Transcript

Editorial comments:

SP 70/137/[] f. 194r - v. William Herle to Lord Burghley.

Address leaf:

[fol. 194v]

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

[Endorsement by unknown hand:] 8 Mart. <u>1575</u> William Hearle to my L. the accident of the Portugall Imbassadors wyfe.

Letter text:

[fol. 194v] I presume mi right honorable good L. to putt yow in remembrans of that which I wrytt unto your L. att large yesterday, presuming the more that yow will waye & consider the thing according to your wisdom, to help to quallefye it, & with your good Cowncell & advise to direct these pore men of Holland, how best to behave them selves in it, for that your L. in all your Actions doth favor indifferencye & the cawse of the weker pretending well, before ani other men respect of the world, which your verey enmyes that have negociated here, ar fayne to confesse, muche more these men, who indede do reverence yow & do comend theme selves wholly to your L. & Pawll Buiz hath such a special confidence of your wisdom & vertue, as he deppends of non more in the world than of your L. foreseing that the Q. majestie may be somuche alltred with theme & their cawses, for this accident that hath interceded, as it may further their adversaryes in their delyngs, if the matter be nott the soner & the better reconsiled with her majestie. wherunto haply there wilbe Instruments of our owne more redy to sturre up humors, than to appeise theme: Butt uppon this occasion, ij good workes might be wrought, that he is her majestie to be sett contented by such mene as both might like her, & yett be honorable to theme & for whom they dele, Besyde that the Portingall Ambassador, might have the comendacion to make som [1 word expunged] surer traffick bettwixt ether partyes to the proffitt of his King, & assurans of his K. subjects the more, which glory may move hym nott a lyttell, wherof the trew prayse is to [turne] to your L. to whom they humble theme selves in all things, therfore it may plese your L. to vowchesave me som answer heruppon, wherwith verey humbly I take mi leve. from Redcrosse strete the vij^th^ of marche. 1575. Your L. most humblye. W. Herlleli