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Guide to the

**Letters on Smoky Chimneys**

1762-1785

**Summary**

**Creator:** Franklin, Benjamin, 1706-1790

**Title:** Letters on Smoky Chimneys

**Date:** 1762-1785

**Size:** .15 linear feet (1 v.)

**Source:** Gift, Kennedy, John Stewart, 1896

**Abstract:** Benjamin Franklin (1706-1790) was an American printer, author, statesman, and inventor. Volume contains two holograph letters, a printed title page, and a portrait of Franklin. First letter is to Sir Alexander Dick, January 21, 1762; the second is to Dr. Ingenhousz, August 28, 1785.

**Alternative Form Available:** Available on microfilm; New York Public Library

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**Related Materials:**

**Creator History**

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## **Key Terms**

### **Names**

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