



## **Charles Felix Jones (1908-1974)**

Known as Felix Jones, he studied art in France and Belgium and became an accomplished painter and sculptor. He painted in Kansas and then Colorado.

He was widely known as a Works Progress Administration (WPA) artist for his WPA murals at the Wichita Municipal Airport. The Wichita murals entitled "March of Transportation" were initially intended to be hung in the city's Post Office. However, it was decided that his works were to be replaced with paintings by Ward Lockwood and Richard Haines, they were relocated to the airport in 1936 where they remained on display for many years.

Felix Jones had exhibitions with the Midwestern Artists Exhibition, Kansas City Art Institute for several years and numerous exhibitions in Denver. Commissions included the Central City (Colorado) Opera House and Phillips 66.