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Bicragge,
Hardwick.

My dearest Arthur,

You have a way of being irresistible which it is a little difficult to know how to deal with. I have nothing left for it this time but to thank you most sincerely for your most kind remittance - and to remind you that I have a pendant to the Whitfield MS. which thus becomes your property - the franchise of some Scottish town - I could not now lay my hand upon it, but it is sure