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Dr. John Jeffries Estate Book

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Air and Space Museum Archives
Title:	Dr. John Jeffries Estate Book
Date:	1807-1836
Identifier:	NASM.1991.0001
Creator:	Jeffries, John, 1745-1819
Extent:	0.29 Cubic feet ((1 flatbox))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

National Air and Space Museum Aeronautics Division, transfer, unknown, 1991-0001, unknown

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Biographical / Historical

American Dr. John Jeffries and French Jean Pierre Blanchard were the first to aerially cross the English Channel. They made their quarrelsome journey in 1785 in a Charliere hydrogen balloon.

Scope and Contents

This item is a ledger containing early American estates, including John Jeffries.

General

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Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Aeronautics
Aeronautics -- Records
Airships
Balloons
Charliere hydrogen balloon

Names:

Blanchard, Jean-Pierre, 1753-1809
Jeffries, John, 1745-1819