Transcript

Editorial comments:

BL MS Lansdowne 46 f. 157r - v. William Herle to Lord Burghley.

Address leaf:

[fol. 157v]

[Superscription:] To the R. honorable mi very good L. the L. highe Thresuror of England &c. give these/

[Endorsement by unknown hand:] 18. Jan: <u>1585</u> master William Herle to my L.

Letter text:

[fol. 157r] R. honorable good L. I cam yesterday to the Cowrtt for ij effects: The first, to attend on her majestie for her dispatche: And the second, to have your lre to the Erlle, wherof I humbly attend, having som few wordes to delyver yow besyde (yf your hellth & leysure may permitt) that Tend to this service, & to do good offics to that person of vallew your son, whom ye have sent over as your jewell, to the comfort & confirmatyon of the whole service & cawse: Assuryng your L. further, that ye shall here from me *de tempore in Temp*[ore], how things (without partiality) stand & proceede, & that mi duty shall deppend of your good allowance, bothe there & here, norissheng good intelligence bettwixt yow & your honorable fryndes ever./ I have heerwith an humble mocyon to your L. that ye wolld be plesed att [my] request, to dispense with ij Bonds retorned into the Exchequer, from Sandwiche, abowtt Transportacion of grayne; wherin your L. favor shall do me som good (in nature of a viaticum over with me, riseng therby, wherof I have neede) & performe a charitable acte to the poore men [interessed], who ar recomended to mi only poore credite & travayll; The cawse mi L. is included, & the maner how to hellp theme which I most humbly addresse to your honorable ayde & Awthority: And so praying from mi very hart, for your L. hellthe & conservacion, I fynisshe. Grenewiche the 18. of January. 1585 your L. most humblye & synceerely devoted. W Herlleli.