

# Thomas Waterman Wood papers and art gallery records

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#### **Collection Overview**

Repository: Archives of American Art

Title: Thomas Waterman Wood papers and art gallery records

**Date:** 1845-1979

**Identifier:** AAA.woodthom

Creator: Wood, Thomas Waterman, 1823-1903

**Extent:** 4 Reels (ca.1,300 items (on 4 microfilm reels))

Language: English .

#### Administrative Information

#### **Acquisition Information**

Lent for microfilming March 1983 by the Wood Art Gallery.

#### Location of Originals

Originals returned to Wood Art Gallery after microfilming.

#### **Available Formats**

35mm microfilm reels 2808-2811 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**

Genre and portrait painter, etcher; Montpelier, Vt. and New York, N.Y. Founded gallery 1891. 2006 oils and watercolors by Wood in permanent collection of gallery. In addition the gallery includes a large collection of WPA art on permanent loan from the U.S. government.

# **Scope and Contents**

Personal papers of Thomas Waterman Wood and records of the T.W. Wood Art Gallery, Montpelier, Vt.

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REELS 2809-11: Personal papers include: letters received, 1864-1901; address books; notebook, ca. 1859, containing personal and financial notes, and sketches; photographs of Wood and others; sketches and sketchbooks, 1845-1900, and a watercolor; account books and other financial records, 1845-1902; a list

of Wood's paintings compiled by John Brooks, a curator at the Wood Art Gallery; clippings; and printed materials.

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REEL 2808: T.W. Wood Art Gallery records, include: correspondence and memoranda; bylaws, project reports, membership lists, minutes of meetings, curator's and president's reports, and other organizational records; 4 scrapbooks, containing clippings, photographs, letters, exhibition announcements and invitations, and memorabilia; typescripts of speeches, including one given by Thomas Waterman Wood when he deeded the Gallery to the Trustees; and printed material on the Gallery and on Thomas Waterman Wood, including an annotated Wood Gallery collection catalog, 1913.

# Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Art, American -- United States

Names:

T. W. Wood Art Gallery (Montpelier, Vt.)

Occupations:

Painters -- Vermont -- Montpelier Portrait painters -- Vermont -- Montpelier

Functions:

Art galleries, Commercial