

# IB/World

## Why did the League Fail?

Tonnage

Cruisers were limited in size but not numbers...  
created a race to build superior ships

Brit.

US.

Japan

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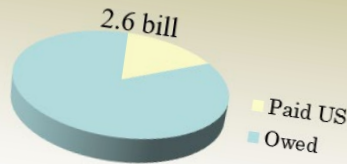


Britain and France

Germany

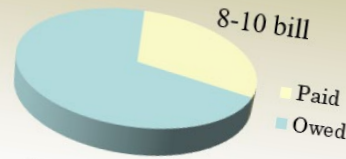
### Fail?

Debts



Owed 17 Billion

Reparations



33 billion requested

*What is the irony?*

113 slides

Detailed

Teach from the slide show

# Between the Wars



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## Entire unit

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### Manchuria Crisis

- Great Depression devastated Japan's economy
  - Unemployment at 2.6 million in '30
  - Exports fell by almost 50% from '29-'31.
- Japanese nationalists looked to Manchuria.
  - Rich in natural resources
  - Troops already stationed there

[Analysis: Feel sorry for Japan?](#)

**(China, Russia and Japan all wanted the area)**  
Japan was the largest industrial power in Asia due its large exports with the rest of the world. Its wealth depended heavily on its exports of manufactured goods with the USA  
Japan had few natural resources and had a huge population growth which [lead](#) to the country being unable to feed itself  
When the American markets collapsed it had disastrous consequences for Japan  
unemployment and starvation resulted  
The nationalist groups in Japan wanted the government to [take action in order to](#)  
The main goal of these nationalist groups was to take over Manchuria, a Chinese territory with many different natural resources. Manchuria had become an independent region



## Labeled maps



Notes for the teacher



Movie about History of China 9 min background to invasion (depression, Russo-Japanese and size difference between Japan and China and then at 13:55 Manchuria starts end at 30 min for after the ape of Nanking (atrocities short but very graphic images...leading to China unified to fight back and create 1 country.

Clips linked if you decide to show

## Review Events

### Review of History

- a timeline of the important historical events during the peacemaking and peacekeeping period (IB)

Event	Year
Desperate Moment1	1917
Russian Revolution2	1917
Paris Peace Conference 3	1919
Ruhr Crisis 4	1923
Dawes Plan 5	1924
Locarno Spring 6	1925
Manchurian Crisis7	7th Date
Abyssinia Crisis8	1935

Timeline labels: Crisis, Bolshevism, Divide the world, Invade Germany, Loan Money, Make up with Germany, Invade China, Invade Africa



## Quotes

- Those who assume that we played our part in the World War and later took ourselves aloof and apart, unmindful of world obligations, give scant credit to the helpful part we assume in international relationships.



1921-



Read more: [State of the Union Address: Warren Harding \(December 8, 1922\)](#) |

'Cool'idge 23-29 is when US was cool to FP in Europe?



Tricks to remember content

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