

Guide to the Truman Seymour Papers

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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: MS 993

CREATOR: Seymour, Truman, 1824-1891

TITLE: Truman Seymour papers

DATES: 1859-1885

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 0.25 linear feet

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The papers consist chiefly of six sketchbooks of drawings and watercolors of Italian scenes and copies of old masters made by Truman Seymour after his retirement to Italy in 1876. Also included are two notebooks from 1885.

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b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Preferred Citation

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Biographical / Historical

Truman Seymour: instructor in drawing at West Point, brevet Major General in Civil War, amateur artist.

Scope and Contents

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Sketchbooks

b. 1, f. 1	[1859?] English
b. 1, f. 2	1881 English
b. 1, f. 3	1881-1882
b. 1, f. 4	1882 English
b. 1, f. 5	1882, 1885
b. 1, f. 6	1885 English

Notebooks

b. 1, f. 7	[1885?] English
b. 1, f. 8	1885 English

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Subjects

Americans -- Italy
Art
Drawing -- 19th century
Watercolor painting

Occupations

Artists

Names

Seymour, Truman, 1824-1891