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oaks are cut universally peel the bark, this is very often
done, perhaps generally, at this season at least it is, before
filling them. As forests are generally trimmed out here,
cut by selection of trees only, the effect of these is sin-
gular. The branches are pulled too but these are cut
off first, so that often trees are seen without bark,
but with a little tuft of top left that is as green
as ever. Stockport is a cotton spinning town with

140,000 people. I did not know formerly even
Haddon Hall, either that or some other castle I
have recently visited was their residence at one
time. A stream passes through Charvet valley by
Alton Towers, but it is very foul and a paper mill
is on it near the Park gates. Stoke upon Trent