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Guide to the

New York City Mayor's Court trial minutes

1789-1791

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Summary

Creator: New York (N.Y.). Mayor's Court

Title: New York City Mayor's Court trial minutes

Date: 1789-1791

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Source: Gift from Rev. Dr. Simon R. Cohen, 1927

Abstract: The New York City Mayor's Court (Court of Common Pleas) trial minutes, dated October 20, 1789-August 4, 1791, consist of a single volume documenting the parties involved, charges, pleas, evidence presented, and decisions rendered for each recorded case. Many of the cases pertain to financial disputes or physical altercations. Minutes were kept by the Recorder of New York City Samuel Jones.

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Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Minutes (administrative records)

Subjects

Trials -- New York (N.Y.)

Names

Jones, Samuel, 1734-1819