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Bridge Road

Cambridge Wells

2 July 1888

To Major Gen^l A. L. F. Pitt-Rivers
F.R.S.

Sir

I am deeply
grateful for your
kindly consideration,
and valued offer to
assist me. I should
be only too glad to
devote my whole time
to the work, and

could take office
at once if necessary.
I have for years desired
to give myself up to
the Public service &
with one so skilled
as yourself to instruct
me, I trust that the
twenty three years
of study I have given
to scientific work
may prove of still
greater use. I may

mention that I am
well known to
Lord Harris, Mr Sherr
Douglas & Mr Leigh
Demberton. I shall
be prepared to come
up to town on
receipt of a telegram
or letter. Again
Thanking you for
your kindness

I remain
Yours obedt
George Payne