

Letter to Thomas S. Livingstone, 2 December 1865

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My Dear TomMother
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I have too little know
ledge of the German
Universities to say whether
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I like them or not. How
would you profit by a
yarn from a Hochweldge-
boren prediker vomiting
forth Vaterlandch teal
in sounds as Euphorious
as the coupling of a cart
of coals. The Dean of
Ely said to me lately
"Have you no sons that
we could help on with
their education " If you
succeed well at Glasgow it might be advisable
to try own English
universities but the
preperation for them
has to be very thorough
I have a little dislike to
being Germanized in
any way. t theological
views may be pleasure
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to drones but never
suit men who are deter-
mined that well their
part in life.
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I hear his friend
M^r Boyd occasionally
fourteen buffaloes have
gone off as an experiment
with the tsetse. They are
a slow but sure beast

of burden and as like
the wild African half brother
as can be except the
mass of horn on the fore
head. David Livingstone