

**Date:** n.d. Saturday [c. 27 April 1555]<sup>1</sup>

**REF:** GD112/39/1/9

**Place:** Edinburgh

**From:** James Campbell of Lawers

**To:** Colin Campbell of Glenorchy

**Address:** To ane honorable man Collein Campbell of Glenvrquhay

Honorable Sir efter hertle commendatioun. Pleis zour v...  
ye lettir herin of Collin hed nocht gottin his ... callit  
tuchand ye landis of Meir and as I vryt affor I trest in  
God he sall nocht cum to his intent. Foryair Sir he hes of-  
fyrit me monie quhylk I hef reffussit belewand I ves  
na foryair bund to hym befor zou nor he vas to me and  
yat he faillit his day of payment and surity standis ovir.  
Foryair Sir tuchand all commonyngis betuix ze and me fyrst  
in Perthe and syconde in zour gardin vythin ye Ill gyve it be  
zour plessour yat yai commonyngis tak affek it cane nevir  
be better don nor in yis toune quair I haf brocht all rytis I hef  
for failfylling of yai matteris for my part. Attour Sir I  
hef vrittin dyverss tymis to zour servand Andra Quhyte  
send me for ye cost ye instrament at ves tane in  
hand tuchand ye commonyng betuix Collin and me befor  
zou in Glenurquher and as zat hes nocht gottin ye sammyn.  
Therefor prayis zou cawss zour said servand send me ye  
instrument yat I ma be awyssit yairvyth for my part as Collin  
hes beyin with his part. And yairefter or I resef his ...  
ze mon be pressent. Collin vyll gar me spend  
yat ... and never in Edinburgh or he cum to his intent bot  
lewin to God hes present standis be allegiance to  
vitnes and my ryght is be sellis and hand writtis. Sir mycht ze  
help me vyth vennesoun and parttrykis I vylbe in zour  
common quhen ze lyn egane vell zour fowller to me elss  
lange as I hef lent hym cum zou. For novellis is yair  
nane. My Lord of Ergyll raid of Edinburgh to Campbell and beis in  
Edinburgh agane yis nyxt Vedisday to Alexander Erskenis  
Broydell and hes requyrnit me with vennesoun and vyld

fowllis and I haf name bot zou to request. Nocht ellis bot  
God keip zou. Of Edinburgh yis Satterday be zour cousyng

James Campbell of Lawers

[PS] Att ?Edinburgh Syr Robert ...egeris soun  
bawd me send ze vard tuchand ye rest of ye on sylver for my  
Lord Stewardis hes essyngnet yat rest to my Lord of Lorn.

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<sup>1</sup> Before the contract between Lawers and Grey Colin made in Edinburgh, 6 May 1555,  
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