

Department of Justice.

POLITICAL CODE OF CALIFORNIA.

Office of

United States Attorney,

Northern District of California,

San Francisco, June 19th, 1907.

1-A

The Attorney General,
Washington, D. C.

In re JAPANESE RESTAURANT CASES.

Sir:

I have the honor to report for your information, that yesterday I had a conference with Carl E. Lindsay and Earl H. Webb, representing the Japanese Consulate, relative to bringing suits against the City and County of San Francisco for damages occasioned by the recent riot. I went over the cases with them, giving them a copy of the testimony in my possession, for their information, and shall see them later when they have digested the testimony, and have satisfied themselves of the legal questions involved.

I also beg to enclose for your information, a copy of a letter written by me to the Japanese Consul, together with a copy of his reply.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) Robt. T. Devlin

United States Attorney.