

Letter to John Washington, 8, 9 March 1858

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Birkenhead

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Dear Captain Washington

I duly recieved all enclosures for

Sierra Leone and the

Cape on the 7th and the agreement the signature of

[0002] engineer annexed. are all ready for and nothing the weather, which excessively bad yesterday, will our sailing noon.

I beg leave again express my grateful of your very

[0003] and constant throughout the of this expedition tender you my thanks for all labour & anxiety have so patiently in our and I hope good wishes be realized

[0004] every one of us doing our

I am yours

very cordially

David Livingstone

9 A.M. weather very stormy snow. If the pilots we may venture out shall do so about

12. I sign M^r Laird's for the launch as aid though it may not be essential D. L.