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Summary Information

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Abstract	This collection consists of a rough and finished draft of Coates' lecture, which was delivered before the Phrenological Society of Philadelphia. In it he included a review of Boston professor John C. Warren's work on the nervous system.

Background note

Philadelphia physician Benjamin Horner Coates served as the attendant physician and clinical lecturer at Pennsylvania Hospital (1828-1841).

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This collection contains a lecture to the Phrenological Society of Philadelphia delivered by Benjamin Coates in 1823.

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