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Jay family papers

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Summary

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Size: .21 linear feet (1 box)

Abstract: John Jay was an American politician, statesman, revolutionary, diplomat, and the first Chief Justice of the United States (1789__3_95). 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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Names

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Jay, John, 1745-1829