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Sturminster Newton,

Dorset 27<sup>th</sup> Aug - 1889

Dear General Pitt-Rivers,

I have several sheets of  
the Property about 17 inches in the  
25 inches completed and several  
more nearly so and can be  
shortly finished, unless I hear  
to the contrary I intend now to have  
those that are completed put on  
on other sheets of the 25 inch sheets

and there will then be a copy  
ready for you and I shall also  
have one, these on the birch  
sheets I found it was impossible  
to complete as you could not reach  
the small envelopes & it was to -

After several days hot sun  
we have now had a beautiful  
rain and at the present moment  
I can never recollect that you  
when everything looked so well

t all crops so promising in fact  
if we now get plenty of sun  
there is no doubt but the crops  
will be large, I fear however that  
the prices of corn will not go up.

I remain

Your very obedt. Servant

Alfred