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December 6, 1957

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FOR RESALE

One framed drawing by Marsden HARTLEY

No. 2394

"Mt. Katahdin, No. 2"

Executed 1940

Drawing

22" x 28"

\$300.00

Less ten percent discount 30.00

See the printer dealer

\$270.00

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 442, dated December 5, 1957, drawn on the Chase Manhattan Bank in the amount of Two hundred and seventy dollars.

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Attention: Mr. C. Dalesio

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Painted 1940
16 x 12 inches

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"Tree by the Lake"
Painted 1941
10 x 14 inches

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No. 1463
"Snow Capped Mountains"
Painted 1941
10 x 14 inches

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No. 1779
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Painted 1937-38
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EXHIBITED: Paintings by Marsden Hartley: Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York

April 6 to May 12, 1951, No. 6.

Museum of Fine Arts of Houston, Texas, January—arch 1954

Baltimore Museum of Art, November 1954 to January 1955

Paintings by Marsden Hartley: Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York

April 4-30, 1955, No. 2.

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Babcock Galleries, Inc. 805 Madison Avenue New York 21, New York Attention: Mr. Carmine Dalesio

One framed painting by HARTLEY

No. 1366 "Alspits-Mittenwald Road" Painted 1933-4 011 on canvas 17 5/8 x 29 1/2 inches

\$1,000,00 One Thousand Dollars

EXHIBITED: Reneissance Society, Chicago, October-December, 1945.
Rochester Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester, New York,

June-August, 1946.
Dayton Art Institute, Dayton, Ohio, December, 1946 to

March, 1947.

Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, Massachusetts,
September-November, 1947.

Indians University, Bloomington, Indiana, June-August,

The Arts Club of Chicago, April-June, 1956 The Brearley School, New York, May 1957

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One framed painting by HARTLEY

No. 1492

"Abundance"

Painted 1939-40

Oil on canvas

40 x 30 inches

\$1,800.00 One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars

EXHIBITED: Ogunquit, Maine, June-October, 1953
The Baltimore Museum of Art, November, 1954
to January, 1955.

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Painted 1940

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40 x 30 inches

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May 27, 1957

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Babcock Galleries 805 Medison Avenue RESALE NUMBER New York 21, New York 210335 — 6

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"Crashing Wave & Vinal Haven"

Painted 1939-40

Oil on caráboara

18 x 24 inches

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EXHIBITED: Los Angeles County Fair, August-October, 1953.

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PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS, by Check No. 261, dated May 25, 1957, in the amount of \$900.00 drawn on the Chase Manhattan Bank, New York.

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January 17, 1957

May 20, 1957

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with kindest personal regards and good wishes.

Selling price net to us:

Two Thousand Dollars

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14TH STREET AND CENTRAL AVENUE LOS ANGELES 21, CALIFORNIA

AIR MAIL

January 17, 1957

Miss Florence Walters Rosenburg Gallery 20 East 79th Street New York 22, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

As you will recall I purchased from you some time ago an oil painting, by artist Karl Knaths - title "Eeling", size 36 x 42.

At your convenience please have this picture picked up, packed and expressed to my residence, 911 N. Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills, California. I have an account with W. S. Budworth & Son, 424 W 52nd St., New York. Please call them and have them handle the details.

With kindest personal regards and good wishes.

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January 29, 1957

SOLD TO:

Barons Gallery, Inc. 202 East 51 Street New York 22, New York RESALE NO. M-501654-8

One bronze sculpture by HARVEY WEISS

No. S-2639
"Pagesus"
Executed 1953

0ne hundred and fifty dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THAMAS, by Check No. 2621, dated January 28, 1957, in the amount of \$150.00, drawn on The Chase Manhattan Bank, New York.

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January 14, 1957

February 14, 1957

SOLD TO:

Barone Gallery, Inc. 202 East 51 Street Hew York 22, New York

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1 piece of sculpture by HARVEY WEISS

No. S-2639

"Pegasus"

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Executed 1953

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Bronze

11" high

\$150.00 One hundred and fifty dollars

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EXHIBITED: 20th Century Sculpture, Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York, December 3-29, 1956, No. 28.

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February 14, 1957

August 26, 1957

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Bayonne Jewish Community Center 1050 Boulevard Bayonne, New Jersey

I have your letter of August 21st regarding the Federa-

One framed painting by KARL KNATHS Price Valuation

I assume Mrs No. 2540 s will call me and let me know which of the following items she would like to have.

"Bouquet" Felice" by Marsdan Hartley

Painted 1954

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24 x 20 inches

Sincer \$700.00

\$450.00

One framed painting by ABRAHAM RATTNER

No. 2618

"Arrangement with Old Shoes No. 7"

Painted 1956

Oil on canvas

15 x 18 inches

\$1,200.00

\$800.00

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CABLE ADDRESS: NEWBAREISS

MURRAY HILL 7-3361

#### WALTER BAREISS

60 E. 42ND STREET NEW YORK 17, N. Y.

August 26, 1957

Mrs. Henry A. Loeb 63 Campfire Road Chappaqua, New York

Dear Mrs. Loeb:

I have your letter of August 21st regarding the Federation's forthcoming art exhibit. Since this exhibition, I presume, will be again in New York, it will be more convenient for me to lend a picture out of my office.

I assume Mrs. Walters will call me and let me know which of the following items she would like to have.

- 1. "The Lost Felice" by Marsden Hartley
- 2. "Woman in Space" by Leger
- 3. Abstract Painting by Hosiasson

Sincerely yours,

Walter Bareiss

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#### WALTER BAREISS

60 E. 42ND STREET NEW YORK 17, N. Y.

August 26, 1957

Mrs. Florence Walters c/o Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 E. 79th St. New York 21, New York

Dear Mrs. Walters:

I am enclosing a letter addressed to Mrs.

Loeb. I am out a great deal, but please call me any time you are ready.

Best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Walter Bareiss

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November 20, 1957

Mr. Ward Bennett 233 East 69th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Bennett:

Moneton: B. Bryslar

Enclosed herewith please find our check in the amount of \$160.00, which represents a 10 o/o commission to you for the sale of a painting by Karl Knaths to Jan Mitchell.

Kind regards.

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Galerie Beyster

Monsieur Alexandre Rosenberg

Le 18 Novembre 1957

Monsieur E. Beyeler Gelerie Beyeler Bäumleingasse 9 Bäle, Suisse

Cher Monsieur, demander maintenant s'il y antait une

Je vous remercie de votre lettre du 13 novembre, dens laquelle vous me dites que vous désires montrer le tableau de Cézanne à un client.

Je regrette de vous informer que ce tableau, comme je m'y attendais, a été vendu et n'est plus entre nos mains.

Je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur, à l'expression de mes meilleurs sentiments.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Male, le 13 wovembre 1957,

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Monsieur Alexandre Rosenberg c/o Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street

New York City

Cher Monsieur,

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Me référant à nos lettres à cause du tableau de CEZANNE, j'aimerais vous demander maintenant s'il y aurait une possibilité de pouvoir montrer le tableau à mon client qui en est toujours très intéressé.

J'attends avec plaisir de vos nouvelles et vous prie de croire, Cher Monsieur, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

E. Beyeler

Bâle, le 13 novembre 1957.

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AT THE REQUEST OF

MR. E. BEYELER BASLE, SWITZERLAND #81966 MEMORANDUM

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WE HAND YOU OUR ATTACHED CHECK IN ACCORDANCE WITH THEIR L OF 7/24/57

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JULY 30, 1957

P. ROSENBERG & CO. 20 E. 79th STREET NEW YORK, NEW YORK

SWISS BANK CORPORATION

No. 2750-P

"Femme Tenant Une Fleur"

Painted 1930

Oil on canvas

36 1/2 x 25 1/2

Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars

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Monsieur Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 Bast 79th Street

New York 21, N.Y.

Cher Monsieur Rosenberg,

Je vous remercie de votre lettre.

Les deux LEGER sont bien arrivés et je vous envoie ci-inclus un chèque à compte. Je vous prie de bien vouloir vous patienter quelques jours pour le règlement de la somme restante, étant donné que je n'ai pas la somme suffisante à mon compte à New York, et je ne veux pas faire un transfer inutile.

Dès que vous voyez une possibilité pour le CEZANNE, j'attends de vos nouvelles puisque le Musée est fort intéressé d'acquérir ce tableau.

Veuillez croire, Cher Monsieur, à l'expression de mes meilleurs sentiments.

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Bâle, le 16 juillet 1957.

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July 25th, 1957

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One framed painting by LEGER
No. 2723-P

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Oil on Canvas

Painted 1930 \$9,000.00

Nine Thousand Dollars

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Galerie Beyeler

Le 25 Juin 1957

Monsieur E. Beyeler Bäumleingasse 9, Basel, Switzerland.

Mul homenberg & Co.

Cher Monsieur Beyeler,

Je m'étonne que vous n'ayiez pas encore reçu les deux L'gers, qui vous ont été expédiés le 31 mai sur le bateau belge "Lubumbashi". Si vous ne les avez toujours pas au reçu de cette lettre, je vous conseille de vous enquérir auprès de votre transitaire à Bâle.

Quant au paysage de Cézanne, je vous disais dans ma dernière lettre qu'il y avait de grandes chances qu'il soit vendu. Depuis les choses ont progressé et le tableau n'est plus entre nos mains. Je regrette beaucoup de ne pouvoir vous être agréable à ce sujet.

Croyez, cher Monsieur Beyeler, à l'assurance de mes meilleurs sentiments.

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Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street

New York 21, N.Y.

Cher Monsieur Rosenberg,

Je n'ai pas encore reçu les deux LEGER, mais je pense qu'ils sont en route sur Bâle.

Vous m'avez montré le CEZANNE "Paysage" Jas de Bouffan dans le but que j'en parle à un musée européen. Le musée s'intéresse maintenant sérieusement à ce tableau et la direction aimerait le voir. Vous m'avez promis de me l'envoyer à ce moment, et je vous serais très reconnaissant de bien vouloir me l'expédier par avion.

Dans l'attente de vous lire, je vous prie de croire, Cher Monsieur, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

E. Beyeler

Bâle, le 22 juin 1957.

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Galerie Beyeler

Le 28 Mai 1957

Monsieur E. Beyeler Bäumleingasse 9 Basel, Switzerland

Cher Monsieur Beyeler,

J'ai bien reçu votre lettre du 25 mei. Malheureusement je ne puis y satisfaire. Nous n'avons jamais fait photographier ces deux Léger et comme ils sont déjà partis, il n'est plus temps d'y remédier.

Avec mes regret; croyez, cher Monsieur Beyeler, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N.Y.

Cher Monsieur Rosenberg,

Je vous remercie beaucoup de votre lettre et vous serais très reconnaissant de bien vouloir m'envoyer deux photos des deux Léger.

J'attends avec plaisir de vos nouvelles, et vous prie de croire, Cher Monsieur, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

E. Beyeler

Bâle, le 25 mai 1957.

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Le 21 mai 1957

Monsieur E. Beyeler BEumleingasse 9 Basel, Switzerland

Cher Monsieur Beyeler,

J'ai bien reçu votre lettre du 16 mai. Vous savez que je ne suis rentré à New York que peu de temps avant que mon père ne parte pour Paris. Il a négligé de me dire qu'il vous avait fait un prix net de \$15,500.00 pour les deux Léger, prix que naturellement je respecte. Mous faisons le nécessaire pour vous faire expédier ces deux tableaux par Keating et nous vous remettons ci-inclus notre facture.

Le paysage de Cézanne est toujours retenu et il y a une grande possibilité qu'il soit vendu.

Malgré toutes les qualités de Clavé, nous ne serions pas intéressés à nous occuper de ses oeuvres en Amérique, mais je vous remercie vivement de nous en avoir fait la proposition.

Le prix du Derain est malheureusement trop élevé pour que nous puissions considérer le tableau.

Espérant que vous recevrez bientôt les deux Léger et avec mon bon souvenir, je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Beyeler, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

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Monsieur Alexandre Rosenberg c/o Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N.Y.

Bâle, le 16 mai 1957.

Cher Monsieur Rosenberg,

Je vous remercie de vos lettres que j'ai bien comprises, seulement nos deux premières lettres se sont croisées.

Comme je vous ai dit lors de votre passage, le DERAIN me coûte déjà 9 Millions, ce qui correspond donc à \$ 25'000.-. Je devrais en avoir \$ 30'000.-. D'autre part votre père m'a fait un prix net de \$ 15500.- que j'ai noté à New York pour les deux LEGER. Si vous ne pouvez accepter mon offre, j'accepte le prix net de votre père de \$ 15'500.-.

Je regrette que je ne peux acheter ferme le "lapin" de SOUTINE pour lequel j'aurais un acheteur éventuel - mais je n'aimerais pas prendre le tableau sur stock. Je pensais que le but de notre conversation était de vous offrir et de vous avertir des tableaux en Europe, et que d'autre part vous me prêteriez l'un ou l'autre tableau qui serait plutôt pour un client européen, au cas que je ne pourrais pas l'acheter ferme. Pour cette raison j'espère bien qu'il vous sera possible de me prêter l'un de vos CEZANNE, surtout le "Paysage" pour l'exposition cet été (août/septembre).

Je vous prie de remettre les deux tableaux de LEGER encadrés à Keating qu'il les expédie par bâteau.

Dans l'attente de votre réponse et avec mon bon souvenir, je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Rosenberg, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

E. Beyeler

PS: Comme je trouve que CLAVE est un des meilleurs permi les jeunes peintres figuratifs et qu'il y a déjà une telle demande, je vous propose de prendre la représentation pour l'Amérique. J'en ai perlé à Clavé - il sersit tout à fait d'accord si vous acceptez. Il ne produit pas besucoup, ce qui sersit sussi dans votre intérêt je pense. J'attends avec plaisir de vos nouvelles à ce sujet.

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Le 9 mai 1957

Monsieur E. Beyeler Galerie Beyeler Batmleingasse 9 Basel, Switzerland

Cher Monsieur Beyeler,

Je vois que vous n'avez pas compris ma lettre, je vous disais au contraire que nous étions intéressés par le Derain et je vous en demandais le prix. J'avais également suggéré que nous pourrions peut-être en faire l'objet d'une affaire en y comprenant les deux Légers qui vous intéressent. Quals seraient les termes de cette affaire?

Comme il vous a été dit lors de votre passage à New York, notre dernier prix pour les deux Légers est \$17,500.00 et nous ne pouvons accepter les \$15,000.00 que vous offrez.

Vous savez qu'il n'est pas dans nos habitudes de consigner des tableaux à d'autres galeries et contre notre principe d'envoyer des tableaux dans le but de les montrer à un amateur. En conséquence, le "Lapin" de Soutine est à acheter par vous ferme à \$7,500.00 si vous voulez ce tableau, mais nous ne pouvons pas vous l'envoyer pour présentation.

Malheureusement, il semble que les deux tableaux de Cézanne ne seront pas libres pour cet été. Le "Paysage", comme je vous l'ai dit, est retenu et les "Beigneuses" dont vous ne m'aviez pas parlé, ont été promises à un musée américain.

Dans l'attente de votre réponse et avec mon bon souvemir, je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Beyeler, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs

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Monsieur Paul Rosenberg 20 East 79th Street New-York 21

Cher Monsieur,

Il semble que vous n'êtes pas intéressé dans le Derain fauve. Par contre moi j'aimerai acheter quand même les deux tableaux reservés pour moi:

LEGER, femme evec fleurs 1930 LEGER, Dancers, 1930,

\$ 15.000.- ensembles. Comme ce n'est pas pressé je vous prie de les envoyer par bâteau avec facture.

J'aurais un client pour votre Soutine "le labin" à \$ 7.500.et je vous prie de m'envoyer ce tableau pour jeter encore un coup d'oeil - mais en principe il veut l'acheter.

D'autre part j'ai discuté evec Monsieur Rosenberg mon Exposition d'été et j'attends evec plaisir de vos nouvelles si vous pourriez me prêter les deux tableaux de Cézanne parceque j'aurai toutes chances de les vendre en Europe. J'eurais une exposition importante comme l'année passée.

J'attends avec plaisir de vos nouvelles et je prie de croire cher Monsieur à l'expression de mes

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Le 3 mai 1957

Monsieur Beyeler Baumleingesse 9 Basel, Switzerland

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Cher Monsieur Beyeler,

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Comme je vous l'ai promis, je vous renvoie ci-inclus la photographie du tableau par Derain. A mon retour, je l'ai montrée à mon père qui s'intéresse à ce tableau. S'il est toujours libre, veuillez m'indiquer le prix que vous nous en demandez et aussi, dans le cas où vous seriez encore intéressé par les deux Léger que vous aviez vus ici, quelle affaire nous pourrions arranger sur la base d'un échange.

Il m'a été agréable de vous voir à Bâle et de parler un peu avec vous. J'espère que vous êtes maintenant tout-à-fait remis. En ce qui concerne le Cézanne, je ne peux encore vous donner une réponse, ce tableau étant réservé pour un client.

Transmettez mon meilleur souvenir à Monsieur Planque et croyez, cher Monsieur Beyeler, à l'assurance de mes sentiments

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One framed painting by DUFY

No. 5486

"The Artist's Studio"

Painted 1946

Oil on canvas, 21 1/2" x 25 3/4"

Signed lower left

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September 20, 1957

SOUR DINE STREET, N. W.

The Paul Rosenberg Gallery Mr. R. P. Blackmur Department of English Princeton University Princeton, New Jersey

According to your request we are ordering a print of Picasso's "The Sculptor and his Statue", which will be mailed to you as soon as it is ready.

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

R. P. Blanter Rosenberg

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September 19, 1957

The Paul Rosenberg Gallery, 20 East 79th Street, New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

I wonder if you ever received a request of mine for a photograph of a drawing in the recent Picasso show, dated August 22nd, as I am very anxious to have this.

May I repeat my request for a photograph of, "The Sculptor and his Statue," being your negative number 3186, and should be very happy to pay any appropriate charges.

Faithfully yours,

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2750 QUE STREET, N. W. WASHINGTON 7, D. C.

November 1st, 1957

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

Thank you for your letter informing us that you have recently acquired a rare and important painting by Degas. Mrs. Eliss and I would be very glad to see it when we are next in New York, which will probably be on November 14th.

If the painting is one of the Master's "most important and perfect acheivements" I fear that, with to-day's exaggerated prices, it will be beyond our reach. Nevertheless, we should like very much to see it and shall avail ourselves of your kind suggestion to show it to us.

Simperely yours.

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October 29, 1957

Honorable and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss 1537 Twenty Eighth Street Washington, D.C.

Dear Honorable and Mrs. Bliss:

We have recently sequired, among other pictures, a rare painting by Degas which is certainly considered one of his most important and perfect achievements.

It would give me great pleasure to show you this picture. It is fully consistent in quality and distinction with the works you own and admire, and I think that you would enjoy seeing it.

Looking forward to your kind visit,

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LEIGH B. BLOCK
38 SOUTH DEARBORN STREET
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December 27, 1957

Dear Paul:

Many thanks to you and your associates for the beautiful roses you sent us for Christmas. They added a great deal to the festive air of our home.

I was in the gallery about a month ago and was sorry to find that you had not yet returned from Europe. I hope that you are feeling your old self again, and look forward to seeing you in the near future.

With best wishes for the new year from both of us,

Sincerely,

Leigh B Block

Mr. Paul Rosenberg 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

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Dear Miss Walters:

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Yours sincerely,

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Looking forward to your kind visit when you are in New York, and with best regards.

Sincerely yours,
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Mr. and Mrs. Eric Boissonnas Logan Road New Cansan, Connecticut

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Boissonnas:

Thank you very much for your check of \$68,500.00 which is payment in full for the painting by Picasso, "Still Life with Tulips," which you have purchased from us.

> This monumental painting will give you great pleasure as it is an outstanding picture by Picasso and one of his most important works. It will make a notable addition to your collection and we are proud to know that you have acquired it from us.

2 mars XXXII Do 9 Re & 11 1/2 Res\* As soon as the frame is ready I will telephone you as I would like you to see it before we ship it to your home. In the meantime I want to thank you again and with my kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,
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Messrs. Paul Rosenberg & Co., 20 East 79th Street, New York 21, N.Y., U.S.A.

Dear Sirs,

Your letter of the 13th inst arrived this morning, and we are pleased to advise you that the seven paintings will be packed and despatched to you by Pan American Airways, flight 2/161/17 on Friday the 17th inst. These will be sent care of W.R. Keating & Co. Inc., together with all necessary papers, for clearance and delivery to you, and we sincerely trust that these reach you in good order and condition.

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Yours truly, BOLTON & FAIRHEAD LTD.

> J.J. WILLBOURNE American Export Manager.

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Dear Sirs,

We acknowledge with many thanks your kind letter of the 29th ult. We have already had a visit from Mr. Graham Sutherland in this respect.

We note your kind instructions that the paintings and all shipping documents are to be sent c/o our good friends, W.R.Keating & Co. and assure you of our very best attention in this matter.

We would like to take this opportunity of assuring you of every co-operation and shall look forward with pleasure, to your future instructions.

> Yours sincerely, BOLTON & FAIRHEAD (AMERICA) LTD. - C300a

> > MISS L. SELBY.

Director.

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Bolton and Fairhead 106 Regent Street London W. I England

Attention: Miss Solby

Dear Sirs:

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We are expecting a shipment of paintings from Mr. Graham Sutherland, White House Trottiscliffe, West Malling, Kent, and we would appreciate it if you would act on our behalf as shipping agents. We anticipate that similar shipment will follow in the future as well as some from other sources in England. At the recommendation of W. R. Keating and Company, New York, our shipping brokers, we request your good services in this connection.

The paintings and all shipping documents are to be sent to us in care of W. R. Keating and Company, attention Mr. Royals.

Looking forward to a pleasant relationship with your firm, I am

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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# BOSTON ARTS FESTIVAL

March 27, 1957

Dear Mr. Peter Temple Boston Arts Festival This June 31 Newbury Street is presenting in its International Section a showing of F Boston 16, Mass. French artists, and I am writing to ask if

Mr. Paul Mosemberg

How York, New York

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you might be so kind as to loan for the exhibition a painting by Micolas deStael, who is Dear Mr. Temples to be included.

I have your letter of March 26th in which you tell us of your plans for the Boston Arts Festival. call for it at your gold

I am very sorry to inform you that we shall not be able to lend you a painting by de Stael as we have extremely few by this artist and those that we can spare have already been committed. sales price.

I deeply regret this situation and hope that at some other time we shall be able to be of assistance Margaret Brown to you, who has graniously consented to organize the show for the Festival. The works will also be kept at her gallery immediately before and after the exhibition.

Sincerely yours.

Sincerely yours,

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Mr. Paul Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg Gallery 20 East 79th Street New York, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

This June the Arts Festival is presenting in its International Section a showing of forty contemporary French artists, and I am writing to ask if you might be so kind as to loan for the exhibition a painting by Nicolas deStael, who is among the artists to be included.

The exhibition dates are June 14 to 30, and the painting would be needed about two weeks prior to that time. We would propose to have Budworths call for it at your gallery around June 1 and return it by July 15.

Since works of high value will be included, the show will be displayed in specially designed glass cases and provided with twenty-four hour police protection. The works will be insured against all risks at two-thirds of sales price.

Sales will be under the supervision of Mrs. Margaret Brown of the Margaret Brown Gallery, who has graciously consented to organize the show for the Festival. The works will also be kept at her gallery immediately before and after the exhibition.

If you do have a painting by this artist which we might borrow, Mrs. Brown will plan to call upon you the latter part of April to work out arrangements. Each artist, incidentally, will be represented by just one work.

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If I can provide further information, do let me know. Meanwhile, I would be most appreciative of any assistance you can give us.

Sincerely yours,

Peter Temple

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### MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

Special Exhibition of European Musters of Our Place

November 2, 1957

Mr. Perty T. Rathbone
Museum of Fine Arts
Huntington Avenue
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Rathbone:

By chance you happen to be correct. The Degas we refer to is from the Hammoni collection so I do not need to stress to you the greatness of the picture. I will certainly be most pleased to see you and Mrs. Steinberg and will show you some really choice items.

I have heard so many praises of your current exhibition and I want to congratuate you for assembling such a beautiful show.

My kindest and best regards.

Sincerely yours,
PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS BOSTON 15, MASSACHUSETTS



October 31, 1957

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16, 1957

Miss Florence Walters, Director Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street

20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

Thank you very much for your letter of October 30. I wonder if, by chance, the Degas you refer to is the one from the Hammond collection that was formerly in Boston.

I am coming to New York early in November and plan to meet Mrs. Steinberg there. We will be looking forward to seeing you, the Degas and other choice surprises--I hope!

Incidentally, the Picasso in the exhibition is greatly admired.

With best regards,

Singerely,

Perry T. Rathbone Director

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Special Exhibition of European Masters of Our Times

Boston, Massachusetts September 16, 1957

Received as a temporary loan from

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October 30, 1957

Mr. Perry T. Rathbone
Museum of Fine Art
Huntington Avenue
Boston 15, Massachusetts

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Dear Mr. Rathbone:

We have recently acquired, among other pictures, a rere painting by Degas which is certainly considered one of his most important and perfect achievements.

It would give me great pleasure to show you this picture. It is fully consistent in quality and distinction with the works you admire, and I think that you would enjoy seeing it.

Looking forward to your visit, and with kind regards, I am

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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Division of Education

August 29, 1957

Paul Mosenberg and Co. 20 E. 79 St.

Dear Sir:

am compiling a slide set of the works from our forthcoming show "European Masters of Our Time" to which you are a lender. If possible, the museum would like to purchase from your color 2x2 slide of the following work:

Picasso, P. Algerian Women "I" 1955

I hope to hear from you as soon as possible.

Sincerely yours,

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> OFFICE OF THE ABOUTEAR August 13, 1957

> > August 14, 1957

Mr. David B. Little Museum of Fine Arts Boston 15, Massachusetts Paul

Dear Mr. Little:

Mr. Rosenberg is out of the city at the present time but I spoke to him this morning over the telephone about your letter of the 13th.

He asked me to tell you that we will srrange for the shipping of Picasso's "Femmes d'Alger"

to your museum in time to reach you on September 25th.

As you know, we have arranged with W. S. Budworth & Son
to collect most of the New York leans for us. The high value loans will be packed and shipped Sincerely Fours, y Express.
The others will be called for at PAUL ROSEUBERG & CO. Boston trucking firm of Fraser & Walker in whose reliability we have complete confidence. We are obliged to use both rail and van by our insurance brokers who have placed a \$350,000 limitation on the objects carried by any one Secretary truck or airplane or at any one place at one time.

Would you prefer to arrange for the packing and shipping of this painting to us in time to reach us by September 25, or do you wish us to arrange with Budworth to collect, pack and ship it? Either way is equally satisfactory to us.

> Sincerely yours. David B. Little

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### MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS BOSTON 15, MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR August 13, 1957

Alexandre Rosenberg, Esq. Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

Mr. Rathbone has given me the good news that we may borrow your painting by Picasso, "Femmes d'Alger," for our forthcoming exhibition, "European Masters of Our Time."

As you know, we have arranged with W. S. Budworth & Son to collect most of the New York loans for us. The high value loans will be packed and shipped to us by Railway Express. The others will be called for at Budworth's by the Boston trucking firm of Fraser & Walker in whose reliability we have complete confidence. We are obliged to use both rail and van by our insurance brokers who have placed a \$350,000 limitation on the objects carried by any one vessel, truck or airplane or at any one place at one time.

Would you prefer to arrange for the packing and shipping of this painting to us in time to reach us by September 25, or do you wish us to arrange with Budworth to collect, pack and ship it? Either way is equally satisfactory to us.

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Sincerely yours

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July 26, 1957

Office of the Director

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

Thank you so much for your prompt reply to my letter of July 19 and for the information for our loan form.

I have filled in the loan form which I am enclosing for your signature. The section regarding insurance is not filled in because I was not certain from your memorandum sheet whether you wanted to retain your own insurance or have us insure your painting for \$34,000. Would you be so kind as to designate this on the loan form.

I am sure Mr. Rathbone will be very happy to hear that we will be able to have your Picasso "Femmes d'Alger" in our exhibition.

With many thanks for all your help.

Sincerely yours,

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(Miss) Norma MacPherson Office of the Director

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July 19, 1957

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Paul Rossphers & Co. 20 Bust 79th Street New Yo Miss Norma MacPherson Office of the Director Museum of Fine Arts As No. Boston 15, Massachusetts and Miss Rourke are both away, I am

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg

Master Dear Miss MacPherson ondense for the European Time Exhibition and have come across

Miss Rourke's lett Mr. Rosenberg is out of town for several weeks but I spoke to him this afternoon about your letter of July 26th. He would like you to insure the painting "Farmes d'Alger II" for its value of \$45,000.

I am returning herewith your

The dea completed form. catalogue is drawing near and we are trying to get our raterial pretty well lined up.

Sincerely yours, I realize the information we have a PAUL ROSENBERG & CO. To some time to obtain, therefore, I do hope you don't

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July 19, 1957

Office of the Director

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

As Mr. Rathbone and Miss Rourke are both away, I am going through the correspondence for the European Masters of Our Time Exhibition and have come across Miss Rourke's letter to you, dated June 27th.

Would you be so kind as to let me know if you have been able to obtain any of the information regarding Picasso's Femmes d'Alger and the Maillol portrait of Renoir, mentioned in Miss Rourke's letter.

The deadline for our catalogue is drawing near and we are trying to get our material pretty well lined up.

I realize the information we have asked for may require some time to obtain, therefore, I do hope you don't mind my writing to you.

Sincerely yours,

Norma Mac Oherson (Miss) Norma MacPherson

(Miss) Norma MacPherson Office of the Director

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Miss MacPherson Boston Museum of Fine Arts Huntington Avenue Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Miss MacPhersont

I had told Mr. Rathbone that we were in doubt as to whether we could lend to you the Picasso "Woman of Algiers" because it was on approval with a client of ours. However, the picture is back in our hands and we will be glad to lend it for your exhibition. Enclosed is a memoranium giving you all the information on the painting.

I have been unable to locate the Millol "Portrait of Renoir", other than the copy in the Museum of Modern Art, New York.

With best wishes for the success of your exhibition.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Alexandre Rosenberg

Dictated but not signed by Mr. Rosenberg

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September 4, 1957

#### CONSIGNED TO:

Museum of Fine Arts Huntington Avenue Boston 15, Massachusetts

One fremed painting by PICASSO

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No. 5674

"Fermes d'Alger 'I'"

\$45,000.00

\$45,000.00

Painted Jamery 25, 1955

Oil on canvas

38 1/2 x 51 inches

Signed lower left, dated on back of canvas

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MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS BOSTON 15, MASSACHUSETTS

June 27, 1957

July 25, 1957

MEMORANDUM TO:

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg

New York 21, Museum of Fine Arts Dear Mr. Rose Boston 15, Massachusetts

Just before leaving for Europe, Mr. Rathbone asked me to acknowledge with his thanks your letter of

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June 27, 1957

Office of the Director

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

Just before leaving for Europe, Mr. Rathbone asked me to acknowledge with his thanks your letter of June 20. He was disappointed to learn that there is a possibility of the sale of Picasso's Femmes d'Alger, but wonders if you would be willing to ask the new owner to lend it for our forthcoming exhibition of European Masters of Our Time in October. If it is possible for you to arrange this, Mr. Rathbone will be most appreciative.

We have secured the loan of Maillol's  $\underline{\text{Ile de France}}$  from Mr. R. Sturgis Ingersoll, so you will not have to concern yourself further with finding a suitable one.

Do you know where we can find a cast of Maillol's portrait of Renoir, except that belonging to the Metropolitan which is tied up in their current show? Mr. Rathbone will be grateful for any information you can give us which will help locate such a cast.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence M. Rourke Secretary to Mr. Rathbone

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Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. New York 21, New York

June 20, 1957

Dear Mr. Mr. Perry T. Rathbone Museum of Fine Arts

The MuseuHuntington Avenue is organizing a major exhibition of modern Boston 15, Massachusetts ropean Masters of Our Time. Covering the first half of the twentleth century, the exhibition Dear Mr. Rethbones at 100 paintings and sculptures

of exceptional importance and be on view f through November II have your letter of June 18th in which you kind to boutline your plans for an exhibition of modern art. You make it a had explained the project to me before over the telephone future prand at that time I assured you of our willingness to upon the cooperate. However, since I talked to you one of our clients has requested that we send to him on approval An exhibithe Picesso Fermes d'Alger". The painting is now out a most calof our gallery and there is a possibility that it may For this be sold. If it is returned to us you can rely on it been very for your exhibition and I will return to you the loan we sincerely agreement as soon as possible. If the painting does loan requiret come back we can help you with any of the other ending the flate Picessos, photographs of which I sent to you.

Picasso I have been unable to locate an important bronze by Maillol in the eastern part of the country Stripes and I have not yet received an answer from Paris as to when we may expect to receive the pieces from Maillol's

and will cestate. you for arrangements for shipping prior to September 25; every effort will be made to return it before the first of I will let you know immediately upon receiving we ask yoword on this and on our client's decision about the inner We alread Picasso. Meanwhile with best regards, I am of the paint ing, but would appreciate receiving one more, together bill for same. An illustrated catalogue Sincerely yours, t

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MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS BOSTON 15, MASSACHUSETTS



June 18, 1957

Office of the Director

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

The Museum of Fine Arts is organizing a major exhibition of modern art, to be called European Masters of Our Time. Covering the first half of the twentieth century, the exhibition will embrace about 100 paintings and sculptures of exceptional importance and be on view from October 10 through November 17, 1957. This will be the first of its kind to be held at the Boston Museum and we are anxious to make it a memorable occasion. In fact, we feel that our future program in the field of modern art will be built upon the foundation of this exhibition.

An exhibition as broad in scope as this one has required a most careful review and selection of works available. For this reason and because the Museum of Fine Arts has been very generous in its loan policy for many years, we sincerely hope that you will do your utmost to grant the loan requested. May we count on your generosity in lending the following:

Picasso: Femmes d'Algiers

Expenses for packing, shipping and insurance will be borne by the Boston Museum. Budworth will call for the painting and will contact you for arrangements for shipping prior to September 25; every effort will be made to return it before the first of December. A loan form is enclosed which we ask you to fill in and return at your early convenience. We already have one glossy 8" x 10" photograph of the painting, but would appreciate receiving one more, together with bill for same. An illustrated catalogue is in preparation.

With best regards,

Very sincerely,

Perry T. Rathbone

Director

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March 27, 1957

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Museum of Fine Arts Mr. Thomas W Huntington Avenue Boston 15, Massachusetts Burkington averus

One framed painting by KARL KNATHS the painting by Kerl Kamaho "Fine Hough", which has just been

No. 2338

The Pine Bought in given to in by the artist when

the platters Painted 1952 from Karn Lustes to our pullery.

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36 X 42 inches

\$1,400.00

Less 10 per cent 140.00

\$1,260,00 One Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty Dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS, by Check No. 79, dated March 22, 1957, in the amount of \$1,260.00 drawn on the Second Bank-State Street Trust Company, Boston, Massachusetts.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Secretary

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OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAN

March 21, 1957

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MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

Mr. Thomas N. Maytham Museum of Fine Arts Huntington Avenue Boston 15, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Maytham: on 19, 1957

I am replying to your letter of March 19th, regarding the painting by Karl Knaths "Pine Bough", which has just been acquired by your museum.

New York 21, New Y The date of 1952 was given to us by the artist when Dear Miss he sent the painting to us. There is no prior ownership, as the picture came directly from Karl Knaths to our gallery.

chased from you the Hoping that this information is satisfactory, I am

I have one or two questions concerning Sincerely yours, cataloguing of the picture. The first PAUL ROCKNERG & CO. about the date of the picture. While PAUL ROCKNERG & CO. undeted, your label mentions 1952 as its date. Could you please tell as the basis for that information? Allied with this is the

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Thanking you an advance for your help,

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#### MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

Department of Paintings

BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS

March 19, 1957

March 18, 1957

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg and Company 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

As you already know, we have just purchased from you the Karl Knaths, Pine Bough. I have one or two questions concerning the cataloguing of the picture. The first is about the date of the picture. While it is undated, your label mentions 1952 as its date. Could you please tell me the basis for that information? Allied with this is the problem of previous ownership. I presume from the inclusion of that date that you bought the picture directly from the artist. Can you tell me if I am right in this?

Thanking you in advance for your help,

Sincerely yours,

Thomas H. May Kean

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OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

March 18, 1957

Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N.Y.

Dear Sirs:

We have shipped to you today by Railway Express Prepaid one painting Dimmering Dunes by Karl Knaths which was listed under your name as an offer for sale.

Upon its safe arrival please sign and return the enclosed receipt.

Yours sincerely,

Judy Flynn Ass't to the Registrar

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March 18, 1957

Mr. W. G. Constable Museum of Fine Arts Huntington Avenue Boston 15, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Constable:

Your letter of March 15th, informing us that your Trustees have decided to acquire the painting by Karl Knaths "Pine Bough", pleased us a great deal as it is, in our opinion, one of his outstanding pictures.

Although you did not ask for a discount we, out of appreciation to you, have taken upon ourselves to allow a 10 per cent discount on the purchase price, which brings the price down to \$1,260.00 to your Museum.

Enclosed herewith please find our invoice and again with our thanks for your many courtesies, Messrs. Rosenberg and I semi you our kindest regards.

Sincerely yours,
PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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## MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

Department of Pointings

BOSTON MASSACRUSETTS

March 18, 1957

Paul SOLD TO: OF Walters, Director

Museum of Fine Arts
Huntington Avenue
Boston 15, Massachusetts

One framed painting by KARL KNATHS

No. 2338 to have the Bimmeriog Dunes returned to

"Pine Bough"

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Painted 1952

Oil on canvas

36 x 42 inches

Yours sincerely,

JG \$1,400.00 ble

Less 10 per cent

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#### MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

Department of Paintings

BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS

March 15, 1957

Miss Florence Walters, Director Paul Rosenberg & Company 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

I am glad to say that yesterday at their meeting the Trustees bought the Pine Bough, by Karl Knaths at the price of \$1,400.00. Would you be kind enough to have sent to me a formal bill which I can hand to the Treasurer for payment.

I am arranging to have the <u>Dimmering Dunes</u> returned to you.

With all regards,

Yours sincerely,

W. G. Constable Curator of Paintings

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Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Boston, Massachusetts March 8, 1957

On behalf of the Museum of Fine Arts the undersigned begs to acknowledge receipt, subject to the conditions printed on the back hereof, of the objects listed below which you have offered for sale to the Museum. This offer will be submitted to the Committee on the Museum at its next meeting and you Lavid B. Sitto David B. Little will be informed of the Committee's action.

Registrar of the Museum

TWO PAINTINGS BY KARL KNATHS (framed): -

Dimmering Dunes

Pine Bough

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February 28, 1957

Mr. Thomas N. Maytham Museum of Fine Arts Boston, Messachusetts

Dear Mr. Maythem:

Mr. Paul Rosenberg

Thank you for your letter of February 28. The painting by Lautree, <u>Woman in Studio</u>, will indeed be shipped out next Tuesday along with the Courbet, <u>A Forest Pool</u>.

Our failure to mention this in our letter was a regrettable omission on our part and we are sorry to have caused you any anxiety.

in a Studio, which this Museum Yours very truly, painting being returned at the PAUL ROSZIBERG & CO.

Mr. David B. Little, wrote Miss Valters on James 11th, with the Tomlouse-Lautree returned as Soul as possible to is promised for loss to an exhibition to being held at the Society of the Four Arts in Natalie Braguin and as a March and must be returned to the Secretary before it is shipp

Would you be so kind as to write us by return mill the you are, in fact, shipping "Homan in a Studio," by Toul Lautrec at the same time as "A Forest Pool," by Courbet.

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BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS

February 28, 1957

Mr. Paul Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Company 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

Thank you for your letter of February 27th to Mr. Constable, who is away from the office for a few days, informing us that you will ship our Courbet "A Forest Pool" by March 5th. We are pleased to learn that your exhibition was such a success and that our pictures were able to play a small part in it.

This leads me to ask about the Toulouse-Lautrec "Woman in a Studio," which this Museum also lent to your "Masterpieces Recalled" exhibition. You make no mention of this painting being returned at the same time. As our Registrar, Mr. David B. Little, wrote Miss Walters on January 16th, we wish the Toulouse-Lautrec returned as soon as possible as it is promised for loan to an exhibition which is being held at the Society of the Four Arts in Palm Beach the middle of March and must be returned to this Museum before it is shipped.

Would you be so kind as to write us by return mail that you are, in fact, shipping "Woman in a Studio," by Toulouse-Lautrec at the same time as "A Forest Pool," by Courbet.

Sincerely yours,

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February 28, 1957

#### CONSIGNED TO:

Museum of Fine Arts Huntington Avenue Boston 15, Massachusetts

#### One framed painting by KARL KNATHS

No. 2319 have been placed to the Oil on canvas 30 x 40 inches

"Dimmering Dunes" \$1,300.00
Painted 1951 One Thousand Three Hundred Dollars

EXHIBITED: Recent Paintings by Karl Knaths, Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York, Nov. 5-24, 1951, No. 7. Santa Barbara Museum of Art, Santa Barbara, Calif., May-September, 1952. University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska, January-April, 1954. Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, Ohio, May-September, 1954. Norton Gallery and School of Art, West Palm Beach, Florida, January-February, 1955.

Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, Iowa, March-June, 1955. Fine Arts Gallery of San Diego, California, July-September, 1955.

One framed painting by KARL KNATHS

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No. 2338 "Pine Bough" Painted 1952 Oil on canvas 36 x 42 inches

\$1,400,00 One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars

EXHIBITED: Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C., Jan. 1953. The American Federation of Arts, New York, April-July, 1953.

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December 18, 1957

Mr. Louis W. Bowen 509 Madison Avenue New York, New York

Dear Louis:

BOLD TON

You don't know how much pleasure I get when a friend of mine acquires an outstanding painting. So you are equally as nice as you say I am.

The show has been quite a success, despite Christmas shopping, miserable weather, strikes and goodness knows what next.

I am sorry that you have have not been in to see the exhibition and as it is to be extended to the 11th of January, you may have a chance to come in before then.

Your picture has been so much admired and I would like you to see it hanging in the show.

I hope the holidays will be most joyful for you and I wish you the very best New Year.

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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SOLD TO:

Mr. Louis W. Bowen 509 Madison Avenue New York, New York

One framed painting by HAMILTON FRASER

No. 5719

"Seascape - Red and Black"

Painted 1957

Oil on canvas

36 x 48 inches

\$2,400.00

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PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS, by Check No. 273, dated December 17, 1957, drawn on the Chemical Corn Exchange Bank, New York, in the amount of two thousand four hundred and seventy two dollers.

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Louis W. Bowen

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SOLD TO:

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One framed painting by HAMILTON FRASER

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"Seascape - Red and Black"

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SOLD TO:

Mr. Edward A. Bragaline 20 Sutton Place South New York 22, New York

One framed painting by HAMILTON FRASER No. 5718

"City Landscape at Night"

Painted 1957

Oil on canvas

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One framed painting by HAMILTON FRASER

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"Red and Purple Landscape"

Painted 1957

Oil on canvas

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SOLD TO:

Mr. Edward A. Bragaline 20 Sutton Place South New York 22, New York

One framed painting by MICHOLAS DE STAEL

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SOLD TO: Kent-Bragaline, Inc. 509 Madison Avenue New York, New York

Two framed paintings by HAMILTON FRASER

"Red Laniscope with Mountain Village" Painted 1956 Oil on canvas 20 x 30 inches

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Kent-Bragaline, Inc. 509 Madison Avenue New York, New York

One framed painting by HAMILTON FRASER

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One piece of sculpture by KENMETH ARMITAGE

No. S-5690

New York, New York

\*Figure Lying on its Side, No. 3"

Executed 1957

Bronze

30 inches long

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Mrs. Donald Straus The Brearley School 610 East 83rd Street New York, New York

One framed painting by HARTLEY	Sales Price	Insurance Valuation
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"Shells"	\$1,200.00	\$ 800.00
Painted 1941-3		

Oil on masonite

22 x 28 inches

EXHIBITED: The Museum of Modern Art, New York, August, 1949-June, 1951.

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November 15, 1957

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CONSIGNED TO:

Mrs. Mia Brest 1010 Fifth Avenue - Apartment 3D New York, New York

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EXHIBITED: Recent Paintings by Karl Knaths,
Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York,
October 21-November 16, 1957, No. 12.

December 18, 1957

Miss Mary Werner
Editorial Department
Britannica Junior
425 N. Michigan Avenue
Chicago 11, Illinois

20 East 75t Dear Miss Werner: New York, New York

We are in receipt of your letter of
December 16 referring to the release of the painting
by Picasso, "Harlequin with Guitar." This was
unsigned by us because we do not own the painting
now and rightfully it should be signed by Mr. and
Mrs. Leigh Block.

We notice that you returned our release Sincerely yours, you not able to sign such a release? All PAUL ROSENBERG & CO. Such for this photo, and have been wondering that your release to the such

We shall appreciate hearing from you on Thorence Walters you very much for your courtesy and help.

Sincerely yours,

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December 16 1957

Paul Rosenberg & Company 20 East 79th Street New York, New York

Dear Sirs:

Thank you for sending us the black and white print of Picasso's "Harlequin with Guitar" for use in a forthcoming edition of Britannica Junior.

We notice that you returned our release form to us unsigned; are you not able to sign such a release? Also, we received no bill for this photo, and have been wondering what your policy is in such a case.

We shall appreciate hearing from you on this matter. Thank you very much for your courtesy and help.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Warner

Mary Werner Editorial Department

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Le 2 janvier 1957 Lyon, le 29 Décembre 1956

Monsieur J. Brochier 19 rue de l'Arbre-Sec Lyon, France.

Cher Monsieur,

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J'ai bien reçu votro lettre du 13 No Je vous remercie de votre lettre du 29 décembre, dans laquelle vous me dites n'avoir pas encore pris de décision en ce qui concerne vos tableaux.

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Mon père est très sensible à vos bonnes pensées, et me charge de vous en remercier. Il se joint à moi pour vous prier de croire, Cher Monsieur, à l'assurance de nos sentiments les meilleurs. Santa de ses passages en que le la rente lors de ses passages en prance . Ranceles-moi à son bon souvenir .

A mes meilleure sentiments. Alexandre Rosenberg

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Lyon, le 29 Décembre 1956

Cher Monsieur,

J'ai bien reçu votre lettre du I3 Novembre .

Je n'ai pas encore pris de décision concernant les tableaux dont votre père m'avait parlé.

Malheureusement, comme je l'avais dit à votre père, une affaire avec votre Maison qui n'a pas de représentant à Paris, me semble très difficile. Il m'est impossible de faire moi-même toutes les démarches nécessaires à l'exportation d'oeuvres d'art, celles-ci devant obtenir, comme vous le savez, avant la vente l'autorisation d'être exportées.

Nous en reparlerons, si vous le voulez en temps opportun.

J'espère que votre père est toujours en excellente santé. C'est avec grand plaisir que je le revois lors de ses passages en France . Rappelez-moi à son bon souvenir .

Je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur, à mes meilleurs sentiments.

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August 20, 1957

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

Would you please ship the Vuillard portrait back to me at the house address (360 South Mapleton Drive, Los Angeles 24), unless you are in the middle of any negotiations.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

Sidney F. Brody

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# BRODY INVESTMENT COMPANY

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June 20, 1957

Mr. Alexandre Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

I have your letter of June 17th, and am delighted that you are sending us the Picasso.

You indicated that you might be able to sell the Vuillard during the summer, and I am therefore leaving it with you for another couple of months.

We enjoyed seeing the Picasso show, but both Mrs. Brody and I felt that we preferred the one that you are forwarding us to the two that were in the show. We were both astounded at the price of the sales in Paris.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

Sidney F. Brody

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June 17, 1957

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney F. Brody 360 South Mapleton Drive Los Angeles 24, California

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Brody:

We have made arrangements to have the painting by Picasso, "Femmes d'Alger 'I'", shipped to you for your approval. For lack of time we have left on the painting the black strip which you saw. It is not the most suitable for this picture.

It was mice seeing you in the gallery last Friday and I hope you will enjoy the Picasso in your hote.

With best regards, I am

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Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO. Digned lower let't duted on back of cannot

Alexandre Rosenberg

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CONSIGNED TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Brody 360 South Mapleton Drive Los Angeles 24, California Brudy Levestweek Company

One framed painting by PICASSO one it will be a great pleasure for us to

to see you soon.

Berntly Hills, Colifornia

No. 5674

\$45,000.00 Forty Five Thousand Dollars

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EXHIBITED: Picasso Peintures, 1900-1955, Musée des Arts Décoratifs, Paris, June-October 1955, No. 127 - "I", reproduced in catalogue.

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January 11, 1957

Mr. Sidney F. Brody Brody Investment Company 9477 Brighton Way Beverly Hills, California

Dear Mr. Brody:

Many thanks for having arranged to have your Degas shipped to us and I know it will be a great pleasure for us to see it again.

Unfortunately your Vuillard, "Girl with Straw Hat"
has not as yet been sold, however we have shown it many times and
will continue to do so as long as you allow us to have the
painting here. Sooner or later we hope to have some good news
for you about it.

Enclosed herewith please find in duplicate, what we think is the current market value for the pictures you purchased from us.

To you and Mrs. Brody my very best regards, and I hope to see you soon.

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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January 9, 1957

January 11, 1957

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Company 20 East Seconty-minth Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters

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Mr. Sidney F. Brody 360 South Mapleton Drive packed for shipment to you today, and whos Angeles 24, California, the show.

Dear Mr. Brody: have our Vuillard ("Cirl with Straw Hat"), and We give you herewith, what is in our opinion the current market value for the following paintings which you acquired from us:

We are presently reviewing the insurance or	our paintings,
Courbet "Flowers on a Bench"	\$40,000.00 ugh
Degas "Before the Race"	75,000.00
Renoir "Head of Young Woman"	35,000.00
Braque on "The Terrace" and Woman	45,000.00
Picasso "Nude, Green Leaves and Bust"	55,000.00.

Thanks so much for your courSincerely yours, takes for the New Year, in which Mrs. Brody joins PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Sincerely,

Florence Walters

fw: nb

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CABLE ADDRESS FRANSID

#### BRODY INVESTMENT COMPANY 9477 BRIGHTON WAY BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA

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January 9, 1957

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Company 20 East Seventy-ninth Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

The Degas is being packed for shipment to you today, and will arrive in ample time for the show.

You still have our Vuillard ("Girl with Straw Hat"), and I am wondering whether or not it has been sold. Could you please let me have the status of this picture?

We are presently reviewing the insurance on our paintings, and securing new appraisals on all pictures. Would you be kind enough to furnish us, in duplicate, the current retail market price of the Before the Race following pictures purchased from you: 40

- Courbet "Flowers on or Bench! Degas (en route to your show)
- Renoir "Head of Young Woman" 3) Braque "The Terrace"
- 4) Picasso "Nude Green Leaves and Bust" 55 5)

Thanks so much for your courtesy, and best wishes for the New Year, in which Mrs. Brody joins me.

Sidney F. Brody

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to me at the above address by Rachway Express. I have you for your corperation. I shall send back the photographs Hors buly Ruth C. Brown (Mis. W. H. Brown)

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August 14, 1957

SOLD TO:

Mrs. William H. Brown Crum Creek Roed
Media, Pennsylvania

One framed painting by SUTHERLAND

No. 5698

\*Hanging Form Over Water I\* Painted 1957

I wake to Mr. Committing on the telephone.

Oil on carvas

39 1/2 x 32 inches

\$1,800.00 One Thousand and Eight Hundred Dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS, by Check dated August 12, 1957, in the amount of \$1,800.00 drawn on the Provident Tradesmens Bank and Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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August 9, 1957

Mrs. William H. Brown Crum Creek Road Media, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Browns

I spoke to Mr. Rosenberg on the telephone this morning and he tells me that the following are the prices on the Sutherland paintings:

No. 5697 "Standing Form Over Water II" \$1,800.00

No. 2720 "Apple Bough"

\$1,800.00

No. 5698 "Hanging Form Over Water I" \$1,800.00

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Bryant Sign Shop 134 East 60th Street New York 22, New York

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Would you please make for us a sign to read, in black, "GALLERY CLOSED". The sign should be of cardboard, measuring 5 x 6 inches. We would like the text itself to be in the center of the card, in a square measuring 3 x 3 inches. Enclosed is a rough sketch of what we would like.

January 13 to February 5, 1958

Your need prough survices will be gravely appreciated;

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours, FAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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November 29, 1957

#5-1321

SOLD TO:

Mrs. Thomas W. Bullitt 51 Calumet Road Louisville, Kentucky

One piece of sculpture by Aristide MATLIOL

No. 8-5671 "Study for the Blanqui Monument" Executed c. 1906 10" high Monogram of artist and stamp of Rudier on base. Copy No. 2/2

\$1,700.00

Acquired from the Meillol estate

Received on account October 24, 1957 \$ 850.00
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November 29, 1957 \$ 850.00

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October 24, 1957

Mrs. Thomas W. Bullitt 51 Calumet Road Louisville, Kentucky

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Received on Account October 24, 1957

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# BARNEY BURSTEIN

19 Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts Capitol 7-7140

December 12, 1957

Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th St., New York 21, N.Y.

Dear Sir,

It was very kind of you to allow me to photograph:

Picasso "Women of Algiers"

Thank you very much. I am enclosing a kodachrome for your files and trust that it will be of great use .

Sincerely yours

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Painted 1939 Oil on masonite 28 x 22 inches Los angeles County Marson, Spell-Paly, 196

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\$2,275.00 Two thousand two hundred seventyfive dollars

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SOLD TO:

Babcock Galleries, Inc. 805 Madison Avenue New York 21, New York Attention Mr. Carmine Dalesio

## Three framed paintings by MARSDEN HARTLEY

No. 1450 "Stormy Sea No. 3" Painted 1936 Oil on masonite 12 x 16 inches

\$ 300.00

October 23, 1956

No. 1070 "Still Life - Fruit Bowl. Fruit on Table" Painted 1927 Oil on canvas 18 x 28 inches

875.00

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FOR RE-SALE

# Three framed paintings by MARSDEN HARTLEY

No. 1450
"Stormy Sea No. 3"
Painted 1936
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12 x 16 inches

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\$ 300.00

No. 1070
"Still Life - Fruit Bowl,
Fruit on Table"
Painted 1927
Oil on canvas
18 x 28 inches

\$ 875.00

EXHIBITED: Los Angeles County Museum, April-July, 1946.

Portland Art Museum, Portland, Oregon,
August-October, 1946.

M. H. de Young Memorial Museum, San Francisco,
California, November, 1946.

Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana,
December, 1946 to May, 1947.

Paintings by Marsden Hartley, Paul Rosenberg &
Co., New York, April 6 to May 12, 1951, No. 4.
Birmingham Art Association, Birmingham, Alabama,
January-March, 1952.

\$1,175.00

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Complete, New York,

No. 1085
"Birds of the Bagaduce"
Painted 1939
Oil on masonite
28 x 22 inches

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EXHIBITED: Paintings by Marsden Hartley, Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York, January 9-28, 1950, No. 16.
William Rockhill Nelson Gallery of Art,
Kansas City, Missouri, February-May, 1955.
Munson-Williams-Proctor Institute, Utica,
New York, October-December, 1955.

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Two thousand two hundred seventy-five dollars

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February 23, 1956

SOLD TO:

Mr. Edward Bakwin De Witt Hotel 244 East Pearson Street Chicago, Illinois

One framed painting by BRAQUE

No. 5438

"Brown Table Still Life" argon 84. Chicago, Illinois February 18, 1956

Painted 1941

Oil on canvas

10 1/2 x 25 3/4 inches

Dear Ma. Signed and dated lower left? the amount of \$5,000.00 as the final parent on my purchase of "Brown Table

\$11,000.00

December 19, 1955 Received on account

Tounk you very much.

Ms. Flarence Walters Faul Rosenberg & Company

New York 21, New York

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\$ 5,000.00 Five thousand dollars

Sincerely PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 247 in the amount of \$5,000.00, dated February 18, 1956. drawn on the Manufacturers Trust Company, New York.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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YORK 19

244 E. Pearson St. Chicago, Illinois February 18, 1956

Dear Ms. Walters:

I am enclosing my check number 247 in the amount of \$5,000.00 as the final payment on my purchase of "Brown Table Still Life" by Braque.

I would appreciate it very much if you would acknowledge the receipt of this check as the completion of the sale.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Edward Morry 6 Edward M. Bakwin

Ms. Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Company 20 E. 79th Street New York 21, New York

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October 18, 1956

Mrs. Florence Walters c/o Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Mrs. Walters:

We have your letter of October 15 with reference to the painting by Abraham Rattner, "Window Cleaner, No. 7" which is now at Manufacturers Trust Company, 510 Fifth Avenue.

No decision as yet has been made with regard to this picture. We hope to have this information in two weeks or so and will advise your office at that time.

Your courtesy in making this picture available to us for consideration is most appreciated.

Very truly yours,

ELEANOR LE MAIRE

Charles W. Ball
Charles W. Ball

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Enclosed herewith please find our consignment invoice for this picture. Thanking you for your interest, I am

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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July 25, 1956

Mr. Charles W. Ball Eleanor Le Maire 29 West 57 Street New York 19, New York

Dear Mr. Ball:

We have arranged to send to the Manufacturer's Trust Company for their approval, the painting by ABRAHAM RATTNER, "Window Cleaner, No. 7", which you selected here yesterday.

Enclosed herewith please find our consignment invoice for this picture. Thanking you for your interest, I am

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Child by: Manufacturer's Vench Company 510 Fifth Avenue 10 Nov York 18, New York

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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Mr. Charles W. Ball Manufestant Eleanor Le Maire 29 West 57 Street New York 19, New York

One framed painting by ABRAHAM RATTNER

Will you No. 2384 form to me, the FLYTHIR, "fluser Clanuer,

"Window Cleaner, No. 7" PAGE RESIDENCE & SO.

Painted 1952

Oil on canvas

32 x 26 inches

\$2,000.00

Less 10 per cent discount . . . . 200.00

\$1,800.00 Eighteen hundred dollars

Sent to: Manufacturer's Trust Company 510 Fifth Avenue New York 18, New York

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July 25, 1956

Mrs. Ruby Walters
Manufacturer's Trust Company
510 Fifth Avenue
New York 18, New York

Dear Mrs. Walters:

At the suggestion of Mr. Ball we are delivering by the bearer of this letter, for your approval, one framed painting by ABRAHAM RATTNER, "Window Cleaner, No. 7".

Will you kindly return to us, the RATTNER, "Window Cleaner, No. 1." Thanking you, we are

Sincerely yours,
PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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May 18, 1956

Mrs. Ruby Walters
Manufacturer's Trust Company
510 Fifth Avenue
New York 18, New York

itr. Charles W. Hall ...

Dear Mrs. Walters:

We are delivering by the bearer of this letter, a painting by ABRAHAM RATTNER, "Window Cleaner, No. 1", which has been selected by Mr. Ball.

We hope that you will enjoy seeing this fine painting, and look forward to the pleasure of hearing from you.

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Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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May 17, 1956

#### MEMORANDUM TO:

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Hr. Charler W. Ball Mr. Charles W. Bell 29 Vest 5 Eleanor Le Maire 29 West 57 Street New York 19, New York Dear Mr. Bulls

One framed painting by ABRAHAM RATTNER

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32 x 25 5/8 inches

\$2,000.00

Less 10 per cent discount 200.00

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April 24, 1956

Mr. Charles W. Ball Eleanor Le Maire 29 West 57th Street New York 19, New York

Dear Mr. Ball:

905.D- 70:

I was informed that you have been looking at contemporary paintings and I hope that you will have the opportunity of visiting our gallery, as I would very much like to show you some pictures by Abraham Rattner.

In all probability, you are familiar with this artist's work. However, I do not know if you saw his last exhibition which was held in our gallery last month, and I think it might be of interest to you to see some of Mr. Rattner's canvases.

Thanking you, and looking forward to the pleasure of seeing you, I am,

Sincerely yours,
PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Sincerely yours,

Alexantre Rosenberg

Seventer 21, 1956

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New York 17, Sax Sork

Mr. Conrad Bareiss 60 Aurora Strasse Zurich, Switzerland

One framed painting by BRAQUE

No. 5620 iner with your painting by Courbet, "La

"Huîtres, Citron et Verre"

Painted 1939

best regard oil on canvas

15 x 18 inches

Signed and dated at lower left: "G. Braque, 39"

\$14.500.00 Fourteen thousand five hundred dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 982783 from Credit Suisse in the amount of \$14,500.00, dated September 25, 1956, drawn on The First National City Bank of New York, New York City.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Secretary

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Mr. Walter Bareiss 60 East 42 Street New York 17, New York

Dear Mr. Bareiss:

Of the painting to painting by Courbet, "La Source du Loup", 33 x 45 inches, and in our opinion the fair market value of this picture is \$16,000.00.

Hoping this will be of some help to you and with best regards, I am

> Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

> > Walter Bareiss

Alexandre Rosenberg

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MURRAY HILL 2-1658

#### WALTER BAREISS

NEW YORK 17, N.Y. 60 E. 42nd St.

November 19, 1956

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 E. 79th St. New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Miss Walters:

I would very much appreciate your giving me a valuation of the following Courbet painting, which I am giving to Yale University:

"LeSource de Loup", size: 33" x 45"

Many thanks in advance.

Sincerely yours,

\$ 16,000

Walter Bareiss

WB:dr

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WALTER BAREISS NEW YORK 17. N.Y.

60 E. 42nd St.

November 15, 1956

November 14, 1956

SOLD TO:

Centlement

Mr. Walter Bareiss
Brynwood Lane
Round Hill Road
Greenwich, Connecticut

One framed painting by PICASSO

No. 1140-P Thousand Dollars in full payment of the Picasso

"Still Life with Guitar and Stars"
I sequired from you, described as follows:

Painted 1924

Oil on canves with Guitar

38 1/4 x 51 inches

\$40,000.00
Forty thousand dollars
Very truly yours

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 1483 in the amount of \$40,000.00, dated November 14, 1956, drawn on the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, New York City.

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### WALTER BAREISS

NEW YORK 17, N.Y.

60 E. 42nd St.

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November 14, 1956

Paul Rosenberg & Company 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is my check in the sum of Forty
Thousand Dollars in full payment of the Picasso
I acquired from you, described as follows:

No. 1140-P
"Still Life with Guitar and Stars"
Painted 1924
Oil on canvas
384 x 51 inches

Very truly yours,

Walter Bareiss

WB:dr Enc.

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October 25, 1956

SOLD TO:

Mr. Walter Bareiss
Brynwood Lane
Round Hill Road
Greenwich, Connecticut

One framed painting by PICASSO

"Still Life with Guitar and Stars" PABL BORBERRS & CO.

Painted 1924

Oil on canvas

38 1/4 x 51 inches

\$40,000.00 Forty thousand dollars

Acquired directly from the artist.

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October 25, 1956

Mr. Walter Bareiss 60 East 42 Street New York 17, New York

Dear Mr. Bareiss:

We wish to confirm that we have purchased from you one framed pastel by DEGAS, "Le Coucher," 1883, for which we gave you our check No. 5220 in the amount of \$24,000.00 (twenty-four thousand dollars), which represents payment in full for this purchase.

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Florence Walters

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SOLD TO:

Mr. Walter Bareiss
Brynwood Lane
Round Hill Road
Greenwich, Connecticut

One framed painting by PICASSO

No. 4224-P

"Tête de Femme, Fond Blanc"

Painted 1939

Oil on canvas

22 x 18 inches 3 1/2 inches

Signed and dated lower right:

"30.11.9 Picasso"

#8.500.00

Eight thousand five hundred dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 1009 in the amount of \$8,500.00, dated October 19, 1956, drawn on the Manufacturers Trust Company, New York City.

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Mr. Walter Bareiss Brynwood Lane Round Hill Road Greenwich, Connecticut

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No. 5466

"Burning Logs"

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Ink and crayon

19 1/2 x 23 1/2 inches

Signed and dated lower left:

" JO. LLLO PLESSES

"4 Janvier 45 Picasso"

\$2,000.00 Two thousand dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 1457 in the amount of \$2,000.00, dated October 19, 1956, drawn on the Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

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Mr. Walter Bareiss Brynwood Lane Round Hill Road Greenwich, Connecticut

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Painted 1939

Oil on canvas

22 x 18 inches

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Acquired directly from the artist.

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September 19, 1956

Mr. Walter Bareiss
Brynwood Lane
Round Hill Road
Greenwich, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Bareiss:

Enclosed herewith are photographs of the Picasso, "Tête de Femme, Fond Blanc," and the Braque, "Huîtres, Citron et Verre," and next week I will send you a photograph of the Picasso drawing, "Burning Logs."

Beside the Guitar and Stars, which is reserved for you, we now have a small, but truly a gem of a picture by Picasso. Am I tempting you too much? At any rate, I would like you to see this one which was not here when I showed you the other paintings.

The frame should be ready by next week, and before we ship the pictures, I will call you so you can come in to the gallery to see them.

"Burning Loge"

Ink and orayon

19 1/2 x 25 1/2 inches

assisted directly from the artirl.

My kindest regards, and I hope to see you soon.

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Mr. Walter Bareiss
Brynwood Lane
Round Hill Road
Greenwich, Connecticut

## 1 framed painting by PICASSO

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"Tête de Femme, Fond Blanc"
Painted 1939
Oil on canvas
22 x 18 inches
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SOLD TO:

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Mr. Conrad Bareiss 60 Aurora Strasse Zurich, Switzerland

1 framed painting by BRAQUE

No. 5620
"Huîtres, Citron et Verre"

Carpa.

1221 Painted 1939

Oil on canvas

to the 15 x 18 inches we would someone to you would see you would see

Signed and dated at lower left: "G. Braque, 39"

Fourteen thousand five hundred dollars

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February 16, 1956

Mr. Walter Bareiss 511 Fifth Avenue New York 18, New York

20 East 79 Street New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Bareiss:

We have returned to you today the five paintings which you had left with us to be put back in good condition. I hope you will be pleased with the work that has been done, for which your wishes have been exactly followed. We enclose the invoice of Caston Levi, the restorer to whom we entrusted this job. You will notice that the word "washed" is used, and not "cleaned", as the varmish was not removed.

To simplify our bookkeeping we would appreciate your sending a check directly to Gaston Lévi. Hoping to see you soon and with best regards, I am

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Washed and revived . . . . . \$ 50.00

Rolined, washed and revived. . . 130.00

Alexandre Rosenberg

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## COPY OF BILL FROM:

GASTON LEVI 16 West 56 Street New York 19, New York

P. Rosenberg Gallery 20 East 79 Street New York, N. Y.

To:

1 Painting - by Bonnard

Washed and revived . . . . . \$ 50.00

1 " - by Cézanne

Relined, washed and revived. . . 130.00

1 " - by Matisse - "Two Odalisque"

Washed, revived and restored . . 60.00

1 " - by Schmidt-Rottluff (large), "Two Men by the Sea"

Restretched on new stretcher, with double cross bar (made to order), washed and revived . . . 75.00

\$315.00

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original sent to: Mrs. Walter Barries 511 Fifth avenue

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VILLA ARENA
104, BOULEVARD DE CIMIEZ
NICE (A.M.)
TÉLÉPHONE 862-23

31st October, 1956.

Alexander Rosenberg Esq., 20 East 79th Street, New York 21, N.Y., U. S. A.

My dear Rosenberg,

Thank you for your letter of September 27th.

I do hope your father is feeling much better.

I do not like to call him up in case it should disturb him, but I certainly will get in touch with him next spring. When one is ill, one does not like to have to talk on the phone or things like that. I do wish there was something I could do for him, but as he has everything it is very hard to get anything that would amuse him. Please give him my kindest regards.

I am, Very sincerely yours,

a Ohla Beatly

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76, PARK STREET, W. 1. MAYFAIR 1297 January 11 % Jan Mr Romburg, Jan unting in refly to your letter to my dustand, as Le Las been ell, so I must afologings for this delay is answering We wats in New York fort antum, and meant to los into see you, but infortunatily we were only there The Ino weeks, and contact and manage it - Moneron

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January 13, 1956

Mrs. A. Chester Beatty 76, Park Street London W. 1., England

Dear Mrs. Beatty:

I want to thank you for your nice letter of January 11. I regret very much that you and your husband did not have the time to visit me when you were in New York last autumn. I hope that in the future when you come to this country you will let me know, as it will be my pleasure to see you.

You mention that your husband has been ill. I hope that by this time he has completely recovered from his ailment.

I want to take this opportunity to say that if at any time Mr. Beatty should change his mind about the Van Gogh, I would appreciate being informed about it.

With my kindest personal regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Paul Rosenberg

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January 6, 1956

Enumery 13, 1956

A. Chester Beatty, Esq.
Villa Arena
104, Boulevard de Cimiez
Nice, France

Dear Mr. Beatty:

I want to thank you for your greetings for the new year which I was very pleased to receive. However, I am amxious to know how you are feeling as it has been such a long time since we have written to each other.

Mr. R. D. Severich

Recently I had a bronchial condition, but I am now well over this indisposition. As usual, I am making plans to leave for Europe the early part of April and, of course, I hope to have the extreme pleasure of seeing you. In the meantime, if you have a moment I would appreciate receiving a word from you.

With my kindest and best wishes to you, I remain as always

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Paul Assemborg & Co. 20 East, 79th Street New York, N.Y. January 13, 1956

SOLD TO:

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Mr. R. D. Beckwith 430 East 63 Street New York 21, New York

One framed painting by ROUAULT

tells as wollon.

"Head of a Woman"

Painted c. 1935

Oil on canvas

25 3/4 x 19 3/4 inches

Signed lower right

3 percent city sales tax

\$12,000.00

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don 3. April 1996

360.00

\$12,360.00 Twelve thousand three hundred sixty dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 7 (Special Account) in the amount of \$12,360.00, dated January 12, 1956, drawn on The Bank of New York.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Secretary

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Porto Alegre - R. G. S. - Brasil

den 3. April 1956

Messrs.
Paul Rosenberg & Co.
20 East, 79th Street
New York, N.Y.

Sehr geehrte Herren:

Ich bin interessiert, einige gute Bilder (vorzugsweise Impressionisten( zu erwerben und wende mich auf Empfehlung meiner Bank, der SWISS BANK CORPORATION-New York Agency, an Sie mit der Bitte, mir Ihre Angebote uebermitteln zu wollen.

Ich wuerde mich freuen, von Ihnen recht bald zu hoeren und begruesse Sie

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mit vorzueglieher Hochachtung

SIEGBERT BERG

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July 27, 1956

Mr. Heins Berggruen Berggruen & Cie 70, rue de l'Université Paris (VIIe) France

Dear Heinz:

Much to my regret, I am not in Europe this summer, and I cannot tell you how sorry I am. However, I am now hoping for next year.

As we have sold some paintings to Contemporary Arts Establishment, would you be good enough to fill in the enclosed two forms, and, as you do not have a New York City Sales Tax registration number, please attach a business card or a letterhead. We must have these papers for the New York City Sales Tax Department. Sorry to trouble you about this, but this has been requested by the tax examiner.

All my kind regards to you.

Sincerely, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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# Galerie Beyeler

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Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N.Y.

January 25, 19

Dear Sirs:

Today we shipped the painting by ROUAULT to Keating & Co., New York, even the documents. You will get it in two weeks.

we join the invoice receipted and hope you will be happy with the picture.

Sincerely yours,

GALERIE BEYELER

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January 25, 1956

SOLD TO:

Mrs. Samuel Biddle 3303 Cleveland Avenue, N.W. Washington 8, D. C.

One framed painting by KARL KNATHS

thank you as much for

"Time, Tide and Town"

Painted 1955

We will go only on canvas for the pusting

30 x 48 inches

\$1,500,60 One thousand five hundred dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 24 in the amount of \$1,500.00, dated January 24, 1956, drawn on The Riggs National Bank, Washington, D. C.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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January 24, 1956

Dear miss Walters,

Thank you so much for your letter of Jamuary rineteenth and for the data on Karl Knaths. We are very excited over our purchase and are looking forward to its arrival here at the house. We will give a party for the picture. Enclosed is my check for "Time, Tide and Town".

Maybe next year I can afford a marsden Hartley unless the good ones have all long since been taken.

Sincerely Sallie metz Biddle ired m," s Gal-

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January 19, 1956

Jasuary 19, 1996

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Biddle 3303 Cleveland Avenue, N.W. Washington 8, D. C.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Biddle:

We are very pleased that you have acquired the painting by Karl Knaths, "Time, Tide and Town," which is currently on exhibition at The Phillips Gellery in Washington.

We want to assure you that you have purchased an outstanding example by this fine american artist, and we feel certain you will derive great pleasure from having this painting in your home.

We thought you would like to have some biographical data on Karl Knaths, a copy of which is enclosed. We have written to Mr. Phillips informing him that you have purchased this painting, and at the close of his exhibition it is to be delivered to you.

Thanking you and hoping that when you are in New York we will have the pleasure of your visit, I am.

The Phillips Gallery, Weshington, D. C., Jerusry, 1956.

Sincerely yours,
PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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# INLAND STEEL COMPANY

CHICAGO 3

LEIGH E. BLOCK

June 12, 1956

January 19, 1956

SOLD TO:

Mr. Samuel Biddle 3303 Cleveland Avenue, N.W. Washington 8, D. C.

One framed painting by KARL KNATHS

No. 2591 21, Hew York

"Time, Tide and Town"

Painted 1955 We are most appreciative to you and Mr. Rattner
Oil on canvas. We are very pleased that it will be in the
Collection and our check for \$2,500.00 is payment of the

30 x 48 inches is herewith attached.

\$1,500.00

If you run across other thousand five hundred dollars

pointers having an industrial motif, I would like you to let me hear about them.

I do hope that you have a pleasant summer, and with kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

"Recent Paintings by Karl Knaths," Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York, November 28th to December 17th, 1955, No. 10.

The Phillips Gallery, "Washington, D. C., January, 1956.

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# INLAND STEEL COMPANY

THIRTY-EIGHT SOUTH DEARBORN STREET

CHICAGO 3

LEIGH B. BLOCK
VICE PRESIDENT
AND DIRECTOR OF PURCHASES

June 12, 1956

Miss Florence Walters, Director Paul Rosenberg and Company 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

We are most appreciative to you and Mr. Rattner for reducing the price on his painting that we had here on approval. We are very pleased that it will be in the collection and our check for \$2,500.00 in payment of the two paintings is herewith attached.

If you run across other works of American painters having an industrial motif, I would like you to let me hear about them.

I do hope that you have a pleasant summer, and with kindest regards,

Yours sincerely

Leigh B Block Vice President.

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June 14, 1956

SOLD TO:

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Inland Steel Company 38 South Dearborn Street Chicago 3, Illinois

Attention Mr. Leigh B. Block

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No. 2373

"Window Cleaner No. 2"

Painted 1951

Oil on canvas

25 5/8 x 32 inches

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EXHIBITED: "Recent Paintings by Abraham Rattner," Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York, March 10 to March 29, 1952.

City Coliseum, Austin, Texas, April-

May, 1953. Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, August to November, 1953.

Temple University, Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania, February to April,

Bayonne Jewish Community Center, Bayonne, New Jersey, February-Merch, 1955.

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Thanking you for your interest and with my kindest regards \$1,100.00 to you wall kno. Stock, I am

EXHIBITED: Los Angeles County Fair, August to October, 1953.

> \$2,500.00 Two thousand five hundred dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 1-02475 in the amount of \$2,500.00, dated June 12, 1956, drawn on The First National City Bank of New York.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Salters

Secretary

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# INLAND STEEL COMPANY

CHICAGO 3

June 7, 1956

Mr. Leigh B. Block Inlam Steel Company 38 South Dearborn Street Chicago 3, Illinois

goes well with you

Miss Florence Walters

Dear Mr. Block:

LEIGH M. BLOCK

Really, I was pleased to learn from your letter of June 5, that you and your committee have approved the purchase of the KNATHS "Souteastern Interim", and the RATTNER "Window Cleaner, No. 2."

We spoke with Mr. Rattner and explained to him the importance of your project, and that we would very much like to have him represented in this particular collection, consequently he, at our advice, has agreed to reduce the price of his painting to \$1,400.00, which I hope will be satisfactory to you.

Thanking you for your interest and with my kindest regards to you and Mrs. Block, I am

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters Block.

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# INLAND STEEL COMPANY

THIRTY-EIGHT SOUTH DEARBORN STREET

CHICAGO 3

LEIGH B. BLOCK
VICE PRESIDENT
AND DIRECTOR OF PURCHASES

June 5, 1956

Miss Florence Walters Director Paul Rosenberg and Company 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

The two American paintings that you sent to the Art Institute on approval for the Inland Steel Company have been studied by the committee and approval for the purchase of the Knaths has been signified. We are also interested in the Rattner, but, as I explained to you, we are trying to hold the prices on these pictures for the office to no more than \$1,500. each. You said you thought the artist, in view of the project, would be interested in selling us this painting at a price in this neighborhood. Will you kindly advise me if you have spoken to Rattner and what his best price is on this picture, for we do want it in the collection.

It was nice seeing you last month and I hope all goes well with you.

Yours sincerely,

Leigh B. Block.

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May 25, 1956

Mr. Leigh B. Block
Inland Steel Company
38 South Dearborn Street
Chicago 3, Illinois

Dear Mr. Block:

We have arranged to ship, for your approval, the two paintings which you selected when you were in our gallery the other day, one by Karl Knaths and one by Abraham Rattner, sending them to The Art Institute of Chicago, in care of Inland Steel Company.

For your records we are enclosing herewith our memorandum invoice for these pictures, and, as we told you, we will try to get a concession on the Rattner painting; that is, of course, if you decide to acquire it for your company.

If during my busman's holidays to some of the other galleries, I should see a painting that I might think would be suitable for your new building, I assure you that I will let you know or have a photograph sent directly to you.

I was glad to see you again, and, as always, I send you and Mrs. Block my personal regards.

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Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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May 25, 1956

MEMORANDUM TO:

Inland Steel Company 38 South Dearborn Street Chicago 3, Illinois

Attention Mr. Leigh B. Block

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1 framed painting by KARL KNATHS

Inland Steel Company

No. 2343
"Sou'eastern Interim"
Painted 1952
Oil on canvas, 30 x 40 inches

31,100.00
One thousand one hundred dollars

EXHIBITED: Los Angeles County Fair, August to October, 1953.

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1 framed painting by ABRAHAM RATTNER

No. 2373
"Window Cleaner No. 2"
Painted 1951
Oil on canvas, 25 5/8 x 32 inches

\$2,000.00 Two thousand dollars

EXHIBITED: "Recent Paintings by Abraham Rattner,

Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York,

March 10 to March 29, 1952.

City Coliseum, Austin, Texas, April-May, 1953.

Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan,

August to November, 1953.

Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,

February to April, 1954.

Bayonne Jewish Community Center, Bayonne, New Jersey,

February-March, 1955.

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I leave for Europe on April 10. If not I trust we will meet sometime in Paris this summer.

With kindest regards to you and Mary, I am

MIAND STEE Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSERBERG & CO.

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March 22, 1956

Mr. Leigh B. Block Inland Steel Company 38 South Dearborn Street: seeing you last week, if only for Chicago 3, Illinois

Dear Leigh:

Please find enclosed a photograph of your large Braque, "Still Life" of 1938, which you requested at the intention of Douglas Cooper.

I was very pleased to see you the other day in the gallery, but I worder whether you will have occasion to come again before I leave for Europe on April 10. If not I trust we will meet sometime in Paris this summer.

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With kindest regards to you and Mary, I am

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

I could forward it to Douglas Cooper.

With kindest regards, Paul Rosenberg

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Yours sincerely,

Mr. Paul Rosenberg 20 East 19th Street New York 21, New York

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CHICAGO 3

LEIGH B. BLOCK
VICE PRESIDENT
AND DIRECTOR OF PURCHASES

March 20, 1956

Dear Paul:

It was nice seeing you last week, if only for a few moments. I must say that I thought you looked extremely well.

We have agreed to lend our large Braque Still Life of 1938, which we purchased from you, to the Edinburgh Festival. I know your records on all pictures you sell are very complete and, as we do not have a photograph of this painting, I thought I would write and ask you if you had one and, if so, if you would kindly send it to me so that I could forward it to Douglas Cooper.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

Leigh B. Block

Mr. Paul Rosenberg 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

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MUSRUM OF FINE ARTS
ADSTON 13, MASSACRUSETTS

OTHER ARTS
March 30, 1956

Mr. Paul Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. Mr. David B. Little, Registrar Museum of Fine Arts Boston 15, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Little:

You were perfectly right in assuming that the letter you lesent us previously, requesting our signature and return, never reached us.

We are happy to enclose the form we received today, with our signature, as we have been advised that the two frames you returned on March 15 arrived safely at Julius Lowy, Inc.

As we have not received this signed receipt, I must assume that either my letter or your Sincerely yours, tin the mail.

PAUL POSENBERG & CO.

I am accordingly enclosing another receipt with the request that you sign it and return it to me.

Paul Rosenberg

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## MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS BOSTON 15, MASSACHUSETTS

office of the registrar March 30, 1956

Mr. Paul Rosenberg Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

In accordance with your instructions we shipped the two extra frames for the Courbet "Forest Glade" to Julius Lowy, Inc., 1228 Second Avenue, New York, on March 15 by Railway Express Prepaid.

We wrote to you at that time informing you of the shipment and enclosing a receipt which we asked you to sign and return to us upon the safe arrival of the frames. As we have not received this signed receipt, I must assume that either my letter or your reply was lost in the mail.

I am accordingly enclosing another receipt with the request that you sign it and return it to me.

Sincerely yours, Lavid B. Sillo David B. Little

Registrar.

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Jenuary 17, 1956

MUSEUM OF PINE ARTS Mr. William G. Dooley Museum of Fine Arts Huntington Avenue Boston 15, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Dooley: Paul Ro

This is the information we have on your painting by Courbet, "Forest Glade." New Y

This picture went successively through the following collections:

Mr. Allard; Mr. C. Goodfriend, U. S. A.; Paul Rosenberg, Paris; Mr. A. Chester Beatty, London; Paul Rosenberg & Co., New York. Will sand packing room boston

BOSTON 13, MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

It has been reproduced in the following publications:

Meier-Graefe, pl. 58.
"Courbet", by Pierre Mac Orlan, full page reproduction,
pl. 44; full page detail opposite page. "Courbet", by Charles Leger, pl. 52.

I was pleased to learn that the acquisition of this painting by your museum will draw so much attention and interest.

> Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Alexandre Rosenberg Director

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## MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS BOSTON 15, MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

January 17, 1956

Mr. Paul Rosenberg 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Mr. Rosenberg:

Many thanks for yours of January 16. I am delighted to hear that the new frame is on its way to Boston. As soon as our packing room is less busy, we will send the old frame to you, care of Julius Lowy, Inc., as per your instructions.

I certainly hope to be in New York before the close of your Courbet exhibition and look forward to it with great pleasure.

With all best wishes to you,

Very sincerely,

Perry T. Rathbone

PTR:FMR Director

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January 16, 1956

Mr. Perry T. Rathbone
Museum of Fine Arts
Huntington Avenue
Boston 15, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Rathbone:

We want to acknowledge receipt, with thanks, of your check in the amount of \$35,000.00, which represents payment in full for the painting by Courbet, "Forest Glade." Enclosed herewith please find our receipted invoice for this payment.

The new frame we ordered for the painting has been shipped to you from Julius Lowy, Inc., and we sincerely hope that you will be pleased with this one, as we believe it is much more suitable for the painting and is less cumbersome than the one that is on it now. Will you be good enough to ship the other frame to Paul Rosenberg & Co. in care of Julius Lowy, Inc., 1228 Second Avenue, New York 22, New York.

Thanking you again, and with the hope that you will be in New York so that you can see our Courbet show, which will continue until the 11th of March, I beg to remain,

Most sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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January 16, 1956

SOLD TO:

Museum of Fine Arts
Huntington Avenue
Boston 15, Massachusetts

One framed painting by GUSTAVE COURBET

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"Forest Glade" one l'affaire affaire affaire agains

Painted circa 1860

Oil on canvas, 61 3/4 x 44 1/2 inches

\$35,000.00

Thirty-five thousand dollars

PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 2600 in the amount of \$35,000.00, dated January 11, 1956, drawn on the Second National Bank of Boston.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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Le 31 mars 1956.

September 10, 1956

Mlle A. Bowers 26, rue Washington Paris (VIIIe)

Chère Mademoiselle Bowers,

Voici pas mal de temps que je n'ai rien entendu de vous; ce qui, je pense, indique qu'il n'y a pas eu de nouveaux développements.

Vous savez que l'affaire m'intéresse toujours vivement, et je voudrais vous informer que je serai à Paris à partir du 17 avril - 9, Avenue du Maréchal Maunoury.

J'espère avoir le plaisir de vous voir à ce momentlà et, en attendant, je vous prie de croire, chère Mademoiselle, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les plus sincères.

Your element; yours,

Florence Walters

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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HAMRY L BRADLEY

September 10, 1956

Mr. Harry L. Bradley
136 West Greenfield Avenue
Milwaukee 4, Wisconsin

Dear Mr. Bradley:

We have the letter of September 6, written by your secretary Miss Braeger. We wish to inform you that the current market values for the paintings she listed, which you and Mrs. Bradley have in your collection, are as follows:

Karl Knaths "Tide Wash" \$1,600.00

Nicolas de Etaël "Flowers" (oil) 5,000.00

Nicolas de Staël "Red Boats" (oil) 2,200.00.

Very sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & GO.

Florence Walters

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Thenk you.

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HARRY L. BRADLEY 136 WEST GREENFIELD AVENUE MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

September 6, 1956

Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

## Att: Miss Florence Walters

Dear Miss Walters:

In 1954 Mr. and Mrs. Bradley purchased the following paintings from your gallery:

"Tide Wash" - by Karl Knaths ---- - - - \$1,600.00

"Flowers" - oil by Nicolas de Stael - - - - 3,300.00

"Red Boats" - " " ----1,400.00 22/

Would you please inform us if there is any appreciable change in the value of these paintings. This data is desired for insurance valuation.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

May Secretary to H. L. Bradley

I.Braeger

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## LES ÉDITIONS BRAUN & C'E-PARIS

Le 24 février, 1956

Monsieur Georges Besson Les Editions Braun & Cie 18, Rue Louis-le-Grand Paris 2e., France

Cher Ami,

GEORGES BESSON

Je vous remercie de votre lettre du 22 février, dans laquelle vous me demandez de vous mettre à même de reproduire en couleurs deux des tableaux de Léger qui ont figuré à l'exposition Maeght.

A mon grand regret, je suis obligé de décliner cette proposition, car cela ne pourrait que prolonger le séjour à Paris de ces tableaux que je suis désireux de voir revenir ici aussitôt que possible. J'avais d'ailleurs fait part de ce désir à Monsieur Maeght lorsque je l'ai vu à New York.

Espérant avoir le plaisir de vous revoir bientôt, et avec mon meilleur souvenir, je vous prie de croire, cher Ami, à mes sentiments les plus sincères.

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GEORGES BESSON

Par avion

Paris, le 22 Février 1956

Monsieur PAUL ROSEMBERG

20, East - 79 Street

NEW-YORK 2I U.S.A.

Cher Ami,

BRAUN & CIE voudrait bien reproduire en couleurs le tableau de FERNAND LEGER qui vous appartient et porte le No 6 du catalogue de l'exposition MAEGHT.

Pouvez-vous nous donner votre autorisation pour ce No 6 et peut-être pour un second tableau que je choisirais avec CLAYEUX.

J'espère que vous santé est bonne et je vous prie de croire à mes sentiments amis et à mes remerciements anticipés.-

Georges Besson.

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# BRODY INVESTMENT COMPANY 9477 BRIGHTON WAY BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA

CRESTVIEW 4-2413

July 6, 1956

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

In regard to your letter of June 29th, I do not think your commission is excessive. However, I was under the impression that it was ten per cent.

Therefore, rather than going through this complicated arithematic, let us say I want \$13,000.00 net for the picture. In this way, you will be given whatever freedom you require in establishing a selling price.

I trust this meets with your approval.

Kind regards.

Sincerely,

Sidney F. Brody

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June 29, 1956

Mr. Sidney F. Brody Brody Investment Company 9477 Brighton Way Beverly Hills, California

Dear Mr. Brody:

Thank you for your letter of June 25, which contains the histories of the paintings by Rouault and Vuillard.

It is understood that we have from you, on consignment for sale, your painting by Vuillard "Portrait of a Girl with Hat." As you mention, we will ask \$16,000.00 for the picture out of which we will take twenty per cent commission, sending you the net amount. If by any chance you think that our commission is excessive, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Enclosed herewith please find our consignment invoice for this picture.

We will do our best to show this painting as often as possible but as you know, the good old New York heat is rapidly encircling us—who wants to look at pictures. I feel reasonably sure that in the fall we will have some good news for you with regard to this painting.

With kindest regards to you and Mrs. Brody, I am

Sincerely yours,
PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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June 25, 1956

June 29, 1956

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Go. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

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I have you is the Frank Mr. Sidney F. Brody
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Beverly Hills, California

Georges Rousult

Oil on canvas, about 1926

From private collection (Mr. and Mrs. Sidney F. Brody)

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From Marris Guttman, New York

One framed painting by VUILLARD

"Portrait of a Girl with Hat"

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Edouard Oil on canvas

19 3/4 x 19 3/4 inches

Cil painting, Exhibition, Basel, 1949 \$16,000.00

From private collection (Mr. and Mrs. Sixteen thousand dollars

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From Alexandre Rabow, San Francisco

Less our commission of 20 per cent . . . . . 3,200.00

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June 25, 1956

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Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

I have your letter of June 18th, and am enclosing herewith the history of the Rouault as extracted from the invoice from the Frank Perls Gallery as follows:

Georges Rouault

"Flowers"

Oil on canvas, about 1926

From private collection (Mr. and Mrs. Sidney F. Brody)

From Frank Porls Gallery

From Morris Guttman, New York

From the Ambroise Vollard Collection

From the artist

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The history of the Vuillard is as follows:

Edouard Vuillard

193" X 193"

26"x18"

"Portrait of a Girl with Hat"

Oil painting, about 1905

Exhibited: Vuillard exhibition, Basel, 1949

From private collection (Mr. and Mrs. Sidney F. Brody)

From Frank Perls Gallery

From Alexandre Rabow, San Francisco

From private collection, Switzerland

From Galerie Georges Mooss, Geneva

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The minimum price for which the picture should be sold, I think, is \$16,000.00 gross, unless you disagree with me. Your commission would then come out of this price, leaving the net balance due to me.

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I trust this answers whatever questions you had, and again let me say how delighted we are with the Renoir.

Mrs. Brody joins me in best wishes.

Sincerely,

Sidney F. Brody

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# BRODY INVESTMENT COMPANY 9477 BRIGHTON WAY BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA

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June 12, 1956

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Miss Walters:

We received the Renoir "Head of a Young Woman" quite some time ago, and have been waiting to hear from you in regard to the Rouault "Flower Still Life," and the Vuillard "Girl with Straw Hat."

We would like very much to buy the Renoir, provided we can work out a reasonable allowance on the Rouault. Please let us know what you can do on this trade, and upon receipt of your letter, we will reply to you at once.

Mrs. Brody joins me in best regards.

Sincerely,

Sidney F. Brody

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June 18, 1956

June 18, 1996

Mr. Sidney F. Brody
360 South Mapleton Drive
Los Angeles 24, California

Dear Mr. Brody:

I must let you know that I am only too aware that you lost no time in sending us your check of \$17,500.00, which represents payment in full for the painting by Renoir "Head of a Young Woman," and I want to thank you for your so prompt consideration. In addition to this check of \$17,500.00, we have taken in part payment for the Renoir your painting by Rouault "Flower Still Life." Will you kindly, for our records, send us the history of this picture?

No. Sidney 7. Brody 360 Scath Hepleton Drive

When you say that we have your painting by Vuillard
"Girl with Straw Hat" on consignment here from you, for sale in
the excess of \$16,000.00, what do you mean by this? How much
more than \$16,000.00 do you want us to sell it for, or is it
your net price? For this painting I would also like to have the
history.

I am delighted that you and Mrs. Brody have the Renoir, as it is truly a gem of a picture.

I do hope to see you and Mrs. Brody very soon. With my kindest and best regards, I am

Most sincerely, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

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June 18, 1956

SOLD TO:

Mr. Sidney F. Brody 360 South Mapleton Drive Los Angeles 24, California

20 East 79th Street New York One framed painting by RENOIR

Dear Miss No. 5631

Miss Florence Walters

"Head of a Young Woman" for \$17,500 to payment

for the Rem Painted 1887 Toung Woman" with one Remailt "Flower Still Life" now in your possession for full payment

of the picturoil on cenvas, 13 1/2 x 10 1/2 inches

Signed and dated: Renoir '87 upper left corner

to leave with you our Vuilland "Cirl with Straw Har" on a consignment basis for you to sall for us for an amount in

COLLECTION: Ambroise Vollard, Paris.

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Received in cash \$17,500.00

plus one picture by Rousult

"Flower Still Life" deey To Brody

26 x 18 inches

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PAYMENT IN FULL RECEIVED WITH THANKS by check No. 480 in the amount of \$17,500.00, dated June 15, 1956, drawn on the Bankers Trust Company, New York.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Secretary

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## BRODY INVESTMENT COMPANY

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June 15, 1956

Miss Florence Walters Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

Enclosed find our check for \$17,500 in payment for the Renoir "Head of a Young Woman" with our Rouault "Flower Still Life" now in your possession for full payment of the picture.

Confirming our telephone conversation, I agree to leave with you our Vuillard "Girl with Straw Hat" on a consignment basis for you to sell for us for an amount in excess of \$16,000.00.

Certainly enjoyed talking to you, and Mrs. Brody and I look forward to seeing you soon.

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Sincerely,

Sidney F. Brody

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May 11, 1956

June 7, 1956

Miss Florence Walters, Director Paul Resemberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney F. Brody
360 South Mapleton Drive
Los Angeles 24, California

francing and stretching of the Bra-Dear Mr. and Mrs. Brody:

We hope that by this time you have received the painting by Renoir "Head of a Young Woman", which we sent to you on approval.

Your two paintings which you shipped to us, Rousult, "Flower Still Life" and Vuillard, "Girl with Straw Hat" are in the gallery, and we await your decision regarding the painting by Renoir.

We would not be interested in the Vuillard, however, I really think that we could do something about the Rouault.

We would like to hear from you whether you have decided to acquire the Renoir.

With our kindest and best regards, we are

Sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

Sidney F. Brody

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BRODY INVESTMENT COMPANY
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BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA

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May 11, 1956

Miss Florence Walters, Director Paul Rosenberg & Co. 20 East 79th Street New York 21, New York

Dear Miss Walters:

I have your letter of May 8th, and appreciate your telephoning Lowy's and taking care of the charges for the framing and stretching of the Braque.

Our Rouault and Vuiliard will be packed and air freighted to you Monday, May 14th. I am somewhat at a loss to know what price we should ask for these two paintings. We have had the pictures several years, and have carried the Rouault at\$14,500 for insurance purposes, and the Vuiliard at \$22,000. Our cost on the Rouault was \$13,250, and on the Vuiliard \$12,750, which of course has no relationship to the present day value.

When you have seen the pictures and appraised them yourself, please let me know what you think would be a fair figure.

I would think the present market on the Rouault would be around \$14,500, and on the Vuiliard perhaps \$18,000.

With kind regards from Mrs. Brody and myself, I am

Sincerely,

Sidney F. Brody

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May 8, 1956

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Mr. and Mrs. Sidney F. Brody 360 South Mapleton Drive Los Angeles 24, California

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Brody:

Yesterday I telephoned Max of Lowy's and informed him that we are to be charged for the stretcher he is making and for the changes in the frame you ordered for your Braque, "The Terrace!"

In a few days the Remoir frame will be ready and we will ship the painting to you by air express.

Will you kindly let us know what prices you would like for the two paintings you are sending to us. Please give us this information as it will greatly facilitate matters.

It was very nice to see you on Saturday. With my kindest regards, I am

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Sincerely yours,
PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Florence Walters

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Recrétaire de M. P. Rosenberg

Le 13 novembre 1956.

Monsieur Brochier 27, Boulevard de la Croix Rousse Lyon

New York 21, NaXa

Cher Monsieur Brochier,

Je vous aurai donc encore manqué durant mon séjour en France, et ceci pour la deuxième année consécutive. J'espère vraiment avoir plus de chance la prochaine fois.

Mon père, qui vient de regagner New York, m'a
dit avoir eu, par contre, le plaisir de vous voir. A
ce qu'il m'a dit, vous avez même avancé les choses en
ce qui concerne votre Cézanne et votre Degas, et je
suis très heureux que vous vous soyez mis d'accord en
principe. Il n'est donc pas utile que je vous confirme
à nouveau l'intérêt que nous portons à ces deux tableaux.

Outre ces deux pièces, n'y aurait-il pas dans votre collection d'autres objets que vous voudriez ven-

En regrettant encore de ne pas vous avoir vu, mais en vous remerciant de l'amabilité que vous avez eue à rendre la chose presque possible, je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Brochier, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les plus sincères.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Alexandre Rosenberg

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Mile.
Marcelle Giroux
Secrétaire de M. P.Rosenberg
20 East 79th Street
New York 21, N.Y.

Mademoiselle,

Je me permets de me référer à la lettre que vous m'avez adressée en date du 31 mai.

En l'absence de Monsieur Bührle qui a dû partir en voyage pour quelques semaines, je suis autorisé à vous informer que les 10 tableaux de Monsieur Paul Rosenberg sont arrivés à Zurich sûrement et en très bon état.

Je vous prie de croire, Mademoiselle, à l'assurance de mes sentiments distingués.

D'ebli

Peter Dietschi Secrétaire Privé

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Le 5 juin, 1956

Monsieur Emile Bührle Zollikerstrasse, 178 Zurich

Cher Monsieur Bührle,

Dès réception de votre lettre du ler juin, nous informant que les dix tableaux vous sont parvenus en bon état, nous avons donné les instructions nécessaires pour annuler la police d'assurance qui les couvrait.

Nous avons par ailleurs fait transférer au compte de la Banque Industrielle et Commerciale Zurich SA., Zurich, auprès de la Chase Manhattan Bank de New York, la contre-valeur de frs.s. 5'385.70, soit \$1,257.02. Vous recevrez sans doute d'ici peu de jours confirmation de cette transaction.

Avec l'expression de ma satisfaction à savoir que ces tableaux sont enfin entre vos mains, je vous prie d'agréer, cher Monsieur Bührle, l'assurance de mes sentiments les plus distingués.

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Monsieur
Paul Rosenberg
20 East 79th Street
NEW YORK 21, N.Y.
U.S.A.

Concerne: Restitution de la moitié des frais Votre lettre du 20 mars a.c.

Cher Monsieur,

J'ai bien reçu votre lettre du 20 mars ac. au sujet des dix tableaux que vous m'avez envoyés. Ils sont arrivés en bon état.

Ci-après, je vous fais parvenir un relevé des frais et taxes que j'ai dû payer, y compris des photocopies des notes:

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Veuillez croire, cher Monsieur, à mes sentiments très distingués.

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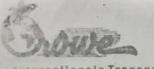
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THE NEW YORK TIMES, SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 1956.

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Wildenstein & Co., Inc., had re- as defendants. They were detained Broady to tap the telephone wires of Knoedler & Co., and another art dealer, Rudolph Heinemann, with whom Knoed- half of Knoedler by Rosenman.

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A suit for \$500,000 damages that developed out of testimony at the wiretap conspiracy trial of John G. Broady was filed in Federal Court here yesterday. The plaintiff is M. Knoedler & Co., Inc., internationally known art dealer; the defendant, which forbids the "interception, disclosure, or publication of any interception, disclosure, or publication in the Broady trial, Mr. Rou-atous bate of this litigation, and there expand the proady trial, Mr. Rou-atous bate, at the Broady trial

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# NOT ALL ART DEALERS ARE LAWBREAKERS

"ILLEGAL WIRETAPPING IS A SLIMY ACTIVITY, SHICH DIRECTLY AND ADVERSELY APPECTS OUR SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LIPE. IT CANNOT BE CONDENNED TOO STRONGLY."

Thus spoke Judge Jonah J. Goldstein of the Court of General Sessions in New York in sentencing John G. Broady, convicted of a wiretap conspiracy.

A Vice-President of Wildenstein & Co. testified during the trial and admitted that he had employed Broady to tap the wires of an art dealer competitor of Wildenstein, and that he had procured tape transcriptions of the tapped telephone conversations.

We agree with Judge Goldstein's statement, quoted above, and with his further statement:

"In my many years as a judge, I have made it a rule not to excoriate defendants when imposing a prison sentence. HOWEVER, THE PUBLIC INTEREST REQUIRES SOME COMMENT COM-

We, too, as honorable art dealers, believe the public interest is involved. We feel that the widespread publicity given to the testimony of Wildenstein & Co.'s Vice-President has damaged art dealers generally and has undermined the public's confidence in them. We therefore feel it necessary to record with our clients and with the public generally that none of the undersigned have ever authorized wiretapping against our competitors and we strongly condemn that practice.

As Assistant District Attorney Aloysius J. Melia, who prosecuted Broady, said:

"Homes and businesses have been seriously disrupted. The people of the community are greatly alarmed and shocked at the BRAZEN AND RUTHLESS INVASION OF THE PRIVACY OF INDIVIDUALS.

"If we are to safeguard the civil rights of our citizens, including the sacred right to privacy, we must take a stern view of the crimes for which this defendant stands convicted."

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Mr. Walter Drack Secretary to Mr. E. Bührle Zollikerstrasse 178 Zürich, Switzerland te et la occionation des trois différente accora-

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In order that we may be able to close our files on the subject of the 10 paintings purchased earlier by Mr. Bührle and sent to him, in three separate air ship-ments, March 18, 19 and 20, 1956, we would like to re-ceive from you a confirmation to the effect that these paintings arrived safely in your country. This information will be relayed to our insurance representatives, who require such a statement before they can cancel the insurance covering this operation.

Thanking you in advance, I am

Very truly yours,

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Secretary to Mr. Rosenberg

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Le 20 mars 1956.

Monsieur Emil Bührle c/o Crowe & Co., S.A. ZURICH Talstrasse 58

Cher Monsieur Bührle,

Veuillez trouver ci-inclus copie d'une lettre, adressée par nous à Limmat Versicherungs-Gesellschaft, qui vous indiquera la date et la composition des trois différents envois comprenant la totalité de vos dix tableaux. J'espère qu'ils vous arriveront bientôt en bon état. En effet, ne sachant pas si vous preniez soin de l'assurance, j'ai trouvé préférable de faire assurer l'expédition en temps utile pour la valeur totale et à nos frais. Vous n'avez donc pas à vous soucier de cette question.

Selon vos instructions, les documents d'expédition ont été envoyés à Crowe & Co., en double. Par ailleurs, j'ai donné pour instructions à notre expéditeur qu'il nous débite de tous les frais d'emballage et de transport jusqu'à l'aérodrome de Zürich.

Dés que les formalités douanières suisses auront été exécutées, je pense que vous me ferez parvenir un relevé des frais et taxes que vous aurez à payer, afin que je puisse vous faire parvenir un chéque pour la moitié du montant de cette somme.

Je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Bührle, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les plus distingués.

PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Paul Rosenberg

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<u>Pièce jointe:</u>
copie lettre à Limmat Versicherungs-Gesellschaft

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E.BÜHRLE

ZÜRICH, DEN 9 MARS 1956 ZOLLIKERSTR. 178 TELEPH, 32:51.04

Monsieur Paul Rosenberg, 20 East 79th Street, New York 21.

Monsieur,

Je confirme la réception de votre lettre datée du 5 mars 1956. Je prends note de votre point-de-vue que vous exposez en ce qui concerne la livraison à Zurich. N'ayant pas la moindre intention d'engager une discussion qui ne sera que nuisible à ma santé, je vous confirme mon accord, et j'attends l'envoi des tableaux.

Agréez, Monsieur, mes salutations distinguées.

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Le 5 mars, 1956

Monsieur Emile Bührle Zollikerstrasse, 178 Zurich

Cher Monsieur Bührle.

Votre lettre du 29 février m'a vivement surpris.

Il m'est très difficile de comprendre que vous prétendiez qu'il a toujours été convenu que je devais assumer les frais d'importation des tableaux en Suisse, et notamment de la taxe sur le chiffre d'affaires perçue par les douanes de ce pays. Je sais bien qu'aucune convention n'existe entre nous à ce sujet; votre lettre même comporte une contradiction qui admet ce fait, puisque vous vous appuyez sur mon offre, faite jadis, de payer la moitié, ce qui indique bien qu'il n'était pas question que je paye le tout.

Il est vrai que je vous avais fait une proposition à l'époque de votre achat, dans le but tout amical de vous faciliter les choses et de vous mettre à même de profiter de vos tableaux sans délai. Cette offre était une générosité de ma part, et non une obligation. D'ailleurs, lorsque je vous ai fait cette offre de contribuer à la moitié de la taxe, vous n'auriez pas manqué de protester et de me représenter que j'étais engagé à payer le tout. Mais sans y répondre directement, vous m'avez fait savoir que vous n'étiez nullement pressé de recevoir ces tableaux, et dans ces conditions, ma proposition n'avait plus d'objet. Presque quatre ans après, et sans mot de votre part, j'étais fondé à penser que mon offre était devenue caduque.

Je ne peux croire que vous avez consenti à vous priver si longtemps de dix tableaux importants, que vous avez prié Peter Nathan de venir me faire ses recommandations et déterminer les prix avec moi, qu'encore il y a quelques jours, votre secrétaire particulier me demandait instamment de baisser davantage ces prix, s'il était possible – tout cela dans mon intérêt? Vous n'auriez pas dû en avoir tant de souci s'il était exact que j'eusse accepté librement d'assumer tous les frais. Je crois plutôt que c'est tout dernièrement que vous vous êtes avisé de la possibilité de vous en décharger sur moi.

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Monsieur Emile Bührle
Le 5 mars, 1956
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Il reste cependant vrai que je vous ai fait l'offre de régler la moitié de la taxe suisse sur le chiffre d'affaires, qui constituait l'obstacle principal à l'importation de ces tableaux. Vous choisissez, avec un grand retard, de me prendre au mot. Je ne reviens jamais sur ma parole, mais j'entends alors y être tenu à la lettre, et point au-delà. En conséquence, je suis disposé à assumer la moitié de cette taxe, soit 1,8 pour cent, puisqu'elle s'élève à 3,6 pour cent. Il ne saurait être question de me demander de contribuer autrement que sur la base du taux actuel. Si cette taxe a baissé, tant mieux, îl est normal que cela nous profite à tous deux.

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Pour la bonne règle d'une question d'affaires, je dois décliner de participer plus avant aux frais, les tableaux vous ayant été vendus à New York, et non livrés Zurich.

J'attends votre réponse et vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Bührle, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les plus distingués.

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Monsieur
Paul Rosenberg,
20 East 79th Street,
New York 21.

Cher Monsieur Rosenberg,

En lisant votre lettre du 18 février j'ai l'impression qu'il y a un petit malentendu. Vous m'avez toujours vendu les tableaux loco Zurich, et je ne me suis jamais occupé ni de la question du transport, ni de la question de l'importation. Si je vous ai conseillé en 1952 de conserver mes tableaux provisoirement chez vous, c'était seulement pour la raison de vous aider à économiser votre argent et de ne pas vous forcer à le jeter dans le gosier du Moloch de l'administration suisse des douanes. Etant donné qu'au début de 1956 les taxes douanières et les impôts sur le chiffre d'affaires furent baissés de 40%, le total des droits de douane est actuellement de 3.6% de la valeur entière, c'est presque la même base que vous m'aviez proposé dans votre lettre du 11 novembre 1952 "de payer la moitié des droits de douane sur des prix très réduits... c'est-à-dire que, si les droits sont de six pour cent, je paierais trois pour cent..."

J'attends donc que vous preniez à votre charge 1) l'importation des tableaux. Concernant les factures je peux vous dire qu'elles ne doivent être envoyées en double qu'à la Maison CROWE & Co., Zurich.

Je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Rosenberg, à mes sentiments les plus distingués.

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Le 18 février, 1956

Monsieur Emile Bührle Zollikerstrasse, 178 Zurich

Cher Monsieur Bührle,

J'ai bien reçu la lettre du 15 février qui m'a été adressée par votre secrétaire particulier; cette lettre concerne l'expédition des dix tableaux qui vous appartienment.

Je me souviens de la discussion que nous avions eue à ce sujet avec M. Peter Nathan. Il va sans dire que je voudrais m'efforcer de faire le plus possible pour vous être agréable en vous facilitant l'importation de ces tableaux en Suisse; cependant, nous ne pouvons dépasser certaines limites sans risquer notre position sur le marché international. Il ne nous est pas possible, en particulier, de déclarer que les tableaux dûment signés soient de l'école du peintre, ou attribués à ce peintre, et non du peintre lui-même. Je pense que vous comprendrez que nous sommes tenus à respecter certaines règles en dehors desquelles nous risquons de nous attirer des ennuis sérieux, notamment à l'égard de la Suisse où nous voulons conserver notre liberté d'action.

En conséquence, vous trouverez ci-dessous la liste des tableaux sous la forme et aux prix selon lesquels nous établirons les documents. Ces prix ont été agréés par M. Nathan: -

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1.	Ecole Française du 19e Siècle - "Fleurs dans des Pots"	-	\$4,000.00
2.	Gustave Courbet - "Château d'Ornans"	-	5,000.00
3.	Daumier - (aquarelle) - "Musiciens"	-	2,500.00
4.	Ecole Française du 19e Siècle - "Père et Filles"	-	4,500.00
5.	Ecole d'Ingres - "Portrait de Femme"	-	3,000.00
6.	Manet - "Jeune Femme en Costume Oriental"	-	12,000.00
7.	Claude Monet - "Honfleur"	-	7,000.00
8.	Pissarro - "La Route de Louvecienres"	-	10,000.00
9.	Renoir - "Les Chapeaux Fleuris"	-	12,500.00
10	Sisley - "Marly"	-	6,000.00

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Monsieur Emile Bührle Le 18 février, 1956 Page 2.

20 Mant 79th Street, few Jork 21.

Nous avons pris bonne note des instructions que vous nous donnez pour l'expédition. Devons-nous comprendre que vous désirez recevoir
directement deux exemplaires des documents, et que d'autre part deux
autres exemplaires doivent être envoyés à Crowe & Co.? Par ailleurs,
veuillez nous confirmer que vous prenez toutes les dispositions utiles
concernant l'assurance de ces tableaux en transit. Nous procèderons à
l'expédition dès que nous aurons reçu de vous votre accord et vos
éclaircissements sur ces différents points.

importation des 10 tableaux en

J'espère que votre santé ne vous cause plus d'ennuis et que j'aurai le plaisir de vous voir cet été en bonne forme. Veuillez croire, cher Monsieur Bührle, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

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E.BÜHRLE Secrétariat Particulier ZÜRICH, DEN 15 février 1956 ZOLLIKERSTR. 178 TELEPH. 32,51,04

Monsieur Paul Rosenberg, 20 East 79th Street, New York 21,

Cher Monsieur.

Me référant aux communications de Mr. P. Nathan concernant l'importation des 10 tableaux en Suisse, je vous saurais gré de bien vouloir faire expédier les oeuvres par votre agent de transport à la Maison CROWE & Co. S.A., Zurich, Talstrasse 58. Des factures, adressées à Mr. Buhrle et envoyées en même temps avec les instruc-tions concernant les frais etc. à Crowe, doivent être établies en double.

Veuillez s'il vous plaît éviter de mentionner autant que possible les noms des peintres et de les remplacer de la manière suivante:

- 1 Cézanne par Ecole franç. 19e s.: Fleurs... 2 Courbet " Attribué à Courbet: Château 3 Daumier " Peintre franç.192 s.: Musiciens

- " Ecole de Degas: Père et filles 4 - Degas
- " Attribué à Ingres: Portr.de dame " Attribué à Manet: Jeune dame " Ecole de Monet: Port 5 - Ingres
- 6 Manet
- 7 Monet
- 8 Pissarro " Attribué à Pissarro: Louveciennes
- 9 Renoir " Ecole franc.19e s.: Deux filles 0 Sisley " Attribué à Sisley: Marly
- 10 Sisley

Selon les instructions de la part de Mr. Nathan vous enverrez au maximum trois tableaux en une

Au nom de Mr. Buhrle je vous remercie à l'avance, et je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur, à l'expression de nos meilleurs sentiments.

W. Drack, Secr. Partic.

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## Propositions pour des prix

(a comparer la lettre du 15/2/56)

1 - \$ 3.200.--

2 - " 5.000.--

3 - " 1.800.--

4 - " 4.500.--

5 - " 3.000.--

6 - " 6.000.--

7 - " 4.000.--

8 - " 5.000.--

9 - " 6.000.--

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Monsieur Paul Rosenberg, 20 East 79th Street, N e w Y o r k 21.

Cher Monsieur Rosenberg,

J'accuse réception de votre lettre du 12 janvier. Je n'ai jamais envisagé de vendre les tableaux qui sont toujours chez vous à New York. Au contraire, j'ai écrit il y a quelques jours à M. Peter Nathan jr. de bien vouloir se mettre en rapport avec vous dans cette affaire. Il vous dira tout ce qui est nécessaire.

Je vous remercie de vos aimables lignes et de vos bons voeux, et je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Rosenberg, à l'expression de mes sentiments les meilleurs.

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Alexandre Rosenberg, Esq., Le 12 janvier, 1956

10. 5. 1986.

Monsieur Emile Bührle Zollikerstrasse, 178 Zurich

Cher Monsieur Bührle,

J'ai récemment appris, avec grand regret, que vous avez été malade mais que, cependant, vous allez mieux. Si je l'avais su plus tôt, je n'aurais pas tant tardé à vous écrire pour vous offrir mes meilleurs voeux de prompt rétablissement.

Vos tableaux sont toujours ici, et je me demande si vous découvrirez bientôt le moyen de vous les faire parvenir. Croyez bien que je ne m'en plains pas, car j'ai ainsi l'occasion de voir, de temps à autre, ces magnifiques tableaux; même cela me donne fréquemment des regrets de penser qu'ils ne sont plus à moi.

Au cas où vous ne verriez pas le terme des difficultés qui ont empêché de vous expédier ces tableaux, et si, par ailleurs, n'ayant encore jamais vécu avec eux vous ne vous y sentiriez pas attaché, je vous assure que je serais très heureux de pouvoir vous racheter ces peintures. Cela me fait de la peine de penser que voici si longtemps qu'elles ne profitent à personne.

Je serais très heureux de savoir qu'elle est votre réaction à cette proposition, et dans l'attente du plaisir de vous lire et d'avoir de plus amples nouvelles de votre santé, je vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur Bührle, à l'assurance de mes sentiments les plus sincères.

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10. 5. 1956.

Alexandre Rosenberg, Esq., Paul Rosenberg & Co., 20 East 79th Street, New York 21, N.Y., U. S. A.

Dear Mr. Rosenberg,

Thank you for your letter ( 4. 5. '56). It is very nice of you to ask me to show at your Gallery. I should have liked to have done so, but Pierre Matisse approached me more than a year ago and I arranged to let him handle my stuff in

Should there at any time be a change in my plans, I will get in touch with you to see if you are still interested.

Y ours sincerely,

Reg. Butter Reg Butler.

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May 4, 1956

Mr. Reg Butler Ash Berkhamsted Place Berkhamsted, Hertfordshire England

Dear Mr. Butler:

We have recently embarked upon a program under which we shall exhibit and handle at all times the work of some eminent sculptors. We propose to do it along the same lines, and in the same style as we have done in the past about paintings.

Naturally, we would like very much to see some of your works included in this program. We have already assembled a group of fine artists to which yourname and reputation would add greatly.

Will you let me know whether you would be interested in this project and under what conditions it might be possible. I would appreciate knowing your reaction as we are now working toward making this gallery into a truly active and influential center of sculpture.

> Very sincerely yours, PAUL ROSENBERG & CO.

Alexandre Rosenberg

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