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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	Walter Quirt papers
Date:	1928-1976
Identifier:	AAA.quirwalt
Creator:	Quirt, Walter, 1902-
Extent:	3 Reels (ca. 1300 items (on 3 microfilm reels))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

The lender, Eleanor Quirt, is the widow of Walter Quirt. She was assisted in organizing the papers by Francis V. O'Connor.

Location of Originals

Originals returned to the lender, Mrs. Walter Quirt, after microfilming.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reels 570-572 available at Archives of American Art offices and through interlibrary loan.

Restrictions

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

Biographical / Historical

Painter, teacher; Minneapolis, Minn. Died 1968. Taught at the University of Minnesota, 1945-1968.

Scope and Contents

Ca. 600 letters from Romare Bearden, Stuart Davis, Eduard Franz, Abraham Rattner, Evelyn Scholl, William Steig, Robert Coates, Duncan Phillips and others; ca. 300 photographs of family, friends, and works of art; a sketchbook; notes and theoretical writings on art; catalogs; biographical information; clippings and other printed material.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Names:

Bearden, Romare, 1911-1988
Coates, Robert M. (Robert Myron), 1897-1973
Davis, Stuart, 1892-1964
Franz, Eduard, 1902-1983
Phillips, Duncan, 1886-1966
Rattner, Abraham
Scholl, Evelyn Harwood, b. 1899
Steig, William, 1907-

Occupations:

Educators -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis
Painters -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis