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Guide to the

Elizabeth Shewell Swift manuscript material

1851-1858

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Summary

Creator: Swift, Elizabeth Shewell, 1796 or 1797-1872

Title: Elizabeth Shewell Swift manuscript material

Date: 1851-1858

Size: 2 items

Abstract: Elizabeth Shewell Swift, née Lorrain, minor American poet. To Leigh Hunt, poet, journalist, and critic (her cousin) : 1 autograph letter signed : 8 Apr 1858 : (H'ANA 0038) : 4 pages (double sheet) : from Easton : begins, "It seems a very long period since a letter has been received from you ...".

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Creator History

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Scope and Content Note

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· To "My dear Madam" : 1 autograph letter signed : 24 Feb 1851 : (H'ANA 0037) : 2 pages (single sheet) : [no place] : begins, "I received your kind letter and it gave much pleasure to Dr. Swift and myself." With much on Leigh Hunt, including, "... only through his works have I known my cousin Leigh ...".

Key Terms

Subjects

Poets, American -- 19th century -- Correspondence

Names

Hunt, Leigh, 1784-1859

Swift, Elizabeth Shewell, 1796 or 1797-1872