

# **Robert Blum illustrated letters**

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| Repository: | Archives of American Art              |
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| Title:      | Robert Blum illustrated letters       |
| Date:       | [between 1875 and 1900?]              |
| Identifier: | AAA.blumrobe                          |
| Creator:    | Blum, Robert Frederick, 1857-1903     |
| Extent:     | 3 Items ((on partial microfilm reel)) |
| Language:   | English .                             |

## **Collection Overview**

## **Administrative Information**

#### Acquisition Information

Provenance unknown.

#### **Available Formats**

35mm microfilm reel D8 (frames 340-348) 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**

Painter, illustrator, muralist; New York, N.Y.

## **Scope and Contents**

Three letters, all illustrated: one to Minnie; another to Virginia, apparently Minnie's sister; and an unaddressed letter, probably to Virginia, from Venice. Blum writes of various personal matters, and refers twice to "Chase," saying "He must be quite unbearable since Whistler painted his portrait.

## Names and Subject Terms

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

Occupations:

Illustrators -- New York (State) -- New York Painters -- New York (State) -- New York