Benjamin Franklin Portrait Collection
MS 27

Summary Information

Creator
Franklin, Benjamin, 1706-1790
Schaeffer, Paul N., compiler.

Title
Benjamin Franklin Portrait Collection

Dates
ca. 1782-ca. 1850

Extent
7 items (.10 LF or .5 ms. boxes)

Arrangement
Collection organized into folders

Language of Materials
All materials in English.

Abstract
This collection contains several engraved portraits of Benjamin Franklin (1706-1790).

Subjects
Franklin, Benjamin, 1706-1790--Pictorial works.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information
Paul N. Schaeffer, Gift, 1959.
Custodial History (Provenance)
The collection was donated to the College by Paul N. Schaeffer (F&M 1905) in June 1959.

Access Restrictions
Access unrestricted.

Conditions Governing Reproduction and Use
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Preferred Citation
Benjamin Franklin Portrait Collection (MS 27), Archives and Special Collections, Franklin and Marshall College.

Processing Information
Processed by [Archives staff], ca. 1992. Description based on DACS.

Accruals
No further accruals are expected.

Additional Information
Alternate Form of Materials (Location of Copies)
Digital versions of public domain prints in this collection may be available on the internet.

Related Materials
Records of Franklin and Marshall College (Photograph/Image files), Archives and Special Collections, Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, PA.

Historical/Biographical Information
No additional information.

Scope and Content Note
This collection contains several engraved portraits of Benjamin Franklin (1706-1790) who donated 200 pounds and the use of his name to the establishment of a PA-German College in Lancaster PA in 1787. Franklin College later merged with Marshall College to form the modern Franklin and Marshall College.

Inventory/Contents
Box/Folder
1/1 Benjamin Franklin: Engraved by T.B. Welch from the portrait by Martin in the possession of the American Philosophical Society.

Benjamin Franklin: From the original painting Chappel in the possession of the publisher (Johnson, Wilson & Co. Publishers, New York).

Benjamin Franklin: J. Telicier, sculp. 1782.
Benjamin Franklin: from the original painting by Chappel in the possession of the publishers.

Drafting the Declaration of Independence. The Committee-Franklin, Jefferson, Adams, Livingston & Sherman

Benjamin Franklin

Benjamin Franklin, L.L.D. F.R.S. One of the American Plenipotentiaries at the Court of France. engraved for Murray’s History of the American War. Printed for T. Robson, Newcastle upon Tyne.

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