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Guide to the

William Lamb, Lord Melbourne manuscript material

1827-1842

Pforz MS

Summary

Creator: Melbourne, William Lamb, Viscount, 1779-1848

Title: William Lamb, Lord Melbourne manuscript material

Date: 1827-1842

Size: 11 items

Abstract: William Lamb, second Viscount Melbourne, British prime minister from 16 July to 14 November of 1834. · To Lady Morgan, novelist and socialite : 9 letters : -- 1 autograph letter third person : 21 Aug 1827 : (B'ANA 0166) : from Castle : saying "[he] has been long engaged to Mr. La Touche for Monday Friday next ..." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 23 Sep 1827 : (B'ANA 0165) : from Dublin Castle : begins, "I got your note the other day requesting a frank, but no frank nor direction care with it ..."; with red wax armorial seal. -- 1 autograph letter signed : 19 Nov 1827 : (B'ANA 0168) : from Dublin Castle : begins, "I have forwarded your letters to Colburn ..." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 30 Nov 1827 : (B'ANA 0170) : from Dublin Castle : on the final illness of his estranged wife, Caroline Lamb; begins, "I send you the last Medical account which I have received which I am afraid is very unfavourable ..." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 3 Dec 1827 : (B'ANA 0171) : from Phenix Park : begins, "I send you the letters, which I received by yesterday's mail. They are very melancholy ..."; with partial red wax armorial seal. -- 1 autograph letter signed : 12 Dec 1827 : (B'ANA 0172) : from Dublin Castle : begins, "I have been very neglectful lately in not sending you the accounts which I have received." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 21 Dec 1827 : (B'ANA 0174) : from Dublin Castle : begins, "I send you the letter I have received to-day. I am afraid it shows increasing weakness ..." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 25 Dec 1827 : (B'ANA 0173) : from Dublin Castle : begins, "I have only received this morning a short letter from Dr. Goddard, of which the following is a copy ..." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 2 Jan 1828 : (B'ANA 0175) : from Dublin Castle : begins, "I have had nothing material to send you ..."; along with a copy of a letter from Caroline Lamb to her husband, copied in the hand of Lady Morgan. -- All letters to Lady Morgan are mounted in the Lucius Wilmerding album of Autograph Letters written by Lady Caroline Lamb. Shelved under *Pforz BT.

Physical Location: Pforz MS

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· To Martin Archer Shee, portrait painter and writer : 1 autograph letter signed : 7 Dec 1833 : (SHEE 0023a) : from South W[ark] : begins, "I beg leave to acknowledge your letter of the 3d last with the enclosure ..." Mounted in the Martin Archer Shee Autograph Album. Shelved with bound manuscript volumes under "Shee."

· To an unidentified recipient : 1 autograph letter signed to "Sir" : 10 Aug 1842 : (H'ANA 0020) : from Southwark : begins, "I have been guilty of neglect in not before noticing yours of the 21st July. I am very sensible of the fairness of your conduct with Leigh Hunt ...".

Key Terms

Names

Melbourne, William Lamb, Viscount, 1779-1848