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POLICE DEPARTMENT
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
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OFFICE CHIEF OF POLICE



SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. May 25, 1907.

Honorable Kazuo Matsubara,
Acting Consul of Japan,
#1274 O'Farrell St., City.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of the 23rd instant, in relation to the actions of a crowd of white persons at #1213 Polson street, and vicinity, on the evening of May 20th, 1907, I respectfully forward you a copy of the report made by Detective sergeants J. Regan and P. O'Connell, and Officer L. H. Meyer, on the subject matter, and in relation to the "Lion Restaurant." Captain Duke, of the District, where said restaurant is located, was notified of the complaint made by you at my office, but as yet no report has been received from him on the matter. However, your communication has been forwarded to Captain Duke for investigation, and further report will be made to you upon receipt from him of the result of his investigation.

I can assure you that every effort will be made to apprehend the persons participating in any of these affairs against your people, and will give them the same protection as is given any other race of people in this City and County.

Assuring you of my cooperation in maintaining the peace of this community, I remain,

Very respectfully,

(Signed) J. F. DINAN,
Chief of Police.