

## 'Silk Road Lady' in New York

Telga Zepp LaRouche held a series of seminars and briefings in New York City on Feb. 27-28, entitled "The Eurasian Land-Bridge: The 'New Silk Road'-locomotive for worldwide economic development." Representatives from twenty-six nations, as well as from the internatinal press, attended a Feb. 27 afternoon briefing. The next day, eleven Chinese journalists attended an "insiders' briefing" in Lower Manhattanwhich was then reported, within 48 hours, in both mainland China and Taiwan, through television and radio, and in every major Chinese-language press outlet in the United States.

The headline of the Hong Kongbased Sing Tao newspaper read, "Helga LaRouche Releases a new Special Report Titled: Construct Eurasian Land-Bridge To Invigorate The World." The United Journal, circulated throughout the U.S. and Canada, reported: "Mrs. Zepp LaRouche said that at present the superficial prosperity of the Western economies is, in fact, simply 'bubble economies.' The key character of this kind of economy is that, over 90% of capital investments flow into purely speculative financial instruments; that this form of economy is reaching the point of serious crisis and collapse, which

Helga Zepp LaRouche addresses Land-Bridge seminar.

one day in the future, when it collapses, will cause a terrible crisis for the world."

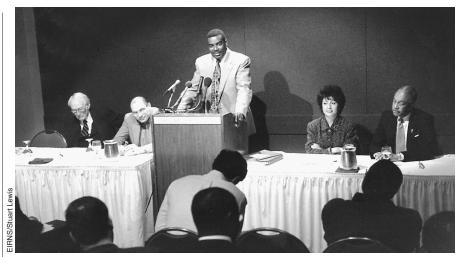
The Schiller Institute's recent re-publication of the groundbreaking study of Chinese physical economy written by Dr. Sun Yat-sen, The Vital Problem of China, was cited by the World Journal. "Helga Zepp LaRouche, at yesterday afternoon's press conference, stated that today's China cannot get rid of the present crisis, without reading Sun Yat-sen's 'The Vital Problem of China' . . . [T]his book ought to be on every Chinese family's bookshelf . . . Lady LaRouche . . . has for many years . . . devoted herself to push the countries in Europe and Asia to build the Eurasian Land-Bridge. . . . Sun Yat-sen . . . envisaged the Land-Bridge as the key construction item."

The International Daily News was particularly optimistic: "[Zepp LaRouche] believes that the phenomena of the world economy nowadays are totally fake, that is, the phenomena of the bubble economy. . . . She proposed, that the two biggest economic powers in the world, China and the United States, should take the leadership and cooperate with other countries to build up a railway that circles the world, which looks like a great bridge connecting all parts of the world."

## Sudan Briefing Book To Counter Media Lies

About Sudan?" is the title of a comprehensive briefing book released by the Schiller Institute at a well-attended press conference in the nation's capital March 20. The briefing book was presented by Schiller Institute spokesman Lawrence Freeman, who has led two fact-finding delegations to Sudan, one in September 1996, and a second in February of this year.

In addition to Freeman, speakers at the press conference were Rep. Theo Mitchell, former South Carolina State Senator, and María Elena Milton, former Democratic candidate for Congress from Arizona's 4th C.D., both of whom Please turn to page 78



Delegation reports Sudan fact-finding. Podium: Rep. Thomas Jackson. Seated (left to right): Rep. James Mann, Lawrence Freeman, María Elena Milton, Rep. Theo Mitchell.