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THE WISCONSIN SALON OF ART

1954

NOVEMBER 22 TO DECEMBER 14

In this, the Twentieth Wisconsin Salon of Art, Wisconsin people have an opportunity to view a jury selected exhibition of Wisconsin artists' works. That in itself is not especially noteworthy, but it is noteworthy that the conception of the Salon, the planning and execution of the many details for its showing have been performed by the student members of the Union Gallery Committee as a means to present these artists to their community. The salon has become a well established tradition without any of the stultifying effects of Tradition, either upon the artists, whose works are presented here, or upon the members of the Gallery Committee.

Each year we note the sustained vitality and inventiveness in the works of the artists, and we have become accustomed to looking for new names as well as more familiar names in the catalog. Yet we are seldom aware of the hours of work performed by the Committee in sending out announcements, receiving and safeguarding entries, selecting and arranging for the jurors and working with them in selecting these works, then installing the exhibition, arranging for the opening reception and announcement of awards, publicizing the exhibition and finally, the returning of the works to the artists after the close of the

exhibition. Yes, this is all work and learning by doing, and they all learn much about bringing artists and communities into closer and more meaningful relationships. However, we are the real beneficiaries who owe our appreciation to the Gallery Committee.

JOHN W. JENKINS, *Chief Curator, Museum*
Chief Curator, Museum
The State Historical Society of Wisconsin

JURY

PAUL BURLIN, artist in residence, Union College, Schenectady

JOYCE TREIMAN, painter, Winnetka

JOSEPH GOTO, sculptor, Chicago

STATISTICS

270 artists submitted 422 works of art in oil and tempera, watercolor, pastel, sculpture, and graphics with a limit of two entries per person.

94 works were selected by the jury for exhibition in the Salon.

The contributors who were eligible have had three years residence in Wisconsin including the past year, or were ten-year residents in Wisconsin if now living outside of the state, or are faculty or students now in Wisconsin art schools.

THE UNION GALLERY COMMITTEE

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DORIS NEUMANN, *chairman*

Catalog cover was designed by Jim Rieff and silkscreened in Union Workshop by committee members.

THE AWARDS, *selected by the Jury*

OILS

CORRINE HELMKE, "Crucifixion," Two hundred and fifty dollar award for the most meritorious work in oil or tempera painting made up of the following donations: Hurd Millwork (\$75); Ed Schuster and Co. (\$50); Milwaukee Sentinel (\$50); Frautschi's, Inc. (\$25); Rennebohm's Drug Stores, Inc. (\$25); and American Exchange Bank (\$25)

JOHN N. COLT, "Arrangement with Marrows," Two hundred dollar Milwaukee Journal Purchase Award for the Wisconsin Union Collection

ROBERT SCHULER, "Sortie," One hundred dollar George W. Mead Award.

WATERCOLOR

ROBERT WILVERS, "Chicago Impressions," One hundred dollar Madison Art Association Purchase, selected by the Madison Art Association board to be loaned to Madison schools

CLARENCE E. BOHN, "Lake Michigan," Honorable Mention

GRAPHICS

DEAN MEEKER, "King's Joke," One hundred dollar purchase award for the most meritorious work in graphics given by Gov. and Mrs. Walter J. Kohler, Jr. for the Wisconsin Union Collection

ROBERT MARX, "The Flying Machine," *Fifty dollar Eugenie Mayer Bolz purchase. Also awarded the Madison Newspaper's twenty-five dollar award and the Phoenix Hosiery ten dollar award.*

JOAN M. MERRITT, "City Scape," *Thirty dollar award made up of the following donations: Mrs. Walter Ela (\$15) and the Falk Corporation (\$15)*

SCULPTURE

ROBERT D. CODY, "Untitled Wood Sculpture," *One hundred and fifty dollar Wisconsin Union Purchase Award for the most meritorious work in sculpture for the Wisconsin Union Collection*

HUGH TOWNLEY, "Endless Column," *One hundred and fifty dollar award made up of the following donations: Madison-Kipp Corporation (\$50); Butter Hardware, Milwaukee (\$50); and the Oscar Mayer Foundation (\$50)*

JAMES BLACK, "Circus Horse," *Twenty-five dollar Gimbel Brothers Award*
VICTOR STOKES, "Insurrection," *Twenty-five dollar Gimbel Brothers Award*

LIST OF EXHIBITORS

Unless otherwise noted, all works exhibited are for sale. Full information respecting artists and their works and terms of sale may be secured by inquiring at the Union desk.

OIL AND TEMPERA PAINTING

BERG, PHYLLIS <i>Evening Hour</i>	Madison	COLT, JOHN N. <i>In a Garden</i>	Janesville
BERMAN, FRED <i>Nomatta</i>	Milwaukee	<i>Arrangement with Marrows</i>	\$100. N.F.S.
<i>Carabana</i>	N.F.S.		
BLACK, JAMES <i>Hanseatic Monument</i>	Milwaukee	DAVIS, WILLIAM A. <i>Beach Forms #3</i>	Milwaukee \$75.
	\$100.		
BOSSOM, NAOMI <i>The Bridge</i>	Milwaukee	FAIRWEATHER, JACK <i>The Strangers</i>	Milwaukee \$25.
	\$260.	<i>Limelight</i>	\$50.
BURKERT, BOB <i>Resurrection Moment</i>	Madison	FRIEBERT, JOSEPH <i>Crayfish</i>	Milwaukee \$1000.
	\$250.	<i>Carnival</i>	\$1000.
CODY, D. ROBERT <i>No. 8 on a Red December</i>	Milwaukee	GOLDAY, THOMAS <i>Collage #1</i>	West Allis \$200.
	\$50.	<i>Collage #2</i>	\$150.
COLESCOTT, WARRINGTON <i>Gold Coast</i>	Madison	GORSKI, MICHAEL K. <i>Nocturnal Stroll</i>	Superior \$85.
<i>Indian Summer</i>	\$400.		
	\$200.		

GRAY, DAVID E. <i>Crane</i>	Ashland	LACHOWICZ, WILLIAM <i>Horizontal</i>	Milwaukee
	\$100.	<i>Flight Forms</i>	\$150. \$150.
GRIEDER, TERENCE <i>The Harbor at Larne</i>	Madison	MATTERS, ROBERT L. <i>The Habanera</i>	Madison \$125.
GROB, ERIKA <i>But Five to Friday</i>	Madison	MOELLER, DAVID A. <i>Lower Salt River Canyon—Arizona</i>	Janesville \$24.
HELMKE, CORRINE <i>Crucifixion</i>	Madison	NELSON, ROBERT <i>Atomic Robot</i>	Okee \$150.
HOVIS, JR., DR. WILLIAM <i>Interplay</i>	Milwaukee	PETERSON, WILLIAM <i>Rural Home</i>	Grand Marsh \$50.
HUIE, JEAN <i>Black Horizontal</i>	Milwaukee	RIEFF, JAMES <i>War Priests</i>	Madison \$100.
JAHNKE, MRS. VIOLETTE <i>Design 1 A</i>	Cedarburg	<i>War Circus</i>	\$250.
KOHLHOFF, RALPH EDWARD <i>City</i>	Milwaukee	SCHULER, ROBERT <i>Sortie</i>	Milwaukee \$150.
LACHOWICZ, DOROTHY <i>Number 8</i>	Milwaukee	WEIGAND, JACOB <i>The Bathers</i>	Sheboygan \$50.
	\$75.	WAITE II, PAUL <i>Season in Hell</i>	Madison \$90.

WATERCOLORS AND PASTELS

ANDERSON, J. ARTHUR <i>Three Marbles</i>	Stoughton	PIAROWSKI, ALBERT R. <i>Subordante Illumin</i>	Chicago, Ill.
			\$150.
ANDERSON, DONALD <i>Landscape</i>	Madison	PITTNER, JANICE <i>Arrangement</i>	Milwaukee
	\$100.		\$45.
<i>Bull Fighter</i>	\$100.		
BECK, LEONARD <i>Fantasy</i>	Milwaukee	PRIEBE, BETTY <i>Lighthouse</i>	Oshkosh
	\$75.		\$35.
<i>Chimera</i>	\$100.		
BOHN, CLARENCE E. <i>Lake Michigan</i>	Milwaukee	RILEY, WILLIAM <i>Four O'Clock</i>	Milwaukee
	\$100.		\$100.
ERVIN, TERRENCE M. <i>Still Life</i>	Milwaukee	ROGERS, DONALD O. <i>Empathy with Trees</i>	Madison
	\$100.	<i>Kites and Buildings</i>	\$75.
GROTNRATH, RUTH <i>Sleeping Rooster</i>	Milwaukee		\$50.
	\$150.		
KEENEY, RANDALL <i>Sifted Salt Bones</i>	Madison	SCHMIDT, ROBERT C. <i>Construction</i>	Milwaukee
	\$50.		\$150.
KRUEGER, KATYE <i>Louise</i>	Milwaukee	TOELLNER, CAROLYN <i>Pears</i>	Milwaukee
	\$30.		\$100.
		WILVERS, ROBERT <i>Chicago Impressions</i>	Milwaukee
			N.F.S.

GRAPHICS

ANDERSON, HOWARD B.	<i>Chicago, Ill.</i>		
<i>Some Assorted Forms</i>	Madison	\$20.	McFarland
EKHOLM, NANCY	<i>Madison</i>		N.F.S.
<i>A Child Amused</i>		\$75.	
FUJKO, JO ANNE	<i>Ashland</i>		
<i>Chequamegon</i>		\$25.	Milwaukee
HELMKE, CORRINE	<i>Madison</i>		
<i>Alpha to Omega</i>		\$20.	
JAHNKE, MRS. VIOLETTA	<i>Cedarburg</i>		
<i>Thirty Pieces of Silver</i>		N.F.S.	
KOESTER, RUSSELL	<i>Madison</i>		
<i>Crown of Honor</i>		\$25.	
KREILICK, MARJORIE	<i>Madison</i>		
<i>Drawing 39</i>		\$50.	
KRUG, HARRY	<i>Eau Claire</i>		
<i>Swamp</i>		\$35.	
LICHTNER, SCHOMER	<i>Milwaukee</i>		
<i>Landscape</i>		\$75.	
MARX, ROBERT			
<i>The Flying Machine</i>			N.F.S.
<i>Icarus Fallen</i>			\$40.
MECIKALSKI, EUGENE			
<i>A Heron in the Four Phases</i>			
<i>of the Moon</i>			\$15.
MEEKER, DEAN			
<i>King's Joke</i>			
MERRITT, JOAN M.			
<i>Window Facade</i>			
<i>City Scape</i>			
von NEUMANN, ROBERT			
<i>The Lithographer</i>			
YAMADA, LILLIAN			
<i>Rest</i>			
ZUPANCICH, DOROTHY			
<i>A Lady of Unusual Sensibility</i>			

SCULPTURE

ANDREWS, MICHAEL F.		Madison	JOURNEAUX, DIDIER		Wauwatosa
<i>Cock-Fight</i>	.....	\$390.	<i>Minotaur</i>	.....	\$300.
<i>Ascending Bird-form</i>	.....	\$100.			
BLACK, JAMES		Milwaukee	KREILICK, MARJORIE		Madison
<i>Circus Horse</i>	.....	\$350.	<i>Ancient Israel</i>	.....	\$500.
CODY, D. ROBERT		Milwaukee	LAMPIER, AUDREY		Milwaukee
<i>Untitled</i>	.....	N.F.S.	<i>Totem</i>	.....	N.F.S.
DUSZYNSKI, PATRICIA		Milwaukee	LUEDTKE, CHARLES		Madison
<i>The Shrew</i>	.....	\$300.	<i>Black Bull</i>	.....	\$300.
GONDEK, LEROY		Milwaukee	ROBERTS, GEORGE		Madison
<i>Old Woman</i>	.....	\$100.	<i>Cassiopeia</i>	.....	N.F.S.
GROB, ERIKA		Madison	STOKES, VICTOR		Madison
<i>Omnipotent Owl</i>	.....	\$150.	<i>Insurrection</i>	.....	\$250.
HABENICHT, ROBERT		McFarland	TOWNLEY, HUGH		Milwaukee
<i>Albert</i>	.....	N.F.S.	<i>Endless Column</i>	.....	\$800.
JENSEN, EVERETT		Milwaukee	<i>Solar Variant</i>	.....	\$350.
<i>Reclining Figure</i>	.....	\$100.			
			VAN EIMEREN, JAMES JOHN	Tallahassee, Fla.	
			<i>Golgotha</i>	\$200.

PREVIOUS SALON AWARDS

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OILS

ROBERT GRILLEY	"Air Object Over Milwaukee"
(Purchase for the Wisconsin Union Collection)	
FRED J. BERMAN	"Store Window, No. 2"
JOSEPH FRIEBERT	"Grasshopper"
WILLIAM HANDEL	"Sleeping Figure"
ALFRED SESSLER	"The Year Eleven"
DICK SAMUELSON	"Sunflowers"
DAVE PEASE	"Facade"
(Purchase for the Wisconsin Union Collection)	

WATERCOLOR

DON ANDERSON	"The City"
(Purchase for the Wisconsin Union Collection)	

SCULPTURE

DON WIEDEN	"Into Pastures New"
MICHAEL ANDREWS	"St. George and the Dragon"

GRAPHICS

RICHARD C. CRAMER	"Henri"
FRED BERMAN	"Facade"
DOROTHY ZUPANCICH	"The Silver Key"





