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Records relating to art commissions

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Records relating to art commissions
Identifier:	AAA.firsnati
Date:	1954-1968
Extent:	128 Items ((on 1 microfilm reel))
Creator:	First National Bank of Fort Worth (Fort Worth, Tex.)
Language:	English

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Lent for microfilming, 1980, by the First National Bank of Fort Worth, via Gordon Crow, Vice President of the bank, as part of the Archives of American Art's Texas project.

Location of Originals

Originals returned to the lender, Gordon Crow, after microfilming.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 1913 available through interlibrary loan.

Restrictions

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

Scope and Contents

A file containing correspondence, photographs and publicity material relating to the Isamu Noguchi sculpture commissioned for the bank's plaza; a file of publicity material about the bank's commissioning Christmas paintings from Texas artists, including Kelly Fearing and Dickson Reeder; and a scrapbook of clippings on the Bror Utter paintings commissioned by First National Bank.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Art commissions -- Texas -- Fort Worth
Art patronage -- Texas -- Fort Worth
Painting, Modern -- 20th century -- Texas -- Fort Worth
Sculpture, Modern -- 20th century -- Texas -- Fort Worth

Names:

Fearing, Kelly
Noguchi, Isamu, 1904-1988
Reeder, Dickson, 1912-1970
Utter, Bror, 1913-1993

Occupations:

Art patrons -- Texas -- Fort Worth
Bankers -- Texas -- Fort Worth