Overview of the Collection

Creator          Vancouver, George, 1757-1798.
Title            George Vancouver collection
Dates            circa 1792-1798 (inclusive)
Quantity         .04 cubic feet (2 folders)
Collection Number Mss 1579
Summary          Collection includes: Photostat manuscript journal of Thomas Manby, an officer who served with Vancouver, "The Discovery and Chatham Proceed to the Northwest in Search of a Northwest Passage," 26 pp, April 20, 1792; Photocopy manuscript letter from Evan Nepean, 1 p, undated, regarding Vancouver as choice for commander of expedition; Photocopy manuscript essay by Vancouver "Some Reflections upon the Bread Fruit of the South Sea Island and upon a Method for Bringing it to Jamaica," 3 pp, undated; A report by Vancouver, 4 pp, 1794, regarding the price of gunner stores on the sloop Discovery; Photocopy papers relating to the controversy between Thomas Pitt (Lord Camelford) and Vancouver, 36 pp, 1795-1798, with inventory.

Repository       Oregon Historical Society Research Library
                  1200 SW Park Avenue
                  Portland, OR
                  97205
                  Telephone: 503-306-5240
                  Fax: 503-219-2040
                  libreference@ohs.org

Access Restrictions The collection is open to the public.

Languages        English

Content Description

Collection includes: Photostat manuscript journal of Thomas Manby, an officer who served with Vancouver, "The Discovery and Chatham Proceed to the Northwest in Search of a Northwest Passage," 26 pp, April 20, 1792; Photocopy manuscript letter from Evan Nepean, 1 p, undated, regarding Vancouver as choice for commander of expedition; Photocopy manuscript essay by Vancouver "Some Reflections upon the Bread Fruit of the South Sea Island and upon a Method for Bringing it to Jamaica," 3 pp, undated; A report by Vancouver, 4 pp, 1794, regarding the price of gunner stores on the sloop Discovery; Photocopy papers relating to the controversy between Thomas Pitt (Lord Camelford) and Vancouver, 36 pp, 1795-1798, with inventory. Microfilm contains ships' logs, 1791-1795, letters, lists, etc.

Use of the Collection
Restrictions on Use

The Oregon Historical Society is the owner of the materials in the Research Library and makes available reproductions for research, publication, and other uses. Written permission must be obtained from the Research Library prior to any use of reproductions. The Society does not necessarily hold copyright to all the materials in the collections. In some cases, permission for use of reproductions may require seeking additional authorization from the copyright holders.

Preferred Citation

George Vancouver Collection, Mss 1579, Oregon Historical Society Research Library.

Administrative Information

Location of Originals

Thomas Manby journal.Library and Archives Canada;Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Vancouver essay and report.McGill University;Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Papers relating to Thomas Pitt controversy.The National Library of Wales;Aberystwyth, Ceredigion, Wales.


Bibliography


Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :
Breadfruit.
Explorers -- England.

Corporate Names :
Chatham (Ship)
Discovery (Ship : Launched 1789)

Family Names :
Manby, Thomas, -- d. 1798 -- Diaries.
Nepean, Evan, -- Sir, -- 1751-1822 -- Correspondence.
Pitt, Thomas, -- 2d Baron Camelford, -- 1775-1804.
Vancouver, George, -- 1757-1798.

George Vancouver collection, circa 1792-1798
http://archiveswest.orbiscascade.org/ark:/80444/xv87844
Geographical Names:
Northwest Coast of North America -- Discovery and exploration.
Northwest Passage -- Discovery and exploration.

Form or Genre Terms:
Diaries. -- aat
Letters (correspondence) -- aat
Reports. -- aat
Ships' logs. -- aat

Finding aid prepared by MarcEdit
2012

http://creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0/

About Creative Commons Licenses in Archives West:
http://archiveswest.orbiscascade.org/cc-zero.shtml