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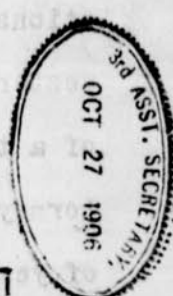
Dept. of Justice.

Encloses copy of tel. received this morning from the U.S. Atty at San Francisco in reply to Mr. Moody's tel. to him of yesterday, giving details in regard to a private suit of I. Yasuhara by Y. Matsuyeda, guardian, against Emma Stincen, Principle of Pacific Heights Grammar School, San Francisco, setting forth the contentions of the complainant, a minor, who is excluded from a certain San Francisco school and of the Board of Education of San Francisco, and giving particulars in regard to the progress of the case. (HES) (Rec'd Oct. 27-06.)

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Send copy to the Secretary at the same time.

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San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 26, 1906.

Attorney General,
Washington, D. C.

Replying to telegram of this date. Private suit I Yasuhara by Y. Matsuyeda, guardian, against Emma Stincen, principal of Pacific Heights Grammar School, San Francisco. Bill filed twenty-fifth alleges complainant a minor, subject emperor Japan, resident of school district and qualified to enter and until October fifteenth regularly admitted to the public school, superintended by defendant. City board of education resolved that after October fifteenth nineteen hundred and six Chinese, Japanese and Koreans must attend oriental public school. Defendant upholds this resolution. The board claims to act under sixteen sixty two school law of California authorizing exclusion of filthy pupils from school and separate schools for Mongolian and Chinese children. Bill alleges oriental school remotely and inconveniently located and unsanitary; that section one, amendment fourteen of Constitution and nineteen seventy nine Revised Statutes and the Japanese treaty are violated. Order to show cause returnable November fifth.

Devlin,

U. S. Attorney.