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Summary Information

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Abstract	Kept during the Lewis and Clark Expedition, this diary notes distances covered and a draft of suggestions for routes for the fur trade.

Background note

Explorers William Clark and Meriwether Lewis led the Lewis and Clark Expedition (1804-1806).

Administrative Information

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Indexing Terms

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- Lewis and Clark Expedition (1804-1806).

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- Journals (notebooks).
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- West (U.S.) -- Discovery and exploration.

Subject(s)

- Exploration
- Fur trade -- United States.

- Louisiana Purchase -- Discovery and exploration.
- Native America
- Trade
- United States - Discovery and exploration.

Other Descriptive Information

Compare this rough draft to the final version printed in Reuben G. Thwaites, ed., "Original Journals of the Lewis and Clark Expedition, 1804-1806," (New York, 1904-06)3:316-337 [not inclusive].

Other Descriptive Information

This document is a private journal of William Clark, one of the leaders of the Lewis and Clark Expedition. It describes possible trade routes in the west and also contains a sketch, estimated locations of places, and distances between them. There are also extended entries on daily activities for January 6-10, 1806. It is believed that this daily account is either a rough draft or another account of the days' events.

Collection Inventory

Map

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1806 Jan. 6-10

1 map, 10.8 x

River basin

16.5 cm

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 8 (1) and 28 (14).
