

Yanquis and Americans

May 27, 1923: the Son of Babylon¹ is born, the greatest Trotskyist of our day. No other man has orchestrated such a global effort to subjugate all nations to the preeminent social relation of our times. Lips to ear, bombs fall, borders open, he was an internationalist, a true utopian. While Marxists were playing toys² this guy was actually setting in motion the withering away of the state through permanent revolution. With the mass entanglement of America in the political and economic affairs of essentially all nations on Earth, American interests are now the interests of the entire world, or put differently, there are no longer American interests. To participate in the global economy, you need USD. Oil is priced in with petrodollars. You should hope that America continues to be prosperous, because the body of America has receded into the Earth and your solemn, storied nation now sits in its palm. Your economy is American, your laws are American, soon your people will become American. America sacrificed its position as a sovereign state in order to become a geographical plane where global capital can incorporate itself and use state power as a service.

But other than the most contemptible nations in the world, few have become truly American. France and Germany and England, despite pioneering the utopian liberal capitalist project, are still more characterized by uptight petit-bourgeois apologetic racism than flourishing multiculturalism. This seems mostly a side-effect of having a culture, a plight which Americans are free from. While some social structures that resist market penetration are easily identified and dissolved through economic development (the clan, the chapel, etc), historical memory is more difficult to erode. The success of the liberal project overall is dependent on the individuals of society being discrete monads that only have *so much* influence over each other and accumulate surplus in their lonesome instead of blowing it on the community potluck every week. After all, you can

1. "Any people who has been persecuted for two thousand years must be doing something wrong."

Nobel Peace Prize Winner
Destroyer of Worlds
Dr. Henry Kissinger



²Being slaughtered en masse.

only have so many freedoms within a close community, or within a less atomized culture. This is likely why, materialism aside, capitalism was born in England, the most autistic empire.

Here in America, though, we are not merely autistic. We are completely oblivious. Atomization leads no room for in-jokes or subtlety, it's all fake, it's all very real. Earnest self-confession and advertisement are the primary modes of social interaction. Because of the lack of any historical memory, the only thing Americans bond over are the fruits of Empire; consumption, jobs, immediately observable reality. I haven't read *Anti-Oedipus*³, but I'm told by good sources⁴ that this is basically what they meant by deterritorialization. Every American politician needs to balance advertising and confessing in equal degrees in order to appeal to the masses. And the freedom is material, not theoretical. Freedom is geographic, economic, social mobility. It's I-89, vast deserts, never seeing a face you know. There is no such thing as society. Human relations were never considered in exchange here. It is utterly liberating and soul crushing.

Like most world-empires throughout history⁵, America is sustained off of the successful and profitable extraction of energy from the Earth. Unfortunately, much of the American way of life is hedged on the notably un-renewable oil used to power their cars, a completely instrumental utility here as most of the landmass has been removed of life and replaced with corn fields. According to current reserves and consumption, there's forty-seven years of oil left, but really there's maybe forty years of status quo, fifty years of middle-upper class driving, and by the end of the century there's no more fossil fuels to go around. This foretells a future of a very different kind of America: parochial, dislocated, future BRICS partner.

Even before this future, though, the bells seem to have already begun to toll. Capitalism has

⁴<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Deterritorialization>



³I just don't associate with those guys anymore.



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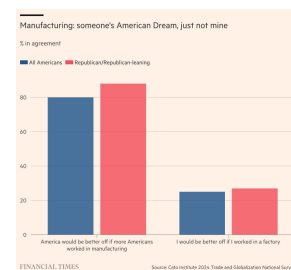
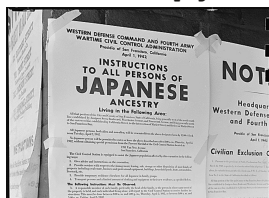
⁶The destruction of the natural world, the end of all life ever, etc.

even more pressing contradictions than possibly its most harrowing⁶, particularly deindustrialization in core countries and the offloading of the contradictions of capital to the periphery. This has led to a glut of service jobs in the core countries, typically low wage and low barrier to entry, and massive mobile populations from the periphery willing to do anything to escape their conditions. Obviously, this results in mass migrations. Politicians are then able to confuse the cause and effect and claim mass migration causes lower wages, and you have a pogrom situation. Someone, oh please someone, save our pure and good-hearted Canadian culture from the unwashed Brown masses, they don't even, um, play hockey? The current president of America has flirted with promises of reindustrialization, but despite the American people saying there should be some more factories in Syracuse, no one actually wants to work in them⁷. It's a treat-induced despair loop that only an influx of pro-White affirmative action office jobs can solve, but you can only have so many people unemployed, unfortunately.

Thus the support for America is even waning from the inside. Trump may claim to be pro-American, but American is really too broad a term, for the neoliberals and neocons and people with old new ideas. Trump is really pro-Yanqui, a time-honored illiberal tradition usually from south of the Mason-Dixon line. It's an ideology which posits that perhaps the United States of America should not be a body without organs⁸ for capital to puppeteer and instead act as a nation-state which actively attempts to curb the internal contradictions of capital. For southern aristocrats, this generally meant sedentary declinism, slavery forever⁹, have we tried pogroms?, etc. but I would argue that FDR¹⁰ is also a figurehead of the Yanqui movement, an attempt at creating a more proletarian (and fascist) American culture. But if it is not clear: Trump is a declinist who would like to be seen as FDR 2 but is, in fact, a declinist.

⁸They didn't know what it meant either.

¹⁰Have we tried pogroms?



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⁹The last American cultural movement.



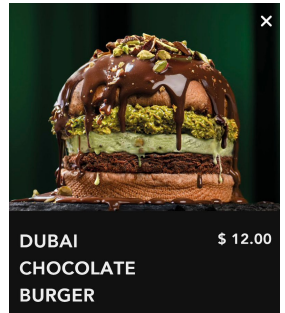
¹²."If it were not for the accident of my birth, I would be antisemitic."

Henry "Just not too big on Bengalis" Kissinger



Thankfully, even if America starts getting really into bauxite and rubber, Babylon has created children, and now they will scar the world forever. These are two, namely: Israel and the UAE¹¹. Israel has truly followed in the footsteps of America, enacting a genocide on the native Arab population in the proud name of Kissingerite antisemitism¹². In the noble name of the reclamation of their homeland, they're filling Arabs' homes with guys from Brooklyn who have been in the vague proximity of a menorah at least once. The Israeli project is one born of hatred and pride, but it is also made in the image of America. They are unwilling to govern Gaza with an Arab population, so they will remove everything in Gaza off the face of the Earth. In this vast empty space where only the ghosts of children and hopes remain, I'm thinking some AI slop, maybe some parking lots, and a railway to a city that doesn't exist¹³.

In the UAE, they're reviving another American tradition: slavery. Native Emiratis make up ~12% of the population. ~5% of the population is Westerners. Meanwhile, a shocking, sprawling 60% of the population is South Asian. These ~6.6 million people are almost all contract workers, non-citizen migrants, that are forced into crowded labor camps in really the worst possible conditions. The UAE's most populous city, Dubai, is ran by nice guy and hereditary monarch Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum who happened to abduct two of his daughters on separate occasions, one off the streets of Cambridge at age 21, the other from international waters off the coast of India at age 33. In 2023, the New York Times reported on the crown prince of the UAE's capital, Abu Dhabi, hiring a mercenary group built by Erik Prince of Blackwater fame, to "defend oil pipelines and skyscrapers from terrorist attacks" and if they "faced unrest in their crowded labor camps," among other bad reasons. The government also has a Ministry of AI. This is a state that has become dedicated to the hosting of their own minority native population (who make up less than a percent of the construction jobs migrant workers are doing)



¹¹.Here's my life as a 24 year old living in Dubai. First, I wake up, and stretch out those limbs! I drop by with Casey to the new bar in town to get a couple Matcha Towers, and then me and Jobriath went for a small shopping break. Cut to me in Kyle's back yard absolutely destroying a Dubai Chocolate Burger. Delicious, every time.

¹³.Netanyahu's Gaza 2035 plan, finally a guy that cares.



alongside Western pensioners and Silicon Valley types in skyscrapers built daily off the backs of millions of underpaid, forgotten laborers. The UAE is, like most of the Gulf states, trying its hardest to not be seen as a state, and instead as a collection of cities on a pretty coastline. It's sheikhs larping as a tech startup. It is an exercise in self-deteritorialization. Who ever said democracy was freedom?

These are the new models of America, and I put good confidence into the idea that they'll gain prevalence as America's power wanes, as capital flees to China and state intervention in the economy becomes the norm again. It should be said that, for most of the planet, the decline of America will likely be a very good thing, and this may even include Americans. If the dream of America dies and the Yanqui is ascendant in the North, it is possible that for the first time in the history of the United States, a white (latinx?) proletariat could be born, and maybe even create the first sparks of leftist ideology from the former liberal utopia. Maybe local multicultural communities will pop up out of necessity. Surely the Democratic Party will be obsolete as the sections of the economy it represented no longer exist. Maybe every election will be FDR vs Trump. Maybe, maybe, a shared history will be formed amongst the population, and the United States becomes a pluralistic nation instead of a multiracial one. In any case, I hope I'm not here to see it, and I'm glad less children will get drone striked.