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Yedo.

March. 22. 1871.

Sir,

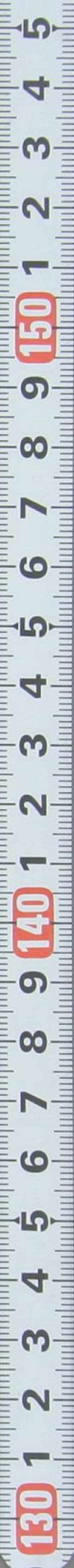
It affords me much satisfaction  
to accept the invitation, as  
communicated in your note of the  
20<sup>th</sup> instant to be present at the  
formal opening of the Yokosuka  
Dock on the 27<sup>th</sup> instant.

I have distributed the five  
cards which you were so good as

W.E.

Okuma Sanji

etc — etc — etc



to enclose to

Colonel Norman C.B.

Mr Justice Hannen.

Captain Wootton,

Captain St John and

Mr Vice Consul Robertson.

I beg also to mention that I shall  
be accompanied by Mr Adams,  
Secretary of Legation and Mr Satow  
Japanese Secretary.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

Henry P. Parker

On Her Majesty's Service.

H.E.  
Okuma Sangi

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