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Dear Sir.

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I am interested in
the efforts you are
making at Berlin in
reference to the Slave
Trade question. Sir E. V.
Mallet's addition seems
to me an important
one. The book which provides
Negroes" to hand and
presents it is of great importance
and I think means might
readily be found to make the

principles workable. Then I
see you are also acting
against the "engaged libers"

But my object in
writing is not to satisfy
but to produce action.

Am to give a lecture in
Glasgow to the Free Section of
the Philosophical Society
on "African Colonies and
Colonization" and I wish
to bring into prominence
in it the whole question of
the treatment of the aborigines -
by Colonists. Every Paper you

happen to hear bearing on
this subject would be of
value to me. Mr. Ripon
of the Aborigines Society
has sent me some specially
as regards Slavery the worst
form of medical treatment
I should be interested
in any facts as to Slavery
in the Portuguese Settlements
and Zanzibar. In
the former this is nominally
suppressed but I think in
the latter. How is it on the
lower Congo and the Niger?

Are our British Vicer
readers free from it. How
is it in Senegambia. Any
feels bearing on the question
would be of much value to me

I have not yet quite
decided about Africa, so
mean while I am inclined to
offer to take it. Perhaps
may try it on a broader
basis. How soon for any
Nimble this month?

I am very truly
Yr. truly
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