

NEWS FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

REPORTS EXAGGERATED.

Bonaparte Tells Cabinet About Row in San Francisco.

Washington, May 30.—At the cabinet meeting yesterday, Attorney-General Bonaparte laid before the President and Secretary Root the report of District Attorney Devlin, of San Francisco, upon the alleged assault on Japanese residents of that city. The report Mr. Bonaparte says, shows that the first stories of the alleged assault were published in the San Francisco press on the afternoon of May 28. It is stated that a number of police protection owing to a strike, Secretary Root took the report with him, and if any further action is taken it will be by the State Department. Mr. Root received the following telegram from the governor of California in answer to a message of inquiry relative to the attack upon Japanese in San Francisco last Tuesday.

"Your telegram of May 28 concerning assault made upon Japanese received. Will call attention of Chief of Police of San Francisco to it, and every effort will be made to protect people. Think the assaults were due largely to unceremonious conditions existing in San Francisco by reason of the labor troubles."

The State Department has taken no further action in the matter as yet, but, undoubtedly, will communicate Governor Gillett's telegram to the Japanese embassy, and the belief is expressed that it will sufficiently meet the complaint.

TAKE UP JAPAN'S KICK.

San Francisco Business Houses Attacked—Federal Inquiry Ordered.

Washington, May 29.—Information that Japanese have been subjected to ill-treatment and indignities in San Francisco caused the State Department and Secretary Root to take measures for the protection of the Japanese through two channels. Ambassador Wright at Tokyo and a Japanese restaurant in San Francisco had been demolished by a mob, and Viceconsul Aoki, the Japanese Ambassador here, laid before Mr. Root dispatches from the Japanese Consul-General at San Francisco detailing the same occurrence.

Mr. Root at once made request on Attorney-General Bonaparte, that in San Francisco be directed to Mr. Bonaparte the subpoena telegraphed both the United States District Attorney and the United States Marshal at San Francisco to forward reports by telegraph.

Steel Exports.

Washington, May 29.—Iron and steel exports from the United States in the first five months of this year will aggregate approximately \$172,000,000 in value, against \$87,000,000 a decade earlier, and \$16,000,000 two decades earlier, according to figures issued by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor. The value of iron and steel manufactures exported in the 10 months ending with April, 1907, was about \$150,000,000.

Child Labor Commission Meets.

Washington, May 28.—The National Commission on Child Labor, composed of official representatives of the National Manufacturers Association, American Federation of Labor, the General Federation of Women's Clubs and the National Child Labor Council, met here today. The commission called on President Roosevelt.

New Governor Appointed.

Washington, May 28.—Ambassador Creel now has a clear field for the governorship of Chihuahua, the other gubernatorial nomination in that State. The election will take place next Sunday. His election will not, however, necessarily mean his withdrawal from Washington, as the Mexican law permits designation of an acting governor.

Land Commissioner Coming.

Washington, May 31.—Commissioner Ballinger, of the General Land Office, will accompany Secretary Garfield next month on his proposed tour of the Western States, and will make a general inspection of land offices. The tour will begin at Denver June 1, when the Secretary will attend the land convention.

Promote Japanese Friendship.

New York, May 30.—The Japanese Society of New York was formally organized today. The objects of the society will be the cultivation of friendly relations between the United States and Japan, and diffusion among the American people of a better knowledge of the Japanese people.

Hear Arguments on Damages.

Washington, May 31.—Notice has been given to interested parties that the Interstate Commerce Commission will conduct a hearing on June 13 next in this city on the general question of the liability of carriers for property destroyed or damaged in shipment.

New Rural Routes.

Washington—Rural Route No. 1 has been ordered established August 1 at Kirby, Josephine County, Oregon, serving 492 people and 118 farms.

Army Appointments.

Washington, May 31.—The President appointed Colonel K. M. Taylor to a three-year term as Major General of the Infantry, and General Constant Williams, who retired.

WANIS NO WAR.

Mexico Angry With Guatemala but Not Disposed to Fight.

Washington, June 1.—Concerning Mexico's recent reports about expectations of war between Mexico and Guatemala, Ambassador Creel, of Mexico, said today to the Associated Press: "There is nothing pending and no reason for any fear of war between the two countries. The assassination of ex-President Barillas by a Guatemalan developed in Mexico a feeling of indignation and a strong protest by public opinion against such a criminal action, more so when it was known that General Lima, former Guatemalan, was supposed to be implicated in the crime. The Guatemalan Government has expressed its regret and has offered to make amends for the crime, but offering Guatemala the privilege that might have been accepted. Guatemala declined, and this was the end of the conflict."

"There remains in Mexico a feeling of grievance and condemnation in public sentiment, but not a spirit of war. The troops that have been located on the frontier of Mexico and Guatemala are there for the purpose of keeping order and to give protection to the people of all nationalities."

SCOUT CRUISER LAUNCHED.

Swift New Vessel Is Expected to Steam 24 Miles an Hour.

Quincy, Mass., May 31.—The scout cruiser Birmingham, one of the latest types of fast warships, was launched today. Miss Mary Campbell, of Birmingham, Ala., broke a bottle of champagne over the bow of the vessel and the Birmingham, which is expected to make 24 knots an hour, is a departure in shipbuilding in the American Navy. The Birmingham is 450 feet over all, 46 feet 8 inches in breadth, and has a draught of 13 feet. Her total capacity is 1,250 tons, and her steaming at full speed is estimated at 18 1/2, or 6,250 miles, at 10 miles an hour. It is estimated that she will develop 16,000 horse power.

The hull is built of steel throughout, with two longitudinal bulkheads and two transverse bulkheads. Her deck is of aluminum and is 10 feet wide. Her battery will consist of two five-inch and six three-inch rapid-fire guns, and two 11-inch submerged torpedo guns. Her motive power will be derived from vertical engines with four cylinders, triple-expansion type, and she will have the usual twin screws.

Presidents Arbitrate.

Washington, May 31.—The State Department today received a transmission of the treaty of peace, negotiated at Shanghai, China, which arrived at Fouchou, China, a few days ago, to return at once to Anmy, the nearest port to the scene of the armed uprising against the Chinese local officials. The purpose is to have a version available to protect foreign interests in Kwang Tung province in case the rebellion threatens to get beyond the control of the local authorities. Already a German and British warship respectively.

Americans Win Contract.

New York, May 29.—In the face of the keenest competition on the part of foremost Italian, German and other European concerns, another important contract has been allotted to American electrical interests by the Italian government. The contract, valued at about \$3,000,000, was obtained by the Westinghouse Company and calls for the conversion from steam to electricity of the suburban state railway lines operating around Genoa.

Abandon Army Posts.

St. Paul, May 29.—An order today from the War Department announces the abandonment of Post Arroyo and the forts at Fort Arroyo, Fort Arroyo and Fort Arroyo, in the Territory of New Mexico. The forts are to be abandoned by the headquarter's staff, and Troops A, B, C and D, Second Cavalry, which will proceed by railroad to Des Moines, Ia. Assignment is by far the largest fort in the United States in point of area, comprising 220,000 acres. Fort Keogh, the other abandoned post, is located several miles from Miles City, Mont.

Conboy Lost His Wager.

Washington, May 30.—President Roosevelt today made the following entry on a paper brought to the White House by Floyd Fess, the cowboy, who won the majority of the vote, on a wager that he would get to Washington in three weeks: "Theodore Roosevelt, the House, 11:30 A. M., May 28." While Fess was allowed until 7 o'clock last night to complete the trip, but missed it by 15 miles.

Jobs for Two Men.

Washington, May 29.—David Blakeley, of Portland, Or., has been appointed meat inspector under the Bureau of Animal Industry, Agricultural Department. John McNulty, of Portland, has been appointed nautical expert, at \$1,000 salary, in the hydrographic office, Portland.

PUT RAILROAD MEN IN JAIL.

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