

THE SHAPE OF THINGS

Historian Invents Tags For Pieces of Art Work

By RICHARD HIRSCH Director Allentown Art Museum The function of history, many believe, is to give order to the events which man creates without apparent pattern.

cent work. Emphatically, he did not feel Archaic. History Tags Them But history has tagged them both, and not them only but their descendants. Thus, looking back at the ages of man, it becomes easy to handle cliches instead of the roaring chaos of man's ever onrushing life.

mon, certain conventional ways of painting. This is really not very much of a bond for two men who came to blows after working together only a few weeks. But the historian's tag unites them both and will stick, meaningful or not.

By SID HOLLINGSWORTH Berkeley, Calif. — An appeal for a more enlightened policy in the enforcement of programs for highway safety was urged upon officials attending the California Street and Highway conference at the University of California last week.

Senator Collier Urges Road Safety Taught in Schools

State Sen. Randolph Collier, Yreka, representing the second district, an authority in the legislature on highway matters and member of the commission on interstate cooperation, addressed the opening session.

The Medical Roundup

Recent Studies On the Common Cold In 1946, a laboratory was set up in Salisbury, England, for research into the causes and treatment of the common cold.



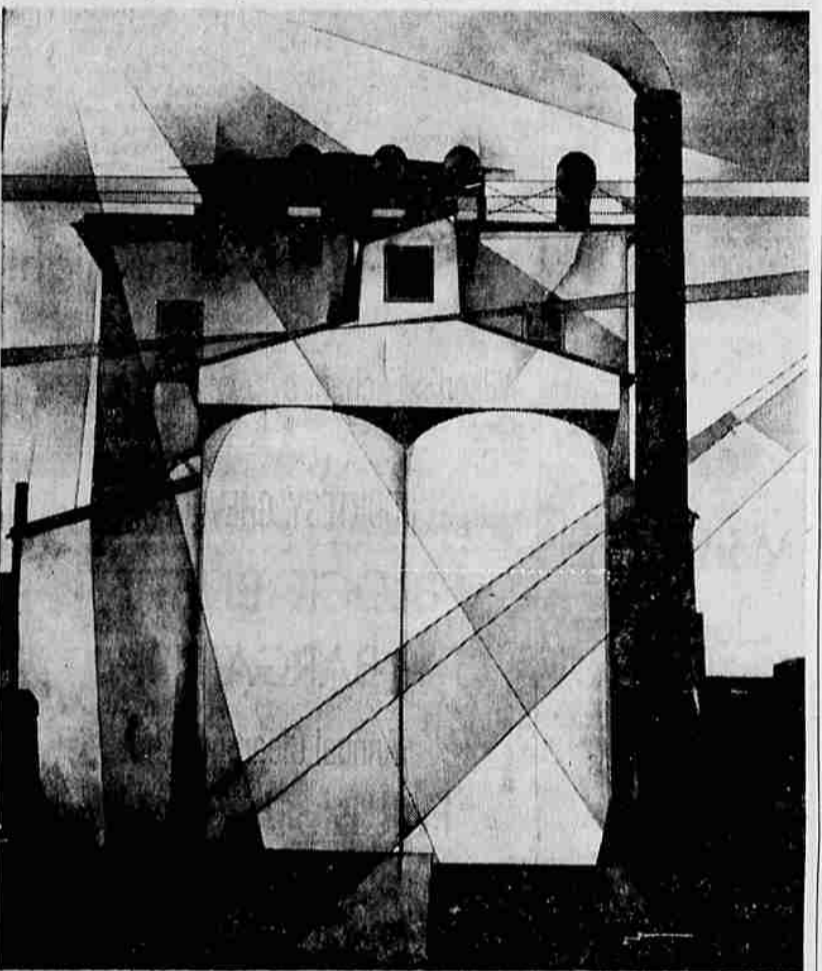
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gillin has no effect on colds; it does not prevent the growth of the virus. Years ago, at the Student Health Center of the University of Minnesota, when every anti-cold remedy known to man was tried out on many thousands of volunteers by Dr. Harold Diehl and his group, about the only drug that had any effect was codine.

some 20 surviving children for every 100 children produced by their normal brothers and sisters. Evidently, then, this dwarfism, which can be inherited as a dominant, will tend to die out in a family.

Another inherited disease has a similar strong tendency to die out is Retinoblastoma, an eye cancer which comes in children and which will quickly kill the victim unless the affected eye is immediately removed.

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IN SHOW—"My Egypt" by Charles Demuth Whitney Museum in New York. Demuth, presently included in "The Precisionists" exhibition which will be seen in major museums after its present display at the Whitney Museum in New York.

It is a good question. Martin Friedman, of the Walker Art Center, admits that there was never a Precisionist manifesto, publication or program, either in the nineteen twenties, when much of this work was being done by many of these artists presently assembled, or later.

His specific recommendations included periodic truck inspection and more information concerning mileage covered by the highway patrol before additional patrolmen are added.

Curiously, in Salisbury they found, while using over 6,000 volunteers, that a person is not more likely to catch cold if he is made to stand around in wet clothes in a drafty place. Recently, Capt. E. E.

Rusk said Kennedy wants to employ "flexible" diplomacy. Rusk said the new administration will seek to make greater use of ambassadors and normal diplomatic channels, but does not want to get into a "frozen" system which would preclude any other kinds of contacts.

Talk With Nikita Not Ruled Out Washington—UPI—Secretary of State Dean Rusk said today that President Kennedy has not ruled out the possibility of a summit conference with Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev if the "national interest requires."

Next on the list based on numbers is pink eye. Rogue River reported eight cases. Medford had two cases of chicken pox, one of German measles, one case of infectious hepatitis, one case of mumps, one case of measles.

Influenza Heads List of Diseases

Influenza continued to head the list of communicable diseases reported to the Jackson county health department last week. Medford reported 14 cases, compared to 6 the previous week.

Chamber Officials To Participate in Regional Meeting

Two Medford men will participate in the program when officers and managers of Washington, Oregon and Idaho chambers of commerce meet in Portland Feb. 6 for the annual three-state conference.

Railroad Agent Is Transferred North

R. A. Shelton, commercial agent for the Missouri Pacific railroad here for four years, will leave the valley for Eugene where he will assume duties as general agent.

Eagle Point High Gets \$361 for MOD

Eagle Point — A total of \$361 was contributed to the annual March of Dimes drive recently through Eagle Point High school activities and service projects, according to Richard Traylor, principal.

Rogue River Schools To Close May 26

Rogue River — Rogue River district schools will close May 26, it was announced Friday. Report cards for the end of the fall semester were sent home Friday. A new semester began Monday, Jan. 23, and will close the week after graduation, May 19.

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