

## Letter to Thomas Raffles, 6 March 1858

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My Dear D<sup>r</sup> Raffles

I have not very well some days a complaint result of

[0002] fever the river being very rough afternoon have very to the of wife not

[0003] expose myself . I have hard at all day & quite too late for dinner but for I mention have it a privilege spend the with & the Crossfields

[0004] hope you will excuse . I shall over tomorrow bid you - after

Hoping you will be annoyed by unexpected failure an engagement

I am &c

David Livingstone