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[1] 15 Langham Place 30 January
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My Dear M^r Schlegel

Your Mss followed the Announcement very slowly. As soon as I received it I made a Proposal through M^r Lockhart to Murray who in spite of more ~~one~~-A^{than} one Application was very long before He answered me.

When the Answer came it required that a Sight of Your Mss ~~xxx~~ should be given for a short time to a Man of Letters chosen by M^r Murray To this I could not assert without obtaining your Approbation

In determining what You ought to do I request you to consider that this literary Counsellor of M^r Murray is not to sit in [2] Judgement on your Genius & Learning but to perform the mere gross Task of endeavouring to estimate how far the Sale of the Work would in the present State of the Taste & Temper of London on commercial Principles warrant a vile trader in Books to agree to your Terms in themselves certainly very moderate

Though I am regardful & even jealous of your Dignity I own that in this View of the Subject I should strongly incline to agree with Murrays Request. The Indian Question will not come on in Parliament till next Year -

I beg an earlier Answer than Murrays Delays allowed me to make to you

I am My Dear M^r S.

Yours very faithfully

Mackintosh

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[4] M. W. A. Schelegel

Namen

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Murray, John

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