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He first broached the question of the Far East, where he strongly condemned Japan's policy of attack, which he called a crime against civilisation as well as a crime against defenceless China. Japan has deliberately and openly broken three international pledges. The voting on the Lytton report at Geneva has shown that every single nation condemned her action. One might say what is the good of condemning without action, but no country, however strong, can in the long run defy with impunity the massed opinion of the whole world. The lecturer said that the other powers were far too busy with their own affairs to intervene, and determined not to have war with Japan and that Japan knew that. But, he said, if nothing could be done to stop Japan here and now, three things could be done, all negative, viz. 1. Not to recognise Manchuria, a mere puppet state, created by Japan. 2. No