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My dear Mr. Nott.

I assure you that I have made resolutions to be good; and most sincerely hope you will find me every thing you can wish. You need not have recourse to punishment. Try me once more before you proceed. Heaven knows that from this moment to the end of my life I will study to make you, and every body happy who are about me. You have been so good and kind as to slave for me: that is, to say, you have been labouring most kindly for my good; and you have generously made yourself unhappy for me. It is but fair I should slave to make amends for my lost time, and ill conduct towards you.

I am

Your ever Aff^e

and dutiful Pupil

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P.S.

Pray give me a line.

