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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Charles A. Platt letter collection
Date:	[ca. 1887]
Identifier:	AAA.platchar
Creator:	Platt, Charles A. (Charles Adams), 1861-1933
Extent:	8 Items
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 2004 by Charles A. Platt, grandson. The correspondence of Dennis Bunker was in the possession of Platt's widow, Eleanor Hardy Bunker prior to her marriage to Platt in 1893.

Restrictions

Use of original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C., Research Center. Contact Reference Services for more information.

Biographical / Historical

Painter, architect, landscape designer; New York, N.Y. and Cornish, N.H.; b. 1861; d. 1933.

Scope and Contents

Three letters to Charles A. Platt from acquaintances Francis Seymour Haden (June 3), Oliver Herford, and Abbott Handerson Thayer (April 20); one letter to Dennis M. Bunker, friend and colleague of Charles A. Platt, from Augustus Saint-Gaudens (Oct. 21); one letter from Bunker to Anne Page (August 1886); a Christmas card to Bunker's wife, Eleanor Hardy Bunker Platt. Other letters include a handwritten invitation to Eleanor Hardy from Lowffler and a letter from Charles F. McKim, colleague of Platt's, to Mary J. Lawrence (July 9).

Names and Subject Terms

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

Names:

Bunker, Dennis Miller, 1861-1890
Haden, Francis Seymour, Sir, 1818-1910
Herford, Oliver, 1863-1935
McKim, Charles Follen, 1847-1909

Platt, Eleanor Hardy Bunker, 1869-1953
Saint-Gaudens, Augustus, 1848-1907
Thayer, Abbott Handerson, 1849-1921

Occupations:

Painters -- New York (State) -- New York