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Guide to the **Prince Hoare manuscript material** 1790-1819 Pforz Ms

Summary

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• To Thomas Christmas at Gower Street, 13 Bedford Square : 1 autograph letter : [no date] : (S'ANA

0749) : begins, "I [trouble?] you with a little commission which I shall be much obliged to you for executing.".

• To James Winston at the Theatre Royal, Haymarket : 3 letters : -- 1 autograph letter signed : [1806] : (G'ANA 0014) : from Buckingham Street; begins, "The Three & Deuce has never been published ..." -- 1 autograph letter third person : 6 Oct 1819 : (G'ANA 0015) : thanking him for his communication regarding "the freedom of the Theatre"; "best wishes for the success of the New Establishment." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 25 Jul [no year] : concluding, "...Being refused admittance tonight, I request that you will have the goodness to prevent my disappointment at a future opportunity." Addressed to "George Colman Esq. or Winston Esq.".

• To Martin Archer Shee, portrait painter and writer : 1 autograph letter signed : 25 May [1805?] : (SHEE 0101b) : 2 pages (single sheet) : from Beckenham : begins, "I will not delay telling you that I have most eagerly & with real pleasure read your present ..." Mounted in the Martin Archer Shee Autograph Album. Shelved with bound manuscript volumes under "Shee.".