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Don Freeman printed material

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Don Freeman printed material
<b>Date:</b>	1936-1955
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.freedon
<b>Creator:</b>	Freeman, Don, 1908-1978
<b>Extent:</b>	0.6 Linear feet ((partially microfilmed on 2 reels))
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Material filmed on reel LA 9 was lent by Don Freeman in 1965; three items on frames 398-417 and 420-492 were subsequently donated on an unknown date. Material on reel 76 and unmicrofilmed portion donated 1966 by Vernon Porter, Director of the National Academy of Design.

### Location of Originals

Reel LA 9: Originals returned to the lender, Don Freeman, after microfilming.

### Related Materials

Don Freeman papers also at Syracuse University.

### Available Formats

35mm microfilm reels LA 9 and 76 available at Archives of American Art offices 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.

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## Biographical / Historical

Illustrator; New York, N.Y. Born 1908. Died 1978. Born in San Diego. Went to New York City at the age of 21. Studied with John Sloan and Harry Wickey at the Art Students League.

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## Scope and Contents

An announcement and 18 issues, 1936-1955, of the bi-monthly periodical DON FREEMAN'S NEWSSTAND published by Freeman, featuring sketches of New York City street life (reels LA 9 and 76 and unmicrofilmed);

4 issues of AMERICANA, undated, (unmicrofilmed); and OUR FLYING NAVY, 1944, (reel LA 9) illustrated by Freeman.

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## Names and Subject Terms

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

### Subjects:

Art and society  
Drawing -- 20th century -- New York (State) -- New York -- Periodicals  
Drawing, American -- Periodicals  
Illustrated periodicals -- New York (State) -- New York

### Occupations:

Illustrators -- New York (State) -- New York

### Places:

New York (N.Y.) -- Periodicals

### Preferred Titles:

*Don Freeman's newsstand (Magazine)*