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MEMORANDUM.

From

CHAPMAN BROS.,

Gilders, Frame Makers, &c.

251, King's Road, Chelsea,

(Opposite Carlyle Square).

London, S.W.

Sept 14<sup>th</sup> 1896

To

Genl Pitt Rivers F.R.S.  
Farnham.

Sir. In the course of business we recently purchased an oil portrait 50 inches by 40 inches, of a gentleman in wig, & much braided coat, & ruffle sleeves. On clearing same we find on an envelope printed in the left hand corner. The Hon George Norton Pitt  
Governor of Fort St David  
C India  
By a coincidence some years since we had for a customer a Miss Pitt who was a niece of the Great Pitt, & resided



at Cheyne Walk, close by here - We may remark that  
the resemblance of feature is extraordinary - We feel  
sure that our picture is a portrait of one of the family  
of The Great Stationer -

May we be allowed to send it to Farman for  
your inspection, or you might know of some  
members of the family who would care to possess  
it -

Yours obdly

Raymond E. W.

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October 17<sup>th</sup> 1896

To

Genl Pitt Rivers. F.R.S.  
Rushmore

Sir The price for the portrait of the Hon. George Norton Pitt - with its carved frame - is £25. —

We may state that since writing Lady Gillnet Kennedy (who for many years was a neighbour of Miss Pitt in Clayton Walk) - has inspected the portrait and corroborates us with regard to the wonderful resemblance - we believe the painting is by Hudson —