

put in 2^d Part; & if
they do I will try it
as for 3^d Part; & I
will offer to pay
the expense of paper
& printing if they will
consent to accept it.
I cannot hear that
such advice either of you
or Mr. W. be proposed
in this country. —
I have no idea whether
Soc. R. will insert
disclaimer —
for B. & S.

C. Darwin

3/ Oct 24 15 Marine Parade
1860 Eastbourne

My dear Guy

We are in much distress
as my poor girl has just
had relapse, but is rallying
again. — To tell you
more is vain. I write
hurriedly to say that Mr. H. G.
like a good & kind man,
has been consulting with
Mr. May about publishing your
Reviews as pamphlet; but
they say, (though it is against
the rules, they would break
it through this time) that

they do not drive it. That
it would be absolutely necessary
to spend more in advertisement
than the cost of publication;
but that they would not
suffice, that in short,
they are well convinced
that it is unprofitable to
get a pamphlet circulated.
They say they will do it
"but it will be a
dead loss". Under these
circumstances it would be
wise to attempt it.
I am much vexed. -

Lyell personally concurs with
Murray's view. -
Lyell has highest opinion
of the "Talent & science" shown
in these 3 Reviews - He
shortly agrees quite with
me & he cannot well
go further. He adds
"it would be well worth"
"while if" with Broth.
"could be got up of all"
"frag for the" Historical
"part" = 10 "admirable &"
"and surely" "true many"
"unless" -
I now hope
of all that
doubtful with



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