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Ash Mills,
Hemel Hempstead.

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My dear Pitt Rivers

Many thanks for
the Ant. Nov. to Act
I am not aware of
any destruction being
at present threatened
I have never met with
an instance of a
Spring-catch to any
ancient ornament
though the principle
was known and ap-
plied in padlocks
I have some few paleo-
lithic rings from new
localities but nothing
much of novelty
Yours faithfully
John Evans