

**Journal of a campaign with the Russian
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Summary Information

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Abstract	This volume includes a journal of a campaign in Hungary (1737), and a diary (1738-1739) written in German.

Background note

John Lindsay, earl of Crawford and Lindsay (1702-1749), was a soldier. A Scotsman, he fought all over Europe. He was a captain in the British army and was permitted to join the Imperial army under Prince Eugene. In 1738 he received the rank of general from the Czarina Anna and fought against the Turks. He returned to the imperial forces and continued to fight until the Peace of London of 1748.

Scope & content

The maps in the volume were drawn by Henry Kopp, secretary and draughtsman for Lord Crawford. They are inscribed to George II, king of England; Lord Loudoun, etc.

The actual dates on which the maps were drawn is conjectural. These volumes were most probably prepared for Earl Crawford between 1743 and 1747 so they could be better seen and studied in the family's muniment room.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

American Philosophical Society

Provenance

Acquisition Information

Purchased from the library of Benjamin Franklin, 1803; accessioned, 1900.

Processing Information

Only maps are noted.

Alternative Form Available

Much of this volume, along with the other manuscript volumes of Lindsay's papers, were reproduced by Richard Rolt, *Memoirs of the life of the Right. Hon. John Lindsay, Earl of Crawford and Lindsay* (London: 1753).

Related Materials

Related Material

Lindsay's papers are continued in other manuscript volumes held by the APS: [Account of some campaigns of the British army from 1689 to 1712 and a journal of a campaign under Prince Eugene on the Upper Rhine, 1689-1735](#), (Mss. 940 M68); [Journal of a voyage from the Thames to Russia, and of campaigning with the Russian army, 1738-1739](#) (Mss. 947 L64).

Indexing Terms

Genre(s)

- Diaries.

- Journals (notebooks).
- Manuscript Essays
- Maps.
- Military Records
- Travel Narratives and Journals

Geographic Name(s)

- Hungary -- History -- 1699-1848.
- Russia -- History, Military -- To 1801.
- Turkey -- History, Military.

Subject(s)

- Beyond Early America
- Military History
- Military maneuvers.
- Russo-Turkish War, 1736-1739.

Other Descriptive Information

This is one of four large volumes that were part of Benjamin Franklin's personal library. The four volumes comprise a series of John Lindsay Crawford's travels with the Russian Army from 1737-1739. The volumes have large maps of Europe in them.

Collection Inventory

Maps

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 26.7 x 19.7 cm
Battle formation outside Pelegrad		

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (16).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 36.2 x 24.1 cm
Plan von der Ordre de Bataille wie solche bey Krozka den 30 Juny 1737		

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (17).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.2 x 36.8 cm
Lager bey Kollar		

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (18).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.2 x 36.8 cm
Lager zwischen Kirsna und Losanitz		

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (19).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.2 x 36.8 cm
Lager bey Lipoda		

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (20).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.9 x
Lager bey Lapova		35.6 cm

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (21).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 26.7 x
Battle formation (?) outside Pataschin		19.7 cm

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (22).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 26.7 x
Battle formation outside Jagodina		19.7 cm

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (23).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 25.4 x
Encampment		19.7 cm

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (24).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.2 x
Lager bey Schapeljack		36.8 cm

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (25).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 19 x
Morara River near Zworneck		26.7 cm

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (26).

Kopp, Henry Lager bey Wresina	1743-1747	1 map, 23.5 x 36.8 cm
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Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (27).

Kopp, Henry Gros Vizier Berg oder Konigsfeld	1743-1747	1 map, 25.4 x 19.7 cm
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Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (28).

Kopp, Henry Fort	1743-1747	1 map, 26.7 x 20.9 cm
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Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (29).

Kopp, Henry Town of Nissa (?)	1743-1747	1 map, 23.5 x 36.2 cm
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Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (30).

Kopp, Henry Road	1743-1747	1 map, 36.8 x 47 cm
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Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (31).

Kopp, Henry Lager bey Pesniza	1743-1747	1 map, 22.9 x 36.2 cm
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Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (32).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.9 x
Plan von der Palanka Krujowatz		36.8 cm

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (33).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 25.4 x
Lager bey Desternick		20.3 cm

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (34).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.9 x
Feld Lager bey Ozaizack, 1737		36.2 cm

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (35).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 27.3 x
Feld Lager bey Lupit, 22 September 1737		19.7 cm

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (36).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 26.7 x
Situation nebst der Palancka von Czazack		20.9 cm

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (37).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 22.9 x
Lager bey Sabatz		36.2 cm

Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (38).

Kopp, Henry	1743-1747	1 map, 88.9 x
Plan der action zwischen Cornia and		40.6 cm
Carischa, 23 June 1738 - 4 July 1738		

Attached is: Plan von der Schantze zu Mehadia. Colored.

Other Finding Aids

Realms of Gold, 29 (39).

Plan der action zwischen Cornia and Carischa, 23 June - 4 July 1738.

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