NO WRITTEN PACT ASKED OF JAPAN BY WASHINGTON

Immigration Agreement Being Smoothly Arranged, and Talk of Crash Baseless.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Considering the smoothness with which exchanges are progressing between the United States and Japan relative to the adjustment of questions growing out of the immigration of Japanese laborers into the United States, the officials of the State Department are puzzled to account for the publication in various foreign capitals, as well as in this country, of reports calculated to convey the impression that there is serious friction between the two countries over this subject.

The latest of the reports to the effect that Police H[illegible] Japanese Foreign Office is re[illegible] mulation of[illegible] accede to a "demand" of not r[illegible] for O'Brien that an agreement to restrict Japanese coolie immigration into the United States be reduced to writing, meets with unqualified contradiction at the State Department.

The officials do not care to discuss negotiations of this importance, while they are still in progress, following the many s[illegible] rule based on a belief that such remar[illegible] discussion is calculated to defeat the ob[illegible] sought. But it develops that what Mr. O'Brien is doing is merely aiding the Japanese officials to perfect internal regulations that will serve to stop the indiscriminate immigration evil.

He is not expected to negotiate any treaty with Japan on this subject, or even to secure a modus vivendi or anything in the nature of the writen agreement referred to in some of the press despatches. He has under instructions from the State Department, acquainted the Japanese government with the fact that the measure adopted in Japan last spring, following the undertaking of the Japanese government to restrict undesirable emigration to the United States by a careful regulation of the issue of passports, have proved utterly ineffective.

The Japanese officials were surprised at the figures presented by Mr. O'Brien illustrating not only the continuance of the coolie immigration into America, but its startling increase, even after the adoption of the Japanese restrictive policy. Therefore, these Japanese officials have been endeavoring to frame regulations that shall be effective and in the course of that effort they have naturally communicated freely with the American Ambassador.

The latter has acquainted the State Department in great detail by cable with the nature of the proposed restrictive measures, and the department in turn has not hesitated to suggest amendments to the project, based on the experience of the immigration inspectors and collectors of customs in this country. This involved the co-operation of the Department of State and the Department of Commerce and Labor, the latter being directly charged with the enforcement of the exclusion laws. There is pending before the Washington officials a very long report by cable from Mr. O'Brien covering the latest phase of the Japanese project.

The officials are carefully considering this and will not hesitate to indicate how it may be improved, if that is possible, notwithstanding the fact that the Ambassador has expressed the belief that the plan proposed is satisfactory. Should the department coincide in this view, it is stated that it will only be necessary for Mr. O'Brien to signify to the Japanese Government that fact and there will be no necessity for him to secure any written pledges or indeed to make any suggestion that might in the slightest degree reflect upon the good faith of the Japanese Government in this matter.

FOOT CAUGHT IN FROG, "L" TRAIN RUNS OVER IT

He Was a Guard, Crossing the Tracks—Amputation in Hospital Follows.

William Anderson, a guard on the Third avenue elevated, lost his right foot to-day. It was caught in a frog of the track and he struggled in vain to free himself as a train approached. It became a question of the leg or his life, and he finally drew his body from the track and sacrificed the limb.

Anderson's train laid up at One Hundred and Sixteenth street, and he started to cross the tracks to the station platform. As he reached the platform he saw a train approaching, made a dash for safety, slipped and fell back on the track. The motorman made a supreme effort to stop the train, but could not. Two trucks passed over one foot before the train was stopped.

The trainmen lifted Anderson to the platform and cut the ropes attached to the sliding gate to make a tourniquet to stop the flow of blood. Anderson was taken to the Harlem Hospital, where the foot was amputated.

BOGUS POLICEMEN HELD IN $2,000 BAIL.

George Brandige, of Elmira, and George Holt, of No. 444 West Fifty-second street, were arraigned in the West Side Court to-day charged with impersonating officers. Detective Frank Lynch, who appeared as complainant, said they had been blackmailing west side saloon-keepers. Many complaints had been made, he said, and for two weeks he camped on their trail.

Early to-day, according to Lynch, the men went to Michael Kelleher, who has a saloon at Forty-second street and Tenth avenue, and demanded $10. Kelleher summoned Lynch, who placed the men under arrest. They were held in $1,000 bail.

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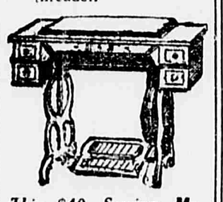

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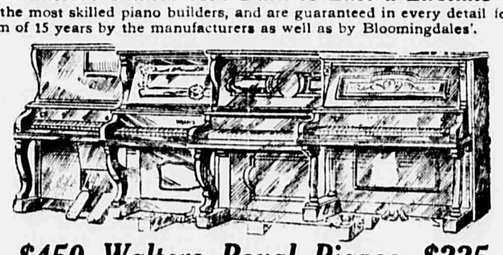

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