## BELLINGHAM JAPANESE ARMING THEMSELVES BELLINGHAM, Tuesday, Sept. 10.—

Threatened with serious injury by white men, the Japanese colony of Bellingham is arming itself for a bloody enflict, holding secret meetings, attended by at least 100 Japanese, in the building occupied by the Fern's lodging house in C Street. Late last night the whole situation with regard to expected attacks on the Mikndo's men, and measures for defense were thoroughly

canvassed and committees were appointed. The meeting began at 10:30 o'clock and did not close until-12:30.