

## Letter to [John Murray III], 1 April 1865

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[0001]

1 April 1865  
appropriate to the  
day, I made a  
great mistake  
in sending manu  
script headings  
to I think XIV  
XV & XVI Chaps  
and here I find  
that I have them  
in type - dont  
know how I  
overlooked them

[0002]

I send them stuck  
to 83 page though  
I fear they are April  
fools  
I send also 83-101  
final revise and  
paged matter 81-144  
corrected & trusting  
the printer will not  
overlook the errata  
noted  
I send also the  
proof of the Falls  
and think that  
the artist has

[0003]

done very well indeed  
with them - If he  
could make the  
part I have marked  
thus look

perpendicular  
rock. It would be  
better as the chasm  
is so prolonged

but I dont know  
what can be done  
on the block -

Referring to the  
woodcut on page 95  
I wish our artist  
friend had been  
married to the

[0004]  
pig faced lady and  
the divorce court  
abolished, but I  
suppose he could  
not alter it after  
the face was on the block.

I sent Denman &  
Clapperton this morn-  
ing with many  
thanks and am &c

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