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Guide to the

**James Harris manuscript material**

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## Summary

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- To Chancellor [John] Hoadly, poet and playwright : 1 autograph letter signed : 9 Jun 1743 : (MISC 0251) : from Sarum; begins, "I last week rec'd a most acceptable & valuable present ...".