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Guide to the

**John Benners letters to his daughters**

1863-1868

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## Summary

**Creator:** Benners, John

**Title:** John Benners letters to his daughters

**Date:** 1863-1868

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

**Abstract:** Letters written by John Benners between 1863-1868 from St. Thomas and St. Croix to his daughters in Brooklyn, New York. Topics include local friends, social affairs, epidemics, earthquakes, storms, and advice on family problems. 29 letters

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## Key Terms

### Subjects

Earthquakes -- Virgin Islands of the United States -- 19th century

Storms -- Virgin Islands of the United States -- 19th century

### Geographic Names

New York (State) -- Social life and customs -- 19th century

Virgin Islands of the United States -- Social life and customs -- 19th century

### Occupations

Publishers

### Names

Benners, John