

The 2nd Great Game – The Greatest Geopolitical Rivalry In History

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I cry for Malaysia because our political leaders are so oblivious and blur that our country and our people are not even prepared for the inevitable global mass killing. President Trump swore that he is a “peace president” but his actions are contradictory to the hidden meaning of MAGA. The advisers surrounding President Donald Trump who truly understand and appreciate the agenda, can be counted by the number of fingers of his right hand, and they do not include his team at the White House.

He cannot even disclose THE HIDDEN AGENDA. It is beyond any secret classification of THIS INTEL. Period!

Yet it is staring at you.

This agenda is not new at all. It was in the planning for decades, and I had disclosed to all of you yesterday that I received the Intel in stages between 2003 and 2007, BUT YOU WERE NOT BOTHERED AT ALL and sniggered that I am talking and writing BS. The misconceived arrogance is truly incredible, because you guys have the wrong educational qualifications (PhDs, MBAs, BSc etc.) and barking up the wrong tree.

Sad!

Ask and be humble, and realise that our central bankers, bankers, financial consultants, professors (academic hacks), advisers to the government, political secretaries, politicians (members of parliament) are so fucked up.

The current Prime Minister of Singapore, Lawrence Wong and the former Prime Minister, Lee Hsien Loong are so shaken by the current global events and in their recent speeches, warned Singaporeans of the profound changes that will affect the future of Singapore. They openly admit that they cannot prepare for the future **because of the current geopolitical uncertainties, save that Singaporeans must be united and be resilient!**

I cry for Malaysia for we are so freaking arrogant and blur as to the earth shaking changes that will transform the political, economic, social and religious equations, cultivated and embedded since 1957.

The demand that you embark and spring clean your brainwashed mind is too daunting and time consuming but, at the minimum, you must read and understand the great economic thinker Friedrich List

(1789-1846). Never mind that you have not heard of him. You are in good company for even the financial and economic advisers to our government with a string of high sounding qualifications such as PhDs (Phoney Donkeys) have not studied his research on national economics.

Let me quote extracts of the Foreword to Volume 1:

Friedrich List (1789 -1846) is without a doubt one of the key economic thinkers of the 19th century. A primary co-thinker of Alexander Hamilton and the "American System" school of economics, he contributed generously to the literature of that school, and engendered the development of the German nation and Japan as economic powers of the first rank. Like Deming, List is better known in Japan than in the United States – although the recent works of Fallow has made him somewhat more known in his native Germany.

List shares with Marx the distinction of being in the 19th Century "the only one who emphasised the interrelation of economic theory and political factors" according to one biographic al note. However, unlike Marx, who is nothing if not the culminating moment of English Classical Economics – albeit one who carried the labour theory of value to new heights. List is a critic of Adam Smith. List posited an intelligent national development policy, one that America, Germany and Japan were intelligent enough to take seriously ... His acquaintance with the American System economics of the late Alexander Hamilton made him a collaborator with the Mathew and Henry Carey, and the general Whig faction of pre - Civil War America ... In 1827, List presented his "Outlines for American Political Society" to Congress. It is impossible to understand the economic history of the past century and the half without a clear understanding of Friedrich List, and Americans who are not familiar with the American System of economics that Hamilton, List, the Careys, Henry Clay, and the Whigs generally promoted, have not understood their own vital history.

Why do you think that President Trump has a portrait of Alexander Hamilton in the White House? **Unfortunately, President Trump may be too late to save America, for the US has been wrecked to such an extent by the Clintons, the Bush family, the Obamas and the Biden's crime family, their presidential policies and the misunderstanding of the political economy of the USA.**

Beyond The Ukraine War



Dr. Kent Moors warned that,

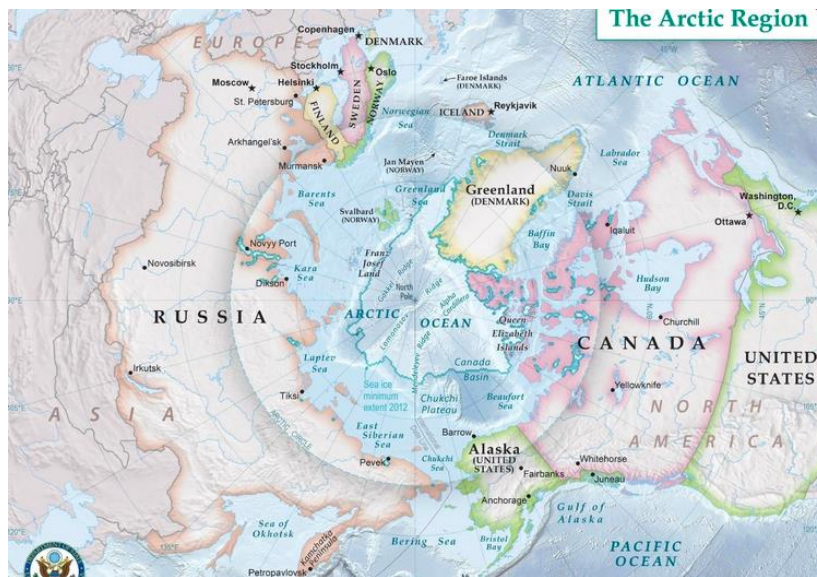
From the oilfields of Saudi Arabia to mountain passes high in the Himalayas, to the very streets of London, peace is just an illusion. Like a great chessboard that spans the globe, there is an economic war being fought on every front. At the center of this "Great Game" are resources... oil, natural gas, strategic minerals and even water. That's because the "easy-resource world" of the past no longer exists. Demand for these vital resources is skyrocketing while available supplies continue to shrink. What we're now faces with is a geopolitical era of rivalry similar to the original great Game of a century ago, but with new players and even high stakes.

Study the Map below



Tell me, have you seen the Map of the Arctic from the angle as shown above and appreciate its significance? The area marked as United States is Alaska and was sold by the then Russia to the United States in 1867.

From Another Angle



Now do you see why President Trump wants Greenland and Canada? And why the British Empire has an iron grip over Canada till today? Why Russia must be destroyed?



Source: US Naval Institute

The insightful Desh Kapoor gave an incredible analysis of the War in Ukraine and I can only do justice by quoting him in extenso:

World War III

So in our view of things, the next World War is already underway and Ukraine was the first front. By the time, the battle over the Arctic is finalized, Ukraine will be pulverized to the ground. Ukraine will be the next Afghanistan. Just like many who have seen the Afghanistan of the 1960s can hardly believe such a society could have existed in that country, Ukraine will see a similar destruction. All for the Arctic! In

that sense, Ukraine is the sacrifice that both, NATO and the Russia-China combine, will offer at the altar of the Arctic Dominance.

Another perspective

What Does Arctic Control Mean for Global Dominance?

Li Zhenfu, associate professor in the College of Transportation Management at Dalian Maritime University in Dalian, Liaoning Province, puts the situation in the most appropriate way - Whoever controls the Arctic will control the World Economy. That is what everything is all about.

After the Northwest Passage is opened up it will become a new "axial sea route between Atlantic and Pacific," and the sea route between Europe, Asia, and North America will be shortened by 5,200 to 7,000 nautical miles. Whoever controls the Arctic sea route will control the world economy and a new internationally strategic corridor.

LI ZHENFU

Source: "The Dragon Eyes the Top of the World" / Naval War College, China Maritime Studies Institute

The "American Polar Pivot"

Admiral Cruzen's ominous statement may sound like it comes from a science fiction novel, but he said this to an audience at the US Naval War College in 1948.¹ More than seven decades later, the United States still does not devote enough strategic thought to the Arctic or Antarctica. While US leaders have had spurts of polar interest throughout the years, with occasional demonstrations of presence and power projection, polar apathy has been the norm. This indifference has resulted in a bipolar problem of China and Russia circumventing American power in the Arctic and Antarctica. But does it even matter?

The polar regions are changing, with projections of ice-free summers in the Arctic and Antarctic by 2035 and 2060 respectively, meaning their strategic value propositions are increasing.² Neighboring polar powers are orienting their policies, postures, and military capabilities toward each region because the current international order looks increasingly orderless. Absent military confrontation, the United States will not contain the ambitions of China and Russia in the remote regions of the Arctic or Antarctica. Without an adequate US response (and coherent polar strategy), China and Russia will continue making gains in the polar regions, leading neighboring polar states to rebalance their military postures and alliances to keep pace in the evolving polar strategic competition.

As of 2021, the possibility of polar warfare with China and Russia remains low. However, the problem of tomorrow should be the debate of today, and tomorrow's problem increasingly looks like competition and potential conflict over the polar regions rather than the false premise of preparing for a traditional war in Eastern Europe or the South China Sea. Thus, there needs to be an "American polar pivot" in policy and strategy (and military capability) to counter and/or deter malign actions by China and Russia in the Arctic and Antarctica.³

Source: The Polar Trap: China, Russia, and American Power in the Arctic and Antarctica / Journal of Indo-Pacific Affairs

Desh Kapoor elaborates further when he revealed Russia's preparations for war as stated below:

The Weapon systems deployed in the Arctic by the Russians underscore their strategic importance in Putin's eyes to secure his Arctic interests.

Let us take stock.

- *Missile Systems: Russia has deployed S-300 and S-400 missile systems, which are advanced surface-to-air missile systems designed to target aircraft and missiles. (Source: The Defense Post). Additionally, the Kh-47M2 Kinzhal, an air-launched ballistic missile capable of carrying nuclear warheads, is being prepared for deployment on MiG-31K carriers. (Source: Strengthening Russia's Nuclear Forces in the Arctic: The Case of the Kinzhal Missile / CSIS)*
- *Radar Systems: Russia has installed large radar installations, including the Rezonans-N radar systems, which are claimed to detect stealth aircraft and objects. (Source: Russia's militarization of the Arctic shows no sign of slowing down / CNN)*
- *Naval Assets: The Northern Fleet, based in Severomorsk on the Kola Peninsula, includes nuclear-powered missile and torpedo submarines, surface ships with missile capabilities, and anti-submarine aircraft. (Source: The Ice Curtain / CSIS)*
- *Air Defense Systems: The Bastion-P and Pantsir-S1 air defense systems are deployed on Kotelnny Island and Novaya Zemlya, creating a layered coastal defense arrangement. (Source: The Ice Curtain / CSIS)*
- *Hypersonic Weapons: Russia has tested hypersonic cruise missiles and nuclear-powered undersea drones in the Arctic. (Source: The Ice Curtain / CSIS)*
- *Icebreakers: Russia has the largest icebreaker fleet in the world, including armed icebreakers with Kalibr cruise missiles*

So what is the truth?

We contend that the entire Ukraine War effort and planning by the NATO forces and planners is the stick - Europe and the US have constructed to fight for control over the Arctic.

To put it simply -.Ukraine war is NOT about Ukraine. It is about the Arctic Circle.