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Summary Information

Repository:	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
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Biographical / Historical

English author, art critic.

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George Allen, an artist and engraver, joined the class in drawing taught by Ruskin at Working Men's College, 1854, soon became his assistant, and finally resigned his other positions to devote his talents to Ruskin's works.

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Summary

Letters from John Ruskin to his friend and publisher, George Allen. A note in front of volume I states that "Ruskin wrote in all over 1,300 letters to George Allen" of which these are a part. The men were close friends and the correspondence contains both personal matter and that relating to artistic and business matters.

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Processing Information

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Alternate Form Available

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Controlled Access Headings

- Artists
- Engravers
- Drawing -- Study and teaching
- Authors, English
- Art critics
- Allen, George, 1832-1907
- Working Men's College (London, England)

Collection Inventory

Letters	
Title/Description	Instances
Volume I	volume 1
Volume II	volume 2
Volume III	volume 3
Volume IV	volume 4
Volume V	volume 5
Volume VI	volume 6
Volume VII	volume 7

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