## Letter to J.J. Wesley Bennett

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Kongone  $5^{\underline{th}}$  August

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Dear Sir

I have no great objection against giving an autograph to a Lady but I feel to be such a silly thing to write my name for a great heanimal like you would'nt be better now to spend the

## [0002]

money you waste
in postage stamps
plaguing people,
in supporting a
poor shivering
half starved naked
boy or girl at a
ragged school. I
think one would
remember having
saved the perishing
with greater pleasure
on a dying bed

[0003] than that he had secured all the autographs from Ham's to old

David Livingstone

Abe Lincoln's

 $M_{\overline{-}}^{r}$  Bennett

## [0004]

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