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Item Listing

Letters

Catharine Maria Sedgwickto George Palmer Putnam

Unit Date 1852 Jul 7

Extent

ALS,
3 p.

Scope and Content

[Needs to know how long to make the article requested by Putnam "at any rate you will not wish it extended beyond what strictly belongs to the homestead" and apologizes for requesting the copy of the article on Berkshire.]

Catharine Maria Sedgwickto George Palmer Putnam

Unit Date 1852 Aug 3

Extent

ALS,
2 p.

Scope and Content

[Sends the previously mentioned article (see July 7, 1852), mentions the difficulty in avoiding egotism on "a subject that opens the fountain of family love" and fears that in trying to avoid egotism she has delivered a formal, if not dull, piece.]

Catharine Maria Sedgwickto George Palmer Putnam

Unit Date 1852 Sep 12

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ALS,
2 p.

Scope and Content

[Wonders which friend wrote the flattering article about her which has her family's approval and her gratitude.]

Catharine Maria Sedgwickto George Palmer Putnam

Unit Date n.y. Jul 11

Extent

ALS,
3 p.

Scope and Content

[Replies to a note from Putnam that she has been working on the sketch, hopes to forward a sketch her friend has just finished in a day or two, asks him to have the Berkshirearticle copied for her and thanks him for sending some books.]

C.M. Kirkland (pseudonym for Catharine Maria Sedgwick) to George Palmer Putnam

Unit Date n.y. Aug 21

Extent

ALS,
1 p.

Scope and Content

[Sends seven pages on the Berkshirehouse in response to his letter received yesterday, asking him to edit them if necessary, regards the article as badly written and cautions him to have it carefully read.]

Photographs and prints

"The Sedgwick Mansion, Stockbridge, Massachusetts" by J. Kirk, published by G.P. Putnam & Company, New York

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Engraving