

very difficult to prevent
owing to the open nature
of the country, and the
fact that there are only
two cottages within reason-
-able distance, and those
having ^{I believe} no important
window commanding the
stones even from a distance.

What might be done I
think is that a conspicuous
notice should be placed on
the premises saying that
the stones are protected by
Special Act of Parliament, and
that offenders if detected
or impounded against will be
punished &c. Yours very truly

Henry Rendall
Rev. F. C. Dillon

PK Box 2143

Great Rollright Rectory
Chipping Norton
Dec. 8. 1882

Dear Dillon,

Your letter reached me
at Brighton a day or two
since, and I have waited
to answer it till I returned
home.

In reply to your question
about the Rollright Stones,
I am sorry to say that
I cannot give you any
late information, as
I have not seen them
for the last month,

The weather not having
permitted a walk
either yesterday or
today, though I will
take an opportunity
of looking at them as
soon as I can, and then
write to you again if
necessary.

From what I have
seen before the last
month, there seemed
then no danger of
their being injured by
the plough. The circle

in which the stones lie
is to a certain extent
secured by trees planted
within its circumference,
though the old fir being
now mostly dead, and
some new trees they have
planted not flourishing,
this does not give the same
protection as formerly.

The injury which the
stones have from time to
time received has been
I think almost entirely
from visitors, Pic-nic
parties &c, which it is

PC Box 21R3

Shipton

C. Norton

Mar. 3. 83.

Dear Sir.

Gillon has asked me
to answer your letter -

I believe the whole
parish of Little Baddow
in which the stones are
belong now to Joseph
Beade Esq. of Shipton Lodge.

Mr Beade is at home now

and his house is about
15 minutes walk from
Shipton Station -

Believe me

Yours faithfully

H Baster.

F. C. Dillon

March 19. 83
P.O. Box 2123
The Vicarage,
Eaton, Oxon.

Dear General.

I am afraid you
must have thought me very
indolent not having answered
your letter asking for information
respecting the Power of the
St. Rollright Stones before.
I forwarded it however at
once to a neighbouring person
who was better able to answer.

the questions than I was
meaning that he should
return the letter to me
with the information you
desired. I find however
that he replied direct
to you. I did not however
know this at first and
hence my delay in answering.
I hope he was able to tell

you all you want to know.
If you would not mind
second rate lodgings for a
night and wish to come down
and personally inspect the
state I shall be most
happy to do my best to
make you comfortable.

Believe me
Yrs. Sir &
J. C. Dilla.

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Genl Pitt Rivers

Rushmore

Salisbury.

PE Box 2/103

F. C. Dillon

Nov 3.

Just recd. yrs. I will to my
glad to go and take a look &
make inquiries & let you know
the result as soon as I can.

F. C. Dillon.