Guide to the Charles Parr Burney, Correspondence

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TITLE: [Correspondence]

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LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: Autograph MSS.
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b. 1 ALS (draft) to Henry Philpott, bp. of Worcester (1807-1892)  
Sible Hedingham  
3 p.; 18 x 12 cm.  
Concerns the bishop’s contribution.  
d 149/26

b. 1 ALS (draft) to Henry Philpott, bp. of Worcester (1807-1892)  
Sible Hedingham  
1 p.; 21 x 17 cm.  
Concerns the regulations of the  
Porson Prize.  
d 149/32

b. 1 ALS (draft) to Henry Philpott, bp. of Worcester (1807-1892)  
[Sible Hedingham]  
1 p.; 19 x 12 cm.  
Concerns the Porson Scholarship and  
recent proposals made by the bishop.  
d 149/34

b. 1 ALS (draft) to Ralph Tatham (1779-1857)  
[Sible Hedingham]  
1 p.; 18 x 11 cm.  
Concerns the reaction to the Porson  
Prize by some Heads of Colleges at  
Cambridge University.  
d 149/13

b. 1 ALS (draft) to Ralph Tatham (1779-1857)  
[Sible Hedingham]  
1 p.; 20 x 12 cm.  
Thanks him for his attention and  
service to the Porson Prize.  
d 149/15

b. 1 ALS (draft) to Ralph Tatham (1779-1857)  
[Sible Hedingham]  
1 p.; 19 x 15 cm.  
Concerns the procedure for bringing  
the Porson Scholarship to the  
attention of the proper University  
authorities.  
d 149/16

b. 1 ALS (draft) to John Haggard (1794-1856)  
Sible Hedingham  
1 p.; 18 x 11 cm.  
Concerns a conference they had on  
the admission of churchwardens.  
d 149/17
b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
n.p.  
1 p.; 18 x 11 cm.  
Sends along something for his perusal.  
d 149/14

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY. ST. JOHN’S COLLEGE

b. 1  
[Graces offered to the Senate]: printed notice with MS annotations  
1 p.; 24 x 22 cm.  
Includes proposals by Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864) for the establishment for a Porson Prize and by Miss J. Caroline Burney for the establishment of a Burney Prize.  
d 149/8

CHANTREY, SIR FRANCIS LEGATT, 1781-1841

b. 1  
Invoice to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Belgrave Place  
1 p.; 15 x 20 cm.  
Regarding a bust of Porson with a tablet; with an autograph receipt attached.  
d 149/1

CLARK, H. M.

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
London  
1 p.; 23 x 19 cm.  
Has received the draft by Henry Philpott, bp. of Worcester (1807-1892), concerning the establishment of the Porson Prize.  
d 149/36

CLARK AND DAVIDSON, SOLICITORS

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
London  
1 p.; 23 x 19 cm.  
A bill for their services concerning the principal and interest of the money to be used for the establishment of the Porson Prize.  
d 149/38

HANBURY, AGATHA
**HANBURY, AGATHA (continued)**

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**PHILPOTT, HENRY, BP. OF WORCESTER, 1807-1892**

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<td>Thanks him for his offer to</td>
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<td>establish a prize fund.</td>
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### TATHAM, RALPH, 1779-1857 (continued)

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ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
2 p.; 25 x 20 cm.  
Informs him that his proposals for the establishment of the Porson Prize have been submitted to the Heads of Colleges.  
d 149/4

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
2 p.; 25 x 20 cm.  
Concerns a proposed substitution in the rules for the Porson Prize.  
d 149/5

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
3 p.; 20 x 12 cm.  
Concerns a new draft of the Porson Prize.  
d 149/6

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
4 p.; 25 x 20 cm.  
Concerns the proposal for a Burney Prize.  
d 149/7

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
3 p.; 20 x 12 cm.  
Informs him that the matter of the Porson Prize has finally been settled.  
d 149/12

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
2 p.; 25 x 20 cm.  
Concerns the deferral of the Porson Scholarship.  
d 149/18

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
3 p.; 20 x 12 cm.  
Concerns the Deed of Trust for the Burney Prize.  
d 149/19
TATHAM, RALPH, 1779-1857 (continued)

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
3 p.; 20 x 12 cm.  
Concerns the deed for the Burney Prize to be established by J. Caroline Burney.  
d 149/20

WILLIAMS, ROWLAND, 1817-1870

b. 1  
ALS to Charles Parr Burney (1785-1864)  
Cambridge  
8 p.; 23 x 19 cm.  
Objections to the form of the proposed establishment of the Porson Prize.  
d 149/10
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