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Summary Information

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Abstract These are notes of lectures and experiments made at Paris as a student at

the Jardin des Plantes. The volumes are entitled: Botany & Agriculture (with a large portion actually on electrical machinery); Trees and Shrubs;

Chemistry, Physics, Mineralogy; and Zoology.

Background note

Professor of natural philosophy Robert maskell Patterson became the director of the United States Mint; he was elected to the APS in 1809.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Provenance

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Presented by Rev. James O. Patterson, 1955.

Indexing Terms

Genre(s)

- Educational Material
- Meteorological Data
- Notebooks

Subject(s)

- Agriculture
- Botany
- Chemistry
- Education
- Mineralogy
- Natural History
- Physics
- Science and Technology
- Zoology

Other Descriptive Information

Previously catalogued as part of the Robert Patterson Collection, this portion contains lecture notes on natural philosophy, death, mathematics, engineering, and other subjects. In addition to the notes, there is a class roster from the Universities of Pennsylvania and Virginia and copies of exams. There is also meteorological data for 1775 and 1776.