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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