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MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED ENTRIES IN NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL DESIGN COMPETITION SPONSORED BY MUSEUM OF MODERN ART

More than five hundred entries have been received by the Museum of Modern Art in its two Industrial Design Competitions For Home Furnishings: I. for the United States; II. for the other American Republics. The Competition closed last week and the judges met for the first time Monday, January 20, to begin judging, which is expected to continue for about a week. It is hoped that an announcement of the winners for both North and South America can be made Tuesday, January 28.

New York led the list with 164 entries. California was next with 57. There was a total of 42 entries from fourteen other American Republics with Brazil and Guatemala each sending 5 entries. The complete list of entries is as follows:

South America	United States
Argentina 2	New York 164 California 57
Bolivia 3	Illinois 43
Brazil 5	Massachusetts 28 Pennsylvania 18
Chile 4	Michigan       17         New Jersey       15         Connecticut       14
Colombia 2	Ohio 13
Cuba 1	Wisconsin
Ecuador 3	Texas 8 Minnesota 6
Quatemala 5	Florida 5 Iewa 5 North Carolina 5
Haiti 4	Weshington, D. C 4
Honduras 1	Colorado       3         Oregon       3         Rhodo       Island       3
Mexico 3	Arizona 2
Peru 4	New Mexise
Urugusy 4	Tonnessee
Venezuela 1	The following states each sent one entry: Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Idaho, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Montana, New Hampshire, South Dakota, Utah, West Virginia.

Judges for both Competitions are:

Alfred H. Barr, Jr. - Director of the Museum of Medern Art

Catherine K. Bauer - San Fransisco. Special Const to the United States Housing Special Consultant

Authority

Marcel Breuer - Associate Professor of Architecture, Harvard University

Edgar Kaufmann, Jr. - Design Editor of New Directions;
Merchandise Manager in Home
Furnishings of Kaufmann's Stores,

Pittsburgh

Edward Stone - New York architect

The Competition has been under the direction of Eliot F. Noyes, Director of the Museum's Department of Industrial Design.