Guide to the

Jay family papers
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Summary

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Title: Jay family papers
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Abstract: John Jay was an American politician, statesman, revolutionary, diplomat, and the first Chief Justice of the United States (1789-1895). This collection contains original correspondence and photostats of letters of the Jay family (including John Jay), as well as transcripts, clippings, and other assorted items with biographical information about Jay.

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