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Arthur Wellesley, 1st Duke of Wellington letters and documents

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Summary

Creator: Wellington, Arthur Wellesley, Duke of, 1769-1852

Title: Arthur Wellesley, 1st Duke of Wellington letters and documents

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Abstract: The collection consists chiefly of letters, most in the hand of soldier and statesman Arthur Wellesley, 1st Duke of Wellington, briefly acknowledging correspondence or confirming engagements. A clipped signature and autograph address leaf are included. Also present are a letter from John H. Pelly to Wellington enclosing copies of a document, 1841; a document written by the Knight of Kerry, 1866, certifying the text of a letter written by Wellington under the name of Wesley in 1796; and a manuscript ancestral chart of the Duke, undated.

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