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**Emily Lawless letter to Smith**

1911 February 10

**Abstract:** Letter from Irish author Emily Lawless to "Mr. Smith" originally laid in a copy of Lawless' book *Atlantic Rhymes and Rhythm* (1898).
Descriptive Summary

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Biographical Note

Irish writer Emily Lawless (1845–1913), whose father was the wealthy Anglo-Irish nobleman Baron Cloncurry, became a popular author of historical and romantic novels focusing on Irish politics and history. She was also a poet whose work was known to Katharine Tynan and William Butler Yeats.

Sources:

Scope and Content Note

This collection consists of an autograph letter, signed, from Emily Lawless to "Mr. Smith." Writing from a nursing home, Lawless responds to a request for a book of her poems and discusses appearances of her work. She identifies *With the Wild Geese* as her best collection. This letter was originally laid in Lawless' book *Atlantic Rhymes and Rhythms* (Special Collections call number: SPEC S18 PR4878.L6 A84 1898).
Selected Search Terms

Topical Terms
Authors, Irish--20th century--Correspondence.

Form/Genre Terms
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Related Materials in this Repository
This item forms part of MSS 099 Miscellaneous Literary and Historical Manuscripts.
Items originally laid in Emily Lawless, Atlantic Rhymes and Rhythms ([London?] : Printed by S. S. for herself and four others, 1898). (Special Collections call number: SPEC S18 PR4878.L6 A84 1898).
Detailed Description of the Collection

Emily Lawless letter to Smith, 1911 February 10 [Box 7 F131]

Autograph letter signed, 4 pp.