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Guide to the **Robert Browning, Sr. manuscript material** 1859-1860 Pforz MS

Summary

Creator: Browning, Robert, 1782-1866

Title: Robert Browning, Sr. manuscript material

Date: 1859-1860

Size: 1 item

Abstract: Robert Browning, Sr., clerk in the Bank of England, father of the poet and playwright Robert Browning. Album of sketches : (MISC 1937) : 62 leaves, loose in binding, containing unsigned caricatures and drawings in pencil and in ink and watercolor, text in pencil and in ink beneath. The caricature sketches and text form short narratives, somewhat like comic strips. Three drawings appear to be in a different hand. Provenance note : "Mary Elizabeth Hunter -- These sketches, by Mr. Robert Browning Senr were given to me by him, set by set as they were finished. Paris. 1859-60" -- in ink on inside front cover. Shelved under "Browning" with bound manuscript material.

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Creator History

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Key Terms

Titles

Browning, Robert, Sr. : manuscript material

Subjects

Comic books, strips, etc -- 19th century -- Manuscripts -- Speciemens

Names

Browning, Robert, 1782-1866 Browning, Robert, 1812-1889 Hunter, Mary Elizabeth