

do, and why they wanted us to do it, and talk to us nicely, we dogs, you know, are always only too anxious to do the right thing. Well perhaps that *is* a slight exaggeration, but really I do believe we're always willing to understand, even if we don't always quite see our way to obey. The trouble of it is so few have the patience to explain."

Cæsar was'nt taking the least notice of me. That's the worst of him now. He always seems taken up with his own thoughts.