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Guide to the

**John Playfair manuscript material**

1792

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## Summary

**Creator:** Playfair, John, 1748-1819

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**Date:** 1792

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**Abstract:** John Playfair, Scottish mathematician and geologist. · To Thomas Cadell, the elder, bookseller : 1 autograph letter signed : 13 Jul 1792 : (MISC 0478) : 1 1/\_ pages (single sheet) : from Meigle : begins, "Soon after my arrival I informed you of the results of my application to Sir John Sinclair, I should be glad to hear that the plan he proposed has met your approbation ...".

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## Scope and Content Note

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## **Key Terms**

### **Subjects**

Geologists -- Scotland -- 18th century -- Correspondence

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### **Titles**

Playfair, John : manuscript material

### **Names**

Cadell, T. (Thomas), 1742-1802

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