

Letter to Horace Waller, 23 May 1863

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My Dear Waller

Many thanks the kind invitation visit. I am not to the goodness prompted it, I am weak & disinclined to move speak. The diarrhoea ceasing and I afraid to risk relapse by sitting

[0002] the canoe. I am recovering fast as may after losing so flesh.

The canoe came afternoon I sent it again with
25 lbs of pork
& 25 lbs of beef will be glad anytsetse meat can spare[.]

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It rained from 10 AM right on dark and today as it had lost its . If it was wet down at canoe I pity the

~~voyagers~~ voyagers[.] they meet mission coming be welcomed

Kindest salutations Proctor & Rowley

David Livingstone

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Can you lend us a trap? We have
3 kittens & mean a for you. our garden proved bad melons & - which of a very kind[.]

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notes in different hand

For M^{rs} G. Williams with M^r Horace 's kind regards.

Mem: This letter was written at

Ma Litti at the foot of the Cataracts on Shiré river: the D^r had been suffering a severe attack of Dysentery before. We were 12 miles below at Chibisa's

H W.