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St AUDRIES, BRIDGWATER.

September 6/91

Sir Alexander Melrose Hood
presents his compliments to
General Pitt Rivers & would
feel much obliged to him if he
would give him the benefit of
his experience & advice under
the circumstances related below -
It is supposed by Bishop Clifford,
whose nephew Lord Clifford has
considerable property at Caunington,
that Alfred's great booby, in which
Uba brother of Guthrum was

killed, was fought at Caunington
Park - but the place of departure
of Uba could not be found -

Sir Alexander mentioned that there
was a very large barrow apparently
undisturbed between Caunington Park
& the sea & it is proposed to open
the said barrow the first or second
week in October -

Sir Alexander is anxious to
have the advice of an expert to
superintendent & be present at the
above work - & would feel much
obliged to General Pitt Rivers
if he would give him his advice

on this point - he will only add
that if General Pitt Rivers could
be persuaded to be present himself
it would give Sir Alexander &
Lady Meland Wood the greatest
pleasure to receive him at
St. Neot's. He thinks that it
would take 3 days to open the
barrow.

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