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tion of educated society, by withdrawing them from useless pursuits, and creating a love for this interesting study; then will my object be gained, and I shall hope thereby to add one link more to those ties of friendship, and ensure a still more pleasing recollection of my early days.

I have the honour,

Gentlemen,

To subscribe myself,

Your devoted Friend,

ROWLAND MAINWARING.

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