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Chauncey Bradley Ives letters

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Chauncey Bradley Ives letters
Date:	1838-1883 [and undated]
Identifier:	AAA.iveschau
Creator:	Ives, Chauncey Bradley, 1810-1894
Extent:	7 Items ((filmed on partial microfilm reel))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1965 by Mrs. E. Bartholet. Relationship to Chauncey Ives is not known.

Location of Originals

Originals returned to the lender, Mrs. E. Ives Bartholet.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 3134 available at Archives of American Art offices and through interlibrary loan.

Reproduction Note

All items are photocopies.

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

Ives was an American sculptor in Rome.

Scope and Contents

Letters to Ives, 1838-1883, including a letter from C.D. Roberts, November 29, 1838, expressing satisfaction with Ives's statue of "Kitty" and reminding him of a second statue titled "Undine"; a letter, October 20, 1847, from Horace Bushnell concerning the reception given Ives's bust of President Day; a letter, February 23, 1849, from Charles Chauncey advising Ives to remain abroad; a letter, October 17, 1860, from Harriet Beecher Stowe relating activities while visiting friends in Peekskill and Brooklyn; a letter, March 6, 1862, from Mary Caroline Allan mentioning American visitors to Rome who have solicited letters of introduction

to Ives and giving news of mutual acquaintances, including sculptor Joel Tanner Hart; and a letter, August 8, 1883, from Caroline Tilton.

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Also included is an undated letter from John Singer Sargent to his uncle. Sargent gives the address of his new studio in New York City and writes of his father's health.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Expatriate artists -- Italy -- Rome

Names:

Allan, Mary Caroline
Bushnell, Horace, 1802-1876
Chauncey, Charles
Hart, Joel Tanner, 1810-1877
Roberts, C. D.
Sargent, John Singer, 1856-1925
Stowe, Harriet Beecher, 1811-1896
Tilton, Caroline

Occupations:

Sculptors