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## Summary Information

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<b>Abstract</b>	These account books record receipts and expenditures, interest, profit and loss, repairs, stock shares, wages, income tax, etc.

## **Background note**

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Joseph Jackson Lister, who was the father of Lord Lister, was the discoverer of the law of aplanatic foci in microscopic objectives, the principle upon which modern microscopes are constructed.

## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

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## Provenance

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### Acquisition Information

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## Indexing Terms

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### Genre(s)

- Account books.

### Subject(s)

- Beyond Early America
- Scientists -- Great Britain.

## Other Descriptive Information

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This manuscript collection falls outside the geographic scope of the Early American guide (British North America and the United States before 1840). It may be of interest to scholars interested in global history, international relations, imperialism, or the U.S. in the world.