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BURLINGTON HOUSE, PICCADILLY, W.

Dear General Pitt Rivers

I have been down to  
Silchester & examined  
the outer bank & ditch  
with Mr Jones, & find  
there are two if not  
three admirable places  
where a wide section  
could be cut through  
mound & ditch. It is  
practically waste ground,  
so there will be no difficulty

with regard to cultivation.  
I am now hunting up  
the owner of the ground  
& will write for leave.

With regard to lodgings  
everything appears to  
be now full, but there  
is? be no difficulty in  
finding rooms at Reading,  
& the trains are very  
convenient. Your two  
clerks might find rooms  
in Silch.

Yours sincerely  
W. H. & John Hope