

## Letter to Agnes Livingstone 2, 30 November 1860

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My Dear Sister Agnes

Your first letter me since I came back to Africa 26 July /59 was waiting my here a few days ago. We been up the River to the Makololo - and tramped 600 miles three months. Then some 800 more canoes & on foot on our return were very glad to see our old again but I was saddened by finding a party London missionaries had as we suppose of Fever Linyanti. My regret was the on remembering that we curing [^][at the time they were dying] very severe cases of the

[0002] complaint on our way up scarcely a day was lost after the of the remedy. the patients

D<sup>r</sup> Kirk & Charles resuming their on foot even at the very longest

2 days after the medicine operated. And found the proper medicines in my about 500 yards from the where the missionaries perished. mode of using them too is mentioned the end of "Missionary Travels" Tom was the first I ever tried powder on, at Lake Ngami in 1850

Agnes got it too and so did a party of one of whom died before arrived. The people had taken to M<sup>r</sup> Helmore who was really good man & most devoted missionary grieve much over his departure

[0003] the Head of the church doeth all well. the chief was afflicted what is considered Leprosy, several of his most influential suffered death for bewitching . We were curing him when to leave, but time is requisite complete cure. I question if it real leprosy. the people are most interesting I know, and was sorely blamed for not bringing

M<sup>rs</sup> L. as all believe that the of one of M<sup>r</sup> Moffat's family secure them from attack Mosilikatze. I hope that they not be left untaught though check has been given.

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We have not yet got our goods up the , as soon as we do, all the will remove to the healthy highlands are to have a new ship. Verily one we got was a swindle, and folks are not pleased because say so. It entailed on me most un-toil - but "He that tholes overcome". Am glad to hear accounts of the children. Please my hearty thanks to my D<sup>r</sup> Loudon for his continued . Charles is pretty well had fever several times. I have any severe attack, but have little illnesses - Sorry to hear your health is so poor. My to Grandma & Janet - I written to Mother on every occas of sending a mail - the letters the children are pretty fair -

I am &c Affect<sup>y</sup> David Livingstone

I hear very good accounts of Sechele. He has a missionary. Nine tribes are with him - schools large