

MR. BONAPARTE'S ANSWER

INTERPRETS IMMIGRATION LAW

The Attorney General, in a Communication to President Roosevelt, Answers the Queries of the Governor of South Carolina Affecting the Administration—The Questions of the Outcome of the Recent Conference Held at the White House—Attorney General Interprets the Past and the Present Laws Bearing Upon Immigration—The New Law Operative July 1st—The Changes to be Effected in the Existing Statutes.

OUTCOME OF CONFERENCE

The Governor's letter to the President bears date of March 16. The questions are the outcome of the recent conference at the White House between the President, Attorney General Bonaparte and South Carolina officials, when an opinion of the Attorney General regarding the matter of assisted immigration was rendered.

THE LAW IN FORCE

These provisions contain substantially all the law in force at the present time and until the act approved Feb. 20, 1907, becomes operative July 1, 1907.

PROVISIONS OF NEW ACT

This question, Attorney General Bonaparte says, must be answered in the affirmative. He refers to the provisions of section 4 of the act approved Feb. 20, 1907, which specifies what classes of aliens shall be excluded from this country and says:

THE SALVADORENS ROTTED.

State Department Receives Information of a Three-Day Battle in Honduras—The Salvador Forces Lose 1,000—Movement for Intervention Gaining Strength.

NEW LAW DIFFERENT.

Attorney General Bonaparte Gives Opinion of Widespread Interest Concerning New Immigration Law in Response to a Letter From the Governor of South Carolina.

AT THE STATE CAPITAL

LOCAL COMPANY CHARTERED

The Whitney Cotton Mill Company Gets a Charter—The American Machine and Manufacturing Company, of Charlotte, With Messrs. D. A. Tompkins, J. W. Conway and S. B. Sargent as Stockholders, Has Capital Stock of \$300,000.

UNUSUAL INTEREST

In the case in which Joshua Harrison was convicted of kidnapping the 9-year-old son of ex-State Senator Samuel A. Beasley, of Currituck, it is heard talked about constantly.

SOIL TEST FARMS.

Your correspondent had a talk with State Chemist B. W. Kilgore, regarding the soil test farms, of which there are now 4. He says he has inspected all recently and that they are in good shape.

CONFERS WITH OFFICIALS.

Superintendent O. M. Sadler Has an Understanding With Governor Ansel and Attorney General Lyon.

REPORT OF ADJUTANT GENERAL.

The report of Adjutant General Thomas R. Robertson was issued today for the year ending December 31st last. He says that the general efficiency are considered the several units imposing the national guard are in fine shape and that the arms and equipments are of the best.

THE FRUIT OUTLOOK.

In the course of a special interview with State Entomologist Franklin Sherman, he said that he found that the large growers of fruit have already treated their trees by spraying them against the San Jose scale.

KOEHLER BACK TO DUTY

COURT SENTENCE DISAPPROVED.

The President Concur in All That the Secretary of War Says Regarding the Conduct of the Cavalry Officer—Guilty of Flinging Captious and Unnecessary Charges Against a Superior Officer—The Text of the Letter of the Secretary of War Bearing on the Case.

ACQUITTED CAPTAIN KOEHLER.

General Wood called the attention of the War Department to the appeal and submitted the question of disciplinary proceedings; a courtmartial proceedings; a courtmartial was then appointed which acquitted Captain Koehler. Continuing Secretary Taft's letter says:

WORK PROGRESSING.

Among the student associations, the University of North Carolina has a new \$13,000 building, and Frank B. Rankin employed as general secretary.

PROSPERITY EVERYWHERE.

While the year was one of material prosperity everywhere, the income of the committee has not materially increased.

Big Fire at Pine Bluff.

Memphis, Tenn., March 22.—A special to The News-Scheduler from Pine Bluff, Ark., says:

INCREASE IN SALARIES.

From 1,600 to 1,800 telegraph operators of the Southern Railway are to have their salaries increased as a result of the conference held here today between the officials of the road and the representatives of the dispatchers and operators.

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