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BOOK ILLUSTRATION

- Six border illustrations for the *Haggadah*, 1931-32  
 Watercolor and tempera, average size  $11\frac{3}{4} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$ "  
 The Jewish Museum, New York  
 \* Two pages illustrated, p. 6

SACCO-VANZETTI SERIES, 1931-32

- \* *The Passion of Sacco and Vanzetti*  
 Tempera, 7 x 4"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York  
 \*\* *Bartolomeo Vanzetti and Nicola Sacco*  
 Gouache,  $10\frac{7}{8} \times 14\frac{5}{8}$ "  
 The Museum of Modern Art, Gift of Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr.  
 \* *Bartolomeo Vanzetti*  
 Gouache,  $14\frac{1}{2} \times 11\frac{1}{2}$ "  
 Collection Mrs. Edith Gregor Halpert, New York  
 \* *Demonstration in Paris*  
 Gouache,  $14\frac{1}{2} \times 9\frac{3}{4}$ " (sight)  
 Collection Elmer Rice, Stamford, Conn.

THE MOONEY SERIES, 1932-33

- \* *Apotheosis* 18'8"  
 Tempera,  $21 \times 48$ "  
 Lent by the artist  
 \*\* *Two Witnesses: Mellie Edeau and Sadie Edeau*  
 Gouache, 12 x 16"  
 The Museum of Modern Art, Purchase Fund  
 \* *The Defendants*  
 Gouache,  $14\frac{1}{2} \times 20\frac{1}{2}$ "  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Starr, Nashville, Tenn.  
 \*\* *Governor James Rolph, Jr., of California*  
 Gouache,  $15\frac{1}{2} \times 12$ "  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Perelman, New York  
 \* *Walker Greets Mother of Mooney*  
 Gouache,  $22\frac{1}{2} \times 15\frac{3}{4}$  (sight)  
 Collection Philip Shan, New York  
 \* *The Supreme Court of California*  
 Gouache, 16 x  $24\frac{1}{8}$ "  
 Collection Thomas Dabney Mabry, New York  
 \*\* *My Son Is Innocent*  
 Gouache,  $16\frac{1}{4} \times 12\frac{1}{8}$ "  
 Collection Mrs. Edward B. Rowan, Falls Church, Va.

THE PROHIBITION SERIES, 1933-34

- \*\* *W.C.T.U. Parade*  
 Tempera,  $16\frac{1}{4} \times 31\frac{3}{4}$ "  
 \* *Speakeasy Closed for Violation*  
 Tempera,  $16\frac{1}{4} \times 47\frac{7}{8}$ "  
 \* *Parade for Repeal, with Jimmy Walker*  
 Tempera,  $16\frac{1}{2} \times 31\frac{3}{4}$ "  
 Public Works of Art Project, courtesy the Museum of the City of New York

THE RIKER'S ISLAND MURAL PROJECT, 1934-35

- \* *Study for Mural at Riker's Island Prison*  
 Tempera,  $10\frac{1}{4} \times 36\frac{1}{4}$ " (sight)  
 Collection Heywood Hale Broun (and Karl Fortress, New York.)

EASEL PAINTINGS

- \*\* *Scott's Run, West Virginia*, 1937  
 Tempera,  $22\frac{1}{2} \times 28$ "  
 The Whitney Museum of American Art  
 \* *Sunday Football*, 1938  
 Tempera, 16 x  $23\frac{1}{2}$ "  
 Estate of Herman Shulman, Stamford, Conn.  
 \*\* *Sunday Painting*, 1938  
 Tempera,  $16\frac{1}{8} \times 24$ "  
 Collection Mrs. Ben Shahn  
 \* *Jesus Exalted in Song*, 1939  
 Tempera, 22 x 30"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York  
 \*\* *Self Portrait Among the Churchgoers*, 1939  
 Tempera, 20 x  $29\frac{1}{2}$ "  
 Collection Richard Loeb, New York  
 \*\* *Vacant Lot*, 1939  
 Tempera, 19 x 23"  
 The Wadsworth Atheneum, Hartford, Conn.  
 \* *Seurat's Lunch*, 1939  
 Tempera,  $19\frac{7}{8} \times 29\frac{7}{8}$ "  
 The Pepsi-Cola Company  
 \*\* *Handball*, 1939  
 Tempera, 24 x  $33\frac{1}{4}$ "  
 The Museum of Modern Art, Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Fund  
 \*\* *Willis Avenue Bridge*, 1940  
 Tempera,  $22\frac{1}{4} \times 30\frac{1}{2}$ "  
 Collection Lincoln Kirstein, New York

- \* *Spring (Democracies Fear Peace Offensive)*, 1940  
 47.973 Tempera, 15 x 22"  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. Earle Ludgin, Hubbard Woods, Ill.
- \*\* *Pretty Girl Milking the Cow*, 1940  
 47.911 Tempera, 22 x 30"  
 Collection Edgar Kaufmann, Jr., New York
- \*\* *Self Portrait When Young*, 1943  
 47.914 Tempera, 19 1/4 x 27 1/8"  
 Collection Miss Celia Hubbard, New York
- \* *Fourth of July Orator*, 1943  
 47.932 Tempera, 22 x 30"  
 Private collection (Soby)
- \*\* *Girl Jumping Rope*, 1943  
 47.913 Tempera, 16 x 24"  
 Collection Richard Loeb, New York
- \*\* *Peter and the Wolf*, 1943  
 47.912 Tempera, 6 x 9 1/2" (image)  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Louchheim, N. Y.
- \* *Morning*, 1943  
 47.1095 (not ex.) Tempera, 5 3/4 x 13 1/4"  
 The Phillips Memorial Gallery, Washington, D. C.
- \* *Italian Landscape, I*, 1944  
 47.951 Tempera, 28 x 36"  
 The Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, Minn.
- \* *Italian Landscape, II*, 1944  
 47.892 Tempera, 20 3/4 x 30" (S. 964)  
 Collection Charles Alan, New York
- \*\* *Welders*, 1944  
 264.44 Tempera, 22 x 39 3/4"  
 The Museum of Modern Art, Purchase Fund
- \*\* *The Red Stairway*, 1944  
 47.915 Tempera, 16 x 24"  
 The City Art Museum, St. Louis, Mo.
- \*\* *Cherubs and Children*, 1944  
 47.908 Tempera, 15 1/2 x 23 1/2"  
 The Whitney Museum of American Art
- \*\* *Four Piece Orchestra*, 1944  
 47.1001 Tempera, 18 x 24"  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Perelman, New York
- \*\* *Reconstruction*, 1945  
 47.925 Tempera, 26 x 39"  
 The Whitney Museum of American Art
- \*\* *Death on the Beach*, 1945  
 47.917 Tempera, 10 x 14"  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Berkowitz, San Antonio, Texas
- \*\* *Pacific Landscape*, 1945  
 47.896 Tempera, 25 1/2 x 39"  
 Private collection (Spivack)
- \*\* *The Blind Accordion Player*, 1945  
 47.906 Tempera, 26 x 39"  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Neuberger, N. Y.
- \*\* *Liberation*, 1945  
 47.916 Tempera, 30 x 39 3/4"  
 Private collection (Soby)
- \* *Ohio Magic*, 1945  
 47.926 Tempera, 26 x 39"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York
- \* *Ohio Skyline*, 1945  
 47.975 Tempera, 10 x 25 3/4"  
 Coll. Dr. and Mrs. Michael Watter, Pineville, Pa.
- \*\* *Carnival*, 1946  
 47.924 Tempera, 22 x 30"  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Tepper, Plainfield, New Jersey
- \* *Father and Child*, 1946  
 47.933 Tempera, 40 x 30"  
 Private collection (Soby)
- \* *Renascence*, 1946  
 47.1000 Tempera, 22 x 30"  
 United States Department of State
- \*\* *Hunger*, 1946  
 47.974 Tempera, 40 x 26"  
 United States Department of State
- \* *Nearly Everybody Reads the Bulletin*, 1946  
 47.918 Tempera, 22 x 30"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York
- \* *Oak Ridge*, 1946  
 47.741 (not ex.) Tempera, 10 x 16"  
 Lent by the artist Mrs. Dan Shahu
- \* *East 12th Street*, 1947  
 47.921 Tempera, 22 x 30"  
 Collection Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hackett, Los Angeles, Calif.
- \* *Spring*, 1947  
 47.893 Tempera, 17 x 30"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York
- \* *The Violin Player*, 1947  
 47.928 Tempera, 40 x 26"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York (Sold to Sam Q. Lewisohn)
- \* *Trouble*, 1947  
 47.930 Tempera, 24 x 36"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York
- \* *New York*, 1947  
 47.929 Tempera, 36 x 48"  
 The Downtown Gallery, New York
- DRAWINGS
- \*\* *Girl Jumping Rope*, 1943  
 47.931 Ink, 22 x 30"  
 Private collection (Soby)
- \* *Girl Jumping Rope*, 1946  
 47.663 Ink, 12 5/8 x 17 5/8"  
 Collection Miss Betty Chamberlain, New York