



The New York Public Library Carl H. Pforzheimer Collection of Shelley and His Circle

Guide to the

Mary Somerville manuscript material

1833-1860's?

Pforz Ms

Summary

Creator: Somerville, Mary, 1780-1872

Title: Mary Somerville manuscript material

Date: 1833-1860's?

Size: 3 items

Abstract: Mary Somerville, Scottish science writer and mathematics expositor. · To Captain Hanchette, R. N., at 24 Rue Duphot : 1 autograph letter signed : 19 Apr 1833 : (MISC 3940) : 2 pages (double sheet) : [no place] : begins, "I am truly sensible my dear Sir of your kind attention and am happy to have a friend so near in time of need ..." Mounted in the Agatha Hogsbottom autograph album. Shelved with oversized bound manuscript volumes.

Preferred citation: Mary Somerville manuscript material : 3 items, Carl H. Pforzheimer Collection of Shelley and His Circle, The New York Public Library

Creator History

Mary Somerville, Scottish science writer and mathematics expositor.

Scope and Content Note

- To Captain Hanchette, R. N., at 24 Rue Duphot : 1 autograph letter signed : 19 Apr 1833 : (MISC 3940) : 2 pages (double sheet) : [no place] : begins, "I am truly sensible my dear Sir of your kind attention and am happy to have a friend so near in time of need ..." Mounted in the Agatha Hogsbottom autograph album. Shelved with oversized bound manuscript volumes.
- To Mrs. Hoover : 1 autograph letter signed : 22 Jul 1844 : (MISC 2221) : 3 pages (double sheet) : [no place] : begins, "You must think it strange my dear Mrs. Hoover that I have not been to see you..."; includes "...I have not been going out on account of the death of my sister in law Lady Fairfax ...".
- To an unidentified recipient : 1 autograph signature : [circa 1860's?] : (SHEE 0121) : 1 page (single

sheet) : [no place] : in a shaky [later?] hand.

Key Terms

Subjects

Authors, Scottish -- 19th century -- Correspondence

Titles

Somerville, Mary : manuscript material

Names

Somerville, Mary, 1780-1872