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Summary

Creator: Best, R. T

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Abstract: To Major W. Van R. Whitall, American philanthropist : 2 autograph letters signed ; 23 Feb - 24 Aug 1925, in regard to a (forged) letter from Shelley to Godwin (S'ANA 0227) which refers to an Irish saint. Also discusses James Stephens's move to America. Also: one note in unknown hand on Irish saints. The "Shelley" letter and extensive commentary are printed in Shelley and His Circle, vol. V, p. 6-15.

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Creator History

R. T. Best, of the National Library of Ireland.

Scope and Content Note

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Key Terms

Titles

Best, R. T. : manuscript material

Names

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Columban, Saint, 543-615

Shelley, Percy Bysshe, 1792-1822

Stephens, James, 1882-1950

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Whitall, William Van R.