

EMILY MONTAGUE. 7

LETTER CXXV.

TO JOHN TEMPLE, Esq; Pall Mall.

Sillieri, April 18.

INDEED?

"Is this that haughty, gallant, gay Lothario,
"That dear perfidious—"

Absolutely, my dear Temple, the sex ought never to forgive Lucy for daring to monopolize so very charming a fellow. I had some thoughts of a little *badinage* with you myself, if I should return soon to England; but I now give up the very idea.

One thing I will, however, venture to say, that love Lucy as much as you please,
B 4 you