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Guide to the **Ann Robinson manuscript material** 1791-1792 Pforz MS

Summary

Creator: Robinson, Ann, 1949-

Title: Ann Robinson manuscript material

Date: 1791-1792

Size: 2 items

Abstract: Ann Robinson, daughter of the Rev. Robert Robinson (1735-1790); and sister of Mary I. Brown, who was also a friend and correspondent of Mary Hays. • To Mary Hays, novelist : 2 letters : -- 1 autograph letter signed : 19 Oct 1791 : (MISC 2203) : 3 pages (double sheet) : from Shipdham : begins, "Unequal as I ever have been to the beautiful and elegant accomplishment of letter-writing, I never found myself so much so as now, on the perusal of your epistles ..." -- 1 autograph letter signed : 8 May 1792 : (MISC 2204) : 3 ¹/_ pages (double sheet) : from Shipdham : begins, "When I look at the date of your last letter I have all the reason in the world to blush and be ashamed ..." -- Both letters published in full in Marilyn Brooks's edition of Mary Hays's letters, p. 266; 272-273.

Physical Location: Pforz MS

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Key Terms

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