

Pyral Mount March 9th
1828

My dear Friend,

I am sorry to find you rate
my Opus so high - it would
give me great pleasure to meet
your wishes, but I see little hope of
it at present - even if the terms
on which alone I should feel myself
at liberty to contribute could be
accorded to by you. Much as I should
value the bronze Bust it is a
mode of remuneration too unfeeling
for my present engagements. -
Considering the sums offered by the

Health to be every man, I ~~think~~ think
it ^{might be} unwise to enter into competition
with him so far as Authorship goes,
and unless, the Proprietors (or
proprietors) of yours wish be prepared
to enter upon it with a Capital
that would allow a heavy expenditure
for this branch only, though comparatively
with the Subscribers ~~is~~ insignificant.

I speak to you as Solitor alone
The proprietors of some of these works
have made large sums by them, and
it is reasonable that the Authors
should be paid in some proportion.

For my own part I ~~have~~ acknowledge

Had a wish to gratify you, and
I feel it very strongly, were I not ^{con-}
sented upon an occasion like this.
It is a matter of trade ~~to be~~
all my natural feelings are in your
affavour before the Public in this
way - Having spoken thus
frankly I dismiss the subject.

My Sister recovers, you
with great interest & I hope her
health improves - very faithfully yours

Steel engraving has given birth
to these Publications, and the immense
number of impressions of the Bible, which
it allows must be the support of them
not success. It is therefore just to
ask to the ^{same} ~~same~~ ^{glare} ~~glare~~ ^{the} ~~the ^{same} ~~same~~
which after all ^{is} ~~is~~ ^{part} ~~part~~ ^{of} ~~of~~ ^{the} ~~the ^{expense} ~~expense~~~~~~

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