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Guide to the

Basil Hall manuscript material

1829-1830

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Summary

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- To William Galignani, bookseller and publisher : 2 letters : -- 1 autograph letter third person : [ca. late 1829] : (B'ANA 0547) : from Hôtel des Iles Britanniques, Rue de la Paix : wanting to meet to discuss a "matter of business connected with Mr. Moore's *Life of Ld. Byron*." -- 1 autograph letter signed : [late 1830?] : (B'ANA 0554) : including, "I shall have great pleasure in making acquaintance with M. Bertin ...".
- To A. and W. Galignani, booksellers and publishers : 4 autograph letters signed : 1 Dec 1829 : (B'ANA

0548a) : from Hôtel des Iles Britanniques : a list of questions relating to his Voyages and Travels. Along with a draft response, apparently in the hand of one of the Galignanis (B'ANA 0548b). -- 18 Dec 1829 : (B'ANA 0549) : from Paris : begins, "I have just received a joint letter from Mr. Moore & Mr. Murray requesting me to apply to you for the sheets of Mr. Moore's Life of Byron ..." -- 17 Sep 1830 : (B'ANA 0551a) : from 27 St. James' St., London; including more relating to Moore's Life of Byron. Along with a draft response from the Galignanis (B'ANA 0551b). -- [late 1830?] : (B'ANA 0553) : begins, "I return your Volume which looks very well ...".

· To "My Dear Sir" (either A. or W. Galignani) : 2 autograph letters signed : -- 6 [Jan?] 1830 : (B'ANA 0550) : relating to his Voyages and Travels. -- [late 1830?] : begins, "As I have made some slight changes to my letter to Mr. [John] Murray, I shall be glad if you will read it over ...".