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I was sorry it was not in my
pow^r soon^t, to tell y^u how much I am oblig'd to y^u
for not standing on ceremony with me, and being so good
as to write to me so often of late, tho' I cou'd not answer
of kind favor as punctually as I wish'd to do, I believe
you'll attribute my silence to ye real cause which is want
of time: I can't express y^u how glad I had to hear of Miss
Kavanaugh's resolution and y^u she had join'd y^u, it was what
y^u ambition^r this long time past, if w^e were fix'd
y^u object in view is so great, y^u I dare say many w^e
follow y^u and her example, I had little reason when first I
thought of this foundation to expect y^u Miss it has already
had not, I most say every disappointment we have had, y^u/t
Almighty has been please^d to make it turn out, to
our advantage; tho' my impatience very often made me not
submit to his divine will as I ought, I believe we are ob-
liged to y^u worthy friend for this young lady Debemine
to come here, we are happy & think to have won of they sides
I am not surprised, at what y^u mention to me in regard

of Mr Kavanaugh, for he and his lady by some conjectures of their own
was now Miss Rose, intended coming here, as for my part I can say
nothing yet given y^t her notion y^t she was inclin^d, nor did I speak her
my self by what y^t Clergyman, there told me of her, y^t she was
and I must be her brother and sister partie they did not seem a tall any
her for it, I dare say she will be stock of great service to us by
her good prayers: I cant avoid telling you how eager Mr Doran then
is for y^t coming over soon, as he foresees they will every day be y^t
starting some new difficulties, on account of y^t French lady, which is
already y^t case, and was made now objection when Mr B. got
leave to come, and he wrote to his Nephew y^t many reasons by
which it makes it so necessary, to have this establishment be gone
as soon as possible; as he and I am more by y^t character you give
of this lady y^t she is not man of these Moderate religious perso
who think every inconveniency such a loss y^t there is now been
it, she y^t makes such a sacrifice for y^t good of souls, with the
possibility to make light & hope y^t not having every thing
rebel'd as comfortably as it ought to be, man cou'd not imagi
a house so leaky built, y^t the walls cou'd be so dry as y^t an
nor can man judge of y^t thick y^t are plaster'd, and when
the plaster'd days immediately its wrong to y^t walls being hard &
not seen it had this effect on it, I cou'd not have believe it,
you take find it will be very habitable this winter, which I
did not think it wou'd be, and when you are rebell'd there to sha
be to blame if I dont get every recovery, y^t is thought want
as there is nothing in my power, I shant endeavor to doe and
hope you'll be so good to excuse in y^t beginning a kin^d and condesc
we are in a country we cant doe as we please, by degrees with the
assistance of god we may doe a great deal: as I think by what you are