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## Joel Ryder Cyphering Books

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
<b>Title:</b>	Joel Ryder Cyphering Books
<b>Date:</b>	1792-1793.
<b>Identifier:</b>	NMAH.AC.0089
<b>Source:</b>	National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Domestic Life (Collector)
<b>Creator:</b>	Ryder, Joel (Author)
<b>Extent:</b>	0.5 Cubic feet (1 box)
<b>Language:</b>	English .
<b>Container:</b>	Box 1

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Collection donated by John Ryder, and Mrs. C.L. DiMarco, 1973, February 13.

### Provenance

Collection transferred to the Archives Center from the Division of Domestic Life (now the Division of Cultural and Community Life) 02/1984.

### Processing Information

Collection processed by Craig A. Orr, 1989

### Preferred Citation

Joel Ryder Cyphering Books, 1792-1793, Archives Center.

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## Scope and Contents

Two cyphering books belonging to and/or compiled by Joel Ryder (or Rider) of either New York or New Jersey, containing mathematical tables, square roots, computations, etc. One book bears the date 1792, the other 1793. Both soft-bound in cloth. One contains a number of locks of hair.

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## General Note

First page of one book spells the name "Rider".

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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:

- Arithmetic -- Study and teaching
- Hair
- Hair art
- Mathematics

### Types of Materials:

- Manuscripts -- 18th century

### Names:

- National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Domestic Life

### Places:

- New Jersey
- New York (State)