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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Thomas Sully letters
Date:	1831-1870
Identifier:	AAA.sullthol
Creator:	Sully, Thomas, 1783-1872
Extent:	3 Items ((on partial microfilm reel))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1955-1962 by Charles E. Feinberg, an active donor and friend of AAA.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel D10 (fr. 1566-1573) available for use at Archives of American Art offices and through interlibrary loan.

Restrictions

Use of original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C., Research Center. Microfilmed materials must be consulted on microfilm. Contact Reference Services for more information.

Biographical / Historical

Portrait painter; Philadelphia, Pa.

Scope and Contents

Letters from Sully, one sending his autograph to Rodney A. Mercur, April 27, 1870; and to the Literary Society of Marshal College decling his election as an honorary member of the society, May 6, 1839; a copy of an engraving by John Sartain of Sully, signed by Sully; and a letter to "Jasper" from Sully's son, Thomas, Jr., responding for his father in his absence, July 1831.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Portrait painting -- 19th century -- Pennsylvania -- Philadelphia

Names:

Mercur, Rodney Augustus, b. 1851
Sully, Thomas, 1811-1847

Occupations:

Portrait painters -- Pennsylvania -- Philadelphia