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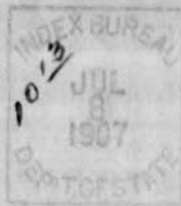


Secretary of State,

Washington, D. C.

*From* Tokio, July 8, 1907.

9.40 A.M.



Telegraphic reports that the American Government is about to despatch sixteen war ships to the Pacific are causing wide newspaper and general comment here. If untrue I have to suggest that I be authorized to contradict.

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