

Letter to John Murray III, 23 March 1865

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My Dear M^r Murray

Many thanks for
your offer of a
book - I have no
copy & should
like to have one.
M^r Webb offered
to get one for M^r Moffat but it
seems to have
gone out of his
head so you

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better send one to D^r
Tidman writing
in it from whom
it is sent. Thanks
for Tylor. It contains
nothing worth men
tioning on the point
the flint or stone
implements referred
to being comparatively
modern. That,
was all M^r Crawford
had to adduce for
the Stone Age having
been all over the
world. I recieved
Denman &c too

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Today I send you
45 - 56 - 57 - 73
73 - 82 - with
your friends
corrections all
inserted - and
manuscript heads

for chapters XII - XIII
XIV - XV - XVI all
straight. Indian
file but so many
corrections that
I should feel obliged
if it is seen to
that the printer may
put all in. I
think they will
then be perfect

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for the next slip I am to
want from one I
sent to the printer - the
Description of the
Falls - I have your
friends corrections
for it here - but wait
till I get 83 89 3^d
Revise from Clowes
I shall go in at
Manuscript mean
while.

My heart is very
sore for the Makololo
a letter last night
tells me a complete
smash up such
as we expected
has taken place

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in fact there is now
no Makololo tribe
Sekeletu died - &
they got to fighting
among themselves
then & black
tribes rose - killed
his successor
& dispersed the
remainder who
fled leaving all
their wives &
children. All my
goods which
were kept so
faithfully for

ten years are of

[0006]

course gone.

I send the peek
note book yesterday
and am &c

David Livingstone

I omitted a
few words only
which seemed
to be the result
of not having
read the whole