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Dear General Pitt Rivers,  
Mr Wareham called  
today, & he examined all  
my bric a brac, & he  
said that all the China  
~~and~~ including the tiles  
would be well worth  
25 guineas. And that a  
purchaser would have to  
give more if he bought  
them out of a shop. -  
I write to ask you whether  
you would give me 25 guineas  
& let me convey the whole  
of the China & tiles to your  
house in Grosvenor Gardens  
You will be sorry to hear that  
my dear father aged 86 had  
a paralytic stroke Saturday

& is unexpected to lose  
I am so thankful to be  
with him. I have been nowhere  
since Saturday, though my  
name is put in Lady  
Salsbury's party. I sent  
my husband & niece  
Edith Pigott

for sincerely

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