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## Constantin Alajalov papers

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Constantin Alajalov papers
<b>Date:</b>	[ca. 1940-1979]
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.alajcons
<b>Creator:</b>	Alajalov, Constantin, 1900-1987
<b>Extent:</b>	300 Items ((on 1 microfilm reel))
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Donated 1980 by Constantin Alajalov.

### Related Materials

Constantin Alajalov papers also at Syracuse University.

### Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 2091 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.

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## Biographical / Historical

Painter, illustrator; New York, N.Y.

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## Scope and Contents

Printed biographical information; letters, notes, and telegrams from various correspondents, including the Duke and Duchess of Windsor, Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis, Ogden Nash, and Leonard Bernstein; photographs of Alajalov with others, and photographs of his works; exhibition catalogs, invitations, and announcements; a manuscript and a published copy of CONVERSATION PIECES, a book about Alajalov by Janet Flanner; and magazine articles, and clippings.

## Names and Subject Terms

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

### Names:

Bernstein, Leonard, 1918-1990  
Flanner, Janet, 1892-  
Nash, Ogden, 1902-1971  
Onassis, Jacqueline Kennedy, 1929-1994  
Windsor, Edward, Duke of, 1894-1972  
Windsor, Wallis Warfield, Duchess of, 1896-

### Occupations:

Illustrators  
Painters