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# J. G. Lockhart manuscript material

1828-1844 Pforz MS

## **Summary**

Creator: Lockhart, J. G. (John Gibson), 1794-1854

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**Date**: 1828-1844

Size: 5 items

**Abstract:** To Thomas De Quincey, English essayist: 1 autograph letter signed: [ca. 1837?]: (MISC 0356): [no place]: begins, "Accept my best thanks for your very kind Note. I have been kept all this week from seeing you by my wife's illness ..." Lockhart's wife, Sir Walter Scott's daughter, Sophia, died in 1837.

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### **Creator History**

John Gibson Lockhart, Scottish writer and literary editor.

## **Scope and Content Note**

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at present do what you wish ..."; also includes, "By the way. Moore & Murray have soldered all differences & clubbed their Byroniana so that Moore's Life, rich indeed from two such collections, maybe looked for next Spring..."; also, "Miss Edgeworth has far advanced a novel called 'Taking for granted' ...".

## **Key Terms**

### **Subjects**

Authors, Scottish -- 19th century -- Correspondence Editors -- Scotland -- 19th century -- Correspondence

#### **Titles**

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#### Names

Lockhart, J. G. (John Gibson), 1794-1854 De Quincey, Thomas, 1785-1859 Mathews, Mrs. (Anne Jackson), 1782?-1869 Moore, Thomas, 1779-1852 Murray, Hester, Miss Murray, John, 1778-1843 Thackeray, Francis, 1793-1842