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New York State Provincial Congress Minutes of the Provincial Congress, Provincial Convention, Committee of Safety, and Council of Safety A1814

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Overview of the Records

Repository:	New York State Archives
Summary:	The minutes concern military, political, and financial matters with which the Provincial Congress, Provincial Convention, Committee of Safety, and Council of Safety dealt during the Revolutionary War. Transcriptions of the minutes are available in series A0116, Transcriptions of the minutes of the Provincial Congress, Provincial Convention, Committee of Safety, and Council of Safety.
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Scope and Content Note

The minutes concern such subjects as: military activities, plans, and orders to officers; military fortifications, arms, and supplies; payments for military supplies or service; movements of British troops and ships; relations of Americans and British with Indians; punishment of suspected loyalists; approval of Declaration of Independence; issuance of paper currency; and communication with other colonies and with the Continental Congress concerning military and financial matters.

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Related Information

Related Material

A0116Series A0116, Transcriptions of the minutes of the Provincial Congress, Provincial Convention, Committee of Safety, and Council of Safety, contains the transcribed version of the minutes found in this series

A0118Series A0118, Correspondence of the Provincial Congress, Provincial Convention, Committee of Safety and Council of Safety, contains originals of the correspondence which was read into the minutes.

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Use of Records

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Published in "Journals of the Provincial Congress, Provincial Convention, Committee of Safety, and Council of Safety" (Albany, 1842).

Access Terms

- Military history
- United States--History--Revolution, 1775-1783
- American loyalists
- Supervising
- New York (State)
- New York (State)--History--Revolution, 1775-1783
- Minutes (administrative records)
- New York (State)--Politics and government
- New York (State). Legislature
- New York (Colony). Provincial Congress