

Mell Daniel papers

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Collection Overview

Repository: Archives of American Art

Title: Mell Daniel papers

Identifier: AAA.danimell

Date: 1916-1976

Creator: Daniel, Mell, 1899-1975

Extent: 38 Items

Language: English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1978 and 1991 by Mina Daniel, widow of Mell Daniel.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 4909 (fr. 1031-1081) 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; New York, N.Y.

Scope and Contents

Membership card for the Society of Independent Artists, 1920; a letter, undated, from newspaper cartoonist Clive Weed and his wife Helen Torr Weed (later Helen Torr Dove), encouraging Daniel to continue his painting, and offering to take Daniel's drawings to show them in Philadelphia; fragment from a sheet of cartoon drawings regarding war bonds; a photocopy of an unidentified pencil portrait; exhibition announcements, including Daniel's first show at the Modern Gallery, 1917, Independents' Studio exhibitions, 1917-18, Fischbach Gallery, 1970, and a catalog of Fischbach's memorial exhibition, 1976; 6 color photographs of paintings, 1972; clippings regarding the Independents' shows, 1916-1921, his exhibitions at Fischbach Gallery, 1970-1973, his memorial exhibition, and his obituary; and 4 typewritten sheets summarizing press clippings and listing his exhibits.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Painting, Modern -- 20th century -- New York (State) -- New York

Names:

Fischbach Gallery Independent's Studio (Art gallery: New York, N.Y.) Modern Gallery (New York, N.Y.) Society of Independent Artists (New York, N.Y.) Weed, Clive R., 1884-1936

Occupations:

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