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Summary Information

Repository:	Avery Architectural and Fine Arts Library
Creator:	Architects' Emergency Committee
Title:	Great Georgian Houses of America drawings
ID:	13262403
Date [inclusive]:	1932-1937
Physical Description:	500 drawings
Language of the Material:	English .

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Biographical sketch

Committee organized by Julian Clarence Levi to combat the rising unemployment of draftsmen and apprentice architects during the American depression. In 1932, trained architects and draftsmen began producing measured drawings of the plans, plats, elevations, and details of America's historic houses, which appeared in Great Georgian Houses.

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Scope and content

Original drawings for published series containing illustrations of facades, floor plans, interiors and decorative details from 77 of America's most beautiful homes representing the Georgian era (1714-1830).

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

Avery Architectural and Fine Arts Library

Restrictions on Access

This collection is available for use by appointment in the Department of Drawings & Archives, Avery Architectural and Fine Arts Library, Columbia University. For further information, please email avery-drawings@library.columbia.edu.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Controlled Access Headings

- Architecture, Colonial -- United States
- Architecture, Domestic -- United States
- Historic buildings -- United States
- Levi, Julian, 1874-1971

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