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Richard Guy Walton papers

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Richard Guy Walton papers
<b>Date:</b>	1964-1974
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.waltrich
<b>Creator:</b>	Walton, Richard Guy, 1914-
<b>Extent:</b>	0.2 Linear feet ((64 items))
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Donated 1974 by Richard Guy Walton.

### 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.

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## Biographical / Historical

Mural painter; Virginia City, Nev.

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## Scope and Contents

Official correspondence about the completion of Walton's mural for the Federal Court House Building, Reno, Nevada; a copy of the contract with the General Services Administration; photographs of the project; announcements; and miscellany. In addition there are three letters from Walton to the Archives of American Art about his life and his personal reactions to the mural project.

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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:

Mural painting and decoration -- 20th century -- Nevada -- Virginia City

### Occupations:

Muralists -- Nevada -- Virginia City