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Guide to the

**Benjamin Morje diary**

1870-1871

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## Summary

**Creator:** Morje, Benjamin

**Title:** Benjamin Morje diary

**Date:** 1870-1871

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

**Abstract:** Benjamin Morje made entries in this diary in June 1870 and January-February 1871. Entries describe life in Brooklyn and Manhattan, weather, parks, friends visited, theater and opera attended, popular music, Beethoven's centennial, news of Charles Dickens' death, a parade of the Fenian exiles, and other matters. Front leaf begins: "List of books received..."

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## Key Terms

### Geographic Names

Brooklyn (New York, N.Y.) -- Social life and customs

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### Genre/Physical Characteristic

Diaries

### Subjects

Fenians

Opera audiences

Theater attendance

### Names

Morje, Benjamin

Beethoven, Ludwig van, 1770-1827

Dickens, Charles, 1812-1870