

Fragment of 1871 Field Diary, 28 September 1871-7 October 1871

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[0001]

28 Sept^r 1871 cont -
Journal = 20th camp
from Bambarre = 4½
Hours to last crossing of
R Lovum[ngum]ba =
29th 4½ to under M^t -
Ngoilu = fruit plum
= good = rapid current
of forty yards & knee
deep = 21st camp -
30 Do 4 waters
many buffaloes
rest 3 hours
and go on to
Masuko camp
6 hours or 7
22 camp
1st Oct Monday
on to Mketos
in mountains
2nd Rest -
safari reported
[...] mp

The text that follows is written in an unknown hand and lies beneath Livingstone's writing at a perpendicular angle.

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care of Dr Kirk

[0002]

3^d to go on
Ghamees W. I
fighting with th[...]
chief Merere -
Moenenyun
on me side
Ghamees on
other and
Unyembe
Arabs on [Embossed seal of the Royal Geographical Society.]

a third side
Merere is
mad - cut
off hand
of Makoa
- drunkenness

R =

Read Bible
four times
through = Manyema

[0003]

3^d Masuko nearly ripe and in
great abundance = on to camp of
Masudi24th camp -

5th Oct to Loanda vil = send
to Kasonga for canoe - go

6th on to Kasonga vil -

7th Rest there = eyes
inflamed = Kasonga
to come today -[Calculation.]