

Immigration Branch

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Dear Mr. Stevens:

Replying to your favor of April 22nd in which you suggest it would be a good idea if some of the Hindu letter published could be nipped, I immediately took up the matter with Managing Editor Brown of the "Province" and Mr. Scott of the "News Advertiser."

Mr. Brown assures me that no further correspondence of Kumar's will be published in their paper. Mr. Scott gives me similar assurance and further suggests that I furnish him with the names, and if possible, some little record of the various "Singhs" who at different times have endeavored to get him to discuss Hindu problems through the columns of the "News Advertiser."

Mr. Hopkinson is making out a list and also verbally explaining the matter to him. Of course, I have kept away from the "Sun" and "World," but considering the "Sun" refused to publish another of Kumar's letters some days ago it looks as though they have also shut their columns to this class of correspondence.

Trusting this is satisfactory,

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Yours very truly,
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