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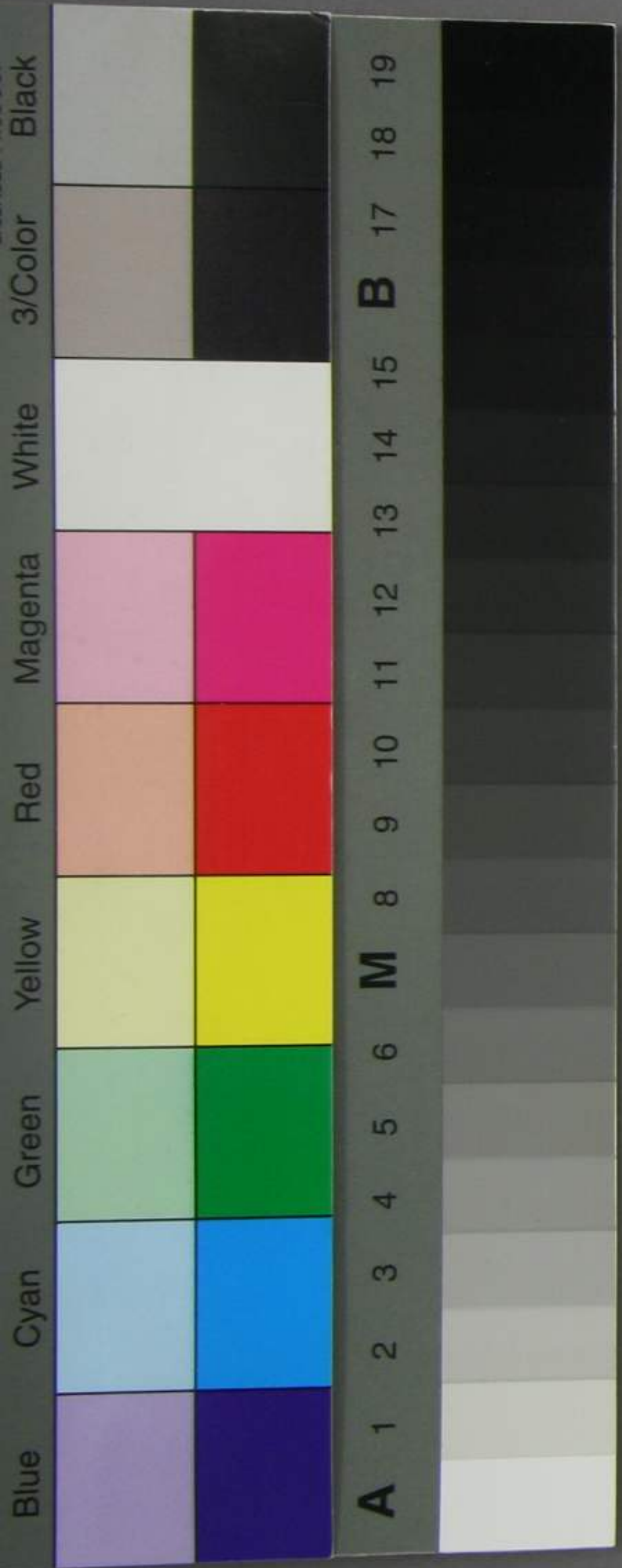


千八百七十二年十月一日附換渡の
オーリエントバンクのバコクオフカリラン
ニヤスルもの書簡後年

アメリカ合衆国のドルに兌換する
家名流のてきしんの拙著年し
諸目を批閱し在貨幣の行情を
探索するもの或は只メキシコドルに
と比較しるる價る漸く之を日本

大正十一年四月
隈信爵郵寄贈

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とすきなるゆするゆに富りたりたる
通とあるは終るべし我々の右は
端、額若干を附せしは終る
終るべき

日新

末章に載せたるもの中、アメリカ合衆
國新貨幣千圓を見出し終る
在らば多敷流通し、是を再々終

と見下施し、ゆ終るん事、此金に事
減換し、ゆ終るん事、此金に事
と見下施し、ゆ終るん事、此金に事

ドルの位の貨位数年、向はは、終る
先乃の千ニグレ、この中、銀を包含する
他、銀と、半ドル、半あり、貨幣、三、銀
り、事、終る、目、あ、く、区、下、の、急、る、を、と
これ、終、ドル、の、位の、貨、位、の、全、價、の、物

こゝに四角二十ヶしうの半の紙を
 包む即チおかしなる方の紙紙を
 メキシコドんうんおかしなるこか七五
 の紙紙を合ふおかしなるこか七五の
 紙紙多し一さう四角十七ヶしうこ七五
 を包合はれおかしなる換失の
 患少く其製法美し一さう通申す
 於一層上品の紙幣なり其通

貨と向し
 貨と向し
 貨と向し

名價中紙の差さるるメキシコド
 ンうん同様の程保つて流
 なくあつたり入る所は紙ドんうん
 方通申すはよく思はるる
 メキシコドんうんを合ふおかしな紙
 紙と向し一比較するおかしな

より其賞共々分ち給へし後
行より由き或は便利あり是
下世事之助力し給へん事
之益多し 種々の道に阻
のり給へし増加し得給へん事
之益多し

千七百七十二年十月三日
オフカリフヨニヤスに
リエシタニバコクコニ
高船の操業

トニラニ方ノ港ニ
之を船中
之を先く 其の
船中
又其港に
之

海峽をめぐらるゝのいふ那西半何
その地をるも強と塊泥と思ふす
のいふとふたとふたにわし者代を
我々の心を感せしむるをいふ
島港のこころにわしをいふ
於一層上等の権ありとのいふ
港に於てのいふ海峽をいふ
二十二年五月二日ゴブニコトが

セツト紙に載せられたのいふ
島港の結核或は其政府を
官をいふとけし許のいふ
メキシコドールに或は同様の代に
ドールに或は島港島をいふ
海峽の内法持方方いふ
日卒、ありとのいふ海峽に
幾道

海も麻布したるき、長包のメキシコト

ニラニヤ

日本も是も同紙質トモメキシコト

ニラニヤ、さしき紙トニラニヤ、紙し共

本位通、質を紙ス、み香、港におぬと

之を本位通、質とす、る事、あるに

乃、其位、上、る、(一) 紙、一、事、互、に

二年、向、我、等、之、紙、張、せ、り、紙、れ、共

分、紙、を、心、の、色、紙

十一月十四日附横濱のオーリエントル
バンクはバンクオフカリフォルニアスミの
書籍の換革

支那の各埠にアメリカカドルラルの
通関手付足下批閱條目を香港
船主の本位通関手付のゴブルメント
ガゼット紙の換革に尔後船主の
無意を注せり 船主此の切要ある報

おと東洋交易の中心地となり、特
に新報ドルルル株造の企謀を
鋭く抑へるの重臣となり、上関を
延のワシントンに権限を交へる
及びやう不日多様と申ある
概々とも延の新ドルルル株
著名の貨幣と申すメキシコドルルル
株多くの紙幣を名に別凡

グレインの七五あり其量自紙位を
其の角に印刻を施し
ンキコより一供用衰減と勢依り此
事貿易の要用と存するに必要たる
其の似たり且多様の決之をせし
一紙位貴方通関せん此因
其由知由お流し存し存するの業
を感し辨理せんとの概ひなる事

子つるまき二年下厚言附横原の
 オリモタルバンク コルホレーシヨウバンク
 オフカリタルニヤス 上の書録の扱平
 新ドルラルをスキニコドルラルより一層猶
 上島もまろの意見をもよく
 成輩日おドルラルをいへたのめは
 たりありし日おドルラルはメキシコより一層
 とふなりぬる政府の考告るる要むる

めくメキシコドルラルをいへたドルラルとまろ
 事能もいへたはと載せたる考港に
 アトルニーゼ子ラルの五し考るる
 御事大の案にほらしはの成ら
 んをアトルニーゼ子ラルの考るる
 加ゆらうの能もまろを扱も
 日おドルラルはトロウ量同四而十六グレイ
 せ紙報九分且美製と信り幣ぬ

湯見んあまのいふに
全一ノキニコヤ
能くもいふを
ウル百〇七
ふありメキニコ
境之官儀
孝徳ら
勢を築
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ドルウルをメキニコ
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Extract from Bank of California's letter to
Oriental Bank, Yokohama, of 1st Oct 1872.

Will you kindly note remarks in our letter to your
Hongkong Manager concerning American (U.S.) dollar
coins, & favor us with your views as to the practicability
of finding a market for them, or at least of gradually
introducing them in Japan, at their relative value
as compared with Mexican, We can have them
coined in any quantity.

Extract from Bank of California's letter to
Oriental Bank, Hongkong, of 1st Oct 1872.

In the last named Box you will find \$1000. new
American (U.S.) coin, which we have just had
minted expressly for the purpose of sending to you
as an experiment, hoping that you will be able
to make such a disposition of them as will open
the way for more. The Dollar coinage, as you
are doubtless aware, has given place in this
country, for several years, past to the half dollar
coinage which is of lower value containing but
192 grains of standard silver to each coin.

The dollar coinage however is of full value,
and contains $412\frac{1}{2}$ grains of standard silver say 900 fine.

The Mexican Dollar is but two $\frac{3}{4}$ thousandths finer
say 902 $\frac{3}{4}$, and contains $417\frac{3}{4}$ grains, ours is a much
safer, handsomer, and better coin for use, and is
with us a legal tender the same as gold coin.

We think it should pass on your side when
fairly introduced with as much facility as Mexicans
at least at the slight difference in actual value.

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The Mexican dollar is intrinsically worth but 1/10. per cent more than ours, according to fine Silver contents). Pray do us the favour to help this along so far as may be practicable or convenient. We are anxious to find additional outlets for our increasing production of Silver.

Extract from Oriental Bank Corp.^{tion} Yokohama letter to Bank of California, of 6th Nov 1872.

We note what you say in your Hongkong letter about dollars. Our impression is that it would be impossible to make your dollars a legal tender there, & if not a legal tender in Hongkong the Chinese for other parts of the Country are not likely to fancy them except as bullion. So at least it strikes us here, but the Manager at Hongkong will be a better authority than we are.

The legal tender in Hongkong is described in the Government Gazette of 2nd May 1863, thus: "The dollar of Mexico or other Silver dollar of equivalent value, as may from time to time be authorized by the Governor or officer administering the Government of Hongkong, shall be the only legal tender of payments, within our said Island of Hongkong & its dependencies."

The foreign currency in Japan is "bona-fide Mexican Dollars without cracks or chops."

The Japanese have a Silver dollar equal to a Mexican in weight & purity but it is not a legal tender & will not be so until it has been made a legal tender in Hongkong. This matter has occupied us for the last two years, but

but without making much progress.

Extract from Bank of California's letter to
Oriental Bank, Yokohama, of 14th Dec 1872

Your remarks in regard to the use of American Dollars in China & Japan have since had our more particular attention, together with Extract from Government Gazette touching the Legal tender at Hongkong, & we have caused this important information to be communicated to the authorities at Washington, where ^{the} project of a new Silver Dollar expressly adopted to Oriental Markets has been suggested by the Secretary of the Treasury, & is likely to have the early attention of Congress. The new Dollar, as designed, will be a very handsome coin, & contain a little more fine Silver than the Mexican, say about $\frac{3}{4}$ of a grain; its weight & fineness to be stamped upon it. In view of the declining supply from Mexico, this would seem to be required to meet a Commercial want; & should the action of Congress be favorable & the new coin acceptable on your side, it will doubtless enter largely into the future transactions between this & Asiatic ports.

Extract from Oriental Bank Corp^{tion} Yokohama letter
to Bank of California, of 23rd Jan'y 1873.

We note the intention to make the new dollar a little better than a Mexican. We did so here with the Japanese Dollar & were met

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met in reply by the Attorney General at Hongkong stating that as the Japan Dollar was better than the Mexican it could not therefore be admitted as a Dollar equal to that of Mexico, as required by the Government's notification. It is nearly three years ago since this happened, and we regret we cannot lay our hands on the copy of the Attorney General's opinion, by which we confess we were much amused.

The Japanese Dollar being #16 grains Troy of $\frac{9}{10}$ fine, and a well made coin, is in our opinion quite "equal" to the coin of Mexico for all practical purposes but it will not pass in China & for the present we quote 107 Japan Dollars for 100 Mexican. What effect the declining supply of Mexican Dollars may have on the official mind at Hongkong we cannot tell, but to all present appearances China must get Dollars of some kind & more than she can get from Mexico.

J. L.

米北野千重
花三石記成
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No, Double Eagle \$20 -
 2 - Eagle 10 -
 3 - Half Eagle 5 -
 4 - Quarter Eagle 2.50
 5 - Three Dollar 3.00
 6 - Gold Dollar 1.00
 7 - Silver Dollar 1.00
 8 - Half Dollar .50
 9 - Quarter Dollar .25
 10 - Half Dime .05
 Dime same size as the
 Quarter Eagle 10 cts

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