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WISCONSIN UNION GALLERIES  
HISTORICAL MUSEUM, 4th FLOOR

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TH RURAL ART SHOW

MAY 5 to JUNE 18, 1947





YEARS of exhibition of rural art at the University of Wisconsin has encouraged an extraordinary development in art and cultural values in Wisconsin rural areas.

Since a group of 30 people submitted sixty-eight pictures in 1940 to the first Rural Art Show, initiated by Dean Chris L. Christensen, John Steuart Curry, and Professor John R. Barton, the exhibition has grown until the present group of 181 entries overtaxes the gallery areas available, and we are able to display only 117 entries of 110 artists this year.

The College of Agriculture is purchasing a number of outstanding pictures by rural artists not already represented in their permanent collection. These paintings and drawings will be sent throughout the state to build an interest in rural art.

Exhibitors, to be eligible, must be living on farms, in rural communities, or have farm backgrounds. All entries are originals which have never been exhibited before in a state show.

The Rural Art Show is sponsored by the Rural Sociology Department of the College of Agriculture and the Blue Shield Club, in cooperation with the Wisconsin Union Gallery Committee.

### RECOMMENDED FOR PURCHASE

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| Joan Arend, Almond . . . . .         | <i>Desertion</i>               |
| Mrs. Frances Burt, Albany . . . . .  | <i>Winter Blizzard</i>         |
| Ruth Grimm, Sun Prairie . . . . .    | <i>Landscape</i>               |
| Arthur Johnson, Monroe . . . . .     | <i>The I.C. Spur at Monroe</i> |
| Mrs. Carl Ubbelohde, Waldo . . . . . | <i>Spring Will Come</i>        |

### BLUE SHIELD COMMITTEE ON RURAL ART

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| Ruth Eleanor Davis (Chairman),<br>Barneveld | Phyllis Lumsden, St. Croix Falls |
| Myra Baumann, Edgar                         | Mary Lou Meyer, Kenosha          |
| Paul Bessey, Madison                        | Walter Mortenson, Waupaca        |
| Hannah Billings, Friendship.                | Mae Donna Neitman, Waupun        |
| Marion Billings, Friendship                 | Marlowe Nelson, Union Grove      |
| Dave Dunwiddie, Whitewater                  | Allyn Nelson, Union Grove        |
| Mary Alice Dunwiddie, Juda                  | Marge Rather, Malone             |
| Anita Hawkes, Marengo                       | Dorothea Reimer, Merrill         |
| Al Jindra, Mishicot                         | Bea Schweigert, Ladysmith        |
| Barbara Jones, Pickett                      | Dolores Tenpas, Vesper           |
| Florence Klingbeil, Green Lake              | Bill Van Ornum, Marengo          |
| Betty Klusmeyer, Brodhead                   | Meg Waldo, Kenosha               |
|   | Grace Waldo, Kenosha             |

### FACULTY RURAL ART COMMITTEE

- John Barton, Agnes Leindorff, James A. Schwalbach, Anne Tressler

### COOPERATING ART FACULTY GROUP

- Al Sessler, Arthur Vierthaler, Fred Logan, Santos Zingale

## ADULT EXHIBITORS

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| 1. Akre, Martha Fisher, Monroe<br><i>Thirteen</i> —Watercolor .....NFS  | 28. Friede, Mrs. Fred, Reedsburg<br><i>Products of the Soil</i> —Oil.....\$10   | 55. Metoxen, Mrs. Alice E., Sun Prairie<br><i>Still Life—Shells</i> —Oil.....\$30                                  | 74. Schmith, Arthur, Pewaukee<br><i>The Pirate</i> —Color block<br>print .....\$10<br><i>Western Highways</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$8 |
| 2. Anderson, Arthur J., Random Lake<br><i>Still Life</i> —Tempera and<br>pastel .....\$15                                   | 29. Franta, Dorothy, Lake Geneva<br><i>Vegetables</i> —Oil .....\$25  | 56. Miller, Mrs. John J., Argyle<br><i>Vacation</i> —Oil .....\$10   | 75. Schott, Miss Philomene, New Fran-<br>ken<br><i>An Owl Asleep</i> —Oil.....\$10   |
| 3. Arend, Joan, Almond<br><i>Desertion</i> —Oil and ink.....\$50  | 30. Glinski, Edmund T., Kenosha<br><i>Wisconsin Aglow</i> —Oil.....\$100  | 57. Morley, Katherine, Nashotah<br><i>A Beach Scene on the Gulf</i> —<br>Oil .....\$25                             | 76. Seegert, Mrs. Lester, Sayner<br><i>Dad</i> —Oil .....\$35  |
| 4. Bailey, Kathryn, Richland Center<br><i>Moss Fairies</i> —Oil.....NFS   | 31. Grady, Francis, Madison<br><i>Bridge at Pheasant Branch</i> —<br>Drypoint .....\$5  | 58. Morse, Peggy S., Lancaster<br><i>The Carmody Place</i> —<br>Watercolor .....NFS                                | 77. Seng, Mrs. Ambrose, Potosi<br><i>Portrait of an Afghan Hound</i> —<br>Oil .....\$10  |
| 5. Baumbach, Florence, Delavan<br><i>November Day</i> —Oil.....\$30   | 32. Graham, Mildred, Madison<br><i>Pigeons</i> —Oil .....\$10   | 59. Mundon, Dale, Platteville<br><i>Waterfront</i> —Oil .....\$20  | 78. Sizer, Jane Engel, White Lake<br><i>The Viaduct</i> —Watercolor .....NFS   |
| 6. Becker, Mrs. John A., Monroe<br><i>Waiting</i> —Oil .....\$25  | 33. Grebetz, Louis, Racine<br><i>Farm on Hill</i> —Oil.....\$15   | 60. Nelson, Mrs. Elvin A., Stoughton<br><i>The Castle</i> —Oil.....\$20  | 79. Smith, Mrs. Lela, Lancaster<br><i>Mrs. Mulrooney's Wash</i> —Oil...\$25  |
| 7. Benson, Mrs. Guy, Spooner<br><i>Fish Hatchery</i> —Watercolor.....\$20   | 34. Grimm, Rachel, Sun Prairie<br><i>Twin Maples</i> —Oil.....\$30  | 61. Nelson, Robert, Okee<br><i>Old Buildings at Night</i> —<br>Pen and ink.....\$10<br><i>Winter</i> —Oil .....NFS | 80. Smith Smith, Margaret, Lake Geneva<br><i>Jonquils</i> —Oil .....\$50   |
| 8. Berlin, Reuben, Madison<br><i>Baby Chicks</i> —Oil.....\$5<br><i>Lake View Sanitorium</i> —Oil...\$5                     | 35. Grimm, Ruth, Sun Prairie<br><i>Landscape</i> —Oil .....\$25<br><i>Pheasants</i> —Oil .....\$20                                    | 62. Neverman, Leah A., Waukesha<br><i>Alex</i> —Oil .....\$35  | 81. Staver, Mrs. Edward, Lancaster<br><i>Wet Night</i> —Watercolor.....NFS   |
| 9. Bersie, Roy W., Green Bay<br><i>The Duck Hunter</i> —Oil.....NFS   | 36. Grossenbacher, Paul, New Glarus<br><i>Her Favorite Ride</i> —<br>Watercolor .....NFS  | 63. Nolan, Elizabeth, Waukesha<br><i>Portrait of Dad</i> —Oil.....\$25   | 82. Tanner, Mrs. Bert, Lodi<br><i>Wisconsin Moonlight</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$10  |
| 10. Biegemann, Jessie, Waukesha<br><i>Through the Farmyard</i> —Oil...\$20  | 37. Haskins, Mrs. Lester, Lancaster<br><i>Second Story Scene</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$10<br><i>Haskins House</i> —Watercolor...\$10 | 64. Olson, Raymond B., Ferryville<br><i>Ante Lucem</i> —Oil .....\$26.50   | 83. Ubbelohde, Mrs. Carl, Waldo<br><i>Pea Vinery</i> —Oil .....\$30<br><i>Spring Will Come</i> —Oil.....\$30                           |
| 11. Bohlman, Florence, Boscobel<br><i>The Three Nineteen</i> —Oil.....\$50  | 38. Hegland, Ellen M., Hollandale<br><i>Madonna of War</i> —Oil.....\$25  | 65. Olson, Chris, Berlin<br><i>Parsley Tea</i> —Oil .....\$100   | 84. Van Slate, Mrs. Margaret, Merrill<br><i>A Winter Scene in Lincoln<br/>County</i> —Oil .....\$50                                    |
| 12. Bopray, Ruth, Green Bay<br><i>Juanita</i> —Oil .....\$15  | 39. Helker, Mrs. Rosina, Platteville<br><i>Old Memories</i> —Oil.....NFS  | 66. Platten, Will J., Green Bay<br><i>Frontage on Indian River,<br/>Florida</i> —Oil .....\$50                     | 85. Veum, Willma, Strum<br><i>Picture Window</i> —<br>Egg Tempera .....\$15  |
| 13. Brooks, Lawrie, Nekoosa<br><i>The REA</i> —Watercolor.....\$10<br><i>Then Comes the Winter</i> —<br>Watercolor .....NFS | 40. Heyl, Allen V., Platteville<br><i>The Three Trees</i> —Pencil.....NFS   | 67. Quam, Mrs. Egbert, Stoughton<br><i>The Old Homestead</i> —Oil...\$27.50  | 86. Weber, Mrs. Alice, Green Bay<br><i>From Carlson's at Ellison<br/>Bay</i> —Oil .....\$30  |
| 14. Brown, Jeanette, Stratford<br><i>Autumn Over the Hills</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$25                                    | 41. Heyl, Mrs. Allen V., Platteville<br><i>Retrospect</i> —Oil .....NFS   | 68. Richardson, Gertrude, Lancaster<br><i>District School</i> —Oil .....\$20                                       | 87. Whitworth, Marion Ada, Mondovi<br><i>Carol</i> —Oil .....\$18  |
| 15. Brown, Laone, Green Bay<br><i>Late Summer</i> —Oil.....\$30   | 42. Hjelle, Alma, Ferryville<br><i>Child's Head</i> —Clay.....\$25  | 69. Rogers, Cele C., Neenah<br><i>Wisconsin Landscape</i> —Oil...\$15  | 88. Woodman, Ned, Monroe<br><i>Fisher Girl</i> —Oil.....\$50   |
| 16. Brunkow, Romie, Pepin<br><i>Red Mill</i> —Oil.....NFS   | 43. Hoard, Mary C., Fort Atkinson<br><i>Summertime</i> —Pastel .....NFS   | 70. Schalla, Mrs. Anna, Wisconsin<br>Rapids<br><i>Sandpiles</i> —Watercolor .....\$15                              | 89. Zellmer, Lillian, Antigo<br><i>Tracy's Boathouse</i> —<br>Watercolor .....NFS  |
| 17. Burt, Mrs. Frances, Albany<br><i>Village Blizzard</i> —Watercolor...\$20  | 44. Ireland, Lois, Waunakee<br><i>Church Picnic</i> —Oil.....\$120<br><i>Summer Landscape</i> —Oil.....NFS                            | 71. Schantz, Jane, Madison<br><i>Tchaikovsky</i> —Plaster .....\$110   | 90. Zentner, Anita, Milwaukee<br><i>Old Finnish Windmill, Douglas<br/>County</i> —Watercolor .....\$20                                 |
| 18. Case, Frances L., Columbus<br><i>The Crawfish</i> —Oil.....\$10   | 45. Johnson, Arthur, Monroe<br><i>Spring</i> —Oil .....\$50<br><i>I.C. Spur at Monroe</i> —Oil...\$50                                 | 72. Scherer, Emma, Muscoda<br><i>Late Apples</i> —Pastel .....\$10   | 91. Brunette, Elaine, Green Bay<br><i>Approaching Storm</i> —Oil .....\$30   |
| 19. Case, Mrs. Walter, McAllister<br><i>A Woodland Trail</i> —Oil.....\$50  | 46. Klemp, Henry, Dousman<br><i>Coming Home</i> —Oil.....\$50   | 73. Schlicher, Marian, Lake Geneva<br><i>Woodland Pool</i> —Oil .....\$50  |  |
| 20. Cooper, Juanita, Richland Center<br><i>Grandpa's Woodshed</i> —<br>Pen and Ink.....\$25                                 | 47. Koehn, Edmund George, Nekoosa<br><i>The Old Shanty</i> —Watercolor...\$5  |  |  |
| 21. Dehnert, Mrs. George, Lancaster<br><i>Wisconsin Landscape</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$15                                 | 48. Krause, Herman, Tomahawk<br><i>Autumn</i> —Oil .....\$75<br><i>Central North American</i> —<br>Wood .....\$8                      |  |  |
| 22. Doane, Mary, Delavan<br><i>Fish Hatchery, Wild Rose</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$35                                       | 49. Kuse, Walter, Medford<br><i>The Lord's Last Supper</i> —Oil...\$200   |  |  |
| 23. Elfberg, Mrs. Ethyl, Victory<br><i>Wisconsin Pasture</i> —Oil.....\$30  | 50. Kvalheim, Ethel, Stoughton<br><i>The Home Place</i> —Watercolor...NFS   |  |  |
| 24. Ellsworth, Lucille Steiner, Lake<br>Geneva<br><i>October</i> —Oil .....\$35   | 51. Lathrop, Mrs. Sally, Waukesha<br><i>Old Main</i> —Oil.....\$25<br><i>Old 10768</i> —Oil.....\$35                                  |  |  |
| 25. Ellsworth, Phoebe M. Fellows, Elk-<br>horn<br><i>Extemporaneous Spring Excite-<br/>ment</i> —Watercolor .....\$10       | 52. Lenz, Muriel, Stitzer<br><i>Jersey Shore</i> —Oil.....\$25  |  |  |
| 26. Engen, Mrs. Edward A., Beloit<br><i>The Old Country Store</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$5                                  | 53. Martin, Dorothy, Poplar<br><i>A Farm Scene</i> —Watercolor...\$5.50   |  |  |
| 27. Fleming, Edith, Park Falls<br><i>The Fawn</i> —Crayons.....\$35   | 54. Marty, Carl, Monroe<br><i>Blackeyed Susans</i> —Oil.....NFS   |  |  |

## JUNIOR EXHIBITORS

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| 1. Askov, Mary, Luck<br><i>Maple Syrup Time</i> —Pastel.....\$2  | 8. Mauel, William F., Cashton<br><i>Pride of Wisconsin</i> —<br>Watercolor .....\$5                      |
| 2. Beyeler, Rose Marie, Shullsburg<br><i>Home on the Range</i> —Crayon...NFS   | 9. Myhre, Beverly, Elcho<br><i>Mother's Love</i> —Crayon .....\$5  |
| 3. Elfberg, "Beebs" Ingegerd, Victory<br><i>Birches</i> —Oil .....\$2  | 10. Pearce, Thomas L., North Lake<br><i>Lake Michigan from North<br/>Lake Drive</i> —Oil .....\$10       |
| 4. Elfberg, Clara Judy, Victory<br><i>Swimming Hole</i> —Oil .....\$5  | 11. Schneider, Claude, Port Edwards<br><i>Pitcher, Plant and Fruit</i> —Oil...NFS                        |
| 5. Jaeger, Gladys, Reeseville<br><i>Fishing for Dreams</i> —Crayon...\$5<br><i>Sunrise on the Farm</i> —Crayon...\$5 | 12. Stolle, Timothy, Tripoli<br><i>Dragon and Fairy</i> —Chalk.....\$5<br><i>Plowing</i> —Chalk .....\$5 |
| 6. Koberle, Kenneth, Middleton<br><i>Mama's Doll</i> —Oil .....NFS   | 13. Tolksdorf, Richard, Grafton<br><i>Retired</i> —Oil .....NFS  |
| 7. Koberle, John, Middleton<br><i>Woods Gate</i> —Oil .....NFS   | 14. Treten, Elaine, Elcho<br><i>Good Friends</i> —Pastel .....\$5  |

