

## Letter to John Murray III, 8 May 1857

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57 Sloane St

8<sup>th</sup> May

1857

My Dear M<sup>r</sup> Murray

I enclose  
a letter I got last night  
from M<sup>r</sup> Adams  
Would it be worth  
while to send it  
to the Athenaeum  
with a note requesting  
~~him~~ [Adams] to send his

[0002]

photograph to the  
detective police to  
be dealt with in  
the manner adopted  
towards all who  
have similar views  
of honesty & legality

The denial of  
advertisements is  
instructive as even  
the authors of them  
start back from  
the deception

[0003]

practised when  
they see it presented  
to their own  
eyes in print in  
its naked deformity

The other parties  
are I think equally  
guilty for I was  
never asked whether  
I would permit

my letters to be  
published in a  
collective form  
[0004]  
by either the "Banner"  
Snow - or the  
L.M. Society. M<sup>r</sup> Prout  
who furnished  
my letters to the Banner  
wrote a review in  
it of Adam's work  
& told me he had  
done so. My sister  
says it is a case of  
"Satan reproving sin"

D. Livingstone

It is mortifying to come from  
Africa to be so handled