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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives of American Art
Title:	John W. Venable journal
Date:	1840-1842
Identifier:	AAA.venajohn
Creator:	Venable, John W.
Extent:	1 Volume ((on partial microfilm reel))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Lent for microfilming 1978 by Marchand's Antiques, Evansville, Ind., through Kenneth P. McCutchan.

Location of Originals

Original in: Marchand's Antiques, Evansville, Ind.

Available Formats

35mm microfilm reel 1321 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

Miniaturist.

Scope and Contents

A journal including an account of Venable's travels through Virginia and Maryland seeking work as a miniaturist portrait painter, penciled drafts of three letters, a list of Latin and French phrases translated into English, and poetry. Three newspaper clippings are also included.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Occupations:

Miniature painters
Portrait painters