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Guide to the

Thomas Haynes Bayly manuscript material

ca. 1831-1837

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Summary

Creator: Bayly, Thomas Haynes, 1797-1839

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Creator History

Nathaniel Thomas Haynes Bayly, English poet and playwright. In addition to his plays and poems, Bayly wrote many popular songs of the day, including 'She wore a Wreath of Roses,' and 'I'd be a Butterfly.'

Scope and Content Note

Autograph poem, "'Twas this - 'twas this" : [no date] : (MISC 2831c) : begins, "It was a recollection / Of a brighter time than this ..."; with another poem by Bayly, "I'll not believe it," on the verso, apparently in another hand. |||To Ackermann & Co., publishers : 1 autograph letter signed : 24 [Feb?] 1837 : (MISC 4154) : from 2 Baker Street : begins, "I beg to thank you for the copies of 'Weeks of Witchery.'" |||To Simon Digby of Marine Parade, Brighton : 2 letters : -- 1 autograph letter signed : 18 Jul 1831 : (MISC 4152) : from London : begins, "Since we saw you a sad & unexpected misfortune has befallen us ..."; address panel in the hand of and signed by the politician and poet, Winthrop Mackworth Praed. -- 1 autograph letter signed : "Sunday" : (MISC 4153) : from 2 Lowes [?] : begins, "Many thanks for your very kind present." |||To William Jerdan, journalist and antiquarian : 1 autograph letter signed : "Thursday" : (MISC 4156) : [no place] : begins, "I am quite ashamed to trouble you but can you spare me _Saturday Gazette_ --". |||To a Mr. Marsh, possibly of Bentley's publishing house : 1 autograph letter

signed : 25 Dec [ca. mid 1830's] : from Bolney Lodge : begins, "I cannot indeed give you any information respecting 'We parted'; & 'a voice from the false one' ...".|||To Mrs. Stace of Woolwich : 1 autograph letter signed : 8 Jul 1836 : (MISC 2831b) : from Shirley Park, Croydon : begins, "As Colonel Monro was so kind as to offer Mrs Haynes Bayly & myself tickets for the Woolwich Ball ...".|||To "Dear Sir" : 1 autograph letter signed : 11 Nov. [no year] : (MISC 3453) : begins, "I believe you have many copies of my 'Rough Sketches of Bath' and 'Parliamentary letters' still unsold, and as they were both very juvenile productions I should be glad to take the remaining copies into my own possession.".|||To "Gentlemen" : 1 autograph letter signed : [before 1831] : (MISC 2831a) : [no place] : begins, "Two year since I gave you a song called 'L'Esperance' words and music. It is not published ...".|||To "Gentlemen" : 1 autograph letter signed : ca. 25 Feb 1831 : (MISC 3384) : [no place] : begins: "I must apologise to you for not attending to your account at Xmas ...".|||To an unidentified actor : 1 autograph letter signed : 25 Oct [no year] : (MISC 3588) : [no place] : begins, "I send you a little farce called how do you manage -- which I wish you would take a fancy to ...".|||To an unidentified recipient : 1 autograph letter signed : [no date] : (MISC 4155) : from 11 Warwick Building, Worthing : begins, "With many thanks for your prompt compliance with my request, I enclose you a draft on Messrs. Clement & Frywell of Bath for £50 ...".

Key Terms

Titles

Bayly, Thomas Haynes : manuscript material

Subjects

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Names

Bayly, Thomas Haynes, 1797-1839

Digby, Simon

Jerdan, William, 1782-1869

Marsh, Mr

Praed, Winthrop Mackworth, 1802-1839

Stace, Mrs

Ackermann and Co.