

British Legation Yedo
May 10. 1869.

The Undersigned had the honor to receive this morning the letter of the Vice Ministers of yesterdays date on the subject of the affronts recently offered to foreigners on the Tokaido by the retinues of officers in the train of His Majesty the Emperor.

There are some points in this letter and the Notification enclosed in it, which call for further consideration, and as it is the duty of the Undersigned to forward a report of these unfortunate

occurences

Their Excellencies

Date Chinnagow,
Higashi Kuzé Chingyo,
Okuma Hachitaro.

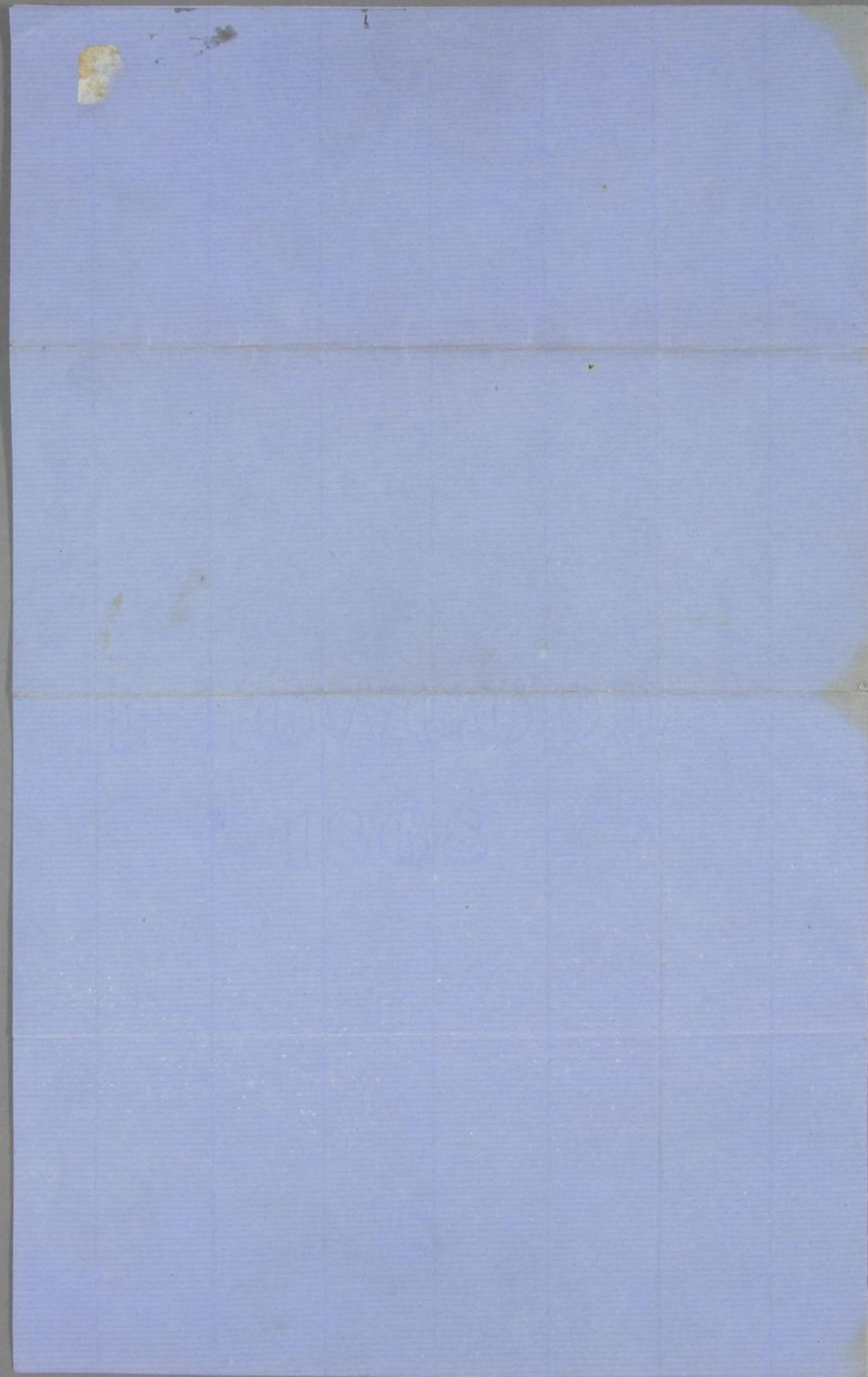
occurrences to his Government by
an opportunity which leaves
immediately for Europe, he
begs the Vice Ministers to
favor him with a visit at
his Legation tomorrow at
nine o'clock when it is hoped
that a satisfactory adjustment
may be arrived at.

The Undersigned takes
this opportunity of assuring
Their Excellencies of his
distinguished

distinguished Consideration

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H. B. Mc Evoy Extraordinary and
Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan.



ON HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

To Their Excellencies
Date Chinnagon
Higashi Kuzo Ching
Okuma Shii

Harry J. Parkes

Foreign Office.

