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IN THE FAR EAST.

While the telegraphic advices from the far east and from the diplomatic centres of Europe from day to day fluctuate between peace and war, there is to be observed that the prolonged negotiations have not removed any of the important and material causes of war. There is a deep antipathy between the people of Russia and the people of Japan. Japan has been greatly wronged by Russia, robbed outright of the fruits of her victory over China eight or nine years ago and constantly menaced by the glacier like advances of Russia towards and into Korea. And the fact that Russia has always been a treaty-breaker, regardless of justice when it stood in the way of her purposes, renders the work of diplomacy at such a time as this doubly difficult.

It seems impossible for Japan to peacefully abandon her claim to precedence in Korea, or to make Northern Korea a neutral zone as Russia asks. There is more than a suspicion, there is almost the certainty that Russia would within a few years make of the so called neutral zone another Manchuria. She would on one pretext or another, or without a pretext obtain a foothold there from which it would be impossible to dislodge her by force. The vast army and powerful fleet which Russia has massed in the east are not there merely for purposes of defence. They are there in pursuance of a purpose of aggression and conquest. They are there to extend the boundaries of the Empire of the Czar, whether by resistless pressure or active and forceful aggression.

As we have said, the underlying trouble, the fact that both Russia and Japan have designs upon Korea, has not been removed. It may be questioned whether it is removable by all the resources of diplomacy. The reasons why Russia will not abandon Korea to Japan and shut herself out of the coveted territory are sufficiently clear. A Japanese Korea would be a thorn in her side for all time. It would be a hostile wedge thrust in and very near to the vitals of her eastern empire. It would forever shut her out from her much coveted ice-free port. With Japan

and soldiers on the banks of the Yalu, Russia's railway communication between Port Arthur and Vladivostok could be severed at almost a moment's notice, and with the Japanese fleet at Masampo Russia's communications by sea would be equally precarious.

Is it for these and other reasons that the differences between Japan and Russia have been all along regarded by The Guardian as irreconcilable. For these reasons, we have been very distrustful of the occasional reports of favorable progress in the negotiations and the sometimes peaceful outlook as noted the despatches from the east. The war may be delayed for weeks, perhaps for months, but we fear it is inevitable because of differences and contenting ambitions and interests which are not removable by diplomacy. And we have all along felt that Russia expects war in the end and has been diplomatically playing for delay, only in order to gain time and strengthen her armies and fleets at the scene of the coming conflict.

UNION MEN INDICTED IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Indictments were voted by the grand jury against two union men, John Finna and Bart Haver, on charges of having assaulted policemen at the time of the city railway strike. Five members of the Brewers and Malsters' Union were also indicted.

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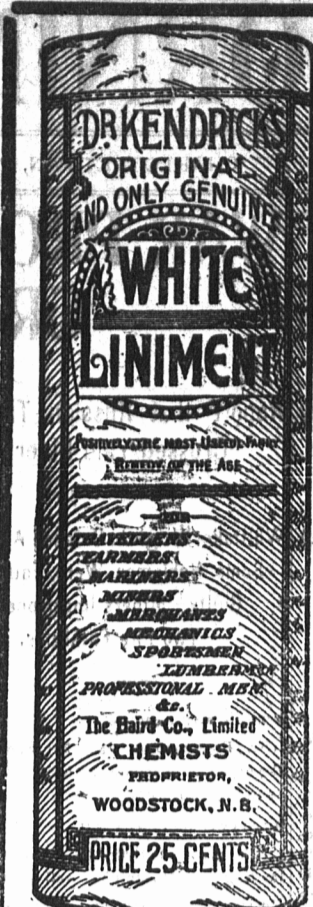
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