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In view of the new Extradition Treaty
now in course of negotiation in London,
and with reference to some correspondence
which has recently passed between
the Netherlands Government and
Her Britannic Majesty's Legation in
the case of E. A. Witte, charged with
the offence of larceny as a bailee,
Her Majesty's Government are desirous
of being informed as to the light
in which the Dutch Penal Code
regards acts like those committed
by

by Witte, and, if they constitute an
extraditional crime by Dutch law,
what is the correct designation
for them. - It might then be
possible to arrange for the inclusion
of such crime in the new Treaty. -
It may be observed that the offence
appears to be included in the
crime of "détournement" as defined
in Article 321 of the Penal Code.

British Legation,

November 18, 1894.

