

Letter to John Murray III, 30 May [1857]

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[0001]

30th May
Hadley Green
Barnet
My Dear M^r Murray
I return the
drawings with
remarks. I entirely
forgot all about
Lady EastLake's
invitation. the
flitting must have
driven it out of
my head for untill

[0002]

your note came this
morning I never
dreamed about it
I shall write and
apologize. I shall
let the printer have
three pieces on
Monday if he sends
to M^r Wilbraham
Taylor1 Robert St.
AdelphiStrand
for it between
11 & 12 o clock. He
is a neighbour &
will bring any little
thing

[0003]

Please send the
following corrections
to be incorporated
with the others
P. 108 line 9 from
the bottom after
was seen, add, But
it may be a sort of
Ant-Lion (Myrmuoléo)

as they often walk
backwards.

P. 113 Second line
from bottom

[0004]

retain the words
splash, guggle
jupp, as Prof.
Owen thinks them
very expressive
of the thing intended

P. 111 Retain what
follows 10th line

from top as
corrected in the slips sent.

117 21st line from top
after "disaffection" put
and successful rebellion
Dele success

[0005]

down for us.
The books will
I suppose come
safe. I think
I can promise
you three or
four pieces of
new matter weekly
we are quite quiet
here. Would
you send M^r
Gabriel's letters
as I am now in

[0006]

Angola. they may
be suggestive
I shall come up
on Thursday next
to fulfill an
engagement with
Baptist Noel
& that is the last.
The Manchester
friends tell me
of £500 without a
whit of that bother which
Alderman Wire coined for
me in London. It is there

[0007]

Could you lend
me Maunder's
treasury of Natural
History. I have it
in Africa and
dont wish to buy
another

With kind regards
to M^{rs}Murray &
hoping she will
say a word in
excuse for me
the first time
thereby doubly valuable

[0008]

She meets Lady
Eastlake
I am &c
David Livingstone