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Descriptive Summary

Manuscript Number

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Language

English

Creator

Fauquier, Francis

Physical Characteristics

1 item.

Location

On site.

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Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection is open to research.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

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Purchase, 1952

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Biographical/Historical Information

Francis Fauquier (1703 – 3 March 1768) was a Lieutenant Governor of the colony of Virginia, and served as acting governor from 1758 until his death in 1768.

Scope and Content

Discusses the receipt of a shipment of various articles from his father's estate, including wine; also lists items, including scientific apparatus, not yet received. Sends greetings to various persons in Williamsburg, including Mrs. Dawson *Elizabeth Dawson, widow of William Dawson, president of the College of William and Mary!.

Index Terms

Persons:

Fauquier, Francis, ca. 1730-ca. 1805

Dawson, Elizabeth, fl. 1752-1779

Bland, Richard, 1710-1776

Botetourt, Norborne Berkeley, Baron de, ca. 1718-1770

Carter, Frances Ann Tasker, 1738-1788

Carter, Robert, 1728-1804

Subjects:

Executors and administrators

Scientific apparatus and instruments - History - 18th century

Arrangement

1 item.