

THE MUSEUM OF MODERN ART

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NOTABLES ATTEND DINNER BEFORE PREVIEW OF MODERN DRAWINGS EXHIBITION

Mrs. George Henry Warren, Jr., Chairman of the Reception Committee, and other trustees of the Museum of Modern Art were hosts at a buffet dinner in the penthouse of the Museum, 11 West 53 Street, last evening (Tuesday, February 15), before the reception inaugurating the exhibition of Modern Drawings which opens to the public today.

Assisting Mrs. Warren were Mrs. Alexander Calder of the Reception Committee and Miss Marion Willard, Chairman of the Museum's Advisory Committee; Mr. Stephen C. Clark, Chairman of the Board, and Mrs. Clark, Dr. and Mrs. David M. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Sheppard, Mrs. Simon Guggenheim, Mr. A. Conger Goodyear, Mrs. Edward M. M. Warburg, and Mr. Philip L. Goodwin.

Among those present were:

Mr. Monroe Wheeler, Director of the exhibition
Miss Edith Wetmore
Mrs. Egerton L. Winthrop
Mrs. Edward G. Robinson
Mme. Carlos Martins
Mrs. Mervyn Leroy
Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Henschel
Mr. and Mrs. John Wintersteen
Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Matisse
Mr. Robert Edmond Jones
Mr. and Mrs. James Thrall Soby
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Mr. Walter Pach
Mr. and Mrs. Francis Henry Taylor
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Abbott
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Barr, Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brook
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blume
Mr. Paul Cadmus
Mrs. Meric Callery
Mr. and Mrs. Marc Chagall
Mr. and Mrs. Jo Davidson
Mrs. Wilbur Burdette Force
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hopper
Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Lipchitz
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheeler
Miss Georgia O'Keeffe
Mr. and Mrs. William L. Zorach
Mr. Pavel Tchelitchev