

Yokohama  
October 13<sup>th</sup> 1894

*Copied into 28  
Correspondence Book  
W. to*  
C. S. Roynton Esq.  
Sukuro cho  
Tokio,

Dear Sir, We are in receipt of  
your favor of 10<sup>th</sup> inst.  
giving us an order for  
10000 yards Submarine wire  
suitable for Torpedo purpose  
and we have accordingly  
despatched the following  
message to our Agent in  
the U.S.

"Ship almost despatched  
"via San Francisco 10000  
"yards Submarine wire as  
"used for Lays Torpedo  
"Boat" —

We understand this  
order to be for behalf  
of the Railway Bureau  
of the Japanese Government  
and we shall feel obliged



by your obtaining from  
the Department a written order  
for the same guaranteeing  
to take the wine from  
us upon its arrival here  
at invoice cost together  
with our charges.

We are uncertain  
as to the cost of this  
wine but from what  
you inform us we think  
that bargain money to  
the extent of \$500 will  
be sufficient -

We are,

Yours faithfully,  
Augustine Heard

P.S. The cost of the message  
to the U.S. was \$50<sup>20</sup>

A.H.



Augustine Heard & Co  
Yokohama

3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 1874

As to procuring  
Wire for Torpedo  
purposes.

