

# U. S. HELP WOULD END CHAOS HERE

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America to go ahead and she prefers to go hand in hand with the U. S., but then we have our policy of self-determination for all nationalities to consider.

"What is the Japanese home political situation?" he was asked. "Japanese government is peculiar," replied Mr. Vanderlip. "It is difficult to ascertain where the power actually is concentrated. It is not in the emperor's hands, nor in the hands of peers nor in the diet. Two elder statesmen survive. There is a belief that Prince Yamagata, one of them, is the power behind the throne."

**ENGLAND DELAYING TREATY**  
"Because it is difficult to put one's finger on this power and fix responsibility, England, I understand, has delayed renewing the Anglo-Japanese treaty. The Japanese foreign minister may pledge his word to do one thing and the Japanese government whatever it may be, may do another."

"There are really two factions in Japan, the militarists who are now in control and the rising tide of democracy, which if not forestalled by some affair that would shake all Japan might be within the ascendancy within six years."

"It is interesting to note that Japan's army and navy are responsible only indirectly to the diet, both branches of the war service choosing their own officers and directing heads. The diet may make appropriations but the heads of the army and navy may exceed them, or incur obligations which the nation is called upon in honor to meet."

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Discussing the California exclusion act, Mr. Vanderlip said he believed mutually satisfactory arrangements could be brought about between the two countries which would eliminate further irritation over immigration from Japan. The cordial co-operation of Japan can be obtained, Mr. Vanderlip believed in restricting immigration of Japanese labor entirely if the matter were taken up in a sympathetic and courteous manner with the Japanese government.

"Using the right methods, plus diplomacy and gentleness, the Japanese would be quite willing to accept America's stand on this question," Mr. Vanderlip.

"But 'strong-arm' methods plus a dictatorial attitude, might lead to serious trouble with Japan."

### ONLY WAR FOR HONOR

"I sincerely believe Japan does not want war with the U. S. and will go to war to preserve her national honor. Individual Japanese may commit heartless acts, but whole nations do not do it unless forced to. Japan knows she could not win against the U. S. The general impression in Japan, all things Japanese. And this is resented."

"We may criticize Japan's activities in Korea and the Japan will cite the teachings and burning of American negroes and inquire why we assume such an air of superiority. 'Why not let us be fair to the Japanese and try to understand their problems?' inquired Mr. Vanderlip.



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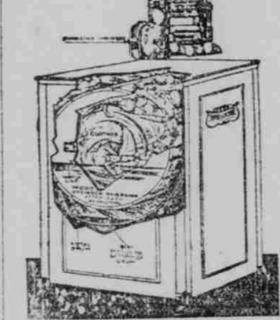
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