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Online Catalog Headings**Subject Names**

Oswald, Eleazer, 1755-1795
Oswald, John H., 1777?-1810
Oswald, William Hunter, b. 1787
Paine, Thomas, 1737-1809--correspondent
Appleton, Thomas, 1763-1840--correspondent
Mifflin, Samuel, 1776-1829--correspondent
Bouchotte, J. (Jean), 1754-1840--correspondent
Dumouriez, Charles François Du Périer, 1739-1823--correspondent
Bonaparte, Lucien, prince de Canino, 1775-1840

Subject Topics

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Italy--Description and travel
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Document Types

Diaries
Letters

Related Collections

Additional Eleazer Oswald papers are at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania; they were also a gift from John A. McAllister.

Biographical/Historical Notes

The papers in this collection relate to three members of the Oswald family: Eleazer, John H., and William H. Oswald, though the bulk of the material concerns William Oswald's life and career.

Eleazer Oswald (1755-1795) was born in England, and came to America in the early 1770s and apprenticed with the New York printer John Holt (1721-1784). Oswald served in the colonial army during the Revolution; after the war he returned to printing, first in Baltimore, then in Philadelphia (where he published *The Independent Gazetteer, or The Chronicle of Freedom*) and