

Letter to Horace Waller, 8 August 1863

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Malango 8th August 1863

My Dear Waller

We have got of our boat after succeeding getting it nearly past all cataracts - on Monday should have passed all having gone some 3 in the river in charge the Makololo who are A.1. in . they found it impossible go farther - coming on shore told me so and I called all hands to carry her land when five of these men jumped in my knowledge - they take it past of course the next thing I saw was boat floating bottom upwards soon as they saw danger took care of (Nº) One & went our hopes over cataracts - with a good

[0002] of property in her - the & some Ajawa ran the bank like good fellows she never came in sic sailing on Nyassa transit

The Ajawahave behaved - It has been a hard - for she was heavy. I them to be paid exactly if they had fulfilled their of launching the which they would done in two days the cataracts. To Mulolo and Maluchu give

3 (lbs) of powder each - and one of the bags of shot are a little more half full be divided them - also 100 bullets ten flints each - Give full allowance of - a fathom more than promised if you it right to exceed the

[0003] - 5 brass rods of and the beads - looking glasses

& whatever else I promised more to the headmen [divide][^] the wages of the for 6 days say suppose a third of the wages. Make them at whatever - I would like to the headmen Mulolo Maluchu and

Kamualakwinda if he a headman - a present I return which not be promised

If you can come to the ship & manage business satisfactorily shall feel much

Ever with Affection

David Livingstone

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Horace Waller (Esq.)