

opinion of our Great British
Surveyor. As to the time it
would take to remove so much
earth - he considered it would
employ 100 men for 28 days -

Believe me,

Yours faithfully & obliged
John Lubbock

~~Ames~~ Moats at
Enfield

PK Box 1/E4

Chace Park,

Enfield

March 30th

Middy

Bardis. I am & remain obliged
to you for sending me the book
which is most interesting
I wonder the notice of his seeing
25 bustards "at one view" has
never found its way into
Yarrell or any of the Ornitho-
logical books -
Referring to the Pooh Site

in this parish. The following
particulars may interest you
I give some idea of its impor-
tance.

The South Side is 132 yards long
with a Vallum about 12 yards high
The North Side 160 yards long
Vallum not less in many places
than 15 yards high & 16 wide at the base.
The East West Sides are 135 yards long.
The Vallum on the West Side 8 yards wide
at base - having one entrance in the
middle corresponding with another

in the inner Vallum which is
140 yards long at the East West
ends & 96 long on North & South
Sides. The Moat (drowned about
15 years ago) between the two Vauxs
is from 10 to 12 yards wide except
at the North Side where it was at
least 32 yards wide. At the
South West Corner of the inner
Vaux is a moat like a small
heap the slope 11 yards diameter
at top 15 yards.

Some ten years ago when I read
a paper on the parish before the
London & Middle Archaeological
Society I took the professional

"Sepulchral Monuments" —
rough ^{a native of the place} - but no exhaustive
Examination has ever been since
made by a competent antiquary.
It is under these circumstances
that I venture to trouble you on
the subject - Hoping that it may
be of sufficient interest to
tempt you to visit it.

- Believe me,

Yours faithfully,
Thos. Ford

General Pitt Rivers.

Moats at Enfield

PR Box 1/E4

Chase Hill,
Enfield.
Middlesex. Middlesex.

Dear Sir. I have made application
to Mr Eliot Street to sell me a copy
of Anecdotes of Crayborne Chase
I am told however that he has
no authority, & can only act upon
your instructions. I should be
very pleased if you would
allow me to purchase a copy.
I have for some time been
intending to write to you to read

Whether it would be worth your
while when in town & in finer
weather to inspect two mounted
sites in this parish - one Caules
Moor in Great Park where some
glazell tiles of grey sand work.
Mauship, date 1100 & old stone
say have been disintegrated - but
the other & far more important
one is that in which I am
interested to hear a reliable
opinion - it's the supposed site

of the Maunril Castle of
Stumprey de Rosham the greatest
of his race - son in law of Edward I
& this is where the Queen inherited the
Estates of the Duke of Lancaster
in remains of building remains
but the beds are very im-
portant & must have involved
months of labour - in fact it is
the most important site
of the kind any where (so far
as I know) within a reasonable
distance of London - the site was
examined a century ago by