It was decided that Sept. 10th shall be the opening day.

Mr. Reynolds raised the point that before deciding on another exhibition the constitution calls for the having of \$1,000 in the funds. This would mean close on to \$3,000 to raise to pay the decident have the \$1,000.

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Mr. McLaughlin summarized the situation. It was proposed to appoint a committee to raise money to pay off the deficit, to interview the government for a grant of say \$5,000. If this is done there is no difficulty about an exhibition this year.

Mr. Everett said that, contingent on these things, was the holding of an exhibition mext year. He said the association would agree to have the government make up the prize list, or let the association make it, and have the government revise it and approve of it. Then, if the government would pay the amount of the prize list and judging, the question of another fair would settled, for a reasonable amount could be had had from the city to ensure success.

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Russia and Japan.

Et. John, N. B., Nov. 10.

To the Elitor of The Telegraph:

Sir—The article which appeared in your issue of Thursday last, quoting an occasional correspondent to the London Daily Mail, upon the Russo-Japanese question is deeply interesting at this time, but appears to me to be slightly inaccurate in some of the statements made, and consequently in come of the deductions therefrom. That Russia is, and has been for a long time, carefully preparing for what must be, should it ever come, one of the most dreadful wars the world has ever seen, no person who follows the trend of events in Europe and the far east, can for a moment and the lates will be involved it in the lates of the rown, namely Yokosuka dockward, Kute dockyard and Gaseho dockward.

That Russia decires no war with Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to be war between Russia and Japan alone, or what other that it is to b

Whether it is to be war between Rassia and Japan alone, or what other nations will be involved, it is difficult at this time to forsee. It is very doubtful the state of the s if Russia desires such a war at the present time, but that she is and has been preparing for such a contingency, is unmistakeable.

The article mentioned states that "at The article mentioned states that "at the beginning of the month (September) Russia was concentrating troops, and Japan mobilizing. This excited much general uneasiness. (That is at Wei-Hai-Wei, in Chins.) Since then no more news on the subject has reached us, but we were informed that the British fleet was coming up to keep an eye on matters generally.

From this parsgraph, the natural conclusion is that the mobilization of troops by Russia on her Asiatic frontier and sea coast, was a matter of recent date.

finest of Eugland's much admired Life Guards.

For additional recruiting sources to draw upon, the mere mention of the fact that by the decree of Alexander II. in 1861, twenty-two millions of male seris gained their freedom, will indicate in some slight degree the enormous possibilities in this direction.

That the Russian navy is in bad condition, while that of Japan is being rapidly and effectively brought to a high state of perfection, may perhaps be admitted; but Russia can hardly be a great naval power for the reason that her empire is practically bounded by four oceans, none of which are easy of access from the other. With England holding Gibraltar and the Suez, Germany the commander of the Baltic, the Japanese controlling much of their Pacific outlet, and the United States attempting to control the Phillippines, the prospects of a Russian navy do not appear very inspiriting for that country just at present.

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But, does Russia require a navy? Her empire, as I have before stated, lies all within her own borders, and while the fleet of Japan might harses part of her coast line, the vast extent of territory, the inaccessibility of much of it, and the enormous army, will probably prevent that country from ever felling a very easy prey to the aspiring Japanese. Japan, in the far east, in her instlar position, occupies a relative position much similar to that of Great Britain to That Russia desires no war with Japan at present is universally admitted; in fact, not until the completion of the Trans-Siberian railway, of which about 2,000 miles have yet to be constructed. England dreads the Russian bear, and is England dreads the Russian bear, and is intensely jealous of the onward march of progress and civilization in Russia, and were her own hands not at present tied by the present state of affairs at South Africa, a climax would probably be precipitated with Russia, either by herself, or Japan, or both.

Such a war would, however, put back the progress of civilization in Russis, by many years, and once started would likely assume such proportions that no man could foresee the end.

I remain, yours truly



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