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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

July 17, 1907

The Honorable

The Secretary of War

In answer to the War Department's letter, dated July 10, 1907, the 18th instant, I have the honor to inform you that the report sent has already been forwarded to the Assistant Minister at Tokyo, on the 18th instant, by direction of the President, the following:

"There is no need for further action."

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

ROBERT BACON

Acting Secretary

OFFICE OF THE

THIRD ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

July 31

Sir, Please send Tokio Embassy for its information copy of Mr. Devlin to the Hq. Genl, July 8; Mr. Skelly to Mr. Devlin July 6; which gives an account of a meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners at which an attorney for the Japanese interested Japanese appears to have been present; and Mr. Skelly to Mr. Matsubara, wherein is stated to the Japanese Consul the position of the Board of Police Commissioners. Also give me carbon copy of ~~memorandum~~ to Tokio.

Thank you
H.W.