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[Cuban Drug Could Save Thousands of Lives in Coronavirus Pandemic](#)

By [Steve Sweeney](#), March 17, 2020

Cuban medicine could treat thousands of coronavirus patients as production of a “flagship” drug known to combat the disease is set to increase significantly, pharmaceutical bosses said at a press conference on Friday.

President of the BioCubaFarma group Eduardo Martinez explained that the socialist island has developed 22 drugs that are set to be used to contain the outbreak.



[The Coronavirus Hoax. “Governments Love Crises”](#)

By [Rep. Ron Paul](#), March 17, 2020

Declaring a pandemic emergency on Friday, President Trump now claims the power to quarantine individuals suspected of being infected by the virus and, as Politico writes, “stop and seize any plane, train or automobile to stymie the spread of contagious disease.” He can even call out the military to cordon off a US city or state.

State and local authoritarians love panic as well. The mayor of Champaign, Illinois, signed an executive order declaring the power to ban the sale of guns and alcohol and cut off gas, water, or electricity to any citizen. The governor of Ohio just essentially closed his entire state.



[“Maximum-pressure March”: US Hybrid War on Venezuela Heats Up](#)

By [Leonardo Flores](#), March 17, 2020

The first quarter of 2020 has seen the Trump administration escalate its rhetoric against Venezuela. At the State of the Union, President Trump promised to “smash” and destroy the Venezuelan government. This was followed by a renewed [threat of a naval blockade](#) on the

country, which is an act of war under U.S. and international law. Then the State Department eagerly noted that the “[Monroe Doctrine 2.0](#)” will be “fleshed out in the weeks and months to come,” while declaring “maximum-pressure March” against Venezuela.



[Pandemic: The Invention of a Disease Called Fear. People are being “Herded”. Disrupting the World Economy](#)

By [Julian Rose](#), March 17, 2020

The word ‘pandemic’ bears a similarity to the word ‘panic’ and indeed ‘pandemonium’. In fact ‘pandemic’ evokes an almost instant flush of fear in those easily manipulated by mass media, before any details have even touched the surface or context in which the word is being used.

Those who plan the major moves on the chess-board of covert human control know that by leading with the word ‘pandemic’ they have an instantly effective weapon at their disposal to psychologically weaken the resistance of individuals vulnerable to irrational and impressionistic mind sets.



[5G: “The End of All Things”. The Health Impacts of Electromagnetic Radiation](#)

By [Dr. Gary Null](#) and [Richard Gale](#), March 17, 2020

Nobody seems to be asking whether the introduction of 5G will truly improve the quality of our lives. Is there any redeeming truth to telecom’s promises? There are none. But unlike a drug or unhealthy habits that can cause death, the FCC under the Clinton presidency passed legislation through Congress that hands over carte blanche permission to the telecommunications industry to directly violate our democratic freedoms of choice. Privacy will disappear altogether since this new technology increases surveillance capabilities exponentially.



[Is Washington’s Attack Against Chinese Media a Bad Joke?](#)

By [Andre Vltchek](#), March 17, 2020

What is the background to dispute between the U.S. and China?

In early February 2020, *The Wall Street Journal* published an article “*China Is the Real Sick Man of Asia*”. It was an insulting piece, vulgar in many ways. Some saw it as racist. It was taking advantage of pain Chinese people are experiencing due to the recent coronavirus epidemic, turning medical emergency into a political issue. It is something that could be easily defined as cheap journalism, and obvious propaganda. Stuff that is often written on order, in both North America and Europe.



[Diana Johnstone’s “Circle in the Darkness – Memoir of a World Watcher”](#)

By [Jim Miles](#), March 17, 2020

Much of what she writes is not news to those who do follow alternative news sites, but what is added is a strong personal perspective based on – not surprisingly – facts and truth, both from her own experiences in regions of concern and a wide arrange of conversations with both people of significant influence and those with no influence but feeling the impact of developments in their country. The details Johnstone adds are a strong and valuable retort to mainstream media disinformation that has “moved farther and farther away from informing the public and nearer and nearer to instructing them in what they should think.”



[We’re in a Recession, and It’s Likely to Get Worse](#)

By [Kevin Zeese](#) and [Margaret Flowers](#), March 17, 2020

The coronavirus epidemic is creating an ongoing teachable moment that could be used to transform the US economy. COVID-19 and the oil war are triggers leading to a recession that has its roots in record corporate and personal debt, longterm low wages and an artificially-inflated stockmarket. The shortcomings of US economic policy, the healthcare system, and workers’ rights are being magnified by the current crisis.



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