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1698-1842

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ABSTRACT

Contemporary copies of epistles and extracts of Yearly Meetings minutes, and of Women Friends, of London, Dublin, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Virginia, Rhode Island from 1698-1842

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE COLLECTION

The maintenance of relations of groups of Friends is shown in these contemporary copies of epistles and extracts of Yearly Meetings minutes, and of Women Friends, of London, Dublin, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Virginia, Rhode Island, etc.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

Epistles from American Women's Yearly Meetings dating from late 18th to early 19th century (28 items). These include epistles from Women Friends of New England Yearly Meeting (3 items), New York Yearly Meeting (5 items), Ohio Yearly Meeting (1 item), and Philadelphia Yearly Meeting (19 items), all addressed to Women Friends of London Yearly Meeting.

The dates of the epistles are as follows:

New England YM to London YM: 1800, 1801, 1835

Philadelphia YM to London YM: 1789-1798, 1803 (2), 1806, 1809, 1822, 1824, 1825,
1827, 1834

New York YM to London YM: 1808, 1810, 1812, 1814, 1817

Ohio YM to London YM: 1829

Extracts of minutes cover the period 1698-1842.