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Lord Chatham begs to be permitted to lay  
himself, with all Duty and Submission  
at the King's feet, penetrated with the  
gracious respect of His Majesty's Goodness.  
He is overwhelmed with affliction and  
distress still to find his recovery so retarded,  
and that the Continuance of his Disorder  
forbids him to hope to be able soon  
to present himself before His Majesty.  
He is, as yet, utterly incapable of the  
smallest efforts of thought, every attempt  
towards which is, in his Physician's opinion,

preventive of his cure. He can only  
under these present circumstances, most  
humbly implore the Continuation of the  
Indulgence of the most gracious of  
Sovereigns, and that His Majesty will  
deign to look not unfavourably upon  
the most unwearied Duty and Zeal, tho'  
rendered useless, unless some Health return.

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