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## Pierre Bayle Letters4079059

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Bayle, Pierre, 1647-1706
<b>Creator:</b>	Gerig, John L. (John Lawrence), 1878-1957
<b>Title:</b>	Pierre Bayle Letters
<b>ID:</b>	4079059
<b>ID:</b>	Ms Coll\Bayle
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1670-1706
<b>Physical Description:</b>	0.5 linear feet 152 items in box
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	French .

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## Biographical / Historical

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French philosopher and man of letters.

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## Summary

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Most of the letters were written by Bayle to members of his family. Many of the letters are quite lengthy. Approximately 20 of these letters have been published by Professor John L. Gerig of Columbia University. In addition to the letters there is a list of Bayle's writings with the dates of early editions, and a list of manuscripts which were found after Bayle's death.

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### Restrictions on Access

This collection is located on-site.

### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Source of acquisition--Stechert. Method of acquisition--Purchase; Date of acquisition--1906.  
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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Bayle letter of 30 May 1689: Source of acquisition--Coover, Chris. Method of acquisition--  
Gift; Date of acquisition--12/--/92. Accession number--M-92-12.

### Alternate Form Available

Microfilm available.

## Processing Information

Cataloged Christina Hilton Fenn 04/03/89.

## Processing Information

Bayle letter of 30 May 1689 Cataloged HR 08/12/93.

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## Related Materials

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For an index to all of Bayle's correspondence see: Elizabeth Labrousse. INVENTAIRE CRITIQUE DE LA CORRESPONDENCE DE PIERRE BAYLE. Paris, Librairie Philosophique J. Vrin, 1961

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Essays
- Lists (document genres)
- Philosophers, French
- Bayle, Jacob, 1644-1685
- Bayle, Jean, 1609-1685
- Bayle, Jeanne de Bruguière, d1675
- Bayle, Joseph, 1656-1684
- Bruguière, Gaston de

- Ménage, Gilles, 1613-1692
- Minutoli, Vincent, 1639-1709
- Naudis, Jean Bruguière de
- Pinsson de Riolles, François
- Bayle family