

"ment had only begun to work that
 "effect upon my mind and frame,
 "which has since been completed by
 "the loss of the best of friends, and
 "most deserving of men." It was your
 supposed cousin that he alluded to,
 Camilla, but I could not mention the
 discovery to him, as it might rather
 seem as if I meant to reproach his
 grief, than give him any real cause for
 lessening it: it would have been degrad-
 ing his choice, and the object of it,
 although they were both deserving of
 the highest encomiums. Is it not
 shocking, that humanity must be so
 sensible to such losses and disappoint-
 ments as must unavoidably occur? I
 do not say that there is absolutely such
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