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not too late for reversing my decision about getting the medicines in Edinburgh I am & David Livingstone

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My Dear Sir

On counselling Captain Washington about the paper for drying plants he informed me that he has got five reams of it ready for you [0002]He thinks that after you have made the list complete it ought to be sent to the medical depart ment of the Navy and that the medicines should be furnished by them. So if [0003]you have not already ordered any you had better just send me the list and if you should come to London you could see to the packing of

them as you

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{desire} \\ [0004] \end{array}$

If convenient it would be well for you to see Captain Washington before we go. He likes to be acknowledged and is also very useful in getting anything for you in his power. A quarter or half a year's salary may be obtained.

Hoping that this is

Please name arsenical soap corrosive sublimate &c in your list