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Guide to the

Marie Schmole papers relating to Richard Wagner

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Summary

Creator: Schmole, Marie

Title: Marie Schmole papers relating to Richard Wagner

Date: 1895-1896

Size: 14 items

Source: Purchase, Christie, Manson & Woods International Inc, 1978

Abstract: 5 exercise books and 6 ALS from Marie Schmole, Dresden, to Mary Burrell, London, giving reminiscences of Richard Wagner from 1842 to 1849, at the request of Mrs. Burrell. The exercise books include: Richard Wagner in Dresden ; Von Rienzi zum Fliegenden Holländer ; Wagner als königl. Kapelmeister ; Wagner's Wirksamkeit als Kapelmeister ; Wagner als Politiker (Revolutionär). The 1st is labeled (in another hand): Aufzeichnungen. Accompanied by portraits of Ferdinand Heine and Marie Schole, and Frau Schmole's calling card.

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Language of the Material: In German

Creator History

Marie Schmole was the daughter of Ferdinand Heine who was a friend of Richard Wagner and designer of sets and costumes at the Hoftheater in Dresden. Frau Schmole remembered the first productions of Rienzi and Tannhäuser.

Custodial History

Formerly owned by Mary Banks Burrell. Cf. Catalogue of the Burrell collection of Wagner documents, letters, and other biographical material. London : Nonpareil Press, 1929. Items 126, 141, 163, and 188.

Scope and Content Note

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Key Terms

Titles

Aufzeichnungen

Subjects

Composers -- Germany

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Letters

Notebooks

Portraits

Names

Schmole, Marie

Burrell, Mrs. (Mary), 1850-1898

Heine, Ferdinand

Wagner, Richard, 1813-1883