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The Vicarage
Radlett
Yorkshire
August 13th 87

Dear General Pitt Rivers

Just before your
great meeting of last week
I wrote & asked you if possible
to bring the case of the Old Priory
Church here before the Members.
I am afraid with so much done
there will have been but small
chance of success, but I am
venturing now to ask you personally
if you will allow me to see you
to come & if you will give me

A Subscription. I wrote to you fully
about the Praying before that I need
not again enter into that. I saw
only say that no Restoration is
contemplated, & that as this
is the only Church left of the only
New article of doctrine
framed in England it
appeals to the sympathy of
Antiquarians in all parts
of the County. I know
how urgent are the claims
upon every one in their view
in moderate neighbourhood

I had had the times are, but
I trust you will give me
a helping hand no matter
how small it may be, but
the prestige of your name will
go a long way towards

Yours truly
Edward A. B. Pitman
