Letter to John Murray III

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My Dear M^r Murray

After I had sent off the corrections of your friend I regretted that I had not incorporated them into 4th Revise myself and sent him new matter. If you will kindly return them namely B. C. D I shall do so and today I send pages 43-89

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2nd Revise - which are a portion of the journey up the river to the Falls, and if he will let me have them back in the course of the week I shall then be able to give him the narrative consecutively, and I have no doubt he may be able to point out omissions. I am glad he mentions the want of inform

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ation about the "steamers". What I added will give offence to no one.

As by sending back your friend 's corrections to me & 4th Revise I relieve him from the work of in corporating his corrections. I suppose he may have gone over 43-89 now sent by Wednesday next and will therefore send new matters on that day

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to keep him going - the reason why the consecutive narrative is not sent is I made additions & these have not come back from Clowes. He will do good service by going over it as a whole - there may be repetitions which I don 't notice - I think sometimes I walk into the Portuguese too savagely. Hoping you will excuse this trouble .

I am &c David Livingstone