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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Nicolai Cikovsky papers
Date:	1939-1964
Identifier:	AAA.cikonico
Creator:	Cikovsky, Nicolai, 1894-
Extent:	80 Items ((on partial microfilm reel))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1966 by Nicolai Cikovsky.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel D254 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

Painter, muralist; New York, N.Y.

Scope and Contents

Correspondence, 1941-1960; exhibition catalogs; clippings; a sketchbook (20.2 x 12.5 cm., 21 pages drawn), pencil, ink & watercolor on paper, signed, 1943; and photographs.

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Among the photographs are 2 of Cikovsky, 1 of him in his studio which was once occupied by Frank Duveneck, 6 of exhibits at the Carnegie Institute, 1944-1950, and 40 of his art work, including 4 of the Treasury Dept. Fine Arts Project-sponsored Dept. of Interior murals and 3 of cartoons for that mural, 1938; 3 of the Treasury Dept. Section of Painting & Sculpture-sponsored mural painting entitled, "The Old Tavern," in the Silver Spring, Maryland post office, shown with Cikovsky and postmaster, 1936, and 5 of cartoons for the Treasury Dept. Section of Fine Arts-sponsored murals for the post office in Towson, Maryland, 1939.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Artists' studios -- Photographs
Mural painting and decoration, American

Types of Materials:

Sketchbooks

Names:

Carnegie Institute
Department of the Interior Building (Washington, D.C.)
Duveneck, Frank, 1848-1919
United States. Dept. of the Treasury. Section of Fine Arts
United States. Dept. of the Treasury. Section of Fine Arts
United States. Dept. of the Treasury. Section of Painting and Sculpture

Occupations:

Muralists -- New York (State) -- New York
Painters -- New York (State) -- New York

Functions:

Post office buildings -- Maryland