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Dear Major
Well if you want here it
do - so let it be. For an omnible
man must say that your obstinacy
on occasion "takes the cake".
I had ordered this little "Inoy"
afford - C. L. Speid, quite away
on liking & supposed it was
settled, but your letter "takes my
breath away" & you say about
Spencer's claim & I surrender
unconditionally rather than
take the chance of being "called
out" by Lord Cortes. I will try
to put you into the Choufoupe
Judicate next time notwithstanding
this exhibition of obstinacy
& obstinacy. Indeed let