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Guide to the

Willem Bilderdijk manuscript material

1825-1831

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Summary

Creator: Bilderdijk, Willem, 1756-1831

Title: Willem Bilderdijk manuscript material

Date: 1825-1831

Size: 13 items

Abstract: Autograph poem, "Aan den Hoofdorichter Southey" : (MISC 1592) ; 4 p. fair copy of an ode to Robert Southey, in Dutch, ca. 1825.

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Creator History

Willem Bilderdijk, Dutch poet. Robert Southey visited him and his wife in the Netherlands in 1825 and 1826, and the two poets remained friendly correspondents for the rest of Bilderdijk's life.

Scope and Content Note

Autograph poem, "Aan den Hoofdorichter Southey" : (MISC 1592) ; 4 p. fair copy of an ode to Robert Southey, in Dutch, ca. 1825. || To Robert Southey, poet : 12 autograph letters signed : 2 Aug 1825 - 26 Jul 1831 : (MISC 1595-1606) : offering deeply detailed biographical accounts. The first letters date from just after the first meetings of the two poets, and the last letters portray a distraught widower dealing with the anguish of the loss of his wife.

Key Terms

Titles

Bilderdijk, Willem : manuscript material

Subjects

Dutch poetry -- 19th century -- Manuscripts -- Specimens
Poets, Dutch -- 19th century -- Correspondence

Names

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