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Mrs. Gertrud A. Mellon, Mr. Walter Bareiss and Mrs.
Richard Deutsch are among Greenwich residents who are
actively engaged in arrangements for presenting a
lecture on Fernand Leger at the Museum of Modern Art,
11 West 53 Street, New York, on Wednesday evening,
November 18. The lecture will be given by James Johnson
Sweeney, Director of the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum on
the occassion of the current retrospective exhibition of
paintings by the French artist which is now on view at
the Museum of Modern Art.

The lecture is being sponsored by the Junior Council of the Museum, a group of young friends who, in addition to presenting a series of evening events each year, also operate the Museum's Art Lending Service.

Tickets, available at the Museum, are \$1.00 for Museum members and \$1.25 for non-members.

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JAMES JOHNSON SWEENEY TO LECTURE ON LEGER AT MUSEUM OF MODERN ART

An illustrated lecture on the art of Fernand LEGER will be given by James Johnson Sweeney, Director of The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, in the Auditorium of the Museum of Modern Art, 11 West 53 Street, on Wednesday, November 18, 1953 at 8:30 p.m. The program is sponsored by the Auditorium Committee of the Museum's Junior Council.

Count Jean de Lagarde, French Consul General, and Countess de Lagarde and Mr. Charles Luce, Minister Plenipotentiary, Alternate Delegate of France to the Security Council of the United Nations, and Mrs. Luce will be among the distinguished persons in the audience.

Tickets are available at the Museum: \$1.00 for Museum members and art students; \$1.25 for non-members.

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