

I beg to say for me a box of cigars, and
pieces of the Chinese flag, & some good
and the state of his health is somewhat
get himself, & I have great difficulty about
the night.

On business, & making visiting to the mission &
the Committee. I am now in my letter of introduction
to the Bishop. What his trip means for his mission &
mine, bound up in volume, but as it is a matter, I do
not clearly understand. But it seems, he said it was
from Hongkong, via Canton, & Shanghai?

I am anxious to know what has been done
with my deposit sent off from here in November
1851. I have still, what has become of the volume
of the mission translation of the scriptures, sent off
for the purpose of copying to the Chinese Bibles,
Chinese Bibles.

I am anxious to get all that has been
published by the Committee since the Bibles
left the office.

I have received no answer of the "Bibles"
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since I began the commencement of 1851. I have
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18/ Napa, Sunday July 31st 1853

George Roddick Clarke Esq.
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London.

My dearest Sir

Brother in our common Lord Jesus Christ,
before whom I am now going to write to you in sim-
plicity & truth a few lines, with the urgency of busi-
ness which can know of no delay, & my present indis-
position render impossible.

I deeply regret your failure of May 1852. Did
not come to hand till July 20th a.c. & yours of July
& August /52 still 2 days later. Up to the date of
these letters reaching me I had not the slightest
knowledge of your being at our Committee, though
I knew by the end of May last that we have a new
Committee. I think it necessary to advise to this
circumstance to assure you I have had & have
the fullest confidence in our new Committee from
the moment I knew it was formed under your
auspices.

How great & many & lasting my obliga-
tions are will be for the kind notice you took of
my appeal to you. I need scarcely say. I look
upon this incident in the history of our mission as
a seal of divine favour, & hope the reflection the
will always sustain hope & faith, be my friends
to think & onward.

God my heart remains with you

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 after the children, that I have not been able to
 write to you as often as I wish. I am
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Aug. 1st. very early
 I can scarcely express to your Lordship the comfort & satisfaction
 which fill my breast whenever - it is very often - the thought occu-
 ries me that his mission, under God, has now somebody, your
 son, to carry on. How can I ever be sufficiently grate-
 ful to your Lordship for the trouble you have already had, &
 which I am sure you will neither in future than, about
 us? It is as if the heaviest & most burdensome care of
 life had been removed from my shoulders. I had for-
 merly actually not allowed myself the time of feeling
 an indisposition, & stopped working only when I could not
 move any more. I have been, I am sure, as much slave
 as any negro in the West, labouring at the typoe both
 in body & mind, without a breathing moment, & yet in risk
 of seeing the whole structure tumble down at once. Now
 the Lord, the builder & maker of his own house, has given it
 pillars. It shall stand, & upon both shall be raised
 till the topstone shall be brought forth with shoutings, crying,
 grace, grace unto it.

I do not know as yet whether I shall be able
 to find time for packing some articles for you. At
 any rate we shall soon have another opportunity, & again
 another of communicating with you. In the mean time
 our best thanks for the letter you kindly sent us.
 not a single word was bad.

With our best regards to your dear Lady
 congratulating her on the sweet temper with which she
 bears your Lordship's desertion of 7 months year.
 & with kisses for your children I beg you to
 me. my dear Lord, ever yours most
 D. J. P.

I have the pleasure to inform you that I have received your letter of the 15th inst. in relation to the Japanese Government, and I am glad to hear that you are so much interested in the subject. I have been thinking of writing to you for some time, but have been so busy that I could not find time. I have been thinking of writing to you for some time, but have been so busy that I could not find time. I have been thinking of writing to you for some time, but have been so busy that I could not find time.

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W. H. Medhurst Esq.

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Nagasaki, August 1st 1853.

My dear Sir

With many thanks for the favour you have done me in addressing me at all, & grateful acknowledgments for your clever pamphlet, I beg to say, that if you consider the two papers of mine, found in your predecessor's office, of any value, they stand quite at your disposal. I do not recollect that I had ever sent a paper to Hong Kong for the mere purpose of being kept shut up in an office.

Your letter, though of Oct. 15th, reached this as late as 20th July last. Whatever has to go via Fuchow for us here, if at the Consulate by end of May or, if later, June 15th, reaches us end of June or in July of the same year.

I beg to congratulate you to the honorable post you so deservedly occupy, & pray that the renown of your father, already giving fragrance to your name, may abide in your house, for then we shall be sure to have sweet christian reading for our Chinese brethren.

I know not how to serve you as regards Japanese books. Most of his classics are only interlined with catechisms, like the ~~one~~ sent you by this opportunity. I satisfy your wish. I beg your personal of the part of my edition of Luke, which is due to the British & Foreign Society, in order to complete the book I had sent before. I beg you to transmit the manuscript nine sheets, to the Bishop of Victoria, to be London. I shall make effort to procure you my translation, with a Japanese text after the most

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