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"I will open a path through the country or perish."

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Livingstone's Sayings

"Anywhere, provided it be forward."

"I will place no value on anything I have or may possess, except in relation to the Kingdom of Christ. If anything will advance the interests of that kingdom, it shall be given away or kept, only as by giving or keeping of it I shall most promote the glory of Him to whom I owe all my hopes in time and eternity."