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CONSULATE OF JAPAN,

1274 O'Farrell St.

San Francisco, Cal. June 18th, 1907.

Hon. Robert T. Devlin,
United States Attorney,
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 17th instant, informing me that you have been instructed by the Attorney General of the United States to report upon the status of the restaurant cases and, in the event that a suit is determined upon, to place your legal services at the disposal of the plaintiffs.

In addition to your expressed desire to confer with the legal representatives of the Japanese people, I beg to inform you that attorneys Carl E. Lindsay and Earl H. Webb have been designated by this Consulate and the Japanese Association of America to act in their behalf, and these gentlemen will call upon you for conference at an early date.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) K. Matsubara,

Acting Consul of Japan.

(Signed) Robt. T. Devlin,

United States Attorney.