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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Charles Robert Knight papers
<b>Date:</b>	[ca. 1948-1961]
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.knigchar
<b>Creator:</b>	Knight, Charles Robert, 1874-1953
<b>Extent:</b>	0.2 Linear feet (Gift) Loan portion (on partial microfilm reel)
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

The donor and lender, Lucy Knight Steel, is Charles Knight's daughter.

### Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 73 available at Archives of American Art offices and through interlibrary loan.

### Restrictions

Loan portion: Patrons must use microfilm copy.

### Restrictions

Unfilmed portion: Use requires an appointment.

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## Biographical / Historical

Illustrator.

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## Scope and Contents

Books and periodicals illustrated by Knight and miscellaneous writings.

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(Reel 73): Draft of unpublished, unfinished autobiography; reminiscences of granddaughter; career outline and articles.

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Gift: Books and periodicals, 1935-1961, written and/or illustrated by Knight, including: ANIMAL DRAWING, 1947; BEFORE THE DAWN OF HISTORY, 1935; LIFE THROUGH THE AGES, 1949; PREHISTORIC MAN, 1949. Periodicals include MD, JUNIOR NATURAL HISTORY, PHILADELPHIA INQUIRER, and SCHOLASTIC TEACHER.

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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:

Illustrated books, Children's

Occupations:

Etchers

Illustrators

Lithographers