

it has delayed the completion of  
the Hay harvest although no Hay  
has as yet been spoiled & taking  
it altogether the benefit to the  
Roots has been greater than the  
little damage to the Hay, I much  
hope however we may now get  
some brilliant sun shine again -

I remain

Yours very obedt Servant

Alfred

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Sturminster Newton,

Dorset 15<sup>th</sup> July 1889

Dear General Pitt Rivers,

No. 1 Villa at Bampton  
Bradstock formerly occupied by  
Mr. Day who let apartments has  
been let to Col. Stollman at a  
rent of £40 (£10 more than  
Day gave) he has been there since  
Midsummer 1888 but he has given  
notice to quit which expires legally

at Christmas of the present year,  
I have asked him to let me know  
if he has decided to come but  
he has not yet answered this.

No 2 Villa is occupied by  
J. Inglis Esq<sup>r</sup> at a rent of  
£35 per year he has taken it  
now for 3 years following trading  
at Chickachwas in each year  
at this rent. I have not yet  
heard from him if he will continue  
it for another year from the 24<sup>th</sup>

of Sept. next but I shall know this  
more shortly.

Of course both are occupied  
for this year's sea-side season  
& it would not be possible to  
furnish so that my Lady could  
go there for a few weeks, should  
either of them be unoccupied  
next season the matter should  
then be considered and discussed.

We have had some very  
nice storms during the past week