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Guide to the

Thomas Coram manuscript material

d1748-1750

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Summary

Creator: Coram, Thomas, 1668?-1751

Title: Thomas Coram manuscript material

Date: d1748-1750

Size: 2 items

Abstract: To "Mr. Austin, the Master of the Charity School in Little Bartholomew Close" : 1 autograph letter signed : 31 Jan 1748-9 : (MISC 0639) : requesting him to transcribe and correct a petition to the Princess of Wales to promote the growth of the Foundling Hospital.

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Creator History

Captain Thomas Coram, English mariner and philanthropist. He was the founder of the Foundling Hospital of London.

Scope and Content Note

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Key Terms

Titles

Coram, Thomas : manuscript material

Subjects

Philanthropists -- Great Britain -- 18th century -- Correspondence

Names

Coram, Thomas, 1668?-1751

Onslow, George Onslow, Earl of, 1731-1814