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#### Binding:

Binding made of marbled paper, original, made in Königliche Bibliothek in Berlin: on the outside front part of the binding there is a gilded super ex-libris of this library and marbled paper is typical for the bindings made in this library in the 19<sup>th</sup> century.

#### History:

Writing is characteristic for the 19<sup>th</sup> century. The copies were not made on mould-made paper, therefore they might have been made in the 1830's at the earliest, but before 1859. The manuscript entered the accession register of Königliche Bibliothek in Berlin on 10<sup>th</sup> September 1859, but its origin was not determined. It is possible that it was made in Germany and that its history from the very beginning has been German.

#### Content:

The manuscript contains copies of letters of Frederick the Great to general Löwenörn-Wendelborn and his son, captain Löwenörn, made on the basis of the originals. Almost in every case the copyist marked that his text is a copy of the original and there are also fragments written by the hand of a secretary. The copyist tried to make faithful copies of the originals. The letters refer to the years 1728-1740. To general Löwenörn-Wendelborn: (1r<sup>o</sup>) Potsdam, 9<sup>th</sup> May 1728; (2r<sup>o</sup>-v<sup>o</sup>) Nauen, 15<sup>th</sup> May 1732; (3r<sup>o</sup>-v<sup>o</sup>) Berlin, 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1732; (4r<sup>o</sup>) Ruppín, 9<sup>th</sup> August 1732; (5r<sup>o</sup>) without the place and date; (6r<sup>o</sup>) Ruppín, 4<sup>th</sup> February 1733; (7r<sup>o</sup>) Ruppín, 13<sup>th</sup> July 1735; (8r<sup>o</sup>-v<sup>o</sup>) Berlin, 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1735; (9r<sup>o</sup>) Berlin, 7<sup>th</sup> December 1735; (10r<sup>o</sup>) Remusberg, 9<sup>th</sup> November 1738; (11r<sup>o</sup>) Berlin, 19<sup>th</sup> January 1739; (12r<sup>o</sup>) Berlin, 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1739; (13r<sup>o</sup>-v<sup>o</sup>) Remusberg, 25<sup>th</sup> February 1739; (14r<sup>o</sup>-v<sup>o</sup>) Ruppín, 29<sup>th</sup> March 1739; (15r<sup>o</sup>) Ruppín, 7<sup>th</sup> May 1739; (16r<sup>o</sup>) Berlin, 4<sup>th</sup> July 1739; (17r<sup>o</sup>) To captain Löwenörn: Berlin, 11<sup>th</sup> March 1740. Autographs of these letters have not been found. With reference to this manuscript cf. Lemm, p. 20.