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Finding Aid for the Helen Clay Frick Research Files on Jean Antoine Houdon, 1930-1977

SUMMARY INFORMATION

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Title

Helen Clay Frick Research Files on Jean Antoine Houdon

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Date

1930-1977

Extent

6.75 Linear feet (8 boxes, oversize material)

Abstract

Helen Clay Frick (1888-1984), daughter of industrialist and art collector Henry Clay Frick, founded the Frick Art Reference Library in 1920 and served as its director until 1983. The papers reflect her lifelong interest in the sculptor Jean Antoine Houdon (1741-1828) and document the research she and the Frick Art Reference Library staff conducted over the course of nearly fifty years. The Research Files span the years 1930-1977, and contain typed and handwritten research notes, correspondence, photographs, printed material, and typescript drafts of articles and unpublished manuscripts.

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HISTORICAL NOTE

Helen Clay Frick (1888-1984), daughter of industrialist and art collector Henry Clay Frick, founded the Frick Art Reference Library in 1920 and served as its director until 1983. Miss Frick published two periodical articles ("Houdon and Rembrandt Peale" in *Antiques*, July 1934 and "Madame Jean Antoine Houdon" in *Art Bulletin*, September 1947), wrote an unpublished manuscript "The Life of Jean Antoine Houdon," and began a catalogue raisonné of Houdon's works, which was never completed. Much of her research on Houdon's work was also incorporated into the information recorded on the Houdon photo mounts in the Library's Photoarchive.

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection reflects Helen Clay Frick's lifelong interest in the life and works of sculptor Jean Antoine Houdon (1741-1828), and documents the research she and the Frick Art Reference Library staff conducted over the course of nearly fifty years. The records span the years 1930-1977, with the bulk of the documents dating from the 1930s-1940s. The collection also includes printed material, 1914-1964. The collection contains typed and handwritten research notes, correspondence, photographs, Library photo mounts, publications, newspaper and magazine clippings, typescript drafts and engraved copper plates.

The materials are organized in nine series: Series I: Typescript Drafts, Series II: Correspondence/Memos, Series III: Works of Houdon, Series IV: Related Works/Artists, Series V: Transcriptions of Houdon Correspondence, Series VI: Miscellaneous Research Notes, Series VII: Printed Material, Series VIII: Research of Isobel Binks (Frick Art Reference Library staff member), and Series IX: Research of Clotilde Brière (Frick Art Reference Library staff member based in Europe).

Of special interest are Miss Frick's unpublished manuscripts on the life and work of Houdon [Series I: Typescript Drafts, Box 1]. The approximately 110-page draft of Miss Frick's *The Life of Jean Antoine Houdon* or *The Life of Houdon Revealed Through His Unpublished Correspondence and Other Documents* is represented by six typescripts in various stages of completion. The *Catalogue of Houdon's Work* manuscript is in a much more preliminary phase, consisting of organized notes and photographs, with an introduction written by Miss Frick.

Also of note in the collection are photostats and transcriptions of select Houdon letters [Series V: Transcriptions of Houdon Correspondence, Box 5]. The originals of these Houdon letters, acquired from Jean Perron Houdon by Clotilde Brière for Miss Frick in the 1930s, were bequeathed to the Bibliothèque Municipale de Versailles (5 rue de l'Indépendance Américaine, 78000 Versailles, France) in Miss Frick's will. Correspondence related to the acquisition of the letters is stored in Box 7 with Ms. Brière's files. Additional Brière correspondence related to her Houdon research and the purchase of Houdon's letters can be found in the records of Clotilde Brière in the The Frick Collection/Frick Art Reference Library Archives. Files in Series III: Works of Houdon, and in the same subcategory under Research of Isobel Binks and Clotilde Brière, form the bulk of the collection. Series III: Works of Houdon contains individual files for each subject/title of a Houdon work, as well as those of questionable attribution. Files contain handwritten and typed research notes, correspondence, photographs, and related newspaper and magazine clippings. The research notes include such information as title, owner, provenance, date, size, material, exhibitions, bibliography, comments on attribution, and biographical and background information on the subject of the work. Correspondence not related to a specific Houdon work, but instead to more general research, is filed in Series II: Correspondence/Memos.

Oversize documents are stored separately in Box 9. Reduced-size photocopies replace the originals in Boxes 1-8.

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ARRANGEMENT

The materials are organized in nine series:

Series I: Typescript Drafts

Series II: Correspondence/Memos

Series III: Works of Houdon

Series IV: Related Works/Artists

Series V: Transcriptions of Houdon Correspondence

Series VI: Miscellaneous Research Notes

Series VII: Printed Material

Series VIII: Research of Isobel Binks (Frick Art Reference Library staff)

Series IX: Research of Clotilde Brière (Frick Art Reference Library staff)

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Access Restrictions

These records are open for research under the conditions of The Frick Collection/Frick Art Reference Library Archives access policy. Contact the Archives Department for further information at archives@frick.org.

Processing Information

Arranged and described by Susan Chore, 2000.

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RELATED MATERIALS

Related Materials

An additional 12.5 linear feet of Helen Clay Frick Research Files on Jean Antoine Houdon are owned by the Helen Clay Frick Foundation and are currently on deposit at The Frick Collection/Frick Art Reference Library Archives.

Clotilde Brière Records, The Frick Collection/Frick Art Reference Library Archives contain additional correspondence related to research on Houdon and the acquisition of Houdon's letters.

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CONTROLLED ACCESS HEADINGS

Personal Name(s)

- Brière-Misme, Clotilde.
- Binks, Isobel B.
- Frick, Helen Clay, 1888-1984
- Houdon, Jean Antoine, 1741-1828

Subject(s)

- Sculpture, French.
- Sculptors--France--Correspondence.

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COLLECTION INVENTORY

Series I: Typescript Drafts, 1947-1948

Typescript drafts of two unpublished works on Houdon by Helen Clay Frick: a catalogue raisonné and a biography. Drafts are annotated and include some loose notes, photographs and related correspondence. The catalogue raisonné is in a preliminary stage, consisting primarily of organized notes and photographs. The biography is represented by six drafts, four partial and two complete. Typescripts were assigned identifying numbers not related to chronology.

Arranged by assigned numbers.

Box	Folder		Date
1	1-2	Catalogue of Houdon's Work Typescript Draft [2 folders]	undated

The Life of Houdon Revealed Through His Unpublished Correspondence and Other Documents, Typescript Drafts

Box	Folder		Date
1	3	Typescript 1, "1st Manuscript" (partial, pp. 1-45)	1948
1	4	Typescript 2, "2nd Manuscript" (partial, pp. 1-101 with gaps)	1948
1	5	Typescript 3a (pp. 1-110)	1948 Jan.
1	6	Typescript 3b (pp. 1-110)	1948 Jan.
1	7	Typescript 4 (partial, pp. 43-108 with gaps)	1948
1	8-9	Typescript 5 (pp. 1-115) [2 folders]	circa 1947- 1948

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Series II: Correspondence/Memos, 1931-1954

Arranged alphabetically, with general correspondence filed first. Chronological within folders.

Primarily the correspondence/memos of Helen Clay Frick and Library staff with staff researchers Isobel Binks and Clotilde Briere regarding their findings about Houdon works. Also contains letters from museums and galleries relating information about Houdon works or regarding the purchase of photographs. Of note are Isobel Binks' detailed reports of her 1938 research trip to Paris where she visited dealers, museums, restorers, and private owners in tracking down authentic and fake Houdons. Correspondence related to a specific Houdon work are filed in Series III. Works of Houdon under subject/title.

Box	Folder		Date
1	10	General	1935- 1963
2	1-2	Binks, Isobel [2 folders]	1933- 1954, undated
2	3	Brière, Clotilde	1931- 1938, 1948
2	4	National Gallery of Art (Charles Seymour, Jr.) Contains photographs of works by or attributed to Houdon in the National Gallery (Alexandre and Louise Brongniart and Voltaire) and the bust of George Washington at Mount Vernon.	1947

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Series III: Works of Houdon, 1930-1977

Arranged alphabetically by subject of work.

Contains research notes, Frick Art Reference Library photo mounts, photographs and magazine cuts, and correspondence related to both confirmed Houdon works and those of questionable attribution. Materials are filed alphabetically by subject; subjects with multiple works are filed together. Most of the items are undated, but the bulk are assumed to be from the 1930s-1940s.

SEE ALSO: Series I: Typescript Drafts – *Catalogue of Houdon's Works* Typescript Draft for additional notes and photographs, and Series XIII: Research of Isobel Binks and Series IX: Research of Clotilde Briere for their own notes on individual works by Houdon.

Box	Folder		Date
2	5	Adelaide, Madame	undated

2	6	Alexander the Great	1938-1939, undated
2	7	Apollo	1948, 1973, undated
2	8	Arnould, Sophie	undated
2	9	Aubert, L'Abbé	undated
2	10	Audéod, Anne	undated
2	11	Baby, Bust of	undated
2	12	Bailly, Jean-Sylvain	undated
2	13	(Le) Baiser	undated
2	14	(Le) Baiser donné	1975, undated
2	15	(Le) Baiser rendu	undated
2	16	Barlow, Joel SEE ALSO: Engraved copper plates stored in Box 10.	1974, undated
2	17	Barnave, Joseph SEE ALSO: Engraved copper plates stored in Box 10.	undated
2	18	Barthélemy, Abbé Jean-Jacques	undated
2	19	Bather (Baigneuse)	1954, undated
2	20	Belisarius	undated
2	21	Biré, Charles Francois Fontaine, Marquis de	undated
2	22	Bonaparte, Princess Lucien	undated
2	23	Bordas-Pardoux	1936, undated
2	24	Bouillé, Pierre, Marquis de	undated

2	25	Boy, Bust of	1969
2	26	Brongniart, Alexandre	1950, 1974, undated
2	27	Brongniart, Louise	1964, undated
2	28	Buffon, Georges Louis Leclerc, Comte de	1938, 1974, undated
2	29	Cagliostro, Conte Alessandro	1947, 1961, undated
2	30	Catherine II, Empress of Russia	1939, undated
2	31	Caumartin, Antoine-Louis- Francois LeFevré de	undated
2	32	Centaur	1937
2	33	Ceres	undated
2	34	Ceres and Minerva; Jupiter and Pluto	undated
2	35	Charrière, Madame de	undated
2	36	Chénier, Marie-Joseph	undated
2	37	Chevreuse, Duchesse de	undated
2	38	Choiseul- Praslin, César -Gabriel, Duc de	undated
2	39	Cicero	undated
2	40	Collin d'Harleville, Jean-Francois	undated
2	41	Condorcet, Marquis de	1938- 1939, undated
2	42	Créqui, Marquise de	undated
2	43	Cupid	1966
2	44	D'Alembert, Jean Le Rond	1935, undated

2	45	Daubenton, Louis-Jean-Marie	undated
2	46	Dead Thrush	1934, undated
2	47	Death of a hero – Drawing	1932, undated
2	48	Diana	1952, 1954, undated
2	49	Diane Chasseresse	undated
2	50	Diderot, Denis	1948- 1970, undated
Drawing – Grief consoled by Justice who points to Renown. SEE: Tomb of Monsieur Guillard			
Drawing. SEE Death of a Hero.			
2	51	Du Cayla, Comtesse	undated
2	52	Du Paty, Jean-Baptiste Mercier	undated
2	53	Dumouriez, Charles-Francois	undated
2	54	Duquesnoy, Adrien-Cyprien	undated
2	55	Duquesnoy, Madame	undated
2	56	Eagle attacking a Deer	undated
3	1	L'Ecorche (The Flayed Man)	undated
3	2	Ernest-Louis II, Duke of Saxe-Gotha	undated
3	3	Eté (Summer)	1932, 1939, undated
3	4	Fontaine, Jean de la	1949, 1968, undated
3	5	Fountain (Monceau) – Model	undated
3	6	Franklin, Benjamin	1947- 1975,

			undated
3	7	Franquieres, Aymon de	undated
3	8	Frederick III, Duke of Saxe-Gotha	undated
3	9	Friedrich Franz I, Prince of Mecklenburg-Schwerin	undated
3	10	(La) Frileuse (Winter)	1964-1970, undated
3	11	Fulton, Robert	1951, undated
Galitzin, Mikhail Mikhailovitch. SEE Tomb of Mikhail Mikhailovitch Galitzin.			
3	12	Gerbier de la Masselaye, Pierre-Jean-Baptiste	undated
3	13	Gluck, Christoph Willibald von	1937-1972, undated
3	14	Grand, Rodolphe Ferdinand	1946, undated
3	15	Grandménil, Madame de	1934, undated
3	16	Greneville, Camus	undated
3	17	Greyhound (Lévrier)	undated
3	18	Grimm, Baron Friedrich Melchior	undated
3	19	Guibert, Comte de, Jacques Antoine Hippolite	undated
Guillard. SEE Tomb of Monsieur Guillard.			
3	20	Haudry, Le President	undated
3	21	Henry, Prince of Prussia	undated
3	22	His, Madame	undated
3	23	Hoogendijk, Steven	1936, undated

3	24	Houdon, Ann Ange	undated
3	25	Houdon, Claudine	1951-1973, undated
3	26	Houdon, Madame	circa late 1940s, undated
3	27	Houdon, Madame and her Daughter	undated
3	28	Houdon, Sabin	1949-1959, undated
3	29	Houze, Baroness de la	undated
Note on original folder: Huntington Collection.			
3	30	Jaucourt, Comtesse de	undated
3	31	Jefferson, Thomas	undated
3	32	Jones, John Paul	1931-1975, undated
3	33	Josephine, Empress	undated
3	34	Joubert, General Barthélemy -Catherine	undated
3	35	Lafayette, Marquis de	1936, 1975, undated
3	36	Lalande, Joseph- Jérôme Le Francois	undated
3	37	Laplace, Pierre-Simon	undated
3	38	Larive (Jean Maudit)	1975-1976, undated
3	39	Lenoir	undated
3	40	Lignereux, Mlle.	1969, undated
3	41	Louis XVI	undated
3	42	Louis, Antoine	undated
3	43	Louise, Princess of Mecklenburg-Schwerin	undated

3	44	(A) Magistrate	undated
3	45	Malesherbes, Chrétien Guillaume de Lamoignon de	undated
3	46	Méjanes, Marquis de	undated
3	47	Mentelle, Edmond	undated
3	48	Minerva	undated
3	49	Mirabeau, Comte de	1932, undated
3	50	Miromesnil, Marquis de	1937- 1976, undated
3	51	Molière	1967, undated
3	52	Montenoy, Charles Palissot de	undated
3	53	Montgolfier, Joseph and Étienne	1938, undated
3	54	Montjay, Comtesse	undated
3	55	Morpheus	undated
3	56	Moustier, Comtesse de	undated
3	57	Napolean I	undated
3	58	Necker, Jacques	undated
3	59	Negress, Bust of	1947, undated
3	60	Ney, Marshal	undated
3	61	Nicolay, Aymard-Jean de	undated
3	62	Nivernais, Louis-Jules Mancini, Duc de	undated
3	63	Noailles, Comte de	undated

3	64	Olivier, Mlle.	1968-1969, undated
3	65	(La) Petite Lise	1968, undated
3	66	Petrovitch, Comte Ivan	undated
3	67	Peyre, Madame	1972, undated
3	68	Pleur et Rire	undated
3	69	Prémeneu, Comte Félix-Julien-Jean Bigot de	undated
3	70	Priest of Lupercalia	undated
3	71	Raucourt, Mlle.	1962, undated
3	72	Rillet, Madame	undated
3	73	Rodde-Schlözer, Dorothea von	undated
3	74	Roman Youth, Head of	1968
4	1	Rousseau, Jean-Jacques	1938-1971, undated
4	2	Sabran, Comtesse de	1933, 1962, undated
4	3	Saint Bruno	undated
4	4	Saint Catherine	1947
4	5	Saint John the Baptist	undated
4	6	Saints on facade of Orleans cathedral	1938-1939
4	7	Sérilly, Madame de	undated
4	8	Servat, Marie Adélaïde	1954, 1962, undated
4	9	Soult, Maréchal, Duke of Dalmatia	undated

4	10	Suffren, Bailli de	1933, 1938, undated
4	11	Thélusson, Madame de	1934- 1955, undated
4	12	Themis	undated
4	13	Thénard, Marie-Madeleine	undated
4	14	Tomb of Victor Charpentier, Comte d'Ennery	1930, undated
4	15	Tomb of Mikhail Mikhailovitch Galitzin, study for	undated
4	16	Tomb of Monsieur Guillard, drawing for (Grief consoled by Justice who points to Renown)	1955, undated
4	17	Tourville, Maréchal de	1933, undated
4	18	Tronchin, Théodore	1962, undated
4	19	Turgot, Anne-Robert-Jacques, Baron de l'Aulne	1938, 1954, undated
4	20	Unknown Girl	1938- 1955, undated
4	21	Unknown Man, Bust of	undated
4	22	Unknown Young Man, Bust of	1969
4	23	Valbelle, Comte de	1939, undated
4	24	Vestal	undated
4	25	Victoire, Madame	undated
4	26	Vietinghoff, Baron de	undated
4	27	Voltaire	1932- 1976, undated
4	28	Washington, George	1930- 1977, undated

4	29	Xavière, Madame Marie-Adélaïde-Clotilde, de France	1965, undated
4	30	Young Girl, Head of	1971, undated
4	31	Young Man, Head of	undated

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Series IV: Related Works/Artists, 1931-1973

Grouped by subject.

Contains research notes, photographs, and Frick Art Reference Library photo mounts regarding Houdon works of questionable attribution, works after Houdon, artists of the same period, and works depicting Houdon.

Box	Folder		Date
"Pseudo Houdons" by subject			
Box	Folder		Date
4	32	A-Z, by subject name	1931- 1939
4	33	Artois, Duc de Note on original folder: School of Jean Baptiste Pigalle.	1947, undated
4	34	du Pont, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Samuel	1946
4	35	Estaing, Comte de	1939- 1940, undated
4	36	Franklin, Benjamin	undated
4	37	Gustave III	undated
4	38	Houdon, Claudine	1936
4	39	Lafayette, Marquis de	circa 1950- 1973
4	40	Louis XVII as Dauphin	1934- 1936, undated
5	1	Marshall, John	1934, undated
5	2	Thélusson, Madame de	undated
5	3	Washington, George	1942, 1960, undated
5	4	Unidentified	undated

5	5	Works after Houdon/School of Houdon	1934- circa 1949
Artists			
Box	Folder		Date
5	6	Clodion	undated
5	7	Coysevox or Desjardin	1945, undated
5	8	Lemoyne, Jean-Baptiste	undated
5	9	Lemoyne, Jean-Louis	undated
5	10	Pajou, Augustin	1941, undated
5	11	Rush, William	1942, 1947, undated
5	12	Vassé, Louis-Claude	1932- 1934
5	13	Works depicting Houdon	1947, undated

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Series V: Transcriptions of Houdon Correspondence

Photostats of a selection of Houdon's letters, ca. 1787-1814, followed by typed transcriptions, in French. Also includes some explanatory notes.

Box	Folder		Date
5	14-16	Photostats of Houdon Correspondence with Transcriptions [3 folders]	undated

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Series VI: Research Notes, Miscellaneous, 1932-1951

Arranged chronologically.

Contains Helen Clay Frick's and Library staff's handwritten and typed notes and reference materials. Includes lists of unanswered questions to research, lists of Houdon photographs owned by the Library and those to acquire, and catalogue cards.

Box	Folder		Date
5	17-18	Research Notes, Miscellaneous [2 folders]	1932- 1951, undated

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Series VII: Printed Material, 1914-1964

Arranged chronologically.

Periodicals and exhibition catalogues concerning Jean Antoine Houdon. Oversize materials are stored in Box 9.

Box	Folder		Date
5	19	"Works of Houdon in America," <i>Art in America</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1914 Apr.
5	20	"Houdon en Amérique," <i>Revue de l'Art</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1914 Apr.
5	21	"Le premier salon de Houdon," <i>Gazette des Beaux-Arts</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1923 Jan.
5	22	"Quelques Sculptures Francaises du XVIIe Siècle en Suède," <i>Revue de l'Art</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1924 Jun.
5	23	"Houdon Sous la Révolution et l'Empire," <i>Gazette des Beaux-Arts</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1924 Jul. - Aug.
5	24	"Les Expositions du Centenaire de Houdon," <i>Gazette des Beaux-Arts</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1928 Jun.
5	25	"L'Exposition du Centenaire de Houdon," <i>Revue de l'Art</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1928 Jun.
5	26	"Le Centenaire de Houdon," <i>Revue d l'Art</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1928 Jul. - Aug.
6	1	<i>Centenaire de J.A. Houdon</i> Bibliothèque de Versailles, April – May, 1928	1928
6	2	<i>Exposition du Centenaire de Houdon</i> , Galleries Buvelot, Paris	1928
6	3	"Un Buste de la Collection M. de Camondo; La Nègresse de Houdon," <i>Gazette des Beaux-Arts</i> Stored in Box 9 - Oversize Material.	1931 Nov.
6	4	<i>Sculpture by Houdon, Paintings and Drawings by David</i> The Century Association, February 19 – April 10, 1947.	1947
6	5	<i>Sculpture by Houdon: A Loan Exhibition</i> Worcester Art Museum, January 16 – February 23, 1964	1964

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Series VIII: Research of Isobel Binks, 1939-1949

Works of Houdon arranged alphabetically by subject; all else arranged chronologically.

Correspondence, invoices, reference materials, notes and photographs documenting the Houdon research of Frick Art Reference Library staff reference worker Isobel Binks. The papers are organized under four headings: Correspondence, Works of Houdon, Related Works/Artists and Miscellaneous Research Notes. Correspondence pertains to Ms. Binks' stay in Paris, June-September, 1938 and includes letters from André Girodie. Works of Houdon contains research on individual works by the sculptor. Binks' notes and letters to Helen Clay Frick and other Library staff members are filed under Series II: Correspondence/Memos.

Box	Folder		Date
Correspondence			
Box	Folder		Date
6	6	Correspondence	1938
6	7	Travel Arrangements and Invoices (Paris)	1938
Works of Houdon (by subject)			
Box	Folder		Date
6	8	Alexander the Great	undated
6	9	Anspach, Margravine d' Note on original folder: Lady Craven; FARL 41981-84. SEE ALSO: Lantern slides stored in Box 10.	1938, 1947, undated
6	10	Arnould, Sophie SEE ALSO: Lantern slides stored in Box 10.	1949
6	11	Bailly, Jean-Sylvain	undated
6	12	Boissy d'Anglas, Comte de	1938
6	13	Boufflers, Marquis Stanislas Note on folder: [Russian colls? Paris-Doucet and Biblio – Ref.]	1938
6	14	Buffon, Georges Louis Leclerc, Comte de Note on original folder: 1) Souffrice; 2) Souffrice's; 3) Strauss.	1938
Charpentier. SEE Tomb of Victor Charpentier, Comte d'Ennery.			
6	15	Child Note on original folder: Ex-Greffulhe collection.	1938
6	16	Child Note on original folder: Souffrice.	1938
6	17	Dead Thrush Note on original folder: Paris-Doucet; Bedford; Has Miss Frick's Sales Cat?	undated
6	18	Diana	undated
6	19	Duthé, Mlle.	undated
6	20	Ecorche (The Flayed Man)	1949

6	21	Franklin, Benjamin	undated
6	22	Fulton, Robert	undated
6	23	Gluck, Christoph Willibald von	undated
6	24	Henry, Prince of Prussia	1938
6	25	Houdon, Ann Ange	undated
6	26	Houdon, Madame	1947
6	27	Houdon, Sabine	undated
6	28	Jones, John Paul	1948
6	29	Josephine, Empress	undated
6	30	Laborde, Benjamin de	1938
6	31	Lepeletier, Louis	undated
6	32	Luzy, Mlle. de Note on original folder: Paris - Comedie Francaise actress; not important.	undated
6	33	Marshall, John	1934
6	34	Mayer (or De Mayer) Note on original folder: Can this be H. Meyer the engraver. Engraved portrait of Margravine of Anspach.	1947
6	35	Mirabeau, Comte de	1938
6	36	Montgolfier, Joseph & Étienne Correspondence with Montgolfiers.	1938
6	37	Necker, Jacques	1947-1949
6	38	Ney, Marshal Note on original folder: d'Elchingen.	1938
6	39	Olivier, Mlle.	undated

6	40	Pastoret, Marquis de	undated
6	41	Petit, Madame	undated
6	42	Provence, Comte de, later Louis XVIII	1939
6	43	Raucourt, Mlle. F.A.M. de	undated
		Note on original folder: FARL 41986-88.	
6	44	Regnault de Saint-Jean d'Angély	undated
6	45	Robert, Mlle., daughter of Hubert Robert	undated
6	46	Rousseau, Jean-Jacques	1938, 1947
6	47	Rousseau, Jean-Jacques	1938
		Note on original folder: Cailleux.	
6	48	Sabran, Comtesse de	1938, 1947, undated
6	49	Saint Bruno	1938
		Note on original folder: Dijon.	
6	50	Saint Gudin	1948
6	51	Saints on facade of Orleans cathedral	1938- 1939
		Note on original folder: Georges Martin, Rue Royale, repros, French school, anon.	
6	52	Servat, Marie Adélaïde	undated
6	53	Suffren, Bailli de	1938
		Note on original folder: Behague; Ricard.	
6	54	Suffren, Bailli de	undated
		Note on original folder: Destroyed in bombing of Rotterdam.	
6	55	Themis	1938
6	56	Tomb of Victor Charpentier, Comte d'Ennery	1938
6	57	Turgot, Anne-Robert-Jacques, Baron de l'Aulne	1938
		Note on original folder: Souffrice.	

6	58	Unknown Man	undated
6	59	Victoire, Madame	1938
6	60	Voltaire	1947
		Note on original folder: Astor Collection.	
6	61	Voltaire	1938
		Note on original folder: Guyard.	
6	62	Voltaire	undated
		Note on original folder: Plaster Bronzed.	
6	63	Vos, Cornelius de, the Elder	1948
6	64	Washington, George	1947
		Note on original folder: Craven Collection. Sold Percy A. Rockefeller, Parke-Bernet, Nov. 28, 1947.	
6	65	Washington, George	undated
		Note on original folder: at P. Jackson Higgs.	
7	1	Washington, George	1948
		Note on original folder: Mount Vernon.	
7	2	Washington, George	undated
		Note on original folder: Richmond.	
7	3	Washington, George	1938
		Note on original folder: Souffrice.	
7	4	Washington, George	undated
		Note on original folder: Versailles?	
7	5	Washington, George – Mask	1947
Related Works/Artists			
Box	Folder		Date
7	6	Works after Houdon (artist not identified) - Washington, George	undated
7	7	Artists - Pajou, Augustin	undated
7	8-11	Research Notes, Miscellaneous [4 folders]	circa 1930s- 1940s

Series IX: Research of Clotilde Brière, 1933-1938

Works of Houdon arranged alphabetically by subject; all else chronological. Primarily in French.

Correspondence, reference materials and notes documenting the Houdon research of Paris-based Library staff member Clotilde Brière. Of note is Brière's correspondence with Jean Perron Houdon regarding the acquisition of Houdon's papers for Helen Clay Frick; a list of the documents purchased and their prices is included. Works of Houdon contains handwritten notes detailing the provenance and description of possible Houdon works. Subject titles often include multiple works.

Box	Folder		Date
7	12	Acquisition of Houdon's papers for Helen Clay Frick	1933-1937

7	13	Correspondence	1935-1938
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Works of Houdon (by subject)

Box	Folder		Date
7	14	Actor	undated

7	15	Adelaide, Madame	undated
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7	16	Apollo	undated
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7	17	Arnould, Sophie	undated
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7	18	Bailly, Jean-Sylvain	undated
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7	19	Le Baiser donné/Le Baiser rendu	undated
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7	20	Barlow, Joel	undated
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7	21	Barnave, Joseph	undated
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7	22	Barthélemy, Abbé Jean-Jacques	undated
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7	23	Bather(Baigneuse)	undated
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7	24	Belisarius/Old Man	undated
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7	25	Bervick, Madame de Note on original folder: Location unknown, no photo.	undated
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7	26	Biré, Charles Francois Fontaine, Marquis de	undated
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7	27	Boissy d'Anglas, Comte de Note on original folder: Location unknown, no photo.	undated
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7	28	Bordas-Pardoux	undated
7	29	Boy, Head of	undated
7	30	Brongniart, Louise	undated
7	31	Buffon, Georges Louis Leclerc, Comte de	undated
7	32	Cabanais	undated
7	33	Cagliostro, Conte Alessandro	undated
7	34	Camus-Gréné	undated
		Note on original folder: Location unknown, no photo.	
7	35	Caumartin, Antoine-Louis-Francois LeFevré de	undated
7	36	Chènier, Joseph	undated
7	37	Chevreuse, Duchesse de	undated
7	38	Child, Bust of	undated
7	39	Choiseul-Praslin, César-Gabriel, Duc de	undated
8	1	Collin d'Harleville, Jean-Francois	undated
8	2	Condorcet, Marquis de	undated
8	3	Conty, Prince de Bourbon	undated
		Note on original folder: Remarks: Not Houdon.	
8	4	Créqui, Marquise de	undated
8	5	D'Alembert, Jean Le Rond	undated
		Note on original folder: Location of both unknown; we have photo of a third.	
8	6	Daubenton, Louis-Jean-Marie	undated
8	7	Dead birds	undated

8	8	Dead Thrush	undated
8	9	(Le) Dernier Chagrin de l'Innocence	undated
8	10	Diana	undated
8	11	Diderot, Denis	undated
8	12	Drawings – Crayon	undated
8	13	Drawings – Profiles	undated
8	14	Du Cayla, Comtesse	undated
8	15	Du Paty, Jean-Baptiste Mercier	undated
8	16	Dumouriez, Charles-Francois	undated
8	17	Duquesnoy, Madame	undated
8	18	Duthé, Mlle.	undated
8	19	L'Ecorche (The Flayed Man)	undated
8	20	Été (Summer)	undated
8	21	Farente	undated
		Note on original folder: Location unknown, no photo.	
8	22	Fontaine, Jean de la	undated
8	23	Franklin, Benjamin	undated
8	24	(La) Frileuse (Winter)	undated
8	25	Fulton, Robert	undated
8	26	Gerbier de la Masselaye, Pierre-Jean-Baptiste	undated
8	27	Gluck, Christoph Willibald von	undated

8	28	Grandménil, Madame de Note on original folder: Madame de Grandménil looks much more like Chinard's. M. de Grandménil has not been seen.	undated
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8	30	Gustave III Note on original folder: Try Sergel.	undated
8	31	Heads from the antiques	undated
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(A) Magistrate. SEE: (Le) Pelletier.			
8	41	Man, Bust of	undated
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8	43	Man, Drawings of	undated
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		Note on original folder: Location unknown, no photo.	
8	46	Molière	undated
		Note on original folder: Full of problems!	
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		Note on original folder: Remarks: Not Houdon.	
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8	58	Nivernais, Louis-Jules Mancini, Duc de	undated
8	59	Nude Man Seated – Drawing	undated
		Note on original folder: Can this be the Voltaire of Pigalle?	
8	60	Nymph	undated
8	61	Paesiello	undated
		Note on original folder: Remarks: Not Houdon.	
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