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London, 32 Dorset Square

24th Decr 1842

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My dear Sir

I have been requested by an intimate friend to introduce to your acquaintance the Revd Charles Kimberley who is going to Bonn to reside there with his son. As Mr Kimberley has resided some years in China I have no doubt you will find his society interesting and instructive.

The state of my health is so bad that I am obliged to dictate these few lines; but I hope your own is as satisfactory as your friends could wish. Three years ago I did myself the pleasure of sending you a copy of Prodomus also one to the University, both of ~~which~~ which I hope arrived safe. Though I sent a copy to the Jahr-bücher I am rather disappointed it has not been noticed at all in Germany, while here in this