

37 Rutland Place  
8 March 1867

My dear Mr

I have yours of the 5<sup>th</sup> and am very glad to find that you are safe and well in Edinburgh - I received a very alarming account from Peter shortly after your departure for which I am obliged to find there was no foundation - It is not many days since I learned your address from Mr Gill and nothing but extraordinary pressure of business has prevented my writing you sooner - I fear you do not contemplate a visit to London, but now that you are on this side I hope you will not hesitate your return until you are quiet (if any thing is wanted) all the skill necessary to enable you to read the bowels of our Nation's Country - If you can make your arrangements to come to London it will give me great pleasure if you will take up your abode with us - We can give you a quiet room, rather elevated to be sure,

and there is nothing in the scientific and  
Londra that I and your other friends cannot  
introduce you to - I regret exceedingly that I shall  
not be able to hear your paper on the 24<sup>th</sup> as  
I am obliged to attend at the Liverpool Agency  
as a Grand Juror at that time - I will however  
then attend a week but with that exception  
I do not ~~propose~~ propose to be absent from  
Londra until May - a not longer than a day  
a two at a time -

I was indeed greatly pained to hear  
of the melancholy end of our friend Capt Popson -  
He and I spent several days together and I  
became greatly attached to each other -

I have not yet done anything with  
the Petty Sessions in this County but I intend  
to make some more in the next month -  
The plans they have sent me are so rude and  
imperfect that I am ashamed to exhibit them -

My Brother Peter is now in Scotland but  
not near you. He is staying with James Brown near  
at Kilmorie -

I would be glad to hear from you  
at your leisure and I am sure you  
to excuse my writing in such haste I am

Yours very truly  
C. P. Campbell

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