

William Walcutt papers

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Collection Overview

Repository: Archives of American Art

Title: William Walcutt papers

Date: 1852-1882

Identifier: AAA.walcwill

Creator: Walcutt, William, 1819-1882

Extent: 0.4 Linear feet

Language: Undetermined.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Donated 1998 by David Walcutt, William Walcutt's great-great grandson.

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

Sculptor and painter; New York, N.Y.

Scope and Contents

A handwritten journal regarding his voyage from New York City to London, England, in 1852 (with a transcription by David Walcutt) and a notebook containing notes made during the voyage; a sketchbook, ca. 1853, containing pen and ink and pencil sketches of European monuments, buildings, bridges, and street scenes; and ten letters, 1878-1880, from Walcutt in New York City to his sons Macy and Henry. There are also photocopies including one of Walcutt's death certificate, and a clipping from a Columbus, Oh. newspaper regarding Walcutt's memorial for William Elmore Ide (d. 1873).