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Orange
Scented
FROM CHINA TO GREAT BRITAIN.
Hanson

From the
29. entry

From the correspondence
less the following note
Napa Jun

Commodore Mr. C. Perry
U.S.N. Susquehanna.

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went on board the Caprice (which vessel though scarcely arrived
I heard was worn again to be fit). The Commanding Officer, Lt. Wm.
S. Mandy, a very kind man, cheered me by bringing us some
articles, for which he had to lay out the money, thus giving us credit.
He brought me also my watch sent for repairs to Shanghai,
thus setting me again up as good as new. I suppose the repairs
for the watch might well have been done in London, not to
say any other place, for 5 dollars in Shanghai does I
suppose also for five dollars in London, not to
half the price in England.
Obtained that I needed money to pay for the repairs
deposited in Shanghai.
The "Boat", a small schooner chartered
to bring over "coals for the steamer, was just in sight, and
I should say was just coming under the lee of the
Island when the vessel on board.

29. From the correspondence of the day, I
enter the following note

Commander M. C. Perry
U. S. S. "Porpoise".
Naga June

Sir, I humbly beg your
concerning a remainder of the fodder, which
I incline not to send it at present
reasons: 1, to have to offer the
referring to the cattle they had
I shall think it proper to speak
2, because I may also need some
how deep we have to run. He will
I permit, this being sent at
some barley (it was rice that was contained
has already been begged by some poor people,
that by pestling it they could feed the fowls.

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A thing of consequence ... (handwritten text on the left side of the right page)

... on one side. I should ... (handwritten text on the right side of the right page, including a large tear in the paper)

a thing of consequence
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