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ANTIJAP LEGISLATION MEETS SHARP PROTEST

Discrimination at This Time Particularly Surprising, Declares Consul-General Stationed at San Francisco.

CONTENTION SUPPORTED BY FACTS AND FIGURES

Representative of Mikado in California Refutes Claim That Subjects Seek Extended Proprietorship in Lands.

SACRAMENTO, Cal. Thursday, Jan. 12.—Japan's first official protest against proposed anti-Japanese legislation in the state came in the form of a letter from Consul-General Maisuzo Nagai at San Francisco, to Senator Leroy. Wright, chairman of the Senato committee on federal relations.

"I fillik the people of this state hardly realize the deep concern felt in Japan on this subject," says the consul-general.

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""Discrimination at this time would be particularly surprising to the Japanese people in view of the efforts which have been made during the past two years to cultivate the good will of the American people and to prove to them the sincerity of Japanese good will."

The letter contains figures supporting the consul's contention that the Japanese yopulation on the Pacific Coast, is steadily decreasing. According to these statistics, the number leaving Japan from America has imminished each year and the number arriving in Japan from America has immerased each year since 1908.

Not looking for Kands.

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Then tendency of the laboring classes to return to Japan is not diminishing, adds Consul Nagal. "We are not looking for extended proprietorships in lands in this state, and, if such possession were our only aim, it mistic be abandoned with good grace and little feeling. Our objections to the bills introduced are based on their discriminative features. They could not be explained to the Japanese people as beling otherwise than unfriendly and offensive to national pride."

The writer gives a reminder that Ja-

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The witter gives a röminder that Japan has voluntarily enterced "regulations which practically amount to an exclusion act applied to Japanese laborers, and has shown her friendliness by sending warships to participate in Californian festivals and by other courtesles.

tesies. Consul Expresses Fear.

The letter concludes with a reference to pending negotiations for the revision of treaties, between the United States and Japan.

"I feel constrained." says the consul. to express the fear that such negotiations may be affected by passage of measures, by the California-Legislature which are of a discriminating character."

ter."
The Japanese issue is believed to have been responsible for a change made yesterday in the personnel of the Senate committee on federal relatilors. Senator D. J. Beben, of San Francisco was removed from the committee and was replaced by Senator C. W. Bell, of Pasadena. Senator Beban is the successor of Marc Anthony, who introduced the contentious anti-Japanese measures in the Senate two years ago.

EX-MANCHURIAN CONSUL SCOUTS ALL IDEA OF WAR

PORTLAND, Ore. Thursday, Jan. 12.

"Japan is in sore need of lind to produce food for her own people and of from mines for the building of machiners." For these reasons along H. B. Miller, former consul to Manchuria, believes there is no dauge of war between this country and Japan. Mr. Miller, who spoke has higher at the annual banquet of the chainber of commerce, declared that so far the combination of capital in Japan under the control of the Japanese government has been invincible to foreign trade aggression.

It has been strong enough to exclude any business interests other than Japanese business interests. Continuing, he declared that Rockefeller had tried to gain footbold and falled, Harriman fried it with his merchant marine and falled. Hill tried it with his Great Northern Steamship Company, and falled.

Mr. Miller declared that the imperial

failed. Steamship Company, and infinite in the imperial household controlled the majority of stock in every large bank in Japan; owned practically every great steamship three-and-controlled every large industry of the nation.

ANTIJAPANESE SCHOOL CHILDREN BILL IN VIEW

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Thursday, Jan. 12.—Among the anti-Japanese bills already before the Legislature is one providing against the holding of land in California "by allens not eligible to be oltizens of the United States".

It is reported also that a bill for the segregation of Japanese school publis is to be introduced. It was a measure of this character that occasioned an international controversy in 1909. Upon the earnest solicitation of President Rooseveit the state Legislature at that time dropped the proposals.

THIS TALK NOT CHEAP: FOUR WORDS COST \$4,000

Slander Suit Wins Her Heart Balm

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Talk is said to be cheap, but not in White Plains, N. Y. Four words, alleged to have been hissed into the ear, of Miss Grace Raymond, will cost Mrs. Naomi Dring, 10 years old, \$4,000 by the verdict of a jury. In so rulling, the jury cut the price of talk in half, for at the previous trial. Miss. Raymond. was. awarded \$8,000. Miss Raymond testfied that she acted as secretary to the late husband of the defendant. A short lime prior to the marriage the bride-to-be met Miss. Raymond on the street and made a remark on which Aliss Raymond sued for slander. When the jury heard the four words repeated it immediately returned a verdict for the plaintin.

BELATED MAIL DELIVERED KOKOMO, Ind. Thursday Jan. 12—A letter written twenty-five years ago and lost probably in a mall car, was delivered yesterday to Thomas Howe-president of Butler College, Irvington, Ind., who chanced to be in Kokomo. Mr. Howe was a son-in-law of F. A. Arm-strong, a wealthy Kokomo man, to whom the letter, was addressed and who has been dead seven years. The letter was written by Richard Punchon, who has been dead a year, and concerned mining interests.

EXPORTS FALL OFF

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ST. JOHN, N. B., Thursday, Jan. 12.
—Figures given out today at the
American consulate show a falling off
of more than a million dollars in shipments from this port to the United
States in 1910, compared with 1909. The
total for 1910 was \$2.350,000 and in the
previous year \$3.400,000.

The decrease is accounted chiefly by
the falling off in shipments of lumber
and kindred products because of the
condition of the market during 1910.

FIRE DOES DAMAGE

WATERTOWN Mass, Thursday, Jan. 12.—The former home of the Commonwealth Motor and Driving Club, which has been closed, since November 15, when it was raided for illegal liquor selling, was damaged to the extent of \$60,000 by fire late last night. Firemen of five surrounding towns assisted in fighting the flames and prevented the destruction of other buildings worth

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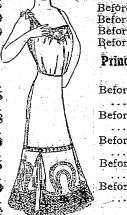
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