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Charles E. Burchfield letter and exhibition catalog

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Charles E. Burchfield letter and exhibition catalog
<b>Date:</b>	1941 and undated
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.burcchar
<b>Creator:</b>	Burchfield, Charles Ephraim, 1893-1967
<b>Extent:</b>	2 Items
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Donated 1960 by the Wadsworth Atheneum via Charles Cunningham.

### Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 2787 (frames 719-729) 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.

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## Biographical / Historical

Charles Burchfield (1893-1967) was a watercolorist and painter; West Seneca, New York.

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## Scope and Contents

A photocopy of a letter from Charles Burchfield, circa 1959, including his explanation of the medium and subject matter of his watercolor "Great Cloud Shadow." The explanation accompanied the painting which the Wadsworth Atheneum acquired in 1960 from the Frank K.M. Rehn Gallery. Also found is an exhibition catalog, 1941.

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## Names and Subject Terms

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

### Names:

Burchfield, Charles Ephraim, 1893-1967  
Wadsworth Atheneum

Occupations:

Painters -- New York (State) -- West Seneca