

Arthur Cumming sketchbook

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Arthur Cumming sketchbook
Date:	[ca. 1886]
Identifier:	AAA.cummarth
Creator:	Cumming, Arthur, 1847-1913
Extent:	28 Pages ((on partial microfilm reel))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

The sketchbook was purchased by the donor from art dealer Samuel Murray of Wilbraham, Massachusetts.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 4211 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

Cumming, an English immigrant, studied under Robert Swain Gifford (painter, 1840-1905) and taught for several years at the Swain Free School (now known as the Swain School of Design) in New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Scope and Contents

One sketchbook containing drawings of flowers, insects and wallpaper designs.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Wallpaper -- Design -- Massachusetts

Types of Materials:

Sketchbooks

Occupations:

Illustrators