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Dear Sir,

43 UNION GROVE  
GLAPHAM, S.W.

Thanks for your letter of  
 the 4<sup>th</sup> I had intended, in any  
 case, to submit to you the proof  
 sheet; but that it will not  
 be reached for some months,  
 before which I hope either myself  
 or my assistant may be able  
 to visit Rushmore. I  
 venture to enclose for  
 you a rough sketch  
 of what I propose to say  
 about Rushmore, and  
 should be very much obliged  
 if you wd. kindly point  
 out any inaccuracies  
 or ~~deficiencies~~ deficiencies,  
 on the margin or other  
 wise. As all our books  
 descriptions now take a down as radius  
 point, this will come as  
 an excursion from Sheepshun,  
 and

and there will be a final  
part. pointing out the interest  
of the district, especially to antiquar-  
ies, and the gratitude the public  
will feel to you for opening it up.

the enclosed part.

You must please remember  
my instructions and to say little  
about antiquities, unless by way of  
reference: old guide books had  
too much of this for the general  
reader, too little for experts;  
and we find it best to point out  
merely what is to be seen and how  
to get at places. If, however,  
you think I should mention  
more prominently any antiquarian  
feature of the neighbourhood,  
I should be glad to know about  
it. I have been looking in the  
O.S. maps for the Ridgeway road.  
Is that still to be traced? I  
do not quite know if the  
great Avenue through the  
Chase is open to visitors.

Hoping you will not  
mind the trouble of reading

To  
Mr. Gen. Pitt Rivers.

Yours faithfully  
Dr. Robert Brown.