

## Letter to John Murray III, 16 February 1858

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My dear M<sup>r</sup> Murray

As it is desirable

that an abridgement

of my work

the Missionary

travels should

be issued and

I have the fullest

confidence

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in M<sup>r</sup> Elwins

ability and sympathy

for such abridgement

and in your

management of

it I hereby

by authorize

you to take

whatever steps

you may

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deem advisable

in the matter

and I leave it

entirely to your

judgment as

to the time &c

of publication

I am &

David Livingstone

John Murray Esq