

**Descriptive Summary****Repository**

Library Company of Philadelphia  
1314 Locust Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107-5698

**Call Number**

McA MSS 004

**Creator**

Watson & Paul

**Title**

Watson & Paul Business Records

**Inclusive Dates**

1792-1807

**Quantity**

2.5 linear feet (6 boxes)

**Language of Materials**

Materials are in English.

**Abstract**

The Watson & Paul Business Records contains correspondence and financial documents relating to Philadelphia firm's trade arrangements with a variety of local and national vendors and merchants, as well as those in Europe and the West and East Indies

**Administrative Information****Restrictions to Access**

The collection is open to researchers. It is on deposit at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, and should be accessed through the Society's reading room at 1300 Locust Street, Philadelphia, PA. Visit their website, <http://www.hsp.org/>, for reading room hours.

**Acquisition Information**

Gift of John A. McAllister; forms part of the McAllister Collection.

**Processing Information**

The Watson & Paul Business Records were formerly interfiled within the large and chronologically arranged McAllister Manuscript Collection. The papers were reunited, arranged, and described as a single collection in 2005, under a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities and the William Penn Foundation. The collection was processed by Sandra Markham. Any views, findings, conclusions or recommendations expressed in this finding aid do not necessarily represent those of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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