

Letter to John Murray III, 5 October 1858

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Kongone harbour

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My Dear M^r Murray

Two Dutch clergymen the Cape were once lighted comfortably lodged in house of a rebel who had few days before had been engaged in the of the Hon^{ble} Captain and a number of at Boomplaats did not want to see them there they were - and not only circulated a of scandal to the effect a black metal pot I once to a chief was a cannon

[0002] consequence was I was a supply of gunpowder the Cape when departing my great journey cannot forgive me for them as they were the Government apparently fraternizing the rebels. They said while I had an & £800 in Cape but when I am hundreds of miles make an attack not the text but on footnote in which mention their way of land for the church a commendatory style

[0003] evidently feel that if they prove a single point they are safe. And a Scotchman D^r Robertson written to me and threatens write to you too. He makes assertion that the stipend so much but leaves of view the etceteras make it much . I answer him think he will scarcely my answer I refer pointedly to former meeting the rebel's house & onus of publication with him. If likes to publish his - shame he may

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I write this in great haste have got no end of the coal - It is like the Welsh burned a ton and a half coming down from Tette men recieved me in of joy. Thirty of died of ~~fever~~ small and six were killed a rebel chief. Sekwebu's servant is now me. I leave tomorrow again for Tette. all well. Kind to Cook & M^{rs} M.

M^{rs} L is off for Kuruman her father & mother

I am &c

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