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My Dear Sir

Your note of having gone my late address recieved it this.

Last night I was D^r Hamilton's

& met the young man ^r Brodie to whom a former occasion referred and he me that M^r Silva now living at

[0002] 's Hotel, Charing. He says that is a Protestant Portuguese extraction

& came thus far to his wife to U. S. He will her next year . I dont know he is anything a Protestant more in name. The generally very much devoid religious convictions I think you get all the you

[0003] from him.

 M_-^r Brodie is an in D_-^r Hamilton's though still young man and I feel sure you to Mr. I therefore his card than attempt give you second information

As M^r-Brodie a Christian I suggest an with first and

[0004] might depend on sympathy in objects. He give you clearer insight Silva's character I can.

Silva will know expenses better anyone else

Wishing you all I am &c

David Livingstone

Silva leaves for Loanda the end of this week