

Letter from A.P. Watt to Appleton

5th December 1905

I now have pleasure in sending in handing you herewith a copy of the formal agreement between Messrs Appleton and Co and Mr SRC covering the terms of which they have agreed to purchase the US book rights of his new novel at present entitled Fishers of Men.

Kindly initial sign and return it to me at the earliest convenience. I shall then take the pleasure in handing them a duplicate copy duly completed by Mr C.

P.S you will remind Messrs Appleton will you not that as the story is not to be published serially in America, it will be necessary for them to secure the American copyright while this is running serially in this country in the Christian World. As I advised you with the letter in which I originally offered you Fishers of Men, the book is to be published by in this country by Messrs. James Clark and Co in March and April of next year and as Messrs Appleton are to publish simultaneously with Messrs Clark, I shall be glad if you will communicate with them with a view to arranging a date for the simultaneous publication of the book here and in America, which will be satisfactory to both parties.