

Guide to the

# **Hugh Hall letter book**

1716-1718 MssCol 1292

# Summary

Creator: Hall, Hugh

Title: Hugh Hall letter book

Date: 1716-1718

Size: .1 linear feet (1 volume)

**Abstract:** Letter book of Hugh Hall Jr. (1693-1773), merchant in Barbados. Letters to relatives and friends, and to merchants in London, Boston, Virginia, etc. Relates to family affairs; general trade including traffic in slaves. Some letters dated from London and Boston. Also includes transcripts of letters of Lydia Coleman. Negative photostat

Location of Originals: Houghton Library, Harvard University; Cambridge, MA

**Preferred citation:** Hugh Hall letter book, Manuscripts and Archives Division, The New York Public Library

## **Key Terms**

### **Geographic Names**

Barbados -- Commerce -- 18th century
Barbados -- Social life and customs -- 18th century
Boston (Mass.) -- Commerce -- 18th century
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### **Genre/Physical Characteristic**

Letter books

#### **Subjects**

Shipping -- Commerce

#### **Names**

Hall, Hugh