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it not for the loss our Business might sustain, of which is too probable to give up, I should not hesitate a moment in giving you an Offer of my Company, which I know in a great measure

[illegible] founded on Conjecture, can only [illegible] throw away an Hundred or two Pounds, [illegible] Leave you to with an little plea-sing Object [illegible] forward to that time, when they cause, which [illegible] at present throw the only [illegible] obstructions in the way with an [illegible] time Home.

A Long time you may spend to be confined to a place but the most eligible in the World for passing time away agreeably. However the prospect of its not being the case always, makes it not so much the reason. You ask me, [illegible] I expect to be able to leave this Country? [illegible]

2 years time I think my presence will [illegible] entirely necessarily in England, if it should be [illegible] for a few Months; Nothing on my part shall be wanting to make it for Life, As I really am so well satiated with my present place of abode, [illegible] to be able to change it any time, [illegible] I leave it not for with the least Reluctance

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