eleison* and the words *liturgy, baptism, evangelize, martyr, and catechumen*, among other familiar church words, are also Greek in origin.

For centuries, the Gallic War by Julius Caesar (100–44BC) was the first real Latin text, written by a true Roman. Caesar's clarity in writing in the third person was even praised by Cicero who said:

The Gallic War is splendid. It is bare, straight and handsome, stripped of

rhetorical ornament like an athlete of his clothes. ... There is nothing in a history more attractive than clean and lucid brevity.

There has long been a debate over the last words of Julius Caesar. He was said to have spoken Greek "**you too, child**" which filled countless pages over the centuries alleging that Brutus was his illegitimate son. It was Shakespeare who changed the words to Latin – ***Et tu Brute?*** Which means slightly different – "***You too Brutus.***" Indeed, Brutus even issued a coin bragging that he killed Caesar on the Ides of March, 44BC – EID MAR.



Brutus, 42 BC Silver Denarius
"EIDMAR" Declaring He Killed Caesar
on the Ides of March
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English was really the international medium of expression for diplomacy and for intellectual developments by the 20th century yet Latin was dominant during the Renaissance into the 17th century.

Language is one of the main factors that divide empires, nations, and city states. Even Christianity split between Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox which was a division along the lines of language. There is a long history leading up to the Christian split, which became known as the Great Schism 1054AD.



Romulus Augustus (475-476AD)

The former Byzantine Empire effectively split in two when Pope Leo III in Rome crowned Charlemagne emperor, December 25th, 800AD. The last Roman Emperor in the West was Romulus Augustus (475–476AD). After 309.6 years, Europe was starting to reemerge and the cream was to reestablish the empire.

When the Pope crowned Charlemagne, that was really the beginning of the political struggle between Europe and Byzantium. Charlemagne place his portrait

on coinage like the old Roman emperors. This was the rise of the old Roman Empire against Byzantine domination. this schism still took another 250 years to unfold. The split of 1054AD was not an isolated event, but an accumulation of tension that finally snapped.



Constantine IX Monomachos
Κωνσταντίνος Θ' Μονομάχος
(1042 – 1055AD)

The Great Schism was the break between Rome v Byzantium that manifested in religion between the Catholic Church and Eastern Orthodox Church. This was certainly the culmination of both theological and political differences.

A theological dispute between the Greek East and Latin West in part centered around the procession of the Holy Spirit (Filioque), whether leavened or unleavened bread should be used in the Eucharist, and the bishop of Rome's claim to universal jurisdiction.

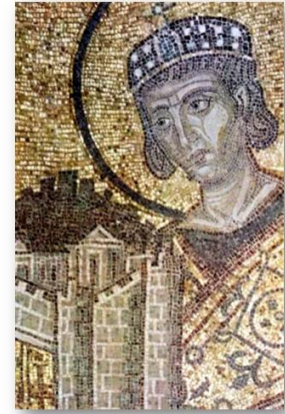
In 1053AD, the first step in this Great Schism whereby Greek churches in southern Italy were forced to conform to Latin practices and, if they refused, they were

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forced to close. Naturally, the East retaliated, Patriarch Michael I Cerularius (1043–1059AD) of Constantinople ordered the closure of all Latin churches in Constantinople. In 1054AD, the papal legate sent by Leo IX travelled to Constantinople for purposes that included refusing Cerularius the title of “ecumenical patriarch” and insisting that he recognize the pope’s claim to be the head of all of the churches. At the time, there was also the Norman Conquest of southern Italy and Rome was seeking help from the Byzantine emperor, Constantine IX Monomachos.



Pope Leo IX
(1049-1054AD)
German Pope



Michael Cerularius
(1043-1059AD)
Patriarch of Constantinople

Pope Leo IX (1049–1054AD) died and Cerularius’ excommunication only applied to the legates personally and the Church thereby split along doctrinal, theological, linguistic, political, and geographical lines.

The split was clearly the old historical division between Rome in the West and Constantinople in the East. The currency that was dominant even in Europe was the gold solidus of Byzantium which was simply known as a “Byzant” in Europe.

By 800AD, the coinage of Islam had made a major inroad into Europe for trade. We can see that Islamic coins were being imitated even in England by this time period as was the case in the East where Mongols later also imitated Islamic coins. Clearly, we can see that Byzantium was no longer the sole coinage of the world by 800AD.

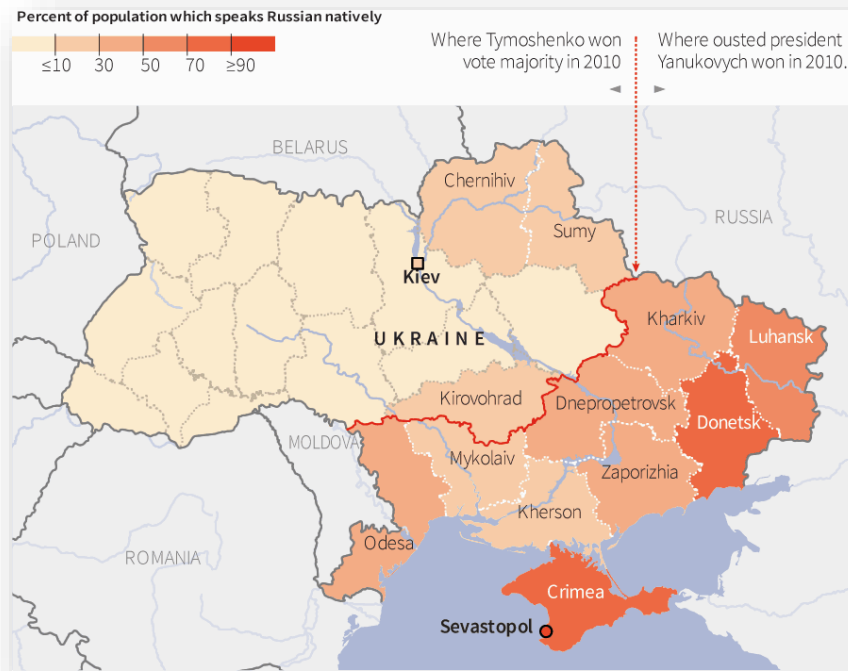


Offa of England
(757-796AD)
imitation Arab Dinar
dated Islamic year 157 AH (774AD)



Caliph Al Mansur
Arab gold dinar

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Even when we turn to the more modern Ukrainian, we can see the language separated the country. From the outset of the Ukraine Crisis, I argued for a split according to language. Borders have been drawn by politicians, and this policy has given us so many problems over the years. It is language and culture that should define a national border. Likewise, it is also wrong for the refugees from Syria to enter Sweden and then refuse to adopt the culture of that nation demanding their own laws will apply in specific regions. This is not like colonizing the Moon.

While the Ukrainian Revolution was real, I had friend there on the Maidan



barricades, and they were not puppets of the CIA. The revolution was over the corruption in the Yanukovich administration and the extortion of small businesses as his sons were running a protection operation. But Yanukovich was from the East and his native tongue was Russian. He could not even speak Ukrainian in a proper manner.

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The CIA came in after Yanukovych fled. They did select who they wanted in government and told the people if they overthrew them, there would be no support from the West.

Once more, we had politicians trying to claim that because Crimea was assigned to Ukraine during the Soviet Union that it made it Ukrainian. The vast majority of people in Crimea were Russian with Tartars as well who were from the Mongol invasion. Crimea was historically



Russian and the people were ethnic Russian. It is Russian culture and the sanctions against Russia for seizing Crimea are political for economic reasons and are not based upon the desire of the people of Crimea.



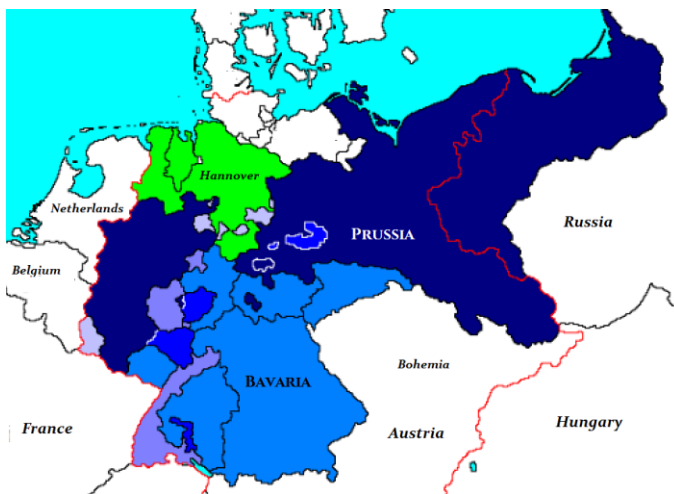
This has always been the problem. Politicians carve up the world for power with no regard to the culture, language, or desire of the people. They have been always the **Great Unwashed** to be manipulated for political pleasure.

As a result, the old tradition dividing lines reemerge. Where there were civil was in the US and even in Germany (North v South), the resentments reemerge as the line is drawn on those very key issues of language and culture.

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No matter what country we look at be it England, Ireland, or even Germany, the original divisions remain in culture/religion and in many cases language. When the Saxons invaded England and then the Normans, the joke was that the original English were compelled to become Welsh. As of the 2011 census, 57.6% of the population claimed to be Christian (down from 71.9% in 2001), of whom 1.5% were Church in Wales (i.e. equivalent to Church of England). The Welsh were typically nonconformists.

There is one interesting aspect when it comes to civil wars. First, they have usually taken place along the fault lines of culture, custom, religion, or language. Ireland was divided between Catholic and Protestant. This has historically often centered around not just culture, but also religion. That was really the case in Germany as well which was split with Prussia (Protestant) v Bavaria/Austria (Catholic)



When I have traveled to Germany and visited the south, Bavaria, I was always confronted by the view that they were Bavarian first, and German second. Even the political party the CDU of Merkel and the North, relies upon its sister the CSU of the South to form one party. Not even the CDU is one party for all of Germany. There are people still who support Bavarian independence.

The nationalist or independent view of Bavaria is deeply rooted in historical differences of which the least is not religion. Many in Bavaria have a strong objection to the incorporation of Bavaria into the state of Germany back in 1871.

Historical Divisions Never Die

Bavarian nationalists find the terms that Bavaria entered into Germany in 1871 to be controversial and claimed that the German government has long intruded on the desired autonomy of Bavaria. The calls for an independent Bavaria have been there since 1871 and after the defeat of Germany in World War I, Bavarian nationalism grew in strength against the Weimer Republic and the right of the SPD socialists back then.

Following the collapse of Austria–Hungary after World War I, there were pleas for Austria to join Bavaria being Catholic and of the same culture. This was a serious issue in the aftermath of World War I and the majority of the people wanted that union. It was the war with France in 1871 that made Bavaria join Prussia thereby creating the German Empire at the first Treaty of Versailles.



BAVARIA Ludwig I
(1825 - 1848)
Double thaler (2 club thalers) 1840, Munich



BRANDENBURG-PRUSSIA
Friedrich Wilhelm III
(1797-1840)
Vereinsdoppeltaler 1840 A

To this day, many are curious about why kingdom of Bavaria was assimilated by Prussia instead of Austria–Hungary given the religious similarity compared to the Protestant Prussia. Considering the facts in 1854, the royal family of Austria was connected with Bavarian nobles. In 1854 Emperor Franz Joseph married Elizabeth of Bavaria, which also sealed their loyalties to one–another. This was an alliance that opposed Prussia.

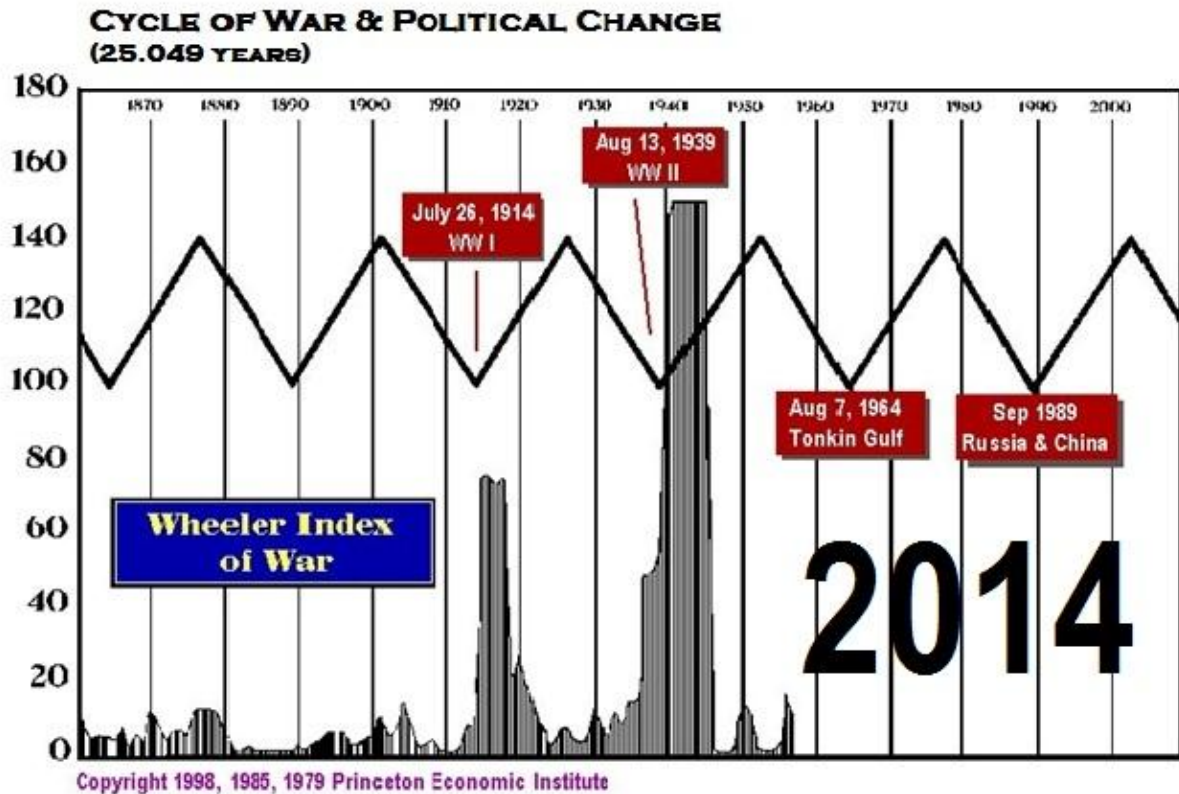
Bavaria was geographically and economically much more strongly connected with Austria–Hungary. Bavarians historically shared similar cultural origins with Austrians and Western Bohemians.

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Th 2021 election The FDP gained something with 10.5%, the AfD lost 3.4 percentage points falling to 9.0%. The Free Voters achieved 7.5% in Bavaria, but again failed to make the move into the Bundestag. The left garnered 2.8% of the vote. According to the State Returning Officer, voter turnout was 79.8% – slightly more than in the 2017 Bundestag election with 78.1% of the vote. Meanwhile, the Bavarian Prime Minister Söder reacted disappointed saying: “We do not like our result in Bavaria, on the contrary, it is not a satisfactory result,” he said in Berlin. The CSU will “of course work through this in the next few days and weeks”.

Indeed, the CSU lost for the second time in a row: In 2017, the CSU under Söder’s predecessor Horst Seehofer, the CSU slipped by more than ten percentage points with 38.8%. In the previous 19 federal elections, the CSU had performed worse only once, in the very first ballot in 1949 with 29.2%. Clearly, the political landscape continues to change. More lockdowns will unleash even a separatist movement in Germany North (Prussia) v South (Bavaria).

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This turn in our War Cycle that began in 2014 was about more than international war. The turning point was also the simultaneous rise in civil unrest, which may lead to civil war because of the desperate attempt by the left to prevent the collapse of socialism. Socialism is no more economically feasible than communism which collapsed in 1989. But we are now approaching the first critical target since the 2014 turn – 8.6 years later which brings us into 2022.

Interestingly, this collapse of communism came on the first 8.6-year wave in the 51.6-year cycle on the Economic Confidence Model – 1989.95 which was 4.3 years first from that start 1985.65. Now we face the collapse of socialism which began exactly on the Pi cycle of 31.4 years from 1989.95, which was the turning point on the Economic Confidence Model (2021.35)—May 8, 2021. I warned that May 8th was a critical date, not only in the markets but also geopolitically.

By the time we reach the end of this 51.6-year Wave, 2032, we should see the collapse of the West and the financial capitol of the world move from New York

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to Beijing. Ever since 2014, there has been a rising trend of civil unrest. From that date, the peak often arrives 18 years later.

The 1914 turning point saw 18 years to the bottom of the Great Depression and the election of FDR in 1932 introducing Socialism to the United States. Even 18 years from the 1939 turning point marked the birth of the European Union with the Treaty of Rome. China and Russia in 1957 said they would back the Arabs and Israel was forced to withdraw from the Sinai Peninsula and then handed the Gaza Strip to the United Nations. Eisenhower then announced support for Israel.



Romania Protest Against Corruption - February 2017

In Romania, there were massive protests against corruption. Protesters filled Bucharest's Victory Square in February 2017 after the Romanian government adopted an emergency law that decriminalizes corruption. Romanians know what tyranny is and have refused to get these vaccinations. Only about 25% of the population obeyed. It was shutting down its vaccination centers. In Bulgaria, civil unrest sparked months of demonstrations against the government of Prime Minister Boyko Borisov. In Venezuela, systemic corruption sent people into the streets protesting against President Nicolás Maduro, which began in 2014.

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In 2020, nearly 50% of all nations on this planet experienced civil unrest. Frustrations with the sluggish transition to democracy in Sudan fueled a “Million Man March” movement, which began in mid-2019 and flared up throughout 2020. Meanwhile, in Belarus, the blatant electoral manipulation propping up the decades-old dictatorship of Alexander Lukashenko spurred a massive, sustained “Slipper Uprising” after the country’s August elections. The movement’s name was coined when slipper-wielding protesters labeled the president a household pest to be flattened.



continued between November 2013 into February 22, 2014. That is when Ukraine’s then president Viktor Yanukovich surprised the world by fleeing Kyiv, just after an agreement had been reached with the country’s opposition to end several months of political crisis and protest.

In Ukraine, what became known as the Euromaidan was a wave of demonstrations and civil unrest, which began on the night of November 21, 2013, with public protests in Maidan in Kyiv. It

There were protests about vote rigging and corruption in Kyrgyzstan which led to the downfall of President Sooronbay Jeenbekov. Over in Peru, demonstrations over an unpopular impeachment forced the interim president to resign after only five days in office.

Political corruption has been a consistent theme, and it has manifested in the United States with the Capital Riot on January 6, 2021. The Democrats sought to exaggerate the event, calling it an armed insurrection when no weapons were ever found. They are now attempting to launch a criminal investigation in a desperate effort to blame Trump, funding it with \$1.2 billion.



Trump Supporters stormed the U.S. Capitol on Jan. 6, 2021



Another prevalent protest theme during 2020 was citizen anger over police brutality. The Black Lives Matter (BLM) protests in the United States dominated the news and set off the destruction of many cities, inspiring the flight to the suburbs. There was also the End SARS protest in Nigeria, and protests in France over a police security bill, ending police abuse and systemic discrimination. These issues have fueled protests in many countries over the years and have led to a global expansion of protests against police abuse.

The rising left Antifa movement is a conglomeration of left-wing autonomous, self-styled anti-fascist militant groups in the United States. The principal feature of Antifa groups is their use of direct action, harassing those whom they deem to be fascists, racists, and right-wing extremists. They have actually become the very Fascists and communists they pretend to object. As I have warned, the further you go to the left, you meet the extreme right, and both advocate violence but for different reasons.



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Patriot Prayer members and Antifa members were facing off in downtown Portland. Police declared their actions as a civil disturbance and ordered everyone to leave. The police were confiscating weapons from the protesters, showing that they are indeed violent. Welcome to the breakdown of all civility. These groups will simply be violent and threaten anyone who opposes their ideas.

The real problem is that they do not even understand what a Fascist entail. Fascism is a form of radical authoritarian ultranationalist characterized by dictatorial power, forcible suppression of the opposition, and strong regimentation of society and the economy. If Trump were a Fascist, as many claimed, he would surrender control of his empire to government. Certainly, Trump had no such policy. This is the problem that people even call the anti-Islam racist when Islam is a religion and not a race. The ignorance is just beyond all conception, and these people are violent under labels they do not even understand.

The protests in Portland and Seattle have gone completely nuts. Portland is simply gone. They have destroyed the city, and so many businesses have closed for good. The rural areas of Oregon and Washington have been looking to leave their states and join Idaho. Then Walgreens has been closing stores in California because shoplifting has been deemed legal. Walgreens says the legal shoplifting is costing

them \$1,000 per day per store. The only solution is to close.

When there was the Occupy Wall Street protest of October 6, 2011, in Philadelphia, it was right in front of my office at that time across from City Hall. They were not violent, but they were yelling slogans that sounded great to everyone but made no sense. I came out of the office, and



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they yelled at me and called me a “corporate liberal,” and I just looked at them in amazement. I was not sure what it was supposed to be. Was I some corporate director who gave money away? I still have never figured that one out, but it always brings a chuckle.



Another key protest driver in 2020 has been the manufactured COVID pandemic. It created new protest triggers as public health measures became objects of political contestation, whether in the form of anger over lockdowns, economic displacement, or government mismanagement of the public health crisis. Anti-lockdown protests emerged in at least 26 countries, and the perception that political leaders were using restrictions to quash domestic dissent drove protests in Bolivia, Israel, Serbia, Uganda, Britain, Germany, and France.

Protesters in Brazil condemned President Jair Bolsonaro's failure to adequately respond to the virus, while in Malawi, street vendors complained that virus-related restrictions would put them out of business.

The vaccines have not reduced the protest levels but have only added to the uncertainty. Despite all the fake news and the wrong models, once government became involved, that ended any real legitimate investigation. The government has not become the co-conspirators, and as such, they will NEVER admit there were any mistakes. That makes it impossible to extricate themselves from the drastic actions they took even if they were on a “me too” basis.


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The widespread economic and social devastation unleashed by the political forces has wrought nothing but citizens' anger about aggravated economic realities and the legacy of governance failings by many states. The economic damage has been profound, and it is not going to fade away magically. This has merely inflicted long-standing new grievances that will continue to inflame an increase in all confrontational political circumstances. The cancel culture has only made it appear like a desperate cover-up; otherwise, who cares if someone claims aliens abducted them. The government and private sector do not seek to cancel them.

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To build back better, we must reinvent capitalism. Here's how



This is our chance to build a more equitable, resilient and sustainable world Image: MW on Pixabay

Here, the government and the press, their co-conspirator, are out to end dissent.



They realize that this is not a misunderstanding with demands to BUILD BACK BETTER and the Great Reset polarizing the situation and raising a new level of populism building into 2022. Surging protests will almost certainly continue to punctuate global politics moving into 2022, if not 2023. Biden even had the audacity to pretend he came up with this slogan.



Newsmax reported that shortly after Sen. Rand Paul (R-Ky.) grilled a “squirming Dr. Anthony Fauci during a Senate hearing on gain-of-function research, Wuhan Institute of Virology funding, and a potential for a lab accident. Fauci quietly offered some stunning admissions to Politifact.”

Fauci admitted that he was “not convinced” that COVID-19 developed naturally. He also finally admitted the truth that the United States did, in fact, engage with and helped fund Chinese scientists studying coronaviruses.

Senator Paul also grilled Fauci on whether the U.S. helped fund and research coronaviruses with China, and Fauci admitted to that fact and said it would be “irresponsible” not to have participated. Yet, Fauci has continued to “categorically” deny that he was helping fund “gain-of-function research.”





The *Washington Post* has desperately tried to deny Fauci's funding of Wuhan's gain-of-function research. It is clear that Fauci was compelled to shut down all gain-of-function research, and he transferred research to Wuhan. He did not specify gain-of-function research, giving him a basis to deny the accusation plausibly.

The *Washington Post* wrote on May 18, 2021:

This showdown between Paul and Fauci quickly went viral last week. But the nature of their debate regarding the origins of the coronavirus pandemic may seem obscure to many people. "Gain of function" is one of those insider-y terms that are subject to different definitions. The debate over such experiments predated the pandemic, but it has gained new urgency as scientists investigate the origin of the virus that has killed more than 3 million people around the world.

The core of the dispute is this: Did the virus emerge from nature — "zoonotically" from animals — or was it the result of a lab experiment gone awry?

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the Science magazine website. It includes the AAAS logo, a 'Become a Member' link, and the 'Science' title. Below the title are navigation links for 'Contents', 'News', 'Careers', and 'Journals'. The main content area features a 'SHARE' section with social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Email. The article title is 'U.S. halts two dozen risky virus studies' by Jocelyn Kaiser. Below the title is a navigation menu with options: 'Article', 'Figures & Data', 'Info & Metrics', 'eLetters', and 'PDF'. The 'Summary' section begins with the text: 'In an unprecedented step, on 17 October federal officials moved to stop studies on three kinds of viruses that alter the pathogens to make them more transmissible or deadly. To buy time for experts to work out a government-wide policy for weighing the risks and benefits of such so-called gain-of-function work, officials are halting all new funding for about two dozen studies and are asking researchers doing ongoing work to agree to a voluntary moratorium. The move took some researchers by surprise because it potentially covers certain studies on any influenza strain—not just two bird strains that are already tightly restricted—as well as two coronaviruses: SARS, which panicked Asia in 2003, and MERS, now spreading from camels to people in the Middle East. View Full Text'.

The *Washington Post* desperately refuses to address the issues behind Fauci. The media is risking a major uprising by 2022 by lying to the people. This research clearly entails tremendous risks that have worried even seasoned researchers. More than 200 scientists called for the work to halt because it increased the likelihood that a pandemic would occur through a laboratory accident. However, it also provides a weapon for someone who would intentionally develop such a tool to reduce the population because they are convinced about Malthus' theory combined with this fear of CO2.

Dr. Fauci has consistently defended all of this genetic engineering. He has written:

[D]etermining the molecular Achilles' heel of these viruses can allow scientists to identify novel antiviral drug targets that could be used to prevent infection in those at risk or to better treat those who become infected. Decades of experience tells us that disseminating information gained through biomedical research to legitimate scientists and health officials provides a critical foundation for generating appropriate countermeasures and, ultimately, protecting the public health.

(*Washington Post*, December 30, 2011)



The criticism of Fauci from overwhelming scientists forced the Obama administration back in 2014 to order the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to suspend all its experimentation on 21 such studies. When Obama left, Fauci resurrected the research in December 2017 and began the second phase of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) project. This was the highly dangerous gain-of-function ability.

The NIH established a framework for determining how the research would go forward. Scientists have to get approval from a panel of experts, who decide whether the risks are justified. However, all reviews were carried out in secret. Then in early 2019, *Science* magazine discovered that the NIH had approved two influenza research projects that used gain-of-function methods. Scientists who oppose this kind of research excoriated the NIH in an editorial in the *Washington Post*.



The screenshot shows the Science magazine website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Science logo and links for Contents, News, Careers, and Journals. A red banner below the navigation bar reads "Read our COVID-19 research and news." The main content area features a large image of H5N1 virus particles, which are spherical and have a textured, orange-brown surface. To the left of the image is a "SHARE" section with social media icons for Facebook (203 shares), Twitter, LinkedIn, and Email (37 shares). Below the image is a sub-headline: "Some scientists are calling for more transparency about government reviews of research that could make the H5N1 influenza virus more risky to humans. NIBSC/SCIENCE SOURCE". The main headline reads "After criticism, federal officials to revisit policy for reviewing risky virus experiments". The byline is "By Jocelyn Kaiser | Jan. 24, 2020 , 5:40 PM".

On January 24, 2020, *Science* magazine reported that the NIH would review their hazardous experimentation into creating gain-of-function ability again. The research of Fauci has likewise fueled the Chinese response that this virus was planted in China by the American military.

Indeed, Tom Inglesby of Johns Hopkins University and Marc Lipsitch of Harvard University joined forces to write an op-ed against Fauci, which appeared in the *Washington Post*.



Tom Inglesby
Director of the Center for Health Security
& Engineering professor at Johns Hopkins

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Opinions

The U.S. is funding dangerous experiments it doesn't want you to know about



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By **Marc Lipsitch** and **Tom Inglesby**

Feb. 27, 2019 at 6:50 p.m. EST

They wrote for the *Washington Post* on February 27, 2020:

This lack of transparency is unacceptable. Making decisions to approve potentially dangerous research in secret betrays the government's responsibility to inform and involve the public when approving endeavors, whether scientific or otherwise, that could put health and lives at risk.

We are two of the hundreds of researchers, medical and public-health professionals, and others who publicly opposed these experiments when they were first announced. In response to these concerns, the government issued a framework in 2017 for special review of "enhanced" pathogens that could become capable of causing a pandemic. Under that framework, reviewers must consider the purported benefits and the potential risks and, before approving the work, determine "that the potential risks as compared to the potential benefits to society are justified."

The framework also requires that experts in public-health preparedness and response, biosafety, ethics and law, among others, evaluate the work, but it is unclear from the public record if that happened. No description of who reviewed these proposals has been provided. It is not stated what evidence was considered, how competing claims were evaluated or whether there were potential conflicts of interest.

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This secrecy means we don't know how these requirements were applied, if at all, to the experiments now funded by the government. A spokesperson from the Department of Health and Human Services told *Science* magazine that the agency cannot make the reviews public because doing so might reveal proprietary information about the applicants' plans that could help their competitors. This bureaucratic logic implies that it is more important to maintain the trade secrets of a few prominent scientists than to let citizens — who bear the risk if an accident happens and who fund their work — scrutinize the decisions of public officials about whether these studies are worth the risk.

As researchers, we understand the usual logic for keeping scientific grant reviews confidential. But this is not ordinary science. The overwhelming majority of scientific studies are safe; even the worst imaginable accident, such as an infection of a lab worker or an explosion, is unlikely and would harm only a handful of people. But creating potentially pandemic pathogens creates a risk — albeit a small one — of infecting millions of people with a highly dangerous virus. For this kind of research, there is no justification for keeping risk-benefit deliberations secret.

Waiving confidentiality when lives are at stake is a standard practice. Health-care providers must report if their patients present an imminent threat to themselves or others, and drugmakers must disclose many facts about their products before approval in service of protecting public health and safety.

We have serious doubts about whether these experiments should be conducted at all. We also suspect that few members of the public would find compelling the rationale that the best way to fight the flu is to create the most contagious, lethal virus possible in a lab. But with deliberations kept behind closed doors, none of us will have the opportunity to understand how the government arrived at these decisions or to judge the rigor and integrity of that process.

Ultimately, public awareness is not enough. The debate in the United States over the past five years took place mainly among a small group of scientists and made only token efforts to inform or engage the wider citizenry. We need public discussion and debate about the risks and benefits of these kinds of experiments. And because viruses do not respect borders, the conversation must move beyond the national level, to coordinate the regulation of dangerous science internationally.

At stake here is the credibility of science, which depends on public support to continue. Science is a powerful driver of human health, well-being and prosperity, and nearly all of it can be done without putting populations at risk. If governments want to fund exceptionally risky science, they should do so openly and in a way that promotes public awareness and engagement.

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Unfortunately, Fauci has worked in a government position tainted by the private funds of Bill Gates. Therefore, it is unlikely that he will ever be prosecuted, even if hard evidence came out to prove he was the source and that Bill Gates supplied the funding. That realization would be devastating politically to the United States, so even if this were true, it would go up there with the Kennedy Assassination and the attack on the World Trade Center on 9/11. In other words, do not hold your breath waiting for the truth.



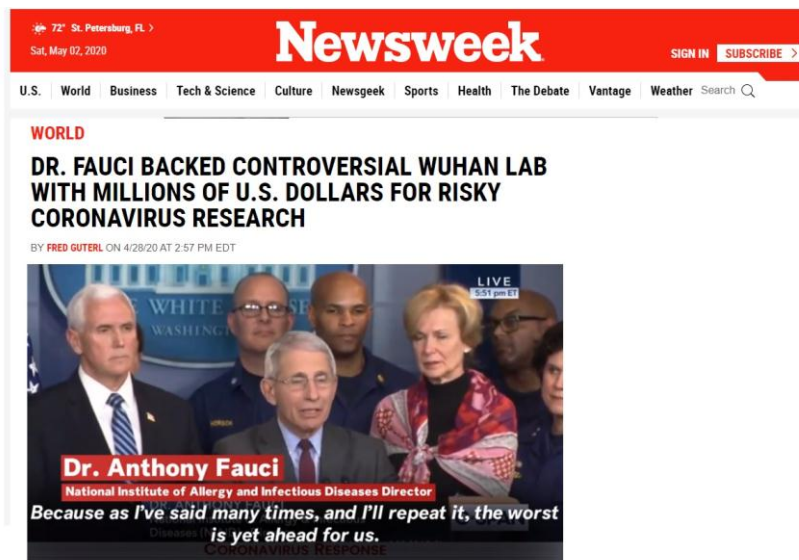
Nevertheless, in 2019, the National Institute for Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), the organization led by Dr. Fauci, funded scientists at the Wuhan Institute of Virology and other institutions for work on gain-of-function research on bat coronaviruses. Bill Gates just so happened to have donated \$200 million to the organization, as reported on November 5, 2019.

The research funded by Gates was to target the very aspect of this coronavirus that it obtained the ability to destroy T-Cells acting as HIV. The HIV therapies of interest Gates funded targeted the latent reservoir of proviral DNA in CD4-positive T-Cells that persist despite antiretroviral therapy (ART). The goal was to approach addressing the latent reservoir to identify the location of the reservoir in HIV-infected cells that still harbor HIV genomes after ART and target those DNA sequences with gene editing.

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In 2019, with the backing of NIAID, the National Institutes of Health committed \$3.7 million over six years for research that included some gain-of-function work. They collected and studied bat coronaviruses, which ended in 2019, bringing the total funding specifically for this virus to \$7.4 million.

This deliberate gene engineering into the gain-of-function research manipulated viruses in the lab to explore their potential for infecting humans because it creates a risk of starting a pandemic from an accidental release. This is precisely the criticism leveled on the Wuhan lab that there was a leak. It is clear that the SARS-CoV-2 virus originated in bats. After originally asserting that the coronavirus had occurred naturally, U.S. intelligence conceded that the pandemic might have originated in a leak from the Wuhan lab.



Dr. Fauci did not respond to requests for comment from *Newsweek* on this subject. He just avoided the topic, which warns there may be serious issues surrounding the origin of this pandemic. The NIH responded instead with a statement:

Most emerging human viruses come from wildlife, and these represent a significant threat to public health and biosecurity in the US and globally, as demonstrated by the SARS epidemic of 2002–03, and the current COVID–19 pandemic.... scientific research indicates that there is no evidence that suggests the virus was created in a laboratory.



**COUNTRIES THAT
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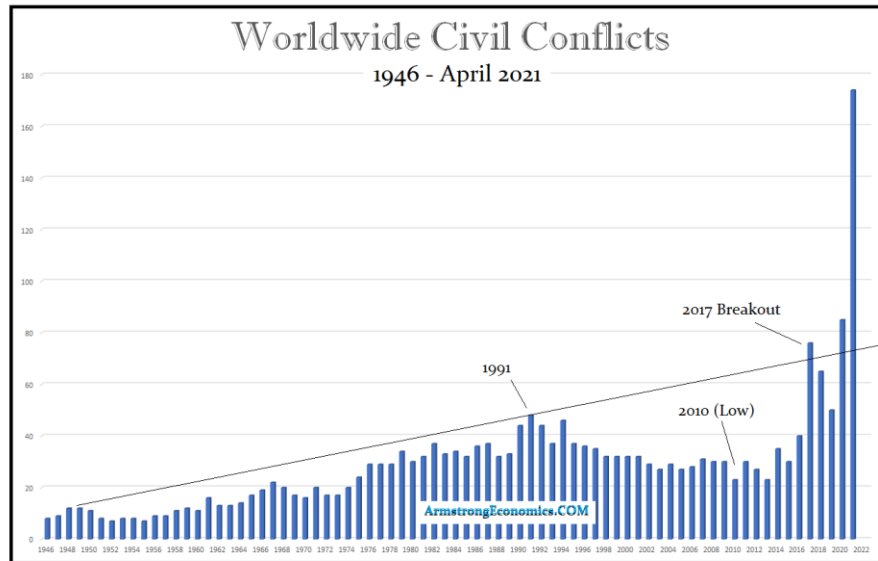
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The target of Fauci's research, according to *Newsweek*, was to experiment with the "spillover potential," which is the ability of a virus to jump from animals to humans:

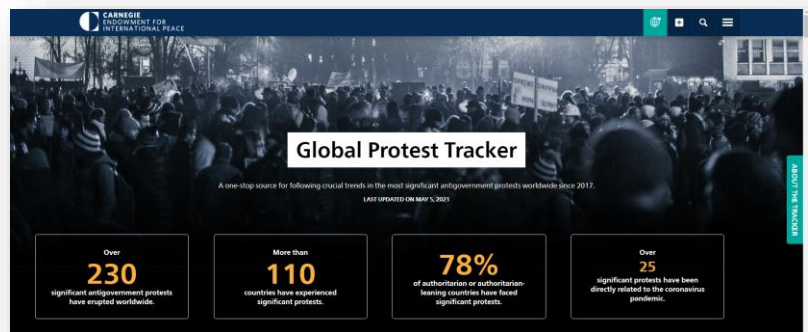
We will use S protein sequence data, infectious clone technology, in vitro and in vivo infection experiments and analysis of receptor binding to test the hypothesis that % divergence thresholds in S protein sequences predict spillover potential.

Indeed, there have been countries shutting down the internet on the theory that this will stifle the rising civil unrest. In the United States, they are pulling the plug on people and creating the "cancel culture," which has expanded to anything they do not like. The impact of these lockdowns and whether this virus was natural or manufactured will only leave the question wide open to justify further civil unrest.



Our models do not record absolutely every incident of civil unrest. Our index reached 174, whereas counting every incident up to May 5, 2021, according to Carnegie's Global Tracker, stands at 238 across 110 countries. We expect this to rise into 2023, and this will most likely be augmented by the numerous political elections we see in 2022. Of course, there will be a huge fight in the United States to defeat the Democratic hold on Capitol Hill. This turmoil has also seen the rise of the Scottish National Party and separatism from Britain, but Johnson may not stand for reelection in 2024.

Nevertheless, we will also see that elections decide the fate of many world leaders. No politician in the democratic West can escape the consequences of political gravity forever. The German federal election is expected to be held on September 26, 2021. In France, the first round of the 2022 French presidential election will be held between April 10 and 24, 2022. Unfortunately for Canada, the 44th Canadian federal election will take place on or before October 16, 2023. The next Italian general election will occur no later than June 1, 2023.



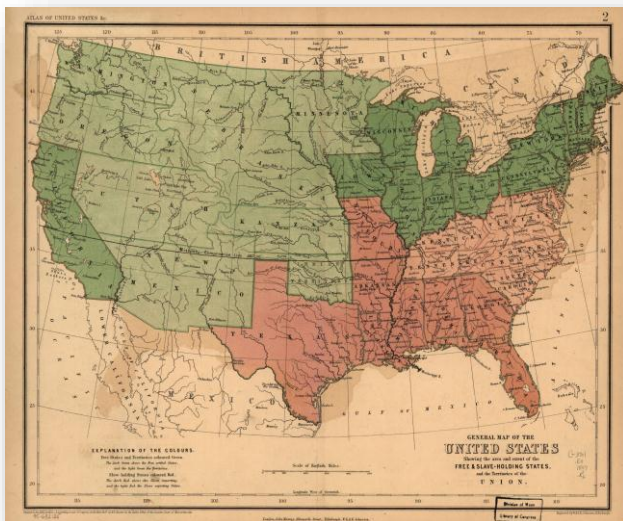
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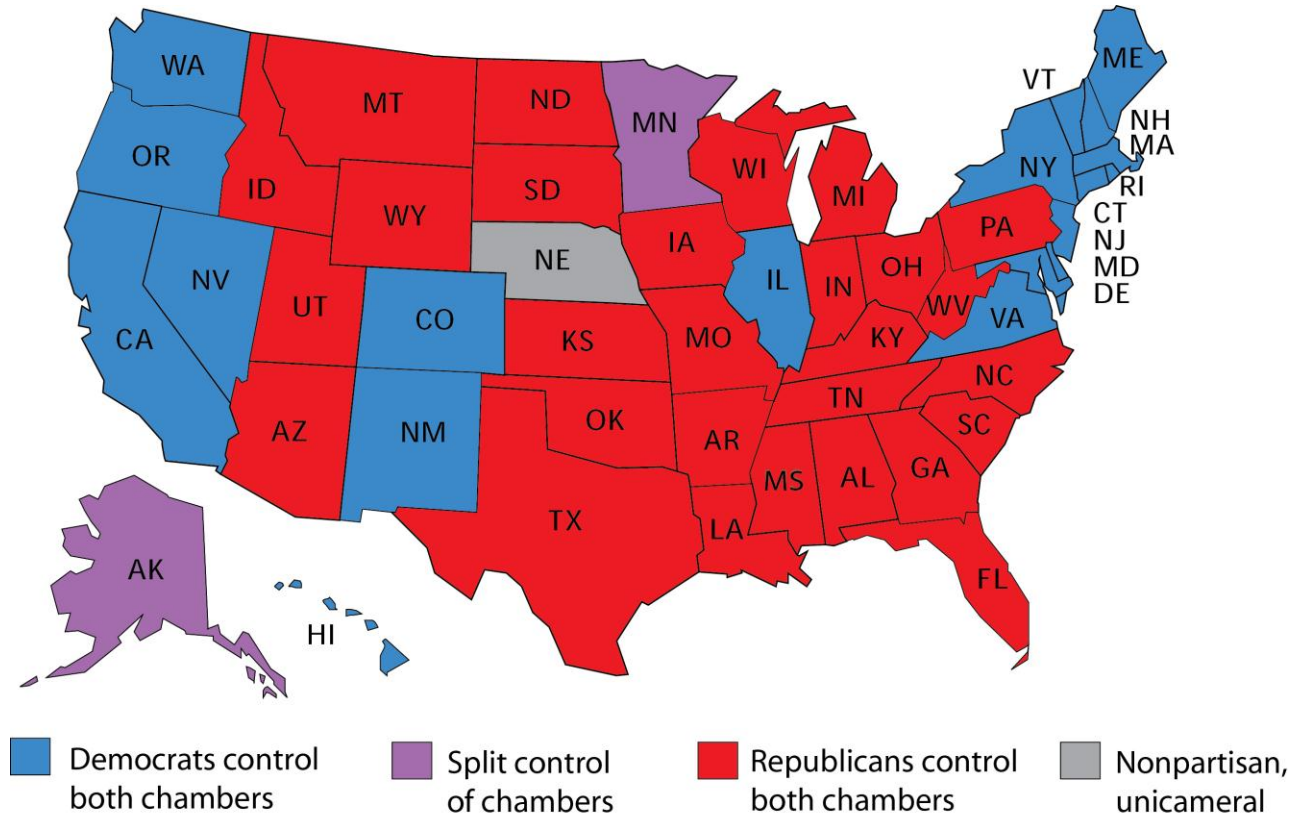
As I have laid out, separatist movements unfold along the same historic lines as previous confrontations. The United States is clearly dividing republican v democrat. But what is very interesting is those dividing lines and most dominant along the same lines as the previous Civil War.

Previously, at the time of the American Civil War, nearly half of the United States today was still just territories. Thus, the North v South looked rather different than most would suspect. Even in California, their involvement in the Civil War was providing the financial role backing the North, but they also recruited volunteer

soldiers for local use so that regular soldiers could leave the western territories for the battlefields of the East. California suppressed Confederate activity and secured the New Mexico Territory against the Confederate forces. Although California did not send organized regiments east to formally participate in the Union forces.



America's Rising Separatist Movement



If the United States were to split along political party lines, we certainly would have a very different view of the United States. The problem we have is that the US Supreme Court has refused to ever address Marxism and by avoiding this challenge, they have condemned the nation to this turmoil and utter confusion.

The entire problem would force the separatist movement in the United States boiling down to this entire crisis of Marxism whereby the Democrats are not satisfied unless they can take away assets belonging to others. When the Constitution was created, DIRECT taxation was prohibited.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1:

The Congress shall have Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States; . . .

By the terms of the Constitution, the power of Congress to levy taxes is subject to but one exception and two qualifications. Articles exported from any State may not be taxed at all. Direct taxes must be levied by the rule of apportionment and indirect taxes by the rule of uniformity. The Court has emphasized the sweeping

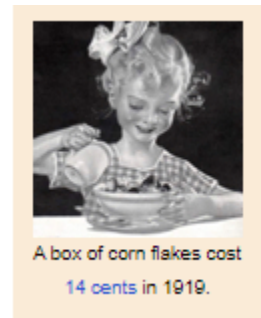
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character of this power by saying from time to time that it reaches every subject,¹ that it is exhaustive² or that it embraces every conceivable power of taxation.³ Despite these generalizations, the power has been at times substantially curtailed by judicial decision with respect to the subject matter of taxation, the manner in which taxes are imposed, and the objects for which they may be levied.

Sixteenth Amendment

The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, without apportionment among the several States, and without regard to any census or enumeration.

The **Sixteenth Amendment**, ratified in 1913, played a central role in building up the powerful American federal government of the 20th century by making it possible to enact a modern, nationwide income tax. The Great Depression with Keynesian economics allowed deficit spending that has become perpetual and the combination of these two acts are now undermining the entire foundation of the United States.



Following 1913, the income tax was introduced on income only greater than \$3,000 annually and it was to be 1% – taxing the rich. Even a skilled carpenter earned under \$2500 annually at that time.¹ Obviously, the overwhelming majority of the middle class was under \$3,000 annually in 1913. Before long, the income tax would become by far the federal government's largest source of revenue until Keynesianism introduced deficit spending.

This Amendment was part of a wave of federal and state constitutional amendments championed by Progressives in the early 20th century pushing Marxism. The Amendment reversed an 1895 Supreme Court decision that had made a nationwide income tax effectively impossible by defining “direct” and “indirect” taxes.

¹ https://fraser.stlouisfed.org/title/bulletin-united-states-bureau-labor-3943/march-1910-477655/wages-hours-labor-union-carpenters-united-states-english-speaking-foreign-countries-504607?start_page=215

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The **Taxing Clause in Article I, Section 8**, grants Congress the broad “Power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises,” but **Article I** also provides (twice) that a “**direct**” tax must be apportioned among the states on the basis of population. This means that if a tax is a “**direct**” tax, a state with one-tenth of the national population must bear one-tenth of the total liability. It doesn't matter whether one state has lots of whatever is being taxed (such as valuable land) and another state has very little—the states have to bear the burden according to population. That requirement makes **direct taxation** cumbersome, and often impossible.

When it came to “indirect” taxes, there is no apportionment rule. The Constitution requires only that “all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.” This is a relatively easy requirement to satisfy: what's taxed and the tax rates must never vary from state to state for that is equal protection of law. In the 19th century, most of the government's revenue came from “duties, impost and excises” on consumption of various goods like a sales tax but nationally.

Thus, whether a tax is direct or indirect has been a critical element in law. Clearly, what is a “**direct tax**” included “capitations” which is specifically mentioned in the Constitution and generally understood to be lump-sum head taxes per person where everyone pays the same.

The Framers believed that this was “direct” taxation. From the outset, the Supreme Court case, **Hylton v. United States** 3 U.S. 171 (1796), approved an unapportioned tax on carriages. The Supreme Court upheld several other kinds of unapportioned taxes against constitutional challenges as well. In **Springer v. United States** 102 U.S. 586 (1881), the Court

even approved the unapportioned Civil War income tax. It becomes obvious that the Supreme Court sometimes rules based upon the current crisis. The U.S. Supreme Court met in the Capitol Building from 1801 until its own building was completed and occupied in 1935. Roosevelt tried to win the Supreme Court constructing a new building for them. It worked.



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Then came **Pollock v. Farmers' Loan & Trust Co.** 157 U.S. 429 (1895), which upset the apple cart. In a sharply divided Court that struck down the 1894 income tax on the ground that it was **direct** but also that it was not **apportioned**, which is critical.



Grover Cleveland (1837–1908)
only President of United States to
serve two non consecutive terms
(1885–1889 and 1893–1897)

“At times like the present, when the evils of unsound finance threaten us, the speculator may anticipate a harvest gathered from the misfortune of others, the capitalist may protect himself by hoarding or may even find profit in the fluctuations of values; but the wage earner – the first to be injured by a depreciated currency – is practically defenseless. He relies for work upon the ventures of confident and contented capital. This failing him, his condition is without alleviation, for he can neither prey on the misfortunes of others nor hoard his labour.”

Emergency Speech to Congress August 8th, 1893

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Back in 1894 coming out of the Panic of 1893 and the fiscal mismanagement of the Silver Democrats who overvalued silver and drove gold out of the country, Congress had enacted the 1894 tax. This was clearly a reaction against the consumption taxes when demand collapsed and along with it, tax revenue. Consumption taxes overburdened lower-income persons so they turned to Marxism to go after the unpopular robber-barons to try to cover costs because of the fiscal mismanagement of the politicians.

The income tax was devised to attack the wealthy, whose income came from investments rather than wages. With **Hylton** and **Springer** on the books, almost no one thought the income tax was a “direct” tax that would need to be apportioned. Precedent aside, this would make no sense: if an income tax were apportioned among the states, a poor state with the same population as a rich state would need to bear the same total tax liability, which would mean tax rates in the poorer state would have to be higher than those in the richer state. Such a crazy tax would be a non-starter politically.

Therefore, to solve this crisis, the Court in **Pollock** surprised everyone by concluding, in a 5–4 decision, that the income tax was a “**direct**” tax after all and, therefore,

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would have to be **apportioned**. The Court reasoned that taxing income from property was indistinguishable to taxing the property itself which would be direct. The Court at this time was deeply concerned about the rising theory of Marxism that some saw as an “attack upon capital” itself which was an “arbitrary discrimination” between “those who receive an income of \$4,000 and those who do not.” Justice Harlan in dissent wrote:



Melville Weston Fuller
(1833 - 1910)
8th Chief Justice (1888-1910)

“It is appropriate now to say that, however objectionable the law would have been, after the provision for taxing incomes arising from rents was stricken out...”

To uphold **Pollock**, they had to remove rents for its was understood that to tax income from rents would mean that landlords with simply raise the rents. It is clear that the dissent understood that and felt if rents were excluded it should be upheld.

Pollock decision was delivered by Chief Justice Fuller and it was met with popular outrage. The Populists and later the Progressives put opposition to **Pollock** at the center of their political program. But how could they reverse it? Many argued that **Pollock** was

so obviously wrong that a constitutional amendment was unnecessary for the Court would overrule that decision. However, getting another case before the Court would have required Congress to enact a new unapportioned tax. That would have looked like an attack on the Court which many viewed was still a gamble. Amending the Constitution was also risky, for that was a slow process however. The amendment process is slow, and if the effort failed, an income tax could possibly be defeated.

It became clear that, if only for political reasons, an unapportioned income tax was impossible without an amendment. What form should it take? Some advocated repealing the direct-tax clauses to institutionalize Marxism. Keep in mind this was all before the 1917 Communist Revolution in Russia so people had no idea of the full implications of Marxism. They wanted to terminate any restraint on direct taxation.

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The resolution's sponsor to amend the Constitution, Nebraska Senator Norris Brown (1863–1960) who was in office from 1907 to 1913, chose instead to give Congress a new, clear power to enact **"taxes on incomes"** without any apportionment. There was much dissent and his resolution were struck down in June 1909 trying to carve out exception for political favors.

Congress passed the resolution in 1909, and the amendment was ratified four years later. It was 1912 when Teddy Roosevelt ran on the Progressive Ticket. Marxism was in full bloom.

Congress enacted a nationwide (unapportioned) individual income tax in 1913. The country has had one ever since, and the



Norris Brown
(1863–1960)
Senator from Nebraska (1907–1913)



Supreme Court has had little reason to focus on the Amendment that makes this possible. The power to tax incomes has proved very broad but there have never been a ruling as to its constitutionality.

In a real society where the Supreme Court would have to rule in advance of imposing laws, this would not be possible. In theory, it is possible that we could in the future have another debate about **"direct"** versus

“indirect” taxes. In **Eisner v. Macomber** 252 U.S. 189 (1920), the Court struck down an unapportioned income tax as applied to certain stock dividends, holding that



Chief Justice Roberts

they effectively fell on **property**, not income; other cases from the 1920s made similar distinctions. This leave an open question that should be decided. Is income derived from investments “income” from property such as rents that in turn only raise the cost of rents.

Of course, the Democrats seeking to further Marxism no longer claim that this is good law despite the fact that they have not been overruled. Chief Justice John Roberts favorably cited both **Pollock** and **Macomber** in his opinion in **NFIB v. Sebelius** 567 U.S. 519 (2012), which approved the core of Obamacare

That narrow view of what a direct tax might be per-sisted for a century. In 1880, for example, we explained that “direct taxes, within the meaning of the Constitution, are only capitation taxes, as expressed in that instrument, and taxes on real estate.” Springer, supra, at 602. In 1895, we expanded our interpretation to include taxes on personal property and income from personal property, in the course of striking down aspects of the federal income tax. Pollock v. Farmers’ Loan & Trust Co., 158 U. S. 601, 618 (1895). That result was overturned by the Sixteenth Amendment, although we continued to consider taxes on personal property to be direct taxes. See Eisner v. Macomber, 252 U. S. 189 –219 (1920).

A tax on going without health insurance does not fall within any recognized category of direct tax. It is not a capitation. Capitations are taxes paid by every person, “without regard to property, profession, or any other circumstance.” Hylton, supra, at 175 (opinion of Chase, J.) (emphasis altered). The whole point of the shared responsibility payment is that it is triggered by specific cir-cumstances—earning a certain amount of income but not obtaining health insurance. The payment is also plainly not a tax on the ownership of land or personal property. The shared responsibility payment is thus not a direct tax that must be apportioned among the several States.

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If some future Supreme Court decides to impose new limits on Congress's power to tax, these old characterization questions could reappear. The key wording here in Robert's decision states:

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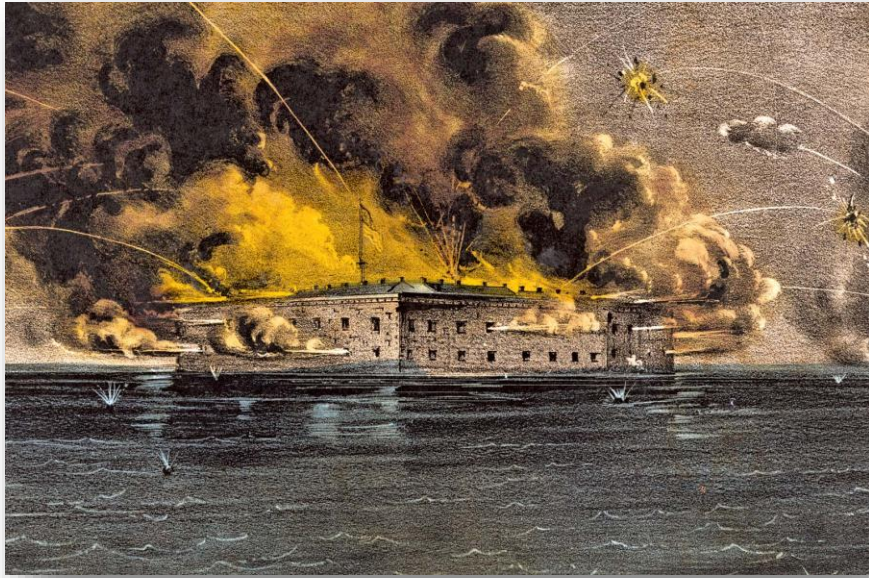
This implies that “income” from investments would be “direct” taxes which were not restrained by the Sixteenth Amendment. This suggests that Biden's move to impose punitive taxes on income derived from investment may yet fill be unconstitutional.



In the meantime, the Sixteenth Amendment matters most because it has forever changed the character of the United States into a Marxism playground from Socialism while converting the government, from a modest central government dependent on consumption taxes and tariffs on imports to the much more powerful modern government that sees no end to its power with the vast power to humble anyone from a tax perspective even Obamacare.

The danger here is that on its face, you cannot have “equality” and Equal Protection of the Law for all if at the same time you can discriminate based on class. It is this discrimination that is fueling the resentment that drives any separatist movement.

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The American Civil War began at 4:30 a.m. on April 12, 1861, when Confederate troops fired on Fort Sumter in South Carolina's Charleston Harbor. Less than 34 hours later, Union forces surrendered. Traditionally, this event has been used to mark the beginning of the Civil War. However, it really began with the election of Abraham Lincoln just a few months earlier on November 6th, 1860. Interestingly, 13 years later we arrive at the Panic of 1873.

The **Coinage Act of 1873** demonetized silver, whereas the return to the Gold Standard following the Civil War was called by the Silver Democrats as the Crime of 1873. Although the US began to produce Trade dollars from 1873-1878 to facilitate trade with China who remained on the silver standard, they were meant for circulation overseas and were not legal tender in America. They would no longer buy silver at a statutory price or convert silver for the public into silver coins. This introduced austerity from which the Long Depression began lasting 26 years. Curiously, 13 years before 1860 was when on the December 5th, 1847, Jefferson Davis was elected to the U.S. senate – the future president of the Confederacy.



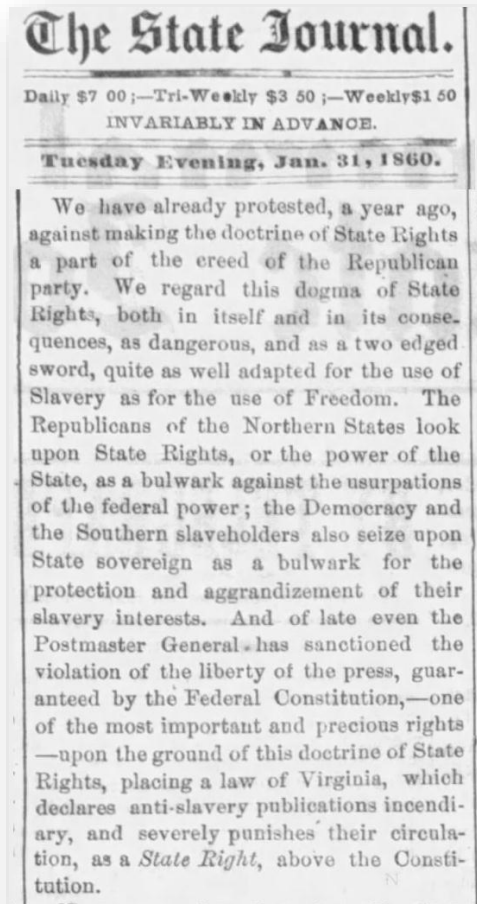
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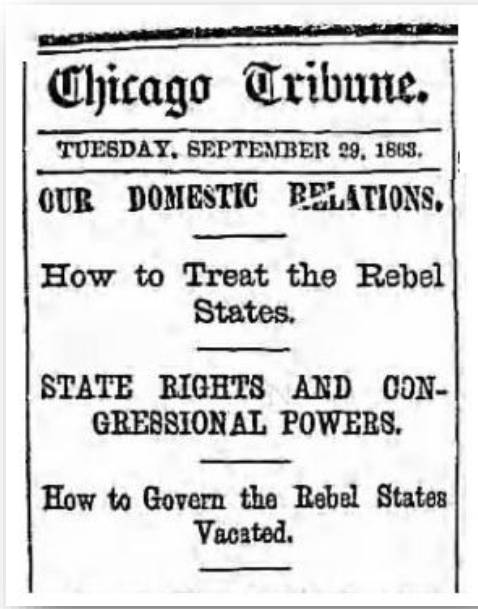
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In the United States, there has been a similar underlying hatred of opposing sides that is developing not seen since the American Civil War. While many want to paint the Civil War as simply just racist slavery, the only people who owned slaves were the wealthy and they were not in the front lines shooting. Much of the fight for the majority of soldiers had little to do with the slavery issue. It was in part about state's rights, which had been a festering question for a long time. Even when the Constitution was passed, only 39 delegates signed it out of 70. So, from the very beginning, there was never one voice of the people. Many protested over the lack of a Bill of Rights. As mentioned, Patrick Henry (1736–1799) who also said: "Give me Liberty or give me Death" refused to sign the Constitution for the lack of safeguards against violating the rights of States and individual freedoms.

The north claimed that the South was using States' Rights to justify everything. Yet this was the core of the real dispute. Eliminating slavery





impacted the economic viability of the South for without the slaves, they would not be able to produce the agricultural needs of the nations as well as cotton and tobacco.

Indeed, with the end of the war, then came the questions of how to treat the Rebel States in light of state rights. Was there a right of any state to secede from the union thereby terminated?

Within the US Federal Constitution, there is what many refer to as the **Republican Guarantee Clause** of Article Four; Section 4;

Clause 1: Obligations of the United States Federal Government:

The United States shall guarantee to every State in this Union a Republican Form of Government...

This **Republican Guarantee Clause** has long been at the forefront of the debate about the rights of citizens vis-à-vis the government for decades. The **Republican Guarantee Clause** mandates that all U.S. states must be grounded in republican structures, whereby people elect “representatives” of the government, and, in theory, afford the consent of the governed. The **Republican Guarantee Clause** is one of several portions of the Constitution that mandates the political structure of the nation composed of individual states. This ensures that all states must have the same type of republican government based on the ancient Roman model.

The Constitution does not actually define what exactly constitutes a “republican government,” however, within several places we find implications. Article Seven stipulated that the Constitution, before it could become established as the “**Law of the Land**,” must obtain the consent of the people by being ratified by popular conventions within the several states.

The Ratification of the Conventions of nine States, shall be sufficient for the Establishment of this Constitution between the States so ratifying the Same.

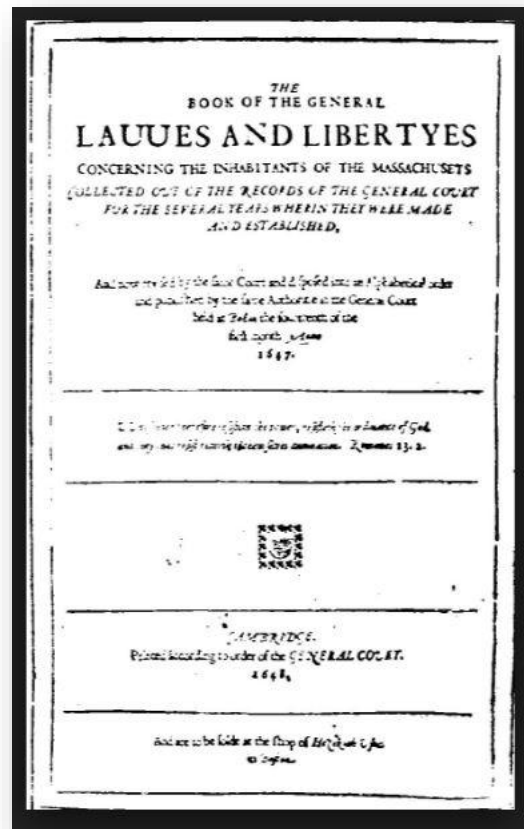
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Additionally, as it required the ratification of only nine states in order to be established rather than the unanimous consent required by the Articles of Confederation, the Constitution was more “republican” in this design. A Republic protects the **majority** from effectively being ruled or held captive by the **minority** as we often see in a parliamentary system like Hitler won with just 31%. That is the fundamental structural implementation. However, from the outset there was no requirement for a unanimous agreement since only 9 out of 13 states had to agree which meant that the majority could suppress the minority and this festered until the civil war.

Thus, post-Civil War, did this mean that a state had no right to secede from the union? The United States Constitution does not prohibit or permit secession. Initially, each of the colonies originated through separate “grants” from the British Crown and evolved with separate political and cultural institutions prior to national independence. For example, the “Laws and Liberties” of Massachusetts, enacted in 1648, was the first body of law created in America. This legal code covered civil and criminal law and was actually a revision of a 1641 code known as “The Body of Liberties,” which was written by Nathaniel Ward (1578–1652), a Puritan minister and teacher. In its preamble we find the best example of why law is necessary:

“For a Commonwealth without lawes [sic] is like a ship without rigging and steerage.”

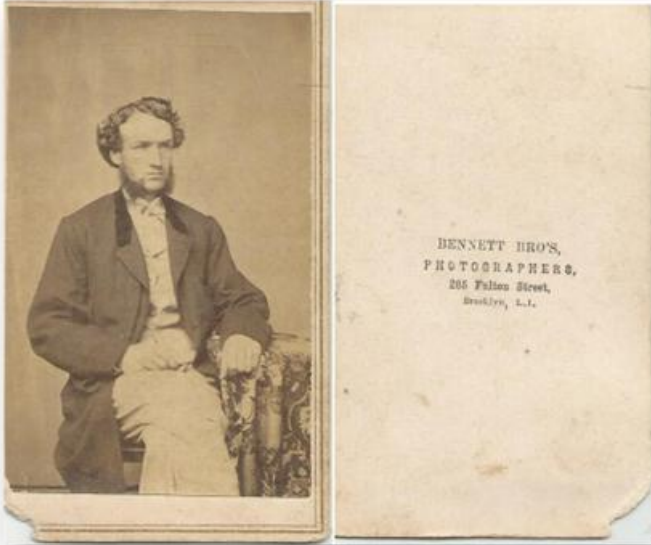
Others have claimed that the Federal Constitution's **Supremacy Clause** (Article VI) should be interpreted as weighing against a right of any state to secession. This interpretation certainly denies the idea of a free society. You can enter the Union but you can never leave – sort of like the song Hotel California.



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This Constitution, and the laws of the federal United States superseded state rights and laws becoming the supreme law of the land, which applied to federal judges.

Those who argue that no state can secede from the United States based on the **Supremacy Clause** are clearly in conflict with the **Republican Guarantee Clause**.



Abraham Lincoln (1809–1865)

16th President of the United States (March 4, 1861 – April 15, 1865)

If the people of any state were to vote for secession, then to employ the **Supremacy Clause** to deny that right would nullify the **Republican Guarantee Clause**. Nevertheless, President Abraham Lincoln (1809–1865) argued that states were not sovereign before the Constitution because the Constitution created the states. That was certainly a self-serving form of sophistry.

Current legal precedent, as decided by the Supreme Court in **Texas v. White**, 74 U.S. 700 (1869), rendered the previous debate moot by holding that states cannot secede from the union by an act of the state.

Texas v White involved a claim by the Reconstruction government of Texas that United States bonds owned by Texas since 1850 had been illegally sold by the Confederate state legislature during the American Civil War. The court ruled that Texas had always been a United States state ever since it first joined the Union, despite it joining the Confederate States of America.

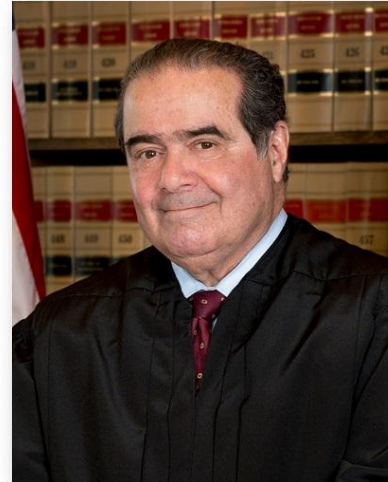
Texas was under military rule at the time of the decision. The Supreme Court held that the Constitution did not permit states to unilaterally secede from the United States, and the ordinances of secession and acts of the legislatures within seceding states intended to give effect to such ordinances were “absolutely null” and void.

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Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia in a letter to Daniel Turkewitz dated October 31, 2006, wrote:

"If there was any constitutional issue resolved by the Civil War, it is that there is no right to secede." (Hence, the "Pledge of Allegiance" says, "One nation, indivisible...")

Therefore, as far as the courts have ruled, states have no right to secede. This clearly appears to be in tension with the **Republican Guarantee Clause**. However, the Civil War was won by sheer force and not well-reasoned law. So, it does not appear that the break-up of the United States can take place in a peaceful manner without the federal government losing power.



Justice Antonin Gregory Scalia
(1936–2016)
Served on Supreme Court 1986 – 2016



Union dead after the Battle of Gettysburg, Gettysburg, Pa., 1863
Photo by Alexander Gardner

The Civil War was America's bloodiest conflict. It was truly the real **killing field**. The battles such as Shiloh, Antietam, Stones River, and Gettysburg shocked citizens and international observers alike. Nearly as many men died in captivity during the Civil War as were killed in the whole of the Vietnam War. But given the size of the population, about 2%+ died or an estimated 620,000 men, lost their lives in the line of duty. World War II saw a death toll for Americans of 407,316. Taken as a percentage of today's population, the death toll of the American Civil War would have risen as high as 6 million souls something that would have approached the deaths inflicted by Joseph Stalin on Ukraine.

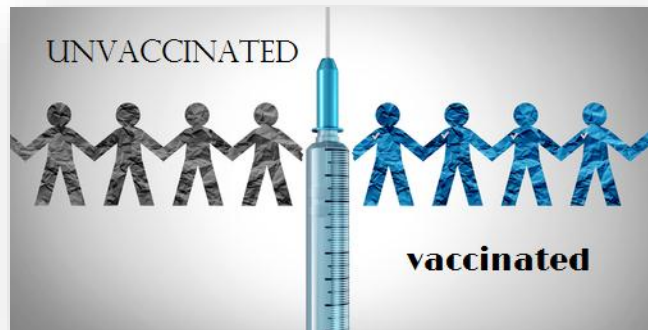


We have entered the year from political hell. We are once again politically dysfunctional, and the Biden Administration has no interest in ruling from the middle as promised. This is all about their way or no way and this attitude, combined with the absurd restrictions with COVID and the damage to so many small businesses, the division in the country our computer warns is irreparable.

The politicians have reached the tipping point. They realize that their mismanagement for decades has reached an end. They have been borrowing year after year with no intention of ever paying

off or even reducing the national debt. They are using the COVID to not simply terrorize the people, but to break down the bond of society.

This is how you move toward a totalitarian state. First, you must separate and divide the people as much as possible using race and religion. Now they have introduced COVID-19 vaccines to further the divide the country by pitting vaccinated v unvaccinated and turn them against each other. Yet if being vaccinated was supposed to protect you, now they say that the vaccinated are dying because of the unvaccinated. It is not acceptable to simply allow people free choice. That is just not allowed in this new totalitarian state.

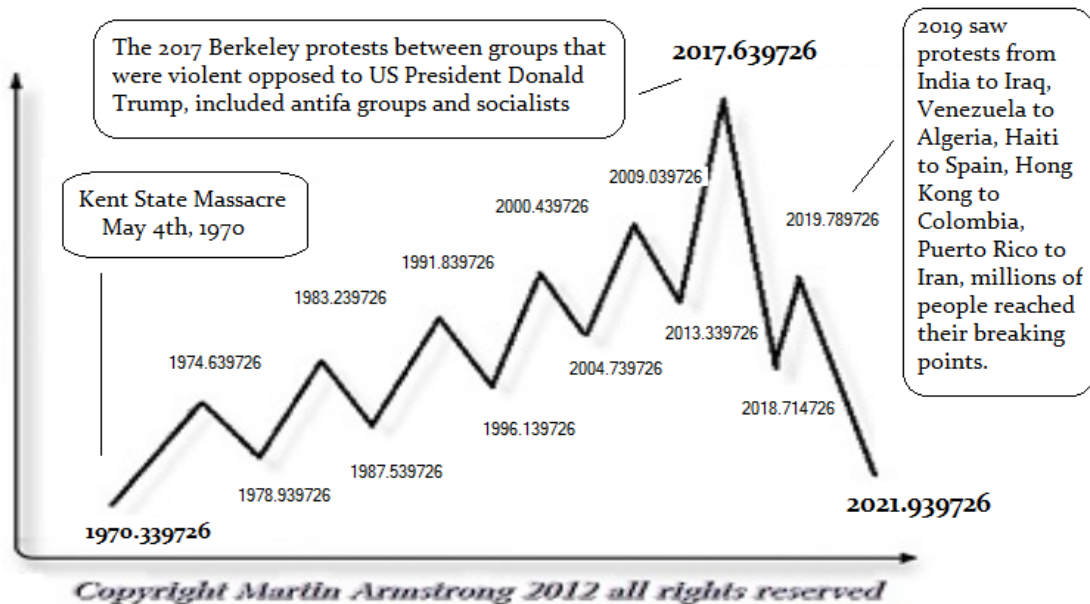


What is the real end goal? The problem stems from their fiscal mismanagement that has taken place over the past 76 years. Their manipulation of interest rates to "stimulate" the economy has failed. Now they have destroyed their own ability to borrow annually to fund themselves and all the social programs. The only solution is to blame capitalism and declare it has failed because of inequality.

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The Kent University State Massacre took place on May 4th, 1970. It was the killing of four students and the wounding of nine others who were all unarmed students by the Ohio National Guard. I certainly hope there is no violence this week. The National Guard after Kent State was never again to appear with loaded weapons. Here Pelosi preferred marines rather than unarmed "weekend warriors" as she views the National Guard. Fact Checks said that was false, but Gen. David H. Berger declined to comment. To placate her demands, the National Guard was armed to protest what has become known as Pelosi's Wall. Simply applying the standard 8.6-year frequency to this event and the cycle of civil unrest will turn up in the United States come December 8/9th, 2021. This will reach a peak initially in 2026.23 (March 25th, 2026).



Kent State 1970

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The rise of Antifa really took shape starting with the Berkeley riots in 2017. The Antifa handbook was published in 2017. As the cycle turned, political protests have erupted around the world. There is basically no place that has been immune. My deep concern is that we have reached the culmination of this cycle here in 2021 and the arming of the National Guard is indicative of the start of a new cycle and this appears to be one of increased violence that will eventually lead to revolutions in many parts of the world.



The Democrats have been whipped up into a frenzy that they argue that the January 6th, 2020 (2020.016) storming the capitol building was an “armed insurrection” for they seem to know that their agenda is going to be controversial. They desperately need to try to paint all Republicans as armed insurrectionists to justify oppressing them. Propaganda plays an absolute critical role in creating an alternate reality that followers are led to accept a new reality of the totalitarian state be it by a single individual or by a coordinated group. This leadership is preferred to truth for that is always instigated by engendering fear of an “others” who always threatens the state. The first step in creating a totalitarian state is to

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divide the population into groups using race, religion, and even ethnicity. The Pelosi Wall is a blatant symbol of that first step in totalitarianism.

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What happened to 'Honest Joe'? President Joe Biden's promises are turning into lies.

Scott Jennings

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President Joe Biden started [a tweet](#) Sunday with: "I give you my word as a Biden"

Biden made all sorts of promises from nobody early less than \$400,000 would see a tax hike to he was going to be everyone's president and who can forget that he would never impose mandatory vaccines. These are the promises of such a totalitarian state to gain power and then turn around and do the opposite.

There is a very deep concern for a potential revolution lurking in the wings behind two major developments concentrated within the military. While Pelosi wanted marines rather than national guard putting troops on the ground against civilians, the military refused to comply with her request. She actually has no power to deploy the military.



Whiskey Rebellion (1791 - 1794)

President George Washington lead the first use of the US military against a domestic threat during the Whiskey Rebellion: Whiskey Rebellion, (1791-1794), in American history, an uprising that afforded the new U.S. government its first opportunity to establish federal authority

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by military means within state boundaries, as officials moved into western Pennsylvania to quell an uprising of settlers rebelling against the liquor tax.

The President has the authority to send federal troops anywhere he wants for it is only the President who is in charge of the military – not Pelosi or anyone else in Congress. They may move under the auspices of a training exercise, which is done routinely. When a state requests federal support it typically is in response to or triggers a declaration that comes with funds (or reimbursement authorizations) to pay a 20% of the cost.

Federal troops also have an inherent authority under the Immediate Response Authority: **Immediate Response Authority** (IRA) outlined in Department of Defense (DOD) **Directive 3025.18**, which authorizes local commanders to take action to save lives, prevent human suffering or mitigate great property damage in a situation of urgency when there is insufficient time to get approval from higher ups to respond in crisis to protect life or limb as required.

Under the **Insurrection Act** the President can send troops if the local governments can't control a situation or have become unable to full fill their duties: The **Insurrection Act of 1807** is a United States federal law (10 U.S.C. §§ 251–255; prior to 2016, 10 U.S.C. §§ 331–335) that empowers the president of the United States to deploy military troops within the United States in particular circumstances, such as to suppress **civil disorder, insurrection and rebellion**.

Invoking the **Insurrection Act** suspends *Posse Comitatus* in the area of the insurrection, which means the “power of the county” stemming from English common law. It is a group of people mobilized by the conservator of peace to suppress lawlessness or defend the county such as a governor. It would be local in nature rather than national unless a national insurrection/state of emergency was declared which nobody in Washington would ever do for they would legally storm the capitol.

Keep in mind that Washington, D.C. is unique and a “federal city” not a state. The President has the authority to deploy federal assets and troops to defend federal property as well as Critical Infrastructure within Washington.

It is the **Stafford Act** that is more commonly invoked in which Federal support is provided to strengthen the state in support of the local and state governments. They are responsible for 20% of the costs federal troops when invoked. However,

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such troops are restricted from conducting law enforcement activities under *Posse Comitatus*.

National Guard troops under Title 32 (federal authority for pay) retain their law enforcement authority, even if deployed to another state but report to their parent states Governor. National Guard can support other states under EMAC's : **Emergency Management Assistance Compact**. EMAC has been ratified by U.S. Congress (PL 104-321) and is law in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands and the Northern Mariana Islands.

Therefore, while Pelosi cannot order troops against civilians, the President does have that power.

Defense Secretary Lloyd Austin approved the Capitol police request to extend the

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Secretary of Defence Lloyd Austin visits National Guard troops deployed at the U.S. Capitol in Washington on Jan. 29, 2021. (Manuel Balce Ceneta-Pool/Getty Images)

EXECUTIVE BRANCH PREMIUM

Pentagon Criticized for Wrong Priorities Amid China Threat

Rep. Waltz questions Defense Department for focus on 'extremists' in its own ranks while China continues to expand its military

deployment of nearly 2,300 Guard members for about two more months because possible threats of violence remained. Many have criticized this entire effort as they have been used as Chuck Schumer's and Nancy Pelosi's personal guard.

The Democrats launched on February 5, 2021, a review of military personal they regard as "extremists" or Trump supporters that they want to kick out of the military. Now, the Defense Department's order of Feb. 5 to root out "extremists" in the ranks of the U.S. armed forces is another purge of the military to remove soldiers who would defend the

people. This is a very serious move because it is showing that the Democrats see the real enemy are the people who would dare to disagree with their Build Back Better agenda.

Pelosi Announces Walls Now Work And Are No Longer Racist

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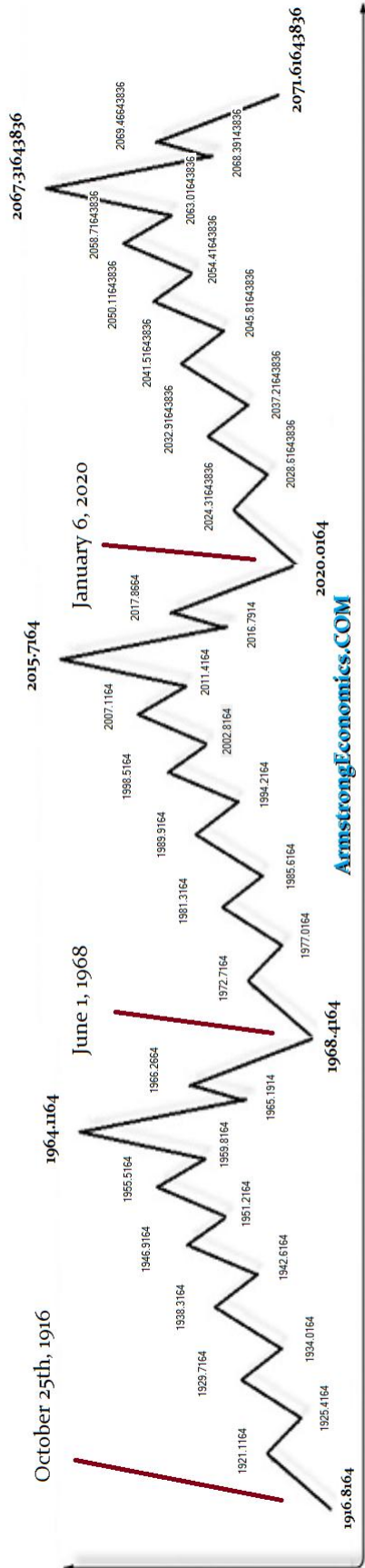
Pelosi called Trump a racist for wanting to construct a wall to close the border. Constructing walls to surround the Capitol to protect her from Americans, is obviously not racist just discriminatory to keep out non-Democrats.

What was very clear is that since 2019, worldwide protests were rising. This was causing some concern for at the same time governments were coming to the realization that their fiscal management since World War II was coming to an end. It was in January 2019 at the Davos meeting of the World Economic Forum that the slogan **BUILD BACK BETTER** was created and run up the flag-pole.

As the London Financial Times reported in 2016 when Donald Trump was elected, "***Davos 2016 — Populism fears loom***"², this sent shockwaves throughout the Davos meeting in for politicians were suddenly frightened that there could be a populist revolution and they would be voted out of office.

² <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k6BWhd5Ww1Y>

January 6th “Armed Insurrection” of the Capitol



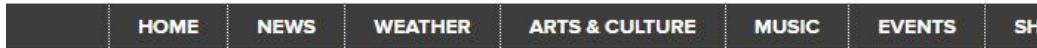
The fear that everything was crashing down around them led the politicians to embrace Klaus Schwab's solution of destroying the world economy to **BUILD BACK BETTER** and use that as the excuse to:

- (1) terminate government debt, and
- (2) eliminate any democratic process that would allow “populism” to expand.

Consequently, it was the election of Donald Trump that made the career politicians realize that their money pot could come to an end. The rise in worldwide protests in 2019 also helped to strengthen Schwab's argument to now change the entire world economy.

The Democrats used the January 6th, 2020 event that they called an “armed insurrection” despite the lack of any guns discovered and the clear involvement of government agents to assist in planning this event to not just justify Pelosi’s Wall, but to cling to this event to justify passing the Domestic Terrorist Act which was to be used against any American protesting what they intended to do.

Taking the January 6th, 2020 event, besides lining up with the turn in the Economic Confidence Model, it did not line up with previous civil unrest events. This is an indication that it was used as a False Flag for political power.

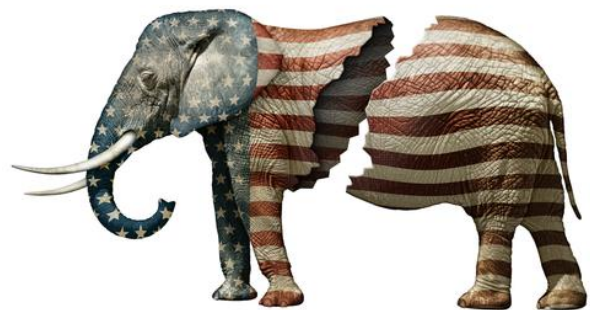


President-elect Donald Trump waves as he arrives at his election night rally Wednesday in New York.

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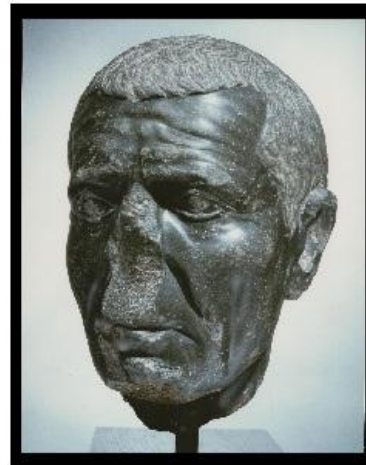
Businessman Donald Trump Shocks World With 2016 Presidential Victory

The election of Donald Trump in 2016 shocked the political establishment. It even deeply divided the Republican Party. South Carolina U.S. Sen Lindsey Graham smashed his phone when he was against Trump and Donald Trump dished out his phone number during a speech. This was all about a non-Washington businessman becoming president – how dare he! They did not even like Ronald Reagan when he was elected because he was just a state Governor and not a Washington insider.



**“Divide et Impera”
Divide and Rule**

**Julius Caesar
(100-44BC)**



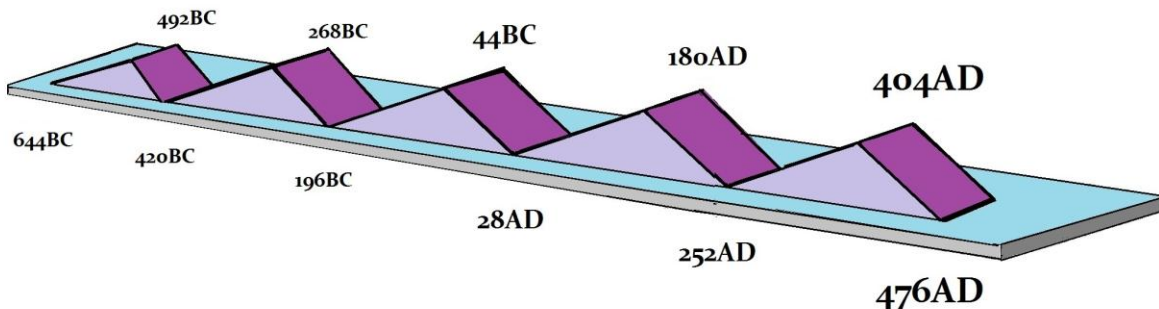
Consequently, politicians in the West have embraced the Schwab Agenda for 2030 because from their perspective, they know their fiscal mismanagement is collapsing the false socialist agenda and that means they are at risk of being overthrown with a rise of populism. The first step down the road of tyranny is to divide the people and turn them against one another and that way they will not rise up together against those in power. They are using the COVID vaccine to do that. Dr, Fauci is lying with every breath he takes. In now claiming that “over 90%” of those dying are the unvaccinated, but he is using the numbers that include deaths that occurred before the vaccine rollout even started. Lies like this reveal that this is political and designed to divide and conquer. Hence, they have adopted Schwab’s 8–point agenda for 2030 out of fear of rising civil unrest.

- (1) “You’ll own nothing” — And “you’ll be happy about it.”
- (2) “The U.S. won’t be the world’s leading superpower”
- (3) “You won’t die waiting for an organ donor” — They will be made by 3D printers
- (4) “You’ll eat much less meat” — Meat will be “an occasional treat, not a staple, for the good of the environment and our health.”
- (5) “A billion people will be displaced by climate change” – Soros’ Open Borders
- (6) “Polluters will have to pay to emit carbon dioxide” – “There will be a global price on carbon. This will help make fossil fuels history”
- (7) “You could be preparing to go to Mars” — Scientists “will have worked out how to keep you healthy in space.”
- (8) “Western values will have been tested to the breaking point.” – “Checks and balances that underpin our democracies must not be forgotten”

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Roman Empire

224-Year Cycle of Political Change



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When we look ahead at the inevitable break-up of the United States there is one fact – there is **NO EXCEPTION** to such an empire everlasting. The deliberate policies currently to divide and conquer to retain power. Even looking at the 224-year cycle of political change, from the start of the United States in 1789, that meant that a shift was due to take place in 2013. On June 6, 2013, that is when former CIA employee Edward Snowden disclosed operations engaged in by a U.S. government mass surveillance program to news publications and fled the country, later being granted temporary asylum in Russia. That was the watershed moment that marked the peak in public confidence and the decline has begun from that point.

This suggests that if we are talking about the end of the United States and it being reduced to a third world country, that is not likely until 2085. That would be 72 years from the 2013 peak in that cycle. What is interesting is the 224-year cycle from when Columbus landed in America, Columbus Day, which was when the morning of October 12, 1492, a sailor on board the Pinta sighted land, beginning a new era of European exploration and expansion, brought us to the second wave in 1940 and 72 years thereafter brings us also to 2012/2013 as well. So, it does not appear to be the end of American civilization until 2085.



Marcus Aurelius

(161-180AD)

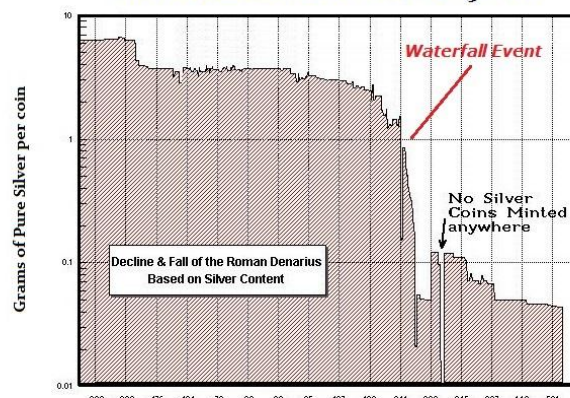
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Rome mint Struck 164AD Minerva standing left

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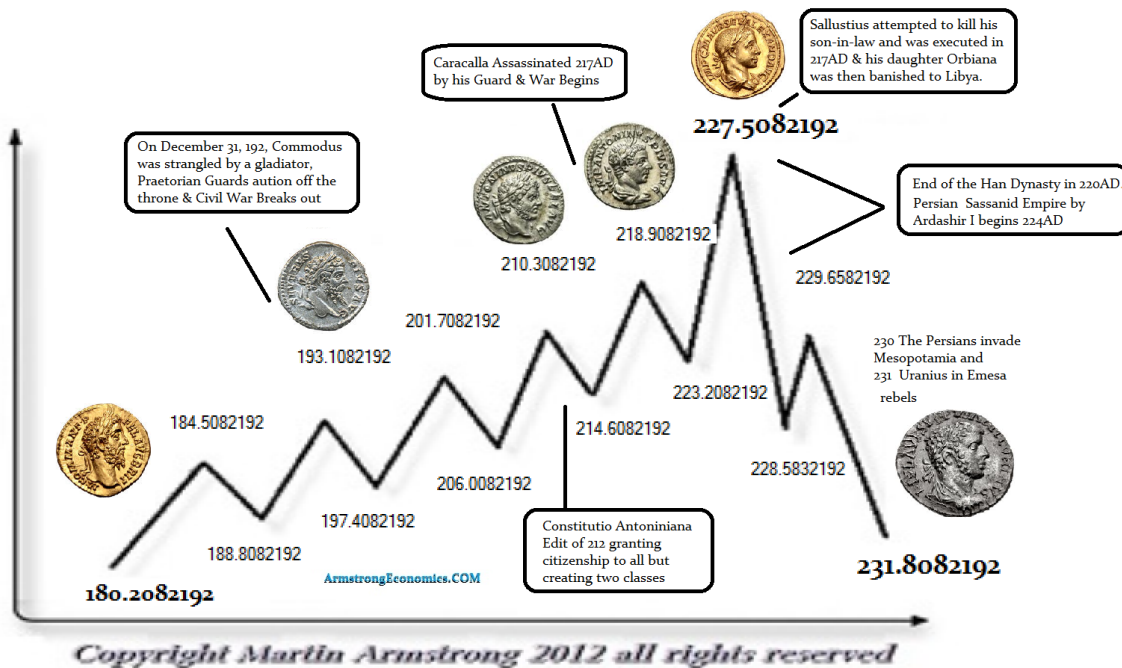
From the death of Marcus Aurelius on March 17th, 180AD which historians market the beginning of the fall of the Roman Empire, curiously, 72 years later brings us to the first Roman Emperor to be killed by the barbarians in battle, Trajan Decius (249–251AD) and the chaotic period of 251–253AD where three emperors vied for power and then eventual rise of Valerian I (253–260AD) who was then captured by the Persians in 260AD and the entire collapse of the Roman monetary system then begins in just 8.6 years. These time periods have been amazing throughout history. There is simply a rhythm to everything.

Collapse of the Roman Silver Monetary System Silver Denarius Basis - 280 BC - 518 AD



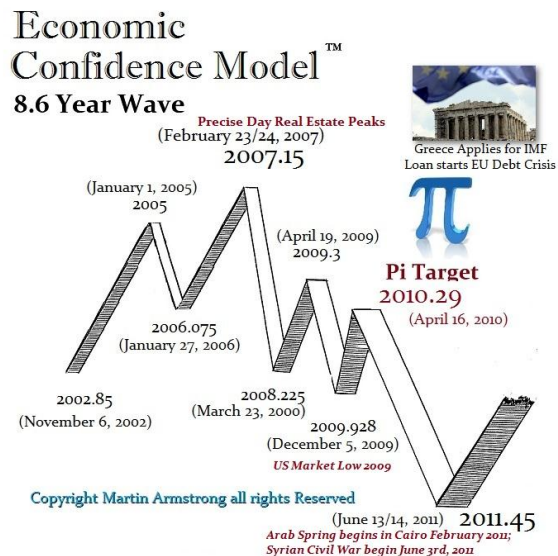
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Beginning of the Fall of the Roman Empire (180AD - 231AD)



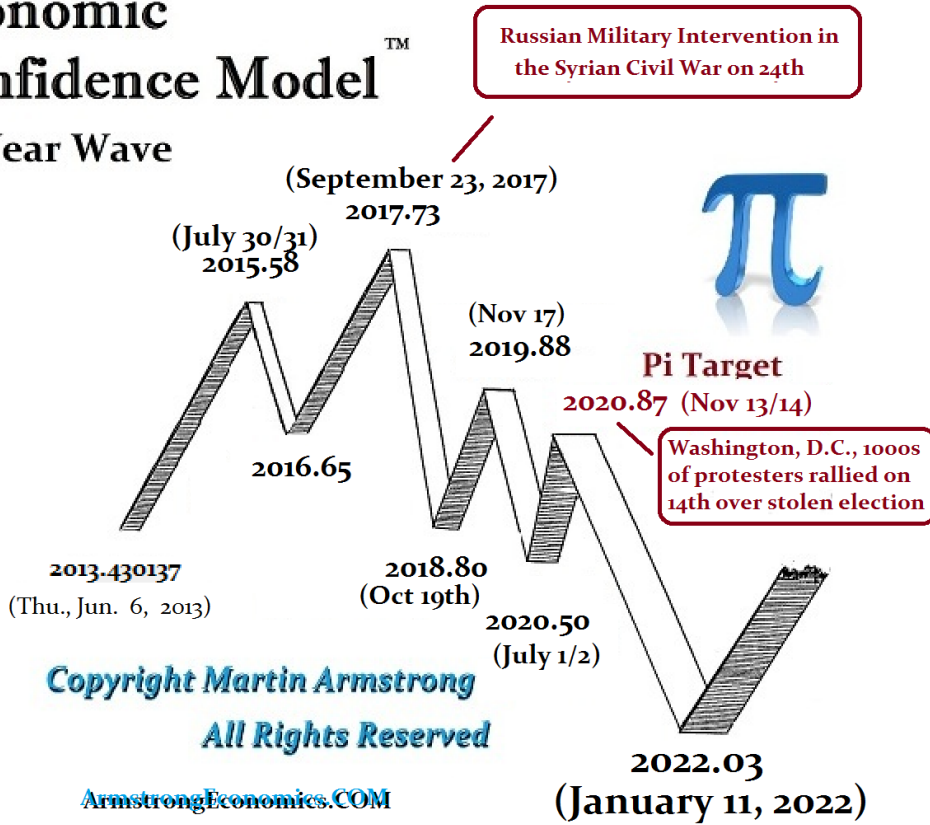
When we look at applying the basic 8.6-year frequency to the events immediately following the death of Marcus Aurelius on March 17th, 180AD, we come to the two civil wars but also the end of the last great dynasty – the Severan Dynasty which lasted from 193AD to the final death of Severus Alexander in 235AD. The peak of a 51.6-year wave took place in 227AD when the father-in-law of Severus tried to kill him, was executed, and Severus's wife was banished to Libya.

Therefore, we can see that both the 224 and the 8.6-year cyclical waves have been relevant. This brings us to our current times and how to judge what is the most likely time frame for the turmoil. Of course, the Pi date on the Economic Confidence Model had even picked the very day of the 911 attack. On the 2007 Wave, the Pi target picked the day Greece sought help from the IMF beginning the debt crisis.



Economic Confidence Model™

8.6 Year Wave



to Merkel opening the gates to Europe unilaterally starting the entire mass immigration crisis.

It was this decision by Merkel that never put anything to a vote for Germans no less all of Europe that justified BREXIT as the British disagreed with what Merkel had done. It also illustrated that a single head of state could take action that then impacted as a dictator upon all of Europe.

When we plot an 8.6–year wave from the release of Snowden’s effort to reveal the illegal activities of the CIA and NSA on spying on Americans, the results are very interesting. The day of the peak marked the invasion of Russia intervening in the Syrian Civil War. This actually led





Then the Pi Target magically produced the first major protest against the election that stormed Washington on November 14th, 2020. This was thrown down the gauntlet and from this point on, the nation has become ever more divided. I had warned that the elections NOT really Trump v Biden. Of course, the Democrats would send me hate mail saying I was only a Trump Supporter. Despite the fact that I knew from inside sources that the objective was to remove Trump by any means for he alone was standing in the way of this Great Reset.

Furthermore, I also knew that the entire Russia allegations of Hillary were manufactured and that she was blaming Putin **BECAUSE** she had approved the attempt to blackmail Yeltsin to take over Russia by the bankers in 2000. When that plot was uncovered, Yeltsin turned to Putin in August 1999 and resigned. Edmond Safra, the leader of the pack with Hermitage Capital, was killed on December 3rd, 1999 by Russians.

The next date to arrive will be January 11th, 2022. If we again see yet another important event take place on that date, then we know for sure that the Snowden event was a major turning point which will point to the peak of the next 8.6-year which will be 2826.33 (April 1st, 2026) where we see the risk of both civil unrest and international war.



If we plot 51.6-year wave from the start of the American Civil War 1861.279, we end up with 1912.879 when the major political uprising of Marxism took hold in the United States. In January 1912, the socialists used the Constitutional Right of Free Speech to push their agenda. This became the San Diego Free Speech Fight, which was one of the most important moments in the history of the city of San Diego. The union known as the Industrial Workers of the World (IWW) engaged in a

pitched battle against a city ordinance that banned public speaking in the area around 5th and E Streets in downtown San Diego.



The Industrial Workers of the World (IWW) a.k.a. the “Wobblies”, was founded by William Dudley Haywood in 1905 under the banner “The abuses of capitalism can no longer be tolerated,” which was claimed its “January Manifesto.” In the San Diego Free Speech Fight, the Manifesto also said that “employer associations attempted to crush by

brutal force any resistance to their will.”

The preamble to the IWW’s constitution declared: “It is the historic mission of the working class to do away with capitalism.... By organizing industrially we are forming the structure of the new society within the shell of the old.”

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During the course of this San Diego struggle, many were arrested, beaten, and even killed under the pretense of free speech and assembly when the message was really Marxism. The response to what started as an organizing drive for the local IWW turned into a national cause to defend the rights of ordinary working



people and citizens of all classes to free speech, with thousands of people flooding into San Diego, defying the ban, and filling the jails in protest.

The 1912 point in time was the watershed moment when even Teddy Roosevelt ran for President being nominated as the candidate for the Progressive

Party. The first-ever Progressive National Convention, convened in Chicago on August 5th, 1912. Thousands of delegates and spectators filled the Chicago Coliseum.

One of the major issues was race and Roosevelt explained his views in a widely circulated article titled "The Progressives and the Colored Man." This "solution" did allow Roosevelt to criticize the race policies of both major parties. He labeled the Democrats race-

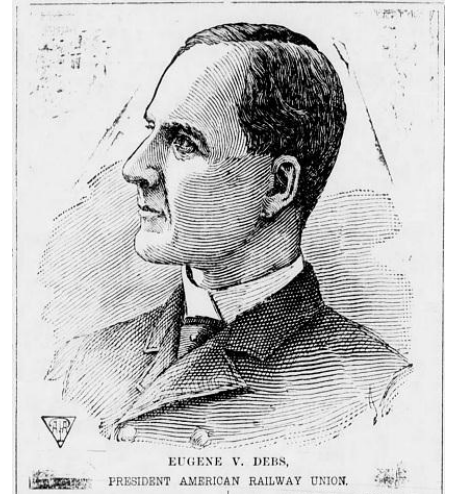


baiters and the Republicans hypocrites, for they only supported black politicians in the South, where they were largely irrelevant.

The main Progressive platform struggled with race issues, some African-Americans spoke out in its support, but the primary driving force was the antitrust plank. The majority of rank-and-file Progressives demanded a strong trustbusting plank to break up the major corporations. Standard Oil was broken up in 1911 as a result of a lawsuit brought against it by the U.S. government in 1906 under the Sherman Antitrust Act of 1890.

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Eugene Victor "Gene" Debs (1855–1926) was the Socialist Party of America candidate for president in 1904, 1908, 1912, and 1920 when he ran for president from prison. Though he received increasing numbers of popular votes in each subsequent election, he never won any votes in the Electoral College. Clearly, 1912 was a very critical year in the scheme of things from a rising political division.



The next target was Mon., June 8, 1964 (1964.479) was the start of the week that marked when the US Senate broke a 75-day filibuster against the Civil Rights Act of 1964, leading to the bill's



Lyndon Baines Johnson
(1908–1973)
36th President (Nov. 22, 1963 – 1969)

passage. It was the period of massive race riots and civil unrest. Yet on May 2nd, an explosion sunk the USS Card while it is docked at Ho Chi Minh City Saigon. The US accused the Viet Cong forces of placing a bomb on the ship which was raised and returned to service less than seven months later. The Gulf of Tonkin incident when the Vietnamese allegedly fired on the USS Maddox was quickly followed by the August 7, 1964 when Congress passed the Gulf of Tonkin Resolution, authorizing President Johnson to take any measures he

believed were necessary beginning the Vietnam War.

The next wave ended with Fri., Jan. 29, 2016 (2016.079) when Donald Trump became President. President Donald Trump is the only modern president who had **no political experience** before entering the White House which was his strong suit and it frightened career politicians worldwide.

Herbert Hoover, is the only president considered to have less experience in running for elected office. However, when the United States declared war upon Germany in April 1917 following Germany's unrestricted submarine warfare against American vessels in British waters, President Woodrow Wilson appointed Hoover to head the U.S. Food Administration, which was charged with ensuring the nation's food needs during the war. So, Hoover was still a Washington bureaucrat rather than a politician.

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Other presidents who lacked political experience had strong military backgrounds such as Dwight Eisenhower and Zachary Taylor. Trump stands out as the first private businessman ever to be appointed by the people against career politicians.

Even going back further (1809.67) we have April 10th, 1809 when the Napoleonic Wars began. The War of the Fifth Coalition began when forces of the Austrian Empire invaded Bavaria. This obviously emerged from the French Revolution.

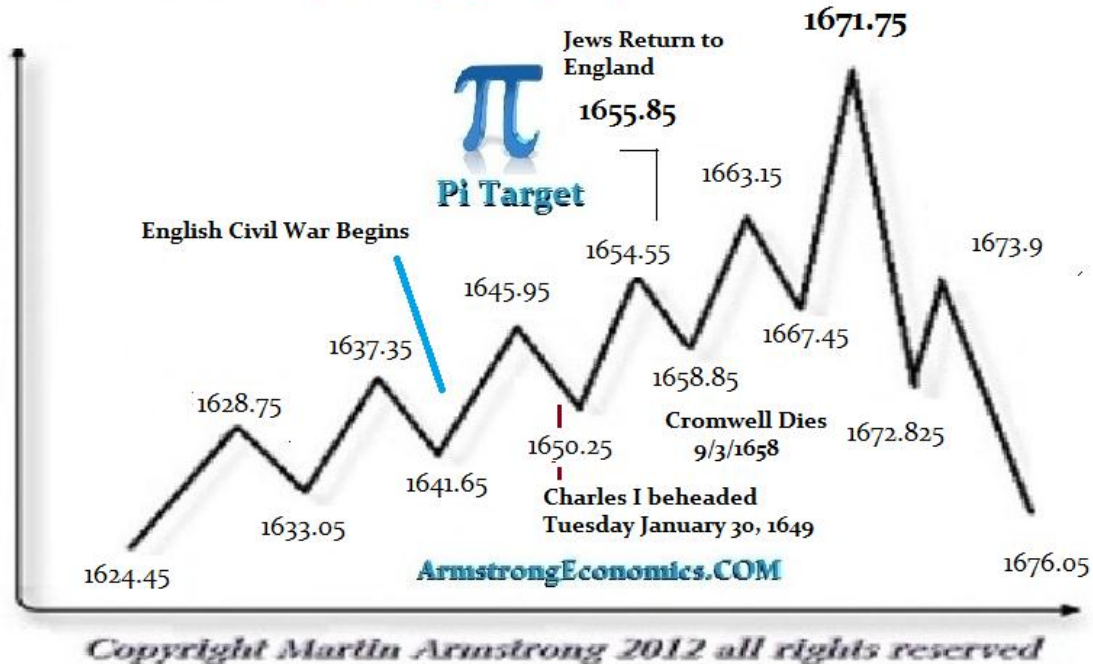


The wave before that was 1758.079. It was at this time when the French Indian War conflict in Ohio ended in 1758 with the British–American victory in the Ohio Country. Between 1758 and 1760, the British military then launched a campaign to capture French Canada. It was 1758 when on August 29th, the first American Indian reservation was established, at Indian Mills, New Jersey. This technically marked the first formalized split of the colony with the Indians.

The previous wave was 1706.479 which interestingly marked the civil war in Europe which began on September 7th known as the War of the Spanish Succession. It was then the siege of Turin which ended, leading to the withdrawal of French forces from North Italy.

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Public Wave #150 (1624.45 - 1676.05)



The wave before that peaked 1654.879 which marked the peak of the Commonwealth in England under Oliver Cromwell (1599–1658). Despite the fact that this was supposed to be a revolution against monarchy, Cromwell still placed his own portray on the coinage drowned in a laurel wreath as a king or Roman Emperor.

In general, these turning points have marked important shift in the political landscape which have at times been civil uprisings and other times outright civil war.

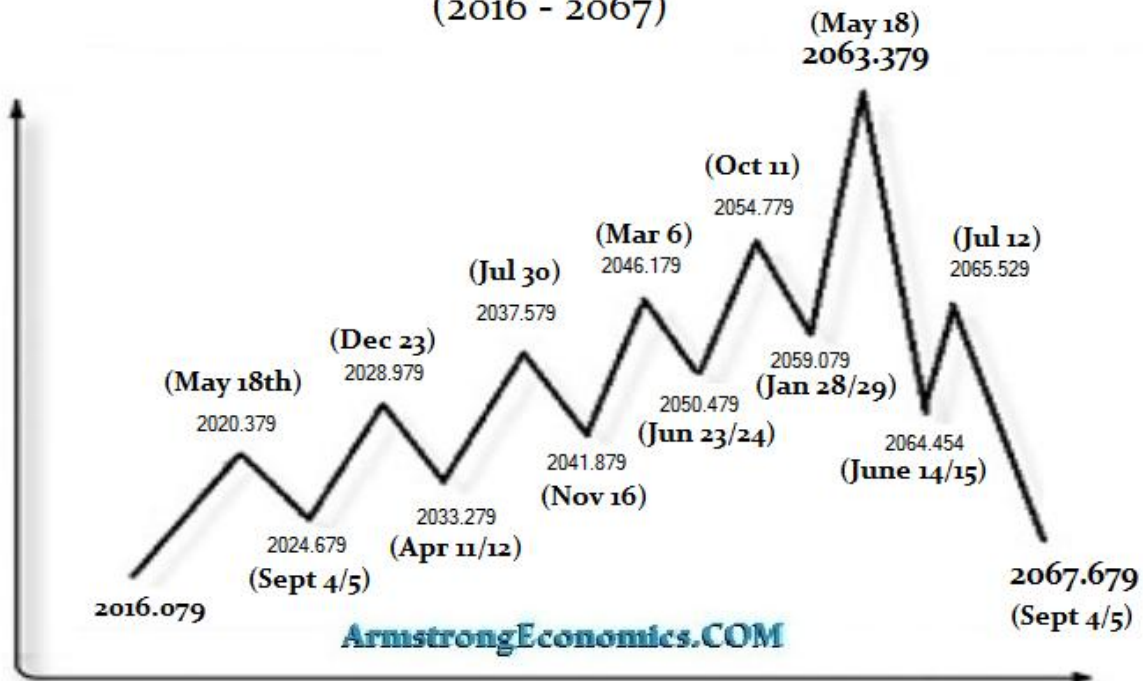
Obviously, we must now investigate what are the dates withing this next 51.6-year wave formation that began on Fri., Jan. 29, 2016 (2016.079).



Oliver Cromwell (1599–1658)(Lord Protector until he died 1653-1658)

Future Political Unrest

(2016 - 2067)

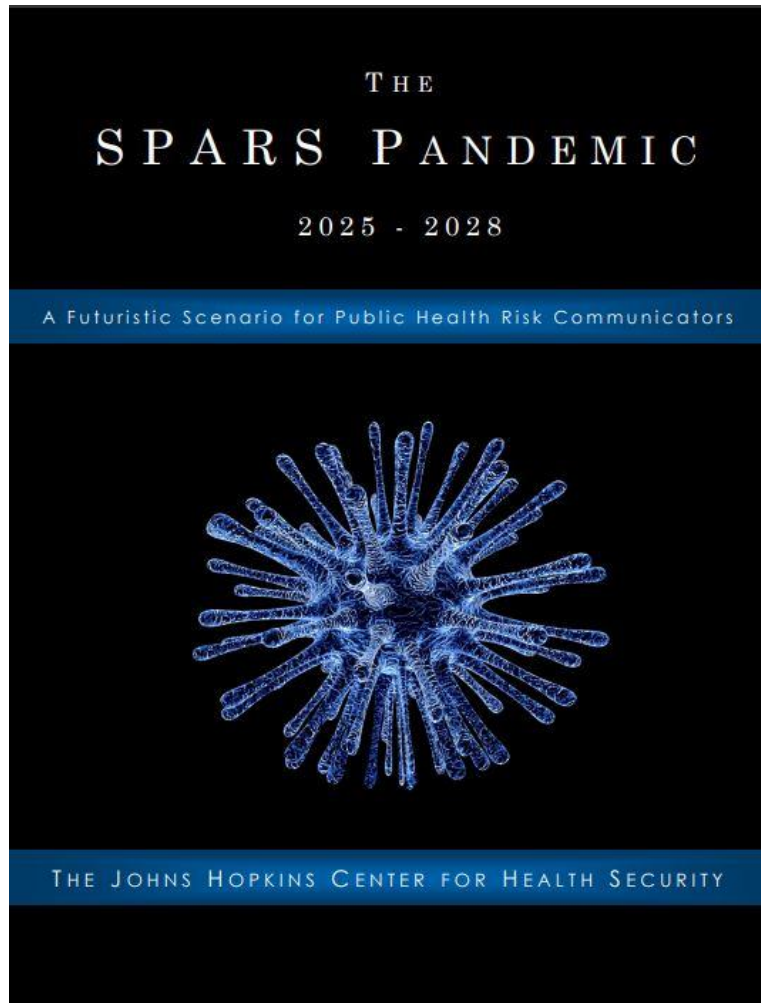


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What is important to understand is that within the current ECM 51.6-year Wave that began 1985.65, the Pi target was 2017.05 from the beginning which was the precise day that Donald Trump was elected. Once more, this has nothing to do with the policies of Trump. The model projected that the first opportunity for a Third-Party candidate to win would be the 2016 election. That forecast was made in 1985 when this wave began.

Therefore, plotting a 51.6-year wave from 2016 will be revealing. We see turning points lining up in 2020 and 2024 followed by 2028, 2033, and 2037 which will be the bottom of this 51,6-year ECM wave.

The Biden Administration is really pushing the envelope. This is attempting to use COVID for political purposes that is trying to separate the resistance from the sheep. But much of those who took the vaccination did so to be able to work or travel. They were coerced. The attempt to keep these boosters going indefinitely and to impose travel restrictions, will only backfire. People were told if they comply, they would return to normal. But that is not the objective.



Unfortunately, there are those in the medical profession who love the power they have been granted. John Hopkins is already planning for this COVID pandemic to continue indefinitely establishing their plan to herd society like cattle. They may be delusional at this stage in the game whereby they believe since they have forced people to comply, they will be able to exert this power without end into the future.

The Communist Revolution of Russia was successful for the people were still deeply oppressed because serfdom in Russia continued well beyond that in Western Europe. The 1861 Emancipation Manifesto proclaimed the emancipation of the serfs in Russia on private estates and of the domestic (household) serfs. By this edict more than 23 million people received their liberty. The serfs were emancipated in 1861, following a speech given by Tsar Alexander II on March 30, 1856. However, the lower classes were still struggling and lacked ownership. Europeans fled to America where they could buy land and acquire wealth. Thus, the Russian Revolution was still within 51.6 years of the end of serfdom.

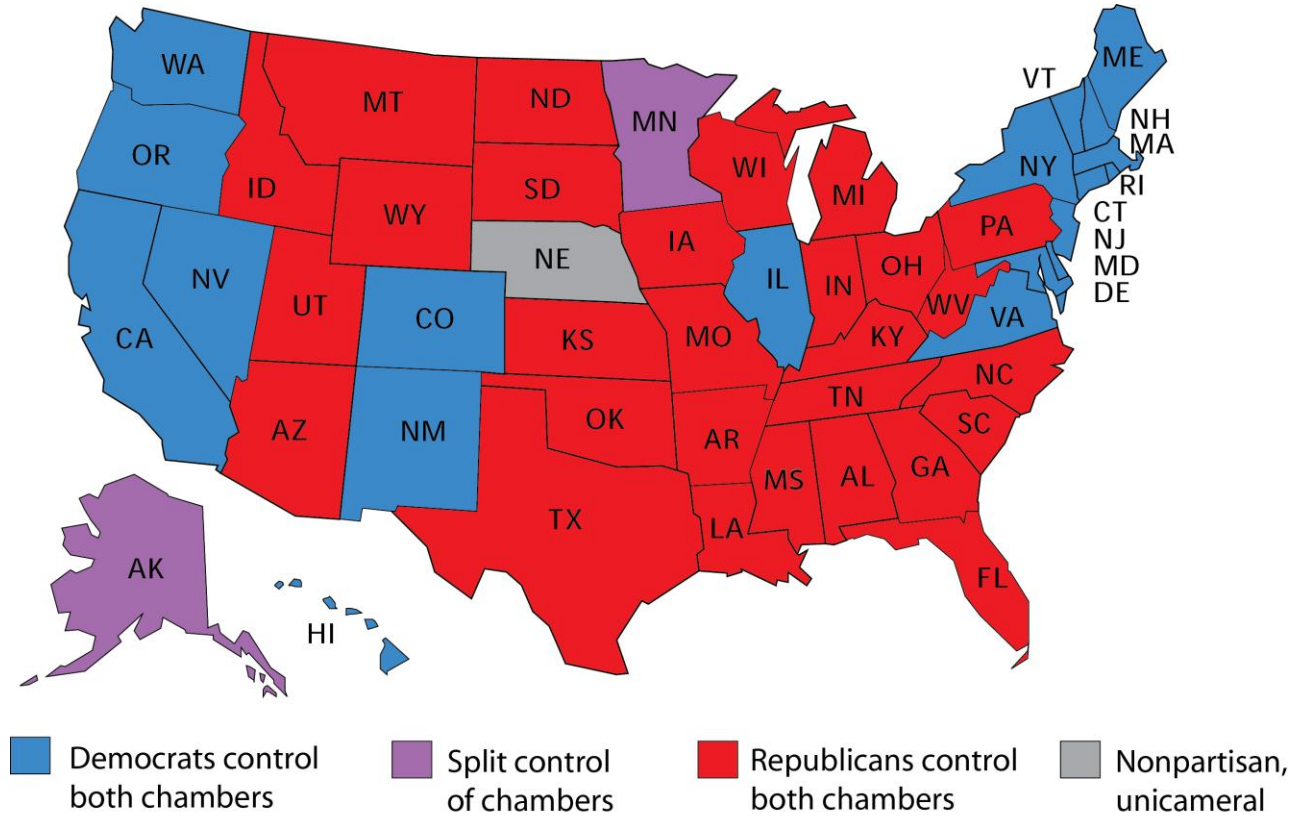


Today, the lower classes are not suppressed and held as slaves denied ownership and Marx was exploiting. This idea of surrendering all wealth and you will be happy as put out by Klaus Schwab and the World Economic Forum, are delusional and fail to understand the dramatically different economic structure today compared to the 19th century.

People work hard to leave their children something as the great aristocratic families did for centuries. This is what Schwab actually thinks people will surrender and we will all return to economic serfdom handed guaranteed basic income, shut up, watch TV, and enjoy a mindless stress-free life without any accomplishment.

All one need do is look at the Communist countries. NOTHING ever came from them that improved society or was a major innovation except nuclear weapons for the government. Innovation comes only with curiosity and that require freedom of thought. Schwab is trying to create "equality" where we are all drones and nobody has materially anything more than the guy next door while all wealth is owned by the elite overlords like Schwab.

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There is absolutely **NO WAY** these people will succeed. The economic structure is entirely different today than the rising conflicts where society was still emerging from serfdom during the 19th century. As explained, nations will split along the same historic lines as previous divisions. In the case of the United States, the Midwest was not yet formed during the American Civil War. California did provide funding for the Union and they will be aligned with the New England states. The next separation of the United States will be primarily the South v the North and it will be over state rights. However, this time it will be the North imposing economic slavery demanding compliance and the Democrats are indeed in full secret league with the foreign movement spearheaded from the World Economic Forum. The risk of collapse begins in 2022 but they will fight until 2026.

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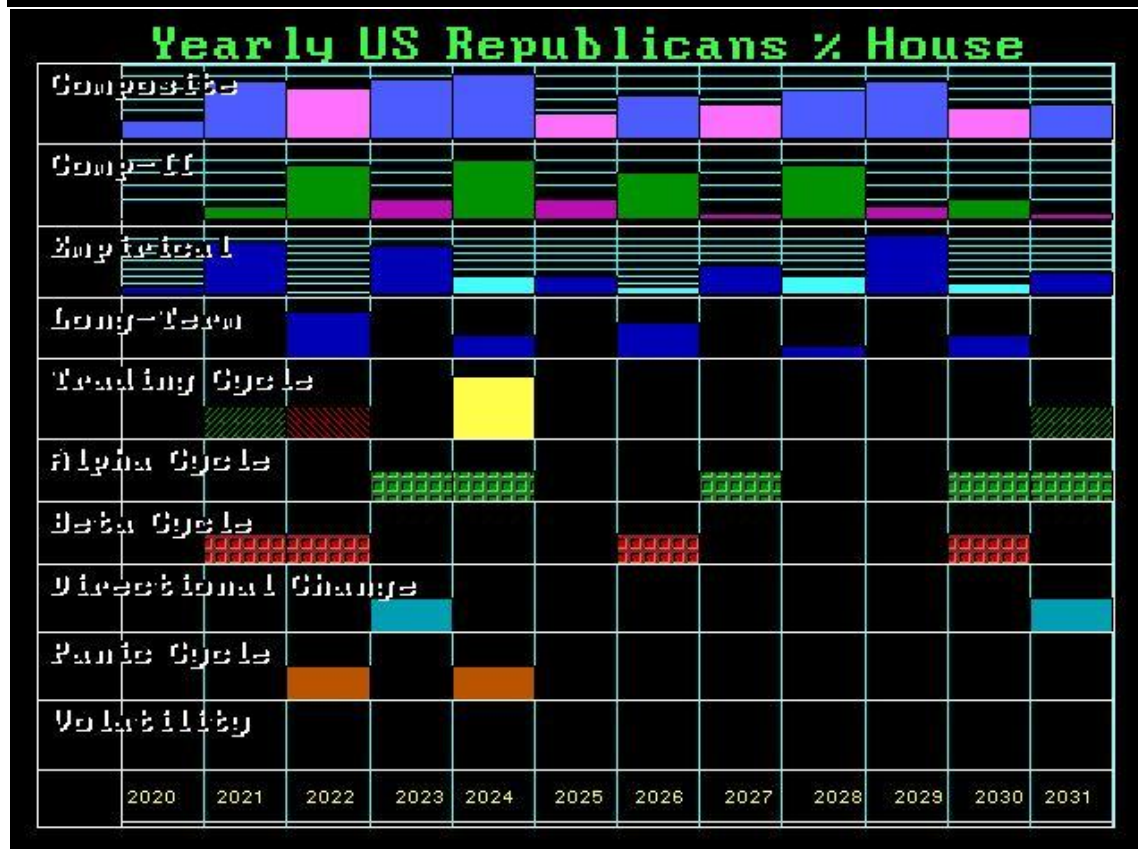
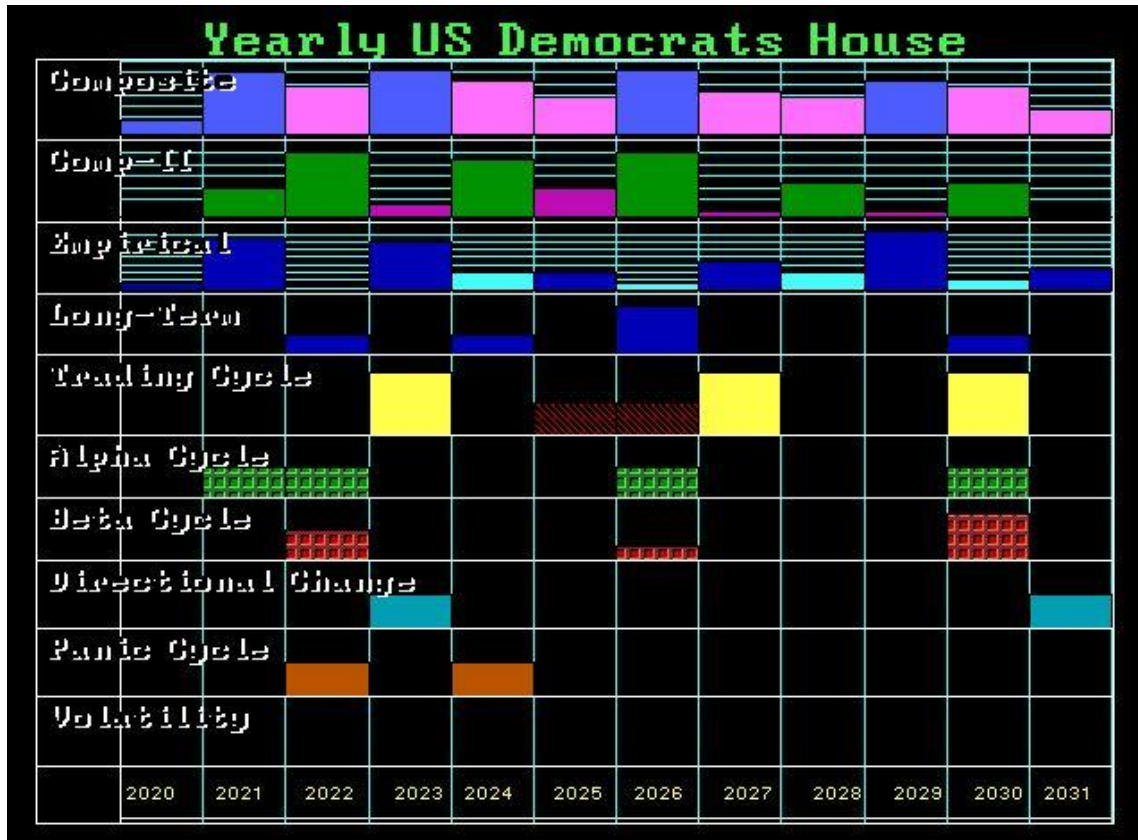
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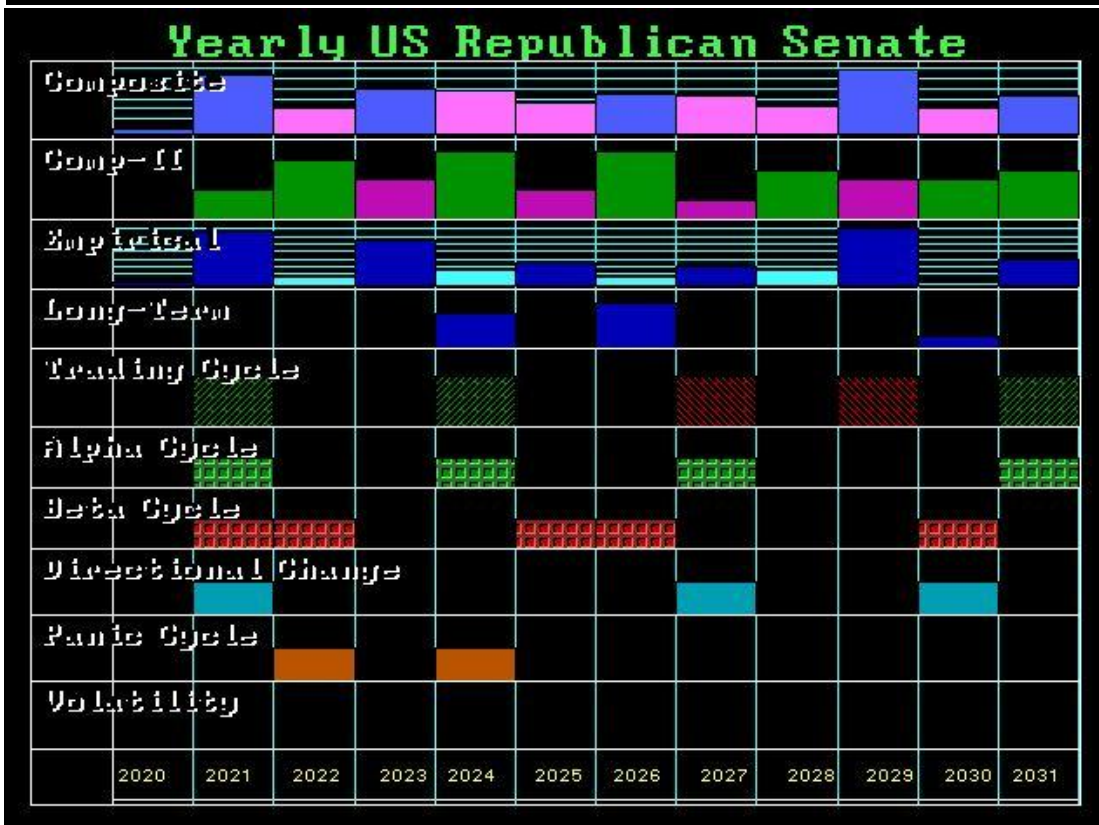
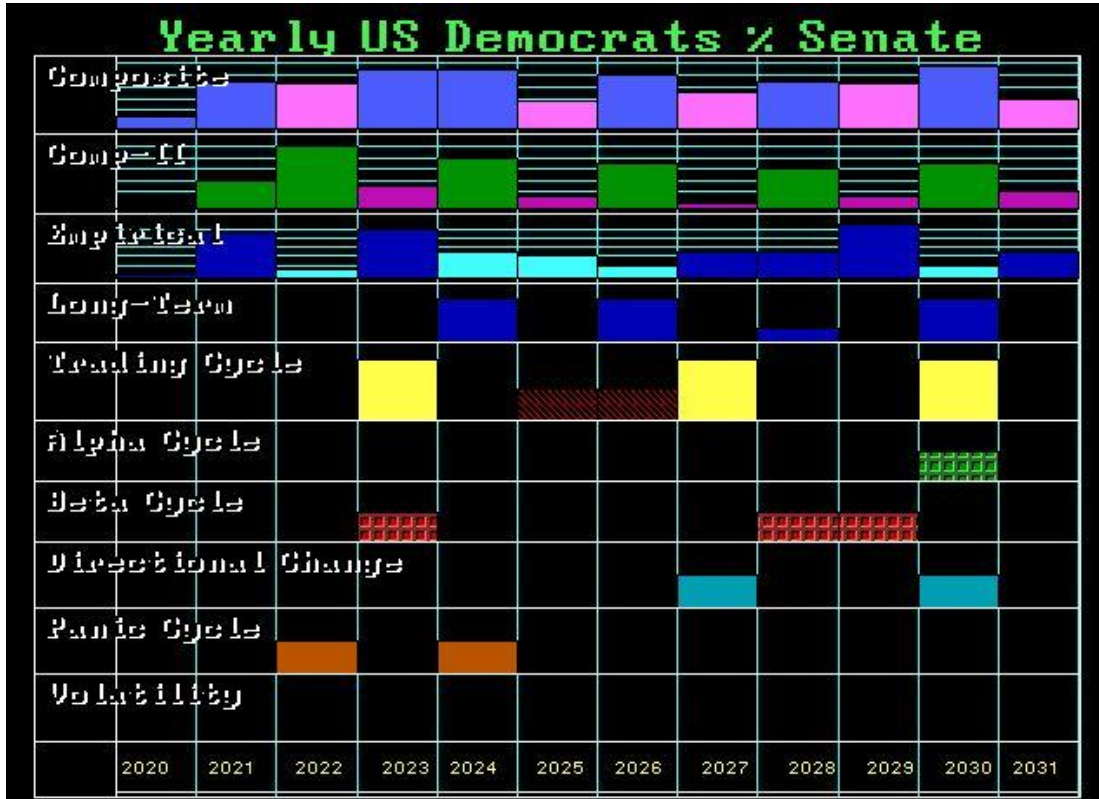
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When we look at both the Senate and the House going into the midterm elections in 2022, you can see that we have Panic Cycles in both the Republican and Democratic databases targeting 2022 and 2024. The year 2022 will also be a 3-year reaction using COVID. That is the end of this game. The only way to be able to continue this political suppress will be to manufacture another pandemic which will probably be far more lethal in 2022. Without a new crisis, they have run this one into the ground and their entire effort to seize control of the world economy will collapse.

China will go along and use this COVID scam to further their economic control over their economy. But they will not surrender their sovereignty to this Schwan consortium.