



The New York Public Library
Manuscripts and Archives Division

Guide to the

Meeting minutes of the Justices, Church Wardens, and Vestrymen of the City of New York

1694-1747

MssCol 3704

Compiled by Kit Messick, 2013

Summary

Title: Meeting minutes of the Justices, Church Wardens, and Vestrymen of the City of New York

Date: 1694-1747

Size: .21 linear feet (1 volume)

Source: Purchase, Bangs auction rooms, ca. 1893.

Abstract: Minutes of meetings concerning New York City charities attended by justices, aldermen, church wardens, and vestrymen (1694-1747). The meeting attendees were charged with the care of the poor, the administration of the Alms House (1736-1747), the appointment of the schoolmaster, and related civic duties. These papers document attendance and proceedings to these meetings. This volume is a 19th century transcription.

Access: Advance notice required.

Preferred citation: Meeting minutes of the Justices, Church Wardens, and Vestrymen of the City of New York, Manuscripts and Archives Division, The New York Public Library

Processing note: Compiled by Kit Messick, 2013

Custodial History

Purchased at auction from the library of George H. Moore.

Scope and Content Note

Minutes of meetings concerning New York City charities attended by justices, aldermen, church wardens, and vestrymen (1694-1747). The meeting attendees were charged with the care of the poor, the administration of the Alms House (1736-1747), the appointment of the schoolmaster, and related civic duties. These papers document attendance and proceedings to these meetings. This volume is a 19th century transcription.

Key Terms

Subjects

Charities -- New York (State) -- New York

Poor -- New York (State) -- New York

Public welfare -- New York (State) -- New York

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Minutes

Names

Moore, George Henry, 1823-1892 -- former owner