

Letter to William B. Woodman

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My Dear Sir

It will give
me great pleasure
to be the bearer of
a present to Sekeletu
and also to Shinte
if I come as I
possibly may into
his country. And
to express the kind

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interest you feel
in his welfare .
I shall ever esteem
the gospel of Christ
as the greatest
boon I can confer
on the Africans .
It is the solace of
my own soul
and while devoting
myself to opening
up the country
to the sympathies

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of Christians it is
only with a view
of extending the
kingdom of our
Lord more extensively .

The people make
thick milk and
no cheese but it

tastes like that
article. If they
taste cheese it is
with faces of
infinite disgust.

I have had no
time to write more

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for the press and
dislike composition .

Thanking you
kindly & heartily
for you letter
and its enclosure

I am &c

David Livingstone

M^r Bathurst Woodman