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My dear Sir

I went to Salisbury last week & saw the Mackworth Museum & then I heard of all the wonders by which you are surrounded, which has inflamed & inspired me to see you in your museums - I should wish to find you personally at little trouble as I can but if you could allow the following questions to be answered I should feel much obliged -

What station does one go to? -
 How does one get over the intervening miles? -
 Can one go to the Museum Hotel? -
 Streets open Friday & Saturday in next week I can my leave London early Friday noon & return Sat 9.30
 As I have only part of 2 days at my command & I wish to see you in my time to the best advantage.

I was looking at your books in the British Museum this morning & have written to Farnham for the small sketching guide - I am but a smatterer in these things, but I have travelled a good deal & come across some interesting persons.

From what I have heard of your courtesy & kindness to visitors I think you will not deem this an intrusion & with apologies & respects I am

Yours very faithfully

(Rev) Wm Bramley-Moore

General Pitt-Rivers
&c &c -

P.S. It is quite possible you may have come across Father in the House of Commons - He died in 86 -

British Museum

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My dear Sir

I shall be
delighted if you are able
to make acquaintance
with Gen. Pitt-Rivers {
an introduction from
me. If you will write to
him & mention my
name I feel sure he
will show you his museum.

I send you a card.

as for Guide to Base
Rooms. You had better
write direct to Sir

Edw. Thompson, here.

He will give orders for a
set to be sent to you
at the current prices,

wh_{ch} is very small.

Believe me
with kindest regards

Yours very truly
Wm. B. B. B.

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To introduce Rev. W.
Porsamy - Moore.

D.^r Walter de Gray Birch.

British Museum. for Gen. Pitt Rivers