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## **Barbara Hofland manuscript material**

1822-1824 Pforz MS

### **Summary**

Creator: Hofland, Mrs. (Barbara), 1770-1844

Title: Barbara Hofland manuscript material

Date: 1822-1824

Size: 4 items

**Abstract:** Barbara Hofland, English children's writer and novelist. Her most popular children's book, The Son of a Genius, was first published in 1812 and was frequently reprinted over the next few decades. • To her cousin: 1 autograph letter signed (fragment): [no date]: (MISC 4023) 20c: begins, "... give my love, my grateful love, to my dear aunt ..." Mounted in the Mary Ann Humble Autograph Album. Shelved with oversized manuscript volumes.

Physical Location: Pforz MS

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- To Mrs. S. C. Hall, writer: 1 autograph letter signed: 30 May [w/m = 1822]: (MISC 4104): begins, "I am sorry to say that Mr. Hofland has been engaged for tomorrow evening some time and I do not think I can manage to come alone ...".
- To Mr. Ramsay : 1 autograph letter signed : [w/m = 1824] : (MISC 3422) : begins, "I have just got your note & send the work according to your direction.".

• To Martin Archer Shee, portrait painter and writer: 1 autograph letter signed: 1 Jul [no year]: (SHEE 0057b): begins, "I beg you to accept my best thanks for your kind and valuable book ..." Mounted in the Martin Archer Shee Autograph Album. Shelved with bound manuscript volumes under "Shee.".

# **Key Terms**

#### Names

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