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Scope and Contents

Two letters, 26 March and 4 November 1791 from Gaius Dickinson, a Quaker, to his son Daniel Dickinson in Rockingham County, Va. The letters concern his travel plans and religion. Also includes a letter, 1930, concerning the provenance of the letters.

Keywords

Correspondence

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Correspondence

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A letter from Gaius Dickinson to his son, Daniel Dickinson, Rockingham (County) Virginia. 6 March 1791. Note: The letter, though addressed to Daniel Dickinson, begins "My dear children." A letter from Gaius Dickinson to Daniel Dickinson, Rockingham (County). 4 Oct. 1791.