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三一頁

若し日本が「ピーター」大帝の遺詔に代る共産黨の世襲革命計画並に其の理想達成の第一歩として亞細亞征伐に集中する意あることを公然宣言せるものを拒絶して揚州と更に詭謀を推して長年月に亘り此の計画が如何に秘密に実行されつゝあるかを立証すべき多の事件に注意を喚起するに於ては日本に對する不利益なる印象を與ふことになりはしないであらうか。遠く一八九六年の昔支那は日本を目論として露西亞と秘密同盟條約(1)を結び日本をして其の生存のため戦争を免れなくせしめたのである。更に一九二四年孫逸仙は新露西亞と同種の秘密同盟條約を結んだのである。其の新露西亞は依然として東亞征服の意志を抱抱し「ソヴキエト」化した支那政派として支那全國に無理にも支那黨を立せしめたものである。而してこの赤露と結合した國民黨が如何に自由主義の日本から日支間の紛争を友好的に解決すべしとする一切の友好的提議を拒否したかを注意すべきで

ある。

更に又如何に支那の共産運動の首領達が日本との妥協には一切反対し日本に對し聖戰を行ふべきことを説きつゝ、あるかを注意すべきである。尚又近くは一九三四年八月一日支那の赤軍が日本の帝國主義に對して戦争をなすべき鼓勇なる宣誓をなしたかを注意すべきである。而して是等の間諜全部の意見を把握するに至らば吾人は、言めて日本の見解の一部を了解し始め得るのである。

由是觀之日本は「ソヴキエト」露西亞が先づ最初に執つた行爲は舊帝政時代の計畫を遂行して蒙古を獨立國となし之を社會主義共和國の「ソヴィエト」制度の一員となし蒙古の總ての人口に「入口税」の制札を貼てたことを證據として提出して可然である。日本は西部蒙古に並行する「トルクシブ」鐵道 (Turk-Sib Railway) が急速に完成されたこと、同一國境に沿ふ鐵道の地點を終點とする其の他の鐵道も計畫中であること「アルタイ」山脈中に年額百二十五万噸を産する鐵工場が建設されたこと其の他「シベリア」鐵道沿線には小規模の軍事工場設備が一夜の内に多量建設された

こと「シベリヤ」鐵道は異常な熱意を以て複線に轉化されつゝ、あること。其の他「シベリア」を横断する重要なる鐵道及軍用道路が測量を終り其の建設費は第二次五年計畫に計上されて居ること極東赤軍は二十五万人に増加され強力なる爆撃機隊を備へ黒龍江沿岸に於ける新式の砲臺を以て掩護されて居ること。空軍根據地が日本を攻撃し得る距離内に數箇所建設されつゝ、あること。潜水艦が密かに浦項で建造されつゝ、あること、この極東の大軍は一九二六年支那の赤軍を指揮して勝利を得せしめた同じ將軍の指揮下に在ること、中央支那は「ソヴェエト」共和國の集塊であつて殆んど百(3)方に近い軍隊を有つて誇つて居ること。支那の共産黨領袖達は日本に對する不滅の憎しみと對日聖戰を説き廻つてゐること。支那赤軍の將官達は今日尙興口の各地を週歴して在米支那人から資金を蒐集して日本との決死的戰爭を行はんとしてゐることを述べ立て得るのである。