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It is a matter of course that dictator manipulates public opinion with cunning manner. Even if the constitution prohibits the multiple selection of president, it might be revised unanimously. He becomes the lifetime president. The state will be at the discretion of the dictator. His power becomes quite strong. The regime looks like to continue forever. Then the dictator will transfer his power to his descendant. In Syria, president post was taken over from Hafiz Assad to his son, Bashar Assad, in 2000. Gaddafi of Libya and Mubarak of Egypt were the same whereas resulting in failure.

But absolute power corrupts absolutely. During the long dictatorship, political and social organization erodes gradually. The economy falls into trap of stagflation. Daily life of ordinary people seems not to have been influenced at first sight because the prices of bread, gasoline, water and electricity are maintained in low under the claptrap policy. But the jobless is wandering on the street and ordinary citizens suffer from opaque syndrome which cannot forecast the future.

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