
Inventory of the George Cruikshank Papers, 1847-1878

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Descriptive Summary

Title: George Cruikshank Papers,

Date (inclusive): 1847-1878

Creator: Cruikshank, George

Extent: 71 A.Ls.S.

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Biography

George Cruikshank (1792-1878), artist and caricaturist, best known perhaps for his illustrations of 19th century novels.

Scope and Content

The collection consists of 71 letters addressed to George Cruikshank and his wife, Eliza (Widdison) Cruikshank from various correspondents. Many are requests for Cruikshank's presence at temperance society meetings.

A few letters deal with Cruikshank as an artist.

- William Henry Merle
- Charles Rogers
- John Sheringham
- H. E. Taylor
- J. Drayton Wyatt