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DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
WASHINGTON.

File No. 1797/255

July 17, 1907.

The Honorable

The Secretary of War.

Sir:

In answer to the War Department's letter, initials "T.W.J.", of the 15th instant, I have the honor to inform you that this Department had already cabled to the American Minister at Peking, on the 14th instant, by direction of the President, the following:

"There is no need for Swift cabling."

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

ROBERT BACON

Acting Secretary.

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Reports on Japanese Army and Naval
Movements.

Encl. 255. July 15, 1907.

War Department.

Act's letter of the 12th instant, transmitting copy of telegram from Major Gen'l Eben Swift, and requests that that officer be cabled through the Am. Minister at Peking, in effect as follows: "Report by mail July fourth sufficient." or "Report by cable not necessary." (Rec'd July 16, 1907) 9:16am.

DIPLOMATIC BUREAU.

*Mr. Had already cabled
Rockwell, 14th, by direction
of the President:
There is no need for Swift
cabling.*

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