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Guide to the

James Hogg manuscript material

1815-1828

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Summary

Creator: Hogg, James, 1770-1835

Title: James Hogg manuscript material

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Size: 5 items

Abstract: The Scottish poet and novelist known as "The Ettrick Shepherd," best known for his novel *The Private Memoirs and Confessions of a Justified Sinner* (1824). · To Allan Cunningham, poet and songwriter : 1 autograph letter signed : 21 March 1820 : (MISC 0261) : including a suggestion to meet the traveling Sir Walter Scott in London.

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Creator History

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Scope and Content Note

- To Allan Cunningham, poet and songwriter : 1 autograph letter signed : 21 March 1820 : (MISC 0261) : including a suggestion to meet the traveling Sir Walter Scott in London.
- To Robert Purdie, music seller in Edinburgh : 1 autograph letter signed : 18 January 1828 : (MISC 1488) : begins, "I inclose you eight more songs [not present] for your correspondents ...".
- To William Roscoe, historian and patron of the arts : 1 autograph address panel : 17 Oct 1814 : (MISC 4023) 24d : reads, "William Roscoe Esq. / Allerton / Liverpool." With a note in an unknown hand attesting that the hand is Hogg's.

· To Jane Wilson, elder sister of writer John Wilson and zoologist James Wilson : 1 autograph letter signed : 4 January 1815 : (MISC 1489) : thanking her for the medicine she sent; begins, "I never got so sweet a drug all the days of my life ...".

· To John Wilson [pseud. Christopher North], author and journalist : 1 autograph letter (fragment) : 10 Mar 1832 : (MISC 4047) : begins, "The Walton and Cotton Club gave me a public dinner yesterday at which you and I were admitted honorary members ...".

Key Terms

Titles

Hogg, James : manuscript material

Subjects

Poets, Scottish -- 19th century -- Correspondence

Names

Cunningham, Allan, 1784-1842

Hogg, James, 1770-1835

Purdie, Robert, fl. ca. 1808-1837

Roscoe, William, 1753-1831

Wilson, Jane, d. 1835

Wilson, John, 1785-1854