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My Dear M^r Murray
You remember
Captain Henry Need
who lent us his
portfolio of drawings
made on the West
Coast & whom
you pronounced
to have a real
artistic eye. Well
he is near to this
and very infirm

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nothing would delight him more than doing any drawing we need - that indeed is the only thing he can do now. So when you have decided on what you like please send them down and he will make any combination of them you may suggest. the

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lip ring ladies who
were mentioned
by my brother might
be done by him if
you think it
advisable

Mrs Webb & her husband
would have been
better pleased if

I had reported

that you were coming here soon. I write this morning to M^r Conyingham of the

[0004]
Foreign Office for
the blue books in
which my despatches
are - if he complies
& sends them to you
please do send them
by Rail down to
Newstead which is
a private station
and oblige yours &c.
David Livingstone