## Letter to H. Norton Shaw, 25 March [1857]

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My Dear Shaw

A few days  $M^r$  Prout wrote me saying that thought I had that the of the Society placed £200 my credit but I did not now told me of it

[0002] suppose your has this. I had my arrival £100 of my four salary.  $M^{\text{rs}}$  having been obliged draw on it as all got after paying the children was £45 per annum in war times not very fattening £100 finished

[0003] not a word said aught else except a new [(1857)] which I dont to do. I was to apply first you then to Murray get what I need - though it is eating my book it is . I dont mean draw any of the

£200 or anything else that will be a hold upon . And I dont think

[0004] have it in their to give me any the course I mean pursue. The Society to send the gospel

& nothing else

When on my way I asked

Tidman to send me address of the of the & O. company I believed they give me free passage

[0005] account of connection the R.G.S. of giving what I asked

Prout wrote to of the company dont know and got promise of Passage money £105 which paid at the Pont Galle, Ceylon

[0006] more was said done untill a days ago when

Prout in his note Tell me to you paid money and will get it for you I dont quite this we will will be returned on his account

[0007] all. Are you with

the P.& O. company? letting me alone like wishing let me feel the of want & come humbly them which I am as a missionary ever I dont to do.

I think you had

[0008] not do any about the . Though it be well to it when I it & not when the sea or where shops are to be to spend it.

I dont mean to any more the L.M.S.

Yours &c

David Livingstone