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Place: Dunoon

From: Archibald Campbell, 5th Earl of Argyll

To: Colin Campbell of Glenorchy

Address: To oure traist cousing Colene Campbell off Glenvrquhaye; ze sall giff credit
to zour awin serwand yis berar in ane liti... ..ertar

Traist cousing eftir hertlie commendatiounis. We ressavit zour lettir
together with ye vrittingis come fra the Secretar and persavis be zour
lettir the lamentable complent anent the Clangregor schewand of
thair oppin resorttyng throw our cuntrie of the quhilk we are ve[ry]
sorye for in ye presence of God it is sair agains our will. And ...
that it is force to sett garresownis throw our hail cun[tre] ...
to ye persute of thame. And to yat effect sall stent [our]
hail landis be zour awne advise and sall leif na hurt
ondone to zour reasonable to power. Attour we beleif ...er
is ane tryst to be maid and haldin schortlie in D ...
betuix my Lordis Huntly and Athole and ws that ...
thir partis. And gif my Lord Duik may ...
yair he will send my Lordis Boyd Flemyng and ...y...
for him. And we think to pas in be zour ...
said conventioun and drink with zow and y...
we gett ansuer fra my Lordis Huntlie and Athole ...
gif ze can gett ony intelligens quhat day ...
keip prayis zow to advertis us yairof with diligens. And ...
to Ewin MacDonald Glass we will that ze tak order with
at our meting with zow for the matir is small and we
vald nocht that ze vsat zour self extremlie quhair throw ze may
hurt zour gret caus. Thus refer[ris] to meting. Committ[is]
zow to God. Off Dunnvnen this viij of [August] 1570.

[Youris assu]rit fr[end

Archibald Ergyll]

[PS] How some we get forder novellis ...
sall advertis zow.