

There are some about  
exactly similar on  
the Puddletown heath  
near here; these I  
have examined, &  
find them not differing  
I hope to find that  
you are able to  
explain this interesting  
fact, & that  
you will excuse my  
intrusion on your  
valued time  
I beg to remain  
Sir

Yours very respectfully  
Edmund Young

The  
Genl Pitt Rivers

Dorchester Nov 26 1885

Answered (L141)  
Sir I am informed  
that you have been  
making explorations  
amongst the Pen. hills  
I am glad to hear of  
it, as I had made  
a plan to explore that  
subject again next  
year. Fifteen years  
since I dug out  
6 of these shells, &  
was perfectly satisfied  
that they are not habitations  
of any kind whatever.  
When Dr Musgrave of  
Wield was at the  
place with the D. H. Club

Sept 18<sup>th</sup> I was one of  
those who were mis-  
directed, & did not  
arrive at the place  
where Mr & Mother,  
until after all the  
speaking was over,  
much to my annoyance,  
as I had wished to  
have said something  
as opposed to the conduct  
When I was there on  
this last occasion, I  
found ~~them~~ out work  
leveling some of the  
posts, & it occurred to  
me, that by their  
means & an occasional  
division of their party

of work, a lot of  
information could be  
obtained with little  
cost or labour.  
There is some large  
conical hills a little  
west of here, & it  
appeared to me, to be  
the defensive positions  
of the night bonholders  
in former times  
What these pit holes  
are, I do not pretend  
to know - it is a  
mystery - but I feel  
sure with my friends  
the Rev W. H. Evans  
that they have nothing  
to do with Dwelling