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eg. 'If I had my druthers, we all would know the truth.'

## Ottawa Freedom Convoy: Tears Down Illusion of Democracy in North America

By Matthew Ehret

*Tyrants living in their ivory tower echo chambers are panicking as they have no idea how to interact with actual human beings organizing themselves around such non-mathematical principles as "freedom," "justice" and "rights."*

*No, there is a limit to the tyrant's power!*

*When the oppressed man finds no justice,*

*When the burden grows unbearable, he appeals*

*With fearless heart to Heaven,  
And thence brings down his everlasting rights,*

*Which there abide, inalienably his,*

*And indestructible as stars themselves.*

*-Friedrich Schiller, Wilhelm Tell's Rutli Oath*

Who would have thought that Canada would ever be a spark plug for a freedom movement against tyranny?

As the editor of a Canadian geopolitical magazine for over ten years and author of four books on Canadian History, I am a bit embarrassed to say that I certainly didn't think that Canadians had this in them.

The "monarchy of the north" certainly isn't something that exudes revolutionary sentiment — having been founded on such non-revolutionary principles as "Peace, Order and Good Governance" which have stood in stark contrast to the significantly more inspiring "Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness" enshrined in the founding documents of our southern cousins. Even our founding 1867 document (drafted over a champagne fueled month of hedonism in 1864) explicitly calls out the purpose of confederation not as a means of "supporting the general welfare" as was the case of the USA's constitution in 1787, but rather "to promote the interests of the British Empire".

But here it is.

Countless thousands of patriots have driven across the country to bunker down in Ottawa in peace and high festive spirits which I had to see with my own eyes to believe demanding something so simple and un-tainted by ideology: freedom to work, provide for families and a respect for basic rights as laid out in the *Charter of Rights and Freedoms* (a 1982 upgrade to the embarrassingly oligarchical *British North America Act* of 1867).

Mainstream media and political hacks have been working overtime to paint the Freedom convoy that converged on Ottawa on January 29 as an "insurrectionist movement" full of "white supremacists", "Russian stooges", and "Nazis" out to "overthrow the government". Even the Bank of England's former governor (and World Economic Forum Trustee) Mark Carney chimed in on February 7 stating that "this is sedition" and that "those who are still helping to extend this occupation must be identified and punished to the full force of the

law". Carney, the perennial financial darling of Goldman Sachs and the City of London (and Prime Ministerial hopeful) called for a targeting of all those who donated money to this domestic terror operation.

by Deputy Prime Minister and WEF-Trustee Chrystia Freeland took turns announcing the invocation of the *Emergency Measures Act* which itself had formerly been known as "The War Measures Act" last invoked nearly

50 years earlier by Justin's father Pierre Elliot Trudeau as a "solution" to the RCMP-directed terror cells deployed across Quebec and culminating in the month-long 'October Crisis' of 1970. The act's name was changed in 1988 although it is in function entirely identical.

Under the *Emergency Measures Act*, the Deep State of Canada managing Trudeau has adopted the Mark Carney program outlined on February 7 of targeting bank accounts of all Canadians either involved with the convoy directly or having supported the convoy via online donations or cryptocurrencies. What might those individuals suffer for the crime of having offered support or participation in the protests? Those 'deplorable insurgents' are facing the threat of seeing their bank accounts indefinitely frozen, and if they own businesses, having their insurance policies cancelled.

The 'big 5' banks of Canada have thus been "deputized" and given full legal protections from being sued by those whose lives will be damaged by the shutdown of bank accounts.

One thing has become apparent thus far: the threats are not working with truckers and other protestors renewing their commitments to remain in place and even four Provincial Premiers (from Alberta, Saskatchewan, Quebec and Manitoba) denouncing the emergency measures.

The Canadian Civil Liberties Association has also loudly denounced the Act saying: "the federal government has not met the threshold necessary to invoke the emergencies act. This law creates a high and clear standard for good reason: The act allows the government to bypass ordinary democratic processes... The Emergency Act can only be invoked when a situation 'seriously threatens the ability of the government of Canada to preserve the sovereignty, security and territorial integrity of Canada' and when the situation 'cannot be effectively dealt with under any other law of Canada'."

### Fissures Across the Establishment

Due to the inflexible Borg-like inability to negotiate with an organic civil rights movement suffered by all technocratic Davos-creatures, major fissures have begun to break throughout the political establishment of Canada.

Already two members of the Liberal Party have gone renegade, breaking with Canada's holy system of whips and loyalty to party above conscience demanding that Trudeau repeal the immensely unpopular and useless covid measures. On February 8, Liberal MP Joel Lightbound commented that Trudeau's vile

See, 'Convoy' p.5



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Faced with an organic civil rights movement of blue-collar truckers, farmers and tens of thousands of supporters who have convened in Canada's capital to demand a restoration of their basic freedoms, the current Liberal government has failed to show even an ounce of humanity or capacity to negotiate. This shouldn't be a surprise for those who have seen the hypocrisy of neo-liberal "rules-based" order ideologues in action over the past few years who are quick to celebrate the "liberty" of citizens of Ukraine, Hong Kong, or Xinjiang when the outcome benefits the geopolitical aims of detached technocrats hungry for global hegemony. The moment genuine self-organized labour movements arise demanding basic rights be recognized, then the masks come off and the rage of tyrants show their true faces.

So instead of negotiation and discussion around principled constitutional issues as the protestors have requested, we have instead seen only threats, slander and more threats ranging from cutting off \$10 million of funding raised on GoFundMe on February 4, and then another \$8 million raised on GiveSendGo on February 10. We have seen the government impose a state of emergency first in the city of Ottawa followed by a full province wide state of emergency on February 11 justifying cutting off vital supplies of fuel to those truckers and their families who have been camped out in -22 degree Celsius temperatures. Edicts making it illegal to provide supplies to the protestors under threat of fines ranging up to \$100 thousand dollars and one year in prison have been drafted and the patriotic citizens who have organized for their right to not live under a dictatorship have been stigmatized by the media relentlessly as "insurgents".

### Emergency Measures Act invoked

Then on February 14, Justin Trudeau, followed

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# Mass Formation Psychosis: The “Othering” of Humanity

By Timothy Himes

We currently live in a two-tier society. Segregation has now become a part of our daily lives, and completely accepted by a portion of the population. If these current divisions were a result of skin colour or religion, there would be an uproar. Instead, because the segregation is being perpetrated by those in positions of power who have the financial means to discreetly propagandize a population, nearly 5 million people in Canada choosing not to take an experimental drug can't be employed in certain jobs, attend public events, travel across borders, or dine in a restaurant. Many have also lost their careers as a result.

### Othering

The systemic division and marginalization brought about by our government and mainstream media is being done through a phenomenon known as “othering” — an “us *vs* them” way of thinking about our fellow humans. This process essentially involves looking at others and saying “they are not one of us.” Othering is a way of negating another person's individual humanity and, consequently, those that have been “othered” are seen as less worthy of dignity and respect. On an individual level, othering plays a role in the formation of prejudices against people and groups. On a larger scale, it can also play a role in the dehumanization of entire groups of people which can then be exploited to drive changes in institutions, governments, and societies. It can lead to the persecution of marginalized groups, the denial of rights based on group identities, or even acts of violence against others. We've seen this conditioning projected on the evening news for nearly two years, with the repetitive use of terms like “anti-vaxxer,” “anti-masker,” and “conspiracy theorist.” Terms used to discredit and silence any dissenting voices.

The peaceful protesters who occupied Ottawa for three weeks were dismissed by many as “the other.” In this case, the term the media repeatedly called the truckers and supporters was “anti-vaxxers,” when in fact the purpose of the protest was to have the covid **mandates** removed. Instead of the prime minister listening to their grievances, he went into hiding for a week, while the legacy media set about othering the truckers and protesters.

After othering the protesters as “anti-vaccine,” the protesters were then falsely labeled as “racists.” A man with a nazi flag was spotted outside the crowd for a brief period of time, but long enough for two long distance photos to be produced of the flag and the man's sunglasses. Another man, completely covering his face with a ski mask waving a confederate flag, was also spotted. He was immediately called out by the crowd as being a paid plant and left within minutes of his arrival. It's unlikely these men were part of the freedom movement since both flags are symbols of authoritarianism and segregation, issues the freedom movement actively argues against. Given that their faces were never seen, it is possible that these men were either plants or attended the protest for their own views to be heard, similar to how a few confederate flags and Pro-Trump flags were seen at BLM protests in 2020. Unlike those other protests, these two flags were not dismissed. Because of these two men, Trudeau labelled the tens of thousands of protestors in Ottawa as racists, hateful, and violent.

A portion of the public locked onto these labels and the photos presented by the media. They were unable to see the enormous joyful crowds, singing, streets being kept clean, homeless being fed, and children playing in bouncy castles. Local businesses who were smart enough to remain open were busier than they'd been in the last two years.

### Mass Formation Psychosis

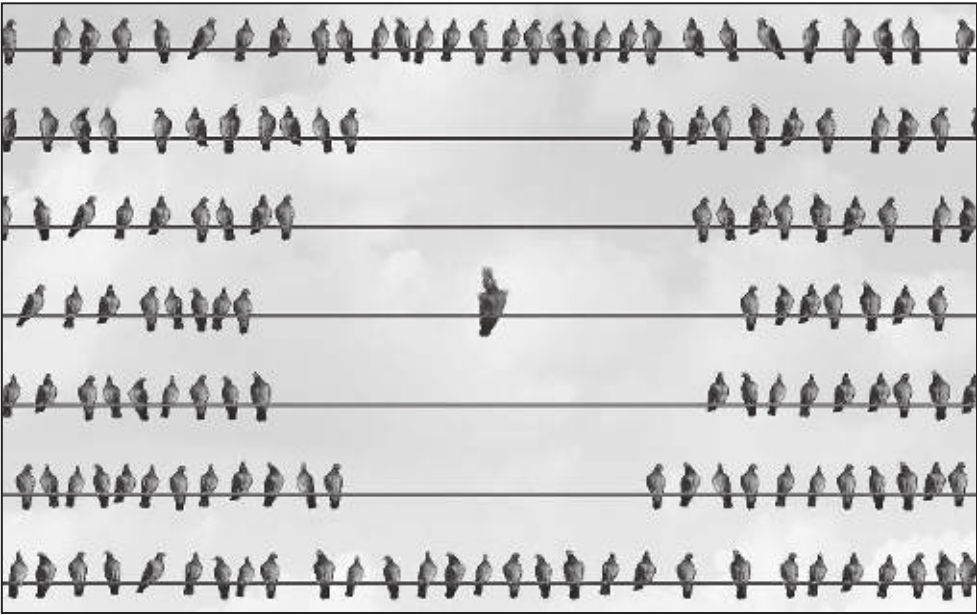
So how did we get to this point: where a singular narrative from the corporate news media is accepted as truth? Why were the voices of the protestors ignored? Why was censorship over independent news coverage so rampant? Why is collateral damage caused by the mandates rarely mentioned, let alone analyzed with any degree of accuracy?

This is likely the result of a hypnotic condition known as “mass formation psychosis,” a phrase that was brought to light last month by Dr. Robert Malone

Four elements are required to establish the mass formation: 1) Isolation and lack of social bonds 2) Loss of enjoyment, lack of meaning and purpose 3) Free floating anxiety 4) Frustration & aggression.

We can now see that the lockdowns created the perfect conditions for mass formation psychosis to take root. The victims of this conditioning are then finally offered a singular solution from an entity in authority, to relieve them of the constant anxiety (e.g. a vaccine.) As they embrace the solution, a new solidarity or social bond is created (e.g. “we are good people, unlike those bad people”), which gives them a sense of control in battling the object of the anxiety. They feel a sense of purpose, even a mental intoxication, as they follow the given narrative no matter how absurd it may be. The messaging tells them it's okay to project any remaining frustrations onto “the others.” They may even enthusiastically help enforce this growing marginalization.

We, the othered, have to continue to speak out against the segregation we are experiencing. Call it out at every opportunity. A two-tier society is not okay! A single conversation may not break a person free of the conditioning, but it could at least cause the person to consider their words and actions, and temper their intolerance and irrational views. Then maybe in time they will be able to break clear of the spell for good. Free thinking Canadians must remain bold enough to speak up when we encounter this mass formation psychosis, to continually challenge it, until there is no “other.”



during an interview on the Joe Rogan podcast. An example of mass formation psychosis is when a large part of a society blindly follows their leaders (like Trudeau, Dr. Fauci, or CBC) who narrow in on one issue (e.g. COVID). Followers can be hypnotized and be led to do anything (such as wear masks and social distance), regardless of any new information or data. Furthermore, anybody who questions the leader's narrative is attacked, “othered,” and disregarded. This is how the state is exercising such widespread control over the Canadian public.

## The Father of My Children Died

By Chantelle Watt

**D**ropped dead. In front of them. At 2 and 6 years old they lost their daddy. Traumatically. They will live almost their entire lives without one of two people who loved them most. Without one of two people every kid deserves to grow up with.

Brandon's death shook our community. Continues to shake it. It's about to rumble it more.

I have been very open about every aspect of it. From posting 12 hours after his death, to continuing to share our story, and all aspects of my journey through grief. You, the community, have encouraged everything about this. This will be the biggest thing I share. Listen closely.

Brandon died of Lymphohistiocitic myocarditis.

This was determined by the Ontario Coroner's Office at Kingston General Hospital. Because of the absolute shock of a healthy, active 34-year-old man dropping dead, his body was sent to Kingston for a full and extensive autopsy. The results can take several months, and I have just recently received the full report (which had to be formally requested).

When they eventually gave the cause of death, it shocked both the local coroner and our family doctor. It was assumed he died of a cardiomyopathy — a genetic condition that he would have been born with and gone undiagnosed. This was not the case.

Lymphohistiocitic myocarditis is caused by a virus. His heart was extensively damaged. There was so much scar tissue, that it literally couldn't pump another beat. I had no chance of reviving him. The official report states that his entire heart was damaged — not one ventricle or one area — top to bottom damaged. Fully attacked, for multiple months.

Brandon did not have covid. His work supplied rapid tests and we had done several throughout summer and fall. The virus that killed him was likely the mRNA vaccine.

Any medical professional I have spoken to and who has looked into this further has been quick to disregard the vaccine as the cause, as “the research” shows myocarditis cases only happening within two weeks of an administered dose. First off, what research? We ARE the fucking research. Secondly, this is only what they are allowing to be reported.

Until November 5, I was a sheep. I fully admit that. Brandon and I both believed strongly in the vaccine and would roll our eyes at protestors, conspiracy theorists and all the “anti-vax” posts on social media. November 5th onward, my eyes have been opened.

I owe this to Brandon. To share what I believe killed him. What did kill him? What left his daughters without their daddy. To open all of your eyes. To allow yourselves to see things from another perspective. To think thoroughly before deciding to vaccinate your children, or get yourself boosted. I cannot in good conscience allow schools to bring in vaccine clinics and stay silent.

I believe in science. I absolutely love and respect medicine. I will never, ever, vaccinate my children (or myself further) against Covid-19. We know nothing about the long term effects of this vaccine. Nothing. If you think you do, you don't.

Please respect my energy on this. I have turned comments off. I will not reply to direct messages. If you see me in person I am happy to chat about it. Internet wars will never be my thing. But I feel deeply about sharing this — this isn't something that should ever be kept quiet.

For all of you preaching to vaccinate children, please put yourselves in my shoes, and then kindly be sensitive about what you say.

Fight for your children and their rights. I'll be fighting for mine.

We never got a chance to fight for Brandon.



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# Government is a Gang

By Spencer Fernando

At one point, many Canadians may have seen the government as part of the fabric of the country. But now, people see how it's something separate and often hostile.

What if a gang took over Canada? What would that look like? What would be the result? Well, we've already seen it happen in some parts of the world.

Large swathes of Mexico are controlled by cartels, who control the provision of 'security' and even offer 'services' that are usually the domain of the government. Simply put, in sections of that country the cartels are more capable of asserting force and power, and thus they are in control and are the *de facto* government.

*Whether it is called a 'gang,' 'cartel,' or 'government' is in fact beside the point, particularly for those living there.*

The reality is that whatever we call it, every society has a group of people at the top who have the ability to impose force and power on everyone else. This is something that governments are loathe to admit, because it reveals that the true nature of government is force.

We are used to talking about 'public service' and often think that since we get to vote, the government works for us. Of course, that is how it's supposed to be.

But as we watch the Trudeau government impose the *Emergencies Act*, and as we watch Jagmeet Singh talk about how it should only be used against his ideological opponents and never on those he deems as 'acceptable' protesters and activists, the reality is that the Canadian government is a gang.

Think about it this way.

The government offers you 'protection,' but you're forced to pay 'protection money' (*taxes*). If you don't, you can get hauled off to jail. If you question the authority of the government gang, you can be jailed. If the government gang says you have to shut your business down, your business will be shut down, and if you resist, you can be jailed. If the government gang says your business has to open and provide a service (*like using the Emergencies Act to force tow-truck companies to operate in a specific location*), then you have to comply.

If the government gang says a border has to be shut down, that border will be shut down, and trying to open it will be a crime. If the government gang says a border has to be opened, that border will be opened, and trying to close it will be a crime. If the government gang says you must use a certain kind of money — *money that*

*they can create out of thin air* — then you have to use it, and if you try using an alternative you can be accused and charged with a crime.

If you violate private property and cause damage & violence during a protest the government gang agrees with, you can be let off the hook. If you have a protest that is absent of violence and property damage, you can be severely punished if the government gang disagrees



with your cause.

If you want to freely provide a service — *such as healthcare* — to another adult who is willing to pay for it, you can be accused and charged with violating the law. Meanwhile, the government gang can provide that service and force everyone to pay for it at a rate the government gang dictates through taxes.

If you are a law-abiding gun owner, but are part of a political constituency the government gang disapproves of, you can have your property taken away, while individuals the government gang approves of can commit crimes and cause actual violence while getting a slap on the wrist.

And if you are an unvaccinated trucker and the government gang needs you to keep working, you'll be dubbed a hero, but the moment they change their mind and try to destroy your livelihood, they'll demonize you in the most vicious and divisive terms.

### Government is raw power

All of the things above are merely a fraction of the instances in which the government operates purely

from the threat of punishment and force. Indeed, the fact that the government can send armed people into your home and take your money and your freedom is the foundation upon which all other aspects of government influence rest.

This has been true for a long time, but the use and abuse of the *Emergencies Act* by the Trudeau government has woken up many Canadians to the fact that government is nothing more than raw power. The government is a gang, the biggest gang in the country, the gang with the strongest ability to assert force and power upon everyone else.

Consider that during the last two years, government workers and politicians kept getting paid. Lockdowns and business closures and the devastating economic consequences didn't apply to those in government. The gang exempted themselves. In fact, politicians continued to get raises even as they imposed policies that had devastating economic consequences for millions of Canadians.

Government was always deemed 'essential,' while the politicians got to choose who among the private sector would be lucky enough to get that same designation. Rules for us, but not for them. So, what is the solution to all of this?

### Decentralized power

There is no getting around the fact that government is nothing but raw power. All we can do is seek to decentralize that power and limit it as much as possible. Lower taxes means less money under the control of government, which limits how much force and power they can apply.

Decentralizing power to more local jurisdictions also means that power is less concentrated, reducing the damage government can do. And, creating a strong societal desire for freedom and a 'leave me alone' attitude can lead to the election of those who are willing to decentralize government and reduce the power of the state.

Canada increasingly faces a binary political choice and future: *We will either recognize the danger of the government gang and push for limiting their power, or we will head down the path towards a tyrannical nation where freedom is nothing but a distant memory.*

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## An Open, and Sincere Thank You Letter To Justin Trudeau

By J. Beaudry

Thank you very much Justin Trudeau for all that you have accomplished in the last four weeks, which has come at great sacrifice to yourself and your loved ones. In such a small window, you have managed to provide us with such valuable teachings and outcomes;

Awakening millions of Canadians and reminding us who we are.

Inspiring intense feelings of freedom, love and unity among Canada and rest of the world.

Exposing the corruption and the failure of our many institutions; media, political leaders, health care, government, judicial system, education, police forces, financial and our democratic processes.

Demonstrating how frail our Canadian democracy actually is and how quickly it can be dissolved and reduced to authoritarianism.

Exposing external influences/agendas outside of Canada which are compromising our democracy and the rightful power of our people.

Proving that fear, stress, mandates, and misinformation can easily coerce people to the point of harming themselves physically, as well as morally/spiritually through self-compliance against their own personal freedoms, values, and sovereignty.

Exposing an elected government that is willing to take away it's citizens ability to provide for themselves and their families in a coordinated effort to coerce them into

compliance to unlawful and irrational mandates.

Revealing the highest hypocrisy, incompetence, and complicity of our government and leaders.

Reminding us, that people will still follow orders



that are unjust, unmoral, and violent against their own people, despite numerous historical references of such atrocities.

Exposing an elected government that can be divisive, vindictive, and violent, and that will openly/publicly persecute, censor, and demonize its own citizens.

You did this all willingly and at grave personal sacrifice, which is why we all owe you a sincere thank you. Here are some of the sacrifices you have made for us;

The agony of living with this legacy and all of its negative karmic consequences.

Irredeemable damage to your character/reputation domestically and internationally.

Damage to your family name, ancestors and all your loved ones.

Generational damage to the Liberal party, our democracy, and the credibility of our government and institutions.

You have done more for us in the last four weeks and at great personal expense. Thank you for your great sacrifice, we send love - The Canadian People

**PS.** If you want to help us further please consider calling an end to the pandemic, lifting all federal Covid mandates, revoking all emergency government powers, conducting a third party in-depth investigation/hearing of all government decisions/actions during the pandemic, reconcile all damages to Canadians caused by governments mandates, scraping the implementation of any globalist agendas, (Great Reset, Build Back Better, Social Credit System) and lastly, cut ties to all external influences on our democracy.

**PPS.** An even bigger thank you to all the peaceful Canadian protesters and supporters for their courage to stand-up throughout this very dark time in our young history.

# Pandemic Profits

## How Big Corp is Cashing in on Covid

By C. Morris

Shifting through the vast deluge of lies we’ve been force-fed over the past 18 months, it’s hard to pick a contender for the worst. *Two weeks to flatten the curve! Masks are 100% effective! Vaccines prevent transmission! We’re not going to mandate the jab!*

And they wonder why public trust is eroding. Spoiler — it’s not because we’re all mouth-breathing science-haters.

Among the most irritating has to be the ol’ favorite of the ruling classes. Say it with me, “*we’re all in this together*”. Sure. We’re all in this together while Trudeau *et al* swan off to the G7 summit or the green wet dream of COP26. We’re all in this together while Jason Kenney wines and dines, Ford has his kids over and our reconciliation-dodging PM goes cottaging.

You’re masking up just to walk to the washroom in your local Tims and they’re taking the red-eye to St. Barts. But guys, it’s cool. We’re all in this together.

We’re clearly *not* all in this together. Those of us unfortunate enough not to have public office or the ear of government are in crisis. We lost our jobs, our businesses, our mental well being, our security, our autonomy, our rights, our hope, our future.

On the other side of that apocalyptic coin, those at the top were all about the gains.

Since life as we know it ended in March 2020, corporate interests have been gleefully rubbing their sanitized hands over an ever-growing pile of money. From Amazon to Pfizer, there’s a very large contingent of powerful players who are banking on an endless pandemic and making a tidy profit from fear.

### Team Big

Let’s start with the worst offenders, the Big Pharma Boys.

If Satan had a drug dealer, it would be Pfizer. When Covid reared its ugly bat head, our government entrusted our health and well being to a company with a less than stellar track record. From killing kids in Nigeria (see Trovan and ceftriaxone controversy) to pushing unsafe and off-label drugs, there’s so much blood on Pfizer’s hands, their board meetings must be chaired by Lady Macbeth.

Never mind. The bad guys get their just rewards, right? If by ‘just rewards’ you mean ‘US\$33.5 billion in vaccine revenue’ then yeah, I guess so.

And just in case you thought a class action lawsuit from the vaccine-damaged might make a dent on those profits, think again. Pfizer and their cohorts are protected from liability this time around so while you’re triple mortgaging your house to pay for post-embolism after-care they don’t have to chip in a dime.

They’ve thought of all the angles too — one of the pesky (but rare! So very rare!) side effects from the jabs is cardiomyopathy. But you can always rely on the Pfizer team to turn a negative into a positive ...on the balance sheet at least. Sales of their cardiomyopathy meds, Vyndaqel and Vyndamax, are up a whopping 77%. But I’m sure that’s just a coincidence (there’s a lot of them around).

There’s good news for Moderna fans too. Their stock has risen by more than 700% since February 2020, helping to push CEO Stéphane Bancel’s net worth to around \$4 billion.

Add in the head honchos of companies like BioNTech and CanSino Biologics, and there are now 9 new pharma billionaires — a fact CNN reports with great glee. And so they should, considering that big pharma props up mainstream media’s ad revenue year after year.

### Billionaires build back better

But, of course, it’s not just pharma that’s going big. The pandemic sprinkled its magical money dust over a range of industries. Big Retail did pretty well too, as did Big Tech and Big Grocery.

Amazon and Walmart led the charge, picking up an extra US\$10.7 billion between them in 2020 alone. Amazon founder Jeff Bezos, already the world’s richest man, shored up his title by adding over \$75 million to his fortune last year.

Speaking of rich dudes, US billionaires increased their total net worth by over \$600 billion last year. This uber-exclusive Covid club includes former Microsoft

CEO Steve Ballmer and Tesla magnate Elon Musk.

North of the border, it was the same story. Canadian billionaires — including Shopify CEO Tobi Lutke and Loblaw’s owner Galen Weston — didn’t miss out, netting



over \$37 billion in 2020.

To put that in context, Canadian small businesses are now in debt to the tune of \$135 billion and, almost 2 years into the pandemic, less than half are seeing normal sales volumes.

### Eat the rich

Does the above necessarily mean the vaccines and associated pandemic measures are a societal evil? Of course not. It’d be falling headfirst into a logical fallacy

to claim otherwise and there’s plenty of solid reporting already done on that particular ground.

But it’s not foolish to question government policy based on the fact that it is moving vast amounts of public

money into the very suspect coffers of the vaccine makers. It’s not foolish to ask why Walmart and Costco stayed open throughout repeated lockdowns, welcoming hundreds of consumers, while the mom n’ pop shop in my local town that sees about 10 customers on a good day was forced to close. It’s not foolish to ask why the accelerated earnings enjoyed by billionaires failed to trickle down to the workers in the warehouses.

It’s also dishonest to pretend that those at the top aren’t motivated by their bank balance and that they aren’t willing to embrace some very dark philosophies to keep those profits coming.

We have a right to ask questions. We have a right to voice our concerns. We have a right to protest. That money was earned off our work, entrusted to our children, and meant to build a better society for future generations.

Instead we’re living through the biggest wealth transfer in our lifetime and where are those ardent socialists banging the drum about equality? They’re wearing ‘*Tax the Rich*’ dresses to the Met Gala, flocked by a dozen masked assistants.

So brace yourselves — it’s surely only a matter of time before Trudeau turns up to his next press conference, flocked by non-masked billionaires, and wearing a glittery jumpsuit emblazoned with the words ‘*we’re all in this together*’.

## What is Freedom?

By Allison Azulay

It is surprising how few people can answer that question.

Put it this way: If you protest against restrictions or petition the government for freedom, you do not know what freedom is. Freedom is never given, it is taken. Anyone who “grants” freedom is claiming the right to take it away on a whim.

So again, what is freedom? Freedom is knowing and exercising your natural and unalienable (not inalienable) right to free will and informed — not tricked or coerced or presumed — consent, and your natural and unalienable right to deny consent in all matters. In short, it is the right to make choices.

Freedom means rights, whether they are written in law or not. But it also means responsibilities, and included among those is (a) accepting the consequences of poor choices and (b) acknowledging the rights of others to free will and freedom of choice. No legislation, including so-called “emergency” legislation, gives anyone the right to take away others’ free will and freedom of choice. Period.

To be clear, we all have the right to make our own choices within Natural or Universal law. And the true law is simple: Do no evil, speak no evil, and accept no evil. Further, all are equal before the law, without exception.

True law does not prevent us from protecting ourselves from actual threats. But an invisible enemy that cannot be proved to exist (insert virus, unknown terrorist, climate change alleged by actresses and bought science, undisclosed military manoeuvres, yada yada...) is not an actual threat; it is a fear-promotion campaign designed to con us into giving up our rights and freedoms.

Nor does true law prevent us from taking back our freedom. What does taking it back mean?

To be truly free, we have to be willing to give up anything and anyone that prevents our freedom. Given our long history of totalitarian creep, which is inev-

itable with any form of top-down and effectively unaccountable government, taking back our freedom means starting over and doing something completely different from what we’re used to.

Only when we create an independent society does independent life begin.

Right now, we are going through life, social, economic, political, and psychological changes more profound than anything experienced in a very long time. But our salvation, our power, lies in the human heart, the power to reflect, accepting responsibility, and a sense of humour and ability to recognize absurdity and to laugh at ourselves as well as at the absurdity around us.

We need to remember all that has been systematically driven out of us: the knowledge that respecting the basic rules of coexistence is required to survive and to thrive. That means taking pride in doing our work well, behaving decently toward others, helping others, and putting common interests above our own (as opposed to acting for the “greater good,” which is word deception that really means acting to benefit those who consider themselves greater than the rest of us — all of those wannabe-greats being obscenely rich control freaks and eugenicists pushing false narratives to con us into global government *by and for them*).

In order to change the world in which we live, we must change human consciousness — how we think. That includes setting our egos and all we think we know aside; learning the truths, including real history, that are being suppressed by the elites; examining their propaganda and recognizing the lies; being willing to abandon all we have known to start fresh and create a

See, ‘*Liberty*’ p.6



# The Call of the Hero

By Michael Ferrel

I am impressed and inspired by the trucker’s convoy because they seem to embody the hero’s calling. They as individuals have answered a call out of their own conscience. They are venturing into an unknown and challenging situation, not knowing if they will succeed. Yet they know that they will be challenged and shamed for going against the will of the majority. They seem to trust in the process, even though they may be ruined by it. There is a possibility that they will eventually transform the society that they have opposed and inspire others, yet they may lose everything in the process. As a movement they hope, through their self-sacrifice, to bring about a less authoritarian society. This is the hero’s journey. I have spoken with some people who have been to Ottawa to support the truckers. They speak of a profound feeling of love and unity — in a humble way.

According to the media, “The government must act! The truckers’ convoy is a cover for extremists!” Yet they are not a blind mob, or people lacking sense and discrimination. Each person that is drawn to the protests is an individual. Each has their own reasons — what they are for, and what they are against. Many are in pain and feel the need to be heard. Some are simply there to bear witness to someone else’s suffering or loss.

About a year ago there was a Facebook group where people posted serious adverse reactions to the vaccine. It did not appear to be a “protest” group, but more like a grief support group. People posted about how a family member or a close friend died, or had become severely disabled shortly after receiving their Covid-19 vaccine. Sometimes comments were in the hundreds, often with very similar stories. Their grief was generally raw and undirected. They wanted to be heard, for their pain to be acknowledged. They were not organized. There was no “movement”. They were in shock. And I was shocked when Facebook shut down the group a couple months into world-wide vaccination.

Like the guideline, “follow the money,” you can also “follow the narrative.” Who is allowed to speak out? Who is the oracle of certainty? Whose voice is given authority? Who is being silenced or shamed? It takes courage to speak out and be vulnerable when others disagree and criticize. There is a diversity of reasons people have given in support of the truckers’ protests. Each person has their own reasons and goals and their own experience of oppression, coercion, loss, wrong, and fears about the future.

Canadians, as a rule, hate confrontation. They queue in line and tend to be patient and trusting. We generally respect authority and like to consider ourselves rational and well-educated. Unlike our southern neighbours, we did not rebel against the crown. We tend to downplay our patriotism. That may be in part because most Canadians originally came from somewhere else. As a country we have a small population and intimidate no one. We want everyone to “get along.”

At this moment, (mid-February 2022) the Ottawa trucker’s convoy is inspiring protests, not only around the country, but around the world. Total shocker! Who knew that our generally passive population would rally and raise our flag! It is not surprising that many here view this uprising with alarm. I imagine them saying: “It’s so American of them! Look how divided the USA has become. We can’t allow that to happen here! We want everyone to ‘get along,’ even if we must force them to.”

Canada is not really known for their non-conformists. There are a few remarkable heroes and heroines who stand out, who followed their own path. In the art world: Emily Carr; William Kurelek; the

Group of Seven; and many others, less well-known. In sports: Wayne Gretzky; Elvis Stojko; Nancy Green; many queens and kings of the ice and snow. In politics — well I won’t go there. In medicine and science: Dr. Frederick Banting who discovered insulin; Dr. Frances Oldham Kelsey, who raised the alarm about thalidomide; Dr. Norman Bethune who worked alone in rural China. A wide assortment of Canadians broke the



mold they were supposed to accept. In diversity, there truly is strength!

In Canada, we have tended to take our freedom for granted. We didn’t fight for it. Our identity is still in development, slowly being defined. Presently Canadians are grieving the history of residential schools for native children, and related crimes against humanity that were allowed and condoned. The government believed that it had the right — even an obligation, to take freedoms away from children, families, and an entire people. Only now do we have a historical and moral perspective, which was missing before.

Freedom is a messy business. It generally means letting people follow their own interests. There may be conflict. We can ask the police or government to inter-

vene. We can also have the courage to allow others, who mean no harm, to go about their daily life. The truckers and protesters are ordinary people, our neighbours. They have become heroes, in part, because they comprehend what is lost when someone’s freedoms are arbitrarily taken away. It is something very serious to consider. They have chosen this battle. Greatness has been put upon them, not because they are special, but because they must represent the many who are still afraid or unable to act or to speak. History will recognize them as representative of Canadians. They are braving the elements; a frosty winter in Ottawa and the cold shoulder of the federal and provincial governments. They are the ones who say, “enough, no more!” Unfortunately, the “peace, order, and good government” mandated by the constitution will likely mean that the government will move to end the stand-off.

Some accuse those who refuse the vaccine of acting privileged, as if deserving of “special” treatment: “Why don’t they just take the vaccine! They must think themselves special!” The protesters dare to question the vaccine and all the forces behind it. They point out that many have been abused and stricken by the vaccinations, mandates, and lockdowns. This is the opposite of privilege; to have rights taken away, and then also be shamed for objecting.

We still have free speech in Canada. What we lack is a real dialogue about the risk and harms of the vaccinations. There has been limited organized resistance up to now, but the truckers have become a rallying point. A rally, not of experts, scientists, or politicians, but of ordinary people — all who have been pressured to receive the vaccine. It takes courage to ask why — to question and demand a fair hearing, and not go down quietly.

## Convoy reaction showed Trudeau's true colours

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generalizations of the protestors have only served to “wedge divide and stigmatize” Canadians making the point that he has only seen a wide diversity of races attend the freedom convoy in Ottawa and across the provinces. One day later, a second Liberal MP Yves Robillard broke party ranks re-emphasizing his support for Lightbound’s statements and warned that many others within the party share these dissenting views and will soon speak out if changes are not affected soon.

In the Conservative Party, a coup of sorts took place on February 3 when opposition leader Erin O’Toole was ousted by his own caucus for sounding too much like a World Economic Forum ghoul and for the first time in over two years, an actual counter voice of opposition can be heard in the halls of parliament with demands by every single Conservative member of parliament to end the lockdown mandates and support the nation-wide protest movement.

On provincial levels, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Quebec and PEI have announced a repeal of their covid mandates including vaccination passports, while Quebec has stepped back from the anti-vaccination tax which was threatened by Premier Legault until only a week ago.

Even NDP head Jagmeet Singh who had labelled all protestors white supremacists just a few days ago reversed his tune — perhaps due to the overwhelming presence of Sikhs in the federal and provincial convoys.

### Freedom Convoy Nightmares for Technocrats in USA and Europe

Meanwhile the Biden Administration has given its full support to Justin Trudeau to use the full force of federal power to shut down the protests (conflating the

blockade of US-Canada trade in Windsor and Manitoba as being tied directly to the Ottawa protests... which it isn’t).

Perhaps Biden is concerned that the example of the convoy has spread not only across nations of the Trans Atlantic Community and Five Eyes cage, but also to the USA itself where a parallel American freedom convoy will leave Southern California for Washington D.C. on March 5 involving tens of thousands of American truckers.

Former Obama Asst. Sec. of Homeland Security and frequent CNN commentator Juliette Kayyem delivered her disturbing comments to this festering problem which must be stopped at all costs saying: “Trust me, I will not run out of ways to make this hurt: cancel their insurance; suspend their drivers licenses’ prohibit any future regulatory certification for truckers etc. Have we learned nothing? These things faster when there are no consequences”

How this process will unfold in the coming days and weeks is impossible to determine. The illusion of liberal democracy which fueled self-aggrandizing virtue signaling technocrats lecturing “bad” authoritarian states of Eurasia how freedom should work has collapsed.

One thing is certain. Those tyrants living in their ivory tower echo chambers demanding the world to conform to their ideal post-nation state utopias are panicking as they have no idea how to interact with actual human beings organizing themselves around such non-mathematical principles as “freedom”, “justice” and “rights” which are inalienable to all citizens- even if they live under a monarchy.

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# 5 Ways the Establishment Tried to Rewrite the History of Freedom Convoy 2022

By Tea Lynn

Thank you to the Canadian people. Thank you to the Canadian truckers. After witnessing one of the most beautiful displays of truth, love, and freedom in the days following the 70-kilometer-long convoy arriving in Ottawa (the biggest truck convoy the world had ever seen), January 29 may forever be marked in the unofficial history-books-of-the-people as **“Freedom Day.”**

This all started after some truckers got together (with the help of a group called *Canada Unity*) and decided that they wanted to fight for freedom after the Trudeau government mandated truckers crossing the border to be vaccinated. They were tired of the mandates, they were tired of the lockdowns, and they were tired of all of the increasing totalitarian controls in Canada.

After 2 years of living under an authoritarian government, truth and freedom were starting to seem like a lost cause. Then suddenly, Canada became the flash point for turning world opinion. This was achieved by showing the world that working class people can stand up to the powers that ought-not-to-be.

While those involved were well aware of what was happening on the ground, the mainstream narrative tried to spin a very different tale. The following is a list of five ways the powers that ought-not-no-be tried to rewrite the history of the freedom convoy.

**1) They painted the convoy as small when it was in fact world record breaking massive**

Early on, before their arrival in Ottawa, it was reported that the OPP stated they witnessed only 113 trucks passing through Thunder Bay. This number was parroted on just about every mainstream news station. The reality is this was the biggest truck convoy the world had ever seen. According to Guinness World Records the previous world record for the longest truck convoy was in Egypt in 2020. The convoy had 480 trucks and was 7.5 km long. The Western wing of the Canadian convoy, on the other hand, was over 70 km long — if the same math were to be applied, this would be approximately 4,480 trucks coming from the west alone — although likely many more since the majority of the Canadian convoy trucks were not hauling a trailer, and many more trucks also joined in from the East and the US.

Despite our prime misinformationister Justin Trudeau calling the convoy a “small fringe minority,” the protest itself was also huge. Many tens of thousands or even hundreds of thousands of people showed up in Ottawa. The protest also persevered: 2.5 weeks after the truckers arrival, Ottawa police announced there were still 418 trucks just in the downtown core alone (and hundreds to thousands more in fields in the surrounding area). Thousands of protesters remained until the 3-week mark.

While the convoy officially started in BC, truckers came from far and wide. The Alberta-US border crossing, for instance, was gridlocked with an absolutely amazing horizon of trucks everywhere, proudly flying their Canadian flags. The whole border crossing at one point completely shut down, reminding us that we all depend on truckers more than we know on a daily basis. They bring everything to us.

The whole convoy was really an astonishing site to see across Canada. It even inspired other truck convoys in 34 other countries including Italy, Israel, Australia, Argentina, Austria, Cyprus, New Zealand, and the United States.

**2) They painted the protesters as “racist,” “violent,” and “hateful” when in reality this was one of the most loving, accepting, and peaceful protests in recent history.**

Immediately after finding out the truckers were on their way to Ottawa, Justin Trudeau disappeared to “self-isolate” after being diagnosed with COVID (despite being triple jabbed, supposedly). Before the protesters even arrived in Ottawa, Trudeau announced that the protesters had “unacceptable views.” Three days after their arrival, while still in hiding, Trudeau made the following brief statement about the protest:

*“I have attended protests and rallies in the past when I agreed with the goal, when I supported the people expressing the concerns and issues; Black Lives Matter is an excellent example of that,”* he said. *“But I have also chosen to not go anywhere near protests that have expressed hateful rhetoric, violence towards fellow citizens, and a disrespect, not just of science but of the frontline health workers.”*

*Firstly, he just said he supports protests when he agrees with what they’re protesting about and the methods by which they protest, like Black Lives Matter. Let’s*



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just remind ourselves what Black Lives Matter protests really look like: lots of businesses were burned down, store front windows were smashed in, cars were ruined, statues got toppled, there was a lot of property damage. There was looting, riots, and, in the US, multiple people were shot, some died. Trudeau’s childhood home, Montreal, was particularly hit hard by the property damage and looting. Meanwhile, before being forced to resign, Ottawa Police Chief Peter Sloly announced the freedom convoy saw no injuries, no deaths or riots, despite tens of thousands of people demonstrating 24 hours day for weeks.

The Black Lives Matter protests were in no way more peaceful or less violent or hateful than the Trucker protest, yet here you have Justin Trudeau saying BLM was peaceful, but the truckers’ protesters are not. Why the double standard? If he can separate the rioters from the BLM protesters, then he should be smart enough to separate the 2 men who briefly showed up with pro-authoritarian flags of hate from the anti-authoritarian/pro-freedom protesters.

That’s right, the only evidence Trudeau was able to cite to prove the protesters were “hateful” and “violent” were two men (one with his eyes covered, the other in a full ski mask) who very briefly arrived with a swastika and a confederate flag, among tens or hundreds of thousands of protesters.

What Trudeau did was a grotesque attempt to try to rewrite what was probably the largest and most peaceful and well-organized protest in all of Canadian history. It’s comical how the government and the mainstream press demonized the entire movement based on these 2 bad actors, while ignoring all the love and hope on the other side of this. We’re all smart enough to know that if you are one of these government/corporate owned media companies that really wants to spin a tail, you just give 50 bucks to a homeless guy to carry a hate flag through a crowd, you film it real quick, and then you scurry off.

Here is what the protest really looked like: smiles, singing, dancing, drumming, children jumping in bouncy castles, tents of food to feed the truckers and the homeless, and lots and lots of hugs. The only violence in Ottawa was what was done *to* the protesters, *not by* the protesters. The protesters themselves were all about peace, love, and unity. That was the whole point. To end segregation and show the world what humanity looks like.

## Liberty is essential

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society dedicated to life instead of war, theft, slavery, and death.

It will not be easy to start, but the path to freedom gets easier while the seduction of the apparently easy road leads to a nowhere that is truly hell on earth.

Make no mistake: The old “normal” is exactly what led to where we are now, in an enslaved “new normal” we are being told to accept for the good of those who consider themselves greater. The shortages we are experiencing are not caused by “dissidents” (meaning all who think for themselves, see through the con, and refuse to knuckle under). We were told many months

**3) Social Media sites shadow-banned and downplayed the popularity of the convoy even though it was going viral**

The government and legacy media were not the only ones trying to rewrite history — even Twitter tried to bend the truth. #6 trending on Twitter the first week of the protest was #IStandWithTrudeau with 4,780 tweets, and coming in just under that at #7 was #TruckersForFreedom2022 with 158,000 tweets. Of course, they wrote that as 158K to fool some people. This is a prime example of Twitter playing around with the algorithms to bury stuff their pockets don’t agree with. It’s times like this that we realize what we are up against: a systemic big media, big government, big narrative approach that has a point of view, and that point of view doesn’t include the working-class people.

**4) CBC suggested that Russia was behind the whole convoy despite there being no evidence**

CBC even went so far as to suggest that Russia was behind fuelling the entire convoy. CBC host Nil Koksai made this allegation on January 28<sup>th</sup> when speaking with the Minister of Public Safety Marco Mendicino. Of course, there was absolutely

no evidence for this.

**5) They claimed the protesters displayed violence towards the police when it was the other way around**

There was a lot of violence during the biggest police operation the country had ever seen, but the violence did not come from the protesters, it came from the police. While the Ottawa police’s statements and social media feeds told one story, boots on the ground feeds, such as Druthers’ Facebook livestreams, showed protesters were beaten with batons, sprayed with pepper spray, and shot at with tear gas canisters, all while snipers and other police guns were pointed at them.

In one particularly disturbing scene captured during a Druthers livestream, a Mohawk woman who used a walker was trampled by police horses, breaking her clavicle and bruising her ribs, hip, and back. When the Ottawa police responded to the concerned public about the incident on Twitter, they claimed *“Anyone who fell got up and walked away. We’re unaware of any injuries. A bicycle was thrown at the horse further down the line and caused the horse to trip. The horse was uninjured.”*

After examining footage from different angles and hearing from witnesses, it appears the “bicycle” the tweet was referring to was actually the woman’s walker. And when they say “anyone who fell got up and walked away,” what they meant was: “someone who fell went to the hospital.”

**Conclusion**

If the past year has confirmed anything, it is that the mainstream media and our own government are thoroughly dishonest. Yes, most people already suspected this, but the last 12 months have provided more confirmation than the past several years combined. 2022 has made it abundantly clear that it’s really the political and corporate elitists, from big government to big pharma, who are in charge of crafting the narrative. They are the ones who have the financial means to rewrite history to make them look like “the good guys” and the people they are crushing looking like “the bad guys.” This is why independent media, like Druthers, is so important. It’s when we look at the boots on the ground and hear the voices of people who were actually there, can the real story be told and shared with the world.

ago to expect shortages, and who does not remember that governments ordered the destruction of food “in case it might be contaminated.”

This is a wake-up call and an opportunity to recognize that being locally self-sufficient is security (which is why it has been discouraged in order to make us dependent on global corporations). And bottom-up government by all members of the community (instead of a few narcissists) and for the benefit of all the members of the community is how we organize ourselves and our resources to achieve security and freedom.

The question is: Do Canadians have the sense and the gumption to create a REAL normal that actually benefits us all instead of only the few?

# DRUTHERS RELOADED

By Shawn Jason

Since *Druthers* began printing papers 16 months ago in December 2020, a whole lot has changed. *Druthers* was born as a protest action in an effort to share the voices and stories of people and information that mainstream media was hiding, misleading or outright lying about. Most *Druthers* articles thus far have been focused on the so called ‘pandemic’ and the high levels of manipulation behind it.

In the first 15 months we printed 3.8 million copies of *Druthers* which were freely distributed in cities all across Canada by thousands of volunteers. *Druthers* volunteers are highly passionate about sharing important news, info and perspectives that prove these last 2 years have been entirely about greed, power & control... not about a health crisis.

Since the truckers protest in Ottawa over the last month, the landscape in Canada has drastically changed. Most Canadians now understand the government is working against us, the mainstream media (who is bought and paid for by our corrupt government) is nothing more than a propaganda machine for the establishment, including big pharma, and it is terribly misleading the public. Canadians en masse are turning off their televisions knowing that the things they tell us are outright lies... knowing it is psychological warfare on the people.

Many Canadians now know that Klaus Schwab of the World Economic Forum has admittedly hijacked many key government positions and is now essentially dismantling our country while ripping away our rights and freedoms in an effort to install a high tech digital id tracking system on everyone and everything. Klaus and his ‘friends’ have an insatiable hunger for power/control and we the people are finally seeing this, acknowledging it and saying NO to these authoritarian agendas.

Enough Canadians are now aware that Justin Trudeau is one of the ‘Young Leaders’ of the World Economic Forum (search it if you don’t already know) and that he does not have the best interest of Canadians in mind. His allegiance is to the WEF and its agenda. He is nothing more than a puppet for the ‘ruling class’ and is not the one actually calling the shots. Our government has been deeply compromised & corrupted and we MUST take back control now, before it is too late.

With this new awareness sweeping across Canada, I cannot help but feel that *Druthers* and its thousands of volunteers have played an integral role in that happening. 3.8 million newspapers in 15 months surely has had a substantial impact on the collective awareness of Canadians. We have helped a lot of people see the bigger picture and inspired them to stand up and speak out. We even heard numerous truckers in Ottawa tell us that *Druthers* helped them see bigger and make the decision to take a stand. (You can find many hours of our live coverage from the Ottawa protest at [www.facebook.com/druthers.net](http://www.facebook.com/druthers.net))

Moving forward, *Druthers* will begin bringing attention to more than just the plandemic. Now that so many Canadians recognize we are being horribly misled, it is time to start exploring beyond the ‘health crisis’ and find out why this is all happening and who is behind this attempted global takeover. It is time we collectively find ways to stop this from continuing and to set forth in creating our own new world... a world without the influence by the few at the ‘top’ who think they own us and want full control over us. It is time to reclaim our power, step into it and really start working it. We the people are so much more powerful, creative and capable than most of us realize and it’s time we own it! That is what I see happening more and more and it excites me greatly to witness this and be a part of it.

If you appreciate *Druthers* and all it has done for Canadians, please continue to support it in the form of donations (to print more papers), purchases (to help

cover our expenses) & volunteering (to help *Druthers* become Canada’s most reliable and honest source for news and information.) We would not be growing as we are without all the love, energy & support so many of you have given to this project.

ment from growing and further exposing their lies and agenda. Unfortunately, the government / media won that battle and that particular protest is over, but in doing so they exposed themselves as completely untrustworthy and the people are fed up with it. We no longer trust what the media, government & big pharma are telling us. THAT is a BIG WIN all on its own. Now, there are so many people all across the country connecting, planning & organizing ways to course correct from this path we are being led down.

We the people WILL prevail! Keep going my friends. I love you all, so much, and I look forward to seeing what the new world we create looks like when it is based on love, kindness & compassion for all.

Shawn Jason (creator of *Druthers*)  
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P.S. At the time of this writing (Friday February 25, 2022) our bank account is still frozen since we were raising money to help the truckers. I still don’t know how we are going to pay for this March issue of *Druthers* but I trust it will come to be somehow. The government announced a few

days ago that it will release frozen bank accounts but that has not yet happened for us. We have since redirected the flow of funds to a new bank and with the emergency act now revoked, funds from donations should arrive with no problems.

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As the founder of this newspaper I would like to add, we the people are WINNING this war. Love, peace & compassion are the way to ending this attempted takeover and for creating the kind of new world that is truly good for everyone. During the eleven days I spent in Ottawa recently... I observed a whole lot of that. The people are uniting and we are doing so with so much love & kindness for all. It was an immensely beautiful experience and a small taste of what life can be like when we stop listening to the people in ‘power’ who are doing what is best for themselves rather than for humanity. When enough of us stop buying into their fear mongering tactics and begin truly connecting with each other, we will have won, and what a beautiful world we will create together.

Mainstream tried painting the protest as being angry, racist, violent & dangerous, and sure some people believe that, but anyone who attended or anyone who tuned in to our live streams on facebook knows... that was all a big lie in an effort to stop a powerful move-

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# The Never-Ending Lies

By Alan Aubut

Ever since SARS-CoV2 and its related disease, Covid-19, hit the news, I have been surprised by the reaction every time a lie has been exposed; the proponents of the lie double down and make a bigger lie. I guess they are putting into play the phrase “either go big or go home.” Really, they are confessing to their sins by projecting their faults onto whoever they hate, and there is a lot of hate being spouted!

Anyone who did independent research found that the virus was not that contagious and, to most people outside of the elderly cohort with multiple “comorbidities,” it is not that deadly, or at least in the same order of magnitude as the common flu. Yet, when “flatten the curve” lockdowns were mandated, first of two weeks duration, and then found to have no effect, what was done? The lockdowns were extended. When it became obvious that a healthy immune system was effective, what was recommended? Anything that would suppress that immune system, like promoting little, if any, exercise as just one example.

It should have been obvious that masks were incapable of stopping a virus, as years of seasonal flu and colds have proven, yet that requirement was imposed. With no end in sight.

A US President got caught up in the rhetoric and strongly encouraged the rapid development of new vaccines, even though no reliable vaccine had ever been found for common viruses, such as those that result in colds and influenza. It is especially ironic that colds are generated by a variety of viruses including corona viruses. And now we had a new corona variety, and we expected an effective vaccine to be found? And within a timeframe that would prevent proper safety and efficacy studies? His opponents vowed to never be injected with any drugs that the program produced. Yet when they were able to take control of the White House they flip flopped and, in fact, went from encouraging the use of these untested experimental drugs to forcing people to be injected with them at the threat of losing their jobs. That is not the definition of “informed consent,” a cornerstone of medical ethics.

Another set of related lies were the use of two drugs: Hydroxychloroquine and Ivermectin. Doctors in the field experimented with these treatments based on their reliability in past similar circumstances. Both were found to be effective. Both are inexpensive and have been approved for other medical use around the world. But a President that many in the media hated to the point of condoning and promoting open insurrection at every opportunity, promoted their use. Hate has no bounds when it comes to lying for an ulterior purpose. Both drugs were vilified. Commonly, with the use of



fraudulent “clinical tests” where abnormally high doses were used resulting in negative results. When this was exposed, what happened? They doubled down on the lies by enacting unreasonable prohibitions that have resulted in deaths that would have been prevented if these drugs had been used. Those doctors who promot-

North of the border the same can be said of the CBC, the once mighty and well-respected national broadcaster. As reported by the *Toronto Sun* in August of 2021, “*However, now with cable and satellite and streaming services, Canadians are no longer compelled to watch CBC’s one-sided, “progressive” propaganda and rehashes of middling American hits like Family Feud.*” Its flagship news program, *The National*, at that time was drawing a mere 0.5 million viewers, from across Canada — not just their home city of Toronto. Why? The same reason applies to the CBC as to CNN; they have lost their audience because only the most blind continue to take in the lies and deceit.

And, of course, we see this in the political arena as well. Quebec continues to lead the way in promoting criminal activity, using extortion, and using police, not to uphold laws but to enforce illegal mandates. Twelve years ago, *MacLeans* magazine labelled Quebec “the most corrupt province” in the country. As we have seen in recent years with the SNC Lavalin affair and Bombardier, as just two examples. If anything, this corruption is getting worse.

On the national front we have a prime minister who is the epitome of a hate monger with his most recent invective: “*They don’t believe in science/progress and are very often misogynistic and racist. It’s a very small group of people, but that doesn’t shy away from the fact that they take up some space. This leads us, as a leader and as a country, to make a choice: Do we tolerate these people?*” Here the affirmed misogynist confesses his guilt by projecting his faults onto others and, in doing so, trying to foment hate for “these people,” in full contravention of the *Criminal Code* and specifically sections 319(1) and 319(2). It was bad enough that he has tried to curtail freedom of speech as he also hates being criticized for his innumerable lies.

The lies and deceit have now taken over much of social media as well with Facebook in particular “fact checking” any commentary anyone wishes to share. Recently, during a court case where John Stossel, a well-known consumer journalist in the US, is suing them for libel, in open court they have admitted that the third party “fact checkers” they hire are actually “opinion.” Google, Twitter, and YouTube (owned by Google) actively censor, “fact check,” or de-platform any dissenting view, while at the same time calling these sources “misinformation.” True confession by projection!

What do we do about this? We show the world the naked truth. Point out the confessions through projection. Speak up and hold these people accountable. In other words, do what the media used to do. Be the conscience for today’s society and lead public opinion to the point that sooner, and not later, using the ballot box, we throw out the political bums and then begin the task of cleaning up the mess we have allowed to take control of our lives.

## Breakfast and a Fact Check

By C. Stuart

Who would have thought that my morning cup of Joe would put me face to face with a stunning example of false fact-checking — from a respected Canadian conservative news source no less?! I was perturbed, annoyed even. But with that early morning frustration came an unexpected opportunity to follow up on a previous *Druthers* article.

On January 31, the *National Post* published a story about the trucker protest in Ottawa. The article was at its root a defense of the trucker’s right to protest in the capital. That was refreshing and encouraging to read in a national newspaper. However, as often happens these days with people who support those defending their fundamental rights, the author of the article took a few shots at the supposed conspiracy mindset of those protesting in Ottawa. It almost felt like the author believed that if he/she were going to defend the lawful and peaceful protest by these everyday Canadians, they should also undercut some of them for their “wrong thinking,” in order to maintain credibility in legacy news circles. The article’s author highlighted the supposed wrong thinking of some in the trucker crowd by referring to a sign allegedly carried by one protester. That protest sign read, “Unvaxxed sperm is the next Bitcoin.” In the

author’s opinion the sign was a reference to a “discredited” theory that Covid vaccines negatively impact male fertility. It was here that a fact-checking opportunity presented itself. The author included a link to support the



fact that the infertility theory has been debunked.

So, I clicked the link.

What I found did not surprise me. It told me loud and clear that it is not just at Yahoo! News and Politifact where authors and fact-checkers need to level up professional diligence.

The actual quote from the *Post* article was “One protest sign read: “Unvaxxed sperm is the next Bitcoin,” apparently referring to the discredited claim that vaccines cause sterilization. The link takes you to — wait for it — a *National Post* article from January 21, 2022! That article is (somewhat patronizingly) entitled “No, COVID vaccines won’t make you infertile: study.”

A read-through of that second *NP* article revealed interesting context. The article ended by summarizing the conclusions of the Boston University researchers who conducted the study. “The authors said that while they can’t draw conclusions about long-term effects of vaccination on fertility, the risk of severe vaccination-related complications drops dramatically after several weeks, and that ‘it is unlikely that adverse effects on fertility could arise many months after vaccination.’ “Wait a second,” I thought, “is that really the same as saying the claim about infertility is discredited by the study? Is that a fair synopsis of the researcher’s stated conclusion?” You decide.

Intrigued by what I view as a clear discrepancy, I decided to dig deeper into the research conducted by Boston University itself. The first thing I noted was that the study, while conducted by BU researchers, was funded by the U.S. National Institute of Child Health and

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# Joe Rogan Shows Us The Real Purpose Of Cancel Culture

By Kit Knightly

Joe Rogan has just been cancelled. Again. It’s not about covid “misinformation” this time. No, now he’s a racist.

Some enterprising young mind combed through thirteen years and hundreds of episodes of *The Joe Rogan Experience*, and cut together around twenty instances of Rogan using “the n-word”.

This video was shared by award-winning musician India Arie, and used to explain her pulling her music from Spotify’s platform in protest of Rogan’s continued presence there.

Rogan claims that these clips are all taken out of context in his recent apology video, and none were ever intended to be racist. This may well be true...we can’t check for ourselves, because Spotify removed all the episodes.

These important bits of context were, naturally, removed from the viral video. Besides, it has since been said that context doesn’t even matter.

And you know what, they’re right. The context doesn’t matter, perhaps the intention doesn’t even matter, what matters is “Why now?”

Some of these clips are over twelve years old, and yet there have never been any calls to boycott Spotify or cancel his show until just the last couple of days.

Were they not racist before? Or was everyone just OK with the racism? Could there be something else behind this?

...but why bother pausing the hate-fest to ask questions, right?

The only message that matters is — Joe Rogan is a racist now, and streaming giant Spotify have pulled over seventy episodes of his show from their platform as a result.

Of course the cyber-torches and internet-pitchforks coming for Joe Rogan is nothing new. Having preached the tenets of a healthy lifestyle, promoted alternate Covid treatments, and invited dissenting experts onto his show, Rogan has obviously been on the establishment’s hit list for a while.

This reached a peak in January when ageing rock royalty Neil Young gave Spotify an ultimatum: Remove Joe Rogan’s “misinformation”, or take my music down.

Despite adding a weasely disclaimer to the beginning of the podcast’s episodes, Spotify essentially sided with Rogan, probably because they couldn’t be seen to bow to that kind of pressure, and because they figured most people had forgotten Neil Young was still alive.

In short, and despite other musicians like Joni Mitchell adding their voices to Young’s, the gambit failed and Rogan remained on the air.

Then, just last week, White House Press Secretary Jen Psaki added fuel to the fire by announcing the President would like to see “more done” by tech companies to

all they know is the chemical signals driving them to fits of rage.

You probably don’t need me to explain the metaphor. This is the purpose of rampant, hysterical identity politics. You can paint your enemies as a target and watch the mindless swarm do its work.

As much as “cancel culture” is portrayed as a totally organic process, without any top-down control, this is simply not the case.

It is almost NEVER organic, and seemingly ALWAYS contrived.

If you need to be persuaded of that, simply look at who is immune to it.

Both Joe Biden and Justin Trudeau have got enough racist (or at least racist-seeming) scandals to get them cancelled if the process really was anything but a covert tool of maintaining the status quo. And yet still they stand.

To show how selective it is, we have examples of the same exact behaviour eliciting complete opposite responses depending on the person involved.

When Gina Carano compared the hatred of the unmasked and unvaccinated to the way Jews were

treated in Nazi Germany, she lost her job and her agent. When Margaret Hodge made similar comments about Corbyn’s Labour party, there was no rebuke at all.

It seems only people outside the establishment, or promoting the ‘wrong’ opinions, are ever in real danger of falling victim to ‘organic’ cancellation.

Indeed, one can be a totally white-bread member of the entertainment industry for years and be safe in the knowledge your racism/homophobia/misogyny etc will never really come to light, but step out of line on the wrong subject at the wrong time, and you will suddenly find yourself facing a tidal wave of past “sins” about to wash over you.

Look at Donald Trump, an insider to the bone when he was just a billionaire reality TV host, but then he ran against Hillary and became “literally Hitler” overnight.

Rogan is a perfect exemplar of this phenomenon. Spend ten years going on about legalising weed, taking DMT and talking about martial arts and you can say “the n-word” as much as you want and nobody notices or cares. But the minute you even mildly interrogate an important media narrative, then the mob ‘organically’ remembers you were a racist the whole time.

The evidence of contrivance is obvious. Simply ask yourself: where did this video compilation of racial slurs actually come from? Who made it?

Rogan’s uses of “the n-word” are not new. They are all several years old and from 23 separate episodes, all multiple hours long. And there are almost 1800 episodes of the show to plough through if you decide to go searching. So making this video is at least two days’ work of simply watching the episodes — and that’s assuming you know where to start looking.

And that’s before editing or trying to make it “go viral”. Was all this done on a whim by some bored pro-vaxxer?

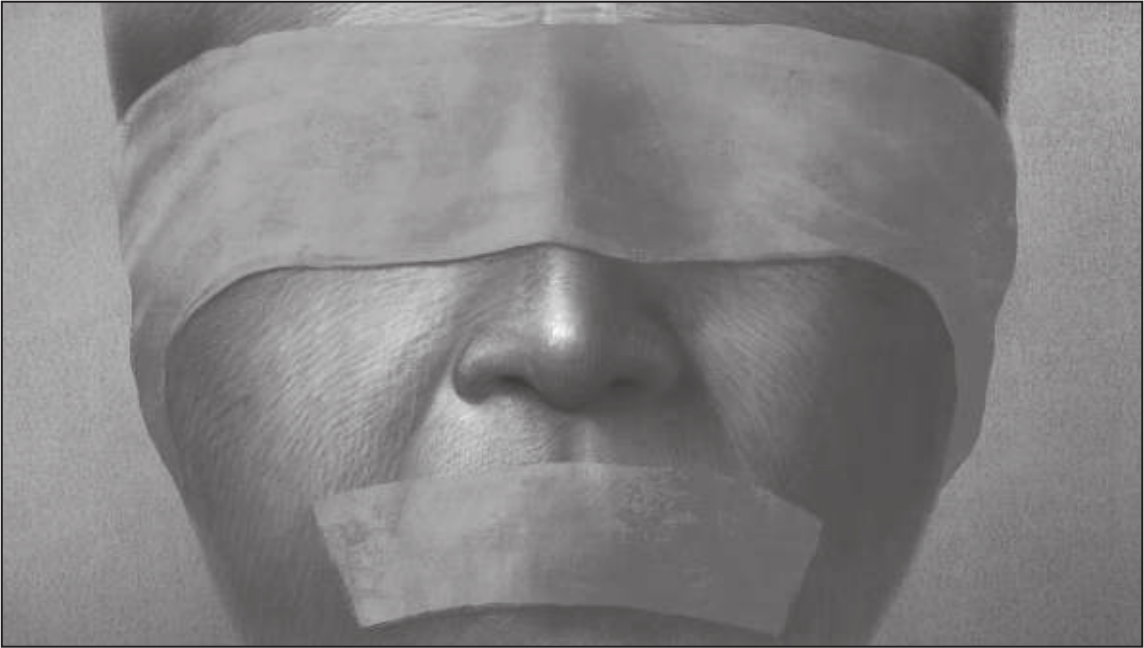
Does that sound likely? Far more likely is that it was created and deployed to discredit Rogan’s COVID-questioning without having to engage with the Covid sceptic evidence or arguments.

It’s even possible the video may even have already existed before the current controversy. After all, why create this climate of stifling sensitivity if you don’t have the tools to use it?

Perhaps most authors, actors, comedians etc. have a “tape” in the vault somewhere. A database of racism, homophobia or transphobia just waiting to be released when needed. A collection of neo-kompromat that works best as a deterrent, but is always ready to be lost if needed.

Those people who do step too far out of their box are taken down, and act as an example to others. Ensuring everyone on the public stage is singing from the same hymn sheet.

Because that, it seems, is what cancel culture is for.



“limit the amount of misinformation” on their platforms.

Within days of that press conference, the viral video compilation of racial slurs had appeared, and Rogan is now a racist as well as an “anti-vax covidiot” or whatever they are calling us these days.

He’s also an object lesson in the entire purpose of cancel culture, and extreme identity politics in general.

***“The only message that matters is — Joe Rogan is a racist now, and streaming giant Spotify have pulled over 70 episodes of his show from their platform as a result”***

I don’t know how many of our readers are gamers, or remember Half Life 2, but go with me here...

Around two-thirds of the way through the game you encounter giant insect-like aliens called Ant Lions, and soon afterwards get a special attack: The ability to “paint” enemies with pheromones which cause an unending swarm of Ant Lions to attack them.

Of course, the giant insects don’t know WHY they are attacking your enemies, they don’t sympathise with your aims and are not capable of understanding your plans,

the *Post* article claims it says about the vaccine and male infertility, the study itself was funded by an institute that is in fact part-owner of the vaccine, standing to profit materially from its wide distribution and general acceptance.

In an earlier article, I wrote that James Corbett, award-winning investigative journalist, believes very few people take the time to do the appropriate research into what they read online. The tactic of including embedded links in online reporting suggests to us as readers that the author is backing up their claims with solid proof. Many readers take that for granted and do not bother to investigate the link itself to see where it takes them and what proof is in fact being offered in support of a statement. Since writing that earlier article, I have been challenging myself to put my money where my mouth (or pen) is. I click those hyperlinks. The results have been, thus far, as disappointing as this example. I use this experience as another opportunity to promote and encourage. As consumers of information in the digital age, we must not underestimate the importance of taking seriously the responsibility to do our own research and never blindly trust what any media is serving us up. Sometimes a silver platter isn’t what it seems.

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Human Development.

I figured a relevant question would be: where does the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development get its money? Turns out they are part of the US National Institute of Health, headed by Doctor Francis Collins, who is Dr. Anthony Fauci’s boss. Collins was implicated most recently through an email trail to the now-infamous attack, or “takedown,” of the authors of the *Great Barrington Declaration*, a document that argues against COVID-19 lockdowns released on Oct. 4, 2020. That information was released by The US House Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis. But I digress. What’s important about NIH’s involvement in funding studies that purport to support vaccine efficacy is that it is rather a monumental conflict of interest. That’s because NIH is co-owner of the patent for Moderna’s Covid vaccine. *The Washington Post* reported on Moderna backing down in its patent dispute with NIH back in December 2021. Clearly then, NIH has a lucrative financial stake in the success of the vaccine’s rollout through potential licensing agreements on the patent. That qualifies as a conflict of interest. With a capital “C.”

So not only does the study out of Boston not say what

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# What really Worries Me About Covid (It’s not dying)

By Peter Bloch

Back in the 70’s, I noticed that banks’ profits were growing at 3 to 4 times the GDP. Puzzling: with mortgage income and lending for business start-ups, and growth, how could this happen? Now we know that banks weren’t investing in economic growth, but in dismemberment of the economy through off-shoring, and through investing in investing, culminating, inevitably, in the economic disaster of 2008. But back then, this started me paying attention.

Through the 80’s I watched as companies were bought and sold, arbitrated and combined into ever larger and more rapacious corporations, with increasingly global reach. This bothered me.

I saw news media combined into fewer and fewer hands; newspapers losing editorial independence, or being shut down; investigative journalism withering away. This worried me. A lot.

Through the 90’s, I saw wealth and income gaps growing to very scary levels and, as money became more and more dominant in politics, it became more and more evident that the reins of power were gathered into the hands of fewer and fewer people: I started reading about the French Revolution, not in order to advocate for one here, but to look for the signs that one *could* happen here. One almost did in Washington DC last January. And all this time, secret trade/investment treaties were being forced on governments, like the infamous “Free Trade Agreement” that, despite the political chest thumping, destroyed hundreds of thousands of jobs in this country, and pumped billions over the border.

And now we have a virus. Suddenly, all over the world, government responses snap into place — hurrah! Except more and more that response, so similar everywhere, didn’t seem to actually be about public health. Clearly, something was up.

Having spent decades looking at emerging patterns, I looked for the overall pattern here. Practicing doctors excitedly come forward telling us how they’re curing people: they’re silenced, threatened, fired, and we’re told their cures can’t possibly work and are actually dangerous and then these treatments were forbidden. It became *verboten* even to mention them. “Follow the science,” became a mantra we heard in the media every day.

Instead, populations are locked down, businesses, almost exclusively small and medium businesses, are forbidden to open, all to slow the spread of an illness that could actually easily be cured and ended, if the available, forbidden therapies were allowed. What? What again, and why? Oh, to keep the hospitals and health care systems from being overloaded and overwhelmed, a danger which never actually existed. So, some other reason then.

Ah, of course! Vaccines are on the way! But wait; given the typical behaviour of infectious viruses, like the flu or common cold, also corona viruses, even if nothing was done at all, this virus could be expected to rage through the population and burn itself out in a few months, well before the hallowed vaccines could be ready. And since we knew who was actually vulnerable to the virus, we could have protected them, as the *Great Barrington Declaration* makes clear. But no: we’ll crush the retail economy with lock downs, and print mountains of money to shore it up, sort of — never mind devaluing the currencies and provoking inflation later — until the fabulously expensive vaccines are ready — oh, and while we’re at it, close the schools and cripple the education of children, even though children are hardly touched by this illness.

Something this weirdly bizarre, this stunningly illogical could only work if the people were first made so frightened of the virus that they would meekly accept it. So, the corporately controlled, compliant media were swung into

action: be afraid; be very afraid. Of course, once you have people suitably frightened, you have to give them some way of feeling safe, sort of, and presto! bacterial masks, and to further beat into people the habit of obedience, make those mask mandatory, even though there isn’t any credible evidence that they actually work very well with viruses, and bonus: they make lots and lots and lots of money!

Meanwhile, shutdowns and lockdowns continue, more or less, even though there’s no evidence that they actually saved many if any lives at all as the virus went right on killing the vulnerable, while causing incalculable economic and psychological damages that must continue for a long time (BTW, we still haven’t recovered from 2008.)

So, the vaccines roll out; we’re told they’re safe and 80% effective and they’ll let us get back to normal soon,



and understandably, people line up. But two years later, head scratcher: the vaccines don’t actually work to stop the spread of the virus, at least not very well, and have to be repeatedly boosted (“oh, how the money rolls in, rolls in”) and we’re still suffering shutdowns and lockdowns, and closed schools, and loneliness, and depression, and WTF!?

Not surprisingly, the vaccination rates stall, everywhere. But wait; we can’t have that — if people won’t take the shot, we’ll force them to, even if it means violating established laws, civil rights and medical ethics. After all, people are still frightened, so we’ll get away with it, at least until it’s too late to do anything about it. Some protests here and there? Not to worry; protests don’t really make much difference, and anyway, we have POLICE.

Meanwhile, various doctors and biochemists and others of considerable expertise and experience begin to study the health statistics and the vaccines themselves whose long-term possible side effects, and whose contents have never been disclosed to the people taking them (in itself, illegal, since that makes lawful informed consent impossible), and oh, my! Not lions and tigers and bears, but some very peculiar and scary stuff they report finding in there. Of course, scarcely anybody knows about it because the media are still firmly under control pumping out propaganda and discrediting the researchers, but facts start to leak out to those willing to look for them. And at the same time, reports start to leak out about sudden, anomalous soaring rises of strange illnesses and deaths occurring in vaccinated persons. Finally, and quite recently, authoritative voices start to conclude that these vaccines, which technically, aren’t really vaccines at all, were actually designed to harm and over time, kill people, millions and millions of people.

Well, a big, fat, international conspiracy? Who can believe that? Right? Well, maybe the thousands who survived Bhopal? Maybe the hundreds of thousands who have seen family members suffering and dying after taking the jab? Maybe the millions whose jobs were suddenly taken from them by off-shoring or lockdowns, or who were tricked into taking mortgages they couldn’t afford, or to addicting themselves to poisonous tobacco smoke,

or to eating “foods” containing toxic preservatives and dyes, laden with sugars and fats and containing no nutritional value at all, who were tricked into buying common household products laced with toxic perfumes and stabilizers. Maybe the millions who suddenly discovered that their governments have been illegally spying on them for years, or that their government was involved in importing narcotic drugs into their country? Maybe the masses and masses of people are now wondering why they can’t figure out whom they can believe? Maybe anyone who’s been looking up from their entertainment device and paying attention.

So, deliberate mass genocide? It is hard to believe, but it’s been done before and quite recently: remember Biafra? Myanmar? Pol Pot in Cambodia? It’s worth remembering

that even the Nazis didn’t start murdering Jews right away (not that our elites are Nazis.) At first the Nazis created a propaganda campaign: A terrible danger to the people and the state existed, the virus of Jews must be dealt with — get vaccinated — everyone! And of course, we know that this is a “pandemic of the unvaccinated,” right? Then they started taking away Jews’ jobs, ruining their careers, destroying their businesses, barring them from schools, clubs, theatres and sporting events. Sound familiar? Soon certain “camps” were established to contain Jewish “troublemakers,” kind of like the covid camps “down under,” maybe? Only later did the mass murders begin, mostly hidden from the general citizenry. Only now are the real numbers of adverse vaccine events leaking out. And not forgetting that the Nazis pumped out mountains of “science” to prove that Jewish people were a sub-human race, dangerous to the welfare

not only of Germany, but of humanity and that therefore, it was the moral duty of every citizen, to support the harsh government measures imposed to protect them from this “menace”.

So, even if the medical claims that these experimental, genetic injections are a bio-weapon designed for mass murder (BTW, we don’t seem to be hearing about how these experimental “vaccines” are safe and effective any more, only how they’re tested and monitored.), even if those claims are nonsense, there clearly is a step-by-step programme in operation to suppress civil rights and exert increasing levels of fascistic control. Look at the overall pattern, stretching back over decades.

Every society in history has had its ruling elites who used their power and wealth to impoverish and exploit their people. It’s taken centuries to create substantial middle classes and give them meaningful political power; it’s taken only a few decades to undermine and suborn all that, pushing the great mass of people, by degrees, ever back towards poverty, and obedient, feudal, indentured servitude through debt. We hear about a “Great Reset” in which “we will own nothing and be happy.” Who has the power to enact that? How can it be done? Are these step by step concentrations of power and wealth of the past decades part of a long-laid plan?

Today, our ruling, secretive elites are international in composition and reach: a great, multi-headed beast has risen up over our world, reaching out with ruthless claws, eroding environmental protections, labour laws and workplace safety regulations, tearing at the fabric of our lives to gain ever greater wealth and control over us.

Our democratically established civil rights and liberties are all that stand between us and impoverished, absolute servitude; their loss, under this step-by-step advance of arbitrary, fascistic and unjustified “mandates” is far, far more dangerous than this virus ever was or could be.

Support and spread the emerging truths about this virus, these “vaccines” and their use by ruthless, secretive elites to take from us, step by step, the opportunities and enjoyments of open, democratic society, and to reduce us by degrees, to mute, obedient serfs.



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# News From Around The World

By Paul Bennett

## Hamsters to be culled in Hong Kong due to covid outbreak in pet store

Hong Kong authorities have acted swiftly and coldly to a covid outbreak in a pet store by planning to cull over 2,000 hamsters after the cute rodents tested positive for covid.

Health authorities in the city visited the unlucky pet store and after preliminary positive tests results from eleven hamsters and the pet owner, an order was given to euthanize hamsters due to the possible risk of animal-human transmission.

In a heart-warming twist, many Hong King residents have volunteered to adopt unwanted hamsters after the mass cull warning from authority figures in the city. Thousands of people have also signed a petition against the cruel order to save the small and fluffy pets. The Hong Kong government called the public outcry as “irrational”.

Hong Kong continues to have an unrelenting communist style zero-covid strategy, and it is clear that no one is safe or free from this insane approach including pets. In response to rising ‘cases’ Hong Kong has imposed very strict draconian restrictions on its city residents. Severe measures include tough social distancing rules including limits on public and private gatherings. Fines for breaking the rules will be doubled from HK\$5,000 TO HK\$10,000.

Leader and Chief Executive of Hong Kong Carrie Lam appears to be using a carrot and stick approach regarding increased vaccination uptake and reducing current strict lockdown measures. “But when vaccination rates increase, when Omicron disappears and other things happen, then of course we will continue to revisit our strategy,” Ms Lam said.

It is not the first time that animals have been culled in excess as a result of a covid outbreak. In 2020 an entire mink population (17 million) were culled in Denmark after a mutated strain of the virus was passed from minks to humans in farms.

## Danish paper apologizes for failing its citizens over covid

One of Denmark’s oldest and largest newspapers has admirably and rightfully apologized to its readers for not asking tougher questions regarding the covid narrative over the past two years. The *Ekstra Bladet* newspaper has admitted not analysing the questionable data that the health and government officials pushed out on a regular basis.

Journalist with the paper Brian Weichardt wrote: “For ALMOST two years, we-the press and the population-have been almost hypnotically preoccupied with the authorities’ daily coronatal. THE CONSTANT mental alertness has worn out tremendously on all of us. That is why we-the press-must also take stock of our own efforts. And we have failed.”

Regarding the dodgy data, Weichardt added, “WE HAVE NOT been vigilant enough at the garden gate when the authorities were required to answer what it actually meant that people are hospitalized with corona and not because of corona. Because it makes a difference. A big difference. Exactly, the official hospitalization numbers have been shown to be 27% higher than the actual figure for how many there are in the hospital, simply because they have corona. We only know that now. OF COURSE, it is first and foremost the authorities who are responsible for informing the population correctly, accurately, and honestly. The figures for how many are sick and died of corona should, for obvious reasons, have been published long ago...”

Denmark has recently become the first European Union country to end all domestic covid restrictions including mask wearing and health passes.

The apology may be two years too late but at least one mainstream media outlet has a conscience in admitting their faults. We may see more media outlets give grovelling apologies in the near future as the wheels continue to fall off the covid narrative at a speedy rate.

## Sweden declines jabbing five-to eleven-year-olds

Sweden is taking a cautious approach by deciding not to jab children aged five to eleven with the experimental covid vaccines. Throughout the past two years, the common-sensical Scandinavian country has opted against harsh lockdowns and imposed only minimal restrictions on its people.

Swedish Health Agency official Britta Bjorkholm told a news conference: “With the knowledge we have today, with a low risk for serious disease for kids, we don’t see any clear benefit with vaccinating them.”

Neighbours to the west Norway have a vaccination program for five- to eleven-year-olds but the Norwegian health officials have not officially recommended or encouraged parents to take their kids to be jabbed.

Health Minister Ingvild Kjerkol said in a statement: “Children rarely become seriously ill, and knowledge is still limited about rare side-effects or side effects that may arise at a distant time. There is little individual benefit for most children, and the Norwegian Institute of Public Health has not recommended that all children aged 5-11 be vaccinated. However, it is agreed that all parents and guardians may be offered a vaccine for their children; this will be most relevant to only a few groups of children.”

In recent weeks, Sweden has lifted almost all of its remaining restrictions in place. Swedish Minister of Health and Social Affairs Lena Hallengren said, “As we know this pandemic, I would say it’s over. “The Minister added that covid was no longer a danger to society.

A sensible costs benefit analysis approach from Sweden and other Nordic countries is greatly welcomed in a world where many nations are still gung-ho on lockdowns and eagerly jabbing their most precious and innocent citizens.

## Covid to be treated similar to the flu in Spain

Spain is currently re-evaluating its response to covid in the wake of the weaker variant ‘omicron’. Plans are now afoot to treat covid like the flu and other respiratory diseases using an endemic approach.

According to the Spanish daily newspaper *El Pais*: “As the highly transmissible omicron variant of the coronavirus continues to spread in Spain, authorities are finalizing a pilot plan for a new Covid-19 surveillance system that will mirror the one that has been used for years to monitor the flu.”

Detailed surveillance of cases will be no longer needed but instead a network of doctors across the country will report on the spread of covid based on data being extrapolated and collected from samples across the population.

Spanish Prime Minister Pedro Sanchez said: “We are going to have to learn to live with it [the coronavirus] as we do with many other viruses. “ Health Minister Carolina Darias reiterated the same viewpoint by stating, “We have to go from an emergency-style vigilance to one of better quality and which is compatible with other respiratory phenomena.”

In a radio interview with Spain’s *Cadena SER* Prime Minister Sanchez stated: “The situation is not what we faced a year ago. I think we have to evaluate the evolution of COVID to an endemic illness, from the pandemic we have faced up until now.” The Prime Minister is seeking to lead the debate internationally and has called on the European Union to discuss the possibility of treating covid as an endemic illness.

There was a time when comparing covid to the common flu was labelled a ‘conspiracy’ and discredited by the majority in government and health circles. How times have changed!

## Face masks make you more attractive according to Welsh study

Researchers with too much time on their hands at Cardiff University in Wales have published findings from a study that suggests that blue medical mask wearers look more facially attractive than wearing any other type of face coverings.

The small study published in the journal *Cognitive Research: Principles and Implications*, comprised of 43 female participants looking at how different types of face coverings changed the attractiveness of 40 males faces. Sexiness was measured and rated looking at images of males without a face mask: wearing a blue medical mask; a cloth face mask and bizarrely holding a plain book covering the area a face mask should be.

Dr Michael Lewis and co-author of the study and reader from the School of Psychology at Cardiff University stated: “*Research carried out before the pandemic found medical face masks reduce attractiveness-so we wanted to test whether this had changed since face coverings became ubiquitous and understand whether the type of mask had any effect.*”

Dr Lewis added, “Our study suggests faces are considered most attractive when covered by medical face masks. This may be because we’re used to healthcare workers wearing blue masks and now, we associate these with people in caring and medical professions. At a time when we feel vulnerable, we may find the wearing of medical masks reassuring and so feel positive towards the wearer.”

If an emasculated male wearing a nappy like cloth around their face is desirable for some, one really needs to look at their choice in a partner. I imagine the suppliers and makers of blue medical masks will be very happy with this wacky study from Cardiff University.

## Websites Of Interest

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# Absurdity Observer

## Some Of The Most Absurd Things That Have Happened In Recent Weeks

- **BMO and the Government of Canada freezes Druthers' bank account and credit card. Donorbox also cancels a Druthers' campaign.** On February 14, the day the *Emergencies Act* was invoked, BMO froze the only bank account Druthers uses for the “crime” of directly financially supporting the truckers, citing a Facebook post made by creator Shawn Jason as part of their evidence. Donorbox also removed the Druthers-Truckers campaign from their platform. As of February 28, Druthers' bank account is still frozen. If you can, please help us pay the printing bill by sending an etransfer to our new account at [info@druthers.net](mailto:info@druthers.net)
- **Ottawa Police partnered with Children's Aid Society to “protect” the children of the truckers convoy.** Ottawa police Deputy Chief Steve Bell said risks to children living among the convoy include carbon monoxide, noise levels, cold (since the police literally stole the truckers' fuel right out of their hands) and access to sanitation (since public restrooms had been shut down).
- **Canadian lawmakers officially approved the *Emergencies Act* for the first time in Canadian history,** making the Ottawa freedom protest an illegal protest. The invocation of the act resulted in the biggest police operation in Canada's history. During a 3-day operation, Ottawa Police deployed pepper spray and stun grenades to disperse crowds, towed away over 70 vehicles, and arrested 191 people, bringing a total of 389 charges against 103 of them. Three of the protest organizers were arrested with “mischief” and some were denied bail. More than 200 bank accounts worth nearly \$8 million were frozen. The order also authorized police to designate certain areas, including the streets around parliament hill, as restricted red zones to prevent protests.
- 3 days after marking a peaceful protest as illegal and shutting the protest down with the largest police operation in Canadian history, **Trudeau says Canada will “stand against authoritarianism”** in a speech announcing sanctions against Russia.
- **Crazed, driver wearing a mask alone in his car, plowed his vehicle into peaceful freedom protesters** in Winnipeg, injuring 4.
- **Threatening posters** listing the names and personal information of **hacked GiveSendGo convoy donors** appeared all over the streets of Ottawa following the Ottawa RedZone Lockdown. The posters, titled “Know Thy Neighbour,” included a list of local donors' names, email addresses, and amounts given. Some flyers even showed up on the front doors of listed donors' homes.
- **France deactivates 4 million vaccine passports** of double jabbed users for not being up-to-date on their boosters.
- **The CDC has admitted it is withholding COVID booster data over “fears the information could be misinterpreted.”** Kristen Nordlund, a CDC spokeswoman, said the reason some data has not been released is “because basically, at the end of the day, it's not yet ready for prime time.” But another reason is that the data could be misinterpreted by the public, Nordlund admitted. Among the data that has been collected but not made public is: hospitalizations broken down by age, race and

vaccination status over the last year and information on the effectiveness of booster shots in people under 50.

- Ottawa's interim **police chief** Steve Bell warned Canadian citizens that **anybody who supported the peaceful Freedom Convoy will be hunted down.** “If you are involved in this protest, we will actively look to identify you and follow up with financial sanctions and criminal charges,” Bell warned. “This investigation will go on for months to come,” he added.



- Bombshell article published to *Frontiers in Virology* titled “*MSH3 Homology and Potential Recombination Links to SARS-CoV-2 Furin Cleavage Site*” finds that the **novel furin cleavage site** (the part of SARS-CoV-2 found on the spike protein that allows the virus to enter cells, particularly lung and airway cells, and thus allows the virus to be highly infectious) **was absent “from any eukaryotic or viral genome in the BLAST database”** — meaning, nothing like it has ever been sequenced in the natural world. This, as the authors put it, “makes recombination in an intermediate host an unlikely explanation for its presence in SARS-CoV-2.” The string of letters that make up the furin cleavage site, CTCCTCGGCGGGCACGTAG, can, however, be found in one place: patent 9587003 by Moderna.
- The incredible powers that Prime Minister Justin Trudeau has given his government to **freeze people's bank accounts is based on an “analysis” from the CBC** (who coincidentally receives 1.4 billion dollars a year from the federal government). This is according to a document detailing the supposed rationale for invoking the *Emergencies Act*. The document justified the financial measures based on a CBC article “which indicated that the majority of the donations to the protests on GiveSendGo were made by donors outside of Canada.”
- **After canceling the \$10 million trucker convoy fundraiser, GoFundMe planned to reallocate the funds raised to charities of their choosing.** Fortunately, GoFundMe relented after backlash and refunded all donors.
- After heavy use of these products since 2020, **Health Canada recalls nearly 50 hand sanitizers,** primarily due to elevated levels of impurities that the health agency

says “may increase the risk of cancer.”

- **French court rules a vaccine death as a suicide** so an insurance company doesn't need to pay out because “He voluntarily took the vaccine” and side effects of an experimental vaccine were public. “*There is no law or mandate in France forcing him to be vaccinated. Therefore, his death is essentially suicide.*”
- After Austria became the first European country to mandate the COVID vaccine for the entirety of its population, **Austrians are now being stopped randomly by authorities and forced to prove they are vaccinated or they will be fined on the spot.** Footage has already emerged of police patrolling shops and highways checking people's vaccination status. Anyone found not to have two vaccines plus booster(s) (if not vaccinated within a 180 day period) will be fined €600 (\$860 CAD), with subsequent violations reaching up to €3,400 (\$4,872 CAD).
- A study by Johns Hopkins titled “*A Literature review and Meta-Analysis of the Effects of Lockdowns on COVID-19 Mortality*” finds lockdowns had little to no effect. They concluded: “lockdowns should be rejected out of hand as a pandemic policy instrument.”
- New study published on January 25th, 2022 in JAMA Network finds one's **myocarditis risk after the COVID vaccine is at least 133x above the background risk** — but is likely much higher due to the passive nature of the reporting system the study used, and the fact that 96% of those studied were hospitalized (meaning many may have had the condition but did not seek medical attention). The study also notes comparisons with the benefits of the vaccine is now completely irrelevant since vaccination no longer prevents infection.
- A Mohawk woman who uses a walker was trampled by Ottawa police horses, breaking her clavicle and injuring her ribs, hip, and back. When the Ottawa police responded to the concerned public about the incident on Twitter, they claimed “*Anyone who fell got up and walked away. We're unaware of any injuries. A bicycle was thrown at the horse further down the line and caused the horse to trip. The horse was uninjured.*” The “bicycle” they are referring to appears to have been the lady's walker.
- Without any explanation, **the Ontario government suspiciously deleted more than 1,200 previously listed available ICU beds** (May 1 to Oct. 22, 2020) from its own data on Jan. 7, 2022. By doing so, it now appears that Ontario has a net gain of 331 available ICU beds since May 2020, not a net loss of over 1,000 as previously reported.
- While the biggest police operation in Canadian history took place in Ottawa to remove those protesting vaccine mandates, **Ottawa police themselves were exempt from the vaccine mandate.**
- One of the most triple vaccinated countries in the world (where about 55% are boosted) and the case study country for the Pfizer vaccine, **Israel, sees the biggest spike in COVID cases, hospitalizations, and deaths** the country has ever seen.



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