

# **art in progress**

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## posters

## LENDERS

Herbert Bayer, New York; A. E. Gallatin, New York; G. E. Kidder Smith, Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York; Xanti Schawinsky, New York; John Davies Stamm, Ladislav Sutnar, New York; Simon de Vaulchier, New York; Gene Walther, New York.

All posters are from the collection of the Museum of Modern Art unless otherwise credited.

ANGUIANO, Raúl. Mexican, born 1909.

27.42 German Fascism. (World War II) 18 1/8 x 6 1/2". Inter-American Fund.

ATHERTON, John. American, born 1900.

Buy a Share in America. 1941. (World War II) 29 x 20 1/8". Gift of the Treasury Department.

7.44 A Careless Word—Another Cross. 1943. (World War II) 40 x 28 1/2". Gift of the Office of War Information.

BAYER, Herbert. Born Austria, 1900. Worked in Germany. Now in U.S.A.

44.937 \*Exhibition of European Arts and Crafts. Leipzig, 1927. 35 1/4 x 23 3/8". Lent by the artist. Ill. p.204.

44.939 German Section—Exhibition of the Society of Decorative Artists. Paris, 1930. 62 7/8 x 45 1/2". Lent by the artist.

44.938 Annual Show for Restaurateurs, Hotel-keepers, Bakers, Pastry-makers. Berlin, 1935. 43 1/4 x 49 1/2". Lent by the artist.

88.44 Freedom of Religion, Freedom of Speech . . . 1942. (World War II) 39 3/8 x 28 1/2". Gift of the Office of the Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs.

BEALL, Lester. American, born 1903.

90.44 Power on the Farm. 1937. (Dept. of Agriculture, Rural Electrification Administration) 40 x 30". Gift of the Department of Agriculture.

89.44 Cross Out Slums. 1941. (U.S. Housing Authority) 39 1/2 x 29 3/8". Gift of the United States Housing Authority.

BRODOVITCH, Alexey. American, born Russia 1898.

91.44 Freedom of Speech. 1942. (World War II) 39 3/8 x 28 1/2". Gift of the Office of the Coordinator of Inter-American Affairs.

CARIGIET, Alois. Swiss.

42.685 Switzerland Welcomes You. 1937. (Travel) 40 x 25 1/8". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York.

42.703 Swiss Agricultural Exhibition and Inter-Cantonal Lottery. 1937. 50 1/8 x 35 1/4". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York.

42.695 Arosa. 1938. (Travel) 40 1/8 x 25 1/4". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York. Ill. p.207.

352.43 Vacations in Switzerland. 1938. (Travel) 40 x 25 1/4". Gift of G. E. Kidder Smith.

CARLU, Jean. French, born 1900. Now in U.S.A.

not exh Monaco Aquarium. 1928. 42 x 30 1/2". Lent by Simon de Vaulchier, New York.

92.44 \*America's Answer—Production. 1942. (World War II) 30 x 40". Gift of Office of Emergency Management. Ill. p.209.

44.1273 Larranaga Havana Cigars. 30 x 20".  
Lent by The artist.

CASSANDRE, A. Mouron. French, born 1901. 43 1/4 x 63 3/8" with border  
\*L'intransigeant. 1925. (Newspaper) 47 1/4 x 60". Lent by A. E. Gallatin, New York. Ill. p.204.

277.35 Dubonnet. 1932. (Aperitif) 21 1/8 x 17 1/2". Given anonymously.

280.35 Wagon-Bar. 1932. (Buffet-car) 39 1/4 x 24 1/4". Given anonymously.

282. or 292.35 Grandes Fêtes de Paris. 1934. (French Ministry of Commerce and Industry) 62 3/8 x 46 3/8". Given anonymously.

284.35 Maison Frunier. 1934. (Restaurant) 59 x 39 1/4". Given anonymously.

42.702 Cesar. 1935. (Cigar) 50 1/8 x 35". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York.

\*Nicolas. 1935. (Wine dealer) 13' 11" x 15' 8 1/2". Given anonymously. Ill. p.206.

ECKERSLEY, Tom. British, born 1914.

Stand from Under. (World War II: accident prevention) 31 1/4 x 9 3/4". Gift of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents.

FOUGASSE, (Cyril Kenneth Bird) British, born 1887.

220.48 Elephants Are Out of Place . . . (World War II: road safety campaign) 29 x 19 1/4". Gift of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents.

218.43 We Don't Play Games in the Street . . . (World War II: road safety campaign) 29 x 19 1/4". Gift of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents.

GAMES, Abram. British, born 1914.

178.43 Grow Your Own Food. (World War II) 29 1/2 x 19 1/4". Gift of the artist.

HERKENDELL, Hanns. German.

93.44 German Art. Dusseldorf, 1928. (Exhibition) 34 1/2 x 23 1/2". Given anonymously.

HULLER, Swiss.

354.31 Shop Work of Craft School. Zurich. (Exhibition) 47 1/2 x 31 3/8". Purchase Fund.

KAUFFER, E. McKnight. American, born 1891. Worked in England 1914–1941.

Great Western to Cornwall. 1932. (Railroad) 40 x 24". Gift #? of the artist.

407.49 Great Western to Devon's Moors. 1932. (Railroad) 40 x 24". Gift of the artist.

\*B.P. Ethyl Controls Horsepower. (Gasoline) 1933. 30 x 44 3/4". #? Gift of the artist. Ill. p.205.

357.39 New Shell Lubricating Oils. 1937. 29 3/4 x 44 3/4". Gift of the artist.

97.44 C.A.A. Speeds the War. 1941. (World War II) 40 x 28 1/2". Gift of Civil Aeronautics Administration.

KEELY, Pat. British, born 1901.

130.43 Join Your Savings Group Now! (World War II) 8 x 20". Gift of the National Savings Committee. Ill. p.209.

204.48 Oil—A Slip in Every Drop. 1941. (World War II: accident prevention) 30 x 20". Gift of the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents.



Koerner, Henry. American  
Someone Talked.

KLUTSIS, Senkin. Russian.

Under the Banner of Lenin—Socialist Construction. 1930. 38 1/8 x 28 1/8". Purchase Fund.

KUKRYNIKS. Russian. (Composite name of three artists: Kupriyanov, born 1903; Krylov, born 1902; Sokolov, born 1903.)

Thunderclap. 1942? (World War II) 85 x 46 1/4". Gift of U.S.S.R. Society for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries, Moscow. Ill. p.208.

Nazi Conversion. 1942? (World War II) 69 3/4 x 48 1/4". Extended loan from John Davies Stamm.

LEWITT-HIM. Polish. (Composite name of two artists: Jan Lewitt, born 1907; George Him, born 1900) Worked in Poland 1933–1937. Now in England.

Post Your Letters Before Noon. 1940? (World War II) 14 1/8 x 56 3/8". Gift of the General Post Office, London. Ill. p.207.

LISSITSKY, El. Russian, born 1890.

\*U.S.S.R. Russian Exhibition, Zurich, 1929. 49 7/8 x 35 5/8". Purchase Fund. Ill. p.208.

LUTZBACHER, Max. Swiss.

Henri-Matisse. Basel, 1931. (Exhibition) 50 x 35 1/2".

MATTER, Herbert. Swiss, born 1907. Now in U.S.A.

Winter Vacation—Double Vacation. Switzerland. (Travel) 40 1/8 x 25 1/4". Gift of G. E. Kidder Smith.

\*Pontresina. 1935. (Travel) 40 x 25 1/4". Extended loan from G. E. Kidder Smith. Ill. p.207.

America Calling. (World War II) 41 1/2 x 29 1/2". Gift of the Office of Emergency Management.

NASON, Ben. American, born 1915.

Nantucket. 1942. 41 1/8 x 28". Gift of E. McKnight Kauffer.

O'HIGGINS, Pablo. American, born 1905; in Mexico since 1927. Nazism. (World War II) 19 3/8 x 25". Inter-American Fund.

RAPIER, British, born 1898.

These Bite—Keep Them Caged. (World War II: accident prevention) 29 7/8 x 20". Gift of the Ministry of Labor and National Service.

SCHAWINSKY, Xanti. Swiss, born 1904. Now in U.S.A.

Philco. 1937. (Radio) Original design. 18 1/4 x 37 3/4". Lent by the artist.

SHAHN, Ben. American, born Russia, 1898.

This is Nazi Brutality. (World War II) 40 1/8 x 28 1/4". Gift of the Office of War Information.

We French Workers Warn You . . . 1942. (World War II) 28 1/2 x 39 7/8". Gift of the War Production Board.

SHEPARD, Otis. American.

Christmas Stocking. (Chewing-gum) 42 x 28". Gift of William Wrigley Jr. Company.

SOGLOW, Otto. American, born 1900.

Wanted for Sabotage: Sloppie Louie. (World War II: accident prevention) 20 x 14". Gift of the War Department.

Wanted for Sabotage: Wise-Guy Joe. (World War II: accident prevention) 20 x 14". Gift of the War Department.

STOECKLIN, Niklaus. Swiss.

Cigarettes Parisiennes. 1939. 50 1/4 x 35 1/4". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York.

SUTNAR, Ladislav. Czech, born 1897. Now in U.S.A.

International Exhibition of Toys and Teaching Aids. Prague. 1929. 18 1/8 x 24 7/8". Lent by the artist.

March 7, 1930. (Proclamation setting President Masaryk's birthday as a day of culture) 45 3/8 x 32 1/4". Lent by the artist.

The trademark of a good book. 1932. (Publishing company) 35 3/4 x 23 7/8". Lent by the artist.

TOMLINSON, Herbert. British, born 1902.

He Will Eat Your Rations. "Trap That Mouse" series. (World War II) 39 1/2 x 29 1/4". Gift of the Ministry of Information.

TSCHICHOLD, Jan. German, born 1902. Worked in Switzerland. Now in England.

Chagan. 1933. (Exhibition) 50 1/8 x 35 1/2". Lent by Ladislav Sutnar, New York.

Constructivism. 1937. (Exhibition) 50 1/4 x 35 5/8". Lent by Ladislav Sutnar, New York.

\*The Professional Photographer. 1938. (Exhibition) 25 1/4 x 35 5/8". Lent by Ladislav Sutnar, New York. Ill. p.205.

UHER, Hungarian.

Hungary. (Travel) 37 x 24 1/4". Gift of G. E. Kidder Smith.

UNKNOWN. Spanish.

What Are You Doing to Prevent This? (Spanish Civil War) 15 1/2 x 10 7/8". Purchase Fund.

UNKNOWN. Dutch.

Help China's Children. 22 1/8 x 16 1/8".

UNKNOWN. (Signature illegible) Swiss.

Arosa. 10 x 25 1/8". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York.

UNKNOWN. Swiss.

Eugene Delacroix. Zurich, 1939. (Exhibition) 39 1/4 x 27 1/4". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York.

UNKNOWN. (Viktor . . .) Swiss.

Hotlip Butter. 1939. (Swiss Milk Commission) 50 x 35 1/2". Lent by Mrs. Henriette Reiss, New York.

UNKNOWN. British.

Nazi Eggs. (World War II) 29 3/4 x 19 7/8". Gift of National Savings Committee.

UNKNOWN. American. (Drawing by Käthe Kollwitz.)

Ask the Women and Children Whom Hitler is Starving . . . (World War II) 55 7/8 x 40". Gift of the Office of War Information.

UNKNOWN. (M. H.) Dutch.

Help to Remove This Stain. (World War II) 35 3/4 x 23 3/8". Gift of the Netherlands Information Bureau.

WALTHER, Gene. Swiss, born 1910. Worked in Holland. Now in U.S.A.

RNSM Royal Dutch Steamship Company. 1933. 37 1/4 x 24 1/2". Lent by the artist.