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Reuben Haines and Haines family selected papers

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Reuben Haines and Haines family selected papers
<b>Date:</b>	1824-1840
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.hainreub
<b>Creator:</b>	Haines, Reuben, 1786-1831
<b>Extent:</b>	27 Items ((on 3 partial microfilm reels))
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Microfilmed 1987 as part of AAA's Philadelphia Arts Documentation Project.

### Location of Originals

Reel 3657 and 3666: Originals in Wyck House, 6026 Germantown Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. 19144.

### Location of Originals

Reel 3898: Originals in Haverford College Library, Quaker Collection; Haverford, Pa.

### Available Formats

35mm microfilm reels 3657, 3666, and 3898 available at Archives of American Art offices, through interlibrary loan, at the Free Library of Philadelphia. Reel 3898 also available at Haverford College Library.

### Restrictions

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

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## Biographical / Historical

Art patron; Germantown, Pa. Benefactor to Rembrandt Peale among others. Robert Bowne, Jane and Hannah Haines were his children.

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## Scope and Contents

Letters, legal documents, and account book pages.

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## Scope and Contents

REEL 3657: One 1840 dauguerrotype of Haines's family home, Wyck House by Walter R. Johnson; a letter, 1839, from Jane and Hannah Haines to "dear brother" John S. Haines; and a letter, 1839, from Robert Haines to Reuben describing Johnson's use of dauguerrotype equipment owned by the University of Pennsylvania.

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## Scope and Contents

REEL 3666: Pages from an account book detailing a loan Reuben Haines made to Rembrandt Peale for travel in Europe. [microfilm title: Wyck Family papers]

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## Scope and Contents

REEL 3898: Letters to Reuben Haines from John J. Audubon (regarding the publication of BIRDS IN AMERICA), Rembrandt Peale, John Trumbull, and Titian R. Peale; and letters from Rembrandt Peale to his wife, Eleanor, describing his 1830 trip to Europe; and two letters to B. Wistar. [microfilm title: Robert Bowne Haines papers]

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## Other Title

Wyck Family papers [microfilm title, reel 3666]

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## Other Title

Robert Browne Haines [microfilm title, reel 3898]

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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 -- Collectors and collecting
- Art patronage -- Pennsylvania -- Philadelphia
- Artists and patrons -- United States
- Painting, American
- Photographs -- Early works to 1850

### Names:

- Audubon, John James, 1785-1851
- Haines, Hannah, 1822-1908
- Haines, John S.
- Haines, Robert, 1827-1895
- Johnson, Walter R. (Walter Rogers), 1794-1852
- Peale, Rembrandt, 1778-1860
- Peale, Titian Ramsay, 1799-1885

Trumbull, John, 1756-1843

Occupations:

Art patrons -- Pennsylvania -- Philadelphia  
Painters -- United States