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## **Robert Hartley Cromek manuscript material**

1808 Pforz MS

### **Summary**

Creator: Cromek, R. H. (Robert Hartley), 1770-1812

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**Date: 1808** 

Size: 1 item

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# **Key Terms**

### **Titles**

Cromek, Robert Hartley: manuscript material

### **Subjects**

Engravers -- Great Britain -- 19th century -- Correspondence

### Names

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