

Wodell Papers

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Creators

Gilbert Livingston
Henry Livingston
Robert Livingston
John Van Kleeck
George Herington

Extent

.5 linear ft.

Dates

Inclusive: 1731 - 1906, 1758-1732 (bulk)

Conditions Governing Access

No Restrictions

Languages

English

Scope and Content

The collection consists of personal, business, and legal records of various families including the Livingstons, Halls, Van Wyck. Some of the documents concern Gilbert and Henry Livingston who both served as Dutchess County Clerk.

The second half of the collection consists of letters, deeds, and mortgages between several prominent members of the Livingston family and others in the Dutchess County area, mostly in the 18th century.

Provenance

The Collection (box 1) was donated to the Dutchess County Historical Society by Miss Katherine Wodell in 1974.

The contents of Box 2 were donated to the Dutchess County Historical Society by Miss Katherine Wodell from Millbrook in October of 1970.

Subject Headings

Account Book; Correspondence; Land Survey; Mortgage; Pensions; Deeds; Livingstons

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