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SUMMARY: The collection includes 160 letters, most of which were posted to Thomas Joseph Pettigrew (28 October 1791 – 23 November 1865), a British surgeon, apothecary, antiquarian, and author. The collection also includes two letters sent to Samuel Pettigrew and Elizabeth Reed Pettigrew, Thomas's son and wife. The letters reflect Pettigrew's roles including Registrar of the Medical Society of London; founder of the City Philosophical Society; Secretary of the Royal Humane Society; surgeon to the Duke and Duchess of Kent and Princess Victoria; surgeon and librarian to the Duke of Sussex; surgeon to the Charing Cross Hospital; Fellow of the Royal Society; author; and others. Subjects include Pettigrew's written works *Memoirs of Dr. Lettsom*, *Memoirs of Dr. Cogan*, *History of Egyptian Mummies*, *The Medical Portrait Gallery*, and *Bibliotheca Sussexiana*; the plague in Malta; paper-making; Sir J. Banks; the American Academy of Arts and Sciences; Dr. Pearce of Philadelphia; Dr. Fothergill; Colonel Leicester Stanhope; Mr. Fitzwilliam; and epidemics, among others.

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Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Preferred Citation

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Related Materials

For related materials see OSB MSS 113 Pettigrew papers and OSB MSS 58 Sussex correspondence, both held by the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Yale University.

Biographical / Historical

Thomas Joseph Pettigrew, second son of the surgeon-apothecary William Pettigrew, was born in London on October 28th, 1791. After serving his apprenticeship under the surgeon John Taunton, he was elected secretary of the Medical Society of London in 1812, became secretary to the Royal Humane Society in the following year, and was subsequently appointed surgeon to the Duke of Kent

Pettigrew was appointed surgeon and librarian to the Duke of Sussex in 1819, and in the following two decades successfully pursued a dual career as surgeon and as antiquary. He became surgeon to the Asylum for Female Orphans and to the Charing Cross Hospital, and he was elected fellow of the Royal Society. In his role as librarian, Pettigrew planned an ambitious catalogue of the Duke of Sussex's collection, the first volume of which was published in 1827 as *Bibliotheca Sussexiana*.

During the 1830s, however, Pettigrew faced difficulties in both of his chosen fields. The Duke of Sussex, embarrassed by Pettigrew's tendencies to gossip and by his mismanagement of the Duke's 1830 election as President of the Royal Society, dismissed him from his posts. In 1835, Pettigrew resigned from Charing Cross Hospital in the wake of accusations that he had accepted fees from candidates for assistant surgeons' appointments.

Although he published a spirited defense of his conduct, Pettigrew withdrew to private medical practice and devoted increasing time to his antiquarian interests. He published *A History of Egyptian Mummies* in 1834 and the first part of his planned *Encyclopaedia Aegyptiana* (never completed) in 1842. While Sussex refused to reinstate him as his librarian, he did allow Pettigrew to complete and publish the second volume of his planned *Bibliotheca Sussexiana* in 1834. Pettigrew's four volume *Medical Portrait Gallery*, which included his own biographical sketch, appeared in 1839.

In 1843 Pettigrew was elected as fellow to the Royal College of Surgeons, and in the same year became one of the founding members of the British Archaeological Association, serving as its treasurer for the rest of his life. He was also active in the Percy Society, the Historical Society of Science, and the Society of Antiquaries, and authored many antiquarian articles for the Journal of the British Archaeological Association and *Archaeologica*.

During the early 1850s Pettigrew again engaged in controversies, publishing an attack on the management of the Society of Antiquaries in 1852 (Letter to the Lord Viscount Mahon) and defending his own management of the British Archaeological Association from an attack by Richard Hugo in 1854. In that year his wife died, and Pettigrew retired from medical practice entirely. He published *Chronicles of the Tombs* in 1857. Thomas Pettigrew died at home in Brompton on November 23, 1865. His library was sold at Sotheby's seven months later.

Source: Guide to the Pettigrew papers, written by Dianne Ducharme, 2006. Beinecke OSB MSS 113.

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Correspondents of note in the collection include Irish physician Sir A. Brooke Faulkner; Johann Gaspar Spurzheim, promoter of phrenology; Charles Parr Burney, Archdeacon of St. Albans; theologian Henry Tattam; mathematician and astronomer Steven Peter Rigaud; linguist and translator Samuel Lee; entomologist William Kirby; Dr. John Baron, founder of the Medical Benevolent Fund and biographer of Jenner; Thomas Hancock, Quaker physician; naval officer Sir William Henry Dillon; hydrographer and astronomer William Henry Smyth; astronomer John Lee; Sir William Burnett, naval surgeon; architect Sir Joseph Paxton; economist Cesar Moreau; Egyptologist Conradus Leemans; Dr. John Johnstone; botanist Jonathan Stokes; antiquarian Edward Upham; mathematician George Peacock; homeopath James John Garth Wilkinson; William Penn, great-grandson of the founder of Pennsylvania; Colonel Thomas Wildman, purchaser of Byron's Newstead Abbey; cleric Henry John Todd; publisher Antoine-Augustin Renouard; and historian Thomas Maurice.

Arrangement

The collection is arranged alphabetically by author.

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b. 1	Annesley, Sir James, Clough, County Down, Ireland Signed "J Annesley."	1839 September 1
b. 1	Armiger, Thomas J., Hertford Signed "Thos. Armiger." Sent from Castle Street, Hertford.	1818 February 16
b. 1	Bandinel, Bulkeley (1781-1861)], Oxford Signed "B Bandinel."	1831 May 2
	Baron, John (1786-1851) John Baron was an English physician and biographer of Edward Jenner.	
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 March 1
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 March 15
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 April 26
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 May 10
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 July 12
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 July 13
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 August 8
b. 1	Baron, John (1786-1851), Cheltenham Signed "Baron."	1838 September 8
b. 1	Blair, Robert, Bedford Square No signature.	1819 November 29
b. 1	Beltz, George Fredrick (1777-1841) No signature.	1829 April 29
b. 1	Bolton, Lord, Hackwood Park Signed "Bolton." Likely William Orde-Powlett, 2nd Baron Bolton (1782-1850).	1818 July 5
	Browne, George Adam (1774-1843) George Adam Browne was the Vice-master of Trinity College, Cambridge; Vicar of Chesterton; and Chaplain to the Duke of Sussex.	

b. 1	Browne, G[eorge] A[dam] (1774-1843), Chesterton Signed "G Browne."	1825 July 1
b. 1	Browne, G[eorge] A[dam] (1774-1843), Chesterton Signed "G A Browne."	1831 December 25
b. 1	Browne, G[eorge] A[dam] (1774-1843), Chesterton Signed "G Browne."	1833 May 24
b. 1	Bullock, William, London Signed "Will Bullock." Letter addressed to Abr. Cooper Esq. Sent from 4 Watkins Terrace, Ebury Street.	1842 January 22
b. 1	Burnett, Sir William (1779-1861) Signed "W Burnett." Sir William Burnett (1779-1861) was a Scottish naval surgeon. Includes letter and separate envelope.	1845 June 23
b. 1	Burney, Charles Parr (1786-1864), Greenwich Charles Parr Burney was the Archbishop of St. Albans.	1824 June 5
	Burton, James, Jr. (1786-1862) Likely James Burton Jr. (1786 – 1862), British Egyptologist and author.	
b. 1	Burton, James, [Jr.] (1786-1862), Bath	1826 October 20
b. 1	Burton, James, [Jr.] (1786-1862), Sevenoaks	1827 November 7
b. 1	Burton, James, [Jr.] (1786-1862), Conyngham Hall, Knaresborough	1829 December 20
b. 1	Burton, James, [Jr.] (1786-1862), Sevenoaks	1831 September 6
	Carysfort, John Joshua Proby, 1st Earl of (1751-1828) Carysfort, John Joshua Proby, Earl of, 1751-1828	
b. 1	Carysfort, John Joshua Proby, 1st Earl of (1751-1828), Elton Hall Signed "Carysfort."	1816 November 3
b. 1	Carysfort, John Joshua Proby, 1st Earl of (1751-1828), Elton Hall Signed "Carysfort."	1816 November 11
	Cimitile, Principe (Fabio Albertini) (1775-1848} Fabio Albertini, Prince of Cimitile was an Italian diplomat. During his time in London he co-founded the Literary Union Club (later known as the Clarence Club) which included prominent figures in the arts, philosophy, and science.	
b. 1	Cimitile, Principe, and Amelia Hamilton, Paris Signed "Cimitile." Letter includes note at end signed Amelia Hamilton.	1835 Septemeber 13
b. 1	Cimitile, Principe, Paris Signed "Cimitile."	1835 December 14

b. 1	Cimitile, Principe, Paris Signed "Cimitile."	1836 January 11
b. 1	Cimitile, Principe, Paris Signed "Cimitile." Sent from Rue de Rivoli.	1837 January 9
b. 1	Cimitile, Principe, Paris Signed "Cimitile."	1838 October 25
b. 1	Clanny, William Reid (1776-1850), Sunderland Signed "W Reid Clanny."	1838 March 9
b. 1	Collyer, William Bengo (1782-1854), Addington Square, Camberwell Signed "W B Collyer."	1818 March 2
b. 1	Cooke, John (1756-1838) Signed "J Cooke."	1836 December 7
b. 1	Cooper, Bransby Blake (1792-1853) Signed "Bransby B Cooper."	1826 May 6
b. 1	Dale, Robert, Liverpool (1810-1853) Signed "R Dale."	1836 April 18
b. 1	Deane, John Bathurst, London (1797-1887) Signed "J. B. Deane." Sent from 31 Finsbury Circus.	1837 March 27
	Dillon, Sir William Henry (1779 or 1780-1857) Dillon, William Henry, 1779 or 1780-1857 Sir William Henry Dillon was a vice-admiral in the British navy.	
b. 1	Dillon, Sir William Henry, HMS Russel in Ferrol Harbour Signed "W. H. Dillon."	1836 February 15
b. 1	Dillon, Sir William Henry, HMS Russel, Malta Signed "Wm Hn Dillon."	1837 August 9
b. 1	Dillon, Sir William Henry, HMS Russel, Malta Signed "W. H. Dillon."	1837 November 25
b. 1	Drury, Henry Joseph Thomas (1778-1841), London Signed "H Drury."	1830 December 17
b. 1	Dunelm, E., Auckland Castle, Bishop Auckland	1846 March 17
b. 1	Einsiedel, Count Henry, Dresden	1829 July 31
	Falkener, Edward (1814-1896) Falkener, Edward, 1814-1896 Edward Falkener was a British architect and author of works on Greek sculpture and architecture.	
b. 1	Falkener, Edward (1814-1896), London	1850 July 22

b. 1	Falkener, Edward (1814-1896), London	1850 August 9
b. 1	Falkener, Edward (1814-1896), London Sent from 21 Bloomsbury Square.	1850 August 12
b. 1	Falkener, Edward (1814-1896), London Sent from 29 Gracechurch Street.	1850 November 29
b. 1	Falkener, Edward (1814-1896), London	1851 January 30
Farre, John Richard (1775-1862) John Richard Farre was a British physician and surgeon who co-founded the Royal London Ophthalmic hospital.		
b. 1	Farre, John Richard, Charterhouse Square, London Signed "J. R. Farre." Sent from 4 Charterhouse Square.	1832 May 7
b. 1	Farre, John Richard, Charterhouse Square, London Signed "J. R. Farre." Sent from 4 Charterhouse Square.	1833 June 29
Faulkner, Sir Arthur Brooke (1779-1845) Faulkner, Arthur Brooke, Sir, 1779-1845 Sir Arthur Brooke Faulkner was an Irish physician and author. He was knighted in 1815 for his work to halt the spread of the plague in Malta and appointed physician to the Duke of Sussex.		
b. 1	Faulkner, Sir Arthur Brooke (1779-1845), Trianon near Cheltenham 2 Signed "A Brooke Faulkner."	1828 May 25
b. 1	Faulkner, Sir Arthur Brooke (1779-1845), Hague Signed "A Brooke Faulkner."	1830 December 23
b. 1	Faulkner, Sir Arthur Brooke (1779-1845), Evington near Cheltenham Signed "A Brooke Faulkner."	1840 March
Ferrers, Washington Sewallis Shirley, 9th Earl of (1822-1859) Ferrers, Washington Sewallis Shirley, Earl, 1822-1859		
b. 1	Ferrers, Washington Sewallis Shirley, 9th Earl of (1822-1859), Staunton Harold Signed "Ferrers."	1827 October 12
b. 1	Ferrers, Washington Sewallis Shirley, 9th Earl of (1822-1859), Staunton Harold Signed "Ferrers."	1827 October 17
b. 1	Ferrers, Washington Sewallis Shirley, 9th Earl of (1822-1859), Margate Signed "Ferrers."	1829 July 28
Fitzclarence, George Augustus Frederick (1794-1842)		
b. 1	Fitzclarence, George Augustus Frederick, Burley Signed "G Fitzclarence."	1829 January 16

b. 1	Fitzclarence, George Augustus Frederick Signed "G Fitzclarence."	1829 June 20
b. 1	Genoves (possibly Genovesi), Vincente, London Sent from Sommers-town.	1829 August 3
b. 1	Glasse, J., Burnham, Norfolk Signed "J. Glase."	1817 January 18
	Glover, George (1779-1862) Glover, George, 1779-1862	
b. 1	Glover, George (1779-1862), North Walsham	1827 November 16
b. 1	Glover, George (1779-1862), North Walsham	1827 December 24
b. 1	Glover, George (1779-1862), North Walsham	1833 May 28
b. 1	Gunn, William (1750-1841), Smallburgh near Norwich Signed "Wm Gunn." Smallburgh is now in Norfolk County.	1827 September 18
b. 1	Haenel, Gustav, London (1792-1878) No signature.	1827 March 20
b. 1	Hailstone, John, Trumpington, Cambridge (1759-1847)	1833 June 1
b. 1	Hancock, Thomas, Liverpool (1783-1849) Signed "Thos. Hancock."	1832 February 22
b. 1	Haslam, John, London (1764-1844) Signed "J Haslam." Sent from Hart Street.	1831 December 1
	Heath, John Moore (1808-1882)	
b. 1	Heath, John Moore (1808-1882), Trinity College Cambridge Signed "J. M. Heath."	1839 October 11
b. 1	Heath, John Moore (1808-1882), Trinity College Cambridge Signed "J. M. Heath."	1839 October 17
b. 1	Heine, Carlos, Soho Square Sent from 26 Frith Street.	1829 February 25
b. 1	Hemley, William, Weymouth Signed "Wm Hemley." Sent from 9 Pultney Buildings	1841 February 12
b. 1	Henniker-Major, John (1752-1821), Bath Signed "Henniker." 2nd Baron Henniker (1752 - 1821)	1815 December 2
b. 1	Johnstone, John (1769-1836), Birmingham John Johnstone (1769-1836) was a British physician and author.	1816 October 18

b. 1	Kidd, John, M.D. (1775-1851), Oxford No signature.	1833 June 7
b. 1	Kirby, William (1759-1850), Barsham Signed "Wm Kirby." William Kirby was an English entomologist and author.	1833 June 1
b. 1	Lambert, Aylmer Bourke (1761-1842), Boyton House, near Heytesbury, Wiltshire No signature.	1832 August 25
b. 1	Landseer, John (1769-1852), Southampton No signature. Date unclear, paper is watermarked 1829.	1829 or later May 9
	Lee, John (1783-1866) Lee, John, 1783-1866 John Lee (1783-1866 was an English astronomer who helped found the Royal Meteorological Society.	
b. 1	Lee, John (1783-1866), Doctors Commons	1833 May 17
b. 1	Lee, John (1783-1866), Doctors Commons	1833 May 25
b. 1	Lee, John (1783-1866), Hartwell, Buckinghamshire	1835 October 2
b. 1	Lee, John (1783-1866), Doctors Commons	1836 May 11
	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852) Lee, Samuel, 1783-1852 Samuel Lee was an English linguist and translator.	
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1828 January 6
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1828 February 17
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1828 November 2
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge Addressed to both Mrs. Pettigrew and Samuel Pettigrew, son of Thomas J. Pettigrew.	1829 May 5
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge Addressed to Samuel Pettigrew, son of Thomas J. Pettigrew.	1829 May 8
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1829 October 12
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1829 October 19
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1829 October 26
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1829 October 28
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), Cambridge	1829 October 31
b. 1	Lee, Samuel (1783-1852), London	1830 April 13
b. 1	Lee, Samuel, Trinity College Cambridge	1840 February 12

b. 1	Leemans, Conradus (1809-1893) Signed "C. Leemans." Conradus Leemans (1809-1893) was a Dutch Egyptologist.	1836 September 15
b. 1	Litchfield, J. C., Islington	1838 March 5
b. 1	Lodge, John (circa1792-1850), Magdalene College, Cambridge Signed J. Lodge."	1825 November 1
b. 1	Lucas, Matthias Prime (1761-1848), Wateringbury Signed "Matt P Lucas."	1841 August 9
b. 1	Madden, Sir Frederic (1801-1873), British Museum Signed "F. Madden."	1833 May 16
b. 1	Mangles, James (1786-1867), Lymington	1834 March 18
b. 1	Maurice, Thomas (1754-1824), British Museum Signed "T. Maurice." Thomas Maurice (1754-1824) was a scholar of Indian culture and history and librarian at the British Museum.	1818 June 4
b. 2	Merle, William Henry (1791-1878) Signed W H Merle."	1834 January 4
b. 2	Moore, James Carrick (1763-1834), Bath Signed "J. Moore."	1817 March 26
b. 2	Moore, Thomas (1779-1852), Brighton Signed "Tho Moore." Sent from 2 Queensberry Place.	1836 July 15
b. 2	Moreau, César (1791-1860), Paris Written on Societe Francaise Statistique Universelle letterhead. César Moreau (1791-1860) was a French economist.	1830 January 5
b. 2	Müller, Major William, Hanover No signature.	1822 July 10
b. 2	Neville, James, Rotherhithe	1832 August 22
b. 2	Noakes, George, London Signed "Geo Noakes, The Mental Calculator." George Noakes was a child prodigy known as "the Mental Calculator." Letter sent Sent from 19 South Row, New Road.	1840 August 5
b. 2	Nugent, Paris Sent from Hotel de Malte Rue Richelieu.	1837 April 24
b. 2	Ogg, William, Southampton Signed "W Ogg."Sent from Royal George.	1825 September 19
b. 2	Ottley, William Young (1771-1836), London Signed Wm Y Ottley." Sent from 31 Devonshire Street.	1829 January 5

b. 2	Paxton, Sir Joseph, Chatsworth, Chesterfield (1803-1865) Letter is not signed. Includes letter and separate envelope. Sir Joseph Paxton (1803-1865) was an English architect and horticulturist known for designing the Crystal Palace and for cultivating the Cavendish banana.	1857 October 23
	Peacock, George (1791-1858) Peacock, George, 1791-1858 George Peacock (1791-1858) was an English mathematician and Anglican cleric.	
b. 2	Peacock, George (1791-1858), Trinity College Cambridge	1829 December 31
b. 2	Peacock, George (1791-1858), Trinity College Cambridge Signed "Geo Peacock."	1833 May 28
b. 2	Penn, William, London Signed "W. Penn." Sent from 7 Lambeth Road.	1830 March 19
b. 2	Planché, James Robinson (1796-1880) Signed "J. R. Planche."	1849 January 17
	Randolph, Dr. F. Possibly Reverend Dr. Francis Randolph (1750-1831), English Anglican cleric who helped promote the discovery of a site containing bones from Ice Age animals in Banwell.	
b. 2	Randolph, Dr. F., Bristol Signed "F Randolph."	1815 December 3
b. 2	Randolph, Dr. F., Bristol Signed "F Randolph."	1817 February 3
b. 2	Renouard, Antoine-Augustin, London (1765-1853) Signed "An Aug Renouard. Antoine-Augustin Renouard (1765-1853) was a French industrialist, political activist, and publisher.	1824 June 5
	Riguard, Stephen Peter (1774-1839) Stephen Peter Rigaud was an English mathematician and astronomer who taught at Oxford University.	
b. 2	Riguard, Stephen Peter (1774-1839), Observatory Oxford Signed "S. P. Rigaud."	1830 November 16
b. 2	Riguard, Stephen Peter (1774-1839), Observatory Oxford Signed "S. P. Rigaud."	1833 May 21
b. 2	Rokewode, John Gage (1786-1842) Letter and separate envelope with note in mixed English and Latin written on interior.	1839 June 15
b. 2	Skelton, Joseph (1783-1871) Signed "J Skelton."	1831 May 13

b. 2	Smirnov, James (1754-1840), Maxell House, Parson's Green Signed "Ja Smirnov." James Smirnov was also known as Yakov Ivanovich Smirnov.	1826 July 5
b. 2	Smyth, John Gee (1759-1831), Chelsea Signed "J Gee Smyth." Sent from No. 22 Beaufort Row, Chelsea.	1830 July 31
	Smyth, William Henry (1788-1865) William Henry Smyth (1758-1865) was an English naval officer, hydrographer, astronomer, and numismatist.	
b. 2	Smyth, William Henry (1788-1865), London No signature.	1817 February 21
b. 2	Smyth, William Henry (1788-1865), Bedford Signed "W H Smyth."	1833 June 2
b. 2	Spurgin, John (1797-1866), London No signature. Sent from 38 Guildford St, Russell Square.	1833 March 13
b. 2	Spurzheim, Johann Gaspar (1776-1832) No signature. Johann Gaspar Spurzheim was known for promoting phrenology.	1825 March 29
b. 2	Stewart, John	1831 February 1
	Stokes, Jonathan (1755-1831) Stokes, Jonathan, 1755-1831 Jonathan Stokes (1755-1831) was an english physician and botanist.	
b. 2	Stokes, Jonathan (1755-1831), Chesterfield	1816 October 4
b. 2	Stokes, Jonathan (1755-1831), Chesterfield	1816 October 19
b. 2	Stokes, Jonathan (1755-1831), Chesterfield	1816 October 2[4?]
b. 2	Stokes, Jonathan (1755-1831), Chesterfield	1816 December 4
b. 2	Stokes, Jonathan (1755-1831), Chesterfield	1816 December 12
b. 2	Stokes, Jonathan (1755-1831), Chesterfield	1817 February 25
	Tattam, Henry (1789-1868)	
b. 2	Tattam, Henry (1789-1868), Bedford	1836 January 4
b. 2	Tattam, Henry (1789-1868), Bedford	1836 May 26
	Taylor, John (1757-1832)	
b. 2	Taylor, John (1757-1832), Portland Place Sent from 92 Norton Street.	1830 December 27

	Taylor, John (1757-1832), Bloomsbury Sent from 34 Great Russell Street.	1831 May 26
b. 2	Taylor, Thomas (1758-1835), London Sent from Manor Place.	1834 January 11
b. 2	Thomas, Mr., London No signature. Sent from Leicester Place.	1816 October 9
b. 2	Thomason, Sir Edward (1769-1849), Birmingham	1836 October 27
	Thomson, Richard (1794-1865)	
b. 2	Thomson, Richard (1794-1865), London Institution, Finsbury Circus Signed "Rich Thomson, Librarian."	1837 March 3
b. 2	Thomson, Richard (1794-1865), London Institution, Finsbury Circus Signed "Rich Thomson, Librarian."	1837 March 6
b. 2	Todd, James (1782-1835), Birdhurst, Croydon	1830 May 1
b. 2	Todd, Henry John (1763-1845), Malton Signed "H. J. Todd."	1826 June 16
b. 2	Upham, Edward (1776-1834) Signed "E Upham."	1829 June 9
b. 2	Walshman, Thomas (1752-1836), (Kennington?) Signed "Thos Walshman."	1833 May 23
b. 2	Ware, Martin, London Sent from Brides Court.	1839 December 2
b. 2	Wetherall, Sir Frederick Augustus (1754-1842), Kensington No signature.	1817 March 22
b. 2	White, Thomas (1758-1825), Dumfries Signed "Ts. White."	1817 July 11
	Wildman, Colonel Thomas (1787-1859) Colonel Thomas Wildman (1787-1859) was a British Army officer who became know for his purchase of Newstead Abbey, Lord Byron's ancestral home.	
b. 2	Wildman, Colonel Thomas (1787-1859), Newstead Abbey, Nottingham Signed "Thos Wildman."	1824 September 22
b. 2	Wildman, Colonel Thomas (1787-1859), Newstead Abbey, Nottingham Signed "Thos Wildman."	1833 March 26
	Wilkinson, James John Garth (1812-1899) Wilkinson, James John Garth, 1812-1899 James John Garth Wilkinson (1812-1899) was an English homeopathic physician and scholar of the teachings of Emanuel Swedenborg.	

b. 2	Wilkinson, James John Garth (1812-1899), Hastings Signed "J J Wilkinson."	1835 February 9
b. 2	Wilkinson, James John Garth (1812-1899), Andover Signed "J J Wilkinson."	1835 June 2
b. 2	Wilkinson, James John Garth (1812-1899), Calveley Hall Signed "J J Wilkinson."	1836 February 4
Wilson, John (c. 1789-1870)		
b. 2	Wilson, John, Haslar Hospital, Gosport Signed "J Wilson."	1832 December 25
b. 2	Wilson, John, Haslar Hospital, Gosport Signed "J Wilson."	1834 February 6
b. 2	unidentified correspondent, London Letter references both the Duke of Sussex and Sir Charles Flower.	1830 May 26
b. 2	unidentified correspondent, London Sent from 34 Southampton [Row?] Note reads: My dear sir, will you favour me with accepting a Ham. I have had some sent sent from Yorkshire and they generally are good. I hope it may prove so. Very sincerely yours, Rev [?].	Undated
b. 2	collection acquisition information Includes vendor description, purchase receipt, and a letter to John Fulton.	1957

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