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- 1-2 David Roberts's Eastern Journal, 1838-9. 2 vols.
1. Roberts' Journal in Egypt 1838'
  2. Roberts' Journal in Syria 1839'
3. 'Memoranda. Edinburgh 19 October 1842', inscribed calligraphically to Mrs Henry Bicknell.  
 Printed circular intimating dinner, 11 Oct 1842.  
 Report from Edinburgh Advertiser, 21 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from Charles Neaves, [1842].  
 Letter from Henry Cockburn to David Roberts, 13 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from Daniel McNee to D.R. Hay, 15 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from Robert Blackwood, [1842].  
 Letter from John Blackie, Jun., to D.R. Hay, 14 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from James Ballantine, 15 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from Peter Nimmo to D.R. Hay, [1842].  
 Letter from (Sir) George Harvey to D.R. Hay, 15 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from R S Lauder to D.R. Hay, [1842].  
 Letter from W. L. Leitch to D.R. Hay, [1842].  
 Letter from David Maclagan, 11 Oct [1842].  
 Letter from David Maclagan to D.R. Hay, [1842].  
 Letter from Richardson Brothers, 15 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from William Smellie Watson to D.R. Hay, 14 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from Robert Bald to D.R. Hay, 14 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from H.C. Baildon. 13 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from John Ballantyne to David Roberts, 19 Oct [1842].  
 Letter from John Strang to David Roberts, 25 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from William Lang to David Roberts, 27 Oct 1842.  
 Letter from D.O. Hill, Royal Scottish Academy, to David Roberts, 17 Dec 1857.  
 Report from Scotsman, 4 Sep 1858, of visit by David Roberts.  
 Letter from D. O. Hill, R.S.A., to David Roberts, 6 Sep 1858.  
 Report from Courant of R.S.A. dinner to Clarkson Stanfield and David Roberts, 2 Oct 1858.  
 Report from Scotsman of R.S.A. dinner to Clarkson Stanfield and David Roberts, 29 Sep 1858.  
 Report from Scotsman of freedom proposal, 22 Sep 1858.  
 Report from Daily Express of presentation of freedom of the City of Edinburgh to Roberts, 30 Sep 1858.  
 Report from Edinburgh News of presentation of freedom of the City of Edinburgh to Roberts, 2 Oct 1858.  
 Report from Times of presentation of freedom of the City of Edinburgh to Roberts, 1 Oct 1858.  
 Report from Edinburgh News commenting on presentation of freedom of the City of Edinburgh to Roberts, 2 Oct 1858.  
 Letter from Sir William Fergusson Bt. to David Roberts, 17 Feb 1860.  
 Letter from Ben Webster to David Roberts, 6 Dec 1860.  
 Letter from Laura Cubitt (Lady Ashcombe) to David Roberts, 7 Jan [1861], acknowledging photograph.  
 Letter from A Dawson, Provost of Linlithgow, to David Roberts, 13 Jan 1861.  
 Letter from W.P. de Bathe to David Roberts, 14 Jan 1861.  
 Letter from R----- Tennent to David Roberts, 14 Jan 1861.  
 Letter from R. Napier to David Roberts, 14 Jan 1861.

Letter from J.G. Moon to David Roberts, 15 Jan 1861.  
Letter from Lord Tenterden to David Roberts, 16 Jan 1861.  
Draft letter from David Roberts to Lord Tenterden, [30 Nov] 1863.  
Copy letter from same to W. F. Cowper, 4 Dec 1863, on design of National Gallery.  
Letter from Solomon A Hart to David Roberts, 8 Jan 1864.  
Obituary of David Roberts, Illustrated London News, 10 Dec 1864.  
Obituary of David Roberts, Atheneum 3 Dec 1864.

4. Family correspondence

Letters from David Roberts to Christine and Henry Bicknell, 1836-63, including two undated items; three envelopes of letters of 1861 (contents not found); a page of notes on paintings, watermarked 1862; a draft of an essay on the Royal Academy, dated 19 May 1951 (not in D. Roberts's hand).

5-14 General Correspondence arranged chronologically:

5. 1848 E Bicknell  
Thomas George Fonnereau  
John Watson Gordon  
Sir George Harvey (2)  
Vernon Heath  
John G Kinnear (2)  
Daniel MacNee (incomplete)  
William Mark  
J H Reynolds  
Benjamin B Wiffen
6. 1849 Lord Cockburn  
John Watson Gordon  
D O Hill  
R R Reinagle (2)  
J Sheepshanks
7. 1850 Thomas Birchall  
A Dawson (Linlithgow)  
Hanapee J Effendi  
Thomas George Fonnereau  
John Watson Gordon  
D Charles Guthrie  
Th H Harrison  
D O Hill  
R R Reinagle (3)  
W C Ross  
J Sheepshanks  
John Sutcliffe (2)  
George Russell Ward  
James White (3)  
William Wood

Printed The Song of Spring by W. Glasgow, March 1850

8. 1851 [E] Bicknell  
Thomas Birchall  
S Christy  
John Watson Gordon  
D O Hill  
John G Kinnear  
David Roberts to ---- Bicknell  
William Wood  
Printed The Song of Spring by W, April 1851  
Printed Ode on Her Majesty's Birth-Day by W., Glasgow, May 1851, with manuscript copy
9. 1852 George Clint  
A Dawson, Linlithgow (2)  
C L Eastlake  
D O Hill (3)  
J B Johnstone  
W B Johnstone  
R S Lauder  
Edward W Mark  
John Murray  
Richard Newsham  
R R Reinagle  
David Roberts to Henry Bicknell  
Edward Tagart
10. 1853 E Bicknell (4)  
W B Johnstone  
R S Lauder (2)  
Daniel MacNee  
Edward W Mark  
John Murray  
James Nasmyth  
William Parker (2)  
C. (Lady) Townshend  
James White (2)
11. 1854 Arthur Ashpitel (3)  
James Ballantine (3)  
E Bicknell  
S Christy  
A Dawson  
L Haynes  
D O Hill  
R S Lauder (4)  
Daniel MacNee (2)  
Joseph Miller (4)

F D Rawdon (2)  
Extracts from D. Roberts to H B And E B

12. 1855 Anon (incomplete)  
E Bicknell  
James Davidson  
R S Lauder (6)  
Edward W Mark  
Joseph Miller  
Extracts from D Roberts to his daughter (1)
13. 1856 R Barter  
John G Kinnear  
R S Lauder  
Joseph Miller  
J Dawson Rawdon  
C Stanfield  
John Taylor (2)
14. 1858 Extract of letter of David Roberts to Henry Bicknell  
1859 Henry Bickness [? to D Roberts] (copy)  
D O Hill  
For Lord Lansdowne  
1862 David Roberts to Colonel ----  
1863 Copy of letter of David Roberts to Edward Landseer  
1864 David Roberts to Provost ----  
n.d. Ada Bicknell (4)  
David Roberts to Christine Bicknell