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Guide to the

**John Pinkerton manuscript material**

1794-1795

Pforz MS

## Summary

**Creator:** Pinkerton, John, 1758-1826

**Title:** John Pinkerton manuscript material

**Date:** 1794-1795

**Size:** 2 items

**Abstract:** John Pinkerton, Scottish historian and poet. · To David Steuart Erskine, eleventh earl of Buchan, antiquarian and political reformer : 2 letters : -- 1 autograph letter signed : 20 Dec 1794 : (MISC 0477) : 3 pages (double sheet) : from Hampstead : begins, "I am infinitely obliged to your Lordship for the numerous, and veru interesting drawings sent ..." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 10 Jan 1795 : (MISC 0476) : 7 pages (2 double sheets) : from Hampstead : begins, "In addition to former favors I have recently received Sir Alexander Erskine, Fletcher of Salton, Zachary Boyd, young Scougal a finished drawing, Jameson the painter, Bishop Forbes, and General David Lesly: all very interesting portraits."

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## Creator History

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## Scope and Content Note

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## **Key Terms**

### **Subjects**

Historians -- Scotland -- 18th century -- Correspondence  
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### **Titles**

Pinkerton, John : manuscript material

### **Names**

Buchan, David Stewart Erskine, Earl of, 1742-1829  
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