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Descriptive Summary

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English

Creator

Stretton, John

Physical Characteristics

1 item.

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On site.

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Access Restrictions

Collection is open to research.

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There are no restrictions.

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Biographical/Historical Information

John Stretton was a native of Limerick, Ireland.

Scope and Content

Stretton shares his struggles against spiritual wickedness and his doubts that he has received a genuine call to preach. Notes the fears of himself and others that the Americans will "pay us a visit soon."

Index Terms

Persons:

Stretton, John

Bennis, Eliza

Subjects:

Christian life-History-18th century

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Women and religion-History-18th century

Geographical Names:

Newfoundland and Labrador-Religious life and customs

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