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Guide to the

William Robertson manuscript material

1778-1791

Pforz MS

Summary

Creator: Robertson, William, 1721-1793

Title: William Robertson manuscript material

Date: 1778-1791

Size: 3 items

Abstract: William Robertson, Scottish historian and minister in the Church of Scotland. · To Sir Robert Murray Keith, of Murrayshall, diplomat and army officer : 1 autograph letter signed : 20 Oct 1778 : (MISC 0997) : 2 1/_ pages (double sheet) : from College of Edinburgh : begins, "Mr. Grant, who will have the honour of presenting this letter to you, is warmly recommended to me by his relation and friend Sir James Grant of Grant ...".

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Scope and Content Note

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· To "Miss Sinclair" : 1 autograph letter third person : 14 Feb [after 1764] : (MISC 0996) : 1 1/_ pages (single sheet) : from College [of Edinburgh] : thanking her for sending "the books that came from Sir John Sinclair ...".

· To Andrew Strahan, printer : 1 autograph letter signed : 21 Nov 1791 : (MISC 0998) : 3 1/_ pages (double sheet) : from College of Ed[inburgh] : begins, "This letter, I hope, will find you settled safely in New Street, & much benefited by your long recess from the fatigues of business ...".

Key Terms

Subjects

Clergy -- Scotland -- 18th century -- Correspondence

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Titles

Robertson, William : manuscript material

Names

Keith, Robert Murray, 1730-1795

Robertson, William, 1721-1793

Strahan, Andrew, -1831