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His Imperial Japanese Majesty's Consulate,
HONGKONG, CHINA,

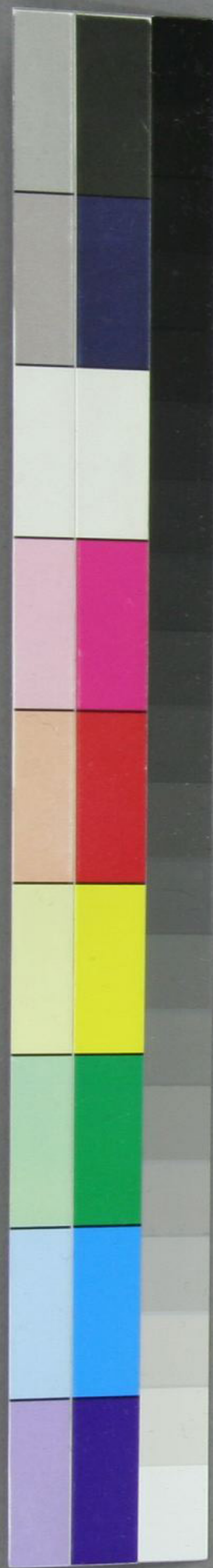
8 August 1874.

Ando Esop.

Arrested by force of Marine
at requisition of American
Minister on charge of
aiding Japan to make
war against China, &c.,
based on bond for 125,000
dollars given friends, have
fully acquainted Okuma

Legendre

Amoy.



乙号

八月十一日厦門領事館ヨリノ電信写

李氏ハ急事取押ヘノクハ米領事ノ過テナリ拾貳
萬元ノクハ朋友ヨリノ請合込ノクナリ

Japanese Consulate Shanghai, _____ th day

of _____ th Month 253 _____ after the coronation of the

Emperor Zimmre in the *August 6th 1894.*

5 p. m.

Okuma Shigenobu

Finance Minister, Tokio

*Arrested yesterday Okamaty went
Sialias with two gunboats last
evening ^{Am} and informed that at
night Consul received telegraphic
orders from American Minister,
Peking, to arrest me. This morning
Consul issued ^warrant which
I resisted. Marines landed from
American gunboat and arrested
me. Released on ten thousand
dollars bond given by friends.
Consul refused giving reasons
for arrest. Says not at Chinese
instigation. these proceedings
*altogether**

altogether unlawful. Hope Japanese
Government will enter telegraphic
protest against them at Washington.
Can claim indemnity. Despatch
dated Shanghai fifth August signed
Okuma Toki instructing me report
Okubo. Shanghai received last night
shall I report if possible? Information
about Ironclads received, Chinese
preparing extensively. Saw landed
~~several~~ ^{several} thousand stands arms at
Swatow. Nepaul in port shall keep
her until I receive reply. If cypher
~~received~~ ^{received} from Nagasaki, use it to
reply immediately.

(signed) Le Gendre

Copy

The Great Northern Telegraph Company

Station Amoy.

Telegram No 355

Deposited at Hong Kong the 8th
of August, 1874, 10 h. 10 m. p.m.

Legendre

^{care}
Chie of Japanese Consulate

Amoy

Received your telegram. Inform
me whether have you sent it
to 13 htp and Shanghai. Tanabe
leave here tomorrow for Amoy

(signed) Ando

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In the Consular Court of the
United States for the District of
Amoy. August 6th 1874.

The United States

^{vs}
^{W.}
C. H. Le Gendre

^{to}
^{SE}
~~St. J.~~ Edwards

George Davis Esq. ^{Sub.}
Acting U. S. Marshal

You are hereby commanded to arrest
forthwith and bring ^{before} me C. H. Le Gendre
& found within this Consular District.

(L.S.) (signed) J. J. Henderson

U. S. Consul

Pedder

(L.S.) (signed) W. W. Pedder

H. M. Consul

Amoy

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Japanese Consul

Hong Kong.

Arrested by force of maxines at
requisition of American Minister
upon charge aiding Japan to make
war against China Released on bond
for one hundred twenty five thousand
dollars given by friends Have fully
acquainted Mr. Okuma Order Tanabe
and Nei to Amoy immediatly.

(Sign) Legendre

(Sent in cypher)

Amy, August 7th 1874.
Okuma Shigenobu 1 p.m.
Finance Minister, Tokio.

This morning Consul gave
reasons for arrest Accused by
Minister of aiding Japan in
making war against ^{China must await trial} bond for
appearance five sureties twenty
five thousand dollars each Have
applied to go to Shanghai Please
Notify Mr. Okubo!

(signed) Le Gentre

Amy, August 7th 1874.
Geo. F. Seward
U.S. Consul General
Shanghai.

No legal advice here I consider
it unfair to keep me here would
like to go Shanghai Mr Henderson
has referred the matter to you.
^{can} Can you comply with my
request.

(signed) Le Gentre