

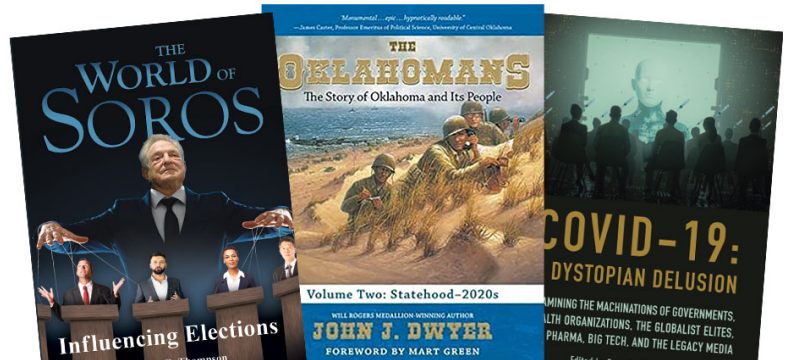


## The Review

### Globalist Puppetmaster

***The World of Soros: Influencing Elections***, by Arthur R. Thompson, Appleton, Wisconsin: Western Islands, 2022, 173 pages, paperback. (To order, see page 37.)

George Soros is reviled, and rightly so, among those who favor limited government, national sovereignty, the free market, and constitutionalism. And there is plenty of evidence in this book by former John Birch Society CEO Arthur R. Thompson to support that view.



But Art Thompson sees the problem as much deeper than Soros. “Soros and his kind will soon disappear, but this will not mean the end of the problem,” Thompson explains, adding, “The anti-communists in America used to blame another very rich man for the advances toward Marxism: David Rockefeller. He died; the movement kept going.”

While it is admittedly much easier for people to blame an individual, Thompson asserts that the problem is “an *organization* behind that person that they cannot see.” One might recall that in George Orwell’s classic dystopian novel *1984*, the totalitarian government was an oligarchy, but “Big Brother” (almost certainly not a real person) was the focus.

Thompson not only details the problems we face in preserving liberty, he also gives the reader suggestions for concrete ways to combat the enemy.

One suggestion is to be wary of being sucked into activities that will actually damage our cause. Thompson notes that two weeks before the January 6, 2021 protests at the U.S. Capitol, he warned people in a short video about “what could happen at public events and to be careful, since there may be those who would try to goad and compromise decent participants.”

That is exactly what happened on January 6, giving “the Left the ammunition to tar with a broad brush those who oppose their policies.” This gave them the opening they needed to blame President Donald Trump for an “insurrection,” by selectively choosing quotations from his speech at the rally earlier in the day. Trump told his supporters, “I know everyone here will soon be marching over to the Capitol building to peacefully and patriotically make your voices heard.”

Of course, peaceful protest is the right of every American, specifically protected by the First Amendment, but because of a small minority, all of these patriotic Americans who did nothing more than peacefully protest were tarred as “insurrectionists.” In fact, millions of Americans are now cast by the leftist media as insurrectionists.

What were they protesting? They believed that the election had been stolen from Trump. Whether one agrees or disagrees with them on that point, it was still their right to peacefully protest.



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Thompson, however, explains why they were rightly incensed at the results of the election, with facts that the media largely ignore. In some counties, there were more votes than there were registered voters. “The biggest problem was the mailing out of ballots all over the place, using the excuse that the Covid pandemic supposedly made it difficult for people to make it to the polls,” Thompson writes, adding that “many ballots were counted that may not have even been seen by the supposed voters.”

As an example, Thompson points to Pennsylvania, where “over 70,000 mail-in ballots returned after the deadline were counted. Over 10,000 mail-in ballots were counted of people who did not exist on the voter rolls.... Nearly 40,000 voters who registered after the October 19th deadline voted. Finally, hundreds of thousands of votes were counted in secret after Republican poll watchers were thrown out.”

And, of course, there were serious questions about the results in states such as Wisconsin, Georgia, and Arizona that no doubt contributed to the anger and concern of many of those who went to the nation’s capital — as was their constitutionally protected right — to protest on January 6.

So, where does George Soros fit in all of this? Because Soros is ethnically Jewish, it is common for anyone who dares to criticize him to be accused of being “anti-Semitic.” This is, of course, a tactic of the Left — they use race, ethnicity, sex, and religion as a club to condemn their opponents. (Although they regularly condemn any Jewish person, for example, who dares to be conservative.)

During World War II, in Hungary, Soros actually worked with Nazis to round up people in the Holocaust. In 1998, in an interview on *60 Minutes*, he told interviewer Steve Kroft he felt no guilt because of this, noting that he was only 14 years old at the time.

After World War II, Soros moved to England to study at the London School of Economics, which promotes socialist economics. He later began a hedge fund and became a very wealthy man. Today, Thompson notes, “Soros is very much involved in helping finance” local politicians (such as secretaries of state, who often oversee the counting of votes, as well as local prosecutors) and “street organizations.”

And, when some of those street thugs get arrested after destroying private property, they are often not prosecuted in many cities — because Soros helped elect the prosecutors in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Houston, Dallas, Chicago, Milwaukee, New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis, and other places. Soros even gave \$2 million to defeat a sheriff candidate in Maricopa County, Arizona.

In 2018, Soros funded *at least* 21 local prosecutorial races.

Radical parties that “have achieved ballot positions or are very active in the streets,” Thompson explains, “are the Democratic Socialists of America, Socialist Party USA, Progressive Party, Congressional Progressive Caucus, Communist Party USA, Revolutionary Communist Party, Socialist Workers Party, Workers World Party, Green Party, Black Panthers, Peace and Freedom Party, Socialist Labor Party, Antifa, Black Lives Matter, and so on.”

In early 2022, Soros gave \$125 million to Democracy PAC, with some of the funds channeled to the Democratic Association of Secretaries of State. As Thompson explained, “Soros’ son Alexander runs the PAC.” It has been said that money is the “mother’s milk of politics,” because as a baby will die if he or she does not receive mother’s milk or a close substitute, so will a political campaign.

Of course, when an election is completed, someone counts the votes, and in many states those



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individuals are the secretaries of state.

Not surprisingly, Soros and his son Jonathan are members of the globalist Council on Foreign Relations (CFR), which, as Thompson argues, “has as its primary goal convincing American citizens to become part of what they call the New World Order, a one-world government. This means giving up the sovereignty of the United States, the Declaration of Independence, and even the Constitution.”

Soros “claims to have given \$32 billion of his personal fortune to fund the Open Society Foundations’ work around the world,” Thompson wrote. “The impact of this funding generally falls into two categories: one, changing society in order to parallel the Marxist agenda, and, two, the election of those who promote the Marxist agenda.”

Thompson quotes Karl Marx, who said, “The Communists openly declare that their ends can be attained only by the forcible overthrow of all existing social conditions.” Thompson explains, “So we see that the real goal of the Marxists is to change all of society. This is essentially the endgame of the environmental movement, for example, which Soros also helps finance.”

“Keep in mind,” Thompson added, “that you can stand in the middle of a field and shout out the environmental regulations and the field will not be listening — it is an inanimate object. The regulations desired by the environmentalist lobby are over the people who own the field, the factories, the automobiles, etc.” These environmental regulations are simply a “means to change society, not to protect the Earth — to control people.”

Another way to control people is to control the flow of information, and it is common knowledge that social-media giants Facebook and Twitter do this on a concerted, regular basis. Many have heard of decisions by Facebook “fact-checkers” that this or that conservative assertion is either false or “lacks context.” This is clearly one-sided, as left-wing posts rarely get dinged by these so-called fact-checkers.

Thompson offers an excellent explanation as to why this is so. “The International Fact-Checking Network (IFCN) is part of the Poynter Institute. They have called for more censorship of the internet against ‘false narratives,’ saying that current measures are insufficient.”

If you guessed that George Soros is a major donor to the Poynter Institute, go to the head of the class. Other contributors include the Gannett Foundation (which runs *USA Today* and multiple newspapers around the country) and *The Washington Post*.

There is much more in this excellent book that cannot be covered in a short review. But Thompson closes with a plan of action to combat this organized effort to transform our country — and indeed, the world — into a socialist hell. In short, this can be achieved by educating ourselves, so we can educate others. He suggests The John Birch Society as an excellent organization that does both of these things.

— Steve Byas

## **Oklahoma History: A Story for All Americans**

***The Oklahomans: The Story of Oklahoma and Its People, Volume Two: Statehood-2020s***, by John J. Dwyer, Waukomis, Oklahoma: Red River Press, 2021, 656 pages, hardcover.

State history books often have a limited market, as only real history buffs are going to read a book on another state’s history. And, as these books are often written as textbooks for the classroom, they typically avoid really digging into the interesting details of a state’s history and the people who made



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that history. Often, they are rather dry reading.

John J. Dwyer's *The Oklahomans: The Story of Oklahoma and Its People, Volume Two: Statehood-2020s* is not that type of book. It is written to read for pleasure and enlightenment. It is full of colorful graphics, with an expert mix of facts and analysis. Dwyer's first volume was award-winning, and this book is even better. As the consulting editor of both volumes, I should know, having read every word.

Volume two picks up where volume one ended, at statehood. Oklahoma's history comes alive in the hands of Dwyer, an historian and a novelist. While Dwyer uses all the tools of the novelist's craft to make this 600-page book a page-turner, he does not accomplish this at the expense of the historical facts.

Oklahoma has only been a state since 1907, but its contribution to American history has been immense, both in the social and political spheres. Native son Will Rogers was the top box-office draw in the motion picture industry in the 1920s and until his death in 1935, when he perished alongside another Oklahoma icon, Wiley Post. The two advocates of air travel died together in an attempt to fly around the world, which Post had already accomplished twice on his own. Post predicted that America would someday go to the moon, and even designed a space suit for that purpose. NASA adopted a modified version of Post's suit, which astronauts used in the moon landings of the late 1960s and early 1970s.

Other famous Oklahomans, such as Jim Thorpe — considered the greatest athlete of the first half of the 20th century — are well-covered in the book. Paul Harvey, a native of Tulsa, was a voice of middle America on the radio long before Rush Limbaugh and others came along.

Readers can learn about such events as the 1921 Tulsa Race Riot — the worst in U.S. history; the Dust Bowl — the greatest ecological disaster of the 20th century, when about one million Oklahomans abandoned the state; the Oklahoma City bombing of 1995; and the tornado of 1999, which produced the greatest wind speeds ever recorded.

Scandals, such as the county commissioner scandal of the 1980s, which sent many public officials to prison, are analyzed, illustrating the dangers of putting too much faith in flawed human beings.

Operation Secret Ballot, which reversed the perennial efforts of the Democratic Party in the state to “win” elections through nefarious means, is a story that is quite relevant to the rest of the country after the 2020 presidential election. This portion of the book will give the reader an understanding as to why so many Americans believe not all was quite right in our last presidential contest.

In fact, Dwyer ties Oklahoma's history with national, and even international, events in such a way that Oklahomans will have a greater appreciation for the role the Sooner State has played in our nation's history — and even our world's history — and non-Oklahomans will likewise learn more about events that have affected all Americans.

One cannot do justice to a 600-page book that covers so many different personalities and events, but I will center on two episodes that were an important part of both Oklahoma history and U.S. history.

The first is the contest between Oklahoma's long-serving U.S. senator Mike Monroney and U.S. Senator Joseph McCarthy of Wisconsin. Much has been written about McCarthy, with far too much of it being blatantly false. For example, I have read, on multiple occasions, that McCarthy, while chairing the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA), created the Hollywood Blacklist, which denied jobs to writers, actors, and directors in the American motion-picture industry because of their political



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views.

First of all, their political views were in support of the communist dictator Joseph Stalin, a mass murderer. Secondly, the Hollywood Blacklist was conceived long before McCarthy burst on the national scene, concerned about communist infiltration in the U.S. government. He certainly did not create the Blacklist while chairing the HCUA — senators do not chair *House* committees.

Unfortunately, one of McCarthy's biggest detractors in government was Oklahoma's Senator Mike Monroney. As Dwyer explains in his book, "Monroney became controversial Sen. Joseph McCarthy's most dogged opponent on the supreme stages of American politics." Monroney said, "I was supporting attacks on communism, before the junior senator from Wisconsin [McCarthy] ever dreamed of coming to the United States Senate."

Monroney contended that McCarthy should leave the job of rooting out Soviet spies to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He even attempted to keep McCarthy from investigating the Central Intelligence Agency.

But as Dwyer noted, "Sworn witness testimony, FBI records, Soviet-era KGB files, and the U.S. Army counterintelligence Venona Project confirmed the veracity of McCarthy's major contentions."

Fortunately, there were Oklahomans who really did fight communism, rather than opposing anti-communists such as McCarthy. One was Patrick Hurley, who served as secretary of war, a special diplomatic envoy, and ambassador to China. Raised in frontier poverty, he won the Silver Star in World War I.

Hurley was a conservative Republican who served three presidents, two of them Democrats. He accepted the request of President Franklin D. Roosevelt to be his personal representative to Chinese leader Chiang Kai-shek. Dwyer said, "In China, Hurley ran into a stunning buzz saw of intrigue, double dealing, and nothing less than a labyrinthine *American* network that aimed to overthrow Chiang's government and replace it with Mao's Reds. It encompassed career Foreign Service Officers, members of the government in Washington ranking as high as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Harry Dexter White ... and Joseph 'Vinegar Joe' Stilwell, U.S. commander in the China-Burma-India Theater."

Unfortunately, those wishing to get rid of Chiang understood they first had to get rid of Hurley. Hurley fired many of these enemies of Chiang, only to see his efforts to keep the communists out of power in China fail. Dwyer asserts that Vice President Harry Truman — who became president in April 1945 upon the death of Roosevelt — "entered the Oval Office as clueless about American foreign policy in China ... as the deceased Roosevelt had left him on nearly everything else."

Eventually, the men Hurley had fired wound up being his supervisors in Washington. Dwyer cites then-Massachusetts Congressman John F. Kennedy on the disaster of American foreign policy that led to the communist takeover of the world's most populous nation — China. "During the [postwar] period began the great split in the minds of our diplomats over whether to support the government of Chiang Kai-shek, or force [him] as the price of our assistance to bring Chinese Communists into his government to form a coalition."

Kennedy added, Dwyer noted, "When Ambassador Patrick Hurley resigned in 1945, he stated, 'Professional diplomats continuously advised the Chinese Communists that my efforts in preventing the collapse of the National Government did not represent the policy of the United States.'" Hurley blamed



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the disastrous loss of China to communism on these diplomats and the State Department.

Kennedy concluded, “What our young men saved, our diplomats and our President have frittered away.”

Had the efforts of Oklahoman Patrick Hurley succeeded, instead of America’s greatest foe being Communist China, America would have the friendship of a free China. There would have been no Korean War, and probably no Vietnam War. Hurley is certainly a man that Oklahomans can be proud of.

Of course, some tragic events are not caused by communists or fascists, or any other human being. Oklahomans have had to endure the Dust Bowl and deadly tornadoes. But even in tragedy, Oklahomans have produced heroic figures, such as the elementary-school teachers who used their own bodies to protect their students during the horrific 2013 tornado that leveled hundreds of houses and an elementary school in the city of Moore.

As you read Dwyer’s book, you might think you are reading a novel, but it is all real. Dwyer gives us the facts, but also analyzes what they all mean to Oklahomans and to the rest of America. This book would make a great Christmas or birthday present.

— Steve Byas

## **Covid Delusion**

***COVID-19: A Dystopian Delusion: Examining the Machinations of Governments, Health Organizations, the Globalist Elites, Big Pharma, Big Tech, and the Legacy Media***, edited by Scott D. G. Ventureyra, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada: True Freedom Press, 2022, 324 pages, paperback.

The scientific interests of well-published Catholic theologian and philosopher Dr. Scott Ventureyra were never infectious diseases or works of supranational entities trying to reduce world population and establish tyrannical control over all humanity. However, when the Covid-19 pandemic hit Canada in March 2020, Ventureyra sensed that something was terribly wrong: The “democratic” governments of the world began imposing draconian restrictions that made little sense in terms of public health. The mainstream media engaged in unjustified fearmongering, and social media began censoring authors and content that contradicted the official narrative, no matter how logical and factual they were.

Speaking with *The New American* on the matter, the doctor said that what “really got to him” was the constant “flip-flopping” of high-ranking government officials shaping the pandemic policies and thus affecting the lives of hundreds of millions of people. One of the most notorious of them was Dr. Anthony Fauci of the U.S. National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), who frequently and erratically changed his health advice without much explanation. Similar patterns of chaos and confusion were observed even in the world’s most prestigious medical journals, which added to the doctor’s suspicions. Ventureyra and his co-authors felt compelled to delve deeper into the medical, political, psychological, and economic aspects of the pandemic and chronicle it in their book, *COVID-19: A Dystopian Delusion*.

But what could be the driving force behind what the authors called “Covid madness”? Once shrugged off as a silly “conspiracy theory,” the idea that there are powerful, evil forces plotting to establish a New World Order started to make sense to the authors when they began really studying the issue.

“For decades, the neo-conservative Republican establishment (i.e., the Bushes, Dick Cheney, Donald Rumsfeld, etc.) and the far-left Democratic Party (i.e., the Clintons, Obamas, Joe Biden, etc.) have



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embraced internationalism. These elites, despite their differences, have worked fervently to undermine US sovereignty and build a New World Order,” writes co-author Phil Fernandes in the second chapter of the book. Despite the fact that the aforementioned actors openly speak about their plans to build a centralized international government while subverting American sovereignty, the American public prefers to turn a blind eye to it.

Writes Fernandes,

Many Americans ignore the ongoing formation of a one-world government, often referred to as the “New World Order.” They do not want to be accused of espousing some type of “conspiracy theory.” However, global government is becoming a reality and Americans must take a stand against it.

To achieve their ends, the architects of the New World Order are “resetting” the “outdated” economic system of the West. The goals and mechanism of this process were unambiguously described by World Economic Forum (WEF) Chairman Klaus Schwab and Thierry Malleret in their book *COVID-19: The Great Reset*, which, without saying it explicitly, lays forth a plan to transform the international economy into global socialism.

Ventureyra’s book illustrates how all the pieces of a seemingly confusing pandemic puzzle fall into place when one keeps in mind the central goal behind the pandemic response. The employment of mind-control tactics, censorship of world-class scientists, lockdowns of businesses and schools, implementation of unstudied medical interventions, suppression of early treatments, and, finally, massive rollout of dangerous experimental gene therapies (aka Covid “vaccines”) all serve as the building blocks of the NWO.

Public inaction is no longer an option, the authors conclude. There’s just too much at stake. Writes Ventureyra in the epilogue,

The West is crumbling at an accelerated rate. The unfolding erasure of history, objective morality, and truth has paved the way for our current predicament. We are now standing at the precipice of the future of human civilization. The attacks on the human person are unrelenting, malicious, multifaceted, and wide-ranging in their scope and breadth, from the time prior to birth until the moment of death.

If you want to reject the Great Reset and join the movement to restore medical freedom, don’t miss *COVID-19: A Dystopian Delusion*.

— Veronika Kyrylenko



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