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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Butler Institute of American Art records
Date:	1889-1974
Identifier:	AAA.butlinst
Creator:	Butler Institute of American Art
Extent:	4,161 Items ((on 3 microfilm reels))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Material on reels 872-874 lent for microfilming 1974 by the Butler Institute of American Art; provenance of phonograph record which was donated is unknown.

Location of Originals

Originals in the Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, Ohio.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reels 872-874 available 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

Youngstown, Ohio. Earlier name: Butler Art Insitute.

Scope and Contents

Loan: Papers primarily of the Butler Institute of American Art, 1919-1974, but also of the Youngstown Museum of Art, 1915-1919, of the Mahoning Institute of Art, 1915-1919, and of Joseph G. Butler, Jr. (who was one of the founders of each of these museums). Included are autobiographical material and personal correspondence of Butler; articles of incorporation, correspondence, and business records of each of the museums; building correspondence, donor files, and artist files of the Butler Institute; and miscellany.

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Gift: A 16" phonograph record labeled "Recording of Jury Meeting - Awarding of Prizes - 13th Annual New Year Show, Butler Art Institute (sic), Dec. 9, 1947."

Names and Subject Terms

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

Names:

Butler Institute of American Art
Butler, Joseph G. (Joseph Green), 1840-1927
Mahoning Institute of Art
Youngstown Museum of Art

Functions:

Art museums -- Ohio