NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS
September 1951

SEPTEMBER, 1951

THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

GALLERY HOURS

Weekdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sundays 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. Admission is free to the Gallery and all programs scheduled.

PERMANENT COLLECTION

The paintings and sculpture comprising the Mellon, Kress, Widener and Dale Collections with gifts from other donors are located on the main floor.

CONTINUED EXHIBITIONS

Paintings and sculpture acquired by the Samuel H. Kress Foundation 1945-195

NEW EXHIBITION

Opening September 23. Exhibition of John James Audubon's Prints and Paintings. This commemorates the hundredth anniversary of the artist's death.

FILM LECTURES

Four film lectures similar to those given in September last year will be presented this month. The films range from the new discoveries of the art of Paleolithic man in the cavern of Lascaux to the creation of modern sculpture by Irwin Fry and paintings by Franklin Watkins. The film, Maya Through The Ages, was edited by Louis de Rochemont. The Titan is shown through the courtesy of Classic Pictures, Inc., New York.

CONCERTS

On September 23 the autumn concerts begin.

HOLIDAY

On Labor Day, September 3, the Gallery will be open to visitors, but no educational serv-

ices will be rendered.

CAFETERIA

Open to the public Tuesdays through Saturdays 11 to 4. Sundays 4 to 7.

(For TALKS, LECTURES and CONCERTS, see inside pages)

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MONDAY, August 27 through Sunday, September 2

Picture of the Week Renoir. Odalisque.

(Chester Dale Collection) Gallery 84

Weekdays 12:00 and 2:00 Sunday 2:30 and 6:30

Tours Introduction to the Collection

Rotunda. Weekdays 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday Film-Lecture The Aboriginal Art of Spanish America

Speaker: Elisabeth Martin

Film Maya Through the Ages

Lecture Hall 4:00

TUESDAY, September 4 through Sunday, September 9

NOTE: No program will be given on Labor Day, September 3

Picture of the Week Memling. Madonna and Child with Angels.

(Mellon Collection) Gallery 14 Weekdays 12:00 and 2:00 Sunday 2:30 and 6:30

Tours Introduction to the Collection

Rotunda. Weekdays 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday Film-Lecture The Art of Prehistoric Man

Speaker: RAYMOND S. STITES

Film Lascaux, Cradle of Man's Art

Lecture Hall 4:00

MONDAY, September 10 through Sunday, September 16

Picture of the Week Andrea Mantegna. The Christ Child

Blessing.

(Kress Collection) Gallery 62 Weekdays 12:00 and 2:00

Sunday 2:30 and 6:30

Tours Introduction to the Collection

Rotunda. Weekdays 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday Film-Lecture

Modern Painters at Work
Speaker: Grose Evans

Film Franklin Watkins
Lecture Hall 4:00

MONDAY, September 17 through Sunday, September 23

Picture of the Week Claude Lorrain. Landscape with Merchants.

(Kress Collection) Gallery 71 Weekdays 12:00 and 2:00 Sunday 2:30 and 6:30

Tours Introduction to the Collection

Rotunda. Weekdays 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday Film-Lecture The Sculptor's Media

Speaker: Elisabeth Martin

Films Tree Trunk to Head

Stone and the Sculptor

Lecture Hall 4:00

Sunday Concert Robert Rudié, Violinist

West Garden Court 8:00

MONDAY, September 24 through Sunday, September 30

Picture of the Week Hals. Portrait of an Officer.

(Mellon Collection) Gallery 47 Weekdays 12:00 and 2:00 Sunday 2:30 and 6:30

Tours Introduction to the Collection

Rotunda. Weekdays 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday

Feature-Length Film

The Titan
Lecture Hall 4:00

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Sunday Concert

Jean Madeira, Contralto
Francis Madeira, Pianist
West Garden Court 8:00

Inquiries concerning the Gallery's educational services should be addressed to the Educational Office REpublic 4215, extension 272