

## Letter to Francis Skead, 3 April 1858

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1858

Sir

As another sextant  
is required for the use  
of the Zambesi  
Expedition in addition  
to that we already possess  
I beg leave to apply  
to you for one, and

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I will account for  
it to the Admiralty

I am &c

David Livingstone

M<sup>r</sup> Skead R.N.

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Lamb Collection

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The annexed letter I received  
from the personal friend of  
D<sup>r</sup> Livingstone - Captain Skead, late  
R.N. and Admiralty Surveyor  
to the Zambesi expedition - and  
I can therefore testify to its  
genuineness.

N. L. Spindle

30/8/74