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May 28, 1907.

My dear Mr. Ambassador:

I beg to enclose herewith a copy
of the telegram which I sent to the Governor of California
in regard to the recent assaults on Japanese subjects in
San Francisco, and a copy of the Governor's reply.

Faithfully yours,

ELIHU ROOT

Enclosures:
To Governor of California,
May 25, 1907.
From same, May 27, 1907.

His Excellency

Viscount Siuzo Aoki,

Ambassador of Japan.

A true copy of
the signed orig-
inal.

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Treatment of Japanese in California.

Incl. 208. Sacramento, Calif.

May 27, 1907.

Governor of California (J. H.

Gillett) TER.

"Your telegram of May twenty-
fifth concerning assaults made upon
Japanese received. Will call at-
tention of Chief of Police of San
Francisco at once to your tele-
gram and request him to use every
effort to protect these people.
Think the assaults were due largely
to the uncertain conditions exist-
ing in San Francisco by reason of
labor troubles."
SW. (Rec'd May 28-07.) 10:20.



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