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[Despatch Abstract.]

Imperial Cabinet of Japan

Trans: Public Dept. recd. letter
from Mr. N. Hanabusa of the Japanese Consulate
in London, the creation of a "Bureau of General
Statistics" to form part of the Imperial Cabinet,
recd.

According letter from Mr. [illegible]
Hambura of the Japanese. You intimate
that a "Bureau of General Statistics" form
part of the Imperial Council has been
created with effect from 22.10.98 in place
of the Section of General Statistics hitherto
attached to the Secretariat of that Council
he has been appointed the first Dir-
ector thereof, and requesting that the exchange
of publications and the communication
of statistical information may be
continued as before.

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Read the following paper:—

From Mr. N. Hamabura of the Japanese Government, dated 29th November 1898, intimating that in place of the "Section of General Statistics" hitherto attached to the Secretariat of his Government, the Imperial Government of Japan has created with effect from 22nd October 1898 a "Bureau of General Statistics" to form part of the Imperial Cabinet and has named him the first Director thereof, ~~and~~ thanking Government for the cordial relations which it has been pleased to sustain with him during the time of his being Chief of the Section ~~and~~ requesting that those relations may be continued and the exchange of publications and the communication of statistical information take place as before.

Order.