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Guide to the

**Diary of a Richmond clergyman**

1837

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### Summary

**Title:** Diary of a Richmond clergyman

**Date:** 1837

**Size:** .1 linear feet (1 folder)

**Abstract:** Diary of a Richmond clergyman kept during a trip from Richmond to Niagara Falls in 1837. He traveled by steamboat, railroad, canal, horse and buggy, and stagecoach through Norfolk, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Bordentown (N.Y.), Albany, Schenectady, Utica, Syracuse, Rochester, and Lockport to Niagara Falls; returned by way of Buffalo, across Lake Erie to Ashtabula, Ohio, Pittsburgh, Blairsville, Ligonier, Somerset, Comberland and Winchester to Richmond. Mentions sermons heard and delivered on his trip; social and economic conditions; Indian reservations; and places of interest in the larger cities. At back of diary is a commentary on the Epistle of St. Paul, and a discussion of the preservation of writing

**Access:** Advance notice required.

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