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Eakins-Crowell selected family papers

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Eakins-Crowell selected family papers
Date:	1795-1938
Identifier:	AAA.eakinsfa
Creator:	Eakins family
Extent:	0.2 Linear feet ((on 2 partial microfilm reels))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Microfilmed in 1989 as part of AAA's Philadelphia Arts Documentation Project.

Location of Originals

Originals in Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reels 4235 and 4340 available at Archives of American Art offices, at Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, at the Free Library of Philadelphia, and through interlibrary loan.

Restrictions

The Archives of American art does not own the original papers. Use is limited to the microfilm copy.

Biographical / Historical

Families of artists; Philadelphia, Pa.

Scope and Contents

Biographical data; genealogical information; a diary; a cartes-de-visite album; and correspondence.

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REEL 4340: A cartes-de-vistes album from the Eakins' home containing 72 portraits and memorabilia of the Eakins family, the Sartain family, and other artists.

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REEL 4235: Frances Eakins's diary, recounting her visit with her brother, Thomas Eakins, in France, 1868; two pages from an Eakins family bible; receipts; a certificate of citizenship of Alexander Eakins; a telegram from Thomas Eakins to Will Crowell, 18 December 1899; and two letters from Susan Macdowell Eakins to Francis Crowell.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Painting, American

Names:

Crowell, Frances Eakins, b. 1848
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Crowell, William J.
Eakins, Susan Macdowell
Eakins, Thomas, 1844-1916
Sartain family (Philadelphia, Pa.)

Occupations:

Artists -- Pennsylvania -- Philadelphia
Painters -- Pennsylvania -- Philadelphia