

**COSTLY TO SECRET SERVICE.**  
Washington, May 15.—President Roosevelt's travels have proved so much that the expense of the Secret Service bureau has increased so rapidly that the president is charged with the duty of protecting himself and his family at a cost of about the past six months as during the last year.

This statement was made to the appropriations committee of the House by Chief of the Secret Service today in connection with the testimony on the supply bill appropriation bill.

**PRINCE TAI SAILS FOR HOME.**  
New York, May 15.—Praying the "Good News" of the Emperor of China, but admitting that the prospect of a few days rest was gratifying after the strenuous tour of Europe, Prince Tai Tao, uncle of the Emperor of China, sailed for George Washington for Europe today.