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My dear Fanny,

I would have written before but I wanted to give you time to go to M^{rs} Moilets and Byrkly Lodge before I directed to P Hollands for that was the only direction you gave me After you was gone I went and walked and gathered Cowslips. came in wrote to Mama. read lounged about, walked out, read over, Achilles speach. Cold [meat]— read parts of the Oddissy dressed [dined]. Looked at Characatures, picked Cowslips to put in tea. Tea fin-wrote letter to Mamma. bed Up at half past <u>five</u> finished letter to Mama. read, walked with Miss G Smith in the Kitchen Garden which a small though nice garden. drove with Lord C and M^r W. in lord C's Gig looked at a bridge Lord C was building: for he is making a new road to the house. for this road he is building this bridge we walked along all that was done of the new road, till we came to a place where he must build and aquaduct in which water has no concern for