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DEP/RUS		Sub-fonds	Ruskin, John (1819-1900)	Papers of John Ruskin	12 Jan 1842-1861	1 file	Letters from John Ruskin to his former Oxford tutor, Reverend Walter Lucas Brown	Letters Religion Theology War Exhibitions Travel Geology Travel Fossils Alps Wounds and injuries Equality Wealth Law Bible	Ruskin, John (1819-1900) Brown, Walter Lucas (?-1862) Gladstone, William Ewart (1809-1898)	Hernehill, England, United Kingdom Wendlebury, England, United Kingdom Denmark Hill, England, United Kingdom Chamonix, France		English	Available upon request - 14 days' notice	All copyright enquiries should be sent to library@jadlib.org	Catalogued by Alexandra Foulds. This material relates to other letters between John Ruskin and Walter Lucas Brown held by the Archives at Christchurch College, Oxford University, and by the Archives at University College London	542
DEP/RUS/1		File	Ruskin, John (1819-1900)	Letters from John Ruskin to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown, 12 January 1842-1861	12 Jan 1842-1861	5 items	Letters from John Ruskin to his former Oxford tutor, Reverend Walter Lucas Brown, discussing religion and theology, geology, wealth and labour, travel, and planning meetings between the two correspondents	Letters Religion Theology War Exhibitions Travel Geology Travel Fossils Alps Wounds and injuries Equality Wealth Law Bible	Ruskin, John (1819-1900) Brown, Walter Lucas (?-1862) Gladstone, William Ewart (1809-1898)	Hernehill, England, United Kingdom Wendlebury, England, United Kingdom Denmark Hill, England, United Kingdom Chamonix, France		English	Available upon request - 14 days' notice	All copyright enquiries should be sent to library@jadlib.org		542
DEP/RUS/1/1		Item	Ruskin, John (1819-1900)	Letter from John Ruskin to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown, 12 January 1842	12 Jan 1842	1 sheet, 4 pages	Letter from John Ruskin (Herne Hill) to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown (Wendlebury). Writing on the subject of religion and a debate on the subject the two correspondents have had. Ends by enquiring after Brown's family and mentions the fighting in China	Religion Theology War	Ruskin, John (1819-1900) Brown, Walter Lucas (?-1862)	Hernehill, England, United Kingdom Wendlebury, England, United Kingdom China		English	Available upon request - 14 days' notice	All copyright enquiries should be sent to library@jadlib.org		542
DEP/RUS/1/2		Item	Ruskin, John (1819-1900)	Letter from John Ruskin to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown, 26 May 1849	26 May 1849	1 sheet, 4 pages	Letter from John Ruskin (Denmark Hill) to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown stating that he wishes he could visit Wendlebury but he isn't able to until 'Association time' as the exhibitions are 'all open and the painters in town', and that he is feeling worn out. Ends by saying that he will visit Brown before leaving Oxford. The bottom of the third and fourth pages of the letter featuring Ruskin's signature has been cut out and a tear in the letter has been fixed with tape. The final page is blank aside from the sentence 'Gladstone. I know & like him'.	Exhibitions Travel	Ruskin, John (1819-1900) Brown, Walter Lucas (?-1862) Gladstone, William Ewart (1809-1898)	Denmark Hill, England, United Kingdom		English	Available upon request - 14 days' notice	All copyright enquiries should be sent to library@jadlib.org		542
DEP/RUS/1/3		Item	Ruskin, John (1819-1900)	Letter from John Ruskin to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown, 4 August 1856[?]	4 Aug 1856[?]	1 sheet, 4 pages	Letter from John Ruskin (Chamonix) to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown. He writes that he has been working 12 hours a day trying to ascertain the rock composition of Mont Blanc, and describes his research approach and some of the questions regarding fossils in the Swiss Alps that he has been pondering. It features four sketches of rock formations, 3 in colour and 1 in black ink	Geology Travel Fossils Alps	Ruskin, John (1819-1900) Brown, Walter Lucas (?-1862)	Chamonix, France Switzerland		English	Available upon request - 14 days' notice	All copyright enquiries should be sent to library@jadlib.org		542
DEP/RUS/1/4		Item	Ruskin, John (1819-1900)	Letter from John Ruskin to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown, September 1859	Sep 1859	1 sheet, 4 pages	Letter from John Ruskin (Paris) to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown. He writes of his concern about Mrs Brown after hearing that she has had an accident. He goes on to say that he is surprised that the Reverend has interpreted his works as advocating for the 'equality' of wealth and discusses the role of the law in regulating the price of labour. He ends by describing his travels in Europe	Wounds and injuries Equality Wealth Law Travel	Ruskin, John (1819-1900) Brown, Walter Lucas (?-1862)	Paris, France		English	Available upon request - 14 days' notice	All copyright enquiries should be sent to library@jadlib.org		542
DEP/RUS/1/5		Item	Ruskin, John (1819-1900)	Letter from John Ruskin to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown, 1861	1861	4 sheets, 16 pages	Letter from John Ruskin (Denmark Hill) to Reverend Walter Lucas Brown relating to an ongoing theological debate between the two correspondents. It starts by discussing Ruskin's urge 'to argue for arguments [...] sake' and his need to understand what Brown means by the terms 'spirit' and 'spiritual' to know his position. He goes on to respond to several points made in a letter he has received from Brown and to argue for the importance of 'plain' language in the Bible if it is to be 'a means of salvation'. He ends by asking Brown to define the term 'spirit' in his next letter	Theology Religion Bible	Ruskin, John (1819-1900) Brown, Walter Lucas (?-1862)	Denmark Hill, England, United Kingdom		English	Available upon request - 14 days' notice	All copyright enquiries should be sent to library@jadlib.org		542