

# ***Steve Forbes Bogus Gold Standard Concept!***

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Steve Forbes, editor, publisher and owner of Forbes Magazine, is among the most familiar personalities in business and finance, and is well known by millions not active in those sectors. On June 2, 2011, at <http://www.thestreet.com/story/11141176/1/steve-forbes-pushes-modern-gold-standard.html> we find (quoted in italics) ---

*"NEW YORK (The Street) -- Before you scoff at the idea of a gold standard, Steve Forbes says to take another look. A "true" gold standard where every U.S. dollar in circulation is backed by gold is literally impossible. The amount of money in circulation is almost \$9 trillion. That's counting cash, deposits, traveler's checks, savings and money-market deposits. The amount of gold the United States holds, using a \$1,500 per ounce gold price, is \$400 billion. So a true gold standard would require the gold price to hit \$5,000 and for the government to remove \$8 trillion in paper currency from circulation. That or we buy all the bullion in the world -- 82,500 tons which would still only equal \$4 trillion -- and cut our money supply in half."*

Huh? 266,666,667 ounces (or so) of gold---the United States owns? Where is it? Oh, it's in Fort Knox, only we can't get independent audit confirmation it's truly there. You see---we aren't mature, wise and worthy like the world financiers are, that we may have the lid lifted on that situation to get actual confirmation. Thomas insisted on placing his fingers into the wounds of Christ, to see there was no trickery! He may have acted sacrilegiously; but we must act empirically; con men cannot be trusted. We have to be guided by proof rather than hollow assurances. Be aware however, that questioning the (purloined) contents of Fort Knox is more proof of "clinical mental disorder."

The National Institute for Mental Health "experts" would tell you so <http://www.nimh.nih.gov/index.shtml> As for Germans wanting several hundred tons of gold to be returned, it's easy enough to get a "mental illness" diagnosis about them also, because the financiers own the pharmaceutical industry and besides---didn't British actor Robert Shaw as the German tank commander in "Battle of the Bulge" (1966) callously tell his troops to "shoot the father?" That could be a legit reason to stall on the gold delivery!

Forbes is a fraud! A true gold standard is impossible? What makes him think paper dollars ever had any validity as money, except as gold notes or gold certificates? If government issued notes can't be converted into gold, how are they as good as gold? Then also we had silver certificate currency until mid-1968---those were real money, because they could be redeemed for the real thing! In researching silver certs, I consistently found accusations that they were causing inflation, while Federal Reserve fiduciary notes were **NOT** to blame! Hard gold and silver had/has only one drawback to paper notes---obviously, the weight! Gravity and space-saving made folding paper receipts more appealing. But the notes are fatally flawed, once removed from convertibility! We won't get into covering exactly what a gold or silver metallic dollar is. For more examination see [http://www.constitution.org/mon/what\\_is\\_a\\_dollar.htm](http://www.constitution.org/mon/what_is_a_dollar.htm) and beware the "only gold is money, silver is a lowly industrial metal" crowd.

"A true gold standard would require the gold price to hit \$5,000" and this would only cover half the money supply of dollars? Huh? Why should gold---or silver---be capped? Why should dollars be redeemed in gold only? If we correlate every printed and digital dollar in existence to gold, I am not clear on how many dollars it would be to one gold ounce---but a great deal of dollars! Dollars must be correlated also to silver, because if they're correlated to gold, many people would never be able to convert any dollars into gold, but could convert them to silver. President Van Buren presided over making it illegal to not convert banknotes on demand (special message to Congress, September 4, 1837). Steve Forbes would have us only be able to convert some---but

not all---dollars---into gold? Naturally it would be his pals who would enjoy the convertibility provision! The best thing is to let precious metals freely circulate as money! Why should any money of fiduciary issuance be regarded as actual money? While jewelers can't sell buyers a diamond certificate without a corresponding gemstone---FED notes have no corresponding gold or silver. Bankers have the best con of all. Yes, money can only be MINED! Forbes lamely suggested the U.S. could take an alternate route---"buy all the bullion in the world." Again---huh? It wouldn't be close to possible to do that no matter how high gold was priced in dollars, because people know precious metal is way up the scale of divinely appointed money over paper receipts which have been divorced from the essence of what they started out representing. Once people's basic necessities are met---and for some, add luxuries---they care not to part with scarce metal. Is Forbes a half wit? No---he's a monetary conspirator. We will peek into the innards of that situation in a closing paragraph!

*"Forbes acknowledges that this way of operating isn't realistic and proposes a different kind of gold standard. He proposes to set the U.S. dollar to a fixed rate in gold, say \$1,500, when the price rises above that level the **Federal Reserve** must raise rates and when it falls below the Fed can loosen monetary policy. Gold, in essence, would act as a check for the central bank and help regulate the U.S. dollar."*

Yes! Says Steve Forbes---cap the price of gold at \$1,500 per ounce! He said this at a time when gold was a few hundred dollars per ounce higher than the start of 2014---later you'll notice Forbes lowered his suggested cap on gold prices to \$1300 the ounce! I think Forbes wants to continue slashing at the gold price, until the marrow is on display! Does Steve Forbes not know a gold standard existed before the Federal Reserve System existed? Does Forbes not know that the world used gold as money way far back into history? Notice, he couldn't stomach to mention silver---it would have made him seriously ill, like a brush with Brazilian Ionomia caterpillars can make a person "bleed out" internally! Notice Forbes has no notion of a gold system absent the central bank! After Andrew Jackson forced shutdown of the

second United States Bank---his second administration ended with a SURPLUS! No central bank was necessary! Jackson did however increase minting gold coins! He also practiced his belief that gold and silver should circulate among the populace and in business transactions. Not only do I not see Steve Forbes calling for abolishing the Federal Reserve, he doesn't even call for it to be audited!

*"We don't need to own one ounce of gold," says Forbes in an exclusive interview with The Street, "you just keep it in a narrow range. Forbes calls this gold standard modern. "I think this is the realistic one for the world to have today."*

"We don't need to own one ounce of gold" crows the oatmeal faced Steve Forbes! He says "keep it in a narrow range." In quoting Forbes gold price recommendations I have cited his 2011 rate of \$1,500 and his more recent quote of \$1,300. Both suggested prices are proposed Fascist price caps on gold and an attempt at callously swindling the miners! Of course, since he doesn't run a gold mining enterprise, why should it matter to him about miners straining to be profitable at his suggested ceiling of \$1,300? Ahh, but he and his onerous, burdensome kind WILL make money with his proposals---by going SHORT the miners! If a Federal price cap of \$1,300 were imposed on gold, does Forbes not grasp all the implications? One of those being that gold miners will pull up stakes and relocate headquarters in other nations who aren't acting to hinder the viability of their operations? It additionally means closure of United States gold deposits once mining expenses start bumping up against Forbes proposed ceiling of \$1,300. Fascism is the government telling business what rate it may charge for its products! We have already had Fascism in U.S. Government actions in gold and silver! See "The Conspiracy Against Gold" (documenting Federally ordered closure of U.S. gold mines from October 8, 1942 through June 30, 1945) originally released at Silver Investor in May 2006 <http://nosilvernationalization.org/59.pdf> and "The Captain's The Thief!" released in July 2006 about the Nixon administration imposing a Federal price cap on domestically mined silver at \$1.61 the ounce

[investor.com/charlessavoie/cs](http://investor.com/charlessavoie/cs) "We don't need to own one ounce of gold," how would this have us be on monetary parity with China, India, Russia, France, Italy etcetera? It was the French refusal to be hoodwinked by paper dollars that led them to demand gold for dollars; we couldn't keep up the conversion, and the Pilgrims Society ordered Nixon to close the Treasury gold window! Is it the plan of the organization to drain America of gold and silver, to impoverish us, so as to bring us under United Nations control? Do these Anglo-American fiends plan to play off Russia against China in the Middle East, so they can once again be the leading military powers? Ask Steve Forbes what plans the inner circle Pilgrims members are hatching, because he's only in the middle circle of the Secret Society. "We don't need to own one ounce of gold," if people had been using gold and silver coins as money like they're supposed to be using---the credit card, debit card fiasco recently reported with transactions at Target Stores nationwide---some 110 million victims---would not have happened.

*"The typical gold standard takes a lot of heat with critics who cry that it would potentially lead the United States into a catastrophic recession as the Fed would lose all its monetary power. "Once you remove the central bank's ability to shape monetary policy by basically tying it to gold and only to gold, you've got a problem," argues Jon Nadler, senior analyst at Kitco.com, who thinks an economic contraction would result from a gold standard and also questions its past successes."*

Forbes cited Jon Nadler as a monetary wise man! That's akin to calling a restaurant garbage dumpster diving street bum a culinary connoisseur. Better still it can be compared to calling 1966 Chicago slasher Richard Speck a "dexterous surgeon." Nadler has been associated with such Pilgrims Society entities as HSBC (its U.S. subsidiary was previously listed as a Silver Users Association member) and Bank of America (also previously on the SUA roster!) In spite of the wind up key sticking out of his back driving him to be a cretin in pecuniary matters, Nadler did, very likely by accident, say something correct here---if only partially! Monetary policy should not be tied "to gold and only to gold."

Gold must be correlated to silver and silver to gold. Silver has been a monetary powerhouse for millennia---really more so than gold, in terms of number of transactions! The shadiest dealings in financial history involve sabotage of silver by major gold holders---followed by---the major gold holders also derailed gold and pushed the planet onto fiat systems! Silver is past due for a violent revaluation higher against gold, because the ratios of above ground silver to gold and that of mine reserves of silver to gold dictate it must happen. Thinking silver is only an industrial metal is playing into the hands of megabankers and their ravenous kept pets, the silver users!

*"The United States has been on a gold standard several times with the most recent being the Bretton Woods system between 1945-1971. During that time there were limited banking crises as world currencies were linked to the dollar, which was linked to gold, but then the U.S. economy faltered during the Vietnam War. The United States didn't have enough money to pay for the war and President Nixon dissolved the gold standard in 1971 in favor of floating currency rates and the possibility of creating more cash."*

Bretton Woods was patently fraudulent, as it did nothing to rectify Franklin Roosevelt's ban on gold ownership by Americans. Foreigners could convert dollars into gold but Americans could not! "The possibility of creating more cash" what a laugh, there's no limits on printing junk.

At <http://www.forbes.com/sites/steveforbes/2013/05/08/heres-what-a-new-gold-standard-could-look-like/> we notice Forbes remarking (in blue) ---

*"The American dollar was linked to gold from the time of George Washington until the early 1970s. If the world's people are to realize their full economic potential, relinking the dollar to gold is essential. Without it we will experience more debilitating financial disasters and economic stagnation. What should a new gold standard look like? Representative Ted Poe (R-Tex.) has introduced an original and practical version. Unlike in days of old we don't need piles of the yellow metal for a new standard to*

*operate. Under Poe's plan—an approach I have long favored—the dollar would be fixed to gold at a specific price. For argument's sake let's say the peg is \$1,300. If the price of gold were to go above that, the Federal Reserve would sell bonds from its portfolio, thereby removing dollars from the economy to maintain the \$1,300 level. Conversely, if the gold price were to drop below \$1,300, the Fed would "print" new money by buying bonds, thereby injecting cash into the banking system. An effective gold standard can be that simple. What gets lost in the discussion is that the yellow metal is merely a means of measuring the value of the dollar. The fact that a foot has 12 inches doesn't restrict the number of square feet you can have in a house. The fact that a pound has 16 ounces doesn't restrict your weight, alas—it's simply a measurement. The virtue of a properly constructed gold standard is that it's both stable and flexible—stable in value and flexible in meeting the marketplace's natural need for money."*

As of May 2013, Forbes felt miners gold production shouldn't receive more than \$1,300 per ounce. Being a Fascist, statist type, Forbes naturally is a price-capping parasite! If gold is pegged at \$1,300, eventually there wouldn't even be enough for the domestic gold jewelry market---a black market would start up---and gold mined elsewhere wouldn't be attracted here. This second generation Pilgrims Society member proposes to allow none of his vaunted "flexibility" to gold producers---they are welcome to continue being trampled on. The way he raved about inches and ounces was extraordinarily specious, but will hoodwink the credulous into the delusion he's crafted. Impishly grinning Feeve Storbes (ha ha) media organization continues to run silver down <http://www.forbes.com/sites/nathanlewis/2013/01> ---

*"Silver coins were also used, but by then they had become token coins, just like our token coins today. By 1910, most countries in the world officially had "monometallic" monetary systems, with gold alone as the standard of currency value. This eliminated many of the difficulties of bimetallic systems, which had caused minor but chronic problems in the earlier 19th century."*

That last quote came from a hired hack reporting to Steve--- Nathan Lewis. Look at him running down silver---with the

approval of anti-silver activist Steve Forbes, Pilgrims Society member! "Difficulties of bimetallic systems" is mere code language for "British-American financiers back of the Bank of England and the Federal Reserve knew they'd have to flex their influence to prevent silver mining nations from using their resources to become stronger financially, so that the Anglo-American financiers could better exploit the silver producing nations."

On November 1, 2013, this hack for Steve Forbes, Nathan Lewis piously belched out this awful blather <http://www.forbes.com/sites/nathanlewis/2013/11/01/china> ---

*"We also have plenty of silver coins, whether leftover 90%-silver dimes and quarters from the 1950s, or newly-minted Silver Eagles from the U.S. Mint."*

What? Lewis isn't a silver coin dealer or investor! If he were he'd realize more 90% silver coin exists by weight or by face value, than 1950s coins! Clearly, an imbecile feigning to be an expert. His next horrid lie is one of the most offensive, willful falsifications I've seen literally in years! His head should be used as a speed ball for boxers! Have a look---

*"In the mid-1870s, something unprecedented happened: the market value of silver dropped dramatically compared to gold. In effect, silver was "demonetized" by something like a consensus vote of humanity. Governments had to follow along, but they didn't instigate the change."*

I was really anticipating this molded over hack sponsored by Pilgrims Society conspirator Steve Forbes to pontificate about the Comstock Lode silver being the cause of silver being demonetized---the standard prostitute economist misrepresentation was that silver became "too abundant" to be used as money! Naturally they ignore the California gold rush---the Australian gold strikes---and the gold that came from the Mount Davidson, Nevada area! Lewis says the masses demanded silver be demonetized! Can World Wrestling Entertainment performer Brock Lesnar slap the Kimura arm lock on this creep? "Governments didn't instigate the change," what a vile, horrible,

thoroughly demonized liar! The "Crime of '73" certainly fell in the time period he mentions---it caused severe, indescribable suffering, especially in America, China and India! Silver demonetization was imposed on the millions by a few elite financiers bribing Congress! The common man usually had no gold coin, but he did have some silver coins! Why would he suddenly decide to commit financial suicide by saying, "oh, I can't stand to use silver as money any more, it's best to not have any money, go broke and have my farm foreclosed if silver is the only money I can have!" Nathan's mama forgot to wash his lying mouth out with soap! Silver demonetization came on the heels of the monumental catastrophe of the Civil War---planned and caused by Great Britain! The North was financed by such as August Belmont and the South by the Erlangers. Top military brass from both sides in the Civil War were charter members of The Pilgrims Society in New York in 1903---the top, top, British sponsored organization ever---General Joseph Wheeler of the Confederate Army of Tennessee; major general Julius Stahel of the Union Army; and four commanders from the North who weren't old enough in the Civil War to have been generals---but they were lieutenant generals---Adna R. Chaffee; Henry Clark Corbin; and Samuel B.M. Young! Obviously they were invited to be members to help The Pilgrims Society plan World War One!

Steve Forbes speaks out of both sides of his mouth; compare this item dated October 3, 2012 to the preceding <http://www.forbes.com/sites/steveforbes/2012/10/03/gold>

Forbes lauded his hack "noted monetary expert Nathan Lewis," we already heard from Lewis as to his view that silver is only a "token" monetary instrument that he implies belongs on the junk-heap of history! If Forbes wants to convince Charlie Savoie he's REALLY on our side, he now has the opportunity---let him post a full roster of The Pilgrims Society---both the New York and the London branches---for 2014. This I seriously doubt he would do! And I don't have funds sufficient to encourage such action. He is a billionaire, but not wealthy enough to be an inner circle member of the Crown sponsored group. If you were considering someone for hire, and you heard the person say both good and bad

things---and the bad things were bad in a major way---would you delude yourself and hire him anyway, based on the good things he says, combined with gullible personality appeal he had with those who wanted to believe the good things he said, were actually his real intentions? He said "we don't need to own one ounce of gold" he says---DOCUMENTED! Friends, do YOU believe you "don't need to own one ounce of gold?" How about silver, which Steve Forbes hired hack Nathan Lewis badmouthed? Steve Forbes is NOT on our side! He's just liable to support "emergency measures" to "save the dollar" by seconding calls for us to "be patriotic" and turn in our gold and silver to the Treasury Department! His hack Nathan Lewis says silver isn't a real monetary metal! Steve Forbes may be the mesmerizing Elvis of financial publishing, but popularity and charisma can't excuse hokey statements. He'd have us continue in a monetary house of rotten timbers!

Let's have a brief look at the Forbes family! It portends to ascertain the contents of this foreboding can without a label, bulging at both ends---

Malcolm Forbes (1919-1990), Pilgrims Society member, father of Pilgrims Society member Steve Forbes---



Did Forbes publish any article in 1960-1965 backing retention of 90% silver coinage? No way, podnuh! He knew governors of six states and owned a palace in Morocco, North West Africa to which invited the powerful [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Malcolm\\_Forbes](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Malcolm_Forbes)

Page 1120, 1980-1981 Who's Who in America---

**FORBES, MALCOLM STEVENSON**, publisher, author, former state senator; b. N.Y.C., Aug. 19, 1919; s. Bertie Charles and Adelaide (Stevenson) F.; grad. cum laude, Lawrenceville Acad., 1937; A.B., Princeton, 1941; L.H.D., Nasson Coll., 1966, LL.B, Okla. Christian Coll., 1973; Litt.D., Milliken U., 1974; D.F.A., Franklin Pierce Coll., 1975; D.Sc. in Bus. Adminstrn., Bryant Coll., 1976; D.Journalism, Babson Coll., 1977; LL.D., Am. Grad. Sch. Internat. Mgmt., 1977; m. Roberta Rensen Laidlaw, Sept. 21, 1946; children—Malcolm Stevenson, Robert Laidlaw, Christopher Charles, Timothy Carter, Moira Hamilton. Owner, pub. Fairfield Times, weekly, Lancaster, Ohio, 1941; est. Lancaster Tribune, weekly, 1942; asso. pub. Forbes Mag. Bus., N.Y.C., 1946-54, pub., editor, 1954-57, pub., editor-in-chief 1957—; v.p. Forbes Inc., N.Y.C., 1947-64, pres., 1964—; chmn. bd. 60 Fifth Ave. Corp.; chmn. bd., pres. Slegers-Forbes Inc.; pres. Forbes Trinchera Inc.; chmn. Fiji Forbes; founder, pres., pub. Nations Heritage, bi-monthly, 1948-49; chmn. bd. Sangre de Cristo Ranches Inc.; v.p. Investors Adv. Inst., Inc., 1948-54, pres., 1954-56, dir., 1960—. Campaign chmn. A.R.C., Somerset Hills, N.J., 1949. Republican candidate for gov. N.J., 1957; N.J. del.-at-large 1960 Rep. Nat. Conv. Bd. dirs. Naval War Coll., 1975—; trustee St. Mark's Sch.; bd. dirs. Coast Guard Acad. Found. Mem. Borough Council Bernardsville, N.J.; state senator, 1952-58. Served with inf. AUS, 1942-45. Decorated Bronze Star, Purple Heart; named Young Man of Year, N.J. Jr. C. of C., 1951; recipient Aeronauts trophy, Harmon award, 1974; asso. officer Order of St. John; hon. paramount chief Nimba tribe, Liberia. Mem. St. Andrew's Soc., 84th Inf. Div. Assn., Def. Orientation Conf. Assn., N.J. Hist. Soc., Nat. Aero. Assn. (dir., exec. v.p.), Internat. Balloonists Assn., Balloon Fedn. Am. (dir.), Aircraft Owners & Pilots Assn., Lighter than Air Soc., Brit. Balloon and Airship Club, Internat. Soc. Balloonpost Specialists, Confrerie des Chevaliers du Tastevin, Pilgrims of U.S. Episcopalian (vestryman). Clubs: Princeton; Essex Fox Hound; New York Racquet and Tennis, New York Yacht; Links; Staniel Cay. Author: Fact and Comment, 1974, The Sayings of Chairman Malcolm, 1978. Home: Timberfield Far Hills NJ 07931 Office: 60 Fifth Ave New York NY 10011

This is from my personal library! Steve Forbes great grandfather Henry Bell Laidlaw (1838-1902, ancestry highlighted in red) founded Laidlaw & Company in 1873 and was a governor of the New York Stock Exchange for 13 years; in 1880 the firm moved

to 14 Wall Street <http://laidlawholdingsplc.wordpress.com/tag/un> Forbes senior held some important positions, not the least of which his long time directorate of the Naval War College. His membership in the Defense Conference Orientation Association is somewhat of an eyebrow raiser; it looks like more influence peddling to shear the U.S. taxpayers <http://www.doca.org/about/mission-statement/> Even the Liberian connection may be hokey---the January 7, 1977 episode of "The Rockford Files," detailed the fraud of Liberian dual registration of ocean going freight vessels---still taking place and mentioned by Rockefeller biographer William Hoffman. The Links club founded in 1921 has been called "the most powerful club in the world" <http://valuablebook.wordpress.com/2012/10/01/the-most-powerful-club-in-the-world-the-links/> by someone who never heard of The Pilgrims Society---the Links is only an important conduit to The Pilgrims. In 1969 Forbes bought large mountain acreage in Colorado, which was sold in 2007 for a 20 to 1 return <http://www.landreport.com/2007/11/deal-book-2007-sale-of-the-forbes-trinchera-ranch/> Understand? Pilgrims Society members "only deal in deals." Forbes Senior owned a chateau in Normandy, France, and the island of Lauthala in Fiji. Moira Hamilton Forbes married Kenneth Bruce Mumma (correct spelling) founder and chairman of New Century Bank. Kenneth is also former chairman of "Customers Bank" <http://customersbank.com/officers.php> which started in 1997 as New Century Bank; he remains a director of the successor institution, now north of \$3 billion assets. Mumma is a lawyer near Philadelphia. His wife---Steve Forbes sister---is secretary of the Triskeles Foundation in Exton, Pennsylvania, which speaks of doing things "on a global scale," meaning, more one-worlders <http://triskeles.org/about-us/board> "Triskeles" is Greek meaning "three interlocked spirals," like the symbol the Trilateral Commission uses---probably another allusion to the Biblical 666!

Mumma may or may not be a Pilgrims Society member; a roster remains unattainable; but clearly for in-laws and children who don't become members, some system is in place to assure their influence will be entirely under the organizations direction!

Son Steve married Sabina Beekman in 1971, a typical pattern, as Pilgrims Society members keep fortunes in their Society by marriage---same pattern used by royalty dating back over 1,000 years. The leaked list of The Pilgrims dated 1957 showed Fenwick Beekman on the group's executive committee tenure to start in 1958. Fenwick was an MD---a surgeon who was a fellow of the American College of Surgeons and treasurer of the New York County Medical Society and was president of the New York Historical Society---among many other positions, accomplishments and affiliations (Who's Who, 1950-1951, page 184). Fenwick married Sabina Wood Struthers in 1912. The firm of Wood, Struthers & Winthrop had the same names as her ancestry---confirmed to not be coincidence. The Winthrops date back to colonial governors of Massachusetts and had a hand in the creation of the Federal Reserve System in the person of Senator Aldrich (Pilgrims Society), a Winthrop descendant. No wonder Pilgrims Society member Steve Forbes doesn't feel it necessary to get rid of the Federal Reserve as part of a restored gold standard! Beekman Winthrop (leaked list of The Pilgrims 1940, a director of the huge National City Bank) and Robert Winthrop (leaked list of The Pilgrims 1969, director of First National City Bank and International Banking Corporation) maintained the interlock of these families. Fenwick Beekman was grandfather to Steve Forbes wife Sabina Beekman; their name was also well known as Beekman Downtown Hospital. That Hospital became New York Downtown Hospital and is associated with Beekman Tower in Manhattan---a skyscraper of 76 stories! In these ever more complex Pilgrims Society genealogies on Beekmans, Winthrops and related families we encounter that Moses Taylor (1806-1882), a top 19<sup>th</sup> century railroad and banking baron, figures in; and so does Tom Kean (Pilgrims Society) who chaired the 911 Commission! Fenwick Beekman

wasn't merely a wealthy doctor---he was inheritor of a fairly colossal fortune very likely larger than that left by Forbes Senior! Beekman, an ancestral Dutch name, was originally spelled "Beeckman." In "History of the Great American Fortunes" by financial historian Gustavus Myers (1937) page 44—

"Henry Beeckman, the astute and smooth founder of a rich and powerful family, was made **a magnate of the first importance** by a grant from Fletcher of a tract **sixteen miles in length** in Dutchess County, and also of another estate **running twenty miles** along the Hudson and eight miles inland. This was a towering fortune for the period; in its actual command of labor, necessities, comforts and luxuries **it ranked as a power of transcending importance.**"

Benjamin Fletcher was British Colonial Governor of New York, 1692-1697. By making huge land grants under Royal authority, the stage was set for the multiplication of wealth for future generations of the original beneficiaries---persons in a time procession who would be expected to show gratitude towards the British Crown and "cooperate" with its intentions. Many old-line ancestries in The Pilgrims Society trace to just such Royal land grants. This is enough of a peek into the lineage of anti-silver activist, bogus gold standard promoter Steve Forbes. It is ugly, reeking, sinister, devious, dangerous and thoroughly awful! According to <http://www.forbes.com/fdc/bios/steveforbes.html> he is a trustee of the Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation (Pilgrims Society members are literally crawling all over every President---including deceased ones---he also since 2001 is a trustee of the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library---possibly to see that bankers aren't blamed for Lincoln's death); he was a Princeton University trustee from 1992-2002 (anti-silver economics department); currently on the board of visitors of the School of Public Policy of Pepperdine University; chairman (1985-1993) of International Broadcasting Corporation; board of overseers since 1989 of the Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center. In 1884 a member of the Astor family (Pilgrims Society) helped start the hospital. In 1936 Pilgrims Society member John D. Rockefeller Jr. donated land for a new site. Sloan Kettering is

part of The Pilgrims Society's drive to loot the country using costly medical treatments; it ignores or denounces any naturalistic means of boosting health or treating disease. Reason being---these spidery looters don't drain your finances when you rely on natural remedies. Butter for example is a strong discourager of cancer <http://www.poliquingroup.com/Tips/tabid/130/EntryId/307/Six-very-healthy-things> What you want to bet Steve Forbes holds tons of shares in Big Pharma? I don't read his rag, but do pharmaceuticals advertise in it? Patronage equals influence peddling! More of Steve Forbes bogus patriotism is seen in the matter of his being a director of the National Endowment for Democracy (1994-1998) and president of Freedom House since 1993---warmonger fronts. Of course, military defense contractors advertise in his magazine, and war is more lucrative than peace. In 2001 he was on the advisory council of British-American Business, another Pilgrims Society front. His younger brother Tim, also with the media enterprise, has been a director since 1993 of the Margaret Thatcher Foundation---again showing Forbes family interest in British matters; or rather, their interest in having America be under British influence! The Pilgrims London hosted Prime Minister Thatcher on January 29, 1981.

Not only is Steve Forbes a Pilgrims Society member, his kid brother Christopher is also and he married Baroness Astrid M. Von Heyl Zu Herrnsheim <http://rittenhouse.blogspot.com/2002/06/oh-dear> Christopher and his aristocratic wife are both friends of The Queen, Royal patron of The Pilgrims Society <http://www.london-gazette.co.uk/issues/53381> Astrid is also a niece to the famous Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands, a longtime Bilderberg Conference personality <http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/business/3014110.stm> While Bilderberg is to The Pilgrims what a black bear is to a grizzly, it again shows the cross-linkage between the two globalist groups, Bilderberg being started in 1954 as another subsidiary to The Pilgrims Society, existing largely to indoctrinate transitory politicians like Presidential contenders John Edwards and Rick

Perry. Steve Forbes is even dirtier than I thought, and his family is involved in globalist intrigues more bizarre than Halloween.

See at <http://www.nndb.com/people/452/000024380/> Steve "Shady" Forbes--- second generation Pilgrims Society member, anti-silver activist and gold conspirator---



Shady Steve, posing behind the blinds of public unawareness, seems to be thinking "Hic Et Ubique"---Here And Everywhere---

The Pilgrims Society motto! He owns the family estate in Bedminster, New Jersey, which is described as worth "up to \$55 million." I want you to think about all the full page color ads in

Forbes Magazine over the years---ads by J.P. Morgan & Company---Chase Manhattan Bank---and later by JPMorgan Chase---Bankers Trust Company---HSBC Bank---Barclay's Bank---Morgan Stanley---Goldman Sachs---and other major precious metals antagonists---all crawling with Pilgrims Society

members---and ask yourself---how is it possible all that patronage has had no impact on his real views on precious metals? Silver Users Association companies---who can be expected to have Pilgrims Society members on their boards---are also Forbes advertisers---Du Pont and Dow Chemical in particular---hence the Forbes sponsored stance by Nathan Lewis that silver isn't money! Here's some info from the NNDB link on Shady Steve---

**Executive summary:** Owner and publisher of *Forbes* magazine

**Military service:** National Guard

**Father:** Malcolm Forbes (publisher, b. 19-Aug-1919, d. 24-Feb-1990)

**Wife:** Sabina Beekman (m. 1971, five daughters)

Daughter: Roberta

Daughter: Sabina

Daughter: Catherine

Daughter: Moira

Daughter: Elizabeth

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Draft Deferment: Vietnam 2-S

Draft Deferment Vietnam: 1-D (14-Jul-1970)

The Committee on the Present Danger; Foundation for the Defense of Democracies; Heritage Foundation; Project for the New American Century---are all warmonger, foreign country interventionist organizations---and Pilgrims Society front organizations! He authored (March 12, 2012) "War With Iran is

Coming”

<http://www.forbes.com/sites/steveforbes/2012/02/22/war-with-iran-is-coming/>

In colonial times, some Forbes moved here from Scotland and became wealthy in the Boston area; one of them was William Cameron Forbes, profiled in “The Silver Stealers” as a major silver antagonist and another Pilgrims Society member. This earlier migration of Forbes to America took part in the Chinese opium “trade,” and was paid for the deadly narcotic in silver--- they also had Winthrop linkage! So the grandfather of Steve Forbes who came to America in the 19<sup>th</sup> century may easily be--- and highly likely is---another genetic offshoot

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Forbes\\_family](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Forbes_family) Robert Bennett Forbes, so Wiki tells us, was an opium dealer but also involved with “charitable activities.” You do not gain wealth by harmful means, then give out a few percent of it, and call yourself charitable.

I haven’t looked to discover the primary bank and the primary law firm Forbes company uses; odds are very high they’re the typical Pilgrims Society entities like David, Polk & Wardwell and Wells Fargo or Bank of New York Mellon. The mesh of these webs is drawn very tightly! I sure can’t help any confused person who can’t see the relevance of the details I’ve collected about Steve Forbes, because a person’s background, ancestry, and connections reveal what sort he is---Forbes is another globalist, as is his entire family. He isn’t for any type of gold standard that will actually benefit the middle class. I recommend dismissing him as a source on gold!

In 1996, very likely to gain trust of hard money advocates, Steve Forbes campaigned for Ron Paul’s House re-election in his Texas district. But look---in 2008 Forbes campaigned for McCain for President! McCain’s father was an admiral whose name appears in the leaked 1969 list of The Pilgrims! McCain is also a warmonger, “neocon,” and advocate of Patriot Acts, indefinite detention without trial, and so forth. Is Steve Forbes actually a free market advocate favoring limited government and a real precious metals standard? No---he only does and says just

enough to scam the trusting---those who want to believe a big shot like him has actually come over to our side. So what that Pilgrims Society member Steve Forbes once campaigned for Ron Paul? Since then his pal Senator McCain has clashed with Senator Rand Paul---Ron Paul's son---over the indefinite detention BS <http://dailycaller.com/2012/12/19/rand-paul-john-mccain-spar-over-ndaa-indefinite-detention>

Steve Forbes trashes the view that his uptown kind, with centuries of wealth interrelated by marriage and connections to big shots overseas are involved in any monetary conspiracies---

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uHeVVuNWmlo>