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**A Finding Aid to the
Jonas Phillips Papers**

Manuscript Collection No. 382



Collection Summary

Title	Jonas Phillips Papers
Dates	1759-1827
Collection Number	MS-382
Repository	The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives
Creator	Phillips, Jonas, 1736-1803 Machado, Rebecca, 1746-1831
Extent	0.4 linear feet (1 Hollinger box)
Language of the Material	English

Administrative Information

Biographical Sketch Jonas Phillips was born in Germany in 1736. Phillips was a merchant, patriot, and patriarch of the Phillips family in America. Phillips was a founder of Congregation Mickve Israel, Philadelphia, and served in the Philadelphia militia during the Revolutionary War. Phillips married Rebecca Mendez Machado, with whom he had twenty-one children. Phillips died in 1803.

Scope and Content Collection consisting of receipt books, 1759-1789, promissory notes, 1770-1800, and miscellaneous correspondence and documents, 1759-1819; together with a receipt book of his wife, Rebecca Machado, 1803-1827.

Terms of Access The collection is open for use; no restrictions apply.

Preferred Citation Footnotes and bibliographic references should refer to the Jonas Phillips Papers and the American Jewish Archives. A suggestion for at least the first citation is as follows:

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Index Terms

Subjects	Jews -- Pennsylvania -- Philadelphia / Machado, Rebecca / United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783
Personal Names	Phillips, Jonas, 1736-1803
Corporate Names	Congregation Mikveh Israel (Philadelphia, Pa.)

Series A. General, 1759-1827

Box and Folder Listing

Box 1. Folder 1. Receipt books, 1759-1765, 1767-1774

Box 1. Folder 2. Receipt book, 1775-1781

Box 1. Folder 3. Receipt book, 1781-1789

Box 1. Folder 4. Miscellaneous correspondence and documents.

Box 1. Folder 5. Miscellaneous correspondence and documents [from AJA files].

Box 1. Folder 6. Phillips, Rebecca [receipt book], 1803-1827